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# Designing a new green blue architecture for the future CAP

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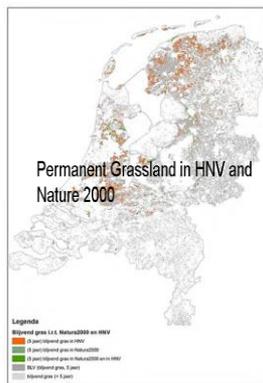
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# A new approach for green blue delivery

- A new intervention logic for area-related green blue delivery:

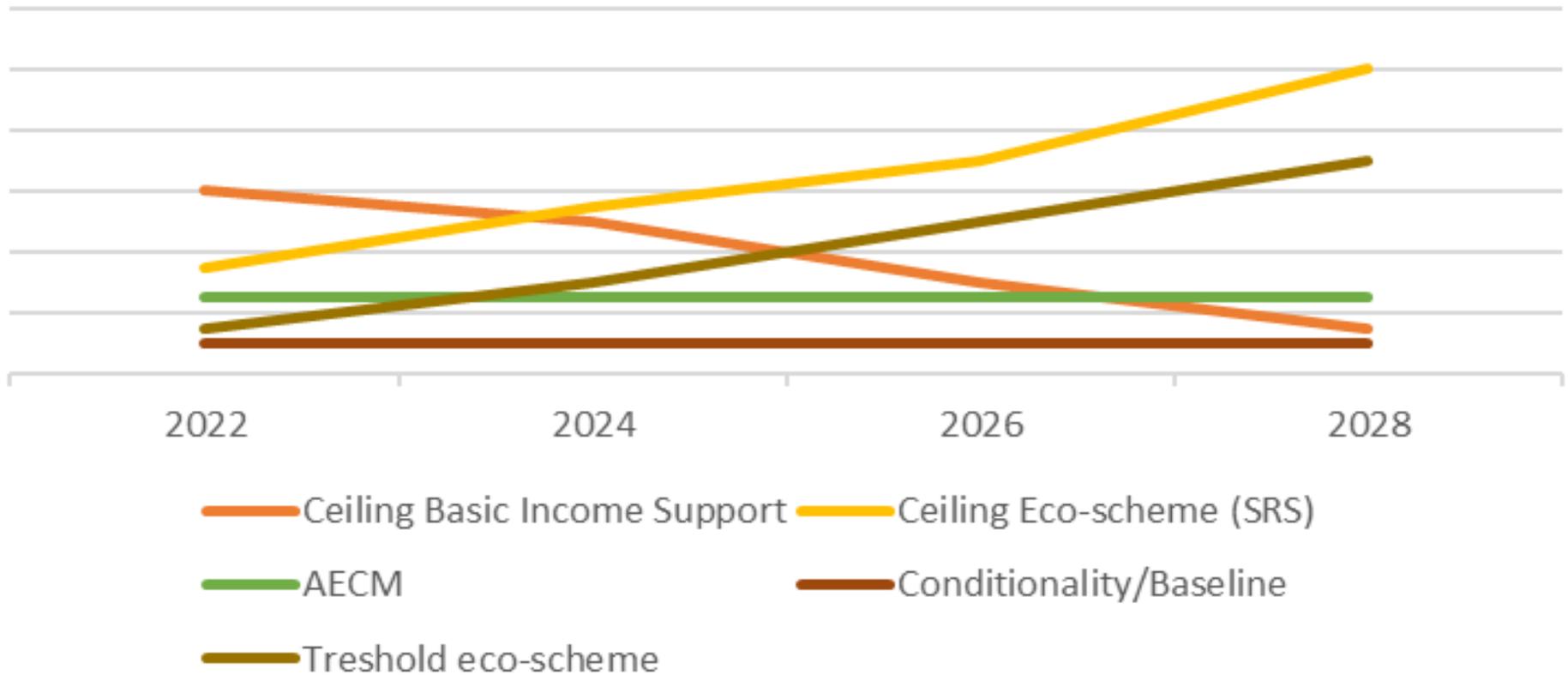


- Supporting a change in agriculture: growing towards sustainability.
- A targeted approach for common law goals with focus on public objectives for climate, soil-, water-, air quality, biodiversity and landscape elements.
- Aligning conditionality, eco-schemes and AECM:
  - Linking policy goals with policy results in a region;
  - Improving knowledge skills;
  - Efficient and simple.

- Pilots for a future proof CAP.



## Growing towards sustainability: budget and conditionality/treshold

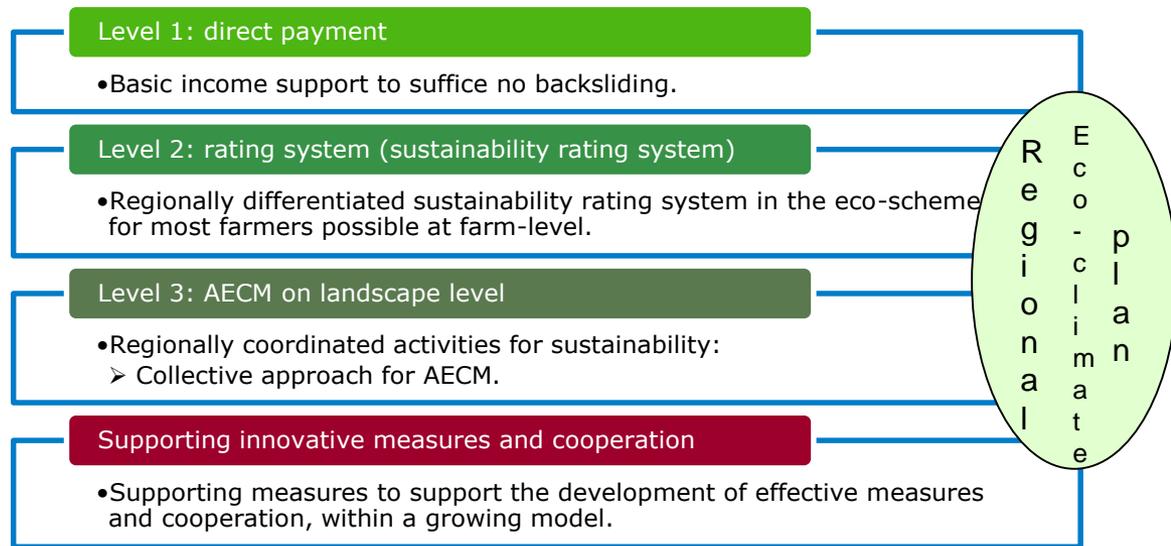
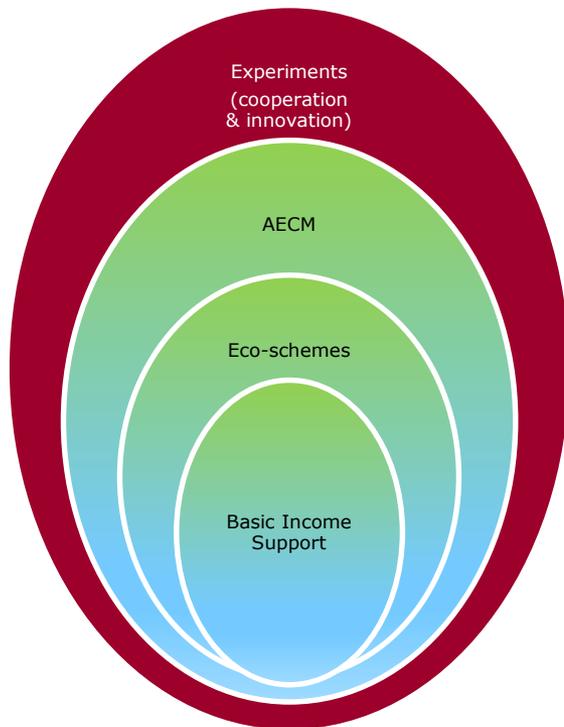




# An intervention logic for eco-climate measures in the new CAP: one logic

## Green blue architecture

## Intervention logic





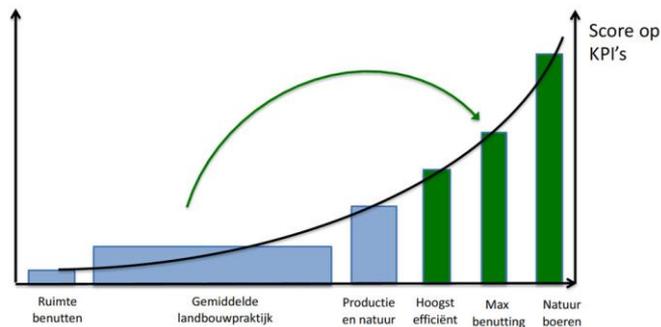
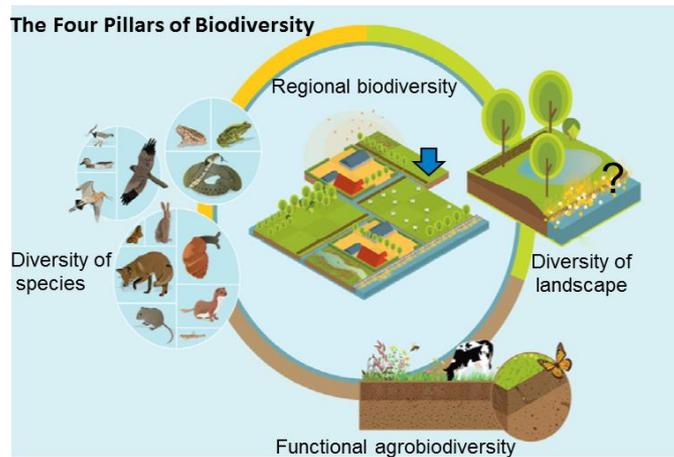
# Basic Income Support / Conditionality



- Move from income support towards targeted payments for sustainability, food security, innovation and animal welfare.
  - Growing model towards more sustainability.
  - Conditionality guarantees no backsliding in eco-environmental performance.
- Conditionality is:
- basis for income support;
  - baseline for eco-schemes and AECM.
  - A higher conditionality gives less space for targeted payments.



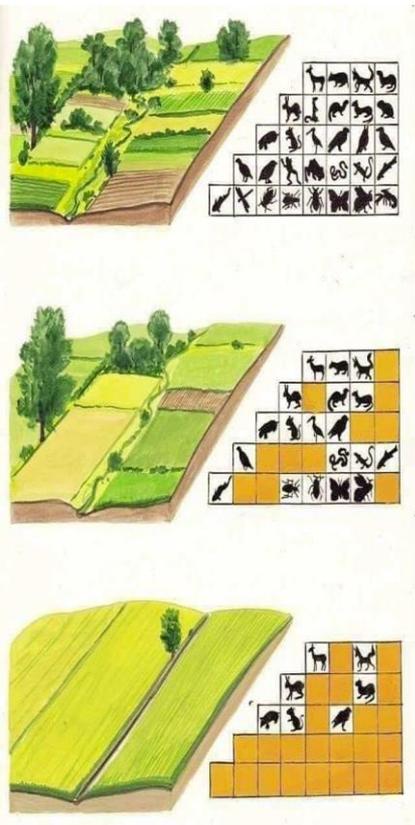
# Eco-schemes / a sustainability rating system



- A sustainability rating system (SRS) is a rating system, developed by the government, supported by farmers and other stakeholders.
- The goal is to strengthen the sustainability performance of farmers, in a:
  - regionally differentiated rating system;
  - broadly accessible by farmers.
- The SRS gives insight in a farm(ers) sustainability profile, and can improve farmers' market award.
- The measures in a SRS should be easy to monitor.



## Point of attention SRS



- A SRS is a targeted, result-based, system where farmers per objective (climate, natural resources, biodiversity and landscape) can earn points for certain measures in the field.
- For each objective a Key Performance Indicator will be developed.
- The payment per hectare will be calculated on the basis of the total points.
- The payment per hectare might become different per farm, therefore an average unit-amount is expedient.
- The different objectives together cover and go beyond the conditionalities for BIS.



# A pilot example on arable land of how it can work

Measures				Score allocated to objective						Point per objective					
number	Measure	price	Point (price/premiumx10)	Biodiversity	Landscape	Soil	Water	Climate	Total	Biodiversity	Landscape	Soil	Water	Climate	Total
<b>Farm management measures</b>															
1	More extensive roation: Resting crops (20-50%)	€ 155,00	12,2	1	1	2	1	2	7	1,7	1,7	3,5	1,7	3,5	12,2
2	On time harvesting of deep rooting grub crop (November 1st)	€ 245,00	19,3			1	1		2	0,0	0,0	9,6	9,6	0,0	19,3
3	Protein crops	€ 805,00	63,4	2	1	2		2	7	18,1	9,1	18,1	0,0	18,1	63,4
4	Perennial crops	€ 1,00	0,1	1		2	1	1	5	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,1
5	Set aside	€ 1.150,00	90,6	1	1	1			3	30,2	30,2	30,2	0,0	0,0	90,6
6	Flowering Field Margin	€ 1.150,00	90,6	2	2		1		5	36,2	36,2	0,0	18,1	0,0	90,6
7	Parcel size	€ 25,00	2,0	1	1	1	1		4	0,5	0,5	0,5	0,5	0,0	2,0
8	Strip cropping	€ 700,00	55,1	2	2	2	1		7	15,7	15,7	15,7	7,9	0,0	55,1
<b>Soil/Crop</b>															
9	Catch crop	€ 345,00	27,2	1	1	1	1	1	5	5,4	5,4	5,4	5,4	5,4	27,2
10	Sowing catch crop combined with cash crop	€ 100,00	7,9	1		2	2		5	1,6	0,0	3,1	3,1	0,0	7,9
11	Mechanical working in catch/cover crop	€ 100,00	7,9	2	1	1	2		6	2,6	1,3	1,3	2,6	0,0	7,9
12	Cover crop	€ 170,00	13,4	2	1	2	2	1	8	3,3	1,7	3,3	3,3	1,7	13,4
<b>Soil measures</b>															
13a	Bring in stable manure (price per ton)	€ 3,00	0,2	1		2	2	2	7	0,0	0,0	0,1	0,1	0,1	0,2
13b	Bring in compost (price per ton)	€ 6,00	0,5	1		2	2	2	7	0,1	0,0	0,1	0,1	0,1	0,5
14a	Reduced (no) tillage	€ 180,00	14,2	0,5		1	0,5	1	3	2,4	0,0	4,7	2,4	4,7	14,2
14b	Sallow ploughing	€ 115,00	9,1			0,5	0,5	1	2	0,0	0,0	2,3	2,3	4,5	9,1
15	Infiltration ditch	€ 200,00	15,7				2		2	0,0	0,0	0,0	15,7	0,0	15,7
<b>Regional specific targeted measures</b>															
16	Straw shredding and bringing in (PNZ)	€ 280,00	22,0	1		2	1	1	5	4,4	0,0	8,8	4,4	4,4	22,0
17	Fixed field paths (CCHW)	€ 100,00	7,9			2			2	0,0	0,0	7,9	0,0	0,0	7,9
18	Birds field (NHZ)	€ 2.530,38	199,2	2	1	2		1	6	66,4	33,2	66,4	0,0	33,2	199,2
19	Beetle field (ACW, CCHW, NHZ)	€ 2.530,38	199,2	2	1	2		1	6	66,4	33,2	66,4	0,0	33,2	199,2
20	Partridge hedge (CCHW, NHZ)	€ 100,00	7,9	2	1	2		1	6	2,6	1,3	2,6	0,0	1,3	7,9
21	Flower strips for partridge (HN)	€ 2.530,38	199,2	2	1	2		1	6	66,4	33,2	66,4	0,0	33,2	199,2
22	Brushwood (CCHW)	€ 100,00	7,9	2	1	2		1	6	2,6	1,3	2,6	0,0	1,3	7,9
23	Grain for bird, with or without cover crop (AND, ANOG, CMG)	€ 1.340,39	105,5	2	1	2	1	1	7	30,2	15,1	30,2	15,1	15,1	105,5
24	Winter feed field (NHZ)	€ 2.530,38	199,2	2	1	2	1	1	7	56,9	28,5	56,9	28,5	28,5	199,2
25	Ecological mowing (phased mowing of edges and banks) (CCHW, HN)	€ 100,00	7,9	2	2				4	3,9	3,9	0,0	0,0	0,0	7,9
26	Bank above water after July 1st (HN)	€ 100,00	7,9	2	2				4	3,9	3,9	0,0	0,0	0,0	7,9

Threshold: a minimum of points per objective



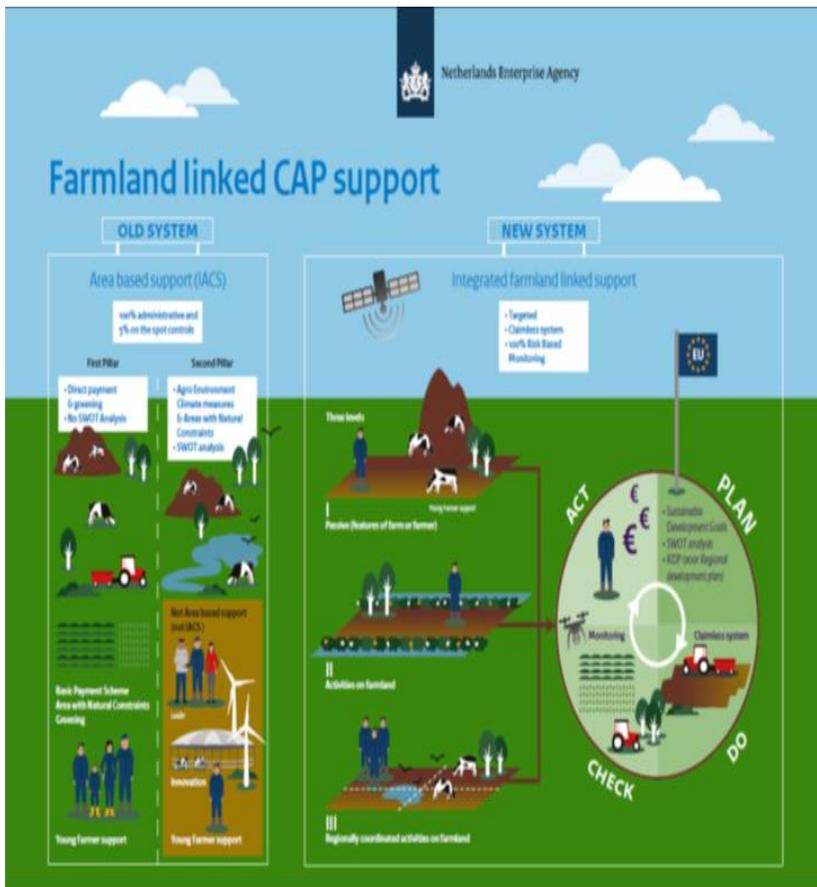
## AECM: a collective approach

- Started in in the Netherlands, in 2016.
- Regional commitments with a group of farmers (collectives) focusing on creating good habitat conditions for rare species and water quality protection.
- 40 certified collectives as final beneficiaries to:
  - enhance effectiveness;
  - improve efficiency;
  - improve knowledge-skills;
  - make better use of local skills and energy.
- Flexibility to respond to changes in nature and climate.
- Aim for the future CAP: broadening the scope, and only minor system changes.





# Simplification



- One intervention theory, three levels of implementation.
- Planning and knowledge dissemination.
- Development of seamless claims.
- Monitoring on three levels (Policy, output/result and activity).
- Fully risk-based checks and trust (Big Data).



# Conversing the Dutch way:



first some coffee!



Thank You

