

Common Future Vision for the German-Polish Interaction Area *Horizon 2030*



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160,000 km²

21 million inhabitants

430 billion EUR GDP

This spatial planning vision for the area on both sides of the rivers Oder and Lusatian Neisse demonstrates the potential and development opportunities. It does not include any formal planning arrangements. The concept is a set of recommendations which the two parties have adopted with regard to spatial development and to which competent authorities, institutions and decision makers can refer.

It aims to provide motivation and inspiration to planners and other stakeholders to intensify collaboration, and to increase awareness for the German-Polish interaction area at European and national level. At the same time, due to its specific cross-border perspective, the concept contributes to the discussion on the future priorities of the European cohesion policy.



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A COMMON AREA OF GROWTH IN EUROPE



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Vision

» By 2030, the German-Polish interaction area, which has strong social, economic and environmental ties and represents a common area of sustainable growth, will have become an important driver of development in the heart of Europe and will also have an influence on other regions.

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GUIDING PRINCIPLES FOR DEVELOPMENT

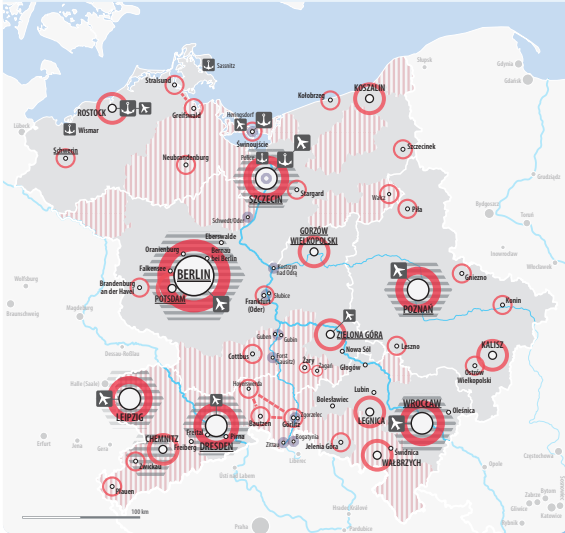
Achieving the strategic objective of a common area of growth in Europe requires strengthening the socio-economic, communication-based and administrative links. Many such links have already been established. The 2030 Common Future Vision makes these links more visible and allows for political objectives to be more consciously geared towards them.

Implementing the 2030 Common Future Vision requires a number of processes, including those of civil society, to run on different levels and be backed by a great number of people and institutions. In this regard, the 2030 Common Future Vision formulates guiding principles for development which focus on important areas of action for future development.

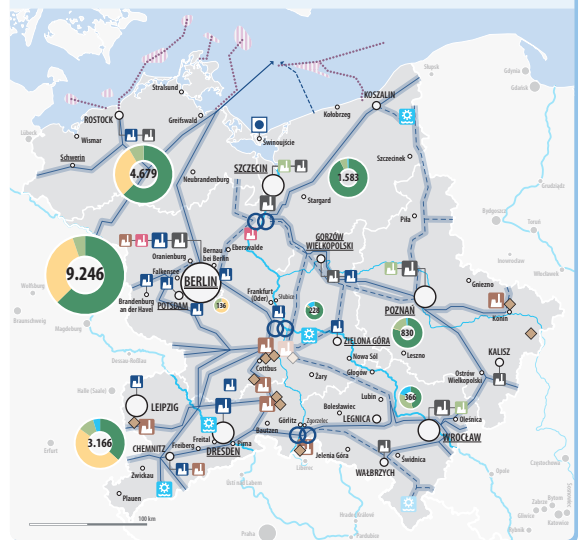
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Taking advantage of polycentric settlement patterns



Promoting sustainable growth



Improving transport links



Providing the setting for a high quality of life

