

# Wall-ACE

## Novel wall insulation systems

### Workshop

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# Project Wall-ACE



- Grant Agreement number: 723574
- Project acronym: Wall-ACE
- Project title: Wall insulation novel nanomaterials efficient systems
- Project duration: 1 October 2016 – 30 September 2019
  
- Topic: Highly efficient insulation materials with improved properties
  
- Grant amount: EUR 4,289,785.00
- Estimated eligible costs: EUR 6,254,915.00
  
- Project coordinator: Quick-Mix
- Website: <https://www.wall-ace.eu/>

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## Concept

- A huge number of uninsulated buildings exists in Europe
- Up to 35% heat loss of a building is caused through un-insulated walls
- The Wall-ACE project aims to provide a complete mineral insulation solution for a wall
- Wall-ACE addresses new building sectors as well as the building retrofit
- 5 high performance insulation solutions based on silica-aerogel as light weight aggregate

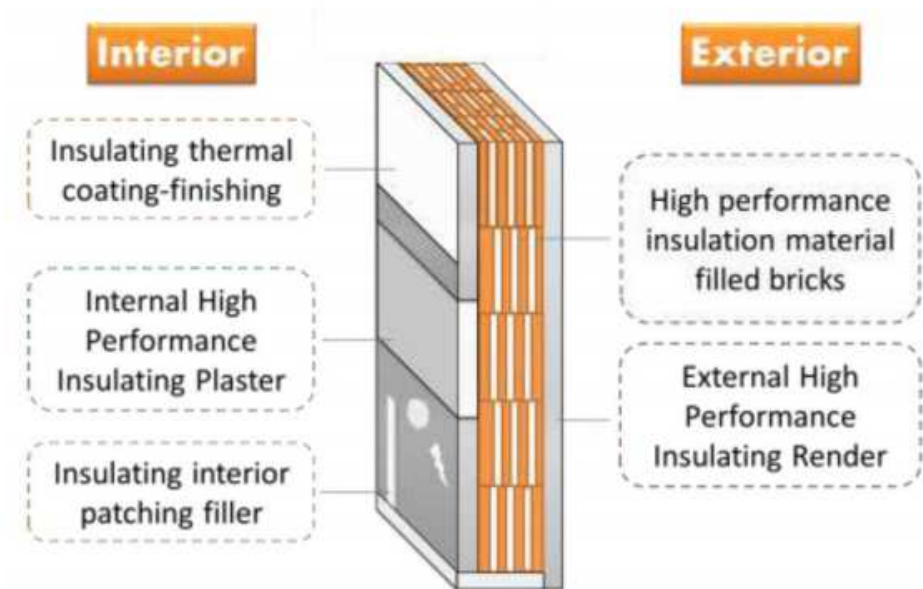


Heat loses of a building

# Project objectives

1. Develop high energy efficient mineral based materials
2. Strongly reduce the energy consumption and CO<sub>2</sub> emission
3. Improve indoor air quality
4. Improved durability and sustainability
5. Develop affordable and high replication potential for Europe
6. To test/asset the products and systems in real condition and at building scale
7. Certification and standardisation of high efficient new systems

## HONEST toolbox



## Major steps

- These highly efficient products are achieved through the synergy between the different members of the consortium through combining the high performance, sustainable, and advanced nanotechnology of the **silica aerogel**, with existing, already approved, efficient products.
- The **aerogel materials structure properties and cost** will be optimised.
- The process of the five high efficient mineral insulation systems will be **scaled-up** to test replicability, processability and reach **industrial scale**.
- Then, these five systems will be fully **characterised** including an LCA assessment, along with **certification and standardization** activities.
- In addition, the project sets a major focus on the “**go to market**” validation of the five products. Business planning and a field market test will be carried out, along with performance assessments on real buildings, and training and communication tools design, in order to maximize use potentials and foster a wide replication throughout Europe.

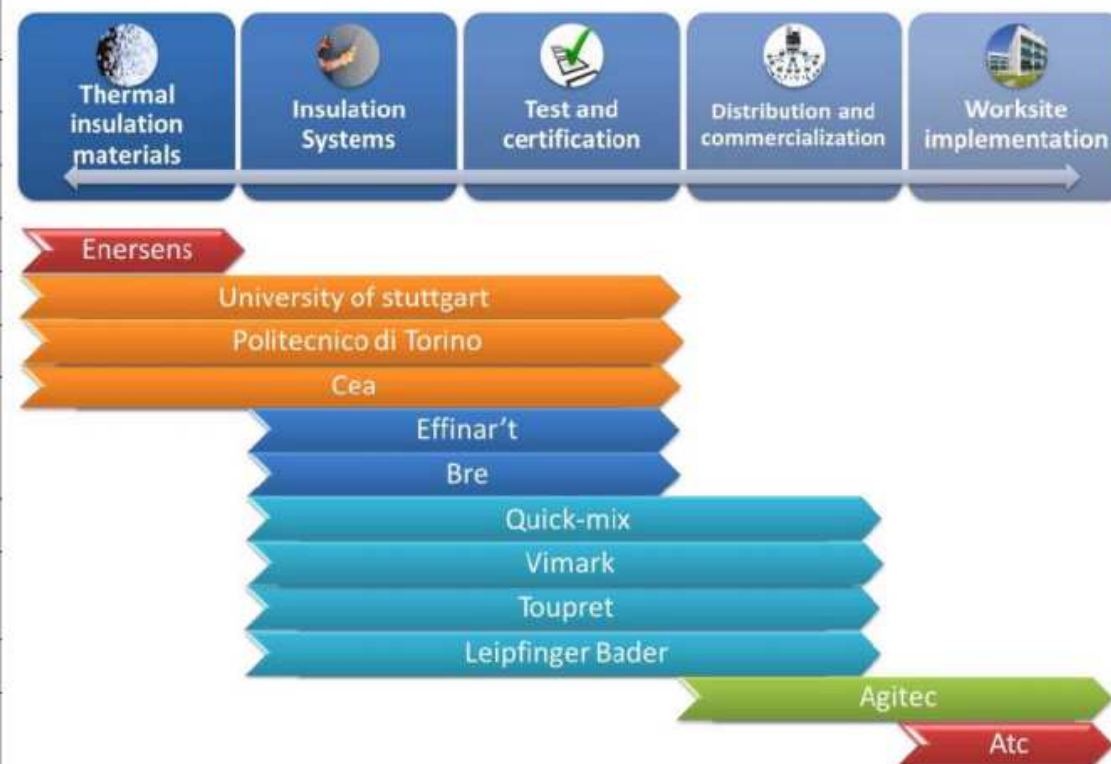


# EU Project Wall-ACE



# Project consortium

| No | Name   | Short name      | Country        |
|----|--|-----------------|----------------|
| 1  | QUICK-MIX PUTZTECHNIK GMBH & CO. KG                            | QUICK-MIX       | Germany        |
| 2  | ENERSENS SAS   | ENERSENS        | France         |
| 3  | TOUPRET SA   | TOUPRET         | France         |
| 4  | VIMARK SRL   | VIMARK SRL      | Italy          |
| 5  | LEIPFINGER-BADER KG  | LeipfingerBader | Germany        |
| 6  | UNIVERSITAET STUTTGART   | USTUTT          | Germany        |
| 7  | POLITECNICO DI TORINO  | POLITO          | Italy          |
| 8  | COMMISSARIAT A L ENERGIE ATOMIQUE ET AUX ENERGIES ALTERNATIVES | CEA             | France         |
| 9  | EFFINART SARL  | EffinArt        | Switzerland    |
| 10 | BUILDING RESEARCH ESTABLISHMENT LTD                            | BRE             | United Kingdom |
| 11 | AGITEC AG  | AGITEC AG       | Switzerland    |
| 12 | AGENZIA TERRITORIALE PER LA CASA DEL PIEMONTE CENTRALE         | ATC Torino      | Italy          |
| 13 | WAVESTONE ADVISORS   | Wavestone       | France         |



# Key manufacturers and the HONEST toolbox

**ENERSENS**  
absolute insulation

**KWARK®:**  
**SILICA Aerogel**



Insulating  
thermal coating  
finishing



Internal high  
performance  
insulating  
plaster



Insulating  
interior patching  
filler



High performance  
insulating  
materials filled  
bricks



External high  
performance  
insulating render

