











## **Control Seminar**

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# **Reporting for PPs in Jems**

## **Sensitive data**



#### List of expenditures <sup>□</sup>

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R1.2	<b>✓</b>	Pieter Sep23	75% on project	5.000,00	0,00	3.750,00	EUR	1	3.750,00	<u>↑</u>	
R1.3	<b>✓</b>	JohnSep23	50% on project	7.000,00	0,00	3.500,00	EUR	1	3.500,00	<b>1</b> □ HR	. ± ⊗
R1.4	<u>~</u>	Lee Sep23	100%	4.700,00	0,00	4.700,00	EUR	1	4.700,00	<b>1</b>	
R1.5	<b>✓</b>	Sean Sep23	50%	3.400,00	0,00	1.700,00	EUR	1	1.700,00	₾	
R1.6		Patrick Invoice	Invoice total	3.217,50	0,00	3.217,50	EUR	1	3.217,50	<b>1</b>	± ❷

### What is the difference?

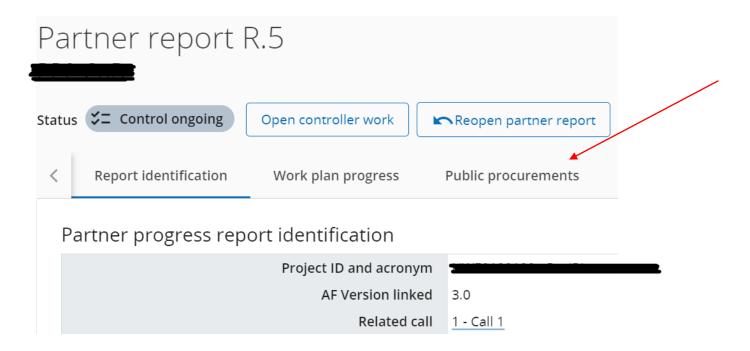
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## **Procurement tab**





For all partner contracts above EUR 10,000 excl.
 VAT this section will have to be filled in with information on the process followed and the supporting documentation

# **Supporting documents**



- According to the e-cohesion requirements from the Commission, everything needs to be stored in Jems
- Invoices, proof of payments are available in each individual report list of expenditure
- Procurement documentation is available under the specific tab
- Partners have been informed how important it is to correctly list items in the LoE and to not separate or group









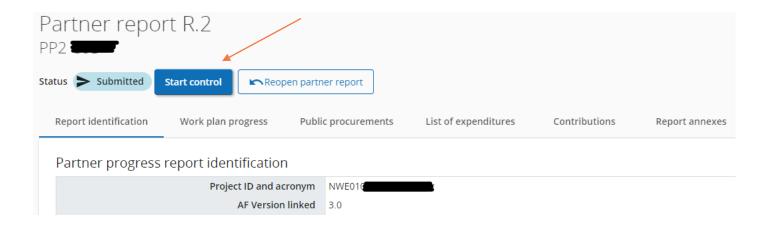






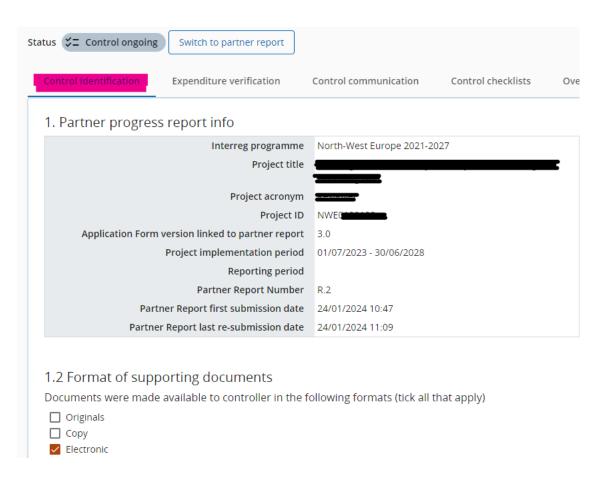
- Talk to your project partners what you need and how to present things! The Programme Manual only gives suggestions
- Make sure you know what kind of partner you are checking (40% flat rate or real cost)
- In case documents are missing, please add this under follow up measures for the next report and have partners add them in the control documentation
- Reopening partner reports should be avoided











- Format of supporting documents
- Controller indentification



#### 4. Verification

General methodology (multiple selection possible):  Administrative verification  On-the-spot verification
Did the controller choose to check additional cost items (i.e., beyond the sample drawn by the system), based on their professional conscience?  Yes No
If yes, please explain, for each extra cost item (referenced through its ID in the list of expenditures - ex. R1.4), the reasons for adding it to the control.
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- On the spot or administrative check?
- Further items added to the sample due to professional conscience?

# Risk based sample methodology



### Risk based sample methodology NWE

- Real cost project
  - Single expenditure items with value of more than 10% of cost category
  - Random verification of 10 further items (of cost category)

### 40% project

50% of the amount claimed under the cost category

Previously parked items will also always be checked again. If controller parks, items will be returned to PP with the finalization of the control



#### Expenditure verification

Controllers can verify expenditure in this section and justify corrections. Corrections are always in Euro, the conversion happened upon submission of the partner report.

Expendit	ure da	ata								
ID	Ð	Cost category	ent	Description i	Comment 1	Total invoice value	VAT	Declared amount	Currency	Conversion rate
R2.1		Equipment		blablablup 1		1.000,00	0,00	1.000,00	EUR	1
R2.2		Equipment		blablablup 2		2.000,00	0,00	2.000,00	EUR	1
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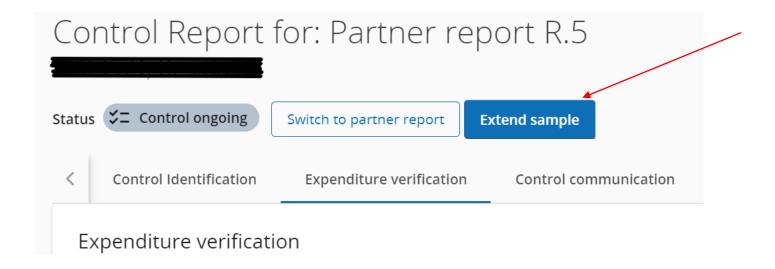
- All items to be checked in the sample have been highlighted
- Additional items can be added manually but need to be explained

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ncy	Conversion rate	Declared amount in EUR (i)	Attachments 🚺	Part of sample	Deducted amount in EUR	Certified amount in EUR	Typolog
	1	1.000,00			0,00	1.000,00	N/A
	1	2.000,00			0,00	2.000,00	N/A
	1	3.000,00			0,00	3.000,00	N/A
	1	4.000,00			0,00	4.000,00	N/A
	1	5.000,00			0,00	5.000,00	N/A
	1	6.000,00			0,00	6.000,00	N/A

Control work



# Sample extension no 1



- •Real cost project and 40% projects
  - •15 additional items covering 70% of expenditure claimed per cost category



# Extension no 2 (100%)

 Done manually by the controller for the cost category that was impacted and documented under control verification in section 4

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Yes No

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for adding it to the control.

4. Verification

100% extension of cost category staff due to further identified ineligible expenditure

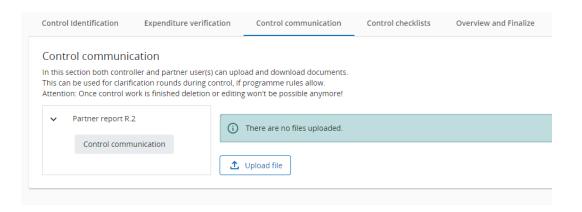




#### Typology of errors

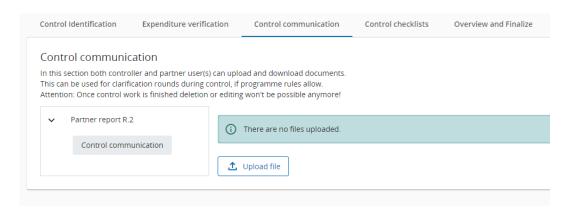
Calculation error
Procurement rules breached
Publicity rules breached
Cost declared twice
Incomplete audit trail
Item not related to project
Unpaid item
Undelivered item
Non-compliance with sound financial management principle
Double financing
State aid rules breached
Item outside eligibility period
Item ineligible for other reasons



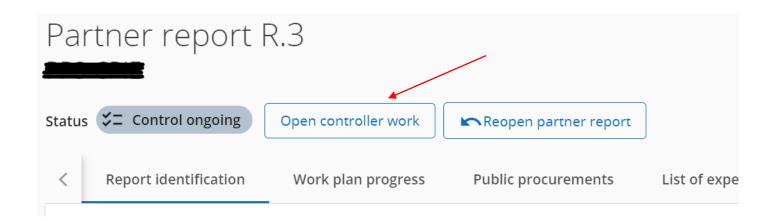


- All communication, missing documents for LoE, etc should be added in this section
- Missing documents in the procurement tab should be added by the controller, as this is a recurring section
- If the partner grouped items → controller will check more than necessary
- If the partner separated expenditure items, they will have to be parked and re-checked

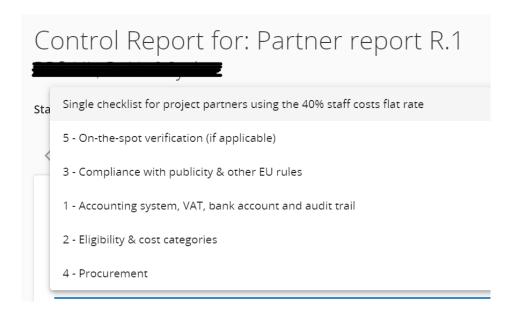




How do partners get acces to the control communication?





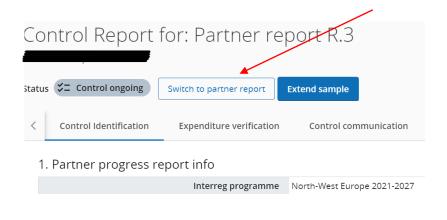


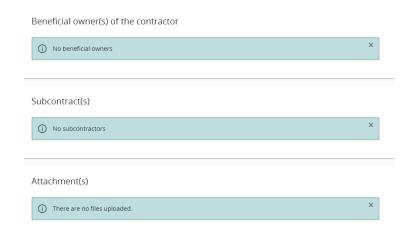
- Control checklists will have to be created by the controller
- Checklist for on the spot only when you have ticked in the first tab that you have been on the spot
  - On the spot checks only for investments



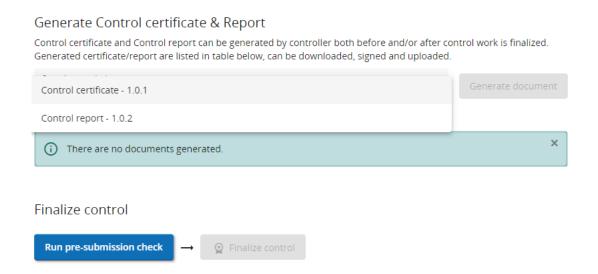
Public procurement checks are very essential work of the controller

- Procurement checklists will have to be created multiple times taking into account any new procurements
- Checklist will have to be downloaded and added by the controller in the procurement tab of the partner report









- Tab overview and finalize
  - Description of findings, conclusions, recommendations, follow up measures (last and future reports)
  - Control report and certificate will be issued
  - Pre-submission checks and finalization of control



# Where to find help?

Programme Website

https://www.nweurope.eu/controllers

Programme Manual and other documents

https://www.nweurope.eu/support-to-projects

Questions?

<u>johanna@nweurope.eu</u> for technical support put <u>jems@nweurope.eu</u> in copy of your message.





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# Thank you