

ANNOUNCEMENT

- ❑ **Two new RTD Programs for the Industrial minerals, Aggregates & Dimension stone sectors**
 - **+52 MSEK Industrial Research & Development Program for the Industrial minerals, Aggregates and Dimension stone industry**
 - **37 MSEK Project Package - Energy savings in the production of Industrial minerals & Construction products**

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Industrial development program

- ❑ Program duration: 4 years 2007 – 2010
- ❑ Budget: 29 MSEK from industry (3,2 M€)
26 MSEK from the state via SGU(2,8 M€)
55 MSEK (6 M€)
- ❑ Participants:
 - Swedish Mineral Processing Research Association - MinFo
 - Swedish Aggregates Producers Association – SBMI
 - Swedish Stone Industries Federation – SSF/SFI
 - Jointly owned company for RTD – MinBaS AB

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Industrial development program

MinBaS II – RTD Areas:

- **PROGRAM AREA 1: Production/Process development**
- **PROGRAM AREA 2: Product development**
- **PROGRAM AREA 3: Environment/Sustainable Development**
- **PROGRAM AREA 4: Application Techniques for Dimension Stone**
- **PROGRAM AREA 5: Administration, Technology transfer, Implementation ...**

Energy savings in the production of Industrial minerals & Construction Products – A Project Package

- ❑ Duration 2007-2010
- ❑ Budget 37 MSEK
 - 13 MSEK from the Swedish Energy Agency e.g. 35%
 - 24 MSEK from the industry
- ❑ MinFo will co-ordinate Project package.
- ❑ Total annual energy saving of 0,8 TW is to be reached within 10 years.
- ❑ 3 technical projects and one administrative project
 - Energy effective production of concrete based on crushed aggregates
 - Energy efficient production of burnt lime and dolomite products
 - Energy efficient oxy-fuel combustion & CO₂ abatement in cement & lime production

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