

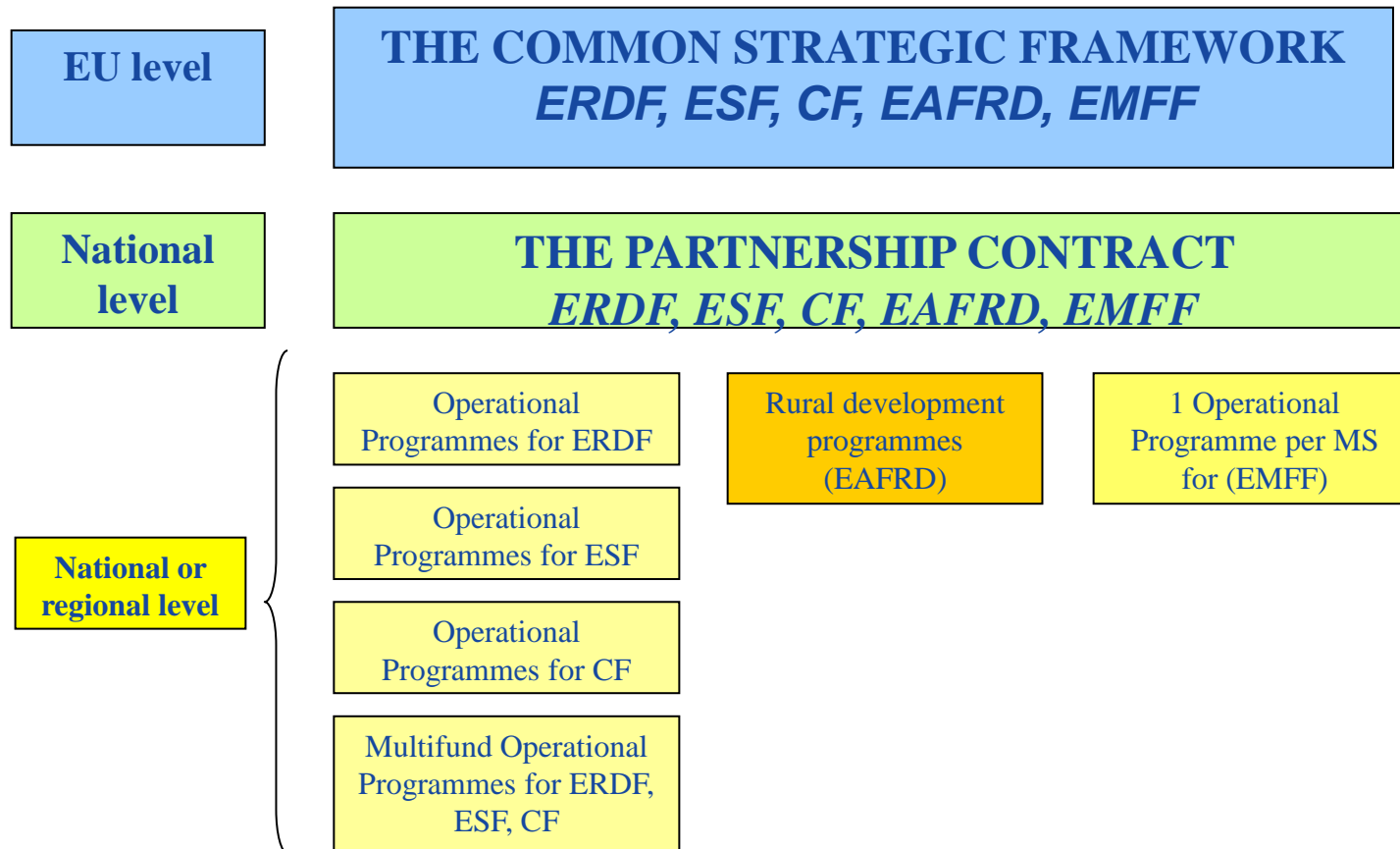


EMFF – Strategic Programming 2014-2020

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Strategic Programming



Common Strategic Framework

- **Strengthen strategic programming process: separate Community Strategic Guidelines replaced by one EU strategic document**
- **Translates targets and objectives of EU 2020 strategy into key actions for CSF Funds**
- **Ensures better coordination of CSF Funds**
- **Facilitates coordination with other EU funding instruments e.g. Horizon 2020, Life+ etc.**

Common Strategic Framework (CSF)

- Ensures a concentrated action & coordination of CSF funds to translate EU2020 objectives & targets into key actions
 - Establishes for each thematic objective the key actions to be supported by each CSF Fund
 - Ensures coherence and consistency with economic policies of the Union
 - Describes how key territorial challenges for urban, rural, coastal and fisheries areas and areas with particular territorial features should be addressed
 - Outlines the coordination mechanisms between CSF Funds and with other Union instruments/policies (ITIs, CLLD)
 - Identifies priority areas for cooperation activities for the CFS Funds (sea basin strategies)
 - Emphasizes horizontal principles and policy objectives

CSF thematic objectives (Article 12 CPR)

- (1) strengthening research, technological development and innovation;
- (2) enhancing access to, and use and quality of, information and communication technologies;
- (3) enhancing the competitiveness of small and medium-sized enterprises, the agricultural sector (for the EAFRD) and the fisheries and aquaculture sector (for the EMFF);
- (4) supporting the shift towards a low-carbon economy in all sectors;
- (5) promoting climate change adaptation, risk prevention and management;
- (6) protecting the environment and promoting resource efficiency;
- (7) promoting sustainable transport and removing bottlenecks in key network infrastructures;
- (8) promoting employment and supporting labour mobility;
- (9) promoting social inclusion and combating poverty;
- (10) investing in education, skills and lifelong learning;
- (11) enhancing institutional capacity and an efficient public administration.

Key actions

Example

- **Thematic objective No 8:** Promoting employment and supporting labour mobility
 - **Key actions (EMFF):**
 - Support job creation in fisheries communities through adding value to fisheries activities and products;
 - Support diversification in fisheries communities through the creation of alternative jobs in the local economy, in particular in other maritime sectors
- (primarily through community-led local development)

Partnership Contract

- **1 Partnership Contract per MS (at national level), prepared with close involvement of partners**
- **Agreed between the Commission and MS, includes:**
 - Contribution of CSF Funds towards achievement of thematic objectives, translating Europe 2020 priorities into national context (milestones & targets for outputs and results linked to the achievement of thematic objectives)
 - Indicative allocation of EU support by thematic objective for each CSF Fund

Partnership Contract

- **On community-led local development it includes:**
 - Strategies: main problems or challenges, main objectives and priorities for CLLD
 - Types of areas: types of areas where the Member States wish to apply CLLD. Indication of estimated numbers of eligible areas, their size, and geographical distribution
 - Governance: indicate the specific model to be used (mono-fund or multi-fund), the division of responsibilities between the MAs and the (F)LAGs
 - Role of the CSF Funds: role envisaged for different funds in different types of areas, for example whether certain funds would prioritise specific areas.

Timeline

		2012												2013				2014
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	First Quarter	Second Quarter	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter	First Quarter
Common Provisions	2011	Adoption on 6 October																
		Adoption 13th July												Adoption of Regulations				
		Adoption 2nd December												Adoption of Regulations				
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CFP Basic Regulation	2012	Negotiations in Council and Parliament - adoption December 2012																
		Negotiations in Council and Parliament - adoption March 2013																
EMFF Regulation	2013	Negotiations in Council and Parliament - adoption March 2013																
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CSF	2014	Adoption of staff working document on CSF		Discussion of CSF with Council, EP and Stakeholders			Preparation of CSF							Adoption of CSF	Submission of draft OPs and PC within 3 months of adoption of CSF		Adoption of PCs	Adoption of OPs

Thank you for your attention

