Thematic objectives supported in Greece and ESIF contributions

**EU 2020 priorities**

- **1. Research and Innovation**: 73% ERDF, 27% EAFRD
- **2. Information and Comm. Technologies**: 95% ESF, 5% EAFRD
- **3. Competitiveness of SMEs**: 55% ERDF, 45% EAFRD
- **4. Low-carbon economy**: 42% CF, 58% ESF
- **5. Combating climate change**: 22% CF, 49% ERDF, 28% EAFRD
- **6. Environment and resource efficiency**: 60% ERDF, 40% EAFRD
- **7. Sustainable transport**: 79% ERDF, 21% EAFRD
- **8. Employment and mobility**: 16% CF, 61% ESF, 23% EAFRD
- **9. Social inclusion**: 16% CF, 61% ESF, 23% EAFRD
- **10. Better education, training**: 16% CF, 73% ESF, 11% EAFRD
- **11. Better public administration**: 100% EAFRD

**ESIF contribution per T.O. (billion EUR)**

- **1.3** for Research and Innovation
- **0.8** for Information and Comm. Technologies
- **2.4** for Competitiveness of SMEs
- **1.6** for Low-carbon economy
- **0.8** for Combating climate change
- **3.2** for Environment and resource efficiency
- **1.9** for Sustainable transport
- **1.3** for Employment and mobility
- **1.3** for Social inclusion
- **0.3** for Better public administration

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EAFRD allocation per Thematic Objective & expected results

Thematic Objectives

1. Research & Innovation 8%
2. Information & Comm. Technologies 1%
3. Competitiveness of SMEs 26%
4. Low-carbon economy 7%
5. Combating climate change 11%
6. Environment & resource efficiency 25%
7. Sustainable transport
8. Employment & Mobility 9%
9. Social inclusion 7%
10. Better education & training 3%
Technical Assistance 2%

100% EUR 4.2 billion

Thematic Objective - 1
Increase the number and types of synergies between farms / businesses in agriculture, forestry and rural areas and service providers for research, technological development and innovation in the form of operational groups and of clusters, networks and other forms of co-operation.

Thematic Objective - 2
Increase of the agricultural farms that are restructuring and/or improving their overall performance with emphasis on innovation, protection of the environment and production of competitive agro-nutritional products.

Thematic Objective - 3
Increase the output of water usage through the selection of the appropriate investments and infrastructure for irrigation.

Thematic Objective - 4
Conservation, restoration and reinforcement of the natural, forestry and agricultural ecosystems including those in Natura 2000, through investments and actions that improve the resilience of natural, forest and agricultural eco-systems to the new conditions created by climate change.

Integrated approaches to territorial development in rural areas

Community Led Local Development (CLLD) / LEADER

CLLD/LEADER funding in Greece: Minimum 5% of the total EAFRD budget.
Multi-funded Local Development Strategies: Possible. The lead fund will be designated according to budget criteria or/ and other characteristics such as the type of area.
Rural areas population limits derogations: The minimum population threshold of 10,000 inhabitants is necessary to be lowered for:
- Islands with severe development gaps;
- Geographically disadvantaged areas with identified serious socio-economic problems.

Responsible body: Ministry of Development and Competitiveness – General Secretariat of Public Investments
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