## The project

FOREST4EU - European innovation partnership network promoting operational groups dedicated to forestry and agroforestry - is a Horizon Europe Coordination and Support Action, aiming at connecting existing Operational Groups (OGs) from different countries around Europe, in order to favour the transfer of knowledge and best practices between experts in this field.



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Connecting forestry and agroforestry partnerships across Europe

## OPERATIONAL GROUPS IN EUROPE

Around Europe, there are hundreds of Operational Groups (OGs): small projects promoted by groups of farmers, forest managers and local communities.

They all share the same goal: advancing innovation and good practices in forestry and agroforestry sector.

However, OGs' results struggle in crossing national borders: innovations and best practices tend to remain in the local environment and do not reach the European level.

## FOREST4EU GOAL

The project aims at connecting dozens of OGs around Europe with the main aim of favouring the transfer of knowledge and best practices between forestry and agroforestry experts in 9 member states.

Improving sustainable forest management approaches

Wood

mobilisation

### FOREST4EU ITHUBS

The project will establish 5 multi-actor EU cross-countries Innovation Topic Hubs (ITHubs) related to 5 identified topics in forestry and agroforestry sectors. The ITHubs will act as cooperation and innovation networks for an efficient knowledge transferexchange between different regions in Europe.

Forest adaptation to climate change

Agroforestry

Non-wood forests products