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2. OVERVIEW OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE COOPERATION PROGRAMME (Article 50(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013 and Article 14(3)(a) of Regulation (EU) No 1299/2013)

Key information on the implementation of the cooperation programme for the year concerned, including on financial instruments, with relation to the financial and indicator data.

The present Report, prepared pursuant to CIRs (EU) 2018/277 amending Regulation (EU) 2015/207 and (EU) 2018/276 amending Regulation (EU) 215/2014, aims at providing a brief overview of activities undertaken in relation to the Interreg V-A Romania-Hungary Programme in 2021.

The report was prepared by the Romanian MDPWA, acting as the MA, with the support of the JS and in cooperation with the other relevant Programme's structures. The MC approved the ROHU AIR for 2021 on (*month/day*).

2021, the 6th year of the Programme implementation, was mainly about projects implementation. Personal assistance in the pre-contracting phase, online and onsite monitoring visits, project steering committee meetings, meetings on the topic such as state aid/addenda submission/ eMS help desk activities/consultations in designing and implementing communication activities etc., have been carried out, all through the year, trying to offer the best possible help to projects under implementation. For example, between 26 – 29 of July, the Programme structures organized a series of site visits to 5 strategic projects, to monitor their progress and to support them in implementing their planned activities.

Moreover, during October – November, the Managing Authority and the Joint Secretariat performed a series of on-site visits in the eligible area. The first priority was to meet the strategic partners of the Programme, members of the Monitoring Committee for the 2014+ period and of the Programming Committee for 2020+, namely the county councils of Arad, Bihor, Csongrád-Csanád, Békés, Hajdú-Bihar, Satu Mare, Szabolcs-Szatmár-Bereg and Timiș. The agenda focused on the highlights of the current Programme implementation, as well as on the perspectives of the future Programme.

By the end of year:

- altogether 114 projects were contracted (out of which 100 projects under PA1-PA6 Axes and 14 projects under TA Axis), amounting to 183.3 million EUR ERDF and representing about 97% of the Programme budget. In 2021, 4 projects were contracted of 7.95 million EUR ERDF overall budget;
- 60 projects were finalized (52 projects under PA1-PA6 Axes and 8 projects under TA Axis), out of which 16 projects under PA1-PA6 in 2021;
- 54 projects were in the implementation phase (48 projects under PA1-PA6 Axes and 6 projects under TA Axis).

Monitoring Committee

In 2021, 1 MC meeting was organized and 39 Written Procedures were conducted. Until December 2021, altogether 178 MC decisions have been made (out of which 40 in 2021).

The 9th MC meeting was held online, on August 2nd, the extraordinary meeting being summoned upon the request of one third of the MC members, in line with the Rules of Procedure (RoP), in the context of MC Written Procedure no 116, for discussions related to the strategic project ROHU-453. During the meeting, no decision regarding the approval of the outcome of the AEC of the modified Full Application ROHU-453 was taken, both the MA and HUNA representatives agreed that the negotiation process in relation to ROHU 453 had to be continued.

The Programme's state of the play was presented to the Monitoring Committee's members via e-mail, given the gathering limitations imposed by the pandemic crisis.

Communication

In 2021, the online environment was the best possible solution for ensuring communication. Relevant Programme related information continued to be disseminated through a variety of channels, to reach the target groups according to their specific needs. Activities such as regular website updates, Newsflash issues, Facebook posts etc. were performed in parallel all through the year.

To further spread the information on Programme and projects results, by the end of the year, altogether 8 issues of ROHU Magazine, of which 5 editions published in 2021 were introduced to the public, via Newsflash and posts on the Facebook page, and made available for download on Programme's website.

In line with the requirements of Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013, Annex XII, section 2.1.2 (b), for organizing one major information activity a year, which presents the achievements of the operational programme, in 2021, the Annual conference of the Programme, on the topic of capitalization of results, took place on November 25. Considering the specific circumstances related to the COVID-19 pandemic, the event was held online.

The concept was linked to the idea of bridging the funding periods and building upon results, to take cooperation ahead, smoothening thus the transition towards the future Interreg Programme between the two partner states, for the period 2021-2027. At the same time, the conference was meant to highlight the cross-border cooperation achievements, to create a context for sharing knowledge and receiving information regarding capitalization, and to encourage the re-use of knowledge.

The event gathered representatives of all Programme structures, a number of beneficiaries and stakeholders, as well as future potential applicants. Altogether 100 people attended our online conference, the event giving an excellent opportunity for networking, discussing, sharing and learning from each other, to further strengthen cooperation.

Last but not least, the project beneficiaries were provided with constant assistance in their day-to-day tasks, starting from the contracting phase to the actual implementation of their projects, and further to the final reporting. In this regard, personal assistance in the pre-contracting phase, online and onsite monitoring visits, project steering committee meetings, meetings on the topic such as state aid, submitting addenda, eMS help desk activities, consultations in designing and implementing communication activities etc., have been carried out, all through the year, trying to offer the best possible help to projects under implementation.

eMS system

The MA ensured operation, ongoing functioning and configuration of the eMS (version 4_4.1).

Programme evaluations

No evaluations have been carried out in 2021.

Financial data

Despite a year marked again by the pandemic, the decommitment target, of over 32.4 million EUR ERDF, has been reached, and even exceeded by 0.5 million EUR. At the end of 2021, an ERDF absorption rate of 42.52% was attained. Moreover, a total amount of 80.42 million EUR ERDF has been requested from the European Commission, through 31 payment applications, of which 32.72 million EUR ERDF in 2021.

In relation to the indicator data, the progress can be measured only on the level of the approved projects (*details in section 3.2*). Financial data of the approved projects is presented in *section 3.4*.

The Covid-19 pandemic, as well as the constantly raising prices caused numerous modifications of projects in order to adapt to the actual conditions, such as prolongations of the implementation periods, budgetary reallocations, etc. This aspect was reflected in the increased number of MC Written Procedures.

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3. IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PRIORITY AXIS

3.1 Overview of the implementation

ID	Priority axis	Key information on the implementation of the priority axis with reference to key developments, significant problems and steps taken to address these problems
PA1	Joint protection and efficient use of common values and resources (Cooperating on common values and resources)	<p>PA 1 falls under the TO6, Ips 6/b and 6/c. The initial allocation available was launched within both types of Calls for proposals, Restricted for strategic projects and Open for normal projects. Following CP modifications, the available allocation was increased to EUR 43,067,515.00 ERDF.</p> <p>After the selection of projects under the 1st and 2nd Open Calls (OC), respectively the 3rd Restricted Call, the output indicators for both Ips have been committed in full extent and no more funds are available within PA1.</p> <p>In 2021, within the projects under implementation covering the Ip 6/c, selected within the 1st OC and 3rd Restricted Call, 86 project reports have been submitted with reported costs of EUR 8,669,310.21 (7,339,363.24 ERDF).</p> <p>8 projects were under implementation at the end of 2021.</p> <p>2 projects ended in 2021 (within Ip 6/c).</p> <p>4 projects ended in 2020 (within Ip 6/c)</p> <p>The implementation of the 2 projects, covering the Ip 6/b and selected within the 2nd OC, continued and by the end of 2021, 7 project reports were approved with reported costs of EUR 358,928.51 (298,248.44 ERDF).</p> <p>2 projects were under implementation at the end of 2021 (within Ip 6/b-2 projects).</p> <p>Projects ended in 2021 (within Ip 6/b): NA.</p> <p>Identified problems: prolongations of the implementation period, modification of technical solutions, major project modifications, budgetary reallocations, rescheduling, re-planning or cancelling of project activities due to COVID-19 pandemic and poor administrative capacity of beneficiaries.</p> <p>Measures taken: MA instructions issued, permanent support provided to beneficiaries, approval of extension/other modifications of the projects (15 Addenda to the Subsidy Contracts concluded and 34 technical modifications approved).</p>
PA2	Improve sustainable cross-border mobility and remove bottlenecks (Cooperating on accessibility)	<p>PA 2 falls under the TO7, Ips 7/b and 7/c. The entire allocation available (EUR 17,268,247.00 ERDF) was launched within both types of Calls for proposals, Restricted for strategic projects and Open for normal projects.</p> <p>Following the selection of projects under the 2nd and 3rd Open Calls (OC) for normal projects, respectively the 1st Restricted Call, the output indicators for both Ips have been committed in full extent and no more funds are available within PA2.</p> <p>1 project under implementation at the end of 2021 (within Ip 7/b). In total, 15 project reports were approved with reported costs in the amount of EUR 7,752,164.62 (6,589,339.86 ERDF).</p> <p>Project ended in 2021 (within Ip 7b): NA.</p>

ID	Priority axis	Key information on the implementation of the priority axis with reference to key developments, significant problems and steps taken to address these problems
		<p>2 projects related to construction of cycle paths and 2 projects related to establishment of public transport services, covering the Ip 7/c and selected within the 2nd OC and 3rd OC, has continued and, until the end of year, 29 project reports were approved with reported costs of EUR 1,658,938.43 (1,410,079.72 ERDF). 3 projects under implementation at the end of 2021 (within Ip 7/c). 1 Project ended in 2021 (within Ip 7/c).</p> <p>Identified problems: prolongations of the implementation period, budgetary reallocations, major project modifications, rescheduling, re-planning or cancelling of project activities due to COVID-19 pandemic, delays due to public procurement processes, poor administrative capacity of beneficiaries,</p> <p>Measures taken: MA instructions issued, permanent support provided to beneficiaries, approval of extension/other modifications of the projects (6 Addenda to the Subsidy Contracts have been concluded and 9 technical modifications were approved).</p>
PA3	Improve employment and promote cross-border labour mobility (Cooperating on employment)	<p>PA 3 falls under the TO8, Ip 8/b. The entire allocation available (EUR 30,673,795.00 EDRF- after 2nd CP modification) was launched within both types of Calls for proposals, Restricted for strategic projects and Open for normal projects.</p> <p>Following the selection of projects within the 3rd Open Call (OC) and 3rd Restricted Call, the output indicator has been committed in full extent.</p> <p>In 2021, the project ROHU-452 selected as Full Application (2nd phase of strategic projects) within the 3rd Restricted Call, covering the Ip 8/b, has continued its implementation. By the end of 2021, 5 project reports were approved with reported costs of EUR 1,494,885.73 (1,270,652.77 ERDF).</p> <p>Within the 3rd OC, under this PA, covering the Ip 8/b, 16 projects have continued their implementation. By the end year, 136 project reports were approved with reported costs of EUR 4,724,474.34 (4,012,136.21 ERDF).</p> <p>Projects under implementation at the end of 2021 (16): ROHU-331, ROHU-348, ROHU-359, ROHU-370, ROHU-374, ROHU-380, ROHU-385, ROHU-388, ROHU-391, ROHU-395, ROHU-398, ROHU-406, ROHU-420, ROHU-421, ROHU-425 and ROHU-452.</p> <p>Projects ended in 2021 (1): ROHU-399.</p> <p>Projects ended in 2020 (1): ROHU-382.</p> <p>Problems identified: prolongations of the implementation period, budgetary reallocations, technical modifications, rescheduling, re-planning or cancelling of project activities due to COVID-19 pandemic, delays due to public procurement processes, changing of the investment locations.</p> <p>Measures taken: MA instructions issued, permanent support provided to beneficiaries, approval of extension/other modifications of the projects (22 Addenda to the Subsidy Contracts have been concluded and 27 technical modifications were approved).</p>

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PA4	Improving health-care services (Cooperating on health-care and prevention)	<p>PA 4 falls under the TO 9, Ip 9/a.</p> <p>Due to high interest for this PA the allocation was increased, reaching, (following the 2nd CP modification), to EUR 72,347,288.00 ERDF. The allocation available was launched within both types of Calls for proposals, Restricted for strategic projects and Open for normal projects.</p> <p>After the selection of projects within the 3rd Open Call (OC) and 2nd Restricted Call, the output indicators have been committed in full extent and no more funds are available within PA4.</p> <p>In 2021, 4 projects within the 2nd Restricted Call (ROHU-443, ROHU-450, ROHU-449 and ROHU-457 selected as Full Applications (2nd phase of strategic projects) have continued their implementation. 20 project reports were approved with reported costs of EUR 3,542,909.25 (3,000,128.57 ERDF).</p> <p>Moreover, within the 3rd OC, 9 projects have continued their implementation and another 2 projects (ROHU-339 and ROHU-368) were contracted in 2021. By the end of 2021, 60 project reports were approved with reported costs of EUR 6,449,597.41 (5,151,010.94 ERDF).</p> <p>Projects under implementation at the end of 2021 (11): ROHU-392, ROHU-357, ROHU-361, ROHU-400, ROHU-450, ROHU-449, ROHU-443, ROHU-457, ROHU-368, ROHU-387 and ROHU-339.</p> <p>Projects ended in 2021 (5): ROHU-396, ROHU-397, ROHU-401, ROHU-386 and ROHU-407.</p> <p>Problems identified: prolongations of the implementation period, budgetary reallocations, technical modifications, changes of project activities due to COVID-19 pandemic.</p> <p>Measures taken: MA instructions issued, permanent support provided to beneficiaries, approval of extension/other modifications of the projects (25 Addenda to the Subsidy Contracts have been concluded and 31 technical modifications were approved).</p>
PA5	Improve risk-prevention and disaster management (Cooperating on risk prevention and disaster management)	<p>PA 5 falls under the TO5, Ip 5/b. The interest in this PA was high and therefore, through the 1st modification of the Programme, the allocation was increased to EUR 11,022,135.00 ERDF. The entire allocation available was launched within the 1st Open Call for normal projects. After the selection of projects, the output indicator has been committed in full extent and no more funds are available within PA 5.</p> <p>In 2021, the implementation of the remaining projects approved under PA 5, covering the Ip 5/b, has continued and until the year, 32 project reports were approved with reported costs in the amount of EUR 1,941,278.47 out of which EUR 1,648,619.52 ERDF.</p> <p>Projects under implementation at the end of 2021 (3): ROHU-102, ROHU-11 and ROHU-72.</p> <p>Projects ended in 2021 (4): ROHU-28, ROHU-84, ROHU-54 and ROHU-48.</p> <p>Projects ended in 2020 (2): ROHU-10 and ROHU-80.</p> <p>Projects ended in 2019 (1): ROHU-41.</p> <p>Problems identified: prolongations of the implementation period, technical modifications, budgetary modifications, changes of project activities due to COVID-19 pandemic.</p>

ID	Priority axis	Key information on the implementation of the priority axis with reference to key developments, significant problems and steps taken to address these problems
		Measures taken: MA instructions issued, permanent support provided to beneficiaries, approval of extension/other modifications of the projects at the request of LBs (5 Addenda to the Subsidy Contracts have concluded and 8 technical modifications were approved).
PA6	Promoting cross-border cooperation between institutions and citizens (Cooperation of institutions and communities)	<p>PA 6 falls under the TO 11, Ip 11/b. The entire allocation available (EUR 3,411,372.00 ERDF) was launched within the 2nd Open Call for normal projects. After the selection of projects, the output indicators have been committed in full extent and no more funds are available within PA6.</p> <p>These projects are focused on the increase of the joint institutional capacity to provide better services and support of the cooperation initiatives that bring institutions closer to communities and people, build cooperation and strengthen relationship.</p> <p>In 2021, the implementation of 33 projects has continued and by the end of the year, 65 project reports were approved with reported costs in the amount of EUR 279,301.37 out of which EUR 237,405.94 ERDF. Project under implementation at the end of 2021 (3): ROHU-204, ROHU-122 and ROHU-319.</p> <p>Projects ended in 2021 (3): ROHU-285, ROHU-202 and ROHU-281.</p> <p>Projects ended in 2020 (20): ROHU-158, ROHU-267, ROHU-283, ROHU-156, ROHU-265, ROHU-161, ROHU-289, ROHU-315, ROHU-180, ROHU-218, ROHU-292, ROHU-198, ROHU-215, ROHU-183, ROHU-179, ROHU-181, ROHU-297, ROHU-300, ROHU-162 and ROHU-217.</p> <p>Projects ended in 2019 (7): ROHU-271, ROHU-256, ROHU-277, ROHU-200, ROHU-280, ROHU-316 and ROHU-268.</p> <p>Problems identified: prolongations of the implementation period, technical modifications, budgetary modifications, changes of project activities due to COVID-19 pandemic, low capacity of beneficiaries (the lack of experience or low human capacity).</p> <p>Measures taken: MA instructions issued, permanent support provided to beneficiaries, approval of extension/other modifications of the projects at the request of LBs (8 Addenda to the Subsidy Contracts have been concluded and 10 technical modifications have been approved).</p>
TA	Technical Assistance	<p>PA 7 TA sought in particular to achieve 2 Specific Objectives:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) to secure the core management for the implementation of the Programme (preparation, contracting, implementation, monitoring, evaluation and control); 2) to implement accompanying activities to support the generation and implementation of high-quality, result-oriented cross-border projects and partnerships in a way that the TA contributes to the effective and smooth management and implementation of the Programme. <p>During 2021 TA was used for ensuring an effective and efficient programme implementation and no significant problems were identified whilst implementing the Priority.</p> <p>TA projects:</p> <p>TA1 – Managing Authority (MA) - within Ministry of Development, Public Works and Administration</p>

ID	Priority axis	Key information on the implementation of the priority axis with reference to key developments, significant problems and steps taken to address these problems
		<p>TA2 – Joint Secretariat (JS) – within BRECO, Oradea Regional Office for Cross Border Cooperation BRECO Oradea</p> <p>TA3 – Info Points (IPs) - within Széchenyi Programme Office Consulting and Service Nonprofit Limited Liability Company</p> <p>TA4 – Audit Authority (AA) - within the Romanian Court of Accounts</p> <p>TA5 – Audit Body in Hungary (AB) - within Directorate General for Audit of European Funds</p> <p>TA6 – Hungarian National Authority (HUNA) - within Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade in Hungary</p> <p>TA7 – FLCU RO - within BRECO, Oradea Regional Office for Cross Border Cooperation BRECO</p> <p>TA8 – FLCU HU - within Széchenyi Programme Office Consulting and Service Nonprofit Limited Liability Company</p>

3.2 Common and programme specific indicators (Article 50(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013)

Priority axes other than technical assistance

Priority axis	PA1 - Joint protection and efficient use of common values and resources (Cooperating on common values and resources)
Investment priority	6b - Investing in the water sector to meet the requirements of the Union's environmental acquis and to address needs, identified by the Member States, for investment that goes beyond those requirements

Table 2: Common and programme specific output indicators - PA1.6b

(1)	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Target value	2021	Observations
F	6/b 1	Number of measurement points positively affected by the interventions (after the completion of the project)	Number	7.00	0.00	No progress on results of the output indicator as they are expected to be achieved only after the completion of the 2 projects under implementation.
S	6/b 1	Number of measurement points positively affected by the interventions (after the completion of the project)	Number	7.00	9.00	The setup target value for the measurement points positively affected by the interventions (after the completion of the project) is 7, however, from the 2 projects under implementation, ROHU-208 (6 points) and ROHU-224 (3 points) results that 9 measurement points will benefit from the projects selected for support.

(1)	ID	Indicator	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
F	6/b 1	Number of measurement points positively affected by the interventions (after the completion of the project)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	6/b 1	Number of measurement points positively affected by the interventions (after the completion of the project)	9.00	9.00	9.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

(1) S=Cumulative value - outputs to be delivered by selected operations [forecast provided by beneficiaries], F=Cumulative value - outputs delivered by operations [actual achievement]

Priority axis	PA1 - Joint protection and efficient use of common values and resources (Cooperating on common values and resources)
Investment priority	6b - Investing in the water sector to meet the requirements of the Union's environmental acquis and to address needs, identified by the Member States, for investment that goes beyond those requirements
Specific objective	SO6/b - Improved quality management of cross-border rivers and ground water bodies

Table 1: Result indicators - PA1.6b.SO6/b

ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Baseline value	Baseline year	Target value (2023) Total	2021 Total	2021 Qualitative	Observations
R 6/b	Water quality (ecological condition) of crossborder rivers at the measurement points in the eligible area	Weighted average ecological quality at measurement points	2.46	2013	2.39	2.46		The value remains at base value since the Programme had no contribution through its projects at the end of 2021. The information on the achievement of result indicator will be included in the future Annual Implementation Reports.

ID	Indicator	2020 Total	2020 Qualitative	2019 Total	2019 Qualitative	2018 Total	2018 Qualitative	2017 Total	2017 Qualitative
R 6/b	Water quality (ecological condition) of crossborder rivers at the measurement points in the eligible area	2.46		2.46		2.46		0.00	

ID	Indicator	2016 Total	2016 Qualitative	2015 Total	2015 Qualitative	2014 Total	2014 Qualitative
R 6/b	Water quality (ecological condition) of crossborder rivers at the measurement points in the eligible area	0.00		0.00		0.00	

Priority axis	PA1 - Joint protection and efficient use of common values and resources (Cooperating on common values and resources)
Investment priority	6c - Conserving, protecting, promoting and developing natural and cultural heritage

Table 2: Common and programme specific output indicators - PA1.6c

(1)	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Target value	2021	Observations
F	CO09	Sustainable Tourism: Increase in expected number of visits to supported sites of cultural and natural heritage and attractions	Visits/year	61,000.00	77,267.00	From the project ROHU35.
S	CO09	Sustainable Tourism: Increase in expected number of visits to supported sites of cultural and natural heritage and attractions	Visits/year	61,000.00	159,723.00	Number provided from the selected projects within 1st Open Call (ROHU-14, ROHU-35, ROHU-114 and ROHU-126) for normal projects (86,205) and the 3 strategic projects (Full Application phase- ROHU-445, ROHU-446 and ROHU-456) within the 3rd Restricted Call (73,518).
F	CO23	Nature and biodiversity: Surface area of habitats supported to attain a better conservation status	Hectares	6,000.00	26,352.93	From the projects ROHU-7, ROHU-29, ROHU-35, ROHU-62, ROHU-68, ROHU-79 and ROHU-103.
S	CO23	Nature and biodiversity: Surface area of habitats supported to attain a better conservation status	Hectares	6,000.00	108,791.44	Number provided from the projects (ROHU-7, ROHU-14, ROHU-29, ROHU-35, ROHU-53, ROHU-62, ROHU-68, ROHU-79, ROHU-103, ROHU-115 and ROHU-126) within 1st Open Call for normal projects..

(1)	ID	Indicator	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
F	CO09	Sustainable Tourism: Increase in expected number of visits to supported sites of cultural and natural heritage and attractions	77,267.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	CO09	Sustainable Tourism: Increase in expected number of visits to supported sites of cultural and natural heritage and attractions	159,723.00	129,723.00	86,205.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
F	CO23	Nature and biodiversity: Surface area of habitats supported to attain a better conservation status	25,838.69	43.00	43.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	CO23	Nature and biodiversity: Surface area of habitats supported to attain a better conservation status	108,791.44	108,791.44	144,133.58	144,133.58	0.00	0.00	0.00

(1) S=Cumulative value - outputs to be delivered by selected operations [forecast provided by beneficiaries], F=Cumulative value - outputs delivered by operations [actual achievement]

Priority axis	PA1 - Joint protection and efficient use of common values and resources (Cooperating on common values and resources)
Investment priority	6c - Conserving, protecting, promoting and developing natural and cultural heritage
Specific objective	SO6/c - Sustainable use of natural, historic, and cultural heritage within the eligible area

Table 1: Result indicators - PA1.6c.SO6/c

ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Baseline value	Baseline year	Target value (2023) Total	2021 Total	2021 Qualitative	Observations
R 6/c	Tourist overnight stays in the eligible programme area	visitor nights	4,885,294.00	2013	5,485,294.00	4,885,294.00		The value remains at base value since the Programme had no contribution through its projects at the end of 2021. The information on the achievement of result indicator will be included in the future Annual Implementation Reports.

ID	Indicator	2020 Total	2020 Qualitative	2019 Total	2019 Qualitative	2018 Total	2018 Qualitative	2017 Total	2017 Qualitative
R 6/c	Tourist overnight stays in the eligible programme area	4,885,294.00		4,885,294.00		4,885,294.00		0.00	

ID	Indicator	2016 Total	2016 Qualitative	2015 Total	2015 Qualitative	2014 Total	2014 Qualitative
R 6/c	Tourist overnight stays in the eligible programme area	0.00		0.00		0.00	

Priority axis	PA2 - Improve sustainable cross-border mobility and remove bottlenecks (Cooperating on accessibility)
Investment priority	7b - Enhancing regional mobility by connecting secondary and tertiary nodes to TEN-T infrastructure, including multimodal nodes

Table 2: Common and programme specific output indicators - PA2.7b

(1)	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Target value	2021	Observations
F	CO13	Roads: Total length of newly built roads	km	12.00	0.00	No progress on results has been yet reported by the project ROHU444 (2nd phase of 1st Restricted Call).
S	CO13	Roads: Total length of newly built roads	km	12.00	12.14	From project ROHU444 (2nd phase of 1st Restricted Call), the total length of newly built roads is 12.14 km.
F	CO14	Roads: Total length of reconstructed or upgraded roads	km	18.00	0.00	No progress on results has been yet reported by the project ROHU444 (2nd phase of 1st Restricted Call)
S	CO14	Roads: Total length of reconstructed or upgraded roads	km	18.00	20.06	From project ROHU444 (2nd phase of 1st Restricted Call) , the total length of newly built roads is 20.06 km.

(1)	ID	Indicator	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
F	CO13	Roads: Total length of newly built roads	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	CO13	Roads: Total length of newly built roads	12.14	12.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
F	CO14	Roads: Total length of reconstructed or upgraded roads	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	CO14	Roads: Total length of reconstructed or upgraded roads	20.06	20.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

(1) S=Cumulative value - outputs to be delivered by selected operations [forecast provided by beneficiaries], F=Cumulative value - outputs delivered by operations [actual achievement]

Priority axis	PA2 - Improve sustainable cross-border mobility and remove bottlenecks (Cooperating on accessibility)
Investment priority	7b - Enhancing regional mobility by connecting secondary and tertiary nodes to TEN-T infrastructure, including multimodal nodes
Specific objective	SO7/b - Improved cross-border accessibility through connecting secondary and tertiary nodes to TEN-T infrastructure

Table 1: Result indicators - PA2.7b.SO7/b

ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Baseline value	Baseline year	Target value (2023) Total	2021 Total	2021 Qualitative	Observations
R 7/b	Cross-border population served by modernized infrastructure leading to TEN-T	Number of inhabitants	356,076.00	2014	435,794.00	356,076.00		The value remains at base value since the Programme had no contribution through its project (ROHU444) at the end of 2021. The information on the achievement of result indicator will be included in the future Annual Implementation Reports.

ID	Indicator	2020 Total	2020 Qualitative	2019 Total	2019 Qualitative	2018 Total	2018 Qualitative	2017 Total	2017 Qualitative
R 7/b	Cross-border population served by modernized infrastructure leading to TEN-T	356,076.00		356,076.00		356,076.00		0.00	

ID	Indicator	2016 Total	2016 Qualitative	2015 Total	2015 Qualitative	2014 Total	2014 Qualitative
R 7/b	Cross-border population served by modernized infrastructure leading to TEN-T	0.00		0.00		0.00	

Priority axis	PA2 - Improve sustainable cross-border mobility and remove bottlenecks (Cooperating on accessibility)
Investment priority	7c - Developing and improving environmentally-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

Table 2: Common and programme specific output indicators - PA2.7c

(1)	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Target value	2021	Observations
F	7/c 1	Number of cross-border public transport services developed / improved	Number	5.00	12.00	From the project ROHU-390.
S	7/c 1	Number of cross-border public transport services developed / improved	Number	5.00	17.00	From the 2 projects under implementation (ROHU-390 and ROHU-422) results that 17 cross-border public transport services will be developed/improved.
F	7/c 2	Total length of newly built bicycle road	km	17.00	7.29	From the project ROHU-128.
S	7/c 2	Total length of newly built bicycle road	km	17.00	20.44	From the 2 projects under implementation (ROHU-128 and ROHU-140) results that 20,44 km of newly built bicycle road will be built.

(1)	ID	Indicator	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
F	7/c 1	Number of cross-border public transport services developed / improved	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	7/c 1	Number of cross-border public transport services developed / improved	16.00	16.00	16.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
F	7/c 2	Total length of newly built bicycle road	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	7/c 2	Total length of newly built bicycle road	19.72	19.72	19.72	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

(1) S=Cumulative value - outputs to be delivered by selected operations [forecast provided by beneficiaries], F=Cumulative value - outputs delivered by operations [actual achievement]

Priority axis	PA2 - Improve sustainable cross-border mobility and remove bottlenecks (Cooperating on accessibility)
Investment priority	7c - Developing and improving environmentally-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
Specific objective	SO7/c - Increased proportion of passengers using sustainable – low carbon, low noise – forms of cross-border transport

Table 1: Result indicators - PA2.7c.SO7/c

ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Baseline value	Baseline year	Target value (2023) Total	2021 Total	2021 Qualitative	Observations
R 7/c	Ratio of people to motorized road vehicles crossing the border	Ratio of persons to motorized road vehicles	2.50	2014	2.59	2.50		The value remains at base value since the Programme had no contribution yet at the end of 2021. The information on the achievement of result indicator can be considered as not relevant and it will be included in the next Annual Implementation Reports.

ID	Indicator	2020 Total	2020 Qualitative	2019 Total	2019 Qualitative	2018 Total	2018 Qualitative	2017 Total	2017 Qualitative
R 7/c	Ratio of people to motorized road vehicles crossing the border	2.50		2.50		2.50		0.00	

ID	Indicator	2016 Total	2016 Qualitative	2015 Total	2015 Qualitative	2014 Total	2014 Qualitative
R 7/c	Ratio of people to motorized road vehicles crossing the border	0.00		0.00		0.00	

Priority axis	PA3 - Improve employment and promote cross-border labour mobility (Cooperating on employment)
Investment priority	8b - Supporting employment-friendly growth through the development of endogenous potential as part of a territorial strategy for specific areas, including the conversion of declining industrial regions and enhancement of accessibility to, and development of, specific natural and cultural resources

Table 2: Common and programme specific output indicators - PA3.8b

(1)	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Target value	2021	Observations
F	CO44	Labour Market and Training: Number of participants in joint local employment initiatives and joint training	Persons	10,000.00	13,992.00	From the projects ROHU-331, ROHU-374, ROHU-380, ROHU-382, ROHU-385, ROHU-391, ROHU-398, ROHU-399, ROHU-406 and ROHU-425.
S	CO44	Labour Market and Training: Number of participants in joint local employment initiatives and joint training	Persons	10,000.00	31,595.00	From the 18 projects under implementation, within 3rd OC (ROHU-331, ROHU-348, ROHU-359, ROHU-370, ROHU-374, ROHU-380, ROHU-382, ROHU-385, ROHU-388, ROHU-391, ROHU-395, ROHU-398, ROHU-399, ROHU-406, ROHU-420, ROHU-421, ROHU-425 and ROHU-426), results that 28,913 participants will be involved in in joint local employment initiatives and joint training. In addition, from the strategic project ROHU-452, within 2nd phase of 3rd Restricted Call, a number of 2,685 participants will be involved in joint local employment initiatives and joint training.

(1)	ID	Indicator	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
F	CO44	Labour Market and Training: Number of participants in joint local employment initiatives and joint training	10,111.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	CO44	Labour Market and Training: Number of participants in joint local employment initiatives and joint training	30,427.00	29,822.00	29,822.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

(1) S=Cumulative value - outputs to be delivered by selected operations [forecast provided by beneficiaries], F=Cumulative value - outputs delivered by operations [actual achievement]

Priority axis	PA3 - Improve employment and promote cross-border labour mobility (Cooperating on employment)
Investment priority	8b - Supporting employment-friendly growth through the development of endogenous potential as part of a territorial strategy for specific areas, including the conversion of declining industrial regions and enhancement of accessibility to, and development of, specific natural and cultural resources
Specific objective	SO8/b - Increased employment within the eligible area

Table 1: Result indicators - PA3.8b.SO8/b

ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Baseline value	Baseline year	Target value (2023) Total	2021 Total	2021 Qualitative	Observations
R 8/b	Employment rate in the eligible area as a percentage of the working age population	%	56.31	2012	56.38	56.31		The information on the achievement of result indicator will be included in the future Annual Implementation Reports.

ID	Indicator	2020 Total	2020 Qualitative	2019 Total	2019 Qualitative	2018 Total	2018 Qualitative	2017 Total	2017 Qualitative
R 8/b	Employment rate in the eligible area as a percentage of the working age population	56.31		56.31		56.31		0.00	

ID	Indicator	2016 Total	2016 Qualitative	2015 Total	2015 Qualitative	2014 Total	2014 Qualitative
R 8/b	Employment rate in the eligible area as a percentage of the working age population	0.00		0.00		0.00	

Priority axis	PA4 - Improving health-care services (Cooperating on health-care and prevention)
Investment priority	9a - Investing in health and social infrastructure which contributes to national, regional and local development, reducing inequalities in terms of health status, promoting social inclusion through improved access to social, cultural and recreational services and the transition from institutional to community-based services

Table 2: Common and programme specific output indicators - PA4.9a

(1)	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Target value	2021	Observations
F	9/a 1	Population having access to improved health services	Number of people	3,911,505.00	330,595.00	From the projects ROHU-396 and ROHU-400.
S	9/a 1	Population having access to improved health services	Number of people	3,911,505.00	3,911,505.00	The projects within PA4 are covering/are implemented in all 8 counties within the eligible area (3,911,505.00*), therefore, the total population within the Programme area will have access to improved healthcare services. * the total value of this indicator has to be updated based on the demographical trends.
F	9/a 2	Number of health-care departments affected by modernized equipment	Number	58.00	13.00	From the projects ROHU-396, ROHU-397 and ROHU-401.
S	9/a 2	Number of health-care departments affected by modernized equipment	Number	58.00	175.00	From the projects under implementation (ROHU-339, ROHU-357, ROHU-361, ROHU-368, ROHU-386, ROHU-387, ROHU-392, ROHU-396, ROHU-397, ROHU-400, ROHU-401, ROHU-407, ROHU-443, ROHU-449, ROHU-450 ROHU-457), results that 135 health-care departments will be affected by modernized equipment.

(1)	ID	Indicator	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
F	9/a 1	Population having access to improved health services	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	9/a 1	Population having access to improved health services	3,911,505.00	3,300,339.00	3,746,267.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
F	9/a 2	Number of health-care departments affected by modernized equipment	4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	9/a 2	Number of health-care departments affected by modernized equipment	135.00	118.00	20.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

(1) S=Cumulative value - outputs to be delivered by selected operations [forecast provided by beneficiaries], F=Cumulative value - outputs delivered by operations [actual achievement]

Priority axis	PA4 - Improving health-care services (Cooperating on health-care and prevention)
Investment priority	9a - Investing in health and social infrastructure which contributes to national, regional and local development, reducing inequalities in terms of health status, promoting social inclusion through improved access to social, cultural and recreational services and the transition from institutional to community-based services
Specific objective	SO9/a - Improved preventive and curative health-care services across the eligible area

Table 1: Result indicators - PA4.9a.SO9/a

ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Baseline value	Baseline year	Target value (2023) Total	2021 Total	2021 Qualitative	Observations
R 9/a	Average service level in health care institutions in the eligible area	Rate of service level of the health care institutions	3.19	2015	3.50	3.19		The information on the achievement of result indicator will be included in the future Annual Implementation Reports

ID	Indicator	2020 Total	2020 Qualitative	2019 Total	2019 Qualitative	2018 Total	2018 Qualitative	2017 Total	2017 Qualitative
R 9/a	Average service level in health care institutions in the eligible area	3.19		3.19		3.19		0.00	

ID	Indicator	2016 Total	2016 Qualitative	2015 Total	2015 Qualitative	2014 Total	2014 Qualitative
R 9/a	Average service level in health care institutions in the eligible area	0.00		0.00		0.00	

Priority axis	PA5 - Improve risk-prevention and disaster management (Cooperating on risk prevention and disaster management)
Investment priority	5b - Promoting investment to address specific risks, ensuring disaster resilience and developing disaster management systems

Table 2: Common and programme specific output indicators - PA5.5b

(1)	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Target value	2021	Observations
F	5/b 1	Population safeguarded by improved emergency response services	Number of people	970,000.00	1,418,350.00	From the projects ROHU-28, ROHU-41, ROHU-48, ROHU-54, ROHU-80 and ROHU-84.
S	5/b 1	Population safeguarded by improved emergency response services	Number of people	970,000.00	2,588,361.00	Number provided from the 10 projects within 1st Open Call for normal projects (ROHU-10, ROHU-11, ROHU-28, ROHU-41, ROHU-48, ROHU-54, ROHU-72, ROHU-80, ROHU-84 and ROHU-102).

(1)	ID	Indicator	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
F	5/b 1	Population safeguarded by improved emergency response services	111,909.00	21,768.00	584.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	5/b 1	Population safeguarded by improved emergency response services	2,588,361.00	2,588,361.00	2,332,927.00	2,368,037.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

(1) S=Cumulative value - outputs to be delivered by selected operations [forecast provided by beneficiaries], F=Cumulative value - outputs delivered by operations [actual achievement]

Priority axis	PA5 - Improve risk-prevention and disaster management (Cooperating on risk prevention and disaster management)
Investment priority	5b - Promoting investment to address specific risks, ensuring disaster resilience and developing disaster management systems
Specific objective	SO5/b - Improved cross-border disasters and risk management

Table 1: Result indicators - PA5.5b.SO5/b

ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Baseline value	Baseline year	Target value (2023) Total	2021 Total	2021 Qualitative	Observations
R 5/b	Quality of the joint risk management	Rate of preparedness	3.02	2015	3.23	3.02		The information on the achievement of result indicator will be included in the future Annual Implementation Reports

ID	Indicator	2020 Total	2020 Qualitative	2019 Total	2019 Qualitative	2018 Total	2018 Qualitative	2017 Total	2017 Qualitative
R 5/b	Quality of the joint risk management	3.02		3.02		3.02		0.00	

ID	Indicator	2016 Total	2016 Qualitative	2015 Total	2015 Qualitative	2014 Total	2014 Qualitative
R 5/b	Quality of the joint risk management	0.00		0.00		0.00	

Priority axis	PA6 - Promoting cross-border cooperation between institutions and citizens (Cooperation of institutions and communities)
Investment priority	11b - Promoting legal and administrative cooperation and cooperation between citizens and institutions (ETC-CB)

Table 2: Common and programme specific output indicators - PA6.11b

(1)	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Target value	2021	Observations
F	11/b1	Number of institutions directly involved in cross-border cooperation initiatives	number	36.00	30.00	From the projects ROHU-162, ROHU-179, ROHU-181, ROHU-183, ROHU-215, ROHU-217, ROHU-297 and ROHU-300.
S	11/b1	Number of institutions directly involved in cross-border cooperation initiatives	number	36.00	38.00	From the projects within 11/b1 (ROHU-162, ROHU-179, ROHU-181, ROHU-183, ROHU-204, ROHU-215, ROHU-217, ROHU-280, ROHU-281, ROHU-297, ROHU-300, ROHU-319), results that 38 institutions directly involved in cross-border cooperation initiatives. Compared to 2020, one project partner within ROHU-319 withdrew from project.
F	11/b2	Number of people participating in cross-border cooperation initiatives	Number of people	2,000.00	29,665.00	From the projects ROHU-156, ROHU-158, ROHU-161, ROHU-180, ROHU-198, ROHU-200, ROHU-218, ROHU-256, ROHU-265, ROHU-267, ROHU-268, ROHU-271, ROHU-277, ROHU-280, ROHU-283, ROHU-285, ROHU-289, ROHU-292, ROHU-315 and ROHU-316.
S	11/b2	Number of people participating in cross-border cooperation initiatives	Number of people	2,000.00	18,445.00	From the projects under implementation within 11/b2 (ROHU-122, ROHU-156, ROHU-158, ROHU-161, ROHU-180, ROHU-198, ROHU-200, ROHU-202, ROHU-218, ROHU-256, ROHU-265, ROHU-267, ROHU-268, ROHU-271, ROHU-277, ROHU-280, ROHU-283, ROHU-285, ROHU-289, ROHU-292, ROHU-315, ROHU-316), results that 18,445 people will participate in CBC initiatives.

(1)	ID	Indicator	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
F	11/b1	Number of institutions directly involved in cross-border cooperation initiatives	14.00	5.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	11/b1	Number of institutions directly involved in cross-border cooperation initiatives	39.00	37.00	37.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
F	11/b2	Number of people participating in cross-border cooperation initiatives	2,028.00	3,248.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	11/b2	Number of people participating in cross-border cooperation initiatives	18,445.00	18,445.00	19,042.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

(1) S=Cumulative value - outputs to be delivered by selected operations [forecast provided by beneficiaries], F=Cumulative value - outputs delivered by operations [actual achievement]

Priority axis	PA6 - Promoting cross-border cooperation between institutions and citizens (Cooperation of institutions and communities)
Investment priority	11b - Promoting legal and administrative cooperation and cooperation between citizens and institutions (ETC-CB)
Specific objective	SO11 - Intensify sustainable cross-border cooperation of institutions and communities

Table 1: Result indicators - PA6.11b.SO11

ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Baseline value	Baseline year	Target value (2023) Total	2021 Total	2021 Qualitative	Observations
R11/b	Intensity level of cross-border cooperation	Rate of intensity of cross-border cooperation	3.46	2015	3.57	3.46		The information on the achievement of result indicator will be included in the future Annual Implementation Reports.

ID	Indicator	2020 Total	2020 Qualitative	2019 Total	2019 Qualitative	2018 Total	2018 Qualitative	2017 Total	2017 Qualitative
R11/b	Intensity level of cross-border cooperation	3.46		3.46		3.46		0.00	

ID	Indicator	2016 Total	2016 Qualitative	2015 Total	2015 Qualitative	2014 Total	2014 Qualitative
R11/b	Intensity level of cross-border cooperation	0.00		0.00		0.00	

Priority axes for technical assistance

Priority axis	TA - Technical Assistance
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Table 2: Common and programme specific output indicators - TA.Technical Assistance

(1)	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Target value	2021	Observations
F	TA1	Number of events for information and promotion of the programme	Number		51.00	The Indicator is referring only to events organized for applicants (info days sessions, partner search forum). However, during 2021, 51 online events (such as trainings, consultations and meetings) for/with project beneficiaries have been organized which are related to the communication indicator No of targeted events for project beneficiaries held.
S	TA1	Number of events for information and promotion of the programme	Number		51.00	
F	TA2	Number of call for proposals launched	Number		0.00	
S	TA2	Number of call for proposals launched	Number		0.00	
F	TA3	Number of MC meetings	Number		1.00	02/08/2021- online via ZOOM platform
S	TA3	Number of MC meetings	Number		1.00	02/08/2021- online via ZOOM platform Altogether, 9 MC meetings have been organised by the end of 2021
F	TA4	Number of projects implemented and closed	Number		16.00	16 projects finalized: ROHU-28, ROHU-29, ROHU-62, ROHU-84, ROHU-54, ROHU-48, ROHU-285, ROHU-202, ROHU-281, ROHU-399, ROHU-396, ROHU-397, ROHU-401, ROHU-386, ROHU407 and ROHU390
S	TA4	Number of projects implemented and closed	Number		16.00	
F	TA5	Number of employees FTEs (full time equivalents) whose salaries are co-financed by TA	Number		0.00	
S	TA5	Number of employees FTEs (full time equivalents) whose salaries are co-financed by TA	Number		82.78	MA (15.82 within MDPWA), NA (1-MFA), JS +RO FLC (42 within BRECO), IPs (4 within SZPO), HU FLCs (11.86 within SZPO), AA (6 within Romanian Court of Accounts) and AB (2.1 within Directorate General for Audit of European Funds-HU).

(1)	ID	Indicator	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
F	TA1	Number of events for information and promotion of the programme	49.00	0.00	0.00	27.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	TA1	Number of events for information and promotion of the programme	49.00	0.00	0.00	27.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
F	TA2	Number of call for proposals launched	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.00	2.00	0.00	0.00
S	TA2	Number of call for proposals launched	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.00	2.00	0.00	0.00
F	TA3	Number of MC meetings	1.00	1.00	3.00	1.00	2.00	0.00	0.00
S	TA3	Number of MC meetings	1.00	1.00	3.00	1.00	2.00	0.00	0.00
F	TA4	Number of projects implemented and closed	29.00	16.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
S	TA4	Number of projects implemented and closed	29.00	16.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
F	TA5	Number of employees FTEs (full time equivalents) whose salaries are co-financed by TA	83.33	81.42	68.91	39.00	48.00	0.00	0.00
S	TA5	Number of employees FTEs (full time equivalents) whose salaries are co-financed by TA	83.33	81.42	68.91	39.00	48.00	0.00	0.00

(1) S=Cumulative value - outputs to be delivered by selected operations [forecast provided by beneficiaries], F=Cumulative value - outputs delivered by operations [actual achievement]

3.3 Table 3: Information on the milestones and targets defined in the performance framework

Priority axis	Ind type	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	Milestone for 2018 total	Final target (2023) total	2021	Observations
PA1	O	CO09	Sustainable Tourism: Increase in expected number of visits to supported sites of cultural and natural heritage and attractions	Visits/year	-	61,000.00	77,267.00	
PA1	F	F.PA1	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	5,920,000	50,667,665.00	20,165,858.14	
PA1	I	K6/b	Number of measurement points benefiting from the projects selected for support	Number	1	0.00	9.00	
PA1	I	K6/c	Number of projects aimed at increasing visits to sites of cultural and natural heritage selected for support	Number	5	0.00	14.00	
PA1	O	6/b 1	Number of measurement points positively affected by the interventions (after the completion of the project)	Number	-	7.00	0.00	
PA2	O	CO13a	Roads: Total length of newly built roads, of which: TEN-T	km	-	12.00	0.00	
PA2	F	F.PA2	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	2,480,000	20,315,586.00	13,021,853.76	
PA2	I	K7/b	Number of km of newly built roads for which technical documentation is elaborated	km	2.4	0.00	12.14	
PA2	I	K7/c	Number of public transport services benefiting from projects selected for support	Number	1	0.00	17.00	
PA2	O	7/c 1	Number of cross-border public transport services developed / improved	Number	-	5.00	12.00	
PA3	O	CO44	Labour Market and Training: Number of participants in joint local employment initiatives and joint training	Persons	-	10,000.00	13,992.00	
PA3	F	F.PA3	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	6,340,000	36,086,818.00	11,080,800.00	
PA3	I	K8/b	Number of projects related to joint local employment initiatives and joint training approved	Number	5	0.00	19.00	
PA4	F	F.PA4	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	6,960,000	85,114,457.00	20,290,271.01	
PA4	I	K9/a2	Number of health-care departments benefiting from projects selected for support	Number	12	0.00	175.00	
PA4	O	9/a 2	Number of health-care departments affected by modernized equipment	Number	-	58.00	13.00	
PA5	F	F.PA5	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	1,170,000.00	12,967,218.00	11,336,818.56	
PA5	I	K5/b	Population benefiting from selected projects	Number of people	97000		2,588,361.00	
PA5	O	5/b 1	Population safeguarded by improved emergency response services	Number of people	-	970,000.00	1,418,350.00	
PA6	F	F.PA6	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	490,000	4,013,379.00	3,635,159.71	
PA6	O	11/b1	Number of institutions directly involved in cross-border cooperation initiatives	number	4	36.00	38.00	

Priority axis	Ind type	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
PA1	O	CO09	Sustainable Tourism: Increase in expected number of visits to supported sites of cultural and natural heritage and attractions	Visits/year	77,267.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
PA1	F	F.PA1	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	10,273,137.70	5,438,208.10	1,270,849.38	0.00	0.00
PA1	I	K6/b	Number of measurement points benefiting from the projects selected for support	Number	9.00	9.00	9.00	0.00	0.00
PA1	I	K6/c	Number of projects aimed at increasing visits to sites of cultural and natural heritage selected for support	Number	14.00	13.00	11.00	11.00	0.00
PA1	O	6/b 1	Number of measurement points positively affected by the interventions (after the completion of the project)	Number	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
PA2	O	CO13a	Roads: Total length of newly built roads, of which: TEN-T	km	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
PA2	F	F.PA2	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	3,833,287.66	149,906.37	44,059.88	0.00	0.00
PA2	I	K7/b	Number of km of newly built roads for which technical documentation is elaborated	km	12.14	12.14	12.14	0.00	0.00
PA2	I	K7/c	Number of public transport services benefiting from projects selected for support	Number	16.00	16.00	16.00	0.00	0.00
PA2	O	7/c 1	Number of cross-border public transport services developed / improved	Number	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
PA3	O	CO44	Labour Market and Training: Number of participants in joint local employment initiatives and joint training	Persons	10,111.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
PA3	F	F.PA3	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	4,834,222.70	1,713,648.50	11,635.34	0.00	0.00
PA3	I	K8/b	Number of projects related to joint local employment initiatives and joint training approved	Number	19.00	19.00	19.00	0.00	0.00
PA4	F	F.PA4	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	10,026,465.28	1,178,373.78	282,795.74	0.00	0.00
PA4	I	K9/a2	Number of health-care departments benefiting from projects selected for support	Number	135.00	118.00	20.00	0.00	0.00
PA4	O	9/a 2	Number of health-care departments affected by modernized equipment	Number	4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
PA5	F	F.PA5	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	8,810,507.70	4,247,034.21	653,144.06	0.00	0.00
PA5	I	K5/b	Population benefiting from selected projects	Number of people	2,588,361.00	2,332,927.00	2,332,927.00	2,368,037.00	0.00

Priority axis	Ind type	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
PA5	O	5/b 1	Population safeguarded by improved emergency response services	Number of people	111,909.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
PA6	F	F.PA6	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	2,961,741.40	2,358,623.47	14,953.64	0.00	0.00
PA6	O	11/b1	Number of institutions directly involved in cross-border cooperation initiatives	number	39.00	37.00	37.00	0.00	0.00

Priority axis	Ind type	ID	Indicator	Measurement unit	2015	2014
PA1	O	CO09	Sustainable Tourism: Increase in expected number of visits to supported sites of cultural and natural heritage and attractions	Visits/year	0.00	0.00
PA1	F	F.PA1	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	0.00	0.00
PA1	I	K6/b	Number of measurement points benefiting from the projects selected for support	Number	0.00	0.00
PA1	I	K6/c	Number of projects aimed at increasing visits to sites of cultural and natural heritage selected for support	Number	0.00	0.00
PA1	O	6/b 1	Number of measurement points positively affected by the interventions (after the completion of the project)	Number	0.00	0.00
PA2	O	CO13a	Roads: Total length of newly built roads, of which: TEN-T	km	0.00	0.00
PA2	F	F.PA2	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	0.00	0.00
PA2	I	K7/b	Number of km of newly built roads for which technical documentation is elaborated	km	0.00	0.00
PA2	I	K7/c	Number of public transport services benefiting from projects selected for support	Number	0.00	0.00
PA2	O	7/c 1	Number of cross-border public transport services developed / improved	Number	0.00	0.00
PA3	O	CO44	Labour Market and Training: Number of participants in joint local employment initiatives and joint training	Persons	0.00	0.00
PA3	F	F.PA3	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	0.00	0.00
PA3	I	K8/b	Number of projects related to joint local employment initiatives and joint training approved	Number	0.00	0.00
PA4	F	F.PA4	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	0.00	0.00
PA4	I	K9/a2	Number of health-care departments benefiting from projects selected for support	Number	0.00	0.00
PA4	O	9/a 2	Number of health-care departments affected by modernized equipment	Number	0.00	0.00
PA5	F	F.PA5	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	0.00	0.00
PA5	I	K5/b	Population benefiting from selected projects	Number of people	0.00	0.00
PA5	O	5/b 1	Population safeguarded by improved emergency response services	Number of people	0.00	0.00
PA6	F	F.PA6	Total amount of certified expenditure	EUR	0.00	0.00
PA6	O	11/b1	Number of institutions directly involved in cross-border cooperation initiatives	number	0.00	0.00

3.4. Financial data

Table 4: Financial information at priority axis and programme level

As set out in Table 1 of Annex II to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 1011/2014 (Model for transmission of financial data) and table 16 of model for cooperation programmes under the European territorial cooperation goal

Priority axis	Fund	Calculation basis	Total funding	Co-financing rate	Total eligible cost of operations selected for support	Proportion of the total allocation covered with selected operations	Public eligible cost of operations selected for support	Total eligible expenditure declared by beneficiaries to the managing authority	Proportion of the total allocation covered by eligible expenditure declared by beneficiaries	Number of operations selected
PA1	ERDF	Total	50,667,665.00	85.00	53,750,911.19	106.09%	53,484,588.73	20,376,998.90	40.22%	16
PA2	ERDF	Total	20,315,586.00	85.00	20,315,584.90	100.00%	20,212,151.74	13,281,413.85	65.38%	5
PA3	ERDF	Total	36,086,818.00	85.00	40,590,400.05	112.48%	39,949,793.67	11,475,103.40	31.80%	19
PA4	ERDF	Total	85,114,457.00	85.00	88,205,354.16	103.63%	88,161,479.07	20,314,506.37	23.87%	17
PA5	ERDF	Total	12,967,218.00	85.00	13,937,380.32	107.48%	13,860,091.13	11,607,380.27	89.51%	10
PA6	ERDF	Total	4,013,379.00	85.00	4,457,280.32	111.06%	4,426,214.02	3,638,076.49	90.65%	33
TA	ERDF	Total	22,696,640.00	50.00	19,730,552.83	86.93%	19,730,552.83	13,492,660.86	59.45%	14
Total	ERDF		231,861,763.00	81.57	240,987,463.77	103.94%	239,824,871.19	94,186,140.14	40.62%	114
Grand total			231,861,763.00	81.57	240,987,463.77	103.94%	239,824,871.19	94,186,140.14	40.62%	114

Where applicable, the use of any contribution from third countries participating in the cooperation programme should be provided (for example IPA and ENI, Norway, Switzerland)

Table 5: Breakdown of the cumulative financial data by category of intervention

As set out in Table 2 of Annex II to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 1011/2014 (Model for transmission of financial data) and tables 6-9 of Model for cooperation programmes

Priority axis	Fund	Intervention field	Form of finance	Territorial dimension	Territorial delivery mechanism	Thematic objective dimension	ESF secondary theme	Economic dimension	Location dimension	Total eligible cost of operations selected for support	Public eligible cost of operations selected for support	The total eligible expenditure declared by beneficiaries to the managing authority	Number of operations selected
PA1	ERDF	021	01	07	07	06		11	HU333	1,429,790.18	1,429,790.18	313,653.72	2
PA1	ERDF	021	01	07	07	06		11	RO421	4,520,554.61	4,520,554.61	993,589.34	2
PA1	ERDF	085	01	07	07	06		15	HU321	1,846,561.06	1,846,561.06	960,227.81	4
PA1	ERDF	085	01	07	07	06		15	HU323	52,749.49	52,115.97	44,528.96	1
PA1	ERDF	085	01	07	07	06		15	RO111	676,127.49	676,127.49	243,973.63	47
PA1	ERDF	085	01	07	07	06		15	RO115	4,074.26	4,025.33	3,439.33	1
PA1	ERDF	085	01	07	07	06		22	HU321	872,565.74	867,977.37	434,338.96	4
PA1	ERDF	085	01	07	07	06		22	HU323	396,615.76	396,424.48	383,896.34	1
PA1	ERDF	085	01	07	07	06		22	HU332	889,995.82	881,717.08	856,310.05	1
PA1	ERDF	085	01	07	07	06		22	RO111	2,401,543.37	2,393,731.48	1,369,047.68	4
PA1	ERDF	085	01	07	07	06		22	RO115	782,854.43	778,556.02	760,705.40	2
PA1	ERDF	086	01	07	07	06		22	HU321	1,995,099.77	1,981,365.66	1,231,421.45	7
PA1	ERDF	086	01	07	07	06		22	HU332	1,762,321.40	1,744,389.78	1,079,739.20	2
PA1	ERDF	086	01	07	07	06		22	RO111	7,590,750.22	7,545,310.89	3,326,302.94	8
PA1	ERDF	086	01	07	07	06		22	RO115	491,729.71	484,119.69	455,071.27	2
PA1	ERDF	091	01	07	07	06		15	HU321	2,787,966.04	2,787,966.04	1,451,182.11	4
PA1	ERDF	091	01	07	07	06		15	HU323	67,774.51	66,960.51	57,212.46	1
PA1	ERDF	091	01	07	07	06		15	RO111	1,021,873.06	1,021,873.06	368,778.39	4
PA1	ERDF	091	01	07	07	06		15	RO115	5,234.77	5,171.90	4,418.97	1
PA1	ERDF	094	01	07	07	06		15	HU321	6,693,689.44	6,693,689.44	3,484,187.37	4
PA1	ERDF	094	01	07	07	06		15	HU323	3,913,958.56	3,866,330.67	255,347.48	2
PA1	ERDF	094	01	07	07	06		15	RO111	2,453,446.62	2,453,446.62	885,411.81	4
PA1	ERDF	094	01	07	07	06		15	RO115	2,513,452.83	2,482,852.14	89,316.58	2
PA1	ERDF	095	01	07	07	06		15	HU321	1,671,490.52	1,671,490.52	870,033.77	4
PA1	ERDF	095	01	07	07	06		15	HU323	3,792,009.77	3,745,846.54	152,403.32	2
PA1	ERDF	095	01	07	07	06		15	RO111	612,648.01	612,648.01	221,095.17	4
PA1	ERDF	095	01	07	07	06		15	RO115	2,504,033.75	2,473,546.19	81,365.39	2
PA2	ERDF	030	01	07	07	07		08	HU332	595,232.43	593,116.73	405,506.61	2
PA2	ERDF	030	01	07	07	07		08	RO421	7,743,370.17	7,715,854.34	5,275,435.37	2
PA2	ERDF	034	01	07	07	07		08	HU332	396,821.62	395,411.16	270,337.74	2
PA2	ERDF	034	01	07	07	07		08	RO421	5,162,246.78	5,143,902.89	3,516,956.92	2
PA2	ERDF	043	01	07	07	07		12	HU321	468,896.00	462,200.86	417,696.83	1
PA2	ERDF	043	01	07	07	07		12	HU333	122,025.54	120,115.82	51,133.40	1
PA2	ERDF	043	01	07	07	07		12	RO111	996,404.00	982,176.84	887,605.75	1
PA2	ERDF	043	01	07	07	07		12	RO424	267,832.41	263,640.79	112,232.10	1
PA2	ERDF	044	01	07	07	07		12	HU321	468,896.00	462,200.86	417,696.83	1
PA2	ERDF	044	01	07	07	07		12	HU333	122,025.54	120,115.82	51,133.40	1
PA2	ERDF	044	01	07	07	07		12	RO111	996,404.00	982,176.84	887,605.75	1
PA2	ERDF	044	01	07	07	07		12	RO424	267,832.41	263,640.79	112,232.10	1
PA2	ERDF	090	01	07	07	07		08	HU332	1,079,445.17	1,079,445.17	372,804.86	2
PA2	ERDF	090	01	07	07	07		08	RO111	849,816.91	849,816.91	177,081.56	1
PA2	ERDF	090	01	07	07	07		08	RO421	778,335.92	778,335.92	325,954.63	1
PA3	ERDF	102	01	07	07	08		21	HU321	1,343,722.26	1,329,231.57	275,186.44	7
PA3	ERDF	102	01	07	07	08		21	HU323	1,501,246.64	1,481,190.64	308,665.65	4
PA3	ERDF	102	01	07	07	08		21	HU332	1,053,452.95	1,031,444.04	620,704.82	5
PA3	ERDF	102	01	07	07	08		21	HU333	2,559,728.40	2,478,139.77	846,721.13	5
PA3	ERDF	102	01	07	07	08		21	RO111	5,474,370.79	5,426,762.52	992,539.30	9
PA3	ERDF	102	01	07	07	08		21	RO115	988,074.04	985,186.26	130,569.38	3
PA3	ERDF	102	01	07	07	08		21	RO421	849,910.34	827,309.27	564,095.12	2
PA3	ERDF	102	01	07	07	08		21	RO424	1,415,877.32	1,371,534.83	517,089.89	5
PA3	ERDF	104	01	07	07	08		21	HU321	2,111,563.52	2,088,792.42	432,435.89	7
PA3	ERDF	104	01	07	07	08		21	HU323	2,359,101.85	2,327,585.27	485,046.02	4

Priority axis	Fund	Intervention field	Form of finance	Territorial dimension	Territorial delivery mechanism	Thematic objective dimension	ESF secondary theme	Economic dimension	Location dimension	Total eligible cost of operations selected for support	Public eligible cost of operations selected for support	The total eligible expenditure declared by beneficiaries to the managing authority	Number of operations selected
PA3	ERDF	104	01	07	07	08		21	HU332	1,655,426.06	1,620,840.63	975,393.31	5
PA3	ERDF	104	01	07	07	08		21	HU333	600,422.37	581,785.31	494,794.26	4
PA3	ERDF	104	01	07	07	08		21	RO111	8,602,582.67	8,527,769.65	1,559,704.60	9
PA3	ERDF	104	01	07	07	08		21	RO115	1,552,687.79	1,548,149.85	205,180.45	3
PA3	ERDF	104	01	07	07	08		21	RO421	1,335,573.39	1,300,057.42	886,435.19	2
PA3	ERDF	104	01	07	07	08		21	RO424	514,972.46	500,045.34	394,936.75	4
PA3	ERDF	108	01	07	07	08		21	HU321	383,920.64	379,780.43	78,624.71	7
PA3	ERDF	108	01	07	07	08		21	HU323	428,927.61	423,197.32	88,190.18	4
PA3	ERDF	108	01	07	07	08		21	HU332	300,986.55	294,698.29	177,344.24	5
PA3	ERDF	108	01	07	07	08		21	HU333	2,286,809.15	2,213,691.91	621,814.64	5
PA3	ERDF	108	01	07	07	08		21	RO111	1,564,105.94	1,550,503.59	283,582.66	9
PA3	ERDF	108	01	07	07	08		21	RO115	282,306.87	281,481.79	37,305.54	3
PA3	ERDF	108	01	07	07	08		21	RO421	242,831.53	236,374.08	161,170.03	2
PA3	ERDF	108	01	07	07	08		21	RO424	1,181,798.91	1,144,241.47	337,573.20	5
PA4	ERDF	053	01	07	07	09		20	HU321	2,615,644.79	2,615,644.79	799,650.77	5
PA4	ERDF	053	01	07	07	09		20	HU323	5,508,817.79	5,508,672.54	203,079.00	5
PA4	ERDF	053	01	07	07	09		20	HU332	1,759,581.94	1,759,581.94	1,378,999.89	3
PA4	ERDF	053	01	07	07	09		20	HU333	13,945,948.85	13,917,515.46	4,536,895.31	8
PA4	ERDF	053	01	07	07	09		20	RO111	12,374,302.09	12,374,302.09	3,655,151.85	5
PA4	ERDF	053	01	07	07	09		20	RO115	22,234,449.61	22,225,733.97	2,074,194.90	7
PA4	ERDF	053	01	07	07	09		20	RO421	1,541,797.32	1,541,797.32	115,992.69	2
PA4	ERDF	053	01	07	07	09		20	RO424	14,994,008.65	14,994,008.65	4,503,366.02	6
PA4	ERDF	112	01	07	07	09		20	HU321	461,584.38	461,584.38	141,114.84	5
PA4	ERDF	112	01	07	07	09		20	HU323	972,145.02	972,119.21	35,837.47	5
PA4	ERDF	112	01	07	07	09		20	HU332	310,514.46	310,514.46	243,352.92	3
PA4	ERDF	112	01	07	07	09		20	HU333	2,461,049.77	2,456,032.12	800,628.58	8
PA4	ERDF	112	01	07	07	09		20	RO111	2,183,700.36	2,183,700.36	645,026.79	5
PA4	ERDF	112	01	07	07	09		20	RO115	3,923,725.71	3,922,188.36	366,034.39	7
PA4	ERDF	112	01	07	07	09		20	RO421	272,081.89	272,081.89	20,469.30	2
PA4	ERDF	112	01	07	07	09		20	RO424	2,646,001.53	2,646,001.53	794,711.65	6
PA5	ERDF	087	01	07	07	05		22	HU321	613,061.44	602,525.92	586,687.45	2
PA5	ERDF	087	01	07	07	05		22	HU323	796,354.13	794,995.43	415,208.36	2
PA5	ERDF	087	01	07	07	05		22	HU332	669,475.72	669,475.72	631,662.22	1
PA5	ERDF	087	01	07	07	05		22	HU333	2,047,842.01	2,047,842.01	1,827,804.94	2
PA5	ERDF	087	01	07	07	05		22	RO111	2,689,045.57	2,661,668.34	2,543,731.19	3
PA5	ERDF	087	01	07	07	05		22	RO115	1,268,250.87	1,263,663.39	773,808.66	2
PA5	ERDF	087	01	07	07	05		22	RO421	754,373.52	754,373.52	669,618.38	1
PA5	ERDF	087	01	07	07	05		22	RO424	100,419.27	100,419.27	97,780.79	1
PA5	ERDF	088	01	07	07	05		22	HU321	274,548.89	271,553.90	268,994.73	1
PA5	ERDF	088	01	07	07	05		22	HU323	118,911.40	117,552.70	115,677.75	1
PA5	ERDF	088	01	07	07	05		22	HU332	380,461.02	380,461.02	337,434.02	2
PA5	ERDF	088	01	07	07	05		22	HU333	467,027.92	464,298.54	359,496.30	2
PA5	ERDF	088	01	07	07	05		22	RO111	664,046.61	660,456.32	629,048.53	2
PA5	ERDF	088	01	07	07	05		22	RO115	401,488.60	396,901.12	390,570.62	1
PA5	ERDF	088	01	07	07	05		22	RO421	1,422,229.19	1,413,169.56	1,041,325.67	2
PA5	ERDF	088	01	07	07	05		22	RO424	1,269,844.16	1,260,734.37	918,530.66	2
PA6	ERDF	119	01	07	07	11		18	HU321	501,420.81	500,455.83	400,277.06	10
PA6	ERDF	119	01	07	07	11		18	HU323	254,022.58	251,738.64	239,432.55	3
PA6	ERDF	119	01	07	07	11		18	HU332	765,446.58	759,987.22	624,739.02	14
PA6	ERDF	119	01	07	07	11		18	HU333	273,794.58	267,883.40	208,356.43	7
PA6	ERDF	119	01	07	07	11		18	RO111	1,509,358.53	1,501,686.93	1,247,479.11	17
PA6	ERDF	119	01	07	07	11		18	RO115	244,748.84	242,998.67	229,071.18	2
PA6	ERDF	119	01	07	07	11		18	RO421	532,890.92	528,195.76	436,889.77	9
PA6	ERDF	119	01	07	07	11		18	RO424	375,597.48	373,267.57	251,831.37	6
TA	ERDF	121	01	07	07			24	HU101	4,906,161.74	4,906,161.74	1,518,142.43	4
TA	ERDF	121	01	07	07			24	RO111	6,840,308.10	6,840,308.10	6,506,670.59	4
TA	ERDF	121	01	07	07			24	RO321	3,824,032.42	3,824,032.42	2,701,370.90	5
TA	ERDF	122	01	07	07			24	HU101	48,932.41	48,932.41	16,598.10	1
TA	ERDF	122	01	07	07			24	RO321	1,543,963.88	1,543,963.88	897,051.33	4
TA	ERDF	123	01	07	07			24	HU101	872,706.70	872,706.70	356,138.37	3

Priority axis	Fund	Intervention field	Form of finance	Territorial dimension	Territorial delivery mechanism	Thematic objective dimension	ESF secondary theme	Economic dimension	Location dimension	Total eligible cost of operations selected for support	Public eligible cost of operations selected for support	The total eligible expenditure declared by eneficiaries to the managing authority	Number of operations selected
TA	ERDF	123	01	07	07			24	RO111	1,356,383.78	1,356,383.78	1,282,446.29	2
TA	ERDF	123	01	07	07			24	RO321	338,063.80	338,063.80	214,242.85	3

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Table 6: Cumulative cost of all or part of an operation implemented outside the Union part of the programme area

1. Operation (2)	2. The amount of ERDF support(1) envisaged to be used for all or part of an operation implemented outside the Union part of the programme area based on selected operations	3. Share of the total financial allocation to all or part of an operation located outside the Union part of the programme area (%) (column 2/total amount allocated to the support from the ERDF at programme level *100)	4. Eligible expenditure of ERDF support incurred in all or part of an operation implemented outside the Union part of the programme area declared by the beneficiary to the managing authority	5. Share of the total financial allocation to all or part of an operation located outside the Union part of the programme area (%) (column 4/total amount allocated to the support from the ERDF at programme level *100)
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(1) ERDF support is the Commission decision on the respective cooperation programme.

(2) In accordance with and subject to ceilings set out Article 20 of Regulation (EU) No 1299/2013.

4. SYNTHESIS OF THE EVALUATIONS

No evaluations have been carried out in 2021.

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Name	Fund	From month	From year	To month	To year	Type of evaluation	Thematic objective	Topic	Findings
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5. ISSUES AFFECTING THE PERFORMANCE OF THE PROGRAMME AND MEASURES TAKEN

(a) Issues which affect the performance of the programme and the measures taken

In addition to the already “classic” issues described in the previous AiRs, such as: the late approval of the CP, State aid or changing in the stakeholders’ needs, in 2021, the pandemic continued to put another layer of complexity to the Programme that was already struggling with overcoming the delays from the start-up phase.

At the Programme level this issue created changes in the context of the ROHU and in the priorities of the stakeholders in the eligible area (the focus shifted from wellbeing, communication, socializing, to economic rebuild and strengthening the medical systems); also, generated high impact on the relevance of several Ips: 6c, 11b (highest negative impact), 9a, 5b and 8b (increase of demand, as a response to the challenges of the COVID-19 effects) and added risks to the achievement of Programme targets (the severe delays/ complete cease of implementation activities, applicable for most projects - impact on the financial forecasts of the Programme).

At the Projects level, COVID-19, as well as aspects related to public procurement procedures, constantly increasing prices of equipment and construction works, procedures for obtaining/extending relevant permits/authorizations, led to project modifications and prolongations. All these resulted in severe delays in planning and carrying out project activities; fluctuations in the project implementation teams and/ or project representatives; rescheduling, re-planning or cancelling of project activities. Moreover, due to mentioned-above issues, several projects with low physical (between 14-65%) and financial progress (between 2.28-48.44%) became with major risk in implementation and these might affect the overall Programme’s performance:

ROHU456, ROHU421, ROHU426- completion of the construction works in due time;

ROHU457- non-completion due to severe delays and the complexity of works (a new hospital wing);

ROHU102, ROHU452, ROHU361- delays in the implementation of activities contributing to the projects indicators;

ROHU368- no procurement has been launched and no activities have been carried out to any of the partners so far;

ROHU224- the project is considered to be of major risk due to the significant delays in implementation registered by the LB; after more than 30 months, LB failed to start the rehabilitation works;

ROHU359- delays in the completion of technical projects for the construction of two training centres and implicitly in the construction works and training activities;

ROHU122- the fulfilment of the output indicator cannot be proven.

Among the measures taken: special monitoring visits and steering committee meetings were organized (online/physical meetings), modifications requests have been approved, a close monitoring of project implementation and permanent contact with the project partners was kept to anticipate the other possible problems that may occur and to identify the proper solutions to surpass them, etc.

In addition, we should also mention the particular situation of the strategic project ROHU453 (selected under PA 4, Ip 9/a), requesting an ERDF of about 11.4 MEur, which is not yet contracted.

During the pre-contracting phase of the Full Application (FA), the LB, Békés County Council, notified the MA/JS on the intention to modify the project, in terms of main objectives and outputs (the shift towards treatment versus prevention); main activities (modernizing and equipping 2 hospitals in Békés C., instead of establishing of prevention, rehabilitation and recreation centers); partnership (2 hospitals instead of 2 NGOs). Regarding the output indicators, no major modifications occurred. Through MC Decision No 136/ 15.12.2020, the MC approved Békés County's request to modify the FA and provided for the assessment of the modified parts thereof, in terms of both administrative compliance and eligibility, and quality.

The outcome of the AEC was that the modified FA was formally non-compliant (as not fulfilling criteria B.1 and B.2 of the AEC grid) and proposed for rejection. However, no decision could be taken in the related 9th Monitoring Committee meeting, as the needed 2/3 majority could not be reached. Both MA and NA agreed that the particular situation of ROHU453 had to be further analysed and the negotiation process had to be continued.

Also, the Programme structures continued to be involved in the fight against the pandemic, as well as to implement the acceleration and/or simplification measures, that proved to be efficient previous years, such as:

- introducing a simplification action: to approve ex-officio the requests for extension of the implementation period for projects affected by the COVID restrictions (MC Decision in this respect was issued)
- the possibility to extend the project implementation period and to modify the way of organizing the project activities were available (e.g., online events, workshops, meeting, instead of face-to-face approach)
- performing monitoring visits at HU beneficiaries by the IP experts, when traveling restriction were imposed
- alternative ways to quantify the achievement of the output indicators by the projects were accepted (e.g.: minutes of the meetings, pictures, screen shots)
- over-contracting up to a limit of 10% of the ERDF allocation
- request for payment to be submitted to the COM whenever is deemed necessary
- continuous/ongoing monitoring of the Programme and project implementation
- shortening the period to process the requests for payments
- verifying/endorsing the Consolidated Reports based on their value, in order to reach the decommitment target (higher values first)
- assisting the partners in the reporting process (including organizing of Quality workshops, special monitoring visits and online meetings)
- possibility of submitting unlimited number of financial project reports, outside the reporting plan/schedule committed within Subsidy contracts (3/4 months) for costs at least EUR 10,000 ERDF
- possibility to include in Partner Reports costs paid within max.15 calendar days after the end date of a reporting period
- project dedicated events organised in national languages (to facilitate access to info and better understanding)

- awareness raising letters were sent to all projects under implementation, underlining the importance of complying with the provisions of the subsidy contracts and also requesting to focus on reaching the financial forecast assumed within the projects;
- the permanent monitoring of the savings at Programme level
- the close monitoring of the significant procurements in case of all projects to identify the possible delays and the procurements that can be completed ahead of the schedule
- the permanent monitoring of the decommitment risk by organising monthly technical meeting among the Programme structures and also constantly updating the estimations related to the N+3 target, based on the updated information provided by the beneficiaries.

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(b) OPTIONAL FOR LIGHT REPORTS, otherwise it will be included in point 9.1. An assessment of whether progress made towards targets is sufficient to ensure their fulfilment, indicating any remedial actions taken or planned, where appropriate.

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6. CITIZEN'S SUMMARY (ARTICLE 50(9) OF REGULATION (EU) No 1303/2013)

A citizen's summary of the contents of the annual and the final implementation reports shall be made public and uploaded as a separate file in the form of annex to the annual and the final implementation report

You can upload/find the Citizen's summary under General > Documents

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7. REPORT ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (ARTICLE 46 OF REGULATION (EU) No 1303/2013)

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8. PROGRESS IN PREPARATION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF MAJOR PROJECTS AND JOINT ACTION PLANS (ARTICLE 101(H) AND ARTICLE 111(3) OF REGULATION (EU) No 1303/2013 AND ARTICLE 14(3)(B) OF REGULATION (EU) No 1299/2013)

8.1. Major projects

Table 7: Major projects

Project	CCI	Status of MP	Total investments	Total eligible costs	Planned notification/submission date	Date of tacit agreement/ approval by Commission	Planned start of implementation	Planned completion date	Priority Axis/ Investment priorities	Current state of realisation — financial progress (% of expenditure certified to Commission compared to total eligible cost)	Current state of realisation — physical progress Main implementation stage of the project	Main outputs	Date of signature of first works contract (1)	Observations
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(1) In the case of operations implemented under PPP structures the signing of the PPP contract between the public body and the private sector body (Article 102(3) of Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013).

Significant problems encountered in implementing major projects and measures taken to overcome them

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Any change planned in the list of major projects in the cooperation programme

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8.2. Joint action plans

Progress in the implementation of different stages of joint action plans

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Table 8: Joint action plans (JAP)

Title of the JAP	CCI	Stage of implementation of JAP	Total eligible costs	Total public support	OP contribution to JAP	Priority axis	Type of JAP	[Planned] submission to the Commission	[Planned] start of implementation	[Planned] completion	Main outputs and results	Total eligible expenditure certified to the Commission	Observations
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Significant problems encountered and measures taken to overcome them

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9. ASSESSMENT OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE COOPERATION PROGRAMME (ARTICLE 50(4) OF REGULATION (EU) No 1303/2013 AND ARTICLE 14(4) OF REGULATION (EU) No 1299/2013)

9.1 Information in Part A and achieving the objectives of the programme (Article 50(4) of Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013)

Priority axis	PA1 - Joint protection and efficient use of common values and resources (Cooperating on common values and resources)
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Priority axis	PA2 - Improve sustainable cross-border mobility and remove bottlenecks (Cooperating on accessibility)
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Priority axis	PA3 - Improve employment and promote cross-border labour mobility (Cooperating on employment)
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Priority axis	PA4 - Improving health-care services (Cooperating on health-care and prevention)
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Priority axis	PA5 - Improve risk-prevention and disaster management (Cooperating on risk prevention and disaster management)
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Priority axis	PA6 - Promoting cross-border cooperation between institutions and citizens (Cooperation of institutions and communities)
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Priority axis	TA - Technical Assistance
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9.2. Specific actions taken to promote equality between men and women and to promote non-discrimination, in particular accessibility for persons with disabilities, and the arrangements implemented to ensure the integration of the gender perspective in the cooperation programme and operations (Article 50(4) of Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013 and Article 14(4), subparagraph 2, (d) of Regulation (EU) No 1299/2013)

An assessment of the implementation of specific actions to take into account the principles set out in Article 7 of Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013 on promotion of equality between men and women and non-discrimination, including, where relevant, depending on the content and objectives of the cooperation programme, an overview of specific actions taken to promote equality between men and women and to promote non-discrimination, including accessibility for persons with disabilities, and the arrangements implemented to ensure the integration of the gender perspective in the cooperation programme and operations

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9.3.Sustainable development (Article 50(4) of Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013 and Article 14(4), subparagraph 2, (e) of Regulation (EU) No 1299/2013)

An assessment of the implementation of actions to take into account the principles set out in Article 8 of Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013 on sustainable development, including, where relevant, depending on the content and objectives of the cooperation programme, an overview of the actions taken to promote sustainable development in accordance with that Article

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9.4. Reporting on support used for climate change objectives (Article 50(4) of Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013)

Calculated amount of support to be used for climate change objectives based on the cumulative financial data by category of intervention in Table 7

Priority axis	Amount of support to be used for climate change objectives (EUR)	Proportion of total allocation to the operational programme (%)
PA1	8,742,533.27	20.30%
PA2	3,562,965.48	20.63%
PA5	9,297,508.55	84.35%
Total	21,603,007.30	11.42%

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9.5 Role of partners in the implementation of the cooperation programme (Article 50(4) of Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013 and Article 14(4), subparagraph 1, (c) of Regulation (EU) No 1299/2013)

Assessment of the implementation of actions to take into account the role of partners referred to in Article 5 of Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013, including involvement of the partners in the implementation, monitoring and evaluation of the cooperation programme

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10. OBLIGATORY INFORMATION AND ASSESSMENT ACCORDING TO ARTICLE 14(4), SUBPARAGRAPH 1 (A) AND (B), OF REGULATION (EU) No 1299/2013

10.1 Progress in implementation of the evaluation plan and the follow-up given to the findings of evaluations

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Status	Name	Fund	Year of finalizing evaluation	Type of evaluation	Thematic objective	Topic	Findings (in case of execution)	Follow up (in case of execution)
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10.2 The results of the information and publicity measures of the Funds carried out under the communication strategy

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11. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WHICH MAY BE ADDED DEPENDING ON THE CONTENT AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COOPERATION PROGRAMME (ARTICLE 14(4), SUBPARAGRAPH 2 (A), (B), (C) AND (F), OF REGULATION (EU) No 1299/2013)

11.1. Progress in the implementation of the integrated approach to territorial development, including integrated territorial investments, sustainable urban development, and community led local development under the cooperation programme

Not validated

11.2 Progress in implementation of actions to reinforce the capacity of authorities and beneficiaries to administer and to use the ERDF

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Not validated

11.3 Contribution to macro-regional and sea basin strategies (where appropriate)

As stipulated by the Regulation (EU) No 1299/2013, recital 19, article 8(3)(d) on the "Content, adoption and amendment of cooperation programmes" and article 14(4) 2nd subparagraph (c) "Implementation reports", this programme contributes to MRS(s) and/or SBS:

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- ☐ EU Strategy for the Baltic Sea Region (EUSBSR)
- ☒ EU Strategy for the Danube Region (EUSDR)
- ☐ EU Strategy for the Adriatic and Ionian Region (EUSAIR)
- ☐ EU Strategy for the Alpine Region (EUSALP)
- ☐ Atlantic Sea Basin Strategy (ATLSBS)

Not validated

The pillar(s) and priority area(s) that the programme is relevant to:

	Pillar	Priority area
<input type="checkbox"/>	1 - Connecting the Danube region	1.1 - Mobility - waterways
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1 - Connecting the Danube region	1.2 - Mobility - rail, road & air
<input type="checkbox"/>	1 - Connecting the Danube region	1.3 - Energy
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1 - Connecting the Danube region	1.4 - Culture and tourism
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2 - Protecting the environment in the Danube region	2.1 - Water quality
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2 - Protecting the environment in the Danube region	2.2 - Environmental risks
<input type="checkbox"/>	2 - Protecting the environment in the Danube region	2.3 - Biodiversity, landscapes, air and soil quality
<input type="checkbox"/>	3 - Building prosperity in the Danube region	3.1 - Knowledge society
<input type="checkbox"/>	3 - Building prosperity in the Danube region	3.2 - Competitiveness
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3 - Building prosperity in the Danube region	3.3 - People & skills
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4 - Strengthening the Danube region	4.1 - Institutional capacity & cooperation
<input type="checkbox"/>	4 - Strengthening the Danube region	4.2 - Security

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Actions or mechanisms used to better link the programme with the EUSDR

A. Are macro-regional coordinators (mainly National Coordinators, Priority Area Coordinators or Steering Group members) participating in the Monitoring Committee of the programme?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Name and function

Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade - Budapest Danube Contact Point András GYÖRGY as Observer;
Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Hungary - Department for Water Diplomacy and the Danube Region
Strategy-Viktor György OROSZI as Observer

B. In selection criteria, have extra points been attributed to specific measures supporting the EUSDR?

Yes ☒ No ☐

a) Are targeted calls for proposals planned in relation to EUSDR

Yes ☒ No ☐

b) How many macro-regional projects/actions are already supported by the programme? (Number)

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c) Were extra points/bonus given to a project/action with high macro-regional significance or impact? If yes, please elaborate (1 specific sentence)

Yes

d) Other actions (e.g. planned strategic projects). Please elaborate (1 specific sentence)

In case of flagship projects, there is a specific criterion related to the EUSDR compliance

C. Has the programme invested EU funds in the EUSDR?

Yes ☐ No ☒

Does your programme plan to invest in the EUSDR in the future? Please elaborate (1 specific sentence)

No

D. Obtained results in relation to the EUSDR (n.a. for 2016)

Not Applicable

E. Does the programme contribute to the targets as validated by the national coordinators and priority area coordinators in 2016 (uploaded on the EUSDR website)? (Please specify the target(s))

No

11.4 Progress in the implementation of actions in the field of social innovation

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Not validated

13. SMART, SUSTAINABLE AND INCLUSIVE GROWTH

Information and assessment of the programme contribution to achieving the Union strategy for smart, sustainable and inclusive growth.

Not validated

14. ISSUES AFFECTING THE PERFORMANCE OF THE PROGRAMME AND MEASURES TAKEN — PERFORMANCE FRAMEWORK (ARTICLE 50(2) OF REGULATION (EU) No 1303/2013)

Where the assessment of progress made with regard to the milestones and targets set out in the performance framework demonstrates that certain milestones and targets have not been achieved, Member States should outline the underlying reasons for failure to achieve these milestones in the report of 2019 (for milestones) and in the final implementation report (for targets).

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