



AgriSkills – Entrepreneurial Skills  
for Digitalization of Rural Agriculture

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## **Digital Agriculture Support: The AgriSkills Training Course is Released**

*Dear AgriSkills Community,*

We are excited to share the latest updates and accomplishments of the AgriSkills project, an initiative that's transforming the landscape of agriculture through digital innovation and entrepreneurial skills development. Launched in 2022 and funded by the European Erasmus+ Program, AgriSkills is on a mission to revolutionize the agriculture sector by fostering awareness and equipping individuals with the necessary skills for digital, smart and precision farming.

Our ongoing efforts are already yielding positive outcomes. The AgriSkills project is making a significant impact by elevating awareness, knowledge, and skills among learners and trainers in the field of digitalization and digital farming. We're proud to contribute to building a community that is well-equipped to navigate the dynamic landscape of modern agriculture.



### **AgriSkills Training Course: A Guided Tour of Digital Opportunities**

One of our key achievements is the development of the AgriSkills Training Course, designed as a "guided tour" through the vast realm of digital opportunities in agriculture. The course introduces essential skills and competences needed for success in digital, smart and precision farming. We're closing a crucial training gap by offering this program, which is available in



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English and the languages of our partnership countries (German, Greek, Slovenian, Macedonian).

## **Training Modules and Insights**

The course consists of five comprehensive modules, tailored to address the needs identified through our initial survey, "Survey Findings: Uncovering Essential Skills for Adopting Digital Technologies in Agriculture." This survey, conducted in five European countries – Germany, North Macedonia, Greece, Slovenia, and Austria – shaped the foundation of our training modules. Check out the insightful analysis of our target groups' needs here:

<https://agriskills40.com/goals-results/need-analysis-survey-findings/>

## **Accessibility and Application**

The AgriSkills Training Course is freely available for use by anyone, and it has been developed under a Creative Commons license. Suitable for self-learning and blended learning, vocational education, and training organizations can integrate it into their educational purposes, ensuring widespread access to valuable knowledge and skills.

Explore the training modules here <https://training.agriskills40.com/modules/> and join us on this exciting journey towards a sustainable and digitally empowered future for agriculture.

## **About AgriSkills**

“AgriSkills – Entrepreneurial Skills for Digitalization of Rural Agriculture” is a European project, funded by Erasmus+ Program. Our objective is to raise awareness about the digital transformation in agriculture and to provide a training program for entrepreneurial skills in digital, precision, and smart farming.

The AgriSkills consortium brings extensive experience in business development, vocational training, digital technologies, innovation management, and regional development.

- INI-Novation GmbH, Germany (coordinator) [www.ini-novation.com](http://www.ini-novation.com)
- MEDF Skopje, North Macedonia [www.mrfp.mk](http://www.mrfp.mk)
- WIN, Austria [www.wissenschaftsinitiative.at/](http://www.wissenschaftsinitiative.at/)
- CONNEXIONS, Greece [www.connexions.gr](http://www.connexions.gr)
- ID20, Slovenia [www.id20.si](http://www.id20.si)

The AgriSkills outcomes stimulate awareness, knowledge, and skills of learners and trainers in the field on the issues of digitalization and digital farming.



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**Initial Survey**, titled “**Survey Findings: Uncovering Essential Skills for Adopting Digital Technologies in Agriculture**” (<https://agriskills40.com/goals-results/need-analysis-survey-findings/>) is a study of the needs for the development of upskilling knowledge and competences useful for the adoption of digital technologies in agricultural production and management. The survey was conducted in five European countries: Germany, North Macedonia, Greece, Slovenia, and Austria.

**AgriSkills Training Course** (<https://training.agriskills40.com/training/>), developed as a 'guided tour' through the entire range of digital opportunities in agriculture, introduces the needed skills and competences implemented into a complete training.

**AgriSkills reference catalogue**, titled “AgriSkills Guidebook on Digitalization in Agriculture” (<https://training.agriskills40.com/catalogue/>), promotes inspiring initiatives, good practices, and use cases with a special focus on fostering business development, thus making innovation happen in agriculture, especially in rural areas.

**AgriSkills 4.0 e-Learning Platform** (<https://training.agriskills40.com>) serves as a virtual environment for interactive online courses, representing a completely new approach to understanding digital agriculture.

AgriSkills 4.0 App



AgriSkills Website



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