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# European perspective

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# Agenda

- European Open Science Cloud
- PRACE scientific case
- Edge to cloud projects



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**EOSC**

# European Open Science Cloud (EOSC)

- Vision of the European Commission of a large infrastructure to support and develop open science and open innovation in Europe and beyond
- Europe's virtual environment for all researchers to store, manage, analyse and re-use data for research, innovation and educational purposes, projected for 2020
- The vision in action:
  - The EOSCpilot project is supporting the first phase in the development of the EOSC
  - The EOSChub project, which aims to create the integration and service management structure of the European Open Science Cloud

# EOSCpilot project

- The EOSCpilot project has been funded to support the **first phase** in the development of the European Open Science Cloud (EOSC). It will:
  - Propose and trial **governance frameworks** for the EOSC and contribute to the development of **European open science policy** and best practice
  - Develop a **number of demonstrators** functioning as high-profile **pilots** that integrate services and infrastructures to show **interoperability** and its benefits in a number of scientific domains
  - Engage with a broad range of stakeholders, crossing borders and communities, to build the trust and skills required for adoption of an open approach to scientific research.
  - The EOSCpilot represents a first step towards the development of the European Open Science Cloud.

Budget: 10 M€

Coordinator: STFC (UK)

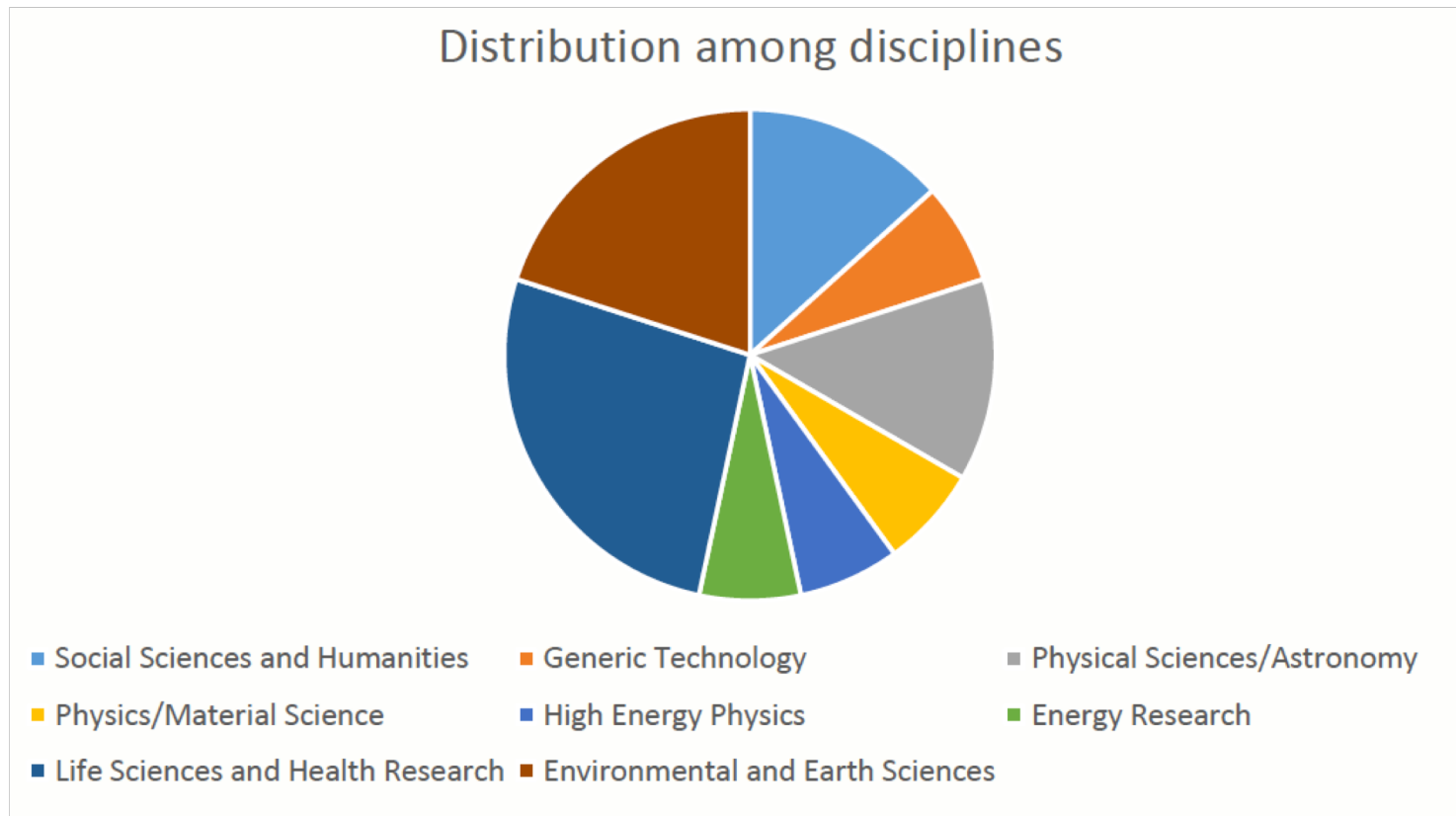
Duration: 1.1.2017 – 31.12.2018

33 partners, 15 third parties (Europe wide)

<https://eoscpiilot.eu>

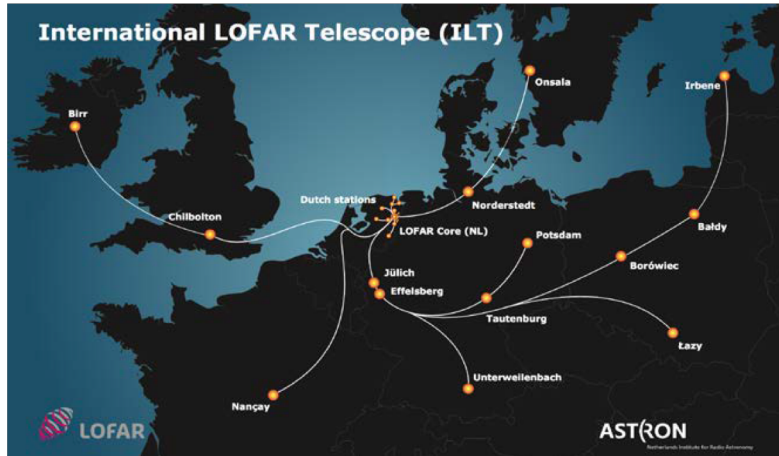
# EOSCpilot demonstrators

- 5 initial pilots, 10 more demonstrators selected through an open call



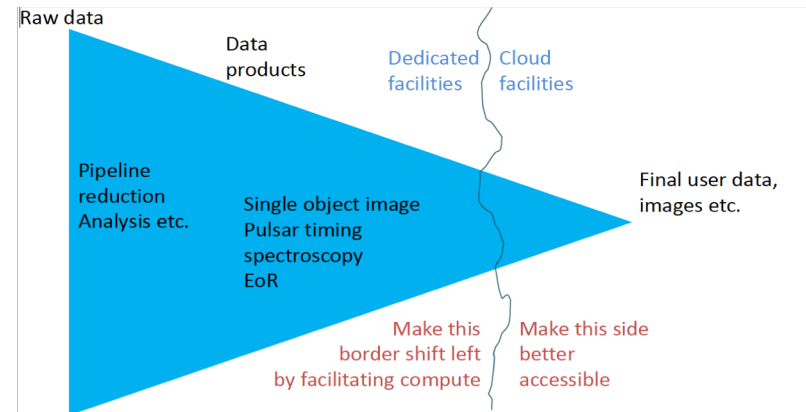
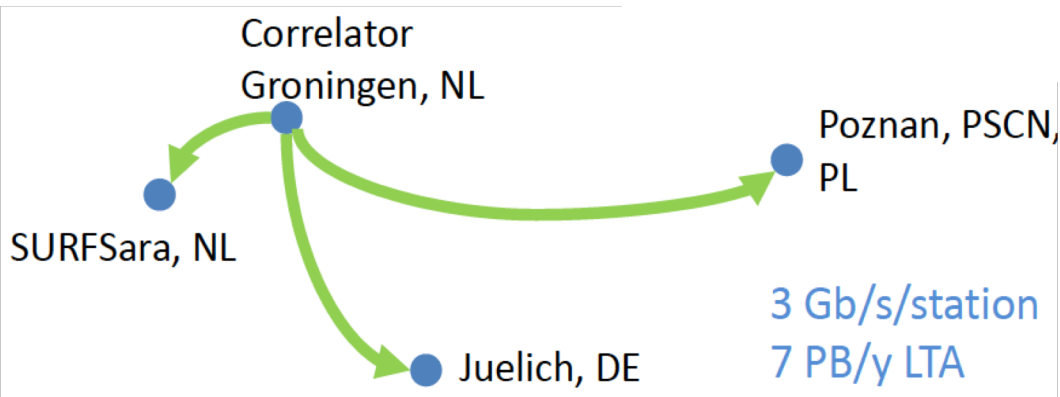
# International LOFAR telescope demonstrator

- LOFAR telescope



## Resource & interoperability requirements

- Access to data in the LOFAR Long Term Archive (LTA) @ SURFsara
- Access to compute facilities @ SURFsara
- Access to data in the LOFAR LTA @Juelich
- Transport of data between LTA sites, Contact with GÉANT
- Access to compute facilities at other sites



# EOSC-hub project

- EOSC-hub brings together multiple service providers to create the Hub: a **single contact point for European researchers and innovators to discover, access, use and reuse a broad spectrum of resources** for advanced data-driven research
- **Simplify access** to a broad portfolio of products, resources and services provided by different actors through an **open service catalogue**
- **Remove fragmentation** of service provisioning and access to digital services
- Increase **innovation capacity** of digital Infrastructures
- **Extend access to integrated compute, storage, data and software** to new user groups including high-education and industry, increase the user base
- **Expand human capacity** (consolidate/expand a distributed network of experts and service operators at local/national level)

Budget: 30 M€

Coordinator: EGI Foundation (EGI.eu)

Participants: 100 partners from 53 countries, including 19 research communities from 36 countries

Duration: 36 months (Jan 2018 – Dec 2020)







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# PRACE SCIENTIFIC CASE

# The PRACE Scientific Case

- The PRACE Scientific Steering Committee (SSC) has formulated a third version of the **scientific case** in relation to a number of areas of major societal relevance, and **identified both success stories and breakthroughs** that will be possible with investments in next generation infrastructure
- The document “The Scientific Case for Computing in Europe 2018-2026” presents the finding of the SSC for the different scientific disciplines
  - Illustrates importance of complexity and data-driven research
  - Defines key infrastructure requirements
  - Gives recommendations



# Computing drives Science - and Science Computing

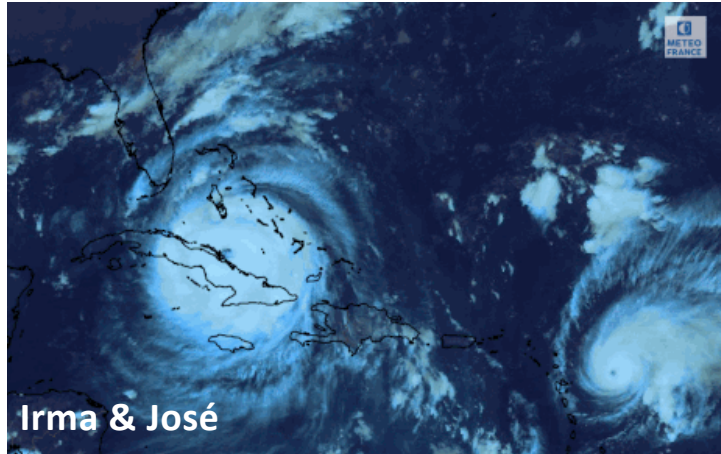
## Remarkable Repeated Success Stories:

- Recurring core part of **Nobel Prizes** in Physics & Chemistry
- Saving billions with **better weather forecasting**
- **Improving human health** with genomics, personalized medicine
- 3-4% **better fuel efficiency** of aircraft & wind turbines every year
- Disrupting communication, transportation and manufacturing
- **Design of future materials** from scratch based on desired properties
- **Batteries & supercapacitors**
- **Artificial intelligence**, machine learning, sensors, open data

*Scientific computing keeps delivering impact, but European impact is limited by resources.*

***The Scientific Case for Computing in Europe showcases the achievements we predict will come true within the next 5-10 years with a factor 50-100x more computing power in Europe***

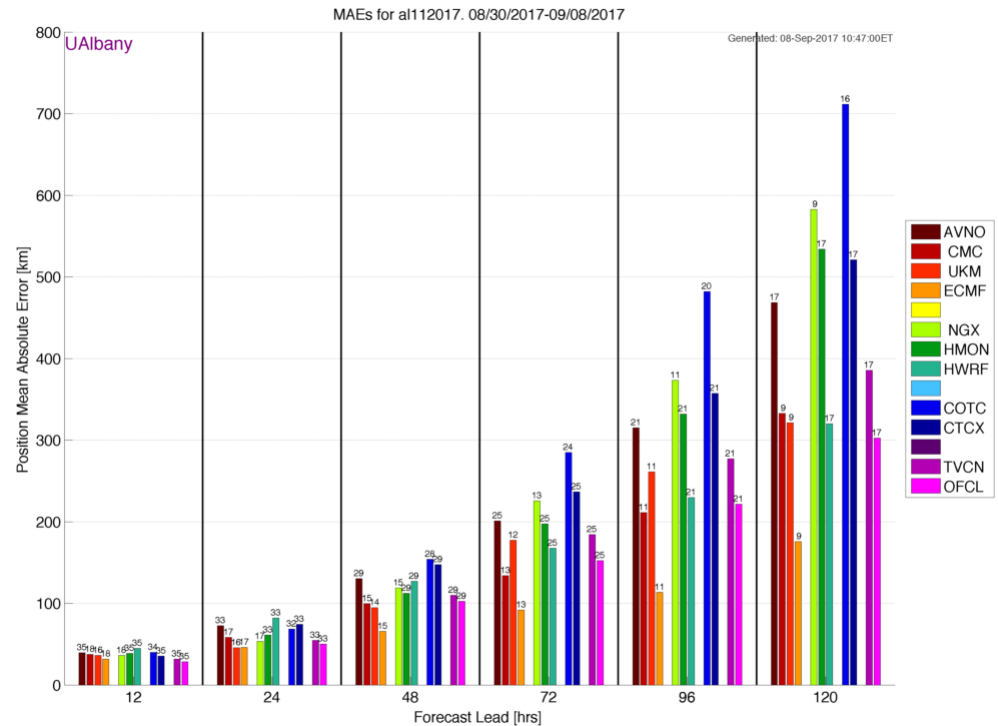
# Europe leads international code development



Predicting evacuation needs is a life/death matter – but avoiding it saves €250M

Maintaining our European lead on software should be one of the Europe investment priorities

## Europe is leader in forecast codes



# Exascale is causing even traditional fields to turn to AI

Full Waveform Inversion models combined with Convolutional Neural Networks provides drastically faster reservoir predictions

Training dataset (known models)

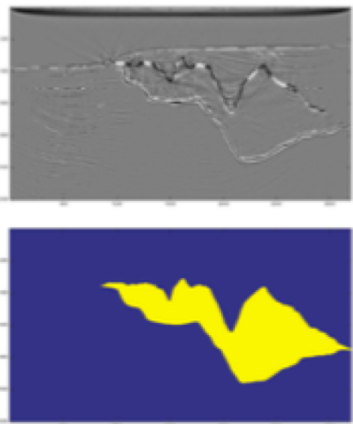


Image patches with structure

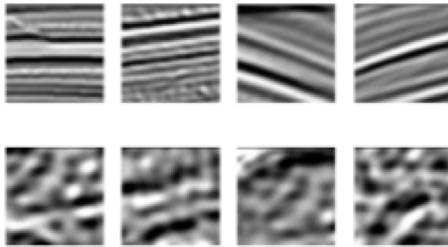
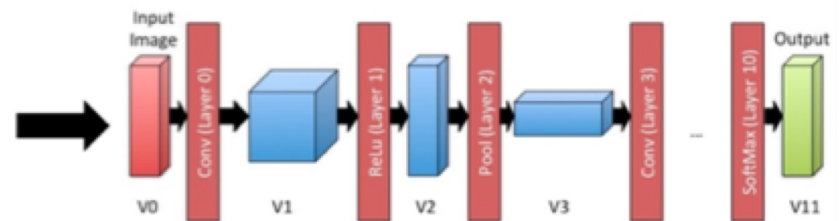
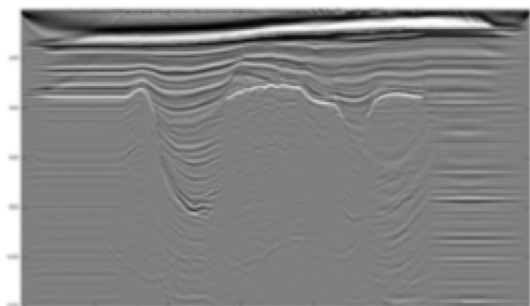


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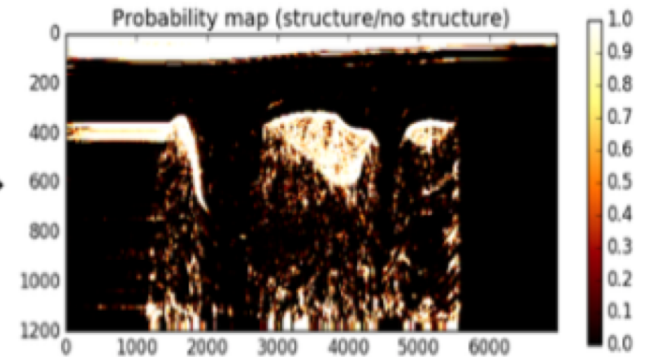
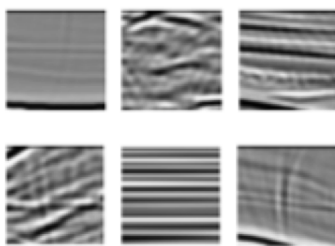
Train deep learning model



Run prediction



Extract image patches



Test dataset (unknown models)



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**EDGE TO CLOUD**

mF2C goal is to design and develop an open, secure, decentralized, multi-stakeholder Fog-to-Cloud (F2C) management framework.



Novel programming models



Data storage techniques



Brokerage solutions



Resource Orchestration Techniques



Privacy and security

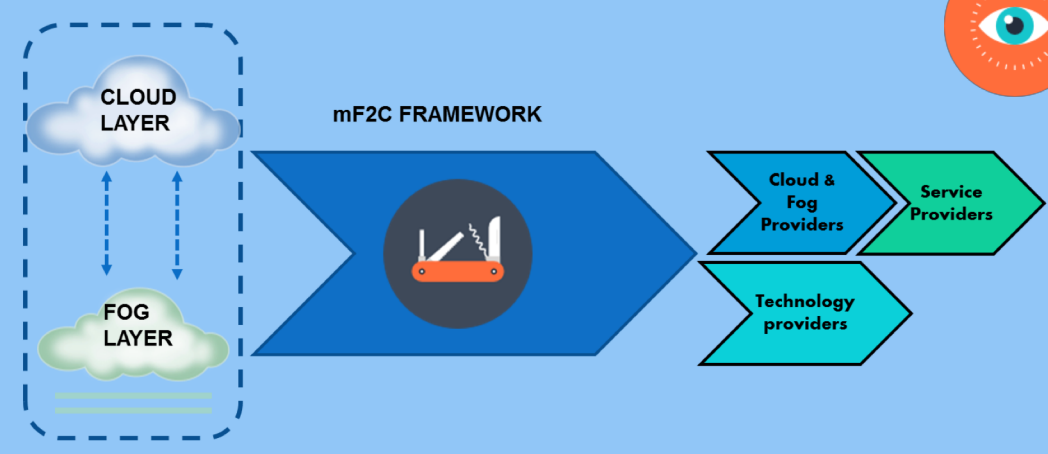


Service creation



SLA policies

FOG & CLOUD LAYER



Emergency Situation Management in Smart City



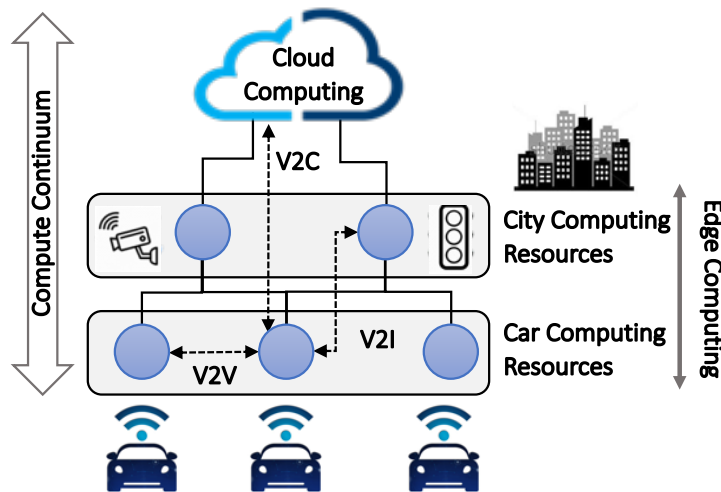
Smart Boat



Smart Fog-Hub Service



## Smart City Use-case



- **Data analytics** and **real-time** requirements
- **11.4 GB/s** of heterogeneous data-sets considering 3 cars and a 1 km<sup>2</sup> sensing area

Three highly-connected cars equipped with *Vehicle-to-infrastructure (V2I)*, *vehicle-to-cloud (V2C)*, *vehicle-to-vehicle (V2V)* Cameras @4K, long-range and middle range radars and ultrasound sensors

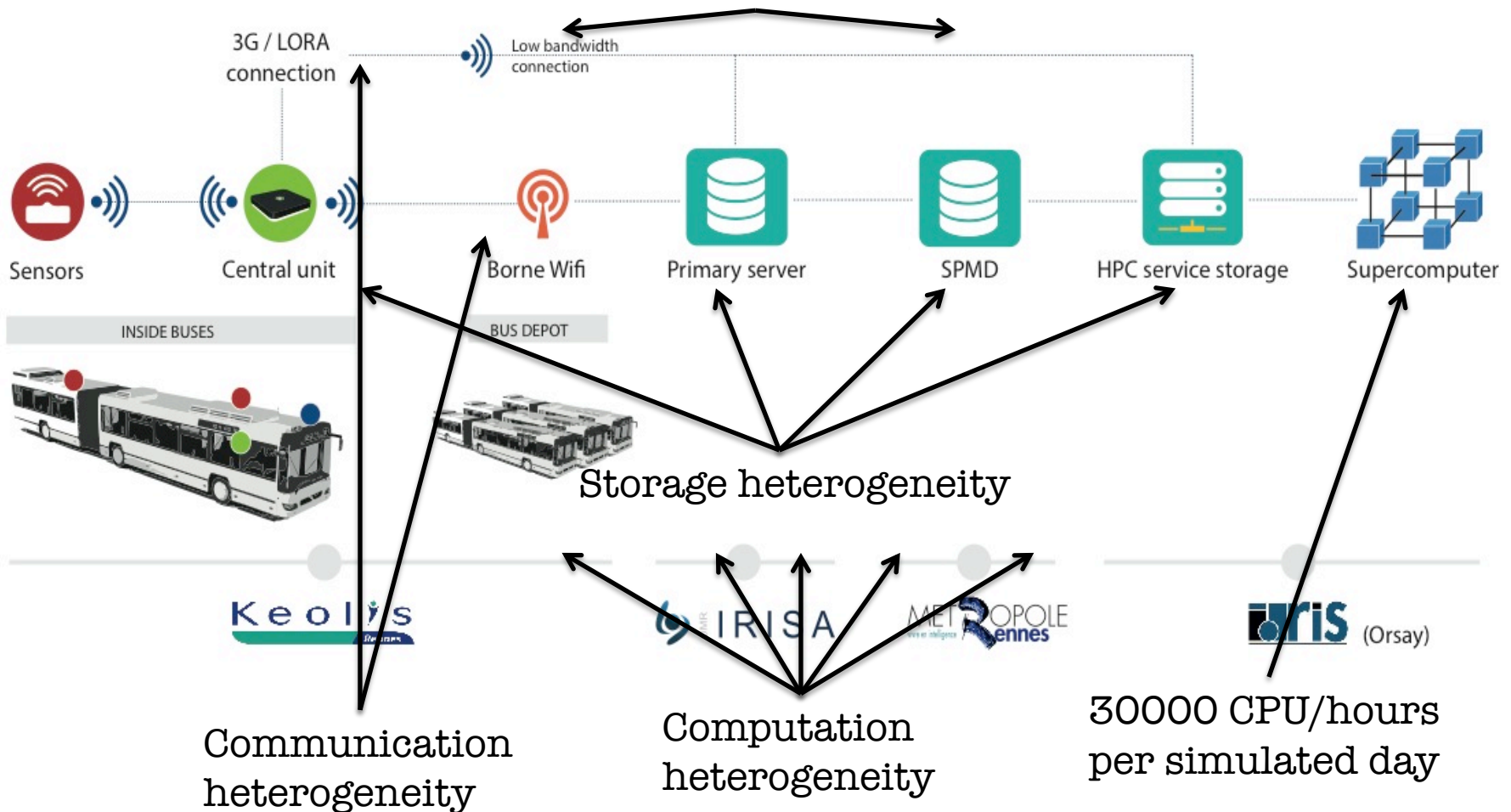
1. *Intelligent traffic management*, acting on traffic lights and smart road signals
  - “Green routes” for emergency vehicles
  - Traffic enhancement based on intelligent cross road management
2. *Advanced driving assistance systems*
  - Intelligent cross road management based on obstacle detection
  - Automated valet parking systems

Data in motion vs data at rest  
Real time aspects



# An Example: Air Quality Measurement and Analysis (Including Urgent Computing)

New users / applications



Current project in Rennes, FR



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# EC CALLS ON RELATED TOPICS

# European Data Infrastructure: HPC, Big Data and Cloud technologies

- ICT-11-2018-2019: HPC and Big Data enabled Large-scale Test-beds and Applications
  - November 2018 - development of **large-scale IoT/Cloud-enabled** industrial pilot test-beds for big data applications by combining and taking advantage of relevant technologies (**Big Data, IoT, cloud and edge computing, etc.**) (15 – 18 million)

# European Data Infrastructure: HPC, Big Data and Cloud technologies

- ICT-14-2019: Co-designing Extreme Scale Demonstrators (EsD)
  - Nov 2018 - Proposals are expected to address the research, co-design, integration, validation and experimentation of extreme scale computing systems driven by a set of ambitious **extreme data and HPC applications** (20 – 40 million)



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