EUR 8.3 billion
European Maritime 
& Fisheries Fund (EMFF)

EUR 7.5 billion
European Social Fund (ESF)

EUR 0.2 billion
European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD)

EUR 10.8 billion
European Regional Development Fund (ERDF)

31%
EAFRD

28%
ESF

40%
ERDF

0.8%
EMFF

At least 30% of the EAFRD support in each RDP will support environmental and climate change related measures

Thematic objectives supported in Germany and ESIF contributions

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Thematic Objective - 3
Strengthening regional value chains for selected quality products and cooperation serving the development of new markets and the strengthening of processing and the competitiveness of beneficiaries.

Thematic Objective - 5
The area of adaptation to climate change contributes to more resistant crops and animal breeds that are adjusted to the local site conditions.

Thematic Objective – 6
In the field of agro-biodiversity, by structural diversity, extensification of grassland, long-term preservation and availability of genetic resources.

Thematic Objective – 9
The planned measures within TO 9 for village renewal, local leisure and recreational structure will lead to the improvement of rural infrastructure, creation or safeguarding jobs and enhancing leisure facilities, thereby improving the living and working conditions in rural areas.

Integrated approaches to territorial development in rural areas

Community Led Local Development (CLLD) / LEADER

CLLD/LEADER funding in Germany: Minimum 5% of total EAFRD budget.
Multi-funded Local Development Strategies: Exceptional – currently envisaged only in Saxony Anhalt.
Rural areas population limits: Between 10,000 and 150,000 inhabitants.

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