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The Final Stretch: CUBIC Consortium Reviews Progress and Looks Ahead to Project Completion



The CUBIC consortium gathered for its 7th project meeting on 21–22 October 2026, hosted by CIRCE – Centro Tecnológico in Zaragoza, Spain. With the project entering its final months, partners came together to review progress, exchange knowledge and plan the remaining steps towards completion.

Reviewing Progress and Planning the Final Steps

The first day was dedicated to the consortium meeting, where partners reviewed the progress achieved across CUBIC's two value chains: the pressure vessel value chain and the automotive value chain. Updates from the different work packages provided an overview of the project's ongoing activities and results, while discussions focused on the next steps and priorities for the final months.

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The meeting also included a guided tour of CIRCE's laboratories, offering partners the opportunity to see the work carried out on the recyclability of the project's results and the activities taking place in the laboratories.

From Circular Principles to Practical Demonstrations

On the second day, partners visited CIRCE's laboratory facilities for a demonstration workshop on circular principles, delivered by the CIRCE team.

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The programme continued at Aitiip's headquarters with CUBIC's Open Training Session & Demo Workshop, focusing on two processing routes explored within the project: thermoplastic resin transfer moulding (T-RTM) with bio-based polyamides and rotational moulding.

Experts from Novamont, Queen's University Belfast and Aitiip presented results obtained throughout the project, covering material development, processing and end-of-life considerations. The hybrid session welcomed both on-site and online participants, while the presentations sparked interesting discussions and exchanges among attendees.

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A video capturing highlights from the training activities in Zaragoza is available here!

About CUBIC

CUBIC is a Horizon Europe project, aiming to develop and demonstrate novel circular biobased alternative materials, 100% recyclable by design. These new materials will be manufactured as B2B intermediate semi-finished products that can be used either individually or assembled in the final end-user product. The overall objective of these new bioproducts is to provide an alternative biobased solution to the manufacturing industry by boosting green and digital transformation. The CUBIC consortium, led by Aitiip, consists of 13 partners from 8 European countries (ES, FR, IE, BE, DK, DE, IT, GR).

You can keep up to date with CUBIC progress and developments, by visiting the project's website (www.cubicproject.eu), subscribing to the CUBIC newsletter and following CUBIC on social media.

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