

Restocking of European eel as a measure of recovery of endangered species and preservation of natural diversity

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BENEFICIARIES AND BUDGETS

- Centre for Limnology of the Estonian University of Life Science EUR 185 989,00
- Federal State budget institution of sciences St. Petersburg Scientific Centre of the Russian Academy of Sciences – EUR 175 867,00

ASSOCIATES

- Developers' Council of Lake Peipsi Fishing District
- Fisheries district of Lake Võrtsjärv.



BUDGET

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DURATION

36 months 01.03.2019-28.02.2022

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SUMMARY OF THE PROJECT

The Project will focus on stock assessment of European eel in the whole Narva River Basin District (RBD) to provide a valuable contribution to the European-wide stock assessment of European eel.

Project approaches these challenges by using novel ways to estimate the abundance of eel on the waterbodies on both sides of the border.

The knowledge obtained in the frame of the three year action will make possible a better cross-border management of the eel stock in future as well as more precise measurement of the restocking efficiency in Narva RBD.

This project would be the first time a joint assessment of eel stock between Estonian and Russian researchers.

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