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and Ionian Region
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ADRION   **ADRIATIC-IONIAN**
EUROPEAN UNION
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La strategia europea per la Regione Adriatico-Ionica (EUSAIR) e le priorità per la programmazione 2014-2020

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Regione Emilia-Romagna

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Di quale area parliamo

Perchè una Strategia Macroregionale

❝ *We are convinced that the EU Strategy for the Adriatic and Ionian Region (EUSAIR) will give new impetus **for cooperation and investment** to the **benefit of all** involved and to the **peace and security** of the entire area.* ❞

XVII Meeting of the Adriatic Ionian Council Brussels Declaration 13 May 2014, Brussels

❝ *With this strategy, the Adriatic Ionian nations have in their hands the opportunity to **move on from the crisis** and to put the whole region back on track to **future sustainable prosperity**.*

*Our **Blue Growth** strategy has already shown that **seas and oceans have the potential to generate huge economic growth and much needed jobs**. I'm confident that this macro-regional strategy will be the blueprint for future initiatives in the sea basin and that it will be **watched with interest by Mediterranean countries** ❞*

Maria Damanaki, Commissioner for Maritime Affairs and Fisheries, 18 June 2014, Brussels

In sintesi

La strategia come laboratorio di integrazione europea

(4 Stati Membri e 4 Stati Future-Member)

di coordinamento di priorità, azioni e progettualità

(Action Plan e indicatori di risultato)

con una governanance multilivello

(EU-Nazioni-Regioni-Stakeholders)

occasione di integrazione di fondi

(ESIF, Horizon2020, Cosme, CEF, et al.)

Un po' di cronologia

Fase Politica 2012-2014

- ✓ EU Commission Adopted the Maritime Strategy for the Adriatic and Ionian Seas (30 November 2012)
- ✓ European Council requested the European Commission to present a new macroregional strategy for the Adriatic and Ionian Region (13- 14 December 2012)

- ✓ **1st EUSAIR Forum – February, Athens, Greece**
- ✓ The European Commission launched a new EU Strategy for the Adriatic and Ionian Region in the form of a Communication and an **Action Plan (18 June 2014)**
- ✓ The General Affairs Council meeting adopted conclusions on the European Union Strategy for the Adriatic and Ionian Region (EUSAIR) (on 29-30 September 2014)
- ✓ Endorsement of the EUSAIR by the European Council (24 October 2014)
- ✓ EUSAIR officially launched (18 November 2014)

Implementazione 2015-…

- ✓ 1st Meeting of the Governing Board (23-24 January 2015, Italy)
- ✓ 1st Round of **Thematic Steering Groups (Feb-March 2015)**
- ✓ 2nd Round of the Thematic Steering Groups (June-July 2015)
- ✓ 2nd Meeting of the Governing Board (5 October 2015, Croatia)
- ✓ 3rd Round of the Thematic Steering Groups (Oct-Nov 2015)
- …
- ✓ 2nd EUSAIR Forum in Croatia (expected the second week of May)
- ✓ …

Pillars

BLUE GROWTH
Blue technologies
Fisheries and aquaculture
Maritime and marine governance and services

CONNECTING THE REGION
Maritime transport
Intermodal connections to the hinterland
Energy networks

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ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
The marine environment
Transnational terrestrial habitats and biodiversity

SUSTAINABLE TOURISM
Diversified tourism offer
Sustainable and responsible tourism management

Capacity building   Research and innovation   Small and medium size business

Climate change mitigation and adaptation   Disaster risk management

La sfida

La regola dei 3 NO:

- No nuovi fondi

- No nuove strutture

- No nuove norme

Un ACTION PLAN ambizioso:

4 pilastri

Vari fondi & Programmi:

ESIF, Horizon2020, Cosme, CEF,

LIFE+, et al.

Una governance articolata

La governance

Governance of macro-regional strategies COM(2014) 284 final of 20.5.2014]	Joint Statement of the Governments on the EUSAIR governance Bruxelles, November 18th 2014
Political leadership and ownership	Political level
Coordination	Governing Board
Implementation	4 Thematic Steering Groups Blue Growth EUSAIR · Connecting the Region EUSAIR · Environmental Quality EUSAIR · Sustainable Tourism EUSAIR
Projects	**Stakeholders**

Le leadership nella governance

La programmazione 2014-2020 e fondi per EUSAIR

ossia:

- facciamo un po' di chiarezza tra fondi ESIF obiettivo Cooperazione Territoriale Europea & Strategia Macroregionali

- cerchiamo i programmi di cooperazione più interessanti per l'Emilia-Romagna dove proporre progetti visti i temi di oggi

- ATTENZIONE: non dimentichiamo i programmi operativi (PON, POR, PSR, etc) su fondi ESIF mainstream (FESR, FEASR, **FEAMP,** FSE) e i fondi a gestione diretta (HORIZON2020, COSME, LIFE+, CEF, etc.)

Gli obiettivi tematici fondi ESIF 2014-2020

Research and Innovation ①	Combating climate change ⑤	Employment & Mobility ⑧
ICT ②	Environment and resource efficiency ⑥	Social inclusion ⑨
Competitiveness of SMEs ③	Sustainable transport ⑦	Better education, training ⑩
Low-carbon economy ④		Better public administration ⑪
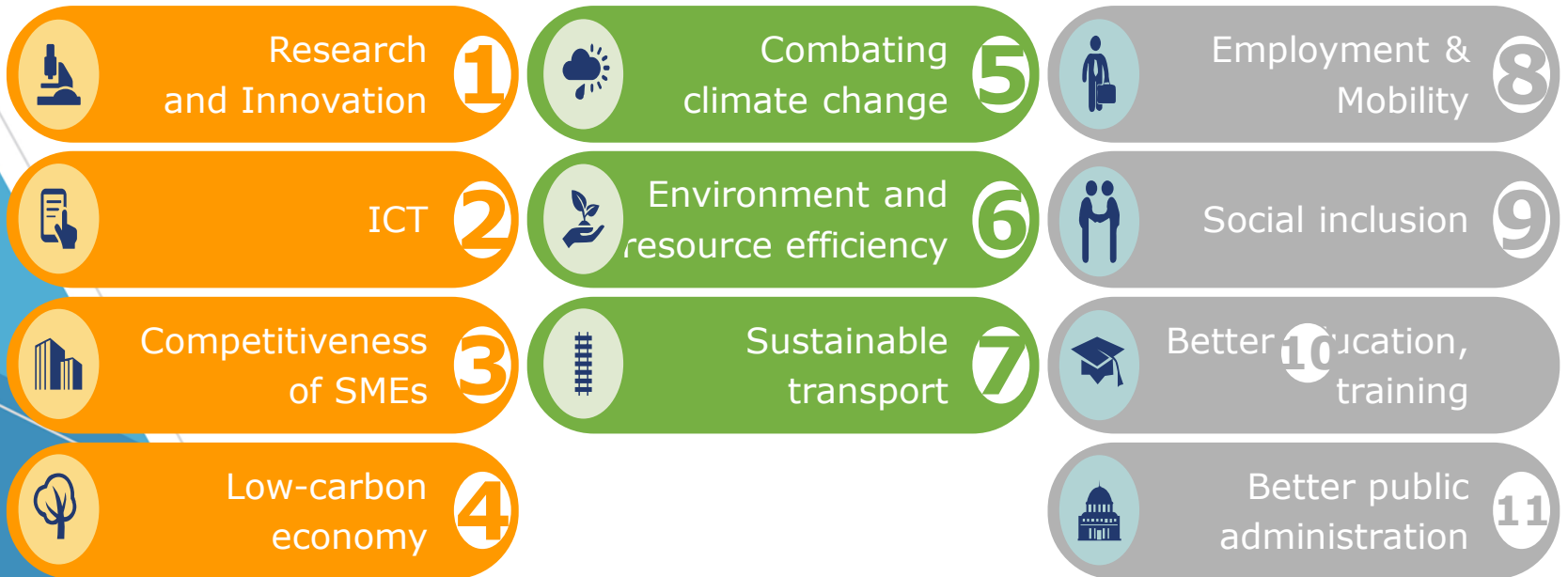
NB: Gli obiettivi tematici e le priorità di investimento son definiti dai Regolamenti EU (1303/2013; 1301/2013 e 1299/2013)

I programmi operativi e di cooperazione definiscono gli obiettivi specifici

Programmi di cooperazione territoriale europea che interagiscono con EUSAIR e con l'Italia
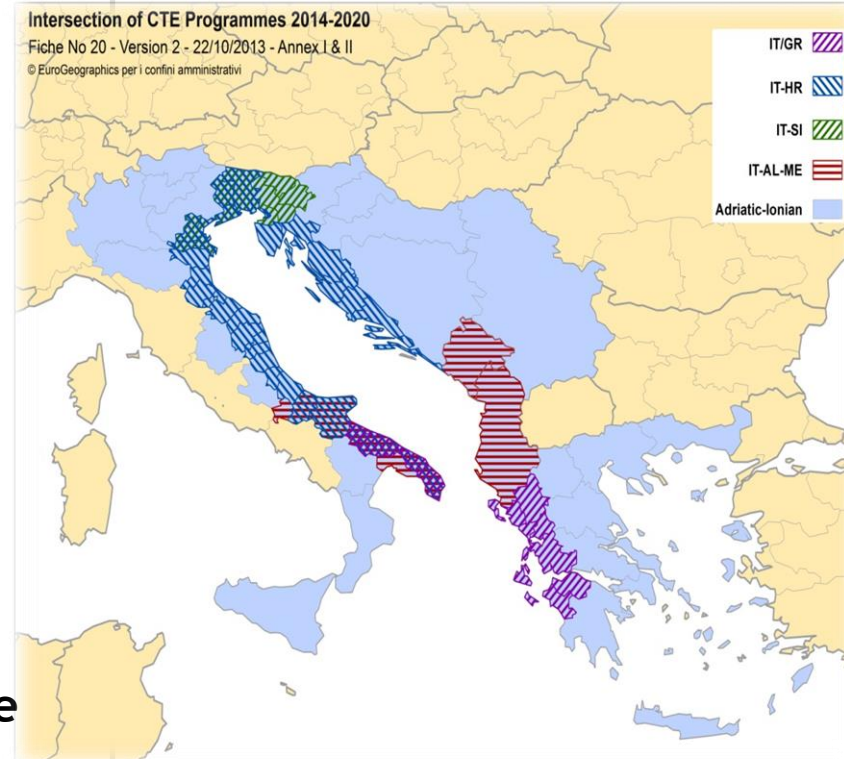
Transfrontalieri

- IT-Grecia
- IT-Croazia
- IT-Slovenia
- IT-AL-ME (IPA II)

Transnazionali

+ ADRION Adriatic-Ionian
+ MED
+ Central EUROPE
+ ALPINE SPACE
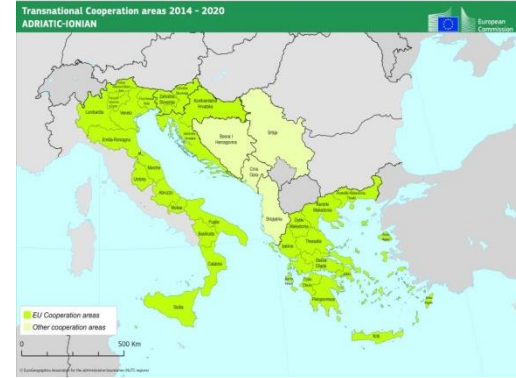
Non solo CTE: integrare anche altri fondi UE (Horizon, CEF, LIFE+, etc.) e nazionali (PON, POR, etc) e privati

Intersection of CTE Programmes 2014-2020
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IT/GR
IT-HR
IT-SI
IT-AL-ME
Adriatic-Ionian

Source: Elaboration Emilia-Romagna Region (2013) on EU shapefile

Programmes	Thematic Objectives								Investment Priorities												
MED	1	4	6			11			1b	4c	4e		6c	6d							*11* (art 7 Reg CTE)
Central EU	1	4	6	7					1b	4c	4e		6c		6e	7b	7c				
ADRION	1		6	7		11			1b				6c	6d			7c				*11* (art 7 Reg CTE)
IT-Croazia	1	5	6	7					1b		5a		6c	6d	6f		7c				
INTERREG	1	3	4	6					1a	1b	3d	4e	6c		6g						
IT-Albania-Montenegro						11															11
URBACT	1	4	6	8	9	11															11

in a nutshell

EU available funds: 99,2 million EUR

out of which *ERDF* *83,5 million EUR*

IPA II *15,7 million EUR*

» EU co-financing rate: up to 85%

» Seat of the implementing bodies (MA, CA, AA, JS) Bologna – Emilia-Romagna Region

» Status: final negotiation with the Commission

» Expected decision by EU (i.e. "approval"): Summer 2015

» Expected 1st call: by 2015

» IT management system: eMS (as Central Europe, Alpine space, etc.)

» Website: http://www.interregadrion.eu/

![Interreg logo with European Union flag]

Adrion Programme Specific Objectives

Union support Mio Euro

PA1:

Smart & Innovative Region

- **SO 1.1**: Support the development of a regional Innovation system for the *Adriatic-Ionian area*

19,8

PA2:

Sustainable Region

- **SO 2.1**: Promote the sustainable valorisation of natural and cultural assets as growth assets in the *Adriatic-Ionian area*

- **SO 2.2:** Enhance the capacity in transnationally tacking environmental vulnerability, fragmentation and the safeguarding of ecosystem services in the *Adriatic-Ionian area*

45,6

PA3:

Connected region

- **SO 3.1:** Enhance capacity for integrated transport and mobility services and multimodality in the *Adriatic-Ionian area*

17,8

PA4:

Towards a better governance of the EUSAIR

- **SO 4.1:** Facilitate the coordination and implementation of the EUSAIR by enhancing institutional capacity of public administrations and key stakeholders and by assisting the progress of implementation of joint priorities.

9,9

EUSAIR & ADRION

Strategia vs Programma

- Nella Programmazione dei fondi ESIF 2014-2020 ci son 4 programmi transnazionali con area coincidente alle Strategie Macroregionali EU (Baltico, Danubio, Adriatico-Ionica, Alpina) per ora

- I programmi di cooperazione INTERREG 2014-2020 supportano la governance (obiettivo tematico 11) e qualche azione, non tutta la strategia e/o action plan!
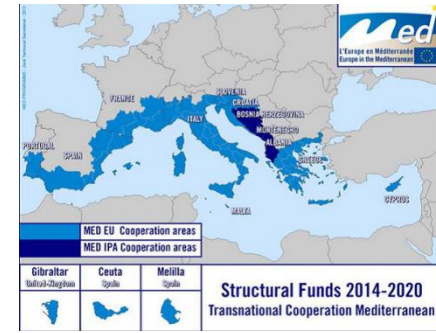
in a nutshell

EU available funds: 233 milion EUR

out of which   *ERDF*   *224 milion EUR*

IPA II   *9 milion EUR*

» EU co-financing rate: up to 85%

» Seat of the implementing bodies (MA, CA, AA, JS) Marseille – PACA

» Expected decision by EU (i.e. "approval"): 3rd June 2015

» Expected 1st call: launch 23rd of June 2015

» IT management system: Preseage

» Website: http://www.programmemed.eu/

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MED Programme Specific Objectives

Union support Mio Euro

OS1.1 Accrescere le attività transnazionali dei cluster e delle reti innovative nei settori chiave dello spazio

75

OS 2.1 Accrescere la capacità di gestione energetica degli edifici pubblici a scala transnazionale

OS 2.2 Accrescere le quote di fonti energetiche locali rinnovabili nei piani e strategie dei territori specifici basati su un mix energetico

OS 2.3 Accrescere la capacità di utilizzo dei sistemi a bassa emissione di carbonio e le connessioni multimodali tra loro

47

OS3.1 Rafforzare le politiche di sviluppo sostenibile per la valorizzazione delle risose naturali e culturali nelle aree costiere e adiacenti aree marittime

OS3.2 Mantenere la biodiversità e gli ecosistemi naturali rafforzando la gestione e le relazioni tra aree protette

79

OS4.1 Sostenere il processo di rafforzamento del quadro multilaterale di coordinamento nel mediterraneo con risposte congiunte alle sfide comuni

18
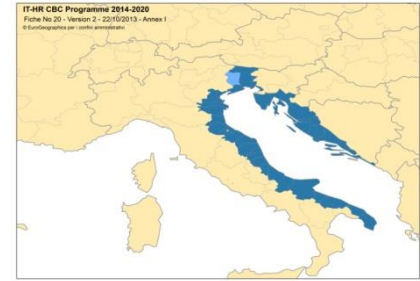
ITALIA-Croazia in a nutshell

EU available funds (ERDF): **201 million EUR**

» EU co-financing rate: up to 85%

» Seat of the implementing bodies (MA, CA, AA, JS) Venezia – Veneto Region

» Status: programme preparation

» Expected decision by EU (i.e. "approval"): end 2015

» Expected 1st call: 2016

» Stakeholder consultation Trieste: 17th June and Split: 19th June

» IT management system: eMS

» Website: to be developed

Italy-Croatia TOs	Italy-Croatia IPs	Pillar «Blue Growth»
Thematic Objective 1 Strengthening research, technological development and innovation (...)	**1B** "Promoting business investment in R&I, developing links and synergies between enterprises, research and development centres and the higher education sector	• Blue Technologies • Fisheries and Aquaculture • Maritime and marine governance and services
Thematic Objective 5 Promoting climate change adaptation, risk prevention and management	**5A** Supporting investment for adaptation to climate change, including ecosystem-based approaches	• Maritime and marine governance and services
Thematic Objective 6 Protecting the environment and promoting resource efficiency	**6C** Conserving, protecting, promoting and developing natural and cultural heritage	
	6D Protecting and restoring biodiversity and soil and promoting ecosystem services, including through Natura 2000, and green infrastructure	• Maritime and marine governance and services • Fisheries and Aquaculture
	6F Promoting innovative technologies to improve environmental protection and resource efficiency in the waste sector, water sector and with regard to soil, or to reduce air pollution	
Thematic Objective 7 Promoting sustainable transport and removing bottlenecks in key network infrastructures	**7C** Developing and improving environment-friendly (including low-noise) and low-carbon transport systems including [...][...] inland waterways and maritime transport, ports [...] multimodal links and airport infrastructure, in order to promote sustainable regional and local mobility	• Blue Technologies • Maritime and marine governance and services

Per rimanere aggionati

Brochure generale su EUSAIR

http://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/sources/cooperate/adriat_ionian/pdf/brochure_250914.pdf

Sito EUSAIR

http://www.adriatic-ionian.eu/

Sito Programma Adrion

http://www.southeast-europe.net/en/about_see/adriaticionianprogramme/index

www.adrioninterreg.eu   &   www.interregadrion.eu

Sito Regione Emilia-Romagna EUROPAMONDO

http://europamondo.regione.emilia-romagna.it/it

Altro: http://www.adriaticionianeuroregion.eu/;
www.esteri.it/mae/it/politica_estera/aree_geografiche/europa/ooii/iai.html; www.uniadrion.net
www.faic.eu/index_it.asp; www.ai-macroregion.eu;

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