

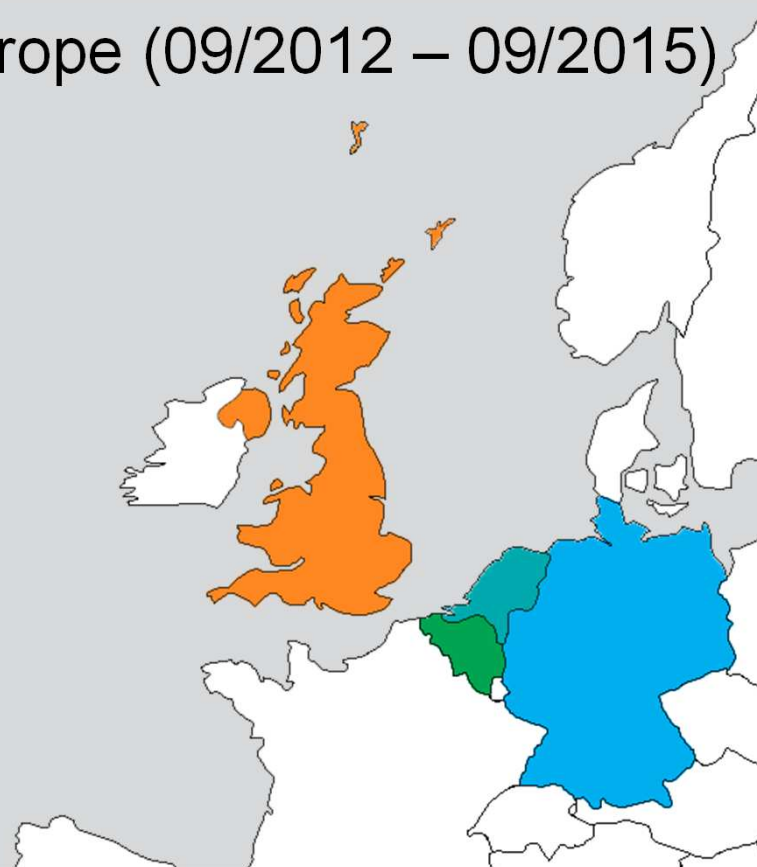


PROJECT OVERVIEW

Project information - data

- INTERREG IVB North West Europe (09/2012 – 09/2015)
- Partnership:

RSPB (LP)	UK
Surrey County Council	UK
ILS	D
VLM	BE
Province of Limburg	NL
IKL Foundation	NL
ENCI	NL

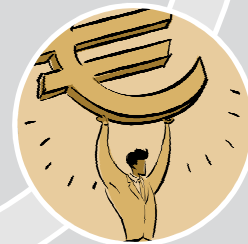


What is RESTORE about?

Project aim:

- To address the challenge of environmental degradation across NWE by **developing a framework** for the restoration of minerals sites (quarries), to provide **benefits for biodiversity, habitats and local people.**

Restoration
of mineral
extraction
sites



Work Packages

WP1 Policy into practice [Lead: Surrey County Council]

- Place the work of the RESTORE project into its policy context
- Driving force for the work with policy-makers and legislators
- Aim: Capture, develop and share the knowledge and learning accumulated both within and beyond the project

WP2 Best practices in restoration and aftercare of post-extraction sites [Lead: VLM]

- Identify, innovate and disseminate good and best practice in site restoration and aftercare
- Demonstrate restoration design planning, active restoration and common problems
- Contains actions at selected restoration sites across NWE

Work Packages

WP3 Develop a project website including an interactive map to inform delivery of high quality restoration [Lead: RSPB]

- Provide the main means of communicating to target audiences and the public transnationally
- Bringing strategic information together in one place

WP4 Understanding ecosystem services and the economic value of minerals sites restoration [Lead: ILS]

- Capture a variety of ESS benefits (primary data collection)
- Use site specific approaches to measure those benefits and their values
- Combine this with policy contexts and visualisation

Upcoming RESTORE Events

- June 2014 Mid-term Conference in Dortmund, Germany
- June 2015 Final Conference in Brussels, Belgium