The Impact of Integrated Border Management (IBM)

**INTERVENTION AREAS**

1. **UNIFIED VISION**
   - Improved practices / governance of border agencies
   - Improved cooperation at borders / cross-borders
   - Deterrent effect

2. **LEGISLATIVE framework**
   - Improved recognition of the rights of persons crossing borders
   - Enhanced mobility (migration and travel management)
   - Trade facilitation
   - Improved competitiveness of private sector

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4. **PROCEDURES**
   - Enhanced policy dialogue in country and cross-border
   - Improved coordination mechanisms (enhanced information on rights)
   - Transparent and client-friendly services
   - Reduced number of procedures
   - Reduced clearance time

5. **INFRASTRUCTURE AND EQUIPMENT**
   - Enhanced and fully equipped examination facilities
   - Increased sharing of resources
   - Risk-based controls

**RESULTS**

**IMMEDIATE IMPACT**

- Efficient borders
- Improved cooperation at borders / cross-borders

**MID-TERM IMPACT**

- Facilitation of movements and goods
- Enhanced detection of crime, illegal activities and irregular migration

**LONG-TERM IMPACT**

- Sustainable socio-economic development
- State and regional stability
- Good governance
- Reduced poverty

**SOURCE:** Evaluation of the EU support to Integrated Border Management