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I.PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

I.1.HORIZONTAL PRIORITIES AND ACTIONS

I.1.1. Inclusion and diversity

In this section, the national agency is asked to provide a description of the ways in which it has so far implemented its strategy to make the programme(s) more inclusive and diverse, as described in its approved work programme for the year 2025 (section I.1) and in line with its Inclusion and Diversity Plan. In light of the indicators and targets set for 2025 (see section I.2 of this report), the description should in particular focus on how the relevant target groups and territories were reached (e.g. organisations dealing with participants with fewer opportunities, balanced geographic spread of institutions and organisations, etc.). Any issues in implementing the measures planned for inclusion and diversity should also be highlighted, as well as substantial changes to the activities included in the approved work programme.

See also the specific section related to outermost regions and overseas countries and territories below (relevant for National Agencies in Denmark, France, the Netherlands, Portugal and Spain only).

Inclusion and Diversity (I&D) remained a central priority of the National Agency in 2025 and was implemented in accordance with the commitments set out in the approved Work Programme and the multiannual Inclusion and Diversity Strategy.

In quantitative terms, 41.4% of participants across all actions managed by the NA were young people with fewer opportunities (PFO). In specific actions, participation reached 49% in volunteering and 55% in youth mobility. Across the 2021–2025 period, the overall average stands at 45%, confirming the structurally inclusive profile of Erasmus+ Youth, Sport and the European Solidarity Corps in Portugal.

Overall results remain in line with the strategic objectives established for the programming period. Importantly, participation rates of young people with fewer opportunities remain above the current average levels observed across National Agencies, confirming the comparatively strong inclusive performance of the Portuguese NA.

The NA maintained a geographically balanced outreach approach, ensuring that inclusion objectives were pursued across diverse territorial contexts, while further details on outermost regions are presented in the dedicated section below.

In line with the WP commitments, particular attention was given to the involvement of newcomer organisations and small-scale actors, especially those working with vulnerable target groups. Dedicated support mechanisms for informal groups and small organisations were maintained, including tailored guidance, structured helpdesk support and targeted capacity-building activities supported by the NA’s pool of trainers. These measures contributed to reducing entry barriers and sustaining participation of less experienced organisations.

Cooperation with national stakeholders active in volunteering, migrant integration, disability and social innovation frameworks continued throughout 2025, including joint initiatives such as the national outreach actions developed in partnership with CAIS, targeting young people in situations of particular vulnerability. These initiatives contributed to identifying structural obstacles affecting participation and to adapting support mechanisms accordingly.

Monitoring of inclusion outcomes was ensured through established quality management procedures, on-site visits and continuous dialogue with beneficiaries. No structural deviations from the Work Programme occurred. The main challenge remains reaching highly marginalised young people with limited organisational support structures. Mitigation measures focused on reinforced personalised guidance and strengthened cooperation with intermediary organisations capable of acting as bridges to these groups.

Overall, implementation in 2025 confirms that Inclusion and Diversity remains a defining feature of the programmes in Portugal, with performance levels that are structurally strong and comparatively robust at European level.

I.1.2. Synergies and complementarities

In this section, the national agency is requested to provide an overview of the activities carried out in 2025 to foster the building of effective synergies between Erasmus+ and other EU and non-EU programmes (for example: EEA and Norway Grants, Nordplus), and funding sources at national or regional level, including a short description of their objectives and target groups. The section should also explain how these activities contributed to the progress of the national agency's multi-annual plan for synergies and complementarities provided in the updated multi-annual work programme approved in 2025.

In 2025, the NA continued implementing its multiannual strategy for synergies and complementarities, as foreseen in the approved WP, reinforcing structured cooperation between Erasmus+, the ESC and other EU and national frameworks.
At national level, cooperation with IPDJ and other governmental stakeholders enhanced coherence between European programme priorities and the national youth policy framework, fully respecting the objectives and regulatory basis of E+ and the ESC. This articulation ensured mutual reinforcement between policy developments and programme implementation, particularly in youth participation, volunteering, youth work recognition and social inclusion.
Collaboration with municipalities was consolidated through long-term partnerships promoting mobility, youth participation mechanisms and local capacity-building, strengthening territorial embedding and continuity beyond individual project cycles. Within the Youth-Friendly Municipalities Network, the NA reinforced links between local authorities and European peer-learning initiatives on democratic governance, enabling strategic engagement in cooperation partnerships and capacity-building aligned with European standards.
The NA maintained cooperation with stakeholders active in volunteering, social economy, migrant integration, employment and social innovation, including articulation with Employment Service, Social Security and Portugal Social Innovation, fostering complementarities between E+/ESC decentralised and centralised actions and national mechanisms. Relevant projects were signposted, where appropriate, to complementary funding schemes, enhancing sustainability beyond EU

grant cycles.
Dissemination and training activities systematically integrated information on complementary European and national programmes, including pre-departure sessions, nationwide roadshows and cross-sectoral events.
Cooperation with the European Commission Representation and the European Parliament Office enabled coordinated initiatives strengthening democratic participation and European awareness. Actions within the framework of the 40th anniversary of Portugal's accession to the European Communities positioned the programmes within a broader European narrative.
Strategic partnerships were reinforced through participation in over ten long-term or strategic cooperation frameworks with other NAs and partners, strengthening knowledge exchange and institutional capacity. Strong engagement with the Government and Erasmus+ NEO of Ukraine supported initiatives connecting European and Ukrainian youth organisations, reinforcing programme relevance in contexts of crisis and resilience.
In parallel, the NA consolidated structured multiplier networks serving dissemination and policy alignment purposes, including the Eurodesk (86 multipliers), the DiscoverEU Ambassador network (200 ambassadors), the Youth Democracy Network (over 150 organisations) and thematic groups generating knowledge and coordinated action.

I.1.3 Communication and dissemination

This section should provide an overview of the main communication and information activities undertaken to promote Erasmus+ and, if applicable, the European Solidarity Corps in general and the different actions in relation to the 2025 call year more specifically. It should also include information on activities carried out to disseminate and exploit project and programme results from the previous call years. More importantly, the report should explain ways in which the plan described in the approved work programme (section II.1) was fulfilled.

When outlining the different types of activities, the following elements should be included: specific objective; target groups reached (e.g. potential applicants; newcomer organisations; EU citizens in general; etc.); a very brief description of how they were implemented, including the channels used (e.g. websites; social media); as well as a very short qualitative and quantitative assessment (key results and outputs; e.g. numbers reached, etc.).

Adding links or references to sources of information allowing the Commission to check the actual results and outputs is highly recommended.

See also the specific section related to outermost regions and overseas countries and territories below (relevant for National Agencies in Denmark, France, the Netherlands, Portugal and Spain only).

Overview of the main activities implemented:

TITLE/TYPE OF ACTIVITY*	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVE	TARGET GROUPS	DESCRIPTION	KEY RESULTS AND OUTPUTS

Social Media: Facebook	To spread information on the programme and opportunities for young people	Young people Organisations General public	The National Agency regularly shares relevant information on youth programmes and other key European topics.	426 posts 18600 followers 333187 reach
Social Media: Instagram	To spread information on the programme and opportunities for young people	Young people Organisations General public	The National Agency regularly shares relevant information on youth programmes and other key European topics.	631 posts 5772 followers 1008104 reach
Newsletter	The newsletter is used to disseminate important information related to programmes, actions, opportunities and events targeting applicants and beneficiaries.	Young People Youth Workers Organisations Stakeholders	The newsletter is focuses mainly on topics such as deadlines for events and opportunities, changes to programmes and their regulations, good practices, programme news, and themes related to community building across different programme areas.	12 newsletter 191092 reach 76048 openings 14582 subscribers
Websites	The websites contain all relevant information about the programmes and aim to provide official information to stakeholders.	Young People Youth Workers Organisations stakeholders	The National Agency manages two websites: one dedicated to Erasmus+ and another dedicated to the European Solidarity Corps (ESC). Both websites are regularly updated with official documents, news, contact details, event information, important links and other relevant content.	40 updates 73373 views
National television, radio and media	To raise public awareness and visibility of Erasmus+ Youth and Sports and European	General public	Reports, comments, statements, and testimonials through national television,	48 interventions on radio, television and in the press regarding the opportunities

	Solidarity Corps programmes		radio, and other media channels, highlighting the impact of youth participation, volunteering, and international mobility on personal development, community engagement, and European cohesion.	offered by the E+ and CES programmes and Portugal's 40 years of membership of the European Communities.
Production of contents to social media (videos and photos)	To produce quality contents to the social media	Young People Youth Workers Organisations Stakeholders Ex-participants on the DiscoverEU Trainers Youth Leaders	The national agency produced thematic videos on the programmes and events to use on the websites and social media as inspirational tools.	66 videos 4346 photos
Big Fairs for Youth: - XXIII Ciclo de Cenáculo de Setúbal ; - Encontro Conselho Nacional de Juventude - Encontro Regional entre Jovens da Lousã; - VIP - Fórum de Vocação e Identificação Profissional - III Feira de Emprego e Formação do Fundão; - Feira "Investe no teu Futuro"; - Mostra Nacional de Jovens Empreendedores; - 16th World Scout Moot 2025; - Celebrações do Dia	Spread information on the programmes and opportunities	Young People Youth Workers Organisations Stakeholders Youth Leaders	The National Agency participated as a guest in various seminars, conferences, events, round tables and other initiatives in schools, universities, organizations, fairs, etc	72264 participants who were made aware of the programme's opportunities

Internacional da Juventude; - World Battle				
Webinars:	Spread information and support applicants to the programmes	Young People Youth Workers Organisations Stakeholders Youth Leaders	Several webinars were held with different dimensions to disseminate thematic and specific information on the actions of the programs. These actions were carried out by agency technicians and Eurodesk multipliers	152 webinar sessions with different purposes, such as providing training, supporting project implementation, clarifying beneficiaries, among others, which involved 2290 participants
Publication - Blink Magazine	Quality publication on Non Formal Education	Young people Youth Workers Organisations General public	Specialised magazine on high quality non-formal education to help the youth field	The magazine structure includes: 1 main interview, 1 opinion article, 2 international articles, 2 national reports, 1 essay, and 1 testimonial article. The magazine is published in Portuguese and English, and 2000 copies were printed in Portuguese.
Roadshow 2025 – 40 Years of Portugal Accession to the European Communities	The Roadshow aimed to foster the strategic and qualitative implementation of Erasmus+ and ESC, contributing to fulfilling its objectives/priorities, into the direction of the strategy defined the workplan. In 2025, also aimed to promote among young participants an understanding of the impact of European integration, the opportunities offered by the	Young People Youth Workers Organisations stakeholders	In 2025, Portugal celebrated the 40th anniversary of its accession to the European project, a milestone that transformed the country and consolidated its participation in the construction of Europe. To mark this occasion, the National Agency Erasmus+ Youth/Sport and the European Solidarity Corps launched the Roadshow 2025.	Mainland Portugal and the Autonomous Regions 40 sessions 14220 participants

	European Union, and future challenges, encouraging active participation, debate, and reflection on the role of youth in shaping Europe.		The Roadshow was an itinerant space for awareness-raising, participation and information, promoting debate among young people on the impact of European integration, the opportunities offered by the European Union and the challenges of the future. The initiative began on 12 June, the anniversary of the signing of the Accession Treaty, and concluded on 5 December, framing its final action within the scope of AgoraEU 2025.	
Pre Departure Meeting	It is the responsibility of the National Agencies to ensure compliance with the DiscoverEU Learning Cycle, which consists of developing activities aimed at increasing the knowledge and impact of learning among DiscoverEU participants. These activities aim to inform participants about the European Union and the role of the National Agency, as well as about the learning and	Young people of DiscoverEU	After receiving their #DiscoverEU pass, young people can join the Pre Departure Meeting, a national event organised by the Portuguese National Agency for Erasmus+ Youth/Sport and the European Solidarity Corps. On 28 June 2025, Pátio da Galé in Lisbon welcomed over 500 participants, including #DiscoverEU pass holders,	450 participants (DiscoverEu participants and Ex-DiscoverEU participants) 30 Eurodesk Multipliers 30 European Solidarity Corps Volunteers that were in Portugal doing their project 12 experts facilitators

	information tools available during their DiscoverEU journey and future opportunities in the Erasmus+ and European Solidarity Corps programmes.		Ambassadors, Eurodesk Multipliers, and expert facilitators. The day provided information, inspiration, and preparation for their upcoming travels and opportunities of the european programmes. The opening featured speeches by Luís Alves, Director of the National Agency, and Sofia Moreira de Sousa, European Commission Representative in Portugal. Participants also enjoyed artistic performances and pitch-style testimonies from #DiscoverEU Ambassadors, who shared experiences, lessons, and practical advice for new travellers.	
Steering Group DiscoverEU	Preparation of the 2025 Pre-Departure Meeting and prepration of dissimination actions	Ex-participants on the DiscoverEU	The Steering Group met on 12 June 2025 to support the organisation of the 2025 Pre-Departure Meeting and the dissemination of European youth programme activities. Comprising facilitators and young DiscoverEU ambassadors, the group played a pivotal role in designing the training programme, defining	22 young DiscoverEU ambassadors

			methodologies, and facilitating sessions. Participants were tasked with designing dissemination activities about the Erasmus+ programmes in the fields of Youth and Sport, and the European Solidarity Corps, as well as specific actions.	
AgoraEU	AgoraEU 2025 served as a space for meeting, inspiration, debate and capacity-building, centred on European values, democracy, civic participation and volunteering	Young People Youth Workers Organisations Stakeholders Beneficiaries Ex-participants on the DiscoverEU Trainers Youth Leaders	AgoraEU 2025, the flagship event of the National Agency, involved more than 950 participants in simultaneous initiatives focused on networking, training, meeting and sharing, grounded in non-formal education and aligned with the priorities of the European Solidarity Corps and Erasmus+ programmes in youth and sport. Between 5 and 6 December, the event brought together Erasmus+ beneficiaries, accredited European Solidarity Corps organisations, Eurodesk Multipliers, volunteers, former volunteers and #DiscoverEU Ambassadors.	AgoraEU 2025 involved more than 1500 participants in the two days of the event, in 12 simultaneous activities, with different actions such as trainings, meetings and annual events, focusing on non-formal education methodologies aligned with the priorities of the European Solidarity Corps and Erasmus+ programmes in youth and sport.

			The programme included an institutional opening with inspirational speeches, a public celebration of the International Volunteer Day with the 2025 European Solidarity Corps Good Practices Awards, and parallel spaces for training, sharing and networking, closing with a forward-looking perspective on European democracy and solidarity.	
Enlargement CEmp	The aim of this initiative is to bring together young people from diverse backgrounds living in Portugal and Ukraine, as well as mentors, policy makers and prominent public figures, to discuss the opportunities and challenges of European integration in today's world and, in this way, create a community of young people who are committed to working with their communities to actively contribute to European integration.	Young people residents in Portugal Young people residents in Ukraine Policy makers	The National Agency organised the first edition of Enlargement CEmp, that took place in September 2025 in Lviv, European Youth Capital, Ukraine. In the year that Portugal celebrates the 40th anniversary of the signing of the Treaty of Accession to what is now the European Union, Enlargement CEmp was an opportunity for learning and exchanging experiences, with the aim of strengthening active citizenship and the commitment of all participants in European integration. The event took place in an immersive, intensive and dynamic format,	More than 90 participants were involved in this activity, including 20 young people residing in Portugal, 20 young people residing in Ukraine, policy makers, mentors, journalists, trainers, and experts. 21 videos published with 80809 views on Facebook and Instagram. 4 statements, testimonials on national television, radio and media

			with practical sessions, team exercises, field visits and direct conversations between current and future opinion leaders. The emphasis was on the importance of solidarity and unity, but also on capacity building and crisis response, and on the common security and defence policy. Other topics discussed included the opportunities offered by the European Union to young people and the need to defend the values of the European Union.	
Resilience In Action - TCA	This inicitive aimed to train youth workers and experts in psychosocial support methodologies, intercultural learning and resilience-building for young people. It also seeks to test and adapt Non-Formal Education tools with a practical case study involving 20 Ukrainian young people aged 13 to 17 who have been displaced or affected by the war. In addition, the project will produce transferable results, namely a “Resilience in Action” Toolkit and an Action Plan for	Youth Workers Experts Ukrainian young people	The Portuguese National Agency aimed to contribute to strengthening Europe’s capacity to respond to the challenges that the war in Ukraine continued to pose for young people. This initiative was designed as a pilot initiative that combined a strong capacity-building component for youth workers with a practical application phase involving a group of Ukrainian young people who had been displaced or directly affected by the war and were integrated into	18 Youth Worker/Experts 20 young people from Ukraine 7 videos published with 12274 views on Facebook and Instagram. 2 statements, testimonials on national television, radio and media

	future Erasmus+ projects. Finally, it intends to consolidate structured partnerships that integrate crisis and recovery dimensions into Erasmus+ youth sector activities.		psychosocial support and recovery programmes. The work programme allowed for the testing and further development of Non-Formal Education methodologies that could be replicated in future Erasmus+ actions (KA1 and KA2). The dual structure of the TCA — expert training and field practice with young people — ensured that its impact went beyond the duration of the event.	
Ciclo de Atividades “The Power of Breaking: Dance, Inclusion and Youth Empowerment”	Develop a strategic approach that combines methodological innovation, inclusion and youth participation through urban cultures — promoting non-formal learning contexts, intercultural exchanges and European cooperation projects with local impact.	Young People Young people from Ukraine Experts in Urban Culture from EU Experts in Urban Culture from Ukraine	"The cycle of activities “The Power of Breaking: Dance, Inclusion and Youth Empowerment” took place between 10 and 29 June 2025 and used breaking as a universal language to promote interaction between young people from diverse backgrounds, especially those affected by displacement, social exclusion and cultural marginalisation, fostering creativity, peer learning and active citizenship.	11 international experts in the field of breaking and youth 9 young Ukrainians + 2 accompanying adults 10 young Portuguese

			A key highlight was the participation of nine Ukrainian youth and experts from Lviv in an intensive program of artistic training and integration. This initiative provided a platform for well-being and identity expression, offering concrete support to those affected by forced displacement. These Participants were called upon to take part in activities to disseminate and raise awareness of European youth programmes, such as the Pre-Departure Meeting and the Roadshow 2025 – 40 years of Portugal's accession to the European Communities, as well as in moments of engagement with local communities in socially	
Pinóquio na Escola	Raise awareness and engage young people in the fight against disinformation.	Young people	The National Agency, in partnership with the European Parliament Office in Portugal, the European Commission Representation in Portugal, the Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation and Polígrafo, developed a media literacy project aimed at raising	21 sessions 3 webinars 1637 participants

			awareness and empowering secondary school students in the fight against disinformation. The project was implemented through two complementary formats. First, it promoted talks and interactive sessions that helped young people identify and deconstruct disinformation strategies in the digital environment. This educational roadshow travelled to nine cities across mainland Portugal and the Autonomous Regions between March and April, encouraging more critical and conscious information consumption, especially on social media. Second, a national competition challenged young people to create original content — in text, video or social media formats — aimed at dismantling misleading narratives circulating or that had circulated in the European public space.	
Roadshow do Voluntariado - CASES	The project aims to promote and strengthen volunteering as a driver of local development, in line with the objectives of the European Solidarity Corps,	Young People Local organisations of Volunteering in Portugal Eurodesk Multipliers	The Volunteering Roadshow was supported by the National Agency and promoted by CASES – António Sérgio Cooperative for Social	8 sessions 815 participants

	fostering greater participation and active citizenship within the community. It seeks to develop key competences such as empathy, humanism, and cooperation through the creation and implementation of volunteering actions. Additionally, the project aims to raise awareness of and increase knowledge about social economy organisations operating in the territory, particularly those working with volunteers, thereby contributing to the solidarity and social cohesion goals promoted by the European Solidarity Corps.		Economy. The initiative aimed to reinforce the importance of youth involvement in solidarity projects, encouraging young people to play an active role in building a more inclusive and supportive society. The school sessions focused on youth capacity-building, featuring a practical workshop on designing volunteering actions for local communities. Participants were also introduced to key concepts and challenges related to the sector, as well as examples of good practices developed by local organisations. Additionally, participants had the opportunity to engage directly with associations and organisations active in the field during a “Volunteering Fair,” which included representatives from CASES, the Portuguese Volunteer Confederation, Eurodesk Portugal Network, and local entities.	
Publication Action Kit	Tool created by the National Agency	Youth Workers Policy makers	The Action Kit uses non-formal education as its methodological	More than 400 units produced and distributed by

	that reinforces the role of non-formal education in developing local policies with and for young people	Stakeholders	basis. Through practical proposals, inspiring examples and participatory tools, it promotes dynamics that value active listening, critical thinking, experimentation and dialogue between different actors. Organised into different modules, the Action Kit presents a path that goes from local diagnosis to the development of action plans. It includes suggestions for activities, resource maps, facilitation techniques and reflections on the principles of non-formal education, always with a keen eye on diversity and inclusion.	municipalities, stakeholders and youth organisations. The toolkit was also disseminated through various activities and meetings with municipalities and local youth workers.
5th Meeting of Youth-Friendly Municipalities	To create a platform for contact and engagement between youth associations and local authorities, aimed at implementing effective youth policies and promoting an innovative approach to youth participation issues.	Youth Workers Policy makers Stakeholders	The National Agency partnered with the National Federation of Youth Associations (FNAJ) to organise the 5th National Meeting of the Youth-Friendly Municipalities Network. The event aimed to provide a space for sharing experiences and ideas, encouraging joint reflection, and creating new synergies with the aim of strengthening and innovating municipal youth policies.	248 participants from 89 municipalities 87 Good Municipal Practices awards

			During the meeting, the Action Kit was launched — a comprehensive and innovative resource comprising essential tools for working with young people. It was made available to all mayors and councillors in attendance and is an important tool to support local intervention in youth policies. At this meeting, the National Agency also promoted Good Municipal Practices Awards, recognising Good Practices in youth policies, with a special focus on innovative projects that promote youth participation. This inicitative gathered 87 good practices, which will be compiled in a publication and widely disseminated in 2026.	
Best practices ESC	To spread information on the ESC programme	Vollunteers ESC organisations General Public	In fulfilling its mission, the National Agency, within the scope of the European Solidarity Corps (ESC) programme, annually recognises organisations and institutions whose contribution has a significant impact on the programme's objectives.	6 awards - 4 Good Practices for Volunteering Projects in the programme's priority categories; 1 good practice award for solidarity projects; 1 inspiring project award for solidarity projects;

			Six awards are given: four to Volunteering Projects, corresponding to categories aligned with the programme's priorities and selected from applications submitted in an open call to entities; and two to Solidarity Projects, in the categories of ‘Good Practice Project’ and ‘Inspirational Project’, determined on the basis of the score obtained in the final report and the evaluation of the application, respectively.	This inspiring celebration counted on about 168 organisations and more than 950 participants
Erasmus+ Best practices event	Activity organised in cooperation in cooperation with the Portuguese National Agency Education and Training	Young People Youth Workers Organisations	Every year, as part of the Erasmus+ Programme, the National Agency recognises organisations that stand out for their contribution to the objectives of this European programme. The Erasmus+ Good Practice Awards celebrate the most inspiring initiatives developed in Key Actions 1 and 2, which promote positive change, strengthen European cooperation and highlight practices of excellence in the fields of youth and sport.	9 good practice awards were given for the various actions and 11 honourable mentions. The event was attended by around 300 participants

			This recognition values entities that actively contribute to the programme's priorities, namely inclusion and diversity, digital transformation, environmental protection, sustainable development and climate action, and participation in democratic life. By distinguishing these exemplary practices, the awards aim to stimulate social innovation, strengthen active and European citizenship, and highlight the positive impact of Erasmus+ projects in Portugal.	
Dissemination of information about Sport Actions	To disclose information about the Sport Actions of Erasmus+	Sport organisations Staff sport people people Managers and leaders of the sport sector	During the year the NA organized several sessions to disclose information on sport actions. Some of the online and other in person, some in iniciatives of the NA (like the AgoraEU), other by participating in seminars or other activities organised by other organisations(like the Cascais Municipality, Surf Club de Viana and Gaia Municipality, among others)	In online events: about 50 participants in presential events: 300 participants

(*) Types of communication activities can be: events, integrated campaigns, social media, videos/photos, publications, etc.

Comments (as appropriate):

If relevant, the national agency can provide additional comments on the implementation of its communication plan, in particular as regards any issues or deviations from the approved work programme for 2025 (e.g. activities cancelled, delayed or modified, etc.) and remedial actions considered and taken.

In terms of communication, 2025 was an extraordinary year.
Alongside the usual flagship initiatives, such as the roadshow, participation in major fairs, the celebration of Volunteer Day, the AgoraEU initiative and the DiscoverEU departure meeting, we would like to highlight the following activities for their scope and relevance:
- Enlargement CEmp and Resilience in Action. In the year that Portugal celebrated the 40(th) anniversary of signing the Treaty of Accession to the European Union, Enlargement CEmp was a significant cooperation initiative with Ukraine. The event took place in an immersive, intensive and dynamic format, with practical sessions, team exercises, field visits and direct conversations. The event had a lot of visibility in TV and radio shows, newspapers, social media in Portugal and abroad.
- Publication Action Kit. A quality kit containing working tools for organisations.
- The national agency's presence on national television, radio and in the media.

I.1.4. Support and guidance

This section should describe how and to what extent the national agency implemented its plan to provide support and guidance to beneficiaries throughout the project lifecycle, in line with the approved work programme for 2025 (section II.2). In particular, it should highlight how the different target groups for the Erasmus+ and, if applicable, the European Solidarity Corps programme, were reached and supported (including small beneficiary organisations or informal groups of young people).
A very short qualitative and quantitative assessment (key results and outputs; e.g. numbers reached, etc.) should be provided.
Adding links or references to sources of information allowing the Commission to check the actual results and outputs is highly recommended.
See also the specific section related to outermost regions and overseas countries and territories below (relevant for National Agencies in Denmark, France, the Netherlands, Portugal and Spain only).

Overview of the main activities implemented:

TITLE/TYPE OF ACTIVITY	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVE	TARGET GROUPS	DESCRIPTION	KEY RESULTS AND OUTPUTS
AgoraEU	to train beneficiaries to spread information of the opportunities of the programmes to spread	Beneficiaries Erasmus + and ESC organisations eurodesk multipliers youth workers youth	Beneficiaries Erasmus + and ESC organisations eurodesk multipliers youth workers youth	Two days of activity; about 950 participants of 250 different organisations; several diverse

	information on the novelties of the programme to capacitate organisations to promote quality projects	leaders	leaders	sessions in parallel: A Networking Space One-to-one meetings ‘On the Sofa with the Directors’; One-to-one meetings ‘Meet your Project Manager’; AGORA EU Hubs; “Unissued Diplomas” Exhibition; Volunteering in Portugal; Meet your Multiplier; Roadshow - 40 years since Portugal joined the European Communities Inspiring Speeches by: Xoán Vázquez Mao, Secretary-General of Eixo Atlântico; Andriy Moskalenko, First Deputy Mayor of Lviv. Thematic sessions on: ‘How to Protect Democracy’ with David Dinis, Deputy Director of the Expresso seminar; ‘Facts in times of populism’ facilitated by Polígrafo.
DiscoverEU Learning Cycle	To train and prepare participants before their participation	young people	Pre-departure: It was a moment of training , sharing and learning, with the participation of hundreds of discoverEU participants, but also a cultural	About 450 participated on the several actions described in the DiscoverEU learning cycle; 150 Ex participants/ ambassadors Discover EU.

			moment. The programme was mainly aimed at preparing the participants for the trip, reflecting on the expectations of young people and sharing ideas and tips. More than 500 young people signed up for this initiative. Infokit The NA developed an info-kit on the action and sent to the participants before the pre-departure meeting. Meet-ups The National agency in cooperation with the Eurodesk network organized and disseminate information of 4 meet-ups spread form the country. During the AgoraEU initiative, the NA agency had a session dedicated to DiscoverEU. Special highlight to the meeting with young people during this event. As former DiscoverEU participants, it was also an opportunity to train	
Training and Evaluation Cycle	Improve the quality of the volunteering activities; To assure a plane integration of volunteers; To exchange good practices; To assure the safety and well-being of volunteers.	Volunteers and Organisations with Quality Label	organisation of pre-departure, on arrival, mid-term and national events with volunteers and meetings with ESC promoters	In 2025 these sessions permitted to beneficiaries to adapt their practices to the new rules of the programmes. The PT NA carried out face-to-face trainings, 11 ON Arrival

				sessions, 5 Mid Term, 3 Annual Event and 1 ESC Quality Label Event for organisations, covering all the needs of participants in 2025 and involving 381 participants.
Kick-off/project management meetings	Covering all the good management of the projects: contractual issues, visibility, data protection, covid measures, relationship with the NA, National regulations, etc.	Beneficiaries with approved projects - Erasmus+ and European Solidarity Corps.	Whenever necessary and whenever requested by the organizations, the National Agency organizes these meetings with the beneficiaries that take place face to face or online and serve to clarify all questions related to the projects	These activities permitted to reduce the previous contacts of the beneficiaries with questions and a smooth development of the projects.
Help Desk and nomination of "project owner"	To help beneficiaries in all the stages of the projects	All the applicants and beneficiaries	Permanent support by phone, email, webinar, etc. organisation in monthly basis of open web sessions for questions and support nomination of a "project owner" from the NA staff responsible for follow all the live cycle of each project.	These activities permitted to reduce the previous contacts of the beneficiaries with questions and a smooth development of the projects.
Lists of frequently asked questions,	o support applicants and beneficiaries in the life cycle of the projects	All the applicants and beneficiaries	FAQs updated regularly and published on our webpages to support beneficiaries	Quality of the applications Good implementation of projects
on-site visits to beneficiaries	monitoring the implementation of individual projects	beneficiaries	Visits made by the project owners to support beneficiaries	Good implementation of projects
Support to small organisations and informal groups of young	to improve the quality of the projects of these targets	informal groups of young people and small organisations	The NA has in place mechanisms to support	we could in fact increase the number of newcomer for some

people			informal groups of young people, namely a tutorial for the informal group creation and specialized support through helpdesk	actions of the programmes
Meeting with organisations with Quality Label and With Acreditation Erasmus+ Youth	to improve the quality of project to help the organisation to share good practices	Organisations with Quality Label	This meeting was organised during the AgoraEU initiative together with other activities targetting several stakeholders of the programmes	39 Erasmus+ Youth 59 Quality Label 74 organisations in Total (some organisation participated in both sessions: Erasmus+ Youth and Quality Label)
Annual Event/ Meeting with ex-participants on volunteering projects	to share good practices and experiences to support the integration of ex volunteers	Ex-participants on Volunteering projects	During the initiative AgoraEU this meeting was one of the organised sessions. We also have promoted contacts between the ex-volunteers and the organisations and provide information on the different actions of the programmes	This activity contribute to the integration of ex-participants and, in some cases, to promote their participation on other actions of the programme.
Meeting with trainers and multipliers of Eurodesk	to develop the network of multipliers and its actions	Eurodesk multipliers	These meeting that gather more than 90 participants and was used to provide information to the multipliers, to design the next action and to motivate, through team building activities, the participants to be active on the network	It is important to foster the network that is an important resource to support the stakeholders of the programme at regional and local level.

Where applicable, the national agency should also provide a specific assessment of activities implemented within the framework of the DiscoverEU Learning Cycle for DiscoverEU participants (Erasmus+) and the Training and Evaluation Cycle (European Solidarity Corps).

DiscoverEU Learning Cycle for DiscoverEU participants (Erasmus+) - assessment of implementation:

Note: national agencies are invited to structure the overview per activity type; i.e. pre-departure meeting/info-kit; meet-ups; meeting with stakeholders.

All procedures in the DiscoverEU training cycle have been completed. The National Agency increased the impact of DiscoverEU-related activities by bringing together young people, organisations, Eurodesk multipliers, and former DiscoverEU participants and ambassadors at various points throughout the process.
On 28 June 2025, the Pátio da Galé in Lisbon played host to over 450 young people at the Pre-Departure Meeting. This national event was organised by the National Agency Erasmus+ Youth/Sport and European Solidarity Corps and was aimed at participants in the #DiscoverEU initiative.
During the AgoraEU initiative, the National Agency organised a meeting with the organisatons promoting DiscoverEU inclusion projects.
It should also be noted that the AgoraEU programme was able to bring together young participants, blenders/ex-participants, Eurodesk multipliers, organisations promoting inclusion projects and meet-ups and other stakeholders in sessions for exchange of experiences, peer training, capacity building and partnership building.
During these activities, the Participants' Info Kit was not only distributed by the participants but also used as a training tool.
The National Agency organised 11 meet-ups for the participants. However, due to the specific conditions of the routes to Portugal, only 8 young people participated in the activities.
More than 780 participants took part in the different stages of the learning cycle.

Training and Evaluation Cycle (European Solidarity Corps) - assessment of implementation:

The volunteer training and assessment cycle was carried out using mechanisms that the agency has had in place for several years, which cover the needs of both volunteers and organisations.
Additionally, the National Agency promoted the quality of these activities by selecting trainers more carefully and monitoring these activities more closely.

PT NA delivered face-to-face training, 11 ON Arrival sessions with 261 participants, 5 Mid Term trainings with 105 participants, 3 Annual event with 15 participants and 1 ESC Quality Label event for organisations, covering all the needs of the participants in 2025.

Comments on the DiscoverEU Learning Cycle for DiscoverEU participants and Training and Evaluation Cycle (as appropriate):

If relevant, the national agency is asked to provide any additional comments on the implementation of its activity plan, in particular as regards any issues or deviations from the approved work programme for 2025 (e.g. activities that were cancelled, delayed or modified; etc.), as well as remedial actions considered and taken. In particular, please report cases - if any - where there is a deviation from the guidelines as set in the Guide for National Agencies and the minimum quality standards as defined in the European Solidarity Corps guide.

Other useful information to be provided:

If applicable, and for the youth sector, the national agency should also include a line on 'specific activities aimed at facilitating the use of EU instruments for identification and documentation of learning outcomes (e.g. Youthpass/Europass) by grant beneficiaries'.

There was no deviation related with the work programme related to the DiscoverEU Learning Cycle and TEC.

Activities targeting the outermost regions and overseas countries and territories *(relevant for National Agencies in Denmark, France, the Netherlands, Portugal and Spain only)*

In this section, national agencies are asked to provide details on specific activities organised in 2025 targeting outermost regions (*) and overseas countries and territories (**) including on communication, guidance and direct support. Please be aware that the European Commission may share this information internally.

TITLE/TYPE OF ACTIVITY	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVE	TARGET GROUPS	DESCRIPTION	KEY RESULTS AND OUTPUTS
Roadshow 2025 | 40 years since Portugal joined the European Communities - Madeira	• Raise awareness among young people about 40 years of European integration • Promote opportunities for participation and mobility • Strengthen the sense of European citizenship among young people in Madeira • Publicise the Time To Move Campaign • Publicise the Discover EU initiative • Empower organisations in the Erasmus+ Youth and European Solidarity Corps programmes	Young People organisation Youth Workers	During 7 days the National Agency together with the regional authorities organized several activities: info sessions, trainings, conferences.	About 1500 participants in total participated in the activities.
Training for organizations and Youth Workers - Madeira	Improve the habilities of the organisations to design and develope projects	Youth Leaders Youth workers project managers	Training sessions about Erasmus+ and ESC developed with non formal methods and experimentation	The trainings involved about 50 participants
MEETING OF SOUTHERN NATIONAL YOUTH COUNCILS	The main objectives were to promote the sharing of experiences between the	Youth Council representatives of the South Countries of Europe	In terms of context, the meeting builds on previous efforts to coordinate between youth	17 representatives of the youth councils fo the South Countries of Europe

	Southern National Youth Councils and the European Youth Forum, discuss and approve the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for Southern Youth Council (SYC) cooperation, identify common perspectives for the Erasmus+ and European Solidarity Corps programmes, and outline joint advocacy actions. As part of the European youth agenda, the meeting addressed priorities such as youth participation, social inclusion and sustainability, fostering a more cohesive and influential Southern European network. Choosing Madeira as the venue emphasised the importance of island territories in the European youth agenda, and local support was essential for the meeting's logistical and cultural success.		councils in southern Europe and complements other European initiatives focused on youth participation and structured dialogue. The multinational nature of the meeting enabled national policies to be contextualised from a comparative perspective, reinforcing the idea that many of the challenges facing young people are shared and require coordinated responses. The support of the Erasmus+ National Agency for Youth and Sport, the European Solidarity Corps, and the Regional Division of Youth of Madeira was crucial in ensuring adequate financial and logistical conditions for achieving these objectives.	
Digital Youth Work SNAC - Project Lab 2025 - Madeira	This activity intends to explore the digital dimension of youth work through the development of an Action Design Lab and contribute to the recognition of Digital Youth Work in Europe.	Youth workers, Trainers, Youth leaders, Youth project managers, Youth policy makers, Youth researchers, Decision makers from Youth South Network Countrie	The Project Lab delivered presential in Portugal and the course is conceived in ways that require active participation and exchange between participants. It is based on participants' experiences and	25 participants from Erasmus+ Youth Programme countries

			builds on concrete actions for the future. The methodology of the training programme is based on the main principles of Non formal learning and experiential learning cycle by connecting creative and digital challenges.	
Time to Move ELEVA-TE Career Forum in Azores	inform and connect young Europeans with opportunities for international mobility, learning, and work	University Students	It was an outreach activity that took place at the University of the Azores and, through non-formal methodologies, provided young university students with information about European mobility opportunities in different areas.	100 participants
Information and dissemination Activities in Madeira e Azores organised in cooperation with local organisations an multipliers	disclose of the programme	Youth Participants Sport organisations Programme stakeholders	The national agency supported and co-organized several activities in outermost regions to disclose the programmes and suppot organisations. within these activities are information sessions, training couses, participants in seminars, youth events, etc.	27 acttivities, 9405 participants in total Azores: 2 activities, 210 participants Madeira: 25 activities, 9195 participants. As a result of the work of the National Agency in these regions, the funding allocated to these regions isat least proportionate — and in the case of Madeira, significantly above — their demographic weight.

				Madeira: 7.85% of total Erasmus+ funding → Funding-to-population ratio: 3.0 Azores: 2.54% of total Erasmus+ funding → Funding-to-population ratio: 1.0 This confirms that participation and access to Erasmus+ are effectively ensured across all territories, including island and remote regions.

(*) Nine regions in the European Union that are classified as 'outermost': the five French overseas departments (Guadeloupe, French Guyana, Martinique, Reunion, Mayotte); the French overseas communities of Saint-Martin; the Spanish Autonomous Community of the Canary Islands; and the Portuguese autonomous regions of the Azores and Madeira.

(**) Thirteen Overseas Countries and Territories (OCTs) are associated with the European Union and eligible for funding. Those are linked to Denmark: Greenland; linked to the Netherlands: Aruba, Bonaire, Curacao, Saba, Sint Eustatius Sint Maarten; linked to France: French Polynesia, French Southern and Antarctic Territories, New Caledonia, Saint Barthelemy, St. Pierre et Miquelon, Wallis et Futuna Islands.

I.2. TARGETS ACHIEVED FOR KEY PROGRAMME INDICATORS

This section should provide values on the targets achieved as at end 2025 against values planned as part of the approved work programme for 2025 (section I.3). The data in the columns "Planned" is automatically retrieved from national agency's approved work programme for 2025. The national agency is asked to include the data in the columns 'Achieved'.

Comments should cover, among others, challenges faced by the national agency and mitigating actions set up, targets overachieved (more than 150%), underachieved (less than 80%), or not achieved (0%), as well as trends for the indicators in cases where the selection rounds are not completed yet or the data not yet available.

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ID	INDICATOR	ANNUAL TARGETS PER SECTOR:													
		HIGHER EDUCATION				SCHOOL EDUCATION		ADULT EDUCATION		VET		YOUTH[1]		SPORT	
		PLANNED		ACHIEVED		PLANNED	ACHIEVED	PLANNED	ACHIEVED	PLANNED	ACHIEVED	PLANNED	ACHIEVED	PLANNED	ACHIEVED
		KA131	KA171	KA131	KA171										
E01	Number of participants in learning mobility activities under Key Action 1											11700	12759	130	152
COMMENTS		The indicators show that the objectives have been exceeded.													
E02	Number of participants in virtual learning activities under Key Action 1											3800	8680	35	287
COMMENTS		The platforms do not reflect the real data due to difficulties in extracting the data from Sport Action. As we mentioned in the previous YR and in the October report, we found another instrument to measure these data. The instrument was a questionnaire to our beneficiaries, whose result was 287 from Sports.													
E03	Number of organisations and institutions taking part in the Programme under Key Action 1[2]											135	149	24	28

[1] Including Youth participation activities.

[2] For Key Action 1 Education and Training, the following organisations must be counted: individual beneficiary organisations, consortium coordinators, consortium members.

COMMENTS		The indicators in the Youth fiels show that the objectives have been exceeded. The target achieved in Sport was also exceeded related the predicted in the Work Programme.													
E04	Share (%) of participants with fewer opportunities[3] taking part in activities under Key Action 1											40	38	20	48
COMMENTS		The share of young people with fewer opportunities in KA1 continues to be very high. The results were clearly achieved, reflecting the goal of ensuring an inclusive programme that is also diverse and representative. In the Sport sector, despite the inherent variability and evolving nature of the action, the number is even greater than the one in the Youth sector.													
E05	Number of organisations and institutions taking part in the Programme under Key Action 2											30	28	N/A	N/A
COMMENTS		The number of organisations in KA2 allows us to sustain a stable and consolidated level of engagement at the national level.													
E06	Number of newcomer organisations and institutions taking part in the Programme under Key Actions 1 and 2											50	79	N/A	N/A

[3] Article 2 of the Erasmus+ Regulation: 'people with fewer opportunities' means people who, for economic, social, cultural, geographical or health reasons, due to their migrant background, or for reasons such as disability or educational difficulties or for any other reason, including a reason that could give rise to discrimination under Article 21 of the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union, face obstacles that prevent them from having effective access to opportunities under the Programme.

COMMENTS		The indicators show that the objectives have been clearly exceeded.											
E07	Share (%) of projects addressing climate objectives under Key Action 2									25	28	N/A	N/A
COMMENTS		The results are in line with the Work Programme for this indicator.											

European Solidarity Corps

ID	INDICATOR	ANNUAL TARGETS PER STRAND (AS APPLICABLE):			
		VOLUNTEERING ESC51		SOLIDARITY PROJECTS ESC30	
		PLANNED	ACHIEVED	PLANNED	ACHIEVED
ESC01	Number of participants in solidarity activities	750	999	184	254
COMMENTS		The indicators show that the objectives have been clearly exceeded. In 2025 the programme allowed the participation to a bigger number of participants.			
ESC02	Share (%) of participants with fewer opportunities	80	78	N/A	N/A
COMMENTS		The Agency has consistently maintained a high percentage of young people with fewer opportunities involved in volunteering projects. The results show that the programme continues to be inclusive and balanced.			
ESC03	Number of organisations who have received the European Solidarity Corps	20	15	N/A	N/A

	Quality Label				
COMMENTS		The pace of newly issued labels is consistent with the programme’s level of maturity, as most active organisations are already accredited.			
ESC04	Share of activities that address climate objectives	55	80	25	14
COMMENTS		The objectives were clearly achieved in Volunteering, showing that the topic is of great concern to those who participate in this Action. Regarding to Solidarity Projects, we have been noticed that this action is very volatile, often organised by informal groups, and the nature of the projects is very diverse, making it difficult to establish a stable benchmark. However, this action continues ensuring alignment with the EU’s climate priorities and preserving a balanced approach across other programme priorities.			

I.3. ASSESSMENT OF SELECTION ROUNDS FOR THE CALL YEAR 2025

General instructions:

In the sections below, the national agency is asked to provide a brief quantitative and qualitative overview of the outcome of the application selections, on the basis of data available in the Commission's (DG EAC) operational dashboard (i.e. inter alia number of applications received/selected; priorities and areas addressed; geographical spread; types of institutions/organisations; types of activities; quality of applications and success rate, budget allocation in %). As far as possible, comments should be included on the general trends compared with previous call years while highlighting any progress/regress, as well as on any specific issues and/or areas for improvement and mitigation measures. Please report for each subaction. Overall, the description should remain synoptic (bullet-point style).

I.3.1. Erasmus+ Education and Training

I.3.2. Erasmus+ Youth

Key Action 1 - Mobility in the field of youth and youth participation activities (KA151-YOU; KA152-YOU; KA153-YOU; KA154-YOU; KA155-YOU)

The national agency should structure the overview per action under Key Action 1, covering accredited projects for Youth Exchanges (KA151 and KA152), Youth Workers Mobility (KA151 and KA153), Youth Participation Activities (KA154) and DiscoverEU Inclusion Action (KA155). National agencies are also asked to indicate the proportion of budget (%) allocated to activities with third countries not associated to the programme (per action).
In addition, the reporting should cover an overview of the KA150 selection round including the share of accredited organisations in contracted projects out of all accreditations (main trends in comparison with previous calls) and explanations if not all accredited organisations applied.

In KA1 the number of applications increased from 540 in 2024 to 651 (including 60 Accredited projects for youth mobility) in 2025.

The average score of projects approved under KA1 was 79,9 points, compared to 78,5 points, in 2024.

Nevertheless, only 29% of applications were approved, due to the lack of funds available to support all the quality projects submitted to the PT02NA.

However, we would like to stress that 622 (96%) submitted applications had the required quality to be approved out of the total of 651.

In KA1 the number of projects approved were: 59 Youth Exchanges, 27 Youth Workers Mobilities and 21 Youth Participation activities.

Analysing the objectives, priorities and topics addressed in the applications, we can notice that, in submitted applications - Youth Exchanges, Environment and climate change was

the leading topic, addressed in 34,0% of the applications. Physical and mental health, well-being ranks second, representing 26,0% of the applications, Green skills come in third place, being addressed in 23,9% of the proposals submitted.

Regarding Youth Workers Mobility, in first place Quality and innovation of youth work, addressed in 45,2% of the submitted projects. In second place, Environment and climate change, representing 21,3% of the submitted applications. New learning and teaching methods and approaches come in third place, being addressed in 20,6%.

In submitted applications - Youth Participation activities, Democracy and inclusive democratic participation was the leading topic, addressed in 47,7% of the applications. Promotion of alternative forms of participation ranks second, representing 31,8% of the applications. Reaching the policy level/dialogue with decision makers, come in third place, being addressed in 29,9%.

Regarding the amount allocated to projects involving partner countries, 18,4% of the approved budget was allocated to Youth Exchange and 40,9% to Youth Workers Mobilities.

The distribution of projects and the geographic distribution of participants (interior of the country, coastal area/seaside and urban centres) is presented in the tables below:

Approved Projects

Region - %

Urban Centers - 27

Coastal area/ seaside - 29

Interior – 44

Participants

Region - %

Urban Centers - 31

Coastal area/ seaside - 33

Interior - 36

Key Action 2 - Cooperation partnerships and small-scale partnerships in youth (KA210-YOU; KA220-YOU)

The national agency should report separately for KA210 and KA220.

In KA2 the number of applications increased from 270 in 2024 to 286 in 2025.

The average score of projects approved in KA2 was 78,3 points, the same in 2024. The average score of the submitted applications in KA2 was 71,6 points, comparing to 69,7 points in 2024.

Regarding 2025, 12,3% of applications were approved, due to the lack of funds available to support all the quality projects submitted to the PT02NA. 114 submitted applications in 2025 had the required quality to be approved out of the total of 146.

In KA2 the number of projects approved were: 9 Small-scale Partnerships and 9 Cooperation Partnerships.

Analysing the objectives, priorities and topics addressed in the applications, we can notice that, in submitted applications KA2 - Small-scale Partnerships, Inclusion, promoting equality and non-discrimination were the leading topic, addressed in 21,9% of the applications. Quality and innovation of youth work ranks second, representing 18,6% of the applications. Digital literacy skills and competences and Environment and climate change come in third place, being addressed in 16,7% of the proposals submitted.

Regarding KA2-Cooperation Partnerships, in first place Quality and innovation of youth work addressed in 28,6% of the submitted projects. In second place, Digital literacy skills and competences, representing 16,9% of the submitted applications. Environment and climate change come in third place, being addressed in 15,6%.

The geographic distribution of awarded projects (interior of the country, coastal area/seaside and urban centres) is presented in the table below,

Approved Projects

Region - %

Urban Centers – 44

Coastal area/seaside – 44

Interior – 12

We can notice an interesting diversity in the type of organizations that apply, such as Non-governmental organisation/association, Youth organisation and Small and medium sized enterprise.

I.3.3. Erasmus+ Sport

Key Action 1 - Mobility of sport coaches and staff in the field of Sport (KA182)

See general instructions under point I.3.

In Sport the number of applications was 26 in 2025.

The average score of projects approved under Sport was 74 points, in 2025.

In this new action, 54% of applications were approved.

We would like to stress that 25 (96%) submitted applications had the required quality to be approved out of the total of 26.

Analysing the objectives, priorities and topics addressed in the applications, we can notice that, in submitted applications, Supporting grassroots sport was the leading topic, addressed in 53,8% of the applications. Innovative coaching methodologies ranks second, representing 30,8% of the applications. Inclusion, promoting equality and non-discrimination and Promoting gender equality come in third place, being addressed in 26,9% of the proposals submitted.

I.3.4. European Solidarity Corps

The national agency is asked to structure the overview per action, covering volunteering projects and solidarity projects. In addition, the text should cover an overview of the awarded quality labels for the reported period, focusing on quality labels for lead organisations and their share in contracted projects out of all ongoing quality labels for lead (main trends in comparison with previous calls) and explanations if not all organisations applied.

Volunteering - ESC51, Quality Label - ESC50

See general instructions under point I.3.

In Volunteering projects the number of applications remains at 85 in 2025.

Regarding Volunteering projects, 84 applications were approved, representing a success rate of 98.8%.

Analysing the priorities in the applications, we can notice that, in submitted applications, Inclusion and diversity was the leading topic in Volunteering projects, addressed in 83,5% of the applications. EU youth goals ranks second, representing 74,1% of the applications. Environmental protection, sustainable development and climate action come in third place in the applications, being addressed in 72,9% of the proposals submitted.

The geographic distribution of awarded projects (interior of the country, coastal area/seaside and urban centres) is presented in the table below,

Approved Projects

Region - %

Urban Centers – 45

Coastal area/seaside – 32

Interior – 13

Solidarity projects - ESC30

See general instructions under point I.3

In Solidarity projects the number of applications increased from 161 in 2024 to 170 in 2025.

The average score of projects approved in Solidarity projects was 77,5 points, comparing to 77,8 points in 2024. The average score of the submitted applications in Solidarity projects was 72,3 points, comparing to 71,0 points in 2024.

Regarding Solidarity projects, 49 applications were approved, representing a success rate of 28,8%.

Analysing the objectives, priorities and topics addressed in the applications and in the granted projects, we can notice that, in submitted applications, Community development was the leading topic in Solidarity projects, addressed in 32,9% of the applications. Bridging intercultural, intergenerational and social divide ranks second, representing 22,4% of the applications. Physical and mental health, well-being come in third place in the applications, being addressed in 20,6% of the proposals submitted.

The geographic distribution of awarded projects (interior of the country, coastal area/seaside and urban centres) is presented in the table below,

Approved Projects

Region - %

Urban Centers – 65

Coastal area/seaside – 16

Interior – 19

Participants

Region - %

Urban Centers - 64

Coastal area/ seaside - 17

Interior - 19

We can notice an interesting diversity in the type of organizations that apply, such as Non-governmental organisation/association, Youth organisation and Group of young people in the youth field.

I.4. ANALYSIS OF SECTORAL PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION TO DATE

In the sections below, the national agency is asked to provide a brief analysis of the state of play of programme implementation to date, in particular on the basis of the analysis of project final reports and in relation to delegation/contribution agreements to be closed in the context of this yearly report (highlighting achievements including the average score and good practice examples, difficulties encountered, budget spent in %, any progress/regress, areas for improvement and mitigating actions taken). In addition, it should also include a general analysis of the feedback received from beneficiaries and participants, including supportive measures provided by the national agency. Please report per subaction. Overall, the description should remain synoptic (bullet-point style).

I.4.1. Erasmus+ Education and Training

I.4.2. Erasmus+ Youth

The national agency should provide information as indicated under I.4 and take note of the following:
Key Action 1: please report in separate paragraphs on KA151, KA152, KA153, KA154, KA155 and indicate the proportion of realised budget (%) allocated to activities with third countries not associated to the programme.
Key Action 2: input should also include an analysis of the extent to which the results of finalised projects (KA205, KA227, KA210-YOU, KA220-YOU) were in line with the results expected at application stage, including the score of finalised projects and good practices.

The management of the programme has proceeded normally with the fulfilment of the delegation agreements and with all the reports reaching the minimum quality threshold for acceptance without grant reduction. The programme is perfectly consolidated in Portugal, has a stable, informed and interested public as target audience, with a special emphasis on youth organizations, and has a series of national and international strategic organizational partnerships Achievements of 2022:

- presence of National Agency on several long term partnerships levelling the knowledge and needs analyses of the programme;

- total support of the Portuguese National authorities, given a clear legal framework and mandate to the NA;

- stabilization and motivation of the work team and rapid adaptation to the implementation requirements of the programme;

- more than enough quality applications to absorb programme funds;

- young people's interest in the programmes' actions;

- significant incorporation of the priorities established by the programme and visible on the applications;

The feedback from beneficiaries has been very positive in several aspects:

- understanding and adapting the priorities, new actions, IT tools and accreditation schemes;

- adherence to the National Agency's information and training actions;

- presentation of a large number of proposals for the various actions of the programme;

- boost of the visibility of the programme with several appearances on National news;

In general terms, the feedback from organizations and participants, received in the actions organized by the NA and received in the projects execution’s reports, has been very positive and the potential and benefits of the programme for young people and organizations have been highlighted by them.

Regarding the amount allocated to projects involving partner countries, 25,8% of the approved budget was allocated to KA151, 18,4% to KA152 and 40,9% to KA153.

With regard to KA2, a total of 19 KA210-YOUs and 27 KA220-YOUs were finalized. The final scores were satisfactory, ranging from 66 to 85 points. Eleven of the finalized projects were considered Good Practices. Overall, the objectives of the projects were satisfactorily achieved, as evidenced by the above ratings.

I.4.3. Erasmus+ Sport

The national agency should provide information as indicated under I.4.

The management of the sport action has proceeded normally with the fulfilment of the delegation agreements and with all the reports closed so far reaching the minimum quality threshold for acceptance without grant reduction. After initial years spreading the opportunities for sport organisations in 2025 the action was already competitive, and we had enough project to select quality projects to be supported.

The feedback from beneficiaries has been very positive in several aspects:
- understanding and adapting the priorities, ne action, IT tools and new accreditation schemes;
- adherence to the National Agency's information and training actions;
- presentation of a large number of proposals for the various actions of the programme;
- boost of the visibility of the programme with several appearances on National news;

In general terms, the feedback from organizations and participants, received in the actions organized by the NA and received in the projects execution’s reports, has been very positive and the potential and benefits of the programme for young people and organizations have been highlighted by them.
In 2025, we had 26 applications; 14 projects approved; 152 participants (73 with fewer opportunities); €318,133.00 invested, representing 103% of the budget allocation.

I.4.4. European Solidarity Corps

In addition to its overall analysis, the national agency should indicate which proportion (%) of the budget since the 2021 call year has been used so far for in-country activities.

With regard to the development of programme actions:

- the NA managed to implement the funds with efficiency, transparency and fairness to the applicant organizations;

- the NA managed to boost the execution of Solidarity Projects, increasing the number of applications submitted and supporting more projects than in previous years;

- fulfilment of the delegation agreements;

- The percentage of final reports reaching the minimum quality threshold for acceptance without grant reduction, was actually 100%

- The number of registrations of Portuguese young people on the ESC Portal continues to be one of the biggest in Europe – 13.356;

- Candidates were able to incorporate the programme priorities in their Projects;

The feedback from organizations and participants was very positive. In the actions of the Training and Evaluation Cycle and in the face-to-face activities already described, as well as in the monitoring and checks activities, it was possible to verify:

- that there is in fact an increase in the Quality of the Projects that is noticed both in the scores of the application, in ESC30, and in the final reports of the volunteering projects.

- that the conditions of volunteers in the Projects are adequate;

- that the solidarity and learning components in the Projects have a harmonious and complementary presence;

- that the process of simplifying the financing schemes pleases the organizations and allows them to carry out the Projects in a more flexible, efficient and quality way.

Since 2021, the percentage of the budget for in-country activities was 4.6%.

II. PROGRAMME MANAGEMENT

II.1. BUDGET MANAGEMENT

II.1.1. Fund management

The European Commission will use its monitoring tools to assess the national agency's performance on key budget implementation indicators for both Erasmus+ and the European Solidarity Corps, i.e. mainly commitment rates and realisation rates.

With reference to the national agency's financial reports, please comment on the budget commitment (percentage of contracted projects) level for the 2025 Call year and on the budget realisation levels for 2021 and 2022. The national agency is invited to describe any issues it faced in terms of effective fund management and the measures undertaken to address those issues (e.g. transfers; etc.). In addition, and if applicable, please provide also information on the use of national funds or issues related to the negative interest avoidance strategy, etc.

a) Commitment level for call year 2025

Erasmus+ (please provide an analysis per programme field)

Considering the total grants awarded, excluding KA210 under round 2, (€11.089.920,25), the commitment rate reaches 98,5%.

The current commitment rate of 77,6% reflects the exclusion of Round 2 projects from the calculation. For KA1, although the Selection Committee and the Grant Award Decisions were concluded on 19 December, the related grant agreements will only be issued and signed at the beginning of 2026. For KA2, the Selection Committee and the Grant Award Decisions were finalised on 15 January 2026, in line with the Calendar of Funds.

Once all grant agreements are issued and signed in early 2026, as planned, the commitment rate will increase to 101,4%.

European Solidarity Corps

Considering the total grants awarded (4.050.704,69€), the commitment rate is 102,5%

The current commitment rate of 96,4% reflects the fact that the 2nd round solidarity projects have not been taken into account. Although the selection committee and the Grant awarded decisions took place on 19 December, the corresponding grant agreements will only be issued and signed at the beginning of 2026.

Once all grant agreements are issued and signed at the beginning of 2026, as foreseen in the calendar of funds, the commitment rate will reach 102,5%

b) Realisation level for 2021 and 2022

Erasmus+ (please provide an analysis per programme field)

The budget realisation rate for 2021 is 94% per field, which is above 90%. This rate is the result of changes of the projects and also some cancelled projects in KA1.
The budget realisation rate for 2022 is 96,3% per field, which is above 90%. However, the 2022 Contribution Agreement is not yet closed and will be closed by 30/06/2027 according to the Fund's calendar, so the realisation rate may be higher. Although our expectations were to achieve a 100% of realisation rate, and despite all our efforts, this rate is the result of frequent and common changes in the projects (e.g. changes in the number of participants, real costs, etc.). These changes result not only in non-execution of the approved budget but also in recoveries. The financial execution of the activities related to the TCA – KA351 was not fully aligned with the initially committed budget. However, this did not affect the actual and physical implementation of the activities which were carried out. This rate is the result of changes of the projects and also some cancelled projects in KA152, KA153, KA154 and KA210.

European Solidarity Corps

The budget realisation rate for 2021 is 85,6% per field, slightly below 90%. This rate is the result of changes of the projects and several cancelled projects in volunteering projects and also the financial execution of the activities related to the NET – ESC71 was not fully aligned with the initially committed budget. However, this did not affect the actual and physical implementation of the activities which were carried out.
The budget realisation rate for 2022 is 87,5%, slightly below 90%. However, the 2022 Contribution Agreement is not yet closed, it will be closed by 30/06/2027 according to the calendar of funds, so the realisation rate could be even higher. Although our expectations were to achieve a 100% of realisation rate, and despite all our efforts, this rate is the result of frequent and common changes in the projects (e.g. changes in the number of participants, real costs, etc.). These changes result not only in non-execution of the approved budget but also in recoveries. This rate is the result of changes of the projects and also some cancelled projects in solidarity projects and volunteering projects. The financial execution of the activities related to the was not fully aligned with the NET – ESC71 ESC41 - Networking activities initially committed budget. However, this did not affect the actual and physical implementation of the activities which were carried out.

II.1.2. Allocation policy

In the textbox below, the national agency is asked to highlight any major deviations in all key actions and all programme areas as regards the grant allocation policy (i.e. planned % vs. actual %) and explain the reasons for deviating from the allocation policy as included in the approved work programme for 2025 (section III.1.2).

The PT National Agency made some budget transfers in 2025 in accordance with the Contribution Agreement. The budget transfers were made in order to maximise the implementation of the programmes, to respond positively to the needs and expectations of our stakeholders and in accordance with the Contribution

Agreement. In the Erasmus + Programme, funds allocated to KA2 Cooperation Partnerships, in order to maximise the implementation of the action and respond better to the needs and expectations of the candidates, were transferred to KA2 Small Partnerships and KA1 Mobility Projects in the field of Youth. Also the funds allocated to Youth Participation Activities, for the same reasons linked to better execution and meeting user expectations, were transferred to KA1 Mobility Projects in the field of Youth; - In the European Solidarity Corps, funds allocated to the Voluntary Activities were transferred to Solidarity Projects, once again responding the big demand of these action from the groups of young people and organizations. As far as Erasmus+ Sport is concerned, and according to the approved WP 2025, the PT NA distributed the funds over 2 rounds. The implementation was 70% in R1 and 30% in R2. We have assumed the difference between the approved and the implemented. The reasons for this are the number of applications submitted, the number of projects approved in relation to their allocated budget, combined with an optimisation of the implementation of the funds for the action. According to the approved WP 2025, PT NA distributed the funds for solidarity projects in 2 rounds. The realised was 50,8% in R1 and 49,2% in R2. We have assumed the difference between the approved and the implemented. Although the difference is marginal, the reasons for this are the number of applications submitted, the number of projects approved in relation to their allocated budget, combined with an optimisation of the implementation of the funds for the action. For Volunteering, the implementation rate was 100% for R1 as approved in WP2025. For accredited organisations, the achievement was 50%. Our performance was in line with that approved. According to the approved WP 2025, PT NA distributed the funds for E+, KA1 and KA2 Small Partnerships, over 2 rounds. In KA1, the implementation was 72,6% in R1 and 27,4% in R2, and in KA2 Small Partnerships the implementation was 60,7% in R1 and 39,3% in R2. We have assumed the difference between the approved and the implemented. The reasons for this are the number of applications submitted, the number of applications rejected for lack of funds and the number of approved projects in relation to their allocated budget, combined with optimising the use of funds for the action. For KA2 Cooperation Partnerships, the implementation rate was 100% for R1 as approved in WP2025.

II.2. PROJECT LIFECYCLE MANAGEMENT

The European Commission (DG EAC) will use its internal dashboard to assess the national agency's performance, i.e.

- proportion (%) of first pre-financing payments within 30 days of the grant agreement signature (measured on the basis of payments processed during the Call year);
- proportion (%) of final payments processed within 60 days (measured on the basis of payments processed during the calendar year);
- proportion (%) of final reports reaching the minimum quality threshold for acceptance without grant reduction (measured on the basis of reports processed during the calendar year);
- proportion (%) of timely received final beneficiary reports (measured on the basis of reports received during the calendar year).

In addition, the National Agency is invited to provide information on the main positive aspects/good practice examples, as well as areas for improvements in the way it manages the project lifecycle. Any issues or derogations from the established rules and the description provided in the approved work programme for 2024 (section III.2.1) should also be highlighted. Regarding the selection process for the 2024 Call year, please describe in detail the measures used to assign applications to experts, any problems encountered, and remedial actions.

The NA operates under a structured and ISO-certified project lifecycle management system, fully aligned with the Guide for National Agencies, ensuring compliance with regulatory deadlines and the Calendar for the Use of Funds.

Over recent years, cumulative operational constraints — including prolonged technical limitations in digital platforms, sustained growth in project volume and severe human resource restrictions — led to a progressive accumulation of final reports pending assessment. These factors affected processing timelines but did not compromise regulatory conformity, traceability, financial control or quality standards.

To address this situation, the NA implemented in 2025 a dedicated Recovery Plan focused on clearing the accumulated stock of final reports. The Plan reinforced evaluation capacity through the mobilisation of external evaluators fully integrated into the Agency’s internal validation, decision-making and control framework. All procedures remained subject to double technical and financial verification, preserving the integrity of the Quality Management System.

During 2025, a total of 524 final reports were assessed under the reinforced recovery framework, representing an exceptional evaluation volume and reflecting the concentrated effort to clear accumulated reports from previous years.

By 31 December 2025, all pending final reports had been fully assessed, validated and closed, and no report remained outstanding at any stage of the evaluation or payment process. The accumulated backlog was entirely eliminated and the project lifecycle was fully regularised.

As of that date, the NA operates exclusively under standard processing conditions. There is no residual stock of reports pending assessment, no delayed payment linked to backlog situations and no structural carry-over into the 2026 implementation year.

Of the 524 final reports assessed in 2025, 515 (98.3%) reached the minimum quality (Erasmus+: 97%; ESC: 98.9%).

The concentration of report assessments carried out during the recovery phase influenced the indicator measuring final payments processed within 60 days during the calendar year (22.7%), as a direct consequence of the clearance of accumulated reports from previous years.

This corrective phase was fully concluded in 2025, and the structural foundations ensuring full compliance with contractual deadlines are now firmly established.

At the same time: 254 first pre-financing payments (Call/Agreement 2025) were processed, 252 within 30 days (99.2%); and 361 final reports were received, regardless of the agreement year, of which 248 (68.7%) were submitted by beneficiaries within the contractual deadline.

The measures introduced in 2025 have restored and consolidated structural processing capacity, ensuring sustained and full compliance with contractual deadlines going forward.

II.3. CHECKS OF GRANT BENEFICIARIES

The National Agency is asked to provide a general overview of the main findings of the checks of beneficiaries carried out during the year. Explanations should be given as regards any checks of beneficiaries that could not be realised as initially planned or delays in implementing checks. This section should also be used to report on any constraints and challenges to obtain a reasonable assurance on the eligibility of the activities carried out by the beneficiaries.

In 2025, the NA carried out the following primary checks for the 2021, 2022, 2024 and 2025 delegation agreements.

Erasmus+ and ESC programmes:

40 procedures

7 desk checks,

9 desk checks risk-based

18 on-the-spot during implementation

3 on-the-spot during implementation risk-based

1 Monitoring risk-based

2 Quality Label monitoring risk-based

2021

1 ESC desk check

3 ESC desk checks risk-based

1 Quality Label monitoring risk-based

6 Erasmus+ desk checks

6 Erasmus+ desk checks risk-based

2022

1 Quality Label monitoring risk-based

2024

2 ESC on-the-spot during implementation

7 Erasmus+ on-the-spot during implementation

1 Erasmus+ on-the-spot during implementation risk-based

2025

1 ESC on-the-spot during implementation

2 ESC on-the-spot during implementation, risk-based

8 Erasmus+ on-the-spot during implementation

In 2025, 475 meetings, visits/monitoring and primary controls were carried out, including

- 17 personal visits;

- 40 primary controls (3 face-to-face; 1 hybrid and 36 online);

- 65 meetings (10 in person and 55 online);

- 353 project owner support (online)

In general, the implementation of the primary controls confirmed the correct implementation of the projects according to the information available in the National Agency and constantly updated by the project officers and the monitoring team.

The desk checks supported the verification by analysing the final reports and consolidating the evaluation processes.

The monitoring of the work in 2025 was carried out by the project management teams, with an increase in the implementation of mobility and with a high level of commitment from the organisations and all partners involved, in accordance with the rules.

I confirm that all completed checks are registered and finalised in PMM. ☑

II.4. DATA PROTECTION

This section aims at outlining if relevant measures have been taken and implemented by the National Agency to meet its obligations as data processor in line with Regulation (EU) 2018/1725, in compliance with articles II.7.4-6 of the Contribution Agreement and section 6 of the guide for National Agencies, in particular on the following aspects:

Security and confidentiality of processing: the appropriate technical and organisational measures have been put in place by the National Agency in order to ensure that processing meets the requirements of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 and the protection of the rights of the data subject, including specific authorisations to National

Agency staff to process the personal data.

- [x] YES
- [ ] NO
- [ ] PARTIALLY

Please describe the processes and measures that the national agency has put in place to ensure compliance with this obligation (including how these measures are applied in practice) or explain why such processes have been implemented partially or not implemented at all. The description should refer to technical and organisational measures such as protection against unauthorised or unlawful processing and against accidental loss, destruction or damage, engaging sub-processors, adherence to approved certification mechanisms, etc.:

The National Agency guarantees that it protects data against unauthorized or unlawful processing and against accidental loss, destruction, or damage, through physical and logical security mechanisms and incident response procedures.

When using subcontractors, it contractually ensures that they apply equivalent security measures and only process data in accordance with documented instructions from the data controller.

Whenever possible, the National Agency adheres to certification mechanisms that guarantee the best protection of personal data.

The computer system is prepared to guarantee the security and protection of personal data, and whenever required, personal data is anonymized and hidden from all documents provided.

Assistance to the controller: the national agency has implemented the necessary technical and organisational measures to ensure the fulfilment of DG EAC's obligations, as controller, to respond to requests for exercising the data subject's rights under Chapter III EUDPR, in particular by forwarding without delay all data subject requests concerning the processing operation 'Erasmus+ and European Solidarity Corps decentralised actions managed by the National Agencies' (https://ec.europa.eu/erasmus-esc-personal-data), by maintaining a log or other form of evidence of such actions, and by informing the data subject that their request has been transmitted to the controller.

- [x] YES
- [ ] NO
- [ ] N/A (in case of no data subject requests received by the national agency)

Please describe the processes and measures that the national agency has put in place to comply with this obligation, or explain why such processes have not been

implemented. The national agency should also describe the procedure to report to DG EAC personal data breaches that they have become aware of:

The Portuguese National Agency provides the data protection officer with the necessary and possible tools so that he can fulfill, as far as possible, the functions inherent to this topic.

In fact, whenever an email or phone call is received in which the topic is data protection, it is immediately forwarded to this person in charge in order to clarify existing doubts. In this way, the data protection officer has knowledge of the main difficulties and obstacles that the beneficiaries face, which will allow him to improve his knowledge in this area and, in this way, better respond to what is asked. Likewise, the data protection officer is provided with the frequency of training actions and clarification sessions on this topic, contributing to the continuous improvement, not only of their training and knowledge in this area, but also for a better quality of the work developed.

Data retention: the national agency has put in place the necessary technical and organisational measures to ensure that, after the end of the provision of services related to processing, all personal data are either returned to the controller or deleted, and that existing copies (including paper ones, like grant agreements, invoices, etc.) are also deleted unless Union or Member State law requires their retention.

- ☑ YES
- ☐ NO
- ☐ PARTIALLY

Please describe the processes and measures that the national agency has put in place to ensure compliance with this obligation (including how these measures are applied in practice) or explain why such processes have been implemented partially or not implemented at all:

The National Agency guarantees internal procedures that determine the secure elimination of all existing copies, including paper media such as grant contracts, invoices, and other administrative documentation, except where there is a legal obligation to retain them.

Technicians receive specific instructions to ensure compliance with these data return or destruction procedures, reducing the risk of improper retention.

Contribution to audits: in case of audit, including inspections, conducted by DG EAC or another auditor mandated by DG EAC, the national agency has made available all the necessary information to demonstrate the compliance with obligations of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725.

- ☐ YES (explanation optional)
- ☐ NO
- ☑ N/A

If the answer is NO or N/A, please provide details:

No audits were conducted by DG EAC or any other auditor assigned by DG EAC.

Supervision of beneficiaries: the national agency has put in place effective measures to supervise beneficiaries, in order to ensure that they have implemented the appropriate technical and organisational measures necessary to comply with the requirements of Regulation 2018/1725.

- ☐ YES
- ☐ NO
- ☑ PARTIALLY

Please describe the measures that the national agency has implemented to ensure such supervision, in particular the number and nature of specific checks on beneficiaries on compliance with Regulation 2018/1725, or explain why such processes have been implemented partially or not implemented at all:

In the visits or training provided, we always mention the importance of complying with the GDPR in the documentation used, however, there are Portuguese authorities that comply as a supervisory authority.

Despite this, before implement or support any project or activity, directly or promoted by the beneficiaries in the scope of Eramsus + and European Solidarity Corps Porgrammes, PT NA always certify that the documents produced, as for exemple surveys, vídeos, photos are in accordance with data protection rules, by cheking those documents before they were use or published.

Additional comments (optional):

N/A

II.5. COMPLIANCE - MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

Please confirm that the national agency was able to comply with the minimum requirements resulting from the Guide for National Agencies and national agency work programme. Please ensure coherence between this section and all other relevant parts of the 2025 yearly report.

1 - Has the national agency followed the minimum requirements regarding checks and controls on the grant award procedure (ref. section 4.3 of the Guide for National Agencies)?

☑ YES
☐ NO

2 - Has the national agency followed the minimum requirements regarding checks on grant beneficiaries (ref. section 5.4 of the Guide for National Agencies)?

☑ YES
☐ NO

3 - Has the national agency followed the minimum requirements regarding controls on recoveries (ref. section 5.5 of the Guide for National Agencies)?

☑ YES
☐ NO

4 - Has the national agency followed the minimum requirements regarding follow-up of cases of irregularity and fraud (ref. section 5.7 of the Guide for National Agencies)?

☑ YES
☐ NO

5 - Has the national agency followed the minimum requirements regarding monitoring and support to beneficiaries (ref. section 5.6 of the Guide for National Agencies)?

☑ YES
☐ NO

6 - Has the national agency followed the minimum requirements regarding segregation of duties (ref. section 2.3.2 of the Guide for National Agencies)?

☑ YES
☐ NO

7 - Treasury management (ref. sections 7.3.2 of the Guide for National Agencies):

7.1) Are all bank accounts [called the 'National Agencies bank accounts' hereafter] on which EU indirect management action funds - for both the current and

predecessor programme - which have been kept in the course of 2025 listed in this report?

- [x] YES
- [ ] NO

7.2) Is the national agency (or its hosting organisation) the formal bank account holder for all the listed national agency bank accounts?

- [x] YES
- [ ] NO

7.3) Are all Erasmus+/European Solidarity Corps funds placed on one single bank account that is not used for any other funds?

- [x] YES
- [ ] NO

7.4) Are all payments to beneficiaries made from the single bank account used for Erasmus+/European Solidarity Corps programme funds and are all refunds made by grant beneficiaries paid into this single bank account or in one of the single bank accounts used for the previous programme actions funds?

- [x] YES
- [ ] NO

7.5) Have all payments/recoveries to/from grant beneficiaries been made by bank transfer?

- [x] YES
- [ ] NO

7.6) Has the national agency placed temporarily unused funds on savings and/or term deposit accounts according to the most advantageous market conditions?

☐ YES
☑ NO

7.7) Were all savings (and (term) deposit accounts) used called in Euro?

☑ YES
☐ NO

7.8) Have all national agency bank accounts yielded interest?

☐ YES
☑ NO

7.9) Are all interests generated on EU pre-financing declared as gross amounts (i.e. total amount of interest earned before deduction of any bank charges or taxes)?

☐ YES
☑ NO

7.10) In case bank charges and/or taxes have been levied on national agency bank accounts, have these charges/taxes been paid from the national agency operating budget?

☑ YES
☐ NO

7.11) Has the national agency used a transit account?

☐ YES

☑ NO

7.12) Has the national agency made quarterly reconciliations between the bank balances in bank statements and the national agency accounting records? If not, please explain/justify

☑ YES
☐ NO

7.13) Has the national agency made at least quarterly reconciliations between its accounting records and PMM?

☑ YES
☐ NO

7.14) Are all bank transfers either to grant beneficiaries or to other national agency accounts made by the national agency from the national agency bank accounts listed in this report?

☑ YES
☐ NO

8 - Has the national agency respected the deadlines with regard to the management of the project lifecycle, in particular relating to the grant award procedure, issuing of grant agreements, grant payments, checks on grant beneficiaries, recovery of EU funds (ref. sections 4.8 to 5.5 of the Guide for National Agencies).

☑ YES
☐ NO

9 - Has the national agency followed the Public procurement rules (ref. section 8 of the Guide for National Agencies)?

☑ YES
☐ NO

10 - Has the national agency acted with respect of the guidelines on financial management (ref. section 7.3 of the Guide for National Agencies)?

☑ YES
☐ NO

11 - Has the national agency used the IT tools according to Commission's requirement (ref. section 9 of the Guide for National Agencies)?

☑ YES
☐ NO

12 - Were all the minimum required activities implemented in the area of 'Communication, information, dissemination and exploitation of programme's results' and 'Monitoring and support to programme beneficiaries'? (ref. II.1 and II.2 sections of the Specifications to the 2025 national agency work programme)

☑ YES
☐ NO

13 - Were the European Solidarity Corps Training Cycle activities organised in full compliance with the provisions of the Guide for National Agencies (ref. section 10.3)?

☑ YES
☐ NO
☐ Not applicable

In case of negative replies to the questions above (except for 7.11), please explain the reasons and include a reference to the requirement number above.

7.6 / 7.8 / 7.9 / 7.11: The NA is obliged to use an official public bank account that do not permit such operations.

III. TRAINING AND COOPERATION ACTIVITIES (TCA) AND NETWORKING ACTIVITIES (NET)

The national agency shall ensure that the relevant **TCA/NET/TEC/DiscoverEU** Learning Cycle section in NAM has been thoroughly updated before the submission of the 2025 yearly report.

I confirm that the section in NAM is now up-to-date: ☑

III.1. TRAINING AND COOPERATION ACTIVITIES (TCA)

This section should provide a description of the strategy for the Training and Cooperation Activities (TCAs) implemented so far by the national agency.

In light of the indicators and targets set in the approved **work programme for 2025** (part IV), the description should in particular report on how the TCAs were used to effectively support the quality implementation of the Erasmus+ programme and its impact at systemic level. It should also explain the rationale of the national agency's intervention, the policy/programme objectives pursued, the target groups reached and any lessons learnt during the monitoring of TCA activities.

Where relevant, please describe the synergies between TCA and NET activities implemented under the European Solidarity Corps, as well as synergies across sectors, if any.

TCA strategy has been designed as a key instrument to support the quality implementation and systemic impact of the E+, in line with the objectives, indicators and targets defined in the approved 2025 Work Programme.
PTNA executed an innovative plan of online, residential and hybrid activities, single activities, cooperation's, networks, processes, tools and SNACS/LTAs with national and transnational scopes.
TCAs implemented so far have focused primarily on improving recognition and quality of youth work, project quality, promoting inclusion and diversity, enhancing youth participation and democratic engagement, and supporting the digital and green dimensions, employment, entrepreneurship, sports, intercultural dialogue, human rights EU Youth Strategy, EU values, Youth Goals and European Youth Work Agenda topics. PTNA gave a strong focus to the Ukranian situation and connected topics.
TCAs have been strategically used to strengthen the capacities of organisations, youth workers and other stakeholders involved in the programme, while contributing to policy priorities at national and European level. Supports development of knowledge and competences of participants, facilitating partnership building, transnational cooperation, exchange of experiences and peer learning, and strengthening the impact of projects beyond the individual level.
Target groups included youth workers, practitioners, potential applicants and beneficiaries/project coordinators and partners, youth organisations (including newcomers), participants with fewer opportunities, youth leaders, multipliers, trainers, researchers, decision makers and stakeholders active in the youth sector.

Where relevant, synergies were established between TCA and NET, especially in areas such as youth participation/democracy, non-formal education, ETS comptenece moduls, topics connected with Ukraine, projects quality, youth work, mental-health, inclusion and volunteering. These synergies contributed to coherence between programmes, efficient use of resources and maximise impacts/results. In addition, intersectoral approaches were encouraged, fostering cooperation between different actors when addressing shared priorities.
The monitor of effective implementation and impact is being held through RAY projects, several cooperation's, needs collections, reports, tools and activities. The intervention has been based on a continuous needs analysis. Results are used beyond the lifetime of projects , mainly to develop the quality of future activities/partnerships, design strategies, becoming inspiring and creative tools for the development of new ideas, explore possibilities both in learning with mistakes and also in the use of success as an engine for new challenges, creating a solid and strong basis for the next years. TCA outcomes are embedded into the Agency's regular support, guidance and dissemination activities. The strategy was implemented towards high-level performance.

Realisation of 2024 and 2025 TCA versus National Agency Work Programmes

With reference to the TCA financed under the 2024 and 2025 contribution agreements (TCA respective eligibility periods 01.01.2024 - 31.12.2025 and 01.01.2025 - 31.12.2025), please report on how the national agency used the available budget, complied with the ceiling(s), and ensured the required co-financing. Please provide explanations in case the national agency either did not use this budget opportunity or could not comply with the TCA requirements.

The national agency is requested to report on any major differences and deviations from the initial planning or budget and provide explanations, including on new or modified TCA activities not originally planned in the 2024 or 2025 approved work programmes. Please include, if applicable, also any deviation to the planned participation in activities organised by other national agencies/SALTOs (sending of participants, contribution to single activities, financial contribution to long-term activities).

2024 contribution agreement (remaining reporting period: 01.01.2025 - 31.12.2025)

PTNA used the available budget to effectively support E+ through the development and implementation of a strong, strategic, balanced and innovative plan of online, residential and hybrid activities (connected processes, outputs and tools) with national and transnational scopes.

This was made through the preparation, implementation and follow up of hosting activities, processes, outputs, tools, cooperations and networks, both at single level and also connected with LTAs coordinated by other NAs, through sending participants and cofounding activities, outputs and processes.

In what refers to TCA2024 the budget was used to support high quality implementation of E+, recognition and quality of youth work, promote development of competences (and capacity building) of programme organisations and target-groups, exchange experiences and practices and also potential organisations/participants, through transnational thematic activities, training/support and contact seminars/partnerships building, study visits, national activities with

an European added value, processes, tools and outputs connected with the overall strategy defined for TCA in workplans, with the research-based analysis of Programme results/RAY projects and other SNACs/LRTAs, sending participants, cooperating and cofounding activities of other NAs.
A strong focus on Ukrainan situation have been given on the implementation of PT NA work.

PT NA implemented TCAs as planned, while maintaining flexibility to respond to emerging needs and contextual developments in European social, political, economic context and current situations in different countries. No major constraints were identified that would prevent the use of the allocated TCA budget or compliance with the TCA requirements.
Minor adjustments to the initial planning were introduced during implementation, mainly related to the timing and number of activities. These adjustments did not affect the overall objectives or financial framework but rather aimed to optimise participation, accessibility, resources, maximise the impact and increase the budget execusion, answering to the youth sector needs. Some activities were refined or expanded/added to address emerging priorities, such as mental health and well-being, digital youth work and the situation in Ukraine. These changes were implemented within the defined TCA strategy and the approved budgetary limits and eligibility rules. PTNA, like other NAs, made adjustments in the plan and in the activities, but maintained its strategic objectives, the applicable rules and the various existing possibilities and don´t considered that major deviations have been made on it.

PTNA complied with the ceiling(s) following the Guide for NAs and other Notes, guidelines and/or instructions received by the Commission and also at national level, not using more budget than the available and eligible, following the eligibility periods and rules, complying with the procedures, instructions and requirements, assuring the good quality of budget planning and activities implementation, their results, impact and multiplying effect.
PTNA ensured the required co-financing through: local, nacional and transnational partnerships; participants/organizations contribution (deducting a percentage from travel costs reimbursement, local travel costs and other costs) and the national contribution to staff costs.
Having the overall description above in account PT NA consider the implementation of TCA2024, successful, as it remained consistent with the National Agency strategic planning, approved in Multi-annual and annual work programmes, while allowing the necessary flexibility to respond to evolving and emerging needs. The approach ensured compliance with celling(s) and financial requirements, effective use of the available budget and sustained contribution to the quality and impact of the Erasmus+ Youth programme, it project and activities, to all the sectors in general and youth in particular.

2025 contribution Agreement (reporting period: 01.01.2025 - 31.12.2025)

PTNA used the available budget to effectively support E+ through the development and implementation of a strong, strategic, balanced and innovative plan of activities (connected processes, outputs and tools) with national and transnational scopes.
This was made through the preparation and implementation of hosting activities, in the contribution to national/transnational processes/tools/activities/outputs linked with LTAs coordinated by other NAs, sending participants, cooperating and cofounding activities, following the Nas strategy defined in the workplans.

In what refers to TCA2025, during 2025 the budget was used to support high quality implementation of E+, recognition and quality of youth work in general and from

youth workers at municipal level in particular, supporting the implementation of Youth Work Agenda topics and highlighting European Youth Goals, to promote development of competences (and capacity building) of programme organisations and target-groups and also less experienced organisations/ participants, calling newcomers and young people with fewer opportunities to the Programme and to contribute to maximise the impact of participation in the Programme, mainly through the implementation of hosting activities, processes connected with the research-based analysis of Programme results/RAY projects and other LTAs, sending participants and cofounding activities, tools, outputs and processes.
A strong focus on Ukrainan situation have been given on the implementation of PT NA work that had impact both in hosting and sending but also in cooperation and networking.
The main part of activities under TCA 2025 they are planned to be implemented during 2026 year, as in 2025 TCA 2024 have been also implemented.

So far, PT NA implemented TCA as planned, while maintaining flexibility to respond to emerging needs and contextual developments in European social, political, economic context and current situations in different countries. No major constraints were identified that would prevent the use of the allocated TCA budget or compliance with the TCA requirements.
These adjustments did not affect the overall objectives or financial framework but rather aimed to optimise participation, have a stronger and more consolidated preparation phase, enhance accessibility, resources, maximise the impact and increase the execution.
Minor adjustments to the initial planning were introduced during Plan implementation, mainly related to the timing for implementation for hosting, sending and cooperation activities. PTNA, like other NAs, made adjustments in the activities, but maintained its strategic objectives, the applicable rules and the various existing possibilities and don´t considered that major deviations have been made on it, as they were implemented within the defined TCA strategy and the approved budgetary limits and eligibility rules.

PTNA complied with the ceiling(s) following the Guide for NAs and other Notes, guidelines and/or instructions received by the Commission and also at national level, not using more budget than the available and eligible, following the eligibility periods and rules, complying with the procedures, instructions and requirements, assuring the good quality of budget planning and activities implementation, their results, impact and multiplying effect.
PTNA ensured the required co-financing through: local, nacional and transnational partnerships; participants/organizations contribution (deducting a percentage from travel costs reimbursement, local travel costs and other costs) and the national contribution to staff costs.
We consider the implementation of TCA 2025, during 2025, successful, as some hosting, sending, cofound and cooperations have been implemented and a strong and solid basis has been created, for the implementation of the overall plan activities that aim to effectively supporting the butterfly effect of participation in Erasmus+.

Long-term activities (only for coordinating national agency) (2025 only):

Please provide for each Long-term NET coordinated by your national agency an overview of the main achievements of this reporting period, including in particular:

- Type and number of single activities organised in the framework of the long-term activity
- Main milestones, lessons learnt and outputs, if any
- Synergies and cooperation with other long term activities and initiatives in the same field
- Any major deviation or change from the initial planning, in terms of priorities and/or activities, and provide explanations
- Realised budget in the reporting period

N/A

For each *closing* Long-term activity coordinated by your national agency, please provide:

- Final outcomes and outputs of LTA;
- Mainstreaming of LTA (into the national agency's TCA strategy level, national Erasmus+ strategy, European policy priority level, other LTAs, etc.);
- Measures to exploit LTA results to Erasmus+ beneficiaries and newcomer Erasmus+ project holders (how they will benefit from the results);
- If relevant, recommendations to the European Commission concerning the improvement of the target areascovered;
- Measures to keep results sustainable over time;
- If relevant, include a link to the final report of the LTA.

N/A

III.2. NETWORKING ACTIVITIES (NET)

This section should provide a description of the strategy for the Networking Activities (NET) so far implemented by the national agency.

In light of the indicators and targets set in the approved work programme for 2024 and 2025 (part IV), the description should in particular report on how the NETs were used to effectively support the quality implementation of the European Solidarity Corps programme and its impact at systemic level. It should also explain the rationale of the national agency's intervention, the policy/programme objectives pursued, the target groups reached and any lesson learnt during the monitoring of NET activities.

When relevant, please describe the synergies between TCA and NET activities implemented under the European Solidarity Corps, as well as synergies across sectors, if any.

NET strategy has been designed as a key instrument the strategic, qualitative and quantitative implementation of the Programme, in line with the objectives, priorities, indicators and targets defined in the approved 2025 Work Programme, the development of skills and competences, strengthen transnational cooperation, enhance organisational capacity building, and promote the recognition and quality of youth work, volunteering and solidarity activities.

PT NA gave a strong focus to Solidarity, Inclusion, Diversity, intercultural and inter-faith dialogue, democracy and participation in decision making, and human rights, with particular focus to the current situation in Ukraine.
NET activities also support support the Green and Digital dimensions of the Programme, increase the quality of projects, mobilise organisations and individuals, to foster commitment to Youth Goals, European Youth Work Agenda and European Youth strategy.
PT NA intended also to stimulate exchange of practices, support capacity build, promote mental health and wellbeing, highlight the importance and impact of Non Formal Education and support the learning process, its certification and recognition, to increase the quality of support provided by Mentors, volunteer/QL organisations, to explore the ETS competence models, to foster Programme awareness and incentive newcomers participation and development of new projects.

PTNA executed an innovative plan of online, residential and hybrid activities, single activities, cooperation’s, networks, processes, outputs, tools and SNACS/LTAs with national and transnational scopes.

Where relevant, synergies were established between TCA and NET activities, in cases where common topics, focus, objectives and target groups are tackled, especially in areas such as youth participation, non-formal education, ETS competences models, projects quality, youth work, mental-health, inclusion and volunteering. These synergies contributed to coherence between programmes, efficient use of resources and maximise impacts/results. In addition, intersectoral approaches were encouraged, fostering cooperation between different actors when addressing shared priorities.

Monitor of the effective implementation and impact is being done through participation in RAY project, several cooperation´s, needs collections, tools and activities. The intervention has been based on a continuous needs analysis.
TCA outcomes are embedded into the Agency’s regular support, guidance and dissemination activities. The strategy was implemented towards high-level performance.
The NET targeted the practitioners, potential applicants/beneficiaries, trainers, youth workers, youth leaders, decision makers, representatives of organisations

actives on the field, stakeholders, multipliers, researchers, mentors and tutors, other ESC actors, with a particular focus on reaching out newcomers and participants with fewer opportunities.

Realisation of 2024 and 2025 NET versus national agency work programmes

With reference to the NET financed under the 2024 and 2025 contribution agreement (NET respective reporting period 01.01.2024 - 31.12.2025 and 01.01.2025 - 31.12.2025), please report on how the national agency used the available budget, complied with the ceiling(s), and ensured the required co-financing. Please provide explanations in case the national agency either did not use this budget opportunity or could not comply with the NET requirements.

The national agency is requested to report on any major differences and deviations from the initial planning or budget and provide explanations. Please include, if applicable, also any deviation to the planned participation in activities organised by other national agencies/SALTOs (sending of participants, contribution to single activities, financial contribution to long-term activities).

2024 Contribution Agreement (reporting period: 01.01.2025 - 31.12.2025)

In what refers to NET 2024, during 2025, PT NA used the available NET budget in an effective and strategic manner to support the implementation of the ESC Programme. To strengthen the recognition and quality of youth work, volunteering and solidarity activities, and promote the development of competences and capacity building of organisations, participants and target groups.
A strong focus was given to solidarity, volunteering, sports, inclusion, human rights, ETS, Mental Health and the response to the situation in Ukraine, which was consistently integrated across NET activities.
The budget was allocated to the development and implementation of a balanced and innovative plan of online, residential and hybrid activities, including connected processes, outputs and tools, at national and transnational level.
This was achieved through the preparation, implementation and follow-up of hosting activities, cooperation processes, networks, outputs and tools, both in single activities format and also in connection with LTAs coordinated by other NAs. PT NA implemented the plan also through the sending of participants, as well as through co-funding of activities, outputs and processes, ensuring coherence with the approved strategy and European priorities. Activities were also implemented in the context of RAY projects and cooperation with SALTO Resource Centres, Nas and other relevant stakeholders.
NET activities included transnational thematic activities, training and support events, contact-making/partnership-building activities, study visits, and national activities with clear European added value.
PT NA implemented NET activities as planned, while maintaining the necessary flexibility to respond to emerging needs and contextual developments both at national and European level. No major constraints were identified that would prevent the use of the allocated NET budget or compliance with the applicable requirements and rules.
Minor adjustments to the initial planning were introduced during implementation, mainly related to the timing and number of activities. These adjustments did not

affect the overall objectives or financial framework, but aimed to optimise the budget, participation, accessibility, use of resources and overall impact, responding to the evolving needs of the youth and solidarity sectors. Some activities were refined or expanded to address emerging priorities, such as mental health and well-being, digital youth work and the situation in Ukraine, always within the approved strategy, eligibility rules and budgetary limits.
PT NA complied with the applicable ceilings and rules, in accordance with the Guide for National Agencies and the relevant instructions, notes and guidelines issued by the European Commission and also at national level. The Agency ensured sound financial management, respecting eligibility periods, not using more budget than the available and eligible, following the rules, complying with the procedures, instructions and requirements, assuring the good quality of budget planning, of activities implementation, their results, impact and multiplying effect.
The required co-financing was ensured through a combination of local and national partnerships, contributions from participating organisations and participants (deducting a percentage from travel costs reimbursement, local travel costs and other costs), and national contributions to staff costs.
Overall, PT NA considers the implementation of NET activities under the 2024 contribution agreement successful, as it remained consistent with the strategic planning approved in the multiannual and annual work programmes, while allowing sufficient flexibility to address emerging needs.
This approach ensured compliance with financial requirements, NET rules, effective use of the available budget and a sustained contribution to the quality and impact of the ESC both at national and European levels.

2025 contribution Agreement (reporting period: 01.01.2025 - 31.12.2025)

PT NA used the available resources and budget to effectively support the ESC through the development and implementation of a strong, strategic and innovative plan of activities, including connected processes, outputs and tools, with national and transnational scope.
This was achieved through the preparation and/or implementation of hosting activities, as well as contributions to national and transnational processes, tools, activities and outputs linked to LTAs coordinated by other Nas, but also sending participants, co-funding activities, and supporting joint processes, in line with the strategy approved in work programmes.
With regard to NET 2025, during 2025 was used to support the high-quality implementation of ESC, strengthen the recognition and quality of youth work, volunteering and solidarity, with particular attention to youth work at local and community level, and support topics related to the European Youth Work Agenda and European Youth Goals. NET activities aimed to promote the development of competences and capacity building of organisations and target groups, including less experienced organisations and participants, encourage the participation of newcomers and young people with fewer opportunities, and contribute to maximising the impact of participation in the Programme. This was mainly achieved through the implementation of 1 hosting thematic NET activity, processes connected to RAY projects, participation in LTAs, sending activities, and the co-funding of tools, outputs and cooperation processes.
A strong focus on solidarity and the situation in Ukraine was integrated into the implementation of PT NA NET activities, with an impact on hosting, sending and cooperation, aiming to discuss youth participation in post-war reconstruction and to create a true community of young agents of change, committed to the values of democracy, freedom, the rule of law, and active citizenship.
The majority of NET 2025 agreement are planned to be implemented during 2026, in accordance with eligibility periods and planning.
So far, PT NA has implemented NET activities as planned, while maintaining flexibility to respond to emerging needs in the European social, political and economic

contexts. No major constraints were identified that would prevent the use of the allocated NET budget or compliance with the applicable requirements. Minor adjustments to the initial planning were introduced during implementation, mainly related to the timing of hosting, sending and cooperation activities. These adjustments did not affect the overall objectives or financial framework, but aimed to ensure stronger preparation phases, optimise participation and accessibility, improve use of resources and maximise impact and execution. The adjustments were implemented within the approved NET strategy, budgetary limits and eligibility rules.
PT NA complied with the applicable ceilings in accordance with the NA Guide and the relevant notes, guidelines and instructions issued by the EU Commission and at national level. PTNA ensured sound financial management, respecting eligibility periods, procedures and requirements, and safeguarding the quality of budget planning, implementation, results, impact and multiplying effects.
The required co-financing was ensured through local and national partnerships, contributions from participating organisations and participants (deducting a percentage from travel costs reimbursement, local travel costs and other costs), and national contributions to staff costs.
Overall, PTNA considers the implementation of NET 2025 during 2025 to be successful, as several hosting, sending, co-funding and cooperation activities were implemented, and a strong and solid basis was created for the implementation of the remaining planned activities. This approach supports the long-term impact and the “multiplier effect” of participation in the ESC.

Long-term activities (only for coordinating national agency) (2025 only):

Please provide for each Long-term NET coordinated by your national agency an overview of the main achievements of this reporting period, including in particular:

- Type and number of single activities organised in the framework of the long-term activity
- Main milestones, lessons learnt and outputs, if any
- Synergies and cooperation with other long-term activities and initiatives in the same field
- Any major deviation or change from the initial planning, in terms of priorities and/or activities, and provide explanations
- Realised budget in the reporting period

N/A

IV. SUPPORT AND NETWORK FUNCTIONS

This section should describe how and to what extent the national agency implemented its plan for each support and network function/resource centre it manages, in line with the approved work programme for 2025 (part V).

As of the year 2022, planning and reporting of the Support and Network functions is done by way of the so-called lump sum approach. Work packages were approved at the work programme stage. Therefore, all columns in the table will be retrieved from the work programme, except the 'evidence/justification columns where national agencies are expected to provide details concerning the implementation of the activities in each work package, either evidencing positive outcomes, or explaining the reasons for any difference between the activities originally planned and those actually implemented. All changes should be reported, including those changes to the activities for which the national agency has not sought prior approval of the Commission (in line with Â§ 2.1.2 of Annex III to the 2022 work programme specifications). If an activity has been cancelled entirely, this should be explicitly mentioned.

The assessment of each work package will be performed on the basis of a total score of 100 points. Particular attention will be given to the following criteria:

- Quality of work package implementation: in terms of activities and outputs produced, is the level of activity implementation in line with the approved work programme? If not, how convincing is the justification?
- Impact of the work programme implementation: are the results and effects of the performed activities in line with the planned objectives and desired outcomes?

Unsatisfactory performance may lead to the reduction of the Work Package amount as detailed in the following grid:

- - 10% if the work package scores at least 50 points and below 60 points;
- - 25% if the work package scores at least 40 points and below 50 points;
- - 50% if the work package scores at least 30 points and below 40 points;
- - 75% if the work package scores at least 20 and below 30 points;
- - 100% if the work package scores below 20 points.

In cases where reductions apply, the amount corresponding to the horizontal work package 'Coordination and monitoring' will be recalculated proportionally to the final amount of EU contribution. If the European Commission's assessment results in certain operational work packages being reduced, the 'Coordination and monitoring' work package will be reduced proportionally every time a reduction in an operational work package is applied.

IV.1.2. Eurodesk

To be completed by the national agencies in charge of the youth sector

Please describe the activities implemented by the national Eurodesk centre within each work package in the calendar year 2025, for which the national agency requested an EU contribution.

The EU contribution for running the activities of the Eurodesk centre has the form of a single lump sum. Please demonstrate the completion of all the activities within each work package.

Particular attention should be given to the following criteria:

- activities, target groups and intended results, clearly linked to each other and presented in a coherent way in the activity plan, have remained so throughout the implementation of the plan;
- outputs/results are measurable/quantifiable and meet the expectations and indicators set out in the activity plan.

Activities				
Work packages	**Description of the activities** *Please indicate any difference between the activities actually implemented and the activities planned (taking into account, in particular, types and topics). Please also include quantitative information about the activities (e.g. number of meetings, number of participants, etc).*	**Target group** *Please indicate any difference with the activity plan*	**Outputs/results** *Please describe the outputs/results of the work package and compare them to the expected outputs/results planned, in particular to the specific qualitative and quantitative indicators set out in the plan.*	**Evidence/justification** *Please give explanations for potential differences between the activity plan and the activities implemented.*
Work Package 1 •Seminars/conferences	The main objectives of the WP are: 1 - To ensure that Eurodesk Portugal is present at	Universities, Schools, Youth Organizations, Eurodesk Multipliers, municipalities and	This WP is mainly related to presential events. We can build 3 main KPI's: 1 – Presence in,	N/A

	key national and regional youth events, while also ensuring its presence and mission throughout the country, as well as promote and participate in Time to Move flagship campaign 2 - To ensure formal compliance with the requirement to participate in and contribute to national and international Eurodesk meetings, promoting the continuous improvement of the network. 3 - Eurodesk Portugal responds to EYP requests and participates in content management and production to update the EYP.	national coordinators	at least, 60 events, seminars, conferences, youth fairs or related events reaching at least 3000 participants 2 - Participation in the 2 international annual meetings and general assemblies of Eurodesk Network and Promotion of, at least, 2 national network meetings 3 – It will mention the EYP during its activities, events and publications, and write and maintain quality content (national pages, 8 events and 3 stories). Answer enquiries through the portal's 'Ask a Question' service and assist the European Commission in the management, monitoring, and moderation of online forums if necessary.	
	1) 1,047 activities organised by the National Agency (NA) and multipliers; - 193 in-person and online activities as part of the Time to Move campaign; - 37 in-person and online Euroclasses developed. - 817 activities de discloser of the programmes, online and in	Universities, Schools, Youth Organizations, Eurodesk Multipliers, municipalities and national coordinators	1) Organisation of 1,047 activities: - Time to Move campaign: 193 activities carried out, with 27,859 participants; - Euroclasses: 37 sessions, with 1,266 participants. - 817 activities of discloser of the programmes, online and in person, in schools and other stakeholders.	N/A

	person, in schools and other stakeholders. 2) Organisation of two National Eurodesk Network meetings, integrating the DiscoverEU Pre-Departure Meeting and the AgoraEU annual event initiatives. This facilitated networking between DiscoverEU Ambassadors, volunteers, programme beneficiaries, and Eurodesk multipliers. Approximately 37,038 questions were answered by young people online via the EYP, as well as in person by the NA and Eurodesk Network Multipliers.		2) Two National Meetings, with 90 participants. Participation in two Eurodesk Network International meetings. 3) 37038 answered questions: - 25179 answered by the NA an Eurodesk multipliers - 11,859 EYP online surveys answered, of which 4,979 correspond to DiscoverEU questions. The EYP was mentioned in 111 posts on AN social media.	
Work Package 2 •Social media/digital activities	This WP must ensure that: 1 - Eurodesk Portugal responds to EYP requests and participates in content management and production to update the EYP; 2 - Eurodesk Portugal can carry out targeted online campaigns on social media (Facebook, Instagram and newsletter) with information about: - The European Youth Portal -	Young people, organizations, Partners and Media	1- Develop at least 3 Eurodesk Sessions 2 - Promote at least 30 events reaching, at least 2500 persons 3 – Produce a monthly newsletter to the National Media and Eurodesk Publications: Euro-participation, Euro-Volunteering, Euro-working and Time to Mind;	N/A

	European Year of Youth and its legacy - The mobility opportunities for young people - The Time to Move campaign - The European Youth Week &/or the European Youth Event, if applicable - DiscoverEU - Erasmus+ and ESC grant opportunities 3 - Produce and disseminate at least 3 publications: .1 - EUreka: Where to find opportunities and information; .2 - The Eurodesk network			
	1) Twelve online Eurodesk sessions to promote support for the development of the Eurodesk Portugal Network's annual activities; 2) Promotion of online campaigns providing information on: - the European Youth Portal; - mobility opportunities (Erasmus+, CES and DiscoverEU). 3) Disseminating publications on European programmes.	Young people, organizations, Partners and Media	1) Twelve Eurodesk sessions with 36 participants online; 2) Promotion of 50 online campaigns for associated events. 3) Twelve newsletters with a reach of 191,092 readers. 4) Social Media Publications on the Programme and mobility european oportunities (facebook, Instagram, websites): 1097 Viewers: 1 414 664 Publications: update of the	N/A

			Europarticipation and Volunteering in Europe publications, and availability of the Time to Mind publication. These publications were disseminated digitally.	
Work Package 3 •Other	1 - National Roadshow on the opportunities of the programmes; 2 - Cooperation with other organisations such as Eures and Europe Direct Network, IPDJ and other national stakeholders 3 – Liaison with national and regional media (TV, radio andnewspapers). 2 - Cooperation with the European Parliament and in organising activities to promote European values among young people and activities.	Young people, organizations, Partners and Media	Develop at least 20 National Roadshow actions, involving at least 4000 participants, cooperating with other national organisations and with national promotion.	N/A
	1. A roadshow to commemorate the 40^(th) anniversary of Portugal's accession to the European Communities in cooperation with the European Parliament. 2. Outreach activities with organisations such as the CNJ, FNAJ, Youth Foundation and IPDJ.	Young people, organizations, Partners and Media	1) Forty actions were carried out in mainland Portugal and the autonomous regions, involving 14,220 participants. 2) Participation in 12 national cooperation events with other entities in the sector, with 72,264 participants. 3) 48 interventions on radio,	N/A

	3. Coordination with the national media.		television and in the press regarding the opportunities offered by the E+ and CES programmes and Portugal's 40 years of membership of the European Communities.	
Coordination and monitoring - Optional	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

IV.1.3 SALTO

To be completed by the national agencies designated as:

- **SALTO Resource Centre for the Erasmus+ programme, including the SALTO Resource Centres implementing European Solidarity Corps tasks (if applicable), or**
- **European Solidarity Corps resource centre.**

Please describe the activities implemented by the SALTO Resource Centre in relation to the Erasmus+ programme and/or the European Solidarity Corps[4] (as applicable) within each work package, in the calendar year 2025, for which the national agency requested an EU contribution.

The EU contribution for running the activities of the SALTO Resource Centre has the form of a single lump sum.

Please demonstrate the completion of all the activities within each work package.

Particular attention should be given to the following criteria:

- activities, target groups and intended results, clearly linked to each other and presented in a coherent way in the activity plan, have remained so throughout the implementation of the plan;

[4] It also includes the European Solidarity Corps Resource Centre.

- outputs/results are measurable/quantifiable and meet the expectations and indicators set out in the activity plan.

A) Erasmus+ programme (as applicable)

A) - Activities A) SALTO resource centre for the Erasmus+ programme				
Work packages	**Description of the activities** *Please indicate any difference between the activities actually implemented and the activities planned (taking into account, in particular, types and topics). Please also include quantitative information about the activities (e.g. number of meetings, number of participants, etc).*	**Target group** *Please indicate any difference with the activity plan*	**Outputs/results** *Please describe the outputs/results of the work package and compare them to the expected outputs/results planned, in particular to the specific qualitative and quantitative indicators set out in the plan.*	**Evidence/justification** *Please give explanations for potential differences between the activity plan and the activities implemented.*
Work Package 1				N/A
Coordination and monitoring - Optional	0	N/A	N/A	N/A

** If only some activities support the operational implementation of the programme, the national agency should specify which one. If all the activities within the work package respond to the same scope, the national agency should just indicate YES/NO.*

ATTACHMENTS

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1.1	Management Declaration (signed)	2025_1.1_YMD_EN_signed.pdf	13/02/2026; 12:21:52 (Brussels time)
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