



DG AGRI Evaluation and Studies Plan 2016-2020

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The proposed planning of the future evaluations is based on the following elements:

- the 6-year evaluation cycle foreseen in Article 18(3)(b) of Regulation (EU) No 1268/2012;
- the Better Regulation Guidelines;
- requirements for evaluation laid down in specific legislation;
- Commission commitments to other institutions;
- Needs of DG AGRI units.

Minimum standards for evaluations following the better regulation guidelines:

- Evaluation roadmap published 4 weeks for feedback
- Questions on:
 - **Effectiveness**
 - **Efficiency**
 - **Relevance**
 - **Coherence**
 - **EU value added**
- 12 week, open, internet-based public consultation as part of evaluation
- Preparation of a staff working document next to the report of the contractor

CAP evaluations

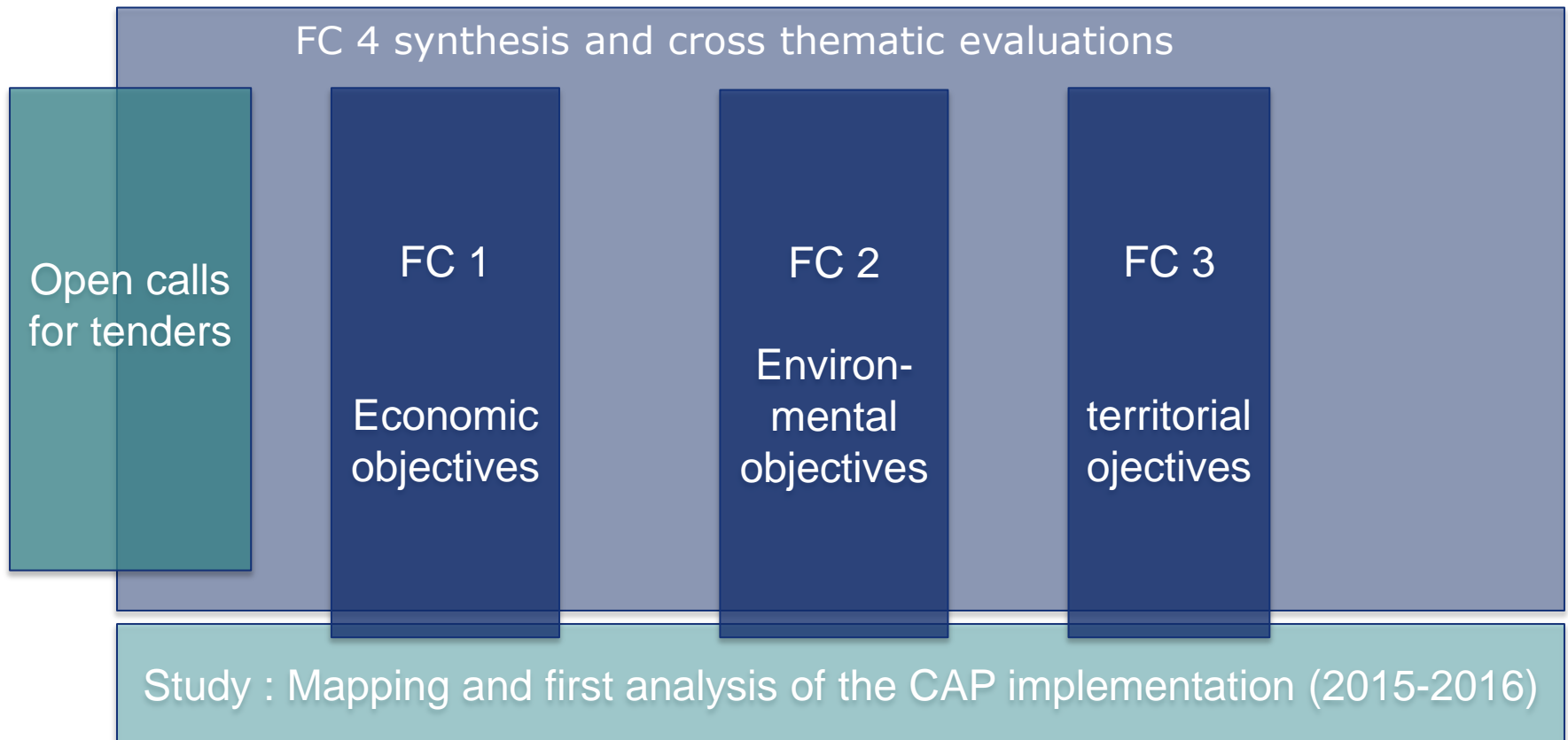
Reporting on the performance of EU policies:

- Article 110 of Regulation (EU) No 1306/2013;
- First results on the performance reported no later than 31 December 2018;
- Second report including an assessment of the performance of the CAP shall be presented by 31 December 2021.

Evaluation of the CAP in relation to its general objectives:

- Use of framework contracts (FC) to reduce time needed by procurement procedure;
- One framework contract for each general objective of the CAP, one for synthesis and cross-thematic issues
- These framework contracts are preceded by a mapping and first analysis of CAP implementation currently ongoing

Architecture of CAP evaluations



Evaluations in 2015

| <i>COMPLETED AND ONGOING IN 2015</i> | | |
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| EU Beef labelling rules | completed | |
| Article 68 measures | completed | |
| Information policy | completed | |
| Ex-ante evaluation synthesis of RDPs 2014-2020 | completed | |
| POSEI | 2015 | 2016 |
| Technical assistance for RD evaluation 2014–2020 (Helpdesk) | 2014 | 2020 |

Studies in 2015 and 2016 (examples)

| <i>COMPLETED IN 2015 AND ONGOING IN 2016</i> | | |
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| Cost of and good practices for FADN data collection | completed | |
| Mapping and analysis of the implementation of the CAP | 2015 | 2016 |
| EIP Agricultural productivity and sustainability | 2015 | 2016 |
| Distribution of the added value of the organic food chain | 2015 | 2016 |

Evaluations planned for 2016

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| Finalisation of call for tenders on the contribution of the CAP to the general objective "<i>viable food production</i>" (open call - FC-1) | 2015 | 2021 |
| Finalisation of call for tenders on the contribution of the CAP to the general objective "<i>sustainable management of natural resources and climate action</i>" (open call – FC-2) | 2015 | 2021 |
| Finalisation of call for tenders on the contribution of the CAP to the general objective "<i>balanced territorial development</i>" (open call – FC-3) | 2016 | 2021 |
| Launching a call for tenders on the synthesis and cross-thematic evaluations (open call – FC-4) | 2016 | 2022 |
| Greening | 2016 | 2017 |
| Evaluation of marketing standards (contained in the CMO Regulation, the "<i>breakfast directives</i>" and CMO secondary legislation) | 2016 | 2017 |
| Evaluation of the forestry measures under the rural development policy | 2016 | 2017 |

Evaluations planned for 2017 and beyond (examples)

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| Evaluation of the impact of the CAP on climate change and greenhouse gas emissions |
| Evaluation of the impact of the CAP on habitats, landscapes and biodiversity |
| Evaluation of the impact of the CAP on local development |
| Impact of the EU agricultural promotion policy – internal and third countries markets |
| Synthesis of RD ex-post evaluations 2007-2013 |



All evaluation and study reports are published on the Europa website (accompanied by a quality assessment)

DG AGRI evaluation webpage on Europa:

http://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/evaluation/index_en.htm

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Thanks for your attention !

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