





DIGITALIZATION MATTERS and THE 3SI LAGGING BEHIND IN DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION

Majority of the 3SI region countries:

- Score low in the Digital Economy and Society Index or the Network Readiness Index
- Relatively low % of enterprises with formalized ICT security policy
- Relatively low % of enterprises providing training to develop or upgrade ICT skills
- Relatively low average level of digital literacy among the citizens

On the other hand it presents an opportunity for the 3SI region to transform the economy with security in design mode and boost cybersecurity market:

- High demand for cybersecurity solutions
- Above average growth of the cybersecurity sector
- Significant growth of profits in the ICT sector
- Attractive investment environment
- Potential for local companies to innovate

THE DIGITAL 3 SEAS INITIATIVE - TWO MISSING PIECES

Three Seas Initative
economic projects
encompassing
the transport & energy
infrastructures:

- roads
- railways
- pipelines
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D3SI

secure digital infrastructure:

- data transfer
- fibre optics
 - 5G
- data islands
- smart policies
- knowledge & best practices sharing

D3SI

cybersecurity should be included horizontally across the three pillars of:

energy, transport, Digital

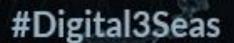
& cooperation on cybersecurity should be established

Development of the digital pillar within the Three Seas Initiative should be rapidly enhanced and cybersecurity needs to be included in three pillars: energy, transport, digital.



THE 3 SEAS DIGITAL HIGHWAY

envisages building a fibre-optic and 5G infrastructure along the already planned transport and energy routes, connecting north and south of the Three Seas region.





THE 3 SEAS DIGITAL HIGHWAY #3SDH

- Can bridge the gap in the telecommunications infrastructure between CEE and EU-15
- Can support free flow of data that will boost datadriven economy, competitiveness and development of Industry 4.0
- Can provide access to new mobile technologies for citizens and the industry
- Can strengthen cooperation and deepen the integration between the 3SI countries

MORE **PROJECTS** CAN **FOLLOW** THE #3SDH

- Cloud Computing Integration
- Free flow of non-personal data policy
- Autonomous vehicles industry, electromobility, smart solutions for cities, blockchain
- E-commerce
- Digital Innovation Hubs and Competence Centres

