

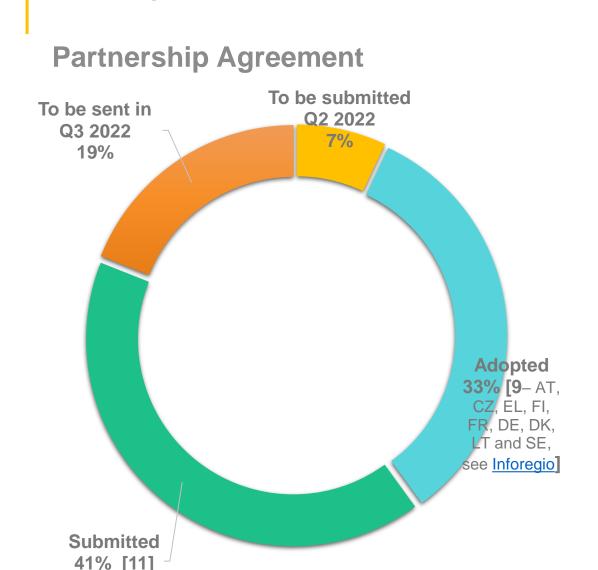
State of play of programming and key issues

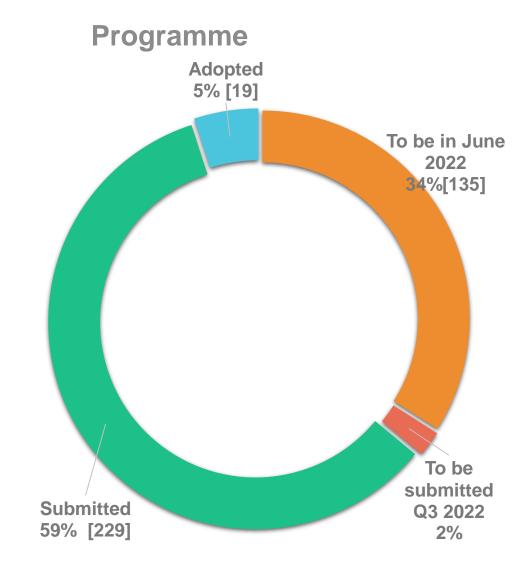
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Progress with cohesion policy programming





General issues for programming

Priority: adopting by end of 2022, Start implementation **Transfers Enabling conditions** JTF/TJTP

General issues for programming

DNSH, Biodiversity, Climate, SUD

Thematic concentration

E-Cohesion, administrative capacity, partnership principle

Ukraine and 2021-2027 programmes



Recurrent environmental issues in draft programmes

- Insufficient allocation to actions contributing to climate and biodiversity objectives
- Circular economy investments (SO 2.6) tend to focus too much on waste treatment and insufficient attention is paid to waste prevention measures and circular solutions
- Residual waste treatment: additional capacities are not eligible under ERDF/CF
- Waste to energy projects are not compatible with the circular economy objective of the DNSH principle
- Green spaces and parks in urban areas: ecosystem services delivered by the GI have to better elaborated
- Soil decontamination and remediation, rehabilitation of industrial sites: public support can only be provided if the "polluter-pays" principle is correctly observed
- Environmental/climate education and 'green skills'/'skills for the green transition' should be integral part of projects and supported under the ESF+
- Flood protection (focus on grey infrastructure)
- Biomass attention needed
- Wastewater (focus on agglomerations under the UWWTD, i.e. above 2 000 p.e.)
- SEA documentation not complete

