## **Project Concept**

Project has the ultimate goal to establish a permanent and sustainable Network of scientific and nonscientific institutions, stakeholders and private sector enterprises belonging in the EU and third countries located in two significant areas:

The Mediterranean and The Black Sea regions.

The main focal points of the project will be the usage and application of Earth Observation (EO) in the following topics

- EO in coastal monitoring
- EO in water and soil resources management
- EO in mining and mineral exploration

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# **Clustered Projects**











In order to achieve its goal IASON will engage in:

IASON aims to build on the experiences gained by 5 FP7 funded projects:

OBSERVE, enviroGRIDS, GEONETCab, EGIDA, and BalkanGEONet.

**WP1** Project Management

WP2 Assessment of existing and on-going research efforts in the Mediterranean and Black Sea / Network of Networks - Requirements & Design

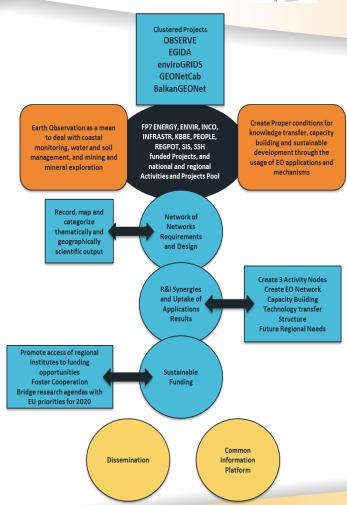
WP3 R&I Synergies: Fostering Cooperation

**WP4** Sustainable Funding

WP5 R&I Uptake of Applications Results in Fostering collaborative Future action in Mediterranean and Black Sea Regions

WP6 Dissemination and awareness strategy

**WP7** Common Information Platform



• Visible and effective capacity building and knowledge transfer activities with regional research institutes and organizations, stakeholders and policy makers.

- Demonstration of economic development through uptake of results, best case scenarios and success stories.
- Quantifiable engagement of research institutes, projects and networks.
- Identification of projects in the thematic fields that have potential for future cooperation.
- Creation of an innovative web based common information platform with clustering projects that demonstrate synergy potential.

Synergies with other on-going projects



Uptake of results linked to





