

# ERA-Net CIRCLE

Climate Impact Research Coordination for a Larger Europe

## CIRCLE as a funding mechanism

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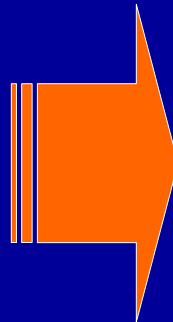


# The ERA-Net idea

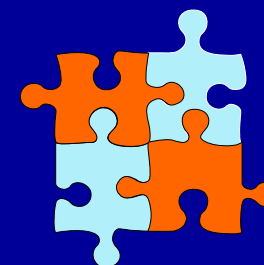
Fly unorganised and waste resources



Get aligned and save resources



**71 % gain of efficiency**  
if bird flu doesn't interrupt us

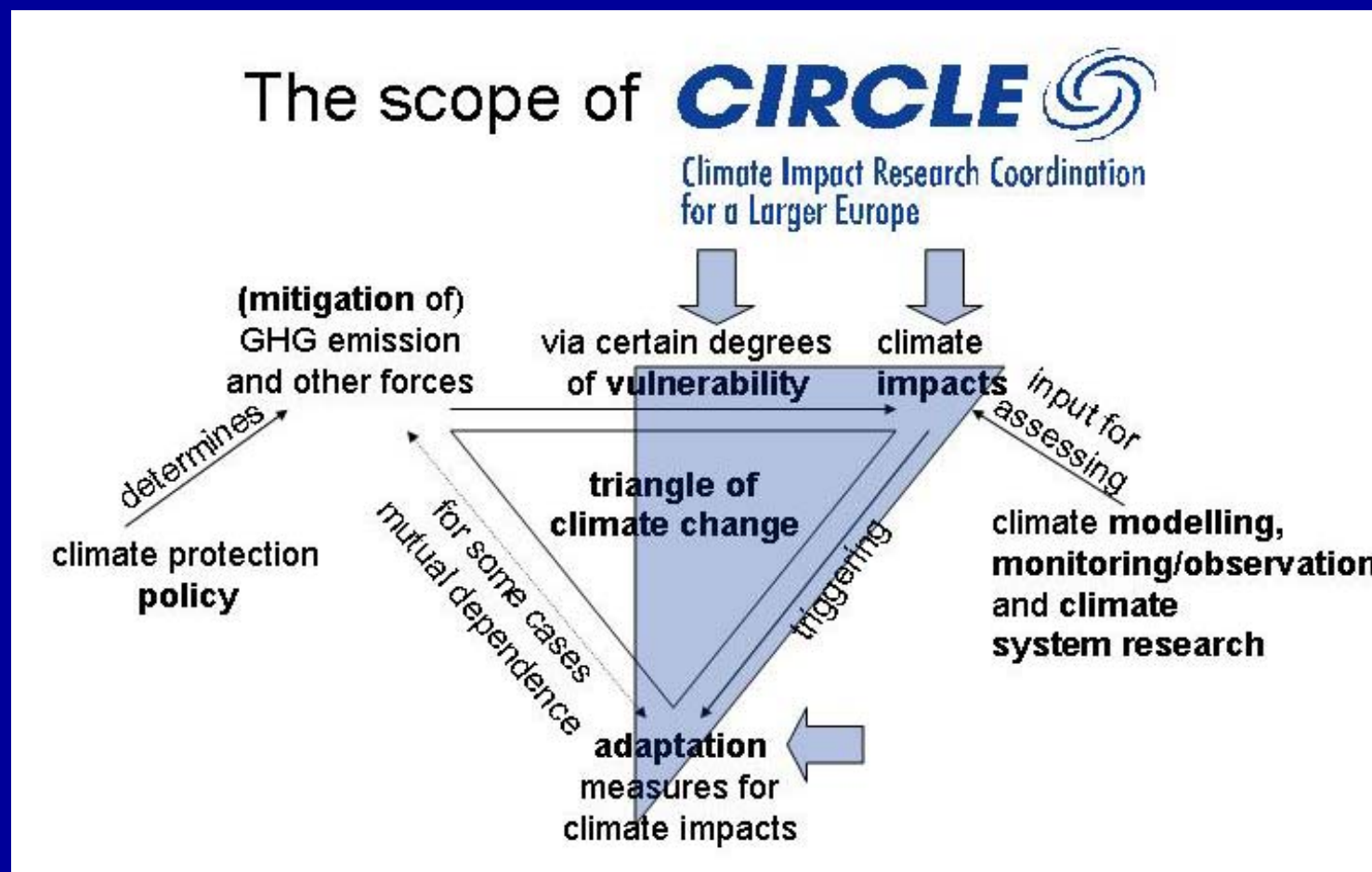


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# The scope of CIRCLE



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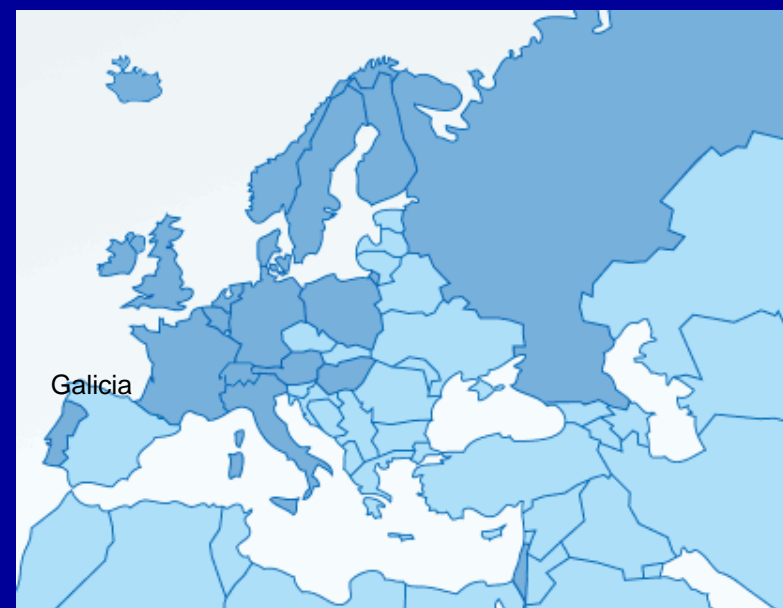
# Short history of CIRCLE

- ▶ CIRCLE's partnership:
  - From seven partner countries in CIRCLE SSA to now
  - 27 partner institutions from 19 partner countries (including observers) in CIRCLE CA



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# CIRCLE – What is happening right now

- ▶ Right now we are developing all necessary “enablers” for transnational joint calls:
  - Topical or geographical CIRCLE working programme(s)  
(maybe CC and tourism will be one of the foci, but that is up to all research funding partners)
  - Common evaluation schemes
  - Modes of operations for joint calls like  
(first joint call is opened since July 11 2007)

“virtual  
common  
pot”

- mutual opening of programmes
- Pooling administration and evaluation, but fund projects nationally

“real  
common  
pot”

- Joint calls with geographical/juste return principle
- Completely open calls

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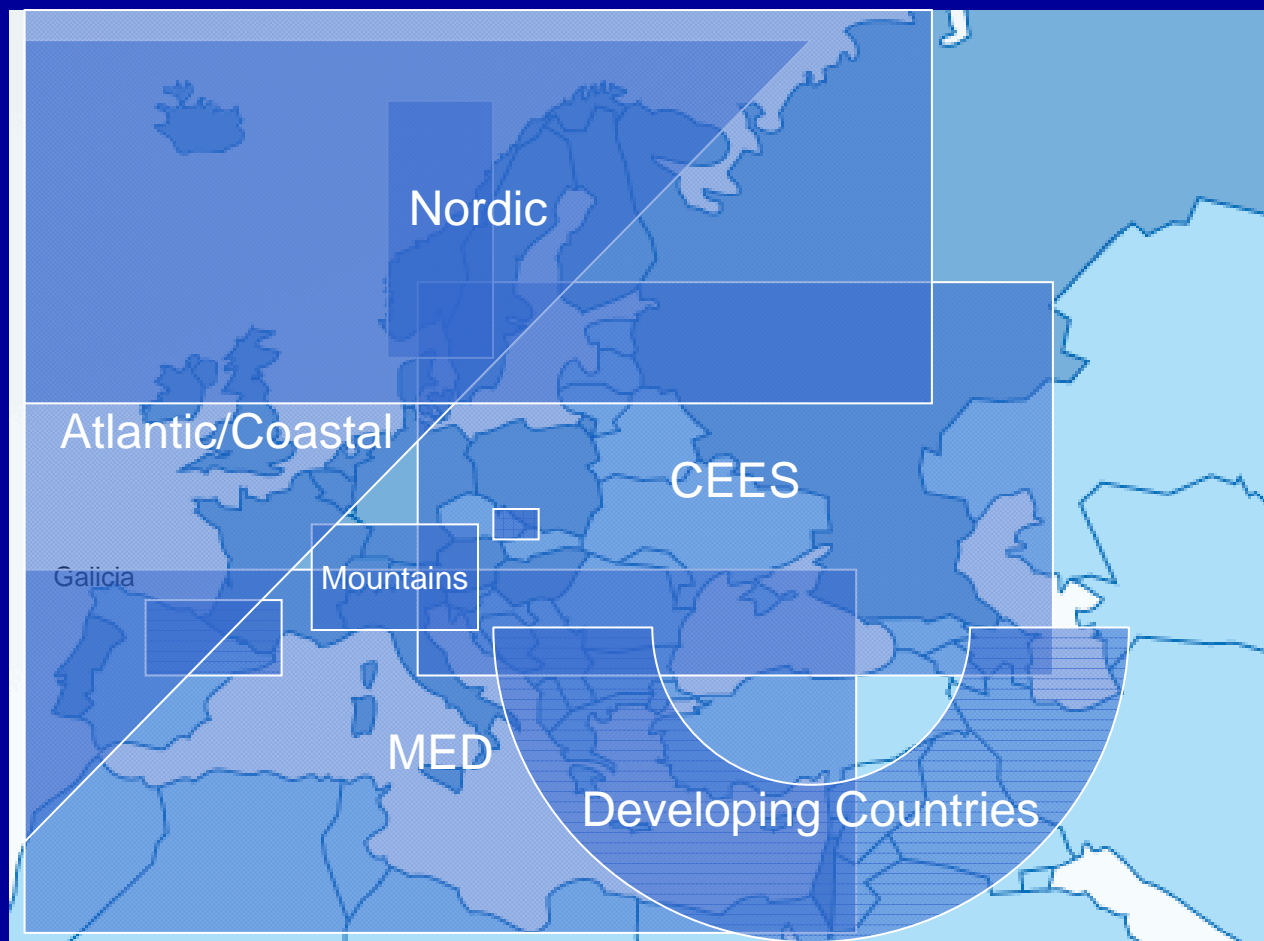
# The CIRCLE GROUPs

Idea behind the GROUP concept:

- ▶ Similar sets of impacts for CC and tourism
- ▶ Possibly joint implementation of adaptation measures

Related Question:

- ▶ One CIRCLE work programme (overarching topics)
- ▶ CIRCLE work programme per GROUP (regionally specific topics)



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# CIRCLE – simplified working plan matrix

WP 1	LEAD: PM, administrative reporting, Organisation, Extension of partnership						
	WP I LEARN	→	WP II PLAN	→	WP III CONNECT	→	WP IV FULFIL
WP 2	CONTINUE: long-term vision beyond 2009, policy watch, ERA-Net plus, Art. 169						
	Information	→	Strategic	→	Joint	→	Transnational
WP 3	GROUP: groups take sets of CC impacts into account for MED, Nordic, Atlantic/Coastal, CEES, DC						
	base	→	foci	→	activities	→	activities/calls
WP 4	SPREAD: detection of target groups and dissemination via Homepage, Newsletter, Roadshows,...						

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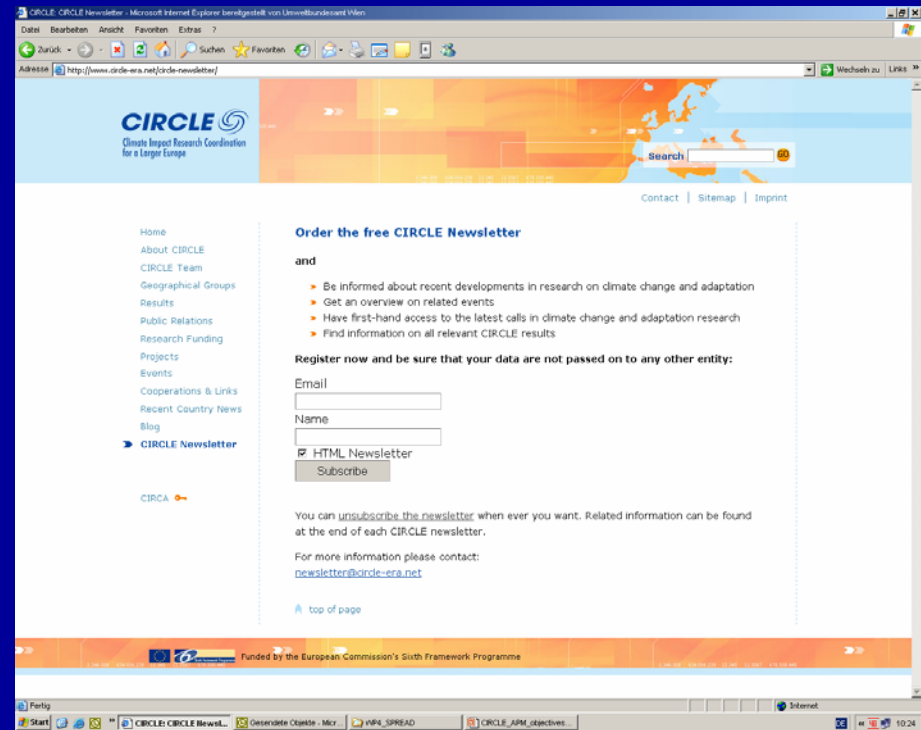
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