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Future of Agriculture and Rural Regions from a Perspective of Sustainable Development

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Sustainable agriculture is indisputably one of the main goals of various Governments. However, the balance between green ambitions and production levels is debatable. Agricultural sector assures food security, provides decent jobs in rural regions, maintains biodiversity, assures proper landscape management practices, slower rural-urban migration and etc. Its importance has been reassessed during the disruptions to various food supply chains caused by Covid-19 pandemic. The paradigm of sustainable development, the Green Deal, a strong agri-environmental ambition open up opportunities and challenges for agriculture and rural vitality, resilience and competitiveness of the agricultural sector. The smooth transformation of the sector is difficult to imagine without government intervention. Governments all over the world have implemented various support measures in order to assure sustainable operations of agricultural sectors. This included not only administrative, legal or social but the financial incentives too.

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