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UNDA project on CO₂ emissions in inland transport

For Future Inland Transport Systems (ForFITS)

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1. The project

- 3 year project funded by UNDA
- 5 Regional Commissions involved
- Launched January 2011
- Develop tool for the assessment of CO2 emissions
- Freely available
- Raise global awareness for actions and measures needed for climate change mitigation and adaptation
- Assist governments establishing transport policy and mitigation strategies
- Promote the tool to pave the way for the future inland transport system (ForFITS)



Objective:

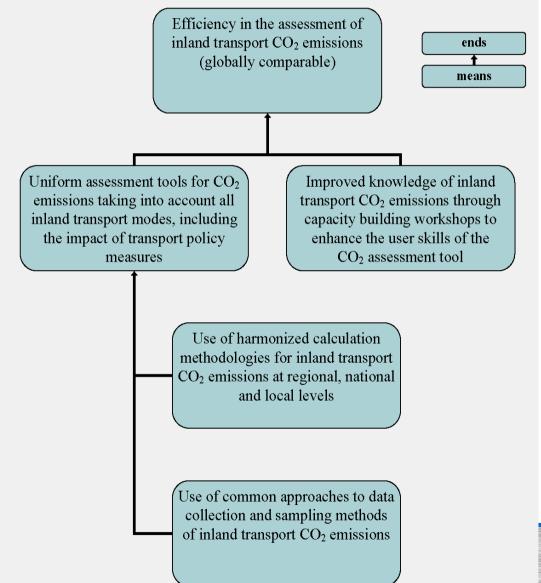
To develop an information and analysis tool based on a uniform methodology for the evaluation of CO_2 emissions in the transport sector in order to enable all UN countries to optimize the use of energy sources in the transport sector, taking into consideration: road vehicle fleets, types of propulsion systems, transport infrastructure, sustainable energy sources, intermodal transport on railways & inland waterways and appropriate policy measures.

Expected Achievement:

Capacity building workshops in all UN RCs on inland transport CO_2 emissions and on how to use the powerful analysis tool in order to develop their future strategies for inland transport and to support their policy decisions.



Objective tree:







1 Step (2011):

- Preparation and distribution of the questionnaire on inland transport CO₂
- Evaluation of the replies to the questionnaire
- Drafting the global status report
- Review of existing emission assessment methodologies
- Drafting a recommendation on existing emission assessment methodologies
- Organization of an international emissions expert meeting (October 2011)
- Drafting the meeting report and selection of the most appropriate model(s)

- 2 Step (2012):
- Development of the tool ForFITS
- Implementation, verification and validation of ForFITS
- - Preparation of a user manual for the application of ForFITS
- 3 Step (2013):
- Piloting out ForFITS and its application
- Organization of capacity building workshops in all UN RCs
- Project evaluation



2. Where we are

- Release of funds
- New website and Flyer
- Questionnaire on inland transport
 CO₂ emissions

Assessing CO₂ emissions A new tool to mitigate climate change in Inland transport



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- Official letter to UN Regional Commissions, ITC delegates, Foreign ministers
- Preparing international expert meeting
- Global status report 2nd half of the year

3. What we need

- Nomination of national focal points on inland transport CO₂ emissions
- Respond to the Questionnaire on CO₂ emissions available
 at: http://live.unece.org/trans/theme_forfits.html
- Participate in the international expert meeting (October 2011)

4. What we expect from WP.6

For the assessment of CO₂ emissions with the future tool ForFITS to support:

- the breakdown of the common questionnaire to receive appropriate data on each inland transport mode
- the review of the illustrated glossary for transport statistics to insert a harmonized terminology



Thank you for your attention



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