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Supporting regional environmental sustainability assessment for the BIO-based sectors to improve INnovation, INdustries and INclusivity in SOUTH Europe

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### **OUR MISSION**

The BioINSouth project supports decision-makers in integrating ecological limits into regional bioeconomy strategies, focusing on circular bio-based activities. Coordinated by SPRING cluster and co-funded by the EU and CBE JU, it brings together fifteen partners from nine countries towards forming engaged Multi-Actor Regional Groups from the QH, upon which eight Regional HUBs will be created for the promotion and implementation of circular bioeconomy principles.



## **OBJECTIVES**

- Setting up the Multi-Actor Regional Groups (MARGs) by involving at least eight stakeholders of the Quadruple Helix, per region
- Establishing the BiolNSouth HUBs in each of the eight regions by providing guidelines for the action plan and mobilisation of the HUBs
- Developing new, or improve methodologies and digital tools for the assessment of environmental impact and circularity of bio-based systems
- Constructing an integrated toolkit to support decision-makers incorporate considerations of ecological limits into regional bioeconomy strategies and roadmaps
- Demonstrating the use of the integrated toolkit in HUBs level, while performing analyses of regional policies
- Co-developing policy recommendations for sustainability and circularity for strengthening integration into regional bioeconomy strategies
- Ensuring wide visibility and replication of the BiolNSouth
  experience and results

# IMPACT

- Enhance understanding of challenges and benefits of circular, bio-based solutions, especially in Widening countries and lagging regions without bioeconomy strategies
- The eight BiolNSouth regions will implement monitoring systems and assessment of circularity and sustainability in bio-based systems, and will serve as pilots for the project's replication strategy
- BiolNSouth multi-actor strategy aims to ensure efficient resource use, enhance economic performance and promote SSbD concepts within the bio-based sector

## WORKPLAN





Deploying the dissemination, communication, and exploitation strategy, to replicate successful methodologies and tools across different regions