



Coherent Linear Infrastructures
in Baltic Maritime Spatial Plans

Short introduction to Baltic LINES

Energy and MSP Challenge in the project

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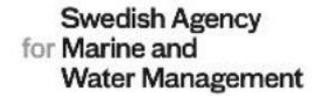
Funded by Interreg
Baltic Sea Region
Programme

Duration: March 2016 - February 2019

15 partners, 9 countries

Baltic LINES partnership

Lead partner



BUNDESAMT FÜR SEESCHIFFFAHRT UND HYDROGRAPHIE



Finnish Transport Agency



All Baltic countries incl. Russia involved!

Baltic LINES aims to

- increase transnational coherence of linear infrastructure, e.g. shipping routes and **energy corridors**, in Maritime Spatial Plans (MSP) in the Baltic Sea Region (BSR)
- prevent cross-border mismatches and secure transnational connectivity as well as efficient use of Baltic Sea space

Key drivers for Blue Growth



SHIPPING



ENERGY

Key questions

What are the sectoral spatial needs – now and in future?

How can we plan consistently across borders?

Main outputs

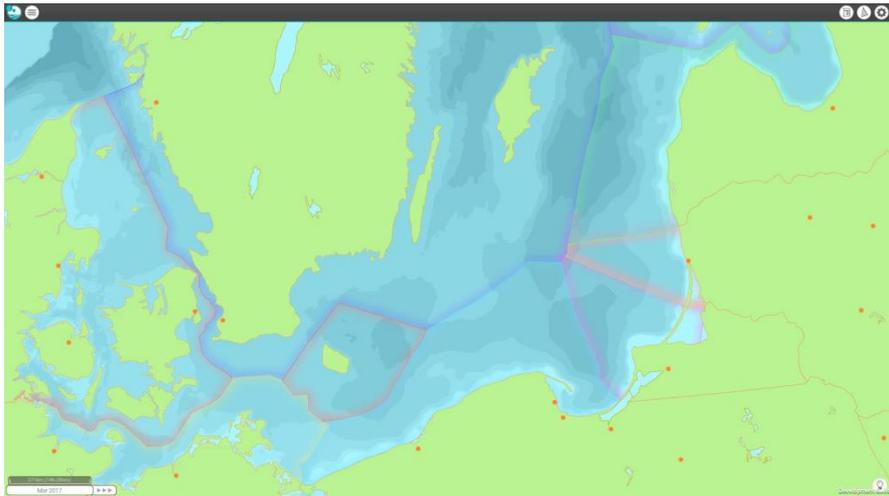
Prototype of a pan-Baltic MSP spatial data infrastructure for shipping and energy

Future conditions for MSP for shipping and energy identified

Suggestions of transnationally coherent planning solutions for linear infrastructures

Recommendations for a formalised agreement on transboundary MSP consultations on linear infrastructure

Stakeholders' involvement to think about future marine energy development and spatial needs

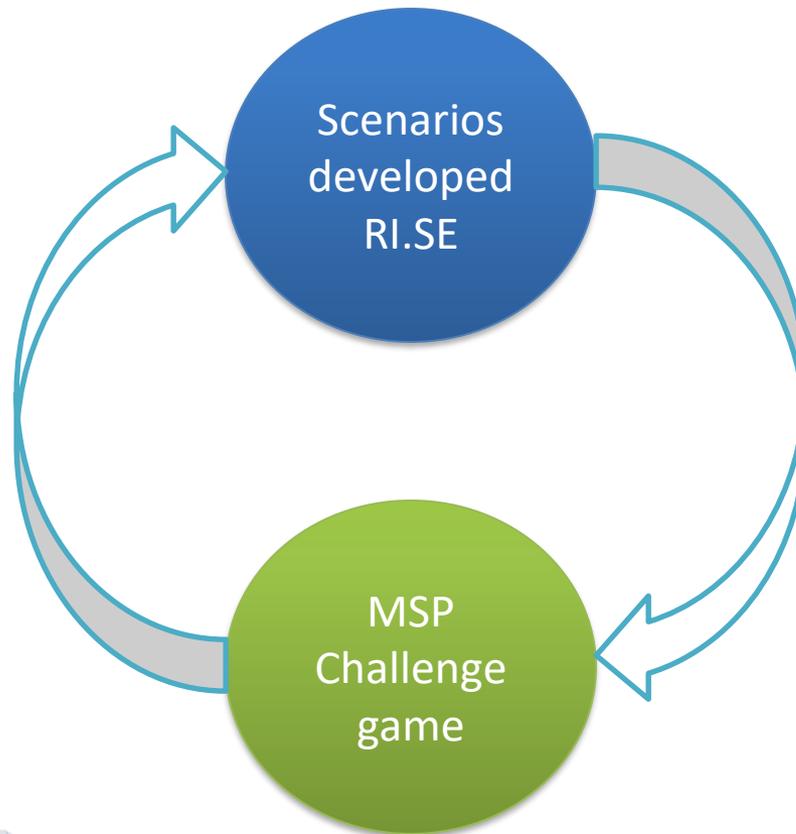


-experts to discuss the demands from the renewable energy sector (energy targets, future trends of the energy sector and grid/interconnectors)

-together think of the best spatial solutions

-results visualized with the help of the MSP Challenge software and integrated in the project's final recommendations.

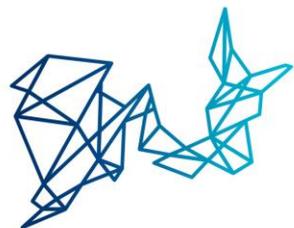
The application





History of the transnational MSP Challenge workshops

- For shipping stakeholders: Riga, January 2018
- **For energy stakeholder: today and tomorrow**
- For shipping + energy stakeholders: Hamburg, February 2019



**Connecting
— Seas —**

*NorthSEE - Baltic LINES
MSP conference*

Save the date!

13 – 14 February 2019
Hamburg, Germany