









Dear LIVINGAGRO friends, hereby the project partners are pleased to share with you the eleventh edition of the project e-newsletter (August 2022 edition).

<u>"LIVINGAGRO – Cross Border Living laboratories for Agroforestry"</u> project is funded under the <u>ENI CBC Med Programme 2014 – 2020</u>, first call for standard projects, with a total budget of 3,3 Million Euros and a 2,9 Million EUcontribution.

The project involves 6 organizations from 4 different countries (Italy, Greece, Lebanon and Jordan) and aims to share innovations related to agroforestry with stakeholders working with olives and grazed woodlands in Mediterranean countries, in order to help them increase profitability, sustainability, and biodiversity in the face of limited resources and environmental constraints. The addressed issues are tackled using an *open innovation* approach, with two Living Laboratories enabling interactions among innovators and stakeholders. After conducting surveys and discussions to learn about stakeholders' needs, the LIVINGAGRO team is presenting technological developments, practical research results, and other types of innovation to stakeholders who can benefit from them in both financial and environmental terms.



#### Highlights of this new project e-newsletter edition:

- Two additional episodes of the series "Discovering LIVINGAGRO innovations for the Greek agroforestry sector included in the dedicated Catalogue" with a focus on i) livestock grazing in olive agroforestry systems and ii) Olive tree, wild asparagus and free-range chicken polyculture
- Outcomes of performed field visits and field trials in Jordan and Greece
- Additional capitalization webinar organized linking research and innovation for Mediterranean olive multifunctional systems
- First Lebanese Business to Business (B2B) hybrid brokerage event organized in Beirut on 21<sup>st</sup> of July 2022
- Launch of the project ICT platform at the service of Mediterranean stakeholders of the agroforestry sector looking at innovation

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### LIVINGAGRO project ICT platform for Mediterraenan agroforestry now online !!!

The portal offers stakeholders of the multifunctional olive systems and grazed woodlands sectors many different opportunities of interaction and knowledge transfer in an open

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29 July 2022



# LIVINGAGRO, discovering Greek innovations included in the dedicated Catalogue, Episode 5

In this Episode the innovation concering olive tree, wild asparagus and free-range chicken polyculture is descibed which was experimented also by the project

19 August 2022



# First Lebanese Business to Business brokerage event introduces LIVINGAGRO's innovation proposals for agroforestry systems

The initiative will take place in a hybrid mode on next July 21st and will offer agroforestry stakeholder...

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Is it possible to enhance natural regeneration and establishment of valonia oak using soil covers?

LIVINGAGRO is working on it!

A project field trial was started for this purpose in May 2021 to test the effect of soil covers on soil...

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# LIVINGAGRO, new capitalization webinar highlights the importance of innovation for Mediterranean multifunctional olive systems

The event was organized on June 28th 2022 for presenting LIVINGAGRO innovations and other best practices ...

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#### <u>LIVINVAGRO</u> for <u>Mediterranean</u> <u>agroforestry, new round of innovations</u> <u>presentation!</u>

In this new episode of the series an insight into livestock grazing in olive agroforestry systems ...

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## Upcoming project events which can be followed on the newly established PROJECT ICT PLATFORM:

Second Lebanese B2B event in the first week of October 2022

• First and second Jordan B2B events respectively in the third week of October 2022 and second week of December 2022

• In person dissemination workshops, events and training also made available via the project ICT platform (<u>LINK</u>)





















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