New Energy Solutions Optimised for Islands



Insular areas face challenges when it comes to waste management due to their intrinsic characteristics of isolation and strong seasonality.

## what is the project about?

- The proposal promotes local circular economy in los Island by the valorization of biowaste for biogas production.
- A biogas production facility including an Anaerobic Digestion (AD) unit and a Combined Heat and Power (CHP) unit will be installed in the premises of a local cheese factory.
- By-products of cheese making, as well as other agrofood waste (from olive oil mills, wineries and manure) as well as sludge from municipal wastewater treatment, will feed the facility.

## How will the EU Islands Facility NESOI support the project?

- Assessment of the key project sizing drivers
- Evaluation of the primary technological solution in comparison with other possible solutions
- Definition of the required environmental permitting procedures
- Cost Benefit analysis and socio economic and environmental impact evaluation
- Definition of the technical, economic and financial, fiscal project inputs
- Risk analysis and identification of available mitigation strategies
- Assessment of existing procurement options
- Financial modelling and identification of target scenario
- Identification of financing/funding options
- Action plan and identification of project monitoring procedures

The EU Islands Facility NESOI is pleased to introduce the clean energy projects receiving its support:

## **B-IOS**

## Promoting green and circular economy through biomass exploitation in los





Chora, the island's main town

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