

A long-term vision for rural areas of Emilia-Romagna_english version

Inizio blocco: Qualtrics Surveys Question Demo

D1 Dear participant, the University of Bologna, as a partner of the Horizon 2020 SHERPA project (<https://rural-interfaces.eu/>), invites you to fill in the following questionnaire in order to identify the topics of greatest interest for the **rural areas of Emilia- Romagna in the next 20 years** . Your responses will be used within the SHERPA project and will contribute to the public consultation promoted by the European Commission (<https://ec.europa.eu/info/law/better-regulation/have-your-say/initiatives/12525-Long-term-vision-for-rural-areas>) which will end in 2021 with the adoption of a Long-Term vision for rural areas. Furthermore, some data may be used in a master's thesis of the University of Bologna. The estimated time for completing the questionnaire is about 15 minutes and your answers will be treated anonymously.

Privacy and confidentiality

The answers provided in the questionnaires will be recorded. Your recorded data will not be identified, so it will not be possible to identify you later. The information will be processed during the data analysis phase and will be shown in the project reports. It will not be possible to identify the source of the information. The results of this survey can be published in scientific journals or conferences and can be used in further studies. Nothing of the personal data provided will be disclosed to third parties. We also specify that any consent given by you is freely given and can be revoked at any time without entailing any disadvantage or prejudice and without prejudice to the lawfulness of the processing based on the consent given before the revocation. Applications relating to the exercise of these rights may be submitted to the Data Controller by contacting Alma Mater Studiorum - University of Bologna - registered office: via Zamboni 33, 40126 - Bologna, Italy; e-mail: privacy@unibo.it; PEC: writeunibo@pec.unibo.it.

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D2 Consent to the processing of personal data: Choose one of the options below. Please note that if you choose the final option and therefore decide not to give your consent for the use of the data, you will be asked not to participate and will be redirected to the end of the questionnaire.

- I consent to the use of the data I provide, both in the context of the SHERPA project and in the master's thesis (1)
- I consent to the use of the data I provide, only in the context of the SHERPA project (2)
- I do not consent to the use of the data I provide (3)

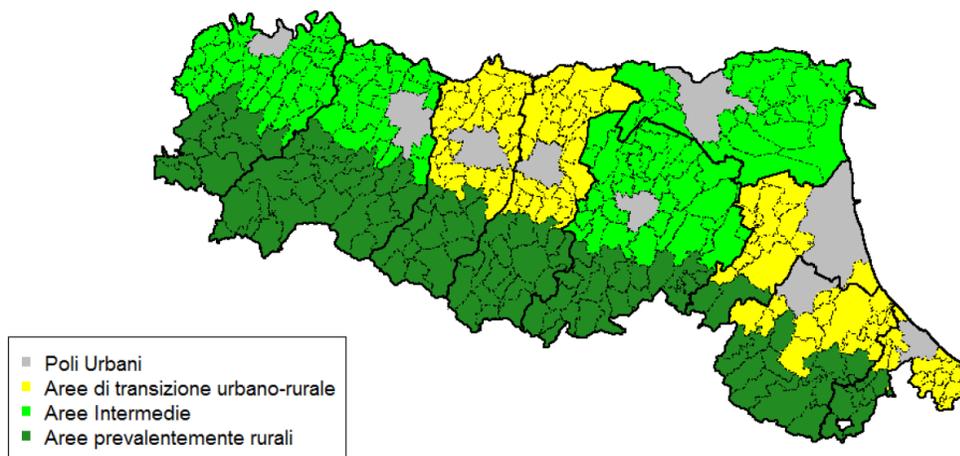
Salta a: Fine sondaggio Se Consenso al trattamento dei dati personali: Scegli una delle opzioni qui sotto. La preghiamo di n... = Non acconsento all'uso dei dati che fornisco

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D3 Which of the following options best describes your job position?

- Public administration (1)
 - NGOs / associations / civil society (2)
 - Company / Industry / Business (3)
 - Research / consulting (4)
 - Other (5) _____
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D4



The Figure represents the subdivision of the rural areas elaborated by the Emilia-Romagna Region. For which rural area (s) do you think you have the most knowledge and / or expertise (you can specify more areas)?

- Urban-rural transition areas (1)
 - Intermediate areas (2)
 - Predominantly rural areas (3)
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D5

Challenges

Imagine the development of the rural areas of Emilia-Romagna over the next 20 years. Please, indicate how important the following challenges will be from now to 2040.

	Not Important (1)	Not very important (2)	Important (3)	Very important (4)	Extremely important (5)
Climate change: adaptation and mitigation (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Introducing new crops and new foods as a strategy for adapting to climate change (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Management of water resources (3)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Guarantee the economic sustainability of agri-food production (4)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Guarantee quality agri-food production (5)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Promote the generational turnover on farms (6)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Greater support to non-agricultural activities (e.g. tourism, crafts, activities related to forest management, etc.) (7)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Improve digital infrastructures (broadband, Internet access) (8)	<input type="radio"/>				
Introduce new digital technologies in agri-food production (9)	<input type="radio"/>				
Improve the management of digital data collected in agriculture (10)	<input type="radio"/>				
Reverse the trends of depopulation and aging (11)	<input type="radio"/>				
Improve infrastructure (roads, bridges, aqueducts) (12)	<input type="radio"/>				
Ensure access to primary services (e.g. schools, hospitals, electricity, water) (13)	<input type="radio"/>				
Ensure access to services (e.g. shops, pharmacies, libraries, etc.) (14)	<input type="radio"/>				
Promotion of social activities (e.g. cultural and recreational services) (15)	<input type="radio"/>				
Prevent and reduce hydrogeological	<input type="radio"/>				

instability (16) |

D6 Are there any other CHALLENGES that you think will be important in the future?

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D7 Opportunity

Imagine the development of the rural areas of Emilia-Romagna over the next 20 years. Please indicate how important the following opportunities will be from now to 2040.

	Not Important (1)	Not very important (2)	Important (3)	Very important (4)	Extremely important (5)
Aging: activities related to well-being and personal care; silver economy (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Tourism (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Enhancement of ecosystem, cultural and recreational services (3)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Bioeconomy and circular economy (4)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increased digitization (e.g. e- commerce, e- health, etc.) (5)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increased digitization in agriculture (6)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increase in smart working (7)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Immigration: restocking, labor, more social mix (8)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

D8 Are there any other OPPORTUNITIES that you think will be important in the future?

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D9 Attractiveness of rural areas of Emilia-Romagna

How important are the following aspects in deciding to stay or settle in the rural areas of Emilia-Romagna?

	Not Important (1)	Not very important (2)	Important (3)	Very important (4)	Extremely important (5)
Lower cost of living compared to urban areas (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cultural identity and sense of belonging to the local community (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Less polluted environment, proximity to nature, better climate (3)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Proximity and good connections with urban areas (4)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Job opportunities related to the agricultural and livestock sector (5)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Job opportunities related to tourism, crafts, cultural and recreational activities (6)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Typical agricultural	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

landscape
(e.g.
irrigation,
terracing,
etc.) (7)

D10 Other aspects that make the rural areas of Emilia-Romagna attractive?

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D11 A vision for the rural areas of Emilia-Romagna

Try to imagine the rural areas of Emilia-Romagna in 2040. What three terms would you use to describe your ideal of the rural area of the future?

1 (1) _____

2 (2) _____

3 (3) _____

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D12 A vision for the hilly-mountainous rural areas of Emilia-Romagna

Listed below are some of the changes that could affect the hilly-mountainous rural areas of Emilia-Romagna in 2040. For each of them please indicate how desirable it is and the likelihood that it will occur in the next 20 years. In addition, indicate in your opinion which are the most relevant obstacles preventing the achievement of that change.

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D13 In 2040, hilly-mountainous rural areas will be equipped with more digital infrastructures (e.g. broadband) which will favor the creation of new job opportunities

- Not at all desirable (1)
- Not very desirable (2)
- Desirable (3)
- Very desirable (4)
- Absolutely desirable (5)

D14 Would you like to justify your answer and / or add more about this change?

D15 In your opinion, what is the probability that this change will take place in 2040?

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D16 What are the main obstacles to achieving this change?

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D17 In 2040, hilly-mountainous rural areas will be equipped with more infrastructures that will help reduce their isolation and prevent hydrogeological instability.

- Not at all desirable (1)
- Not very desirable (2)
- Desirable (3)
- Very desirable (4)
- Absolutely desirable (5)

D18 Would you like to justify your answer and / or add more about this change?

D19 In your opinion, what is the probability that this change will take place in 2040?

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D20 What are the main obstacles to achieving this change?

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D21 In 2040, hilly-mountainous rural areas will be characterized by a more solid and profitable agriculture

- Not at all desirable (1)
- Not very desirable (2)
- Desirable (3)
- Very desirable (4)
- Absolutely desirable (5)

D22 Would you like to justify your answer and / or add more about this change?

D23 In your opinion, what is the probability that this change will take place in 2040?

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D24 What are the main obstacles to achieving this change?

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D25 In 2040, hilly-mountainous rural areas will see a full enhancement and / or remuneration of ecosystem services related to agricultural activities

- Not at all desirable (1)
- Not very desirable (2)
- Desirable (3)
- Very desirable (4)
- Absolutely desirable (5)

D26 Would you like to justify your answer and / or add more about this change?

D27 In your opinion, what is the probability that this change will take place in 2040?

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D28 What are the main obstacles to achieving this change?

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D29 In 2040, hilly-mountainous rural areas will be able to enhance the value of quality agri-food and wine production

- Not at all desirable (1)
- Not very desirable (2)
- Desirable (3)
- Very desirable (4)
- Absolutely desirable (5)

D30 Would you like to justify your answer and / or add more about this change?

D31 In your opinion, what is the probability that this change will take place in 2040?

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D32 What are the main obstacles to achieving this change?

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D33 In 2040, hilly-mountainous rural areas will have more job opportunities linked to tourism, crafts and the forest sector

- Not at all desirable (1)
- Not very desirable (2)
- Desirable (3)
- Very desirable (4)
- Absolutely desirable (5)

D34 Would you like to justify your answer and / or add more about this change?

D35 In your opinion, what is the probability that this change will take place in 2040?

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D36 What are the main obstacles to achieving this change?

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D37 In 2040, hilly-mountainous rural areas will have more services to offer to urban areas (e.g. services related to wellness and nature)

- Not at all desirable (1)
- Not very desirable (2)
- Desirable (3)
- Very desirable (4)
- Absolutely desirable (5)

D38 Would you like to justify your answer and / or add more about this change?

D39 In your opinion, what is the probability that this change will take place in 2040?

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D40 What are the main obstacles to achieving this change?

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D41 Other changes that you would like in the future of **hilly-mountainous rural areas** of Emilia-Romagna?

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D42

A vision for the rural areas of the plain of Emilia-Romagna

Listed below are some changes that could affect **rural areas of the plain** of Emilia-Romagna in 2040. For each of them indicate how **desirable** it is and the **likelihood** that it will occur in the next 20 years. In addition, indicate in your opinion which are the most relevant obstacles preventing the achievement of change.

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D43 In 2040, rural areas of the plain will be characterized by intensive agriculture with large farms competitive on national and international markets

- Not at all desirable (1)
- Not very desirable (2)
- Desirable (3)
- Very desirable (4)
- Absolutely desirable (5)

D44 Would you like to justify your answer and / or add more about this change?

D45 In your opinion, what is the probability that this change will take place in 2040?

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D46 What are the main obstacles to achieving this change?

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D47 In 2040, rural areas of the plain will be more resilient thanks to infrastructures and interventions aimed at containing the effects of climate change

- Not at all desirable (1)
- Not very desirable (2)
- Desirable (3)
- Very desirable (4)
- Absolutely desirable (5)

D48 Would you like to justify your answer and / or add more about this change?

D49 In your opinion, what is the probability that this change will take place in 2040?

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D50 What are the main obstacles to achieving this change?

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D51 In 2040, rural areas of the plain will have less fragmented supply chains thanks to a greater effectiveness of Producers Organizations and the cooperative model.

- Not at all desirable (1)
- Not very desirable (2)
- Desirable (3)
- Very desirable (4)
- Absolutely desirable (5)

D52 Would you like to justify your answer and / or add more about this change?

D53 In your opinion, what is the probability that this change will take place in 2040?

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D54 What are the main obstacles to achieving this change?

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D55 In 2040, rural areas of the plain will be characterized by increased collaboration between farms (e.g. collective reservoirs)

- Not at all desirable (1)
- Not very desirable (2)
- Desirable (3)
- Very desirable (4)
- Absolutely desirable (5)

D56 Would you like to justify your answer and / or add more about this change?

D57 In your opinion, what is the probability that this change will take place in 2040?

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D58 What are the main obstacles to achieving this change?

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D59 Any other changes that you would like in the future of rural areas of the plain of Emilia-Romagna?

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D60 Any other comments / suggestions regarding the future development of the rural areas of Emilia-Romagna?

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