

Status Report Europe

Cooperation between 13 (16) countries

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European inland waterways

- 41.000 kilometres
- 20 EU Members States
- Connecting many cities and seaports (Rotterdam, Antwerp, Hamburg)

Classification of European Inland Waterways

CEMT Class I-VII

- 13 EU Members States + 4 non-EU Member States interconnected waterways (4 Switzerland, Serbia, Moldova and Ukraine)
- Approximately 11.000 inland vessels
- 116 billion tonkilometer in 2023



European inland waterways

-  IENC Obligation for CEMT IV and higher (RIS Directive 2005)
-  16.208 kilometres produced
-  2.214 km still planned
-  Free to download on <https://www.eurisportal.eu>



Inland ECDIS – software manufacturers



SWISS RADAR

Information exchange



13 EU Member States joined forces for **River Information Services** (cfr PIANC RIS Guidelines 2023):



RIS Functions



RIS Operational Services



RIS Technical Services:



Electronic Reporting



Vessel Tracking and Tracing



Notices Skippers



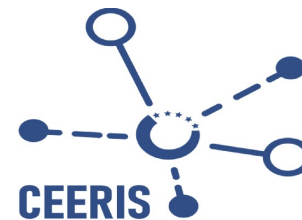
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Information exchange between waterway authorities, logical partners and other stakeholders.



Result:



Central & Eastern European Reporting Information System



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CEERIS – Electronic reporting



Crossing borders of Danube countries



Administrative burden!



Many forms to fill in



Joint digital platform developed



Reporting only once



Austria, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Hungary, Croatia,
Romania, Serbia, Bulgaria



Germany will join in 2026



<https://ceeris.eu>



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EuRIS – Information sharing



Joint digital platform developed for information sharing:



Waterway information and actual status of:



Waterway gauges



Bridges, locks



Berths, terminals



Regulations



Notices to Skippers



Voyage planning



Vessel tracking



Available in 11 different languages



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Thank you!

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