

H2020 – CSA (Coordination & Support Actions)

Agroecology for Europe - AE4EU



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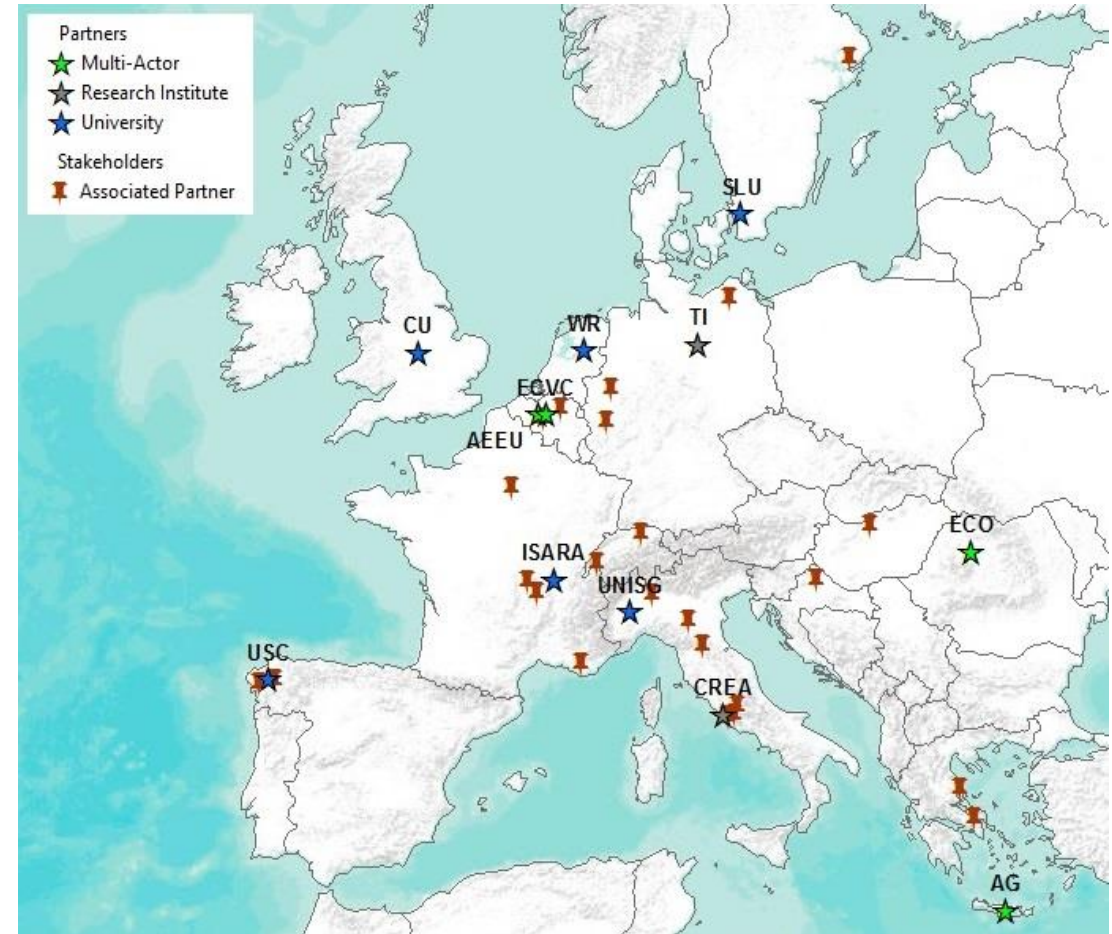
Partners

Partners	Participant organisation name	Country	Organisation type
1	ISARA, AgroSchool for Life	FR	University
2	University of Gastronomic Sciences	IT	University
3	Agroecology Europe	BE	Multi-Actor
4	Thünen Institute	DE	Research Institute
5	Coventry University	UK	University
6	Wageningen University and Research	NL	University
7	Agroecologiki	GR	Multi-Actor
8	European Coordination of la Via Campesina	BE	Multi-Actor
9	CREA	IT	Research Institute
10	University of Santiago de Compostela	ES	University
11	EcoRuralis	RO	Multi-Actor
12	Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences	SW	University

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Associated partners and stakeholders

- 17 stakeholders/associated partners showing their intention to participate in different activities (e.g. workshops, discussion fora) and provide inputs (e.g. information for mapping and other).
- Additionally, 10 with their interest to participate in different actions of the project.
- Other non-partner country stakeholder and actor groups involved.



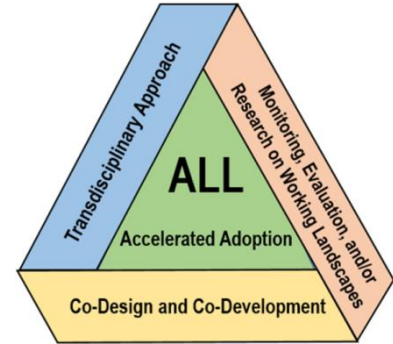
Mapping agroecology in Europe

- **Map** agroecological initiatives, LL, RI, programmes, networks and NGOs at different levels in different European countries.
- **Interviews** also with groups of farmers, farmers' trade unions cooperatives, agricultural advisors, NGOs and civil society organizations active in agroecology, universities, research institutes, LLs, agri-food businesses, private enterprises.
- Based on **survey** started for the EU agroecology partnership. Coordinated with AgroecoLLNet.



Skills and methods for the development of Living Labs and Research Infrastructures

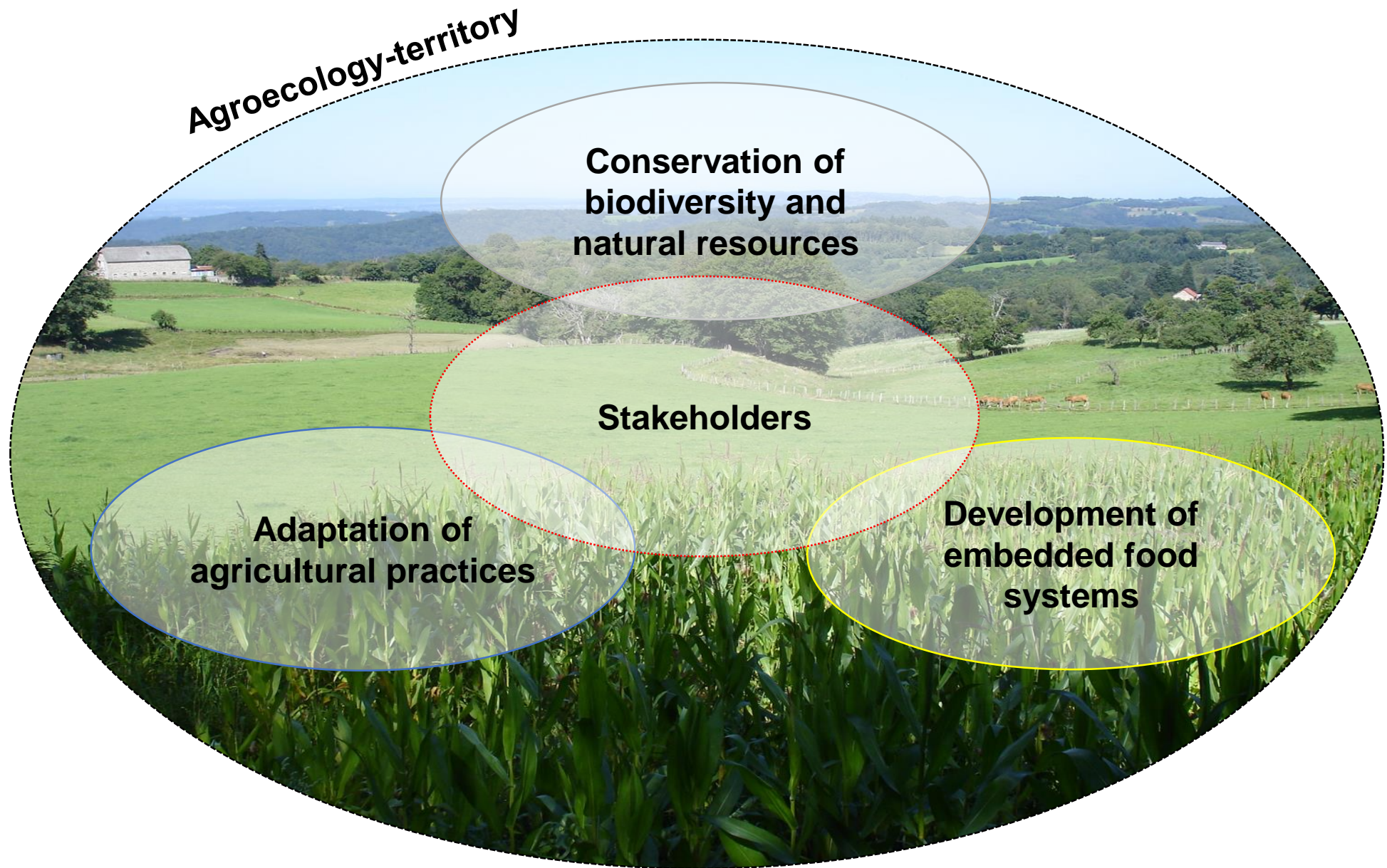
- Analysis of the **functioning, potentials and constraints** of LL, similar RI and initiatives from human, social, agronomic and ecological perspective and development of success-indicators



The three main ALL components

- Outline **schemes (best practice scenarios)** for complementary open innovation activities, RI and LL to foster research, knowledge creation and further deployment of sustainable farming practices
- Identify current and potential future **Agroecology Territories** for grasping long-term agroecological transition at the relevant landscape level





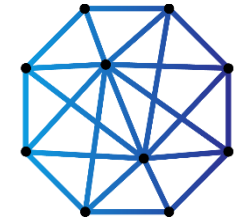
Funding schemes and sources for agroecology

- Assess the implemented elements of **agroecology in public funding** schemes (regional, national and EU) and their functioning.
- Assess the implemented elements of **agroecology in private funding** schemes across Europe.
- Conduct participatory assessments and **co-design of private and public funding** schemes with funders



Learning and exchange in agroecology for the development of living labs and research infrastructures

- Build a **European Agroecology Exchange Network Hub** that include a diversity of stakeholders in order to facilitate exchanges of knowledge in the Europe-wide network of agroecology
- Identifying **pathways of co-development and co-learning** for strengthened agroecological research and innovation based on 3 national living labs;
- Develop, implement and evaluate **training packages** in those three LLs



Policy development and road map

- Identifying main **challenges and innovations** to develop targeted agroecology policies across Europe
- Provide **policy recommendations** to maximize synergies between European, national and regional policies related to agroecology

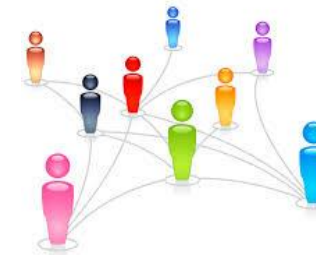


Framework development at European level

- Provide a **framework for a European network** of agroecological living labs and research infrastructures



- **Out- and up-scaling agroecology** development across Europe and internationally through network development, reinforced interactions and cooperation among research infrastructures, farmer networks, extension services, and civil society stakeholders.



Communication and dissemination

- AE4EU and Agroecology Europe websites
- Knowledge exchange hub (platform)
- Brochures and thematic and policy briefs, newsletters, academic and non academic publications
- Workshops and multiplier events with LL and RI stakeholders, funders and other stakeholders
- Two Agroecology Europe Fora (2021 and 2023).



Communication and dissemination

A close-up photograph of an olive branch with several ripe, dark purple olives hanging from it. The leaves are green and elongated. In the background, a person wearing a blue shirt is visible, working in an olive grove.

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3rd AGROECOLOGY EUROPE FORUM

"Agroecology for regeneration of our food systems
and communities"

9-12 June 2021 in Barcelona, Spain

www.agroecology-europe.org

The logo for Agroecology Europe, featuring a stylized circular emblem with green, yellow, and blue segments, and the text "AGROECOLOGY EUROPE" below it.

Thank you for your attention



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