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Thematic S3 Partnership

Mining industry and global value chains

Start Date 15.3.2019

MONITORING PROGRESS REPORT

Reporting Period: from January 2019 to June 2019

This Report is presented to the relevant Working/Steering Committee.
It contains three parts:

- I. Management Report prepared by the Lead Region(s)***
- II. Progress Report prepared by the Lead Region(s)***

The report is updated every six months.

Confidentiality: this document (part I) will be made available to the public via your Partnership's web page except for chapter *II.E. Self evaluation*.

Based on the monitoring results, the European Commission will decide on the following term's support.

Executive summary (max. 250 words):

"Mining Industry and global value chain" partnership was accepted in March 2019 by EU Commission. Commission named the contact person in May and first meeting with contact person and leading partner and co leader was held in 28th May in Brussels. In that meeting it was agreed that the main focus of the partnership will be in fostering mining related SMEs. Mining value chain is a key driver in this work. In Brussels it was also agreed that as a starting point of the process it will be made a survey of capable and interested SMEs to join the process to end of June. It was also agreed that other interesting Mining related topics will be able to rise up in further discussions. Due the Scandinavian and middle European summer holiday timing the first meeting of the consortium will be held September 2019.

I. Management Report prepared by the Thematic Platform/Lead Region(s)

I.A. Partnership Action Fact Sheet

- **Partnership:** *Mining industry and global value chains.*
- **Partnership's web-page:** *<http://s3platform.jrc.ec.europa.eu/mining-industry>*
- **S3 Thematic Platform:** *Industrial Modernisation*
 - **Objectives:**
 - *Empowerment of SMEs in Global Value Chains*
 - *Critical raw material production*
 - *New technologies and sustainable mining*
 - *Social acceptance of mining through stakeholder involvement*
 - *Education and training in mining and related industries*

- **Lead Region(s):** *list of regions/countries leading this partnership*

<i>North Kareli , Finland(Leader)</i>
<i>Lapland, Finland, (Co Leader)</i>
<i>Any other comments</i>

- **Official partner regions:** *list of regions/countries that have officially committed to follow this partnership and have been active in the last six months.*

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- **Other regions:** *list of regions/countries that have expressed their interest in this partnership but have not signed a commitment letter).*

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- **Intentions to join:** *list any regional/national authorities*
(*Please list here all other regions that have expressed their interest to join the partnership*)

- **Other participants (other than national/regional authorities):**
(*Please list here all other (non-region) participants (clusters, institutes, RTOs, etc.)*)

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I.B. Thematic Working Areas (WA)

- **Thematic Working Areas** (if any, please list of WAs, region(s) in charge of it, names and affiliations of involved regional/national authorities, and other actors)

Working Area	Region in Charge	Involved regions	Other actors
Empowerment of SMEs in Global Value Chains	not known yet	Other involved regions	Other actors
Critical raw material production	Region in Charge	Other involved regions	Other actors
Social acceptance of mining through stakeholder involvement	Region in Charge	Other involved regions	Other actors
New technologies and sustainable mining	Region in Charge	Other involved regions	Other actors
Any other comments			

I.C. Overview of past activities (past six months, the 1st half of 2019)

Past Meetings

Title	Date	Place
Get accepted in March.	15.3.2019.	Please enter place here...
First meeting with contact person	28.5.2019	Please enter place here...
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Past Workshops

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Past Dissemination Activities

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I.C. Overview of future activities (the next 6 months – the 2nd half of 2019)**Future Meetings**

<i>Title</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>
<i>First partner meeting</i>	<i>Sep 18th (Planned).</i>	<i>Brussels.</i>
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II. Progress Report prepared by the Lead Region(s) of the partnership, describing **results achieved during this period**, in no more than 3 pages (the report is “cumulative”). All items listed in Sections A, B, and C, below, must be addressed.

Additional documentation such as extended technical reports and/or proceedings of workshops may be provided separately as an annex to this report (and should be referenced in the report).

II.A. Innovative results

- Innovative results and achievements that could be attributed to the Partnership. (Specific examples of Results vs. Objectives).

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- Tangible short- and medium-term socio-economic impacts achieved or expected. (Specific examples).

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II.B. Inter-regional and inter-partnership collaborative results

- Additional results obtained from working *with other partnerships* under the thematic S3 Platforms. (Specific examples).

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- Evaluation of the involvement of relevant business sector (clusters, SMEs, business associations, chambers of commerce, Digital Innovation Hubs (DIHs), etcetera) in the Partnership activities. (Specific examples)

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- Evaluation of whether **the level of inter-regional cooperation is sufficient** to potentially provide *practical and relevant socio-economic impacts*. (Specific examples)

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II.C. New activities

- Involvement of regions from EU13 Member States in the Partnership, in particular with respect to scoping, mapping and/or matchmaking. *In addition, justification should be provided if no EU13 regions are involved.*

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- Involvement of regions/countries from outside of EU28 Countries. (Number of participants from non-EU countries. Specify their contribution).

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- Advancement and promotion of the Partnership through publications and other communication/outreach activities. (Number of outreach activities that resulted from the Partnership. A complete list with references and web-links should be given in an annex).

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- Activities and projects with partnerships working under other S3 Thematic Platforms (Agri-Food, Energy and Industrial Modernisation).

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