



# Information on the National co-financing Systems

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## 1. Overview of national co-financing systems

Under the Danube Transnational Programme, projects are co-financed by ERDF and IPA Funds. **The co-financing rate per partner is 85%** for each ERDF and IPA partners. The remaining budget (15%) can be covered by the following sources:

- **State contribution** (where applicable) and/or
- Own sources (can be public or private) of the project participant and/or
- Other contribution (e.g. regional/local/other sources)

This document contains **summary information on the national co-financing systems** for the following reason:

**State contribution has to be indicated in the Application Form only in case the Partner State provides national public contribution at state level for the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee, and therefore the amount is covered in total or partially by the state.**

**Please note, that this document is prepared only for information purposes and does not constitutes part of the relevant call for proposals.**

**For more detailed information on the national co-financing systems and rules to be applied at national level, the contact persons provided in the document or the National Contact Points (NCPs) should be contacted before submission of the Application Form.**

## 2. National co-financing systems in the Partner States

### Partner State: AUSTRIA

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Austria?	NO
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
<p><b>AUSTRIA DOES NOT PROVIDE STATE CONTRIBUTION.</b></p> <p>There is no automatic public co-financing system provided by the Austrian state. Therefore, Austrian Project Partners have to ensure the national co-financing (15% of their project budget) by their own (public or private) sources and/or other contribution (e.g. national/regional/local/other sources).</p>

<b>SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM</b>		
<b>1.</b>	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>2</b>	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>3</b>	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>4</b>	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>5</b>	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>6</b>	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>7</b>	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>9</b>	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	amount of the state contribution to be provided?	
<b>10</b>	<p>At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?</p> <p>Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:</p> <p>Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:</p>	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>11</b>	If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>

## Partner State: BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Bosnia and Herzegovina?	NO
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
<p><b>BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA DOES NOT PROVIDE STATE CONTRIBUTION.</b></p> <p>Each Project Partner has to ensure 15% co-financing from public or private (its own) sources.</p>

SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM		
1.	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
2	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the	<b>Not Applicable</b>



	Monitoring Committee:	
<b>3</b>	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>4</b>	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>5</b>	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>6</b>	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>7</b>	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>9</b>	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>10</b>	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?  Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:	
<b>11</b>	If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>

## Partner State: BULGARIA

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Bulgaria?	YES
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Responsible national institution for state contribution:	
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
<p>After signing of the Partnership Agreement by the project partners and the Subsidy contract for the project between the Lead Partner and the Managing Authority /Joint Secretariat of the Danube Transnational Programme each Bulgarian project partner, who has indicated state contribution in the Application form can send a request to "Territorial Cooperation Management" Directorate for concluding a contract for national co-financing.</p> <p>Bulgarian Ministry of Regional Development and Public Works, acting as National Authority on the implementation of the Danube Transnational Programme, can conclude a contract with each Bulgarian Beneficiary/Partner for providing national co-financing from the state budget up to 15 % of the Bulgarian partner budget in the project upon request and submission of the necessary documents in accordance with the national rules.</p>

SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM		
1.	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>NO</b>
2	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>NO</b>
3	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	Bulgarian Ministry of Regional Development and Public Works, acting as National Authority on the implementation of the Danube Transnational Programme, can conclude a contract with each Bulgarian Beneficiary/Partner for providing national co-financing from the state budget up to 15 % of the Bulgarian partner budget in the project <b>upon request and submission of the necessary documents</b> in accordance with the national rules.
4	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>YES</b>
5	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
6	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	With Decision of the Ministers Council №658 from 18 September 2014 the maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget is <b>15%</b> .

<b>7</b>	<p>Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?</p> <p>If NOT, it is different in following cases:</p>	<p><b>Yes</b>, the state contribution rate is the same for each PP as long as it is stated in the Application form.</p> <p>There might be an exception, if the PP decides to provide own contribution.</p>
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>9</b>	<p>Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?</p> <p>If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?</p>	<p><b>YES</b></p> <p><b>80% advance payment</b> of the 15% national co-financing after signing a contract for national co-financing with the Ministry of Regional Development and Public Works upon request for payment by the Bulgarian Lead/Project partner to the TCM Directorate.</p>
<b>10</b>	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?	
	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:	<b>NO</b>
	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:	<b>NO</b>
<b>11</b>	If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:	The Ministry of Regional Development and Public Works provides <b>80% advance payment</b> of the 15% national co-financing <b>after signing a contract for national co-financing</b> between the Bulgarian

	<p>project partner and the Ministry of Regional Development and Public Works <b>and upon a request for payment</b> to the TCM Directorate by the partner.</p> <p><b>Final balance</b> of the national co-financing is <b>paid following authorisation of the final reimbursement</b> of ERDF to the project partner concerned by the MA/JS.</p> <p>If the Bulgarian project partner <b>does not submit a request for advance payment</b>, the national co-financing <b>will be calculated</b> on the basis of the partner certified costs <b>as final balance payment</b>.</p>
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## Partner State: CROATIA

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Croatia?	NO
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
<p><b>CROATIA DOES NOT PROVIDE STATE CONTRIBUTION</b></p> <p>Croatian Project Partners have to ensure the national co-financing (15% of their project budget) by their own (public or private) sources and/or other contribution (e.g. regional/local/other sources).</p>

SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM		
1.	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
2	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	Monitoring Committee:	
<b>3</b>	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>4</b>	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>5</b>	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>6</b>	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>7</b>	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>9</b>	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>10</b>	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?  Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:	<b>Not Applicable</b>



	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:	
<b>11</b>	If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>

## Partner State: CZECH REPUBLIC

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Czech Republic?	NO
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
<p><b>CZECH REPUBLIC DOES NOT PROVIDE STATE CONTRIBUTION</b></p> <p>Czech Project Partners have to ensure the national co-financing (15% of their project budget) by their own (public or private) sources and/or other contribution (e.g. regional/local/other sources).</p>

SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM		
1.	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
2	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at</b>	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	<b>national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	
<b>3</b>	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>4</b>	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>5</b>	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>6</b>	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>7</b>	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>9</b>	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>10</b>	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?  Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	<p>Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:</p> <p>Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:</p>	
<b>11</b>	<p>If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:</p>	<b>Not Applicable</b>

## Partner State: GERMANY

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Germany?	NO
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
<p><b>GERMANY DOES NOT PROVIDE STATE CONTRIBUTION.</b></p> <p>German Project Partners have to ensure the national co-financing (15% of their project budget) by their own (public or private) sources and/or other contribution (e.g. regional/local/other sources).</p>

SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM		
1.	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
2	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at</b>	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	<b>national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	
<b>3</b>	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>4</b>	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>5</b>	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>6</b>	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>7</b>	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>9</b>	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>10</b>	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?  Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	<p>Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:</p> <p>Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:</p>	
<b>11</b>	<p>If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:</p>	<b>Not Applicable</b>

## Partner State: HUNGARY

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Hungary?	YES
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Responsible national institution for state contribution:	
Name of the institution:	Ministry of Finance, Department of Territorial Development Planning
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
<p>National co-financing will be provided to Hungarian beneficiaries by the Ministry of Finance. Beneficiaries will have to sign a national co-financing contract, which will be prepared on behalf of the Ministry of Finance by the Széchenyi Programme Office Nonprofit Llc. The transfer of the national co-financing (in form of 100% advance payment) will also be executed by Széchenyi Programme Office Nonprofit Llc.</p>

SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM		
1.	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	YES
2.	The national co-financing will be provided	



	<b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>NO</b>
<b>3</b>	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>4</b>	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>YES</b>
<b>5</b>	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>6</b>	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>15%</b> in case of <b>organisations financed directly from the central budget</b> , while <b>10%</b> in case of <b>other beneficiaries</b> .
<b>7</b>	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>No</b>  The state contribution rate is 15% in case of organisations financed directly from the central budget, while 10% in case of other beneficiaries.
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>9</b>	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount	<b>YES</b>  100% of the state contribution will be paid to the

	compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?	Hungarian beneficiaries after the signature of the grant contract (and the state contribution contract).
<b>10</b>	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?	
	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:	<b>NO</b>
	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:	<b>NO</b>
<b>11</b>	If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:	100% of the state contribution will be paid to the Hungarian beneficiaries after the signature of the grant contract (and the state contribution contract).

## Partner State: MOLDOVA

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Moldova?	NO
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Responsible national institution for state contribution:	
Name of the institution:	Office for CBC Cooperation
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
<p><b>MOLDOVA DOES NOT PROVIDE STATE CONTRIBUTION.</b></p> <p>Moldovan Project Partners have to ensure the national co-financing (15% of their project budget) by their own (public or private) sources and/or other contribution (e.g. regional/local/other sources).</p>

SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM		
1.	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
2	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals</b>	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	<b>for the PPs selected at national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	
<b>3</b>	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>4</b>	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>5</b>	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>6</b>	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>7</b>	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>9</b>	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?	<b>Not Applicable</b>

<b>10</b>	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?	<b>Not Applicable</b>
	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:	
	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:	
<b>11</b>	If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>

## Partner State: MONTENEGRO

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Montenegro?	NO
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
<p><b>MONTENEGRO DOES NOT PROVIDE STATE CONTRIBUTION.</b></p> <p>Montenegrin Project Partners have to ensure the national co-financing (15% of their project budget) by their own (public or private) sources and/or other contribution (e.g. regional/local/other sources).</p>

SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM		
1.	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
2	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	Monitoring Committee:	
<b>3</b>	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>4</b>	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>5</b>	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>6</b>	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>7</b>	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>9</b>	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>10</b>	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?  Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:	
<b>11</b>	If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>



## Partner State: ROMANIA

<b>Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Romania?</b>	<b>YES</b>
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<b>Responsible national institution for state contribution:</b>	
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<b>DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS</b>
<p>After the approval of the projects and signature of the subsidy contract, providing also a copy of the signed Partnership Agreement, the Romanian Partners have the possibility to sign a co-financing contract with the Ministry of Regional Development and Public Administration. Based on this contract, the state budget national co-financing can be received by the Romanian PP in two instalments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- an advance payment of maximum 40% of the state budget co-financing (if requested) and</li> <li>- a final payment after receiving the last ERDF payment.</li> </ul> <p>Both co-financing reimbursement claims are to be addressed to the National Authorities for European Programmes Unit within MRDPAEF, as indicated in the contract.</p> <p>The final payment request will be made for the outstanding amounts of national co-financing following the advance payment received (if requested) and calculated based on the ERDF payments made to the Romanian PP. This claim, together with the supporting documents, are analyzed according to a checklist and forwarded to the Projects Authorizing Unit. After the co-financing reimbursement claim (for the</p>

Romanian PPs) is authorized by the Projects Authorizing Unit, an Authorisation of Payment is drawn up by the Programmes Accounting Unit and is approved by the internal financial preventive controllers. The Project Payment and Accounting Department prepares the payment orders and all the documents corresponding to the payments so that the state contribution is paid to the Romanian PPs.

#### SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM

<b>1.</b>	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>NO</b>
<b>2</b>	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>NO</b>
<b>3</b>	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	After the approval of the projects and signature of the subsidy contract, providing also a copy of the signed Partnership Agreement, the Romanian Partners have the possibility to sign a co-financing contract with the Ministry of Regional Development and Public Administration.
<b>4</b>	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>YES</b>
<b>5</b>	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>

<b>6</b>	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>13%</b>
<b>7</b>	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>YES</b> , the state contribution rate is the same for each PP.
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Maximum 13%</b>
<b>9</b>	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?	<b>YES</b> After the approval of the projects and signature of the subsidy contract, providing also a copy of the signed Partnership Agreement, the Romanian Partners have the possibility to sign a co-financing contract with the Ministry of Regional Development and Public Administration. Based on this contract, the state budget national co-financing can be received by the Romanian PP in two instalments: - an advance payment of maximum 40% of the state budget co-financing (if requested) and - a final payment after receiving the last ERDF payment.
<b>10</b>	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?	
	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:	<b>YES, for the advance payment.</b>

	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:	<b>YES, for the final payment.</b>
<b>11</b>	If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>

## Partner State: SERBIA

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Serbia?	NO
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
<p><b>SERBIA DOES NOT PROVIDE STATE CONTRIBUTION</b></p> <p>Serbian Project Partners have to ensure the national co-financing (15% of their project budget) by their own (public or private) sources and/or other contribution (e.g. regional/local/other sources).</p>

SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM		
1.	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
2	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	Monitoring Committee:	
<b>3</b>	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>4</b>	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>5</b>	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>6</b>	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>7</b>	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>9</b>	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>10</b>	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?  Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:	
<b>11</b>	If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>

## Partner State: SLOVAK REPUBLIC

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Slovakia?	NO
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
<p><b>SLOVAKIA DOES NOT PROVIDE STATE CONTRIBUTION</b></p> <p>Slovak Project Partners have to ensure the national co-financing (15% of their project budget) by their own (public or private) sources and/or other contribution (e.g. regional/local/other sources).</p>

SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM		
1.	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
2	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at</b>	<b>Not Applicable</b>



	<b>national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	
<b>3</b>	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>4</b>	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>5</b>	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>6</b>	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>7</b>	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>9</b>	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>10</b>	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?  Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	<p>Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:</p> <p>Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:</p>	
<b>11</b>	<p>If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:</p>	<b>Not Applicable</b>

## Partner State: SLOVENIA

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Slovenia?	NO
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
<p><b>SLOVENIA DOES NOT PROVIDE STATE CONTRIBUTION</b></p> <p>Slovenian Project Partners have to ensure the national co-financing (15% of their project budget) by their own (public or private) sources and/or other contribution (e.g. regional/local/other sources).</p>

SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM		
1.	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
2	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at national level</b> participating in the projects selected by the	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	Monitoring Committee:	
3	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
4	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
5	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
6	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>Not Applicable</b>
7	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
8	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
9	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?	<b>Not Applicable</b>
10	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?  Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:	
<b>11</b>	If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>

## Partner State: UKRAINE

Is there a national co-financing system <u>for state contribution</u> established in Ukraine?	NO
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Responsible national institution for state contribution:	
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM TO THE PROJECTS
Ukrainian Project Partners have to ensure the national co-financing (15% of their project budget) by their own (public or private) sources and/or other contribution (e.g. regional/local/other sources).

SUMMARY INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL CO-FINANCING SYSTEM		
1.	The national co-financing will be provided <b>automatically</b> for each Project Partner (PP) from the Partner State participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
2	The national co-financing will be provided <b>only through national call for proposals for the PPs selected at national level</b>	<b>Not Applicable</b>

	participating in the projects selected by the Monitoring Committee:	
<b>3</b>	If NO is selected in lines 1. and 2. the national co-financing will be provided to the PPs as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>4</b>	Grant contract will be signed between the national institution providing the state contribution and the PP:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>5</b>	If NO is in line 4. selected, the following legal basis will be used for the payment of the state contribution:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>6</b>	Maximum rate of the state contribution compared to the PP budget (%):	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>7</b>	Is the state contribution rate the same for each PP?  If NOT, it is different in following cases:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>8</b>	Maximum amount of state contribution which can be provided at partner level:	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>9</b>	Pre-financing will be paid to the PPs after the signature of the grant contract?  If YES, in which percentage/amount compared to the amount of the state contribution to be provided?	<b>Not Applicable</b>

<b>10</b>	At which phase of the project implementation the national institution will reimburse the state contribution to the PPs?	<b>Not Applicable</b>
	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP after validation of expenditure, i.e. the state contribution can be paid to the PP before the submission of the Application for Reimbursement by the LP to the MA/JS:	
	Reimbursement of state contribution to PP only after the Application for Reimbursement is approved by the MA/JS:	
<b>11</b>	If <u>only NO is selected</u> in line10., the system for the payment of the state contribution is as follows:	<b>Not Applicable</b>