

WESTMED AND EU COOPERATION

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... the Initiative is an innovative instrument of cooperation between western Mediterranean countries, regions and people. ...

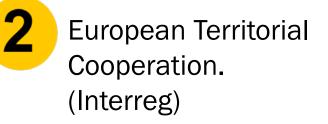




Cooperation Instruments in the Mediterranean



European Neighborhood Cross border Cooperation (ENI CBC)









Cooperation Instruments in the Mediterranean







WESTMED goals				
	A safer and more secure maritime space	A smart and resilient blue economy by 2022	Better governance of the sea	E
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Interreg Italia-Malta			ŝ.	70% BUDGET ALLOCATION AVAILABLE
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CBCMED Catholic Sectors	S V		S N	55% BUDGET ALLOCATION AVAILABLE (45% IN JAN 2019)
Mediterranean		i 🥐 🖗	P 3 🔞	15% BUDGET ALLOCATION AVAILABLE
Interreg Sudoe			3ª	40% BUDGET ALLOCATION AVAILABLE





Is it possible for partners outside the programmes area to participate?





2014-2020 Challenging for Interreg*.



* Eligibility of operations in cooperation programmes depending on location (Article 20, ETC_Interreg regulations)

If **the operation** is implemented outside the cooperation programme area:

- a) the operations should not exceed 20 % of the ERDF at programme level
- b) it should benefit the programme area

For technical assistance, promotional activities and capacity-building, expenditure incurred outside the programme area will not apply the 20% rule!

Programme Authorities decisión!







2014-2020 Challenging also for ENI*.



* Eligibility of operations in cooperation programmes depending on location ((articles 39.2 and 45.4 of the ENI CBC IR)

If **the project** is implemented partially outside the cooperation programme area:

- a) the operations do not exceed 20 % of the EU contribution at programme level
- b) it benefits the programme area
- c) management, control and audit are fulfilled either by the programme authorities or through agreements concluded with authorities in the countries where the activity is implemented.

Programme Authorities decisión!







2021-2027

Good news! No more limitations*

Relevance for the programme defines the eligibility, not the location of activities.



***proposed** article 57, CPR (fingers crossed)



Cooperation works

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