



PortForward

Towards a green and
sustainable ecosystem
for the EU **Port of the Future**



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PortForward



13

Partners



4.9M €

EU Funding



42

months



5

participant Ports

What's the challenge?

Make the EU port of the future
**smarter, greener and more
interconnected.**

Impact



Reduction of port's
environmental impact



Improvement of
logistics efficiency

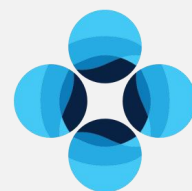


Reduction of port's
operational costs



Better port integration in
the local port community

Main Objectives



**Interconnected
Port Solutions**

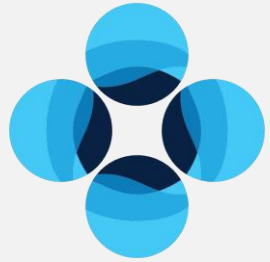


**Smart Port
Solutions**



**Green Port
Solutions**





Interconnected Port Solutions

Combine different
modes of transport
& integrate different
technologies **to better
monitor and control
freight flows**



Smart Port Solutions

Employing ICT
solutions to improve
information flows
**between ports and
port communities**



**Green Port
Solutions**

**Adopting green
technologies** to reduce
the environmental
impacts of port
operations and save
resources



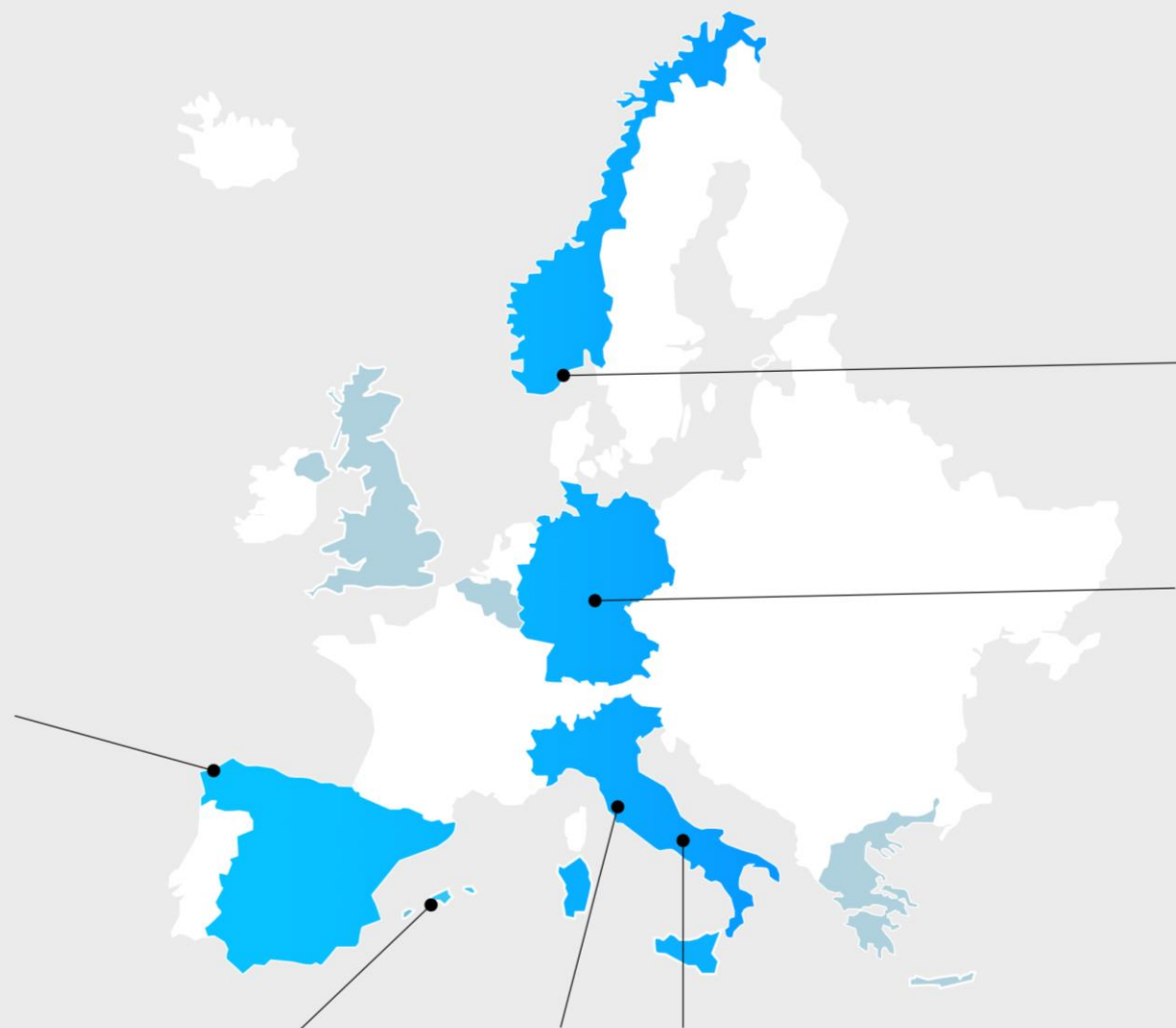
PortForward Use Cases & Services

We test and validate PortForward
Use Cases and services **in 5 small
and medium size EU ports.**

5 validating ports



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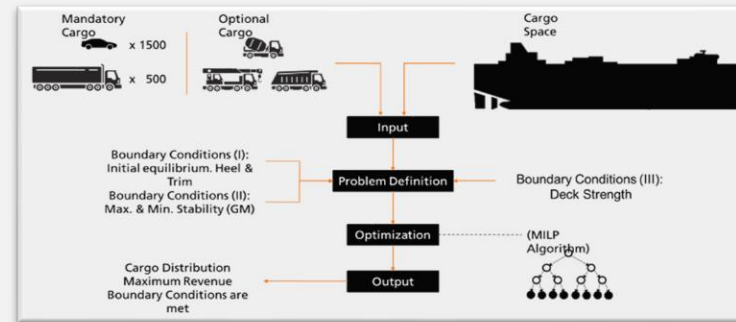
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 For terminal operators

RoRo & Stowage Optimization

Aimed to achieve the **most efficient use of the storage capacity** of RoRo vessels to improve the operational efficiency of logistics processes within the port terminal.




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 For shipping companies

Truck Platforms Tracking

Improves the logistics operations of shipping Ro-Ro companies and their decision-making processes by **tracking vehicles used for loading/unloading truck platforms without driver.**



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 For port authorities

Prediction of Port- City Interactions



Aims to **tackle the impact of port arrivals on city visiting, and manage people flow**, by developing a software component to provide visiting advices and mobility among port-city

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The screenshot shows the 'THE GREEN YARD SCHEDULER (GYS)' web application. The interface includes the 'PortForward' logo on the left and the 'Brunel University London' logo on the right. Below the logos, there is a section titled 'CLICK ON THE MODULE YOU WANT TO RUN' with three teal buttons: 'HOUSEKEEPING (HKM)', 'INSPECTION CONTAINER POSITIONING (ICPM)', and 'YARD CRANE SCHEDULING (YCSM)'. To the left of these buttons is a login section titled 'ENTER YOUR ID AND PASSWORD BEFORE RUNNING THE MODULES'. It contains a form with 'USER ID:' and 'PASSWORD:' labels, each followed by an input field. Below the form is a checkbox labeled 'Remember my password'.

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Green Yard Scheduler

A decision support system for more efficient and sustainable container terminal operations by **prioritising environmental sustainability alongside terminal productivity.**

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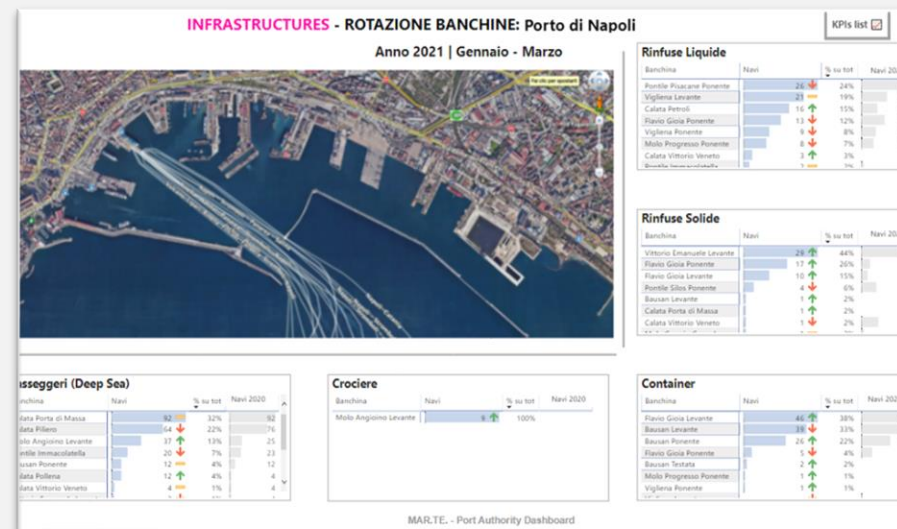
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Port Authority Dashboard (PAD)

A **data driven management system** for monitoring port activities and evaluating port performance based on an automatic retrieval and aggregation system of data gathered from several sources.



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Container Inspection

Supports the terminal worker digitally with the use of **smart glasses for goods control and inspection** within port boundaries, ensuring the security in controls and inspection operations.

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Pilot Assistance

Supports the terminal worker for remote operations with **smart glasses for real time support display** e.g., navigation in narrow port access channels, and information e.g., the sea conditions and wind speed.

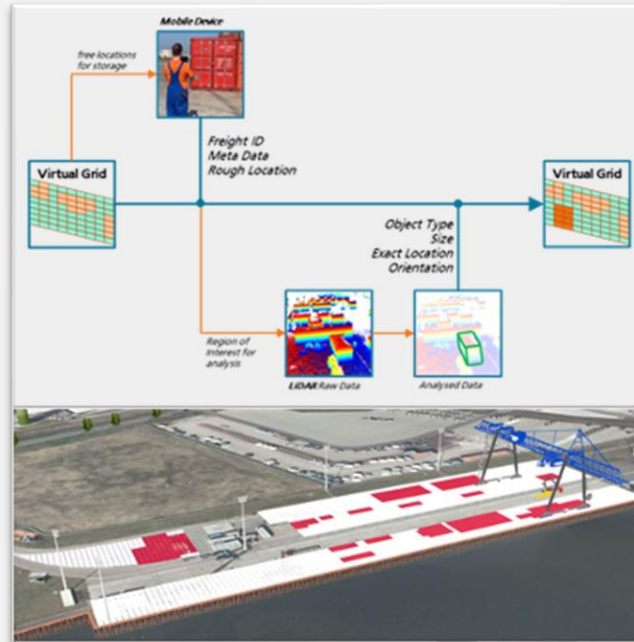
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Dynamic storage space monitoring

This real-time Decision Support System based on IoT and LiDAR data is developed as part of the Virtual Twin. It enables the **optimization of storage area utilization and reduction of efforts for searching goods.**

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Asset tracking



This smart logistics service, equips logistics assets with energy efficient IoT devices. Location and status of the assets are visualized within the Virtual Twin of the port. Thus, **movements and utilization of assets can be continuously monitored to enable an efficient asset management.**

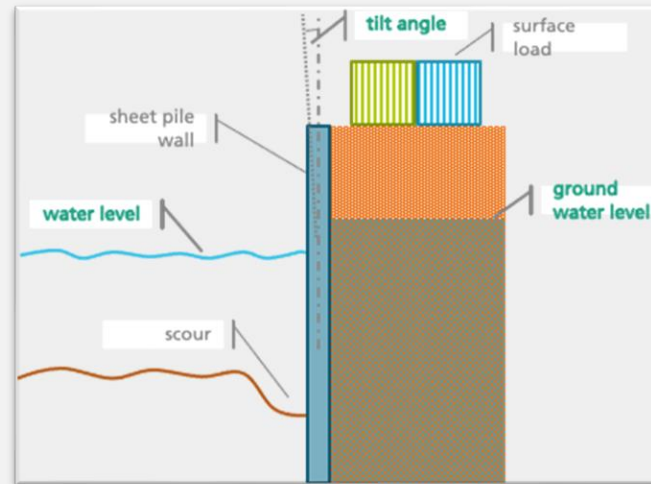
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Sheet pile wall monitoring

Enables better planning of investments in central port infrastructure by providing a better overview on the current status and the status prediction of sheet pile walls. IoT based sensor devices provide data to the prediction model continuously.

The consortium



