

LIFE Tourbières du Jura — Peatland Rehabilitation Programme (France)

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Quality score: 67/100

Evidence strength: Descriptive / self-reported

Summary

EU LIFE programme (2014-2021) that rehabilitated 55 peatlands across 14 Natura 2000 sites in the French Jura, neutralising 26 km of drains and restoring 15 km of watercourses on an EUR 8.05M budget; a follow-on LIFE RestituO project (2022-2029) targets 70 more degraded sites.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Carbon — sequestration / storage, evidenced	2/3
Biodiversity — conservation / improvement, evidenced	2/3
Water & soil — retention, infiltration, erosion control	3/3
Fire resilience — risk reduction, evidenced	0/3
Governance, certification & transferability	3/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-07-10

[Conservatoire d'espaces naturels de Franche-Comté](#) — accessed 2026-07-10

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[European Commission LIFE Programme – LIFE21-CCM-FR-LIFE-RestituO project page](#) — accessed 2026-07-10

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