

Baltic Sea Region Programme 2014-2020 - Indicative time plan for the programming process

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Activities/milestones	Nov-12	Dec-12	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	May-13	Jun-13	Jul-13	Aug-13	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Early 2014
3rd JPC meeting, Riga, Latvia (linked to MC meeting): (Pre-) decision on thematic focus, discussion on involvement of private partners and future management and control system.	27.-28.11.														
Main programme drafting phase															
Drafting priority axes on thematic priorities innovation, environment and transport, incl. objectives, type of actions (e.g. investments), beneficiaries and target groups (incl. possible private participation) + development of proposals for the future support measures for the EUSBSR;															
Meeting of the Programming Task Force on content related topics					5-6.03.										
Updating draft priority axes based on feedback received during Programming Task Force meeting															
Three Thematic Programming Workshops on thematic priority axes						15-26.04.									
Meeting of the Programming Task Force on financial topics							6.-7.05.								
Developing (complete) draft of the Programme Document															
First (complete) draft of Programme Document															
SEA scoping procedure															
4th JPC meeting, Estonia (linked to MC meeting): Approval of first (complete) draft Programme Document								11-12.06.							
Draft evaluation report															
Public consultation process for the draft Programme Document; national hearings															
Public consultation for draft SEA report															
Proposals for amendment of draft Programme Document based on: ex-ante evaluation, SEA and public consultations															
Meeting of the Programming Task Force : Discussing amendments of draft Programme Document															
Final draft of Programme Document															
5th JPC meeting, Estonia (possibly linked to MC meeting): Approval of the final Programme Document															
Final ex-ante and SEA report															
National approval procedure in all countries, written national confirmation to programme content and necessary cofinancing															
Submission of Programme Document to Commission															
Accreditation of MA / Launch of the new Programme															

	activities of the programming bodies
	public involvement events
	preparatory work of programme document
	ex-ante and SEA process
	interaction with the European Commission