DEMOCHANGE
numbers & facts

DEMOCHANGE - numbers

DEMOCHANGE - results

DEMOCHANGE - regional development

DEMOCHANGE - transnationality
DEMOCHANGE will address the challenges of the Alpine spaces aging society in regards to migration, tourism, agriculture, transportation, healthcare, housing, education.

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The demographic change is often seen as a general phenomenon without proper focus on specific regional impacts. This project will rectify and address this, resulting in an active, regional discussion of this topic with the appointed steering groups.
This project will be carried out by: provisioning a basic analysis about the past and assumed future demographic changes societal impacts, comparing findings amongst Alpine regions to review existing plans, to identify focus areas of the model regions and provide necessary analysis.

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DEMOCHANGE’s main focus points are: migration and settlement, change of commuter structure and transportation, change of regional consumer behavior in relation to key economies and markets, change of the labor market, dynamics of innovation and start-up activities.

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Concrete roadmaps, strategies and activities for the implementation of innovative actions to address demographic changes conditions in the Alpine space will be created. This will assist stakeholders, planners and developers considering these changes in their daily work and design of future concepts.

DEMOCHANGE - regional development

Partners will set up regional steering groups to develop concrete strategies and measures to establish a transnational expert network.

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The project will emphasize the strong impacts that the demographic change has on Alpine regions and will stimulate the awareness amongst regional stakeholders and policy makers.

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The importance of considering demographic change as a main driving force will raise awareness and influence stakeholders from regional authorities, politics, economy and social programmes. They can utilize project results for the improvement of spatial planning and regional development.

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A participatory process aimed at local and regional stakeholders will be established to implement pilot actions. Pilot actions will derive from the model regions studies, discussions and analysis to improve future spatial planning and development integration.
The partners will together deliver a solid basic analysis of the current and future impacts of the demographic change in the model regions.

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All results from the model regions will be presented to regional planning and development experts. Solid, accurate recommendations will be made to the Alpine regions on implementation of DEMOCHANGE in their planning and development.