EU Adaptation Strategy

- Vision: by 2050 the EU will be a climate-resilient society, fully adapted to the unavoidable impacts of climate change
- Objectives:
 - Smarter adaptation: improving knowledge and managing uncertainty
 - More systemic adaptation: support policy development at all levels and sectors
 - Faster adaptation: speeding up adaptation across the board
 - Stepping up international action for climate resilience



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A strengthened role for adaptation

Article on adaptation to climate change (Article 5)

- Union and Member States to ensure continuous progress on adaptation
- Legal framework for **new EU adaptation strategy** of February 2021
- Union institutions and Member States to ensure that adaptation policies are coherent, mutually supportive and mainstreamed into all policy areas
- Requirements on Member States' adaptation strategies
- Commission guidelines for management of climate risks, implemented through the climate proofing technical notice of 2021

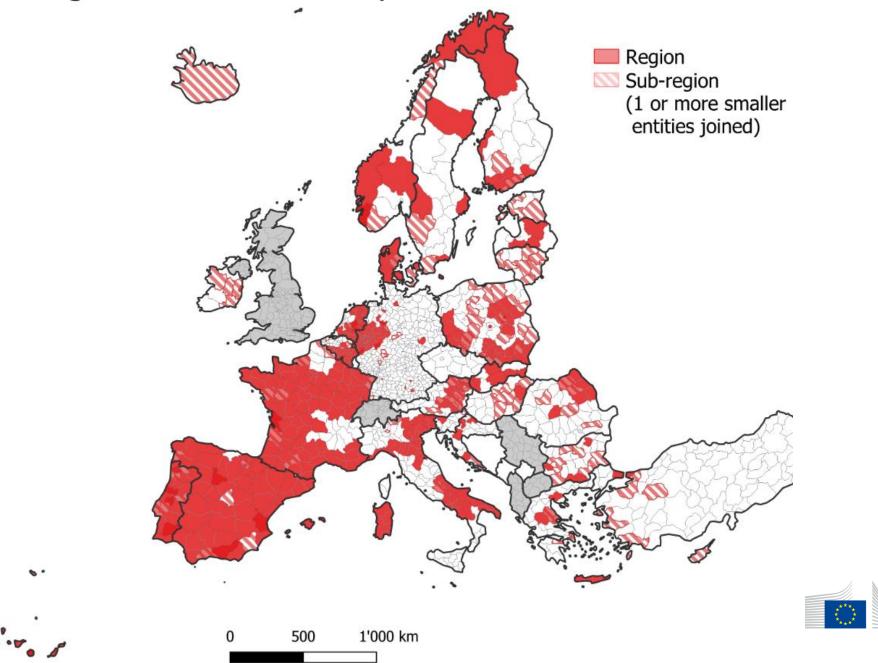


EU-wide climate risk assessment

- EUAS: 'Commission will draw up an EU-wide climate risk assessment'
- IPCC AR6, Peseta-IV, EEA-reports, USA and MS climate risk assessments
- Draft outline: about 35 chapters (hazards, sectors, topics), peer-review
- Published as a climate science publication
- Will come out probably in Spring 2024



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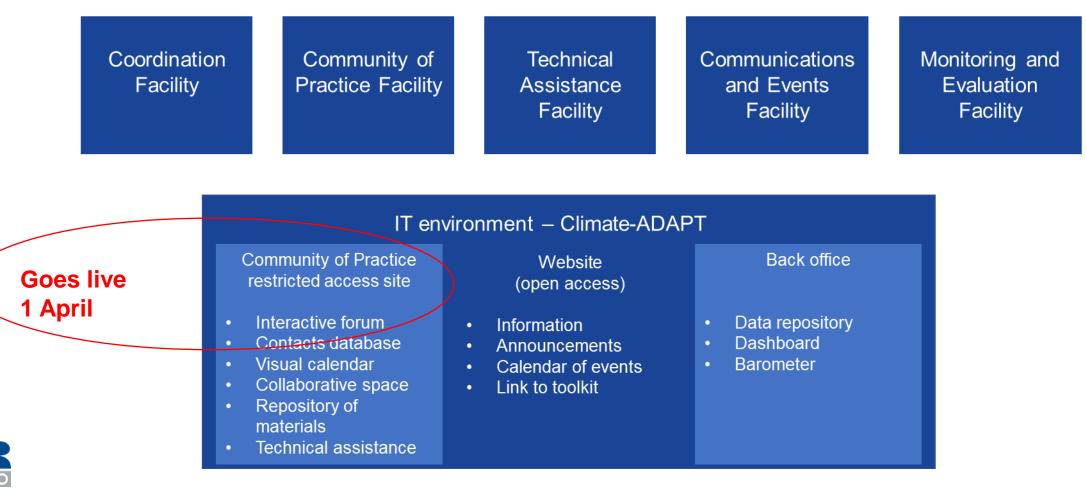
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