



# European Opportunities for New Entrants



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# Two main points



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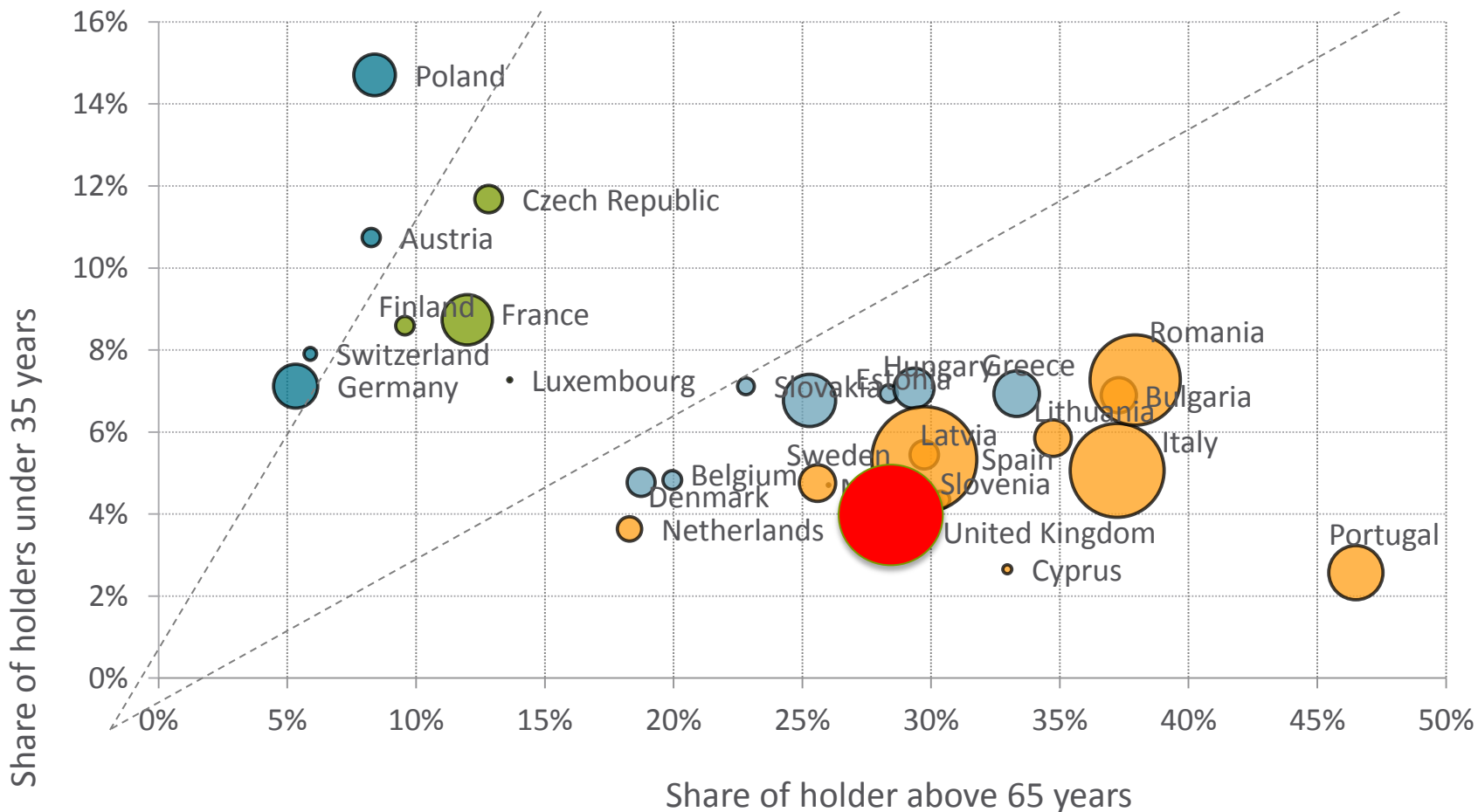
- There is a lot of work being done at European Level to understand and enable new entrants to farming.
- The NEWBIE Network – opportunities for networking and exchange across Europe.



# Farmers over 65: Under 35 across Europe



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# European Work on New Entrants



- FarmPath, PRO AKIS, NEWBIE, plus two more
- European Parliament Review of New Entrant Supports
  - Biggest barrier: access to land
  - Recommended:
    - continuing supports
    - enable farmer retirement and succession
    - support new business models
    - increasing the age of 'new entrants'
    - extending the duration of access to supports
  - [http://www.europarl.europa.eu/RegData/etudes/STUD/2017/602006/IPOL\\_STU\(2017\)602006\\_EN.pdf](http://www.europarl.europa.eu/RegData/etudes/STUD/2017/602006/IPOL_STU(2017)602006_EN.pdf)



# H2020 NEWBIE Network



- “New Entrant netWork: Business models for Innovation, entrepreneurship and resilience in European agriculture” (2018-2021)
  - Purpose: to facilitate networking and promote successful business models for new entrants to farming
  - Opportunities to interact with new entrants in the UK and across Europe
  - Video promotion of your own and other business strategies
  - Funding available for events
  - **€500 prize** each year for the best UK new entrant business model
  - Steering committee being set up
  - Web-site and further information soon!
- NEFERTITI (2018-2021) – network of new entrant demonstration farms





# Questions?



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