

Energy efficiency in ports: The "European flagship action for cold ironing in ports" project findings and results

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"European flagship Action for cold iroNING in ports"

MAIN OBJECTIVE:
To accelerate the effective deployment of OPS solutions in EU maritime ports

Common EU harmonized, interoperable and sustainable framework for the deployment of Onshore Power Supply (OPS) in ports

> Port-to-vessel compatibility

Effective launch of OPS infrastructures in ports



Implementation of at least 30 installations in at least the 16 EU ports of the EALING Studies Action



Future

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Actions

Preparation of the electrical grid of the Port of Valencia for Onshore Power Supply



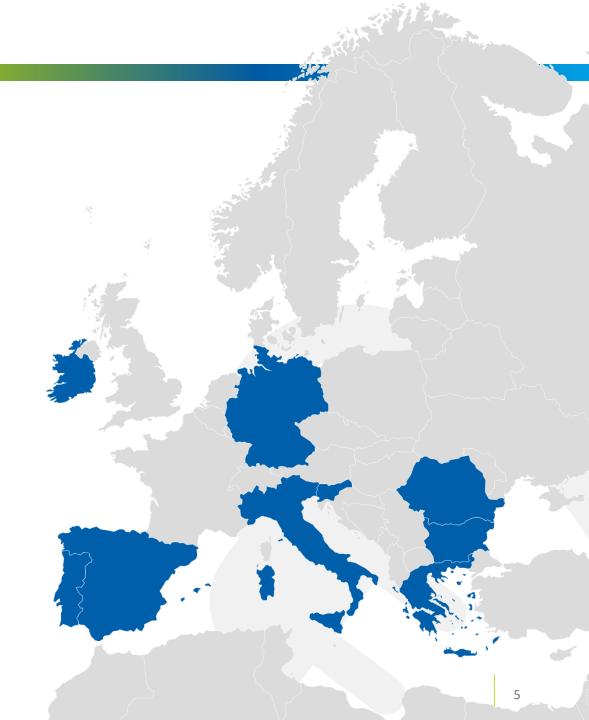
Partners and location

22 Beneficiaries from 9 EU Member States:

- 13 Port Authorities (Valencia, Barcelona, Huelva, Gijón, Venice&Chioggia, Trieste&Monfalcone, Ancona, Piraeus, Koper, Rafina, Constanta, Leixoes, Açores)
- 2 Port & Maritime Public Institutions (Bulgarian Ports Infrastructure Company; Marine Institute)
- 7 Port & Shipping related entities (Fundación Valenciaport, Circle, Ocean Finance, Symbios Funding & Consulting, Protasis, Hydrus Engineering, Fincantieri SI)



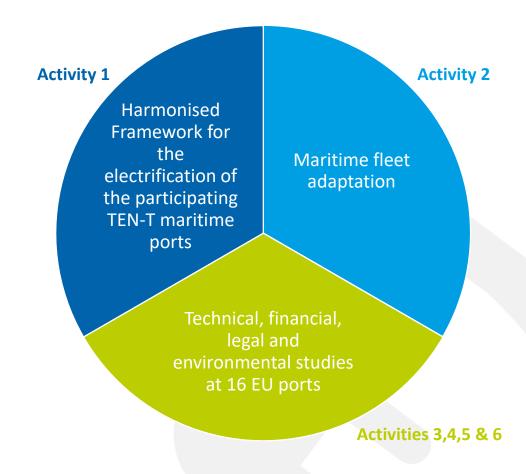






Objectives & structure

- ACTIVITY 1: Ensuring that a common harmonised and interoperable framework is brought forward, in line with the EU technical, legal and regulatory framework, in order to facilitate the implementation phase of OPS infrastructure in the ports of the consortium
- ACTIVITY 2: Ensuring the port to vessel compatibility in the TEN-T Maritime Network, for vessels calling at the ports of the consortium
- ACTIVITIES 3 TO 6: Leading all the technical, financial, legal and environmental studies necessary to launch the works for OPS equipment and infrastructure after the end of the Action









Detailed Analysis on the existing regulations related to OPS





Deliverable D1.1

Report on the detailed analysis on the existing national/port regulations directly or indirectly related to shore side electricity supply

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Final recommendations for a harmonised framework on OPS in the EU ports





Deliverable D1.2

Report on final recommendations for a harmonised framework on OPS in EU ports

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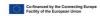


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Recommendations – policy and legal scope

- Simplify and harmonise administrative burden at the national, regional, and local levels (resulting from regulation application) to build and operate SSE infrastructures.
- Facilitate the involvement of port authorities in the development and operation of their electricity distribution system to provide the necessary quantities of electricity to their end-users.
- Increase the intensity of public funding. In this sense, the revenues raised via EU ETS could be used to fund SSE installations.
- Include tax exemption for electricity provided to vessels at berth in the revised Energy Taxation Directive.



Торіс	Recommendations – technical scope
	• There should be some standardisation or guidelines regarding the position of the SSE connection for each type of vessel.
SSE connection at vessels	• Appropriate training is needed, especially on safety aspects regarding shore-ship compatibility
vesseis	• There is a need for technical and regulatory harmonisation when implementing SSE connection on board.
	IMO guidelines under preparation are expected to provide support on these issues.
Tender processes	 Mandating joint ventures in the tender processes may not be a good approach. Experts should validate the feasibility; requirements do not need to be very detailed.
Regulations and standards	 Promoting regulatory sandboxes that allow designing and testing SSE services. Improving the international standard for Shore Connection (IEC/IEEE 80005), example including Shore side Battery Charging and Shore Power Banking.
Assessment of power demand	 Load forecasting models will be needed . Define proper power demand values to size the SSE infrastructure: Load forecasting models,and energy survey-based power demand estimation will be needed.



Recommendations – economic scope

- Develop a Cost-Benefit Analysis before implementing any SSE infrastructure to avoid the misallocation of limited resources.
- Consider the following aspects in any feasibility study): demand evaluation; customized/tailored contract; electricity pricing and opportunities; competitors; market and financial evaluation; evaluation of economic cost-benefit; and impact assessment of shore side electricity in port/local economic profile.
- Create additional funding mechanisms (e.g., maritime fund under the EU ETS) to cover a bigger part of the needed investments. Existing mechanisms (Connecting Europe Facility, Recovery Funds) are not sufficient to reach the desired deployment.
- Increase the percentage of funding in existing mechanisms. 30-40% is still too little for the important investments needed in European ports.
- Have a permanent and comprehensive EU-wide tax exemption for the use of SSE in ports under the Energy Taxation Directive, which would put it on an equal footing with electricity generated on board ships and produced from tax-free marine fuel combustion.
- Encourage the application of port fee rebates for shipping companies at the ports at the EU level.



Recommendations – environmental scope

- Promote the creation of an environmental certificate addressed to shipping lines, focused on the use of electricity when at berth, following the example of ESI, Green Award, CSI, or Blue Angel label, etc.
- Encourage the registration of ships in the Clean Shipping Index (CSI) for vessels equipped with SSE so that to rebates in the participating European ports.

Recommendations – social scope

- Incentivise, at the European Commission level, interaction, and collaboration between all the stakeholders, especially
 the shipping companies, port authorities, solution providers.
- Involve the public in the port's plans for the provision of SSE, and enhance public awareness of benefits of SSE.
- Create at the port level a specific working group involving all the operational stakeholders to ensure the proper coordination and management of the facilities.
- Work closely with universities and vocational training centres to cover the training profiles needed for SSE operations.



ACTIVITY 2: Maritime fleet adaptation

OBJECTIVE 1

Analyse the standards relevant to shipside installation for OPS for the vessels operating in the ports of the consortium.



Harmonise the port to vessel compatibility in each of the ports of the consortium

OBJECTIVE 2

Identify technical and regulatory elements to facilitate the connection of ships to OPS



Provide operational recommendations, taking IMO guidelines as a reference, for a harmonized framework on fleet electrification adaptation, leading to a final proposal to IMO.





Deliverable D2.1

Report on the analysis of the standards relevant to shipside installation for shore side electricity supply

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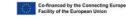




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ACTIVITIES 3, 4, 5 and 6: Technical, financial, legal and environmental studies at 16 EU ports

ACTIVITY 3

Technical studies for the electrification infrastructure of the participating TEN-T maritime ports

ACTIVITY 4

Environmental studies

ACTIVITY 5

Clean power supply plans and tender documents

ACTIVITY 6

Cost-benefit analysis and Financial blending schemes



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Front-end engineering design studies and other necessary technical studies feeding directly the tender specifications in the ports of the consortium

Environmental studies.

The scope will depend on the final needs of each port (e.g. necessary to obtain the permits on the projected works)

Clean Power Supply Plans (new elaboration or update)

SSE included in the internal strategy of the port

Tender documentation for the projected works

CBA for the necessary electrification infrastructures &

Financial blending schemes

→ Final Investment Decisions







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