

# Soil Monitoring and Resilience, contributions from the European CAP Network Innovation & knowledge exchange EIP-AGRI

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STRANDS

CAP IMPLEMENTATION

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EVALUATION

SUPPORT UNITS

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EVALUATION HELPDESK

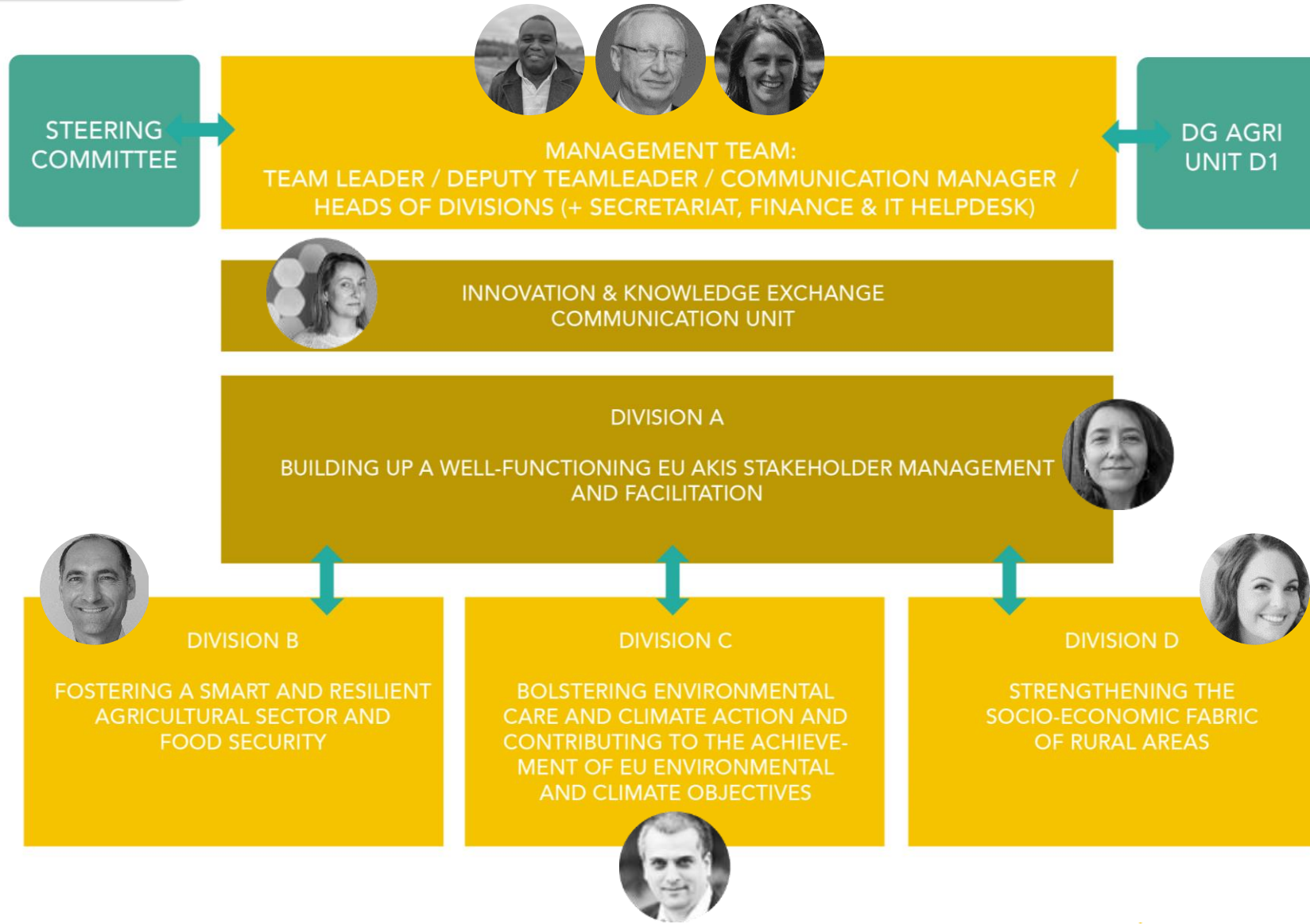
COMMUNICATION & EVENTS SUPPORT

Coordinated annual work programmes

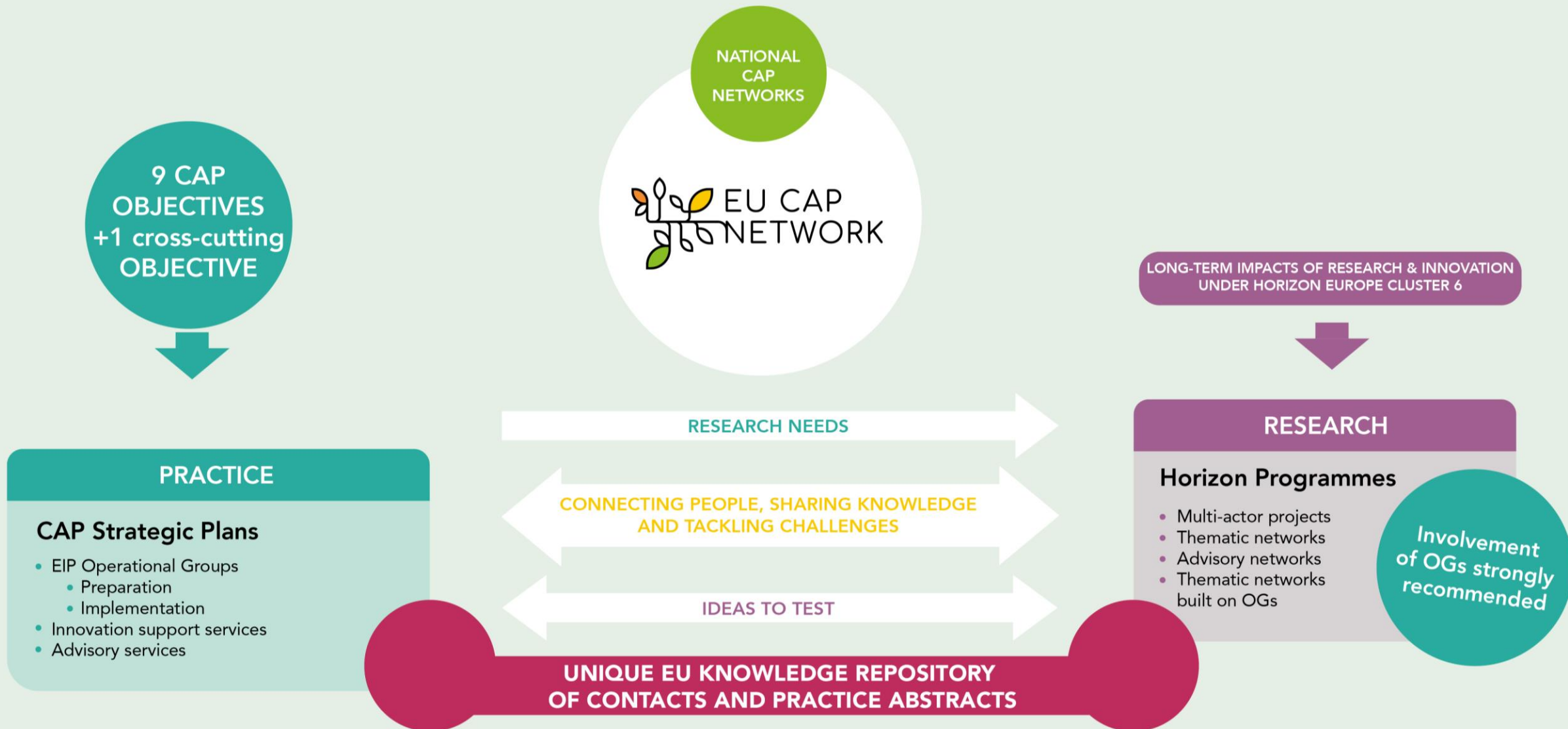




# The EIP-AGRI Support Facility management structure

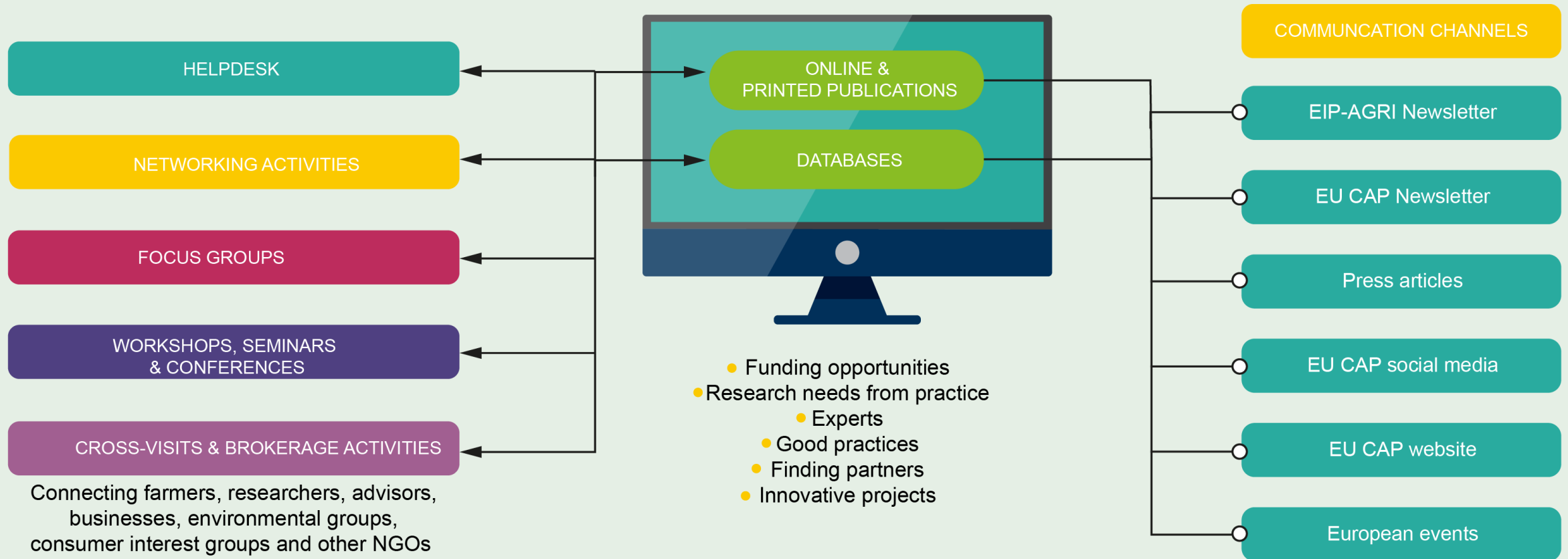


# Bridging practice and research



# Support Facility Innovation & Knowledge exchange | EIP-AGRI: Services

Sharing knowledge – tackling challenges – connecting people



# Networking Events

Event	Topic	Aim	No of days	Combined with
<b>Focus group</b> 20 experts+ CE	Focused deeply	To share <b>good practices, challenges</b> and opportunities, knowledge and <b>research gaps</b> and innovative <b>solutions</b>	2 meetings 1,5 each	Field visit
<b>Workshop</b> 80-100 participants	Specific, focused	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>to discuss relevant issues, exchange knowledge, share practical experiences, network and explore potential future partnerships between participants</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>opportunity for innovative <b>projects</b> (especially to OGs and multi-actor research projects) to <b>exchange project results</b>, identify and discuss common challenges and potential solutions, <b>build synergies</b> and explore future collaborations</i>	1,5	Field visits or brokerage activity
<b>Seminar</b> 150-200 participants	Specific, wider		1,5	Field visits or brokerage activity
<b>Conference</b> 250-450 participants	Wide	On request of the Commission	1-2	Field visits or brokerage activity or award ceremony
<b>Cross-visit:</b> <b>One-to-one</b> cross border project visit, 10 participants from 2 OGs <b>Multiple projects</b> cross visits, 25 participants from 5 OGs of 3 MS	Based on requests from OGs	To bring together, in a concrete setting, innovation <b>actors</b> working on <b>similar issues</b> , and to stimulate <b>knowledge exchange</b> and explore further <b>collaborations</b> .	1-1,5	Field visits
<b>Stand-alone Brokerage activity</b> 100 participants	Call or networking	<b>Exchange forum</b> for innovative <b>projects</b> and <b>actors</b> to meet each other, discuss potential project ideas or other forms of <b>cooperation</b>	1-1,5	-
<b>Ad-hoc expert meeting</b> 30 experts	Focused on FG concept	To <b>discuss</b> and plan <b>specific activities</b> linked to the successful implementation of the <b>innovation strand</b> activities	1	-

# 16 networking events from October 2023 to June 2024

- › 19-20 October 2023 - Antwerp, Belgium | **Brokerage event: Horizon Europe multi-actor approach projects**
- › Focus Group meetings on:
  - › **Competitive and resilient mountain areas**, 20-21 Nov-Zagreb, Croatia and 5-7 March 2024 - Cluj-Napoca, Romania
  - › **Regenerative agriculture for soil health**, 28-29 Nov- Bratislava, Slovakia and 23-24 April 2024 - Odense, Denmark
  - › **Crop associations including Milpa and protein crops**, 28-29 Nov - Vienna, Austria and 29-30 May 2024 - Toulouse, France
- › 30 November-1 December 2023 - Tallinn, Estonia | **Workshop: National networking for innovation**
- › 21-22 February 2024 - Vienna, Austria | **Seminar: Skills and lifelong learning**
- › 12-13 March 2024 - Seville, Spain | **Workshop: Circular water management**
- › 6-8 May 2024 - Estoril, Portugal | **Conference: EU CAP Network conference 'EIP-Operational Groups: Innovation in practice**
- › 7 May 2024 - Estoril, Portugal | **Awards ceremony on EIP-AGRI Innovation Awards 2024 for Operational Groups**
- › 17-18 April 2024 - Krakow, Poland | **Workshop: Boosting women-led innovation in agriculture and rural areas**
- › 18-19 June 2024 - Ljubljana, Slovenia | **Workshop: Promoting pollinator-friendly farming**
- › June 2024 - Brussels, Belgium | **Ad-hoc national experts meeting**
- › 26-27 June 2024 - Cross-visit | **Climate adaptation on the ground**
- › 26-27 June 2024 - Cross-visit | **Use of agricultural and forestry residues**



## EU CAP Network website

- › [Welcome to the EU CAP Network! | European CAP Network \(europa.eu\)](https://europa.eu)
- › News and events
- › Networking
- › Projects and practice

### Social media accounts

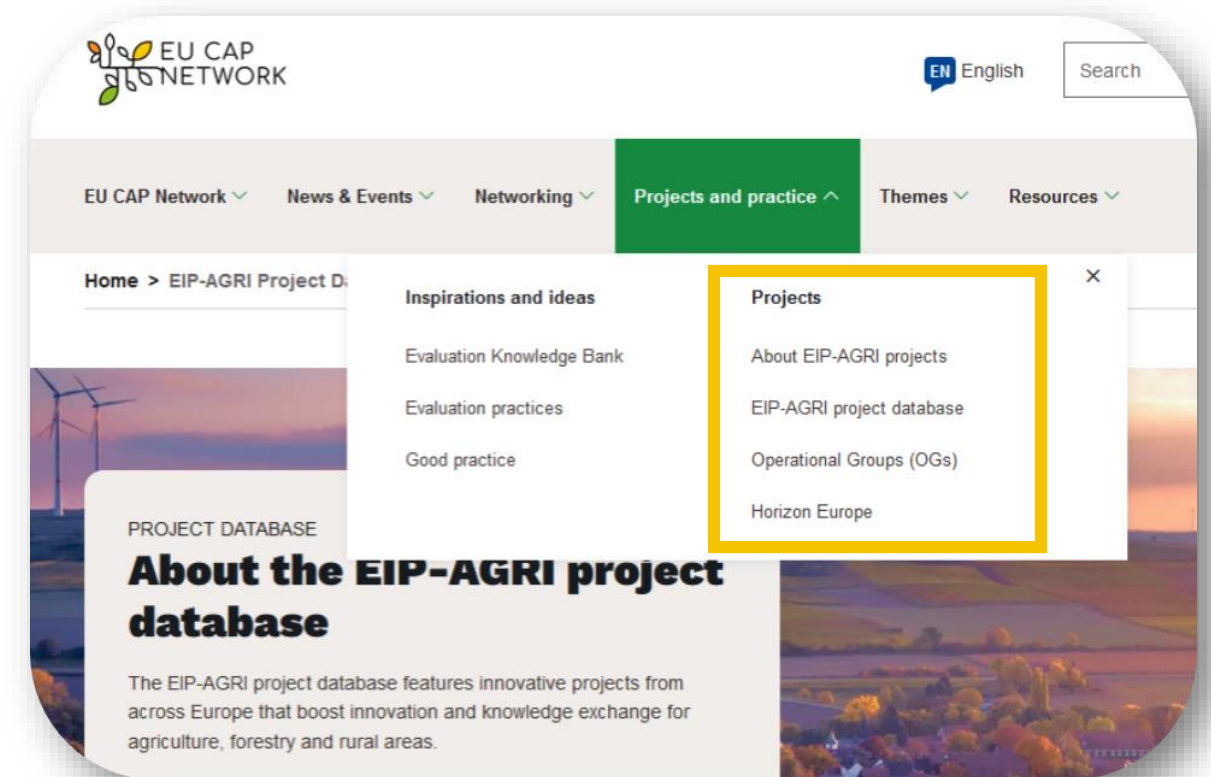






# EIP-AGRI project database

- **New database** (December 2023) on the [EU CAP Network website](#)
- Around **3000** EIP OGs and **500** research and innovation projects including Horizon multi-actor projects
- To be regularly updated with new projects (**CAP 2023-2027** and **Horizon Europe**)
- **1020 projects** working on 'soil' (free text search), 772 of those are OGs (April 2024)



## Events on soils

- › EIP-AGRI Brokerage event 'Get involved in the EU Mission: A Soil Deal for Europe' (Belgium, 2022)
- › EU CAP Network cross-visit 'Circular and organic soil management' (Italy, 2023)
- › Focus Group 'Regenerative agriculture for soil health' (Slovakia-Denmark, 2023-2024)



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- › Multiple cross-visits 2024 (only for OGs)
  - › Climate adaptation on the ground - innovative solutions to build farm resilience: [EU CAP Network cross-visit 'Climate adaptation on the ground'](#)
  - › Use of agricultural and forestry residues for creating alternative sources of income for farmers and foresters: [EU CAP Network cross-visit 'Use of agricultural and forestry residues'](#)
- › [Safeguarding our soils | EIP-AGRI \(europa.eu\)](#)



## How can EIP-AGRI contribute to soil monitoring and resilience

- › Putting together stakeholders to foster innovation in agriculture
- › Providing opportunities for networking
- › Disseminating knowledge among agricultural stakeholders
- › Identifying research needs from practice: [Report - Research needs from practice | European CAP Network \(europa.eu\)](#)





Thank you!

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