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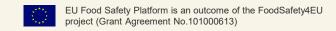
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FHERITALE - FOOD, HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURES TO TACKLE EMERGING PRIORITIES

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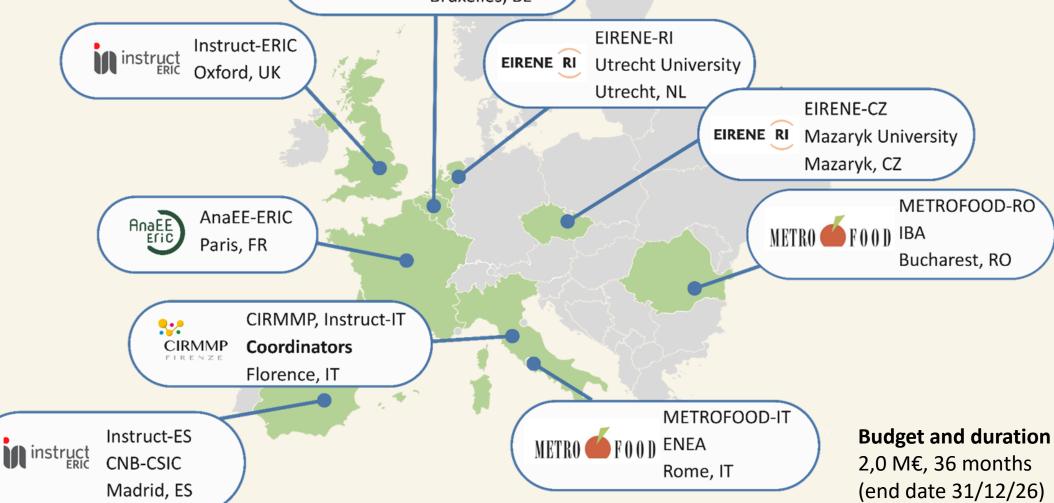








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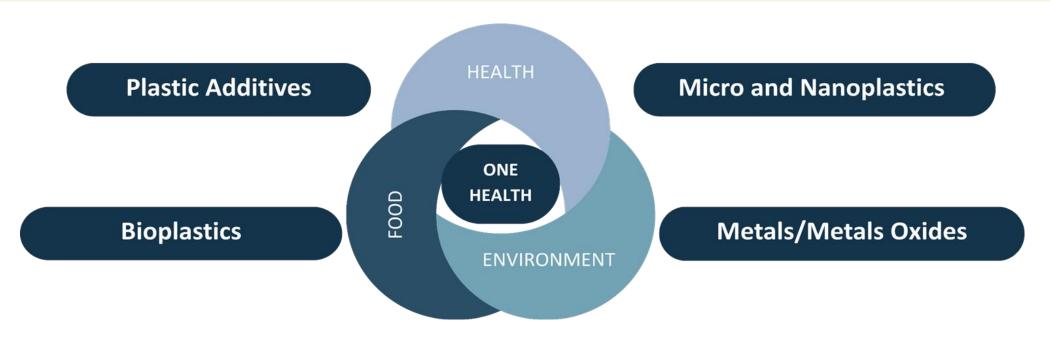






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In collaboration with external experts, we identified the above scientific priorities for FHERITALE and developed a survey aimed at researchers in the field to know more about their service and technological needs



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FHERITALE main goals



Map available services



Make strategies for increasing service capacity



Identify the service gaps and technological needs



Promote interdisciplinary research with a "One Health" approach

Provide the European scientific community with easily accessible services at a single entry point





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Possibilities for Cooperation

- Identification of scientific gaps for the investigation of the interaction between micro-/nano-plastics and food, and its impact on health
- Contribution to policy briefs to highlight current bottlenecks in research and corresponding service provision at the EU level
- Collaborative development of novel technologies and services that can be useful to the broad community





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Cross thematic landscape of Research Infrastructures

- AnaEE-ERIC
- EIRENE-RI
- EMBRC-ERIC
- EuroBioImaging-ERIC

- Instruct-ERIC
- METROFOOD-RI
- MIRRI-ERIC
- ELIXIR

Service Type	Number of available services in this category	Research Infrastructures offering this service						
Physical/chemical characterisation of Microplastics or other Microparticles	37							
Physical/chemical characterisation of Nanoplastics or other Nanoparticles	31	•						
Physical/chemical characterisation of Micro/Nanoparticles based on origin: Artificial, Natural, or Engineered	20			•				
Structural characterisation of Microplastics + other microparticles	27							
Structural characterisation of Nanoplastics + other Nanoparticles	22							
Bioplastics (biodegradable vs bio- based)	17							
Risk assessment of Micro/Nano particles	14							
Exposure assessment of Micro/Nano particles	18							
Toxicity of Micro/Nano particles	24							
Biological activity of Micro/Nano particles	24							
Monitoring of Micro/Nano particles	20							





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