

# Transboundary EIA procedure for the Baltic Pipe project

**Good practice case study and lessons learned**

## **Seminar on sustainable infrastructure**

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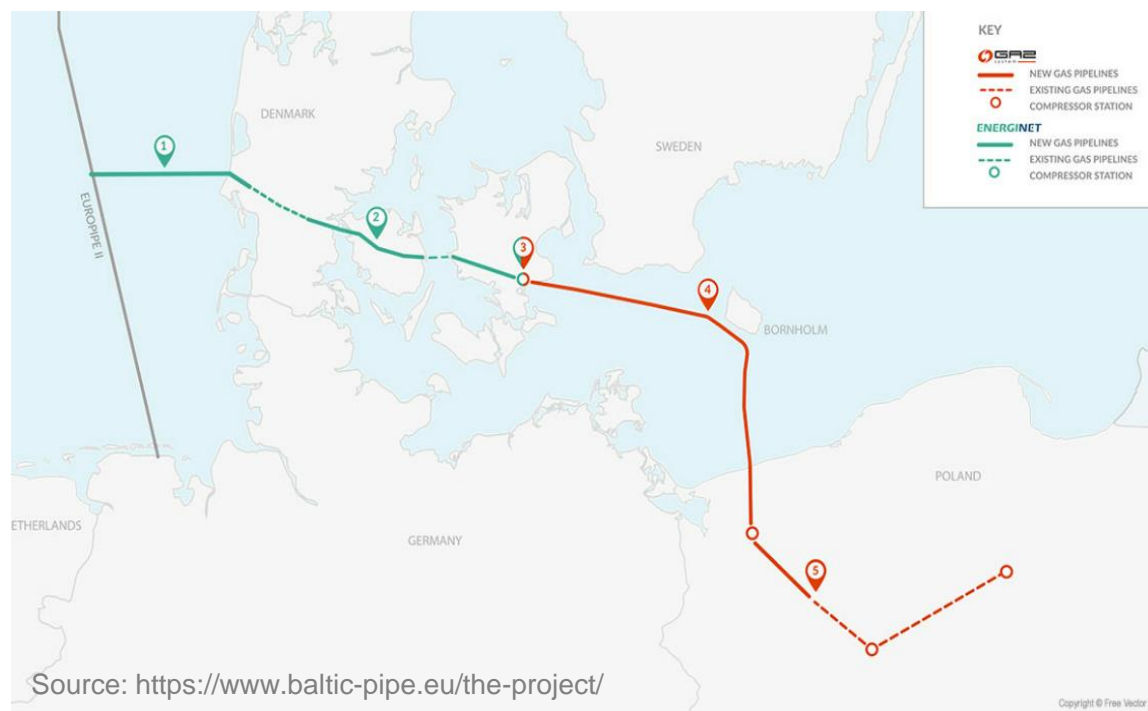
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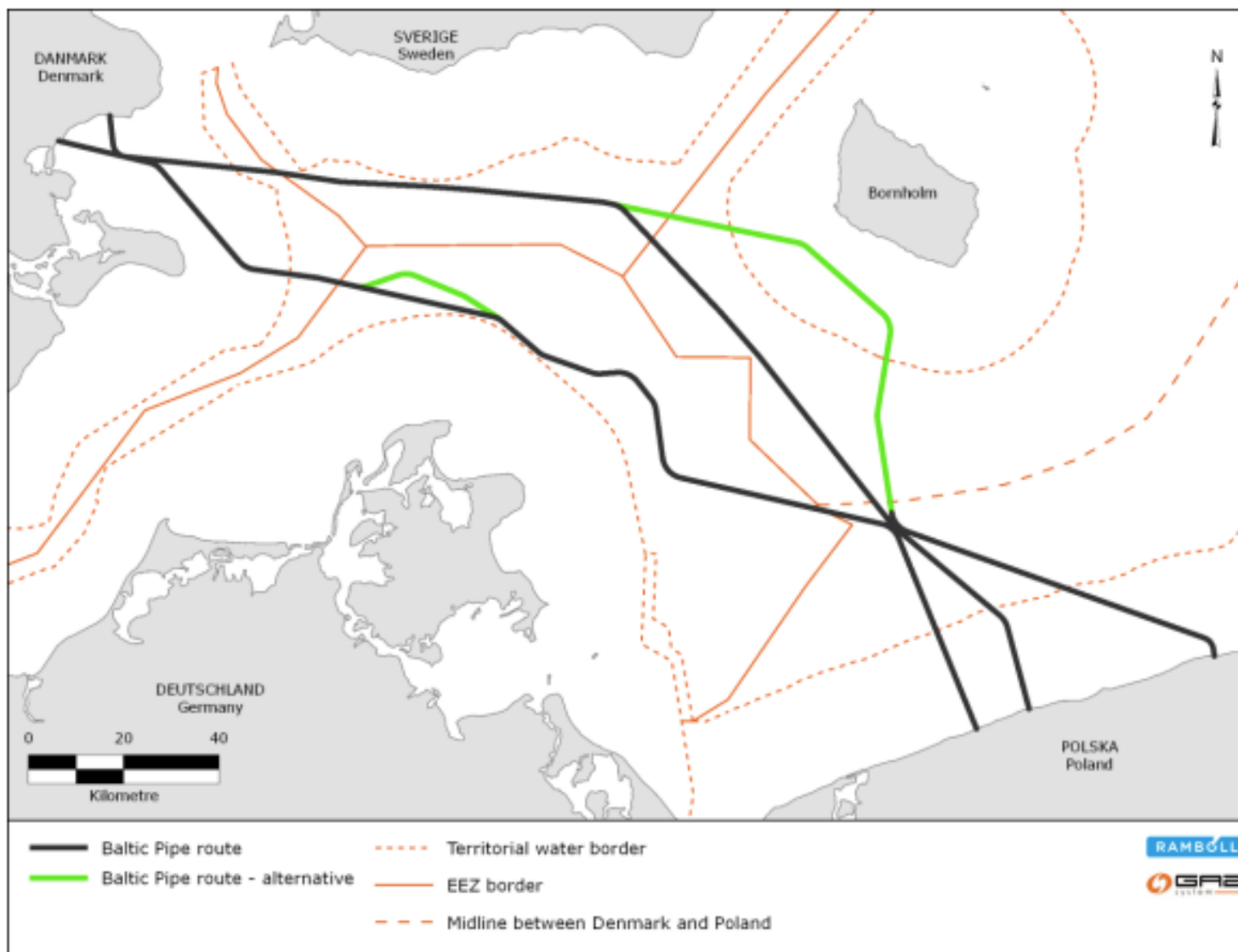
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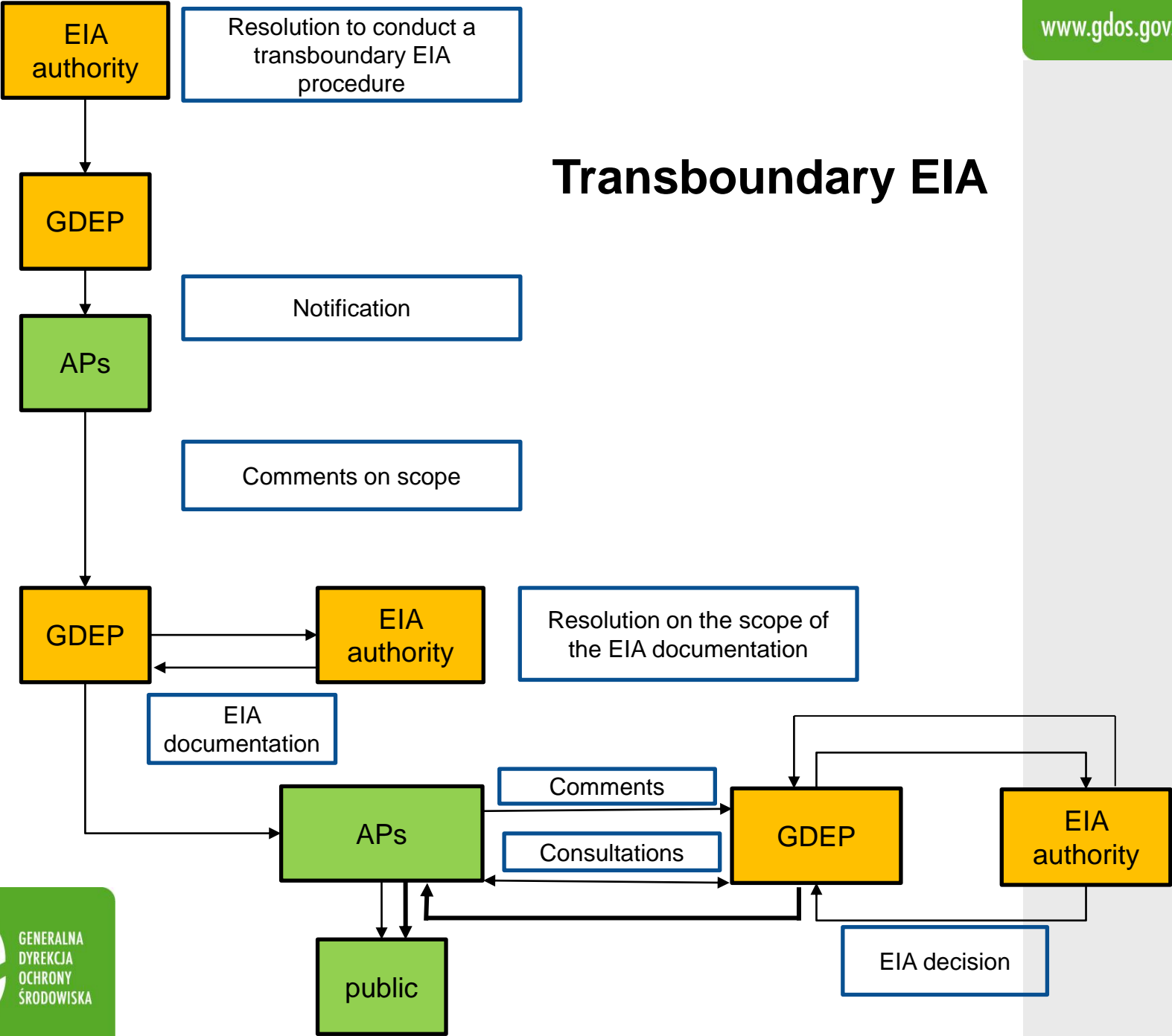
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# Challenges

- National EIA procedures
- Notifications
- Deadlines
- EIA report requirements
- Public participation
- Comments
- Final decisions

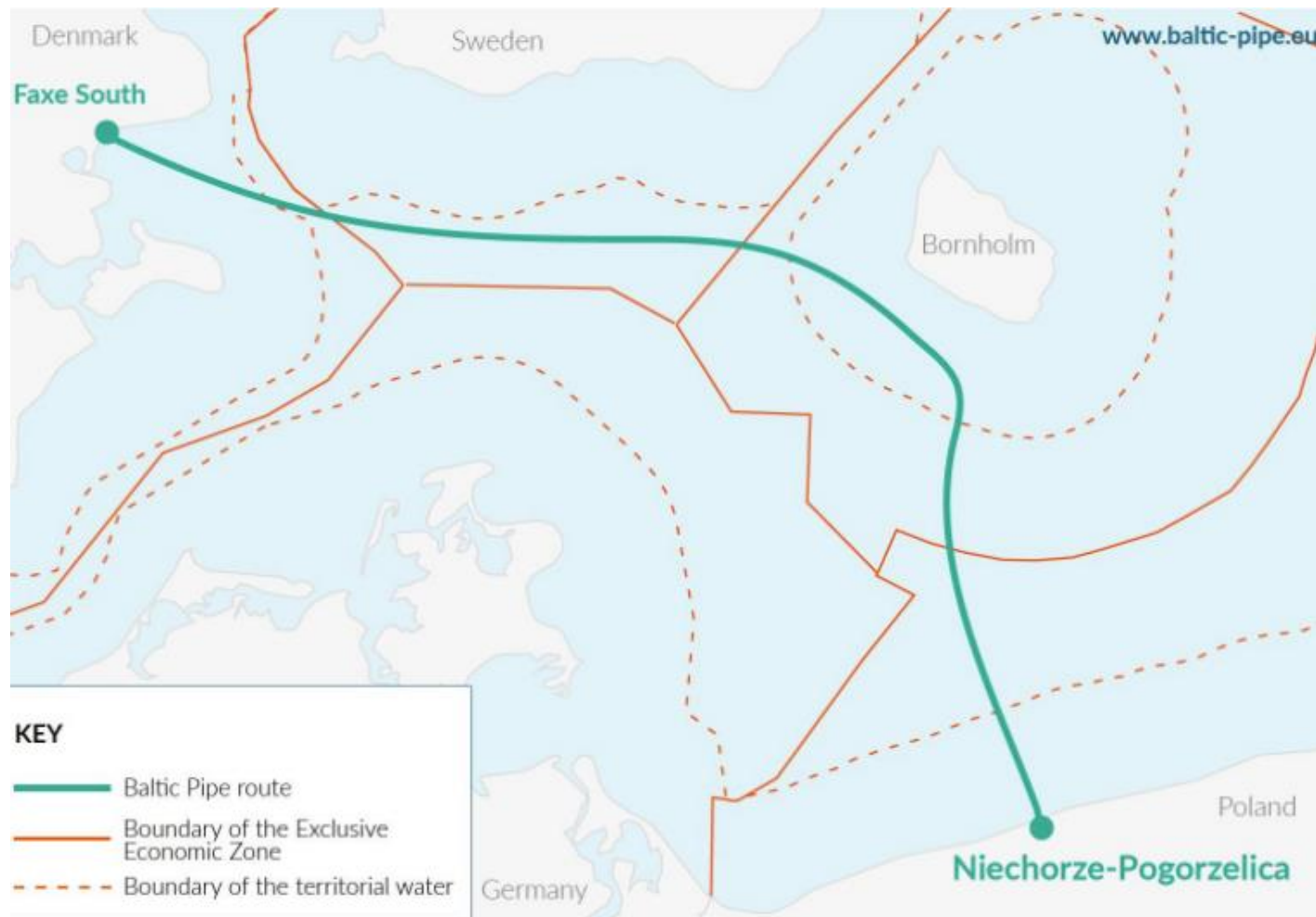
# Transboundary EIA



# Solutions

- Meetings of the Espoo Points of Contact and Administrative Matters
- Coherence
- Joint scoping document
- Notification
- Other Baltic Sea countries
- Public participation
- EIA documentations and Espoo report
- Public participation
- Translations
- Decisions

# Conclusions



Source: <https://www.baltic-pipe.eu/the-project/>



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