

BASIC PROJECT DATA					
Full project title:	Navigation on the river Tisza and exploring the possibility of construction of a river port at the junction of three borders of Ukraine, Hungary, Slovakia				
Short project title: (acronym)	Navigation on the river Tisza	Project logo:	Рейн-Майн-Дунай	Транссиб запізн.	
Project website:	_	Project ID:	PA1A043		
Need and added value for Danube Region Strategy:	This project would improve mobility and communication between different modes of transport. It would also develop international transit infrastructure, diversification of transportation operations and would facilitate the development of the Danube region as a whole.				
Objective(s) of the project:	 Provide direct access to short and therefore cheaper traffic routes (compared to alternative routes) from the former Soviet Union to the markets of Central, Southern Europe and in the opposite direction General and EU operation of water transport network of rivers Danube and Tisza Improving the investment attractiveness of the region through the development of transport and logistics infrastructure, the introduction of multimodal transport 				
Planned project activities:	Establishing the necessary criteria for an international class IV waterway (including the required fairway depth from 2.5 to 2.8 m, the minimum fairway width of 75 metres and no abrupt curves), construction of hydrotechnical structures, construction of a river port.				
Transboundary impact:	The project includes the construction of a river port at the junction of three borders (Ukraine, Slovakia, Hungary) in accordance with the priority areas of economic use of the Danube River and the European Union Strategy for the Danube Region. The Tisza waterway is directly connecting the Danube countries Ukraine, Slovakia, Hungary and Serbia. Opening waterways Ukraine and the countries of the Danube River Basin through Hungary and the countries of former Yugoslavia will have significant implications in the international, national and regional levels, namely at the international level.				
Project beneficiaries / target groups:	Ukraine's economy in general and entities involved in economic and commercial activities.				
STATUS AND TIME FRAME					
Current project phase: (please tick a box)	X Definition (e.g. project idea, abstract) □ Preparation (e.g. project proposal, feasibility study) □ Implementation				







		Completion					
Start date:	t.b.d.		End da		ate:	t.b.d.	
Notes:	global necess the inte project		perience of recent arid years (including climate change in the context of warming), which lead to a significant decline in water levels of the Tisza, itated a reassessment of the program capabilities. This had the effect that erest of the project partners in the region concerning above-mentioned has dropped. The Hungarian partner "Regional Agency for Investment velopment" has proposed to suspend the execution of this project.				
PROJECT TEAM							
Project leader:	Ministry	inistry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine					
Project partner(s):	-						
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Available: (please tick a box)		Yes	Partly X No				
Total budget:		-					
(potential sources for project ideas): (please tick a box and provide further info) EU for provide further info) Prival content of the provide further info		National/regional funds:			-		
		EU funds:			-		
		IFI loans:			-		
		Private funds:			-		
		Othe	r:		-		
PROJECT ENVIRONMENT							
Project cross-refere	ence: -	-					
Cross-reference ID(s):	-					



Strategic reference:					
Relevant legislation:	Law of Ukraine of 10.11.1994, № 232-94-BP "On Transport"				
	 Law of Ukraine of 17.01.2002 № 2997-III ratified the Convention on cooperation for the protection and sustainable use of the river Danube (Convention for the Protection of the river Danube) 				
	Regional development strategy of the Transcarpathian region by 2015				
	Cross-border cooperation strategy "Carpathia 2003-2011"				
Other:	Conducted feasibility study of construction of river port at the junction of three borders.				
EUSDR EMBEDDING					
Relation to other Priority Areas of the Danube Region Strategy:	PA1b: To improve mobility and multimodality – Road, rail and air links				
	PA02: To encourage more sustainable energy				
	PA03: To promote culture and tourism, people and people contacts				
	PA04: To restore and maintain the quality of waters				
	PA05: To manage environmental risks				
	PA06: To preserve biodiversity, landscapes and the quality of air and soils				
	PA07: To develop the knowledge society through research, education and information technologies				
	PA08: To support the competitiveness of enterprises, including cluster development				
	PA09: To invest in people and skills				
	PA10: To step up institutional capacity and cooperation				
	PA11: To work together to promote security and tackle organised and serious crime				
	EUSDR COMPLIANCE				
Compliance with targets of the Danube Region Strategy:	Increase the cargo transport on the river by 20% by 2020 compared to 2010.				
	Solve obstacles to navigability, taking into account the specific characteristics of each section of the Danube and its navigable tributaries and establish effective waterway infrastructure management by 2015.				
	Develop efficient multimodal terminals at river ports along the Danube and its navigable tributaries to connect inland waterways with rail and road transport by 2020.				
	Implement harmonised River Information Services (RIS) on the Danube and its navigable tributaries and ensure the international exchange of RIS data preferably by 2015.				
	Solve the shortage of qualified personnel and harmonize education standards in inland navigation in the Danube region by 2020, taking duly into account the social dimension of the respective measures.				



Compliance with actions of the Danube Region	To complete the implementation of TEN-T Priority Project 18 on time and in an environmentally sustainable way.				
Strategy:	To invest in waterway infrastructure of Danube and its tributaries and develop the interconnections.				
	To modernise the Danube fleet in order to improve environmental and economic performance.				
	To coordinate national transport policies in the field of navigation in the Danube basin.				
	To support Danube Commission in finalising the process of reviewing the Belgrade Convention.				
	🗴 To develop ports in the Danube river basin into multimodal logistics centres.				
	To improve comprehensive waterway management of the Danube and its tributaries.				
	🗴 To promote sustainable freight transport in the Danube Region.				
	To implement harmonised River Information Services (RIS).				
	To invest in education and jobs in the Danube navigation sector.				
Affiliation to thematic working group of Priority	Waterway infrastructure and management				
Area 1a of the EUSDR:	Ports and sustainable freight transport				
	Danube fleet				
	River Information Services				
	Education and jobs				
OTHER RELEVANT ISSUES					
Project requirements:	Creation of a legal framework with the conclusions of international agreements the use of Tisza, involving the Tisza riparian states. countries through which triver flows.				
	The development of navigation on the junction of the three borders is possible only if close cooperation of governments that are interested in the existence of a transport corridor is taking place, as well as support from the EU.				
Follow-up project:	Construction of waterworks; obstacles will be solved by controlling the water level and artificial increase or decrease in water level in the river by means of hydraulic structures.				
Any other issues:	-				