

Next Gen EU

The Recovery and Resilience Plan

SLOVAKIA

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Overview of the EU response

State aid rules

- liquidity to economy
- support SMEs, jobs, etc.

Additional safety nets

- SURE: €100 billion for workers
- EIB: €200 bn for companies
- ESM: €240 bn for sovereigns

ECB measures

€1350 bn new measures

Recovery Plan for Europe

- <u>€750 bn</u>Next Generation EU
 - cornerstone: Recovery
 and Resilience Facility
- <u>€1074 bn</u>long-term EU budget

Budgetary flexibility

• Activation of the general escape clause of the Stability and Growth Pact

Coronavirus Response Investment Initiative

- unspent cohesion policy funds
- transfers between funds, regions and priorities





Recovery and Resilience Facility up to EUR 672.5 bn Grants Loans up to EUR 312.5 bn up to EUR 360 bn **Reforms and** min. 37% Green Investments • Lasting impact 27 min. 20% Digital Addressing Plans country-specific for all: recommendations do-no-significant Contribution to the -harm principle 6 pillars of the RRF



The RRF: a unique instrument for EU recovery

Size and financing

- Up to 338 bn grants
- Up to 385,8 bn loans
- Joint borrowing

Delivery mode

- Performance based
- No co-financing
- Based on national plans



Scope

- Mutually reinforcing Reforms and Investments
- Twin transition
- New REPowerEU Chapters

Implementation

- Fast implementation and flexibility
- Almost 100bn already spent



Contribution of RRPs to the twin transition and economic and social resilience

Green transition	 Key reforms: tax incentives for clean vehicles, permitting, water and waste management and nature conservation EUR 251 bn, about 44% of the total plans' allocation exceeding the 37% target
Digital transition	 Key reforms: modernising public services and administrations, removing existing barriers to 5G, mainstreaming digital skills EUR 144 bn, about 26% of the total plans' allocation exceeding the 20% target
Social and economic resilience	 Key reforms: adult learning, modernisation of labour market institutions, accessibility and quality of health- and long-term care systems and education systems, social housing EUR 138 bn, about 28% of the total plans' allocation





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Slovakia RRP: key features

Total max grant allocation	EUR 6.0 bn / 6.3% of 2019 GDP	
Total max loan allocation	No loans requested at this stage	
Investments and reforms	58 investments, 58 reforms	
Milestones and targets/payments	196/10	
Green and Digital share	43% (Green), 21% (Digital)	
Note: RRF = performance based instrument		
Economic impact (by 2026)	GDP increase of between 1.3% and 2.1%	
	20,000 additional jobs	



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	GREEN ECONOMY	Renewable energy sources and energy infrastructure	€ 232 million	€ 2 301 million
		Building renovation	€ 741 million	
		Sustainable transport	€ 801 million	
		Decarbonisation of industry	€ 368 million	
		Climate change adaptation	€ 159 million	
	EDUCATION	Availability, development and quality of inclusive education	€ 210 million	€ 892 million
		Education for the 21st century	€ 469 million	
		Improvement of universities' performance	€ 213 million	
	SCIENCE, RESEARCH,	Effective management, higher financing for science, research, innovation and digital economy	€ 633 million	€739
	INNOVATION	Attraction and retention of talents	€ 106 million	million
		¹ The amounts are based on current prices; final investments may differ from the estimated expenditures		





SK RRP:	
five thematic	
areas (2/2)	

AREA	COMPONENT	RESOURCES ¹	TOTAL	
HEALTH	Modern and accessible healthcare	€ 1,163 million	€ 1 533 million	
	Mental healthcare	€ 105 million		
	Long-term care	€ 265 million		
EFFECTIVE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	Improved business environment	€ 11 million	€ 1 110 million	
	Judicial system reform	€ 255 million		
	Anti-corruption and anti-money laundering measures, safety and security of inhabitants	€ 229 million		
	Digital Slovakia	€ 615 million		
	Sound public finance	-		
	¹ The amounts are based on current prices; final investments may differ from the estimated expenditures			





Green transition

43% of plan allocation supports **climate** objectives

Key investments

• Sustainable transport (€801 mln)

43%

- Building renovation(€741 mln)
- Decarbonisation of Industry (€368 mln)
- Renewables (€232 mln)
- Climate adaptation (€159 mln)

Key reforms

- Transport: single ticketing system
- Buildings: harmonisation of renovation schemes
 - Renewables: promotion of new investments and grid capacity

DNSH: No measure in the plan harms environmental objectives





Digital transition

21% of plan allocation supports **digital** objectives

Key investments

- Top digital technologies (€73,5 mln)
- Digitalisation of SMEs (€31 mln)
- Hackatons
- Digitalisation of schools (€187 mln)
- Digital public services (€ 177 mln)

Cross-border projects

- European Digital Innovation Hubs
- Super-computing

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21%

Key reforms

- Digital skills strategy for adults of all ages
- Improved cybersecurity of public administration

Education (quality and inclusiveness)

- Curriculum reform
- Teachers' trainings
- Higher education reform

Talents



Resilience

Economic resilience

- RDI governance reform, RDI schemes for green and digital innovation
- Insolvency framework



Health resilience

- Reformed provision of the hospital care and primary care
- Expansion of long-term care capacities

A more resilient public sector

- Efficiency and digitalisation
- Reform of universities' governance
- Optimised crisis management
- Pension reform

Social resilience

- Inclusion of disadvantaged groups, pre-school facilities
- Digitisation of schools and digital skills





Slovakia RRP: key features (continued)

Number of payments (Mar 2023)	2/10	
Pre-payment (Oct 2021)	EUR 823m	
1st payment (Jul 2022)	EUR 399m	
2nd payment (Mar 2023)	EUR 709m	
OVERALL (Mar 2023)	EUR 1.9bn	
Note: revision RRP ongoing		
REPowerEU chaper	Allocation: EUR 400m (incl. BAR transfer)	
	To be adopted by SK authorities/EU Institutions in 2023.	



RRF "mechanics"

From payment request to disbursement







Next steps: REPowerEU (since 2022, 400 mil EUR for SK)







Thank you

