



Collaborative Land-Sea Integration Platform (COASTAL)

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The overarching objective of COASTAL is to improve the rural-coastal synergies in strategic business and policy decision making and collaboration between coastal and rural actors. This is achieved by developing, demonstrating and applying a generic toolset and performance indicators by combining a multi-actor approach with system dynamics modelling. This allows us to understand the interactions with market, demographic, environmental and climate forecasts, and quantify the positive and negative externalities.

COASTAL:

- contributes to integrated coastal-rural planning and coastal-rural synergy in the case study regions and the wider EU territory
- develops a durable, online platform for knowledge exchange about coastal-rural synergy with concrete examples and tools for supporting land-sea collaboration

Partnerships

Belgium (Greenbridge Incubatie-en Innovatiecentrum Gent-Oostende, Vlaamse Landmaatschappij, Provinciale Ontwikkelingsmaatschappij West-Vlaanderen, Haven Oostende Autonomo Gemeentelijk Havenbedrijf, Vlaams Instituut Voor de zee), Finland (Luonnonvarakeskus), France (Institut National de Recherche pour L'agriculture, L'alimentation et L'environnement, Chambre Regionale D'agriculture Nouvelle - Aquitaine, Federation Regionale D'agriculturebiologique Nouvelle Aquitaine), Greece (Hellenic Centre for Marine Research, International Center for Research on the Environment and the Economy, Touristikos Epichiriseis Messianias Anonimi Etaireia, Idryma Kapetan Vasili Kai Karmen Constantakopoulou, Anaptyxiakh Messinias Anaptyxiakh ae.), Hungary (Geonardo Environmental Technologies Ltd), Norway (SINTEF Ocean AS), Romania (National Institute for Marine Research and Development "Grigore Antipa" - NIMRD, Institutul de Cercetare pentru Economia Agriculturii si Dezvoltare Rurala Bucuresti, Asociatia GAL Delta Dunarii, Asociatia Grupul de Actiune Locala Dobrogea Centrala), Spain (Agencia Estatal Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Cientificas, Consejeria de Agua, Agricultura, Ganderia, Pesca y Medio Ambiente de la Region de Murcia, Federation de Cooperativas Agrarias de Murcia S COOP), Sweden (Stockholms Universitet, Stiftelsen the Stockholm Environment Institute, Niras Sweden AB, Campus Roslagen AB, Global Utmaning)

