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Danube Transnational Programme & DANUBEparksCONNECTED

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What is DTP?





What is our mission?

Territorial integration in Danube region

Acting as policy driver

Contribution to EUSDR objectives







Innovative and socially responsible Danube Region

1.1: Improve framework conditions for innovation

1.2: Increase competences for business and social innovation

Environment and culture responsible Danube Region

2.1: Strengthen transnational water management and flood risk prevention

2.2: Foster sustainable use of natural and cultural heritage and resources

2.3: Foster the restoration and management of ecological corridors

2.4: Improve preparedness for environmental risk management



DTP structure

Better connected and energy responsible Danube Region

3.1: Support environmentally-friendly and safe transport systems and balanced accessibility of urban and rural areas

3.2: Improve energy security and energy efficiency



Well governed Danube Region

4.1:Improve institutional capacities to tackle major societal challenges

4.2: Support the governance and implementation of the EUSDR



Programme area





DTP key principles



☑ Result-oriented

☑ Durable and transferable results

☑ Qualitative partnership

☑ Integrated territorial approach

☑ Sustainable development

☑ Efficiency in terms of mobilised resources



Financeable activities

Strategies, action plans, policy frameworks and recommendations

Tools and services

Preparation of investments

Pilot activities

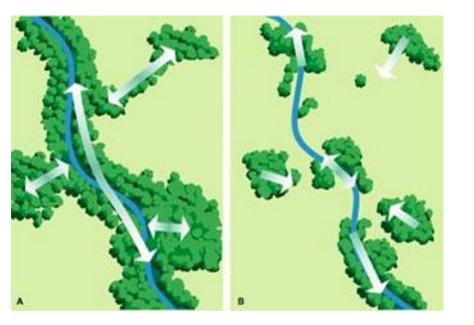
Training and capacity building

Information, communication, dissemination



Specific Objective 2.3

Foster the restoration and management of ecological corridors



Strengthen effective approaches to preservation, restoring and management of bio-corridors and wetlands of <u>transnational</u> <u>relevance</u> to contribute to the <u>better conservation status of</u> <u>ecosystems of European</u> <u>relevance</u>.



1st CfP – facts & figures

Submitted EoIs (step 1)	SO 2.3	Invited for 2 nd step	SO 2.3	Approved	SO 2.3
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Danube Habitat Corridor

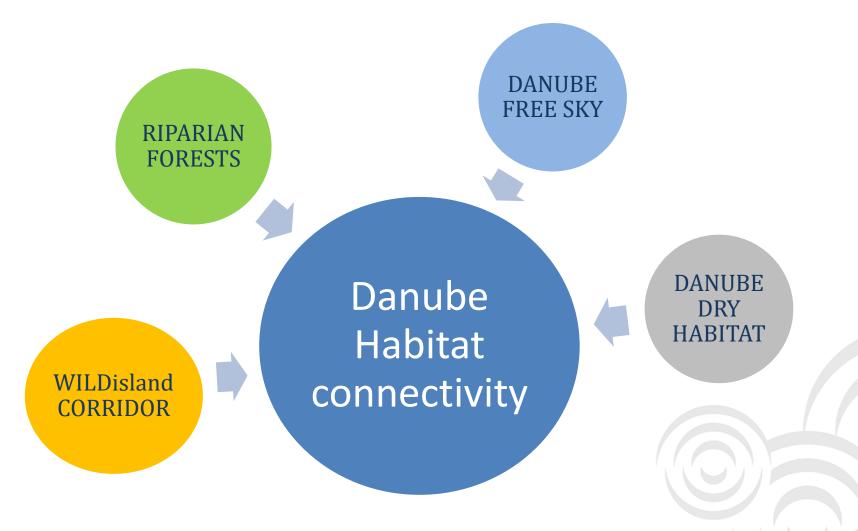


Mura-Drava-Danube Transboundary Biosphere Reserve corridor

Budget	Total SO 2.3	1st Call allocation	
Total	ca. 14.76 M EUR	ca. 5.24 M EUR	
ERDF + IPA (85%)	ca. 12.55 M EUR	ca. 4.45 M EUR	



Project relevance



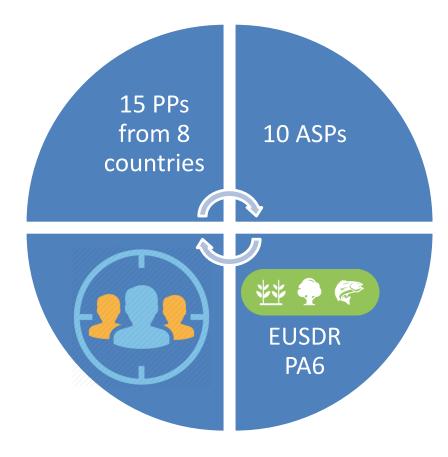


Project partnership





Project environment







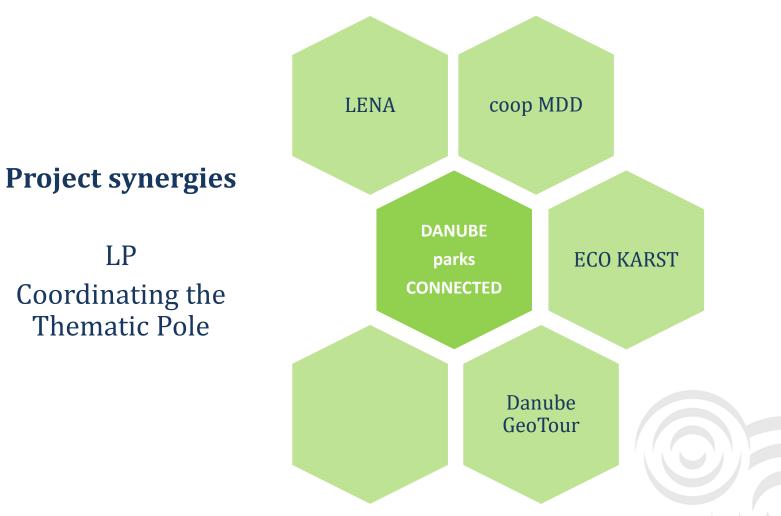
Valuable contribution to improve interlinking of habitats along the Danube river



- Joint solutions, pilot testing and concepts / strategies bring real change to the four selected thematic fields
 - Ensuring the involvement of key actors from relevant sectors, policy fields for realisation of outputs and result
- Danube Habitat Corridor Guiding Principle to ensure integrity of four main project topics providing durable future perspectives



Capitalisation







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