SMART STRATEGIES FOR THE TRANSITION IN COAL INTENSIVE REGIONS

TARGET REGION
KOLUBARA REGION
(RS11, RS21)

SPATIAL REGION KOLUBARA

QUICK DATA & FACTS

Category | Spatial Region Kolubara
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Type of mining | Lignite surface mining
Lignite fields in operation or to be operated until closedown | 7 fields in operation or to be operated until closedown (fields “Tamnava-Zapad”, “C”, “D”, “E”, “Veliki Crljeni”, “G”, “Radljevo”, EPS company)
Landscape area / mining district | 1,435 km² (4 municipalities)
Land taken by mining & reclaimed | Within exploitation boundaries 130 km² (~9%);
reclaimed 12.6 km²
Coal production (without overburden) | 29 million tons per year (>70% of Serbian production)
Employees | 7,644 + 5,699 related jobs
Coal phase out | 2050

Data sources:

MINING & GENERATION

SOCIO-ECONOMIC BASELINE

Category | Spatial Region Kolubara | Serbia
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Population (census 2011) | 175,722 | 7,186,862
GDPPer capita | N/A | 4,112 EUR
Share of industry* on GDP (2017) | N/A | 1.1%
Employees (census 2011) | 62,610 | 2,304,628
Unemployment rate (of active population) (census 2011) | 13.52% | 22.43%

* Industry meaning coal mining

Data Sources:

SMART SPECIALISATION STRATEGIES


The following issues should be covered:
- Infrastructure development
- Innovation – Research – Science
- Business and economic development
- Education of specialists

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