

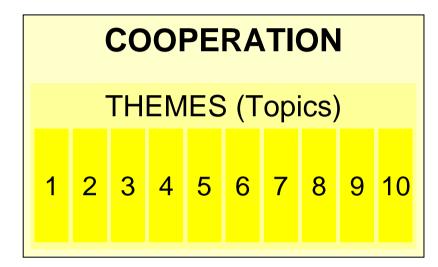


Framework Programme 7

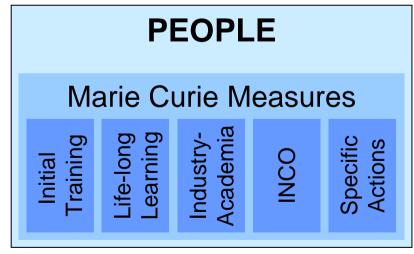
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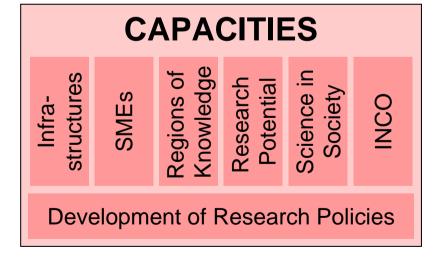


The Programmes within FP7











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Cooperation (61%)

 Collaborative research projects are organized according to sub-programmes in ten defined thematic areas.

Ideas (14%)

 The European Research Council (ERC) supports basic research in all scientific and technological areas.



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People (9%)

 Support to training, mobility and career development aiming to develop and strengthen the human resources for EU research and operating horizontally across all research themes

Capacities (8%)

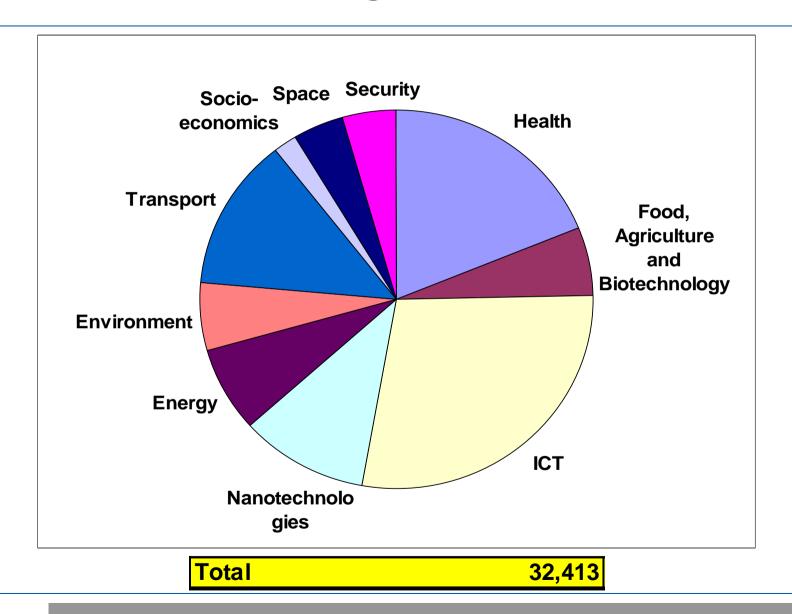
 Research and innovation capacity throughout EU is to be enhanced by supporting regional research-driven clusters, SMEs, a closer relationship between science and society, and the development of international cooperation.



COOPERATION: Research Themes

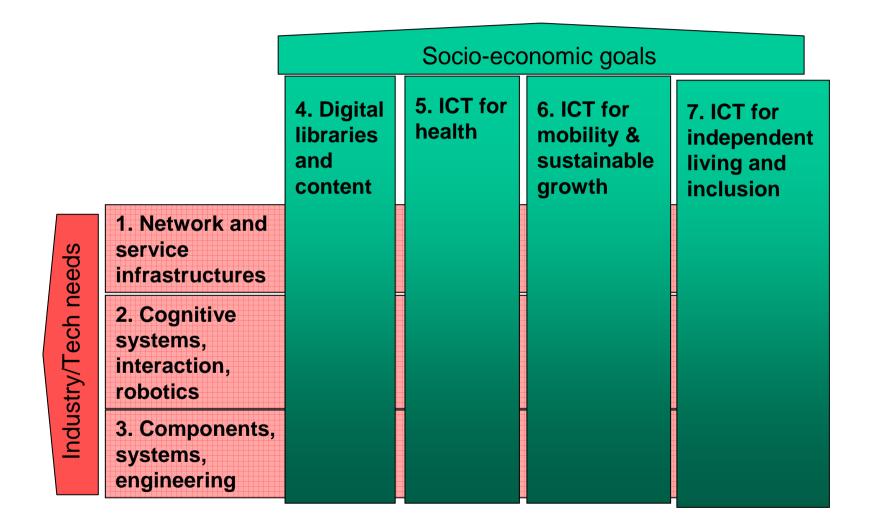
Health Food, Agriculture and Biotechnology Information and Communication Technologies Nanosciences, Nanotechnologies, Materials and new Production Technologies Energy **Environment (including Climate Change)** Transport (including Aeronautics) Socio-economic Sciences and the Humanities **Space** Security

COOPERATION: Budget





ICT Challenges





The 7 ICT Challenges (WP 09-10)

Reinforcing Europe's industrial strengths

- 1. Pervasive and trustworthy network and services infrastructure that will gradually replace the current Internet, mobile, fixed and audiovisual networks. The 'Future Internet' is a major federating research theme within this challenge.
- 2. Engineering of context-aware and easy-to-use ICT systems that self improve and selfadapt within their respective environments. The fields of **cognitive systems**, **robotics** and interaction remain priority research topics.
- 3. The increasingly smaller, cheaper, more reliable and low consumption **electronic components and systems** taking into account the **alternative paths** to next generation technologies and building the basis for innovation in all major products and service.



The 7 ICT Challenges (WP 09-10)

Addressing Europe's socio-economic challenges

- 4. Digital libraries and content technologies that will help us handle complex information, preserve, develop and disseminate our cultural assets and improve our learning and education systems.
- 5. ICT tools for **sustainable and personalised healthcare** ensuring delivery of quality healthcare at affordable costs and contributing to greater efficiency and safety of health systems.
- 6. **ICT for mobility, environmental sustainability and energy efficiency** with more emphasis in the WP on the increasing role of ICT in reducing energy intensity and in bridging environmental information spaces and services.
- 7. ICT for independent living, inclusion and participatory governance ensuring that all citizens can benefit from ICT and that ICT helps improve participation in public and active life.

International Co-operation in FP7

International cooperation is handled in different parts of the FP7:

- Theme-oriented international cooperation actions are carried out under the Cooperation programme;
- The international actions in the area of human potential are carried under the People programme;
- The 'INCO' activities under the **Capacities** programme are designed to support and stimulate the participation of third countries in FP7, such as:
 - Identification of S&T priorities with third countries to be used by the Themes under Cooperation;
 - Supporting and strengthening of participation of third countries in FP7;
 - Reinforcing bilateral S&T cooperation with targeted third countries;



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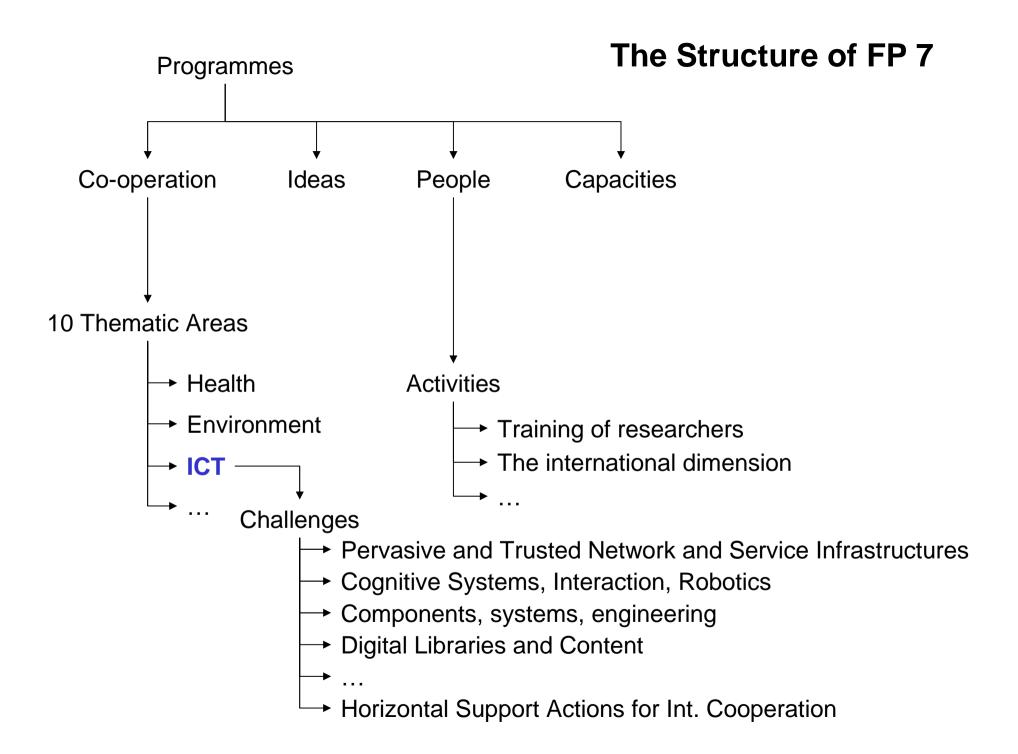
Under the programme **CO-OPERATION**:

- The opening of all activities carried out in the thematic areas to researchers and research institutions from all third countries, with a strong effort to encourage them to seize this opportunity.
- Specific co-operation actions in each thematic area dedicated to third countries in the case of mutual interest in co-operating on particular topics.



SUMMARY of the Structure of FP7





Questions?

