

Introduction to the Infinity Project

INfrastructures for the Future Internet commuNITY

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Background and Overview of FI-PPP

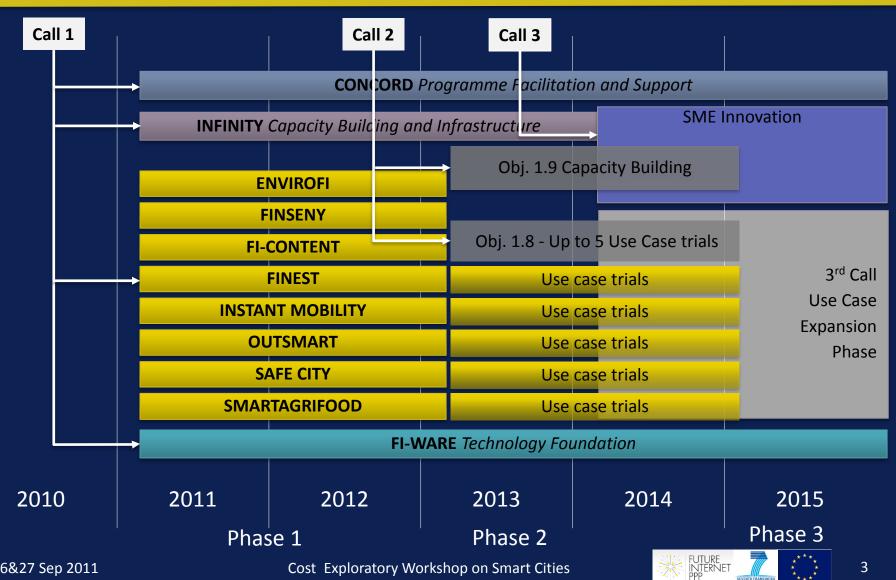


Supporting programmes that accelerate the realisation of "future internet" enabled government, business and society in Europe that will allow:

- Public / business services and infrastructure to operate more intelligently, efficiently and sustainably through tighter integration with internet and computing capabilities
- Experimentation and validation of approaches that connect infrastructure, applications, devices, services and new technologies to deliver innovative new solutions
- Bringing together supply and demand sides for future internet services, engaging research, public service, communications and ICT and end user communities in the process of innovation

FI-PPP Programme Overview





3 Phases of FI-PPP



Call 1 (deadline December 2010) – budget €90m

- Technology Foundation (One IP, €41m, 3 years)
- Use Case Scenarios Phase 1 (Eight applications, IP, €5m, 2 years)
- Capacity Building (One CSA, €3m, 3 years)
- Programme support (One CSA, €6m, 5 years)

Call 2 (deadline October 2012) – budget €80m

- Use Case Pilots Phase 2 (Five applications, €13.5, 2 years)
- Capacity Building (One IP, €12.5m, 2 years)

Call 3 (deadline December 2013) – budget €130m

Devoted to the expansion and enlargement of many test beds and pilots (Several application areas, ~ €100m, 2 years)

FI-PPP Integrated Programme Structure



Capacity **INFINITY** (Web-based repository of available infrastructures) **Building and** Infrastructure **ENVIROFI** (Environmental Observation Web) **FINSENY** (Smart Energy) FI-CONTENT (Future uses of AV, games, Web, metadata and user created content) **Programme FINEST** (Optimising collaboration in the logistics business) **Applications Facilitation** (Use Cases) and Support: **INSTANT MOBILITY** (Mobility aspects of road transport) **OUTSMART** (Eco-systems for urban areas) **CONCORD SAFE CITY** (Smart public safety and security in cities) (Programme Coordination) **SMARTAGRIFOOD** (Smart farming, smart agri-logistics and **Technology** smart food awareness) **Foundation FI-WARE** (Core Platform)

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Infinity Project Overview



- An integral part of Framework 7 FI-PPP
- Projects dedicated to the FI for Europe
- Coordination and support action
- Runs April 2011 -> March 2014 (3 years)
- Supported by €3m funding from the EC
- 13 Partners (Coordinator: UPM)







THALES























Our Aim



To facilitate communication and collaboration between Future Internet infrastructure owners across Europe and organisations developing Future Internet applications in order to:-

- position Europe at the centre of the Future of the Internet
- directly support experimentation for FI-PPP projects and investors
- accelerate the development and uptake of social and commercial solutions that will provide benefit to the citizens, businesses and governments of Europe

Our Approach



We will:-

- gather, analyse, evaluate and organise information about Future
 Internet infrastructure and usage profiles across Europe
- make that information available to other FI initiatives through a "live" web enabled repository
- encourage and support interaction, collaboration and experimentation between application and infrastructure owners, operators, industry, local and regional authorities and end users
- capture and present user case studies to encourage wider take-up
- communicate and promote the activities of European Future Internet research capacity and infrastructures world-wide
- help prepare a route map to the future through integration of identified FI infrastructures in phase 2



Project Overview



THE INFINITY TEAM

UPM

CREATE-NET WIT

INTERINNOV THALES

FRAUNHOFER ERISA

ERICSSON DANTE

MARTEL POZNAN

TELEFONICA IT INNOV

Methodology Design,
 Development &
 Operation

5. ROUTE MAP

Initial development of the route-map for the future internet in Europe

Technical Exchanges,
 Discussion & Collaboration

INFRASTRUCTURES
AND FI
EXPERIMENTAL
TRIALS ALL OVER

EUROPE

3. Survey, Interactions & Knowledge Capture

INFINITY WEB-BASED REPOSITORY

4. Analysis, Interaction,Communication& Dissemination

FI-PPP PROJECTS

CONCORD ENVIROFI

FI-CONTENT FI-WARE

OUTSMART FINSENY

INSTANT MOBILITY FINEST

SMARTAGRIFOOD SAFECITY

Users & Beneficiaries

EXTERNAL STAKEHOLDERS

SME'S

INDUSTRY

ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS

RESEARCH BODIES

PUBLIC AUTHORITIES

Strategic Impact of Infinity



Experimental infrastructures are important assets for testing Future Internet ideas and to enable citizens to become involved in FI-PPP activities.

However, many developments and testing facilities are hidden from technology providers, industry and users.

The INFINITY project will identify the available infrastructures to capture a disseminate insights about the technical, social and economic dimensions and constraints for the infrastructure

The end goal is to establish a pan-European Future Internet testing infrastructure

Example of Infrastructures in Europe



Industrial Infrastructures

- Telco
- ISPs ...

Scenario based trials

- Intelligent Transport
- Smart Cities ...

EU-Wide Infrastructure

- Fire
- Geant ...

Available Infrastructures

Regional Infrastructures

- City Wide Infrastructures
- Municipal Networks
- Private initiatives
- Living Labs...



Thank You

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Impact on Stakeholders



Knowledge of FI-PPP project requirements

Access to European-Scale market

Standards, policy and regulatory initiatives

User take-up Reduce fragmentation

Accessible service platforms

New transnational methodologies

Infrastructure Owners

Public sector & <u>End</u> User The Infinity Project

Other FI

Projects

FI-Ware Core Platform

Accessible infrastructures

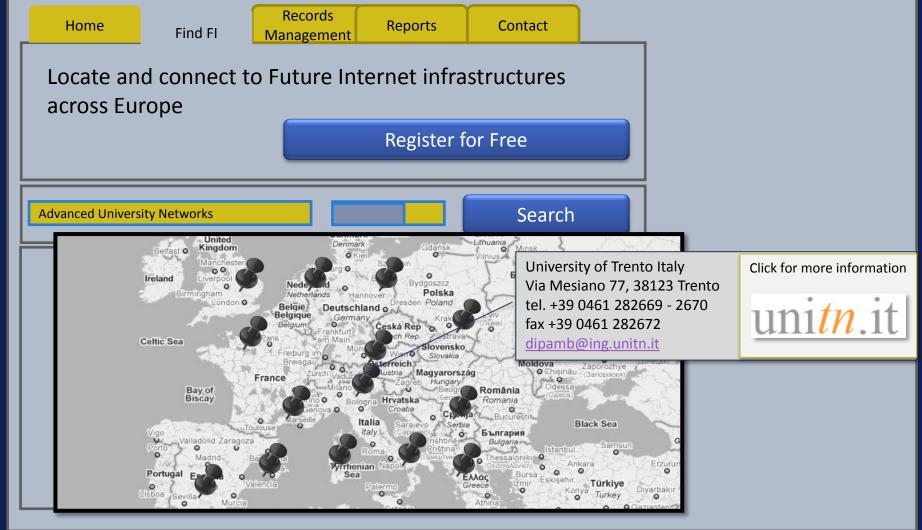
Functionality & constraints

Support integration Input to phase 2

Federation of infrastructures to meet emerging standards
Towards integration of heterogeneous infrastructures
Supporting the "virtual" platform and "generic enablers"

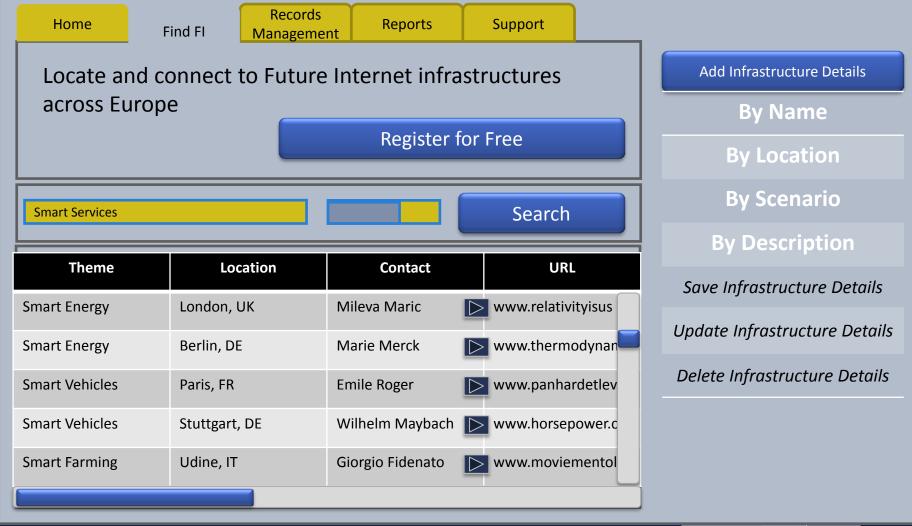
Presenting infrastructures through the web repository (mock-up)





Searching through a theme / scenario



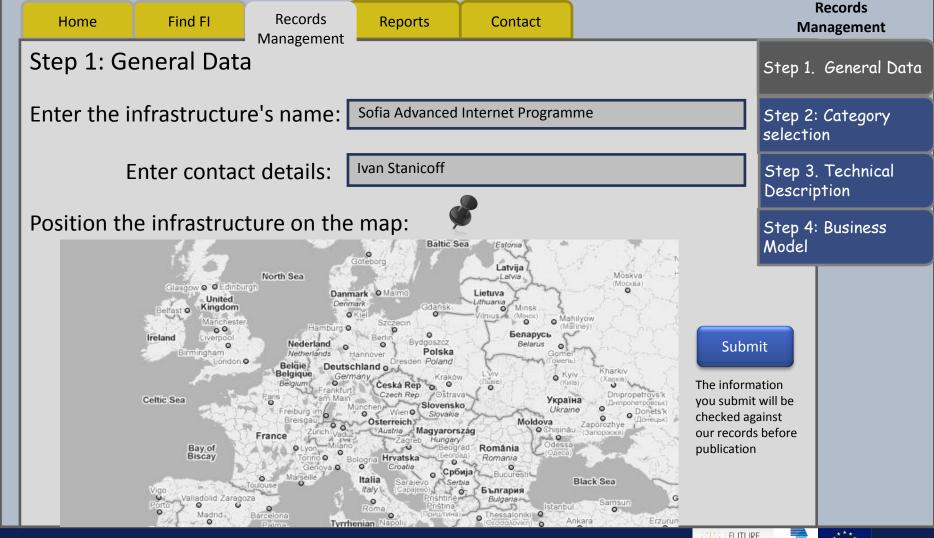






Accessing infrastructures through the web repository (mock-up)





Further Information



Key Events in 2011:

- 27-29 September Torino, NEM Summit
- 5 October Brussels,
 Net!Works General Assembly
- 10-13 October Brussels, Open Days 2011
- 24-28 October Poznan, Future Internet Week (FIA, FIRE, IoT, workshops and meetings)
- 26-28 October Poznan,
 ServiceWave
- 7 November Brussels,
 Workshop on Future Internet
 SocioEconomics

Sites to drill further:

- www.fi-infinity.eu The INFINITY project
- www.fi-ppp.eu Future Internet
 Public-Private Partnership
- ec.europa.eu/foi EC activities on Future Internet
- www.future-internet.eu The European Future Internet Portal – the community site
- cordis.europa.eu/ict/ch1 –
 Ongoing European FI research &
 development activities



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