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Finnish TNC-projects

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TNC-projects, Leader+

- 100 projects
- Co-operation with 17 countries
- The most popular countries were: Italy, Ireland, Estonia, Sweden, Germany, Spain and France
- Results: networking, disseminating best practices

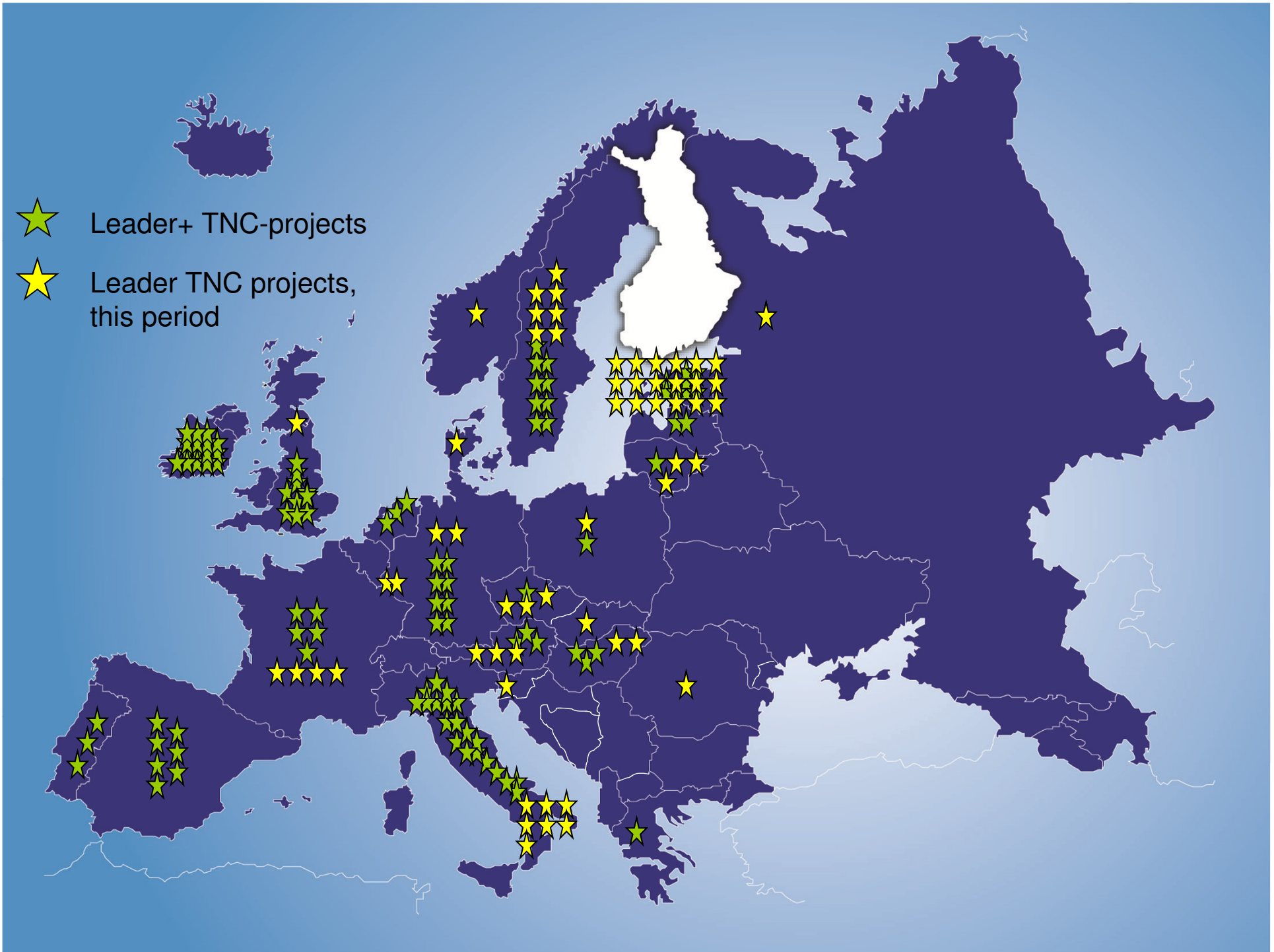


TNC-projects, this period

- **42** approved TNC-projects, several projects are waiting for approval
- **73** preliminary surveys in order to build TNC-projects
- **52** co-operation offers on TNC-database
- **21** Finnish LAGs have implemented TNC projects, which is 38 % of Finnish LAGs
- Project partners are from **18** countries: Estonia, Sweden, Italy, France, Lithuania, Czech, Slovakia, Austria, Hungary, Germany, Luxemburg, Denmark, Poland, UK, Slovenia, Norway, Romania and Russia

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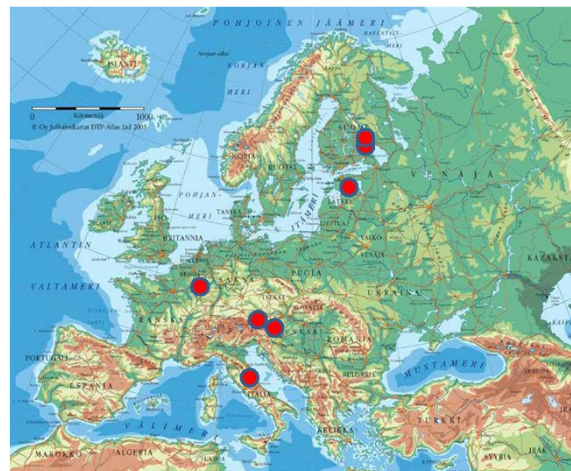


TNC-projects, budgets and themes

- Average total budget is 96 000 euros.
- The range of the budgets is wide: from 15 000 euros up to 193 000 euros.
- Themes: the most popular themes have been:
 - youth issues: awareness-raising, networking, building interest to rural development
 - developing local business, especially tourism,
 - village development,
 - environmental issues: awareness, lake renovation, sustainability
 - local culture, traditions and activities

Example: CULTrips 2010-2013

- Finland: Joensuu Region and Jetina
 - Estonia: Raplamaa
 - Luxemburg: Redange-Wiltzin
 - Austria: Urfahr-West Oststeirisches Kernland
 - Italy: Valle Umbra e Sibillini
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- Objective: building socio-cultural village tourism concept. Take visitors as a part of village life.
 - Test trips, trainings, knowledge exchange, marketing material
 - First contacts were made at Evora Leader Conference 2007!



Example: Dare to Dream 2010-2012

- Finland: Outokaira tuottamhan
- Sweden: Leader Tornedalen
- Estonia: Pärnu Lahe Partnerluskogu
- Objective: find new innovations and methods in rural tourism, handcrafts and natural products.
- Workshops, product development, study trips, product panels.
- First contacts were made at Levi Leader seminar 2009!



Example: Folk Summer School 2010-2011

- Finland: Aktion Österbotten
- Sweden: Leader Hälsingebygden
- Objective: create new and interesting folk music activities. Engage and stimulate young people within the area of folk music.
- Two folk music summer schools for young people.
- Only nine months from idea to end of implementation.
- Second project is going on.



Thank you !

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