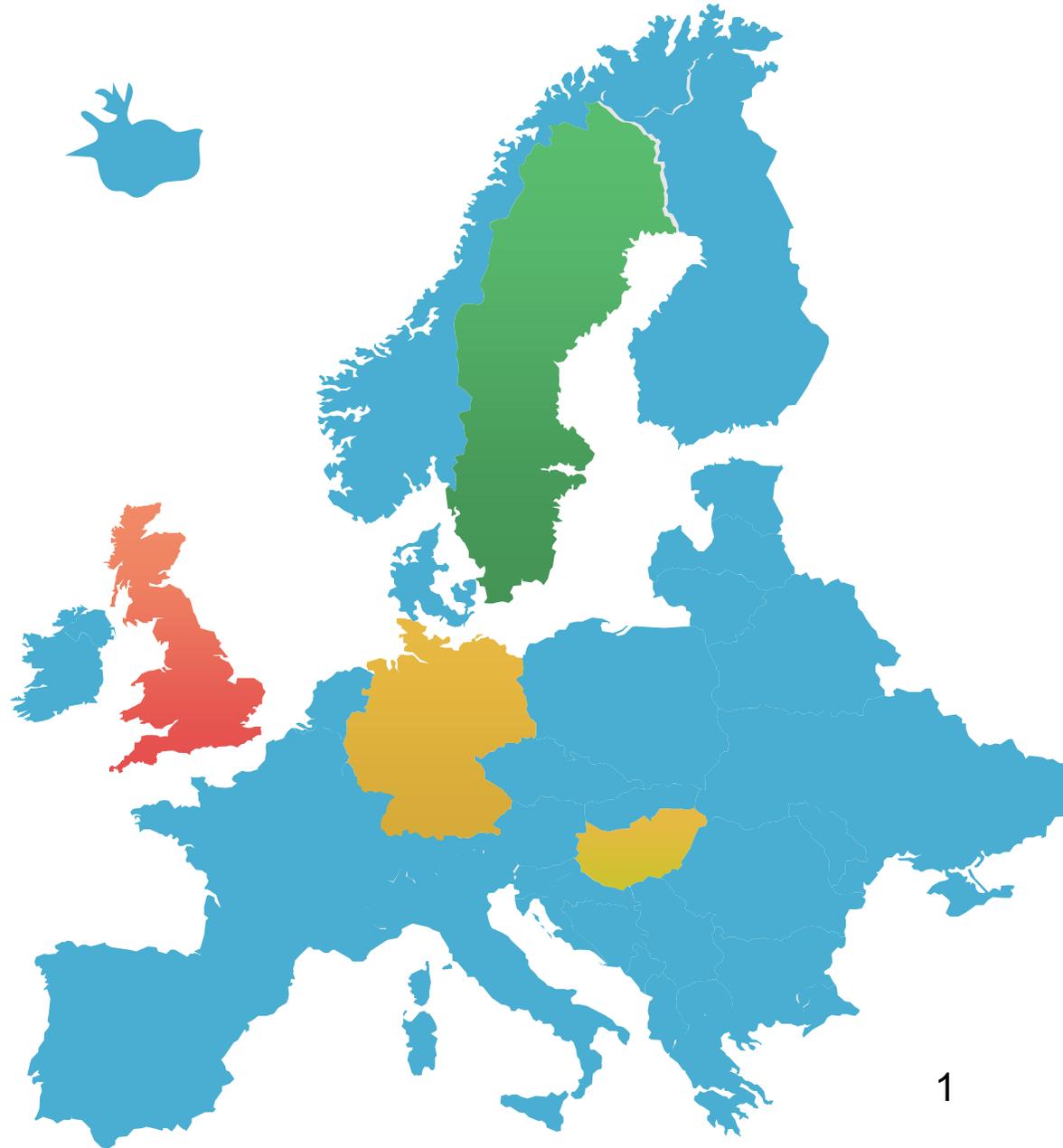


Preliminary results- Carbon Farming questionnaire

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Sample: 48 Farmers in 3 EU countries

Sampling: Winter 2025, online questionnaire

Italy

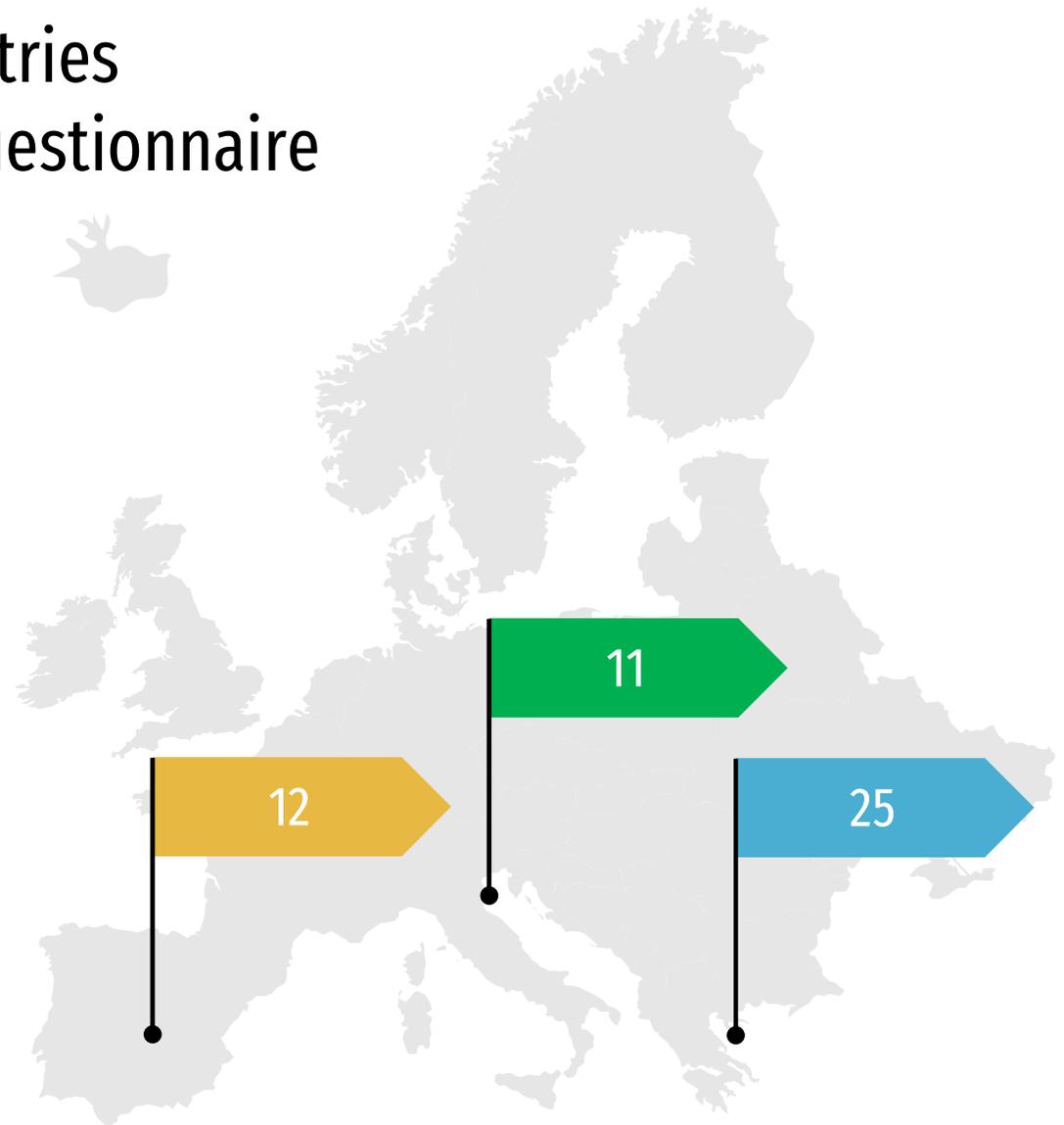
Of which **27% organic farmers**

Spain

Of which **67% organic farmers**

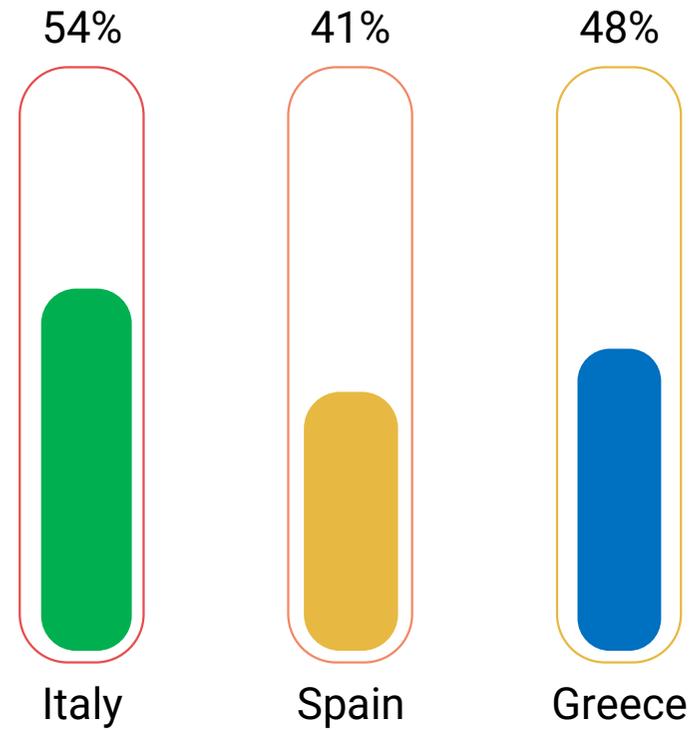
Greece

Of which **32% organic farmers**



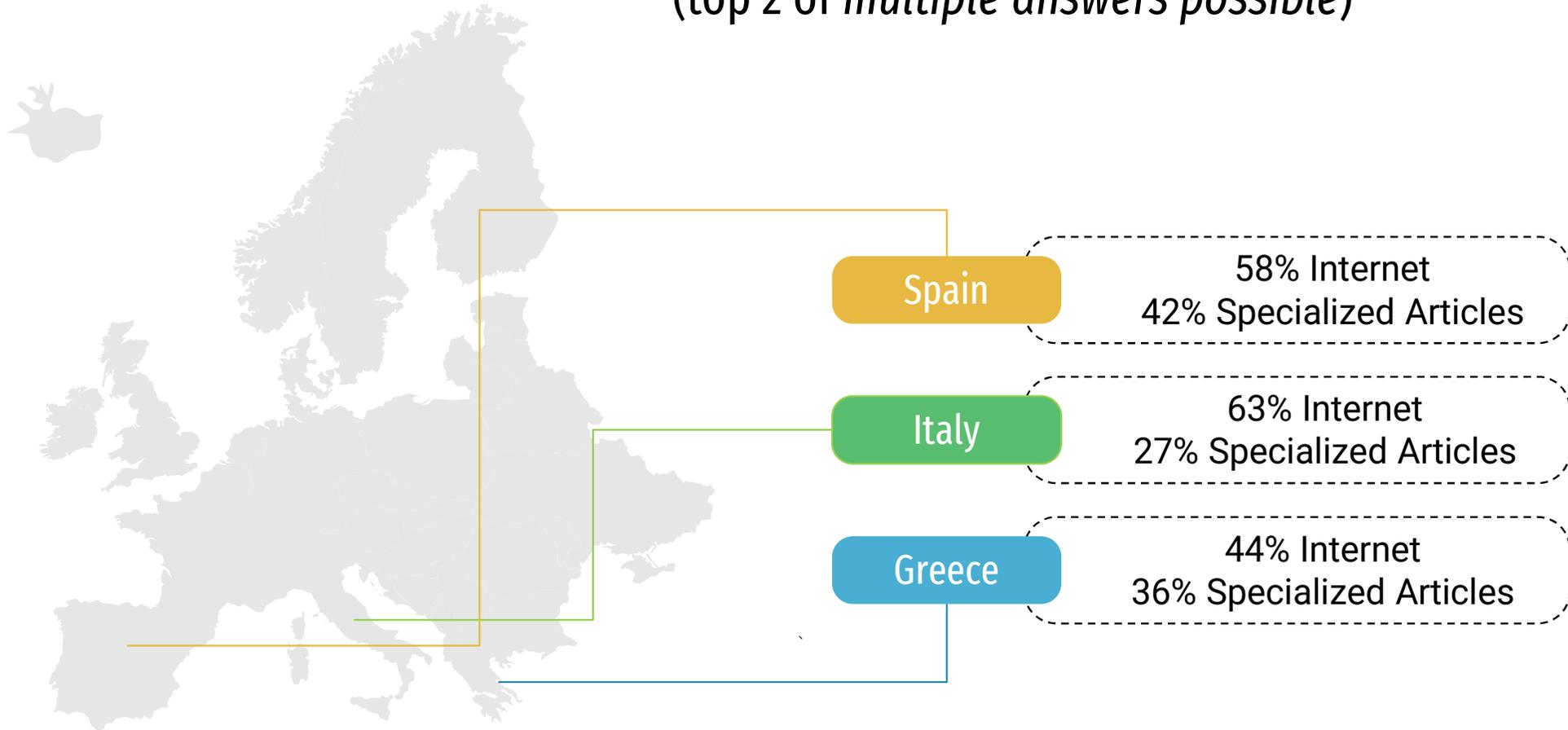
How much do you know about Carbon Farming (All farmers' answers)?

'Never heard of' & 'Very little'



If you heard of Carbon Farming, please specify through which channels ?

(top 2 of *multiple answers possible*)

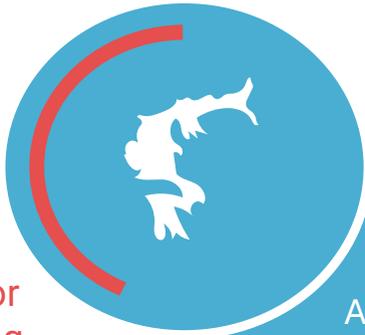


In case you have heard of it, what does Carbon Farming mean to you? (top 2 of multiple answers possible)



18%
New techniques for sustainable farming

54%
Actions limiting the carbon emissions



40%
New techniques for sustainable farming

68%
Actions limiting the carbon emissions



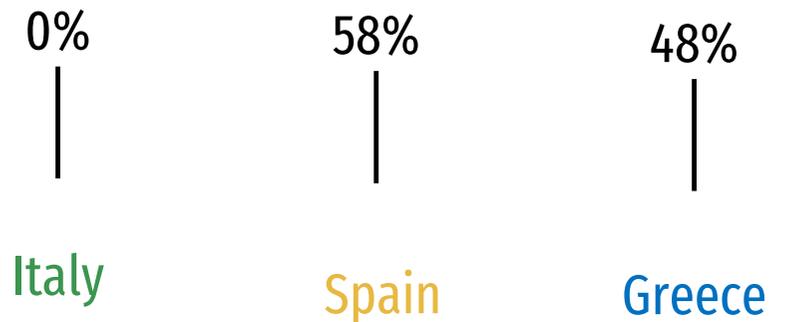
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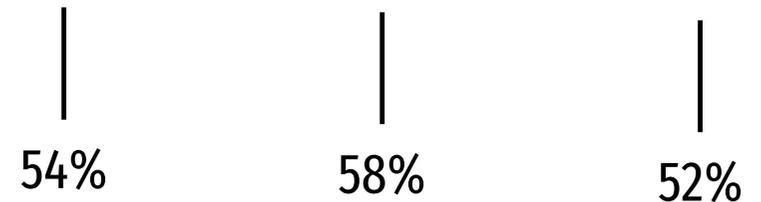


Would you say Carbon Farming represents an advantage for..... (YES answers)

The farmers themselves

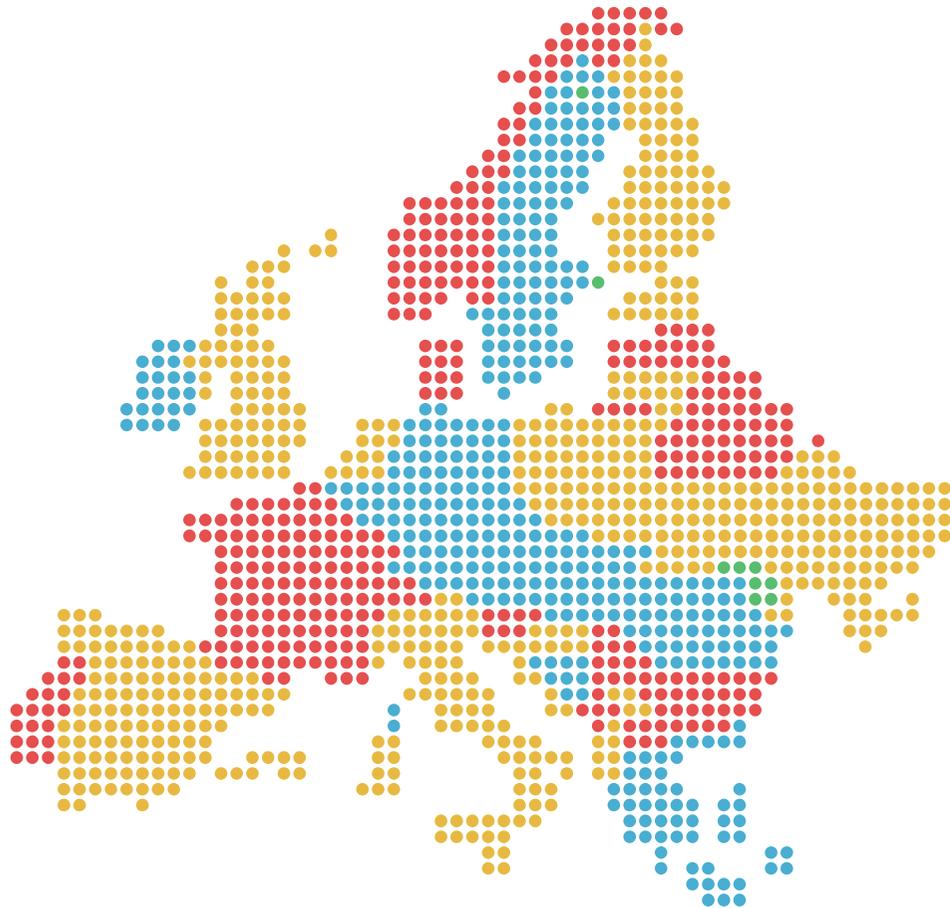


Are you currently an ECOScheme beneficiary? (YES answers)



The community

In general, how much are you willing to introduce new/different practices in your farm? ('A lot' and 'Very much')

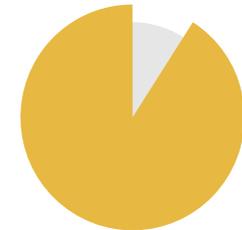


Italy



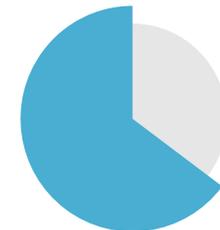
64%

Spain



92%

Greece



68%

In deciding to introduce new/different practices in your farm, would you say that the following considerations would play a **(Rather) Positive role in your final decision? *(multiple answers possible)***

	Greece	Spain	Italy
The new/different practices being more time consuming than they ones I currently use	12%	41% (!?)	54%(!?)
Needing new equipment for engaging in new/different practices	4%	58% (!?)	54%(!?)
Having specialist/technical assistance on how to engage with the new/different practices	64%	92%	91%
Having personal knowledge on how to engage in new/different practices	80%	92%	100%
Seeing a demonstration of these new/different practices on a farm like yours before deciding on whether to engage or not	84%	92%	100%
These new/different practices being beneficial to your farm	76%	83%	82%
Other farmers in your area engaging in these new/different practices	56%	42%	36%
Someone whose opinion you trust on agricultural matters (e.g. an agronomist) recommending you to engage in these new/different practices	64%	50%	64%
These new/different practices improving the profitability of your farm	84%	58%	64%
Introducing the new/different practices being subsidized by the state	92%	42%	82%
Believing that you have the necessary skills to successfully carry out the these new/different practices	76%	88%	54%