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Digitising Europe's Industry Together



Funding

Competencies

Innovative Solutions Technical offer Webinar 24/03/2020





Welcome











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Before we start

- This webinar will be recorded & published
- During the webinar you can use the question box to ask all your questions, we will answer them during the Q&A session at the end
- After the webinar, the slides will be available for download on the Digifed website :

https://digifed.org/



DigiFed

What is DigiFed?

DigiFed is a EU funded innovation action on the H2020 programme

Drive innovation across European SMEs via large scale adoption of Cyber Physical Systems (CPS) & embedded Systems

12 Partners from 9 European Countries

Duration: 3 years, 01 January 2020 to 31 December 22,

Cascade Funding: € 3.9 million in direct support for SMEs and MidCaps



DigiFed offer :

"Application Experiment" projects

- 55k€ Funding to carry out Digital product / service demonstrators
- Technical expertise & innovation management expertise

2 types of Application Experiments

 SINGLE: a company has the idea of an innovation, clear market vision, need technical support to validate the concept and partners up with a Digifed member (up to 55 k€)

 TWIN: two companies partner up: the first one hase the idea of an innovation and technical support is provided by the second company (up to 110k€, 55k€ each)



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DigiFed Open Calls

40 projects will be funded

3 open calls for projects

• 1st call : opened 17/03/2020 and closes on 09/06/2020 at 5pm.

What happens next :

- Evaluation committee in june/july
- Confirmation of the selection by European commission in July
- Notification of selection 4 & 5 of August
- Contract signature & kick off of the experiment in september





• All information available on the website at https://digifed.org/explore/

- 1st step : register on the website
- Then submit 2 files before the 9th of June, 5pm :
 - 1 written proposal, technical oriented
 → 10 pages document
 - 1 recorded pitch, business oriented.
 → 5 minutes video



Criteria to be eligible

- To submit on time
- To submit a cross-border proposal
 - \rightarrow 2 organisations from different countries

Company profile:

- Start-up / SME / Mid-cap
- Required resources for implementation
- Agree to sign the standard contract if selected
- Based in EU member state or EU associated country*

(https://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/data/ref/h2020/grants_manual/hi/3cpart/h2020-hi-listac_en.pdf)

FAQ : UK entities remain eligible for grants and procurement procedures as if the UK was a member state for the entirety of the Horizon 2020 framework programme and previous framework programmes. This also applies for to financial support to third parties according to Article 204 FR (cascading grants), and applies for the duration of H2020 projects.

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Funding conditions

- 70% of the budget (declared costs)
- Max of 55 k€ per company per project
- Max of 100 k€ per company if DigiFed multiple projects
- Max of 100 k€ FSTP funding per company under SAE and I4MS (H2020)

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As per European Commission's rules, financial support will not be awarded for work previously or currently funded under any other (Regional, National or EU) programme.

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Upcoming important dates

Event	Date
Launch of the first open call	17/03/2020
Bootcamps programme (might be online)	To be defined
Closing of the first open call – Application Deadline	09/06/2020 5pm
Notification of selection to all companies	04 - 05/08/2020

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Future Networks Lab

 Function: Digital Catapult's Future Networks Lab has been created to support the adoption of IoT, LPWAN and 5G technologies.

• Principle:

- Lab based network access to a variety of loT network technologies including LoRaWAN, SigFox, NB-IoT and LTE-M as well as 5G
- Access to a larger outdoor LoRaWAN test network in London, Northern Ireland and in other parts of the UK
- Access to a 5G test network in Brighton as well as other live networks through operator relationships in the UK
- Access to expertise and equipment for evaluating energy consumption

 Access to expertise and environments for performance evaluation of future network protocols

• Uniqueness:

- Only lab that combines access to these network testbeds
- Unique partnerships of Digital Catapult, BT, PTC, IBM, ServiceNow, Semtech, Siemens and Texas Instruments

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Maturity/TRL:

- <u>Technology Readiness Level</u>
- Applications:
- Benchmarking of a solution/product with respect to other products/solutions on the market
- Identification of product improvements and support for product roadmaps





AI Compute, Machine Learning and AI Ethics Capability.

- **Function**: Artificial Intelligence and Machine learning can enable new services and innovations. However, smaller and medium AI startups often lack the resources to test their solutions at large scale. By offering access to compute resources, either cloud based or physical machines at our offices, Digital Catapult can help to alleviate this issue.
- Principle:
 - Time and support on internal infrastructure (access to two DGX1 servers)
 - Ethics Support
 - Combined Al/IoT Technical support
 - Access to cloud credits/vouchers
- Uniqueness:
 - In AI specific solutions, Digital Catapult already supported over 70 startups across multiple industries
 - Access to resources provided by Google, Nvidia, AWS

- Maturity/TRL:
 - Technology Readiness Level
 - 1 > 2 > 3 > 4 > 5 > 6 > 7 > 8 > 2
- Applications:
 - Support early stage AI startups to bring new products to market in an ethical and efficient way
 - Access to compute for resource constrained startups/smaller SMEs
 - Al ethics advice for startups, smaller and larger SMEs

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STM32 keeps on releasing creativity

User Application

Vertical application + AI

Graphics – Audio - Motor

Control - Cloud*

Communication**

HAL - File System- RTOS***

EVAL Dev Kit NUCLEO EVAL

Function:

- The Brain of Many IoT and IIoT **Applications**
- Complete Portfolio to Cover all Market Needs
 - 15 product series / More than 50 product lines
 - 5 product series / More than 50 product lines



Maturity/TRL:

Technology Readiness Level

STM32 CubeMX

STM32

2 > 3 > 4 >5

Configure

Debug

Program

Monitor



Fencent Cloud

C-) Alibaba Cloud

Baidu Cloud

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sigfox LoRa

Complete offer Partner

Open Source

& Framework

aws

IBM.

Wi Ei

OpenSTLinux

Distribution

Microsoft Azure

Google Cloud

Applications: Smart Industry, Smart City, Smart Home, Smart Things

Embedded

Software

Solutions

STM32 Cube.Expansio

Cube MCU Packag

Flexible

Prototyping

STM32

Current STM32 Offer for DIGIFED

15 product series / More than 50 product lines



percipio<BigData> analytics tool

- Function: Big Data Analytics Tool: "Find the (un)known unknowns and discover new insights!"
- Principle:
 - Context selection
 - Correlation and trends dashboard
- Key Performances:
 - Sources
 - 250M tech and sci articles
 - Patents
 - Web and social media

Maturity/TRL:

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- Technology Readiness Level
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SWETHER - Electrical switch wih Ethereum support

- Function: IoT-Blockchain Prototyping kit
- Principle:
 - End-to-end prototype kit
 - Control electrical switch via blockchain transactions
- Application cases:
 - charging of electric vehicles,
 - arbitrary control of IoT devices,
 - device-to-device transactions and interactions.

Maturity/TRL:

- Technology Readiness Level
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Designing effective digital solutions with stakeholders

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- Function: Methodology and tool, cocreating service
- Principle:
 - SEROI+ methodology combines socioeconomic and environmental return on investment (SEROI) assessment with open innovation (OI):
 - Planning
 - Stakeholder engagement
 - Co-creation
 - Assesment

Maturity/TRL:

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Cloud DevOps Design & consultation service

- Function: Cloud technology consulting
- Principle:
 - Automation Design
 - Custom implementation
 - business models:
 - SaaS
 - Massively scalable IoT platforms
 - Business intelligence automation
 - software development contexts
 - Software Development Life-Cycles

- Maturity/TRL:
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Colibri IoT prototyping

- **Function**: Open IoT sensor platform and implementation consulting
- Principle:
 - For Students and Teachers
 - Community Dashboard
 - Arduino based(w/ LoRaWAN) + extensions
- Cases:
 - Smart City,
 - Smart Agriculture,
 - Smart Industry...

Maturity/TRL:

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Open-Source STEM Platform

Made in SLOVENIA

www.colibri.st





rMON – IoT Sensing Automation System

- Function: Automated measurements of distributed IoT-based systems
- Principle:
 - Autonomous gateway and system operation with zero data loss
 - High-availability based on distributed measurement output streaming
 - Centralised cloud-based management with GIS support
- Key Performances:
 - Ruggedized design for industrial and outdoor environment
 - Modular IoT gateway capabilities (WiFi, 2G, 3G, 4G, 5G, NB-IoT, Ethernet)
- Uniqueness:
 - Over-the-Air control of IoT gateways and sensor deployments
 - Real-time analytics and KPI visulisation

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PPDRone – 5G training and experimentation facility

- Function: Portable 5G communications training node
- Principle:
 - Get real-world & hands-on experience with 5Gtechnologies
 - Build basic and advanced 5G expertise
 - Run 5G experiments



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qMON – Quality Monitoring System

- Function: A powerful and affordable solution to deliver the next generation of quality assurance in telco environments
- Principle:
 - Centralized cloud-based device management
 - Centralized KPI collector deployed on site or in the cloud
 - Network agents for active user and services emulation
 - Real-time monitoring and advanced cloudbased analytics

Maturity/TRL:

- Technology Readiness Level
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iMON – Intervention Monitoring System

- Function: Critical communications in public safety
- Principle:
 - Real-Time Common Operational Picture(RT-COP)
 - IoT-supported intervention management tools
 - On-site sensing, tracking and reporting
 - Real-time video transmission from the field (apps, drones)
 - Filed/infrastructure surveillance with drones
 - Survivable, scalable and robust communications from the field
 - Compact portable/in-vehicle5G-ready(in-abox) communications node
 - Real-time and advanced analytics

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Information and Communication Technologies



IoT & Digital Platforms



- Short-range IoT connectivity:
 - BLE, ZigBee, NFC, UWB, WiFi.
- Long-range connectivity:
 - Non-licensed bands: LoRa, Sigfox.
 - Licensed bands: 2G/3G/4G (NB-IoT, LTE-M) and towards 5G.
- IoT / IIoT protocols and interoperability: •
 - MQTT, CoAP, DDS, LwM2M, AMQP, Websoket, NodeRed, etc.
- **Indoor** (UWB, BLE) **and outdoor** (GPS, GNSS, cellular) location
- Intelligence of Things: ٠
 - IA + ML on edge nodes.

- **Data Analytics & Artificial Intelligence**
- Smart Digital Platforms:
 - Highly scalable.
 - Public, private and hybrid cloud architectures.
- Artificial Intelligence and Data Analysis:
 - Predictive maintenance.
 - Data Lakes for Data Analytics.
- Data interpretability and AI-algorithms: ٠
 - Smart Digital Platforms
- Smart Interaction with data platforms :
 - Natural interaction with data (chatbots, etc.).
- Development of platforms based on micro-services and "serverless"



Dependable Embedded Systems

- Function: Development of dependable systems by experts on safe software engeenering and real-time electronics
- Principle:
 - Embededd Systems developement certified up to SIL4
 - Software development and virtualization for real-time control
 - Automated Testing and Validation (HiL)
 - Artificial vision for embedded safety
- Key Performances:
 - +20 years experience on electronic and safe embedded systems developement
 - Safety Certified methodology (TÜV)
- Uniqueness:
 - +10 Fuctional Safety Engeeniers
 - 1 Fuctional Safety Expert (unique in Spain)
 - Referential on the development of advanced and safe functionality executed in complex chips (SoC, multicore, GPUs)

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Applications:

- Development of software for control-units on transport (e.g., traction, elevation)
- Development and validation of up to SIL4 certified applications (e.g., railway signaling)
- Virtualization of applications and plants (e.g., an elevation system)







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HW and Communication Systems



HARDWARE SYSTEMS (HWS)

·HW developments:

- · Sensorization solutions
- $\cdot\,$ Low consumption electronics
- · Signal conditioning

SW developments

- System software (operating system, drivers)
- FPGA and programmable logic

·Integration and assembly

- Electronic cards mounting (PCB assembly)
- Extreme conditions / hostile environments •Non functional developments
- · Standards compliance
- **Tests** and troubleshooting (**EMC**, electrical security, environmental)

╤COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS (KOS)

·Industrial connectivity

- Wireless & Wired solutions fot embedded systems
- \cdot Wired

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·Real-time communications

· Applied to **industrial** control and sensorization

·Antennas

· Design, simulation and characterization

·Verification and validation

Wireless communication systems



Industrial Cybersecurity

- Function: Protection of embedded electronic systems and digital platforms (from sensors to cloud)
- Principle:
 - Secure Product Development
 - Cybersecurity Evaluation
 - Industrial IoT Cybersecure Communications
 - Cybersecure Cloud and User Interfaces
- Key Performances:
 - Security Life-Cycle and Certification
 - Trust Technologies based on Distributed Ledger Technologies
- Uniqueness:
 - Certified methodologies and addressing compliance with product cybersecurity standards
 - Cybersecurity solutions covering the entire value chain: from the sensor, the electronics, the embedded software, the connectivity solution, the processing and data ingestion platform, to the analytics and its advanced display

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- Applications:
 - Cybersecure embedded systems evaluation and development
 - End-to-End Industrial IoT cybersecure communications
 - Cybersecure digital platforms for CPS monitoring and



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AI-powered Digital Platforms

• **Function**: Digital Platform to provide tools to develop Al-powered fog/edge-to-cloud solutions.

• Principle :

- Fog/Edge-to-cloud dynamic architectures.
- Al-powered Digital platform scenario.
- Microservices oriented edge devices architecture.
- Uniqueness:
 - Artificial Intelligence → fog-to-cloud architecture.
 - **Microservices based architecture**→ Deployment of AI-models to the edge.
 - Edge computing → Early analytics in the edge node to reduce delay.



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- Heterogenous cloud architecture (private, public and hybrid).
- Smart Data Lakes provisioning.
- Microservice-oriented service deployment.

• Key performances:

- Al-powered Digital Platform.
- Data Lake provision for Data analytics.
- Al-powered predictive techniques.

Applications:

- Industry 4.0 & Smart Factories.
- Smart Cities.
- Smart Living and Ageing Well.
- Smart Mobility.
- Smart Buildings.
- Etc.



AUTONOMOUS WIRELESS SENSOR NODE

 Function: detect temperature and acceleration events, wireless data transmission, energized by harvester

• Principle :

- Several transducers for sensing
- Indoor photovoltaic cells (off-the-shelf)
- Uniqueness:
 - **Zero power** \rightarrow sense & harvest at the same time
 - High processing capabilities → no need of radiator and can be flexible
 - Robust and synchronized communications



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- Complete prototype (with RF) is working
- Miniaturization in progress
- Additional sensing and optimization in progress

Key performances:

- Sensing data local processing
- Wireless robust coms (BLE, TDMA based)
- Up to +-16us accuracy
- Applications:
 - Smart logistics, smart factory: impact and temperature measurements
 - Industrial environment Indoor sensing



Safe and real-time software upon commercial HW

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- **Function**: embed real-time and non-real time software on safety certified context.
- Principle :
 - Selection of multicore commercial HW
 - Integration of an embedded hypervisor
 - Software development based on modeling
 - Safety concept based on industrial machinery standard (ISO13489)
- Uniqueness:
 - Affordable cutting-edge HW
 - Simplification of complex SW development
 - Safety cognizant

- Maturity:
 - Integrated in product
- Key performances:
 - Safety up to PL-D level (SIL-2)
 - x1,5 performance
- Applications:
 - Wind-turbine control
 - Operation monitorization
 - Local recording of key variables





GV4

2013

GV3P

2012

GV2

2007

GV1 2004 GV3

2011

GV5

LEDbeSmart

- Function: complex testing, modelling and simulation methodology for LED luminaires to achieve reduced power consumption and improved reliability
- Principle:
 - Constant light output (CLO) control realized through multi-domain, embedded digital twin of the LED luminaire
 - Temperature compensation of the LEDs' driving current
 - CPS approach in the implementation: luminaires with communications & "selfawareness" (sensors + edge computing)

Key Performances:

- Predicted annual power saving: ~8%
- With pre-compensation for LED ageing total power saving further reduced over the entire product lifetime
- Uniqueness:
 - CLO control scheme based on the LEDs' actual multi-domain characteristics
 - Prepared for future predictive maintenance approaches

Maturity/TRL:

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- Applications:
 - LED based streetlighting / tunnel lighting
 - Methodology can be adapted to other LED lighting applications such as automotive headlights



*THERMAL NET (N-port model .SUBCKT THNET LEDO LED1 ... option TNOM=27 *** LEDO Rth_LEDO_O LEDO 0 27.9011 Rth_LEDO_LED1 LED0 LED1 22 Rth_LEDO_LED1 LED0 LED2 42 ... Rth_LED0_LED47 LED0 LED47 4 *** LED1 Rth_LED1_0 LED1 0 32.3491 Rth_LED1_LED2 LED1 LED2 25 Rth_LED1_LED3 LED1 LED3 48







Constant current mode

Time [hours]

Isoflux mode

LEDbeSmart - methodology

• Principle:

- Virtual prototyping using the Delphi4LED Industry 4.0 workflow
- Customer provides BME with LEDs to measure/characterize and model → LEDs' multi-domain digital twins for system level simulation
- Customer provides BME with luminaires' MCAD models
 → luminaires' system level compact thermal model for system level simulation
- BME performs luminaires' system level simulation to identify the $I_F(T_{amb})$ function that assures constant luminous flux output

Implementation:

- BME and customer decide how to implement the in the actual luminaire the $I_F(T_{amb})$ function that assures constant luminous flux output
- Customer implements the corresponding embedded luminaire model
- BME provides test facilities to check the implementation

LEDs tested according to the latest LED testing standards and recommendations (CIE, JEDEC)





Testing standards combined



Temperature dependence of luminaires' total light output tested in a climate chamber



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Versatile Reliability Tester

- Function: The reliability test environment integrates a set of appropriate hardware and software components built around the de facto industry standard T3Ster equipment of Mentor Graphics. This versatile system monitors the electric, thermal and even optical parameters of the device under test during freely customizable test sequences.
- Principle:
 - Power/temperature cycling
 - In-situ hermal transient measurements and stucture function analysys of the DUTs during cycling
 - Options to measure other performance indicators of DUTs
- Guidelines:
 - Environmental and endurance test methods for semiconductor devices: <u>https://home.jeita.or.jp/tsc/std-pdf/ED-4701_100.pdf</u>
 - Whitepaper on an application:

G. Hantos, J. Hegedüs, M. Rencz and A. Poppe, ", **Aging** tendencies of power MOSFETs — A reliability testing method combined with thermal performance monitoring", The 22nd International Workshop on Thermal Investigations of ICs and Systems (THERMINIC), Budapest, 2016, pp. 220-223.

https://doi.org/10.1109/THERMINIC.2016.7749055

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- Applications:
 - Cycling and structural integrity test of RF modules, sensors, PSUs, drivers, LEDs, FETs
 - LED luminaires' thermal assessment
 - When designed properly, applicable to certain reliability assessment of DigiFED demonstration systems







#UnitedAgainstCovid19 action

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- Support the fight against Covid-19
- Open call with no limitations : <u>here</u>
- All solutions will be assessed by Health Authorities
- Become a partner and promote the voluntary action
 - Social medias publications : <u>Twitter</u> and <u>LinkedIn</u>
- Lots of application sectors :

Handwashing solutions – Robotics solutions for disinfection – Community to keep the social link – Oxygenation – Maching learning and AI – Health Monitoring – Home Healthcare – Medication Management - Diagnosis – Medtech – Healthtech... all solutions will be considered.





Q&A SESSION

Time for you to ask your questions