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Preparing for ITI

Croatia & Integrated Territorial Investment





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Presentation structure

Croatia close-up

ITI framework on national level

Regional approach – good practice example

Who are we?

What's in it for us?



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WHO or WHAT is CROATIA?

**Croatia is AN
IMMENSELY beautiful
country and I would
LOVE to visit one day.**

<https://answers.yahoo.com/question/index?qid=20100107103028AA9bGid&page=2>

**A part of
Poland?**

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**We are
passionate and
love soccer!**

10 reasons why to date a
Croatian?

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www.lovecroatia.com



Croatia in numbers



**Capital and
largest city**

Zagreb

**128 cities and towns and
428 municipalities
(large cities – Zagreb,
Rijeka, Osijek, Split,
Zadar)**

**Population
2011 census**

4,284,889

**GDP
(PPP)
2015
estimate**

Total

**\$89.357
billion**

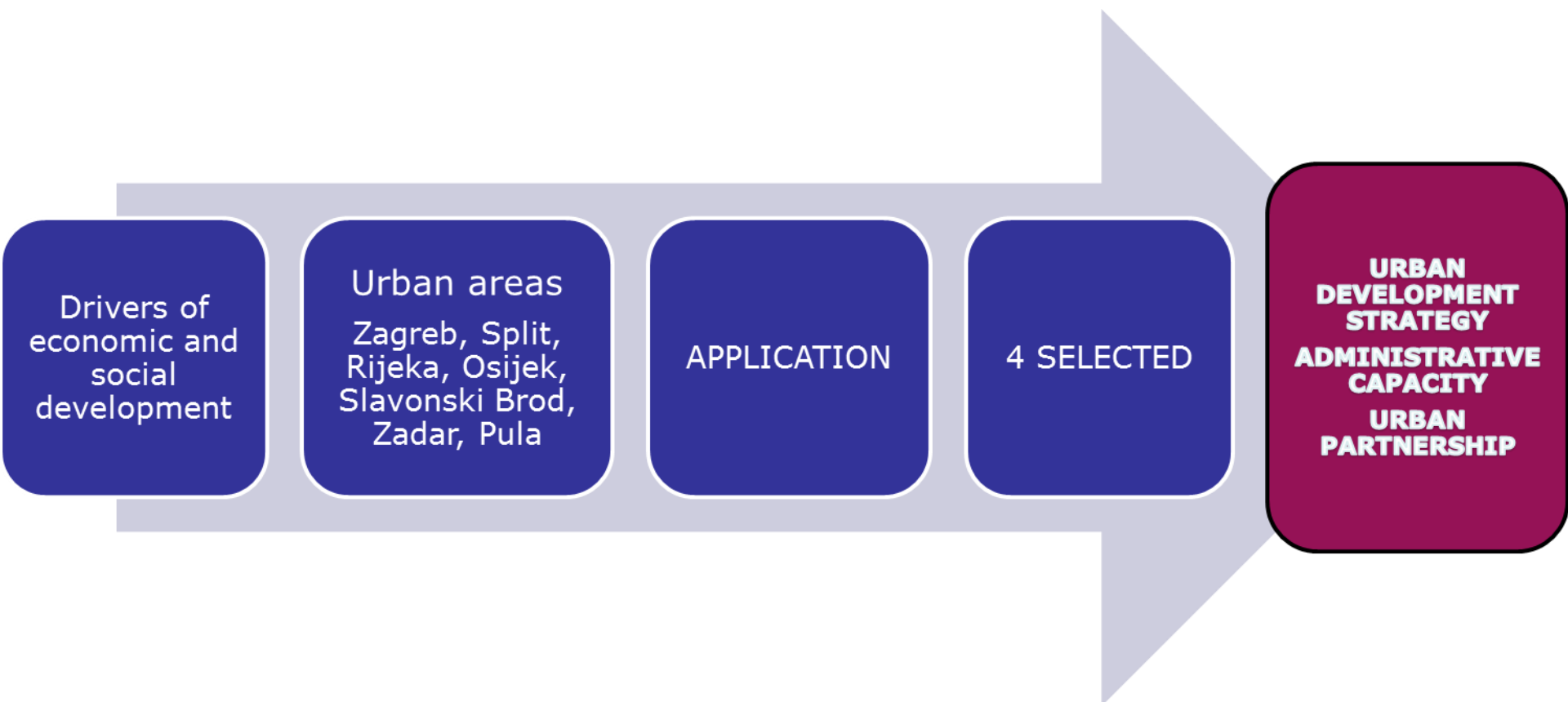
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\$20,873



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ITI in Croatia





Good practice – Zagreb Urban Agglomeration

- ***Zagreb = 1/4 of Croatia (1 mio inhabitants)***
- ***daily migration of 132.000 people***
- ***economic resources***
- ***infrastructure***
- ***traffic and roads***
- ***environment protection***
- ***sustainability of natural resources***



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Who are we? (Krapina Zagorje County)

- ***bordering county with Zagreb and Zagreb County***
- ***132.000 inhabitants***
- ***32 municipalities, 7 towns***

***A FAIRY TALE
AT HAND***





What's in it for us?

- ***selected towns/municipalities will become a part of the urban agglomeration***
- ***implementation of large infrastructure projects***
 - Cable-supported transport systems with cabins
 - Integrated transport system
 - Region of digital museums
- ***stronger administrative capacity***
- ***financial sustainability***
- ***risk diversification***
- ***concentration of funds***



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