Intervention logic and indicators: update following the political agreement

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Smart, sustainable and inclusive growth

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CAP general Objectives

Possible CAP Impact Indicators

Intervention logic for Pillar II

Viable food production

Sustainable management of natural resources and climate action

Balanced territorial development

Pillar II Priorities

2. Enhancing farm viability and competitiveness of all types of agriculture in all regions and promoting innovative farm technologies and sustainable management of forests

3. Promoting food chain organisation, including processing and marketing of agricultural products, animal welfare and risk management in agriculture

4. Restoring, preserving and enhancing ecosystems related to agriculture and forestry

5. Promoting resource efficiency and supporting the shift towards a low carbon and climate resilient economy in agriculture, food and forestry sectors
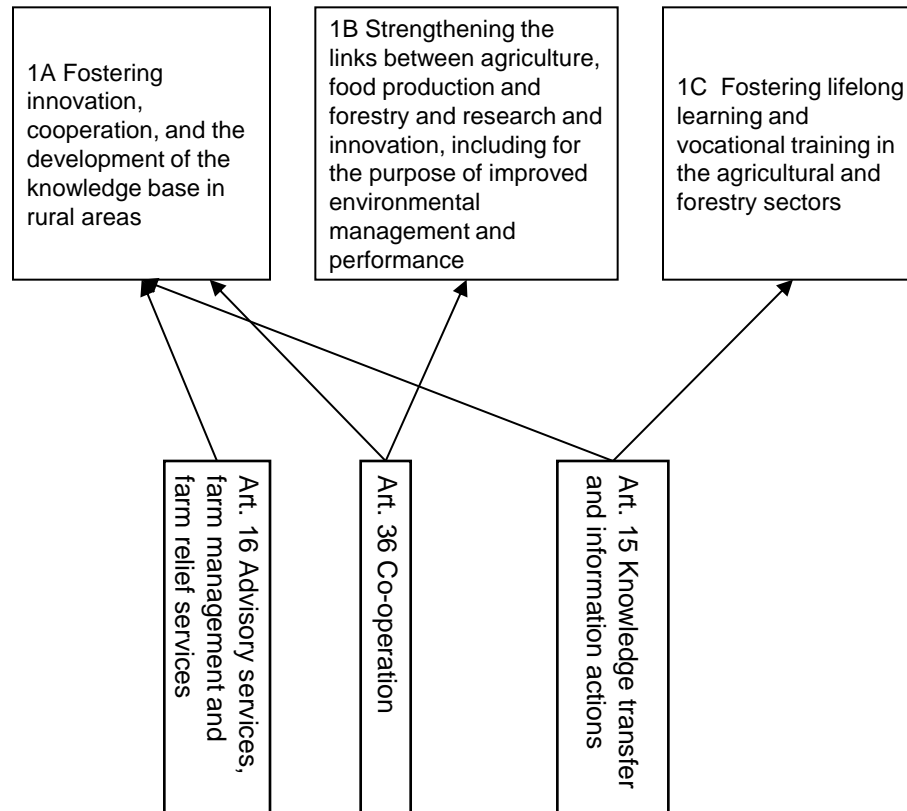
6. Promoting social inclusion, poverty reduction and economic development in rural areas

1. Fostering knowledge transfer and innovation in agriculture, forestry and rural areas

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RD Focus areas

| 1A Fostering innovation, cooperation, and the development of the knowledge base in rural areas | 1B Strengthening the links between agriculture, food production and forestry and research and innovation, including for the purpose of improved environmental management and performance | 1C Fostering lifelong learning and vocational training in the agricultural and forestry sectors |

Relevant measures

Art. 16 Advisory services, farm management and farm relief services

Art. 36 Co-operation
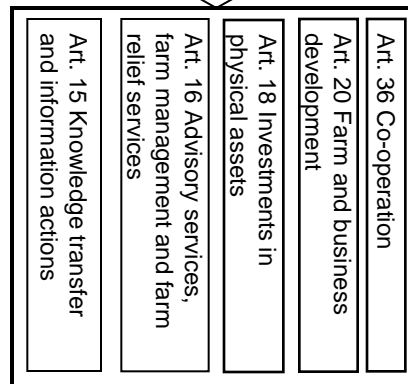
Art. 15 Knowledge transfer and information actions

2. **Enhancing farm viability and competitiveness of all types of agriculture in all regions and promoting innovative farm technologies and sustainable management of forests**

RD Focus areas

2A Improving the economic performance of all farms and facilitating farm restructuring and modernisation notably with a view to increase market participation and orientation as well as agricultural diversification

2B Facilitating entry of adequately skilled farmers into the agricultural sector and in particular generational renewal
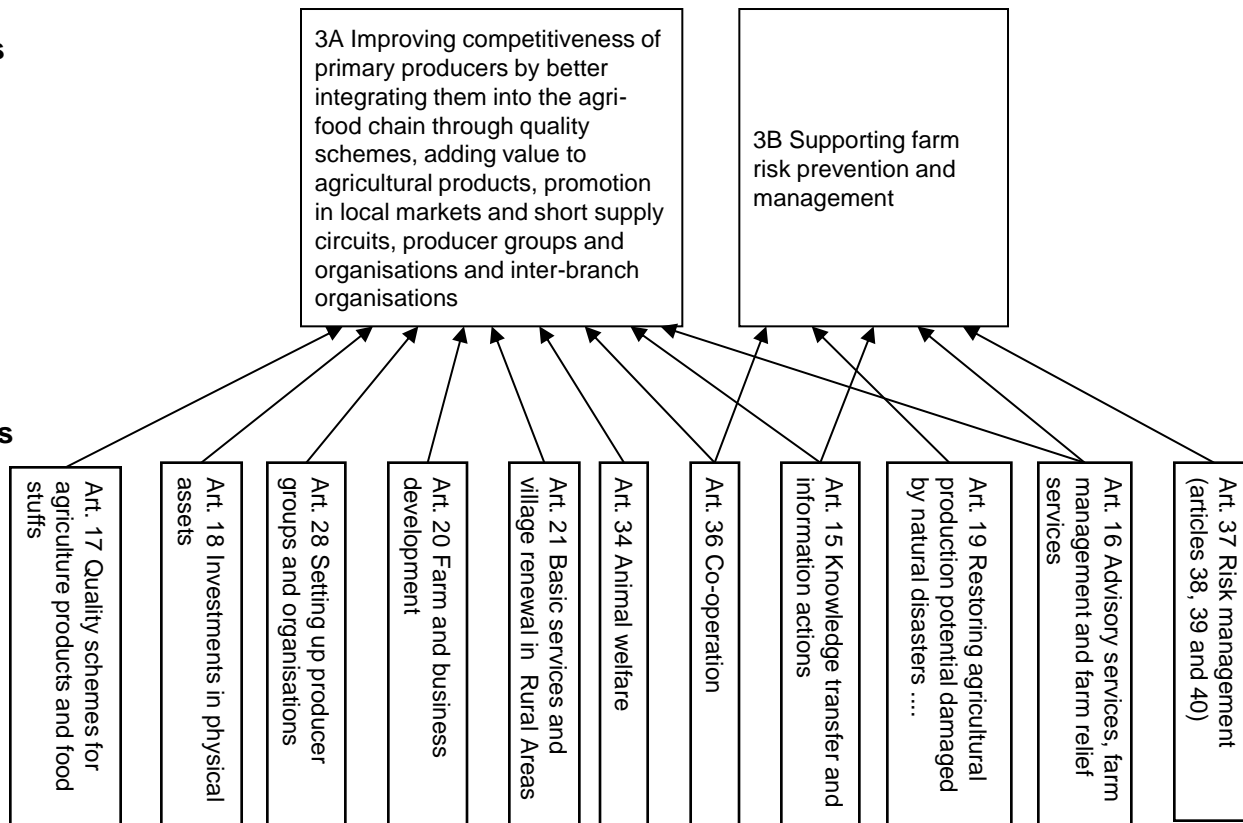
Relevant measures

Art. 15 Knowledge transfer and information actions

Art. 16 Advisory services, farm management and farm relief services

Art. 18 Investments in physical assets

Art. 20 Farm and business development

Art. 36 Co-operation

3. **Promoting food chain organisation, including processing and marketing of agricultural products, animal welfare and risk management in agriculture**

RD Focus areas

3A Improving competitiveness of primary producers by better integrating them into the agri-food chain through quality schemes, adding value to agricultural products, promotion in local markets and short supply circuits, producer groups and organisations and inter-branch organisations

3B Supporting farm risk prevention and management

Relevant measures

Art. 17 Quality schemes for agriculture products and food stuffs

Art. 18 Investments in physical assets

Art. 28 Setting up producer groups and organisations

Art. 20 Farm and business development

Art. 21 Basic services and village renewal in Rural Areas

Art. 34 Animal welfare

Art. 36 Co-operation

Art. 15 Knowledge transfer and information actions

Art. 19 Restoring agricultural production potential damaged by natural disasters ....

Art. 16 Advisory services, farm management and farm relief services

Art. 37 Risk management (articles 38, 39 and 40)

4. Restoring, preserving and enhancing ecosystems related to agriculture and forestry

Focus areas

4A Restoring, and preserving and enhancing biodiversity, including in Natura 2000 areas, areas facing natural or other specific constraints and high nature value farming, and the state of European landscapes

4B Improving water management, including fertiliser and pesticide management;

4C Preventing soil erosion and improving soil management.

Relevant measures

Art. 31 Natura 2000 and Water framework directive payments

Art. 35 Forest-environmental and climate services and forest conservation

Art. 15 Knowledge transfer and information actions

Art. 16 Advisory services, farm management and farm relief services

Art. 36 Co-operation
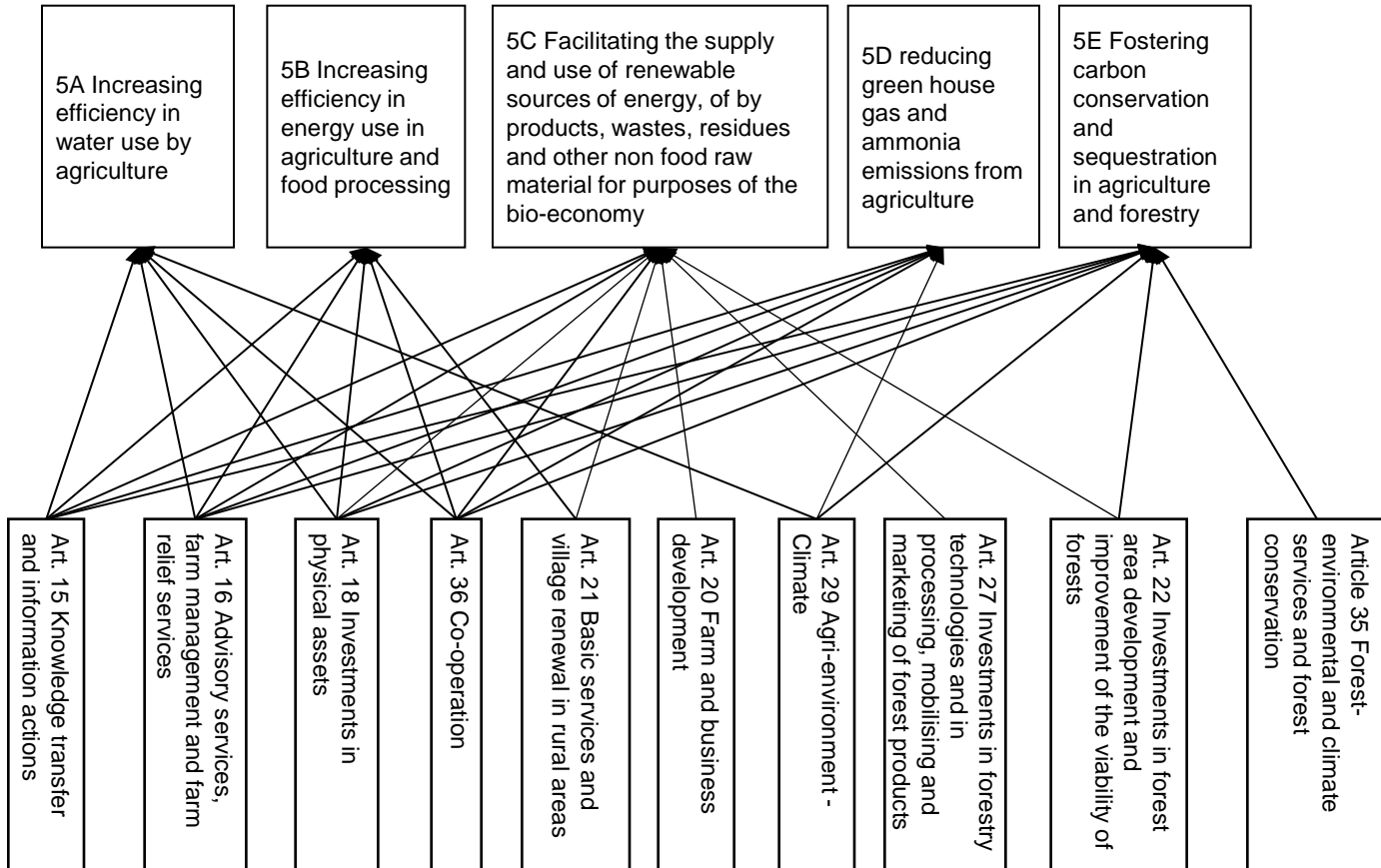
Art. 21 Basic services and village renewal in rural areas

Art. 22 Investments in forest area development and improvement of the viability of forests

5. Promoting resource efficiency and supporting the shift towards a low carbon and climate resilient economy in agriculture, food and forestry sectors

6. Promoting social inclusion, poverty reduction and economic development in rural areas

RD Focus areas

- 6A Facilitating diversification, creation and development of small enterprises and job creation
- 6B Fostering local development in rural areas
- 6C Enhancing accessibility to, use and quality of information and communication technologies (ICT) in rural areas

Relevant measures/approaches

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- Art. 20 Farm and business development
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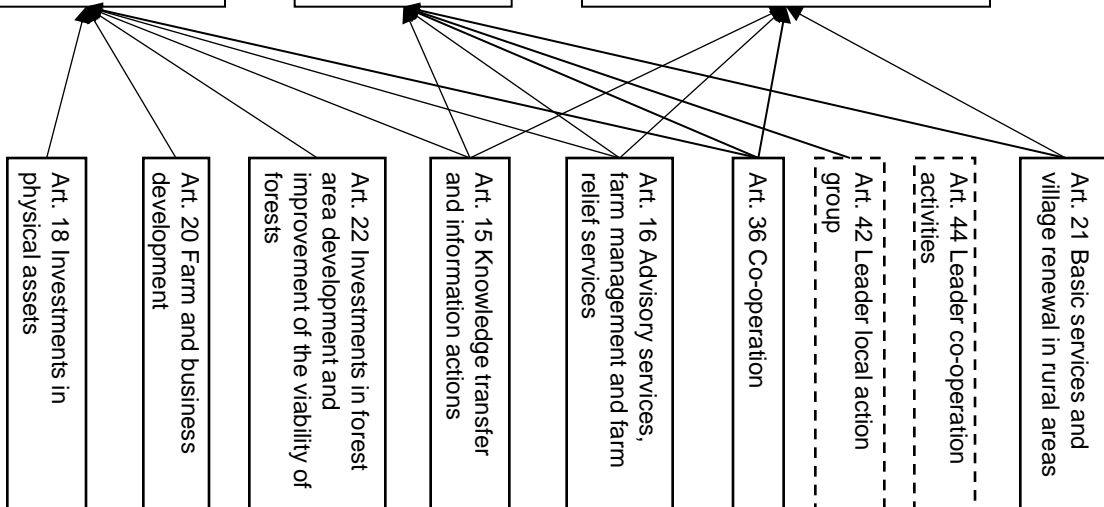- Art. 15 Knowledge transfer and information actions
- Art. 16 Advisory services, farm management and farm relief services
- Art. 36 Co-operation
- Art. 42 Leader local action group
- Art. 44 Leader co-operation activities
- Art. 21 Basic services and village renewal in rural areas

Implications of the changes

Addition of reduction of ammonia emissions to Focus Area 5D:

- **Change to impact indicator 7**
- **New complementary result indicator**

Impact indicator 7/Context indicator 45

- **Was "GHG emissions from agriculture"**
- **Now "Emissions from agriculture"**
- **2 sub-indicators**
    GHG emissions from agriculture (unchanged)
    Ammonia emissions from agriculture (new)
- **Data already collected by EEA (Directive 2001/81)**
- **National data incorporated into context indicator database (7 sub-categories + total)**
- **Regional data can be estimated on basis of proportion of sub-category activity in the region**

New complementary result indicator

- **P5D Result (2) Reduced emissions of ammonia from agriculture**
- **Modelled on reduced emissions of methane and nitrous oxide**
- **Equivalent methodology**
- **Standard emission factors (e.g. Air Pollutant Emission Inventory Guidebook)**
- **Similar projects!**
- **Same reporting (2017, 2019, ex post)**