

# ASSESSMENT OF POLICY INTERRELATIONSHIPS AND IMPACTS ON SUSTAINABILITY IN EUROPE



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APRAISE - Assessment on Policy Interrelationships and Impacts on Sustainability Europe is a project funded from the European Union's Seventh Programme for research, technological development and demonstration aiming towards assisting European policymakers to achieve environmental objectives under different circumstances, by designing effective, efficient and efficacious policy mixes, which are socially acceptable and secure Europe's competitiveness.





### **NEWS & EVENTS**

### **APRAISE Final Conference**



With a deal on the EU's 2030 climate and energy policies foreseen in October 2014, the APRAISE Final Conference "What Role for Targets in EU Climate and Energy Policy? - Lessons from the APRAISE project for Improved Environmental Policy Making" was successfully implemented on the 24<sup>th</sup> of September 2014, in Brussels, Belgium.

The APRAISE Final Conference, drew on the results of the APRAISE project

assessing how past experience in environmental policy making can contribute to more informed decisions for the future, while it also highlighted that climate and energy policies are not formulated within an isolated policy context, but rather implemented in existing (market) systems. Finally, the APRAISE Final Conference based on the APRAISE case studies in the area of renewable energy and energy efficiency policies, therefore providing for a better understanding of the mechanisms of environmental policy.

Visit the APRAISE Website for the event's material other info!



# **APRAISE Synthesis Document**

The APRAISE Synthesis Document has been released!

The report summarizes the results obtained from the entire operation of the APRAISE project towards understanding policy contexts and stakeholder behaviour for consistent and coherent environmental policies.

The APRAISE Synthesis Document is available here!

# **APRAISE Policy Instrument Database**

The APRAISE Policy Instrument Database has been developed and is now available at the APRAISE Website!

The APRAISE Policy Instrument Database is an essential, user friendly tool which assists in the "on the spot" representation of the results obtained from the APRAISE case studies. It is useful whether someone is interested in the impact of the EU energy directive, in the policy interactions in the fields of sustainable buildings or in the sustainable and energy efficient development, among many others.

<u>APRAISE Policy Instrument Database</u>: Only three simple steps are needed, Select Case Study, Select Country and Select Policy Instrument!



### 2<sup>nd</sup> APRAISE Video



The 2<sup>nd</sup> APRAISE Video has been released and is available in the APRAISE Website!

It presents the results from the implementation of the APRAISE methodology, in six case studies, each involving two countries and key environmental policy areas. These results are depicted in an interactive and easy to grasp way!

The 2<sup>nd</sup> APRAISE Video is available here!

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