



RE-PURPOSING COAL POWER PLANTS

# Re-purposing Coal Power Plants during Energy Transition (RECPP)

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Just Transition Platform – Coal Regions Virtual Week and Carbon-intensive Regions Seminar



- Key data
- Impact and innovation
- Work packages Mapping of Sites
- Next Workshop







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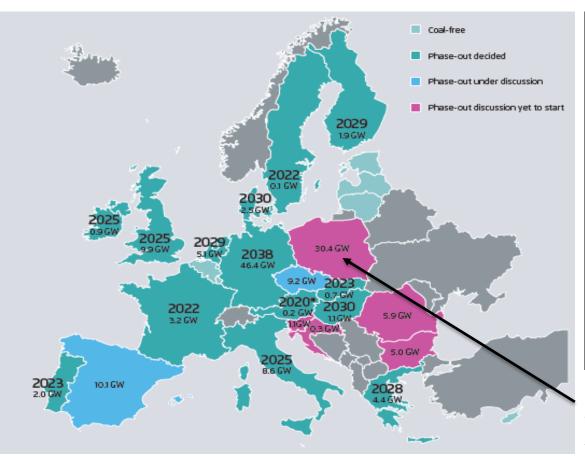
Thirteen European power plant operators and research institutions are core partner supported by further eleven associated partners.



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Political acceptance of coal based generation is falling rapidly, leaving an enormous amount of sites with the situation of valuable assets (infrastructure, staff, etc.) and costly commitments (serving PPAs, steam and energy supply to nearby industry, etc.).

Latest candidate, Poland, agreed on phase-out in 2020

Source: Agora Energiewende / Sandbag (2019)

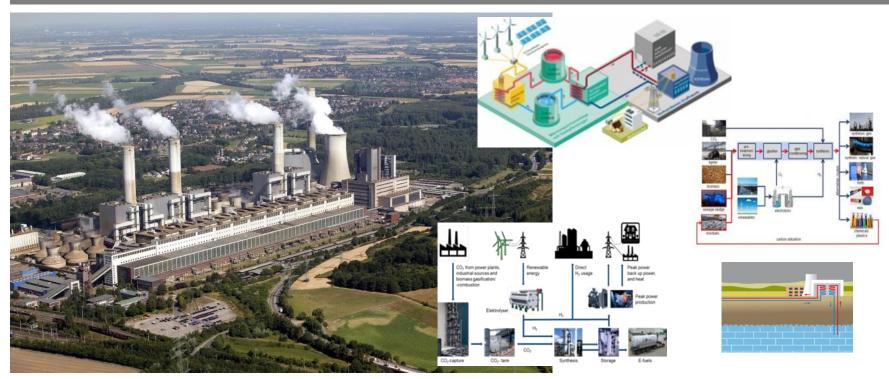
RECPP for the first time explicitly puts coal-fired power plants in the focus. It complements and continues the activities undertaken under Coal Regions in Transition.





# RECPP supports Coal Regions in transition by mapping

- European coal power plant sites
- sustainable solutions for re-purposing

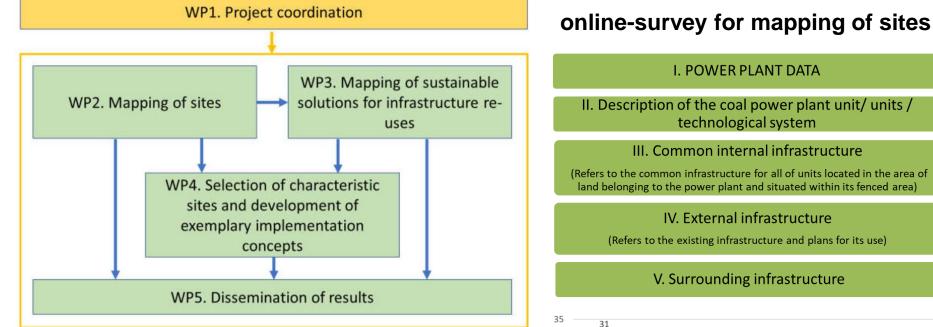


Sites specified and clustered will be matched with available technologies for re-purposing. The results will provide the best sustainable approach for re-purposing of existing equipment and infrastructure.



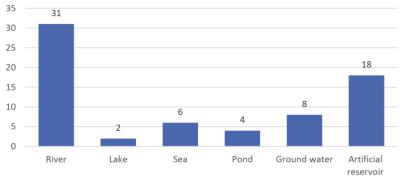
## **RECPP Work Packages - Mapping of sites**





#### Table 3. Common internal infrastructure

Type of infrastructure	exist					doesn't exist
	total	in use	decommissioned			
			total	possibility to re-use for other		
				economic activities		
				yes	no	
Water demineralization	98%	88%	12%	33%	67%	2%
installation						
Water decarbonisation	85%	90%	10%	100%		15%
installation	0370	5070	10/0	100/0		1370
Hydrogen cooling installation	51%	25%	75%	96%	4%	49%
Start-up fuel installation: i.e.						
mazut/ heavy fuel oil/ light fuel oil installation/ gas	96%	86%	14%		100%	4%
Turbine oil installation	98%	92%	18%	20%	80%	2%
Flue gas desulphurization installation	89%	87%	13%	25%	75%	11%
NOx reduction installation	76%	95%	5%	85%	15%	24%



#### Figure 14. Access/proximity to reservoirs and watercourses



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## **RECPP** 2<sup>nd</sup> Workshop





## https://www.recpp.eu

Date

21 May 2021, 09:00-14:30h, Interactive online event Place Interactive online event

Second cross-national RECPP workshop | Results on mapping of coal power plant sites - Collection of feedback from stakeholders: Mapping of re-purposing solutions for coal power plant sites

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Virtual Room 2

Parallel group 1

CO<sub>2</sub> before and after

(Chairperson: Petr Krejci - CEZ)

Virtual Room 3 Parallel group 2 **Green Products** 

Virtual Room 4 Parallel group 3 Energy Storage

Virtual Room 2 Parallel group 4 New aspects of sector coupling (Chairperson: Rainer Fronius - EDF)

Virtual Room 3 Parallel group 5

Sustainable solution based on EU taxonomy

(Chairperson: Pavlos Tyrologou - CERTH)

Virtual Room 4

Parallel group 6

Repowering - the best practicable environmental option

(Chairperson: Michal Jablonski -TGPE)

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