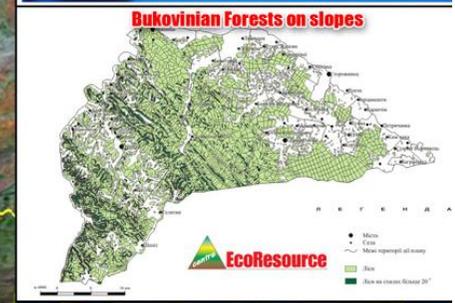


From Alpen through Carpathian



to the European Mountain Convention

Ukrainian proposals for the Carpathian Convention Forestry Action Plan implementation



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ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING PLAN OF BUKOVYNA CARPATHIANS AND THE CARPATHIAN FOOTHILLS

RESOURCES	PRODUCTION	CONSUMPTION	WASTE TREATMENT
Solid, Liquid and Gaseous			
W A S T E S			
Raw	Industrial		Municipal
FORECASTING & DETECTION OF THE WASTE GENERATION			
PRIMARY ACCOUNTING OF THE WASTE			
on the base of the evaluation of Materials & Energy balance of the waste generated processes			
WASTE IDENTIFICATION AS SUBSTANCES (MATERIALS)			
CLASSIFICATION OF THE IDENTIFIED WASTES			
Accordingly to the National Legislation & International Norms by the indexes of Danger, Resource Value, Ability to be Processed, Utilised, Dispose, Transported, Storage etc			
Quotation & Minimisation of Waste Generation		Waste Certification by the Unified Indexes	
CHOICE OF BEST TECHNOLOGY FOR WASTE TREATMENT			
Minimisation, storage, transporting, processing, Utilisation, disposal (elimination, decontamination)			
Change of the cost relationships in the sphere of Waste Treatment at Life Cycle stages of Goods & Services (ISO 14040)			
ESTABLISHMENT OF UNIFIED DATA BASES			
B A T		W A S T E S	

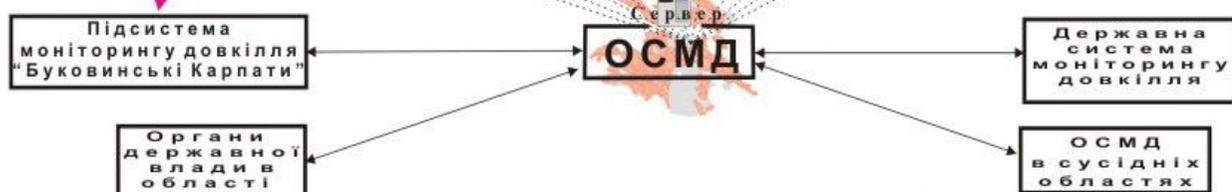
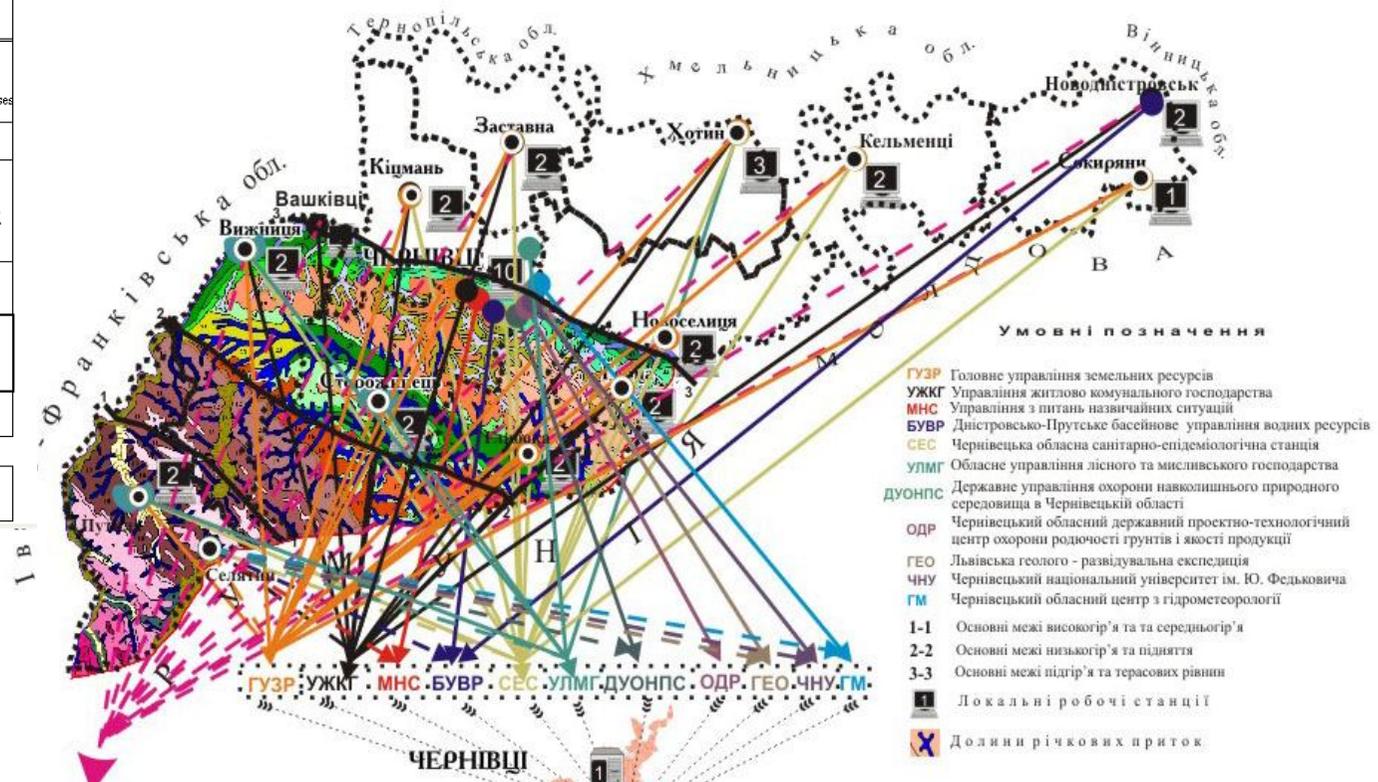


Рис. Схема удосконаленої системи моніторингу довкілля (ОСМД) Чернівецької області.

Forest Cluster initiatives in the Europe

Ініціативи лісових кластерів в Європі

Регіональні кластери і мережі

- Успішний досвід в Австрії, Німеччини, Швеції, Фінляндії
- Нова концепція для східних країн

- ◆ Регіональний
- ◆ національний
- міжнародний



Wood Centre, University of Munster www.waldzentrum.de/carpathia

Forestry- Wood Cluster

Bukovinian Cluster of the "EUROPE of REGIONS"

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МІНІСТЕРСТВО РЕГІОНАЛЬНОГО РОЗВИТКУ ТА БУДІВНИЦТВА УКРАЇНИ

Буковинський кластер «Європи Регіонів»
Clusturul Bucovinean în «Europa Regiunilor»

Україна
Rumania

Chernivtsi
Чернівці 2010

EcoResource

STEP BY STEP



**in the system of
Regional Development
Clustering**



PROJECT IDEA DESCRIPTION FORM
EUSDR. PILLAR 2. PRIORITY AREAS 4, 5, 6

1. Project title (long title and acronym, if any)

Transfrontier Forestry-Wood Processing Cluster arrangement based on collaboration between Carpathian and Alpine Conventions in Danube area for Carpathian Forests restoration and rational utilization (FOCAD)

2. Main Priority Area and Action under Pillar 2 to which the project idea is to be submitted to

PA 6.01 To contribute to the 2050 EU vision and 2020 EU target for biodiversity

3. Other Priority Areas and Actions the project is contributing to (please mention only the Priority Area no. and title of Action)

PA 5 Anticipate regional and local impacts of climate change through research PA 5
To foster transnational cooperation via ICPDR in order to develop a Climate Change Adaptation Strategy for the Danube Region
PA 6 To identify and protect old growth forests of the Danube basin
PA 6 To develop the Alpine-Carpathian Corridor PA 6 To
build a network of Danube 'forest' schools"

A - Project description

4. Project relevance (Please outline the relevance and necessity from a macro-regional perspective How does the project contribute to the implementation of the EUSDR? Maximum 1000 characters without spaces)

Restoration & rational usage of Mountain Forests plays crucial role for economic development & technogenic-environmental safety which practically equal to Kioto Joint Implementation value Carpathian Forestry Management, Logging, Roads Net & Wood processing are based on Alpine experience. These & associated sectors development are conform to Forestry Protocols of Carpathian & Alpine Conventions & aimed to mitigate consequences of Global Climate change & to embody EU Forestry Action Plan 2007-2013, Commission's Communication of 27.02.2008 on sustainable innovative development of Forestry Sector, St-Petersburg Forestry Declaration of 44 countries etc as well as for associated Touristic-Recreational activity, whereas Romanian territory of project officially nominated as most backward in EU & its development should be accelerated. Forestry indissolubly concerned wide range of businesses (e.g. lumbering-transporting issues), employment, other associated sectors etc.

5. Project general and specific objectives (maximum 400 characters without spaces)

Clustering reformation of Forestry-Wood Processing activities, using Carpathian-Alpine collaboration in Danube Region & answering Climate change challenges through modern methodology of innovation-investment & PPP for whole Wood & associated sectors Life Cycles. Providing their systems Nature Saving, BAT, Scientific-Educational, Legal-Normative & Information components development

6. Proposed project activities and their location(s) (list main and sub-activities. maximum 800 characters without spaces)

Modern systems of Governance, Co-ordination & PPP establishment to provide Environmental Management tools & Technologies concerned Forestry for Geo-landscape, Manufacture & Nature Saving aspects, including National Parks & Reservations transfrontier networking, Scientific and Educational aspects, Risks Minimisation, Natural-Anthropogenic Disasters prevention & mitigation of their consequences, IPPC & BAT implementation. These measures should provide Innovation-Investment attraction improvement in whole both for Northern & Southern Bukovina Forestry - Wood Processing sector. through implementation of the EU Clustering Innovation Strategy elements accordingly to Commissions Communication 17.10.2008 Nr 652 & to Draft of Ukrainian National Strategy on Transfrontier Clustering

7. Expected results and outcomes (Please use measurable indicators, where available. Maximum 400 characters without spaces)

Agreed Infrastructure-Technical & Normative-Legal basis of PPP establishment & Clustering Structure development for bio-diversity, Climate Change & Social-Economic aspects of EUSDR & Carpathian Convention implementation & Innovation-Investments attractiveness providing in Region Best practices exchange with Alpine area for Bukovinian Carpathian Forestry-Wood & associated sectors Life Cycles

8. Target groups (Who is affected by the project results, who will use the project results? Maximum 500 characters without spaces)

Transfrontier Cooperation Subjects & Participants by national Law: local & regional communities, authorities & nature protection bodies, entrepreneurs in forestry-wood, concerned fields & proper technologies, scientific, educational & non-governmental institutions, juridical & physical bodies involved into clustering: users of forestry roads net, consumers of energy from of wood waste etc cooperating across border by PPP principle & interested in innovation-investment & competitive development

B- Links to other Programmes/Policies

10. Link with other projects or actions already undertaken (if relevant please list the project title, acronym, name of Lead Partner, status of the project: financed, under implementation, closed, planned to be submitted, etc.)

Danube Pollution Reduction Programme - Ministry of Environmental Protection & Nuclear Safety of Ukraine /Programme Co-ordination Unit UNDP/GEF - www.icpdr.org/icpdr-files/8277 - closed
Pilot implementation of the Austrian ECOPROFIT Program as a facility for ISO 14000 and CIS Waste Management Standards - TACIS CBC project TSP/UK/9803/126/Phare - Provincial Government of Carinthia - closed Chernivtsy
Energy Plan - TACIS City Twinning project 1299/21 - Provincial Government of Carinthia - closed
Forest Resource Sustainable Management and Integrated Development of Wood Life Cycle (FOR WOOD) - TACIS CBC 069-745 - INFORMEST (Italy) - closed Promotion "Best Available Technologies" (BAT) implementation for Waste Minimisation and Resource Conservation - British Council in Ukraine project SEPSII Nr 12-06 - Centre "EcoResource" - closed

11. Relevant international/EU directives and national legislation the project addresses (if relevant please list, e.g. Water Framework Directive, EU Biodiversity Strategy)

EU Forestry Action Plan 2007-2013
Commission's Communication of 27.02.2008 on sustainable innovative development of productions grounded on the Forestry Sector ENPI
Eastern Regional Program Strategy Paper 2007-2013. ch. 2.2 Forestry, ch. 4.1.2 Environment protection and forestry
EU Clustering Innovation Strategy elements accordingly to Commissions Communication 17.10.2008 Nr 652
European BAT Reference Documents (BREFs) Declaration
of 14 countries Bucharest Summit "Environment and Sustainable Development
in the Carpathian and Danube Region" of 30.04.2001 ENPI

ПРОТОКОЛ

розширеного засідання

Робочої Комісії Єврорегіону “Верхній Прут” з питань екологічної безпеки, охорони довкілля, сталого розвитку регіону та діяльності Екоєврорегіону

МАПП «Росошани-Бричень» 21 грудня 2010 р.

Відповідно до листа керівництва Робочої Комісії (надалі РК)) від 08.12.2010 № CLEco-30/4 на виконання Положення про РК, затвердженого рішенням Ради Єврорегіону від 04.03.2001 № 15, та згідно рішень Ради Єврорегіону від 29.05.2010 за участі представників Урядів трьох країн відбулось розширене засідання РК на міжнародному автомобільному пункті пропуску «Росошани-Бричень» 21.12.2010

За активної участі всіх учасників засідання було проаналізовано аналогічні можливості за наступними проектними напрямками:

- застосування кластеризаційних підходів і для узгодженої розбудови лісо-деревообробної галузі з максимальним застосуванням досвіду і можливостей регіонів Альпійської конвенції:

За результатами засідання вирішено доручити керівництву РК опрацювати вироблені пропозиції у відповідності до процесу остаточного формування системи пріоритетів EUSDR, III Конференції Сторін Карпатської конвенції та ICPDR та до початку II скликання проектів СОП “RO-UA-MD” направити членам РК і узгодити пропозиції щодо пріоритетних проектних напрямків, які можуть бути представлені для надання узгодженої підтримки з боку Ради Єврорегіону та відповідних урядових структур .

PROCES-VERBAL

al ședinței lărgite

a Comisiei de Lucru a Euroregiunii

“Prutul de Sus” pe problemele securității ecologice, protecției mediului, dezvoltării durabile a regiunii și activității Ecoeuroregiunii

PTF “Rosoșanî-Briceni” 21 decembrie 2010

În conformitate cu adresa conducerii Comisiei de Lucru (în continuare – CL) nr. CLEco-30/4 din 08.12.2010 și în scopul îndeplinirii Regulamentului CL, aprobat prin hotărârea Consiliului Euroregiunii nr. 15 din 04.03.2001, cu participarea reprezentanților guvernelor a trei state, pe data de 21.12.2010 la PTF “Rosoșanî-Briceni” a avut loc ședința lărgită a CL..

Cu participarea activă a tuturor participanților la ședință au fost analizate posibilitățile privind următoarele domenii:

- aplicarea abordărilor de cluster pentru dezvoltarea domeniului de prelucrare a lemnului cu folosirea la maxim a oportunităților Convenției Alpine;

Conform rezultatelor ședinței s-a stabilit conducerea CL să fie împlinită pentru prelucrarea propunerilor puse în discuție, în conformitate cu procesul elaborării finale a sistemului de priorități a EUSDR, celei de a III-a Conferințe a Părților Convenției Carpatice și ICPDR și, înaintea lansării celui de al doilea concurs de proiecte, de a transmite membrilor CL și de a finaliza propunerile privind domeniile prioritare ale proiectelor, care vor fi oferite din partea Consiliului Euroregiunii către organele de guvern respective, pentru promovarea lor în comun.

**PARTICIPATION OF UKRAINE IN
THE IMPLEMENTATION OF
EUROPEAN UNION STRATEGY
FOR THE DANUBE REGION**

http://www.me.gov.ua/file/link/175974/file/6_Danube.ppt

**BIODIVERSITY, LANDSCAPES
AND THE QUALITY OF AIR AND SOILS**

**Official Ukrainian project proposals to
Priority Area 6 “To preserve
biodiversity, landscapes and the quality
of air and soils ” of the EUSDR**

Priority projects

- 1. Restoration and preservation of the unique aquatic resources of the Danube River and the northwestern Black Sea;**
- 2. Evaluation of populations of migratory water-birds in the Danube region;**
- 3. Expanding zones of protected areas, the activities in preservation and restoration ecosystems of wetlands in the Danube Delta;**
- 4. Formation of cross-border forest-wood-based cluster on the Danube river basin according to the Carpathian and Alpine Conventions.**



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OPEN DAYS 2010 Proceedings

EU-Ukraine regional policy co-operation

Outline

The workshop was opened by **Mr Goulet** who welcomed the distinguished speakers, especially the Ukrainian Minister, **Mr Yatsuba**. **Mr Goulet** underlined that this was the first seminar dedicated solely to Ukraine within the framework of the OPEN DAYS. He also stressed the dynamics of the co-operation in regional development between the EU and Ukraine, especially since the signing of the Memorandum of Understanding on this topic between the EU and Ukraine in 2009. He also mentioned that a study by the OECD about the competitiveness of the Ukrainian regions is expected and once published will constitute a valuable tool in prioritising the possible co-operation actions to be put in place by Ukraine and the EU.

Debate

Minister V. Yatsuba underlined the keen interest shown by Ukraine to approximate its regional development policy with the EU practices. The MoU signed in 2009 was the first step in this direction, creating the framework for practical co-operation. This collaboration is to be based upon the experiences already acquired in the co-operation in the Crimea as well as through the participation of certain regions in the EU territorial co-operation programmes. The Minister stressed that Ukraine is a very big country and the differences in the development of its 27 regions are vast. This is why the EU expertise and aid would be crucial in helping the government in Kiev in implementing an effective regional development policy. In this regard the Minister expressed his expectations relating to the introduction of the pilot regional development programmes as proposed by the EU under the Eastern Partnership. By the same token **Mr Yatsuba** underlined the difficult question of the visa regime and its impact on Ukrainian citizens. In his opinion without further relaxation of the existing visa regime and the strengthening of the border infrastructure, the cross-border effects of co-operation will be constantly hindered.

Mr O'Rourke presented the "philosophy" of the EU Cohesion Policy as an initiative that is well applicable in the EU's Eastern Neighbourhood, especially in the context of negotiating the Deep and Comprehensive Free Trade Agreements. Since the EU Cohesion Policy was created in response to the potential inequalities arising from the creation of a single market, he underlined that the same mechanism could be applied in the East if indeed the 6 EaP countries open their markets to the EU. He also underscored that investing in cohesion-related aspects in Ukraine in the long term serves the interests of both sides (a win-win situation), as the "rate of return" in the Eastern Neighbourhood is very high. In this context the EU is working on a proposal to introduce the PRDPs (Pilot Regional Development Projects) in the EaP countries. They could serve as an example of the EU approach to cohesion policy and help the Ukrainian government and its local authorities to build their actions and plans upon this pattern. Since the current financial envelope is very limited (around 30 million euros for the whole Eastern Neighbourhood), the programmes will concentrate primarily on capacity building and will serve as incentives for future co-operation. More actions in this respect could be expected after 2013.

Mr Pyvovarov underlined the necessity to properly co-ordinate all projects that are already jointly implemented or that are planned. In this context he mentioned the EU Danube Strategy which is in its final phase of preparation, the ENP CBC programmes, the regional co-operation under the South-East Europe programme, as well as the Carpathian Convention (based upon the co-operation within the framework of the Alpine Convention).

Mr Colin Maddock outlined the results of the special study that was conducted in the Odessa and Chernivtsi regions in early 2010, analysing their growth potential and institutional capacities. Although the two regions are different from each other (with Chernivtsi being rather peripheral and Odessa enjoying a potentially more favourable location), the results of the study were not so disparate. It was established that both regions suffer from years of neglect, inefficient bureaucracy, underdeveloped infrastructure and the lack of prospects for social and consequently economic development. However all these problems may be overcome, if Ukraine invests more in a long-term regional development strategy for the whole territory of the country and if given significant support in this task by the EU, both methodologically as well as – where possible – financially. He also underlined the need for a comprehensive study, conducted according to the EU PERD/ERB standards, which would analyse the "growth opportunities and regional competitiveness" of Ukrainian regions. Such a study would objectively demonstrate the situation in a EU-compatible manner, allowing for proper planning and implementation of long-term reforms serving the regional development of the country as a whole. He also stressed that the real change must go out from the Ukrainian institutions.

Mr Brodye provided the participants with an in-depth and comprehensive overview of the development of Ukrainian regions, specifically concentrating on the Carpathian arc. In his opinion, the strengthening of regional co-operation is a semi-natural process which, having succeeded in Western Europe, is now available to be repeated in the East. However, in order to guarantee the optimal use of all existing instruments, the "clustering strategy" would be welcomed, based on synergies and reinforcements between various available mechanisms and instruments of co-operation.

Conclusions

The conclusions of this workshop were that there are great difficulties to be faced in Ukraine but that it is possible to identify areas where better co-ordination, improved institutional frameworks and a coherent strategy could make a real difference. The potential is huge. The co-operation which has begun with the EU and the OECD and particularly in the field of Regional Policy dialogue will be essential to help Ukraine to reach this potential.

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05 October 2010,
14:30-17:00

Organiser:

European Commission, Regional
Policy DG and DG RELEX

Chair:

Raphael Goulet, Head of Unit for
Information, communication and
relations with non-EU countries,
European Commission, Regional
Policy DG

Speakers:

Volodymyr Yatsuba, Minister
of Regional Development and
Construction, Ukraine

John O'Rourke, Director of the ENP
General Co-ordination, European
Commission, DG RELEX

Konstantyn Pyvovarov, Deputy
Minister of Regional Development
and Construction, Ukraine

Colin Maddock, ERO Management
Consultancy Group, Ukraine

Zinovy S. Brodye, Director of
Centre "EcoResource", Adviser of the
Head of Chernivtsi Regional State
Administration, Ukraine



Declaration of the Bucharest Summit on Danube (Bucharest, 8th November 2010)

We, the representatives of the Governments of Austria, Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Germany, Hungary, Romania, Slovakia and Slovenia

Welcoming the decision of the European Council taken at its meeting on June 17-18, 2009, to invite the Commission to prepare an EU Strategy for the Danube region before the end of 2010;

Having regard to the European Parliament resolution of 21 January 2010 on a European Strategy for the Danube Region and the Opinion of the Committee of the Regions of October 2009— “An EU strategy for the Danube area”;

Emphasizing the efforts for assuring the recognition of the increasing role of the Danube region in supporting actions and objectives with cross-border relevance;

Reiterating that the EU Strategy for the Danube region is and should be based also in the next programming period on a coordinated approach and aims at a more efficient use of existing EU instruments and funds, as well as other existing resources and financial instruments;

Emphasizing that the EU Strategy for the Danube region will serve the goal of increasing prosperity, security and peace for the peoples of the Danube region;

Bearing in mind the importance of having realistic and visible actions developed under the EU Strategy for the Danube region;

Reconfirming the importance of strengthening the cooperation between all the Member States of the Danube Region and the non-EU Member States concerned;

Acknowledging the role of the European Commission along with the Member states role in monitoring the EU Strategy for the Danube Region and assuring a transparent and coordinated implementation of the Strategy;

Recognizing the relevance of the consensus obtained/reached in the “Final Declaration of the Danube Summit on 6th May 2009 in Ulm” and in the “Budapest Declaration on Danube Summit on 25th February 2010” ;

Reaffirm:

- our *strong commitment* towards finalization, adoption and implementation of the EU Strategy for the Danube Region;
- the importance of the EU Strategy for the Danube region for the improvement of sustainable transport and energy connectivity, protection of the environment, preservation of water resources and risk management, reinforcing the socio-economic and human development and strengthening the institutional capacity in the region;
- our commitment to ensure that programs initiated and endorsed by the participating countries for sustaining the regional initiatives will be interconnected and will provide a coherent assessment of the project implementation and will seek for establishing an appropriate framework for the necessary technical assistance;
- the necessity of making the programs under the Strategy's objectives as additional tools for achieving the Europe 2020 Strategy goals;

the support for a strengthened cooperation with non-EU Member States of the region for a broader and coherent achievement and implementation of the European principles and values;

- the commitment towards making the Strategy an effective instrument which will contribute to the successful implementation of Europe 2020 Strategy and to the European economic and financial recovery and to the maintaining the EU's growth potential in the long-run;
- the invitation addressed to the International Financial Institutions to contribute to the implementation of the projects of the Strategy Action Plan by their specific financial instruments and technical assistance;
- the necessity to facilitate the reinforcement of territorial cooperation, building strongly on the experience of the existing European Territorial Cooperation.
- the better alignment of the structural and cohesion funds still available in the Danube region, as well as of Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance and European Neighborhood and Partnership Instrument - Cross Border Cooperation funds available for the programs developed in the third countries;
- the importance of establishing an appropriate cooperation between the Priority Area Coordinators and the European Commission, as well as with national, regional and local authorities Member States of the Danube Region and the non-EU Member States concerned;
- our resolve to finding together the most appropriate means of cooperation and coordination in the context of high level political events related to the EUSDR;
- the facilitating role of the European Commission in providing strategic coordination, support and advice for the implementation of the Strategy;
- the invitation addressed to *all EU Member States* to be part of the implementation of the Strategy.

This Declaration is open for endorsement by the non-EU riparian States of the EU Strategy on the Danube region, namely Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Montenegro, Republic of Moldova, Serbia and Ukraine. The list of the countries joining to the Declaration will be attached in the Annex which will make an integral part of the present declaration.

Bucharest, 8th November 2010



Council conclusions on the European Union Strategy for the Danube Region

*3083rd GENERAL AFFAIRS Council meeting
Brussels, 13 April 2011*

12. STRESSES that the application of existing funds and financial instruments supporting the involvement of third countries participating in the implementation of the Strategy should be fully aligned with relevant external EU strategies and policies which also determine the relevant external lending mandates of the European Investment Bank.
13. STRESSES the importance of due involvement of all EU Member States and all interested stakeholders on transnational, regional and local level, as appropriate, in the implementation of the EU Strategy for the Danube Region.
14. While stressing the primarily internal character of the strategy and the necessity to preserve the integrity of the EU decision making, ACKNOWLEDGES that the inclusion and participation of third countries is crucial if the desired objectives of the strategy are to be achieved;
18. INVITES the Member States concerned and the Commission to explore the possible interconnections and synergies between the two existing macro-regional strategies, namely the EU Strategies for the Baltic Sea Region and the Danube Region. CALLS ON the European Commission to ensure on this basis the coherent development of both macro-regions, including infrastructural connections between them.

ETC, IPA CBC and ENPI CBC programmes

This table provides a list of all ETC programmes. Contact details and website links have been INTERACT. Should you want to add or comment any information, please contact us. INTERACT not warrant or assume any legal liability or responsibility for the accuracy, completeness or us information, product or process disclosed in or connected to this document.

Type	Programme	Website	JTS e-mail
Transnational	Alpine Space	http://www.alpine-space.eu/	jts@alpine-space.eu
Transnational	Central Europe	http://www.central2013.eu/	info@central2013.eu
Transnational	South East Europe	http://www.southeast-europe.net	jts@southeast-europe.net
CBC	Alpenrhein - Bodensee - Hochrhein	http://www.interreg.org/	
CBC	Austria - Czech Republic	http://www.at-cz.eu/	office@at-cz.eu
CBC	Austria - Germany (Bavaria)	http://www.interreg-bayaut.net/	gts.interreg-bayaut@salzburg.gv.at
CBC	Austria - Hungary	http://sk-at.eu/at-hu/	at-hu.jts@vati.hu
CBC	Greece - Bulgaria	http://www.interreg.gr/	interreg@mou.gr
CBC	Czech Republic - Poland	http://www.cz-pl.eu/	jts.olomouc@crr.cz
CBC	Czech Republic - Germany (Saxony)	http://www.ziel3-cll3.eu/	kontakt@ziel3-cll3.eu
CBC	Germany (Bavaria) - Czech Republic	http://www.stmwivt.bayern.de/EFR/E/Interreg_IV/Grenzuebergreifende_Zusammenarbeit/Bayern_Tschechien/	
CBC	Hungary - Romania	http://www.huro-cbc.eu/	jts@huro-cbc.eu
CBC	Hungary - Slovakia	http://www.husk-cbc.eu/	husk_jts@vati.hu
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CBC	Slovenia - Hungary	http://www.sl-hu.eu/interreg/	jts-sl-hu.vati@vati.si
Interregional	INTERREG IVC	http://www.interreg-ivc.net/	
Interregional	URBACT II	http://www.urbact.eu/	
Interregional	ESPN Programme	http://www.espn.eu	
IPA CBC	Bulgaria - Serbia	http://www.ipa-cbc-bgrs.eu/eng	
IPA CBC	Bulgaria - Turkey	http://www.ipa-cbc-btr.eu/eng	
IPA CBC	Bulgaria - former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	http://www.ipa-cbc-007.eu/en/	jtsipa07band1@bmail.com
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IPA CBC	Serbia - Bosnia and Herzegovina		hrumovic@tele.com.rs
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ENPI CBC	Black Sea Basin	http://www.blacksea-cbc.net	
ENPI CBC	Romania - Hungary - Slovakia - Ukraine	http://www.huskroua-cbc.net/	
ENPI CBC	Romania - Moldova -	http://www.ro-ua-md.net	



2) Environment protection and forestry

Experience has demonstrated that environment protection is an area where regional work provides clear added value and where cooperative relationships can be built despite political tensions. Furthermore it can provide opportunities for private sector and civil society involvement. Common research under the umbrella of the EU research programmes is a positive example of co-operation on environment issues across borders.

EC assistance on environment takes place both at national and regional levels. Regional support is justified when there are needs for the countries to act together in order to solve environment problems with trans-boundary nature.

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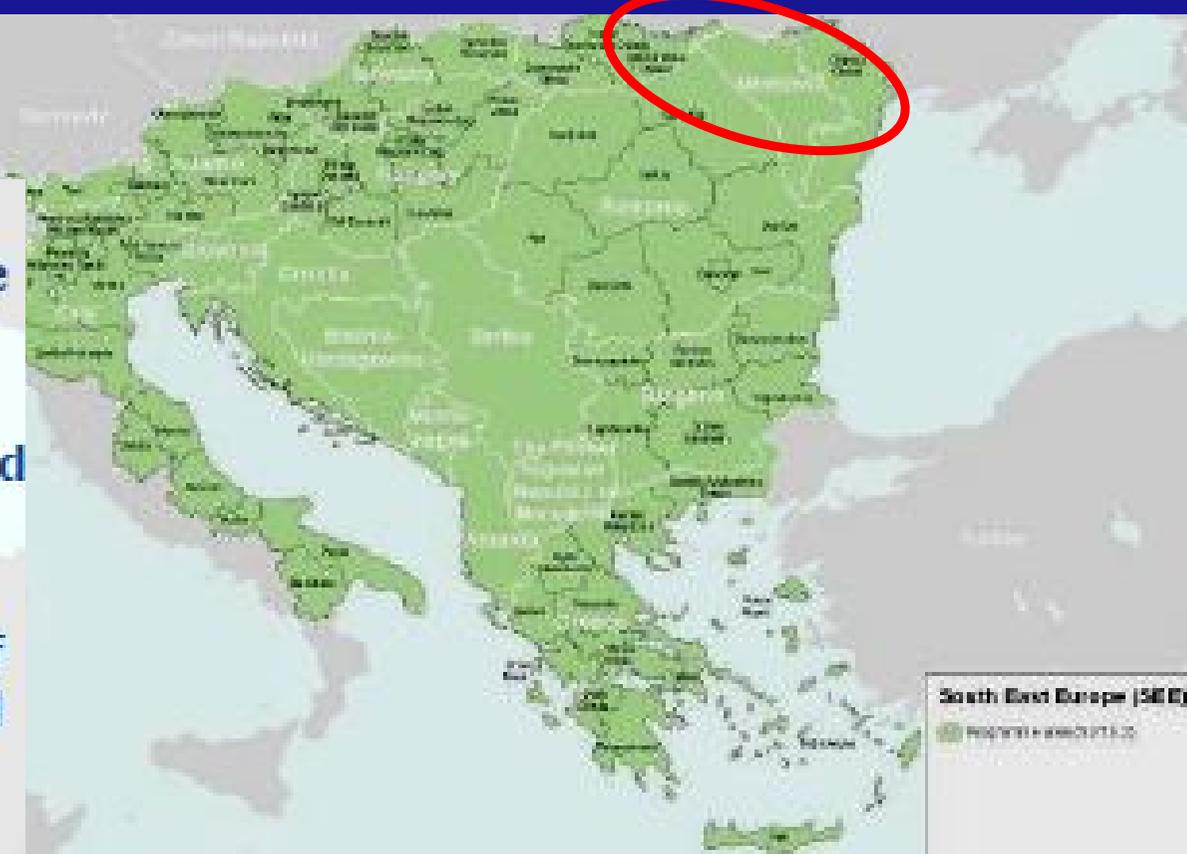


8 Member States of EU
+ Ukraine

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SEEP

8 Member States for the EU
7 accession candidates and potential candidates
+ Republic of Moldavia and Western Ukraine



Possible ENPI funding for EUSDR – Bilateral cooperation

➤ Framework Contracts for targeted Technical Assistance

Exemple of Ukraine: On-going FwC "Support to Ukraine to implement the Danube and Ramsar Conventions" (196,700 EUR)

Objective: to provide support to Ukraine in its efforts to comply with its obligations under the Danube Convention and the Ramsar Convention.

Following areas supported:

- Capacity building of Ukrainian experts in ICPDR's expert and task groups
- Preparation of Integrated Tisza River Basin Management Plan
- Development of national Program of Measures for Danube river sub-basins
- Preparation to Ukrainian presidency in ICPDR 2011
- Reinforcement of public participating in Danube basin management planning.