



## Project factsheet - Assessment grid

PROJECT OVERVIEW	
Project Ref. No.	DRP0200569
Project title	Danube Region Programme
Acronym	DANUBE WOOD(s)ROUTE
Priority axis	3. - A more social Danube Region
SO	3.3 - CultureAndTourism
Lead partner	BSC, Business support centre L.t.d., Kranj
Lead partner country	Slovenija (SI)
Lead partner legal status	Public
Project duration	30
Total Interreg Funds	2376470.00
Total Eligible Budget	2970587.50

### Project Summary

The Danube Region is characterized by a unique richness of various forests of high ecological value still inhabiting a high biodiversity and providing numerous ecological services. At the same time the Danube Region holds also a rich cultural heritage and asset of traditional usage and application of local wood. However both assets in the Danube region are currently endangered to get lost, due to influences of anonymous global markets. This has several negative impacts, on the one hand it depreiates the rich cultural heritage across the DR and weakens the awareness and pride of it. On the other hand global markets have a negative impact on the natural resources and the opportunity of its sustainable valorisation, as they do not show responsibility for local resources together with a demand for a more limited assortment of wood. The project aims to change this and improve the frame conditions for a sustainable regional development based on the sustainable valorisation of the natural and cultural resources through a multi stakeholder process. This will be linked to the development of new ecotourism products and services as an important driving force and multiplier. Activities will include an inventory and mapping of the natural as well as cultural heritage related to forests and wood to raise awareness of the common assets of the Danube Region. The joint development of a common strategy as well as specific tools to foster a sustainable regional development combined with several regional action plans will increase the transnational colaboration between the different Danube countries. Pilot actions in the participating countries (e.g training, toolbox, crowdfunding) quality intinerary of the route will practically implement the strategy. All activities will result in the initiation of a EGTC Danube Woods cultural route. This will provide a continuous platform for mutual learning, mutual understanding, transnational colaboration and basis for connecting regional development.

### LIST OF PROJECT PARTNERS

No.	Institution name	Country	Total Interreg funds	Total eligible budget
BSC KRANJ	BSC, Business support centre L.t.d., Kranj	Slovenija (SI)	223016.00	278770.00

ISD	Institute for Sustainable Development	Slovenija (SI)	153080.00	191350.00
HVH	Holz von Hier nonprofit Ltd.	Deutschland (DE)	212800.00	266000.00
APB	Association of Parks in Bulgaria	Bulgaria (BG)	127240.00	159050.00
VEDA	Varna Economic Development Agency	Bulgaria (BG)	132000.00	165000.00
WWF RO	WWF Romania Association	România (RO)	136480.00	170600.00
RDA PK	Regional Development Agency of the Pilsen Region	#esko (CZ)	133380.00	166725.00
RDA BKP	Regional Development Agency for Bjelasica, Komovi and Prokletije	Crna Gora (ME)	119456.00	149320.00
HDK	Croatian Wood Cluster	Hrvatska (HR)	128160.00	160200.00
Fabunió	Hungarian Furniture and Wood Association	Magyarország (HU)	120000.00	150000.00
RDA P	Regional development Agency of the Presov self governing region	Slovensko (SK)	136320.00	170400.00
SMART	SMART Development Center Association	România (RO)	132892.00	166115.00
DCC	Danube competence center	Serbia (RS)	152712.00	190890.00
ZRDA	Zlatibor Regional Development Agency	Serbia (RS)	136360.00	170450.00
SERDA	Sarajevo economic region development agency	Bosnia and Herzegovina (BA)	135500.00	169375.00
NPK	National park Kozara	Bosnia and Herzegovina (BA)	49074.00	61342.50
STRIA	South Transdanubian Regional Innovation Agency	Magyarország (HU)	148000.00	185000.00
TOTAL (EUR)			2376470.00	2970587.50

#### LIST OF ASSOCIATED PARTNERS

No.	Institution name	Country
BSC KRANJ	Regional development council of Gorenjska region	Slovenija (SI)
BSC KRANJ	Tourism Bohinj	Slovenija (SI)
DCC	National Association for old and artistic handicrafts Our hands	Serbia (RS)
WWF RO	Mioritics Association	România (RO)
HVH	German association of towns and cities.	Deutschland (DE)
SERDA	Ministry of Economy of Canton Sarajevo	Bosnia and Herzegovina (BA)
DCC	National Tourism Organisation of Serbia	Serbia (RS)
HVH	AO Ecoscut	Moldova (MD)

HVH	Bavarian State Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Forestry	Deutschland (DE)
WWF RO	Maramures county destination management organisation	România (RO)
WWF RO	Ecologic association	România (RO)
APB	City region of odessos	Bulgaria (BG)
HVH	WGD Danube Upper Austria Tourism Ltd.	Österreich (AT)
RDA BKP	Rural Tourism Association – Tourism in Villages	Crna Gora (ME)
RDA PK	Destination company #eský les	#esko (CZ)
APB	Bulgarian Association for Alternative Tourism	Bulgaria (BG)
APB	Traventuria OOD	Bulgaria (BG)
APB	Club Friends of Peoples Park Rusenski Lom	Bulgaria (BG)
APB	“Vrachanski Balkan” Nature Park Directorate	Bulgaria (BG)
APB	Creativo.com EOOD	Bulgaria (BG)
APB	Municipal council of Medkovets	Bulgaria (BG)