

WP 2

Czech Republic

Regional Info Days



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And

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The first Regional info days have been organized in a city Dobřichovice, which is located in the south of the Czech capital city Prague. The location has been selected given the best traffic availability for most of the stakeholders, but still in an attractive nature environment. Because of the success of the first regional info days had and because some of the stakeholders asked for further information on the project, situation in biomass utilization in other CE countries and their possible involvement in the project, CZ Biom has decided to organize second Regional Info Days, which were held in Praha.



Picture 1: Vladimír Stupavský presenting activities of CZ Biom including project 4Biomass

The Regional info days were used for dissemination purposes and for awareness raising about the project and the programme Central Europe among some of the major stakeholders dealing with biomass in the Czech Republic. The project has been presented by PPT presentations and in the room were available other promotion materials as posters of the project and flyers in English and Czech language. Stakeholders who visited the regional info days were from a wide scale of biomass fields reaching from biofuels producers to energy and heat producers from biomass. Some of the present stakeholders are as well active in major Czech projects, which will be presented among Czech demoprojects, as representatives from the heating plant in Žlutice or the biogas plant in Bukovec.

The total number of visitors has been at the first Regional Info Day 46. This number has been again increased for the second RID in Praha to 67 visitors. Some of the visitors joined us for both regional info days and promised closer cooperation and further interest.



Picture 2: Stakeholders at the Regional info Day in Dobřichovice

The regional info day has been as well used for informing stakeholders about running tasks of the project as the stakeholder dialogue and the search for demo projects.

Another major point of both regional info days has been discussion about the nBAP, REAP and new legislation concerning heat and electricity production from biomass in the Czech Republic. This discussion has been very fruitful due to many different views of present interest groups. The results of those discussions will be implemented to outputs of CZ Biom within the project 4Biomass and at proposals for biomass legislation at the national level.

Considering all the points it can be said, that both Regional Info Days fulfilled the expectations set within the project. The stakeholders have received plenty of information about the project and programme, received information materials and became aware of some of the major tasks which the project is dealing with. On the other hand has CZ Biom as a 4Biomass project partner received many inputs for several project tasks.