

**Spain - Andalusia** 

#### I. General Information

Thematic provisions	The cooperation themes are specified in the LEADER Local Development Strategies (Paragraph 8.2.16.3.3.1., Description of the type of RDP-A operation)
Territorial provisions	For inter-territorial and transnational cooperation, the rural development groups that are partners with Andalusia only include rural territories in their fields of action.
	Other non-Andalusian partners may include other types of territories, but, as Andalusia is not financing actions in these territories, they will be financed by the budgets of those regions.
Potential partners	<ul> <li>Local action groups</li> <li>Group of local public and privtate partners (non-LAG) in a rural or non-rural territory implementing a local development strategy</li> </ul>
Guidance in other languages / national language	Not available
Eligible beneficiaries for cooperation projects	RURAL DEVELOPMENT GROUPS IN ANDALUSIA
Coordinating/lead partner provisions	A lead partner is required for a cooperation project to be eligible for support.
Simplified costs	NON APPLICABLE.
Calls	THE COOPERATION THEMES ARE SPECIFIIED IN THE LEADER LOCAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES; THE MANAGING AUTHORITY PUBLISHES THE CALL FOR THE SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS FOR SUCH PROJECTS
Project selection	RURAL DEVELOPMENT GROUPS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR SELECTING PROJECTS
Budget allocation for cooperation to LAGs	A certain proportion of the LDS budget is allocated to cooperation
Other provisions	Transnational and inter-territorial cooperation are integrated into the local development strategies.

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#### **II. Financial information**

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Total public expenditure	Approximately 7 million Euros
Maximum amount of support	Defined, where appropriate, in the Local Development Strategy
Minimum amount of support	Defined, where appropriate, in the Local Development Strategy
Maximum rate of support	100%
Other provisions	

### **III. Preparatory support**

Rationale/purpose of the support	Cooperation between the territories for the purpose of sharing good practices, exchanges of experiences and finding common solutions to general problems that exist in rural areas helps to promote a more balanced territorial development in rural areas in Andalusia, strengthening territorial cohesion and enabling sustainable development. For the cooperation projects to be implemented, preparatory support is required.
Eligible beneficiaries	RURAL DEVELOPMENT GROUPS IN ANDALUSIA
Basic eligibility criteria	TO BE DEFINED IN THE REGULATORY FRAMEWORK
Eligible actions	TO BE DEFINED IN THE REGULATORY FRAMEWORK
Eligible costs	TO BE DEFINED IN THE REGULATORY FRAMEWORK
Non-eligible costs	TO BE DEFINED IN THE REGULATORY FRAMEWORK





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### **IV. Inter-territorial Cooperation**

Rationale/ purpose of the support	Cooperation between territories for the purpose of sharing good practices, exchanges of experience and finding common solutions to general problems that exist in rural areas helps to promote a more balanced territorial development in rural areas in Andalusia, strenghteningh territorial cohesion and enabling sustainable development.
Type of eligible territory	The rural development groups that are partners with Andalusia only include rural territories in their fields of action. Other non-Andalusian partners may include other types of territories, but, as Andalusia is not financing actions in these territories, they will be financed by the budgets of those regions.
Basic eligibility criteria	To be defined in the regulatory framework
Eligible actions	To be defined in the regulatory framework
Eligible costs	To be defined in the regulatory framework
Non-eligible costs	To be defined in the regulatory framework





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### V. Transnational Cooperation (TNC)

Rationale/ purpose of the support	Cooperation between territories for the purpose of sharing good practices, exchanges of experience and finding common solutions to general problems that exist in rural areas helps to promote a more balanced territorial development in rural areas in Andalusia, strenghteningh territorial cohesion and enabling sustainable development.
Type of eligible territory	The rural development groups that are partners with Andalusia only include rural territories in their fields of action. Other non-Andalusian partners may include other types of territories, but, as Andalusia is not financing actions in these territories, they will be financed by the budgets of those regions.
Basic eligibility criteria	To be defined in the regulatory framework
Eligible actions	To be defined in the regulatory framework
Eligible costs	To be defined in the regulatory framework
Non-eligible costs	To be defined in the regulatory framework

