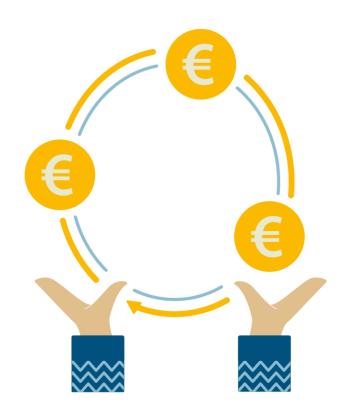


# Interreg programmes financial implementation

Liquidity and cash flow management in Interreg programmes

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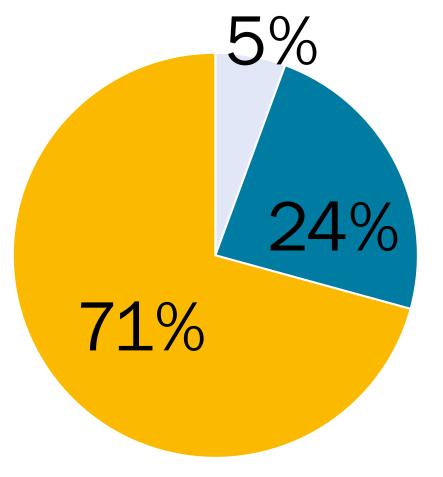
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#### **Total allocations in Interreg, 2014-2020**



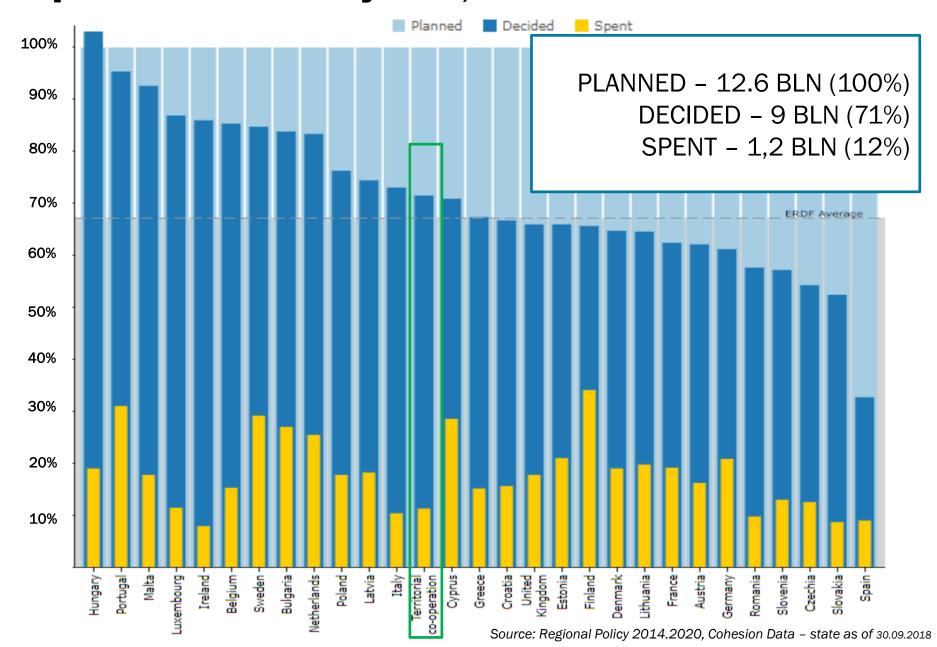
TOTAL	9 181 087 463
Interregional	514 397 842
Transnational	2 172 034 273
CBC	6 494 655 348

<sup>■</sup> Interregional Cooperation Programme ■ Transnational Programme

Cross-Border Programme

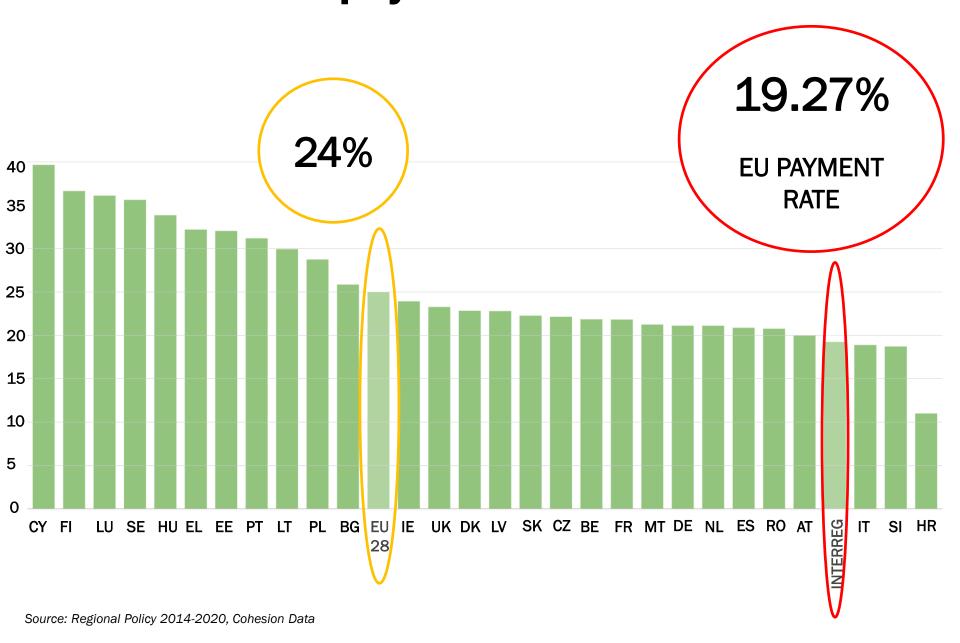
#### Implementation by MS, ERDF





#### 2014-2020 EU payment details







#### **Total cumulative EU payments, Interreg**

**Total EU allocation** 

9 140 256 7830 EUR - 100%

Total EU payments 1 093 780 122

EUR – 12%

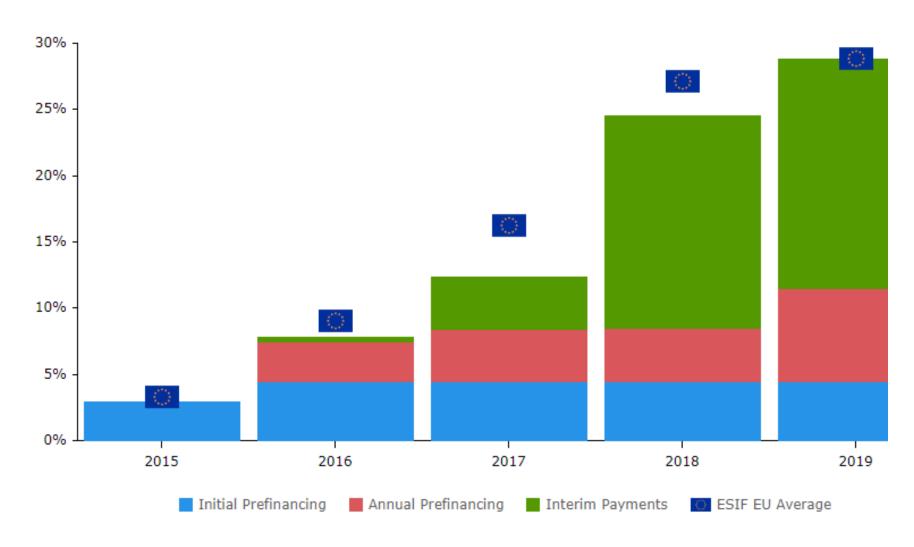
Interim payments

1 127 655 634 EUR - 12%

Annual prefinancing 443 mEUR – 5% Initial pre financing 277 mEUR 3%



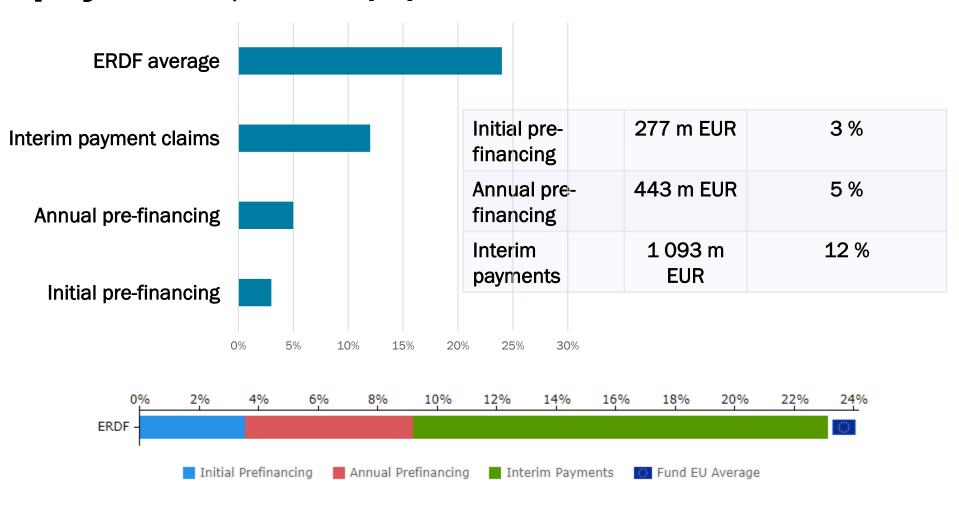
#### Interreg 2014-2020 EU payments



Source: Regional Policy 2014-2020, Cohesion Data



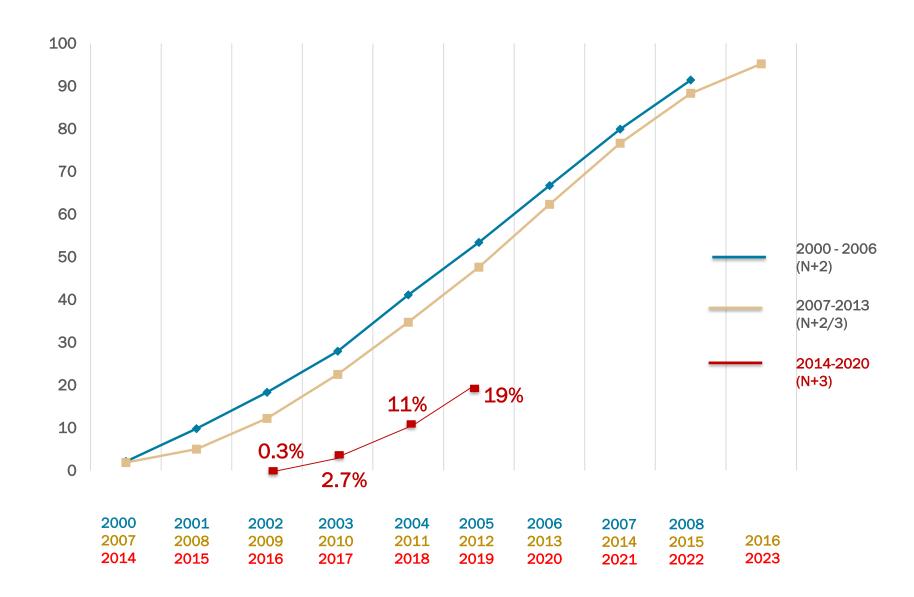
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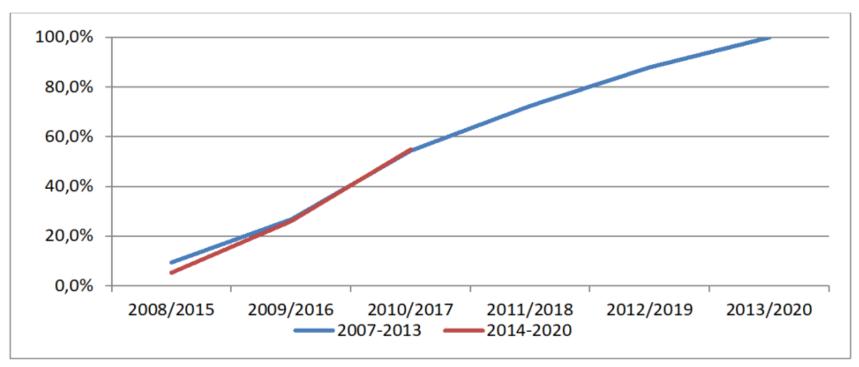


#### **ERDF** absorption rate, EU28





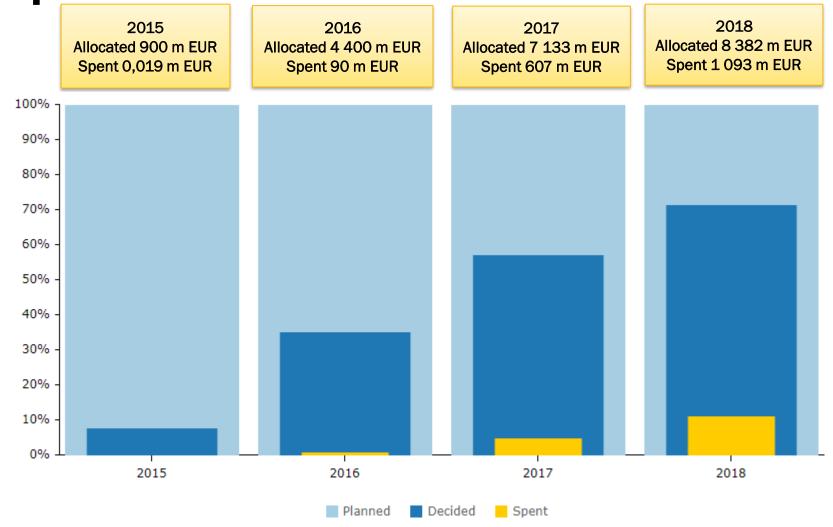
## Funding commitment to selected projects, % of available total, 2007-13 vs. 2014-20



**Source:** DG Regional and Urban Policy, based on monitoring data provided by Member States in Commission Staff Working Document (SWD (2018) 171 final) Spending Review.



Interreg 2014-2020 EU allocated and spent



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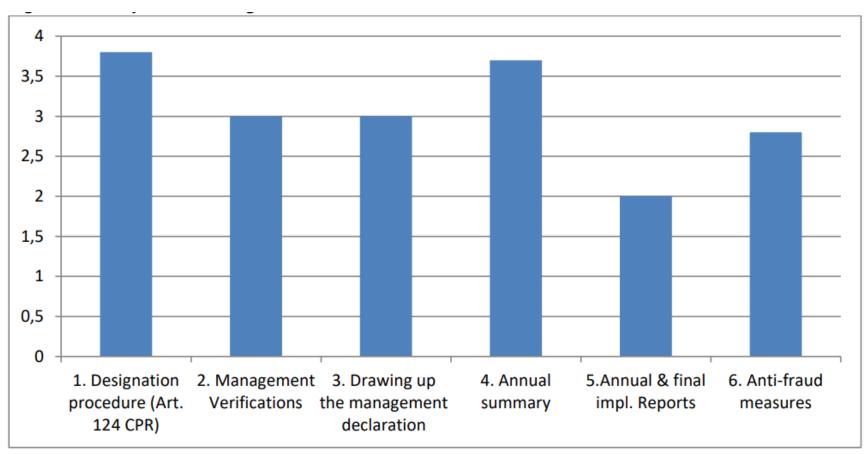


#### Delays in Interreg's implementation (1)

- Regulatory and procedural complexity
- Content of the regulatory framework and additional requirements introduced (e.g., ex-ante assurance on the set-up and design of the MCS - designation process; stronger coordination requirements)
- N+3 no decommitment target in 2016
- Closure of 2007-2013 programming
- ... decreasing interest in applying for Interreg funds in some regions



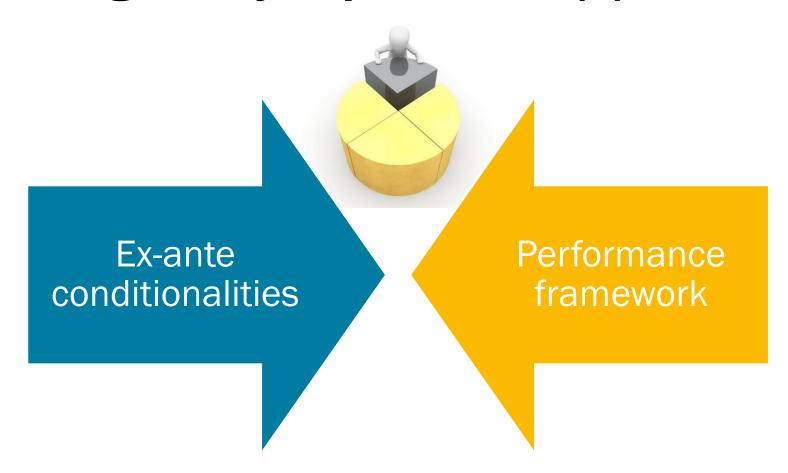
#### **Complexities facing MAs (2)**



**Source:** Ferry M & Polverari L (2018) *Control and Simplification of Procedures within ESIF.* Study for the European Parliament REGI Committee. Assessment based on selected case studies.



#### **New regulatory requirements (3)**





### **Cooperation works**

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