



## Regional Expert Advisory Group on Agro-Biodiversity



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## Assessment output

Summary for the policy makers

Regional (Synthesis report) and  
recommendations



Animal and Plant genetic resources  
Country report (Assessment and recommendations)



# Milestones for finalization of the assessment and dissemination of the results

Task	Deadline	Responsible
Comments on regional synthesis in written	March 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	National and regional experts
Final regional synthesis assessment report – ready for final check	April 17, 2018 final version ready for final check	International experts
Final check of regional synthesis	April 24 <sup>th</sup> , 2019	National and regional experts
Final version of the regional synthesis	April 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	International experts
Final national reports – data as of December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2017	April 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	National and regional experts
Final national reports – on native languages	April 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	National and regional experts
Technical editing: merging the separate documents in one, , list of abbreviations, ensure the quality of photos, graphs	April 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	GIZ Advisor
Proofreading and design	May 2018	GIZ, SWG and translator & designer
Final printed report in English	June 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	GIZ, SWG
Translation of regional synthesis report into WB languages	June 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2018	Professional translator
Dissemination of the results at the country level	Autumn 2018	Ministry representatives – SWG Delegates and appointed members in the REAWG
Presentation of the study on APF 2018 and possible organization of WG	October 2018	SWG



# Way forward - SEE Agro-Biodiversity / Agro-Biodiversity Balkan Network

- The **major tasks** of mutual interest of WB-Agrobiodiversity Network will be:
  - Assistance in elaboration of national/entity legal and strategic documents related to preservation of agrobiodiversity
  - Organization of regional scientific conferences on agrobiodiversity conservation and sustainable use
  - Raising public awareness on agrobiodiversity importance and potentials
  - Promotion of agrobiodiversity values to the companies and industrial sector
  - Cooperation with farmers to increase their participation in conservation process
  - Organization of formal and informal educational courses for conservation and sustainable use of agrobiodiversity
  - Facilitating exchange of students and young scientists within the region to participate in agrobiodiversity activities
  - Organization of regional fairs for promotion of traditional products
  - Organization of study visits for farmers