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IMEAS Project

Integrated and Multi-level Energy models for the Alpine Space



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Who are we?

12 Project Partners

7 Alpine Space Countries

18 Project Observers



DURATION

Project start date: 01/11/2016
 Project end date: 31/12/2019



Vision

To **support** territories in implementing successful **low carbon energy transition strategies**, to build a better future for our planet.

Role

To provide **guidance** to stakeholders to help them overcome challenges and reach their goals.

To support stakeholders in creating **links** and **connections**.

To **escape the policy silos** and **support cooperation** in a **multi-dimensional** and **integrated** perspective.

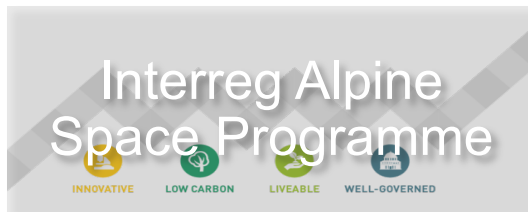
IMEAS contribution to the EU Strategy for the Alpine Region



Focused on the **creation of a more inclusive environmental framework** for all and on renewable and reliable energy solutions for the future.



Aiming to make the Alpine Space area a **model region for energy efficiency and renewable energy**.



Priority 2 - Low Carbon Alpine Space, SO2.1 - **Establish transnationally integrated low carbon policy instruments**

We believe that to win this challenge, we need to **cooperate, bridge gaps**, create accurate and **useful tools and practices** and **engage and support** all the actors involved.

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IMEAS video available on:

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OVERALL
OBJECTIVE

Enhance knowledge and ability of Public Authorities, agencies and other entities in **planning sustainable and integrated energy policies** and selecting the **right measures** to implement them, towards the development of an efficient low carbon energy model for the Alpine Space macro-region.

MAIN CHALLENGES

Escape the unconnected policy silos
and create multi-dimensional approach

Improve capacity

to select and use right tools to develop integrated measures and strategies

Support integrated and multi-dimensional approaches

Boost policy-making, planning, decision-making



MAIN
OUTPUTS

**Stakeholders
Framework
Model**

White Book, describing a Stakeholders Network Model to align stakeholders needs, interests and decision processes in integrated low carbon energy planning.

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Community
Web Platform**

Platform with a transnational set of tools and guidelines to support multidimensional integration of energy policy and energy planning instruments and to connect people and experiences

**Integrated Roadmaps
for Energy Policy and
Planning**

Set of integrated roadmaps for energy policy and planning as **best practice cases** proofing the concepts and the viability of the transnational approaches

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RESULTS

Enhanced capacity

to select/use right tools to **integrate** plans at **different governance levels** and link them to other levels/sectors

Capacity

to account for **integrated/ interrelated results** on energy and environmental targets

Capability

to develop a **strategy** for a **low carbon** territorial model beyond 2020



Competences

in developing **realistic and measurable plans**

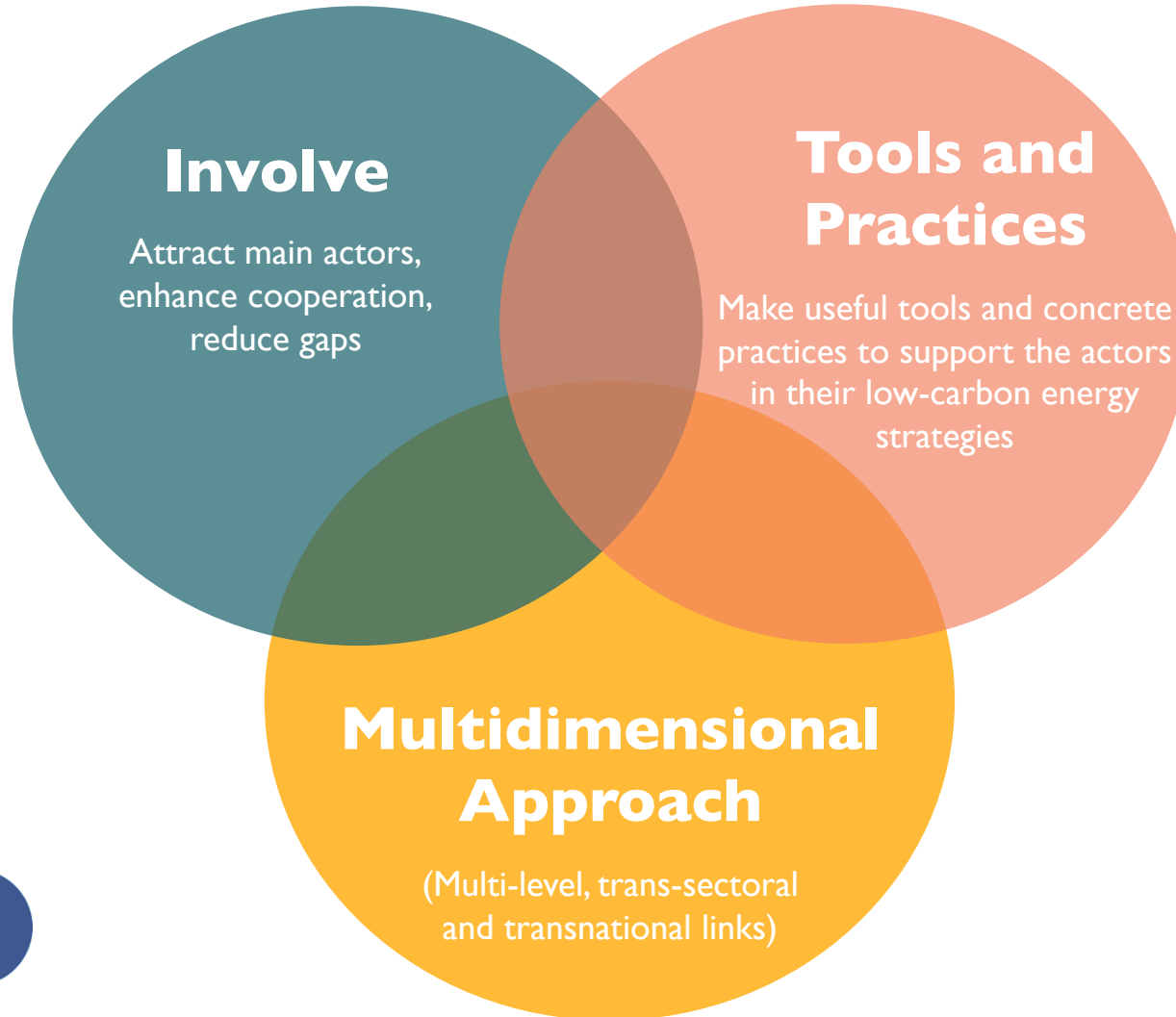
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Core elements



IMEAS is a **unique combination** of the power of these 3 core elements.

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Thank you for your attention!

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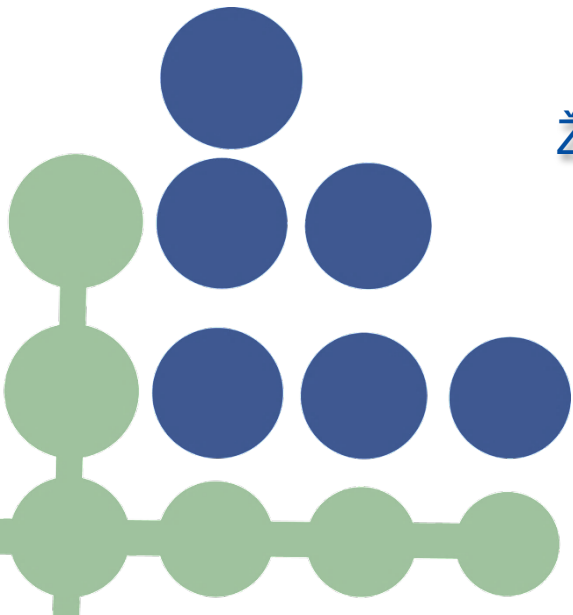


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INVOLVEMENT

Attract main actors, enhance cooperation, reduce gaps

TOOLS AND PRACTICES

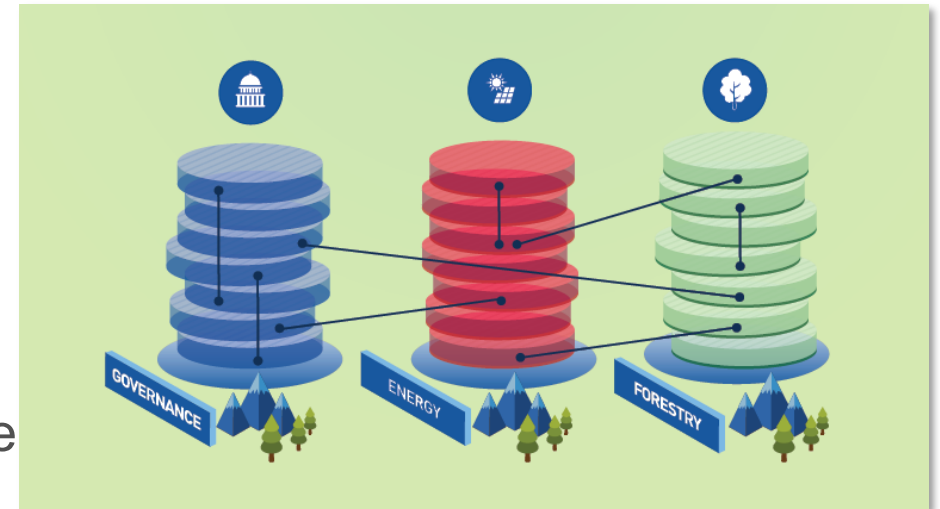
Make useful tools and concrete practices to support stakeholders in their strategy

MULTIDIMENSIONAL APPROACH

Multi-level governance and economic and energy domains

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Put together all the resources, actors, methodologies in order to **overcome the “unconnected policy silos”** in low carbon policies and **create integrated approach towards energy planning** that promotes the creation of multi-dimensional links:



horizontal link between entities on the same

vertical link at different institutional levels → MLG (Multi-Level Governance)

trans-sectoral link between actors of different silos (different energy sectors; mobility, economic, environmental, etc.)

transnational link between actors whose silos are located in different countries

IMEAS main focus

Breaking the *silos* mindset

a strictly vertical mindset
obstructing information
and innovation flow

Connect different silos

break barriers, connect different silos in a vertical,
horizontal and transversal way, take the best of each
and create integrated approach towards energy planning

