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# WG1 – room Verde

## *Improving competitiveness of the rural economy considering the farm structure in the Western Balkans*

- To understand the current situation of the rural areas in the Western Balkans
- To determine its impact on competitiveness and migration
- To present the role of IPARD in the rural development of the Western Balkans
- To provide recommendations for improvement of the competitiveness of the rural economy



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## WG2 – room Sitnica

### *Agricultural products trade barriers in the Western Balkans*

- To identify the main agricultural product trade barriers in the Western Balkans
- To propose ways for overcoming the barriers
- To provide policy recommendations for an enhanced agricultural products trade in the Western Balkans





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## WG3 – room Celebic

### *Sustainable rural development through the LEADER approach in the Western Balkans*

- To understand the potentials of the LEADER approach in the Western Balkans
- To learn from the Hungarian experience on rural development policy and LEADER approach
- To provide recommendations for a successful application of the LEADER approach in the Western Balkans

