



## IDRA – Innovación en Desarrollo Rural en Aragón

### Overview

- MAP members: Science (4), regional government (3), civil society (4)
- About the MAP/region: low population density, depopulation, ageing population, outmigration of women from rural areas



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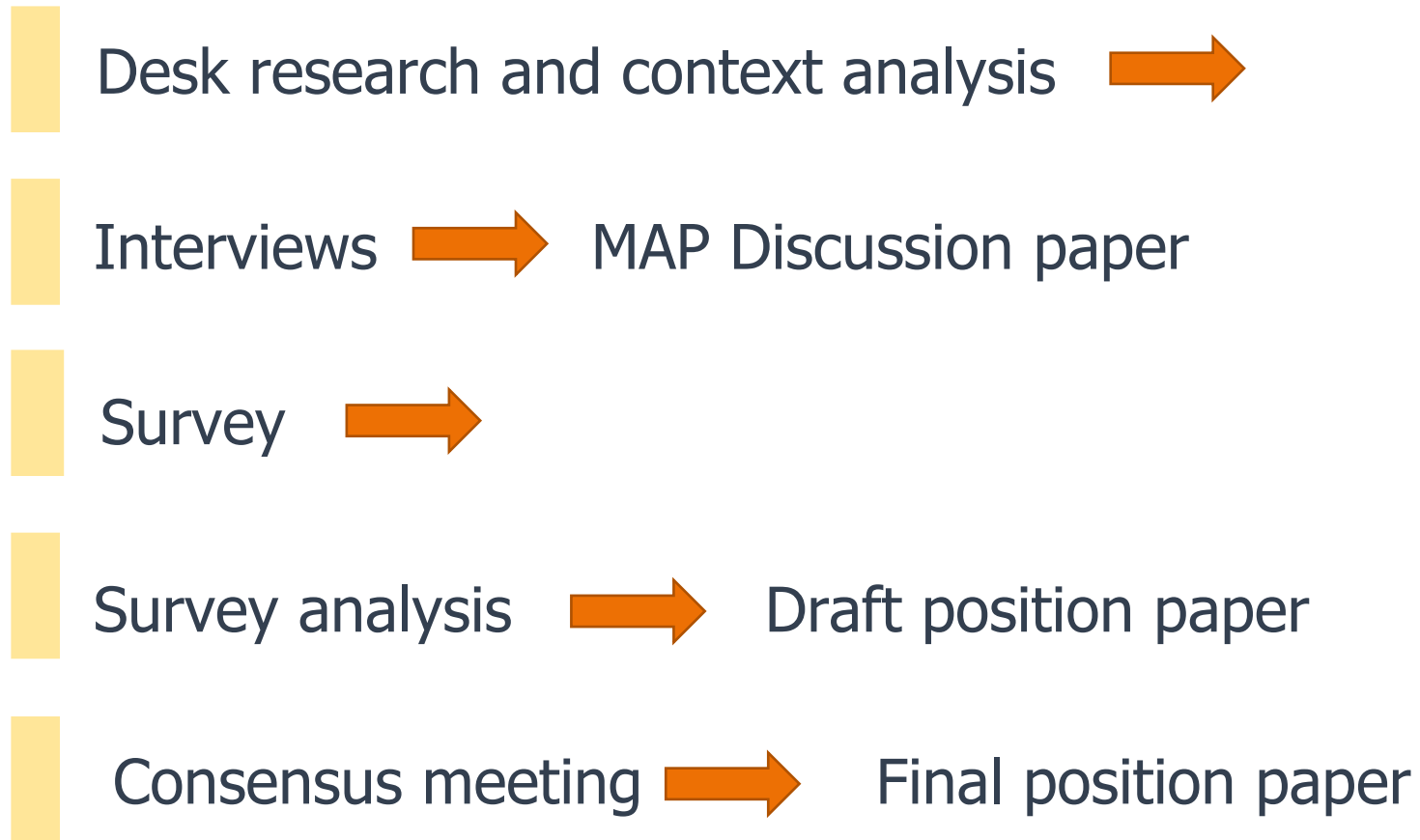
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## Activities – how IDRA contributed to the long-term vision for rural areas





# Vision & Enablers

## **Desirable future for Aragón according to interviewees and survey respondents, by 2040:**

- Rural areas in Aragón are economically diverse and sustainable
- There is a better rural-urban connection and a revalorisation of the role of rural areas in the society as a whole
- The link between science and rural areas will be better
- Society is expected to have adopted to all the benefits offered from digitalisation

## **Enablers – how to get there:**

- Financial resources
- Improved coordination and implementation of rural policies, better prioritisation between policy goals and increased participation of rural citizens in the decision-making process
- Ensuring the continued digitalisation
- Generation of additional employment opportunities in rural areas

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