

EIB requirements and funding for road safety

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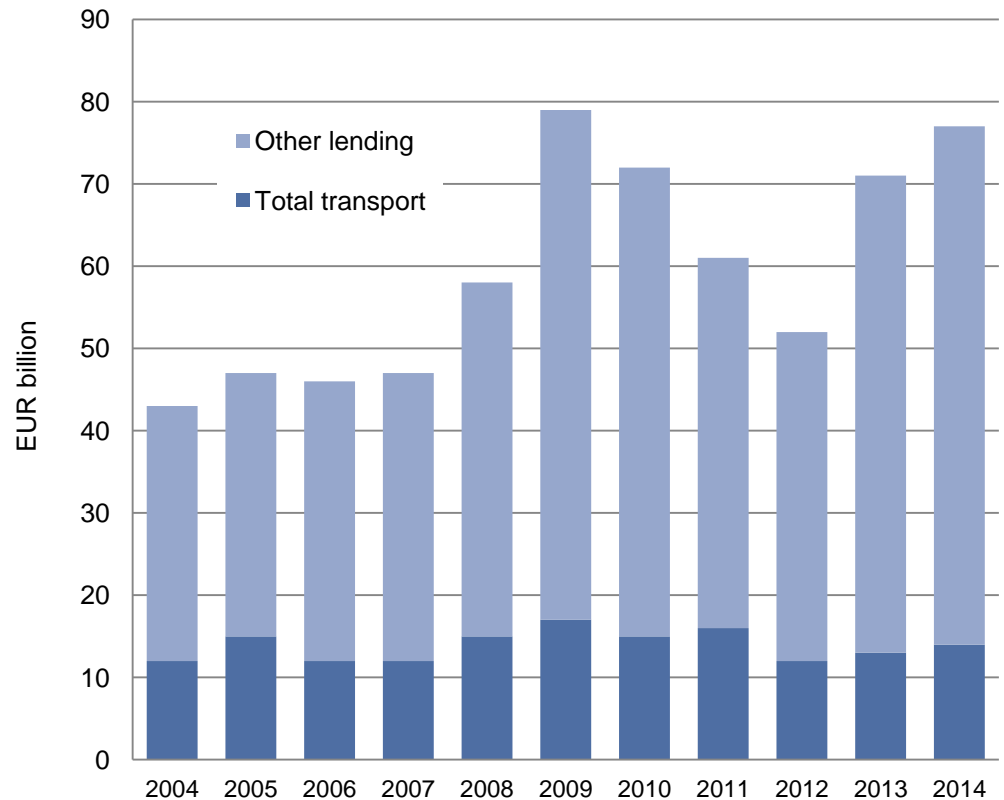
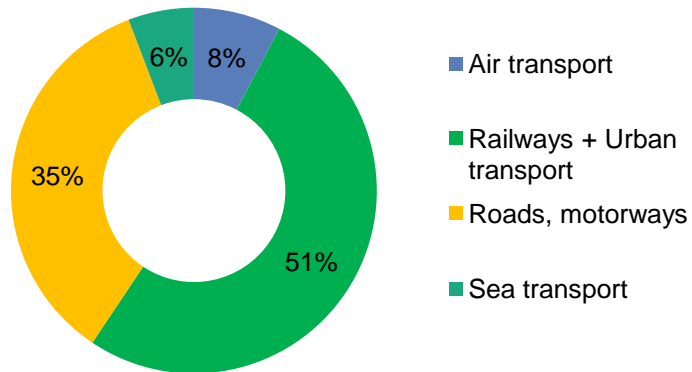
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Who we are and what we do

- The European Union's bank
- Working closely with other EU institutions (DG MOVE)
- The largest multilateral borrower and lender
- Provide finance and expertise for sound and sustainable investment projects contributing to EU policy objectives
- Projects must be bankable and comply with strict economic, technical, environmental and social standards
- Lending in- and outside EU (90% within EU)
- SEETO region: 15 active road projects

Who we are and what we do

Transport Lending 2005-2014
EUR 140 billion



How EIB supports road safety

- Mainstreams road safety in lending operations in the same way as environmental, social and climate change
- Offers financing for road safety projects and road projects with roads safety elements
- Coordinating road safety procedures with other IFIs
- *Within EU:* Implements the EC Directives on road safety and tunnel safety on the TEN-T (mandatory)
- *Worldwide:* Applies the principles of the EC Directives on road safety and tunnel safety as deemed relevant (mandatory)

How EIB supports road safety

- EU members states are at the forefront of road safety management
- EIB well positioned to export EU best practice



Effective separation of road users



Safe integration of all road users

Examples

What happens if we don't pay attention to road safety in planning, design and construction?



Lack of facilities for vulnerable road users



Left turns and U-turns on motorways

Examples

What happens if we don't pay attention to road safety in planning, design and construction?



Zebra crossings on motorways



Unsafe design of roundabouts

EIB's approach

1. Mainstream road safety in EIB road infrastructure operations
- EIB Road Safety Guidelines



2. Scale up existing EIB lending, blending and advising activities in support of road safety improvement projects
3. Improve monitoring of road safety impacts on EIB financed projects

EIB's Road Safety Guidelines

Based on Directive 2008/96/EC's five main procedures:

- Road Safety Impact Assessment (RSIA) *Article 3*
Road safety impact assessment for infrastructure projects
- Safety Audits (RSA) *Article 4*
Road safety audits for infrastructure projects
- Road Safety Inspections (RSI) *Article 6*
Safety inspections
- Road accident data management *Article 7*
Data management
- Road safety ranking and management *Article 5*
Safety ranking and management of the road network in operation

EIB's Road Safety Guidelines

Requirement in tender documents for design and supervision consultants, and contractors, to include staff responsible for road safety



Rationale and scope for the guidelines

Road Safety Impact Assessment (RSIA)	Road Safety Audit (RSA)	Road Safety Inspection (RSI)	Road Accident Data Management	Road safety ranking and management of roads
Pro-active (Prevention)			Re-active (Cure)	
New construction and rehabilitation (EIB relevant)				
		Existing roads		

EIB funding for road safety

Main criteria for financing

Funding of dedicated projects and programmes with sufficient volume

- 60+ m EUR within EU
- 30+ m EUR outside EU

The investments may include route-wise road safety and rehabilitation programmes where accident reductions provide the major benefits and contributions to feasibility and cost-effectiveness .

EIB funding for road safety

How EIB defines a road safety project/programme

- Road safety is the main objective
- Existing accident problems documented and analysed
- The costs are justified by cost-effectiveness assessments

A minimum requirement is a road accident analysis, including accident reduction targets and suggested measures to meet the targets

Ideally, a full Road Safety Impact Assessment in accordance with Directive 2008/96/EC on road safety.

EIB funding for road safety

Grants for TA outside the EU

Access to TA grant funds for road safety if there is a need for support and this cannot easily be integrated into a project loan.

- European Partnership TA Trust Fund (EPTA TF)
- Neighbourhood Investment Facility (NIF)
- Western Balkans Investment Framework (WBIF)



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