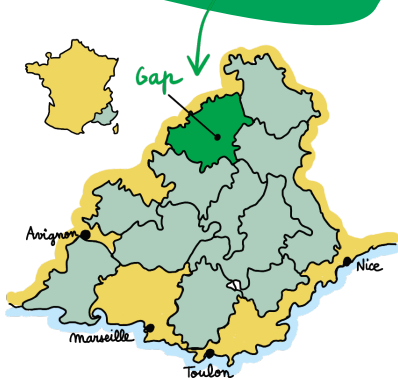


Pays Gapençais LAG



78
municipalities

2.079
km²

78.796
inhabitants

Member State **France**

French region

Région Sud

Legal structure

**Communauté
d'Agglomération
Gap-Tallard-Durance**

Number of EPCI* covered **4**



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A territory to share, a common future

Pays Gapençais is an alpine territory shaped by reliefs and major communication routes around four main living areas : Gap, Veynes, St Bonnet en Champsaur and La Bâtie Neuve.

The Pays Gapençais is polarized around the city of Gap whose influence is significant. Indeed, as home to 40 000 inhabitants, the Hautes-Alpes prefecture accounts for more than half of the LAG population.

Traditionally based on agriculture, the territory is faced with a key challenge : driving a balanced development between urban, rural and mountainous areas and thus limiting the tempting territorial competition. Meanwhile, it also has to deal with future climate change impacts.



Local Development Strategy

1. Preserve and enhance resources to favour its development and autonomy
2. Adopt a transition approach towards a more sustainable and sober society
3. Favour intergenerational welcoming and cohesion
4. Combine multiple identities and encourage confluence, exchange and openness to the outside.

Cooperation projects are expected to achieve all these.



LAG board

20 full members and as many alternate members

Public partnership **9** full members

Private partnership **11** full members

EAFRD budget

1.496.000 €



*Inter-municipal areas
for cooperation



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Supporting an economy based on local resources

Favouring local and sustainable economy, promoting a shared economy which favours cooperation, facilitating the shift towards a more sustainable economy

Supporting the emergence and consolidation of businesses and services, Experimenting solutions related to re-use, Developing privileged places for exchange and share, Promoting new jobs and professions dealing with ecological transition

Preserving the farming and feeding role of the territory

Supporting solidarity actions (aimed at inhabitants, farmers), Promoting a quality locally adapted agriculture, Encouraging sustainable farming and food systems

Structuring food solidarity networks, Counteracting farmers' isolation, Agritourism, Improving water management in agricultural areas, Initiatives in favour of food behaviour change, actions listed in Territorial Food Plans

Living in a supportive and accessible region

Favouring social diversity and citizenship, Adapting the supply of services, cultural and leisure activities, keys to better living all year long, Developing a more sustainable mobility

Intergenerational initiatives, Favouring active citizen participation, Contributing to a better access to services (mobile services, reverse mobility, digital tools...), Experimenting new forms of transportation, Creating key places dedicated to soft mobility

Sharing and preserving an outstanding land

Marketing a sustainable touristic offer all year long, Positioning the LAG as a welcoming living territory all year long, Taking action on reception conditions and existing infrastructures

Innovative concept of local heritage enhancement, Touristic flows optimisation, Environmental education, Collaboration between territories to tackle common issues (valley, resort). Adaptation of tourist accommodation (seasonal workers, unoccupied dwellings)

Project promoter's path

1

Project form submission

2

Pitching the project for opportunity assessment

3

Grant application submission and review

4

Voting match-funding opportunities and programming the grant file

5

Carrying out the project

6

Payment request and project completion

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