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Ports of Venice and Chioggia

Port Network Authority
of the Eastern Adriatic Sea
Ports of Trieste and Monfalcone

Central Adriatic
Ports Authority
Ports of Pesaro, Falconara Marittima, Ancona, S. Benedetto, Pescara, Ortona

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PORT OF PLOCE AUTHORITY

LUČKA UPRAVA DUBROVNIK
DUBROVNIK PORT AUTHORITY

LUČKA UPRAVA RIJEKA
PORT OF RIJEKA AUTHORITY

PROJECT DURATION
01/03/2024 - 31/08/2026

ERDF
1,927,889.60 €

TOTAL BUDGET
2,409,862.00 €

Improving the Cyber REsilience and Security of Adriatic PORTs

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The **CRESPORT project** aims to address the challenges related to **Cyber Resilience and Security** in Adriatic Ports. Its main objective is to strengthen **defense against cyber attacks** and enhance the **ability to rapidly restore systems** after a disaster.

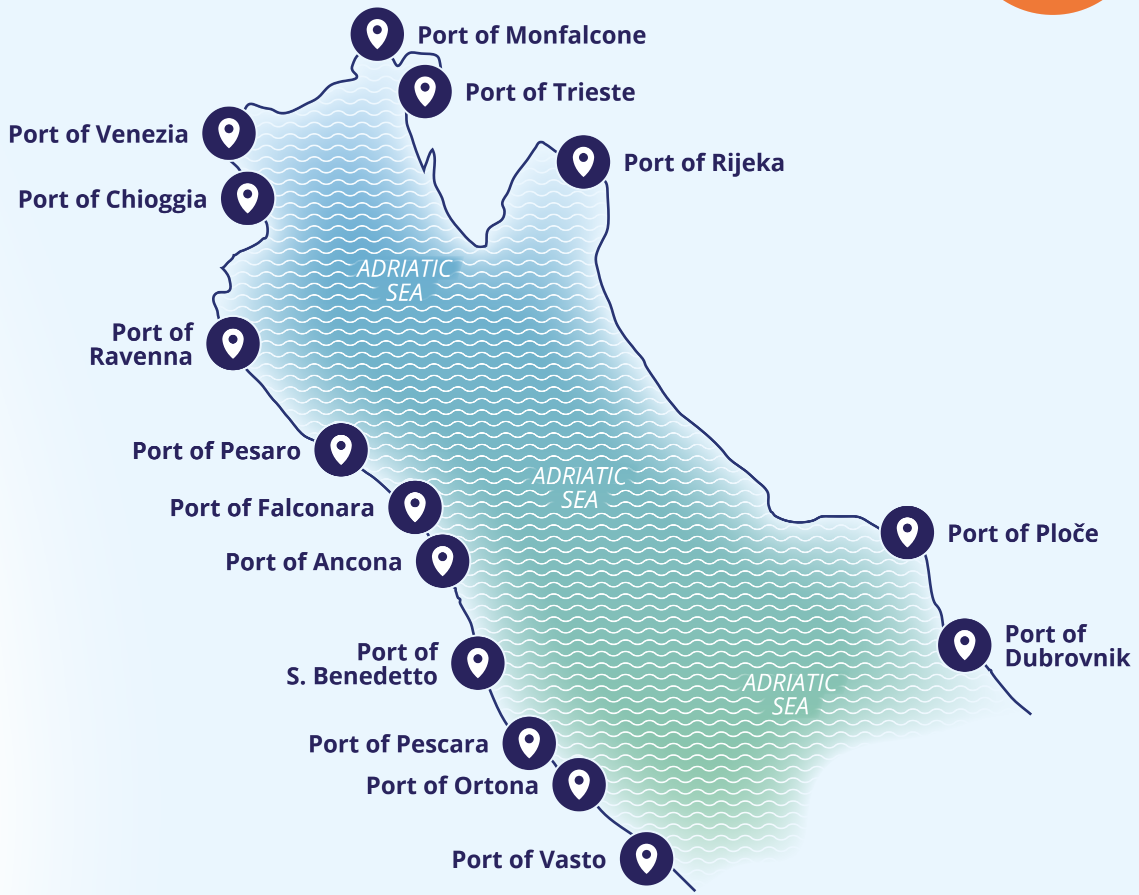
To achieve these goals, **CRESPORT** adopts a **more attentive and cross-border approach**, based on a **common and coordinated strategy** aligned with **international frameworks** for the cybersecurity of critical infrastructures.

CROSS-BORDER APPROACH

Digitalization significantly boosts **supply chain competitiveness** but also introduces **considerable cyber risks**, especially for ports. To effectively counter these threats, **CRESPORT** fosters **cooperation**.

The project will deliver various outputs for ports and stakeholders, including **joint actions** and **training programs**, **innovative IT tools** and **solutions for secure data exchange**, and a **unified cybersecurity strategy and master plan**.

Its innovation lies in a comprehensive approach that recognizes the strong **interconnection between ports** and their **vital role in maritime trade**, crucial for **economic growth** and **societal well-being**. By strengthening port resilience and integration, **CRESPORT** supports the **prosperity** of coastal communities and enhances **maritime connectivity** across the Adriatic region.



CRESPORT will create a **synergy** between Port Authorities balancing their **diversities**.

Adriatic Ports play a strategic role in **logistics and commercial development**. In recent years, they have experienced **significant growth** in maritime transport, both in logistics operations and cargo handling. As maritime traffic increases, cyber attacks are also becoming more frequent and sophisticated.

Given the territorial and geographical importance of the Adriatic Ports, a major shared challenge is empower each port's capacity to **detect and respond to cyber threats early**, thereby increasing the overall security of the area.

CROSS BORDER AND MULTILATERAL COOPERATION

Different ports, the same challenge.

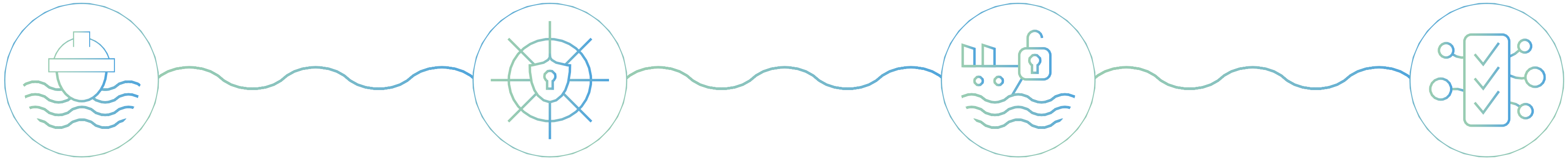
A strong multilateral cooperation, through the adoption of joint actions and shared strategies, makes it possible to achieve:

- a concrete response
- a significant opportunity for growth

Tackling this challenge with a **cross-border approach** also represents an interesting opportunity to **strengthen the strategic role of the territories and consolidate their governance**.

STRATEGY
AND ACTION PLAN

Through a cross-border cooperation, CRESPORT will lead to:



Training
on Cyber Resilience
and Security: to raise
the awareness
of the stakeholders.

Enhancement
of the Cyber Resilience
and Security:
setting up common
analysis and
knowledge sharing.

Simulation
of a cyber-attack
and/or disaster:
(e.g. penetration test,
cascading effects).

Cross-border Strategy
for improving Cyber
Resilience and Security
of Adriatic Ports:
a strategic document
defining the minimum
requirements.

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