

Activities ancillary to farming (e.g., land maintenance, seed provision, agronomic support, distribution)	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Livestock production	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Activities ancillary to livestock production (e.g., trading, husbandry, distribution of animals)	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Food processing (animal & non-animal)	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Agri-tourism & HORECA	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Wildlife management	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Forestry	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
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2.2	<p>According to your knowledge, which of the following types of innovation have been negatively impacted in rural SMEs in your region as a result of the pandemic<sup>33</sup>? (Please reply on a scale of 1 to 5.)</p> <p>1 – Negligible/No impact            2 – Low impact            3 – Medium impact            4 – High impact            5 – Very high impact            N/A – Not applicable/No answer</p>					
Product/service innovation (e.g., introduction of new product or service to the market)	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Process innovation (e.g., introduction of a new competitive process/solution)	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Technological innovation (e.g., use of technological tools, such as drones, in agriculture)	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Business model innovation (e.g., adoption of sustainable and/or circular business models)	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>

<sup>33</sup> The classification system used is based on the OECD definition (2005).  
<https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/documents/3859598/5889925/OSLO-EN.PDF>

Marketing innovation (e.g., use of new marketing channels for enhancing sales)	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Social innovation (e.g., developing new strategies to respond to social needs)	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Network innovation (e.g., developing new synergies with stakeholders with ICT tools)	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
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### Section 3 – Strengths: Factors that can contribute to regional recovery and resilience planning

3.1	<p>Please indicate to what extent each of the following factors that are favourable for enhancing the internal policy planning capacities of public authorities, is a policy priority in your region.</p> <p>1 – Not a policy priority for my region                  2 – Of minor priority in my region                  3 – Of medium priority in my region                  4 – Of high priority in my region                  5 – The prime priority in my region                  N/A – Not applicable/No answer</p>						
	(Re)training of public authorities' personnel to be able to provide public services digitally.	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
	Simplification of administrative and bureaucratic procedures so that public authorities can provide more effective emergency support to rural SMEs.	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
	Increasing the knowledge base of public authorities with a repository/resources of good practices on how to support rural SMEs in becoming resilient.	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
	Initiating funding synergies and cost-sharing platforms to be able to increase rural SMEs' accessibility to emergency funding.	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
	Promotion of research initiatives and collaborations with research organisations, universities and/or agencies that perform research in the fields of green growth and digitalisation of rural SMEs.	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
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### Section 4 – Opportunities: Designing the recovery and resilience of rural SMEs

4.1	<p>The following options represent support measures that were initiated by the European Commission during the pandemic to provide support to struggling economies (described in detail in section 3.2 in the deliverable).</p> <p>Please indicate which of them, if established as permanent measures, could address the long-term regional needs of rural SMEs.</p> <p>1 – Negligible/No potential                  2 – Low potential                  3 – Medium potential                  4 – High potential                  5 – Very high potential                  N/A – Not applicable/No answer</p>												
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4.2	<p>Which of the following measures have the greatest potential in assisting your region to build a socioeconomic environment that would help rural SMEs to innovate and be competitive beyond the pandemic?</p> <p>1 – Negligible/No potential                  2 – Low potential                  3 – Medium potential                  4 – High potential                  5 – Very high potential                  N/A – Not applicable/No answer</p>												

Redesign and expand the existing transport infrastructure to enhance connectivity with main trading routes.	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Improve the digital infrastructure of the region (e.g., upgrade to 5G network) to facilitate the digitalisation of rural SMEs.	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Provide support to rural SMEs in shifting to more sustainable and circular business models (e.g., reducing GHG emissions).	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Provide financial incentives and support to young owners and new rural-oriented SMEs and start-ups.	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Provide retraining programmes for rural SMEs to assist them in shifting to digital and green models of operation.	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Establish innovation hubs and networks to facilitate synergies between rural SMEs and research organisations.	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Improve the digital transition of public administration.	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
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