



Copernicus  
Relays

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# Relays como soporte a las AAPP

Deadline for applications: 13 October 2016



<http://www.copernicus.eu/news/lets-shape-future-copernicus>



<http://www.copernicus.eu/news/become-a-copernicus-relay>



The Relays should act as multipliers developing initiatives to reach two different types of objectives:

1. To promote Copernicus as a source of free, open, and reliable information to meet the needs of local public services.
2. To promote Copernicus as source of full, free, open, and reliable data for the development of environmental services with high commercial potential by local entrepreneurs.

## COPERNICUS SUPPORT OFFICE

A support mechanism (through a contractor) for the Relays.  
Tasks:

1. To actively contribute to the functioning of the network of Copernicus Relays
2. Distribute promotional material to the Relays when requested
3. Create and run a helpdesk for the Relays or anyone interested in obtaining information about Copernicus
4. Support the organisation of Copernicus promotional events in Copernicus Participating States
5. Support the organisation of targeted training sessions



## Targets

- Earth Observation (EO), IT



## Actors

- Copernicus User Uptake national, regional and local stakeholders/multipliers



## Focus

- Helpdesk/information point
- Coordination and animation of the national, regional and local networks<sup>1</sup>



## Outcome

- To promote Copernicus as a sustainable source of full, free, open and reliable information to meet the needs of public services
- To promote Copernicus as sustainable source of full, free, open, and reliable data for the development of services with high commercial potential by local entrepreneurs



## Suggested tasks

- Coordination at national, regional, and local level
- Communication and dissemination
- One-stop-shop Copernicus Information Point, and hotline at national, regional and local level
- Promotion, event and training sessions organisation



## Knowledge areas to boost

- Benefits of EO data for the domains not directly linked to space
- IT and data exploitation

# List of suggested tasks for the Relays

1. Coordinating activities at regional and local level<sup>3</sup> (core task)
  - a. Ensure the coordination of Copernicus-related activities developed in their respective areas of influence and competence.
  - b. Complete and update the mapping of Copernicus-related existing and future activities related to Copernicus user uptake
  
2. Promotion activity
  - a. Regular distribution of up-to-date Copernicus Dissemination material
  - b. Promotion of Copernicus at relevant events
  - c. Organisation of Copernicus promotional events



# List of suggested tasks for the Relays

3. One-stop shop Copernicus Information Point(s) and helpdesk creation and operation
  - a. Ideally set-up of physical one-stop-shop(s) such as Copernicus Information Point(s)
  - b. Development of helpdesks in the local language for anyone interested in obtaining information about Copernicus
  - c. Interface with the Copernicus Support Office as needed
4. Targeted national, regional or local training sessions organisation
5. Potential extra ad-hoc actions – as proposed by the Relays and approved by the European Commission

**Financiación no prevista, pero potencialmente posible**

# Copernicus Relays Spain

National Institute  
for Aerospace  
Technology  
(INTA)

Instituto  
Geográfico  
Nacional  
(IGN/CNIG)

CDTI - Centro  
para el Desarrollo  
Tecnológico  
Industrial

GMV Innovating  
Solutions

Laboratory of  
Earth Observation  
(LEO) - University  
of Valencia  
(UEVG)



Coordinación  
Relays España  
bajo el paraguas  
del Comité y  
Foro Usuarios  
Copernicus  
(MINECO/CDTI  
+ MAPAMA/IGN)

# 1ª Reunión de las Iniciativas Españolas del Copernicus Relays

10 de febrero de 2017, en MAPAMA

- Coordinación entre los Planes de acción anuales de los Relays españoles
- Previsión de una Web específica destinada únicamente a Copernicus España incluyendo información Relays + HelpDesk + Blog
- Propuestas específicas de cada Relays pero coordinadas entre sí.

## INTA

- Enfoque de usuario público y científico así como al público en general. Mediante charlas, congresos en diversos eventos relacionados con la teledetección (AET), o como la Jornada de la Ciencia.
- Propone realizar 3 actividades divulgativas al año. En el caso de que se dirijan a empresas el CDTI colaborará y en el caso de charlas sobre medio ambiente se contará con el MAPAMA.



## GMV

- Elaboración de FAQs
- Participación en jornadas prácticas tipo “training sessions”.
- Propuesta de realizar charlas en el ámbito colegios e institutos, escuelas, facultades y congresos o reuniones medioambientales y de teledetección como la que organiza la AET.



## IGN/CNIG

- Coordinar las actividades referentes a Land
- Ponencias y jornadas en eventos como el Congreso Nacional de Teledetección.
- Cursos de formación → Webinars de Copernicus Land y Sentinel



## CDTI

- Inclusión en el H2020.
- Jornada informativa de la ESA de junio 2017.
- Invitaciones a representantes del Programa Copernicus para intervenciones en jornadas en España.
- Jornadas prácticas para PYMES y para empresas medioambientales (ej. Grupo Español para el Crecimiento Verde.)



## UVEG

- Presentation Copernicus en el 5th International Symposium on Recent Advances in Quantitative Remote Sensing (RAQRS'V), Torrent (Valencia, Spain) y congreso AET
- Programa específico de doctorado en Earth Observation and Remote Sensing, en el que se programarán diversas charlas sobre Copernicus

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# Muchas gracias

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