

**59<sup>TH</sup> FOCAL POINT MEETING  
VIRTUAL, 24-25 SEPT. 2025**




# **TAILOR-MADE ACTIVITIES PRIORITISATION 2025**

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# BACKGROUND – PROPOSALS RECEIVED IN 2025

 16 Proposals + MSCC

 7M budget demand

 4M budget availability

## Participating countries

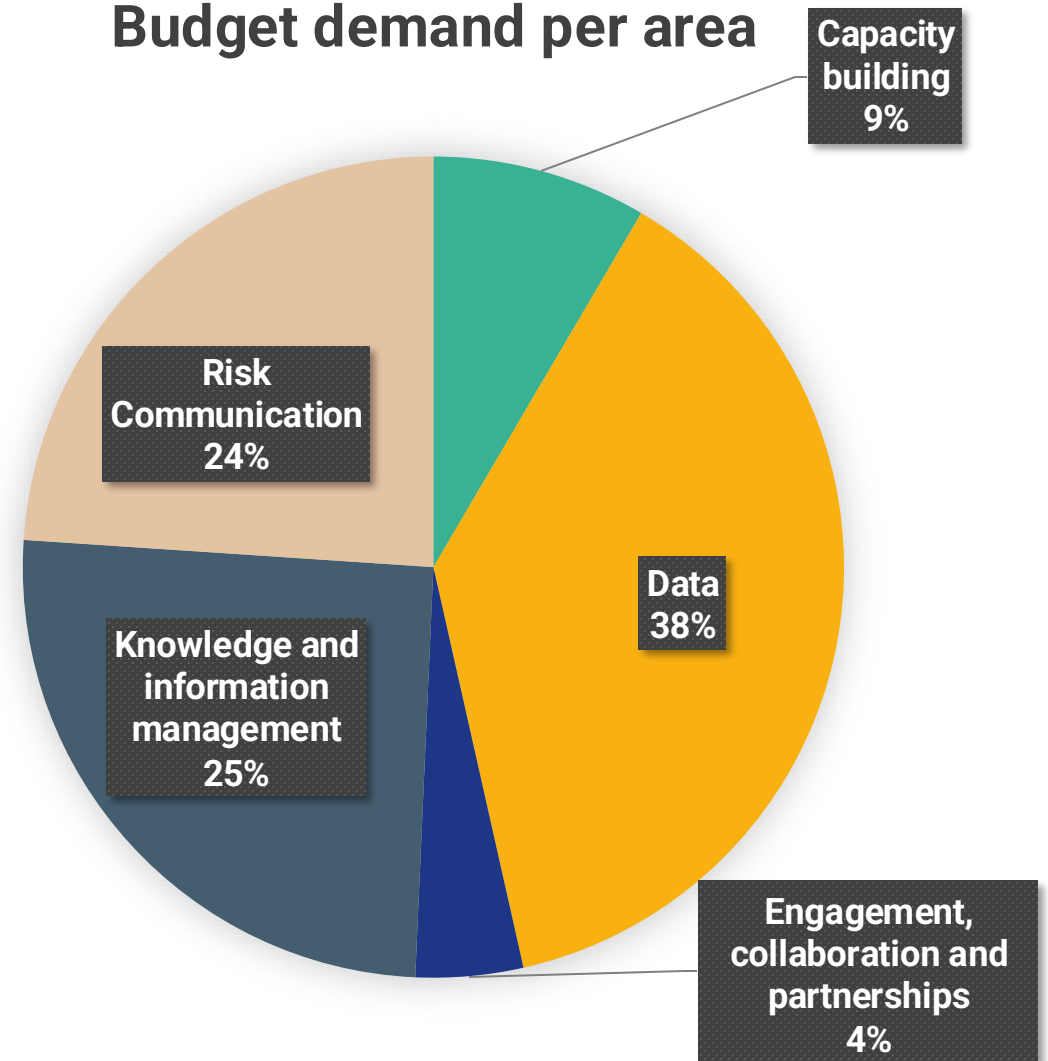
EU: 24

EEA (non-EU): 1

IPA (Western Balkans): 3

Other: 2

## Budget demand per area



# BACKGROUND – THE ASSESSEMENT PROCESS

**Engagement and External Relations Unit (ENREL)** – quality / technical check and budget monitoring (with support of **Financial Services Unit**)

**Global Performance Services Unit (GPS)** – assessment based on **EFSA strategic objectives** and **work-programme**

**Subject Matter Units (SMUs)** – assessment based on **scientific content, partnership relevance, preparedness for RA needs, fitness under EFSA short/medium term needs**

**MS advice (AF Trio & AGoD)** – MS advice on proposal(s), bringing MS perspective

**EFSA managerial prioritisation**

**EFSA decision** based on **assessment of proposals, MS advice** (AF Trio and AGoD) and **prioritisation at 4D level**

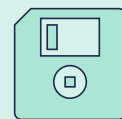


# MS ADVICE – AF TRIO AND AGOD



## AF Trio (HU-PL-DK)

On proposals beyond the data remit



## AGoD advice

On proposals under the data remit



Integrating MS perspective into EFSA assessment



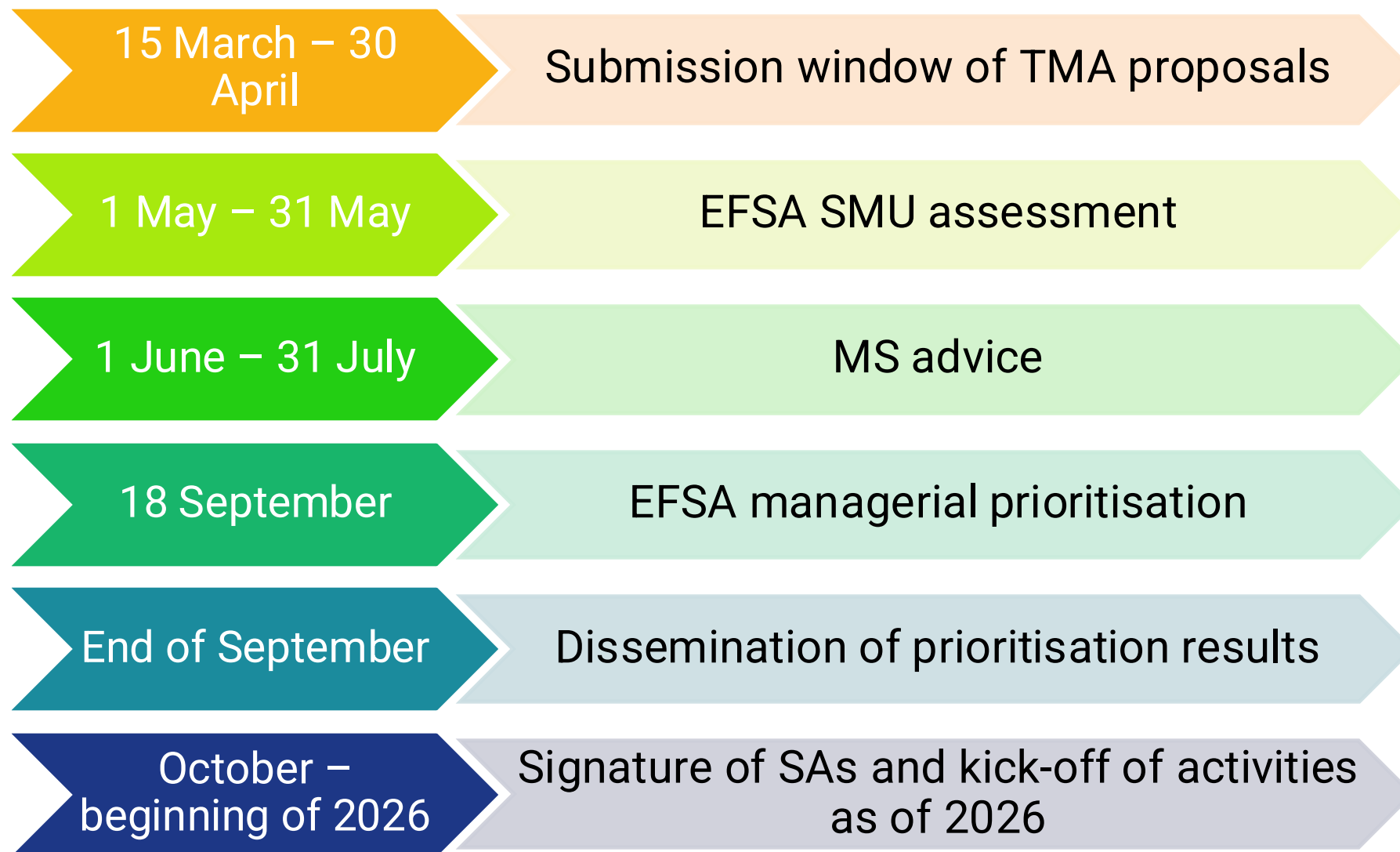
## Points of attention for 2026 cycle

- Reflect on an **evolution of the AF Trio advice towards a quantitative system**, aligned with EFSA and AGoD scoring
- Consider **including the name of the contact person responsible for the project in each country** in the proposal's template (proposal coming from MSs)



**1<sup>st</sup> Meeting:** 24 June 2025  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting:** 22 July 2025

# TIMELINE – THE PRIORITISATION PROCESS



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Activity/ timeline	2025												2026
	Q1			Q2			Q3			Q4			O1
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan
Tailor-made activities (TMA)			Submission of the TMA proposals through the dedicated tool										
				EFSA Technical assessment (ENREL, FIN)									
					EFSA Strategic and scientific assessment (GPS, SMUs)								
						MS advice - AF Trio and AGoD							
									EFSA final prioritization				
				Consultation with proponents, adjustments of proposals if needed						Consultation with proponents, adjustments of proposals if needed			
	Partner search by proponent, EoI and planning. Raising visibility of TMA proposals.												
	Signature Window TMA (for proposals prioritized in year n-1)											Signature Window TMA (for proposals prioritized for year n+1)	
	Visibility raising of ongoing activities. Reporting on TMA implementation and final reports												
Principal activities (PA)										Planning for year n+1 (Oct-Nov)			
											Signature Window PA (until beginning of Dec)		
	Reporting PA year n-1												Reporting PA year n-1