

Investments support in physical assets of agricultural holdings

General info

Economy name

Serbia

ID

S52

Incentive name

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Brief description

Support through IPARD Measure 1 includes investments in physical assets of agricultural holdings. It is awarded in order for users to increase the productivity and competitiveness of agricultural production through technical improvements and investments in new machinery and technologies. In addition, farms will harmonize their production with a set of national conditions, but also with EU standards for environmental protection and animal welfare.

Legal reference

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Conclusion on the adoption of the IPARD III program for Serbia for the period 2021-2027
"Official Gazette of Serbia", number 118 of December 28, 2023

Legal reference (Law section / article)

Article 8.1

- 1) construction or improvement of immovable property, up to its market value, in accordance with Art. 11(2)(d) and 11(3)(g);
- 2) purchase of new machines and equipment, including computer hardware and software, up to the amount of their market value, in accordance with Art. 11(2)(d) and 11(3)(g);
- 3) general costs related to joint projects, which include studies, marketing and product development, animation costs (will be detailed in the List of Eligible Costs (LPT)), as well as general costs described in points (a) and (b): fees for architects, engineers and other consultancy fees and feasibility studies, which will be acceptable up to 10% of the amount of the costs referred to in points (a) and (b), subject to the following conditions:
 - (1) the acceptable amount of general expenses does not exceed a reasonable expense defined in accordance with Art. 11(2)(d) and 11(3)(g),
 - (2) for projects with eligible investments from point (a) and (b) in the value of more than EUR 3,000,000, the costs of preparing the business plan cannot exceed 3% of the eligible investment costs;
 - (3) for projects with eligible investments from point (a) and (b) in the amount of 1,000,000 to 3,000,000 EUR, the costs of preparing the business plan cannot exceed 4% of the eligible investment costs;
 - (4) for projects with acceptable investments from point (a) and (b) in the amount of less than EUR 1,000,000, the costs of preparing the business plan cannot exceed 5% of the eligible investment costs.

Incentive design

Incentive group

Financial

Incentive category

Grant

Economy-wide/Sector-specific

Sector-specific

Sector (Simplified)

Agriculture

Sector (NACE)

A AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND FISHING

Size of firm that can use incentive

SME (10-249)

Level at which incentive is available

Economy-wide

Ownership of firm that can use incentive

Domestic

Incentive location

General

Main objective of the incentive

Green transition

In case of grant, share of grant in investment (in %)

per hectar

Access to information

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Weblink to Incentive information in English**Weblink to Incentive information in local language****Eligibility criteria**

Eligibility criteria (description)

Registered in the Register of Agricultural Holdings as commercial and is in active status;
registered in the Register of Business Entities and has an active status;

bankruptcy or liquidation proceedings have not been initiated;
accounts with commercial banks are not blocked, as well as if they were not blocked for more than 30 days, in the period of 12 months before submitting the request.
in the ownership structure, it has less than 25% of public capital or voting rights of that public capital;
is classified as a micro, small or medium-sized legal entity in accordance with the law regulating accounting;
is not in a group of related persons in which some of the members are large legal entities;
is not a member of a holding or concern.

Eligibility criteria (weblink)

Incentive administration

Awarding Authority (Name)

National Approval Officer (NAO), Ministry of Finance

Application procedure + Weblink (where available)

<https://ipard.co.rs/ipard-prijavi-se>

Implementing Authority (Name)

National IPA Coordinator (NIPAK)