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FLIRE: Floods and fire Risk assessment and management



Technical Report

Action C1

31/12/2012

Project location	Greece – Attiki region
Project starting date:	01/10/2012
Project ending date:	30/09/2015
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Name of the Action: Monitoring of the project impact on local society

Starting date of the Action: 01/10/2012

Ending date of the Action: 30/09/2015

Short description of the Action

Aim

The aim of Action C.1 is to create an end user group consisted of stakeholders and people of the public administration and local society (authorities, organizations, local groups etc) which will be used for monitoring the impact of the FIRE project in the area of its implementation.

Objectives

The key objective of Action C.1 is to establish a systematic way for monitoring the impact of the project on local society during the project duration and make the necessary projections beyond its end.

Expected outcomes

The expected results of this Action include:

- Increasing the sensitivity of local community to forest protection against natural risk
- Promoting the idea of using technological solutions for addressing similar problems, emphasizing though the constraints of technology and the need of human involvement in forest protection
- Creation of the user group of the project
- Seminars and meetings with stakeholders for discussing relative problems in the area and potential solutions relevant to the FLIRE approach

Tasks

1. Organization of periodic meetings with of public services and local stakeholders. Organization of interviews with selected representatives. (ALGO, NTUA) [High priority]
2. Organization of campaigns and distribution of questionnaires for getting feedback of stakeholders concerning specific issues relative to the FLIRE development. (ALGO, NTUA) [High priority]
3. Organization of seminars (mid and end of the project duration) for presenting project achievements and discuss eventual end-user issues. Relative reports will be prepared following these two seminars. (ALGO, NTUA, NOA) [High priority]

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A rough approximation for the foreseen meetings and workshops (events) with the public services and local stakeholders is presented in the table below. Detailed information on all targeted meetings and events that will take place during the implementation of Action C1 will be incorporated in the *Annual reports on round table meetings and events* (deliverables of Action D2).

Meetings	
Tasks	Date
Meeting with the Greek Fire Service	Spring 2013
Distribution and discussion with representatives of the Municipality of Rafina-Pikermi, the Municipality of Marathon, the General Secretariat of Civil Protection and the Fire Brigades for the FLIRE Questionnaire	by Spring 2014
Contacts with the Municipality of Rafina for the use of FLIRE output	Spring 2014
Presentation and brief training (seminars) on fire web services to the Municipality of Rafina-Pikermi	Spring 2014
Presentation and brief training (seminars) on fire web services to the Municipality of Marathon	Spring 2014
Forest Fire Prevention campaign of 2014 (Municipality of Rafina-Pikermi and Athens Forestry Institute)	Spring 2014
Meeting with the Greek Fire Service	Spring 2015
Meetings with other stakeholders and NGOs	Spring 2015
Arrangements with the Technical Services of the Municipality of Spata-Artemida, for installing also the GFMS FLIRE fire management component	Spring 2015
Technical meeting on "FLIRE contribution to forest fire prevention" (INCA initiative)	Spring 2015

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2 Meetings with representatives of the Municipality of Rafina (after the development of all tools)	by Summer 2015
Meeting with representatives from other Municipalities (after the development of all tools)	by Summer 2015
Workshops – Events	
Tasks	Date
1 st Stakeholder meeting	May 2013
2 nd Stakeholder Meeting	October 2014
3 rd Stakeholder Meeting	February 2015
4 th Stakeholder Meeting	July 2015

Working Team

ALGOSYSTEMS S.A.

- **George Eftychidis** – Forester, who will work on:
 - The creation of the project User Group
 - The organization of meetings with local administration and stakeholders
 - The organization of seminars for presenting FLIRE achievements to local population and stakeholders
 - The organization of surveys for getting feedback from local administration and stakeholders as regards specific issues of FLIRE concerning the impact of the project on local society

- **Vassiliki Varela** – Forester, who will work on:
 - The organization of meetings with local administration and stakeholders
 - The organization of seminars for presenting FLIRE achievements to local population and stakeholders
 - The organization of surveys for getting feedback from local administration and stakeholders as regards specific issues of FLIRE concerning the impact of the project on local society

NTUA

- **Maria Mimikou** – Project Coordinator, who will work on the coordination of the NTUA team.

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- **Christos Makropoulos** – Internal Project Coordinator
- **Chrysoula Papathanasiou** – Civil Engineer, Hydrologist, flood modeler,
- **Patricia Gourgoura** – Dissemination officer of FLIRE
- **Evangelos Baltas** – Senior Engineer, Hydrologist and flood modeler
- **Kimon Hadjibiros** – Senior environmental scientist

These members of the NTUA team will all cooperate and work on:

- The creation of the FLIRE User Group
- The organization of meetings, seminars and campaigns with local actors for getting feedback from local society and other stakeholders and disseminate the FLIRE results to the end users group.

NOA

- **Vassiliki Kotroni** – Meteorologist
- **Kostas Lagouvardos** - Meteorologist

These members of the NOA team will cooperate and participate in the organization of the seminars and meetings with the local stakeholders

Deliverables

In the submitted proposal a deliverable corresponding to the “Report on Project’s impact on local society”, which will be available at the end of the project (30/9/2015), is foreseen.

Milestones

No milestones are foreseen for this Action in the TA. However the efficient implementation of Action C1 is related to the successful implementation and output of all the Actions B.x.

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Gantt-chart

TASKS		October-12	January-13	April-13	July-13	October-13	January-14	April-14	July-14	October-14	January-15	April-15	July-15	September-15
C1.1	Meetings with stakeholders	ALGO, NTUA, NOA												
C1.2	Organization of local surveys	ALGO, NTUA												
C1.3	FLIRE seminars						ALGO, NTUA, NOA							ALGO, NTUA, NOA

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