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Overview

- *About the MAP – **Smart energy in rural areas**, Smart energy" is defined as measurable, mapped, and decentralized energy that is economical, locally self-sufficient, and manageable. At the same time, energy self-sufficiency increases rural resilience.*
- *Composition of the MAP (research and professional companies, central and local, mayors, entrepreneurs and residents)*
- *Work related to the topic: "energy management", shared energy, sustainable regional sources of energy and COVID19*

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What we did?

How we dealt with the COVID 19 during document creation process and DAP fulfilment. VENUS

Cause:	Consequence:
<p>Some members are busy resolving the COVID issue</p>	<p>Delays in the performance of tasks in the DAP plan, Discussion and Position papers Stress during work, lack of time Less mass community discussions, participation</p>
<p>Concerns about the spread of COVID disease, restriction of personal encounters</p>	<p>Problematic work in in terrain, difficult questionnaire survey of reworking into a web interface brought a loss of authenticity and part of the information Impossibility to make community meetings (<i>we prepared them for public, not for on-line, cancellation / postponement of work with schools</i>) Transition to the online environment brought lower participation (<i>mostly of public</i>) More difficult conditions, longer time for documents processing, loss of some opinions New methods and ways of communication by on-line platforms, Better sharing of information with remote participants</p>



Challenges

*In this section, please describe the further challenges and learning questions **related to the topic** of the session COVID-19*

- Key idea 1: the effect of COVID-19 is large, but not liquidating
- Key idea 2: the training: How to involve more people in discussions by on-line platform
- Key idea 3: on-line platforms can save time and reduce costs
- Key idea 4 : there still will be risk of loosing of the opinions (*personal meetings have higher quality, somebody can't use PC*)
- *Nietzsche and used in the Czech as proverb - What does not kill us, will made us stronger!*

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