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Future-proof peat meadow polder 'Lange Weide' ^[1]

Keywords:

Animal husbandry, Irrigation, Producer groups, Sustainability, Water management

Countries:

The Netherlands

The future-proof peat meadow polder 'Lange Weide', is unique bottom-up initiative and the largest submerged drainage project in the Netherlands.

Booij & Brandwijk cheese development [2]

Keywords:

Added value, Animal husbandry, Competitiveness, Diversification, Entrepreneurship, Farm restructuring/modernisation, Product quality

Countries:

The Netherlands

A cheese-producing farm used RDP support to set up a new plant for producing speciality cheeses and ensure its long-term financial sustainability.



Farmers of Amstel [3]

Keywords:

Animal husbandry, Biodiversity, Competitiveness, Cooperation, Entrepreneurship, Environmental sustainability, Farm restructuring/modernisation, Producer groups, Product quality

Countries:

The Netherlands

Amstelland Natuurzuivel is a cooperative of farmers in the Amstelland region who set up a milk factory to produce regional dairy products for the Amsterdam area.



[Piloting the 'Stable of the Future' for the pig farming sector](#) [4]

Keywords:

Animal husbandry, Animal welfare, Competitiveness, Entrepreneurship, Farm restructuring/modernisation, GHG & ammonia emissions

Countries:

The Netherlands

A pilot project to create an innovative pig farm based on the principle of processing fresh manure to minimise GHG emissions and increase the farm's profitability.



[Cowocat_Rural - Network of coworking spaces in rural Catalonia](#) [5]

Keywords:

Digitisation, Entrepreneurship, LEADER/CLLD, Rural Inspiration Awards: nominees, Rural

services

Countries:

Spain

Rural coworking spaces create opportunities for cooperation and innovation in rural areas while helping to attract new professionals to settle in the countryside.



Kipster - introducing a modular rearing system for eggs and poultry production [6]

Keywords:

Animal husbandry, Animal welfare, Competitiveness, Entrepreneurship, Farm restructuring/modernisation, Product quality, Rural business, Rural Inspiration Awards: nominees

Countries:

The Netherlands

A company created a modular rearing system that allows them to combine egg and quality rooster meat production, while respecting the environment and animal welfare.



SOLAR ENERGY - Promoting the use of solar energy by the primary sector in the Balearic islands [7]

Keywords:

Energy efficiency, Entrepreneurship, Environmental sustainability, LEADER/CLLD, Renewables, Rural Inspiration Awards: nominees

Countries:
Spain

A pilot project to demonstrate the environmental and economic benefits of using solar energy.



AGROBERRY - Original from Zamora [8]

Keywords:

Agriculture, Diversification, Entrepreneurship, Job creation, LEADER/CLLD, Rural Inspiration Awards: nominees

Countries:

Spain

A young female farmer introduced a blackberry plantation into a wheat and barley production area and created added value by developing a new range of products. This was the winning initiative of the 2019 Rural Inspiration Awards in the 'Improving competitiveness' category.



Reducing energy costs for irrigation [9]

Keywords:

Agriculture, Energy efficiency, Irrigation, Producer groups, Renewable energy, Sustainability

Countries:

Spain

Expanding a water reservoir and installing a solar farm to reduce the energy costs of irrigation.

