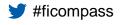




Implementing ERDF financial instruments

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2.800

48

employees

local offices

8 business lines

- Loans
- Guarantees
- **Support to innovation**
- **Fund of funds**
- **Small cap investment**
- Mid/large cap investment
- **Business support**
- **Export insurance**

€68.5Bn

total assets

- offsetting public bank market failures
- A bank supervised by the **ECB**









ERDF financial instruments



- 2007-2013: ERDF deployment through grants
- 2014-2020: change of direction towards financial instruments
- ERDF financial instruments are:
 - an effective and necessary way to facilitate and speed up companies' access to ERDF
 - But more complex than financial instruments without ERDF financing







A strong partnership with managing authorities



 Translates into regional guarantee funds, dedicated to the local strategies and priorities











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 Help support even more innovative companies thanks to combination of regional/ERDF/Bpifrance financial ressources and local knowledge











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Included within the regional strategy

 To provide an additional means to facilitate companies' energy transition









New CPR



- Ensuring legal predictability for the next generation of ESIF financial instruments, in compliance with the cohesion policy
 - CPR
 - State aids
- Increasing proportionality regarding the implementation of financial instruments:
 - Audit trail
 - Audit procedures















