



Agenzia per la coesione territoriale

Ufficio I – Relazioni istituzionali, affari legislativi e politiche comunitarie, comunicazione

On the website of the Italian Agency for Territorial Cohesion you can find the summary in English language of the second “Report on financial instruments co-financed by the European Structural and Investment Funds”, dealing with loans, guarantees and equity capital investments envisaged by the Italian Operational Programmes for implementing the cohesion policy.

The Report comprises four chapters on:

- 1) market dynamics: loans, guarantees provided by credit consortia (*confidi*), equity capital;
- 2) programming financial instruments, tracking the map of resources allocated for these actions;
- 3) implementing financial instruments, with a detailed account of the procedures and financial information for each measure;
- 4) system activities carried out by the Agency for Territorial Cohesion to promote the strategic and functional convergence of financial instruments.

The statistical annex, in Excel, contains all the data and additional information in an open data format to facilitate its use also outside the Agency.

This Report pursues a range of objectives:

- providing a summary overview of the underlying dynamics of the financial processes, which represent a key focus of the public policies implemented through the financial instruments co-financed by ESIF;
- providing comprehensive and detailed information on implementation and results achieved by each financial instrument, on a comparative basis, as a means for improving the related management strategies and solutions and delivering objective-consistent results;
- disseminating knowledge of the system activities promoted by the Agency for Territorial Cohesion, and implemented in partnership with central and regional Administrations;
- effectively meeting the accountability requirements, in relation to each specific segment of the financial instruments, since a greater transparency is beneficial for the public debate, as well as for the efficiency, efficacy and cost-effectiveness of administrative actions.

The summary is available at www.agenziacoesione.gov.it/lacoesione/le-politiche-di-coesione-in-italia-2014-2020/strumenti-e-programmi/strumenti-finanziari, along with the full Italian version and the statistical annex.