

High priority transport infrastructure projects in EATL countries: the case of Lithuania

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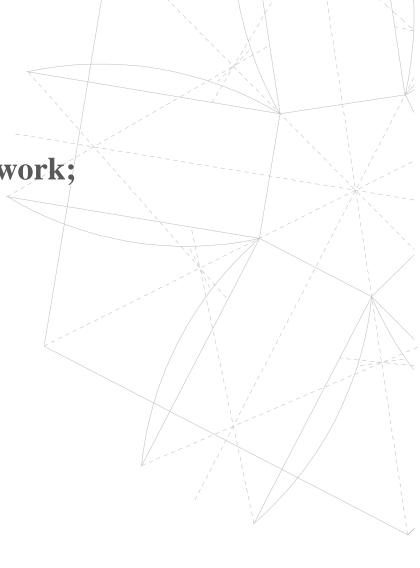




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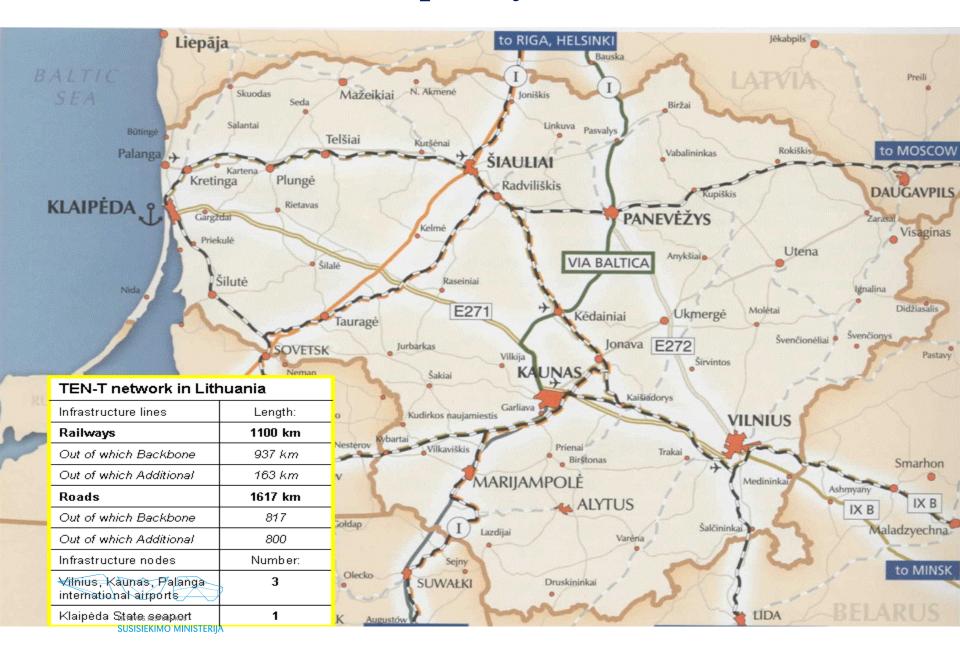
- PPP projects in the pipeline;
- Main projects:
 - Network of Public Logistics Centers (PLC);
 - EATL projects;
 - Railway projects;
 - Airport merger project;
 - ITS projects.



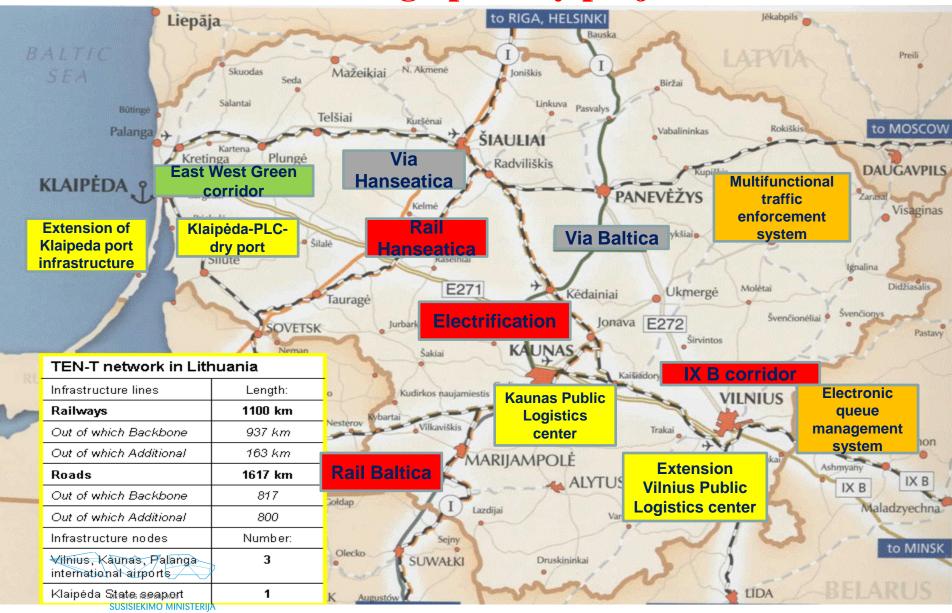




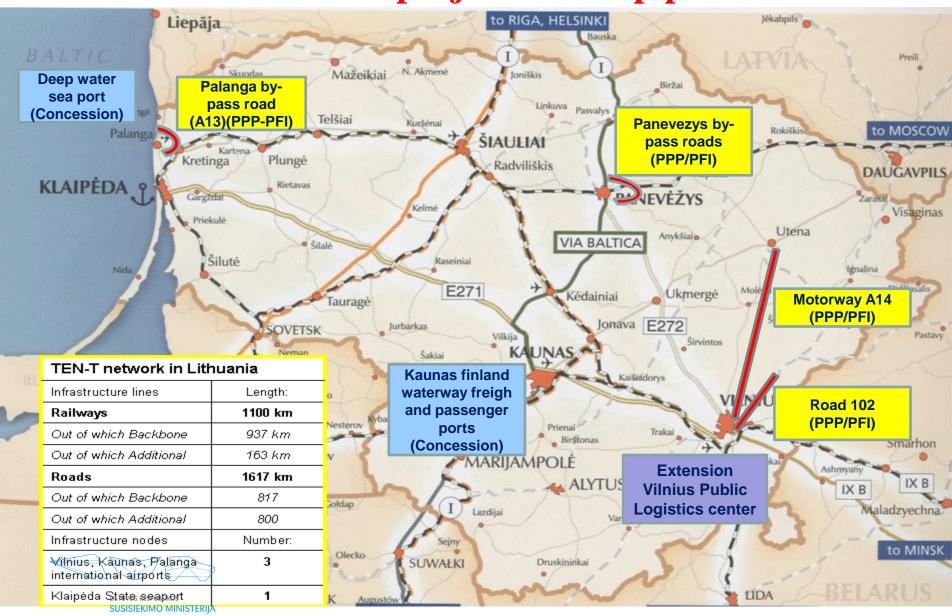
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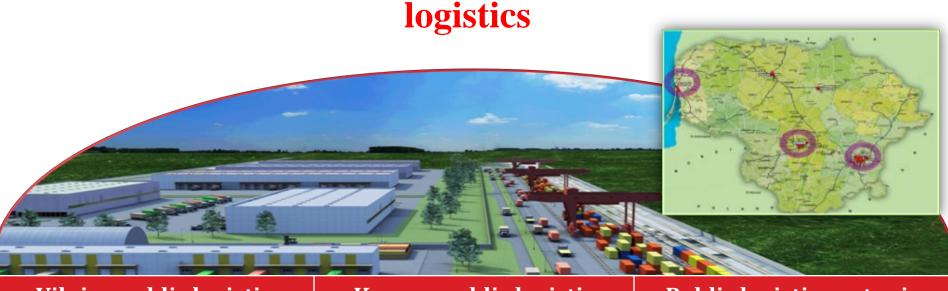
Lithuanian transport system: main high priority projects



Lithuanian transport system: main PPP projects in the pipeline



Network of Public Logistics Centers: from transit to



Vilnius p	public	logistic
center –	freight	t village

- Storage 1 500 TEU
- Loading area 600 m (Ist stage) and 1000 m (IInd stage).
- Loading capacity more than 100.000 TEU per year

 Close to one of a biggest rail marshalling yard of IX International Transport Corridor

Kaunas public logistic centre – combi terminal

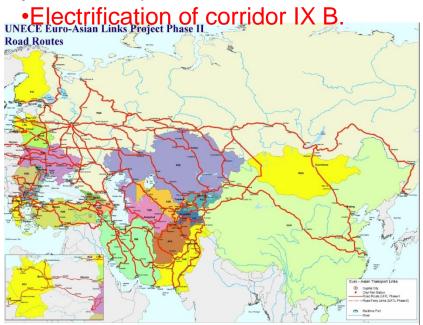
- Storage **550 TEU**
- Loading area 4 x 442 m
- Loading capacity 50.000 TEU per year
- It is planned to start construction of intermodal terminal at the end of 2013(and in 2014 we are planning to finish it)

Public logistic center in Klaipėda – dry port

- Storage 1200 TEU
- 4 railway tracks, 1000 meters length each
- Loading capacity 80.000 TEU per year
- Construction is to be started in nearest future.

Ports, Roads, Logistics Centers and Railways: Integration into Euro-Asian links

- •Integration of Lithuanian transport potential, especially, railway transport and logistics infrastructure into EuroAsian landbridge connections;
- Shuttle trains for combined transportation (Viking, Merkurij, Saule/Sun);
- •Cross border facilitation (electronic queue management, streamlined procedures);



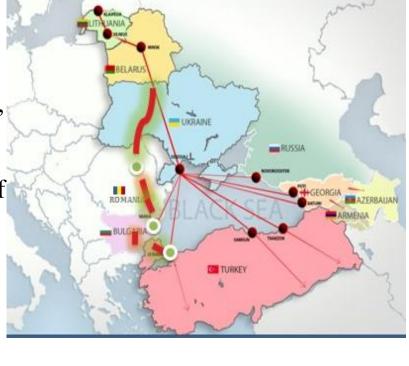






Railways: extension of Viking shuttle train LT-BY-UA route

- From Klaipėda (LT) to Odessa /Ilyichovsk
 (UA)– only in 54 hours
- Belarusian-Lithuanian State border-crossing procedures at Kena border-crossing point – only in 30 minutes;
- Azerbaijan, Georgia and Moldova are negotiating the accession to the "Viking train" project.
- In 2012 Bulgaria became an official partner of "Viking" project.
- In 2013 negotiations with Turkey and Romania have been started.
- Possibilities to connect Middle East region with Western and Northern European countries.



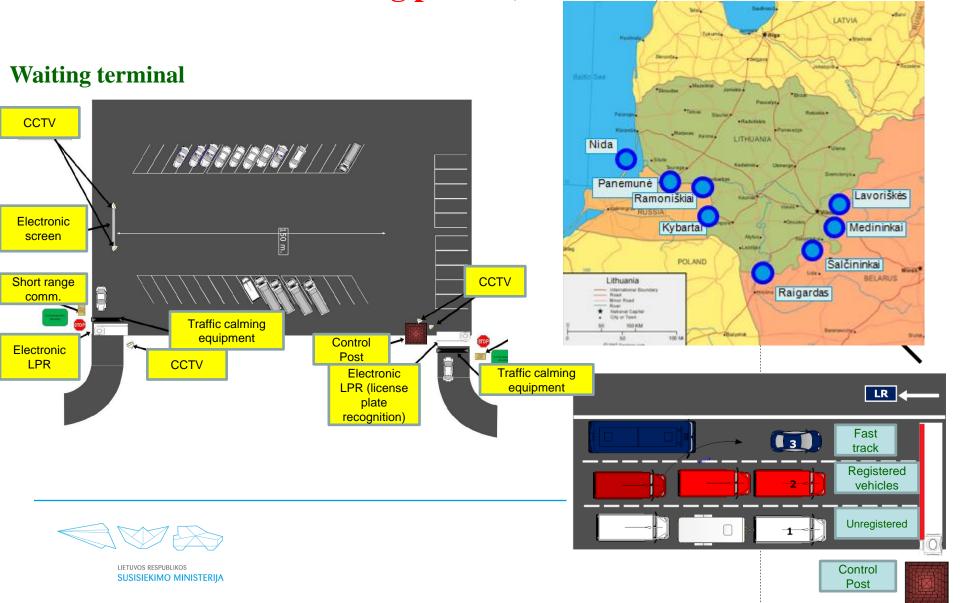




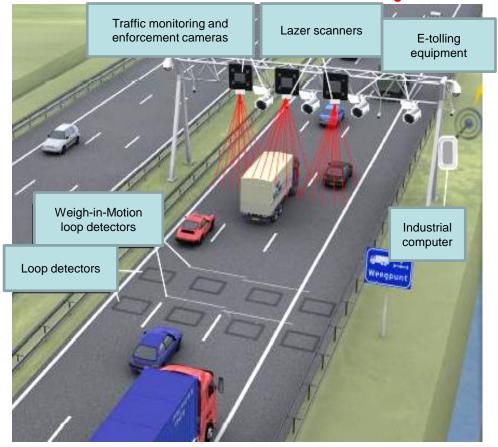
Aviation: Merging Lithuanian International Airports (2013-2014)



ITS: Electronic queue management system on border crossing points (2013-2014)



ITS: Multifunctional enforcement and traffic information system (2013-2017) (1)



Main functions:

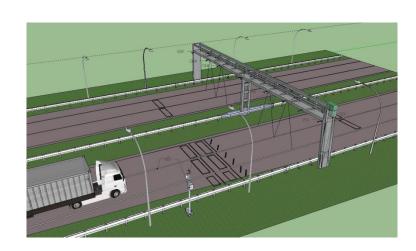
- automated sectorial speed control.
- weigh-in-motion detection;
- license plate recognition (technical inspection data, insurance validity, vehicle registration);

-E-tolling.





ITS: Multifunctional enforcement and traffic information system (2013-2017) (2)



Traffic monitoring and control

Enforcement of violations

- Weigh in motion;
 Control of dimensions;
 Speed enforcement;
 Technical inspection validity;
- Car insurance validity;Control of stolen vehicles;
- •Car registration validity;
 •Etc.

Traffic monitoring

Data on traffic loading;
 Transport vehicles
 classification;
 Traffic conditions
 monitoring;
 Monitoring of traffic
 disturbances;

•Real-time traffic information:

Etc.

- Deployment plan:
- 2013-2014: Pilot phase (3 locations): metrology, tests, preventive use;
- 2015 2017: Complete network of Weigh-in-Motion system (over 50 locations);
- 2015 2017: Complete network of multifunctional enforcement and traffic information system (appr. 200 stations);
- since 2015: e-tolling (user payspolluter pays principle) on the main roads.

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Concluding remarks: trends in infrastructural projects in Lithuania

- Transition from purely "hard" infrastructural projects into ITS projects with a strong focus on traffic safety;
- New forms of financing (PPP/PFI and concessions) and aim at user pays-polluter pays principle deployment;
- Focus on East-West (IX B and D multimodal corridors, Klaipeda port, network of PLC) and North-South (Rail/Via Baltica and Hanseatica) axes capacity extension;
- Mobility demand management in urban areas.





Thank you for your attention!



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