



**Prevention, Preparedness and Response to Natural and
Man-made Disasters in the EaP Countries - PPRD East 2**

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Programme's Overview

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PPRD East Programme

Phase 1 - duration:

December 2010 – September 2014

Funding: EUR 6 M

Phase 2 - duration:

December 2014 – November 2018

Funding: EUR 5,5 M



Purposes:

- to strengthen Partner Countries' civil protection capacities for disaster prevention, preparedness and response
- to strengthen regional cooperation and bring the Partner Countries progressively closer to the EU Civil Protection Mechanism



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Phase I achievements related to industrial hazards

- SEVESO Directive II and SEVESO Directive III translated to Russian (<http://phase1.pprdeast2.eu/en/eu-documents.html>)
- Study tour and workshop on SEVESO II Directive, Poland in February 2012
- Regional Workshop Moldova April 2013
- 2 Sub-regional Workshops in Kiev September 2013 and Minsk December 13
- Final Exchange of Experts in Brasov, Romania 28 April - 1 May 2014 – visiting 2 industrial facilities, Internal Emergency Plan and External Emergency Plan were tested



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Company's fire-fighting brigade is tackling fire, however due to extent of the explosion also External Emergency Plan (EEP) had to be tested



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Evacuation of people from passing train hit by the explosion from the industrial facility



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Treatment of wounded persons from train and from passing cars by paramedic service



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More than 150 people of local competent authorities/inspection team participated in the test of the External Emergency Plan



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PPRD East 2 results

- A. In the Partner Countries **institutional and legal framework** on disaster management and prevention is **improved** and **approximated to the *EU acquis*** and best practice;
- B. The **Partner Countries** and **Participating States** of the EU Civil Protection Mechanism **cooperate closely** through regular exchanges of information, expertise and best practices, trainings, table-top exercises and a **joint regional exercise**;
- C. The **Electronic Regional Risk Atlas**, developed under PPRD East Phase I is **further developed** and **put in practical use** by Partner Countries;
- D. The **awareness** about disasters (natural and man-made), their prevention and response, is **improved** in the Partner Countries, **amongst civil protection professionals, volunteers** and within the **population in general**.



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PPRD East 2 approach

Legal Approximation and Institutional Sustainability

- sharing information, expertise, and working knowledge
- undertaking situation analyses
- assisting in drafting national primarily and secondary legislation (Laws, SOPs, methodologies, technical guidance), national strategies, respective action plans

Capacity Building

- Civil Protection Training Courses, Table-Top Exercises, Full Scale Field Exercise
- Thematic Workshops, On-Job Trainings
- Study tour, Exchange of Experts, EU CP Forum



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

Situation analyses, recommendations, road maps - updated Country Profile (Chapters)

- Civil Protection Profile (Phase 1)
- Uptake on Phase 1 recommendations (Phase1)
- Flood Risk Management (FRM)
- Disaster Risk Assessment (DRA)
- Disaster Loss Data (DLD)
- Inclusion of disaster risk reduction in public spending
- Host Nation Support chapter (HNS, Phase 1)
- Civil Protection Volunteerism (CPV)
- Raising Awareness about Disasters (RAD, Phase 1)
- Data and information sharing and INSPIRE Directive
- Electronic Regional Risk Atlas (ERRA, Phase 1)



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

6 updated Country Profiles

(all available at <http://pprdeast2.eu/en/>)



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

Steering Committee members and National Programme Coordinators appointed

Partner Countries selected thematic “priorities”

All National Thematic Focal Points appointed – 31 national experts

Establishment of thematic National Inter-ministerial Working Groups – 18 WGs established, 5 WGs yet to be established



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

Regional Guidelines on Flood Risk Management (Eng/Rus)

Draft Flood Risk Management Protocol for Trans-Boundary Dniester River Basin

Draft Regional Guidelines to Develop National Communication Strategy for Raising Awareness about Disasters (Eng/Rus)



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

Regional Capacity Building

3 rounds of National Programme Coordinators and Steering Committee meetings

EU Floods Directive, Disaster Risk Assessment, DLD Collection and Processing Regional Workshops

2 ERRA Regional Workshops

EU CP Forum 2015

4 BAT, 2 OPM and 1 ADT Training Courses

Lessons Learnt Regional Workshop



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

Regional Capacity Building (cont.)

Regional Workshop on Raising Awareness about Disasters

Regional Workshop on Cooperation with Journalists

Civil Protection Volunteerism Study Tour

3 rounds of National Advisory Group/Country Advisory Groups meetings

EoE Barents Rescue Exercise Finland 2015

EoE SEQUANA Exercise France 2016

EoE Forest Fire Fighting Management System Austria 2016



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

Armenia

- Thematic “priorities” selected: FRM, DRA, DLD, ERRA, RAD, HNS
- RAD, HNS WGs established; FRM, DLD WGs yet to be established
- 211 participations (140+71) at 29 (25+4) events
- National DRR Strategy is being revised to include systematic DRA
- Governmental Decree on HNS developed and adopted by the Government on 3 February 2017
- existing legislation on the status of volunteer rescuers amended and several decrees approving preparation of training programmes for volunteer rescuers issued



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

Azerbaijan

- Thematic “priorities” selected: FRM, DRA, ERRA, RAD, ~~CPV~~, ~~HNS~~
- FRM, DRA, RAD WGs yet to be established
- 180 participations (131+49) at 29 (25+4) events



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

Belarus

- Thematic “priorities” selected: RAD, HNS, CPV, ERRA
- RAD, CPV WGs established
- 175 participations (101+74) at 31 (25+6) events
- EoE Belarus Institute for Retraining and Professional Development (MES) to Czech Republic General Directorate of Fire Rescue Service, 29 February – 4 March 2016
- HNS elements implemented through the Gov. Resolution № 450 "On some issues of management of emergency situation liquidation" dated 13 June 2016
- National Communication Strategy on RAD under development
- several legislative acts addressing CPV are being approved or revised



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

Georgia

- Thematic “priorities” selected: FRM, DRA, DLD, ERRRA, HNS, INSPIRE
- DLD, HNS WGs established
- 211 participations (109+102) at 30 (25+5) events
- new Water Code in line with EUFD is being developed by MNERP
- the Reform Agenda of the Natural Hazard Loss Assessment and Recovery System of Georgia has been adopted by DLD WG
- Draft Governmental Decree on HNS developed by EMA and submitted to the Government for adoption



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

Moldova

- Thematic “priorities” selected: FRM, *DRA*, DLD, ERRA, RAD, CPV, HNS
- FRM, *DRA*, DLD, RAD, CPV, HNS WGs established
- 290 participations (156+134) at 34 (25+9) events
- EoE MD CPESS to IT DPC, 8 - 11 September 2015
- institutional capacity of river basin councils on FRM is being strengthened by MoE
- Action Plan for DLD adopted by DLD WG
- Draft Governmental Decree on HNS developed and submitted to the Government for adoption
- National Communication Strategy on RAD under development by RAD WG
- draft regulation on CPV developed



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

Ukraine

- Thematic “priorities” selected: *FRM*, DRA, DLD, ERRA, RAD, CPV, HNS
- FRM*, DRA, DLD, RAD, CPV, HNS WGs established
- 207 participations (134+73) at 32 (25+7) events
- EoE Lviv State University to Estonian Academy of Security Sciences, 23 – 27 November 2015
- National Water Code amended to reflect EUFD; respective draft methodologies developed
- Regulation on Risk Management Organization is being harmonised with the EU DRA Guidelines by SES
- Action Plan for DLD adopted by DLD WG



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

60 (25 regional/35 national) events in the period December 2014 – March 2017

Total number of participants: **1,452**

Civil protection/disaster risk management authorities: **744**

National Governmental institutions and other stakeholders: **708**



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Achievements and Accomplishments 2014-2017

Cooperation and coordination with other projects, initiatives and organisations

- Civil Protection EoE Programme
- EADRCC NATO
- APENA Project Ukraine
- OSCE Project “Climate Change and Security in the Dniester River Basin” Ukraine and Moldova
- World Bank “National Disaster Risk Management Program” Armenia
- UNICEF “Children Participation in DRR” Armenia
- Fire Rescue Service of the Czech Republic “Improvement of fighting power and professional competence of the Moldovan fire-fighters”
- Secretariat of the Convention on the Trans-boundary Effects of Industrial Accidents at the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe
- EU funded-project "Improved Emergency Preparedness & Coordinated Response in South Caucasus" implemented by the Danish Red Cross



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2017-2018 Activities

Legal approximation and institutional sustainability

- flood risk management (AM, AZ, GE, MD, *UA*)
 - 1st MD FRM WG meeting held on 22 March 2017
- disaster risk assessment (AM, AZ, GE, *MD*, *UA*)
- disaster loss data collection and processing (AM, GE, MD, *UA*)
- host nation support (AM, BY, GE, MD, *UA*)
- civil protection volunteerism (BY, MD, *UA*)
- raising awareness about disasters (AM, AZ, BY, MD, *UA*)
 - 1st BY RAD WG meeting held on 14 March 2017



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2017-2018 Activities

Regional capacity building

- Advance Training Course 15-19 May 2017
- Regional Workshop on Civil Protection Volunteerism in May 2017
- Regional Workshop on Flood Risk Management in July 2017
- EU CP Forum 21-22 November 2017 (TBC)
- Support EoE Programme
 - AZ-DK Search and Rescue 19-22 April 2017
 - GE-SL Disaster Loss Data May 2017
 - AM-DE Raising Awareness about Disaster (?)
 - MD-SL Disaster Loss Data (TBC)
 - MD-RO Disaster Risk Assessment (TBC)



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2017-2018 Activities

EU MOLDEX 2017

- 1st Planning Conference 1-2 March 2017 ☒
- Regional Table-Top Exercise 28-29 March 2017 ☒
- 2nd Planning Conference 14-15 June 2017
- EU MOLDEX 2017 18-21 September 2017
- Lesson Learnt Seminar early 2018 (TBC)



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EU MOLDEX 2017

Objectives

- ▶ Cooperation
- ▶ Coordination
- ▶ Communication
- ▶ Host Nation Support



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EU MOLDEX 2017

Participants:

- ▶ Teams of up to 24 persons from each Partner Country
 - To include Team Leader and Liaison Officer
- ▶ Teams from 3 EUCPM Participating States are confirmed
 - Czech Republic, Denmark and Romania
- ▶ EUCP Team
- ▶ Team trainers
- ▶ Evaluators
- ▶ Observers, VIPs VVIPs
- ▶ Media (players and real), including during the RTTX



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EU MOLDEX 2017

Status of participation (number of persons):

	BY	AR	UA	AZ	MD	GE	CZ	DK	RO	EU
Team Leader	1		1	1		2		1		
Fire Fighting/Rescue	14		4		OK?	7				
USAR		17	4	14	OK?	7		20		
Climbers / rope rescue						7				
Flood Rescue				4	OK?					
Chemical/HAZMAT (CBRN)	6	5	3	3	OK?		14		6	
Decontamination			3						6	
Dog handlers			4		OK?					
OSOCC Liaison	?	2	?	2	OK	1		2		5
Logistics/drivers	2		5		OK			1		



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Q&A?



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