

Support provided to breeders in the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region with the EARDF 2023-2027

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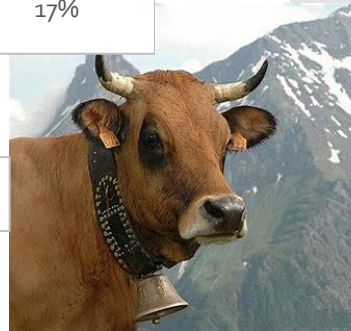
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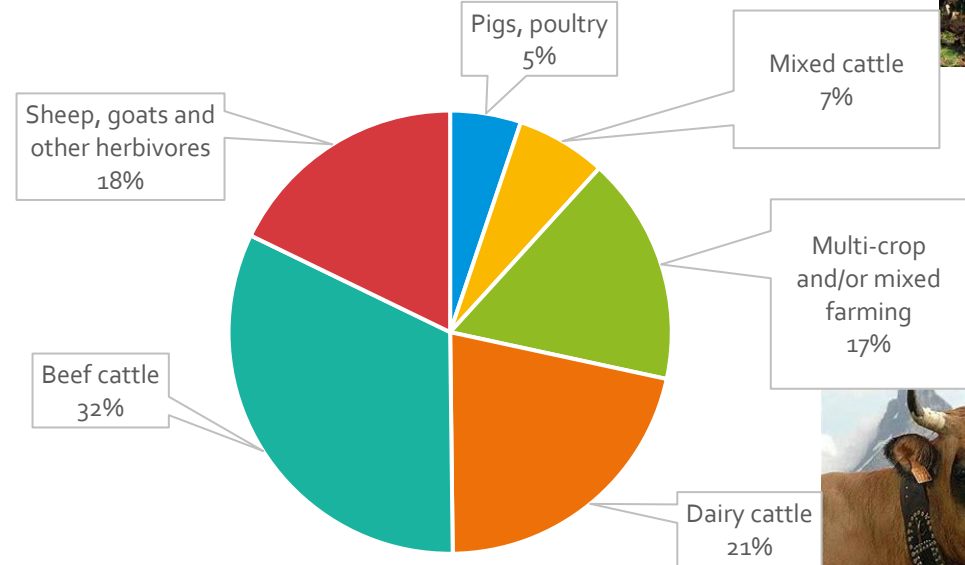
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A breeding region, where all sectors are present

62% of farms in Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes specialize in livestock farming



Distribution of specialised livestock farms in AURA in 2020



The number and diversity of breeding sectors is an asset that must be preserved.

The challenges to be met for each sector are not all the same.

Challenge for the Region: supporting all these sectors in their development and transition, taking into account their particularities but maintaining a simple and unique approach for all breeders.

Animal welfare

Working conditions of breeders

Environmental and climate transition

“Investing in my livestock operation”: three issues common to all and models for everyone



The proximity of the Region to local stakeholders has made it possible to construct a complete typology of buildings and equipment necessary for each of the sectors.

In dialogue and with the expertise of technical institutes, simplified cost options have been defined for each type. **Where appropriate, these have been adapted to the local context. For example, the unit cost of buildings is higher in mountainous areas than in lowland areas.**

The models selected for this typology bring technical innovation and respond to three major challenges: animal welfare / Working conditions of breeders / environmental and climatic transition of agriculture

A single measure of the program which addresses each sector in a unique way by covering, through simplified cost options, 90% of investment projects



Implementation of cost scales for each investment “model”

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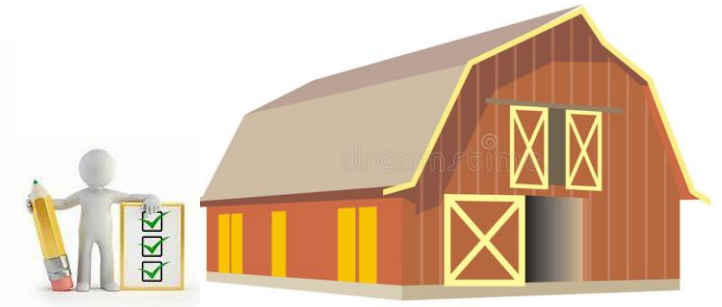
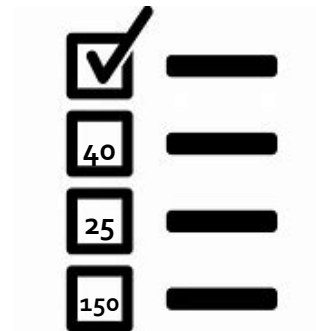
- ★ Calculation of aid based on **quotes** for each expense item
- ★ Payment of aid based on **invoices**

**ESTIMATE
INVOICES**



Since the beginning of 2023:

- ★ Calculation of aid based on the **characteristics** of the project:
 - Number of dairy cows housed in scraped cubicles
 - Number of stations in the milking parlor
 - Manure surface
 - Additional equipment: Fan misting...
 - ...
- ★ Payment of aid after verification of the completion of the project and its characteristics



Complete
dematerialization

End of quotation
piles

The double shock of simplification in 2023

Since March 2023, aid requests have been made entirely online

With the use of simplified cost options, project leaders no longer need to provide 3 quotes for each expense item:

2014-2022: on average, 60 quotes in an aid file for a livestock building

2023-2027: 3 numerical indicators to provide

⇒ Very rapid appropriation of this new measure by project leaders. More than 1000 requests received in a few months

⇒ Much improved processing time: 2 and a half months to process 1000 files!