

# The scheme of authorisations for vine plantings



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- The **new system of vine authorisations**:
  - Aims to support increase in competitiveness, while preventing excessively quick increase in vine plantings
  - Will run from 2016 until 2030, be more open and less restrictive than the planting rights regime
  - Instead of "*prohibition of vine plantings*", 1% increase of new plantings/year, with a possibility for MS where justified to establish lower limits at national or PDO (e.g. *Porto, Champagne*) level.
  - Authorisations with no cost to producers, and non-transferable
  - Rules on replantings and conversion of planting rights into authorisations
- Wine will remain only EU-sector with a quota system after 2017

## Implementation by MS

- Main steps for granting an authorisation
- Percentage and allocation method 2016
- Eligibility criteria
- Priority criteria
- Area limitations

## Implementation by MS

### Main steps for granting an autorisation:

- By 1 March: MS make public the percentage of area available, allocation method, eligibility and priority criteria, area restrictions, ...
- By 1 May: submission of applications
- By 1 August: granting the autorisation
- (By 1 November: notif. to the Commission of granted areas).

### Replantings:

- Applications at any time during the same wine year of grubbing up
- Granting by MS automatically within 3 months
- Possibility of area restrictions (PDO/PGI).

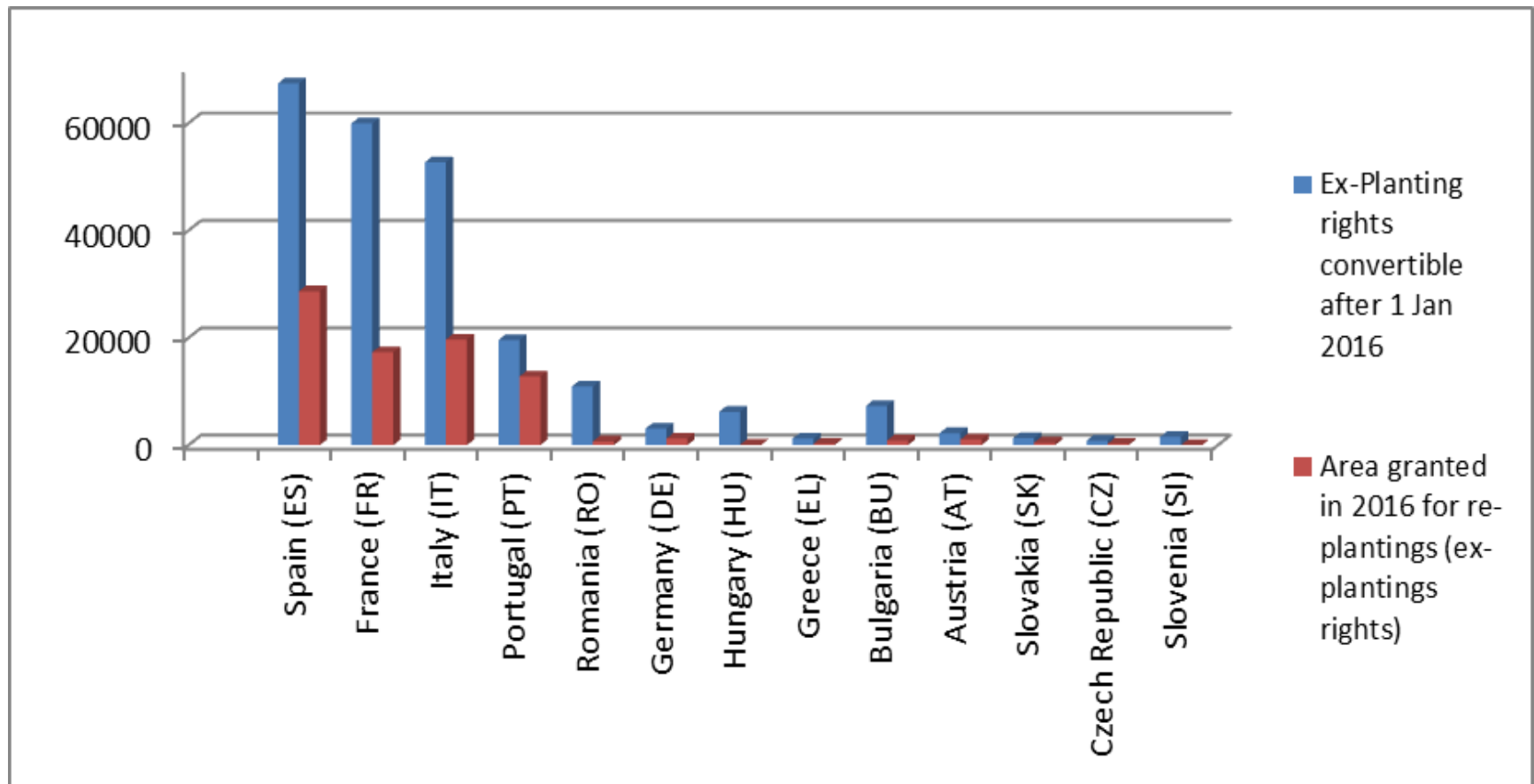
## Areas granted for new plantings in 2016

(ha)

| Member States applying the new authorisation scheme | Vineyard areas in 2014/15 (31 July 2015) (ha) | % decided at national level in 2016 (max. 1%) | Area available in 2016 for new plantings | Area requested in 2016 for new plantings | Area granted in 2016 for new plantings | Area refused by applicants in 2016 for new plantings | requests in % of availability | granted areas in % of requests |
|---|---|---|--|--|--|--|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Spain (ES)  | 958.696                                       | 0,44%   | 4.173,00                                 | 13.481,38                                | 4.173,00                               | 24,16  | 323%                          | 31%                            |
| France (FR)   | 805.780                                       | 1%  | 8.057,80                                 | 7.635,72                                 | 3.538,16                               | 2,54   | 95%                           | 46%                            |
| Italy (IT)  | 637.634                                       | 1%  | 6.376,34                                 | 67.180,43                                | 6.376,34                               | 163,91   | 1054%                         | 9%                             |
| Portugal (PT)                                       | 201.405                                       | 1%  | 2.014,05                                 | 2.648,81                                 | 1.657,49                               | 0,00   | 132%                          | 63%                            |
| Romania (RO)  | 182.375                                       | 1%  | 1.823,75                                 | 29,03                                    | 29,03                                  | 0,00   | 2%                            | 100%                           |
| Germany (DE)  | 102.858                                       | 0,3%  | 308,57                                   | 738,93                                   | 308,50                                 | 45,50  | 239%                          | 42%                            |
| Hungary (HU)  | 64.800  | 1%  | 648,00                                   | 109,12                                   | 109,12                                 | 0,00   | 17%                           | 100%                           |
| Greece (EL)   | 64.013  | 1%  | 640,13                                   | 1.828,75                                 | 636,32                                 | 0,00   | 286%                          | 35%                            |
| Bulgaria (BU)                                       | 59.988  | 1%  | 599,88                                   | 4,25                                     | 4,25                                   | 0,00   | 1%                            | 100%                           |
| Austria (AT)  | 47.255  | 1%  | 472,55                                   | 94,89                                    | 94,89                                  | 0,00   | 20%                           | 100%                           |
| Slovakia (SK)                                       | 18.437  | 1%  | 184,37                                   | 346,12                                   | 19,08                                  | 0,00   | 188%                          | 6%                             |
| Czech Republic (CZ)*                                | 17.673  | 1%  | 176,73                                   | 178,00                                   | 178,00                                 | 0,00   | 101%                          | 100%                           |
| Slovenia (SI)                                       | 15.669  | 1%  | 156,69                                   | 36,23                                    | 33,90                                  | 0,00   | 23%                           | 94%                            |
| <b>EU-13 Total</b>                                  | <b>3.176.583</b>                              |   | <b>25.631,86</b>                         | <b>94.311,66</b>                         | <b>17.158,08</b>                       | <b>236,11</b>  | <b>368%</b>                   | <b>18%</b>                     |

Source: MS notification on 1 November 2016 of areas granted for new plantings.

## Ex-Planting Rights converted in 2016



## Member States notification of areas available for new plantings

| Member States applying the new authorisation scheme | Vineyard areas in 2015/16 (31 July 2016) (ha) | % decided at national level in 2017 (max. 1%) | Area available in 2017 for new plantings | Area refused by applicants in 2016 for new plantings | Total Area for new plantings 2017 | change in new plantings 2017-2016 | Total Area for new plantings 2016 |
|---|---|---|--|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>Spain (ES)**</b>                                 | 959.535                                       | 0,52%   | 4.989,00                                 | 0,00   | 4.989,00                          | 20%                               | 4.173,00                          |
| <b>France (FR)</b>                                  | 793.900                                       | 1%  | 7.939,00                                 | 0,00   | 7.939,00                          | -1%                               | 8.057,80                          |
| <b>Italy (IT)</b>                                   | 645.800                                       | 1%  | 6.458,00                                 | 164,00   | 6.622,00                          | 4%                                | 6.376,34                          |
| <b>Portugal (PT)</b>                                | 193.222                                       | 1%  | 1.932,00                                 | 0,00   | 1.932,00                          | -4%                               | 2.014,05                          |
| <b>Romania (RO)</b>                                 | 182.362                                       | 1%  | 1.823,62                                 | 0,00   | 1.823,62                          | 0%                                | 1.823,75                          |
| <b>Germany (DE)</b>                                 | 102.752                                       | 0,3%  | 308,26                                   | 0,00   | 308,26                            | 0%                                | 308,57                            |
| <b>Hungary (HU)</b>                                 | 64.247  | 1%  | 642,00                                   | 0,00   | 642,00                            | -1%                               | 648,00                            |
| <b>Greece (EL)</b>                                  | 62.773  | 1%  | 627,73                                   | 0,00   | 627,73                            | -2%                               | 640,13                            |
| <b>Bulgaria (BU)</b>                                | 60.418  | 1%  | 604,18                                   | 0,00   | 604,18                            | 1%                                | 599,88                            |
| <b>Austria (AT)</b>                                 | 47.583  | 1%  | 475,83                                   | 0,00   | 475,83                            | 1%                                | 472,55                            |
| <b>Slovakia (SK)</b>                                | 17.364  | 1%  | 173,64                                   | 0,00   | 173,64                            | -6%                               | 184,37                            |
| <b>Czech Republic (CZ)*</b>                         | 17.673  | 1%  | 176,73                                   | 0,00   | 176,73                            | 0%                                | 176,73                            |
| <b>Slovenia (SI)</b>                                | 15.604  | 1%  | 156,04                                   | 0,00   | 156,04                            | 0%                                | 156,69                            |
| <b>EU-13 Total</b>                                  | <b>3.163.233</b>                              |   | <b>26.306</b>                            | <b>164,00</b>  | <b>26.470,03</b>                  | <b>3,3%</b>                       | <b>25.632</b>                     |

\* No 2017 data available

\*\* 2016: 0,44%

## New plantings in 2017: eligibility criteria

| Member States applying the new authorisation scheme | Total Area for new plantings 2017 (ha) | area of applicant (1) | number of regions where area criterion applies | skills of applicant (2) | number of regions where skills criterion applies | reputation of PDO (3) | number of regions where PDO reputation criterion applies | reputation of PGI (4) | number of regions where PGI reputation criterion applies | paragraph 2 criterion (5) | number of regions where paragraph 2 criterion applies |
|---|--|-----------------------|--|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|--|-----------------------|--|---------------------------|---|
| Spain (ES)  | 4.989,00                               | YES                   | national                                       | NO                      |  | NO                    |  | NO                    |  | NO                        |   |
| France (FR)   | 7.939,00                               | NO                    |  | NO                      |  | YES                   | 311  | YES                   | 74   | NO                        |   |
| Italy (IT)  | 6.622,00                               | YES                   | national                                       | NO                      |  | NO                    |  | NO                    |  | NO                        |   |
| Portugal (PT)                                       | 1.932,00                               | YES                   | national                                       | NO                      |  | YES                   | 4  | YES                   | 3  | YES                       | 2   |
| Romania (RO)  | 1.823,62                               | YES                   | 8  | YES                     | 8  | NO                    |  | NO                    |  | NO                        |   |
| Germany (DE)  | 308,26                                 | YES                   | national                                       | NO                      |  | NO                    |  | NO                    |  | NO                        |   |
| Hungary (HU)  | 642,00                                 | YES                   | national                                       | NO                      |  | NO                    |  | NO                    |  | YES                       | national  |
| Greece (EL)   | 627,73                                 | YES                   | national                                       | NO                      |  | NO                    |  | NO                    |  | NO                        |   |
| Bulgaria (BU)                                       | 604,18                                 | NO                    |  | NO                      |  | NO                    |  | NO                    |  | NO                        |   |
| Austria (AT)  | 475,83                                 | NO                    |  | NO                      |  | NO                    |  | NO                    |  | NO                        |   |
| Slovakia (SK)                                       | 173,64                                 | NO                    |  | NO                      |  | NO                    |  | NO                    |  | NO                        |   |
| Czech Republic (CZ)                                 | 176,73                                 |                       |  |                         |  |                       |  |                       |  |                           |   |
| Slovenia (SI)                                       | 156,04                                 | NO                    |  | NO                      |  | NO                    |  | NO                    |  | NO                        |   |
| <b>EU-13 Total</b>                                  | <b>26.470,03</b>                       |                       |  |                         |  |                       |  |                       |  |                           |   |

- (1) The applicant shall have an area which is not smaller than the area for which he requests the authorisation"; Art 64(1)(a) of Regulation (EU) No 1308/2013
- (2) The applicant shall possess adequate occupational skills and competence"; Art 64(1)(b) of Regulation (EU) No 1308/2013
- (3) The application shall not pose a significant risk of misappropriation of the reputation of specific protected designation of origin;
- (4) The application shall not pose a significant risk of misappropriation of the reputation of specific protected geographical indication;
- (5) Where duly justified, one or more of the criteria referred to in paragraph 2, provided that they are applied in an objective and non-discriminatory manner; Art 64(1)(d) of Regulation (EU) No 1308/2013



## New plantings in 2017: priority criteria

| Member States applying the new authorisation scheme | Total Area for new plantings 2017 (ha) | Percentage of area to be granted according to pro-rata at national level | ha           | Percentage of area to be granted according to priority criteria at national level | ha            | Number of priority criteria selected | application of priority criteria |
|---|--|--|--------------|---|---------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Spain (ES)  | 4.989,00                               |  |              | 100%  | 4.989,00      | 2                                    | national                         |
| France (FR)   | 7.939,00                               |  |              | 100%  | 7.939,00      | 2                                    | national                         |
| Italy (IT)  | 6.622,00                               | 50%  | 3.311,00     | 50%   | 3.311,00      | 3                                    | regional                         |
| Portugal (PT)                                       | 1.932,00                               |  |              | 100%  | 1.932,00      | 4                                    | regional                         |
| Romania (RO)  | 1.823,62                               | 100%   | 1.823,62     |   |               |                                      |                                  |
| Germany (DE)  | 308,26                                 | 21,09%   | 65,01        | 78,91%  | 243,25        | 1                                    | national                         |
| Hungary (HU)  | 642,00                                 |  |              | 100%  | 642,00        | 2                                    | national                         |
| Greece (EL)   | 627,73                                 |  |              | 100%  | 627,73        | 5                                    | national                         |
| Bulgaria (BU)                                       | 604,18                                 | 100%   | 604,18       |   |               |                                      |                                  |
| Austria (AT)  | 475,83                                 |  |              | 100%  | 475,83        | 2                                    | regional                         |
| Slovakia (SK)                                       | 173,64                                 | 100%   | 173,64       |   |               |                                      |                                  |
| Czech Republic (CZ)                                 | 176,73                                 | 100%   | 176,73       |   |               |                                      |                                  |
| Slovenia (SI)                                       | 156,04                                 |  |              | 100%  | 156,04        | 3                                    | regional                         |
| <b>EU-13 Total</b>                                  | <b>26.470,03</b>                       | <b>23%</b>   | <b>6.154</b> | <b>77%</b>  | <b>20.316</b> |                                      |                                  |

## New plantings in 2017: regional limits

| Member States applying the new authorisation scheme | Total Area for new plantings 2017 (ha) | regional limits | limits in PDO areas | limits in PGI areas | limits in other areas |
|---|--|-----------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Spain (ES)  | 4.989,00                               | YES             | 5                   |                     |                       |
| France (FR)   | 7.939,00                               | YES             | 77                  | 7                   | 13                    |
| Italy (IT)  | 6.622,00                               | NO              |                     |                     |                       |
| Portugal (PT)                                       | 1.932,00                               | YES             | 1                   |                     | 4                     |
| Romania (RO)  | 1.823,62                               | NO              |                     |                     |                       |
| Germany (DE)  | 308,26                                 | YES             | 8                   |                     | 3                     |
| Hungary (HU)  | 642,00                                 | NO              |                     |                     |                       |
| Greece (EL)   | 627,73                                 | NO              |                     |                     |                       |
| Bulgaria (BU)                                       | 604,18                                 | NO              |                     |                     |                       |
| Austria (AT)  | 475,83                                 | YES             | 6                   | 1                   |                       |
| Slovakia (SK)                                       | 173,64                                 | NO              |                     |                     |                       |
| Czech Republic (CZ)                                 | 176,73                                 | NO              |                     |                     |                       |
| Slovenia (SI)                                       | 156,04                                 | NO              |                     |                     |                       |
| <b>EU-13 Total</b>                                  | <b>26.470,03</b>                       |                 | <b>97</b>           | <b>8</b>            | <b>20</b>             |

## The EU system of vine authorisations

- Council and PE Regulation (EU) 1308/2013
- Commission delegated Regulation (EU) 2015/560
- Commission implementing Regul. (EU) 2015/561
- National/Regional legislation to implement the system of vine authorisations



**Thank you for your attention!**

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