

# Experiences and opportunities with the EEA and Norway grants

**Reducing disparities | Strengthening cooperation**

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“We are a leading company in the business and we aim to help customers to reduce CO2 emissions and energy loss. This would not be possible without the intelligent module technology developed during the project.”

- Oliver Ahlberg  
Chief Operating Officer







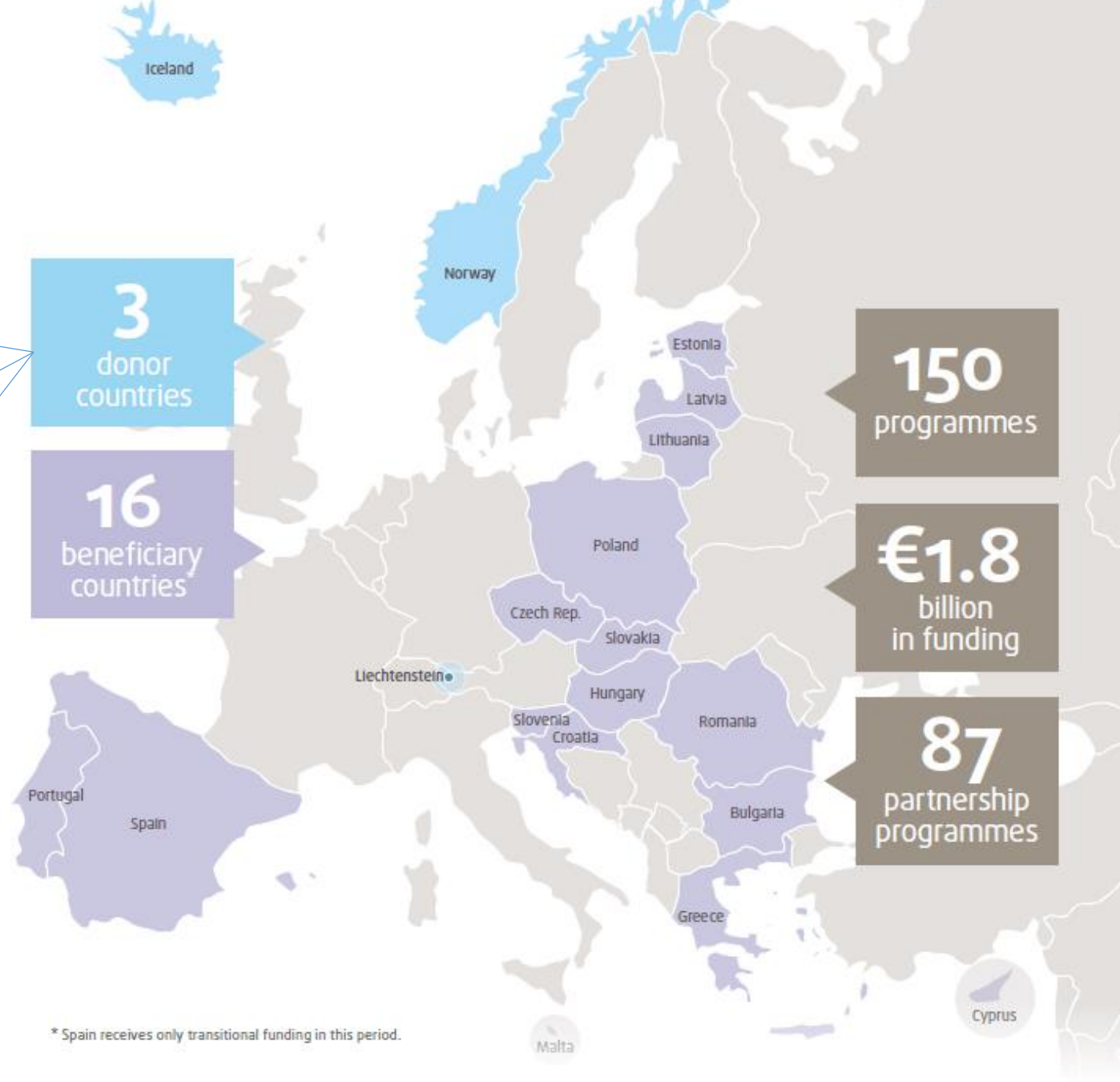
**3**  
donor  
countries

**16**  
beneficiary  
countries

**150**  
programmes

**€1.8**  
billion  
in funding

**87**  
partnership  
programmes



\* Spain receives only transitional funding in this period.



**SOLIDARITY:**  
Reduce economic and  
social disparities in  
Europe



**COOPERATION:**  
Strengthen bilateral  
relations between the  
donor and beneficiary  
countries

# Areas of support (€m) 2009-2014



265.3

Climate change and  
renewable energy



154.6

Environmental protection  
and management



127.7

Green industry  
innovation



160.8

Civil  
society



379.9

Human and social  
development



204.2

Cultural heritage  
and diversity



171.8

Research and  
scholarships



149.8

Justice and  
home affairs



8.1

Decent work and  
tripartite dialogue

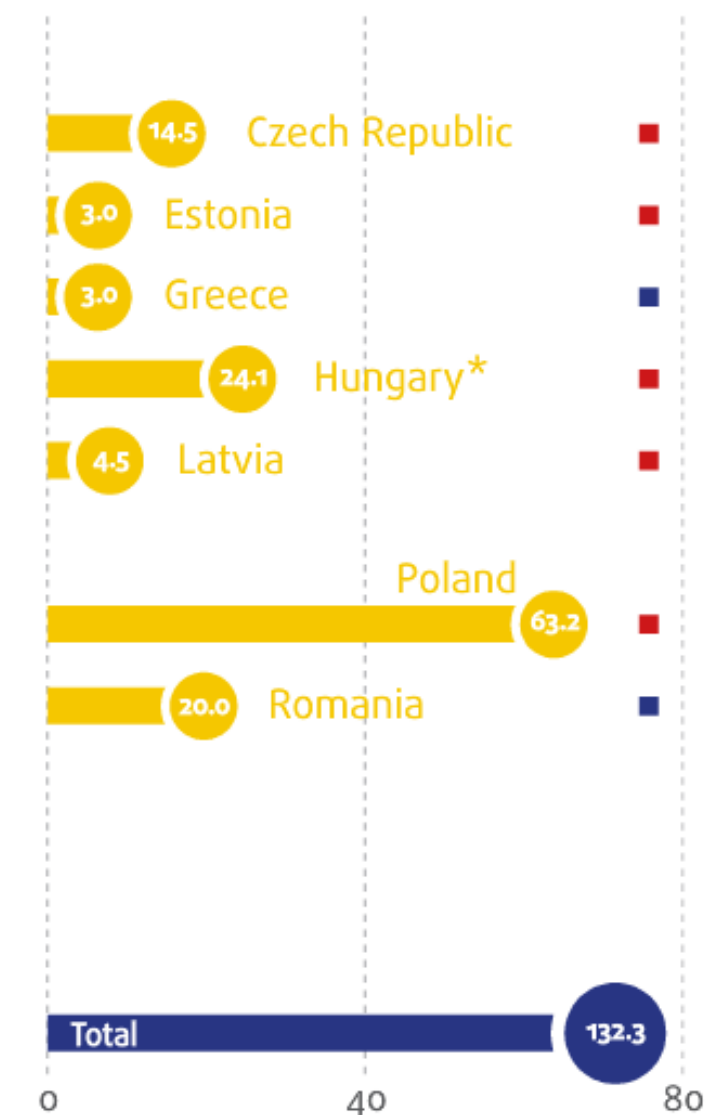


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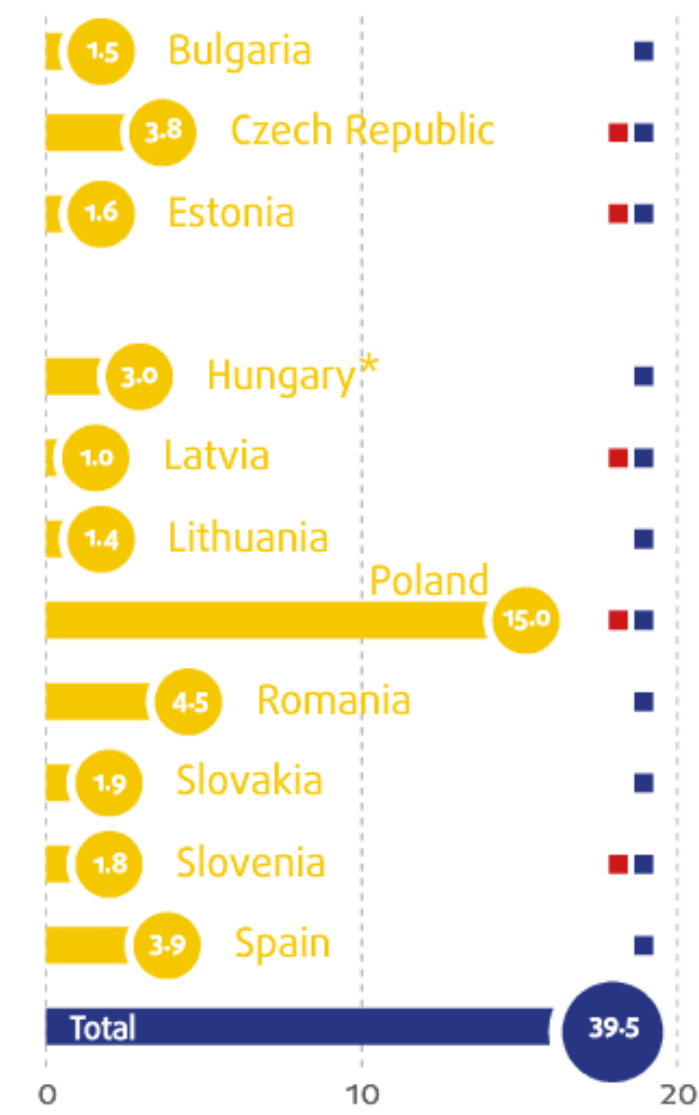
Carbon capture and  
storage

# Overview of programmes

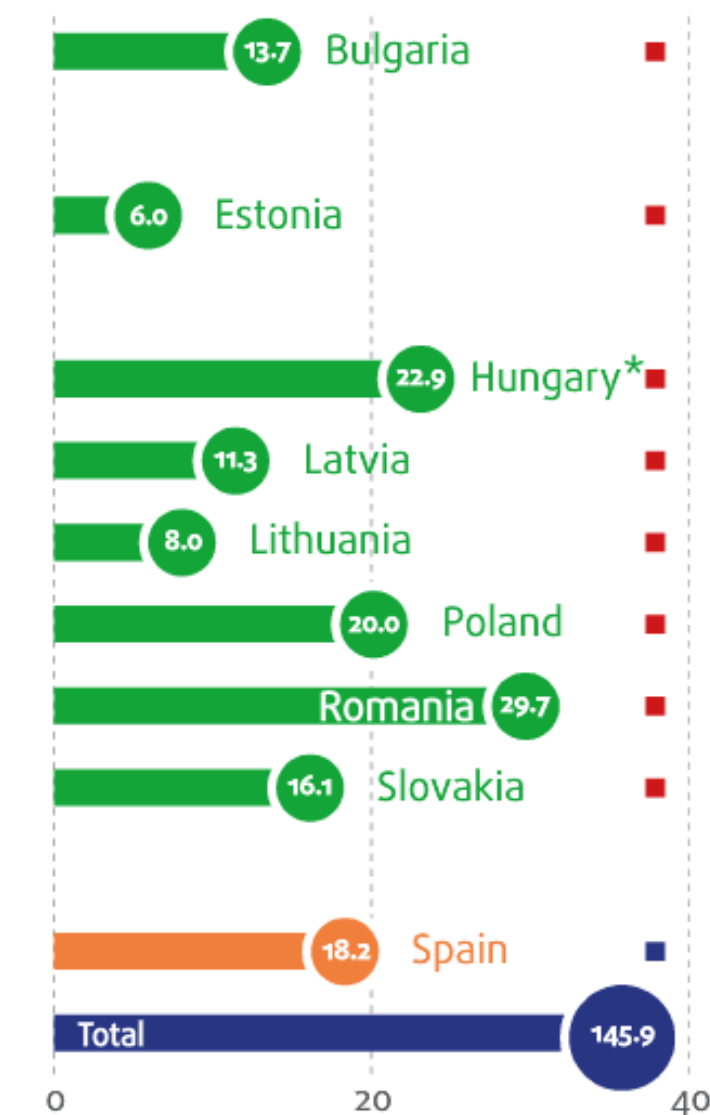
## Research (€ million)



## Scholarship and educational cooperation (€ million)



## Green industry innovation and environmental research and technology (€ million)







Joint research projects with Norway and Iceland

1500  
researchers



232  
research institutions





Developing green business

258

green industry innovation  
projects



40%  
with partners in  
Norway



Environmental and climate change-related research

**169**  
company driven  
projects



**27%**

projects with partners in  
Norway and Iceland





Scholarship cooperation

1046

students have received ECTS  
credits for their study placements



712

teachers, experts and staff  
participating in exchange

# Bilateral cooperation

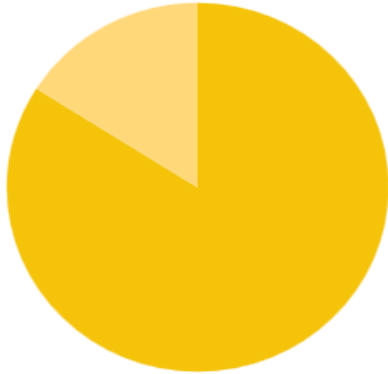
## Research



**100%**

of the collaborative projects implemented with Icelandic or Norwegian partners

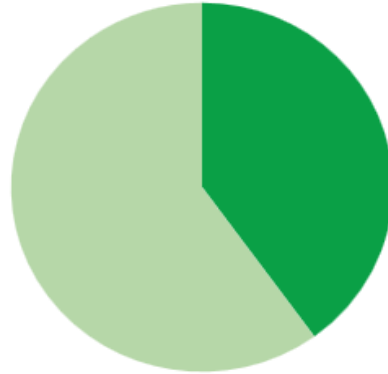
## Scholarships



**84%**

of the projects implemented in partnership with donor institutions

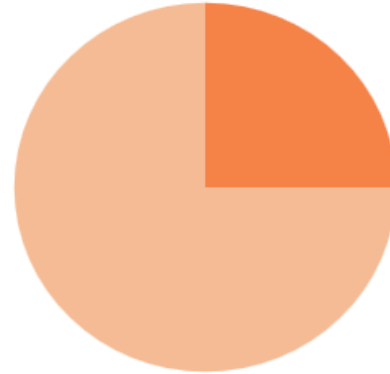
## Green industry innovation



**40%**

of the projects implemented in partnership with Norwegian enterprises

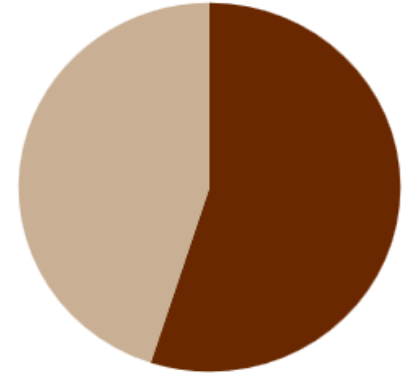
## Environmental and climate-change research and technology



**25%**

of the projects implemented in partnership with organisations from the donor countries

## Cultural heritage and diversity



**55%**

of the projects implemented in partnership with donor institutions

# Entering a new period 2014-2021



Innovation, Research, Education and Competitiveness



Environment, Energy, Climate Change and Low Carbon Economy



Justice and Home Affairs



Social Inclusion, Youth Employment and Poverty Reduction

Culture, Civil Society, Good Governance and Fundamental Rights





# Funding Mechanism

## 2014-2021: €2.8 bn

- PA 1 Business development, Innovation and SME's
- PA 2 Research
- PA 3 Education, scholarships, Apprenticeships and Youth Entrepreneurship
- PA 11 Environment & Ecosystems
- PA 12 Renewable Energy, Energy Efficiency, Energy Security
- PA 13 Climate Change mitigation

## Support by country 2014-21

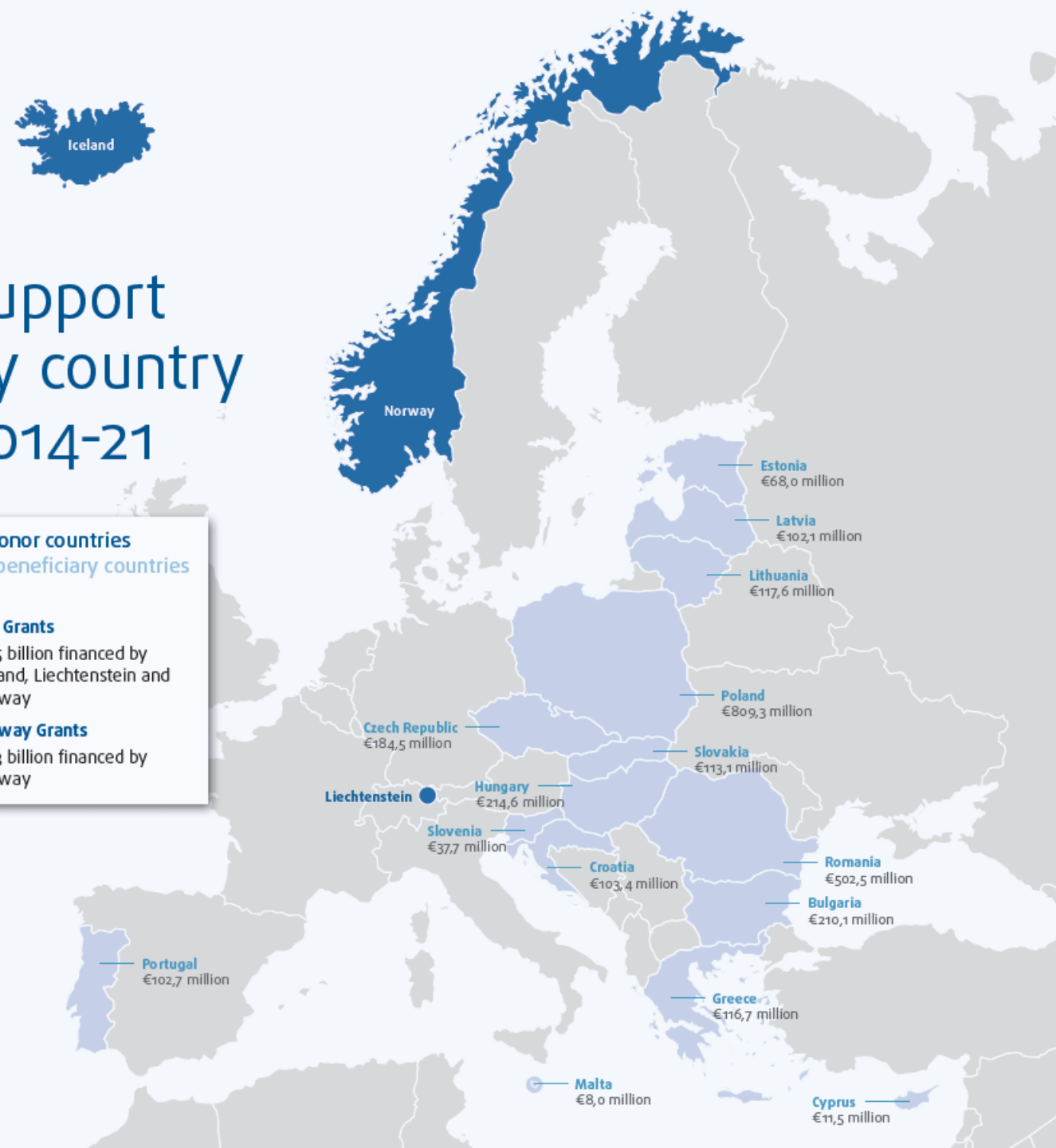
3 donor countries  
15 beneficiary countries

### EEA Grants

€1,5 billion financed by  
Iceland, Liechtenstein and  
Norway

### Norway Grants

€1,3 billion financed by  
Norway



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