

6G overview and expectations

& the Future Network Services programme

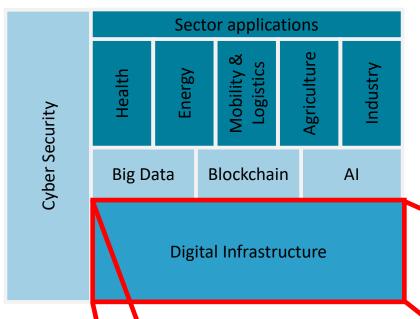
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IN THIS PRESENTATION

-) Digital infrastructure
 -) What is in it
 - Topics around it: sustainability, digital autonomy
-) 6G development
 - A worldwide phenomenon
 - How can we make a useful contribution from the Netherlands
-) 6G Future Network Services Programme
 -) Goals: earning power, digital autonomy and trustworthiness, and sustainability
 - Align development in Intelligent components, intelligent networks and applications

THE IMPORTANCE OF DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE FURTHER RAISES THE STAKES FOR ITS FUTURE DEVELOPMENT



The functioning of our society depends on digital infrastructure

Digital infra drive economic growth

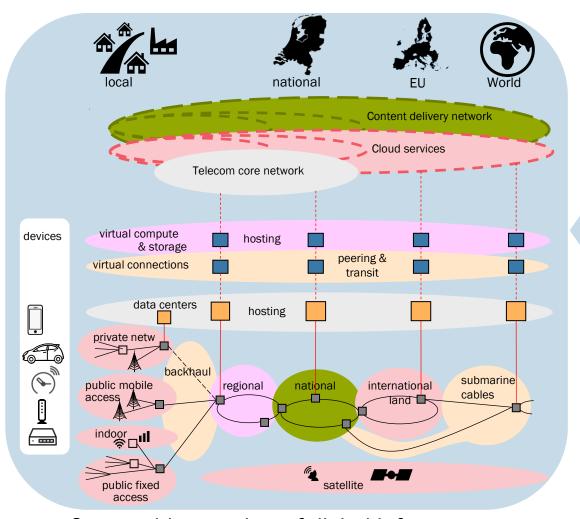
Digital infra plays an important role in addressing the major societal challenges



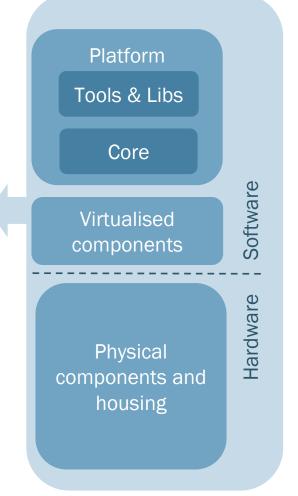


WHAT IS INSIDE THE DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE?

Applications, services & data



Geographic overview of digital infrastructure



Hardware and software layers



WHAT ARE THE NON-TECHNICAL ANGLES TO LOOK AT DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE?

Applications, services & data

Sustainability

Well-functioning market

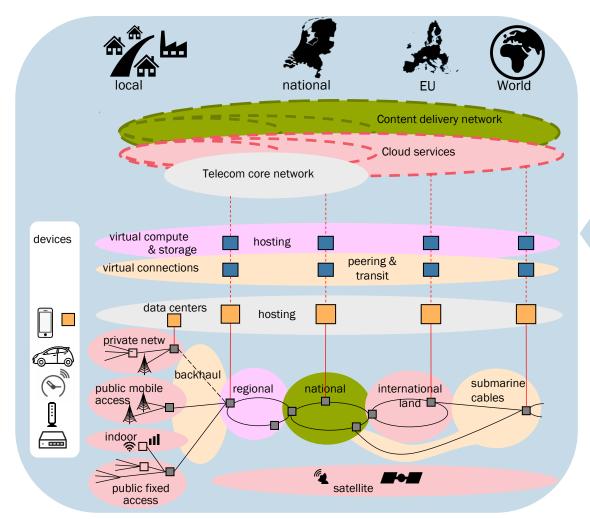
(Open) Internet for everyone

Innovation and business climate

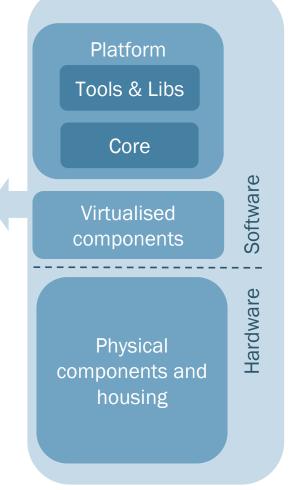
Local roll-out and urban planning

Resilience

Digital Open Strategic Autonomy



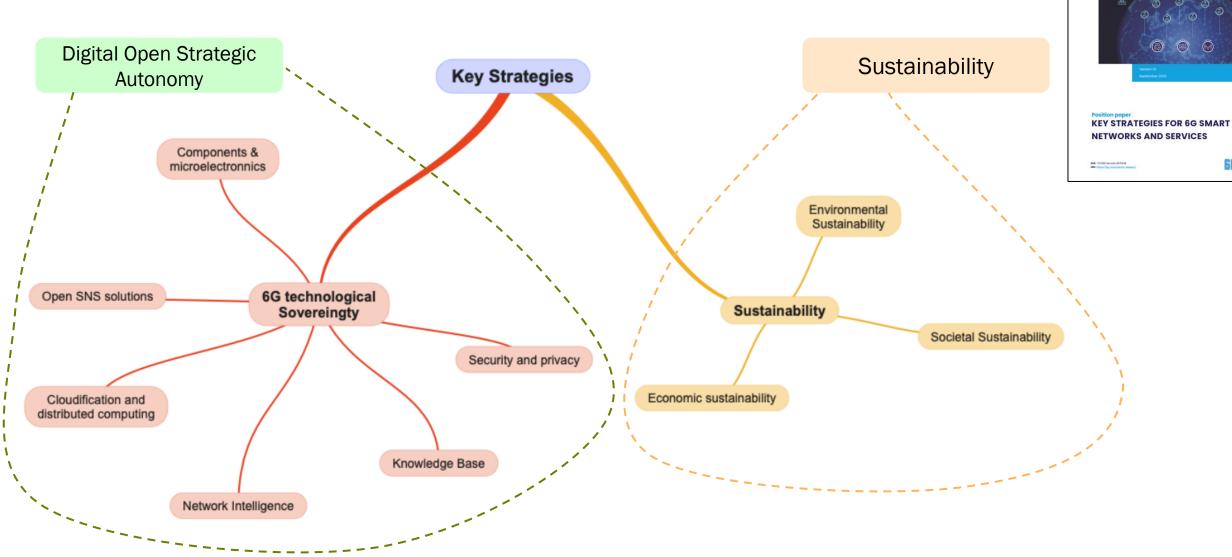
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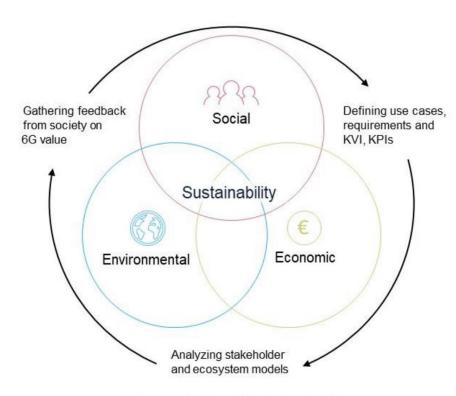
EACH POLICY TOPIC SPLITS DOWN INTO SUBTOPICS

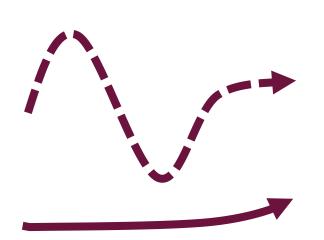




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THE WORK ON LINKING 6G DESIGN PRINCIPLES TO THE HIGHER-LEVEL UN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS IS ONGOING













































(source: Hexa-X-II)



STRATEGIC AUTONOMY IS DISCUSSED FOR MANY TOPICS IN

THE DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE

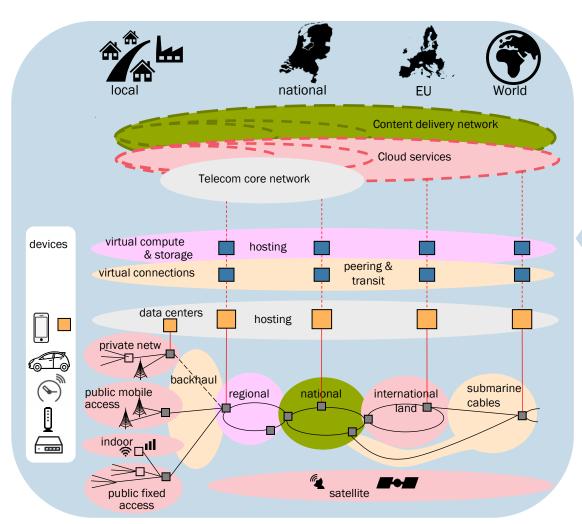
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Examples

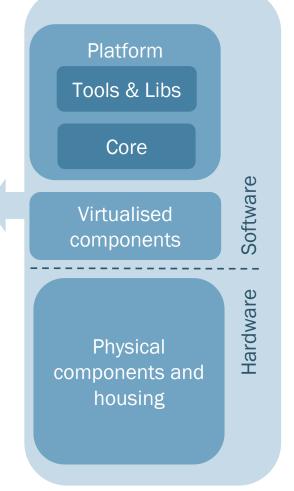








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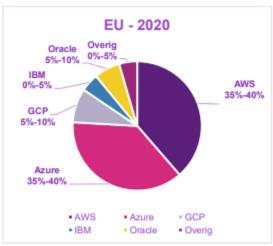


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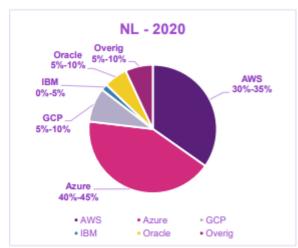
EU FOCUSES ON INNOVATION AND REGULATION FOR CLOUD

& DATA



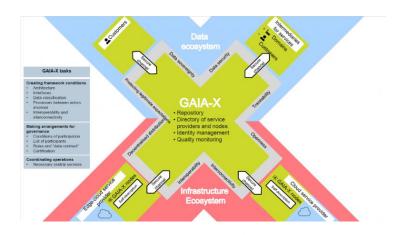
innovative data economy

Figuur 10: Marktaandelen EU (Bron: data verzameld door ACM).



Figuur 11: Marktaandelen Nederland (Bron: data verzameld door ACM).

Data Act: Commission proposes measures for a fair and



IPCEI on Next Generation Cloud Infrastructure and Services

12 EU Member States join forces to create a common cloud and edge infrastructure and its associated smart services for the future



The Digital Services Act: ensuring a safe and accountable online environment



THE NEW SPACE RACE IS ABOUT LEO CONSTELLATIONS



Everything you need to know about Project Kuiper, Amazon's satellite broadband network





FIRST EXPERIENCES WITH DIGITAL AUTONOMY WERE IN MOBILE NETWORKING



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6G DEVELOPMENT IS TURNING INTO A GLOBAL RACE FOR TECHNOLOGY, MARKET AND STRATEGIC DOMINANCE



US Funding 2.5BE







700M€



500M€











6G AIMS AT A NUMBER OF NEW GOALS ... AND OF COURSE IMPROVES ON 5G

Main 6G Goals

Improving 5G

Connecting intelligence

Programmable

Determinism

Integrated sensing

Sustainable

Trustworthiness

Affordable and Scalable

150 Tbp/s/km2 Capacity 1cm Jser experience data rate Location accuracy 10 Gb/s 5G Device density atency 1ms 10M/km²

(Source: 5G-IA)

THE FNS PROGRAMME AIMS AT BUILDING OUT EXISTING DUTCH STRENGTHS AND ALSO DEVELOPING NEW ONES (1)

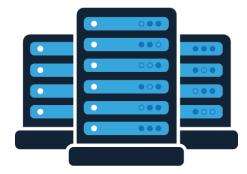
1.

Strong in semicon and radio components



2.

Multi-decade tradition of high-quality research in Computer Systems and Networking

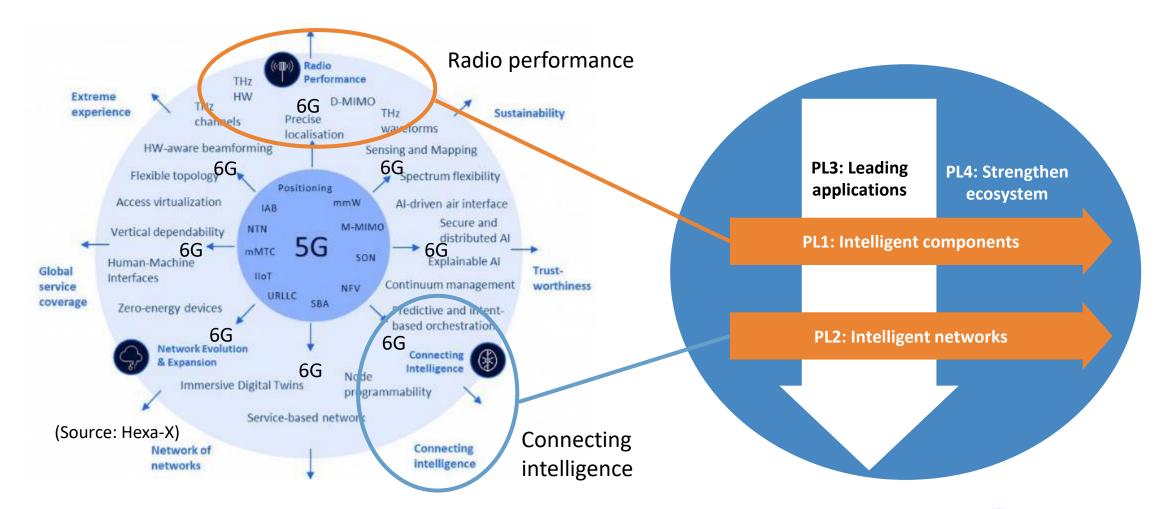


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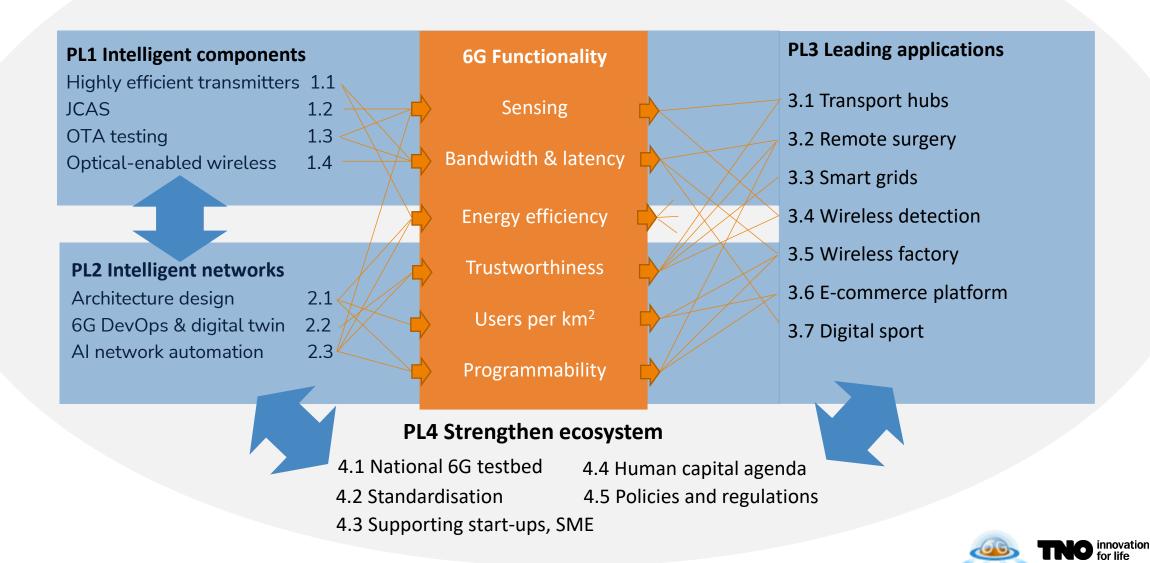
Strong in application of new digital technology in business and society



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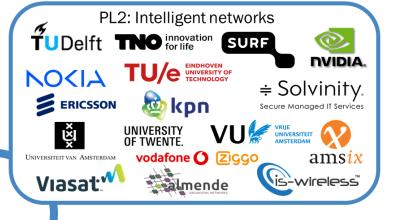


FNS PROGRAM OVERVIEW



60 PARTNERS FROM ALL ACROSS THE VALUE CHAIN





- PL4: Strengthen Ecosystem

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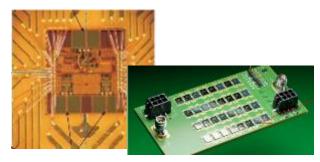
- Phase 1 (91 Meuro, 2024–2026)
- Phase 2 (224 Meuro, 2026–2030)
- Detailed plan, Letters of Commitment and budget allocation
- Open calls in period 2026-2027 for new technology and application R&D



Future Network Services Partner meeting - 3 April 2023 - Delft

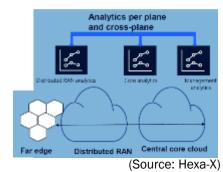
JCAS IS AN EXAMPLE WHERE THE ECOSYSTEM APPROACH IS KEY





Software antennas with JCAS subsystem

PL2: intelligent networks



Programmable network delivers generic and sector specific JCAS data

PL3: leading applications



Safe crossing application based on *JCAS*

Software/firmware

Hardware components and subsystems

Orchestrated software modules

Standard servers and fiber connections

Subsystem API

- Automated integration of antennas in network
- Access to raw sensing data

Application software

Standard servers and fiber connections

Network API

- Discovery and access to relevant sensing areas
- Access to distributed sensing information

intelligence

FNS BRINGS CHANGE THROUGH THREE IMPACT PATHWAYS

Economic pathway

- Leading international position in intellectual property and production of intelligent 6G antenna technology and semiconductor components
- Leading knowledge and industrial position in new algorithms, methods, and software modules for intelligent networks
- Benefits for large companies and SMEs from the new capabilities of 6G networks in an early stage; new activities through start-ups and scale-ups

Strategic pathway

 Reduced societal vulnerabilities for risky strategic dependencies in the 6G supply chain and for human and technical error

Sustainability pathway

- Minimized energy consumption of 6G networks
- Optimal contribution of 6G networks to the sustainability transitions in the energy, logistics, and high-tech industry sectors



earning power



digital autonomy and reliability



sustainability



THE TIMING IS RIGHT TO HAVE IMPACT IN STANDARDISATION – ALSO THROUGH EUROPEAN PROJECTS

