



Business environment and foreign direct investment in Asturias during June 2023

innovation

Asturias forges alliances with other EU regions to become a valley of innovation in circular and emission-neutral industry

Sekuens and the Joint Research Centre (JRC) brings together technicians from a dozen EU territories. The Asturias Regional Government promotes a consortium with other EU regions connecting innovation valleys to boost the industrial transition towards a green economy.



technology

Asturias, the fourth Spanish region with the greatest weight of employment in technological sectors

Specialized occupations in the ICT sector, STEM professions, or high-tech activities account for 9.36% of all jobs, only behind the numbers of Madrid, the Basque Country, and Catalonia.

renewable energy

The Port of Gijón - El Musel modifies the use of land to open up to wind energy projects, a sector in which several companies have shown interest. It will allocate 1.1 million square metres for business plans not related to maritime activity.



ports

APM Terminals Gijón celebrates commissioning of Post-Panamax QC903 crane in the Port of Gijón - El Musel. It will enhance the terminal's capacities and competitiveness for importers and exporters in the Asturias region and beyond.

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The Government of Asturias launches the Agency for Science, Business Competitiveness and Innovation

Under the name of Sekuens, the new entity is born with the aim of facilitating the deployment of a modern scientific policy through the promotion of entrepreneurship, research, technological development and innovation.

“Sekuens will facilitate the attraction of talent and investment to Asturias”

The Regional Minister of Science, Innovation and University, Borja Sánchez, remarks the transformation of the productive fabric of Asturias as one of the main objectives of the new entity. Sekuens will also assume the functions linked to economic transformation and will try to reduce bureaucracy.

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SEA EIGHT starts its sole fattening plant with the movement of land on the La Figar esplanade of the Port of Gijón. It represents an investment of 12.3 million euros in this first phase, with the creation of 25 direct jobs.



success story

The Chemours Company: good chemistry in a particular Asturian UN. This US chemical multinational located in Gijón employs 154 people belonging to 21 different nationalities and with an average age of 38 years.

Metal and advanced manufacturing in Asturias



The metal sector in Asturias is a clear example of the application of the latest technologies, new production processes, safety systems at work and environmental management. The continuous training of its workers results in high qualification levels. The manufacture of metal products is the most representative activity in Asturias. Check our web for more information.

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