

GEOGRAPHY OF INTERREG CENTRAL EUROPE

Programme area and MRS

Interreg CENTRAL EUROPE (CE):

9 EU Member States (MS): AT, CZ, HR, HU, PL, SI, SK and parts of DE and IT (81 NUTS-2 regions)

<u>Interreg CE and Macroregional strategies (MRS):</u>

CE as the only Interreg programme that shares parts of its cooperation area with all 4 MRS (EUSDR, EUSALP, EUSAIR and EUSBSR)

Interreg CE and EUSDR:

6 EU MS and southern parts of DE as part of EUSDR



EMBEDDING AND INTERREG CENTRAL EUROPE (I)

Programme documents

The Interreg Programme (IP), approved in March 2022, and the Jems application form are the main documents in which the contribution of the programme and financed projects and actions to MRS and the synergies with the MRS are laid down.

Projects

The programme (strategy, priorities) is reified in the form of funded projects, the project selection of which takes place in the form of calls for project submissions. In the period 2021-2027, 5 calls of different scope and strategic orientation are planned.

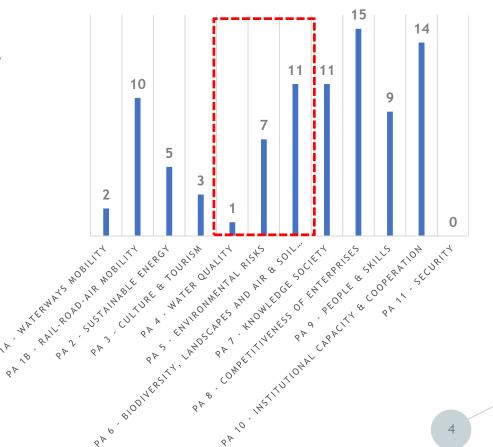
In the course of call 1 51 projects with contribution to and synergies with the EUSDR were approved in December 2022. Call 2 is to be decided in early 2024.

EMBEDDING AND INTERREG CENTRAL EUROPE (II)

Thematic contribution of call 1 projects to priority areas of the EUSDR

The 51 approved projects indicated in their application forms in total 88 thematic references to the 12 priority areas of the EUSDR.

References to priority areas 4, 5 and 6 of the EUSDR were made by 19 projects.

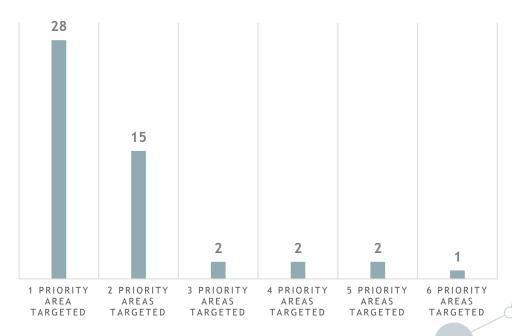


EMBEDDING AND INTERREG CENTRAL EUROPE (III)

Multiple reference of CE projects the priority areas of the EUSDR

28 of 51 projects indicated a single contribution to one of the 12 priority areas of the EUSDR; 15 of 51 projects indicated in their application forms contributions to 2 priority areas.

1 project contributes to 6 different priority areas.



EMBEDDING AND INTERREG CENTRAL EUROPE (IV)

Presentation of single projects contributing to PA 4-6 of the EUSDR

PA 4/PA 6 <>,,Circular WEEP" is about the coordination of regional approaches to reduce, recover and reuse discarded electrical and electronic equipment. By this illegal waste trafficking and disposal across borders should be prevented.

https://www.interreg-central.eu/projects/circular-weeep/

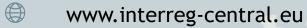
PA 5 <> "MISSION CE CLIMATE" is targeting the effects of climate change in the Danube area and addresses issues like water scarcity and droughts, water and flood management, vulnerability assessments. Some project partners are located in the EUSDR area (AT, DE, HR, SI and SK) and will communicate and upscale project results in their respective countries.

https://www.interreg-central.eu/projects/mission-ce-climate/





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