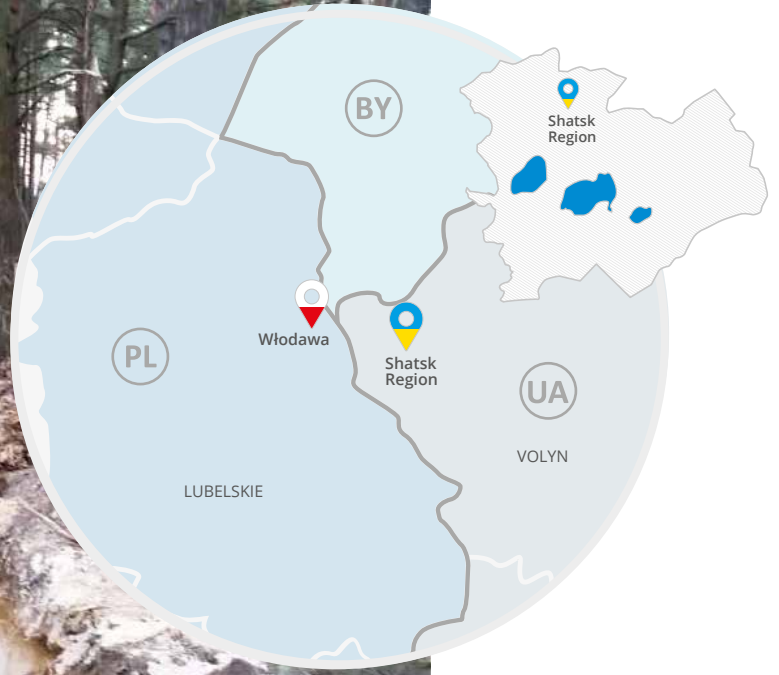
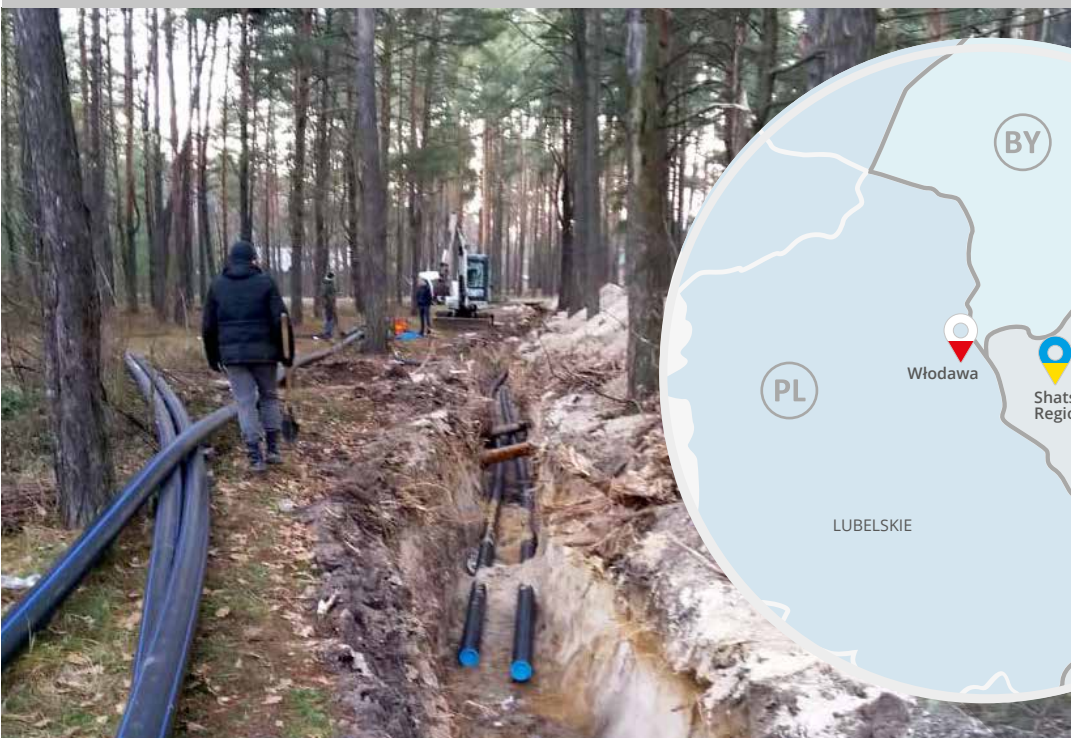




## SECURITY

Priority 3.1 Support to the development of health protection and social services



PROJECT  
ACRONYM

# SVITYAZ

## Improvement of the environment within the Shatsk National Natural Park by building sewer systems in rural settlements around Lake Svityaz

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The problem of providing high-quality drinking water, ecological state of the Shatsk lakes, lack of integrated environmental management are relevant issues in the project's area. The Svityaz project is a chance to tackle them. The overall objective of the project is preventing the spread of human and animal diseases in Volyn Oblast (Ukraine) and Lublin Voivodeship (Poland). The cross-border approach is aimed at combining efforts of beneficiaries to improve the sanitary-and-epidemiological situation of the biosphere reserve "Western Polissia".


The Svityaz project will do so by building of the sewage system in rural settlements around Lake Svityaz. Thanks to the development of sewer network and sewage treatment plants in the settlements, flow of polluted sewage to subsoil waters will decrease by 80%, which will reduce the pollution of Shatsk National Natural Park lakes and basins of the Western Bug and Prypiat.

The target groups of the Svityaz project are the household inhabitants, visitors of health resorts, patients of sanatoriums of the Shatsk Raion, the buildings of which will be connected to the newly-built sewer system, participants of the events organized to support the development of health protection and social services (approximately 7500 persons). The final beneficiaries of the project are the inhabitants of the cross-border region, visitors of recreational objects of the Shatsk Raion and of the other nature protection territories of the Polish-Ukrainian-Belarusian border areas (approximately 500 000 persons).



LEAD  
BENEFICIARY  
Shatsk District State  
Administration of  
Volyn Region



PARTNERS  
 Włodawa Commune



TOTAL  
BUDGET  
**6.45 MEUR**



PROJECT  
DURATION  
**24 MONTHS**



ENI  
CO-FUNDING  
**5.80 MEUR**



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