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Mission Accomplished!

easySRI began in November 2022 and, after three years of intensive collaboration, successfully concluded in October 2025, fully achieving its objectives. Throughout its duration, the consortium held several plenary meetings, delivering a complete and operational platform that includes the final SRI calculation module, AI-based recommendation tools, and interactive user interfaces. All planned deliverables are being completed, covering technical development, pilot validation, business modelling, and policy recommendations. As a result, easySRI now stands as a ready-to-use, scalable solution that supports the deployment of the Smart Readiness Indicator across Europe and strengthens the digital and energy transition of the building sector.

Smart Readiness Made Simple

The Smart Readiness Indicator (SRI) is a European Commission initiative under the Energy Performance of Buildings Directive (EPBD), measuring how well a building can use digital technologies to optimise energy efficiency, comfort, and interaction with the energy grid.

easySRI turns this concept into practice. The project's cloud-based platform automates SRI calculations, integrates building data, and offers personalised recommendations for upgrades that enhance a building's "smartness." By combining technical and financial indicators, easySRI helps owners, managers, and policymakers understand both the environmental and economic value of smart building investments.

The easySRI platform supports the EU-defined SRI methods and is adaptable to national contexts. It allows Member States to customise service catalogues and weighting systems to match their own priorities and climates, making the SRI implementation process faster, more consistent, and easier to adopt across Europe.

AI-Driven Insights and User-Friendly Tools

At the heart of the platform is a machine-learning engine that analyses building data to propose cost-effective smart technology upgrades. Users can visualise results through interactive dashboards, assess portfolio-wide performance, and compare progress across time and regions.

Innovative tools such as SRI Express, a conversational chatbot, simplify assessments by guiding users step-by-step, cutting evaluation time by up to 80%. Meanwhile, the Optimized RES and BESS Investment Advisor helps identify the best combinations of renewable and battery systems for each building, balancing technology, cost, and sustainability.

Pilots and Real-World Impact

To validate the platform, easySRI was tested across six EU Member States, Greece, Cyprus, Italy, Portugal, Austria, and the Netherlands, covering a range of building types, climatic zones, and policy environments. The pilots demonstrated that integrating smart readiness technologies can deliver average energy savings of around 30%, improve building comfort and control, and enhance resilience to grid demands.

Upskilling and Market Uptake

easySRI's contribution extends beyond technology. The project produced comprehensive training materials and certification guides to support assessors, engineers, and policymakers in using the SRI framework effectively. Seventeen business cases were analysed to identify sustainable pathways for market uptake, including opportunities in digital services, energy management, real estate valuation, and smart financing for smart buildings. By linking SRI performance to financial instruments and ESG indicators, easySRI also creates new opportunities for investors and property developers to align with the EU Taxonomy and Corporate Sustainability Reporting Directive (CSRD).

Strengthening Policy, Standards, and Outreach

The project's policy recommendations highlight how easySRI can support the implementation of the EPBD recast, Energy Efficiency Directive (EED), and Renewable Energy Directive (RED) by connecting SRI data with energy audits, renovation passports, and building logbooks. easySRI also contributes to ongoing work to harmonise smart building standards, ensuring interoperability and long-term credibility.

easySRI has been actively showcased in major European events to promote awareness and dialogue on smart building innovation. In October 2025, the project featured prominently at Sustainable Places 2025 in Milan, presenting its results in the thematic track "*Smart Readiness Indicator: Market Uptake*" and hosting a workshop on tools supporting SRI implementation. Later that month, easySRI participated in the 4th SRI Joint Event in Brussels, alongside other sister projects, to present its policy recommendations and discuss future integration of SRI into EU frameworks.

It has been a pleasure to work within such a competent and dedicated consortium, where collaboration not only produced excellent results but also lasting friendships built through the challenges and successes of the project. After this positive experience, the partners will remain in contact to exchange ideas and explore future opportunities for advancing smart building frameworks, the SRI, and related tools such as EPCs. All project outcomes and materials are available on our website at www.easysri.eu. It has truly been a rewarding and inspiring journey to work together on this ambitious and forward-looking project.

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