



#### Regional Resource Efficient and Cleaner Production Demonstration Project

(EaP GREEN 3.1)

#### **Progress Report**

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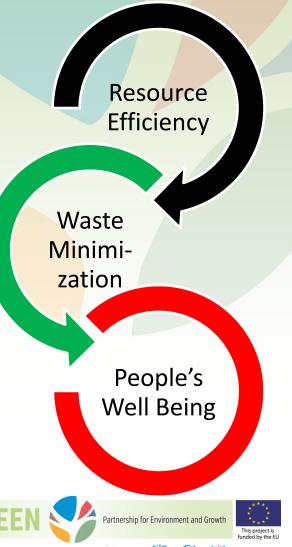






## Resource Efficient and Cleaner Production (RECP)

 Integrated and continued application of *preventive* environmental practices and total productivity techniques to processes, products and services to increase efficiency and reduce risks to humans and environment



### **EaP GREEN: RECP Demonstration Component**



**Experts Training** (2 batches) **Awareness** & Advocacy

**National** Coordination Mechanism

**Results Monitoring** (success stories)

**Demonstrations** (2 batches)

Regional Replication (RECP Clubs (2-3 rounds)

**Technology Gap** Assessment (3 sectors)

Pilot Project Support

Food processing, chemical and construction materials sectors











# 3.1.1 Human and Institutional Capacity Development

#### Regional

- 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> coordination and planning meetings
- Back to back training on RECP
   Financing and RECP Technologies for target sectors

#### **National**

- Completed first round of expert training in all countries – 52 experts qualified for UNIDO RECP award
- Inter-ministerial steering committees operational in 5 countries
- Seven consultative dialogues on RECP domestication covering all countries (jointly with UNU – IAS)







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## 3.1.2 Implementation, Dissemination and Replication

Regional	National
Started with regional self assessment guide	<ul> <li>Completed first round of RECP demonstrations in 45 SMEs from 3 target sectors across six countries</li> <li>National dissemination conferences organized in 4 countries (ARM, AZR, BEL and GEO)</li> <li>Case booklet published for ARM and under preparation in other countries</li> <li>RECP Clubs started in two municipalities in Moldova</li> </ul>









### Asphalt Plant #1, Tbilisi

	FINANCIAL BENEFITS			ENVIRONMENTAL BEBEFITS	
MEASURES	Investments [€]	Savings [€/y]	Payback [y]	Energy [MJ/y]	Material [Units/y]
1. Covering the stock of inert material with a waterproof film	2 900	10 530	0.3	1 259 700	
2. Thermal insulation of metal pipes for bitumen supply.	1 800	7 350	0.3	813 480	
3. Application of invertors	5 500	2 550	2.2	138 600	
4. Safety measures	3 000	n/a	n/a		
5. Installation of electronic faucets	350	520	0.8		280 m³ water
TOTAL	13 550	20 950	0.6	2211780	











### 3.1.3 RECP Technology Support

Regional	National	
<ul> <li>Regional training on RECP technologies for food, construction materials and chemical sectors</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>National roundtable on financing for RECP investment, jointly with DBA</li> </ul>	









#### Messages for Enterprises

- RECP generally makes good business sense
  - Operational costs savings, productivity and quality improvements and reduction of environmental impacts
  - Yet
    - Site specific assessment needed to determine most appropriate solutions
    - Realization of benefits contingent on :
      - Enterpreneurial capacities
      - Policy and regulatory certainty
      - Market expectations and acceptance
      - Real costs for energy, water, waste, waste water and compliance





#### Policy Message

Stronger incentives



Better enterprises



GREEN SMEs





#### Policy Message: Incentivize

- Make it <u>urgent</u> for SMEs to address their resource, environment and climate issues
  - Set up schemes that recognize and reward good performance
  - Ensure full compliance and set long term goals
  - Use fiscal and pricing instruments that value natural assets

#### Policy Message: Ease

- Make it <u>easier</u> for SMEs to adapt and adopt green techniques and practices
  - Improve the Accessibility
  - Improve the Applicability
  - Improve the Affordability
    - For information, advisory services, techniques and finance









#### Thank You

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