



FINEX – European Real-World Testing and Piloting Infrastructure for Cleantech Innovation

FINEX helps cleantech innovators test their solutions in real environments — and grow across borders. The project connects startups, research teams and public testbeds in six countries: **Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Bulgaria, Cyprus and Finland.**

What FINEX Offers

- Matchmaking with **testbeds and public actors** open to piloting new solutions
- Support for **pilot design**, documentation and coordination
- Access to both **local and cross-border** piloting environments
- **No direct grants**, but practical help and EU-level visibility

Who Can Join?

- Startups, scaleups or research teams with **cleantech solutions at TRL 5+**
- Teams ready to test in real-world conditions, not just in the lab
- Participants willing to co-design pilots with public stakeholders
- Innovators open to **cross-regional collaboration**

What Makes a Good Pilot?

A good pilot in FINEX is:

- **Clear:** What's being tested, who is involved and how it's measured
- **Feasible:** Small and focused — typically 3–6 months
- **Collaborative:** Co-designed with a testbed, not just “plug and play”
- **Useful:** Leads to learning, adaptation and scale-up potential

Want to learn more?

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