Over the course of two weeks, the Mediterranean Pavilion became an exchange arena for international and national stakeholders and saw the launch of several large-scale initiatives contributing to the fight against climate change:

- The presentation of the Blue Mediterranean Partnership by the EIB and the EBRD, which aims to foster a sustainable blue economy in the Mediterranean region of the European Union’s Southern Neighbourhood countries, was one of the noteworthy features of the Mediterranean Pavilion.

- The launch of the 1 billion USD PAMEX 2030 Local Finance Investment Facility (PLIFF) which is aimed at supporting various initiatives, such as waste management and sanitation, electrification of ports, the use of bio-energy for maritime transportation, and the preservation and restoration of the biodiversity of coastal regions.

- Another development that occurred during the Pavilion was the launch of the International Drought Resilience Alliance, in collaboration with the UN Convention to Combat Desertification, Spain, the European Commission, and the UfM, which holds observer status. This alliance aims to create a cooperative platform that can generate political support and gather resources for specific measures that improve drought resilience in countries, cities, and communities.

- The UfM Secretariat was also represented at the signature of the “Sustainable Electricity Trade Roadmap” by France, Germany, Morocco, Portugal and Spain. The initiative aims at promoting the exchange of renewable electricity in a mutually advantageous manner between Morocco and the four EU countries, acknowledging the advantages of integrating the regional electricity market.

More than 50 bilateral meetings were held.

More than 300 institutions and 400 speakers interacted with the Mediterranean Pavilion.

66 events
17,000 online viewers

Gender Mainstreaming

58.5% male
41.5% female

More than 45,000 participants at COP27

More about the Blue Mediterranean Partnership:

More about the International Drought Resilience Alliance: