

## **INSPIRE KEN**

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The Value of Knowledge Exchange Networks



# **INSPIRE KEN** Chair: Dominique Laurent **Overview Co-ordinating Committee** Regular/active Member More than 150 members on BaseCamp Occasional Member **Co-ordinating Committee** CONNECTING YOU TO THE **Euro** Geographics **AUTHORITATIVE GEO-INFORMATION**

## **KEN Objectives**

- Objectives :
  - Share knowledge about implementing INSPIRE within NMCAs
  - Share information about INSPIRE in general (e.g. European Commission) and INSPIRE related activities
- Means to achieve these aims and objectives
  - BaseCamp
  - Webinars
  - Workshops





## **KEN Objectives**

- How do the KEN objectives meet/align with the strategic objectives of EG?
  - 1. Provide the voice of our members
    - European Commission
      - Joint activities with JRC and MIG Thematic Clusters
    - INSPIRE community: report about INSPIRE KEN activities during INSPIRE conferences
  - 2. Develop the network of members
    - By definition: KEN is Knowledge Exchange Network
  - 3. Develop the European Location Framework
    - ELF project is finished but ELS begin!
    - INSPIRE KEN to provide information about ELS

#### **Achievements**

- Workshop about validation of INSPIRE technical components
  - Paris –02-03 /06/2015
  - Co-organised with EuroSDR and JRC
  - More than 50 members



#### **Achievements**

- INSPIRE conference: September 2016
  - INSPIRE KEN presented results of past events
    - Coverage
    - Validation
  - INSPIRE KEN organised workshop about articled between ELF and INSPIRE
    - Good attendance
- Webinar on UN-GGIM
  - 13/12/2016
  - Agenda:
    - Generalities
    - European WG on core data and data integration
  - around 30 attendants















#### Work Plan 2017

- Workshop about INSPIRE data specification extension or profiles:
  - 20-21/06/2017 in France
  - Co-organised with EuroSDR and Geonovum
- Workshop about evolution of Land Cover / Land Use products
  - Autumn 2017 likely in Copenhagen (EEA)
  - Co-organised with EEA, EuroSDR and INSPIRE Thematic Cluster
- Webinars: autumn 2017
  - ELF one year later
  - Progress in UN-GGIM



### **Adding Strategic Value to Member NMCAs**

- What added value does the KEN provide?
- How does the KEN contribute to the member organisations?
  - Support those struggling with INSPIRE
    - Increase practical knowledge about regulations, tools, ...
    - Discuss on common issues
      - psychologic help (avoiding to feel alone)
      - clarifications on issues
      - provide rationale for decisions (comparison- benchmarking)
  - Help in decision making for INSPIRE implementation
  - Help for coordination communication at national level



## **Value of Participation**

- What will members gain by participating in the KEN?
  - Opportunity to get general news about INSPIRE related activities
    - MIG
    - UN-GGIM
    - ...
  - Better opportunity to attend or contribute to the INSPIRE KEN events
  - Help to implement INSPIRE
  - Registration on BaseCamp does not imply any commitment for future work!