EXAMLE OF WIGOS-RELATED ACTIVITY IN REGION VI

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WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION

On-going Project in South East Europe

South East European Multi-Hazard Early Warning Advisory System (SEE-MHEWS-A) Phase I Implementation Plan

PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

- Overall Objective: Achieved better collaboration between the NMHS, which will contribute to improved protection of life and property in South-East Europe.

- Main outputs:

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- Consensus of Directors of participating NMHS on the scope and technical content of the SEE-MHEWS-A;

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- Implementation period: 12 months, September 2016 – August 2017



PROJECT ACTIVITIES

Thematic workshops

Thematic workshops will organized with the aim on identification of the needs and potential solutions relevant to the development of the SEE-MHEWS-A including topics on:

- Forecasting and warning provision;
- Numerical weather prediction and hydrological modelling;
- OBS + Telecommunications and IT infrastructure.

The last workshop will concentrate on the finalization of the implementation plan.



PROJECT ACTIVITIES

2016

JUNE

Final regional conference

- Acceptance of Implementation Plan and the technical specifications.
- Memorandum of Understanding on collaborative work towards the regionally owned MHEWS-A approved by Directors of the NMHS.
- Discussions with potential donors.
- Support to the organization of the ICSEED-17.



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Final Conference of the Phase I of SEE-MHEWS-A Project

SEE-MHEWS-A Implementation Plan

(Ljubljana, Slovenia, 14-15 June 2017)



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PROJECT PARTNERS

Participating meteorological and hydrological services during the 1st Phase:

Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Montenegro, Kosovo (UNSCR 1244/99), the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Serbia, Turkey, Slovenia, Bulgaria, Greece, Cyprus, Hungary, Romania, Moldova, Ukraine, Israel, Jordan and Lebanon.

Collaborators:

ECMWF, EUMETNET, EUMETSAT, ESSL, JRC, Copernicus, ISRBC, DMCSEE, SEEVCCC, RIC, Euro-Mediterranean Center on Climate Change, NWP consortiums, European and global NMHSs etc.

BACKGROUND

- Develop SEE-MHEWS-A Implementation Plan (IP) based on recommendations made at the SEE-MHEWS-A technical workshops
- Three workshops held:
 - SEE-MHEWS-A Forecasters Workshop, 7-9 Feb. 2017
 - SEE-MHEWS-A NWP Modelling Workshop, 8-9 March 2017
 - SEE-MHEWS-A ICT & OBS Workshop, 4-6 April 2017
 - Final reports available at: <u>https://public.wmo.int/en/projects/see-mhews-a</u>
 - 127 participants and 28 international experts participated in the workshops
 - Discussions and contributions by potential contributing stakeholders (not all) for the design of the System
- Implementation Plan
 - Version 0.3 (final draft for consideration)
 - Several degrees of freedom and quite a few scenarios are possible
 - Project management structure to advice on pathway leading to a best possible (cost-effective) system design
 - So far 22 potential project participants (meteorological, hydrometeorological and hydrological services)
 - So far 38 potential contributing stakeholders identified
 - Living document

IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

1. Purpose of this Document

2. Introduction

- Rationale for SEE-MHEWS-A
- Objectives
- Major Hazards
- Project Management Overview
- Description of Implementation

3. Key Activities for SEE-MHWES-A Implementation

- Management of SEE-MHEWS-A Implementation
- Sub-Regional and RA VI Collaboration
- Collaboration with other relevant WMO projects and activities
- Observations
- Forecasting and Modelling
- Information and Communication
- 4. Implementation
 - Activities, Deliverables (Table 4.1), Milestones, Costs (Table 4.2) and Risks
- 5. Capacity Development and Implementation Requirements by Project Participants needed to fully benefit from the Advisory System
- 6. Resources
- 7. Risks and Mitigation

Appendix 1: Regional Requirements for Observational Data and Products

Appendix 2: Regional Forecasters' Requirements for Model Outputs

Appendix 3: Summary of Proposal and Comments by Potential Contributing Stakeholders

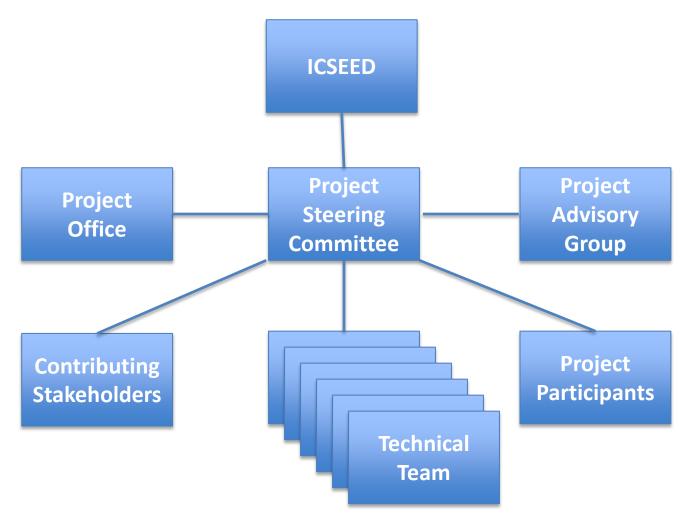
Appendix 4: Telecommunication Capabilities

Appendix 5: List of Acronyms

DESCRIPTION OF IMPLEMENTATION

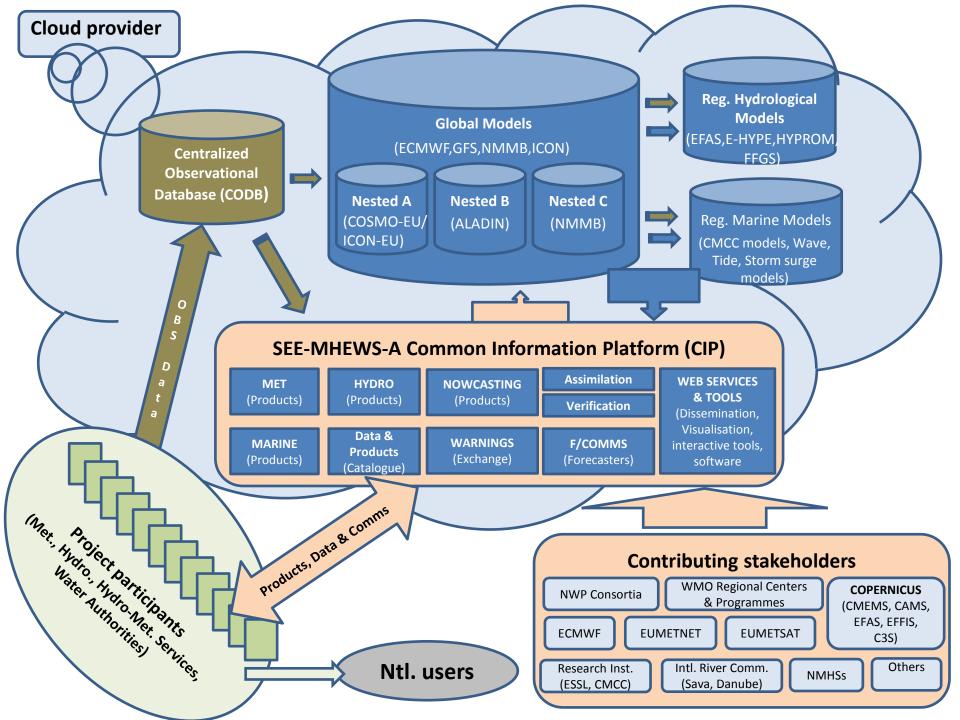
- **Development** Phase (mid-2016 to mid-2017)
- **Resource** Mobilization Phase (mid-2017 to end-2017)
- Implementation Phase (2018 2022)
- **Testing** Phase (January June 2023)
- **Operational** Phase (mid-2023 onwards)

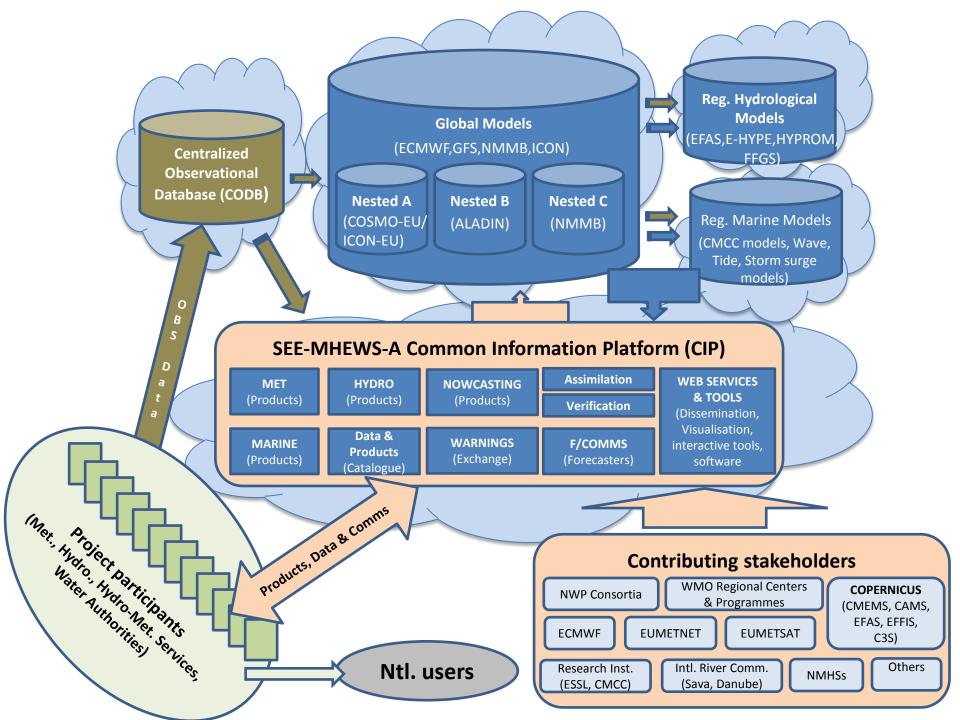
PROJECT MANAGEMENT STRUCTURE

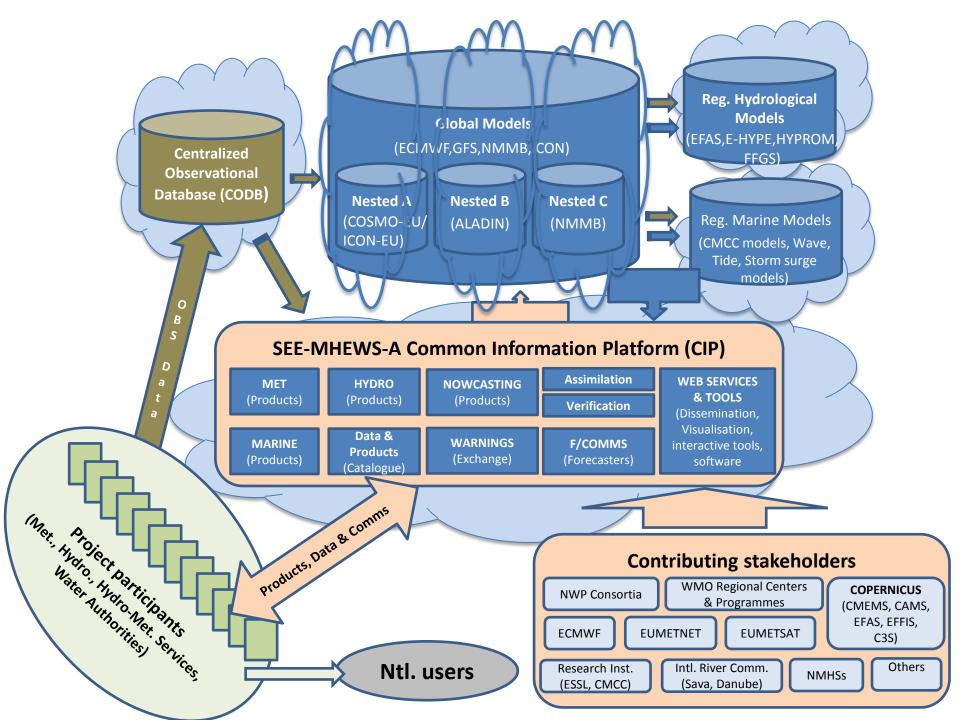


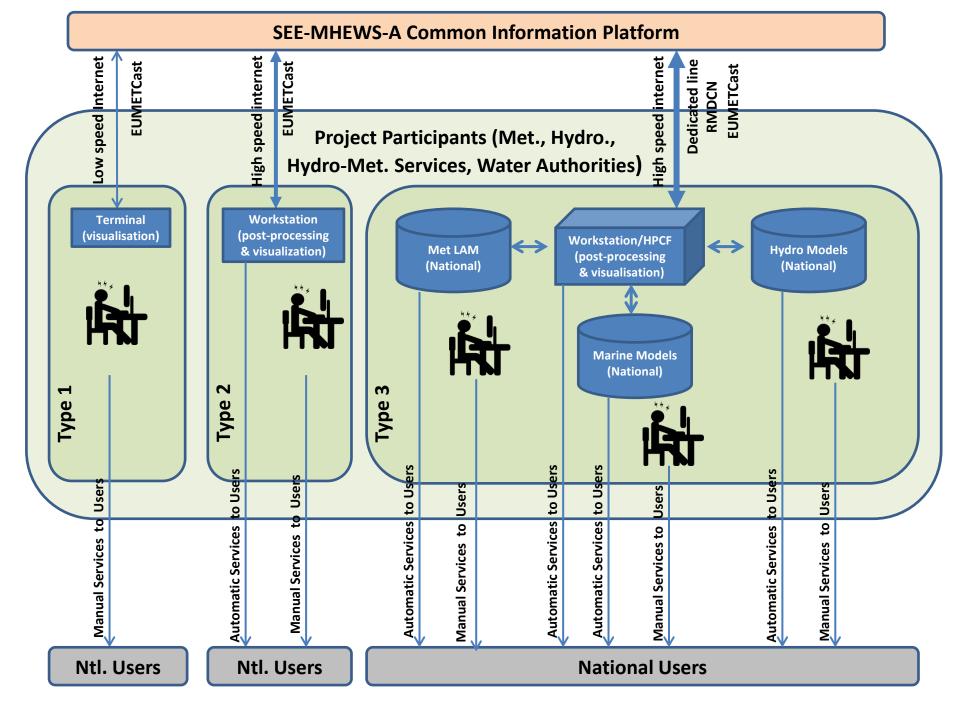
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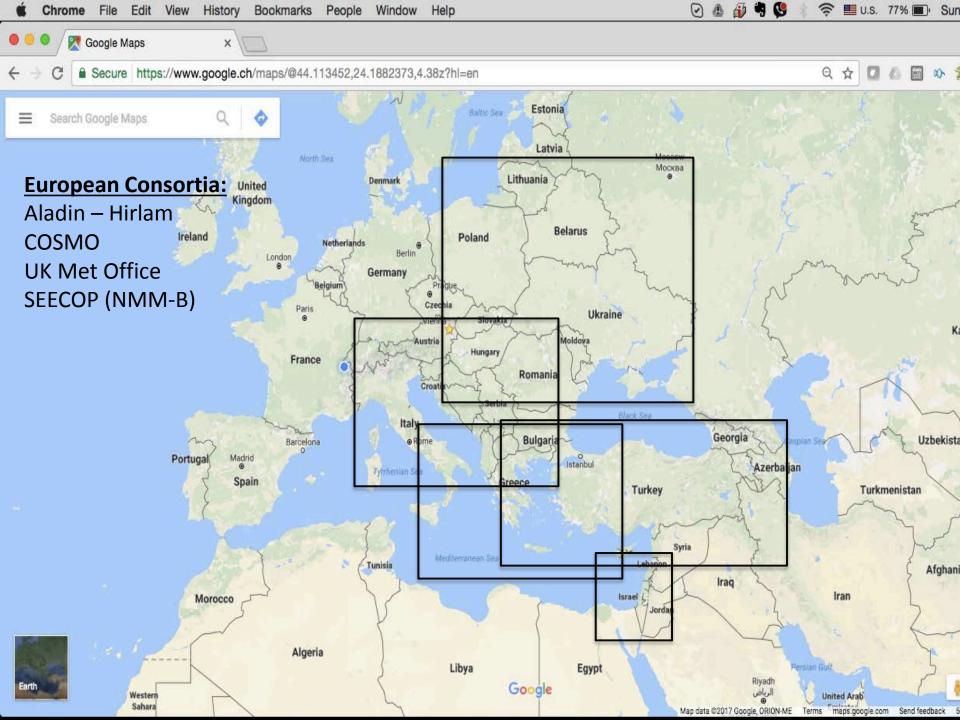
- Follows the **outcomes** of the three Project Workshops
- Envisaged design is to be implemented until 2023 when the SEE-MHEWS-A may become operational, and includs e.g.:
 - Use of cloud services
 - Sub-regional (joint operations) complementing national approach to operational activities
 - Reducing the differences in the sub-regional operational capacities
- Design is based on several assumptions that should be considered by the project management, such as:
 - Agreements with potential contributing stakeholders, e.g.
 NWP consortia or potential cloud services providers





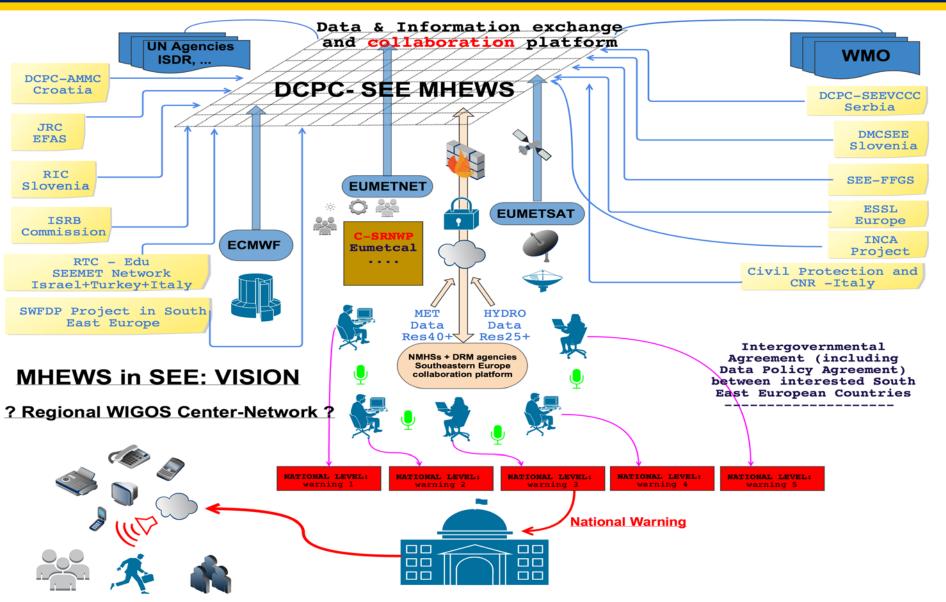






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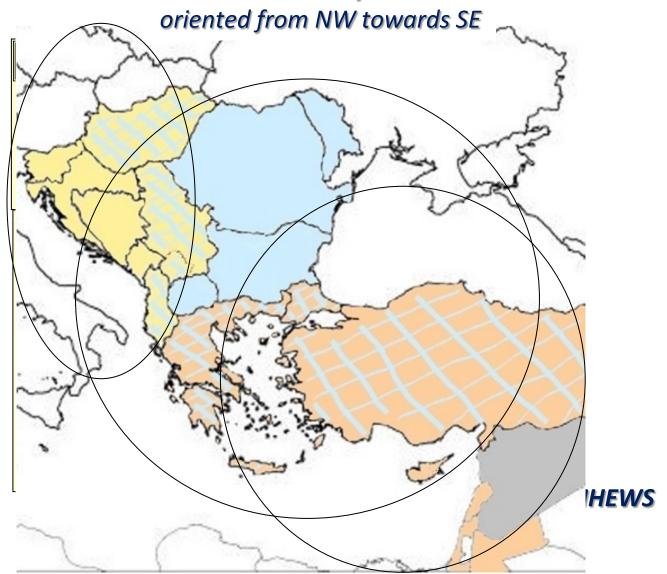
SWFDP - Part of MHEWS Distributed Network in SEE



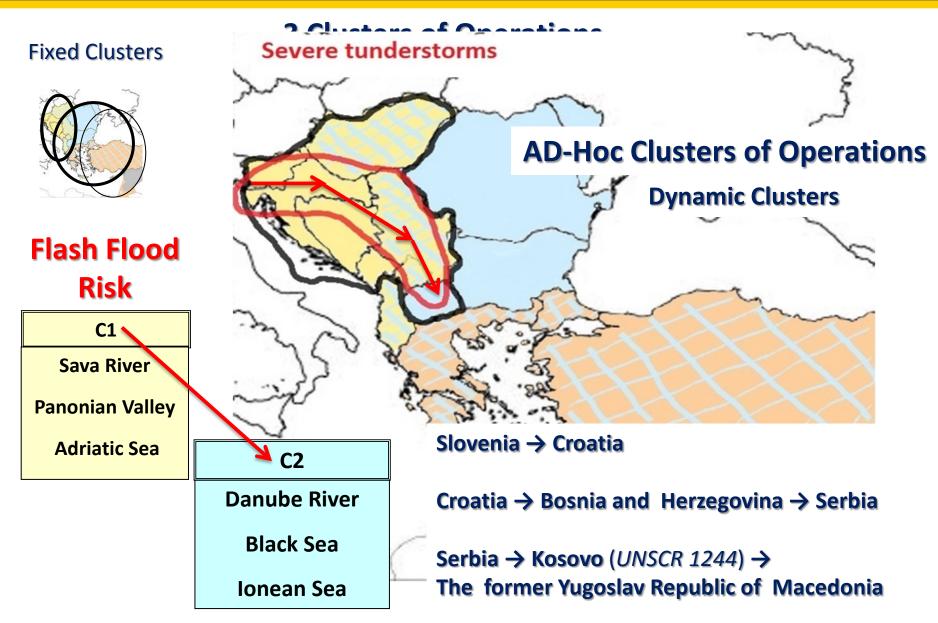
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Organizational Platform MHEWS-A Consortium of Operations / SEE

3 Clusters of Operations



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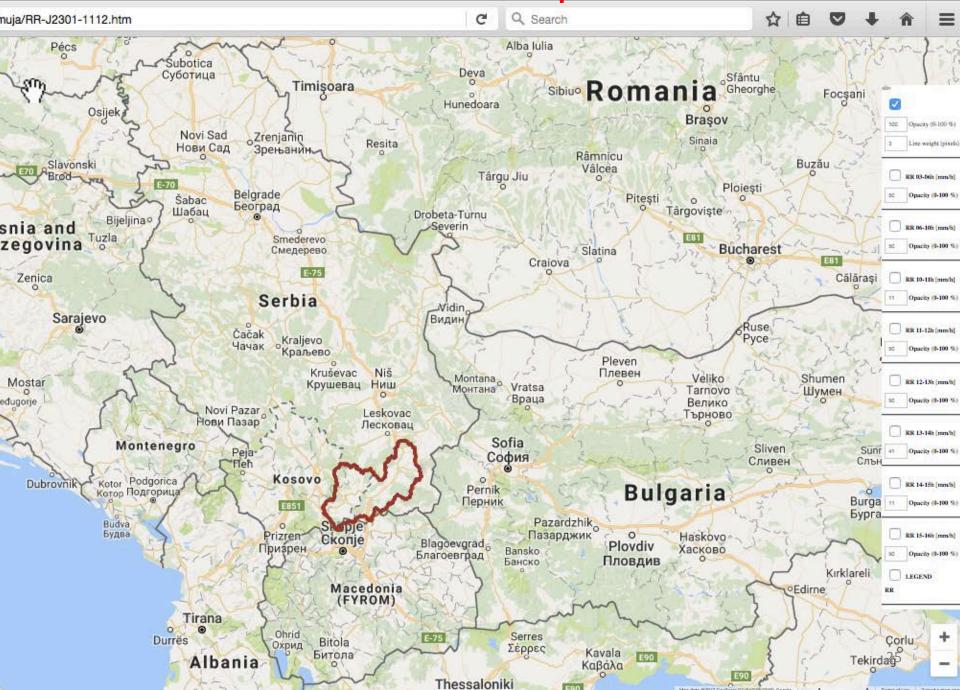
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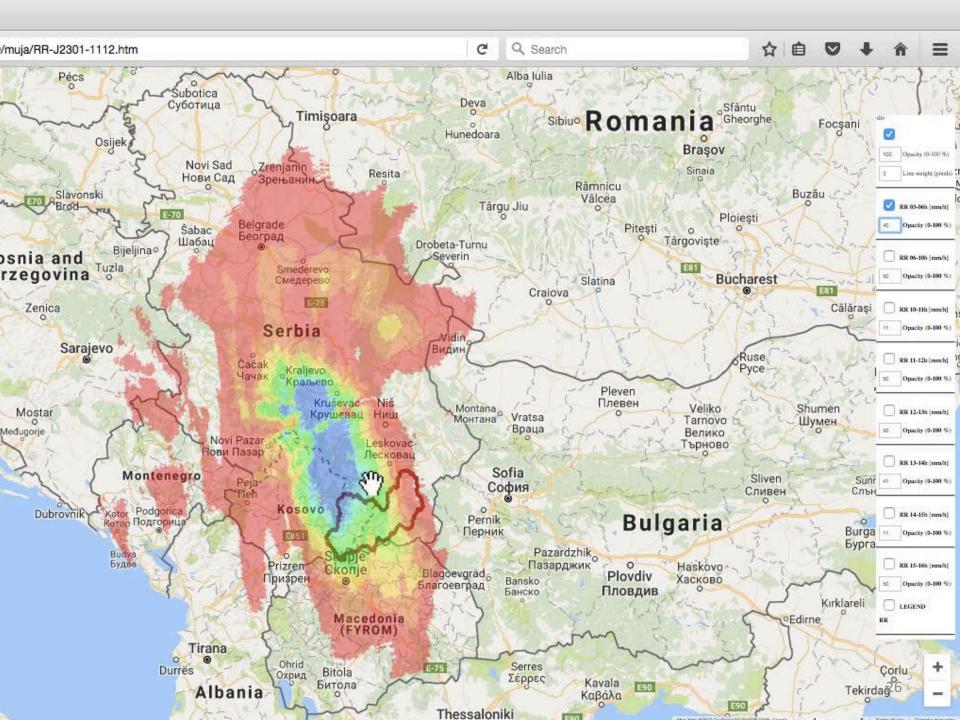
- **Confirm intention to continue collaboration** based on the draft Implementation Plan:
 - Project Participants on 14 June, by those who participate in this meeting or by correspondence
 - Contributing stakeholders on 15 June, by those who participate in this meeting
- Establish Provisional Project Steering Committee and invite the President of RA VI to chair the committee on 14 June 2017
- Provisional Project Steering Committee to request establishment of the Project Advisory Group and underlying Technical Teams
- Provide further comments to the draft Implementation Plan and submit the consolidated Implementation Plan to Informal Conference of SEE NMHS Directors (ICSEED) for their consideration and final adoption – before 15 July 2017
- **Draft Conference Statement** to be considered at the meeting

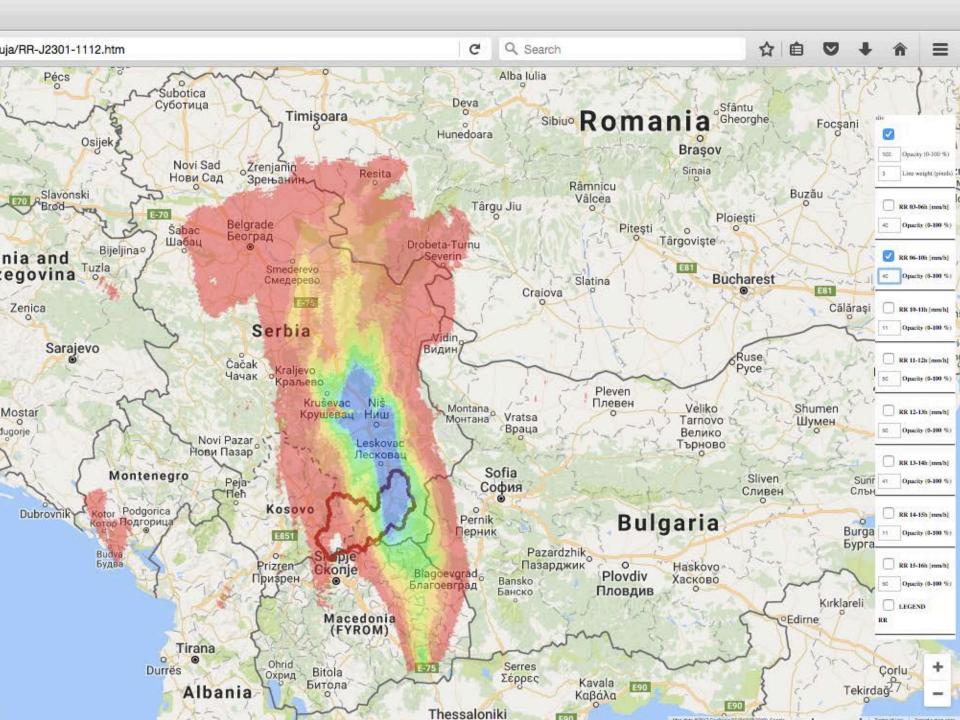
NEXT STEPS FOR SEE-MHEWS-A PROJECT

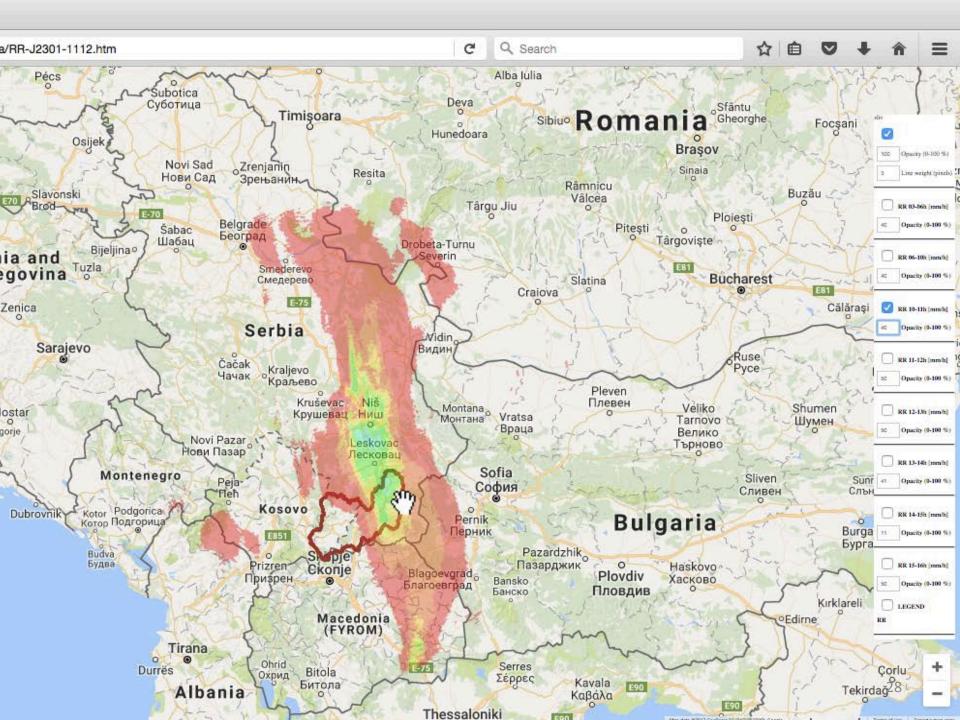
- Establishment of WMO Project Office in Croatia, hosted by the Meteorological and Hydrological Service of Croatia (DHMZ).
- Fundraising for further phases of the project (USAID, EU, World Bank, Green Climate Fund and others).
- Commencement of implementation of the next project phase already close to being agreed (World Bank).
- Cooperation with other relevant projects.

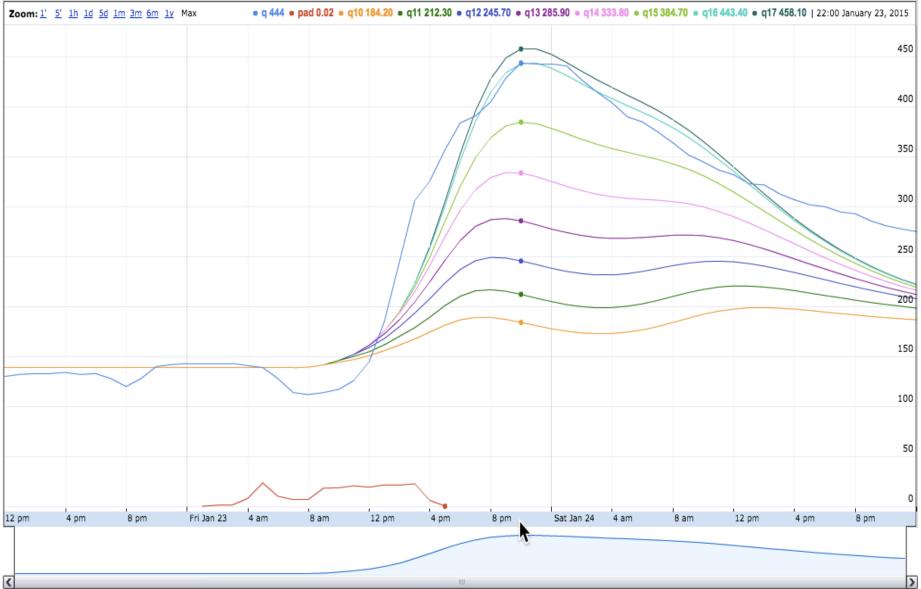
EXAMPLE from South East Europe



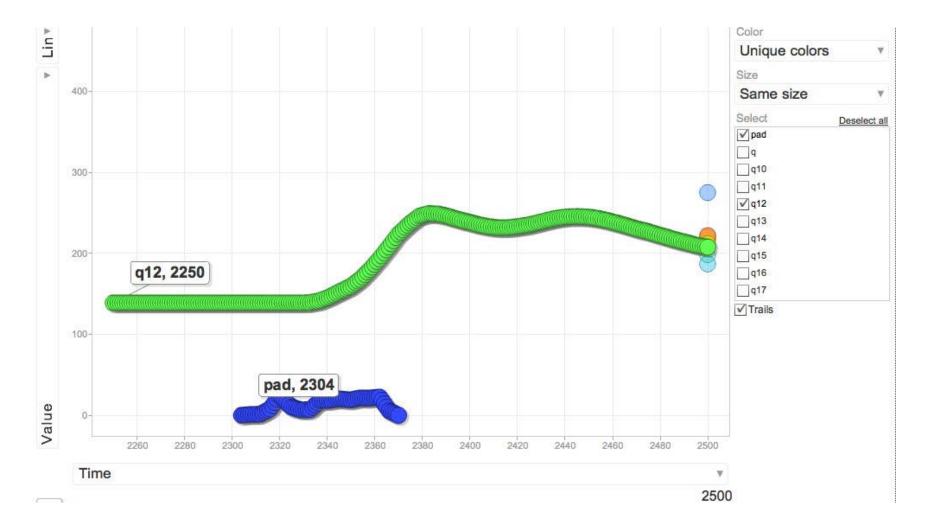


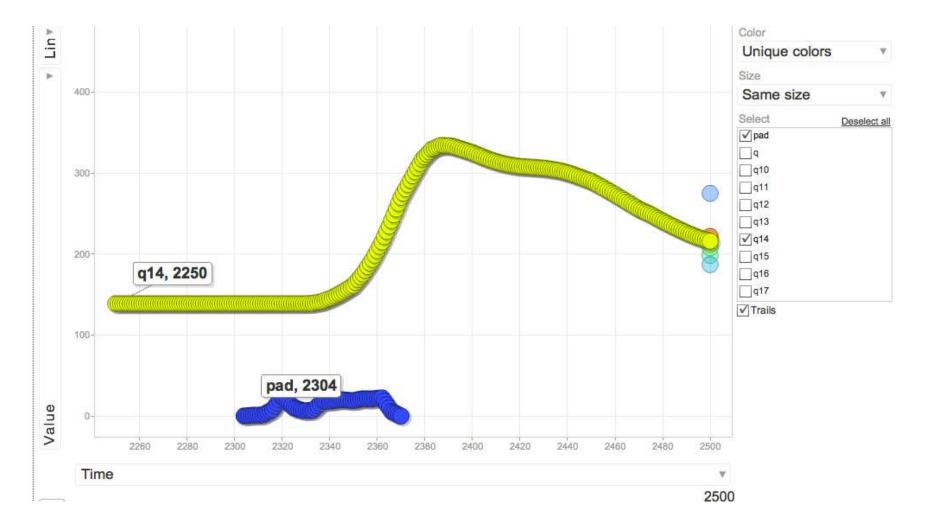


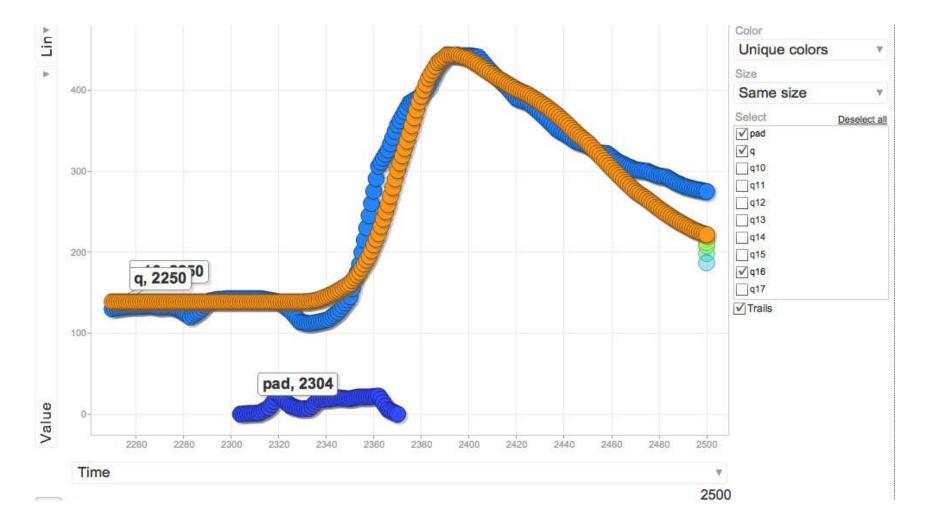


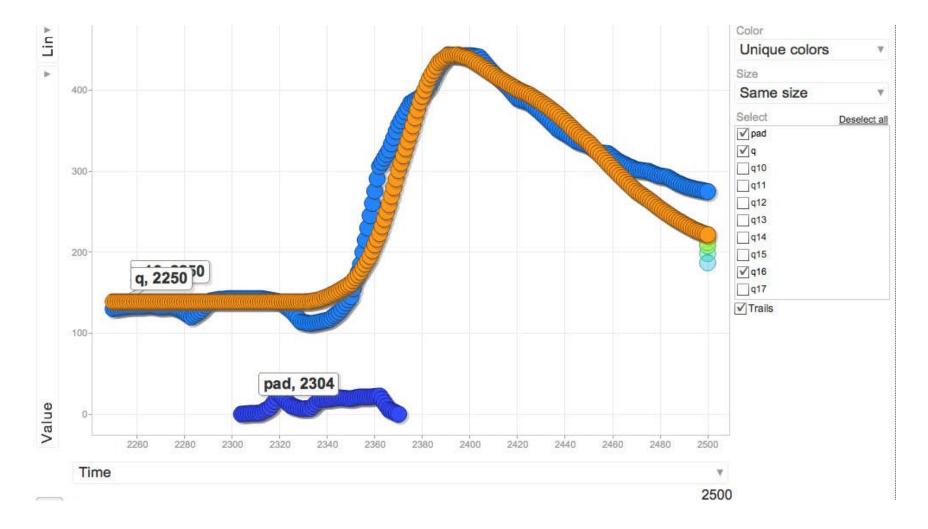


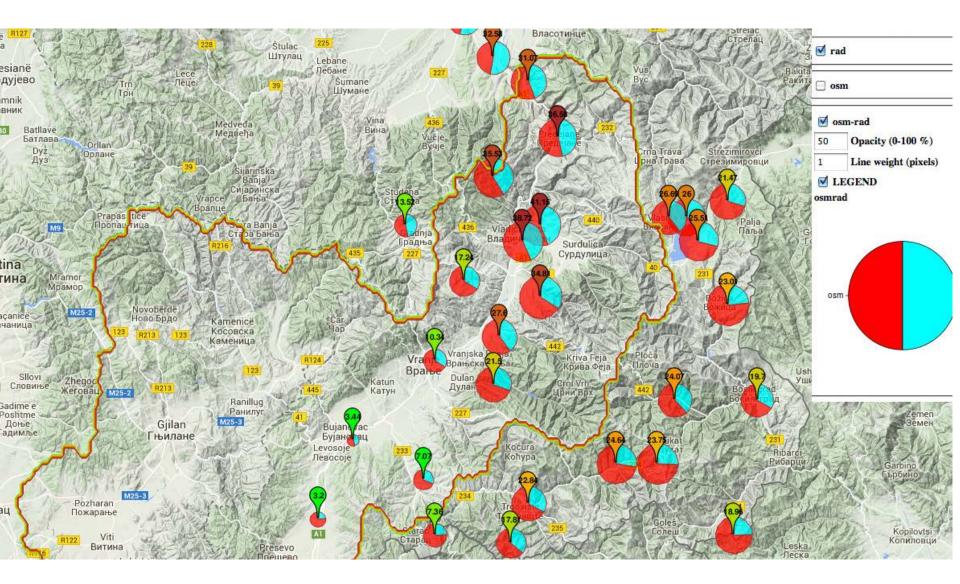
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