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A project to strengthen the delivery of regional strategies for renewable energy sources and energy efficiency by exchanging best practices on sustainable energy policies and jointly developing an integrated monitoring tool for measuring the effect of regional sustainable energy strategies.

Exchanging Good Practices on Sustainable Energy Policies



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Introduction:

The **INTERREG IVC Programme** is part of the European Territorial Cooperation Objective of the Structural Fund policies for the period 2007-2013. It aims, by means of interregional cooperation, to improve the **effectiveness of regional** development policies and contribute to **economic modernization** and to increase **competitiveness of Europe**.

Background:

In order to **reduce the effects of climate change** and be ready for the decline of the oil-age, European regions have a key role in promoting, developing and implementing **renewable energy sources (RES)** combined with **energy efficiency strategies** to help solve the energy impasse.

The MORE4NRG partnership will address these interrelated issues at interregional level.

The project brings together 12 partners from all over Europe; 11 regions and the Assembly of European Regions (AER). The partnership includes regions

with more and less advanced strategies and action plans, with great varieties in approach and extent to which they have set specific targets. **Interregional exchange of experience** enables all of them to improve their sustainable energy strategies. It will help the less advanced regions to speed up their development. The partners will compile their experience in a **toolkit for regional energy strategies**, including tools for measuring progress in achieving sustainable energy targets.





Duration of the project:
September 2008-September 2011

Project budget:

Total budget:	1,326,559 €
ERDF funding:	1,032,084,05 €
National funding co-financing:	294,474,95 €

Objectives of the project:

- To analyze **good practice in energy targets** and of tools for measuring energy efficiency and use of renewable energy sources in the partner regions.
- To **study the framework conditions** necessary for generating development of and investment in regional renewable energy infrastructures.
- To **support the less advanced regions in the partnership** in order to define or improve their energy targets, as part of their sustainable energy strategies.
- To develop an integrated **monitoring tool for regions** to follow their progress in achieving their energy targets.
- To **disseminate the experiences** and collected and developed tools to other European regions in support of their sustainable energy strategies.
- To encourage more European regions to set sustainable energy targets and commit themselves to the **AER/FEDARENE declaration 'European regions for energy efficiency and renewable energy sources'**.

Partners:



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Valencian Energy Agency (Spain)
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