

2nd Cyprus Agri-Food Forum 2026:
“Digital Roots- Connecting Farms, Food and Markets”
Draft Agenda

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Day 1 — Tuesday, 3 November 2026 - Conference & Plenary (Nicosia)	
14:00	Registration
14:30	Opening: what has been achieved since the last Forum and what opportunities/challenges lie ahead
14:45	Setting the scene: Objectives, who is in the room, how we will work together and in what format
15:00	Keynote presentations: providing alternative perspectives on the current state of digital transformation in EU/Mediterranean agriculture
16:00	Reflection and networking: an active coffee/tea break with a poster session presenting the 8 Operational Groups
16:30	Regional priorities for digitalisation in agri-food systems: Panel discussion with keynote speakers.
17:30	Round-up of Day 1 takeaways and bridge to Day 2 field visits with practical info on logistics, timings, documents etc. Practical information for field visit
18:00	Reception and Agro-Tech Innovation Fair: showcasing of practical digital solutions that increase productivity, resource efficiency, resilience and/or traceability. Opportunity to meet suppliers, innovators and researchers

Day 2 – Wednesday, 4 November 2026 - Field Visits	
08:30	Departure to field sites in 2 groups
	2 x morning visits for each group – switched and repeated in the afternoon
12:30 – 13:30	Groups reconnect for lunch & informal networking/exchange of experience
	2 x afternoon visits for each group
17:30	Arrive back in Nicosia

**Day 3 – Thursday, 5 November 2026 – Masterclasses & Co-design Workshops
 (Nicosia)**

09:00	Registration
09:30	Co-design Workshop: Part 1 – what is the potential of EXISTING digital solutions for the Cyprus agri-food system? Round 1 - Reflection and general takeaways from the Field Visits Round 2 - Structured assessment of each of the 4 x visits on Day 2 - is there a productivity/profitability gain from the digital solution? What is the business model involved? Is it replicable and suitable for scaling up and out? Round 3 - What are the gaps? Are there specific technical needs that suppliers, innovators and researchers should respond to?
11:00	Coffee/tea break & informal networking/exchange of experience, including continuation of poster session from Day 1
11:30	Masterclasses 1: Digital solutions for Sustainable Agri-Food Systems - technical presentations (and demonstrations) from suppliers, innovators and researchers
13:00	Lunch break & informal networking/exchange of experience
14:00	Masterclasses 2: Digital solutions for Sustainable Value Chains - technical presentations (and demonstrations) from suppliers, innovators and researchers
15:30	Coffee/tea break & informal networking/exchange of experience
16:00	Co-design Workshop: Part 2 – unlocking the POTENTIAL for further digitalisation of the Cyprus agri-food system Round 4 - Reflection and general takeaways from the Masterclasses Round 5 - what are the specific institutional needs that relevant authorities should address for taking full advantage of these existing digital solutions?
17:00	Plenary roundtable — collecting observations and consolidating recommendations, including for suppliers, innovators and researchers on the island
17:30	Closing remarks/reflections
18:00	Cocktail and community dialogue

