



# **EUSBSR** EU STRATEGY FOR THE BALTIC SEA REGION

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Current issues in financing

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Projects made for funding programmes  
(= what can I change with funding source X?)

or

Funding programmes made for projects?  
(=how can realize/finance the wanted change?)



Search for the right funding source(s)  
fitting to your project  
but

Don't search for the right project  
fitting to a funding source!



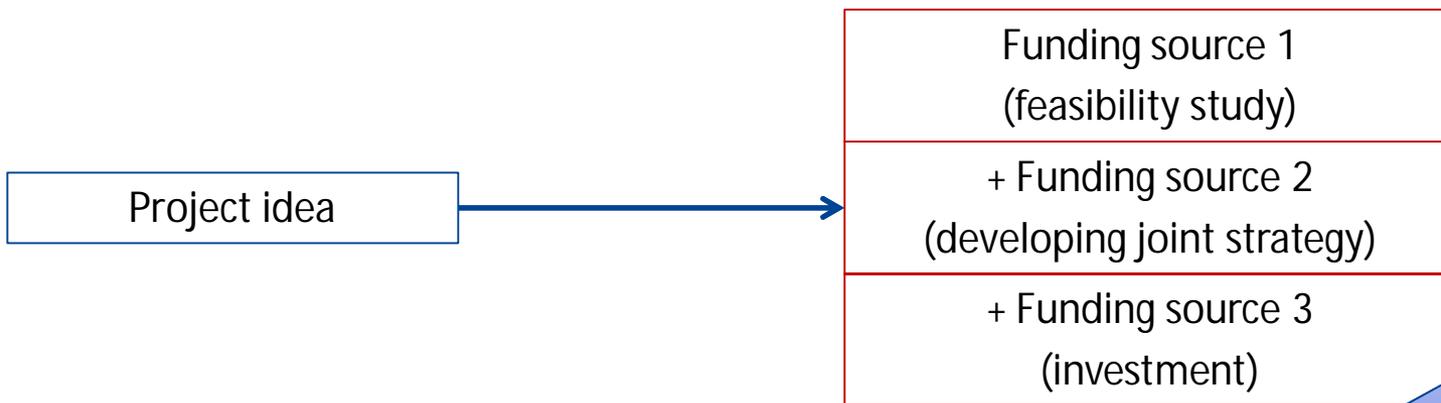
2014-2020  
Thematic  
concentration &  
Result orientation



In some cases:



In other cases:



For some, cooperation across borders  
natural (INTERREG), for some not (yet)  
(national OPs, NB! Swedish Transnational  
Cooperation Component



## Starting point: Where to find information about funding?

- [www.balticsea-region.eu/funding-sources](http://www.balticsea-region.eu/funding-sources)
- Database on funding sources to be created by beginning 2015
- Cohesion Policy Factsheets (by country)  
([http://ec.europa.eu/regional\\_policy/information/cohesion-policy-achievement-and-future-investment/index.cfm](http://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/information/cohesion-policy-achievement-and-future-investment/index.cfm))
- National ESIF websites  
(e.g. for Finland [www.tem.fi/alueiden\\_kehittaminen/eu\\_n\\_alue-\\_ja\\_rakennepolitiikka](http://www.tem.fi/alueiden_kehittaminen/eu_n_alue-_ja_rakennepolitiikka))
- Maintain a dialogue with bodies in charge of implementation of programmes/financial instruments on alignment of funding or implementation of the PA and flagship projects (Roles and Responsibilities, p. 9)



## Just to mention a few (not exhaustive!)

### Research:

BONUS Science for a better future of the BSR ([www.bonusportal.org](http://www.bonusportal.org))

Horizon 2020 Research & Innovation

([www.ec.europa.eu/programmes/horizon2020/eu](http://www.ec.europa.eu/programmes/horizon2020/eu) )

### Thematic:

LIFE Programme Environmental and nature conservation

([www.ec.europa.eu/environment/life/](http://www.ec.europa.eu/environment/life/))

European Territorial Cooperation / INTERREG:

Baltic Sea Region Programme ([www.eu.baltic.net](http://www.eu.baltic.net))

+ Technical Support (SpecObj 4.2)

Central Baltic Programme ([www.centralbaltic.eu](http://www.centralbaltic.eu))

South Baltic Programme ([www.southbaltic.eu](http://www.southbaltic.eu))



## BEST, Baltic Deal Bridge, Baltic Blue Growth, NutriTrade, SmallWWTPs - Which funding source(s) is/are the right one?

Only an idea or already developed project?

→ Seed money or directly Funding programme

What is the theme/topic of the project?

→ Thematic priorities of the funding programmes

What do you want to do?

→ Specific Objective, expected results and result indicators

→ Activities co-financed by funding programmes

Where do you want to do it?

→ Programme area

How much money do you need?

→ Funds available and average grants given

When do you need the money?

→ 2014-2020 Programmes' approval and start, timing of calls for applications



## How to start? Seed money facilities

### Fact Sheet

### Seed Money Facilities in the Baltic Sea region (2013)

[www.balticsea-region.eu/attachments/article/590644/  
Seed%20money%20schemes%202013.pdf](http://www.balticsea-region.eu/attachments/article/590644/Seed%20money%20schemes%202013.pdf)



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