



Working Together for a Green, Competitive and Inclusive Europe

EUR 809.3 million has been allocated to a number of cooperation programmes with Poland through the EEA and Norway Grants. These programmes are designed to strengthen cooperation between Norway and Poland and to promote social and economic development in Poland.

Innovation and the business sector are being strengthened, with a focus on green industry development and blue growth. We will continue to build on experience gained in the fields of energy and the environment. Research has high priority, with carbon capture and storage as one of several focus areas. In the justice sector, cooperation on the work of the correctional services and the courts will be enhanced. There is a special focus on local development in small and medium-sized cities. Strong support for civil society will be continued.

Thirteen Norwegian agencies are involved as partners in implementing the programmes, and are providing assistance with the recruitment of Norwegian project partners.

EUR 140 million

Energy, the environment
and climate change



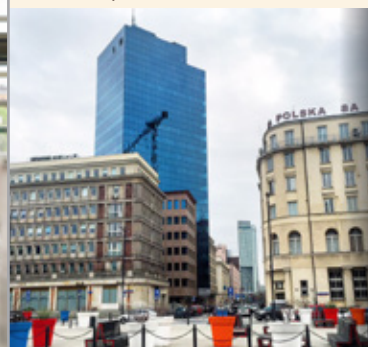
EUR 110 million

Research



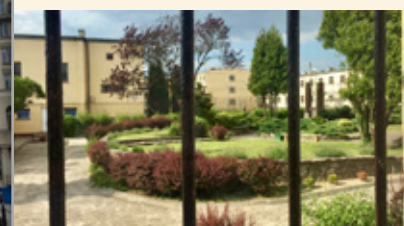
EUR 85 million

Innovation and business
development



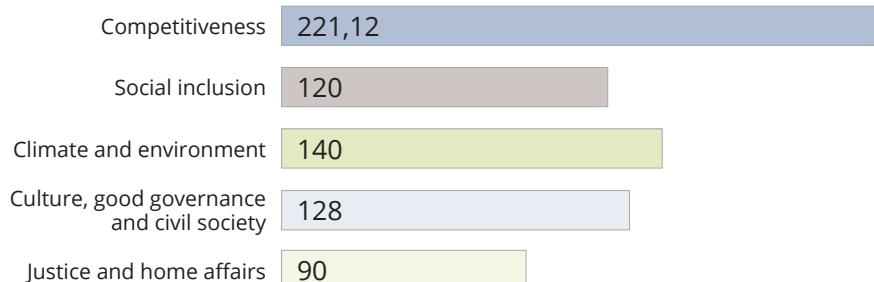
EUR 90 million

Justice and home affairs, with
emphasis on the correctional
services and the courts



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in mill EUR



OVERVIEW OF PROGRAMMES

Programme	Norwegian partner	Allocation (EUR million)
Business development and innovation	Innovation Norway	85
Research	Research Council of Norway	110
Education	Norwegian Centre for International Cooperation in Education	20
Decent work	Innovation Norway	6,12
Local development	Norwegian Association of Local and Regional Authorities (KS)	100
Health	Norwegian Directorate of Health	20
Energy, the environment and climate change	Norwegian Environment Agency Norwegian Water Resources and Energy Directorate (NVE)	140
Culture	Arts Council Norway Directorate for Cultural Heritage	75
Civil society		53
Cooperation on the work of the correctional services and the courts	Ministry of Justice and Public Security Norwegian Court Administration (DA) Norwegian Criminal Correctional Service	70
Migration, international police cooperation and emergency planning	Ministry of Justice and Public Security Directorate for Civil Protection and Emergency Planning	20
Bilateral funds		16,19
Reserve		21,16

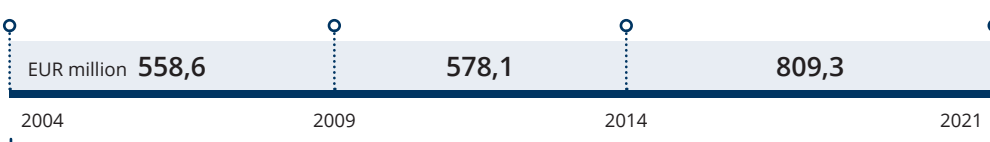
ABOUT THE EEA AND NORWAY GRANTS

The EEA and Norway Grants have their basis in the EEA Agreement. Under the Agreement, Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway are part of the EU's internal market. The EEA Agreement sets out the common goal of working together to reduce social and economic disparities in Europe and strengthening cooperation between donor and beneficiary countries. Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway have allocated EUR 2.8 billion to 15 EU countries for this purpose over a period of seven years. Norway provides just under 98 % of this amount.

The EEA and Norway Grants are an important tool in the Norwegian Government's active European policy, which seeks to promote a green, competitive and inclusive Europe.

FUNDING TO POLAND UNDER THE EEA AND NORWAY GRANTS

Since becoming a member of the EU in 2004, Poland has received funding under the EEA and Norway Grants as follows:



Statistics



Population million	5,2	38,6
Area km ²	385 170	312 679
GDP per capita in EUR	67 100	11 100
Unemployment in percent	4,1	7,2
Trade in mill EUR	4176	



EUR 53 million
Civil Society



Iceland
Liechtenstein
Norway grants

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