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How nature based solutions can contribute to reduce climate impacts

NatalieProject in a nutshell

➔  Consortium of 42 beneficiaries

NatalieProject supported by
European Commission is a 5 year
HorizonEurope research and
innovation project





Project coordination


International Office for Water, Paris, France

➔  **13 partner countries**

NL, ES, RO, GR, LV, FR, NO, BE, IT, IS, CH, GIB, UK


➔  **15 M€**

➔  **5 years (2023-2028)**

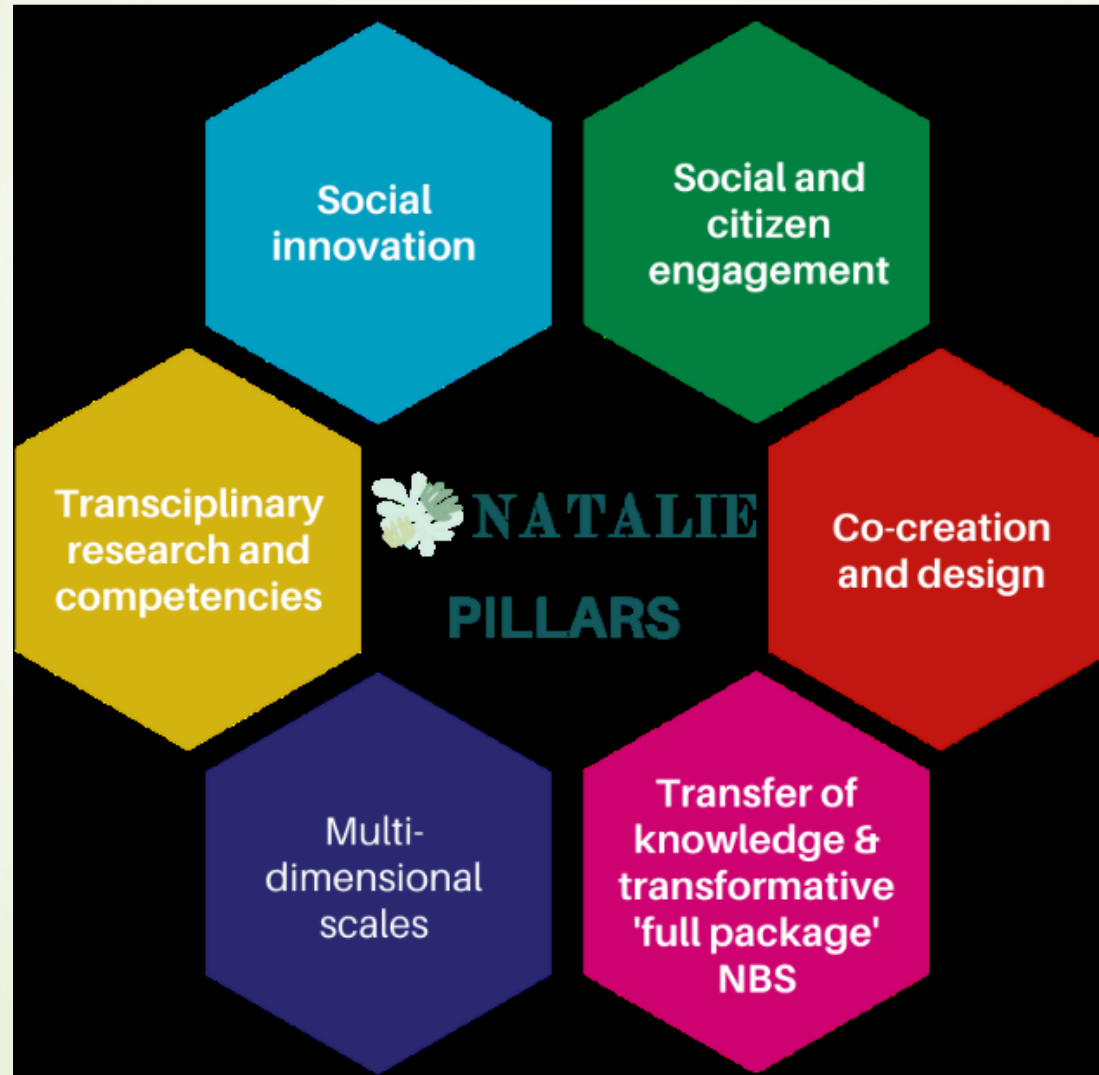
➔  **18 NBS measures will be demonstrated at 8 case studies - Greece, Romania, Latvia, Canary Islands, Belgium, France, Norway & Italy**



Project aim

-  Ensure the co-creation process of transformative #naturebasedsolutions (NBS) is on track for the regions to start engaging with local #stakeholders
- NATALIE consortium combines multidisciplinary

Project pillars





Expected results extract

- Development of a roadmap for the implementation, testing and monitoring of actions in all the CSs
- Constructed wetlands in Zemgale region, Latvia and FL4 in Lithuania
- Lead: BEF, Participants: LBTU, ZPR, Biržai municipality
- Promotion of constructed wetlands- surface and subsurface
- Challenges - floods, local droughts, eutrophication, loss of biodiversity



Impact of the project

- **Technological/ Environmental:** 18 different technologies for NBS related to climate change resilience developed, applied, tested, validated and replicated in other regions (long term-10 years)
- **Societal:** Stakeholder engagement and acceptance of impact-driven NBS will be adopted and enhanced by local authorities in Europe
- **Economic:** Sustainable investment and financing instruments for NBS will be established
- **Political:** NBS based adaptation integrated into regional strategies
- **Legal:** land access facilitated for NBS implementation

Thank you for your attention !

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