

EU funded research activities in the area of “Intelligent Vehicles”

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FP7 in general

- Lisbon Strategy: become the "most dynamic competitive knowledge-based economy in the world"
- Bundles all research-related EU initiatives under one common roof
- Plays crucial role in reaching goals of growth, competitiveness and employment
- Together with a
 - new Competitiveness and Innovation Programme (CIP)
 - Education and Training programmes
 - Structural and regional funds

FP7 – What's new compared to FP6?

- Duration increased from 5 to 7 years (except for Euratom FP)
- Annual budget increased significantly
- New structure: Cooperation, Ideas, People, Capacities, Euratom and JRC activities
- Basic research European Research Council (Ideas) ~1 Bill €/year
- Research infrastructures funded
- Flexible funding schemes
- Simpler procedures

FP7 (2007-2013) | The Structure



Cooperation – Collaborative research

Ideas – Frontier Research

People – Marie Curie Actions

Capacities – Research Capacity

+

JRC non-nuclear research

Euratom direct actions – JRC nuclear research

Euratom indirect actions – nuclear fusion and fission research

Specific Programmes in FP7

Cooperation: 32.365 M€

Total: 50.521 M€
+ EURATOM 2.700 M€



Ideas: 7.460 M€



People: 4.728 M€



Capacities: 4.217 M€

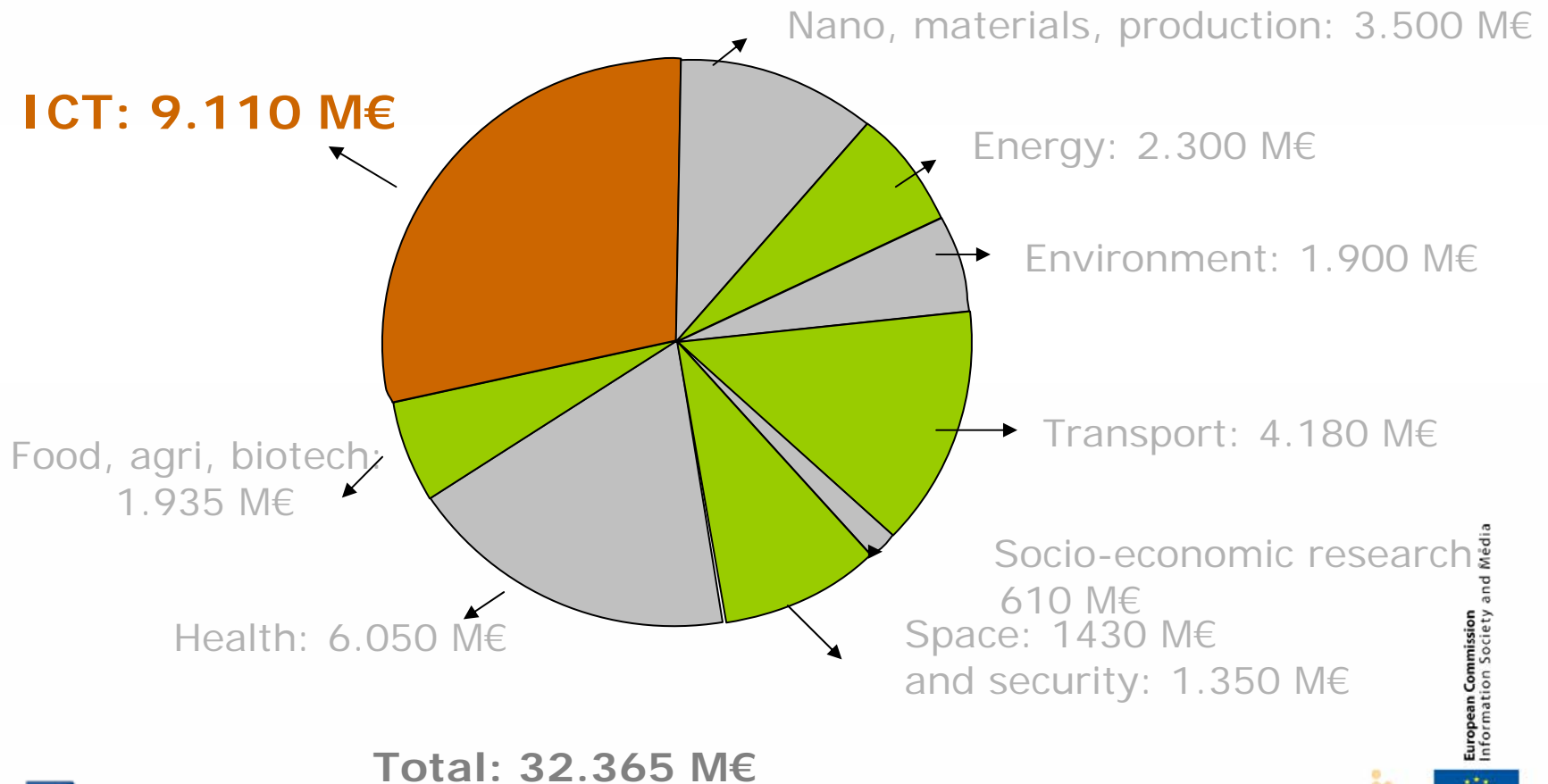
JRC: 1.751 M€

Status: Council's agreement on 24th July 2006

Cooperation programme



“Cooperation” – Collaborative Research – Themes



ICT in FP7 – Objectives

“To enable Europe to master and shape the future developments of ICT so that the demands of its society and economy are met”

Thereby:

- Strengthening the competitiveness of all industry in Europe
 - **Master ICT for innovation and growth**
- Reinforcing the competitive position of European ICT sector
 - **Build industrial and technology leadership**
- Supporting EU policies
 - **Mobilise ICT to meet public and societal demands**
- Strengthening the European science & technology base
 - **A pre-condition for success**



ICT – Enabling Higher Economic Growth

- ICT investments contribute half of Europe's productivity gains (OECD, van Ark et al.)
 - ~0,7% of 1,4% in 1995-2002
- Evidence of productivity gains
 - from industries able to effectively use ICT
 - out of ICT producing industries
- Europe's productivity gap largely explained by weaker investment in knowledge intensive sectors such as ICT



ICT in 7FP - Main Themes and Activities

- **ICT Technology Pillars**

- pushing the limits of performance, usability, dependability, cost-efficiency



- **Integration of Technologies**

- integrating multi-technology sets that underlie new functionalities, services and applications

- **Applications Research**

- providing the knowledge and the means to develop a wide range of ICT-based services and applications

- **Future and Emerging Technologies**

- supporting research at the frontiers of knowledge

ICT in 7FP - Work programme structure

- The ICT WP 2007-2008 is structured around a limited set of **challenges**
- A **Challenge** is
 - focused on concrete goals that require effort at Community level and where collaboration is needed
 - ambitious and strategic, proposing a European vision on ICT for the next 10 to 15 years
 - described in terms of achievements to reach and not in terms of means to realise achievements
- Each challenge is addressed through a *limited set* of **Objectives** which form the basis of Calls for Proposals

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i2010 and the Intelligent Car Initiative

On June 1, 2005 the Commission adopted the initiative
“i2010: European Information Society 2010 for growth and employment”

The **Intelligent Car** is one of the i2010 Flagship Initiatives.

The objective is to improve the quality of the living environment by supporting ICT solutions for **safer, smarter and cleaner mobility of people and goods**.



Intelligent Car: Structure

The i2010 Intelligent Car Initiative will build on the work of the eSafety initiative and follow a three – pillar approach



Working Groups

- eCall Driving Group
- Traffic Data...
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Projects

- PReVENT
- CVIS
- GST
- SAFESPOT
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Punctual Actions

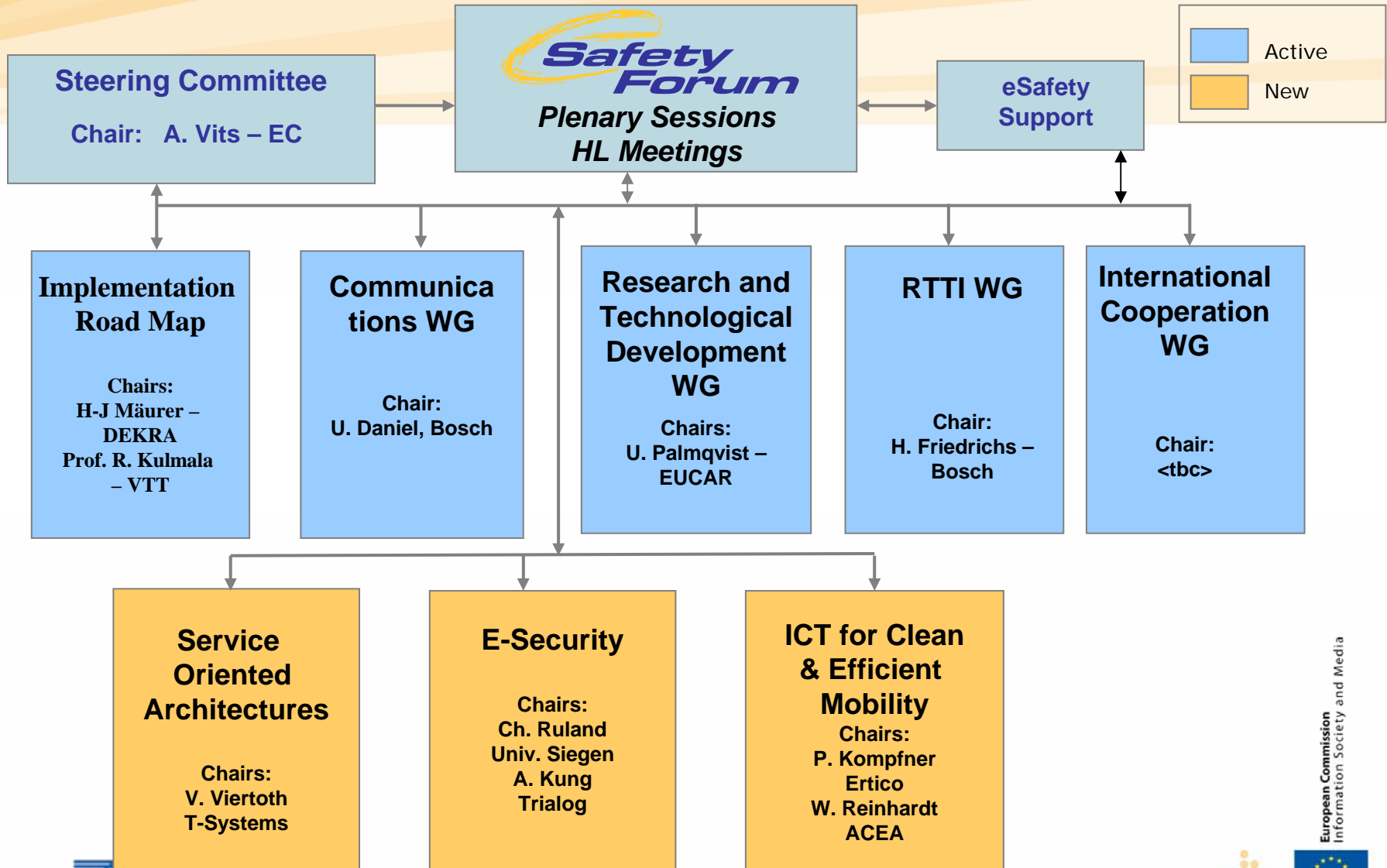
- Studies
- “Intelligent Car Event”
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First Pillar: The eSafety Forum

- Established in 2003 and has now over 150 members representing all road safety stakeholders
- Aims at **removing the bottlenecks to market implementation through consensus building among stakeholders** and recommendations to the Member States and the EU
- It has established **industry-led Working Groups** that work on priority topics. It has produced a consistent number of valuable reports





- Support the activities of the "Communication Platform e-Safety Aware" for Intelligent Vehicles systems
- Raise user awareness through regular events, TV series and documentaries & benchmarking
- Establishment of a road map on incentives for "Intelligent Car" safety systems, mid 2007
- **eSafety Forum Plenary:**
18 September 2007, Versailles/France together with PReVENT event
- Support Lead Market initiative for Intelligent Vehicles and Infrastructure
- Pan-European Deployment of eCall by 2009

Policy Initiatives

- Commission Communication on the first year assessment of the “Intelligent Car”, September 2007
- Update of the 2001 Recommendations on road Real-time Transport and Travel Information (RTTI), fall 2007
- TTE Council: discussion on the implementation of eCall and take up of ESP (end 2007)

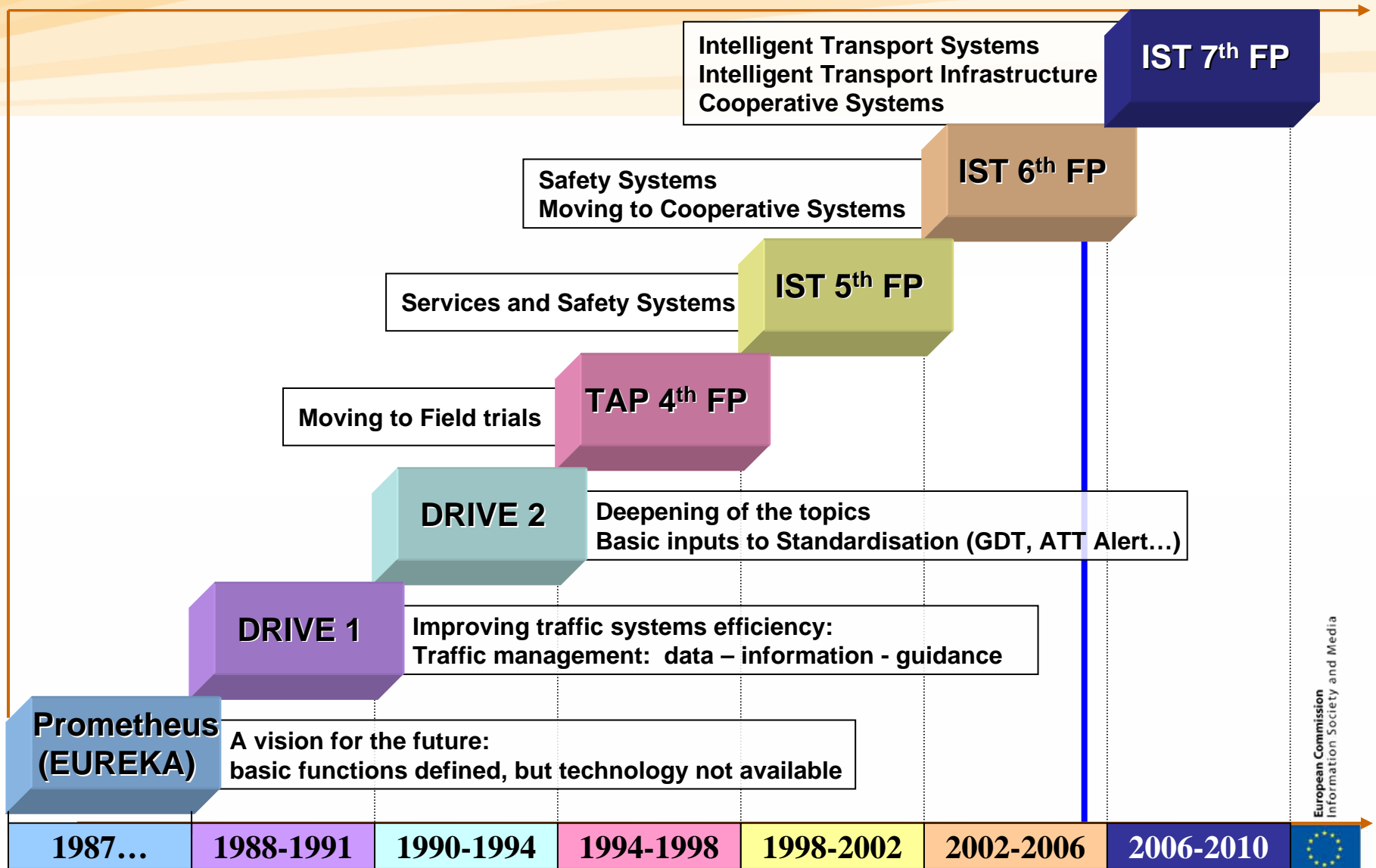
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Second Pillar: The Research Programme

- The Intelligent Car Initiative activities **build upon the achievements and results of EU Framework Programmes** on research and technological development
- The long-term objectives of the Intelligent Car Initiative will be **part of the ICT priority in FP7**
- The research priorities of the Intelligent Car fully support the **ERTRAC strategic research agenda**



Moving Towards Co-operative Systems



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FP6 – ICT for transport

Call 1: eSafety for Road and Air Transport

Projects	14
Grant	79.9 M€

Call 4: Cooperative Systems - C2C and C2I

Projects	22
Grant	91.7 M€

Call 1 projects ...

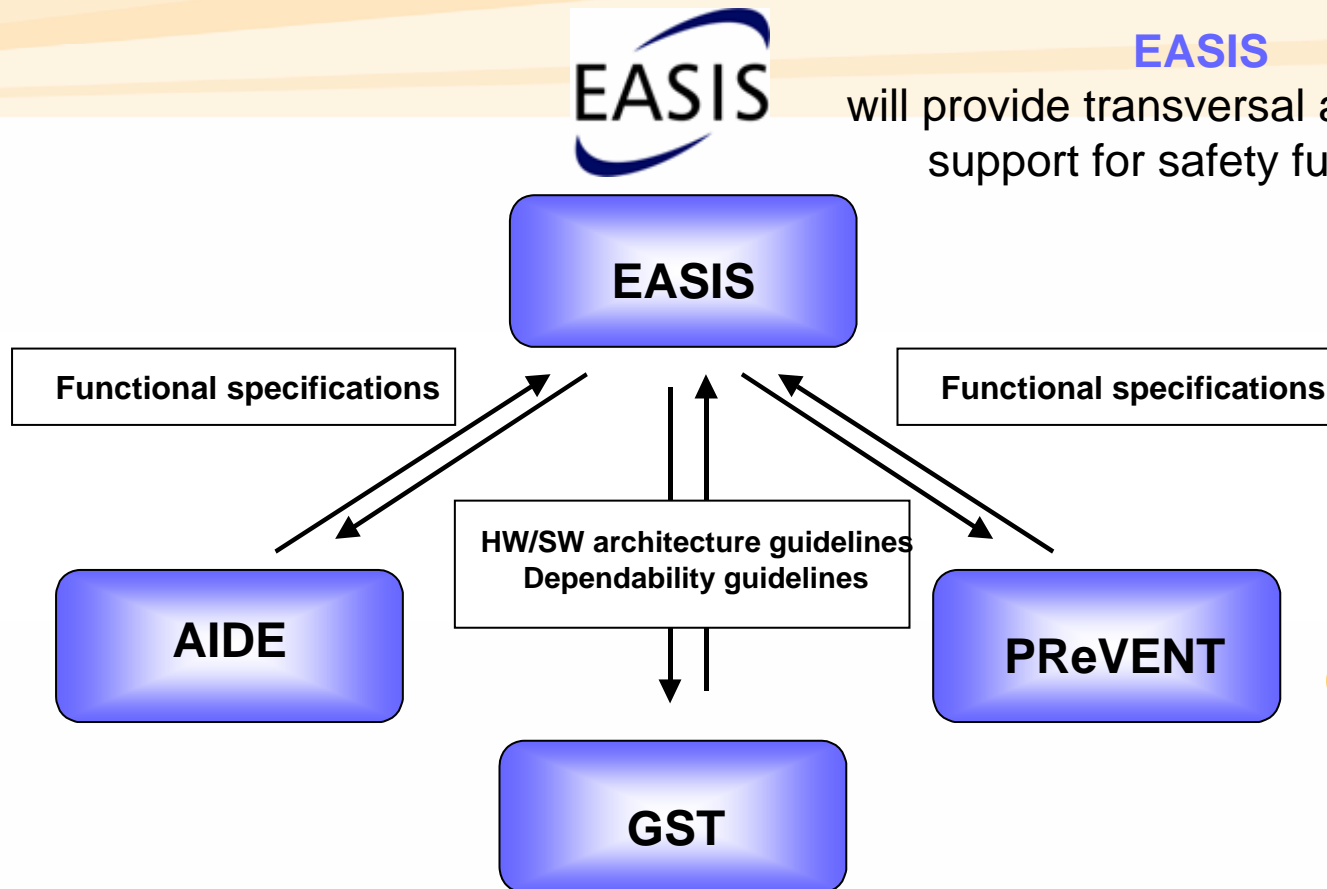
- **PREVENT**, **GST** and **AIDE** demonstrate the strategic impact of IPs
- The NoE **HUMANIST** is bringing together research community and RTD potential for the future

Call 4 projects ...

- **CVIS**, **SAFESPOT** and **COOPERS** lead the way to Co-operative Systems
- 15 **STREPs** are complementing and supporting the work

Co-operative Systems will enhance the support available to drivers and other road users

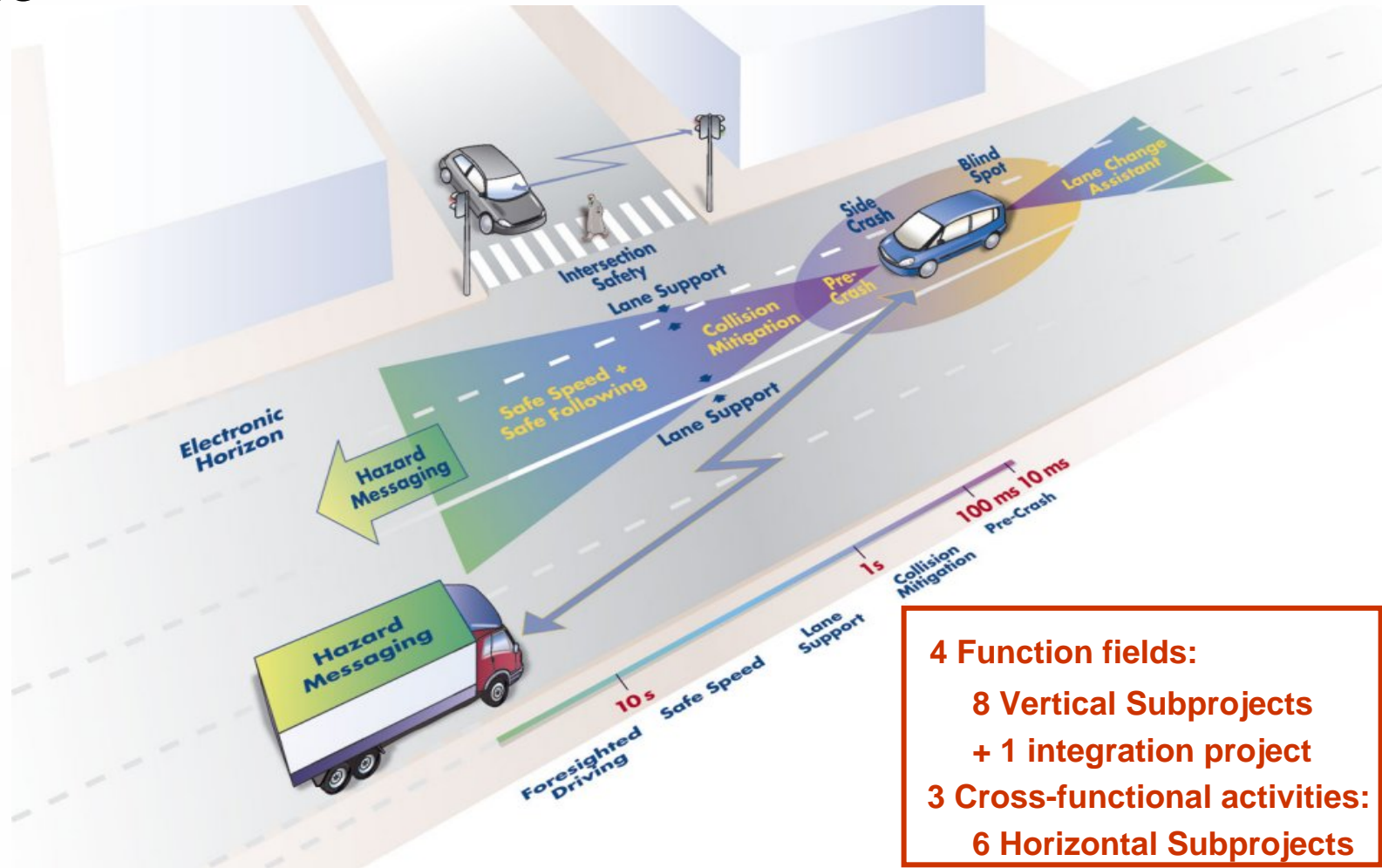
Call 1: Collaboration and Synergies



Call 1: Prevent

PReVENT will develop, test and evaluate **safety related applications**, using advanced sensor and communication devices integrated into on-board systems for driver assistance

52 partners
4 years
Cost: 55M€
EU: 30 M€



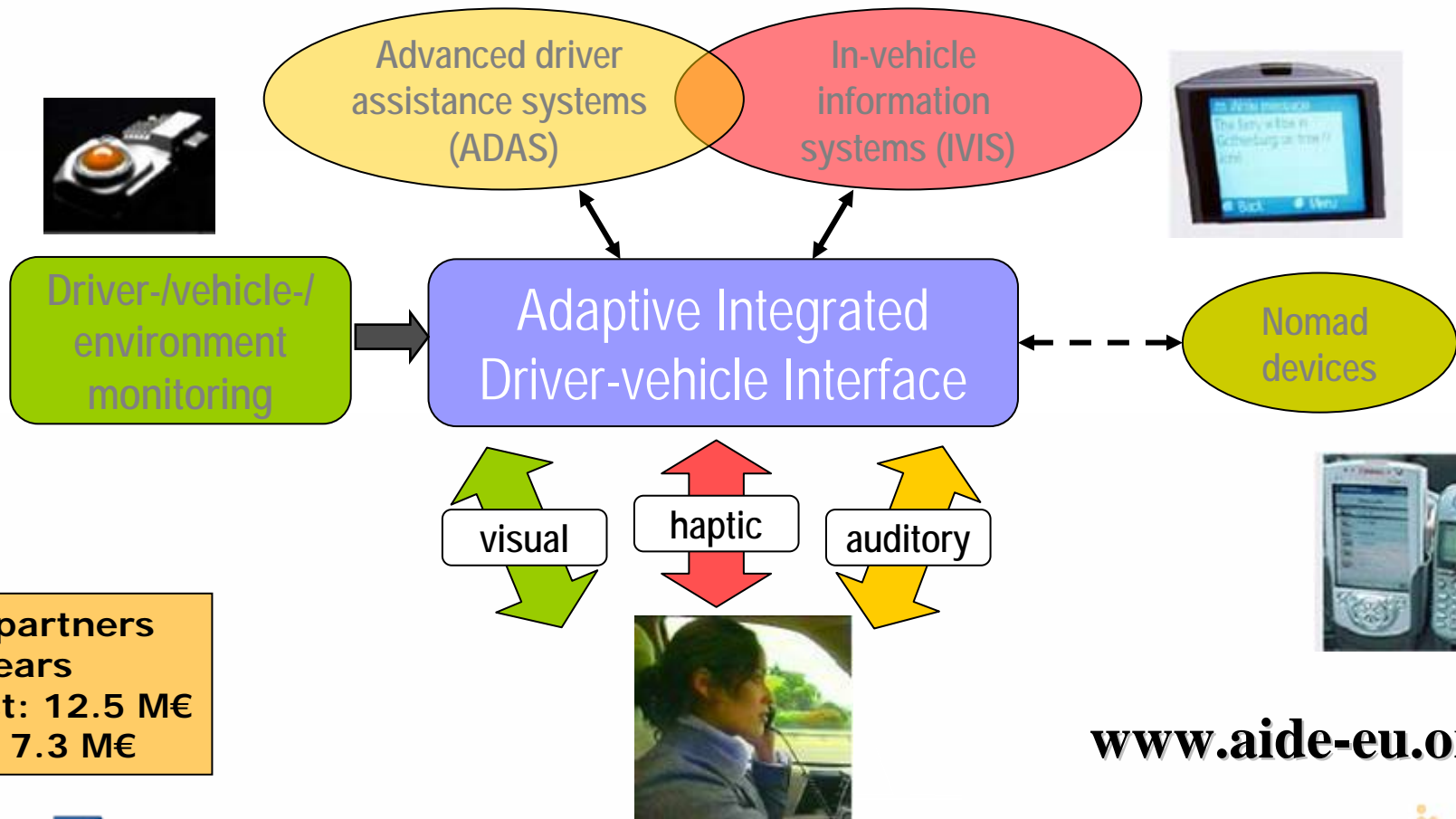
4 Function fields:

**8 Vertical Subprojects
+ 1 integration project**

**3 Cross-functional activities:
6 Horizontal Subprojects**

Vision: An Adaptive Integrated Driver-Vehicle Interface

Integration of ADAS, IVIS and nomad devices into the driver's environment



28 partners
4 years
Cost: 12.5 M€
EU: 7.3 M€

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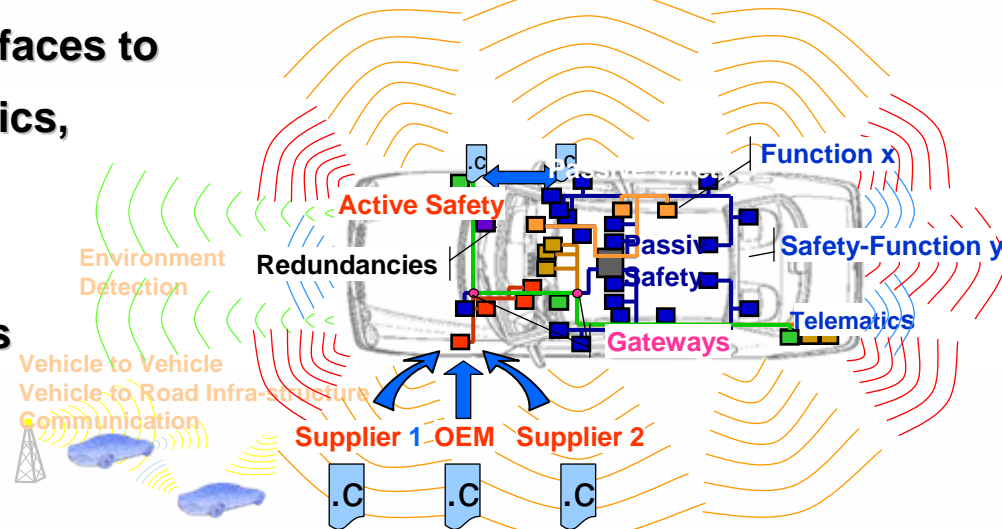
Call 1: EASIS



Electronic Architecture and System Engineering for Integrated Safety Systems

The enabling technology for the introduction of integrated safety systems

- > A modular scalable E/E-architecture for active, passive and integrated safety systems
- > Standardised signal and functional interfaces to environment detection systems, telematics, powertrain, chassis, and HMI
- > Embedded system safety analysis
- > Prototype implementation and validators
- > Means to handle high system complexity in the development process
- > Provision of a migration path into existing automotive system architectures
- > Provision of a high availability and safety even in case of single component failures
- > Preparation for standardisation

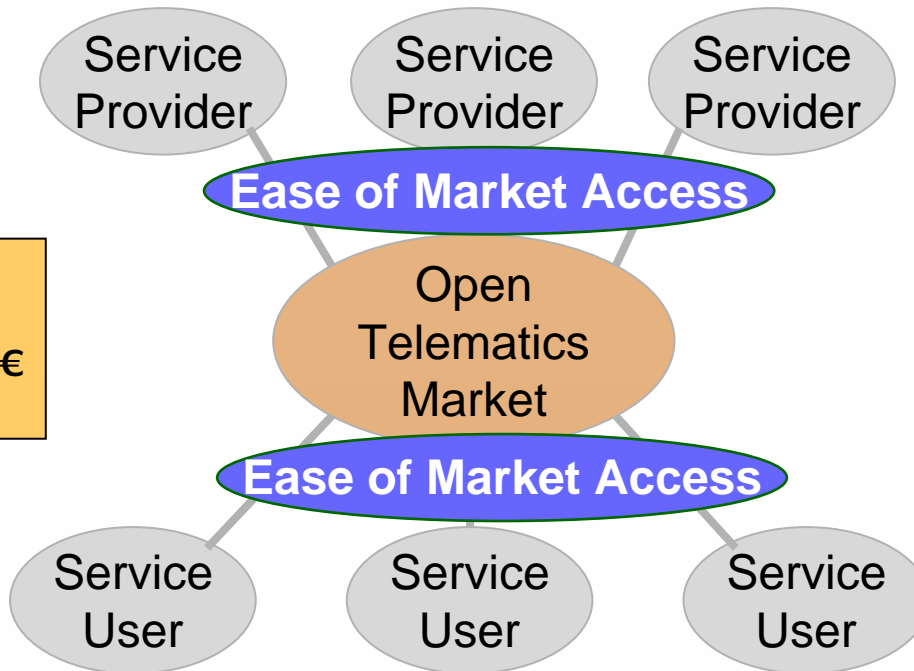


21 partners
3 years
Cost: 9.4M€
EU: 5 M€

Call 1: GST



Goal: open and standardised framework architecture enabling end-to-end in-vehicle telematics services



49 partners
3 years
Cost: 21.5M€
EU: 11 M€

Technological Subprojects:

- Open Systems
- Certification
- Security
- Service Payment



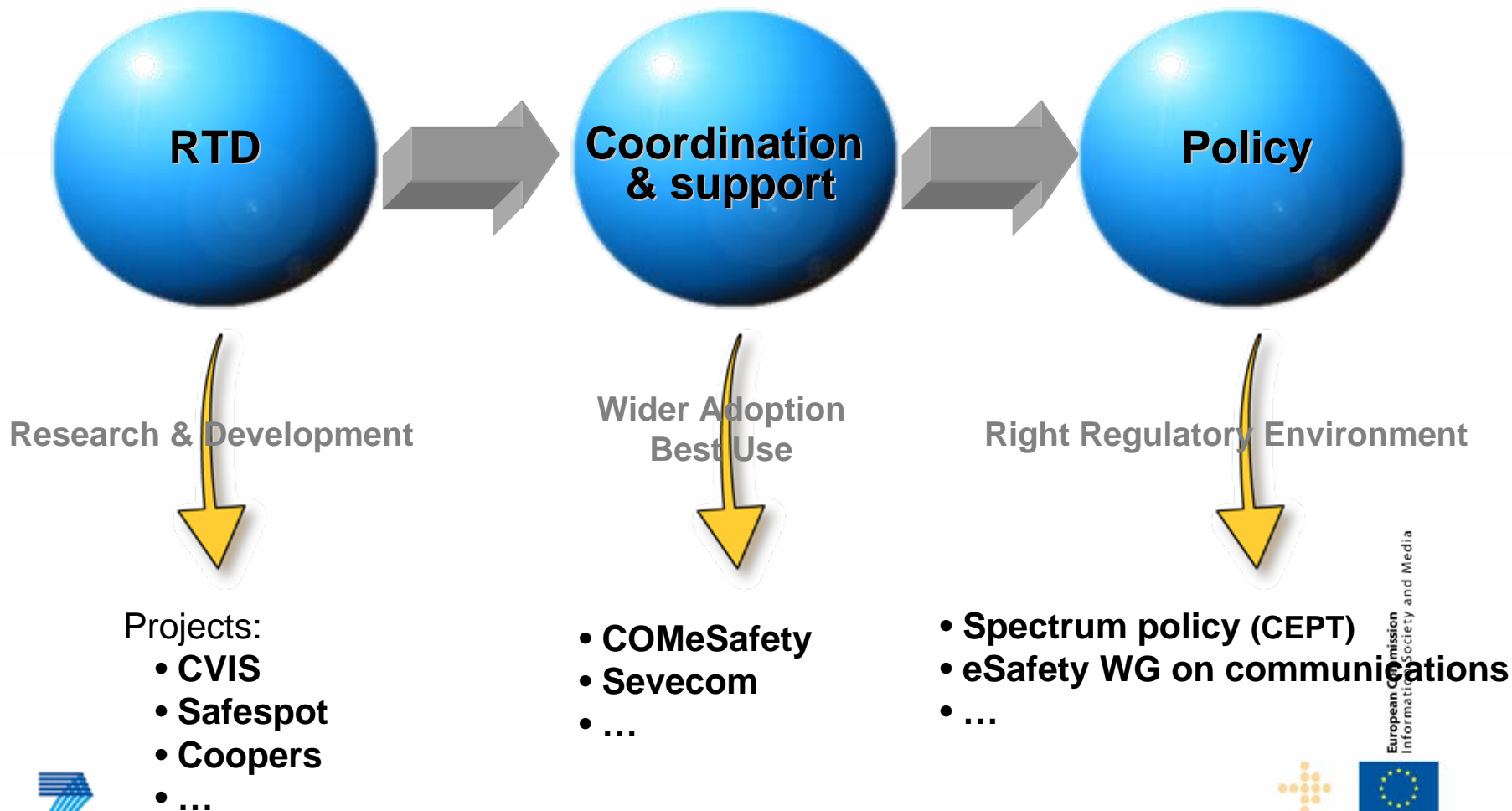
Safety Services Subprojects:

- Rescue
- Enhanced Floating Car Data
- Safety Channel

www.gstproject.org

Call 4: Cooperative Systems

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Call 4: Collaboration and Synergies

Communication Architecture Co-operation



Coordinator: **ERTICO**
Total budget: € 41 Million
EC contribution: € 22 Million
Consortium: 61 partners - 12 countries



Coordinator: **Fiat Research Centre**
Total budget: € 38 Million
EC contribution: € 20,5 Million
Consortium: 51 partners - 12 countries



Coordinator: **Austria tech**
Total budget: € 16,8 Million
EC contribution: € 9,6 Million
Consortium: 37 partners - 14 countries

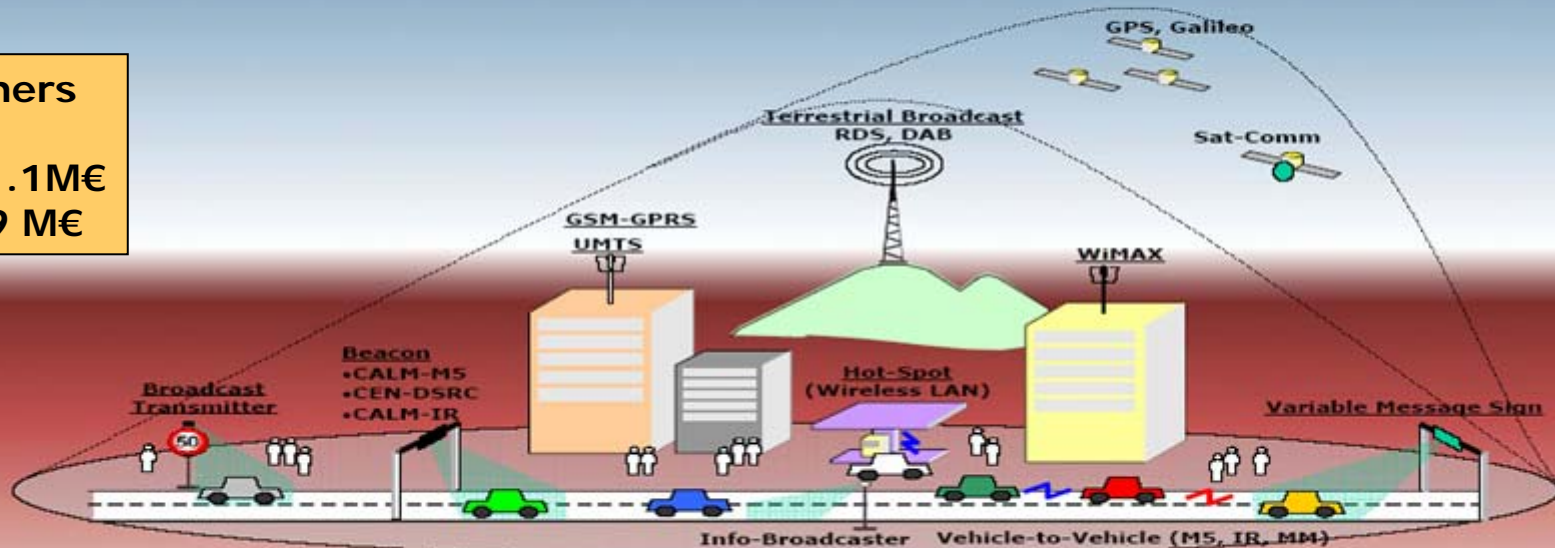
Co-operating projects also includes: **SEVECOM, COMeSafety, Car-2-Car Communications Consortium (C2C-CC), Network on Wheels (NoW), INVENT**
□ **ACTIV (Germany), CVHS (UK), IVSS (Sweden)**

Call 4: CVIS

The Integrated Project focuses on V2V and V2I cooperative systems for greater transport efficiency

CVIS communication architecture - as a basis for a European solution

75 partners
4 years
Cost: 41.1M€
EU: 21.9 M€



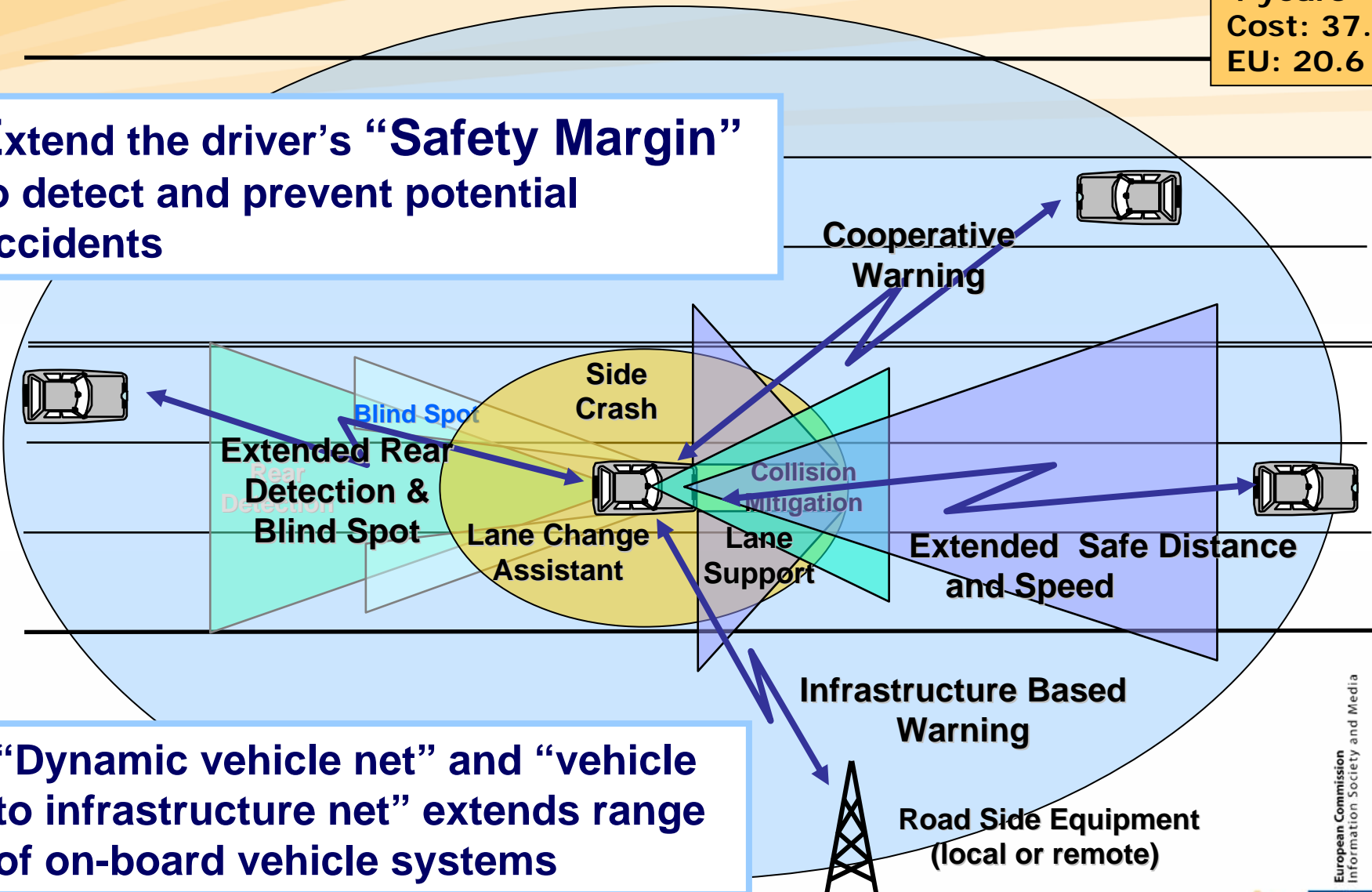
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Call 4: SAFESPOT (IP)

50 partners
4 years
Cost: 37.9M€
EU: 20.6 M€

Extend the driver's "Safety Margin"
to detect and prevent potential
accidents

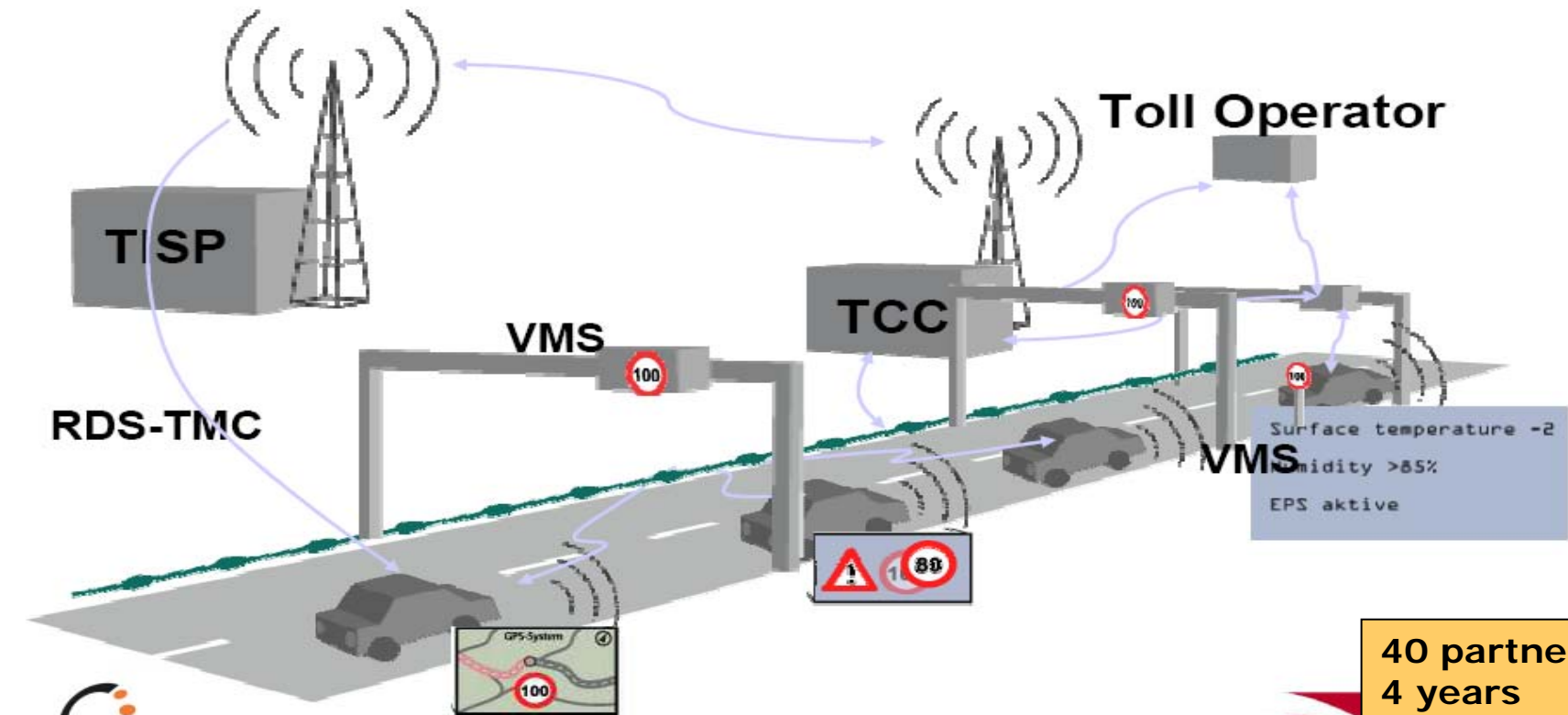


"Dynamic vehicle net" and "vehicle to infrastructure net" extends range of on-board vehicle systems



Call 4: COOPERS (IP)

COOPERS aims at developing innovative solutions for an I2V Communication Infrastructure, which will be integrated with V2V communication systems



40 partners
4 years
Cost: 16.8 M€
EU: 9.8 M€



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ICT meeting societal challenges for mobility

Examples...

- Integrated ICT-based **in-vehicle safety systems** based on open, secure and dependable architecture and interfaces
- Interoperable cooperative **traffic management and safety systems**
- Personalised, location-aware **info-mobility services**, including navigation
- **Field Operation Tests** to produce validated cost/benefits data



Workprogramme 2007-2008 Challenge 6: ICT for Mobility

- The societal challenge **ICT for Mobility, Environmental Sustainability and Energy Efficiency** is
 - focused on systems for safer and more efficient mobility of people and goods and on raising Europe's capacity for a more sustainable management of natural resources and waste
 - aims at achieving mobility in Europe that is virtually accident-free, efficient, adaptive clean and comfortable
 - is embedded in the i2010 "Intelligent Car" Initiative
- Three objectives address this challenge
 - **ICT for the "Intelligent Car" and Mobility Services**
 - **ICT for Cooperative Systems**
 - ICT for Environmental Management and Energy Efficiency

Objective ICT-2007-6.1: ICT for Intelligent Vehicles & Mobility Services

ICT for the Intelligent Vehicles and Mobility Services aims at

- new generation advanced driver assistance systems to offer a higher degree of safety through accident prevention based on improved hazard detection, sensing and integration of systems
- mobility services which make transport of people and good safer, more secure, efficient, comfortable and environment-friendly
- ramping up of Field Operational Tests
- focusing on the sub-areas:
 - **Intelligent Vehicle Systems**
 - **Mobility Services for People**
 - **Mobility Services for Goods**
 - **Coordination and Support Actions:**

(related to Standardisation and Agreed Specifications; Ramping up of Field Operational Tests; Mobility Services for People and Goods)

**Indicative
budget
57 M€**

Call 1 deadline 8 May, evaluation ongoing

ICT for Cooperative Systems aims at

- advanced, reliable, fast and secure vehicle-to-vehicle and vehicle-to-infrastructure communication for new functionalities, real-time traffic management and new levels of support to active safety systems in vehicles and to the driver
- large scale test programmes (field operational tests) with comprehensive assessment of the efficiency, quality, robustness and user-friendliness of IT solutions for smarter, safer and cleaner vehicles and real-time traffic management
- focusing on the sub-areas:

- **Cooperative Systems**
- **Field Operational Tests**
- **Coordination and Support Actions:**

(related to Cooperative Systems; Standardisation; Assessment of Socio-economic Impact; International Cooperation; Training Activities)

**Indicative
budget
48 M€***

* Amount to be confirmed after a new financing decision for the 2008 budget

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Third Pillar: Awareness Actions

- The awareness pillar of the Intelligent Car Initiative will promote, active information dissemination to a wide audience:
- To raise drivers and policy maker's **knowledge about the potential of intelligent vehicle systems**
- To stimulate **user's demand** and create socio-economic acceptance.
- To **facilitate the deployment** of mature technologies and systems in the initial phase of market penetration
- To encourage stakeholders initiatives supporting i2010Initiation of reflection on new challenges: i.e. testing and certification of IVSS





Awareness actions

- **Eurobarometer survey:**
 - **Extra safety, not extra prices for intelligent systems**
 - More than 80% want ESP in next car
 - More than 70% want eCall in next car
- **Communication Platform “e-Safety Aware”** for Intelligent Vehicles systems
 - « Choose ESC » campaign launched with high level public event 8/5/07 in Rome
- **Benchmarking Study** on Activities in Promoting and Deploying **Intelligent Vehicle Safety Systems** in the EU
- **Feasibility Study** for Setting up a Performance Testing Programme for **ICT Based Safety Systems** for Road Transport

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eSafety Web-site:

http://europa.eu.int/information_society/programmes/esafety/index_en.htm

eSafetySupport website

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