

WHAT WILL STORCITO DELIVER?

STORCITO will co-create practical tools and models that improve safety, energy resilience, and mobility in rural areas, offering real solutions that can be replicated across Europe:

- **Advanced wildfire prevention tools** to protect people and landscapes.
- **Community-led clean energy systems** that boost local independence.
- **Inclusive mobility models** adapted to low-density territories.
- **Replicable frameworks** for policymakers and rural stakeholders.

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EMPOWERING RURAL COMMUNITIES FOR A GREEN AND INCLUSIVE FUTURE

THE PROJECT

Funded by the European Union under the Horizon Europe programme, STORCITO brings together people, ideas, and innovations from across Europe to support the just and green transition of rural areas. From mountain villages to coastal towns, we're working hand in hand with local actors to co-develop solutions that protect the environment, increase energy independence, and create new models for sustainable mobility.

At its heart, STORCITO is about empowering rural communities, making sure they're not just included in Europe's climate goals, but that they become drivers of change.



WHY IT MATTERS

Rural communities make up 30% of Europe's population and manage 80% of its territory. Yet they often face disproportionate risks from climate change and limited access to innovation. STORCITO helps to close that gap, making Europe's green transition inclusive, practical, and fair for all regions.

OUR OBJECTIVES



SUPPORT RURAL SHIFT TO CLIMATE-NEUTRAL FUTURES



CREATE INNOVATIONS FOR LOCAL CHALLENGES



PILOT CASE STUDIES IN DIVERSE REGIONS



DELIVER REPLICABLE TOOLS FOR RURAL EUROPE



CONTRIBUTE TO EU CLIMATE AND COHESION

CASE STUDIES

WILDFIRE PREVENTION

Wildfires pose a growing threat to Europe's forests and communities. This case study explores innovative ways to prevent and monitor wildfires using cutting-edge technology and nature-based solutions. From smart collars on cattle to a user-friendly digital dashboard, discover how local communities are becoming stronger and safer against fire risks.



COMMUNITY-ENERGY SYSTEMS

The shift to clean energy is vital for rural areas to thrive sustainably. This study focuses on helping communities plan and adopt carbon capture and storage technologies, making energy transitions accessible and practical. Learn how new tools and guides empower rural actors to take control of their energy future.

INCLUSIVE CLIMATE-NEUTRAL MOBILITY

Getting around shouldn't come at the cost of the planet. This case study looks at creating smart, shared transport options tailored for rural areas, including vulnerable groups like the elderly and youth. Explore how innovative mobility apps and community plans are making travel greener and easier for everyone.

