



Biodiesel chains

Promoting favourable conditions to establish
biodiesel market actions

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What is the main feature of this project

Goal: understand and promote favourable conditions for the establishment of biodiesel market chains in selected member states which have had limited developments to date.

As such, its main feature is developing strategic plans or planning solutions to enhance biodiesel market in the selected member states, after having analysed both the internal and external environment, in terms of:

- Policies and regulations
- Raw material supply (locally produced, imported),
- Biodiesel producers
- End users
- International trade





What we have achieved

- ✓ Database with active players in BE, BU, CY, GR, PO, RO
- ✓ Good relationship networks with stakeholders
- ✓ Dialog with stakeholders through the national workshops
- ✓ Best practices report for AU, FR, DE, PO and UK
- ✓ Updated national reports on the latest biodiesel developments
- ✓ Draft SWOT analysis for each country involved



What we have learnt

- ✓ There is great publicity (+)
BUT lack of effective communication between farmers and fuel producers (-)
- ✓ Policies and regulations governing biofuels are in place (resources and/or fuels) (+)
BUT lack of strategic directions (-)
- ✓ There are serious concerns on international reliance - biomass/biofuels trade