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Project Acronym: FHAZAP

Project Name:

Forecast Hazardous Substances Spills in the Adriatic and the Baltic sea

Priority:

1. Spatial development approaches and actions for social and economic cohesion
2. Sustainable transport systems and access to the information society
3. Promotion and management of landscape, natural and cultural heritage
4. Environment protection, resource management and risk prevention

Lead partner

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Financial Information of the project (in €):

ERDF funding: 800,000.00

National co-financing (EU): 600,000.00

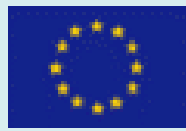
Other EU funding (PHARE, CARDS, TACIS, etc): 150,000.00

National co-financing (Non EU): 0.00

Private funding: 0.00

TOTAL: 1,550.000.00

Project duration (MM/YYYY): from 06/2006 to 06/2008



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Project description:

The aim of the project is to set up a service to forecast hazardous substances spills in two areas: the Adriatic and the Baltic sea. The service will be based on a "state of the art" set of meteorological, oceanographic and wave models already operational at the partner's institutions and on the available monitoring data. A special effort will be devoted to select, test and implement the best techniques to forecast oil spills in the two target areas. The features of the forecast service will be designed according to the direct beneficiaries: the national and local public administration in charge for the risk management in the countries involved in the project.

Objectives:

- 1) set up a service to forecast hazardous substances spills in the Adriatic and Baltic;
- 2) Develop comparable and compatible techniques to forecast hazardous substances spills in the two areas and validate methodologies;
- 3) Made the forecast easily available to end users

Expected outcomes:

A on-demand web based forecast service of the space and time evolution of the spill of hazardous substances in any selected point of the target areas.

Project partners

Already found:

Ministry for the Environment and Territory, Italy

INGV (Istituto Nazionale Geofisica e Vulcanologia), Italy

Veneto Region, Italy or Marche Region, Italy (to be confirmed)

Institute of Oceanography, University of Gdansk, Poland

Germany (to be confirmed)

Slovenia (to be confirmed)

Croatia (to be confirmed)

Bosnia & Herzegovina (to be confirmed)

Serbia & Montenegro (to be confirmed)

Are you looking for additional partners? Yes X No

If yes, what partners are you looking for?

partners from Germany (Baden-Württemberg, Bayern, Meckleburg-Vorpommern, Sachsen, Sachsen-Anhalt, Berlin, Brandenburg, Thüringen) and Slovenia.

Follow up from INTERREG II C: NO

Links to other III B projects: CADSEALAND