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| 2           | WeLOOP   <b>WELOOP</b>                                       |
| 3           | European Cellulose Insulation Association   <b>ECIA</b>      |
| 4           | Swedish Environmental Research Institute   <b>IVL</b>        |
| 5           | Neovili   <b>NEOVILI</b>                                     |
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| <b>Abstract:</b>           | <p>This deliverable provides a detailed account of the clustering activities carried out within the CALIMERO project from M1 to M40. It highlights the collaborative efforts undertaken to connect with other EU-funded initiatives, foster synergies, and exchange knowledge on methodologies and best practices in the field of life cycle assessment (LCA) and bio-based systems.</p> <p>The report outlines how these clustering activities have strengthened the project's impact by promoting dialogue with stakeholders, aligning European sustainability and circular economy objectives, and supporting the advancement of harmonized and innovative LCA approaches for bio-based industries.</p> |

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report presents the Clustering Activities of the CALIMERO project, highlighting the key efforts undertaken between M1 and M40 to foster collaboration with related initiatives and provide actionable guidance for advancing sustainable bio-based systems. The document outlines CALIMERO's strategic approach to maximize the impact of its results through active engagement with European projects, networks, and stakeholders.

CALIMERO has built strong collaborations with sister projects such as ALIGNED, LCA4BIO, SUSTRACK, BIOINSOUTH, and BIO4HUMAN, enabling knowledge exchange, alignment of objectives, and enhanced collective impact. These efforts have been supported by joint clustering meetings, shared events, and participation in co-branded dissemination activities.

In addition, CALIMERO actively participates in broader European initiatives and networks, including the European Bioeconomy Network (EuBioNet) and ECOSYSTEMEX, strengthening synergies with the wider sustainability and circular economy community. These collaborations have amplified project visibility and provided opportunities to showcase CALIMERO's methodological advances in Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) for bio-based industries.

## 1 INTRODUCTION

This document serves as the Clustering Activities Report for the CALIMERO project, outlining the initiatives undertaken to foster collaboration with related European projects and contribute to policy development in the field of life cycle assessment (LCA) and bio-based systems.

CALIMERO actively seeks complementarity with other Horizon Europe projects to avoid overlapping, promote synergies, and advance beyond the state-of-the-art. While many past initiatives have explored sustainability in specific bio-based sectors, CALIMERO goes further by developing a common framework of harmonized methodologies to assess environmental impacts, pollutant sources, and circularity across diverse bio-based industries. Its work aims to strengthen the reliability and comparability of LCA approaches, ultimately supporting more informed decision-making for sustainable production.

The clustering activities detailed in this report demonstrate CALIMERO's commitment to knowledge exchange, joint events, and co-dissemination with projects such as ALIGNED, LCA4BIO, SUSTRACK, BIOINSOUTH, and BIO4HUMAN, as well as with European initiatives like the European Bioeconomy Network (EuBioNet) and ECOSYSTEMEX. These collaborations have amplified the impact of CALIMERO's results while aligning with broader European Green Deal and Circular Economy objectives.

## 2 NETWORKING WITH OTHER EU PROJECTS

### 2.1 FIRST ENGAGEMENT

As CALIMERO progressed in its development, it became increasingly effective and impactful to engage with other EU-funded projects in related fields. From the very beginning, there was a strong focus on building collaborations with complementary initiatives that were working on life cycle assessment (LCA), sustainability methodologies, and bio-based industries.

Several projects were carefully chosen for their close alignment with CALIMERO's goals, paving the way for knowledge sharing, joint dissemination, and methodological synergies. Notably, CALIMERO has worked closely with ALIGNED, LCA4BIO, SUSTRACK, BIOINSOUTH, BIO4HUMAN, and ORIENTING, each bringing valuable insights and expertise to help advance unified approaches to LCA and circular bioeconomy practices.

At the same time, CALIMERO has connected with European networks and platforms like the European Bioeconomy Network (EuBioNet) and ECOSYSTEX, which has helped to enhance visibility and link with communities that unite research, policy, and industry stakeholders. These early collaborations laid the groundwork for future activities and have greatly increased the impact and reach of CALIMERO's results.

- **ALIGNED (101059430):** ALIGNED will advance the scientific field of Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) and collaborate with industries and representatives from five bio-based sectors: construction, woodworking, textile, pulp and paper, and bio-chemicals.
- **LCA4BIO (101135371):** LCA4BIO spearheads the development of advanced methodologies for environmental assessment in bio-based systems. LCA4BIO's goal is to provide precise, reliable, and harmonized evaluation tools that demonstrate the superior performance of bio-based products. By identifying the best available technologies, we pave the way for sustainable industrial practices, aligning with the European Commission's zero-pollution objectives.
- **SUSTRACK (101081823):** SUSTRACK aimed at supporting policymakers in their efforts to develop sustainable pathways to replace fossil and carbon-intensive systems with sustainable circular biobased systems at the EU and regional scale, contributing to achieving the European Green Deal's objectives.
- **Bio4HUMAN (101135144):** Bio4HUMAN is a pivotal Horizon Europe-funded project focusing on the solving of solid waste management (SWM) challenges in humanitarian settings. Bio4HUMAN's principal objective is to provide both humanitarian aid operators and bio-based sector stakeholders, with a list of bio-based solutions for solid waste management that have the potential to be applicable across various humanitarian settings.
- **BioINSouth (101156363):** The BioINSouth project aims to support decision-makers to incorporate considerations of ecological limits into their regional bioeconomy strategies and roadmaps relevant to circular bio-based activities.
- **ORIENTING (958231):** ORIENTING is a research project to develop an operational methodology for product Life Cycle Sustainability Assessment. The main purpose of Orienting is to integrate a life cycle approach that includes the analysis of environmental, social and economic impacts.

Initial meetings with ALIGNED, LCA4BIO, SUSTRACK, BIOINSOUTH, BIO4HUMAN and ORIENTING were held to align objectives and explore potential synergies. These discussions emphasized the importance of developing harmonized methodologies for LCA in bio-based systems, strengthening the scientific basis for sustainability assessment, and fostering greater policy impact. The exchanges allowed partners to identify areas of complementarity and to design collaborative actions that could maximize outreach and collective visibility.

Key topics addressed during these interactions included:

- Shared challenges in advancing standardized LCA approaches for bio-based sectors
- Opportunities to align with EU policy frameworks and contribute to regulatory discussions

- Exchange of best practices on stakeholder engagement
- Organization of joint clustering activities and workshops
- Participation in joint dissemination campaigns, supported by the Horizon Results Booster service

Among the concrete actions, CALIMERO actively collaborated in joint workshops and clustering events, co-developed dissemination materials such as shared factsheets and videos, and engaged in joint policy-oriented dialogues to ensure that the collective efforts of these projects were visible to policymakers and stakeholders. These initiatives not only reinforced the impact of CALIMERO but also enhanced synergies across the bioeconomy research landscape.

## 2.2 COLLABORATIVE ACTIONS

As part of its collaborative efforts, CALIMERO placed a strong emphasis on engaging with other European initiatives in the Horizon Europe and Horizon 2020 frameworks, recognizing the synergies between projects working on harmonized LCA methodologies and sustainability assessments for bio-based systems. Through joint events, workshops, webinars, and side activities, CALIMERO actively exchanged knowledge, shared methodological insights, and aligned dissemination strategies with projects such as ALIGNED, LCA4BIO, ORIENTING, and Bio4Human. These collaborative actions provided valuable platforms for discussion, stakeholder engagement, and the promotion of best practices, strengthening the visibility of CALIMERO's outcomes and fostering dialogue around sustainable practices in the bioeconomy sector.

### 2.2.1 EuBioNet workshop among projects in standardisation, certification, labelling and monitoring

CALIMERO actively participated in the first Mobilisation and Mutual Learning workshop of the EuBioNet working group on “Standardisation, certification, labelling and monitoring,” held on February 14, 2023, under the SUSTRACK project. The event gathered 12 EU-funded projects and around 40 participants to facilitate networking, exchange methodologies and lessons learned, and plan future collaborative actions. While not presenting formally, CALIMERO contributed as an engaged participant, providing feedback, sharing perspectives on methodological approaches, and helping to identify opportunities for collaboration during the interactive MIRO board session, thus supporting the development of an initial common action plan and strengthening connections with other initiatives in the bio-based sustainability landscape.

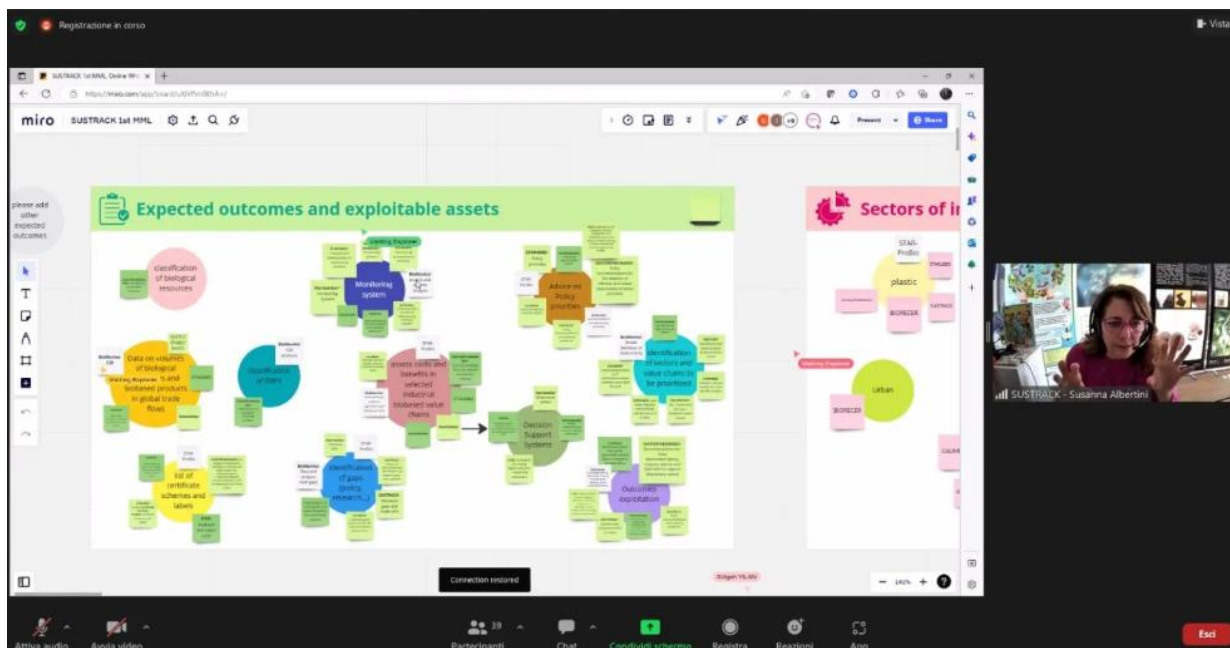


Figure 1 EuBioNet workshop among projects in standardisation, certification, labelling and monitoring

## 2.2.2 ORIENTING Final Event

On April 18, 2023, the final event of the ORIENTING project took place at the World Circular Economy Forum in Brussels, gathering an international audience to present the project’s key outcomes after three years of collaboration. The event highlighted the need for robust life cycle sustainability assessment methodologies to support the transition from a linear to a circular economy, in line with the European Green Deal and upcoming regulatory frameworks such as the EU Sustainability Reporting Regulation, the EU Taxonomy, the Digital Product Passport, and the Green Claims Directive.

As part of this event, CALIMERO was represented by its partner WeLOOP, who showcased preliminary results and methodological insights from the project. This participation provided an opportunity to place CALIMERO’s contributions within a broader European context, while also exchanging perspectives with other initiatives and stakeholders on how to ensure that science-based methodologies and tools can effectively support companies, particularly SMEs, in assessing and communicating the sustainability performance of bio-based products.

## 2.2.3 ECOSYSTEX Conference

From October 15<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> 2024, CALIMERO took part in the second ECOSYSTEX Conference, hosted at the Accenture Customer Innovation Network in Milan, Italy. The event gathered a wide community of projects and stakeholders to discuss current trends and challenges in the field of sustainable textiles, featuring plenary sessions, interactive workshops, and the final events of projects such as TRICK, my-fi, HEREWEAR, and SCIRT.

As part of the ECOSYSTEX member projects, CALIMERO was presented to the community, showcasing its objectives and methodological approach. This participation offered the opportunity to highlight CALIMERO’s contributions to advancing harmonized LCA methodologies for bio-based systems, while engaging with a broad network of initiatives working towards sustainable innovation and circularity in Europe.

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## 2.2.4 LCA Framework Developments of Bio-Based Materials: How to Integrate Them in New EU Projects?

On November 8<sup>th</sup> 2024, CALIMERO participated in the webinar “*LCA Framework Developments of Bio-Based Materials: How to Integrate Them in New EU Projects?*” organized by the Bio4Human project in collaboration with WeLOOP. The event focused on advancing the understanding of new LCA methodologies tailored for the bio-based sector and on addressing the challenges of integrating such approaches into European research and innovation initiatives.

During the session, CALIMERO presented its project objectives and methodological developments, contributing to the discussion on how harmonized LCA approaches can better capture the specificities of bio-based systems. This participation provided an opportunity to exchange experiences with other EU-funded projects, highlight CALIMERO’s progress, and strengthen synergies in the pursuit of more robust sustainability assessment frameworks for the bioeconomy.



Figure 2 Workshop LCA Framework Developments of Bio-Based Materials

## 2.2.5 Joint Communication and Dissemination Actions with ALIGNED

CALIMERO has developed a strong collaboration with the ALIGNED project through the creation of a joint communication and dissemination strategy aimed at maximizing the visibility and impact of both initiatives. This strategy included several concrete actions, such as publishing a common website update to highlight the collaboration between the projects, launching two joint press release, and preparing a joint factsheet designed to engage non-specialist audiences by outlining the “top three facts you must know about LCAs.” In addition,

CALIMERO and ALIGNED participated together in the LCM 2023 conference, further reinforcing their alignment in advancing harmonized LCA methodologies for bio-based systems.



**THE EUROPEAN PROJECTS ALIGNED AND CALIMERO TOGETHER TO IMPROVE THE LIFE CYCLE ASSESSMENT (LCA) METHODOLOGIES**

- ALIGNED and CALIMERO, two EU-funded projects, have come together to harmonise the Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) methodology in critical bio-based sectors where the current practices are very fragmented.
- Both initiatives will provide a systematic evidence-based methodology for decision-making to improve the sustainability performance of present and future bio-based industries contributing thus to the European Green Deal

Madrid (Spain), 15th November, 2023 – Life Cycle Assessments (LCA) is a methodology that assesses the environmental impact of a sector providing a comprehensive view of its sustainability and enabling informed decisions to reduce its environmental footprint. In this context, the two EU-funded projects ALIGNED and CALIMERO are collaborating to harmonise the LCA methodology in five bio-based sectors where the current practices are fragmented. The sectors that both initiatives are working on are Construction, Woodworking, Textile, Pulp and Paper, and Bio-Chemicals.

The main objective of ALIGNED and CALIMERO is to improve the current practices and methodologies of the environmental performance of those bio-based sectors. On the one hand, ALIGNED is working on high-quality assessment studies to refine the current modelling practices, fill the data gaps and, develop new methods to improve the framework of the mentioned bio-based sectors. On the other hand, CALIMERO is creating a common framework for the same bio-based industries to evolve in terms of sustainability by working with product environmental footprint indicators.

Their collaboration aims to support the objectives of the European Green Deal by fostering more informed and sustainable decision-making in critical sectors such as construction, woodworking, textiles, pulp and paper, and bio-chemicals. ALIGNED and CALIMERO enhance Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) methodologies by harmonising fragmented practices, providing a systematic evidence-based framework. This allows for refinements in modelling, addressing data gaps, and developing new methods, working toward a common approach using product environmental footprint indicators. Ultimately, they seek to drive more sustainable practices, aligning with the environmental sustainability goals outlined in the European Green Deal.



**ALIGNED and CALIMERO lead key discussion in Brussels on advancing life cycle assessment for bio-based products**

- ALIGNED and CALIMERO will organize a joint event in Brussels on the future of LCA for bio-based products and related policy and industry implications.
- Experts will present key findings on improving the environmental performance of bio-based products at a hybrid event in Brussels, focusing on harmonized regulatory frameworks.

**Brussels, Belgium, May 20, 2025** – Industries attempting to achieve sustainability continue to face the challenge of examining the environmental impact and life cycle assessment (LCA) of bio-based products. To tackle this, the Horizon Europe sister projects ALIGNED and CALIMERO will jointly organize a Science-for-Policy event in Brussels to discuss major stakeholders' progress regarding environmental assessment methods and overall policies for bio-based sectors.

The hybrid event, "Improved Assessment of Environmental Performance of Bio-Based Products," will occur from 09:00 to 13:00 CET at Thon EU Hotel in Brussels. Attendance is either in person (limited to availability) or virtually. The workshop will target EU policy officers and industrial business leaders, enabling discussions of the latest policy developments and the best practices for the sustainability performance of bio-based products.

During the last three years, ALIGNED and CALIMERO have partnered with industry and sector associations in woodworking, pulp and paper, chemicals, textiles, and construction to develop and implement techniques that enhance the environmental performance of bio-based products. This event will showcase the most valuable considerations of the projects and what they mean for future research. Below is the event agenda:

**09:00 - 09:10 | Opening remarks**

Mrs. Evdokia ACHILLEOS (European Research Executive Agency) – Head of Sector in the Biodiversity, Circular Economy and Environment Unit.

**09:10 - 09:40 | Introducing the ALIGNED-CALIMERO Sister HEU Projects**

- **CALIMERO Keynote:** Industry Case Studies Analysis to Improve Environmental Performance and Sustainability of Bio-Based Industrial Processes – Eduardo Entrana, Contactica
- **ALIGNED Keynote:** Aligning Life Cycle Assessment Methods and Bio-Based Sector for Improved Environmental Performance – Prof. Massimo Pizzol, Aalborg University

**09:40 - 10:10 | Research Highlights: Innovation In Assessing Bio-Based Products**

- **CALIMERO Keynote:** Multi-Objective Optimization Framework for Bio-Based Processes with Improved LCA Methodologies – Woodworking Case Study – Eduardo Entrana, Contactica
- **ALIGNED Keynote:** Developing and Applying the ALIGNED Framework for Carbon Accounting – Lorie Abmeilin, National Institute of Applied Sciences of Toulouse



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Figure 3 CALIMERO & ALIGNED Press Releases



Figure 4 CALIMERO & ALIGNED Website Post

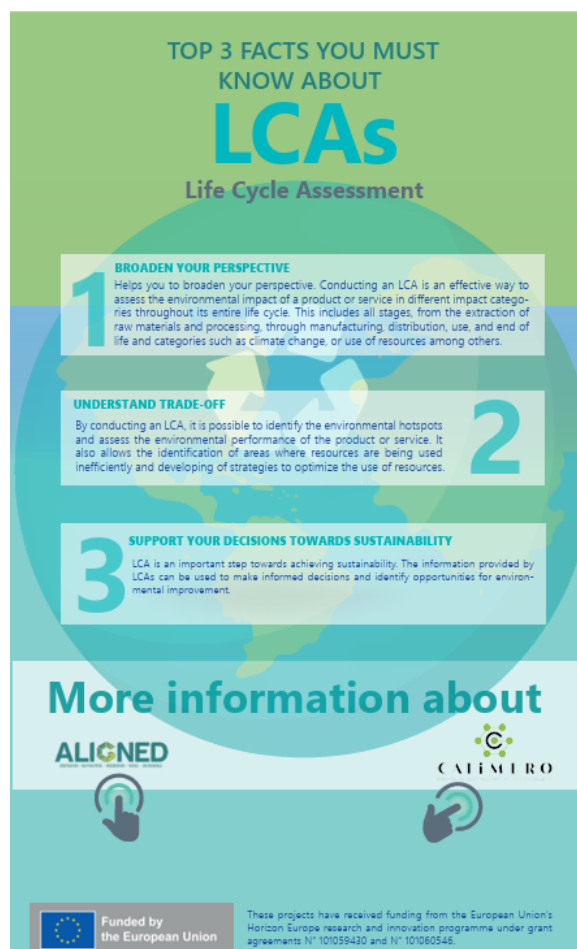
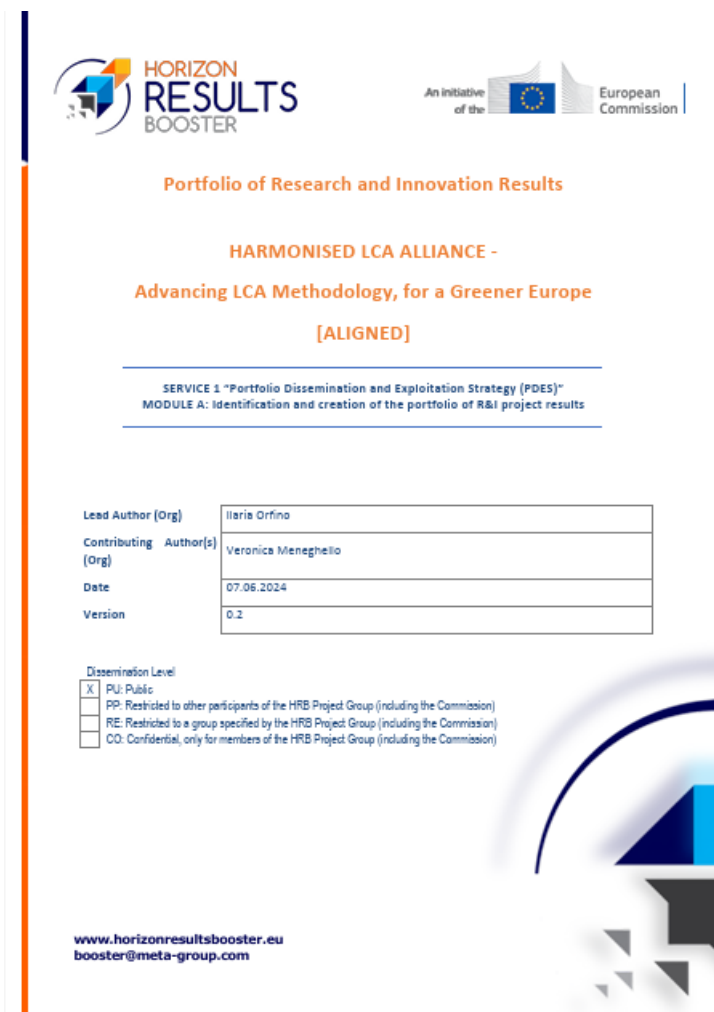


Figure 5 CALIMERO & ALIGNED Joint Factsheet


## 2.2.6 Portfolio of Research and Innovation Results HARMONISED LCA ALLIANCE - Advancing LCA Methodology, for a Greener Europe CALIMERO & ALIGNED

CALIMERO, together with the ALIGNED project, successfully applied for the Horizon Results Booster (HRB) service to further strengthen the visibility and exploitation of project results. [Under Service 1: “Portfolio Dissemination and Exploitation Strategy \(PDES\)” – Module A: Identification and creation of the portfolio of R&I project results](#), both projects collaborated in the development of a joint portfolio highlighting their complementary outcomes.

As part of this activity, CALIMERO and ALIGNED also prepared a common [factsheet](#) aimed at showcasing their objectives and methodological advancements to a broad audience, as well as [a joint video](#) explaining the main goals of the projects and the impacts they seek to achieve. These joint materials provided an effective means to communicate results, engage stakeholders, and reinforce the positioning of both initiatives within the European research and innovation landscape.



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**HARMONISED LCA ALLIANCE -**

**Advancing LCA Methodology, for a Greener Europe**

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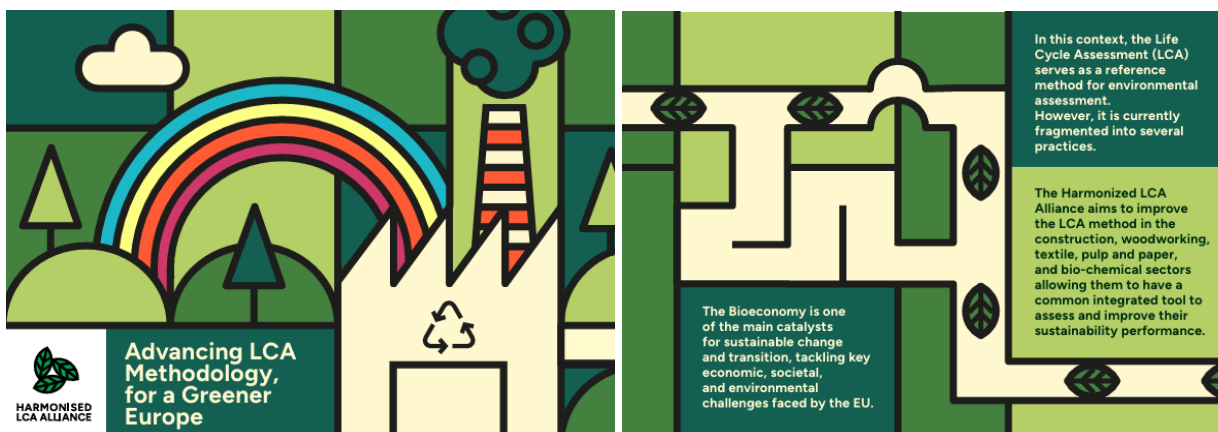
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Figure 6 Portfolio of Research and Innovation Results HARMONISED LCA ALLIANCE



**Advancing LCA Methodology, for a Greener Europe**

**HARMONISED LCA ALLIANCE**

The Bioeconomy is one of the main catalysts for sustainable change and transition, tackling key economic, societal, and environmental challenges faced by the EU.

In this context, the Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) serves as a reference method for environmental assessment. However, it is currently fragmented into several practices.

The Harmonized LCA Alliance aims to improve the LCA method in the construction, woodworking, textile, pulp and paper, and bio-chemical sectors allowing them to have a common integrated tool to assess and improve their sustainability performance.

Figure 7 Factsheet CALIMERO & ALIGNED Horizon Results Booster

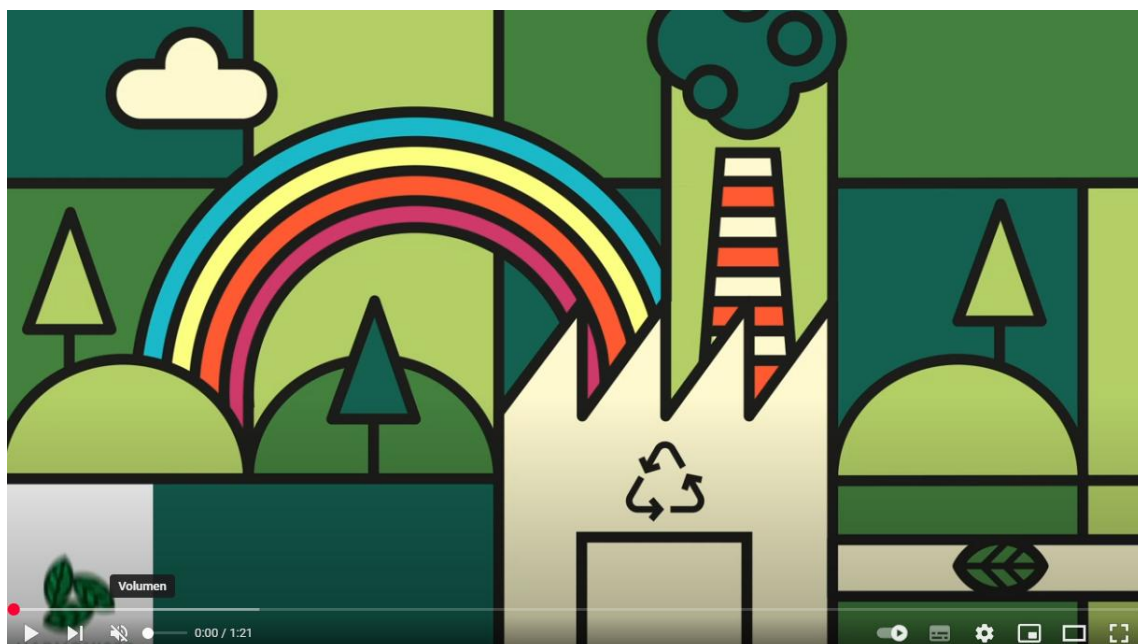


Figure 8 Joint Video CALIMERO & ALIGNED Horizon Results Booster

### 2.2.7 Internal workshop "Improving the LCSA methodology in a bio-economy context in EU R&D projects: CALIMERO & ALIGNED" along with the ALIGNED and LCA4BIO project

On February 27<sup>th</sup> 2024, CALIMERO and ALIGNED jointly organized an internal workshop titled *"Improving the LCSA methodology in a bio-economy context in EU R&D projects: CALIMERO & ALIGNED"* during the General Assembly of the LCA4BIO project. The aim of this session was to present key results from both projects and to foster an exchange of perspectives with LCA4BIO partners on methodological developments and challenges related to Life Cycle Sustainability Assessment (LCSA) in the bio-economy.

Although conceived as an internal activity, the workshop created a valuable space for collaboration between the three initiatives, strengthening synergies and ensuring that methodological advances are shared and discussed within the broader community of EU-funded projects working on sustainability assessment.



*Figure 9 Internal workshop "Improving the LCSA methodology in a bio-economy context in EU R&D projects"*

### **2.2.8 ALIGNED & CALIMERO Science-for-Policy Joint Event**

On 4 June 2025, the CALIMERO and ALIGNED Horizon Europe's sister projects held their Science-for-Policy Joint Event at the Thon EU Hotel in Brussels, with a parallel online livestream. The hybrid event attracted **over 130 participants** — **50 onsite** and **84 online** — including policymakers, researchers, and industry stakeholders from across Europe.

The event featured insightful keynotes on improving environmental assessment methods for bio-based products, highlights from real-world case studies, and a dynamic panel discussion on policy and industrial practices. Stakeholders from sectors such as construction, chemicals, textiles, and algae biorefinery shared their perspectives on shaping a more sustainable bioeconomy.



*Figure 10 ALIGNED & CALIMERO Science-for-Policy Joint Event*

### 3 NETWORKING WITH OTHER EUROPEAN ASSOCIATIONS

The CALIMERO project has actively engaged with broader European networks within the bioeconomy and sustainability sectors as part of its strategy to increase visibility, foster collaboration, and ensure alignment with EU priorities. Two key platforms where CALIMERO has established strong connections are the **European Bioeconomy Network (EuBioNet)** and **ECOSYSTEMX – the European Community of Practice for a Sustainable Textile Ecosystem**.

Through EuBioNet, an alliance of more than 160 EU-funded projects and initiatives, CALIMERO benefits from a vibrant platform for knowledge sharing, coordination of joint activities, and networking opportunities. The collaboration with EuBioNet has enabled the project to participate in joint workshops and events, disseminate results through shared channels such as newsletters, and contribute to collective efforts in promoting the EU Bioeconomy Strategy in close collaboration with the European Commission and CBE JU.

In parallel, CALIMERO is also a member of **ECOSYSTEMX**, which brings together over 70 EU-funded projects focusing on textile sustainability, circularity, and, more recently, skills and education for the green and digital transition of the TCLF sectors. Within this community, CALIMERO has actively engaged in discussions, contributed to the network's visibility, and showcased its outcomes at major events, including the ECOSYSTEMX Conference 2024. Being part of ECOSYSTEMX strengthens CALIMERO's presence in the textile sustainability landscape, allowing for long-term collaboration that extends beyond the project duration.

By connecting with these associations, CALIMERO amplifies the dissemination of its results, ensures that its methodological advancements in LCA reach a broad audience, and contributes to the European bioeconomy and sustainability agenda. These collaborations create fertile ground for new partnerships, joint initiatives, and the alignment of efforts to accelerate the transition towards a circular and sustainable economy in Europe.

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## Ongoing projects

Research & Innovation



Figure 11 CALIMERO in the ECOSYSTEX Website



Figure 12 CALIMERO in the European Bioeconomy Network

## 4 CONCLUSION

Throughout the project, CALIMERO has placed strong emphasis on clustering activities, joint events, and networking with other European initiatives and associations. These efforts have significantly strengthened synergies with key projects such as ALIGNED, LCA4BIO, ORIENTING, and Bio4Human, and have enabled CALIMERO to actively contribute to cross-project discussions on methodological advancements in LCA and sustainability assessment of bio-based systems.

In parallel, CALIMERO's involvement in European networks, such as EuBioNet and ECOSYSTEMEX, has broadened the project's reach, ensuring that results are disseminated widely and that the methodological insights developed are connected to the broader bioeconomy and sustainability communities.

Overall, these collaborations have amplified the project's impact, enhanced visibility, and ensured alignment with European sustainability and circular economy priorities. They also provide a solid foundation for future cooperation, paving the way for CALIMERO's outcomes to influence ongoing research, policy developments, and the long-term integration of robust LCA methodologies in the bioeconomy sector.