

## BiG>East - OBJECTIVES

The objective of BiG>East is to promote the production and use of biogas as a secure and sustainable energy source in six target countries of Eastern and Southern Europe: Bulgaria, Croatia, Latvia, Romania, Slovenia and Greece.



This will be achieved by knowledge transfer from biogas experts of Western Europe to farmers, biogas plant operators and decision makers in Eastern Europe.

Thereby, BiG>East will increase both the quality and the number of installed biogas plants in the target countries.

## BiG>East - ACTIVITIES

- In each of the target countries a detailed **study on the biogas potential** will be elaborated.
- **Studies on barriers** (policies, financing, administrative, legislative, etc.) against the implementation of biogas technology in the target countries will be developed.
- A **training handbook** for farmers will be elaborated in English and translated to national languages of the target countries.
- **Training courses for farmers** will be organised and implemented in each target country.
- Promising sites for the set-up of new biogas plants will be defined and presented as **show cases** to decision makers in all target countries.
- **Mobilization campaigns** will be organised in all target countries in order to convince decision makers and funding bodies to support dedicated biogas projects.
- **Dissemination workshops** and **technical study tours** for farmers and biogas plant operators will be organised.



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