

GEOHERMAL ERA-NET

Progress Report

WP5 – Cooperation with stakeholders

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Objectives of WP5 – Cooperation with Stakeholders

1. To gain a clear understanding of the principal stakeholders including key industry players for a successful, Europe-wide coordination of publicly funded national research, development, deployment and innovation programs.
2. To engage and communicate with principal international stakeholders the need for values and benefits of a Europe-wide coordination.
3. To drive the ongoing EERA Joint Programme on Geothermal Energy (JPGE)
4. To prepare the ground for the future formulation of a common European roadmap for a geothermal energy technology research, development, deployment and innovation.

Deliverables

- 1. Report containing the inventory of principal stakeholders and classification of stakeholders on a national level (Deliverables 5.1/5.2)**
- 2. Report including the inventory and classification of stakeholders on the European level (Deliverable 5.3)**
3. Communication plan with key messages to principal European and national stakeholders (Deliverable 5.4)
4. Delivery of a comprehensive plan to successfully engage stakeholders for the implementation of the communication strategy ((Deliverable 5.5)

Description of Task 5.1

Task 5.1 (task leader CNR/ADEME)

Contribute data to WP2 (Info exchange on national incentives and status of geothermal energy) and the European Geothermal Database (WP3) on principal stakeholders of the Research, Development, Deployment and Innovation (RDD&I) chain in national, regional and European arenas with a particular focus on stakeholders with a European and international dimension.

This task will be closely coordinated with the activities of WP2. Develop stakeholder classification and ranking according to their roles and responsibilities in strategy setting, implementation planning and execution. Performance evaluation and review of networked, transnational geothermal energy RDD&I programmes (output of WPs 2 and 4).

Description of Tasks 5.2 & 5.3

Task 5.2 (task leader SFOE)

Furnish national programme/owners with messages on and proofs of strengths and benefits of a coordinated European geothermal energy research agenda vis-à-vis the voting public, the energy industry, national parliaments, the European Commission and her administration (output of WP1).

Task 5.3 (task leader SFOE)

Prepare and utilize output of WP2 and WP4 (Development of Joint Activities) to engage with principal stakeholders with the ultimate purpose of mobilizing national and transnational funding agencies (public and private) for the geothermal RDD&I lifecycle.

Description of Tasks 5.4

Task 5.4 (task leader SFOE)

Prepare and utilize output of WP7 to engage with principal stakeholders in the run-up to the development of a strategic roadmap for geothermal energy technology RDD&I. Mobilizing existing technology platform to minimise fragmentation and maximize synergies. Support and encourage large scale projects which would not be possible at national level.

Towards Deliverable 5.3 – stakeholder analysis on an European level

Procedure:

Development of a national stakeholder map (and European/international interactions):

1. Identification of stakeholders (view of national program owners) ✓
2. Proposal for a template to be distributed to all ERANET members ✓
3. Data gathering period ✓
4. Agreement on stakeholder categories relevant for governmental geothermal RDD&I plans (e.g. Beneficiaries, Governance bodies, Influencers, Providers) ✓
5. Understanding the interaction with individual stakeholders ✓
6. Assessment of the degree of influence or power / importance versus the level of interest *in progress...*
7. Analysis *in progress...*

Actual Status of European SH List – Structure

| Stakeholder Groups | Stakeholder name | Stakeholder web site | Geographical Reach: Worldwide / European / Regional | Type and Function of Stakeholder | Areas of Activity | Interest or role in geothermal R&D | Actions proposed |
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| Political Stakeholders | | | | | | | |
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| Gov't sponsored think-tanks | | | | | | | |
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| Geothermal Industry Associations | | | | | | | |
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| National Funding Agencies that also have an international remit | | | | | | | |
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| Other EU administrative units | | | | | | | |
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Actual Status of European SH List - mind map

