

ABSTRACTS

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FINANCIAL AGRICULTURE INVESTMENTS IN POLAND WITH EU FUNDS AS AN EXAMPLE OF LODZ PROVINCE

The article is dedicated analysts of the financial subsidies to agriculture in Poland from EU funds as an example of Lodz province.

Presented meaningful description of two EU programs aimed at the development of rural areas – «Facilitating the start to young farmers» and «modernization of agriculture». The «Facilitating the start to young farmers» provides financial support to young farmers and villagers in the establishment or acquisition of farms and agricultural infrastructure. The program «Modernization of agriculture» aims to improve the efficiency of farms by introducing new technologies and diversifying agricultural production.

The results of a survey conducted among farmers Lodz province, on the effectiveness of financial subsidies to the European Union. The study was conducted between April and May 2014, which was attended by 20 farmers who receive funding from EU programs. Survey results indicate the effectiveness of existing programs. The biggest benefit from participation in the procedure is to facilitate establishment and modernization of the economy, increasing production and tailor it to the needs of the market. Disadvantages of programs recognized lack of subsidies, malfunctioning of information systems on existing EU programs and increasing demands in the training of the necessary documentation for the competition for funding.