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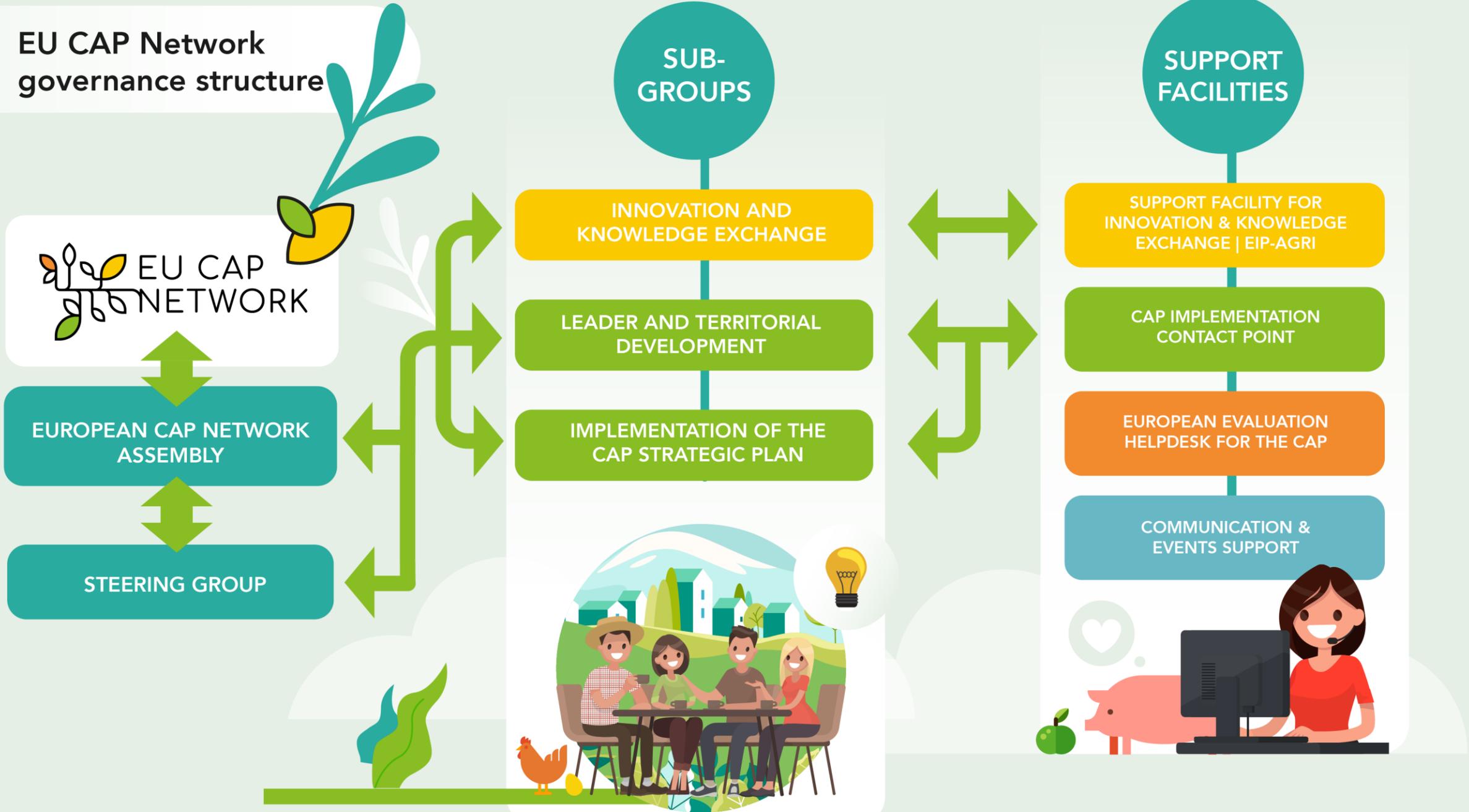
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EU CAP Network governance structure



Legal basis

- Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2022/1864 of 5 October 2022 on setting out the organisational structure and operation of the European CAP network and repealing Implementing Decision 2014/825/EU

Sub-group on Innovation and knowledge exchange

- (a) to identify common issues, good practices and opportunities for peer-to-peer learning related to training, advice, knowledge exchange and innovation/EIP-AGRI ,
- (b) to support the implementation of AKIS strategic approach, networking and exchanges between AKIS actors, including encouraging transnational EIP operational groups' project initiatives,
- (c) to provide input for the work programme of the EU CAP network, in particular of the Support facility for innovation and knowledge exchange including EIP-AGRI,
- (d) to follow up the support provided by the EU CAP network.

Sub-group on Innovation and knowledge exchange

Proposed membership: based on the voluntary commitment of Assembly members; maximum number of stakeholders' groups the most relevant for thematic work

- Managing Authorities: 27
 - National networks: 27
 - Advisory service or research bodies: 27
 - Union-wide non-governmental organisations: 15
- Members' representatives may be different than in the EU CAP network Assembly

STEERING GROUP membership

Members:

- eight members from the Assembly;
 - **four members from each of the permanent sub-groups established by the Assembly;**
 - two members from the expert group on the implementation of the CAP Strategic Plan Regulation, related to monitoring and evaluation.
- appointed by the AGRI DG following a proposal of the Assembly, reflecting the geographic and thematic diversity of the members of the European CAP network and based on the voluntary commitment of the proposed members.

STEERING GROUP membership

Operational SG with tasks:

- preparing and following-up the activities of the European CAP network, in accordance with the strategic framework provided by the Assembly;
- coordinating the thematic strands in accordance with the framework provided by the Assembly and following-up its implementation;
- assessing on an on-going basis the effectiveness and efficiency of the activities of the European CAP network;
- ensuring the coordination of the work of the Assembly with that of other relevant expert groups and committees
- reporting to the Assembly as regards its activities

STEERING GROUP membership

Stakeholder group	Volunteered
National network	FI, BG, SI, EE
Managing Authority	FI
Research body	IT, SI, NL
Advisory service	CY, FI, NL
EU-wide NGO	COPA, COGECA, Euromontana

STEERING GROUP membership

Stakeholder group	Proposal
National network	BG - Ministry of Agriculture
Advisory service	CY - Department of Agriculture
Research body	IT - Council for Agricultural Research and Economics (CREA)
EU-wide NGO	EUROMONTANA

STEERING GROUP membership – update

- Assembly representatives - agreed
- Leader and territorial development subgroup - agreed
- CSP subgroup - agreed
- *Innovation subgroup*
- *GREX*

Stakeholder group	Proposal
National network	BE, FI, SI, <i>BG</i>
Managing Authority	FR, IE, SK
Paying Agency	PT, NL
Advisory service	AT, <i>CY</i>
Research body	EE, <i>IT</i>
Local action groups	DE, ES
EU-wide NGOs	COPA, ELARD, CEJA, <i>EUROMONTANA</i>

DG AGRI, D1 EIP-AGRI team



Thank you



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