

## **RIAT+ training, challenges and context**



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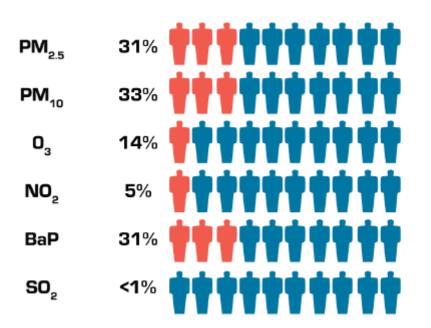
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- "what" JRC is doing in this context
- about the training



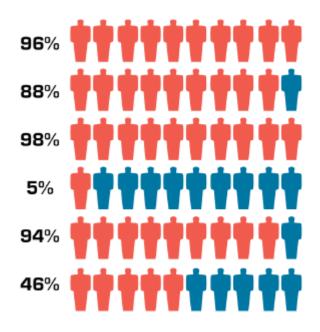


# EU urban population exposed to harmful air pollution in 2011



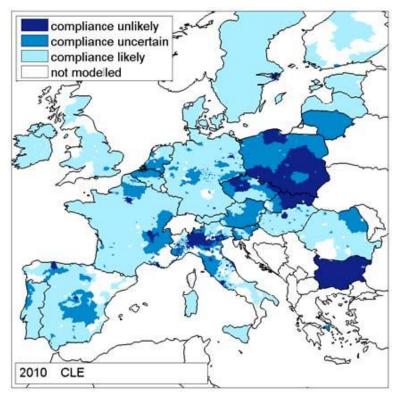
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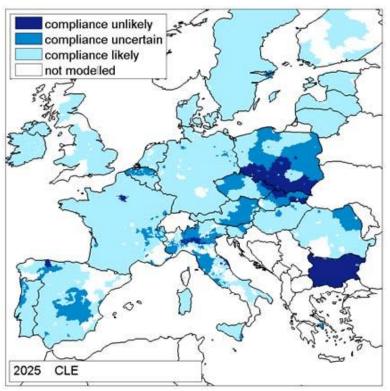
WHO guidelines





### Local hotspots still remain





# Particulate Matter compliance issue (still exceedances of threshold) at 2010 and 2025.







# **City compliance is an issue**

#### EEA - Air Pilot Implementation project

- Almost three quarters of Europeans live in cities
- There are still 'gaps' in implementation of air quality policy
- Study on 12 European cities...but general conclusions

#### Some of the lessons learnt:

- Difficulties in estimating effect and cost/benefit of measures
- Challenges in implementation:
  - Governance issue, how competences are split between different levels (state/region/municipality).
  - Lack of management and assessment capacity

- ...





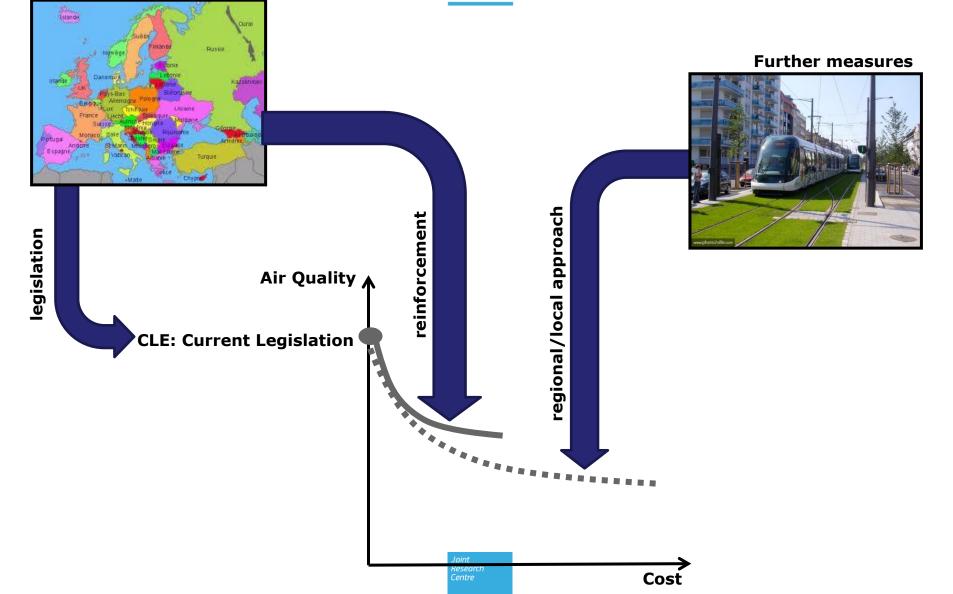
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#### JRC activity:

- providing knowledge/tools for air quality compliance at regional/local scale (as modeling tools, indicators, ...) to support the Air Quality Management plans preparation
- sharing these knowledge/tools with Decision Makers, networking, facilitating the exchange of best practices

#### Member States/Regional authorities role:

Implementing "on the ground"

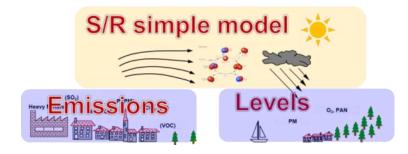


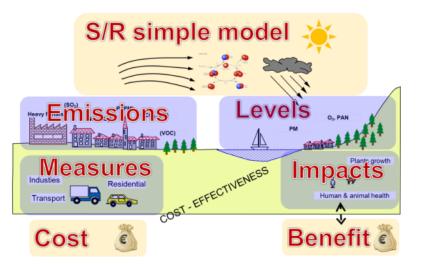






# **Tools for IAM**





#### Simple approach: policy scenario SHERPA, providing a screening tool

Complex approach: optimization of policies RIAT+, providing first guess data

- Emissions
- SR models
- Emission reduction measures

Joint Research Centre



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#### Meeting introduction 14:00 – 14:30

Introduction (E. Vignati, JRC, Head of Air and Climate Unit) Challenges and context (P. Thunis, JRC)

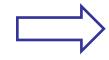
#### **RIAT+ methodology and tool**

14:30 – 15:30 RIAT+ methodology (C. <u>Carnevale</u> and M. Volta, UNIBS)

Coffee Break Collect your ppt

16:00 – 17:00 RIAT+ tool (G. <u>Maffeis</u>, TA)

17.00 – 18.00 Discussion (presentations by participants)



#### **RIAT+ case study presentations**

14:00 – 14:30 Emilia Romagna (M. Stortini) 14:30 – 15:00 Alsace 15:00 – 15:30 Porto region (H. Paulo)



Coffee break

16:00 – 17:00 Discussion



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#### **RIAT+ hands-on**

09:00 – 10:30 Practical Exercise with RIAT+: using default data for scenario analysis and optimization (G. Maffeis and R. Gianfreda, TA)

#### Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:30 Practical Exercise with RIAT+: preparing data for a specific regional domain (R. Gianfreda, G. Maffeis and F. Ferrari, TA)

Networking Lunch



...a short tour de table, and then we can start

- your name
- where do you come from

