



ONLINE GOOD PRACTICE WORKSHOP

DATA MANAGEMENT FOR THE ASSESSMENT OF RDP EFFECTS

13-14 MAY 2020

ONLINE

BACKGROUND

Member States have submitted their enhanced Annual Implementation Reports in 2019. They reported on both RDP achievements and impacts by answering all common evaluation questions.

The challenge that lies ahead of the Member States is preparing for the ex post evaluation in 2024 as foreseen in Article 78 of the Rural Development Regulation and at the same time also drawing necessary conclusions for preparing the CAP post-2020.

A series of Helpdesk activities on the AIR in 2019 (Synthesis of evaluation components, Good Practice workshops, capacity building events in the Member States) have identified data management and quality as the priority issue, hindering the application of more robust evaluation approaches and for a more harmonised reporting.

OBJECTIVES

The overall objective of this Good Practice Workshop is to reflect on the 2019 experiences in relation to data management, with a view towards preparing for the ex post evaluation of RDPs 2014-2020 and identify necessary lessons relevant for future monitoring and evaluation activities. The specific objectives are:

- Exchange practices on how to identify and meet data needs in relation to evaluation and how to better use existing data (IACS, LPIS, FADN, FSS, animal identification system, etc.).
- Resolve specific data-related issues (double-counting, quality assurance, capturing of secondary and LEADER contributions), e.g. on the example of socio-economic indicators
- Identify needs for further support for Managing Authorities and evaluators in relation to data management and quality for preparing the ex post evaluations and future monitoring and evaluations.

TARGET AUDIENCE

Managing Authorities, Paying Agencies, data-providers/people responsible for data management, evaluators and other evaluation stakeholders in the Member States as well as EU level evaluation experts. The number of participants will be limited to 60 people.

Working language will be English.



Outcomes of the
Good Practice Workshop
will be published on the
ENRD website:

https://enrd.ec.europa.eu/evaluation_en

W E D N E S D A Y 1 3 M A Y

08:45 Welcoming participants and opening 'online' networking space

Setting the frame

9:30 Welcome, objectives and agenda (*Evaluation Helpdesk*)

The importance of data management, with a view to the ex post (*European Commission DG AGRI*)

Sharing experiences and developing practical suggestions

10:15 Experiences from data collection and management for assessing economic and socio-economic effects

- Case study presentations on the assessment of socio-economic effects (*Germany*)
- Case study on the assessment of economic indicators (*Italy*)
- Q&A from participants

11:15 *Virtual Coffee Break*

11:30 Group work and plenary discussion on the presented case studies

12:45 Concluding remarks

13:00 *End of Day*

T H U R S D A Y 1 4 M A Y

Sharing experiences and developing practical suggestions

8:30 Welcoming to Day 2 virtual networking

9:00 *Introduction and agenda of Day 2, key lessons from Day 1 (Evaluation Helpdesk)*

9:20 Experiences from data collection and management for assessing environmental effects

- Case study presentations on the assessment of environmental effects (*Germany*)
- Assessment of emissions (*Helpdesk presentation, various RDPs*)
- Case study presentations on the assessment of water abstraction and water quality (*Greece*)
- Q&A from participants

10:45 Group work on the presented case studies

11:30 *Virtual Coffee Break*

11:40 Plenary discussion on the group work of the presented case studies

12:15 Panel discussion with EC representatives

12:45 Concluding remarks

13:00 *End of Day*