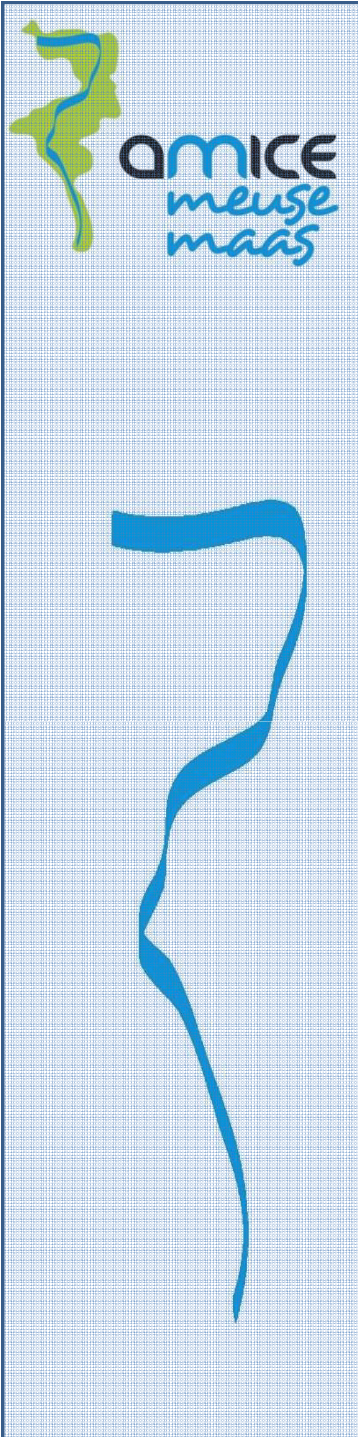


*Adaptation of the Meuse to  
the Impacts of Climate Evolutions*



# The Meuse and transnational cooperation

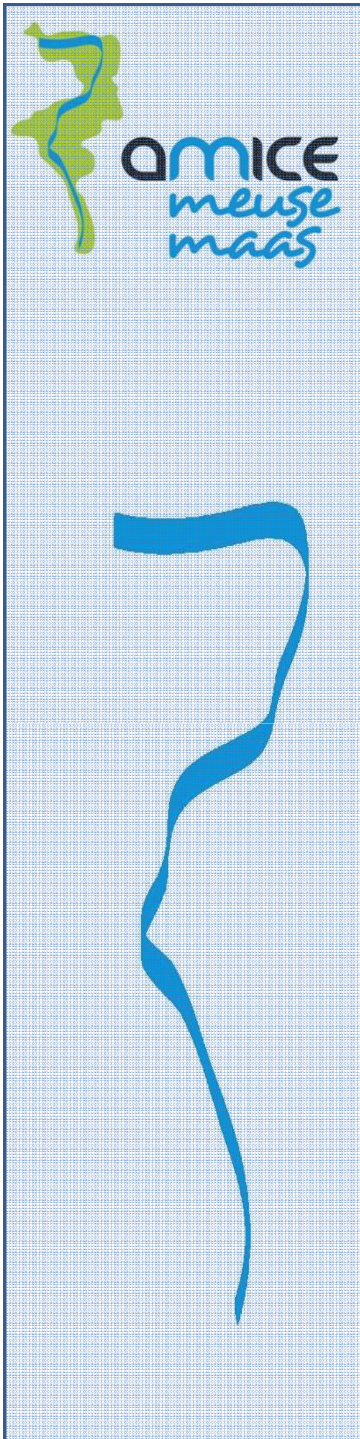
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## 3 dimensions of COHESION POLICY

- Economic
  - Social
  - Territorial**
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- Funding for cooperation
  - Building on your ambitions
  - Building on existing results

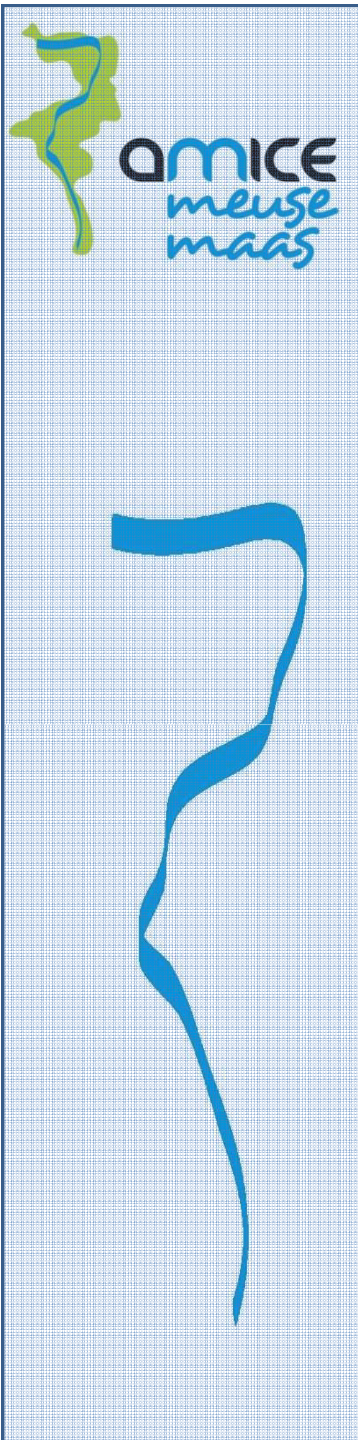


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## AMBITION

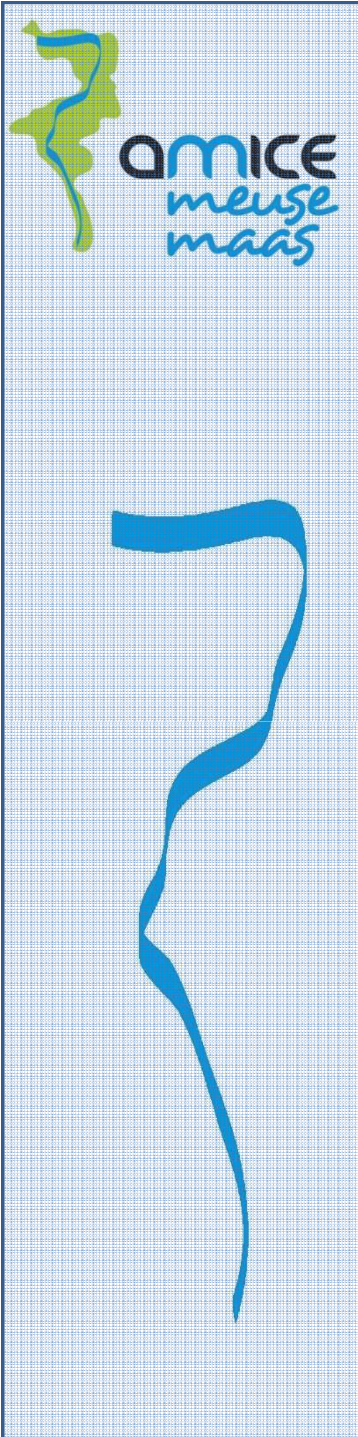
1. Contribute to the creation of a cohesive EU society
2. Competitiveness of NWE
3. Coherent, balanced and sustainable development of NWE

Through an innovative, integrated approach on territorial challenges & cooperation to maximise the development of NWE's territorial potentials/capital



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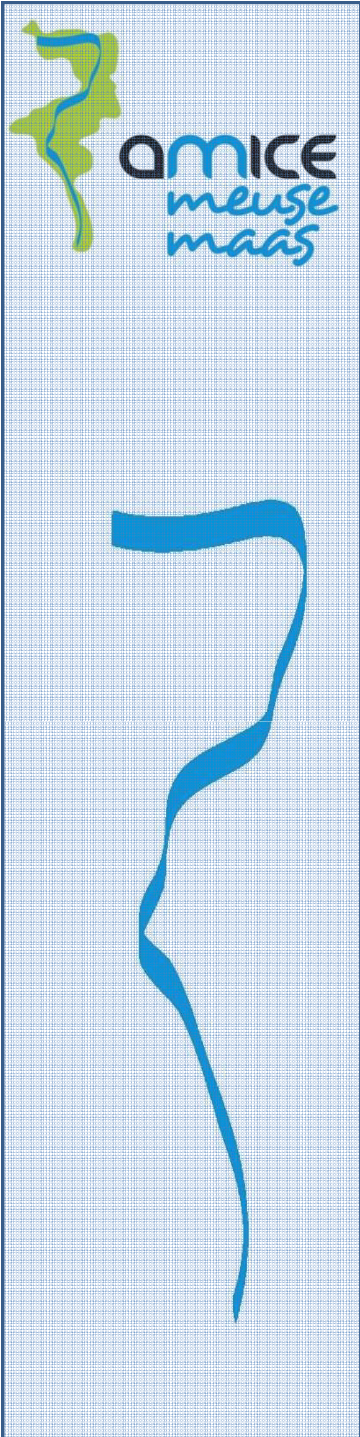


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355MEUR, 108 projects, four priorities: innovation, connectivity, strong and prosperous communities and -

environmental challenges:

29 projects receiving EUR 109.6 million ERDF



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Environmental challenges

Priority 2: Objective 1

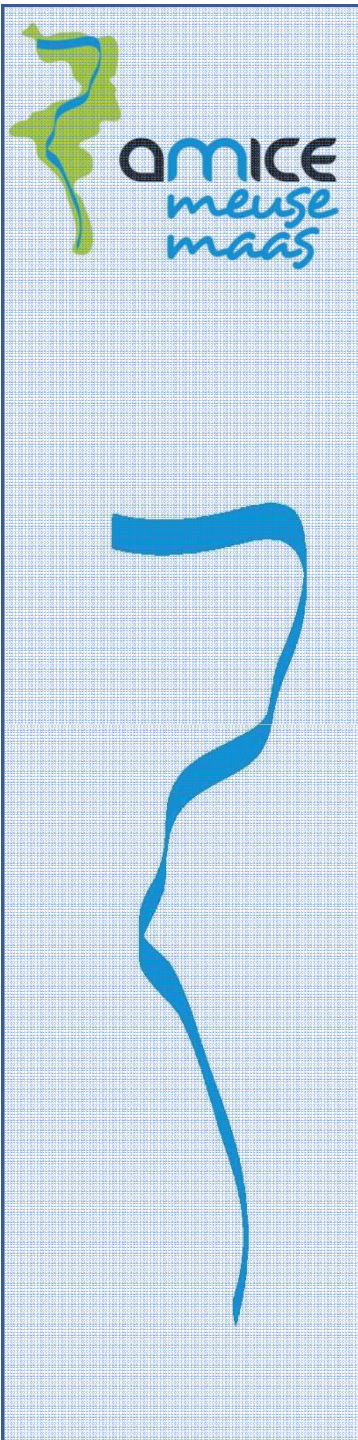
- *Natural resource management including waste*

Priority 2: Objective 2

- *Risk Management (Amice)*

















Priority 2: Objective 3

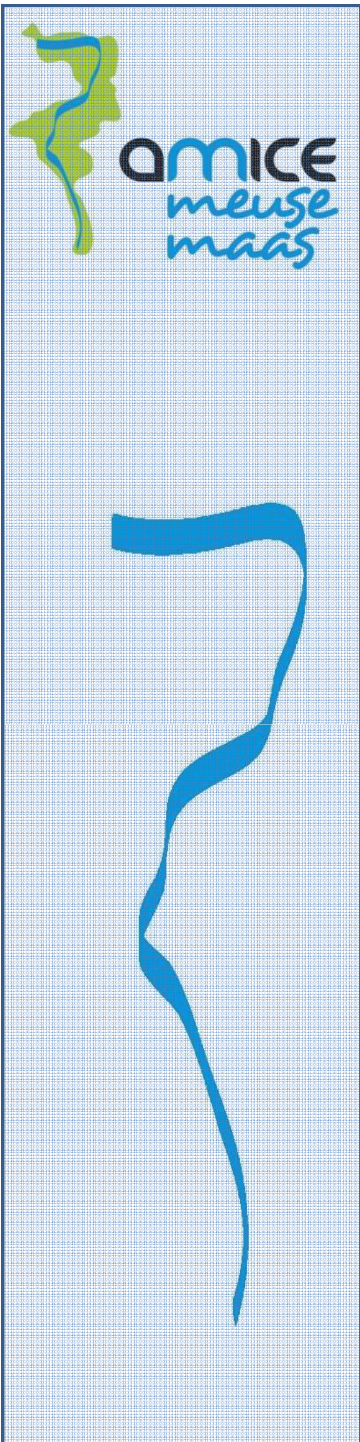
- *Reducing soil, water, air and noise pollution*



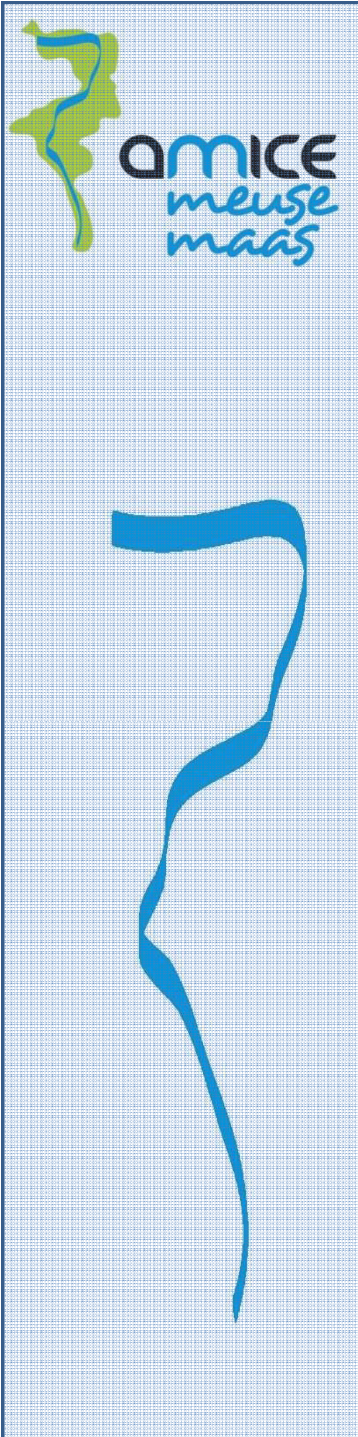
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Cluster:

	The 4 Action Fields			
	1 Built environment	2 Water environment	3 Nature environment	4 Social environment
ALFA				
AMICE				
C-Change				
FRC				
ForeStClim				
Future Cities				
IMCORE				
WAVE				

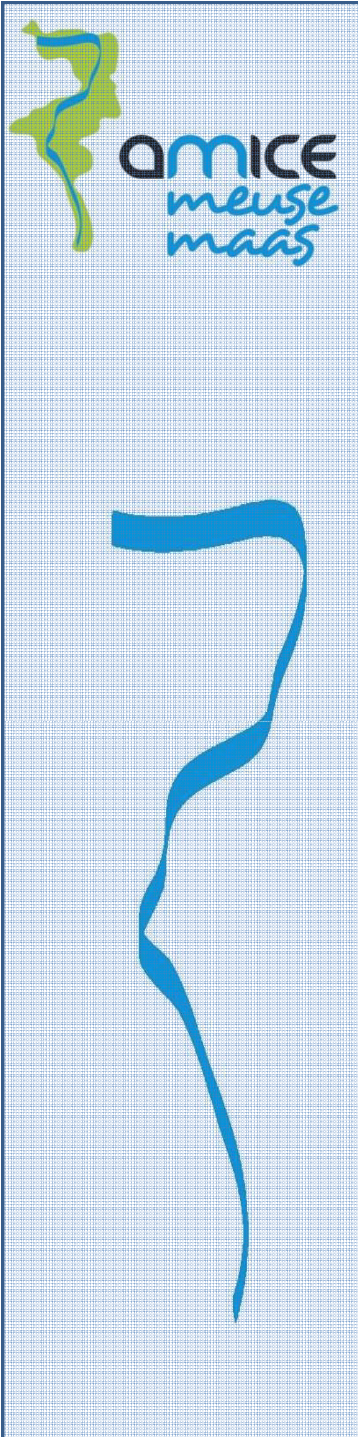






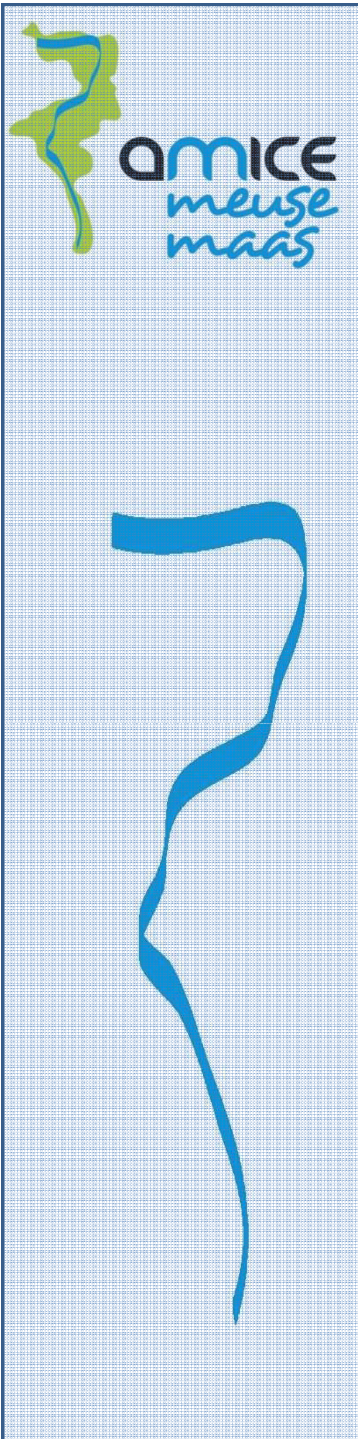
## European Territorial Cooperation 2007-2013 – benefits to regions

- Helps to spread best practice through maximum use of relevant expertise
- Develops models which are transferable across different countries
- Helps to influence and develop governmental policy at regional and national level
- Addressing obstacles in legislative systems and lack of integration of institutional/governance structures
- Helps develop future solutions to larger-scale problems with well-targeted (small-scale) investment



## European Territorial Cooperation 2007-2013 – benefits to organisations

- Building capacity for staff and organisational competence
- Broaden horizons: understand and access new learning
- Develop new approaches & techniques
- Access to European networks (and markets)
- Keep up-to-date with policy developments across Europe



# European Territorial Cooperation 2014-2020

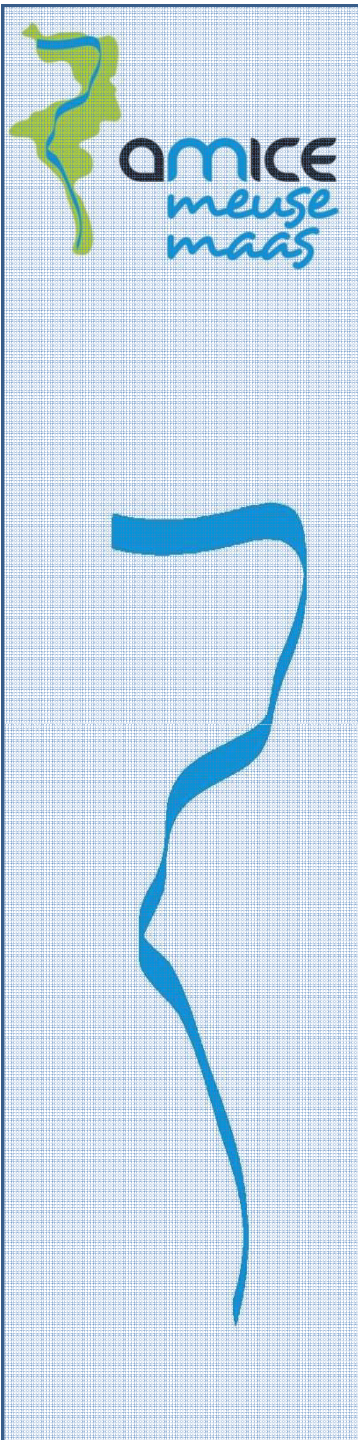
## Aim for 2014-2020 Cohesion Policy

Improved coordination between EU funds

Thematic concentration

Alignment with EU2020

Enhanced result orientation



# INTERREG NWE VB 2014-2020

The following thematic objectives are approved by the member states as priorities for the new programme:

- Strengthening research, technological development and innovation
- Supporting the shift towards a low-carbon economy in all sectors
- Protecting the environment and promoting resource efficiency

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