

HeatInvest

NEWSLETTER #1

Enhancing Cluster Development and Investment Readiness of the Heat-pumps and Geothermal Energy European Value chain

Background

Decarbonising heating and cooling (H&C), which account for nearly half of total energy consumption, is a requirement for EU to achieve climate neutrality by 2050. Heat pumps and geothermal energy are identified as key clean solutions, offering, significantly lower emissions, and reduced dependence on energy import. Scaling up these technologies demands substantial investment and represents a major opportunity to strengthen EU industrial competitiveness, enhancing employment and reduce regional disparities across heat pump and geothermal value.

Objectives

The core HeatInvest objective is to build the capacities of innovation actors from regions that face substantial, chronic or structural obstacles to secure balanced participation in EU value chains and interregional innovation partnerships.

1. Strengthen the investment and business planning capacities of regional value chain actors.
2. Improve regional policy frameworks to create enabling environments for innovative investments..
3. Scale-up research, investment and business synergies within regional and interregional value chains.

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