

# The present status and the future of EU-projects concerning driver assistance systems – an overview

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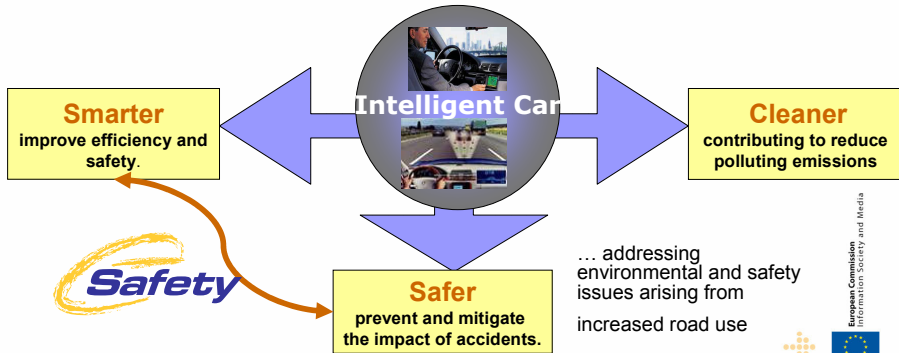
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“i2010: European Information Society 2010 for growth and employment”

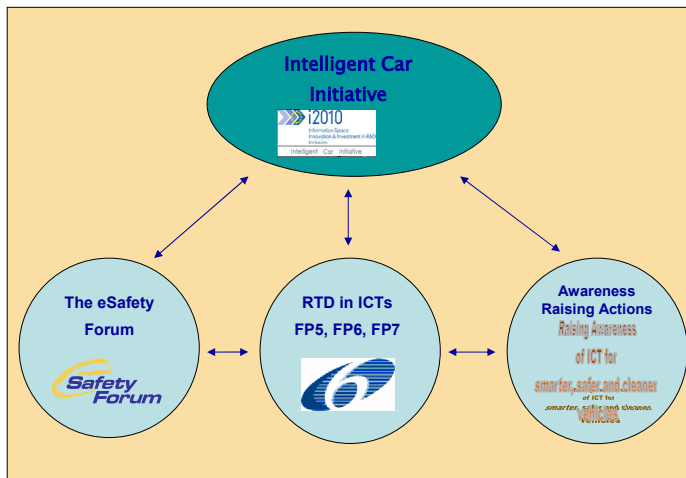
The **Intelligent Car** is one of the i2010 Flagship Initiatives.

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:



(1) The eSafety Initiative and eSafety Forum

(2) RTD in Information and Communications Technologies

(3) Awareness raising Actions

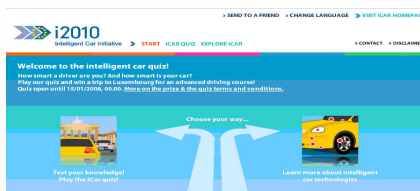
## The Intelligent Car Initiative Policy Achievements through stakeholder concertation – the e-safety forum

- New Commission Communication on eCall to speed up its implementation
- European Statement of Principles (ESoP) with recommendations on HMI updated
- European Code of Practice for developing and testing ADAS from RESPONSE 3 project



## The Intelligent Car Initiative User Awareness Achievements

- Information dissemination to raise awareness on the potential of Intelligent Vehicle Systems
- Stimulate user's demand and create socio-economic acceptance.
- Facilitate the deployment of mature technologies and systems
- ChooseESC! campaign by eSafetyAware!



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## The Intelligent Car Initiative RTD in ICT for Mobility

FP7 Workprogramme 2007-2008

### Call 1 ICT for Intelligent Vehicles & Mobility Services

#### Focus:

- Intelligent Vehicle Systems
- Mobility Services for People
- Mobility Services for Goods

#### Selected proposals:

2 IP  
9 STREP  
3 SA  
**56.6 M€ funding**



### Call 2 ICT for Cooperative Systems

#### Focus:

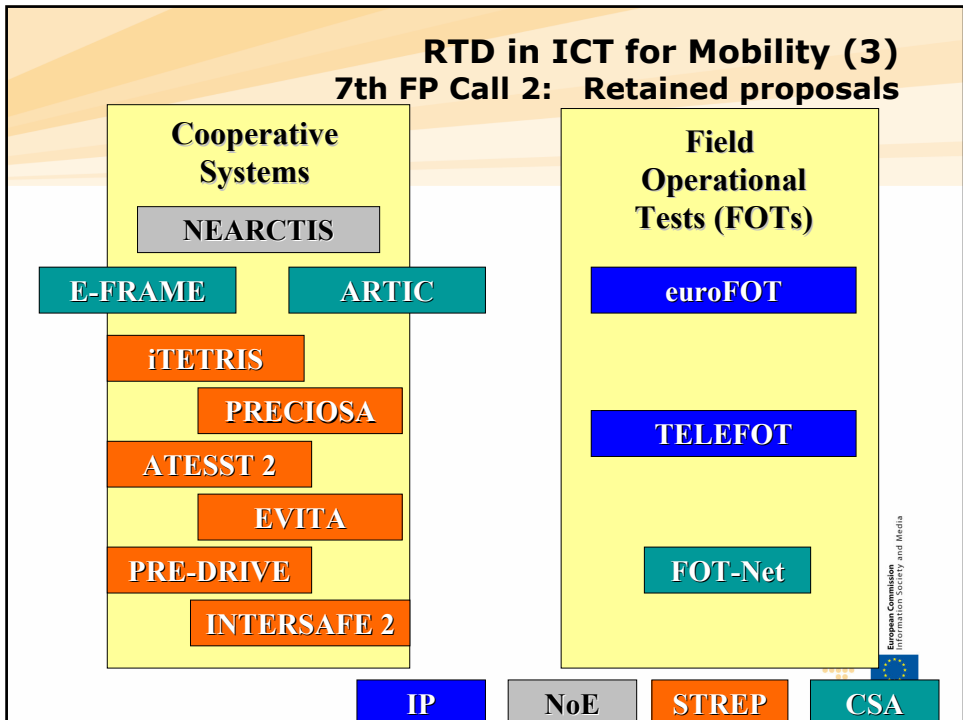
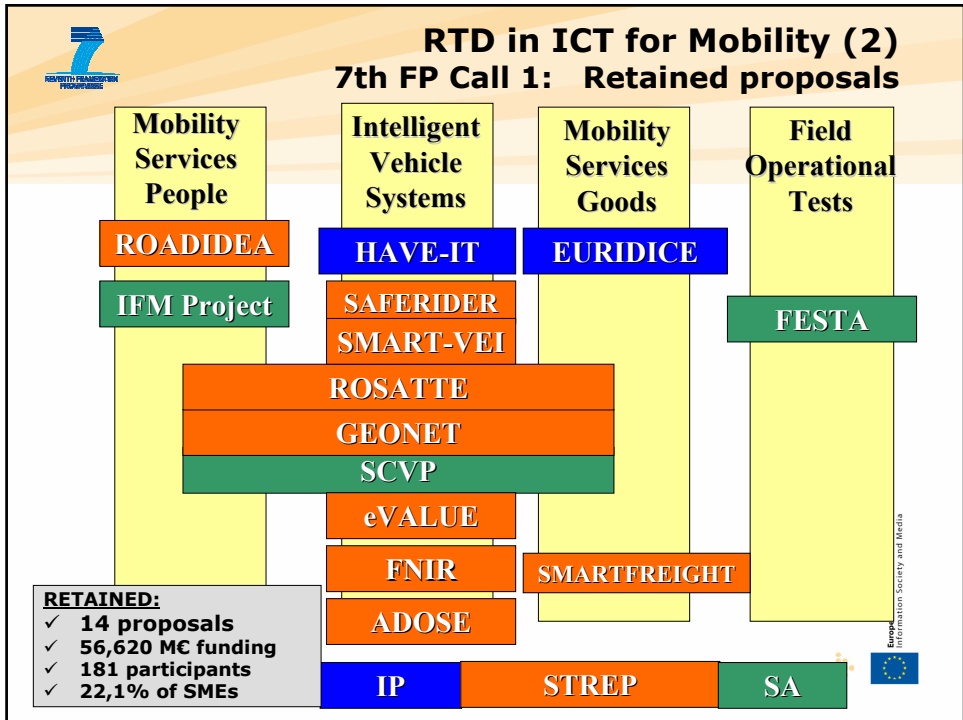
- Cooperative Systems
- Field Operational Tests

#### Projects under negotiation

#### Selected proposals:

2 IP  
6 STREP  
3 SA, 1 NoE  
**48 M€ funding**





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## **Highly automated vehicles for intelligent transport**

Overall budget / funding: 27.8 M€ / 17.0 M€

Start / end date: 01. Feb. 2008 / 31. Jul. 2011

Coordinator: VDO Automotive

Partners: 18

Contact: Prof. Dr. Gernot Spiegelberg, VDO Automotive AG (D)  
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Overall objective: Safety Enhancement by highly automated driving

Key objectives:

- 1) Safe vehicle architecture with migration concept
- 2) Joint system driver – co-pilot system
- 3) Highly automated vehicle applications building on 1) and 2)



- Safe vehicle architecture
  - Joint system demonstrator
  - Electric wedge brake truck
- Highly automated functions
  - Automated assistance in complex scenarios (e.g. construction site, lane change, automated filtering)
  - Automated queue assistance
  - Temporary auto-pilot
  - Active green driving



## Reliable Application Specific Detection of Road Users with Vehicle Qn-board Sensors

Overall budget / funding: 10.2 M € / 6.1 M€  
Start / end date: 01. Jan 2008 / 31 Dec 2010

Coordinator: Centro Ricerce Fiat

Partners: 12

Contact: Dr. Nereo Pallaro, [nereo.pallaro@crf.it](mailto:nereo.pallaro@crf.it)



## Key objectives

ADOSE addresses **functional, performance and cost limits of current sensors and Advanced Driver Assistance Systems** for their extensive market penetration.

The aim is the **enhancement of safety functions** through the **development of high performance and low cost sensing technologies** suitable for reliable detection and classification of obstacles and vulnerable road users.

ADOSE is a **product driven project** with the development and integration of smart systems and technologies.







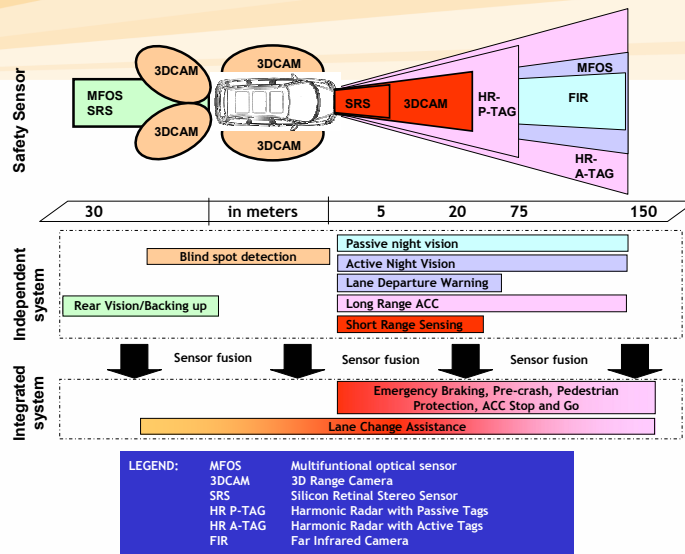
## Specific objectives

ADOSE addresses five breakthrough sensing technologies, with the goal to improve the current state-of-the-art in terms of costs, performance and reliability :

- FIR-add-on sensor with sufficiently good thermal & spatial resolution at lower cost (FIR)
- Low-cost multi-functional and multi-spectral CMOS vision sensor (MFOS)
- High spatial resolution and low-cost 3D range camera (3DCAM)
- Harmonic radar and passive/active tags (HR-PTAG and HR-ATAG)
- High temporal resolution and low-cost silicon retina stereo sensor (SRS)



## Potential application scenarios





## Advanced telematics for enhancing the **SAFETY** and comfort of motorcycle **RIDERS**

Overall budget / funding: 5.37 M € / 3.5 M€  
Start / end date: 01. Jan 2008 / 31 Dec 2010

Coordinator: CERTH/HIT Grece

Partners: 20

Contact: Dr. Evangelos Bekiaris, abek@certh.gr



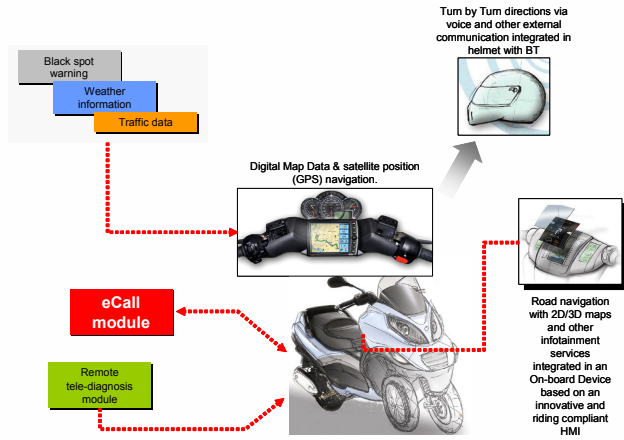
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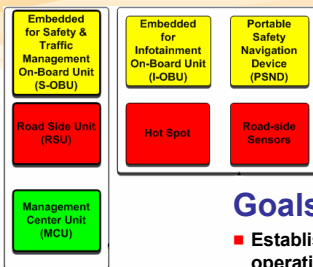
**To study the potential of ADAS/IVIS integration on motorcycles for the most crucial functionalities and develop efficient and rider-friendly interfaces and interaction elements for riders comfort and safety.**



# SAFE RIDER Integration example



## Examples of Call 2 Projects PRE-DRIVE C2X



### Mission:

*"To specify and prototypically realise a common European architecture for co-operative systems and to estimate a priori the impact on road safety and traffic efficiency."*

### Goals:

- Establishment of a pan-European architecture framework for co-operative systems which ensures interoperability of all different applications of vehicle-to-vehicle and vehicle-to-infrastructure communications for safety and mobility.
- Development of an integrated simulation model of co-operative systems.
- A priori estimations of the impact on traffic safety and mobility of co-operative systems for road safety and traffic efficiency.
- Paving the way for the forthcoming field operational tests of co-operative systems by development of tools and methods for functional verification and testing in laboratory environments, on test tracks, and on real roads.
- Identification of the key enabling and disabling factors to plan the future market introduction.

**Coordinator:**  
DaimlerAG

Total costs: ±8.343 M€  
EC contribution: ±5.015 M€  
Start date: 01/05/2008  
Duration: 24 months

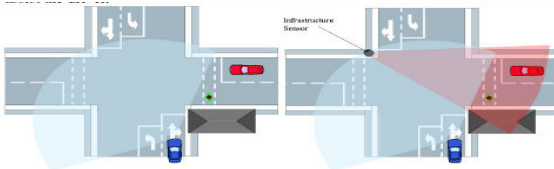
## Examples of Call 2 Projects INTERSAFE 2

intersections constitute a major accident 'black spot', especially in urban areas.

- About 30 to 60% (depending on the country) of all injury accidents and about 16 to 36% of the fatalities occur at intersections
- Accident scenarios at intersections are amongst the most complex

### Mission:

Develop and demonstrate a Cooperative Intersection Safety System that to improve traffic safety at intersections.



### Research Topics:

- Develop three demonstrator vehicles and introduce new functionalities from warning systems to active vehicle intervention.
- 2. Bidirectional V2X communication and cooperative sensor data fusion
- 3. Infrastructure monitoring
- 4. Relative intersection localisation
- Intersection object tracking and classification
- Cooperative intersection scenario interpretation, risk assessment, warning
- intervention strategies

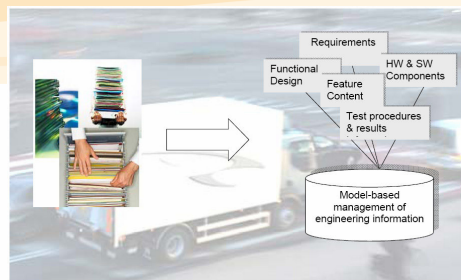
**Coordinator: IBEO**  
**Total costs: ± 6.5m€**  
**EC contribution: 3.8 m€**  
**Start date: 1/05/2008 (?)**  
**Duration: 36 months**

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## Examples of Call 2 Projects ATESST2

### Mission:

*"To link design and verification technologies with advanced automotive functions of future co-operative systems."*



### Goals:

- Identification of stakeholders' needs for an architecture description language for the development of co-operative active safety systems.
- Harmonisation of the structural descriptions of EAST-ADL2 with the latest evolutions of existing approaches.
- Development of adequate behavioural modelling for EAST-ADL2.
- Development of analysis techniques suitable for assessing safety, reliability, performance, and cost of co-operative active safety systems.
- Support of field operational tests by providing explicit descriptions of desired behaviours, test cases, and test results.
- Development of support for re-use and variability management.
- Definition of a language implementation in the form of a UML2 profile.

**Coordinator: Volvo Technology AB**  
**Total costs: ±3.750 M€**  
**EC contribution: ±2.287 M€**  
**Start date: 01/07/2008**  
**Duration: 24 months**

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## Examples of Call 2 Projects EVITA

### Mission:

*"To avoid unauthorised manipulation of on-board systems to prevent intrusion into the in-vehicular system infrastructure and transmission of corrupted data outside"*



### Objectives:

- Definition of an appropriate partitioning of functions into software and hardware modules in order to provide the suitable vehicle protection level against a spectrum of intrusion attacks.
- Design of a security hardware module matching the requirements of in-vehicular systems.

#### Coordinator:

**Fraunhofer-Gesellschaft (SIT)**

Total costs: ±6.039 M€

EC contribution: ±3.858 M€

Start date: ??/??/2008

Duration: 36 months

### Methodology:

- Identify industrial use cases (assembly, field maintenance).
- Compile scenarios of possible threats.
- Define overall security requirements.
- Compile secure trust model.
- Specify, verify, validate, and demonstrate a secure on-board architecture and protocol.



## Examples of Call 2 Projects PRECIOSA

### Mission:

*"demonstrate that co-operative systems can comply with privacy regulations using an example application endowed with PET for location data"*



Picture: C2C consortium

### Objectives:

- Define an approach for evaluation of co-operative systems in terms of:
  - Communication privacy
  - Data storage privacy
- Define a privacy aware architecture for co-operative systems, involving:
  - Suitable trust models and ontologies
  - V2V and V2I privacy verifiable architecture, including:
    - Protection
    - Infringement detection
    - Auditing
- Define and validate guidelines for privacy aware co-operative systems
- Investigate specific challenges for privacy

#### Coordinator:

**TRIALOG**

Total costs: ± 2,465 K€

EC contribution: 1,667 K€

Start date: 1/03/2008

Duration: 24 months



## Examples of Call 2 Projects NEARCTIS (NoE)

### Mission:

"To create a **virtual research institute** that not only focuses on systems for advanced cooperative **traffic management** for road traffic optimisation but is also concerned with how such systems can be integrated into existing traffic management systems.



### Goals:

- To provide this virtual institute with the constitutive elements of a research institute,
  - An integrated research program
  - A set of common or shared resources
  - A policy and a structure for results and method dissemination
  - Integrated training capabilities
- A particular objective of the network will be to "spread the excellence" across the scientific community, with an emphasis on the newer members of the European Union

**Coordinator:** ERT

Total costs: ±3 M€  
EC contribution: ±2.50M€  
Tentative Start date: 01/07/2008  
Duration: 48 months

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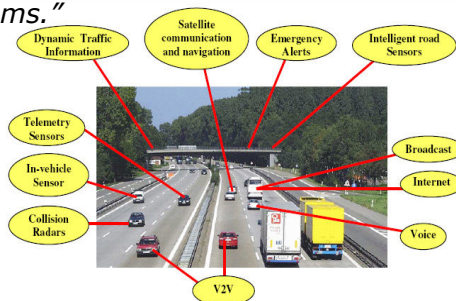
## Examples of Call 2 Projects ARTIC (CA)

### Mission:

"Transfer of antenna technology knowledge from ACE NoE (Antenna Centre of Excellence) to iCar, in order to enable the best implementation of the future systems."

### Focus:

- Antenna technology transfer
- Adoption of software and measurement best practices
- Raise awareness through workshop sessions and international conferences
- Enlarge the existing ACE Virtual Centre of Excellence ([www.antennasvce.org](http://www.antennasvce.org)) to spread on the Web the ARTIC results
- Offer a specific "Antennas for Intelligent Car" training course to the industrial users and manufacturers.



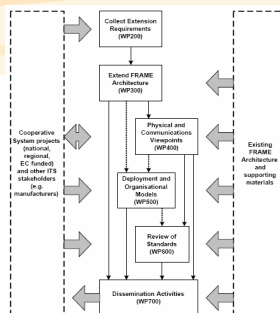
**Coordinator:** IDS Ingegneria dei Sistemi  
**Total costs:** 466.545 €  
**EC contribution:** 361.000 €  
**Start date:** 1/04/2008 (?)  
**Duration:** 24 months

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## Examples of Call 2 Projects E-FRAME (CA)

### Mission:

"To support the development and ongoing updating of a standardised ITS architecture to incorporate the requirements raised by co-operative systems."



### Goals:

- Creation of a pan-European ITS architecture that includes co-operative systems.
- Creation of common physical and communications viewpoints for co-operative systems.
- Provision of expert guidance on deployment and organisational issues.
- Establishment of a list of standards based on findings regarding which parts of co-operative systems need to be standardised.
- Provision of expert advice, support, and training.

**Coordinator:** Peter Jesty  
Consulting Limited  
Total costs: ±1.046 M€  
EC contribution: ±1.045 M€  
Start date: 01/05/2008  
Duration: 36 months

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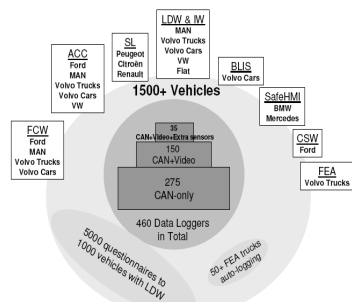
## Euro F.O.T (IP)

### Mission:

Assess the impact from the usage of Intelligent Vehicle Systems in real traffic for a safer, cleaner, and more efficient transport system in Europe

### Research Topics:

- Analysis based on real data of:
- performance and capability of several IVSS
  - driver behaviour and user acceptance.
  - impacts on safety, efficiency, and on the environment
  - Contribute to support the decision process in the deployment of ICT based systems for mobility.
  - Large data base in public domain



**Coordinator:** Ford  
Total costs: ± 22m€  
EC contribution: 14m€  
Start date: 1/05/2008 (?)  
Duration: 40 months

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## TELEFOT (IP)

### Mission:

To assess the impacts of functions provided by aftermarket and nomadic devices in vehicles and raise awareness on their potential for improving road safety and efficiency



### Research Topics:

Analysis will be done on a large fleet (3000 drivers) for a number of functions promoting safety/efficiency assessing:

- driver behaviour and user acceptance.
- impacts on safety, efficiency, and on the environment
- impact on the transport system
- attention will also be paid on negative effects

The project also aims to contribute to user awareness and speeding up deployment

**Coordinator:** VTT  
**Total costs:** ± 14M€  
**EC contribution:** 9,7 M€  
**Start date:** 1/06/2008 (?)  
**Duration:** 48 months

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## FOTNet (SA)

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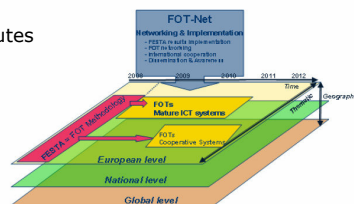
strategic networking of existing and future National, European and Global FOTs (e.g. US and Japan).

### Focus:

- Public Authorities/ FOT funding organisations (EC, national, regional and cities)
- Industry: Vehicle Manufacturers; Automotive Suppliers; Service Providers (including telecom operators)
  - Research Institutes
  - Users

### Research Topics:

- FOT-Net will establish a European networking body for National,
- European and Global FOTs where all stakeholders from public and private sectors are represented. Then
- FOT-Net will contribute to improve significance, visibility, comparability and transferability of available FOT
- results at National and European level by promoting the implementation of a common FOT methodology
- (FESTA results).



**Coordinator:** ERTICO  
**Total costs:** ± 1.2m€  
**EC contribution:** 1.2m€  
**Start date:** 1/06/2008  
**Duration:** 24 months

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## Workprogramme 2009-2010 (1)

Currently under preparation, taking into consideration the input from:

- The on-going research activities
- Strategic Research Agendas of transport related Technology Platforms (ERTRAC, ERRAC, ACMARE...)
- the eSafety Forum RTD Working Group Research Agenda
- The Member States' activities
- Input from professional and research organisations: EUCAR, ECTRI, CLEPA, FERHL, CEDR ...
- Exchange of views with key actors in USA and Japan



## Workprogramme 2009-2010 (2)

Topics currently proposed for Calls 4 & 5

### Call 4:

- ICT for Intelligent Vehicle Systems
- ICT for Clean and Efficient Mobility

### Call 5:

- Field Operational Tests for Integrated Safety Systems and Co-operative Systems
- ICT for Smart Urban Mobility, new mobility concepts



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## ITS action plan – the rationale

- ITS can contribute to Cleaner, Safer and More efficient Transport
- But: deployment slow so far
- EU action plan to support the deployment of existing ITS solutions
- Joint action of DG TREN, DG INFSO, DG RTD, DG ENTR in order to develop coherent action plan



## ITS action plan – what happened so far

- Oct 2007: First outline of an ITS Roadmap "Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS) for more efficient, safer and cleaner road transport"
- Dec 2007: « Reality check » with high level stakeholder interviews
- Jan 2008: Paper on policy actions
- Feb 2008: 1<sup>st</sup> workshop with MS + stakeholders
- March 08: Internet consultation
- 26 March 08: 2<sup>nd</sup> Workshop with MS + stakeholders



## ITS action plan – the way ahead

- April – May 08: preparation of communication on ITS action plan
- July 2008: adoption by the Commission



## Additional information

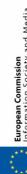
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