

## New Action Plan in the Atlantic

Delivering blue economy since



## Building up on four key objectives

- Promote entrepreneurship and innovation
- Protect, secure and enhance marine and coastal environment
- Improve accessibility and connectivity
- Create a socially inclusive and sustainable model of regional development



4 cooperating countries



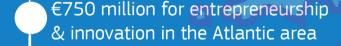


Over 1200 new maritime projects

worth €6 billion of investments



500 projects for a sustainable blue economy in the Atlantic





A cleaner and safer Atlantic

Almost 500 environmental projects worth €2.1 billion in the Atlantic area



A better-connected Atlantic

Around 100 projects worth 2.4 billion € improving accessibility & connectivity



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A socially inclusive Atlantic

Around 100 projects worth €360 million enhancing regional development



New Thematic focus

Leading New Governance

mechanism

New Monitoring framework

## Four new thematic priorities emerged



- **Atlantic ports**
- as gateways & hubs for the blue economy
- Blue skills & ocean literacy
- Building new generations of Atlantic citizens
- Marine renewable energy
- Achieving carbon neutrality & the EU Green deal
- Coastal resilience and healthy ocean
- For societies & ecosystems

Ambitious and innovative funding opportunities



BlueInvest platform: an innovative way for early-stage businesses, SMEs and scale-ups to access finance.

European Maritime and Fisheries Fund European Regional Development Fund

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National & Regional Public Private Funds

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International dimension

