

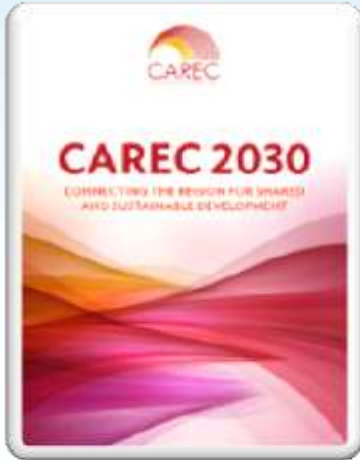


CAREC Transport Strategy 2030

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Alignment of CAREC Transport Strategy with CAREC 2030 Strategy



- A Regional Cooperation Platform to Connect People, Policies, and Projects for Shared and Sustainable Development
- Infrastructure and Economic Connectivity Cluster – Objective:
 - *Enhanced economic connectivity, and increased sustainability and resilience of regional infrastructure*



Transport Strategy 2030 Preparation

- Initiated by 17th CAREC TSCC in April 2018
- Initial draft circulated to CAREC countries and development partners in March 2019, revised and approved by 18th CAREC TSCC in April 2019
- List of priority investment projects (Appendix 3) was revised after consultations with DMCs and developing partners
- The draft CAREC Transport Strategy 2030 was further improved and approved by the CAREC Senior Officials Meeting (SOM) in June 2019
- The draft CAREC Transport Strategy 2030 was approved by the CAREC National focal Points (NFP) in September 2019



CAREC Transport Operational Pillars

Cross-border Transport and Logistics

- Regional transport agreements
- Implementation of RIBS projects
- Scoping study for ports and logistics

Road and Road Asset Management

- Dissemination of knowledge products
- RAMS data collection and reporting

Road Safety

- Implementation of the Road Safety Strategy

Railways

- Implementation of the Railway Strategy

Aviation

- Implementing recommendations of the CAREC Aviation Scoping Study

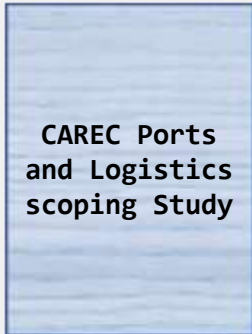
Aligned with CAREC 2030 goals to establish sustainable multimodal transport network to connect CAREC countries for shared economic development

Operational Pillars

Guiding Documents and Knowledge Products

Cross Border Transport and Logistics

Expected in 2020



Roads and Road Asset Management



Road Safety



Railways



Aviation



Implementation Approach: Think Regionally – Act Locally

CAREC
Transport
Strategy



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Strategic
Alignment

National
Transport
Strategies or
Action Plans



- Addressing specific country needs and conditions
- Aligned to CAREC Transport Strategy, hence with each other
- Contain specific country objectives and targets
- Based on specific national implementation arrangements
- Approved as the national regulatory act with assigned responsibilities and accountability



Implementation Approach

- The CAREC program will strongly focus on implementation following Think Regionally – Act Locally approach
- The Transport Strategy 2030 is the “living document”, which will be periodically updated
- CAREC Program will upscale analytical and advisory support to the CAREC DMCs. New Knowledge Products will be developed to support DMCs governments in making high level policy and financial decisions on various transport decisions
- CAREC program will invite financial support from multilateral and bilateral partners to upscale technical assistance funding
- Strong partnership with the CAREC Institute for the regional analytical and training activities



Operational activities in Q3 2019 – Q3 2020, indicative

Cross Border Transport and Logistics	Roads and Road Asset Management	Road Safety	Railways	Aviation
<p><u>February 2020:</u> CAREC Ports and Logistics Scoping Study – fists draft</p> <p><u>18-19 March 2020:</u> Draft Ports and Logistics scoping study discussed during the CAREC TSCC</p> <p><u>April 2020:</u> Final draft prepared</p>	<p><u>November 2019:</u> Training manual of the national RAM/PBM workshop prepared</p> <p><u>February-April 2020:</u> National RAM/PBM workshop in 4 countries, including a workshop for Afghanistan beneficiaries</p>	<p><u>4-7 November 2019:</u> National RSE workshop (for Afghanistan in Georgia)</p> <p><u>March 2020:</u> 4th RSE Manual – Vulnerable users, draft</p> <p><u>April 2020:</u> National RSE workshop</p> <p><u>May 2020:</u> National RSE workshop</p>	<p><u>12-13 December 2019:</u> 5th Railway Working Group</p> <p><u>16-17 March 2020:</u> 6th Railway Working Group</p> <p><u>2019-2020:</u> National railways development reports</p> <p><u>March 2020:</u> Railway Traffic model</p>	<p><u>2019-2020:</u> Aviation Market Reform consultations (KGZ, MON, PAK, etc)</p> <p><u>October 2020:</u> Regional Working Group and Knowledge Product on Civil Aviation Agreements</p>



Road Safety Engineering Workshop for Afghanistan (Tbilisi, 4-7 November 2019)

- Attended by 20 officials from Afghanistan
- 4-day training, combining the class room discussions and field work



- Additional meetings with the Georgian transport authorities were arranged to learn Georgia experience in improving transport operations and road safety



For the CAREC Ministerial Conference endorsement