

Challenge 3 - Components, systems, engineering in FP7 Call 4

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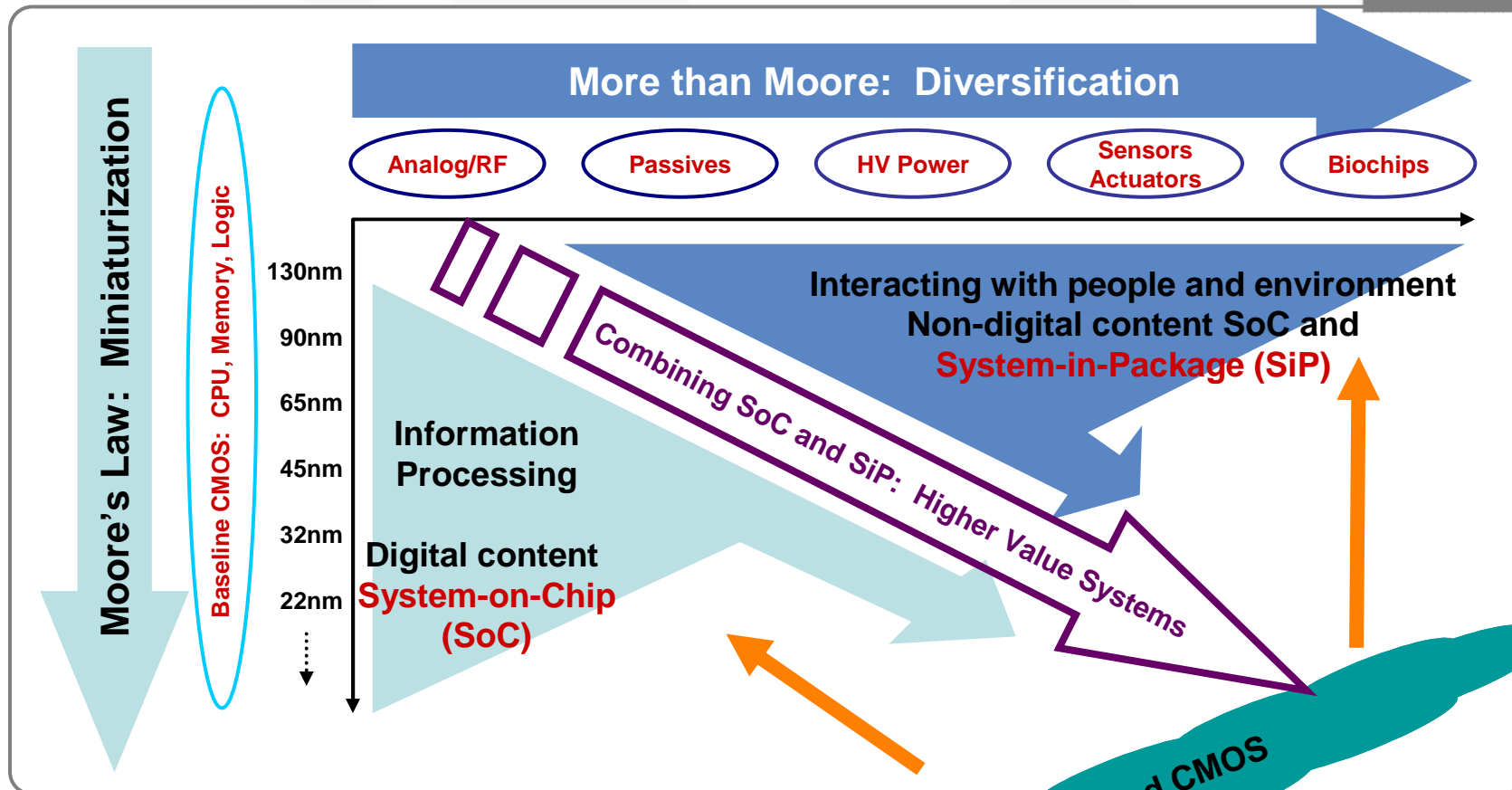
Presentation Agenda

- 1. ICT-2009.3.1 - Design of Semiconductor Components & Electronic-based Miniaturised Systems**
2. ICT-2009.3.3 - Flexible, Organic & Large Area Electronics,
3. ICT-2009.3.4 - Embedded Systems Design
4. ICT-2009.3.6 - Computing Systems.
5. ICT-2009.3.8 - Organic photonics and other disruptive photonics technologies



Design of Semiconductor Components & Electronic-based Miniaturised Systems

European Roadmap for Nanoelectronics (background):



Design of Semiconductor Components & Electronic-based Miniaturised Systems

- ✓ Budget: **25 M€**
- ✓ Funding schemes:
 - **STREPs** and at least one **IP (21,5 M€)**
 - (Improved design platforms, interfaces, methods and tools)
 - **CSA (3,5 M€)** - (support measures)
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 - http://ec.europa.eu/information_society
 - http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ict/nanoelectronics/mission_en.html
- ✓ European research on the web:
 - <http://cordis.europa.eu>
 - <http://www.eniac.eu>



Design of Semiconductor Components & Electronic-based Miniaturised Systems

Rationale (1/2):

- ✓ Existing Design Methods cannot keep pace with the new technology generations which result in:
 - Decreased component reliability & expected lifetime,
 - Increased process variability, EMC effects & power dissipation problems.

- ✓ Existing Design Methods cannot keep pace with the ever increasing component/system complexity which results in:
 - Increased design costs and time to market,
 - Requirements for Heterogeneous integration and architectural innovation,
 - Increased power consumption,
 - Difficult system testing and verification,
 - Decreased system reliability.



Design of Semiconductor Components & Electronic-based Miniaturised Systems

Rationale (2/2):

- ✓ **New Design Methods are needed to address the challenges:**
 - Address the whole design process in an integrated way, from system architecture to component/system manufacturing and testing,
 - Integrate in the design process, H/W & S/W, reliability, EMC, thermal effects, heterogeneous components,
 - Design reliable complex systems / chips containing 100 Billions of unreliable and variable devices,
 - Handle packaging requirements and innovative architectures,
 - Improve modelling and verifications at all levels.



Design of Semiconductor Components & Electronic-based Miniaturised Systems

Objectives (1/2):

- ✓ a) **Improved design platforms, interfaces, methods and tools:**
 - Energy efficiency, thermal effect aware design,
 - Integration of heterogeneous functions,
 - Methods for reuse of IP blocks, test and verification,
 - Moving application boundary between HW/SW to fit performance needs,
 - Design platforms and interfaces for mixed/new technologies,
 - Design of reliable circuits with less reliable devices,
 - Reliability aware design including EMR/EMC requirements,
 - Design for manufacturability considering the variability of new processes,
 - Better modelling at all design levels,
 - Standardisation including interoperability aspects.



Design of Semiconductor Components & Electronic-based Miniaturised Systems

Objectives (2/2):

✓ b) Support Measures:

- Bringing research results outside the consortia,
- Setting up of networked centres of excellence and a design infrastructure to validate R&D results & IP Blocks,
- Stimulation of International Cooperation.



Design of Semiconductor Components & Electronic-based Miniaturised Systems

Expected Impact:

- ✓ **Increased efficiency** in product design with **reduced costs & time to market,**
- ✓ **Design of innovative, reliable architectures and devices with new functionalities,**
- ✓ **Maintaining European lead in innovation & design** for major application fields,



Next Topic

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- 2. ICT-2009.3.3 - Flexible, Organic & Large Area Electronics, (FOLAE)**
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Flexible, Organic & Large Area Electronics

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A bit of history:

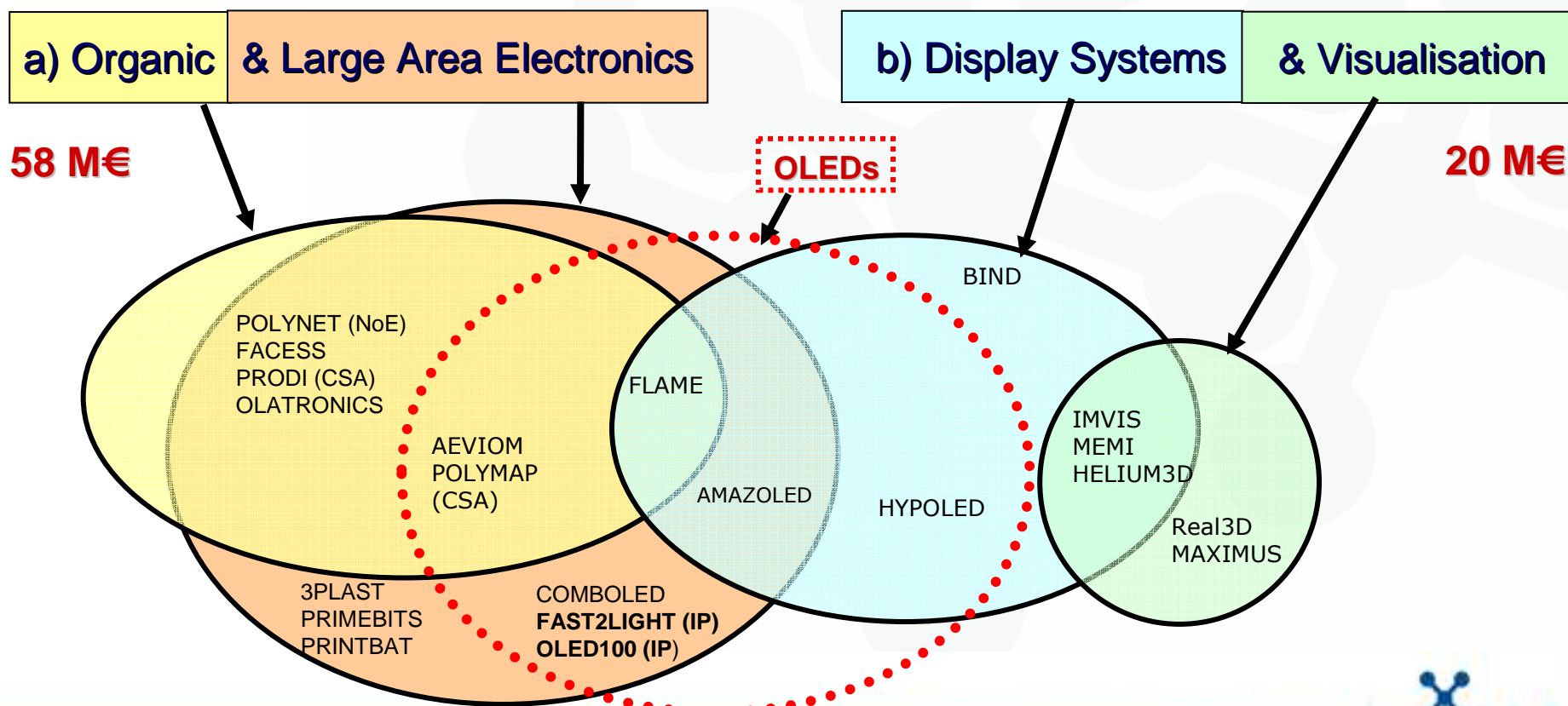
- ✓ **In FP6 FOLAE was covered by 3 Specific Programmes:**
 - Information Society Technologies (IST),
 - Nanosciences, Technologies, Materials and New Production Technologies (NMP),
 - Sustainable development, global change and ecosystems (SUSTDEV).
- ✓ **Overall more than 100 M€ were invested in FOLAE during FP6**
- ✓ **17 projects were funded, covering a set of complementary activities ranging from research on materials or technologies and systems development to manufacturing processes**



Flexible, Organic & Large Area Electronics

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- ✓ In FP7 focus on large area electronics and OLEDs for flexible displays & lighting/signage:



Rationale:

- ✓ **Substantial efforts** have been launched in **OLEDs, printing, encapsulation, heterogenous integration, community and R&D structuring activities.**
- ✓ **Call 4 is a unique opportunity to gather momentum, but:**
 - **More effort** are **needed** on pure electronic functionalities like logic, memory, RF, and compatible energy storage. Not yet covered: Power Transistors, CMOS, Bipolar. **New process-tolerant device concepts are needed,**
 - **Thin film transistor performance is limited** by materials and minimum feature size. To break the performance brickwall, **consolidated R&D efforts in the EU among material scientists, device makers and process engineers are required**,
 - **The distinction between organic/inorganic becoms irrelevant** (except for OLEDs). What matters is **efficient large-area in-line processes like** solution and **low temperature processing** on flexible substrates implementing the best combinations.



Objectives (1/3):

- ✓ (a) **Devices and building blocks:**
 - **Device concepts / manufacturing,**
Materials / Devices (organics/inorganics)
Large-area in-line processes, manufacturing
New architectures, tolerant design
 - **Building blocks / solid-state integration,**
D&A circuits,
CMOS
Power converters
Energy scavengers
Energy storage
Memories
Sensors
Active RF
Visual interface



Objectives (2/3):

- ✓ **(b) Flexible or foil-based systems:**
 - **Integration in foils / heterogenous integration,**
 - Flexible / Stretchable substrates, textile,
 - Interconnects with discrete devices, functional foil lamination
 - **systems applications,**
 - e-paper, e-card
 - OLED/PV based systems
 - Signage
 - Chemical/physical/bio sensors
 - Energy storage
 - Transparent electronics



Objectives (3/3):

✓ (c) Networks of Excellence:

- Structuring and integrating of the research capacities
- Training and education
- Coordination of R&D,
- Link between R&D institutions' activities and Industrial needs
- Standardisation.

✓ (d) Support measures:

- Promoting international collaboration
- Coordination of national, regional and EU-wide R&D programmes
- Access to prototyping and design competences
- Training and education for SMEs



Flexible, Organic & Large Area Electronics

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- ✓ Budget: **60 M€**
- ✓ Funding schemes:
 - **IP or STREPs – 54 M€** for:
 - a) Devices and building blocks
 - b) Flexible or foil-based systems
 - **NoE – 4 M€** for: c) Networks of Excellence
 - **CSA – 1,5 M€** for: d) Support measures
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Other useful links:

- ✓ **European research on the web:**
http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/home_en.html
<http://ec.europa.eu/comm/research/future/>
- ✓ **Information Society and Media:**
http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ict/programme/home_en.html
- ✓ **Directorate G:**
http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ict/programme/challenge3_en.html
- ✓ **Challenge ICT-2007.3.2:**
Organic and large-area electronics, visualisation & display systems :
http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ict/organic-elec-visual-display/home_en.html

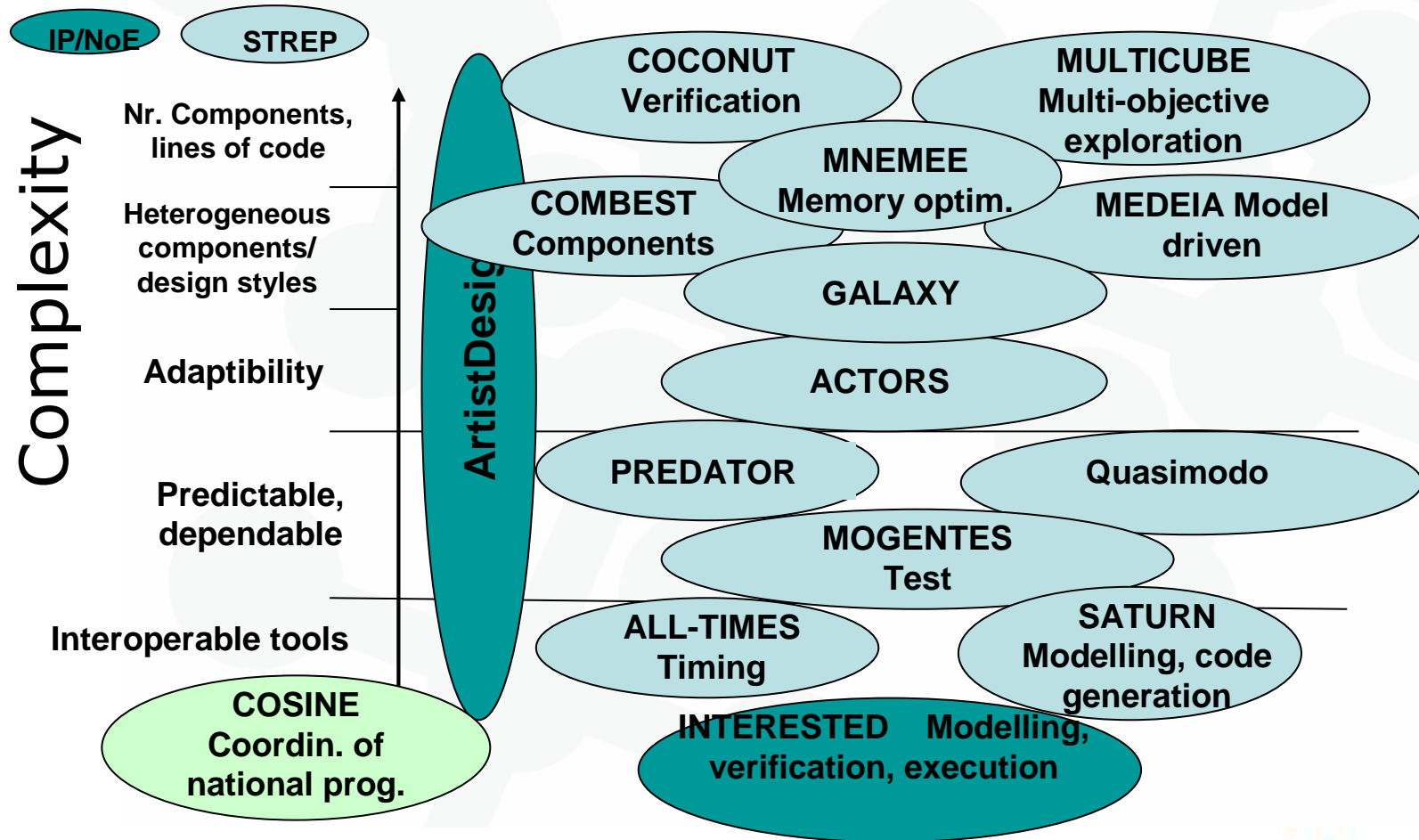


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Embedded Systems projects (from FP7 ICT call 1) :



Objectives (1/2):

- ✓ (a) Theory and novel methods for embedded system design:
 - Methods and tools that can **increase system development productivity** while achieving dependable, safe and secure embedded systems with predictable properties,
 - Key issues are heterogeneity, predictability, methods for robustness validation and adaptability,
 - Unification of approaches from computer science, electronic engineering and control is encouraged
 - International cooperation should address foundational research and provide mutual benefits



Objectives (2/2):

- ✓ **(b) Modules and tools for embedded platform-based design:**
 - **Integrated design environment that can be extended and customised:**
 - Flexibility to support different applications,
 - Increased interoperability of tools primarily from SME vendors,
 - Open facilitating new industry players, support standards, easily import existing components and/or handle upgrades
 - **Key issues include:**
 - efficient resource management,
 - tools supporting design space exploration and,
 - model-driven development

- ✓ **(c) Coordination of national, regional and EU-wide R&D strategies:**
 - **Initiatives:**
 - to advance the European Research Area and ,
 - to align research agendas in the field of embedded systems.



Expected Impact:

- ✓ **Significantly increased productivity of embedded systems development,**
- ✓ **Improved competitiveness of European companies by reducing costs and time to market,**
- ✓ **Emergence and growth of new design tool vendors and high-tech companies (in particular SMEs),**
- ✓ **Reinforced European scientific and technological leadership in the design of complex embedded systems**



- ✓ Budget: **28 M€**
- ✓ Funding schemes:
 - **STREPs** and 1 **IP** only – **27,25 M€** for:
 - a) Theory and novel methods for embedded system design
 - b) Modules and tools for embedded platform-based design
 - **CSA** – **0,75 M€** for:
 - c) Coordination of national, regional and EU-wide R&D strategies
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Other useful links:

✓ **Embedded Systems:**

http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ict/esd/home_en.html

✓ **Information Society and Media:**

http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ict/programme/home_en.html

✓ **Embedded Systems Consultation Workshop report
of 8 April 2008:**

http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ict/esd/events_en.html

✓ **Embedded Systems on 26 Nov 2008 at ICT event in
Lyon:**

http://ec.europa.eu/information_society/events/ict/2008/conference/index_en.htm



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Call objectives base:

✓ **Consultation workshops:**

- 19 November 2007 on Computing Systems,
- 13 December 2007 on reconfigurable computing
- 19 December 2007 on high-performance computing

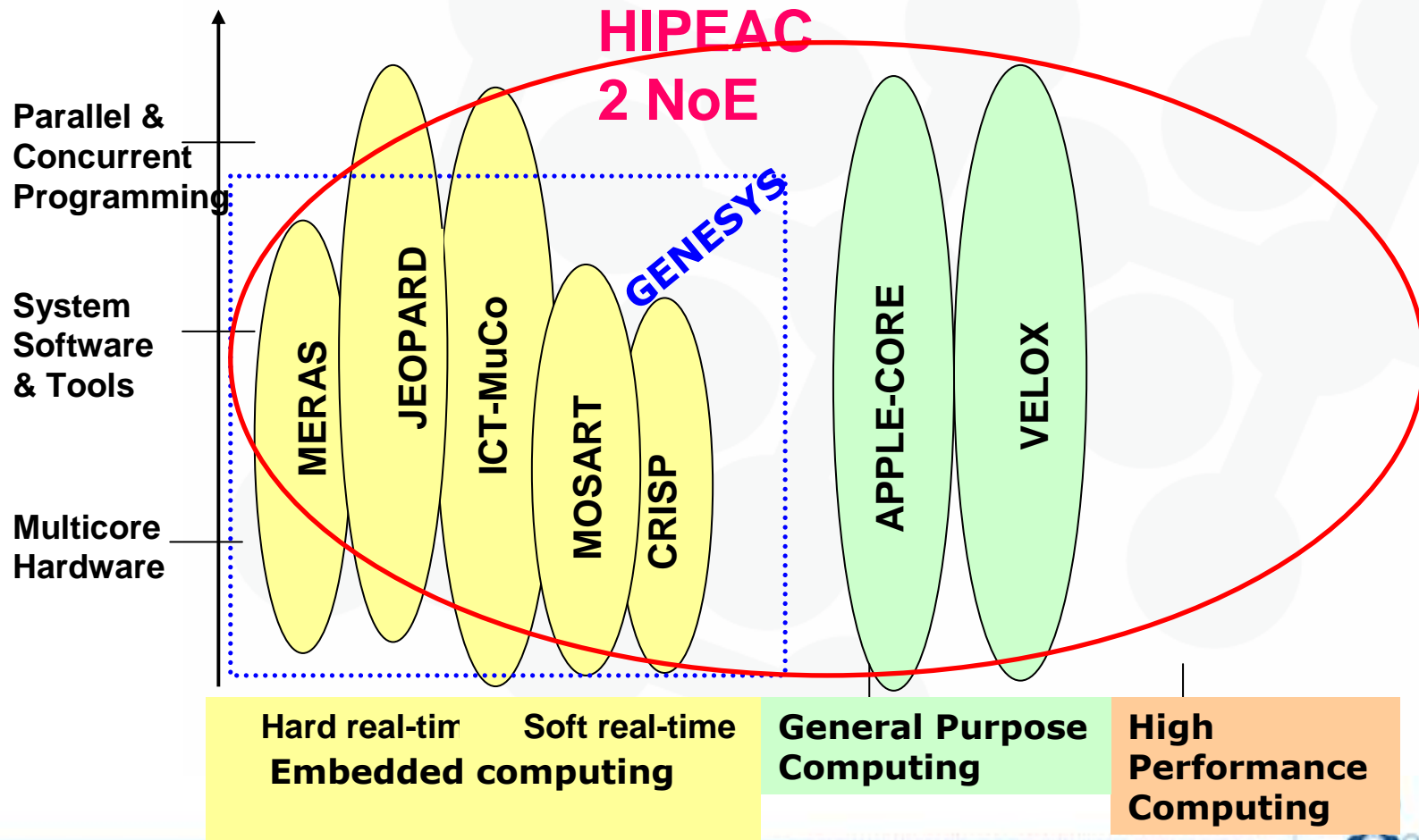
✓ **Analysis of Call 1 results,**

✓ **HIPEAC roadmap,**

✓ **Member states and FP7 associated states consultations.**



Call 1 results:



Objectives (1/4):

✓ (a) Parallelisation & Programmability:

- Automatic parallelisation, new high-level parallel programming languages and/or extensions to existing languages taking into consideration that **user uptake is a crucial issue**,
- Projects on programmability & parallelism of multi-core and/or reconfigurable architectures should adopt a **holistic approach** addressing issues related to the underlying hardware and to the system software,
- Research areas include:
 - beyond static auto-parallelisation by exploiting dynamic (run-time) information,
 - new support environments including testing, verification and debugging, program & performance monitoring and analysis
 - specific hardware support for parallel programming models



Objectives (2/4):

- ✓ (b) Methodologies, techniques and tools:
 - Continuous Adaptation: Multicore and/or reconfigurable systems that continuously adapt to a constantly changing environment **by going beyond the strict separation between compiler, runtime and hardware,**
 - Virtualisation technologies that ensure **portability, flexibility, optimised use of resources and overcome legacy issues** for multicore and/or reconfigurable systems. This includes hardware/software interfaces for efficient virtualisation as well as machine abstractions and performance models for virtualised homogeneous or heterogeneous systems,
 - Customisation: Rapid extension and/or configuration of existing systems, architectural templates and tool-chains to **optimally address specific application needs and performance/Watt envelopes.**



Objectives (3/4):

- ✓ (c) **System simulation and analysis:**
 - System simulation and analysis: Advanced simulation and analysis of complex multicore systems to **drastically improve the simulation speed** of new complex, homogeneous or heterogeneous, multi-core systems ,

- ✓ (d) **Technology implications:**
 - Advanced system architectures, tools and compilers for next-generation semiconductor fabrication technology,
 - **The key challenge is to bridge architecture, system and technology research efforts,**
 - Example: 3D stacking



Objectives (4/4):

- ✓ (e) High Performance Computing:
 - **Coordination of R&D activities and strategies in High-Performance Computing,**
 - **Initiatives to align research agendas and coordinate R&D activities in high performance computing in order to advance the European Research Area; taking into account industrial and academic activities and programmes at regional, national and EU level as well as international supercomputing roadmaps.**



- ✓ Budget: **25 M€**
- ✓ Funding schemes:
 - **STREPs – 24,3 M€** for:
 - a) Parallelisation & Programmability
 - b) Methodologies, techniques and tools
 - c) System simulation and analysis
 - d) Technology implications
 - **CSAs – 0,75 M€** for:
 - e) High Performance Computing
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Expected Impact (1/2):

✓ For Target outcomes a), b), c), d):

- Increased performance, power-efficiency and reliability of homogeneous or heterogeneous multi-core and/or reconfigurable on-chip computing systems,
- Accelerated system development and production, enabling new products to be realised with a considerably shorter time-to-market,
- Reinforced European excellence in multi-core and reconfigurable computing architectures, system software and tools,
- Strengthened European leadership in cross-cutting technologies that are applicable to all market segments of computing systems, from embedded to high-performance computing.



Expected Impact (2/2):

- ✓ **For Target outcomes e:**
 - Contribution to the creation of a European Research Area in High Performance Computing R&D,



Other useful links:

- ✓ **Computing Systems Objective:**
cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ict/computing/home_en.html
- ✓ **Events and Consultation Workshops: :**
cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ict/computing/events_en.html
- ✓ **ICT2008 Lyon, 25-27 November 2008 :**
ec.europa.eu/information_society/events/ict/2008/index_en.htm



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General Principles:

- ✓ Fill the gap in the Work Programme,
- ✓ Advanced research opening new opportunities,
- ✓ Priority given to novel or “breakthrough” approaches rather than incremental developments,
- ✓ Driven by application requirements,

Move proof-of-principle out of the lab and support industrial competitiveness



Why ?:

Supports key EU policies:

✓ Industry:

- exploit & reinforce EU's leadership in this field,
- retain production in EU
- recover lost terrain

✓ Environment,

- environmentally friendly materials & processes

✓ Energy efficiency,

- low energy consumption in use & production



Objectives (1/2):

✓ a) Organic Photonics:

- includes polymer, CNT, bio, hybrids, ...,
- excludes large-scale manufacturing,
- lighting, illumination, projection, display:
 - OLED, OLEFET, ...,
- OPV for mobile ICT applications:
 - (efficiency >10%, lifetime >5 years)
- light guiding structures:
 - waveguides, POF, integrated circuits, ...
- “active” components
 - lasers, amplifiers, sensors, ...



Objectives (2/2):

✓ b) Disruptive/cutting-edge photonic technologies & materials:

- exploiting effects @ limits of light-matter interaction excludes large-scale manufacturing,
- nanophotonics:
 - sub-wavelength structures,
 - plasmonics,
 - controlling quantum degrees of freedom,
 - metamaterials,
 - photonic crystals,
 - biological systems



Organic photonics and other disruptive photonics technologies - ICT-2009.3.8, Challenge 3 in FP7 Call 4

- ✓ Budget: **30 M€**
- ✓ Funding schemes:
 - **STREPs – 25 M€** and **NoE – 5 M€** for:
 - organic photonics
 - disruptive/cutting-edge photonic technologies & materials
- ✓ Pre-Proposals – until mid-March 2009.
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- ✓ International dimension expected (e.g. **Australia, Russia, USA**)



Organic photonics and other disruptive photonics technologies - ICT-2009.3.8, Challenge 3 in FP7 Call 4

Other useful links:

✓ **FP7 – Photonics:**

http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ict/photonics/home_en.html

✓ **Photonics21 Platform:**

<http://www.photonics21.org>

✓ **EU R&D initiatives, projects, players, ...:**

<http://www.opera2015.org/home.asp>



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