

Software for the Optimal Place CAlculation for WIND-farms grant agreement n° 296164

## Data pooling for the optimal localisation of wind-farms

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## The context

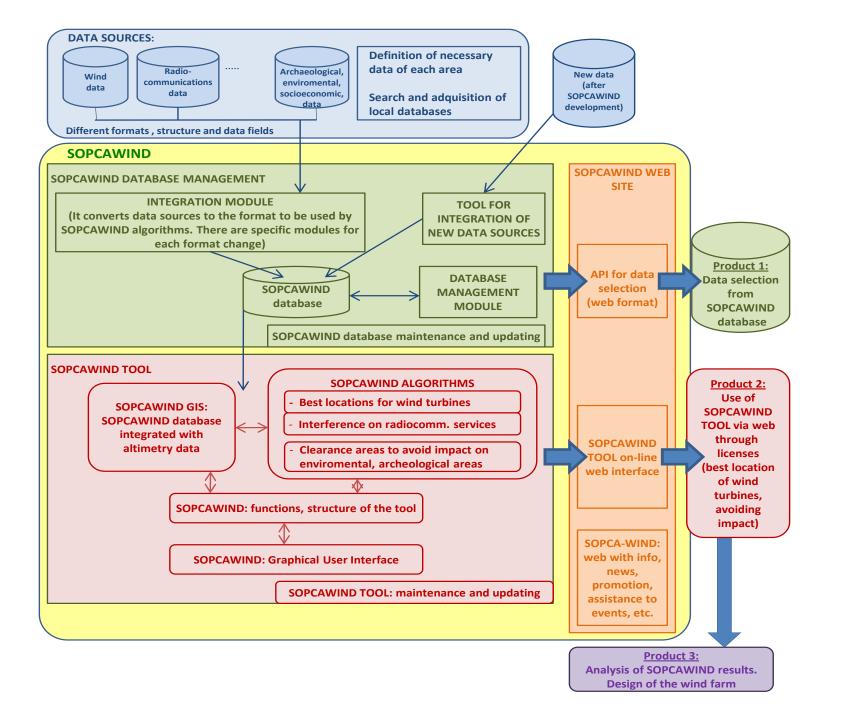
- Wind farms deployments are highly dependent on the context.
  - Currently, most wind farm designs are strictly focused on power production but...
  - Collateral aspects can delay the deployment and even suspend a wind farm project
    - Which collateral aspects → environmental impact, archeological sites, radiocommunication services.



## The goals

SOPCAWIND aims at the design and development of a data pool considering all these aspects that will be used by a software for the optimal localisation of wind farms

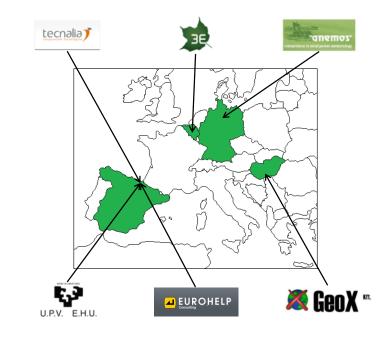
- This is an opportunity for SMEs at different levels:
  - Data production and data pool design and maintenance
  - Optimization software for the wind farm design
  - Consulting services
  - Strategic position in the market
- Validation of the system in two geographical areas:
  - Basque Country
  - Flanders





#### **Partner** Main role Category **Tecnalia** Research Project leader; Research & Technical Centre **Innovation** Coordinator; Optimization engine expertise **UPV/EHU** University Data collection, environmental. archeological and radiocommunication expertise **Eurohelp SME** GIS and web development **GEOX SME** Data pool development **ANEMOS SME** Wind data and wind expertise 3E **SME** Wind Farm designers

### CONSORTIUM



Project kick-off	Duration
May 1st, 2012	24 months

Budget	Requested EU contribution
2.468.785 €	1.950.000€



# Thank you for your attention

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