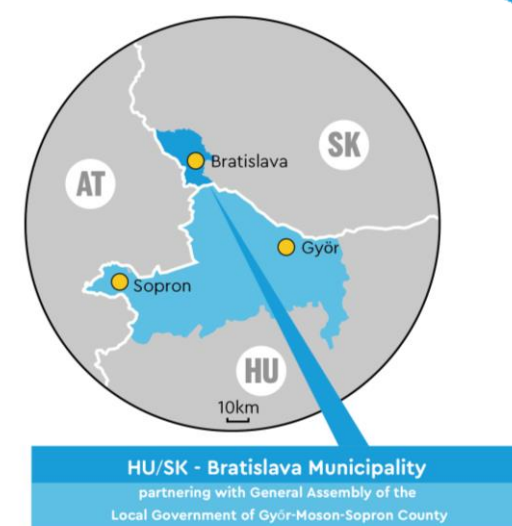


Cross-border integration of the Functional Metropolitan area of Bratislava



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OBJECTIVES

- Create governance frameworks for the cross-border integration of the Hungarian functional zone of Bratislava following the Slovak-Austrian baum_cityregion model
- Facilitate the inclusion of the new governance framework into the existing Slovak-Austrian frames
- Identify the most important topics for joint development and possible areas of trilateral cooperation



Slovak residents in the cross-border functional area of Bratislava

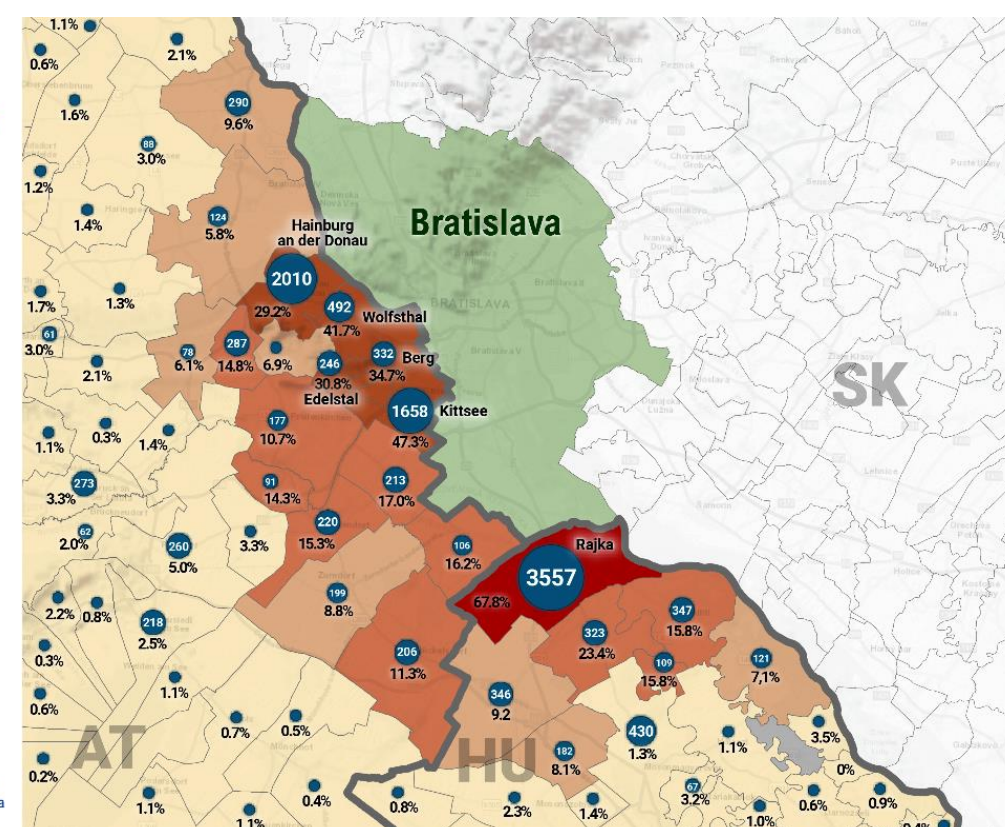
Proportion of Slovak citizens in 2022



Number of Slovak citizens in 2022



Source: database Esri, Navteq, KSH, Statistik Austria



RESULTS/OUTPUTS

1. **Action Plan** with 4 specific objectives and 11 actions to create the conditions for the integrated development of the cross-border functional metropolitan area of Bratislava
2. **1st meeting of Slovak-Austrian-Hungarian steering group**, proposal of governance models & decision of the Hungarian partner to become a member of baum_cityregion steering group with an observer status first
3. **5 workshops, 1 steering group, 1 conference** → discussions and networking of stakeholders in the border region: mayors of AT&HU border municipalities; experts from SK, AT, and HU spatial, strategic, and regional planning departments, academics, project managers

➤ Download Action Plan at: www.baumcityregion.eu

Workshop #1



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SK-AT-HU Steering Group meeting



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KEY LESSONS

1. Without access to local-level data, cross-border planning of cross-border (metropolitan) areas is unfeasible
2. The local mayors are very interested in trilateral cooperation, their involvement should be maintained
3. The development of cross-border governance needs to follow an evolving scenario