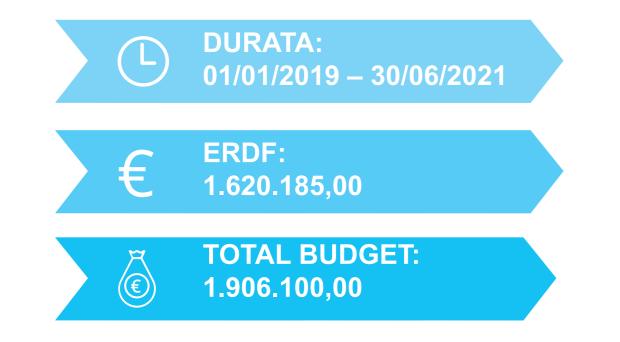


## SASPAS

Safe Anchoring and Seagrass Protection in the Adriatic Sea

Priority Axis 3 "Environment and Cultural Heritage" SO 3.2 Contribute to protect and restore biodiversity



SASPAS aims to improve seagrass preservation and restoration in the crossborder Adriatic area.

The project will contribute to an improved conservation status of Phanerogamae (Marine seagrasses) in the involved Natura 2000 sites in the programme area, with particular emphasis for the priority habitat Posidonia Oceanica (Posidonion Oceanicae, 1120\*), as well as to the other flora and fauna species living inside the involved habitats.

The project objectives will be achieved by laying safe anchorage innovative systems, performing pilot transplantations, carrying out monitoring activities and by defining an integrated management system for seagrasses in the Adriatic area.

