

EVENT FOLLOW-UP REPORT

Participation to the “Improving the sustainability of maritime transport in the Adriatic Sea” event held on October 19th, 2021

Event summary

<i>Type of event</i>	<i>Online</i>
<i>Location (if physical)</i>	
<i>Date of the event</i>	<i>October 19th, 2021</i>
<i>Time/Duration</i>	<i>3 hours</i>
<i>Purpose of the event (By whom was it organized? What was the objective?)</i>	<i>The event was co-organized by the CMCC Foundation – Centro Euro-Mediterraneo sui Cambiamenti Climatici. It was a cross-fertilisation event in the framework of the E-CHAIN, GUTTA and METRO projects co-funded by the Interreg Italy-Croatia Cross-Border Cooperation Programme, describing the outcomes of the respective project activities and lessons learned.</i>
<i>Short description of the event (what happened during the event?)</i>	<i>PNAEAS introduced the main project content and preliminary outputs, underlining the need for further cooperation among all freight transport stakeholders – from the sea and land side alike – in order to reduce the environmental impact of port operations, in the light of the EU Green Deal objectives.</i>
<i>Results/Outcomes of the event (What are the takeaways from the event?)</i>	<i>Acknowledge of the different pilot actions described and their concrete expected results. At the same time, the cross-fertilization event provided new opportunities and visions to reach the same goal, to reduce the environmental impact of port operations, in the light of the EU Green Deal objectives.</i>
<i>Number of attendees</i>	<i>66</i>
<i>Type of stakeholders/target groups that were represented</i>	<i>Port Authorities, Port Operators, Logistic infrastructures, Research companies/institutes and Policy and Public Institutions.</i>

Agenda:



Improving the sustainability of maritime transport in the Adriatic Sea

Tuesday 19 October 2021, 10:00-13:00 CEST

How can the environmental sustainability of maritime transport in the Adriatic region be improved?

This is one of the goals of the Priority Axis 4 of the Italy-Croatia Cooperation Programme (i.e., INTERREG IT-HR), financed by the European Regional Development Fund.

In a compact online event, three research projects of the IT-HR Programme will dialogue to address this question. Representatives from the E-CHAIN (enhanced connectivity and harmonization of data for the Adriatic intermodal network), GUTTA (saving fuel and emissions from maritime transport in the Adriatic region), and METRO (maritime environment-friendly transport systems) will describe the outcomes of the project activities and the experiences learned during the projects. Furthermore, thanks to the participation of speakers from regulatory agencies, policymaking, industry, etc, insights about the present and the future of maritime transport regarding sustainability actions will be provided.

Working Language: English

Moderator: Marina Lalovic - Journalist at Rai – Radiotelevisione Italiana – Rainews24

Time	Title	Speaker
10:00	Welcome, opening of the event and introduction	Moderator
10:10	Institutional Greetings from Interreg VA Italy - Croatia	<i>TBD</i>
10:15	Mobility with low environmental impact	Dr. Emanuele Giglio, GMT SpA, CEO (E-CHAIN project)
10:30	Operational least-CO2 ferry routes based on metocean forecasting products	Gianandrea Mannarini, CMCC Foundation, Senior Scientist (GUTTA project)
10:45	Designing sustainable maritime transport systems	Ing. Vittorio Bucci, University of Trieste - DIA, Researcher (METRO project)
11:00	Interactive polls - I	Public
11:05	Sustainability and Technical Assistance Department of EMSA	Sergio Alda - EMSA Mercedes Garcia Horrillo - EMSA

11:25	Airborne emissions and underwater noise	Daniela Cazzola & Erica Firenze (CETENA S.p.A.)
11:45	Strategy for reducing GHG emissions in the Ports of Trieste and Monfalcone	Alberto Cozzi, Port Network Authority of the Eastern Adriatic Sea – Ports of Trieste and Monfalcone, Project Manager
12:10	Interactive polls - II	Public
12:20	Final panel with all speakers	Moderator
13:00	Conclusions	Moderator

Screenshots:

