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INTER LIFE PT 2026

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PROGRAMA | 24 março

09h00

Receção e registo de participantes

09h30

Abertura do Evento

- Professor Paulo Mendes | Pró-Reitor da Universidade de Évora
- Carmen Carvalheira | Vereadora da Câmara Municipal de Évora
- Inês Andrade | Vogal do Conselho Diretivo da APA

10h00

Sessão de Enquadramento: “O Programa LIFE na Península Ibérica”

- LIFE em Portugal | José Paulino, APA (NCP Portugal)
- LIFE em Espanha | Alicia Valle Salgado, MITECO (NCP Espanha)

10h30

Pausa para café e *Networking* | Exposição de posters

11h00

Apresentação de projetos ES

- BIG4LIFE | Laura Herrera Díez, Universitat de Lleida
- LIFE IP INTEMARES | Paloma Pacheco, Fundación Biodiversidad
- LIFE ALNUS TAEJO | José Luis García Rodríguez, UPM
- LIFE IP DUERO | Monica Gomez Gamero, Confederación Hidrográfica del Duero
- LIFE Construye 2030Plus | Andrés Mella, Fundación Laboral de la Construcción
- LIFE Scrubsnet | Juan Pablo Martin, Innogestiona Ambiental SL
- Questões

12h00

Universidade de Évora – experiência com projetos LIFE

- MED e MARE | Universidade de Évora
- Questões

12h30

Almoço em sala e *networking*

14h00

Saída para o local da visita de campo – Herdade Terra de Freiras
Visita ao Projeto LIFE Scrubsnet

17h30

Encerramento dos trabalhos do dia

Reunião anual de intercâmbio de experiências LIFE
Annual Good-Practice Exchange LIFE Seminar

INTER LIFE PT 2026

Sessão de Enquadramento/ Framework Session :

“O Programa LIFE na Península Ibérica”

“LIFE Programme in Iberia”

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LIFE in Portugal



INTER LIFE PT 2026 | Annual meeting for LIFE experience exchange
Évora, 24-25th March

José Paulino

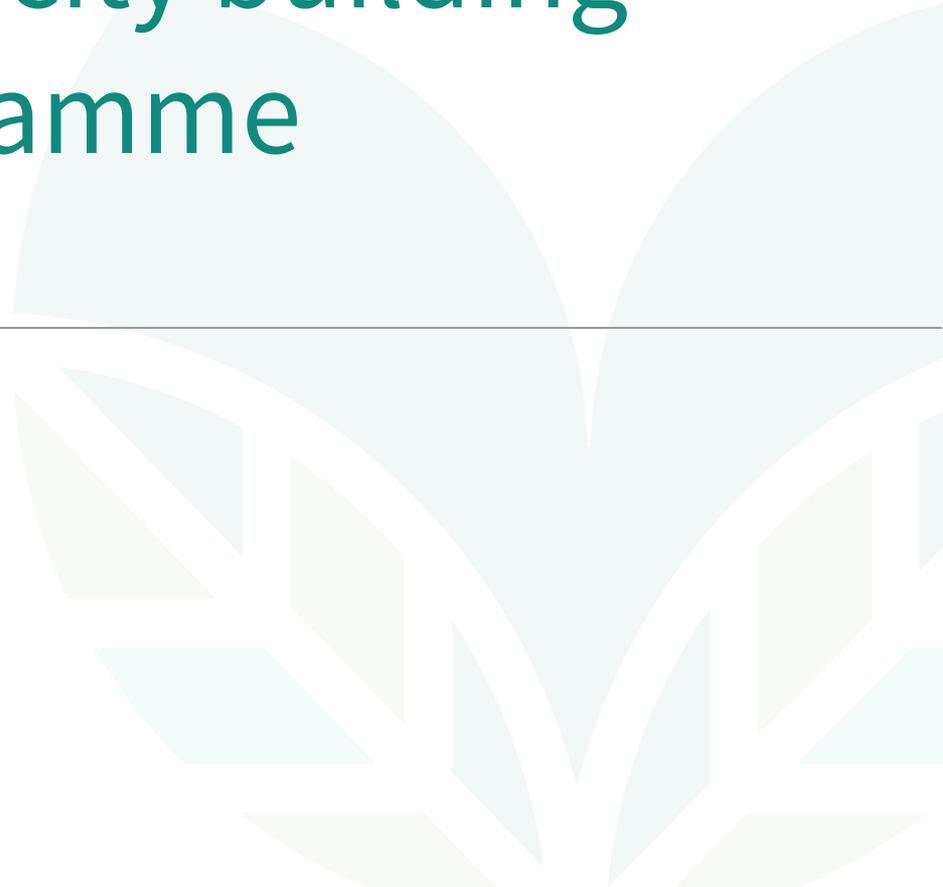
LIFE PT Team

Portuguese Environment Agency



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Support and capacity building for the LIFE Programme



LIFE CAP PT II

Name

LIFE CAP PT II - *Portugal Capacity Building for Better Use of LIFE II*

Goals

Dissemination and training for the LIFE Programme

Better use of this EU financial mechanism by potential national applicants

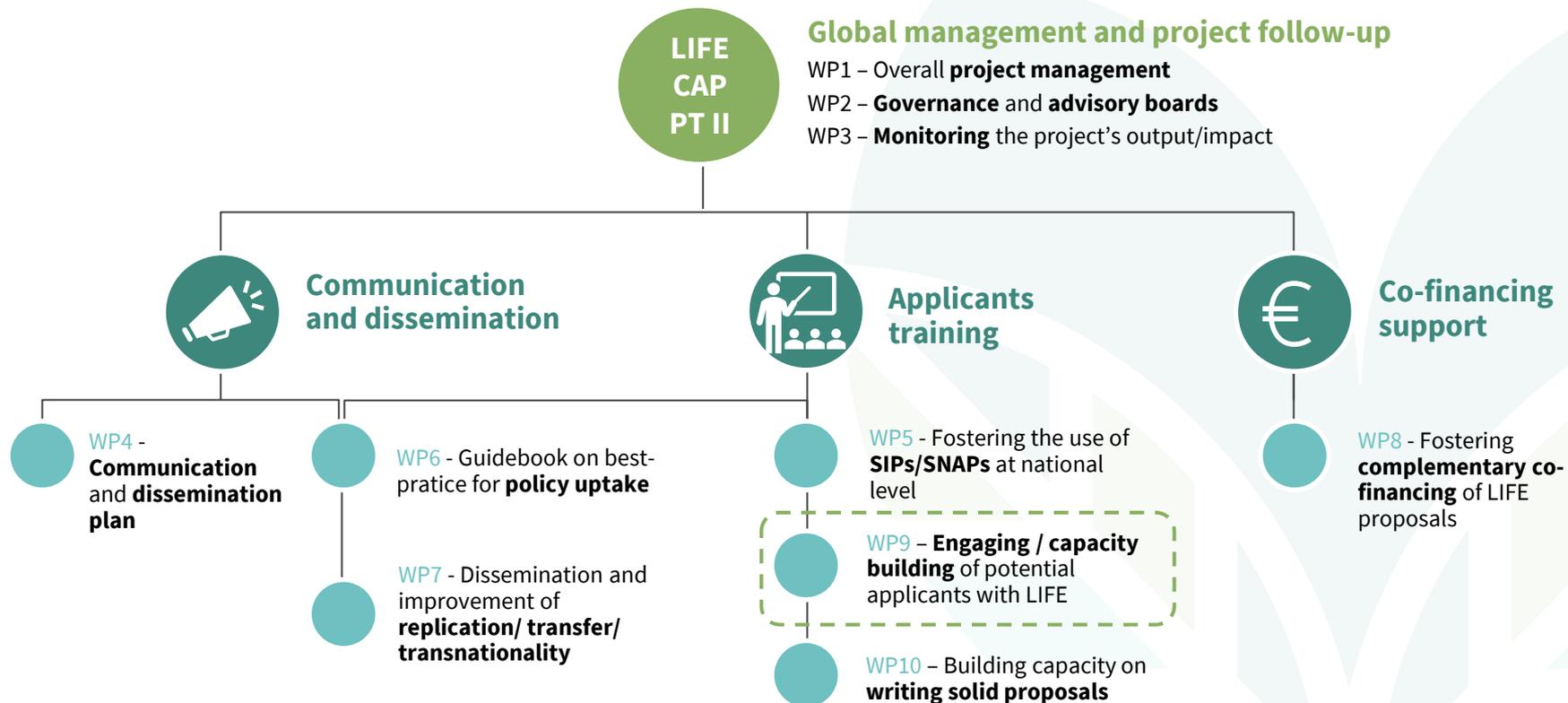
Start & end date

April 2023 to March 2026

Consortium



Project structure – Work Packages (WP)



Annual training sessions



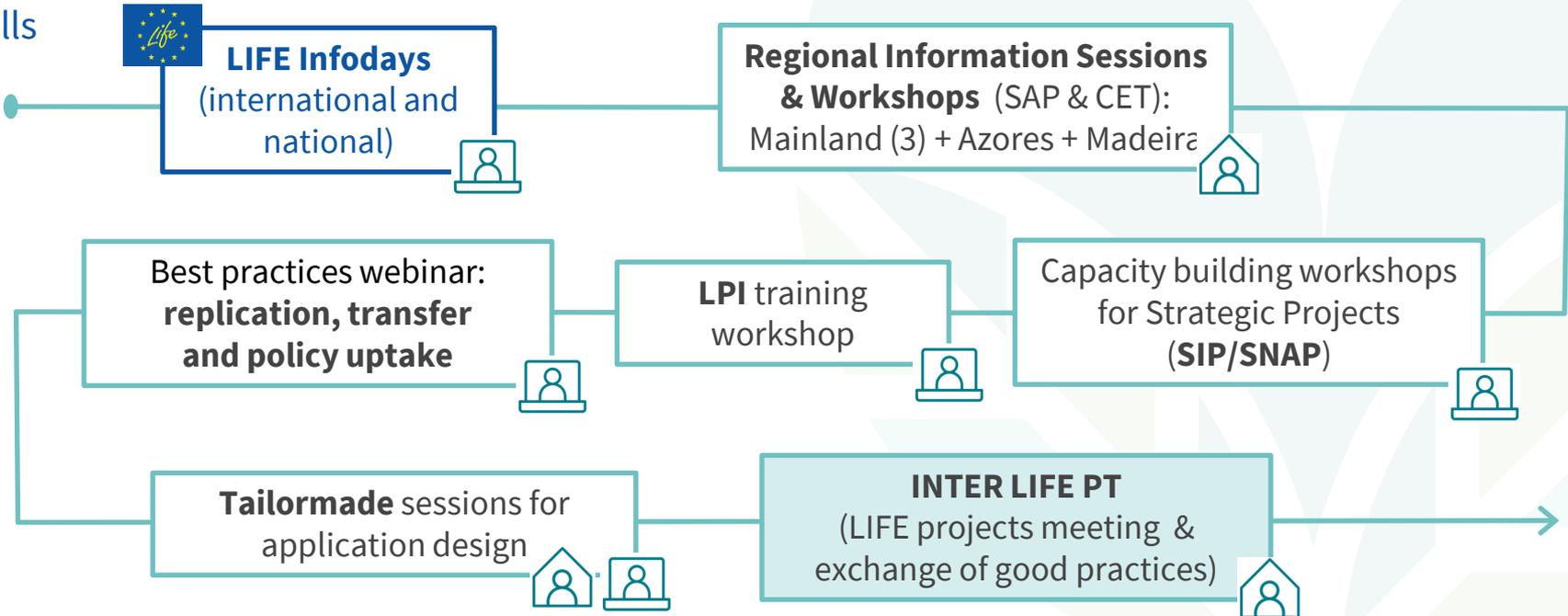
Online



Face-to-face



Calls



Supporting documents and tools

FAQ

Frequently Asked Questions
about the LIFE Programme



[Available online](#)

Good practice guide

Policy uptake
Replication and transfer
Economic value



[Digital format](#)

Co-financing web platform

Additional co-financing
for LIFE projects



Matchmaking:
Projects <> potential
co-financiers

Communication



Webpage

<https://apambiente.pt/programa-life>



Press releases
(3/year)



[Podcasts](#)



Mailing list



Social media:
[LinkedIn](#)
[YouTube](#)



Technical exchange:
Italy & Spain

Regular support

Open desks

Online meetings to support potential beneficiaries:

Clarification of doubts, discussion of structural issues of applications and recommendations



Other

Email and **phone** support for specific questions:

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After-LIFE

Regular activities

- Meetings between national NCPs
- Dissemination of most relevant news by mailing list
- Permanent updating of the webpage
- Open desks
- Email and phone support



Specific actions

- INTER LIFE PT
- Regional sessions & workshops
- Dedicated sessions – applications
- Webinars on key topics
- Update of the FAQs and the Good Practice Guide
- [Step-by-step guide to LIFE applications](#)

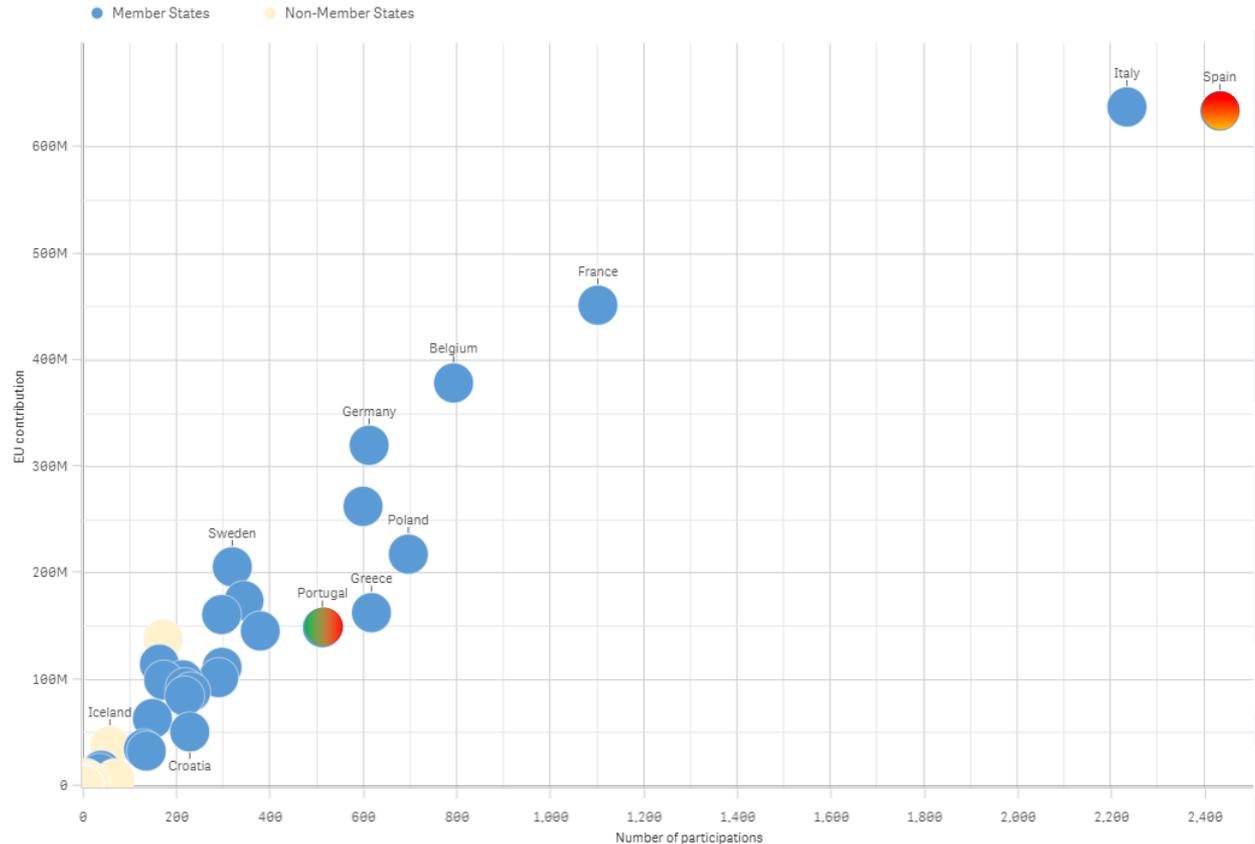


Portuguese projects



Portugal & EU Member States

EU financing (M€) &
Number of participations
per MS since 2014



Source: CINEA [LIFE Public Dashboard](#)

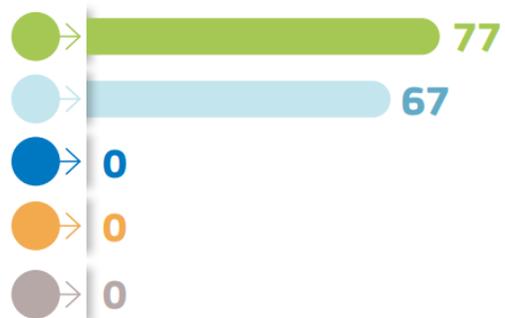
Number of funded projects

204

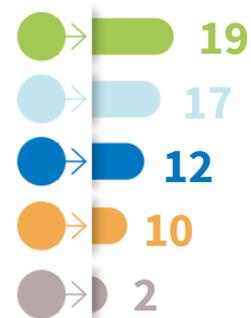
projects with **Portuguese coordination**
(since 1992 to 2024)



1992-2013



2014-2024



Reference values per project

Projects* with national coordination

(average duration and cofinanced budget; period=2021-2024)

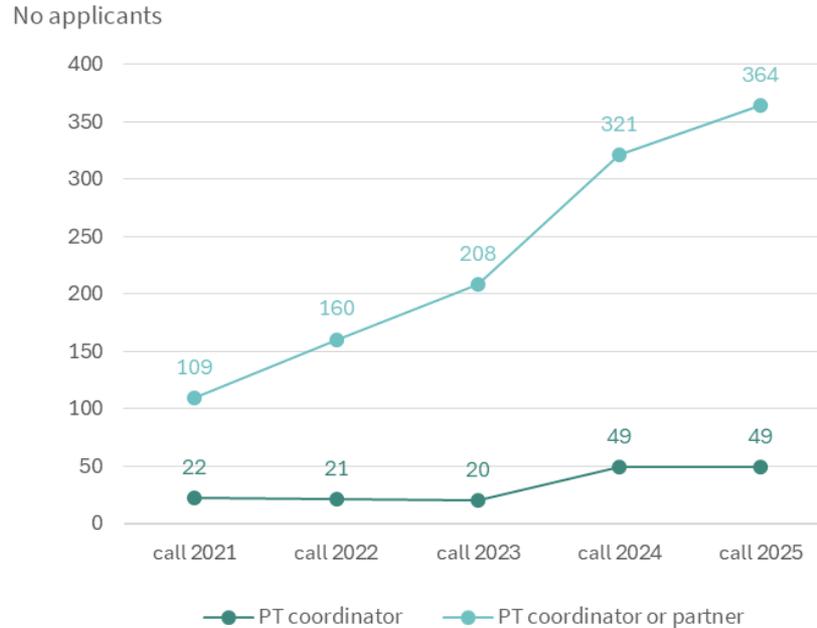
Duration average per project (years)	EU contribution average per project (€ millions)	
6,0	1,5	 NATURE & BIODIVERSITY
3,8	0,6	 CIRCULAR ECONOMY & QUALITY OF LIFE
5,0	1,3	 CLIMATE CHANGE MITIGATION & ADAPTATION
2,9	0,3	 CLEAN ENERGY TRANSITION
4,3	0,9	Total average

*Projects: SAP – Standard Action Projects & CSA - Coordination and Support Actions (CET sub-programme)

Evolution of PT participation in applications

Annual evolution of the number of Portuguese participants who submitted applications to the LIFE Programme

Evolution of application submissions



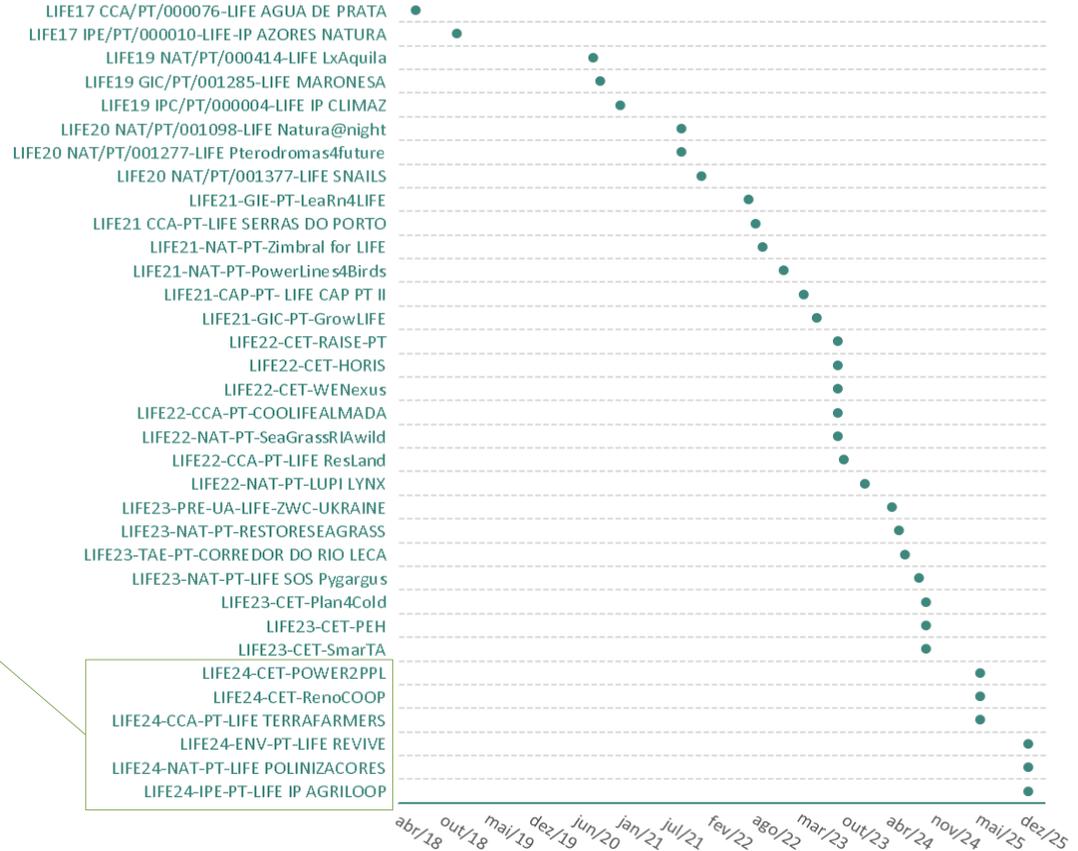
Ongoing PT Projects

Projects with national coordination CALL 2024

- **LIFE POLINIZACORES**
LIFE-2024-SAP-NAT
- **LIFE REVIVE**
LIFE-2024-SAP-ENV
- **LIFE TERRAFARMERS***
LIFE-2024-SAP-CLIMA
- **POWER2PPL**
LIFE-2024-CET-PDA
- **RenoCOOP**
LIFE-2024-CET-BETTERRENO
- **LIFE IP AGRILoop**
LIFE-2024-STRAT-ENV

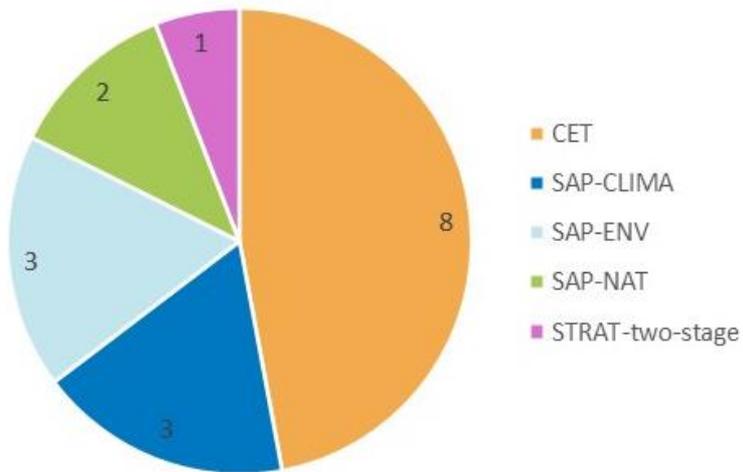
*Cancelled project

ongoing projects: start date



PT Projects of call 2024

17 projects with national participation (coordinator or partner)



- **6** PT coordination
- **11** PT partner
- **15** international partnerships
(coordinators: 4 PT, 3 ES, 3 IT, 2 AT, 1 DE, 1 BE, 1 NL)

NOTE: one of the PT projects (Terrafarmers) was cancelled

Contacts



Portuguese NCPs

Mainland Portugal

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EU: https://cinea.ec.europa.eu/programmes/life/life-support-applicants_en#national-contact-points

2026 Calls & LIFE Info Days



SAVE THE DATE!



2026 CALLS opening: 21st April !



Info Days EU: 28-30th April

Agenda

<https://vo-europe.swoogo.com/eu-life-info-days-2026/>

Registration: 2nd March!



National Info Day

In May 2026

> day to be announced!

Thank you!



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