

# The Safer Transport Platform

– a joint EC/ EIB initiative

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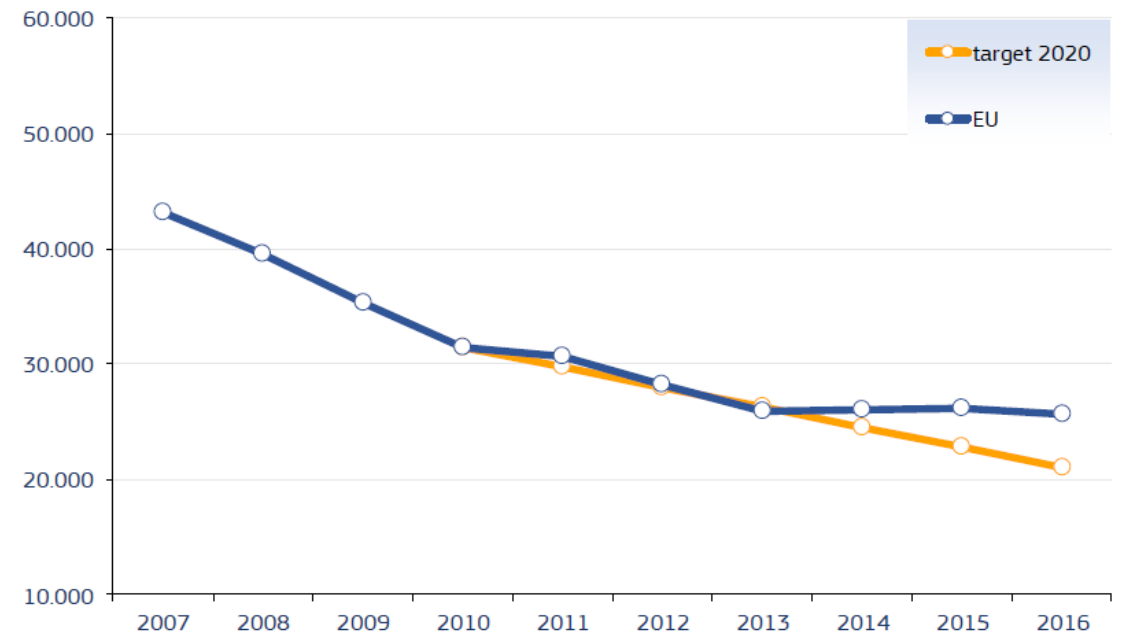
# Overview

- ▶ *Safer Transport Platform, Road Safety Advisory*
- ▶ *Launched on 28th March 2019 in Bucharest*
- ▶ *Examples of eligible projects*



# Why a Safer Transport Platform now?

- ▶ *The overall stagnation in road fatalities in the EU*
- ▶ *EC Strategic Action Plan on Road Safety launched in May 2018*
- ▶ *EC outline Road Safety Policy Framework 2021-2030*
- ▶ *EIB expanding its lending, blending and advisory activities in support of road transport projects with safety elements*



# EIB focus on safety

## Road infrastructure investments



Phase	Factors	Road user	Vehicle	The road
Pre-crash		Information Education Enforcement	AEB ISA Lane assist Automation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Road design</li> <li>• Speed management</li> <li>• ITS</li> </ul>
Crash		Use of seat belts Helmets	Airbags Crash-protective design	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Forgiving roadsides</li> <li>• Crash barriers</li> </ul>
Post-crash		First aid skills Access to medics	Fire risk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rescue facilities</li> <li>• Access to crash sites</li> </ul>

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## Road Safety Advisory

### What is it?

- ▶ *Gateway to advisory services - a webpage*

### What does it offer?

- ▶ *Guidance and support to promoters*
- ▶ *Help to access sources of funding*

### Who can seek support?

- ▶ *Public and private promoters*

Do you have a project?

Yes  No

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## Road Safety Advisory

### What kind of projects?

- ▶ *Road accident reductions as a main objective*
- ▶ *Can be justified by expected safety impacts*
- ▶ *Well-defined in terms of scope, timeline, costs, outputs, expected impacts, and organization*
- ▶ *Falls within the categories*
- ▶ *Infrastructure & equipment*
- ▶ *Rolling stock*
- ▶ *Research & Development*

SMART  
project? ✓

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## Road Safety Advisory

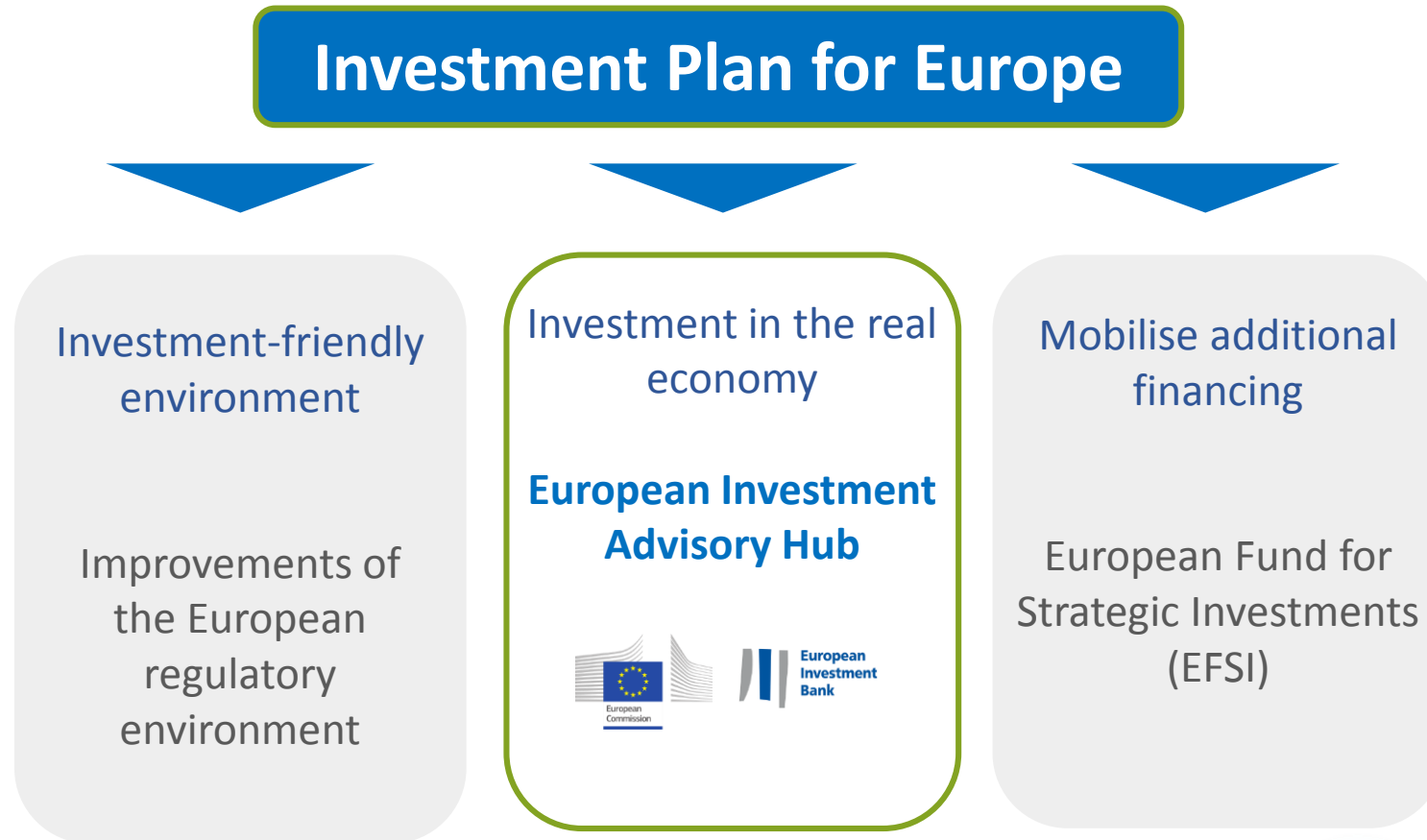
### **What guidance and support exactly?**

- ▶ *Help to define and mature a project (free TA)*
- ▶ *Appraisal of projects eligible for EIB financing*
- ▶ *Coordinate with existing funding and financing facilities*



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## Road Safety Advisory

- ▶ *Urban road safety and public transport projects*



- ▶ *Regional road safety and rehabilitation projects*



- ▶ *Intelligent Transport Systems*



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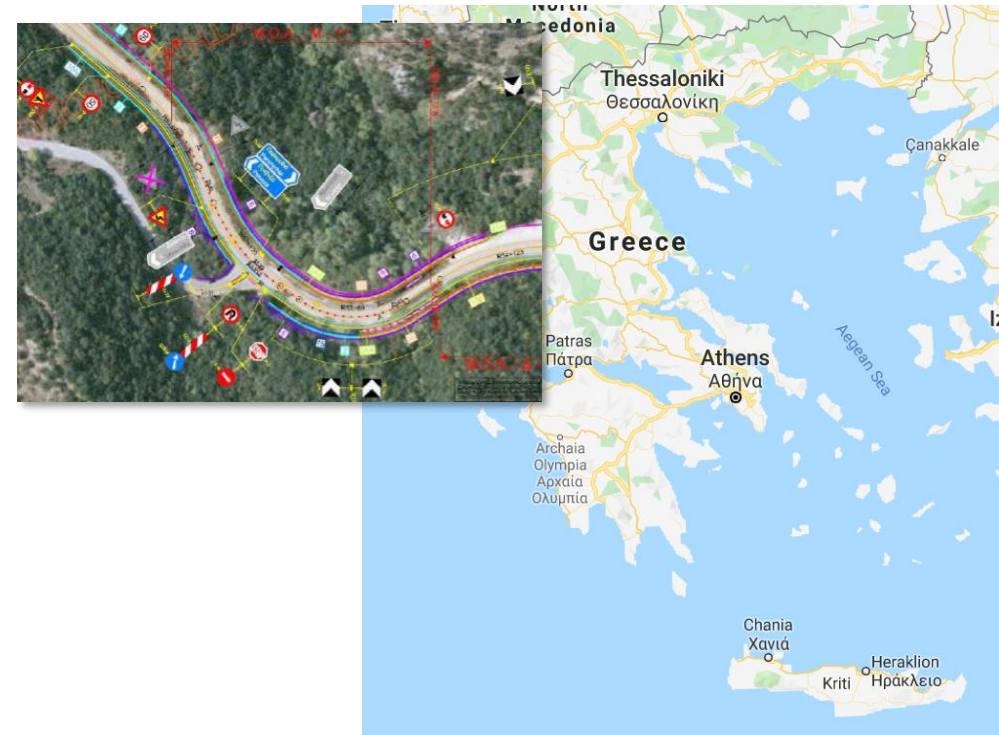
## Road Safety Advisory

Activity	2019				2020			
Website open								
'Road shows'								
Market analysis								
TA support								

# Examples of eligible projects

## Greece Road Rehabilitation and Safety Programme

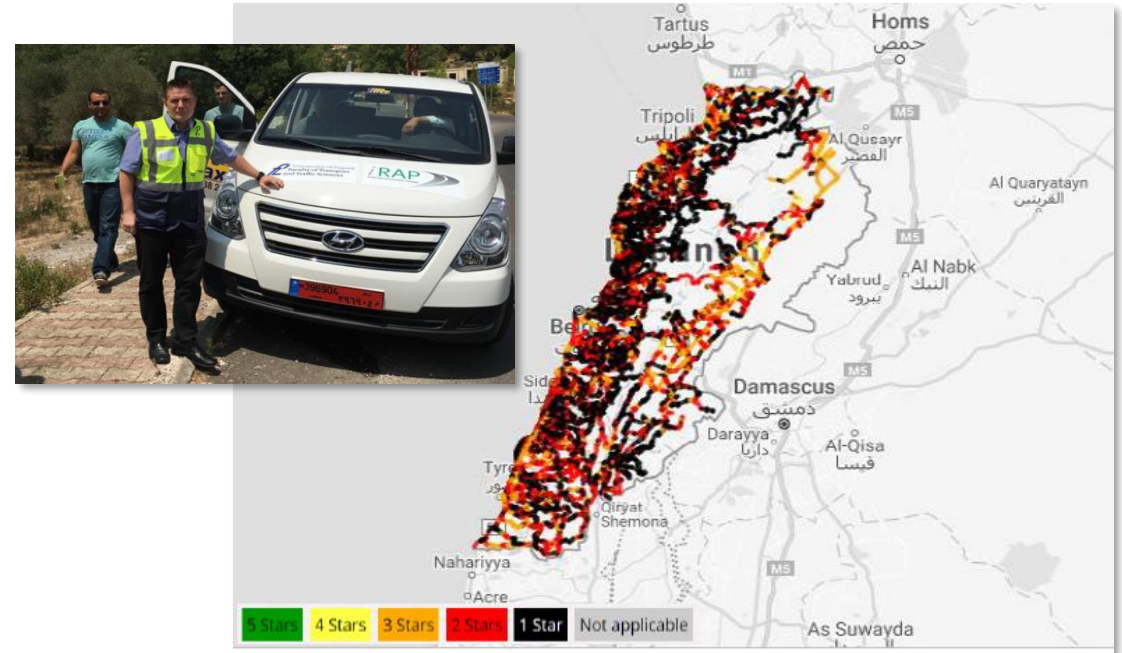
- ▶ Low-cost investments at 7000 blackspots
- ▶ Part of action plan for road safety on national and regional roads
- ▶ 43 standard solutions, 60 packages of schemes
- ▶ Economic feasibility study to check relevance and cost-effectiveness



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## Lebanon Roads & Employment Project

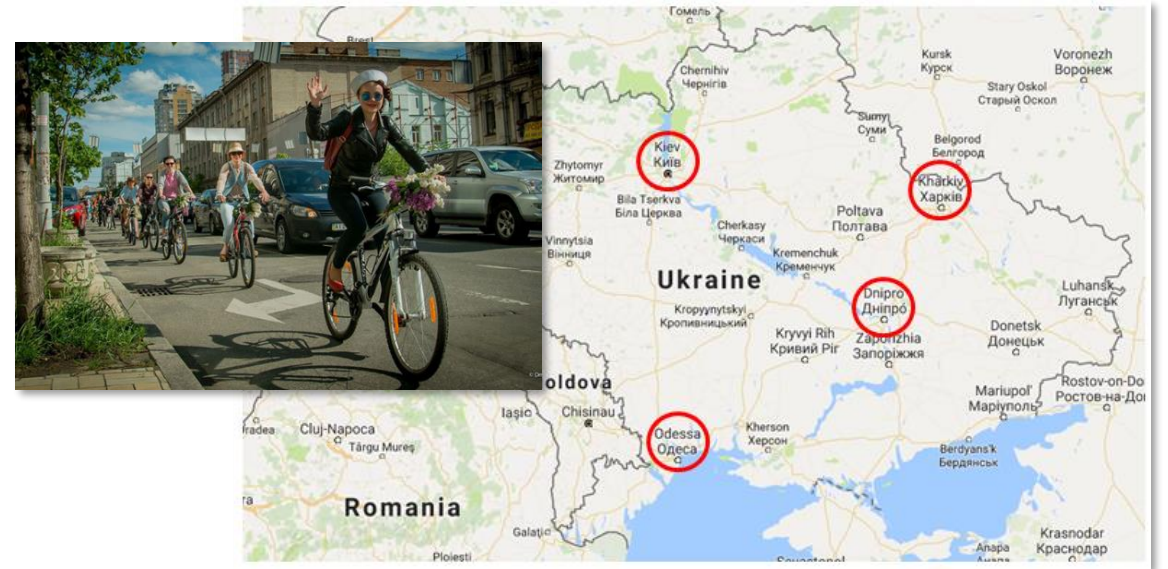
- ▶ Rehabilitation and safety improvements on 900 km national and regional roads
- ▶ Based on iRAP survey of safety and maintenance needs
- ▶ Economic feasibility study to check relevance and cost-effectiveness



# Examples of eligible projects

## Ukraine Urban Road Safety Project

- ▶ Framework loan with the 5 biggest cities in Ukraine
- ▶ 8 categories of safety schemes
- ▶ Includes also facilities for pedestrians and cyclists and better access to public transport
- ▶ ITS to support better and safer traffic management in cities



More information at:

<https://eiah.eib.org/about/initiative-safer-transport-platform.htm>

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