



GRAPPI'S FARM

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location of farm	Pienza (Siena, Italy)
Name of the farmer	Luchino Grappi
Size of farm	165 ha
Permanent staff	3
Main products of farm	Durum wheat, olive, lentils, chickpea, clovers



CURRENT REGENERATIVE AGRICULTURE PRACTICES ON THE FARM

Farmland cultivated with RA practices	All
Crops produced with RA practices	All
Duration of using RA practices	From 2007 to the present

Description of RA practices used in the farm

- *Cover crops*
- *Crop rotation*

STARTING AND MOTIVATION BEHIND REGENERATIVE AGRICULTURE



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Main motivation	He has never heard anything about regenerative agriculture, but he generally applies crop rotation and uses legumes as cover crops
Learning the RA farming practices	No
Did the farmer receive training?	No
Did the farmer receive financial support?	No

RESULTS OF REGENERATIVE AGRICULTURE

Benefits of using RA practices

He detected an increase of grain yield, better soil fertility, and reduced weed development after with the adoption of balanced crop rotation,

Obstacles of using RA practices

He did not report obstacles with the RA practices he adopted



Is the farmer happy overall with RA?	Yes
Does the farmer intend to continue RA?	Yes
Does the farmer intend to introduce changes in RA methods or crops?	He is very proud of the present methods he is applying and doesn't want to introduce new changes



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