



NATIONAL LOCAL ACTION GROUP NETWORK

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NATIONAL LAG NETWORK OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC



- formally established in 2007
- members = 170 LAGs of 180 existing LAGs
- 13 regional LAG networks > 13 members of board
- 8 workgroups (LEADER, Transnational Cooperation, Vision, Education, Environment, Smart Villages, Social, Entrepreneurship)
- 3 platforms (Rural Youth, Community Energetics, Ukraine)
- board, chairperson, 3 vice-chair, 1 director, 4 employees
- office in Prague
- member of almost every existing workgroup and platform
- member of ELARD – European LEADER Association for Rural Development

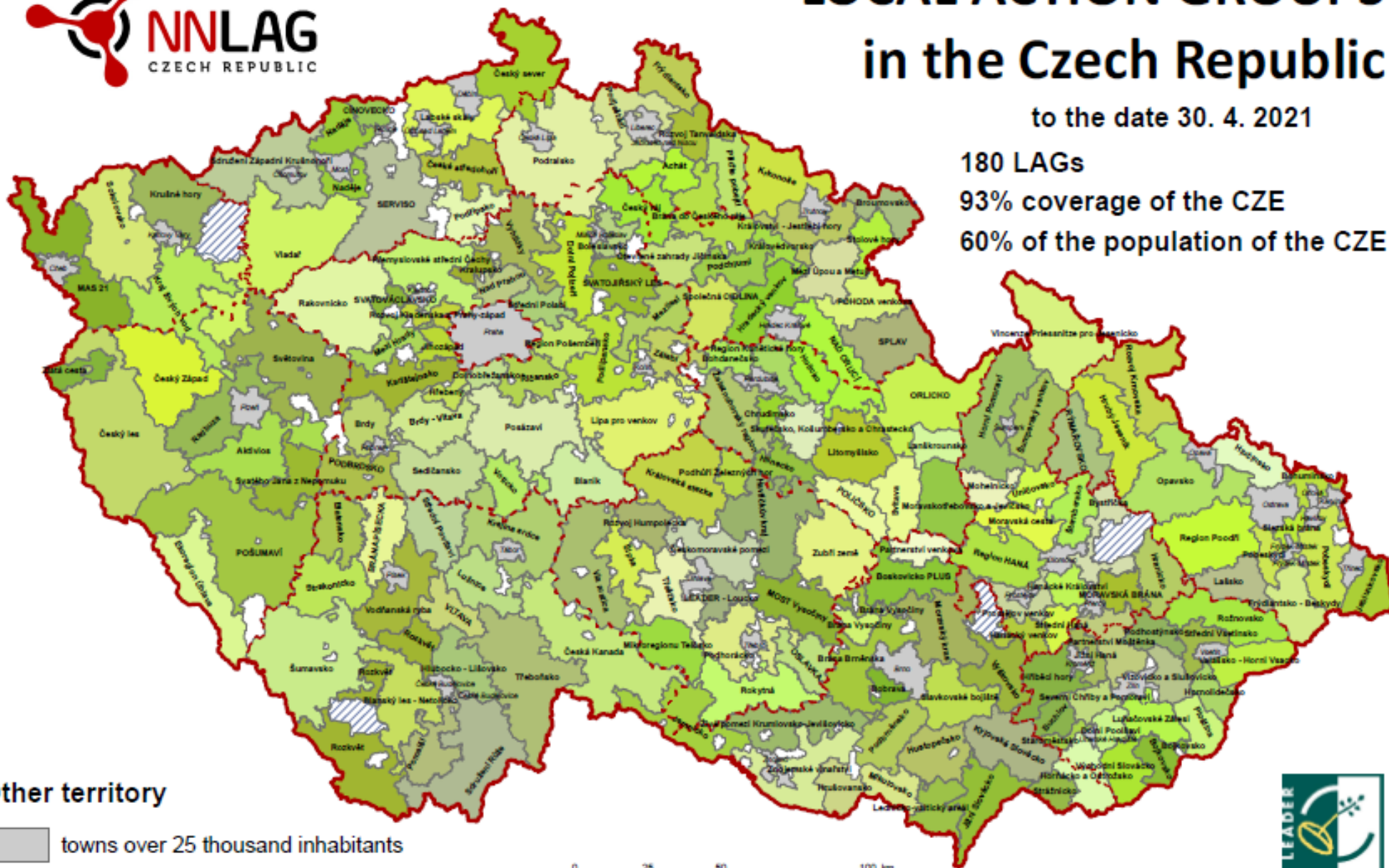
LOCAL ACTION GROUPS in the Czech Republic

to the date 30. 4. 2021



180 LAGs

93% coverage of the CZE

60% of the population of the CZE



Other territory

-  towns over 25 thousand inhabitants
-  military areas



ARCHITECTURE

- territorial approaches
 - CLLD – community-led local development (LEADER) = 180 LAGs
 - ITI – integrated territorial investments = 13 metropolitan areas
 - RAP – regional action plan = 13 regions
- coordination: Ministry of Regional Development (MMR)
- National Standing Conference
 - CLLD Chamber
 - CLLD Platform

LAGs in CZECH REPUBLIC

- min. 10 000, max. 100 000 inhabitants
- cities above 25 000 excluded
- min. 21 members (for LAGs smaller than 50 000 inhabitants)
- 1 member / 2 000 inhabitants (for bigger LAGs)

DESIGNING THE RULES FOR LAGs

- informal discussion between MA and LAG Network
- draft prepared by MA
- comments by LAG Network – LEADER Workgroup
- meeting between MA and LAG Network – LEADER Workgroup
- proof-reading of final document
- **publishing final document**
- feedback from practise – individual LAGs, beneficiaries, other institutions
- **reviewing of final document**

MULTIFUNDED CLLD

	2014-2020			2021-2027		
	OP	MA / PA	mio EUR	OP	MA / PA	mio EUR
EAFRD	RDP (PRV)	Ministry of Agriculture (MZe) / State agricultural intervention fund (SZIF)	154	SP CAP (SP SZP)	Ministry of Agriculture (MZe) / State agricultural intervention fund (SZIF)	201
ERDF	IROP	Ministry of Regional Development (MMR) / Centre for Regional Development (CRR)	304	IROP	Ministry of Regional Development (MMR) / Centre for Regional Development (CRR)	347
	OP ENV (OPŽP)	Ministry of Environment (MŽP) / Nature Conservation Agency (AOPK)	18	OP ENV (OPŽP)	Ministry of Environment (MŽP) / State Environmental Fund (SFŽP)	16
	-	-	-	OP TAC (OP TAK)	Ministry of Industry and Trade (MPO) / Business and Innovation Agency (API)	41
ESF	OP EMPL (OPZ)	Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs (MPSV)	62	OP EMPL (OPZ+)	Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs (MPSV)	69
		TOTAL	538		TOTAL	674
LAG COSTS	IROP	Ministry of Regional Development (MMR) / Centre for Regional Development (CRR)	86	OP TA (OPTP)	Ministry of Regional Development (MMR)	102

PROCESS OF LAG SELECTION FOR 2021-27

1. LAG standards

- check by Ministry of Regional Development (MMR)
- 5/2020-5/2021 - all 180 LAGs checked

2. CLLD Strategy – Conceptual Part

- approval by Ministry of Regional Development (MMR)
- 5/2021-11/2021 – all 180 CLLD Strategies approved
- 11/2021 – transfer to new monitoring system

3. CLLD Strategy – Action Plans

- approval by individual Mas
- 6/2022 – 1. modification for OP EMPLOYMENT+ (ESF) – 145+ CLLD APs being evaluated
- 10/2022 – 2. modification for IROP (ERDF)
- 11-12/2022 – modifications for OP ENV, OP TAC (ERDF) foreseen
- 2023 – modification for SP CAP (EAFRD) foreseen

WHY ARE WE SUCCESSFULL?

good base + strong power + working partnership = good results

- active LAGs
good base
- one functional, well organised and respected LAG network
strong power
- cooperative people on MAs and PA and other institutions
working partnership
- mutual understanding, no big failures
good results

THANK YOU



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