# NETHERLANDS

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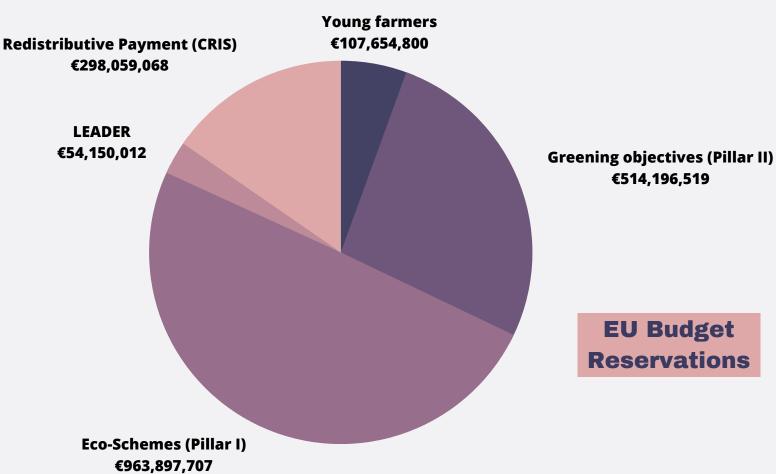
# **Key Highlights**



Beyond its agricultural production, the Netherlands is a renowned agrifood exporter.

- Exported over €100 billion of agrifood products annually
- Host of the world's largest flower show

	EU Budget (€)	National Budget (€)	Total (€)
Direct payments	2,977,971,465	n/a	2,977,971,465
Sectoral support	1,350,860	1,350,860	2,701,720
Rural development	1,082,970,984	414,381,162	1,497,352,146
Total	4,062,293,309	415,732,022	4,478,025,331



## **Economics & Payments**



#### Striving for a more sustainable distribution of funds

- Higher support per hectare for the first 40 hectares to help small entities
- Special focus on the fruit and vegetables sector
- More sustainable plans including €17.5 million available every year for weather insurance and covering 96% of farms with GAECs

## **Greening**



- Objective to increase organic farming to 109,300 ha
- €760 million to implement agricultural practices protectin soil, reducing the use of nutrients, pesticides and plant non-productive crops on 1.5 million ha.

#### **Social Dimension**



- Supporting around 3,000 young farmers
- Provide support for improved welfare covering 3% of livestock

### **Innovation**

Farmers receive voucher for a fixed amount (€1,750) for training

