

BASIC PROJECT DATA						
Full project title:	Master Plan and feasibility study for the Komárno port					
Short project title: (acronym)	-		Project logo:	-		
Project website:	www.portslovakia.com		Project ID:	PA1A141		
Need and added value for Danube Region Strategy:	The Danube is the second-largest river in Europe. The port of Komárom located at river km 1,767 of the Danube, in the proximity of both Bratislava and Budapest, is a crossroad for flows and transhipment of freight between inland waterway, rail and road transport. It is an inland waterway core port located on a pre-identified section of the Rhine – Danube Core Network Corridor. Its development, in line with the project related to the construction of the bridge linking the Hungarian port of Komárom and the Slovak port of Komárno, will contribute to enhance the connections between different modes of transport allowing an increase of freight handled along the Slovak–Hungarian sections of the Danube and the overall Rhine-Danube core network corridor.					
Objective(s) of project:	The proposed Action entails preparing a master plan and a feasibility study for the future expansion and modernization of the port of Komárno. Both will serve as a decision-making tool for the selection of the best options for future expansion and modernization. In the long term, the Action will contribute to increase the port's intermodal capacity, improve the services, enhance interoperability, support modal shift, increase safety, decongest the city of Komárno, and reduce CO2 emissions, noise and air pollution. The preparation of the Master Plan and the Feasibility study for the development of the Port of Komárno will be coordinated with the "Master Plan and feasibility study for the development of the TEN-T ports, including Komarom Port" along the Hungarian section of the Danube (PA1A142).					
Planned project activities:	 Delivery of the Master plan of the public Port of Komárno Delivery of the Feasibility Study 					
Transboundary impact:	Danube countries, increase in the inland water transport mode as one of the environmentally friendly transport modes. The modal shift can have positive impact on the overall transport relations.					
Project beneficiaries / target groups:	 Port operators Port tenants Forwarding companies 					
STATUS AND TIME FRAME						
Current project phase: (please tick a box)	 Definition (e.g. project idea, abstract) Preparation (e.g. project proposal, feasibility study) Implementation Completion 					
Start date:	01.09.2016	End da	te:	31.10.2019		
Notes:	-					





Ргојест Теам							
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				FINANCING			
Available: (please tick a b	ox)	X Yes		Partly	□ No		
Total budget:		673,100 EUR					
Source(s) and amount (potential sources for		National/regional funds:					
project ideas): (please tick a box and provide furthe info)	ox	EU funds:		572,135 EUR (CEF funding)			
		IFI loa	ans:				
		X Private funds:		100,965 EUR			
		Other:					
			Pi	ROJECT ENVIRONME	NT		
Project cross- reference:		Master Plan and feasibility study for the development of the TEN-T ports, including Komarom Port					
Cross-reference ID(s):	ce	PA1A142					
Strategic reference:		The project addresses key priorities of the European Union transport policy such as:					
		• Europe 2020, strategy for smart, sustainable and inclusive growth: to comply with reducing greenhouse gas emissions by 20% (or even 30%, if the conditions are right) compared to 1990, reduce energy consumption by 20% through increased energy efficiency, to meet 20% of energy needs from renewable sources					
		 The White Paper on Transport – 2030/2050 perspective (2010) & Single Market Act II: emphasize the need for well-connected port infrastructure, efficient and reliable port services and transparent port funding 					



	 Ports: an engine for growth; COM (2013) 295 final; setting up the EU strategy needed to help ports implement good practices and sound managerial approaches while fully respecting diversity and particular circumstances 					
Relevant legislation:	 Strategic plan for the Development of the Transport Infrastructure in the Slovak republic until 2030 					
	Conception on the Development of the Public Ports					
	White Book of Transport					
Other:	-					
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	x Increase the cargo transport on the river by 20% by 2020 compared to 2010.					
Danube Region Strategy:	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 Strategy:	X To complete the implementation of TEN-T Priority Project 18 on time and in an environmentally sustainable way.					



	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.			
	X To develop ports in the Danube river basin into multimodal logistics centres.			
	To improve comprehensive waterway management of the Danube and its tributaries.			
	X 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 Area 1a of the EUSDR:	Waterway infrastructure and management			
	X Ports and sustainable freight transport			
	Danube fleet			
	River Information Services			
	Education and jobs			
OTHER RELEVANT ISSUES				
Project requirements:	-			
Follow-up project:	Projection and physical implementation of the activities.			
Any other issues:	-			