

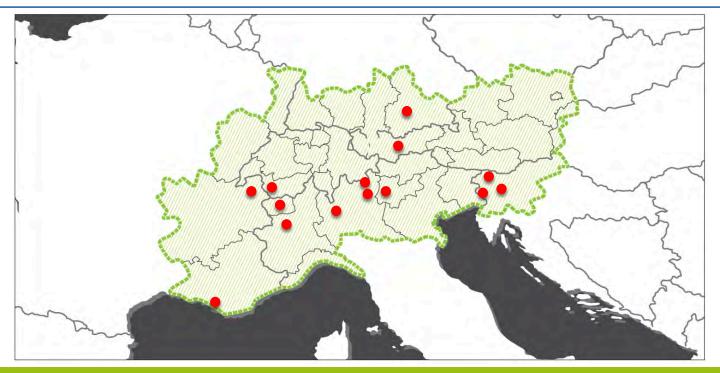








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Food heritage is a **strong identity source** for alpine populations.

It goes **beyond products** to include **productive landscapes** and **traditional knowledge** on **production techniques**, **consumption customs** and **rituals**, and the **transmission of ancient wisdom**.

AlpFoodway is creating sustainable development models for peripheral mountain areas based on the preservation/valorization of alpine cultural food heritage and on the adoption of innovative marketing and governance tools.

It will also highlight the emerging of a transnational alpine identity based on the common cultural values expressed in food heritage.



Main Objectives

Development of a common understanding of Alpine food heritage and its potential for sustainable development

Creation of a coordination platform to generate strategic instruments, e.g. Vision Paper, Value Charter

guidelines to develop participated safeguard processes

studies to promote alpine food value chains

online inventory for Alpine Food ICH





Main Objectives

Development of innovative approaches for the transfer of knowledge linked to traditional skills

Creation and experimentation in pilot areas of innovative educational tools for selected traditional skills referred to food value chains and their commercial exploitation, training units for stakeholders and heritage professionals.





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Experimentation of participative tools in order to increase awareness of a common Alpine identity

Involvement of stakeholders and heritage communities with the goal to share information, ensure participation and inclusive decision-making, and develop an AS cultural exchange platform.

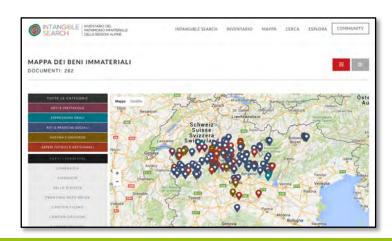




Outputs

- Inventory of traditional Alpine Food ICH containing hundreds of multimedia records
- Guidelines for Community rights and ICH intellectual properties
- Guidance papers to successfully commercialize Alpine Food Heritage
- Guidance for the development of successful integrated food value chains, based on ICH valorization
- courses and educational units
- Multilevel alpine community network, with the function of a cultural exchange platform supported by storytelling events with high communication impact
- Vision Paper&Value Charta on Alpine Food ICH representing strategic policy documents summarizing how Alpine Food ICH is a lever for sustainable development in peripheral alpine areas

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