Cohesion Open Data 2021

REACT–EU + Future of the Open Data Platform

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REACT-EU

- REACT-EU will be programmed in 2021+2022 as part of 2014-2020 programmes
- First adopted amounts are already visible under "finances planned"

Upcoming (early May 2021)

- A new REACT-EU thematic page will make this additional financing and planned achievements transparent (publication early May)
- A new story will provide further data and narrative and act as an adoption dashboard

2014-2020 period

- [ESIF Open Data Platform](#) launched in 2015

- Designed for 2014-2020 funding period

- Maintained by an external company contracted by DG REGIO: SOCRATA

- 2 layers:
  - website that displays data in a user-friendly way,
  - an open data storage with further interactive services.

2021-2027 updated platform - **Scope**

DG REGIO	DG EMPL	DG MARE	DG HOME	DG AGRI
European Regional Development Fund; Cohesion Fund; Just Transition Fund; Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance Neighbourhood Development and International Cooperation Instrument.	European Social Fund +	European Maritime Fisheries and Aquaculture Fund	Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund; Border Management and Visa Instrument; Internal Security Fund;	new Common Agriculture Policy programmes (Pillars 1 & 2)

Updated platform - Design

- homepage will present the two periods separately

- for previous funding period, the elements would be maintained.

- no overview page aggregating the achievements and financial data of all funds.

- cohesion policy will have a page where ERDF, ESF+, CF and JTF achievements and financial data will be aggregated.

- more details on specific objectives, programmes, EU payments and implementation data will be included in later (2022) phases.

Home – **2014-2020** – **2021-2027** – themes - **Countries** – Programmes - **Projects** – **Stories**

Cohesion Overview 2014-2020   **Cohesion Overview 2021-2027**

All Funds 2014-2020   **All Funds 2021-2027**

HEADLINE 1
Follow the adoption of REACT-EU programmes

HEADLINE 3
Coronavirus Dashboard on cohesion policy response

Search the Cohesion Open Data catalog

Cohesion Open Data providing transparent data to EU taxpayers.

Open Data is free public data published by the European Commission on the use of EU budget funds. Check our blog to learn about past and upcoming updates and events.

New to #CohesionOpenData?

Learn what cohesion policy is and what our data offers in our FAQ . Get started with our User Guide.

Dive into the Data

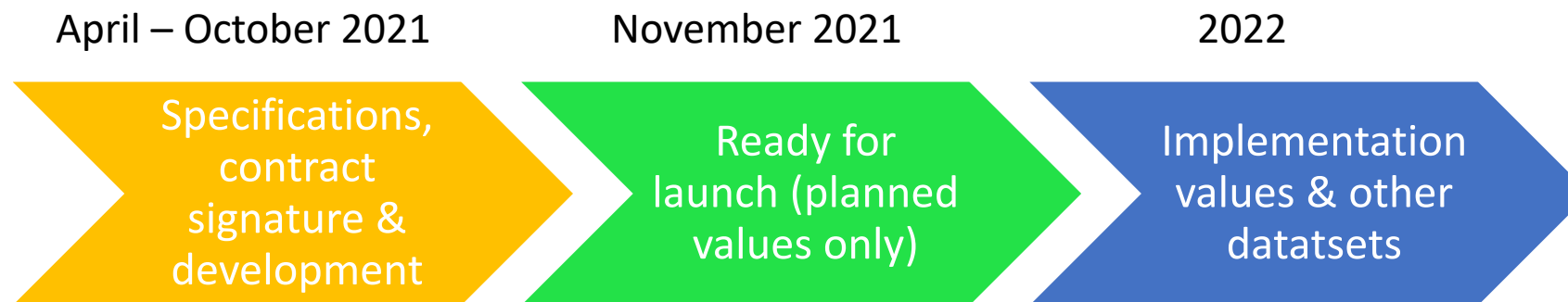Already know what you're looking for? Browse the data catalogue now.

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Updated platform - **Rebranding**

- Now: #ESIFOpenData https://cohesiondata.ec.europa.eu/

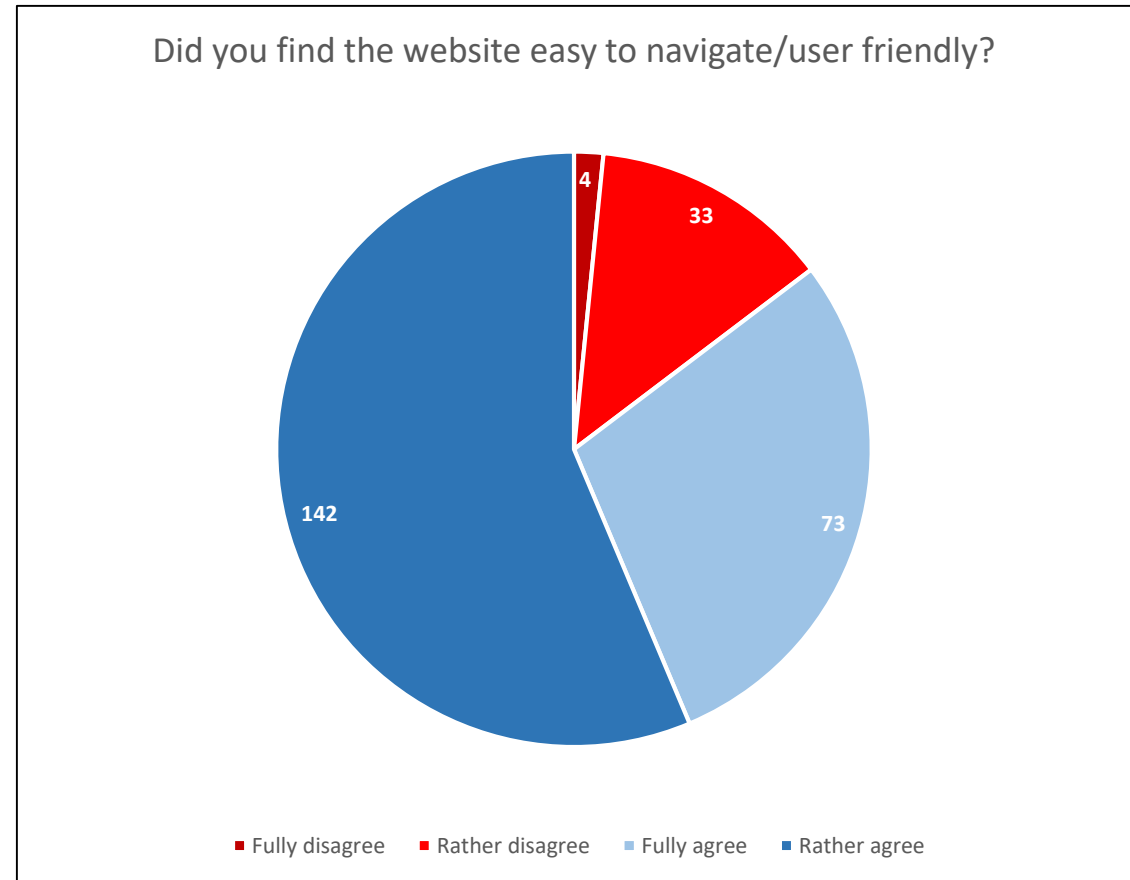   BUT the concept of ESIF is no longer relevant

- For rebranding: Generic => #CohesionOpenData
    - Fund specific: linked with fund pages #AgriOpenData, #HomeOpenData, etc

Timing of the works

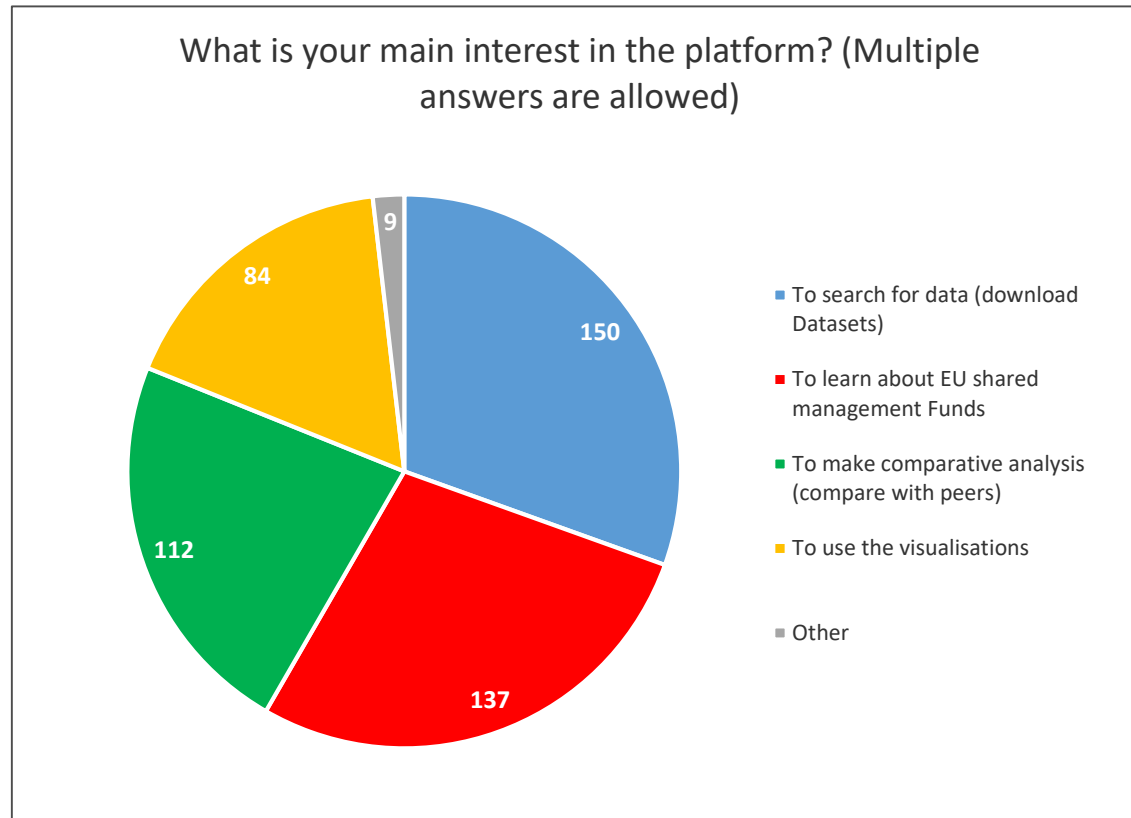| April – October 2021	November 2021	2022
Specifications, contract signature & development	Ready for launch (planned values only)	Implementation values & other datatsets

2021 survey: user satisfaction

- Carried out every 2 years

- User satisfaction & collect ideas for improvements

- 261 replies

- Key stakeholders were invited to participate: EGESIF, EVALNET, Social Partners, etc.

Did you find the website easy to navigate/user friendly?

4 | 33 | 73 | 142

Fully disagree ■ Rather disagree ■ Fully agree ■ Rather agree

2021 user survey: main interest & suggestions

What is your main interest in the platform? (Multiple answers are allowed)

- 150 — To search for data (download Datasets)
- 137 — To learn about EU shared management Funds
- 112 — To make comparative analysis (compare with peers)
- 84 — To use the visualisations
- 9 — Other

Main ideas suggested by the respondents for future improvements :

- Include project level data and improve of the interactive map to display projects

- Add the possibility to filter data by NUTS 2 and NUTS 3 regions

- Display common items to link the 2014-20 and the 2021-27 periods

- Translate the main pages into other EU languages (currently only in English)

- Organize trainings on the possibilities offered by the platform

- Include links to other databases (SEDIA, keep.eu, Interreg.eu)

- Include data on programme-specific indicators

For more survey details : LINK