# BioRES | Biomass trading centres calculation tool



### Calculation tool for the establishment and operation of biomass trading centers

Biomass Logistic and Trade Centres (BLTCs) are local or regional centres with optimised logistics and trading organization, where different woody bioenergy products (or heat) are marketed at standardised quality focusing on the domestic market uptake. It's an innovative business model competitively operating as an intermediator to organise local woody bioenergy value chains between local biomass suppliers and customers of different scale from private households up to deliveries to heat and power plants. BioRES supported setting-up such BLTCs in Bulgaria, Croatia and Serbia.

Starting point are web-based marketing and sales platform with limited physical infrastructure. This can be successively extended into a BLTC with its own production, storage and logistics facilities when the local market reaches critical volumes allowing for the amortization of investments. In Slovenia, Austria, Germany and Finland BLTCs of different shape with own production, storage and logistic facilities are competitively operating. BioRES aims to setting up at least 6 – 8 new BLTCs in distributed over at least 2 of the 3 countries in Croatia, Serbia and Bulgaria during the project.

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DETAILS	
ORIGIN OF WOOD	MOBILIZATION POTENTIAL
TYPE OF WOOD	SUSTAINABILITY POTENTIAL - VALUE
KIND OF WOOD CONCERNED	EASE OF IMPLEMENTATION
IMPACT ON ENVIRONMENT & BIODIVERSITY	EASE OF IMPLEMENTATION - EVALUATION
INCOME EFFECT	KEY PREREQUISITES
EXPLOITATION POTENTIAL	TYPE OF EVENT WHERE THIS BPI HAS BEEN FEATURED
HUB Northern Hub	JOB EFFECT
ECONOMIC IMPACT	COSTS OF IMPLEMENTATION ( EURO - € )
SPECIFIC KNOWLEDGE NEEDED	

MORE DETAILS

**CHALLENGE ADDRESSED** 

5.- Enhance economic and environmental

performance of forest supply chains

**KEYWORDS** 

biomass; logistics

**COUNTRY OF ORIGIN** 

Austria

DOMAIN

Harvesting, infrastructure, logistics

Wood energy industry

**DIGITAL SOLUTION** 

No

**SCALE OF APPLICATION** 

Regional/sub-national

TYPE OF SOLUTION

Collaboration platforms, logistical hubs

INNOVATION

Yes

START AND END YEAR

2015 - 2018

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REFERENCES
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MAIN WEBSITE

http://bioresproject.eu/

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**RESOURCES** 

**BioRES presentation (2015)** 



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