



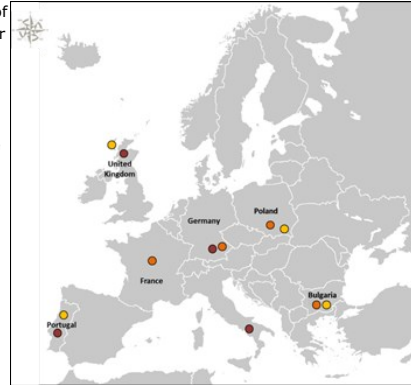
## Prospects for Farmers' Support : Advisory Services in European AKIS (PRO AKIS)

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### Case studies

PRO AKIS carried out **case studies** in selected countries to explore the effectiveness of selected forms of conventional and newly emerging advisory services within the broader context of AKIS in Europe. Findings were presented and discussed at one of the three [synthesis seminars](#) across Europe. The map illustrates the locations of the case study research according to the three topics.



#### Topic 1 The effectiveness of advisory services to respond to demands of diverse types of small-scale farmers

<b>Bulgaria</b>	<a href="#">New small scale farms established by young people</a>
<b>Portugal</b>	<a href="#">New small-scale farmers with small fruit production</a>
<b>Poland</b>	<a href="#">Small farms with agri-touristic activities in the Carpathian Mountains</a>
<b>UK</b>	<a href="#">Crofting in Western Scotland</a>
	<a href="#">Synthesis report Topic 1</a>

#### Topic 2 The capability of extension and advisory services to bridge research and knowledge needs of farmers

<b>Bulgaria</b>	<a href="#">Demonstration/Experimental Centers for knowledge transfer</a>
<b>Germany</b>	<a href="#">Experimental Stations in Bavaria</a>
<b>France</b>	<a href="#">ICT tools</a>
<b>Poland</b>	<a href="#">Demonstration farms</a>
	<a href="#">Synthesis report Topic 2</a>

#### Topic 3 How to design, implement and maintain (rural) innovation networks that enhance farmers ability to innovate in cooperation with other rural actors

<b>Germany</b>	<a href="#">Selected project from the INKA BB network</a>
<b>Italy</b>	<a href="#">Anti-Mafia Innovation network: beyond social farming</a>
<b>Portugal</b>	<a href="#">Berry networks</a>
<b>UK</b>	<a href="#">Monitor farms in Scotland</a>
	<a href="#">Synthesis report Topic 3</a>