

OPENCOESIONE

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What is open cohesion?

Open Cohesion was established in 2012 for effective management of public resources and increased citizen awareness regarding cohesion policies. Cohesion policy represents a political framework of solidarity at the European level, thanks to which many projects in Europe benefit from aid from structural funds: the ERDF - European Regional Development Fund and the ESF - European Social Fund. The Single Act of 1986 aims to reduce the “gap” existing between regions, particularly the most disadvantaged ones. In our case, we observed and analyzed a project funded by the ERDF because European regional policy is linked to the specific action of the ERDF implemented at the regional level.

Project phases:

- design
- analyse
- explore
- tell the story.



design

Our journey began with the design of our research project, conducted by our class, 2ASA Pit&Go. Comprising 19 members, we chose a name and logo that reflected our spirit of adventure and exploration. Our focus was the CUP E89F17000230001 project, a significant public investment in education and training.



analysis

We then moved to the analysis phase. We delved into the data, identifying patterns and trends. We discovered that the project, which ran from 29/10/2019 to 26/08/2021, was funded by both the European Union and the Rotation Fund. As of 31/10/2023, the monitored payments represented about 22% of the total project cost.



exploration

Our exploration led us to understand the project's impact on education and training in Cosenza. The project aimed to improve key skills of students, a goal that underscores the importance of education in contemporary society.



tell the story

Finally, we told the story of our findings. We concluded that the CUP E89F17000230001 project is a prime example of how public investments are managed in Italy. This analysis offers an important overview of public investment management, contributing to transparency and effectiveness. Our work on this project will continue, guided by the insights we've gained. We aim to make the project more accessible and effective, ultimately improving key skills for the development of active European citizenship.

