

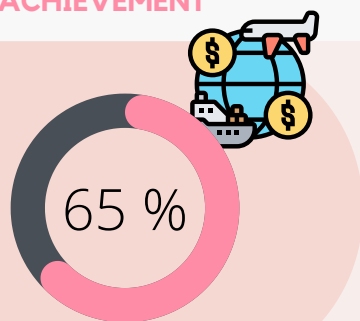
SOUTH EAST EUROPE 2020 STRATEGY - IMPLEMENTATION REPORT



In 2011, southeast European countries have launched the SEE 2020 Strategy aiming at improving living conditions, competitiveness and development in the region.

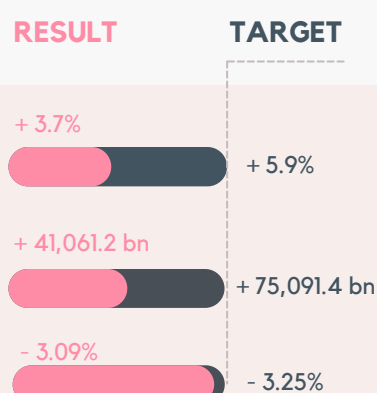
As requested by the region's Ministers of Economy in November 2012, under the auspices of the Regional Cooperation Council (RCC), national administrations, regional bodies and relevant initiatives have prepared this Strategy. This infographic shows the extent to which the targets set have been achieved by 2020 in the six Western Balkans countries according to RCC.

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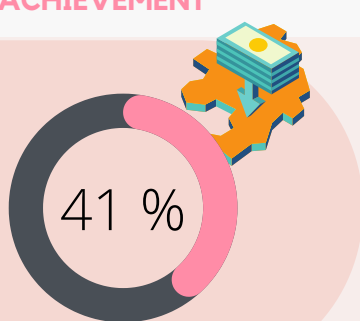


OVERALL TARGETS

- 1 Increasing SEE average GDP per capita relative to the EU average by **5.9 %**
- 2 Boost total SEE trade in goods and services by **EUR 75,091.4 billion** to 129.500 EUR billion
- 3 Reduce SEE trade deficit by **3.25%**

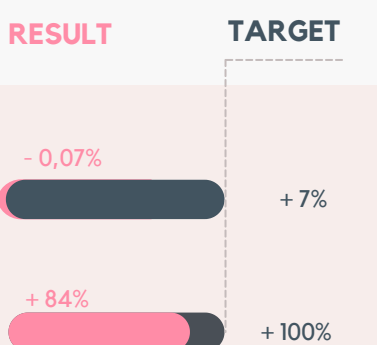


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INTEGRATED GROWTH

- 4 Increase SEE intra-regional trade in goods by more than **140%**
- 5 Increase overall annual FDI inflows to the region by at least **100%**

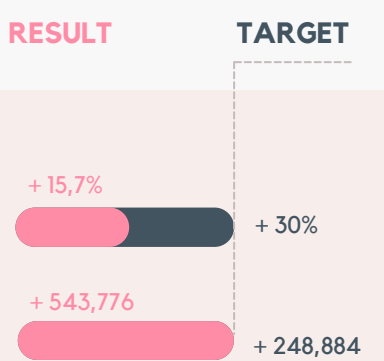


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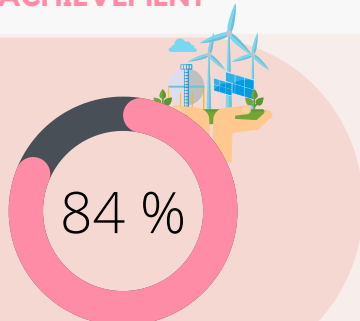


SMART GROWTH

- 6 Increase GDP per person employed by **30%**
- 7 Add **248,884** highly qualified people to the workforce in the WB6

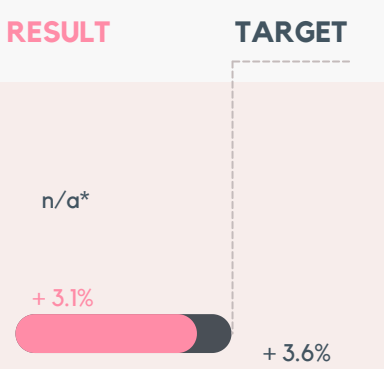


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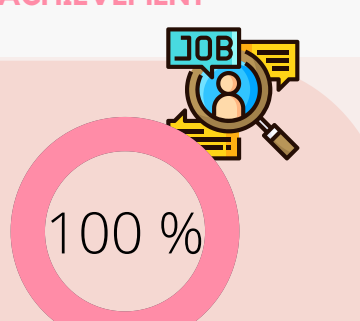


SUSTAINABLE GROWTH

- 8 Increase net enterprise creation (new businesses per year) from 30,107 to 33,760
- 9 Increase share of energy from Renewable Energy Sources in Gross Final Energy Consumption by **3.6%**

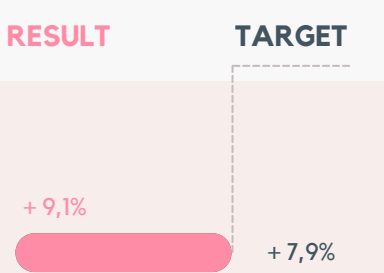


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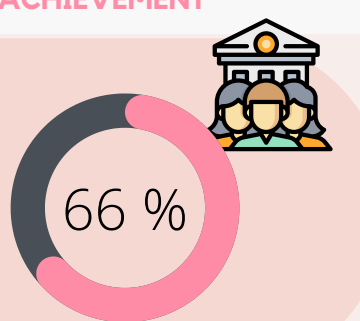


INCLUSIVE GROWTH

- 10 Increase in the overall employment rate, as a percentage of the 15+ population, from 50% to 57,9%

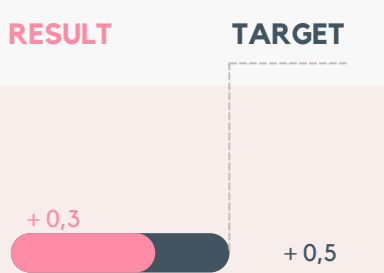


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GOVERNANCE FOR GROWTH

- 11 Improve government's effectiveness as measured by the World Bank Governance Index from 2.20 to 2.70 by 2020



* Data collection omitted after 2018 due to lack of comparability of data in all WB6 countries.

Source: Regional Cooperation Council (2021): [South East Europe 2020: 2020 Annual Report on Implementation](#)

Dimensions of sustainable development

- Prosperity of the SEE Region
- People of the SEE Region
- Peace and Partnerships in the SEE Region

Renewable Energy

Promoting investment, research and innovation in renewable energy to increase the share of carbon free energy supply and improve energy efficiency



2

Digitalisation

Enhancing broadband connectivity, development of digital skills and accelerated digitalisation of industry and public services



4

Human Capital

Better utilisation of human capital potential of the SEE Region



6

Education

Facilitating access to education and supporting improvement of its quality



8

Judiciary

Improving equal access to and quality of justice and public services



10

Capacity Building

Support to institutional strengthening for smart implementation of the SEE 2030 Strategy



12

Economic Growth

Promoting economic growth through trade creation, sustainable and responsible tourism and enhancing transport connectivity

1

Disaster Control

Enhancing capacity to improve detection and risk reduction of natural disasters to minimize their impact on economic growth

3

PPP

Enhancing public-private sector partnership and role of financial sector/financing for development for the implementation of SDGs in SEE

5

Role of diaspora

Supporting diaspora to promote economic activity in the SEE Region

7

9

Health Care

Facilitating access to health and supporting improvement of its quality

11

Healthy Housing

Improving access to and quality of sanitation services and affordable, safer and healthier housing

13

Sustainable Funding

Facilitating creation of sustainable funding mechanisms to support implementation of the SEE 2030 Strategy

