

### I. General information

<b>Thematic provisions</b>	The supported cooperation projects must be part of the local development strategy of the LAGs
<b>Territorial provisions</b>	The cooperation can be inter-territorial (between territories in France) or transnational (between territories belonging to several Member States as well as with territories of third countries)
<b>Partenaires potentiels</b>	Cooperation projects can be carried out between LAGs but also between partners, public or private, if they participate in the implementation of a local development strategy.
<b>Guidance in other languages / national language</b>	
<b>Eligible beneficiaries for cooperation projects</b>	- GAL supporting structures - partners : local or not
<b>Coordinating/lead partner provisions</b>	The designation of a lead partner is highly recommended.
<b>Simplified costs</b>	Flat rate of 15% of eligible direct staff costs corresponding to indirect costs linked to the operation (internal operating costs of the structure).
<b>Calls</b>	Permanent call for projects.
<b>Project selection</b>	Selection by the LAGs, according to criteria defined by each LAG.
<b>Budget allocation for cooperation to LAGs</b>	The budget allocated for cooperation varies from one LAG to another.
<b>Other provisions</b>	-

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## II. Financial information

<b>Total public expenditure</b>	-
<b>Maximum amount of support</b>	Rules are specific to each LAG
<b>Minimum amount of support</b>	Rules are specific to each LAG
<b>Maximum rate of support</b>	100 %
<b>Other provisions</b>	Variable - to be identified on a case-by-case basis

## III. Preparatory support

<b>Purpose of the support</b>	Upstream technical preparation of cooperation projects
<b>Eligible beneficiaries</b>	- LAG supporting structures - partners : local or not
<b>Basic eligibility criteria</b>	- be part of the local LAG development strategy - LAGs must prove that they are considering the implementation of a concrete project.
<b>Eligible actions</b>	Upstream technical preparation of cooperation projects : coordination, exchange, visit, establish a partnership ...
<b>Eligible costs</b>	
<b>Non-eligible costs</b>	Charges and expenses non-eligible for ESIF defined in order No. 2016-279 of March 8th, 2016

## IV. Inter-territorial Cooperation

<b>Purpose of the support</b>	The cooperation aims to promote the exchange of experiences, practices and the implementation of common actions between actors of territories implementing a local development strategy. Beyond the sole dimension of exchanging experiences and practices, this measure encourages and helps the LAGs carry out a joint action, for a theme of their strategy, with partners using a similar approach.
<b>Type of eligible territories</b>	Territories in France: LAGS, but also other public or private partners, if they participate in the implementation of a local development strategy.
<b>Basic eligibility criteria</b>	The supported cooperation projects must be part of the local development strategy of the LAGs and result in common and concrete actions, leading to the production of deliverables.
<b>Eligible actions</b>	
<b>Eligible costs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Staff costs (salaries, etc.).</li> <li>- Flat rate of 15% of eligible direct staff costs corresponding to indirect costs linked to the operation (internal operating costs of the structure).</li> <li>- Direct costs related to the operation, including: acquisition or rental of equipment; travel expenses, catering accommodation, even for people outside the LAG support structure and participating in the project; communication costs; services (translation and interpreting, studies, training of partners directly useful for cooperation action, etc.).</li> </ul>
<b>Non-eligible costs</b>	Charges and expenses non-eligible for ESIF defined in order No. 2016-279 of March 8th, 2016

## V. Transnational Cooperation (TNC)

<b>Explanation</b>	The cooperation aims to promote the exchange of experiences, practices and the implementation of common actions between actors of territories implementing a local development strategy. Beyond the sole dimension of exchanging experiences and practices, this measure encourages and helps the LAGs carry out a joint action, for a theme of their strategy, with partners using a similar approach.
<b>Purpose of the support</b>	Territories belonging to several Member States and / or third countries: LAGS, but also other public or private partners, if they participate in the implementation of a local development strategy.
<b>Type of eligible territories</b>	The supported cooperation projects must be part of the local development strategy of the LAGs and result in common and concrete actions, leading to the production of deliverables.
<b>Basic eligibility criteria</b>	Variable according to each GAL
<b>Eligible actions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Staff costs (salaries, etc.).</li> <li>- Flat rate of 15% of eligible direct personnel costs corresponding to indirect costs linked to the operation (internal operating costs of the structure).</li> <li>- Direct costs related to the operation, including: acquisition or rental of equipment; travel expenses, catering accommodation, even for people outside the LAG support structure and participating in the project; communication costs; services (translation and interpreting, studies, training of partners directly useful for cooperation action, etc.).</li> </ul>
<b>Eligible costs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Staff costs (salaries, etc.).</li> <li>- Flat rate of 15% of eligible direct personnel costs corresponding to indirect costs linked to the operation (internal operating costs of the structure).</li> <li>- Direct costs related to the operation, including: acquisition or rental of equipment; travel expenses, catering accommodation, even for people outside the LAG support structure and participating in the project; communication costs; services (translation and interpreting, studies, training of partners directly useful for cooperation action, etc.).</li> </ul>
<b>Non-eligible costs</b>	Charges and expenses non-eligible for ESIF defined in order No. 2016-279 of March 8th, 2016