

### I. General information

<b>Thematic provisions</b>	The RDP (or other relevant official document) does not specify a list of possible cooperation themes.
<b>Territorial provisions</b>	Transnational cooperation: rural territory (EU, third country) and non-rural territories (EU MS). For inter-territorial cooperation: rural territories in EU MS and non-rural territories in EU MS.
<b>Potential partners</b>	For TNC: Local action groups, Group of local public and private partners (non-LAG) in a rural territory implementing a local development strategy, Group of local public and private partners (non-LAG) in a non-rural territory implementing a local development strategy
<b>Guidance in other languages / national language</b>	Available in German
<b>Eligible beneficiaries for cooperation projects</b>	Local action groups Other local actors
<b>Coordinating/lead partner provisions</b>	A lead partner is required for a cooperation project to be eligible for support.
<b>Simplified costs</b>	Not applicable
<b>Calls</b>	Cooperation is integrated into the LDSs and projects can be submitted continuously.
<b>Project selection</b>	The local action group selects preparator actions and cooperation projects.
<b>Budget allocation for cooperation to LAGs</b>	Equal amount for each LAG
<b>Other provisions</b>	Inter-territorial and transnational cooperation are integrated into the local development strategies.

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## II. Financial information

Germany / Thuringen

<b>Total public expenditure</b>	1.500.000 Euro.
<b>Maximum amount of support</b>	5000 Euro / preparatory actions related to a specific cooperation project Not specified in the RDP for inter-territorial and transnational cooperation.
<b>Minimum amount of support</b>	Not specified in the RDP for inter-territorial and transnational cooperation.
<b>Maximum rate of support</b>	75%
<b>Other provisions</b>	Not defined in the RDP.

## III. Preparatory support

<b>Rationale/ purpose of the support</b>	Support for the preparatory actions for cooperation projects.
<b>Eligible beneficiaries</b>	Local action groups
<b>Basic eligibility criteria</b>	Presentation of a final letter of intent
<b>Eligible actions</b>	Meetings, participation at events, feasibility study for the cooperation project
<b>Eligible costs</b>	Travel, accommodation, interpreters' fees, translation, consultancy support, rental of venue for events and meetings, catering
<b>Non-eligible costs</b>	Not defined in the RDP (or other relevant official document)

## IV. Inter-territorial Cooperation

<b>Rationale/ purpose of the support</b>	Support for cooperation projects.
<b>Type of eligible territory</b>	rural territories in EU MS and non-rural territories in EU MS.
<b>Basic eligibility criteria</b>	Presentation of a final cooperation agreement
<b>Eligible actions</b>	Meetings, participation at events, publications, website, joint services, joint products, study visit
<b>Eligible costs</b>	Travel, accommodation, catering, interpreters' fees, consulting, translation, telecommunication and/or postal services, rental of venue for meetings and events, share of common costs related to joint publication and/or website
<b>Non-eligible costs</b>	Not defined in the RDP (or other relevant official document)

## V. Transnational Cooperation (TNC)

<b>Rationale/ purpose of the support</b>	Support for cooperation projects.
<b>Type of eligible territory</b>	Transnational cooperation: rural territory (EU, third country) and non-rural territories (EU MS).
<b>Basic eligibility criteria</b>	As for inter-territorial cooperation
<b>Eligible actions</b>	As for inter-territorial cooperation
<b>Eligible costs</b>	As for inter-territorial cooperation
<b>Non-eligible costs</b>	As for inter-territorial cooperation