

Status of the Pole Programme and cluster development in Hungary

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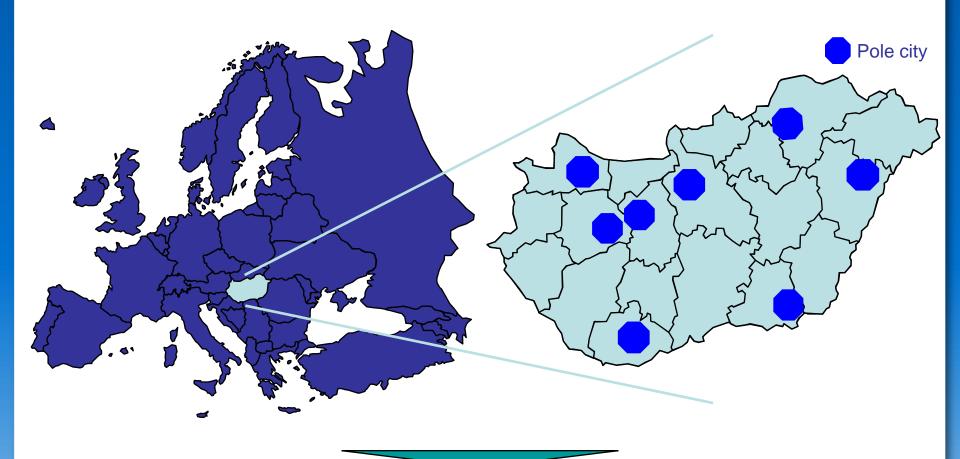
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The Hungarian Pole Program is a comprehensive economic development program with strong focus on pole cities and cluster development

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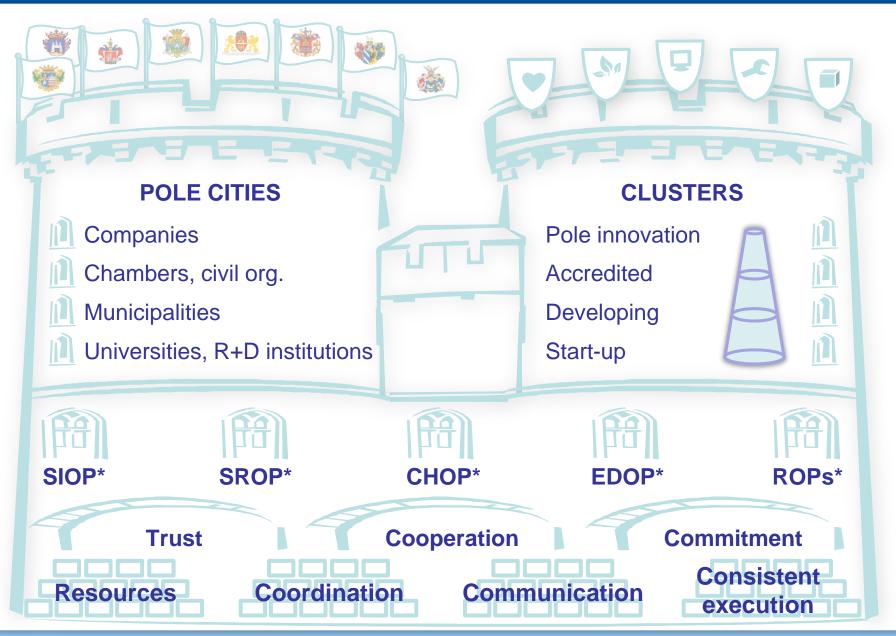


- 93.000 sqkms, 10 million inhabitants
- 8 pole cities in the 7 regions of Hungary



Concept of the Hungarian Pole Program



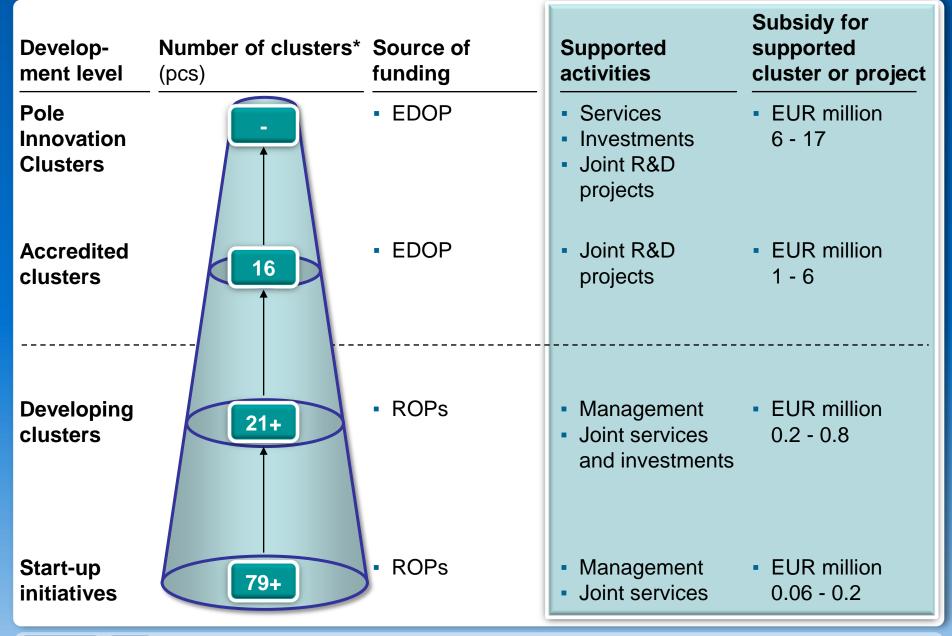




* Operational Programs, SIOP - Social Infrastructure OP, SROP – Social Renewal OP, CHOP – Central Hungarian OP, EDOP – Economic development OP, ROP – Regional OPs Source: PPO, EPAP

Parameters of call for tenders for clusters in the four development phases







* Supported clusters in the tenders of the Regional Operative Programsand the accredited clusters Source: PPO, EPAP

Supported clusters in the ROP* start-up cluster calls





In the ROP start-up cluster calls 79 applications have been approved, with a total support amount of EUR 8 million



* Regional Operational Programs Source: PPO, EPAP

Supported clusters in the ROP* developing cluster calls





In the ROP developing cluster calls 21 applications have been approved, with a total support amount of EUR 5.3 million

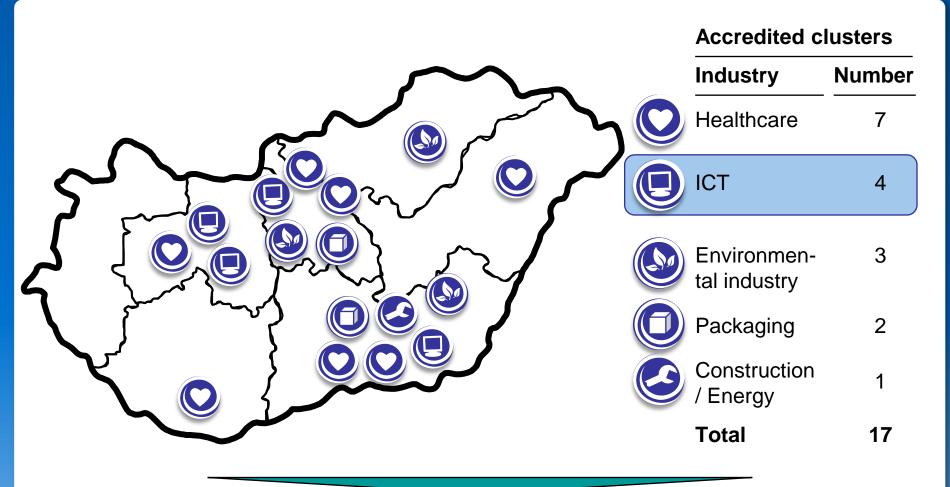




Sectors of the granted start-up and developing clusters (pcs) Energy 12 12 Machinery / Automotive Infocommunication technology 12 Environmental industry 11 There are 100 **Business services** 8 clusters for which Tourism 8 support has been Construction granted Food industry 6 Logistics 6 There are 12 ICT Healthcare 5 clusters among Education 4 the supported Plastic/Packinging industry 3 applications Wood and furniture 3 Materials science Agriculture China and ceramics industry







- Seventeen clusters have been accredited up until now
- Most of the clusters operate in the South Great Plain and the Central Hungarian region
- Most of the clusters operate in the healthcare and ICT industry







Central Hungary (5)

- Omnipack Packaging Cluster
- Mobility Multimedia
- Medical Biotechnology Innovation
- Medical Instruments Producers

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Waste Water Technology Innovation Cluster

North Hungary (1)

 EnIn Environmental Industry

North Great Plain (1)

 Pharmapolis Debrecen Innovation Medical Cluster

South Great Plain (6)

- PharmacoFood
- Goodwill Biotechnology
- Software Innovation Pole Cluster
- ArchEnerg Regional Renewable Energy and Construction
- 3P Plastic, Packaging, Printing Cluster
- Biomass Utilization Cluster

Central Transdanubia(3)

- First Hungarian e-Public Administration IT Innovative Cluster
- Pannon R+D+I+E
- PharmAgora Life Quality Cluster

South Transdanubia (1)

 Biotechnology Innovation Base



Accredited ICT clusters in Hungary (1/2)



Mobility Multimedia Cluster

- Founded in 2007
- 48 members 31 SMEs, 10 large enterprises, 7 higher education and research centres
- Objective: join scattered R&D capacities of the Hungarian mobile and multimedia technologies to strengthen international competitiveness
- Focus areas: mobile technology applications, multimedia content, intelligent and safe traffic applications, green IT solutions
- Major companies: Magyar Telekom (member of T-group), Ericsson Hungary, HP Hungary, [origo] Zrt.
- Web: www.mmklaszter.com

Pannon R&D and Innovation and Education Cluster

- Founded in 2006
- 18 members 14 SMEs and 1 large enterprise
- Major projects: new generation micropayment systems, e-Medsolution, treatment of critical infrastructures
- Web: www.pannonpolus.hu



Accredited ICT clusters in Hungary (2/2)



First Hungarian E-administration, IT and Innovation Cluster

- Founded in 2007
- 30 members 22 SMEs, 4 large enterprises, 2 universities, 4 others (municipality, foundation)
- Focus areas: health care IT (automated motion analysis system, mobile ECG), e-administration IT (complex IT mapping of workflows of authorities), environmental IT, innovative IT services to support business flows, mobile IT (automatic meter reading), geospatial IT
- Major companies: Albacomp IT, Delta IT, Axis Consulting, GraphIT, Stratis Management and IT Consultancy

Software Innovation Pole Cluster

- Founded in 2007
- 39 members 28 SMEs and 5 large enterprise, 6 higher education institutions, research centres and other
- Focus areas: software quality, applications of embedded and mobile systems, applications of language and speech technology, health care applications, industry specific management solutions
- Web: www.infopolus.hu





Thank you for your attention!

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Advantages of cooperation



Actor	Activity	Possible advantages
 Municipalities, Chambers of commerce and civil organizations 	 Defining clear development targets Coordination of economic development 	SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC ADVANTAGES
 Universities and R&D institutes 	 Running educational and research infrastructure Building strategic relations 	CREATION OF KNOWLEDGE
Companies	 Sustainable development Achieving business and development goals 	ECONOMIC GROWTH



Accredited clusters and development projects in the Pole cities



