

**Interreg
Europe**



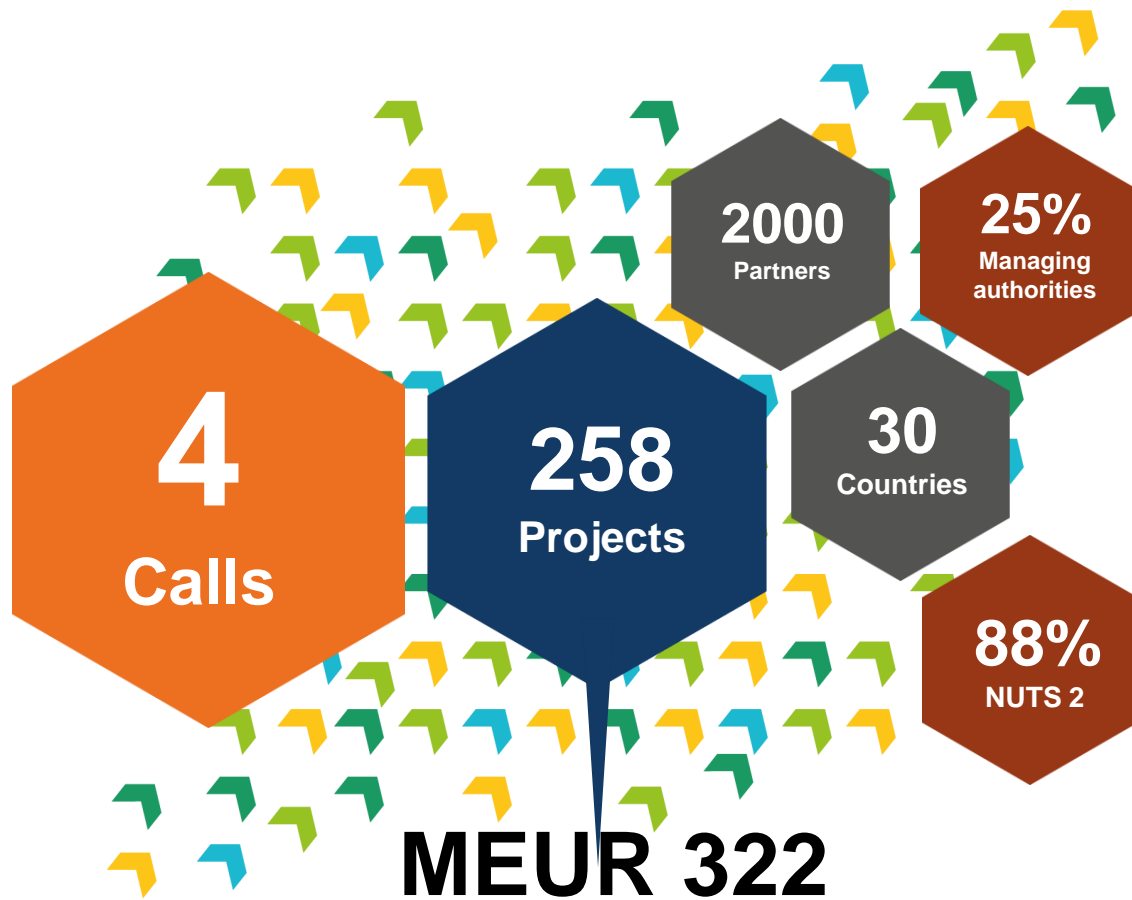
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Interreg Europe: state of play

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3,051
Good practices
identified

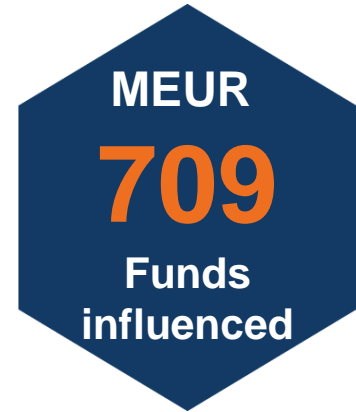
1917
Good practices
PLP

12,026
Staff with
increased capacity

873
Action plans

100 % **94 %**
— % of target in the CP reached —

140 projects have finished phase 1



4.3 x
Leverage effect

Community of peers

+ 18,000 members



Expert policy support

peer reviews



Good practice database

~ 1900 good practices



#policylearning



Check the new **COVID-19** section on our website:

- Discover **good practices** from all across Europe that can help you mitigate the pandemic's effects;
- Join our **online thematic activities** that will inspire you and help you find solutions to common challenges;
- Request **tailored support** from our Policy Learning Platform experts;
- Find out related **news and events** published by us, our projects and other institutions.

In parallel, we are working even closer with our projects and proposing adapted measures through our dedicated team who stands ready to support.

Cooperation on natural and cultural heritage



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Projects

7 other projects
dealing with water-
based heritage

- **Blue Green City** - green & blue infrastructure
- **CHERISH** - fishing communities
- **Delta Lady** - delta rivers
- **HERICOAST** - coastal areas & rivers
- **Land-Sea** - coastal areas & rivers
- **STAR Cities** - Sustainable tourism of riverbanks
- **WaVE** - coastal areas & rivers



Great contribution to communication at programme level

Active participation in Policy Learning Platform activities



10 good practices published on Good Practice Database!



5 policy
changes

- **Program Space of the Province of South Holland**
Association Regio Water & Province of Zuid-Holland (NL)
- **ROP Lombardia ERDF 2014-2020**
Metropolitan City of Milan (IT)
- **National OP “Growth and employment”**
- **Vidzeme Culture Program**
- **LEADER + programme**
Vidzeme Planning Region (LV)



New
projects,
improved
governance
& structural
change

Congratulations!

- May 2018: Interreg Europe not present in the EC draft regulations
- May 2019: EP and Council asked for Interreg Europe to be back
- December 2019: first Programming Committee meeting
<https://www.interregeurope.eu/about-us/2021-2027>
- To be continued.... (finalisation of regulation, budget decision)



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Key features remain:

1. Pan-European
2. Similar overall objective
 - Regional development policy makers = core target group
3. Similar means to achieve the objective
 - Main focus on capacity building

Evolution:

1. Focus on Structural Funds lightened
2. Learning by doing: pilot actions
3. Only one single priority in the programme
 - Better reflect the core nature of the programme (capacity building)

Thank you!

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