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## Take an active part in INERTWASTE!

- Contact your regional partners to **participate in local meetings**
- Tell us about your experience and **share with us inspiring examples** from your region
- **Join one of the TLJs**, including: Peer-review Workshops, Sustainability Jam Sessions and study visits
- **Present your company** at one of the TLJs or Regional Stakeholders events
- **Attend our events:** local info-days, international online event, final conference
- **Subscribe to the INERTWASTE mailing list** to receive our newsletter and announcements

### Did you know?



Construction and demolition waste is the largest waste stream in the EU, accounting for around a third of all waste produced (Eurostat, 2016)

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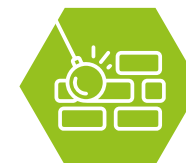


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# INERTWASTE



An interregional cooperation project for improving circular economy policies through the valorisation of inert and inorganic industry and construction waste

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Inorganic waste from industrial processes and the construction sector are particularly difficult to manage. Currently, this type of waste, as well as inert industrial waste, is generally sent to landfills and/or transported long distances for management. Different actors across Europe are working to reduce and recover inert waste, applying the principles of circular economy. However, ensuring quality guarantees to this type of waste and standardizing its use is a challenge.

INERTWASTE focuses on the **valorisation of inert and inorganic waste from industrial and construction processes, aiming at extending the life cycle of resources, reducing the extraction of raw materials, and avoiding environmental impacts.**

Through an exchange of experiences and ideas, INERTWASTE will **foster business synergies** contributing to the **generation of by-products for reintroduction in industrial and construction processes**, as well as to the **improvement of policies to remove legal barriers.**



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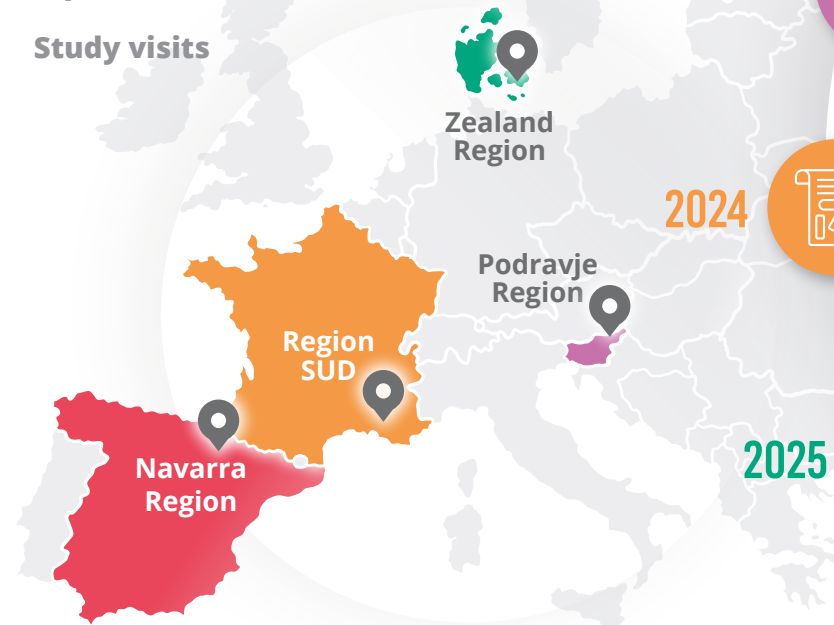


Around one third of the total construction and demolition waste consists of mineral waste (Eurostat, 2016)

At the core of INERTWASTE, **Transnational Learning Journeys** (TLJs) bring together partners and stakeholders from different countries to share challenges, opportunities and good practices on one specific theme with the aim of improving partners' regional policy instruments.

### A TLJ includes:

- A regional Peer-review Workshop
- A Sustainability Jam Session with policy makers and industry representatives
- Study visits



### Our TLJs

2023



**Navarra Region (ES)**  
Regulatory frameworks for sustainable inert waste management

2024



**Podravje Region (SI)**  
Tackling societal, technology and market challenges

2024



**SUD Region (FR)**

Integrating the circular economy into construction operations - Actions by waste prevention and management planning authorities

2025



**Zealand Region (DK)**  
Driving the green transition and future skills and knowledge



### Keep an eye out for:

- A **Good Practices guide** with at least 16 successful initiatives in sustainable management of industrial and construction and demolition waste in 2026
- A **Policy Report** on future scenarios for sustainable management of inert and inorganic waste in 2026
- **4 Regional Dissemination Events** presenting the project's results at local level in 2025-2026
- An **international online event** about future scenarios for sustainable management of inert and inorganic waste in 2025-2026
- **4 policy instruments improved** (one in each region) by 2026
- A **final conference** in 2027