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within the WEFE NEXUS

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Executive summary

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Abbreviations

EC	European Commission
EU	European Union



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1. Introduction

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2. Project Partner Survey

Dear Participant,

As we completed the first year of RETOUCH NEXUS project, we would like to gather feedback from all the project members to assess the project's performance and identify areas for improvement. Your insights are critical in helping us enhance our collaboration and achieve the project's goals successfully.

Please take a few minutes to complete the following survey. Your responses will remain confidential, and the collective feedback will contribute to our ongoing efforts to optimize project processes.

Your input is invaluable to us, and we appreciate your time in completing this survey. The success of our project relies on the collective efforts of each team member, and your feedback will guide us in shaping a more effective and collaborative second year.

Thank you for your participation.

The TUM team



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Survey Questions:

1. Project Objectives:

Recall the Main project concept of the RETOUCH NEXUS Project presented in the following Figure.



- To what extent do you believe the project is aligning with its stated objectives?

To a very small extent	To a small extent	To a great extent	To a very great extent

- What are the project objectives that most relate to your ongoing tasks?

Objective 1	Objective 2	Objective 3	Objective 4	Objective 5



- Are you satisfied with how the project is progressing towards them? Why or why not?

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2. Internal Collaboration and Communication:

- How would you rate the effectiveness of communication within the project team?

Extremely ineffective	Ineffective	Effective	Extremely effective

- Are there any challenges you have faced in collaborating with other team members?

Yes	No	Which ones?

- What suggestions do you have for improving team dynamics and collaboration?

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3. Resources and Support:

- Do you feel adequately supported in terms of resources and tools needed for your role in the project?

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4. Project Deliverables and Milestones:

- How satisfied are you with the progress made towards achieving project deliverables and milestones in the first year?¹

Completely dissatisfied	Somewhat dissatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Completely satisfied

- Is the timeline for delivering milestones and deliverables appropriate for achieving the project objectives?

Yes	No	Why or why not?

- Is the timeline for delivering milestones and deliverables appropriate for collaborating between Working Packages?

Yes	No	Why or why not?

¹ See Annex 1 for a list of RETOUCH NEXUS Milestones and Deliverables by Month 12 (December 2023). The associated documentation is available on the official communication channel (Microsoft Teams) of the RETOUCH NEXUS project.



5. Adaptability and Flexibility:

- Did you experience any unforeseen Challenge during the execution of project activities?

Yes	No	Which ones?

- How well did the project adapted? Please explain your reasoning.

- How well has the project adapted to unforeseen changes in the research landscape? Please explain your reasoning.

6. Leadership and Decision-Making:

- How would you evaluate the leadership and decision-making processes within the project?

Extremely ineffective	Ineffective	Effective	Extremely effective



- Do you feel like the decision processes are carried out in an appropriate manner?

7. Overall Satisfaction:

- On a scale of 1 to 10, how satisfied are you with your involvement in the RETOUCH NEXUS project during its first year?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

8. Suggestions for Improvement:

- Please provide any additional comments or suggestions for improving the project's performance.



Annex 1. List of RETOUCH NEXUS Milestones and Deliverables by Month 12 (December 2023).

Milestones

#	Milestone Name	WP	Date
MS1	Official start of the communication and dissemination.	WP5	M6
MS2	Analysis of governance & institutional set ups in Europe.	WP1	M8
MS3	Baseline and data requirements for case study.	WP3 & WP4	M9
MS4	Communities of practice (CoP) set up in case studies.	WP2	M12
MS5	Conceptualization of Economic Instruments.	WP3	M12

Notes: M1 is January 2023.

Deliverables

#	Deliverable Name	Lead Partner	WP	Date
D1.1	Factsheet on economic instrument development across Europe.	UPV	WP1	M8
D1.2	Comparative analysis of national and transboundary water governance strategies focusing on priorities and mechanisms of sectoral alignment.	VUA	WP1	M10
D1.3	A list of water governance indicators.	TUM	WP1	M12
D2.1	Mapping of stakeholders and engagement mechanisms in RETOUCH Nexus case studies and at European level.	adelphi	WP2	M5
D2.2	Factsheets on good practices and innovative tools for stakeholder engagement and public participation	adelphi	WP2	M6
D2.3	Roadmap for stakeholder engagement and public participation.	Gtl	WP2	M12

Notes: M1 is January 2023.

