

1st Working Group Meeting Agenda 29 and 30 March 2007, Barcelona

WG 3: Market Organisation Integration and tariff systems

Objectives of WG Meeting

- To identify and validate main problems/challenges, trends and challenges in CEEC related to services, network, timetable and tariff integration (including models for integration, institutional set up, design of organising authority etc.)
- To exchange information, experiences and know how and information on integration aspects including tariff systems between CEEC and other European cities/urban areas
- To present and discuss good practices examples from operators and authorities from CEEC and other European Countries
- To derive conclusions on challenges and need for action

Preparatory documents

Working paper on Integration (focus tariff and fare systems) including

- State of the art and problems/challenges in the field of market organisation
- Overview on integration fields
- Integration related to tariff and fare systems

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12:00	Lunch
14:00 – 15:00	Plenary session
15:00 – 17:30	Working Session (part 1): Current Situation and problems related to integration in urban public transport
	Introduction by cluster leader
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Topics addressed in WG Meeting- Overview on integration fields- Objectives / expectations for the meeting- Programme for the WG Meeting- “Rules of the game”
	Current Situation, problems, trends and key challenges in CEEC and other countries related to integration in urban public transport (statements by the experts and discussion)
	Validation of current situation, problems, trends and key challenges in CEEC Countries

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- 10:00 – 13:00 **Working session (part 2): Practices in network, services, time table and tariff integration**
- Introduction by VVO based on the experience from the transportation association Oberelbe
- Good Practice Cases from CEEC and other European Countries and Discussion
- Further examples and statements by experts on integration issues
- Structured group discussion on good practice/experiences (benefits and costs, success and failure factors, barriers, transferability and implementation, important framework conditions) and Conclusions
- 13:00 **Lunch**
- 14:00 – 16:00 **Working session (part 3): Tariff measures**
- Introduction by VTI on tariff measures based on examples from Sweden
- Good Practice Cases from CEEC and other European Countries and Discussion
- Structured group discussion on good practice/experiences (benefits and costs, success and failure factors, barriers, transferability and implementation, important framework conditions) and Conclusions
- Outlook on further activities in WG 3
- 16:00 – 17:00 **Plenary session**