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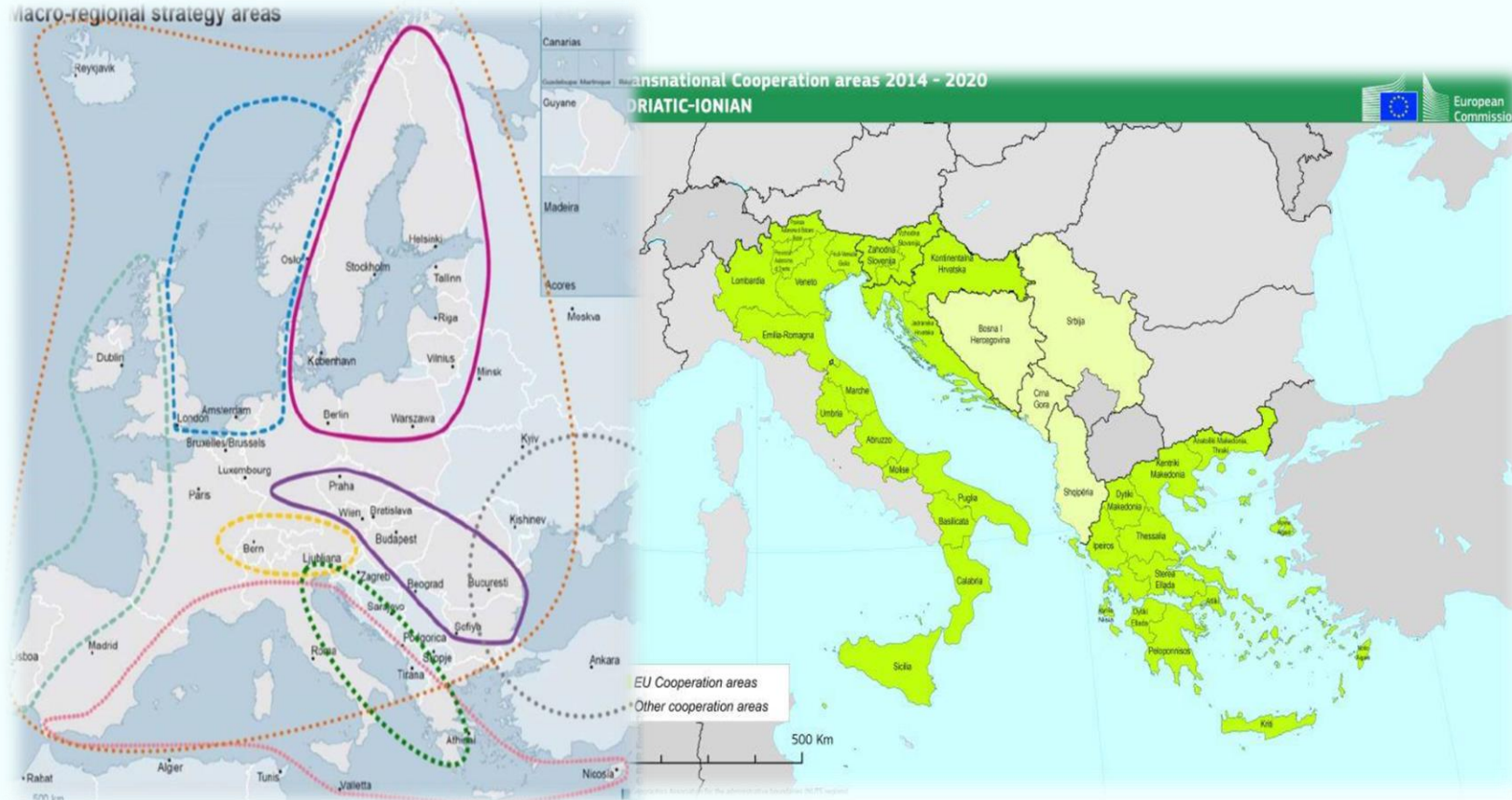
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Macro-regional strategy areas





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EUSAIR: European integration comes even closer

- ✓ Promising implementation progress;
- ✓ Fruitful outcome of synergies;
- ✓ Recent developments show positive future post 2020.



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Main **drivers** for the successful implementation:

- ✓ Political commitment;
- ✓ Alignment of available funding and financing opportunities.

are **well addressed**

- Common vision in place;
- Member states actually involved;
- Coordinators and thematic sub groups bring tangible results.



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Transport sector: Backbone element of the Macroregion

- Re-shaped and re-oriented towards serving the goals of the Strategy;
- In line with the completion of the TEN-T Transport Network.



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- **Priority** to be granted to the labeled EUSAIR projects;
- **Better integration** of South East Europe to the existing TEN-T network through the Mediterranean and Orient – East Med corridors **should be pursued**;
- Allocation of **dedicated resources** in the next programming period for the implementation of labeled projects **is of key importance**.



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- ✓ **Alignment** of the member states' future transport policies to **address the future EUSAIR goals and priorities**
- ✓ Promotion and development of a **Strategic Transport Connectivity Master Plan**



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- ✓ **MoS and ports' development** should be highly reflected in the prioritisation of the projects as:
 - a. the achievement of high-quality port and shipping services, could pave the way for the **development of even better intermodal transport and logistic chains;**
 - b. the planning and implementation of Motorways of the Sea, will **promote cooperation** and will foster **interconnections with TEN-T corridors and beyond.**



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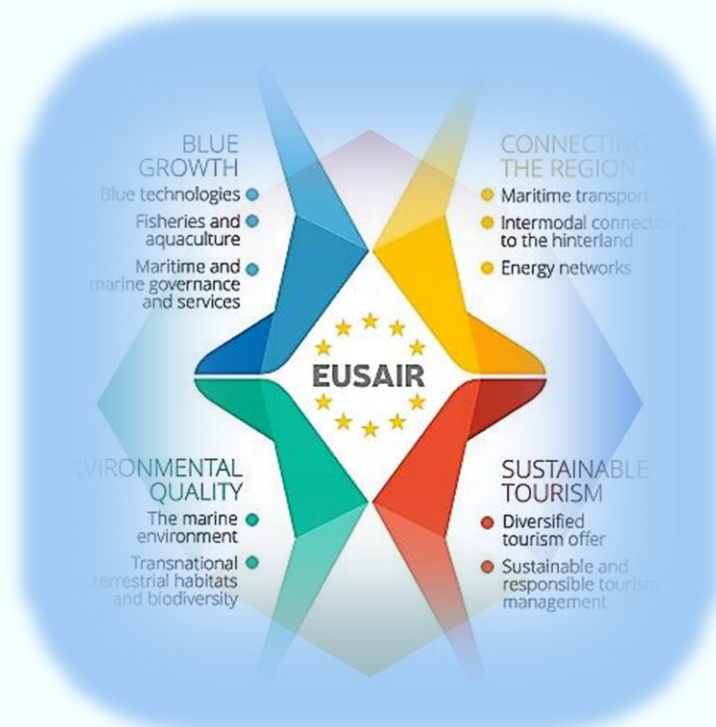
- ✓ On the basis of the TSG2 results, a list of **eligible transport projects with added value** for the macroregion **are in place** targeting among others:
 - ✓ Ports' capacity;
 - ✓ Cruise development;
 - ✓ MoS;
 - ✓ Members States' interconnectivity.



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Thank you for you
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