



# 4 Newsletter

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## FOREST OWNERSHIP CENTRE



## LIFE16 CCM/ES/000065

### **CLIMARK**

Forest management promotion for climate change mitigation through the design of a local market of climatic credits

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#### **NEWSLETTER**

In order to keep subscribers and interested parties informed, newsletters on news and developments of the LIFE CLIMARK project have been published annually. This document shows an inventory of the newsletters published, the languages in which they are published, the date of publication and the internet addresses where they can be consulted. Variations in publications from the approved project are listed and justified.

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#### 1. Objectives of the action

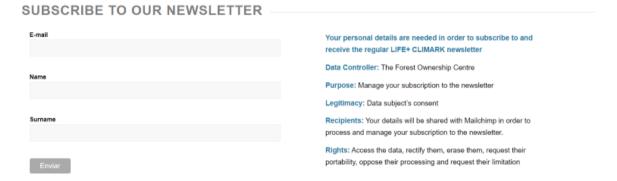
Action E.2 of the project includes the general dissemination of the project through dissemination material, panels, the website and the layman's report, among others. The website is defined as the main tool for disseminating the results and products of the project since its inception. The content of the website, which is regularly updated, is also fed by the newsletter, which is expected to be published annually, in the languages covered by the website itself, and contains updated information according to the tasks implemented in the project at any given time.

#### 2. Published newsletters

As foreseen in the project, 4 newsletters have been published since the start of the project in 2017.

These are available in the news section of the project's official website: <a href="https://lifeclimark.eu/actualidad/">https://lifeclimark.eu/actualidad/</a> [In English: https://lifeclimark.eu/en/news/] and publicised directly to project partners, newsletter subscribers and through Facebook and Twitter posts.

Subscription was provided on the website itself with a total of 76 subscribers.



The first and second newsletters were published in May 2018 and April 2019. Unfortunately, the third issue had to be postponed due to COVID-19. The third and fourth newsletters were published in March 2021 and September 2022. The four reports are available in Catalan, Spanish, English and Italian.

Table 1. Web links to the various language versions of the newsletters.

Newsletter no.	Language of publication	Web link
1	English	https://mailchi.mp/300afd7b66dc/butlleti1-2743564
1	Catalan	https://mailchi.mp/4197aec9e42a/butlleti1
1	Spanish	https://mailchi.mp/406eeb0c16af/butlleti1-2743556
1	Italian	https://mailchi.mp/e7acb4ca76f1/butlleti1-2743580
2	English	https://mailchi.mp/1c74e2706bc6/butlleti2-2743600
2	Catalan	https://mailchi.mp/75dd2c8948f8/butlleti2
2	Spanish	https://mailchi.mp/3ffa6c956a17/butlleti2-2743588

2	Italian	https://mailchi.mp/60d4d5897f4b/butlleti2-2743628
3	English	https://us17.campaign-archive.com/?u=03813e4eade 5993d9565ae134&id=2918e99b74
3	Catalan	https://mailchi.mp/a801c5c98034/butlleti3
3	Spanish	https://us17.campaign-archive.com/?u=03813e4eade 5993d9565ae134&id=4c6f756fe8
3	Italian	https://mailchi.mp/b3645820b276/bollettino3
4	English	https://us17.campaign-archive.com/?u=03813e4eade 5993d9565ae134&id=2b2859b245
4	Catalan	https://mailchi.mp/5bb2219db6ac/butlleti4
4	Spanish	https://us17.campaign-archive.com/?u=03813e4eade 5993d9565ae134&id=36ceb8d3b8
4	Italian	https://us17.campaign-archive.com/?u=03813e4eade 5993d9565ae134&id=50d1f2c7f2

#### 3. Summary of published news

The first newsletter features the project's inception and lists its main objectives. It summarises two meetings held in the framework of the project, a networking session with the partners of the LIFE CLIMARK and LIFE FOREST CO2 projects and an information session for private forest owners. Finally, it advertises the project website and newsletter subscriptions.

The second newsletter explains the state of development of the project. It lists the selected stands, briefly explaining the types of action, their objective and the information inventoried. The location of the different stands is justified according to their interest with respect to water resources information gathering and biodiversity enhancement.

The third newsletter lists everything done on the project since the publication of the previous newsletter: it explains that the proposed actions have been completed and essential information has been collected to create the climate credits. It also summarises the third meeting of the CLIMARK expert committee for forest and water management and explains the action carried out within the scope of the project in Italy and in Catalonia. Finally, it contains two brochures on the project and climate credits, one aimed at forest owners and the other at companies and entities financing the credits.

The fourth and last newsletter publicises the five pilot tests implemented, and the document drafted and published on the methodology for calculating the impact of multifunctional forest management on the three ecosystem services incorporated in the climate credit, carbon, water and biodiversity. Also, to announce the celebration of Sant Francesc Forestry Session on 4<sup>th</sup> October 2022, to promote the voluntary credit market.



LIFE CLIMARK - Newsletter n. 1 - May 2018



The <u>LIFE CLIMARK</u> project began last October 2017 with the aim of contributing to climate change mitigation and increasing the sink capacity of Mediterranean forests.

The specific objectives of the project are:

- Maintain and improve the mitigating capacity of the forests of Mediterranean Europe.
- Designing a local "climate credit" market as a tool to encourage mitigating multifunctional forest management.
- Raise awareness, train and provide tools for all actors interested in offsetting emissions through "climate credits".





LIFE CLIMARK - Newsletter n. 2 - March 2019



The third semester of the Life CLIMARK project has concluded with the selection of all the stands in which the impact of different forest management practices on climate regulation, the regulation of the water cycle and biodiversity and the subsequent assessment will be determined. of climate credits. The stands are located in different Landscape Units in Catalonia and work is carried out to mitigate and adapt to climate change based on multifunctional forest management and the planting of different forest species. Some of the selected stands were treated as part of other projects, which will allow us to obtain valuable information over time.



#### LIFE CLIMARK - Newsletter no. 3 - March 2021



This latest edition of the LIFE CLIMARK newsletter presents all the work we managed to get done in 2020, despite the unprecedented circumstances, thanks to the efforts of all involved. We finished identifying the measures that maximise the impact of forest management on the carbon balance, water production and the conservation of biodiversity, based on the real application in the field of the Guidelines for Sustainable Forest Management in Catalonia (ORGEST) at six sites covering a combined total area of a hundred hectares. At the same time, we have been meeting (on-line!) with panels of experts who will help us to make the best use of these sites and agree the methodologies that will be used to calculate climate credits. And finally, we launched campaigns to publicise the new climate credits, with an updated website and materials aimed at both the owners of forestry land and companies interested in taking part in the climate credit market pilot studies to be developed in 2021.





#### LIFE CLIMARK - Newsletter n. 4 - September 2022

