



The Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry

RDI AGENDA

2030

THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY RDI AGENDA 2030

This is the first RDI Agenda of the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry's, and its framework is **the RDI policy**, which is based on the Ministry's strategy.

THE RDI AGENDA AIMS TO:

- Refine the broad thematic areas presented in the RDI policy and summarise the key RDI requirements within the Ministry's scope of responsibility until 2030
- Complement the definition of the RDI requirements in the context of the Ministry's policy programmes
- Help the Ministry to form a position on the priorities of domestic and international RDI funding programmes together with other ministries and stakeholders
- Contribute to guiding the allocation of the Ministry's RDI resources

The RDI Agenda will be implemented within the available funding and other resources and, on a case-by-case basis, using the most appropriate national and international funding sources. The RDI activities of the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry support, in particular, the following UN Sustainable Development Goals:



The RDI Agenda has four key themes that are divided into focus areas and further into more strictly defined RDI priorities, which serve as examples. In addition to these, three cross-sectional facilitators have been outlined, and the perspectives and approaches related to these facilitators are common to all four themes.

THEME 1: Added value from natural resources and sustainable primary production

Focus 1. Towards better management of land-use and water resources

Focus 2. Sustainable and proactive management and use of natural resources

Focus 3. Sustainable and fair food production that promoting the One Health concept

Focus 4. New, resource-efficient products and production methods

THEME 2. Solutions to achieve carbon neutrality and safeguard biodiversity

Focus 1. Effective solutions for adapting to and mitigating climate change

Focus 2. Effective and efficient means of preserving biodiversity

Focus 3. Enhancing the resilience and adaptability of nature

THEME 3. Flourishing communities and individuals as drivers of sustainability

Focus 1. Better policy preparation through understanding human values and attitudes

Focus 2. Wellbeing, health and quality of life

Focus 3. Nudging people towards sustainable lifestyles

THEME 4. Entrepreneurship and regional economy as drivers of competitive advantage and wellbeing

Focus 1. Success through developing business operations and competitiveness

Focus 2. Sustainable economic solutions for rural areas and smart adaptation

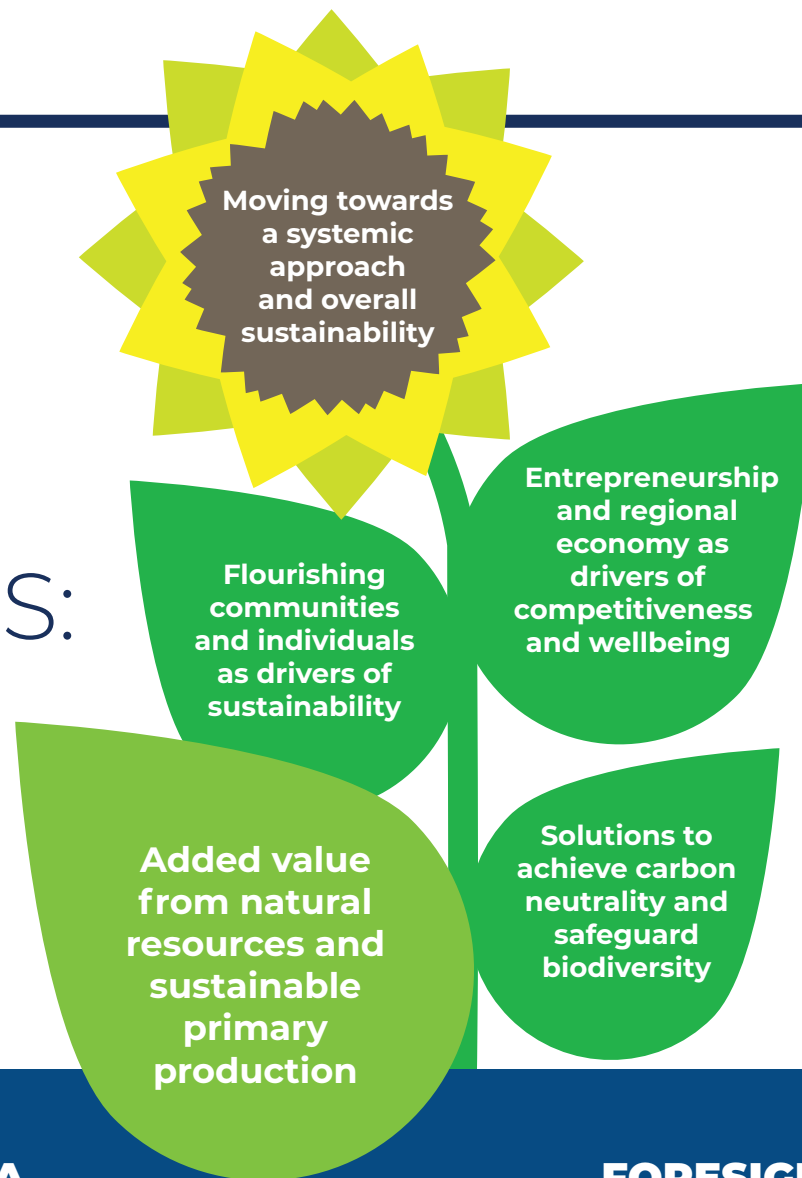
Focus 3. Novel market and financing environments

FACILITATOR 1. Moving towards a systemic approach and overall sustainability

FACILITATOR 2. Foresight and decision-making as prerequisites for wellbeing

FACILITATOR 3. Information, data and technology as initiators of innovation

THE RDI AGENDA'S KEY THEMES:



Ministry of Agriculture
and Forestry of Finland

**INFORMATION, DATA
AND TECHNOLOGY AS
INITIATORS OF INNOVATION**

**FORESIGHT AND
DECISION-MAKING AS
PREREQUISITES FOR WELLBEING**



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