



## Towards a Shared European Logistics Intelligent Information Space

### SELIS LL7 presented to MEDports Association



In April, MGI presented the Living Lab 7 demonstrators of the SELIS project (Towards Shared European Logistics Intelligent Information Space) to the "SMART PORT" committee of the MEDports association.

The MEDPorts association brings together about twenty port authorities from around the Mediterranean. This association aims to establish an area of enhanced operational cooperation in the Mediterranean, within a sustainable structure and sharing the collective ambition of giving Mediterranean ports increased visibility on the world maritime transport scene.

The association has an Executive Committee and technical committees that deal with maritime training and expertise, major environmental issues, safety & security, relations with international institutions, statistics and market analysis as well as smart ports, with a view to working collectively on common issues, sharing expertise and best practices.

In this context, MGI presented its activity within Living Lab 7 which is dedicated to enhancing visibility for cross-border authorities by providing better quality and globally-standardised data earlier. MGI's demonstrator collects standardised data in the form of Pipeline Data Exchange Structures (PDES) and makes it available to cross-border authorities and other pertinent stakeholders by way of a data pipeline between Tunisia and France. Better data-quality and availability should lead to improved border-crossing operations for both cross-border agencies and the economic operators dealing with the goods. Enhanced port operations will have a positive impact on the attractiveness of the port as a border-crossing option as well as on short sea shipping as an effective and sustainable transportation solution.

At the end of the presentation, the members of the Smart Port committee identified the implementation of standardised data interchange as a priority in order to meet the objectives of sustainable growth in the Mediterranean region.



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