

Scientific Cooperation Roadmap- the journey so far

57th Advisory Forum Meeting, 24th Focal Point Meeting Milan, Italy, 13 October 2015







ROADMAP'S OBJECTIVES

Scientific capacity building and intelligent use of resources

- Building risk assessment community
- Data collection and data sharing
- Strengthen (inter-) national networking
- Share workload among partners
- Efficient use of scientific expertise in MS
- Avoid duplication of work and divergent views
- Establish EU risk assessment agenda on shared priorities

Coherent international voice

- Joint work programmes with international partners
- Support EU in international commitments
- Harmonize risk assessment approaches
- Coherence in risk communication





SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION ROADMAP 2014-2016

June 2014

Discussion with EFSA's MB



September 2014

Scientific Cooperation Roadmap 2014 -2016

validated with EFSA's AF



Roadmap at mid-term MB informed about the progress made



Includes specific actions to move towards common risk assessment agenda



EFSA's Strategy 2020





PROGRESS OVERVIEW





THEMATIC GRANTS

- stimulate innovative proposals by MS organisations
- useful to implement joint activities (also under EU Risk assessment agenda)

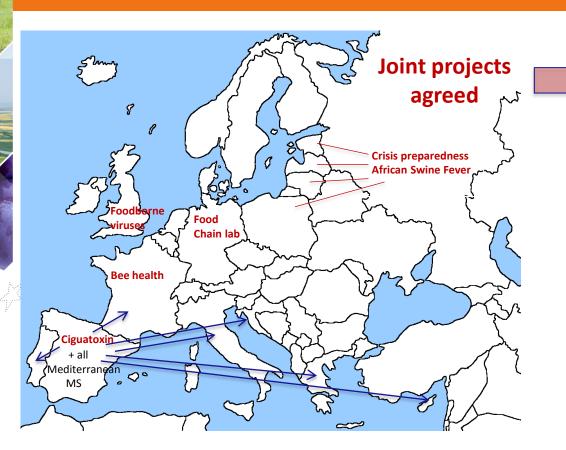
Call for Proposals Launch
Theme: New approaches in
identifying and characterizing

identifying and characterizing microbiological and chemical hazards





ED VISITS





3 years



All EU MS





EU RISK ASSESSMENT AGENDA (RAA)

where priorities are defined and attained collaboratively, Member States together with EFSA

Delphi study ongoing agree on common priorities involving the EFSA AF and around 150 experts across the EU Member States

end 2015

 Delphi findings on AF meeting in December 2015 as a basis for the first EU RAA

EU RAA

key tool for collaboration on priority subjects



 cooperation on priority topics by different MS - improved use of EU capacities and preventing doubling of work





Survey on the role and expectations of AF members



Break-out discussions at 56th AF



In-depth telephone interviews by an external contractor



Report expected by October 2015



Strengthen AF strategic role in implementing EU RAA

Dec

5 Jun

Jul

Oct

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Role of AF members
to coordinate networking
with competent bodies at
the national level

REVIEW

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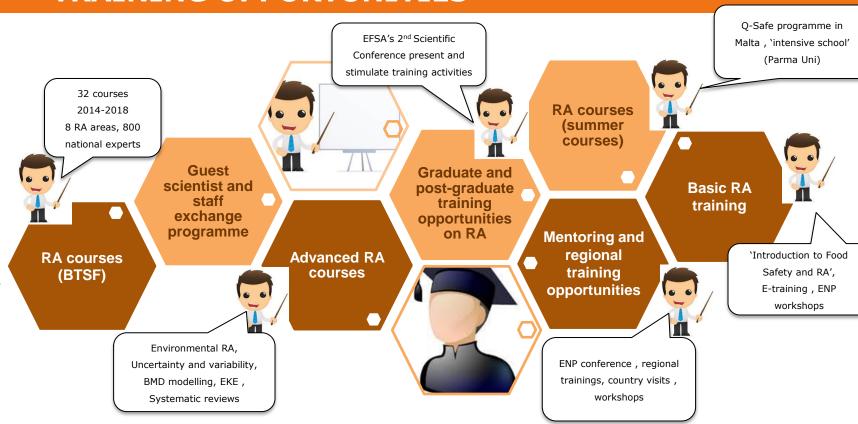
Specific needs
and expectations of MS

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Steering EU RA Agenda priorities and cluster approaches



TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES







INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION 2014 - 2015

Supporting EU in its international commitments





Support to the EC at CODEX meetings

delegation visits to EFSA by 11 countries

meetings and workshops with international partners



memberships to international groups

Contributions to JECFA calls for data or experts





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