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COHESION POLICY IN THE NEW FINANCIAL PERIOD 2007-2013

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NATIONAL STRATEGIC REFERENCE FRAMEWORK 2007-2013

NSRO defines the general strategy of a member state for achieving faster convergence.

General orientation of the NSRF is:

to improve the welfare of the Slovenian citizens by promoting economic growth, job creation, strengthening of human capital and guaranteeing a balanced and harmonious development, in particular of the regions.

Specific NSRF goals:

- 1. promotion of entrepreneurship, innovations and technological development,**
- 2. improvement of the quality of educational system and research-development activities,**
- 3. improved labour market flexibility along with guaranteeing employment security in particular by creation of jobs and the promotion of social inclusion,**
- 4. ensuring conditions for growth by providing sustainable mobility, improving quality of the environment and providing relevant/appropriate infrastructure,**
- 5. balanced regional development.**



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NSRF – OPERATIONAL PROGRAMMES

- Operational programme for strengthening regional development potentials for period 2007-2013**
- Operational programme for human resources development for period 2007-2013**
- Operational programme of the environmental and transport infrastructure development for period 2007-2013**



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OPERATIONAL PROGRAMME FOR HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT 2007-2013

OP human resources	ESS resources,euro	%
TOTAL	755.699.37	100,0
1. Promoting entrepreneurship and adaptability	262.114.96	34,7
2. Promoting employability of job-seekers and inactive	140.018.67	18,5
3. Human resource development and life-long learning	164.661.96	21,8
4. Equal opportunities and Reinforcing social inclusion	63.848.51	8,4
5. Institutional and administrative capacity	97.051.50	12,8
6. Technical assistance	28.003.73	3,7



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OPERATIONAL PROGRAMME OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AND TRANSPORT INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT 2007-2013

OP environmental and transport infrastructure	ERDF resources; euro	CF resources; euro	Total; euro	%
TOTAL	224.029.886	1.411.569.858	1.635.599.744	100,0
1. Railway infrastructure - CF		449.567.581	449.567.581	27,5
2. Road and maritime infrastr. - CF		241.370.738	241.370.738	14,8
<i>Road sector</i>		206.840.911	206.840.911	
<i>Maritime sector</i>		34.529.827	34.529.827	
3. Transport infrastrucutre - ERDF	224.029.886		224.029.886	13,7
4. Municipal waste management		205.568.426	205.568.426	12,6
5. Environmental protection - water sector		325.483.339	325.483.339	19,9
<i>Collection and treatment of waste-water</i>		102.784.212	102.784.212	
<i>Drinking water supply</i>		148.466.085	148.466.085	
<i>Reduction of water damages</i>		74.233.042	74.233.042	
6. Sustainable use of energy		159.886.553	159.886.553	9,8
7. Technical assistance		29.693.221	29.693.221	1,8

OPERATIONAL PROGRAMME FOR STRENGTHENING REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT POTENTIALS 2007-2013

Main goal of OP SRDP:

**Innovative, dynamic and open Slovenia,
 with developed regions and competitive, knowledge-based economy.**

Structure of the development priorities within OP SRDP:

OP strenghtening regional development potentials	ERDF resources; euro	%
TOTAL	1.709.749.522	100
1. Competitiveness and research excellence	402.133.645	23,5
2. Economic-development infrastructure	396.934.393	23,2
3. Integration of natural and cultural resources	263.235.116	15,4
4. Development of regions	619.442.634	36,2
5. Technical assistance	28.003.734	1,6

1. Development priority: **Competitiveness of companies and research excellence**

Main goal:

Guaranteeing development-technological incentives for promotion of business and innovativeness.

Priority guidelines:

1.1 Encouraging competitive potential of enterprises and research excellence

- *integration of companies into joint projects*
- *integration of educational institutions and economy, involvement of top experts in projects*
- *interdisciplinary of development and research projects*
- *development of centres of excellence*

1.2 Encouraging entrepreneurship

- *financing to support investments of SMEs*

1.1 Encouraging competitive potential of enterprises and research excellence

Target groups:

Enterprises, groups of enterprises, research organizations and other institutions

Call for proposals:

1. “Direct incentives for joint development-investment projects – projects 2008”

(IB – Ministry of Economy, Agent – Slovenian Technology Agency)

Grants: 42.000.000,00 EUR (85% EU part, 15% SLO part)

Purpose: promotion of investments of enterprises into development activity in the frame of technological development and innovation for strengthening competitive position in the european and foreign markets and for integration and cooperation with research groups

First deadline for the submission of an application: 3.6.2008 (12.00)

2. “Strategic research-development projects – projects 2008”

(IB – Ministry of Higher Education, Science and Technology, Agent – Slovenian Technology Agency)

Procedure: in coordination

Grants: 8.764.706,00 EUR (85% EU part and 15% SLO part)

Purpose: investment incentives of enterprises into research-development activity in head of technological development and innovation for strengthening competitive position in the global market and into integration with domestic and foreign enterprises and cooperation with domestic or foreign research organisations.

3. “Direct incentives for research-development activities in companies – projects 2008”

(IB – Ministry of Economy, Agent – Public Agency of the RS for Entrepreneurship and Foreign Investments)

Procedure: in coordination

Grants: 8.000.000,00 EUR (85% EU part and 15% SLO part)

Purpose: promotion of investments of enterprises into development activity in the frame of technological development and innovation for strengthening competitive position in the slovenian, european and foreign markets.

2. Development priority: **Economic development infrastructure**

Main goal:

Contentration of knowledge and development infrastructure for increased competitiveness of economy.

Priority guidelines:

1. Economic-development-logistic centres

- *busines-industrial-logistic and development areas of national importance*
- *technology parks, business incubators*
- *university (higher education) pre-incubators and offices for transfer of technologies*
- *inter-entrepreneurial education centres (IEEC), high-educational centres*

2. Information society

- *constructing broadband networks, providing high-speed connections*
- *establishing information systems and e-services*

3. Educational-research infrastructure

- *investments into unprofitable infrastructure*
- *renovating and equipping higher education and research institutions of national importance*

3. Development priority: **Integration of natural and cultural potentials**

Main goal:

Preservation and integration of natural and cultural potentials for development of tourism and recreation.

Priority guidelines:

1. Increasing of tourism competitiveness

- *building, restoration and modernization of tourist infrastructure*
- *development of management structures*

2. Networking of cultural potentials

- *reconstruction and renovation, comprehensive revitalization and modernization of cultural monuments and public cultural infrastructure*
- *support for implementation of integrated strategies and the programmes*
- *counselling and expert help for private owners of monuments*

3. Sports-recreational infrastructure

- *public sports/recreational infrastructure*

4. Development priority: **Development of regions**

Main goal:
Balanced development of regions.

Priority guidelines:

1. Regional development programmes

- *economic and educational infrastructure*
- *transport infrastructure*
- *environmental infrastructure*
- *development of urban areas*
- *public infrastructure in areas with special environment protection regimes and in tourist areas*
- *social infrastructure*

2. Development of border areas with Croatia

- *transport, environmental and economic infrastructure along the national border with Croatia*



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Horizontal themes

- Sustainable development with the emphasis on environmental dimension
- Equal opportunities



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