Group: segmented or holistic policy?

• HNV should be a penetrating principle
• HNS should be seen as an opportunity not as an imposition or constraint
Level of policy

• Three options:
  • As a tool to focus & targeting policies, and resources – need a common definition – very difficult
  • Tool on national level – no need for a detailed definition on EU level
  • Tool for the market – then it is not a policy issue
Group 3

• Avoid translating vague policies into constricitive implementation mechanisms
• Current policies not targeted
• Use HNV as a concept on EU level, identify common minimum standards; implement on MS level appropriately
• Are we looking at traditional managing technics or cultural managing technics
• HNV targeting funding might be more important for new MS.