## Sustainable Logistics Strategy 2030 and Action Plan for Ukraine

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#### **Outline of this Presentation**

- Overview of Logistics in Ukraine and background to strategy
- Current Challenges and Key Areas for Improvement
- Policy Actions and Implications



# Logistics is critical for Ukraine... but logistics services are inadequate

- Efficient logistics are critical to growth when trade accounts for > 100 % of GDP
- Location at the crossroads of major transport routes provides a unique opportunity to develop transit services
- The development of the transport sector is an integral part of the Association Agreement between Ukraine and EU.
- Transport capacity is underutilized, the available infrastructure and services are substandard, and end users face high logistics costs
- □ Ukraine ranks 80th (out of 160) in the 2016 Logistics Performance Index



#### **GOAL OF THE SUSTAINABLE LOGISTICS STRATEGY**

#### The work was initiated in 2016 with financial support from:

- Korean Green Growth Trust Fund and
- Public-Private Investment Advisory Facility (PPIAF), both managed by the World Bank

#### The overall goal of the Strategy is to help Ukraine in:

- realizing Ukraine's logistics potential;
- enhancing multimodality and interconnectivity;
- maintaining, modernizing, and expanding efficient and energy-efficient logistics and freight transport;
- improving transport/logistics related skills and services; and
- enhancing trade facilitation



## SUSTAINABLE LOGISTICS STRATEGY COMPLEMENTS THE NATIONAL TRANSPORT STRATEGY FOR UKRAINE

#### **Sustainable Logistics Strategy**

- Economic, Social & Environmental sustainability

#### **Modal Strategies**

Railways
Maritime
Ports
IWT
Corridors

**NTS 2030** 



## SEVERAL WORLD BANK BACKGROUND STUDIES 2016-2017 HAVE BEEN PREPARED AND SHARED

Three on Institutional Mechanism in Logistics Policy
Three Supply Chain Analyses

**Two Railway Logistics studies** 

**Two City-Port Logistics studies** 

**Two Inland Waterways and Ports studies** 

Diagnostic study on Sustainable Road Freight Transport





#### MAIN FINDINGS

Strengthening
logistics is a
complex challenge
which needs
support at the
highest levels of
Government

- Strong institutions, effective public sector coordination, and government support at the highest levels required
- Logistics involves coordination among many actors providing a wide range of services and subject to multiple legal and regulatory frameworks & institutions
- Effective regulation is essential to ensure appropriate competition, administration of transport infrastructure, Customs, safety issues, and supply chain security



## GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT IS VITAL FOR EFFICIENT ROAD AND RAIL FREIGHT TRANSPORT SECTOR

- ☐ Rapid truck and rail fleet renewal is essential
- Rail: UZ struggles with aging locomotives and rolling stock, a depreciated infrastructure, and the sharp decline in transit
  - ☐ A large share of the investments from the private sector
  - ☐ Better rail and intermodal services to reduce costs and time
- □ Road: A controlled introduction of i) operator licenses; ii) registration; iii) inspections; and iv) enforcement to meet the terms of the EU Association Agreement, and adherence to Int'l conventions
- ☐ All: Improved data on transport operators, vehicle fleets and traffic integrated into a comprehensive, on-line database needed quickly



# SPEEDING UP PORT OPERATIONS, REDUCING CHARGES, IMPROVING LAND ACCESS AND EASING REGULATIONS INHIBITING SHIPPING TO IMPROVE MARITIME LOGISTICS

- ☐ UA ports below peers and deteriorating over time
- □ Getting to the Top 100 in world container shipping is technically possible, as only ¼ of capacity is in use, but a very challenging goal
- □ Capacity/service bottlenecks to be removed, faster and less costly turnaround at ports, and improved spatial planning and land use
- ☐ High seaport charges; port pricing to minimize trade cost



## □ Volumes along the Dnipro are now 1/10 of the peak 66 million tons of the 1980s

- Realizing the IWT potential requires substantial private and public sector investments, but also regulatory and institutional changes
- A long-term vision for IWT, incl. a viable budget, and an assessment of training needs and provision to be developed
- □ Top IWT priority is the repair of locks, and installation of navigational aids and works to secure guaranteed water depth

REVITALIZING
IWT\* WILL
REQUIRE
CAREFUL
PLANNING AND
SIGNIFICANT
INVESTMENT

\*) Inland Waterway Transport



# INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT, IMPROVED LOGISTICS SERVICES AND LIBERALIZING TRADE TO HELP IN MEETING THE DEMAND FOR TRANSIT

- ☐ Transit through UA fell from half of int'l cargo in 2004 to 13 % in 2014
- Developing new transport corridors bypassing Russia and strengthening value adding logistics services are needed
- □ Promotion of strategic corridors, competitive seaports, improved border crossing practices, liberalizing transit rules are essential
- ☐ Greater use of multimodal logistics centers and advanced IT systems, and the use of advanced 3PL/4PL solutions also needed
- □ Tackle Border Crossing Point problems for road vehicles at UA-PL and UA-BY with Polish and Belarusian counterparts.







BUILDING
SKILLS AND
COMPETENCIES
IN THE LOGISTICS
SECTOR

## GREATER PRIVATE SECTOR PARTICIPATION IS NEEDED IN EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- □ A plan for vocational training, higher education and certification in logistics should be developed as a private-public partnership
- ☐ The level of skills in e.g. aviation or railway technology fairly high, but that in logistics is generally poor, and research in it is limited
- □ Upgrading English proficiency for staff at logistics services users and providers, and government officials is a high priority
- □ Researchers to participate in international projects and programs
  - Such as Horizon 2020, Interreg, Twinning of EU; COST, etc.
- □ Creating institutions such as <u>National Logistics Skills Council</u> and an <u>Academic Council on Logistics</u> under the MoE to be considered







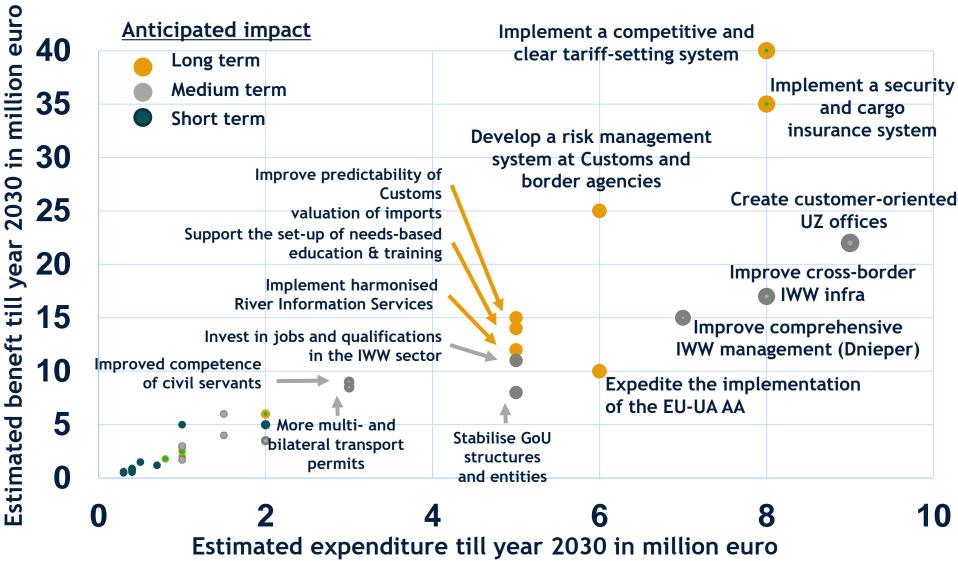
IMPLEMENTING
THE
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### SUGGESTED ACTIONS TO IMPROVE UKRAINIAN LOGISTICS TILL 2030

- □ 81 Actions identified; 69 with cost/benefit estimates
- ☐ Cost estimates mainly exclude infrastructure investments
  - ☐ IWT, multimodal and logistics center Actions may include these
- ☐ Total costs till year 2030 amount to EUR 6.3 billion
  - □ EUR 4.4 billion borne by the private sector
    - ☐ EUR 3.9 billion for complete road fleet renewal
  - □ EUR 1.9 billion borne by the <u>public sector</u>
    - ☐ EUR 1.3 billion for rail wagon fleet renewal
- Benefits by 2030 estimated to exceed EUR 10 billion



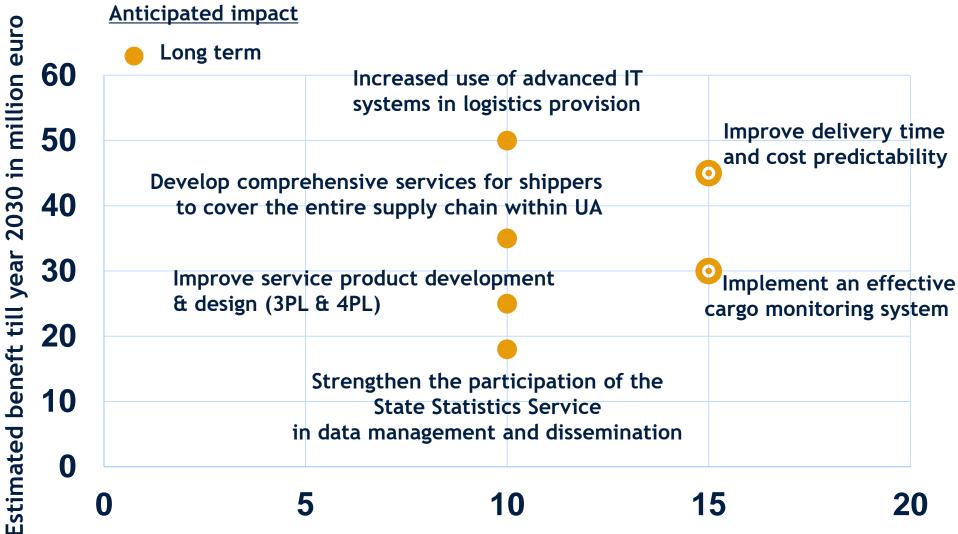
#### SUGGESTED ACTIONS IN THE EUR 2 TO 9 MILLION RANGE **TO IMPROVE UKRAINIAN LOGISTICS TILL 2030**





2030

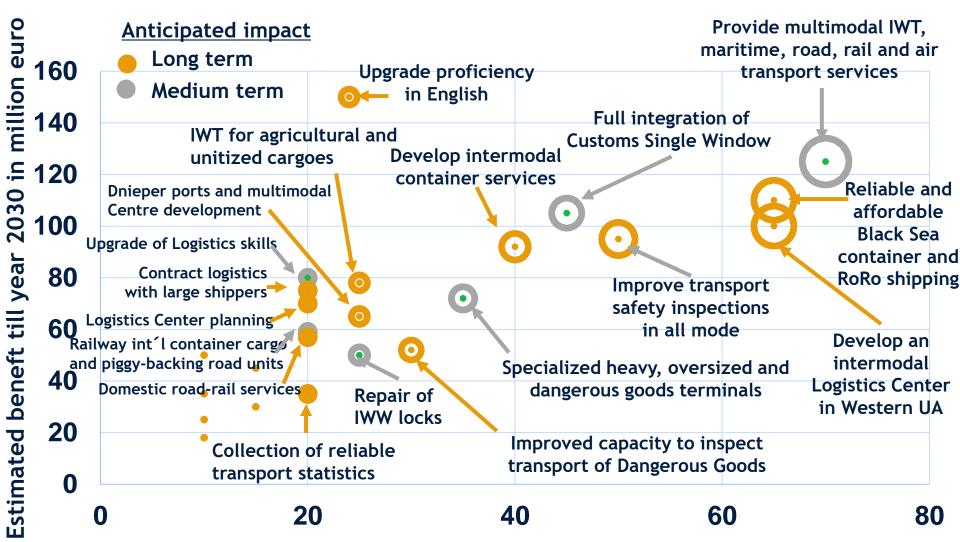
## SUGGESTED ACTIONS IN THE EUR 10 TO 15 MILLION RANGE TO IMPROVE UKRAINIAN LOGISTICS TILL 2030



Estimated expenditure till year 2030 in million euro



## SUGGESTED ACTIONS IN EUR 20 – 70 MILLION COST RANGE TO IMPROVE UKRAINIAN LOGISTICS TILL 2030



Estimated expenditure till year 2030 in million euro

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#### THE FOUR LARGEST ACTIONS

COST /
BENEFIT
by 2030 in
million EUR

Expedite implementation of port tariff reform 150 250+

Develop a network of high quality multimodal 200 350+ Logistics Centers based on realistic business

Modernize rolling stocks, locomotives, rail 1,300 3,000+ tracks for freight transport

Modernize the entire truck fleet

3,900 4,500+



## EFFECTIVE IMPLEMENTATION OF LOGISTICS STRATEGY REQUIRES COORDINATED GoU EFFORTS (1)

- □ GoU to maintain statistics, ensure a clear mandate and means for the Logistics Coordination Council, follow up on KPIs, and improve the moral and financial standing and competence of civil servants
- ☐ GoU to expedite implementation of the EU-UA AA
- ☐ Generating better statistics requires substantial financial, organizational and IT resources, and allocation of responsibilities to improve the availability and reliability of data, incl. the SSSU



## EFFECTIVE IMPLEMENTATION OF LOGISTICS STRATEGY REQUIRES COORDINATED GoU EFFORTS (2)

- □ GoU action needed to improve enforcement coordination of National Police and Ukrtransbezpeka in effective transport safety inspections
- MoE in key role in developing skills and competencies
- State Fiscal Service and other border agencies:
  - ☐ More transparency with regards to determination of reference prices for customs value
  - ☐ Full integration of the Customs Single Window



#### **THANK YOU!**

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