



INNOVA MEASURE VI WORKSHOP

Measuring EU regional innovation performance:

The development of the Regional Innovation Output Indicator (RIOI)

19 November 2024, 15:00 – 17:30

Hybrid event (JRC Ispra – Room 100/1102 and [WebEx](#))

Introduction

The INNOVA projects support the work of the Directorate-General for Research & Innovation (DG R&I) of the European Commission by providing a continuous assessment of country innovation performance and producing policy-relevant evidence on the contributions and drivers of science, technology and innovation.

The currently ongoing INNOVA VI project (2023-2025) focuses on three interrelated research streams including: i) the development, refinement and update of the methodologies concerning composite indicators and dashboards measuring the innovation performance of EU Member States (MSs) and selected benchmark countries; (ii) the analysis of the innovation capabilities of European enterprises in “twin” technologies (green technologies relying on digital knowledge); and (iii) the study of the implications of mergers and acquisitions for the digital innovation capabilities of European firms.

The aim of the workshop is to discuss the extension of the Innovation Output Indicator (IOI) at EU regional level (NUTS 2) with experts in the area of innovation and innovation measurement. The IOI, first presented in 2013, is a composite indicator published by the European Commission to measure the extent to which ideas for new products and services are able to reach the market, provide better jobs and make Europe more competitive. The Science, Research and Innovation Performance of the EU (SRIP) flagship report of DG R&I makes traditionally use of the IOI to assess the innovation performance of the EU.

Agenda

15:00 - 15:10	Welcome and introduction to the workshop (Athina Karvounaraki, DG R&I)
15:10 - 15:20	JRC work on the monitoring of EU innovation output (Michela Bello, DG JRC ISPRA)
15:20 - 16:10	Development of the Regional Innovation Output Indicator (Panagiotis Ravanos, JRC ISPRA)
16:10– 16:25	<i>Coffee break</i>
16:25 – 17:25	Discussion (moderated by Anabela Marques Santos, DG JRC Seville)
17:25 - 17:30	Wrap-up and conclusions (Alexis Stevenson, DG R&I)