



Assessing the Quality of the 2007-2013 Ex Post Evaluations

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Ex Post Evaluation Quality Assessment Tool

Quality assessment tool for DG AGRI desk officers to assess the 2007-2013 ex post evaluations

The quality assessment tool

- Permits standardised assessment of evaluation quality
- Enforces evaluation quality standards
- Builds desk officer capacity in evaluation quality



Focus of the Quality Assessment

- The red thread of the evaluation:
 - *What the evaluator concluded & recommended*
 - *How the evaluator came to the conclusions*
 - *What the evaluator based the conclusions on*
- Issues which MA can control:
 - MA tendered out (e.g. methods)
 - MA responsible (e.g. data collection)
- Systemic issues that affect also 2014-2020 evaluation



Elements of the Quality Assessment

- Use of CMEF
 - Evaluation Questions (CEQ & PSEQ)
 - Indicators (CI & PSI)
- Robust methods & data
- Credible findings leading to valid conclusions & recommendations



Thank you for your attention!

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