

“NATIONAL POLICY INSTRUMENTS AND EU APPROXIMATION PROCESS: EFFECTS ON FARM HOLDINGS IN THE WESTERN BALKAN COUNTRIES (EUEWB)”

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Information on the progress made

- ✓ Statistic data bases- **up-dated/ task completed**
- ✓ APM data bases including data on direct support schemes- **up-dated / task completed**
- ✓ Country reports on agriculture and rural development policy development – **finalized and subject of proofreading in JRC, final report expected end of April 2017**
- ✓ Synthesis report on direct support schemes of the WB countries –**finalized and subject of proofreading in JRC, final report expected end of April 2017**
- ✓ Assessment of farm level data availability and quality – **prepared / task completed**

Topics for farm level analysis as alternative of FADN

Countries which have FADN data

- **Serbia:** Productivity of arable farms in Serbia – **in progress**
- **Macedonia:** Productivity of vegetables farms in Macedonia - **in progress**

Countries which does not have FADN data

- **Albania:** Plot analysis of determinants of productivity of Albanian farms - **in progress**
- **Kosovo*:** Effects of irregular migration flow (2014-2015) on agricultural productivity in Kosovo - **in progress**
- **Republika Sprska, Bosnia and Herzegovina** (Farm productivity based on FADN type of data) - **in progress**

Final report

Will consist **two parts**:

1. Agriculture and rural development policy analysis

- Synthesis report **finalized and subject of proofreading in JRC, final report expected end of April 2017**
- Country reports **finalized and subject of proofreading in JRC, final report expected end of April 2017**
- Statistic and APM data basis **finalized**

Final report presented in Brussels in front of DG AGRI and DG NEAR – end of January 2017

2. Farm productivity in Western Balkans

- Farm level data in WB counties –**finalized**
- Results from the assessments: Serbia, Macedonia, Albania, Kosovo*, Bosnia and Herzegovina (Republika Srpska) – **in progress**

Presentation of the final report on farm productivity at JRC in Seville, June 2017.

Library should be up-dated with information and documents related to agriculture and rural development policies of WB countries, on national level, as follows:

- [Legal documents](#)
- [Policy programming documents](#)
- [Policy implementation documents](#)
- [Policy monitoring documents](#)
- [Planning documents](#)
- [Publications](#)

Expected contributions by SWG Delegates – **untill now, no progress**



Way forward

- Discussions related to continuation of the process with DG AGRI, EC JRC
- Topics for analysis in the future:
 - Continuation of the monitoring of agriculture and RD policies
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