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## MARLESS (MARine Litter cross-border awarenESS and innovation actions)

Priority Axis: Environment and cultural heritage; Specific objective: 3.3 - Improve the environmental quality conditions of the sea and coastal area by use of sustainable and innovative technologies and approaches

### D6.1.1 – Identification of a river basins

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## PROJECT MARLESS

<b>Work Package:</b>	WP6 – Pilot actions to prevent, recover, process marine litter, including stakeholders toolbox
<b>Activity:</b>	A6.1 – River agreements to reduce plastic discharge into the sea
<b>WP Leader:</b>	PP6 - UNIBO
<b>Deliverable:</b>	D6.1.1 Identification of a river basins (at least n.2 rivers)

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## CONTENT:

Within the MARLESS partnership have been identified two regions, mainly affected by the riverine litter issue.

These two regions are:

1. Veneto Region
2. Autonomous Region Friuli Venezia Giulia

The presence of the main Italian rivers and a heavy industrialized area affect these two regions. Moreover, the high touristic presence increases the complexity of the area and the management of waste on land and along the coastal area.

Considering the drivers described above, the issue of the abandoned waste is quite high at actions must be taken.

The two selected rivers are:

1. CORMOR River (Autonomous Region Friuli Venezia Giulia)



## 2. Canal Vela (Veneto Region)



These two rivers have been used to test two actions of the MARLESS project and additional information can be found in the deliverable:

- 6.1.3\_A declaration of intent to start the process of drafting a river agreement for the management of the plastic waste
- 6.1.5\_Device (river barrier) to support the collection of river waste.