



## **RoundBaltic Learning Event**

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## crossCert - Overview



■ Title: Cross Assessment of Energy Certificates in Europe

Call/Topic: Next-generation of Energy Performance Assessment and Certification (H2020-LC-SC3-EE-2020-2)

Type of action: Coordination and support action

Duration: 1<sup>st</sup> Sept. 2021 - 31<sup>st</sup> Aug. 2024 (36 months)

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#### Coordinator





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Polish Partner:



Danish Partners:

EC Network



### **Objectives**

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# Cross-assessment of current and next generation EPCs on 140 buildings, to develop:

- 1. Benchmark repository of curated building data, certificate results and, where available, measured performance results of buildings.
- 2. Technical guidelines for the next generation of EPCs (to reduce the performance gap, to implement the new KPIs, to present the renovation measures to the building owner and to verify and control the EPC quality)
- 3. Guidelines and tools for the exploitation of EPC data
- 4. Guidelines for the design of people-centred EPCs, for a better user experience, better training and education of certified EPC issuers and to market new EPCs
- 5. Recommendations for the harmonisation of next generation EPCs, based on the cross-testing and assessment of the current and new EPC approaches.
- 6. Web-based EPC knowledge exchange centre
- 7. Creating of an EPC community forum

## Three testing rounds

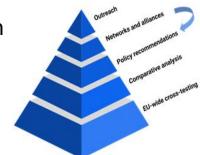


## Exchange of knowledge among European stakeholders on existing and new EPCs:

- A wide cross-certification exercise among 10 European countries
- 140 buildings in total is being tested representing the most common typologies

#### **Three** rounds of cross-assessments are planned:

- The first, one with existing EPC procedures: Each team in each country will use their existing EPC procedures to assess buildings in other countries (differences, accuracy, gaps, robustness etc.)
- The **second and third** rounds will use the EPC procedures available from recent initiatives: QualDeEPC, U-CERT, X-tendo, ePANACEA, E-DYCE, D^2EPC and EPC-RECAST.



# Some expected outcomes – of relevance for energy efficiency financing:



- Adapting EPCs to user and investor needs:
  - Overview of steps and requirements necessary to develop a digital version of energy certificates adapted for end-users
  - ✓ Increase the value of EPCs for potential investors set a dialogue with stakeholders in order to know the information needed to decide on a potential investment
  - ✓ Standardized guidelines and instructions on how to implement data necessary
    for the investors in the next generation EPCs
  - Analysis and evaluation of possibilities of connecting next-generation EPCs with energy audits, logbooks and building renovation passports (BRPs)
  - Recommendations and guidelines to integrate these options in one-stop-shop structures motivating and assisting building owner in planning and implementing EE measures

## **Current testing in Round 1**



- DK is testing 4 Polish buildings and 3 Croatian buildings (In the Danish national software)
- Poland is testing 5 Danish buildings, 3 UK buildings and 1 Austrian building
- Croatia is testing 2 Danish buildings. UK and Austria is testing 1
   Polish building each.

#### Results:

- 1. The EPC for the building in the country
- 2. The Country Neutral Result Report (EE measures recommended
- A short report by the visiting partner comparing the experience in generating the EPCs in both countries
- 4. A comparison of the results of the robustness

Results available July - Sept 2022

### **Testowanie w fazie 1:**



- W tej chwili trwa wprowadzanie danych pierwszego budynku, zarówno w Danii, jak i Polsce
- Główne wyzwania:
- Różnica w oprogramowaniu
- Metody wprowadzania danych
- Dokumentacja rysunkowa
- Dane klimatyczne
- Czas

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#### **Read more:**

https://www.crosscert.eu/

#### https://www.crosscert.eu/standard-titel/deliverables

Download: D2.4 - EPC Cross-testing

Procedure

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