Thinking beyond the COVID-19 crisis

RURITAGE webinar

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A hub for exchange of information on how
Rural Development policy, programmes, projects
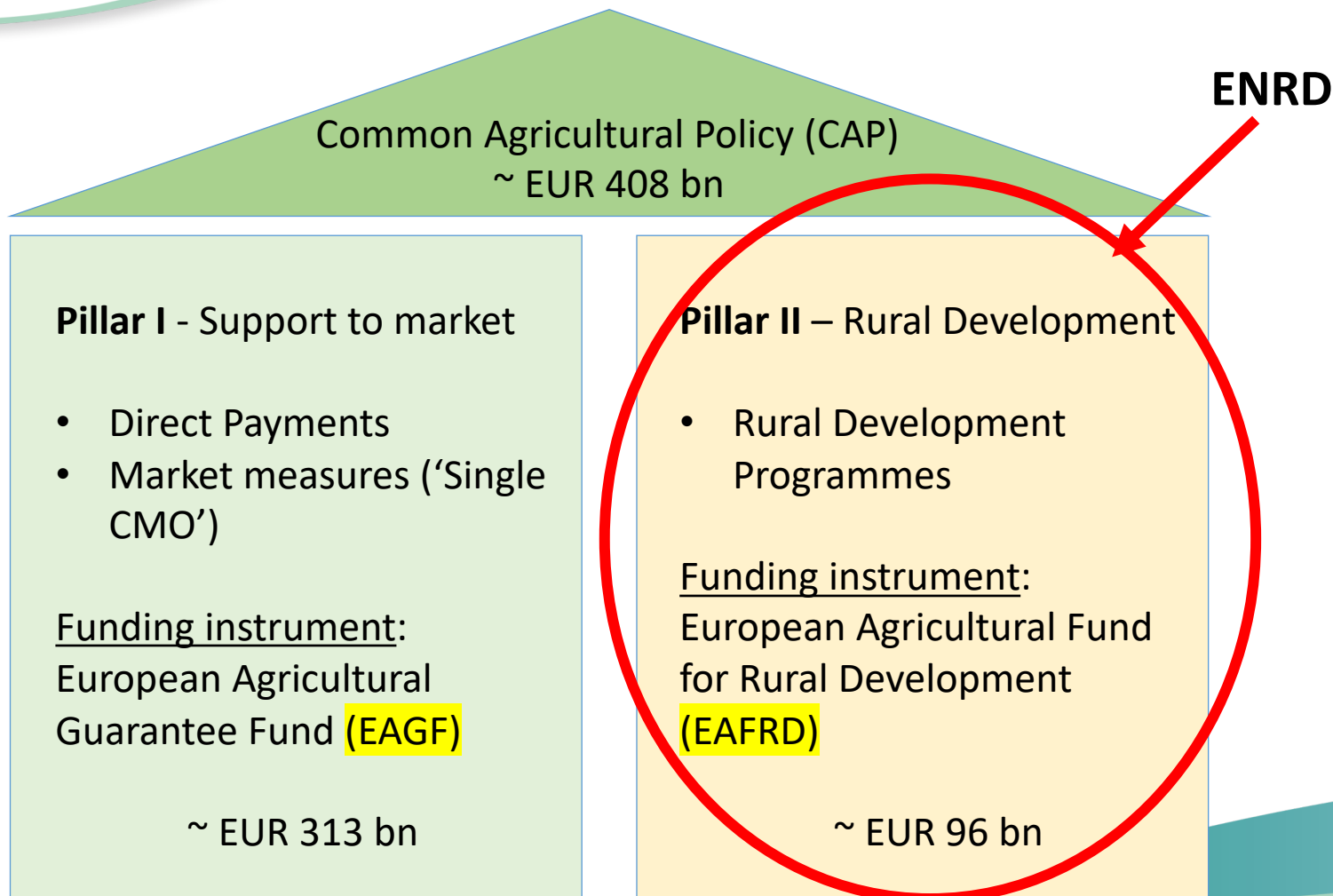and other initiatives are working in practice
and how they can be improved.

Sharing knowledge

Exchanging ideas

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Who we are

The European Network for Rural Development (ENRD)

ENRD

Common Agricultural Policy (CAP)
~ EUR 408 bn

Pillar I - Support to market

- Direct Payments
- Market measures ('Single CMO')

Funding instrument:
European Agricultural Guarantee Fund (EAGF)

~ EUR 313 bn

Pillar II – Rural Development

- Rural Development Programmes

Funding instrument:
European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD)

~ EUR 96 bn

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ENRD's work on COVID-19

A platform for rural development stakeholders:

https://enrd.ec.europa.eu/rural-responses-covid-19-crisis_en

ENRD's work on COVID-19

COMMUNITY LOCAL
TOGETHER RESILIENCE

- Started with spontaneous contributions

- Reachable/promoted via email, social media…

- Signposting, not duplicating

- On-going

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Rural responses to COVID-19

How farmers and rural business are coping with the emergency

Solidarity examples – supporting the community and responding to practical needs

Rural responses to COVID-19

- Helping 'food heroes'

- Promoting local food & small producers

- Adapting working & training practices

Rural responses to COVID-19

- Supporting most vulnerable people

- Community champions
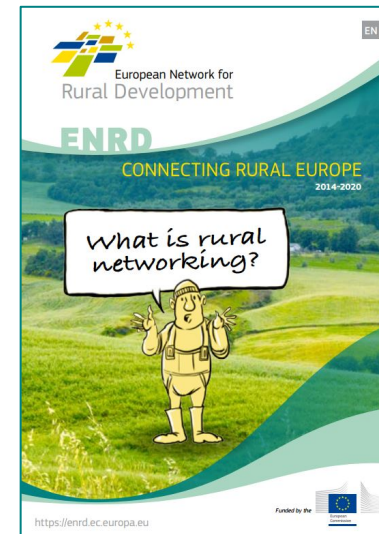
- Youth solidarity

- The role of LEADER

- Food security

- New opportunities for local producer/local food chains (+ sustainability, - carbon footprint)

- Inclusive rural communities and solidarity

- Vulnerable: less services… (internet connectivity)

- Responding to local needs

- New opportunities smart businesses

- Capitalising on the broad variety of EAFRD funded interventions (RDP measures)

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