



### Sustainable, multimodal and green transport corridors

Interfaces of regional development and sustainable mobility

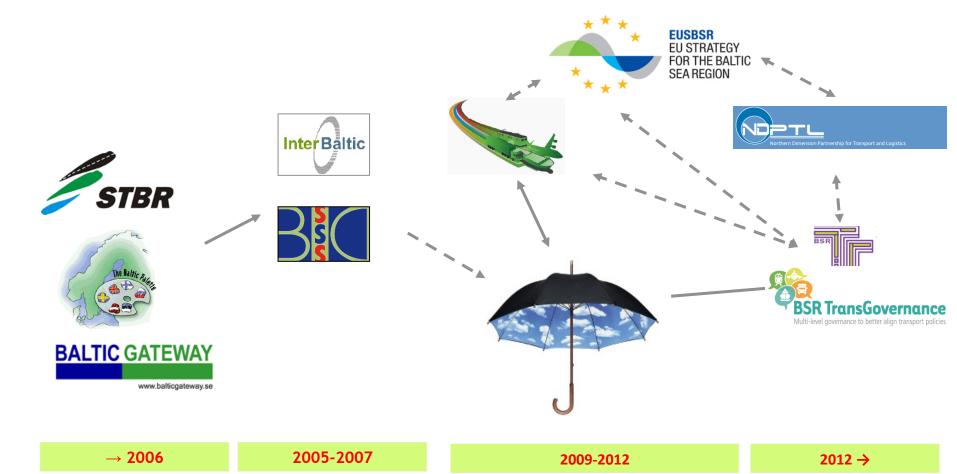
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## A few generation of territorial cooperation projects in the BSR











#### 2009 - the Green Corridor Agreement...



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- Signed in November 2009
- Input from regional level to the green corridor concept
- Harmonisation of work and mutual responsibilities till late 2012
- Several joint seminars and workshops
- Cooperation open to other corridor initiatives









#### A project-to-project networking approach led by TransBaltic



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- Purpose: streamlined project-based contribution to strategic transport planning in the BSR
- Strong in unity:
  - meeting place to jointly work on green transport solutions
  - joint events/dissemination of outcomes to the shared target audience
  - harmonised strategic documents (action plans, manuals, guidance reports etc.)
  - joint standpoints on EU transport policies

















GREEN STRING CORRIDOR























## Transformed to a formalised cluster cooperation

- Direct follow-up to the umbrella cooperation
- Funded by the BSR Programme 2007-2013
- Duration: September 2012 -September 2013
- Lead partners of 8 projects, support from other project initiatives
- Cluster leader: Region Skåne, Sweden
- Purpose: share knowledge, communicate achievements, promote specific solutions to green corridors











#### ...with a large reproduction potential

- Alliance covering whole BSR, incl. Russia and Belarus
- Represent multimodal passenger and freight perspective & measures for urban nodes
- Committed business stakeholders
- Experience in policymaking for transnational transport corridors
- Combined expertise in regional development and sustainable mobility













# A shared vision of a sustainable multimodal transport system

- Gateway for intercontinental flows and sustainable growth area
- Whole BSR (EU and neighbouring countries)
- Robust and resilient system: able to interconnect national networks and absorb future changes in routes, commodities and volumes
- Competitive relations with other macroregions in conveying East-West trade



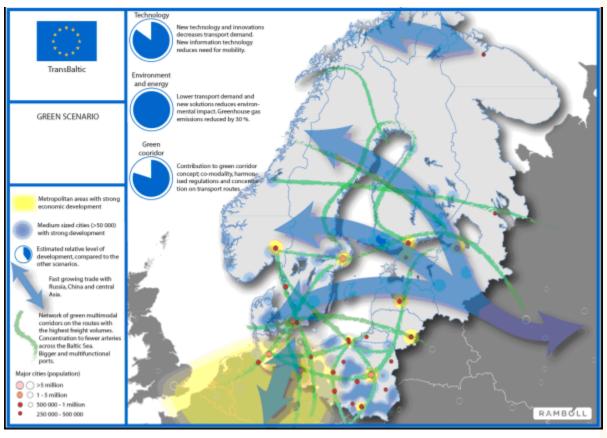








### The green scenario 2030 as a path to achieve it



- Success of transport greening policies
- Internalised transport costs and improved complementarity of the transport modes (co-modality)
- Balanced and positive economic growth; better territorial cohesion
- Diminishing disparities between the western and the eastern parts as well as between metropoles and the countryside
- Flourishing trade with the EU neighbours and the Far East
- Urban centres and transport hubs located on international routes to benefit from developments
- Network of sustainable, multimodal and green transport corridors as a territorial projection









# Network of sustainable, multimodal and green transport corridors

- Geographical, geopolitical and socio-economic specificity
- Traditional bottom-up approach to corridor development, strong role of market players
- Corridors following intercontinental supply chains
- Already ongoing multi-level governance processes, emerging structures
- Streamlining actions with the NDPTL (project pipeline, macroregional flow forecasting model, greening policies)
- Available business models and policy measures delivered by transnational projects
- Developed and tested solutions for managing TEN-T core network corridors











#### Avoiding the worst: what to focus upon...

- Make transport corridors greener but at the same time more attractive for the users (reliability, reduced congestion and low operational cost)
- Take care of market response and public acceptance
- Carry out communication campaigns
- Promote available business models
- Target corridor performance (harmonise, supervise and repair failures)
- Install dedicated governance models
- Develop preparedness measures to mitigate black swan events













### Take and apply the accumulated knowledge!

Blueprints = transport greening solutions, which stem from the market needs, are developed with the business stakeholders and which are beneficial for the sustainable regional growth

- Based on real business cases
- Applicable to TEN-T core network corridors and other links
- Examples:
  - green corridor manual & information broker system
  - ICT tools (public travel planner, air cargo information system)
  - sustainable energy programme
  - logistics learning programme
  - common service model for logistics centres
  - new multimodal chains/blocktrains, alternative vehicle fuels for long distance transport, duo-trailer based dry port etc.























#### Thank you for your attention!

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