

1.A) Characteristics of the Hungarian AKIS

Weaknesses of Hungarian AKIS:

- Fragmented, lack of a unified system;
- Advisory services focused on (state) aid policy;
- Farmers' lack of qualifications;
- Owing to the low level of competition and the small number of private actors, the quality of the services available in the AKIS are low.

Changes and strengths:

- Establishment of the **National Research, Development and Innovation Centre** (NAIK), bringing together most agricultural R&D institutes, in 2014;
- NAIK programme for motivating young researchers, 2014 -
- Public sector advisory services unified under the **Chamber of Agriculture** (NAK) 2015;
- **EIP-AGRI** autumn 2016 (cooperation between NAK and FM): will improve communication and cooperation b/w farmers and researchers ... + website!

Main actors include: NAIK, research institutes of FM, AKI, universities, NAK, NRN, FM, NKFHH,

1.B) What are the themes of interest nowadays and for the next 10 years in your country?

Different kind of themes: Example of Hungary

- **Sectors:** Livestock, Horticulture, Aquaculture/freshwater fisheries;
- **Cross-cutting/systemic themes:** agro-forestry, biomass;
- **Technological themes:** Remote sensing (e.g. drones);
- **AKIS themes:** Interactive innovation, knowledge sharing.

2) _____ Infrastructures generating knowledge flows

Kind of Infrastructure	Names	Places	Sector	Holder	Users	Funders
Research		All over Hungary	All + cross-cutting	Hungarian Academy of Sciences NAIK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Researchers • farmers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State • Project • Private
Farmer networks			All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chamber of Agriculture • NRN • EIP (website) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advisory services • Farmers, • Researchers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State • Technical assistance
Education in a school system		All over Hungary	All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Universities • Vocational school (szakiskolák) under FM 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State • Project
Adult vocational trainings		All over Hungary	All			
Digital infrastructure		-		KSH, FÖMI, Nébih, NAK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Farmers • Researchers ... • Education sector 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State • Project • Private
Private sector		All over Hungary		NAIK companies (MKSZN,		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project

3.A) Hungarian Interactive Innovation projects

- **Economic Development and Innovation Programme (GINOP):** projects involving research, advisory services, farmers, SMEs ...
- **National Research, Development and Innovation Centre:** project-based financing by Ministry of Agriculture – the financing allocation depends on the project size;
- **EIP-AGRI:** for collaboration between different actors, first call in autumn, EUR 150,000 support by project;

3.B) Hungarian Interactive Innovation networks

	National Rural Network	Ministry of Agriculture	Hungarian Chamber of Agriculture
Status	Managing Authority	Official EIP Support Unit	Rural network
Persons	3 persons + country operators	4 persons	1 persons + 2x19 country operators
Budget	RDP – technical assistant	National budget	Institutional funding
Duties	Knowledge sharing	Duties relating to network operating	Events organising and informing
Social media	http://videkihalozat.eu/	http://eip.fm.gov.hu/	http://www.nak.hu/



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