

THE TWENTIETH MEETING OF
THE ASEAN SECTORAL WORKING GROUP ON AGRICULTURAL COOPERATIVES (20th ASWGAC)



Agriculture cooperatives development in Thailand



Cooperative Promotion Department : CPD
Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives : MOAC



Policy and regulations on Agriculture Cooperatives

Smart Agricultural Curve

Growth

2016 – 2017 (Cooperative Promotion Department) “Back to member”



- ➔ Smart business / Smart coop / Smart network
- ➔ Promote, regulate, supervise and support the operation cooperatives and farmers groups
- ➔ Strengthen and upgrade cooperatives

Policy

1. Agricultural Learning Center: ALC Zoning by Agi- Map
2. Large Scale Farming
3. Zoning by Agi – Map
4. Safety Farming/Organic Farming

Policy

A4

2017 (Ministry of Agricultural and Cooperative)
The year of enhancing agricultural standard to sustainable agriculture

2016
The year of reducing cost and increasing opportunities for the competition of agricultural products

2018 (Cooperative Promotion Department)

1. Strengthen cooperatives and farmer groups
2. Promote cooperatives and farmer groups to be a part in driving of government policy
3. Enhance product quality and standard/ Create value added of agricultural products
4. Human resource development



2018 (Ministry of Agricultural and Cooperative) (The year of developing human resources and enhancing management capability)

Objective

Emphasize on the management, using innovation and technology

1. The balance of the demand and supply
2. The increase of agricultural product value (Quality, Price and The quantity of agricultural) processed products)

Concept

1. Manage the significant agricultural products comprehensively, using innovational technology knowledge and Philosophy of Sufficiency Economy
2. Develop Smart Production (High quality, Safety and Competitive) to The market
3. Develop Smart Farmer, Smart Officer to be as professional for supporting 4.0 agriculture
4. Create the awareness by emphasizing on Information Operation (IO)
5. Emphasize on integrated operation

A4 Plus Policy

A4 Plus Policy + Agricultural Product Management Complete cycle + Technology/innovation/knowledge

Indicator

1. The number of usable researches, technologies and innovations
2. The balance of the demand and supply of Agricultural Products
3. The income index of farmers

2019 – 2021 (Ministry of Agricultural and Cooperative)

Marching and Accelerating toward Agriculture 4.0

Objective (Do less, much Obtained)

1. Reduce a gap among the agriculture 1.0, agriculture 2.0, agriculture 3.0 and agriculture 4.0
2. Farmers gain the net income of cash further
3. Farmers/Farmer Institutes are strength, independence and stability
4. The balanced and sustainable management on agricultural resources (soil and water) and environment

Concept

1. Extend the result of A4 plus policy + Philosophy of Sufficiency Economy Philosophy of Sufficiency Economy
2. Enhance the demand to be over than supply by widely promoting Thai agricultural products to other countries
3. Have a management in term of agricultural business and, marketing administration and continuous product development or creative economy
4. Build the awareness , emphasizing on Information Operation (IO)

5. Emphasize on integrated operation

Policy

A4 Plus Policy + Agricultural Product Management Complete cycle + Technology/Innovation/Knowledge

Indicator

1. The Index of Agricultural happiness
2. The net cash income of Agriculture
3. GDP of Agriculture sector
4. The number of research, technology and innovation which are usable
5. Agriculture Resource that be organized effectively.

August 2558

October 2559

October 2560

October 2561 – September 2564

Times

The moment of “Smart Agricultural Curve”
Of Cooperative Promotion Department in 2018”

2018

“The year of developing and human resource and enhancing management capabilities”

1. Strengthen cooperatives and farmer groups

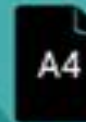
- Strengthen cooperatives and farmer groups with 5 standards, referring to the strengthen cooperative development plan



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2. Promote cooperatives and farmer groups to be a part in driving of government policy/A4

- Promote cooperatives and farmer groups in driving of government A4 policy 15 significant projects



2

- Promote cooperative members to produce high quality product (GAP/ Safety farming/Organic farming)
- Promote the processing/ marketing /creating value added



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3. Enhance product quality and standard/
Create value added of agricultural products

- Develop Smart Officer
- Develop Smart Farmer, Smart director, and Smart manager



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4. Human resource development





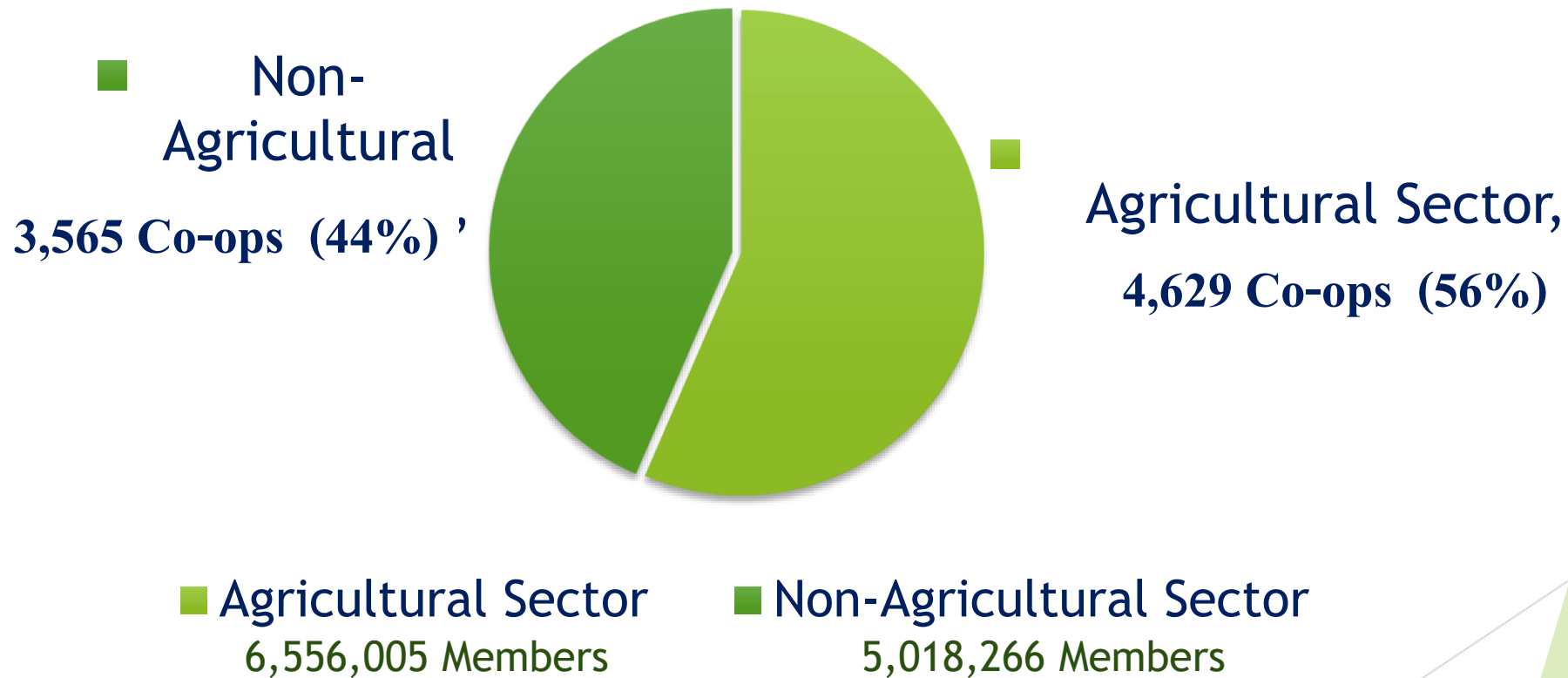
Institution and database of Agriculture Cooperatives in Thailand





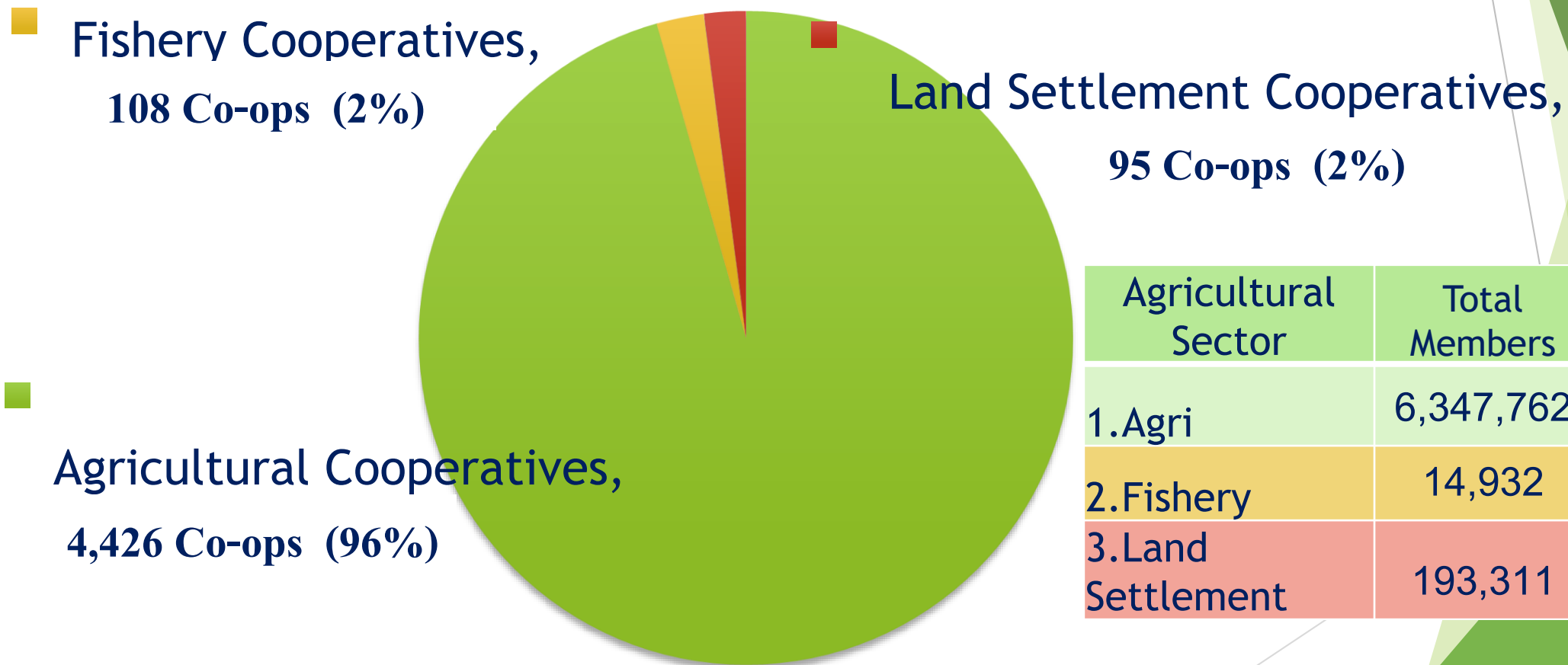
No. of Cooperatives in Thailand

8,194 Co-ops 11,574,271 Members



No. of Cooperatives in Agricultural Sector

4,629 Co-ops 6,556,005 Members



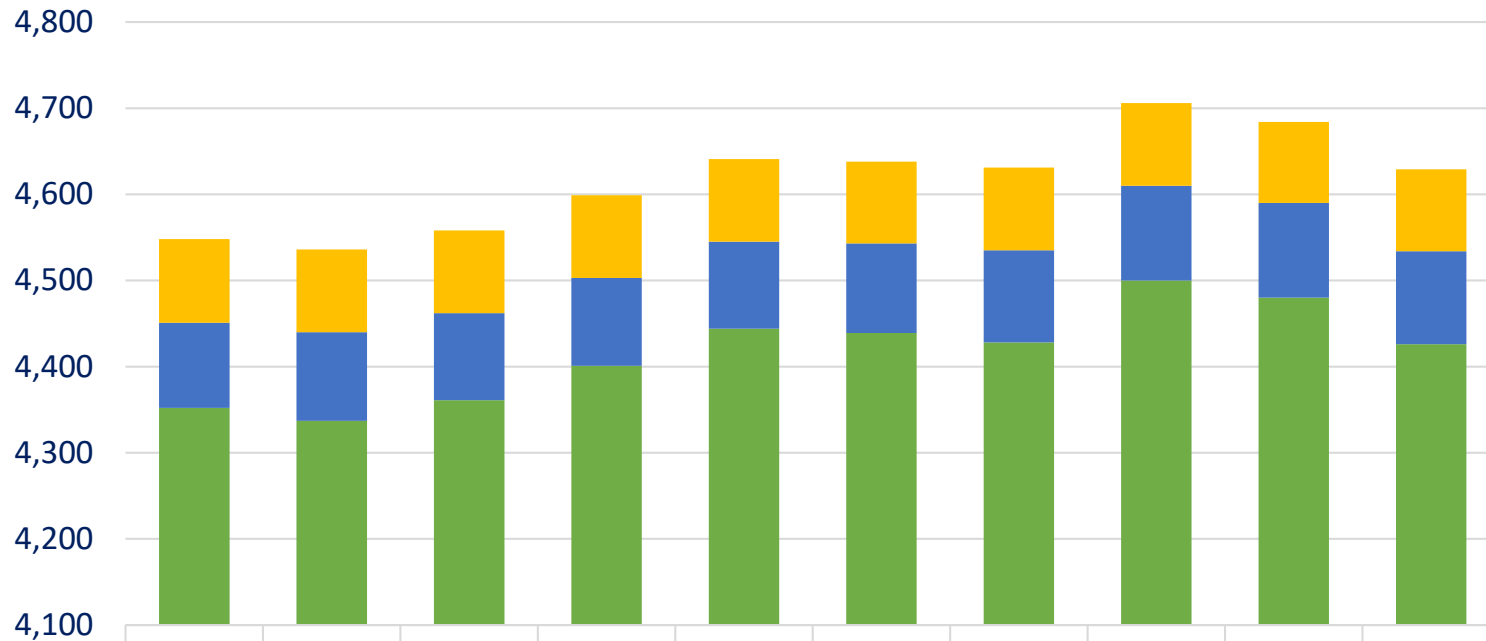
Agricultural Sector	Total Members	men	female
1. Agri	6,347,762	59.10	40.90
2. Fishery	14,932	58.90	41.10
3. Land Settlement	193,311	52.29	47.71



Total number of Agricultural co-operatives from 2008 - 2017 (Dec.2008-Dec.2017)



Total number of Agricultural Co-ops Sector from 2008 - 2017



	Dec. 2008	Dec. 2009	Dec. 2010	Dec. 2011	Dec. 2012	Dec. 2013	Dec. 2014	Dec. 2015	Dec. 2016	Dec. 2017
Land Settlement Cooperatives	97	96	96	96	96	95	96	96	94	95
Fishery Cooperatives	99	103	101	102	101	104	107	110	110	108
Agricultural Cooperatives	4,352	4,337	4,361	4,401	4,444	4,439	4,428	4,500	4,480	4,426

National Programmes/initiatives for Agriculture Cooperative development



One District One Agriculture Cooperative





Challenges in agriculture cooperative development



- ▶ Using innovation and technology
- ▶ Sustainable Management
- ▶ The increase of agricultural product value (Quality, Price and The quantity of agricultural processed products)



Recommendation for regional Cooperation

How to Implement

“ASEAN ROADMAP FOR ENHANCING THE ROLE OF AGRICULTURAL COOPERATIVES IN THE GLOBAL VALUE CHAIN 2018-2025”

