



SSP ENERGY

A fresh approach for interregional cooperation through RIS3

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What ERDF and CF supported sustainable energy measures?

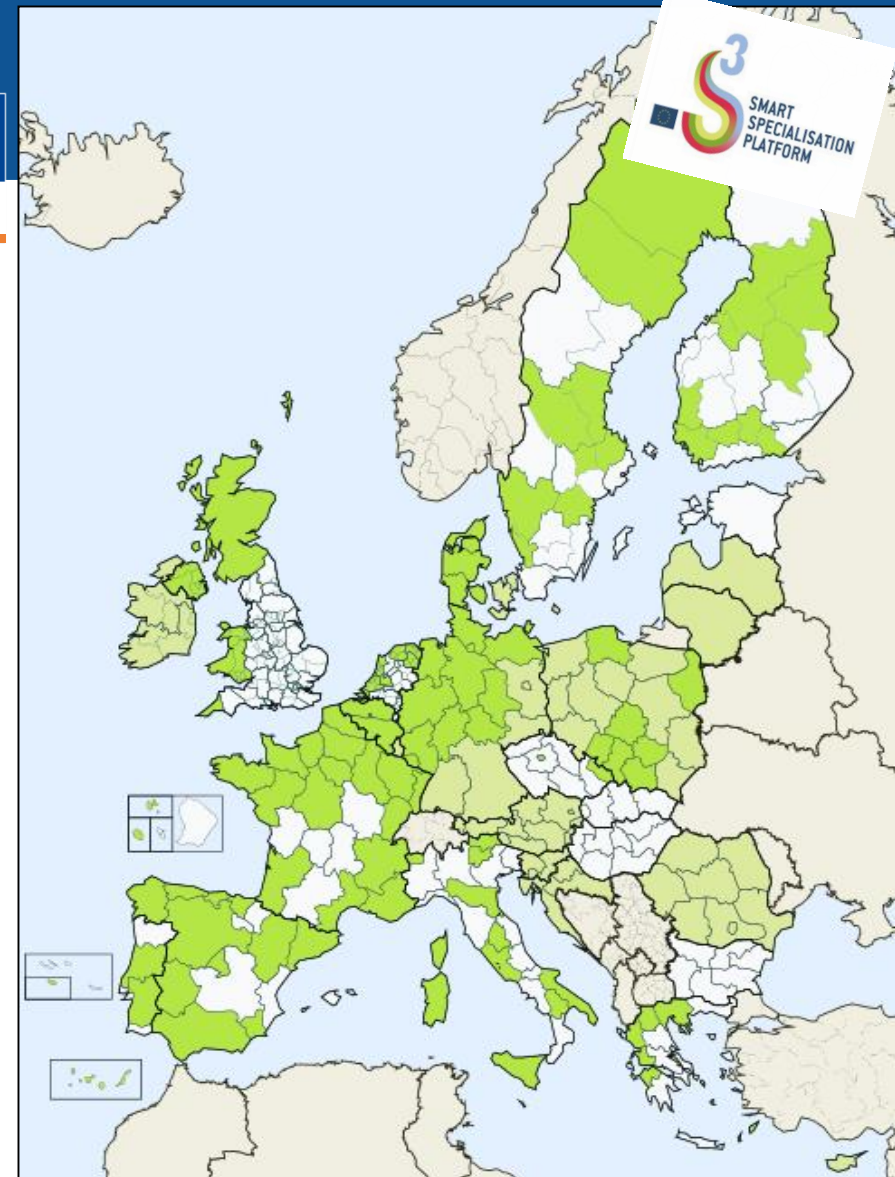


- **Energy efficiency** in public buildings and in housing ~ € 13.3 billion
- **Energy efficiency** in enterprises, with focus on SMEs ~ € 3.4 billion
- **Renewable energy** ~ € 4.9 billion
- **Co-generation and district heating** ~ € 1.7 billion
- **Smart energy infrastructure** ~ € 3.4 billion
- **Research and innovation** at least €2.6 billion but possibly more based on RIS3
- Additional ESF investments in **training and capacity** (~€1 bn)

(Note: data based on categories of intervention related to TO4 but included also under other TOs)

- Energy R&I both in thematic objective 1 and 4
- Energy is the **most popular** priority in S3

-  EU Countries with Encoded S3 Priorities
-  EU Regions with Encoded S3 Priorities



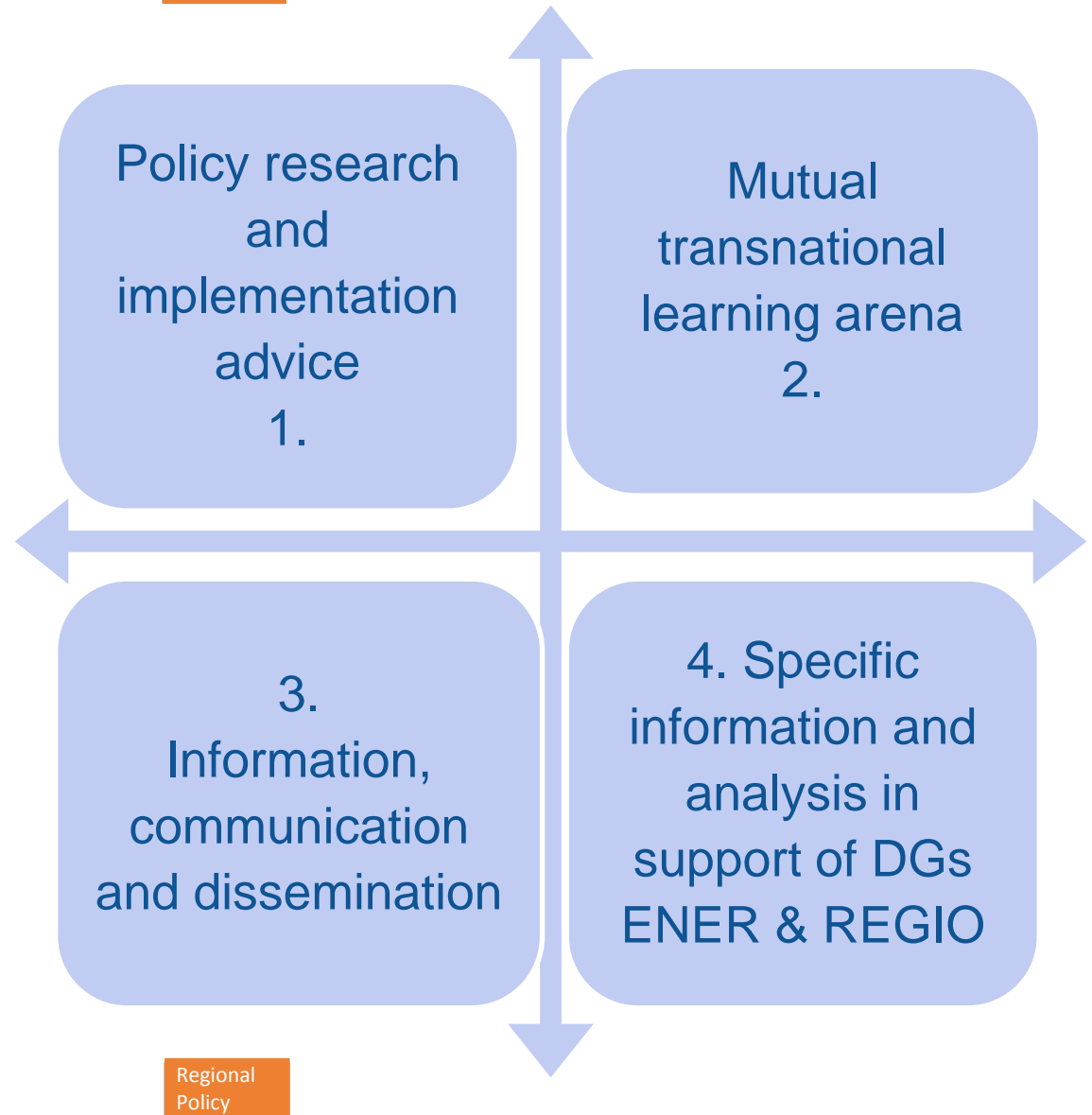
Map: EU-28 energy priorities in online Eye@RIS3 tool

Smart Specialisation Platform on energy



Objectives:

- Optimal use of the Cohesion Policy funds for sustainable energy
- Support energy innovation at all levels and their alignment with EU priorities



Thematic Smart Specialisation Platforms



Using RIS3 look for complementarities across regions, and upscaling at European level of new economic opportunities

- ✓ Starting from RIS3 **analysis** to identify lead-regions, then foster opportunities for regions/MS to team up around **value-chains**
- ✓ **Driven by motivated regions** (political commitment) not by Commission, but selected in perspective of European-level synergies
- ✓ = **entrepreneurial discovery at European level**: inspired by Vanguard Initiative methodology (Learn-Connect-Demonstrate-Commercialise)
- ✓ involving relevant **clusters**, intermediaries and aligning with thematically related EU level initiatives
- ✓ Use 'European **Strategic Cluster Partnerships** for Smart Specialisation'
- ✓ Support the development of **project investment pipe-lines** and facilitate **access to "real money"** for resulting projects



1 June 2016, WEDNESDAY

Sessions 1-2: Smart specialisation - From Design to Implementation

- Continuous Entrepreneurial Discovery
- Governance settings
- Selection criteria and selection process
- Transnational cooperation and value chains
- Monitoring and evaluation
- Smart Specialisation Strategy experience outside EU

Session 3: Thematic Smart Specialisation Platforms

- Industrial Modernisation
- Agro-Food Value Chains
- Energy Transition
- ...

Session 4: Investment challenges

2 June 2016, THURSDAY

Report and conclusions from day 1

Session 5: Align objectives for economic transformation (Stakeholders)

Session 6: Implementation of RIS3 – Synergies in policy support for economic transformation (Commissioners)

Continuous exhibition and networking



Thank you for your attention!

