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Coordination and support Action for Mobility in Europe:
Research and Assessment

European mobility goals

CAMERA Performance Framework

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Research questions

- Are EU research and initiatives aligned with the long-term goals in the (air) mobility sector?
- What are the research challenges to achieve the mobility goals envisioned for the future?
- How can synergies with other transport domains be fostered?

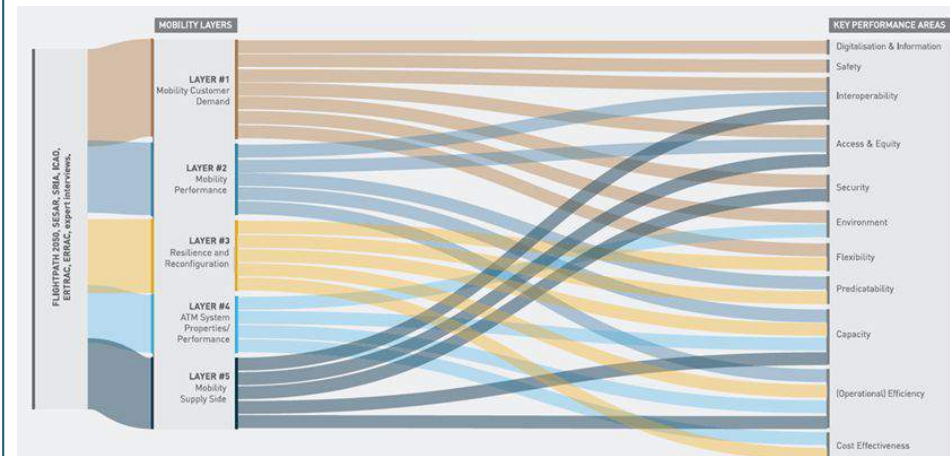


The European Mobility Strategies

Goals and challenges

- Meeting societal and market needs outlined in
 - Flightpath 2050 goals
 - ACARE SRIA Action Areas
 - EC aviation strategy
 - etc.
- Translated into **CAMERA Performance Framework with five mobility layers, KPAs and KPIs**
- Published in 2018

Passenger-oriented, seamless and efficient door-to-door mobility paradigm



Layer #1 Creating an individualised & seamless mobility system for everyone

Layer #2 Improving the overall performance of the mobility system

Layer #3 Improving the resilience & re-configuration of the mobility system

Layer #4 Providing safe & efficient ATM services

Layer #5 Designing & implementing an integrated, intermodal transport system

Key Performance Areas

Adapted from ICAO by CAMERA

| Flexibility | Predictability | Digitalisation & Information* | |
|--|---|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Passengers using different modes on-demand for a given route according to the personal situation (MaaS) Creating a resilient transport system | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Predict possible disturbances and consequences Allow enhanced travel planning that reduces actual travel times | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Real-time and high quality travel information that helps to 'free the mind' of passengers pre, during, and post journey Allow using travel time in a value-adding way | |
| Environment | Access & Equity | (Operational) -Efficiency | Cost- Effectiveness |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating an environment-friendly mobility and air transport system by reducing greenhouse gas and other emissions Push of environment-friendly technologies, solutions and increased operational efficiency | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Seamless, multimodal and inclusive surface transport to and from the airport Including also novel transport concepts | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating an optimised transport system in terms of costs, emissions and overall travel time along | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ATM-related costs & passenger-orientated costs Including also efforts for creating a seamless and resilient mobility system |
| Interoperability | Security | Safety | Capacity |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intermodal integration, alignment and data and information sharing across transport modes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Security standards affecting passengers and providers necessary to keep the transport system safe | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Technical and operational measures taken to reduce accidents and fatalities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meeting passenger requirements at the required time and thus providing either sufficient capacity or using available capacity efficiently |

Updating Performance Framework

New challenges ahead!

#MobilityStrategy

- 1) Creating a more sustainable future mobility system
- 2) Digitalisation and digital transformation
- 3) Leveraging the full potential of (shared) data and AI-models
- 4) Putting the passenger at the center
- 5) The possible long-term influence of the Covid-19-induced crisis

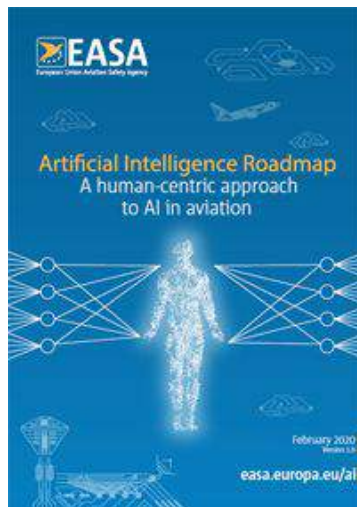


THE TRANSPORT AND MOBILITY SECTOR

is the **second-largest** area of expenditure for European households

contributes **5%** to European GDP

employs directly around **10 million** workers



Images: easa.europa.eu (2020), European Commission (2019, 2020), imago images / Le Pictorium

The CORDIS Database

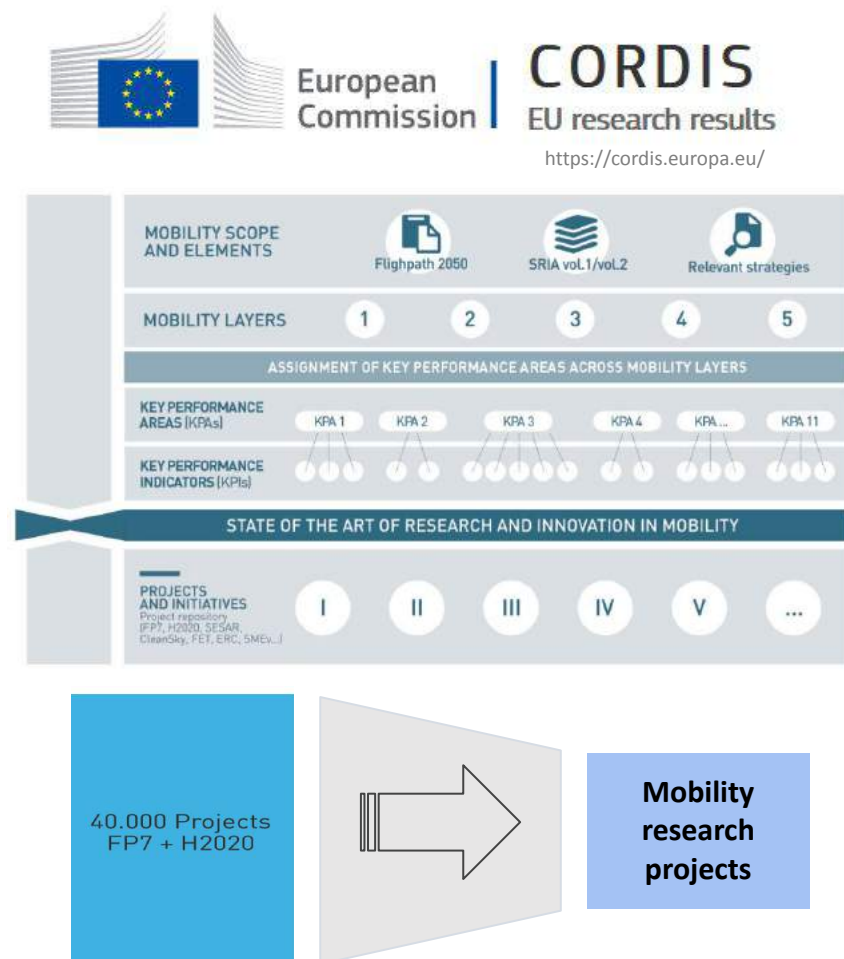
Searching through 40.000 projects

The CORDIS database

- **CORDIS** provides open-access information on all EU-supported R&D activities, including programmes, project details, results, and publications

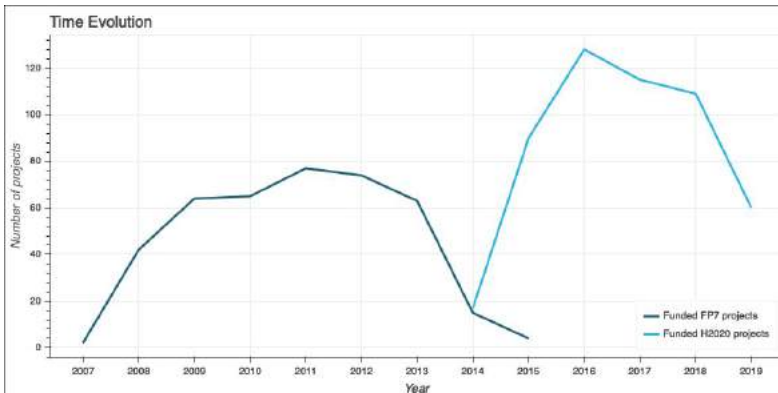
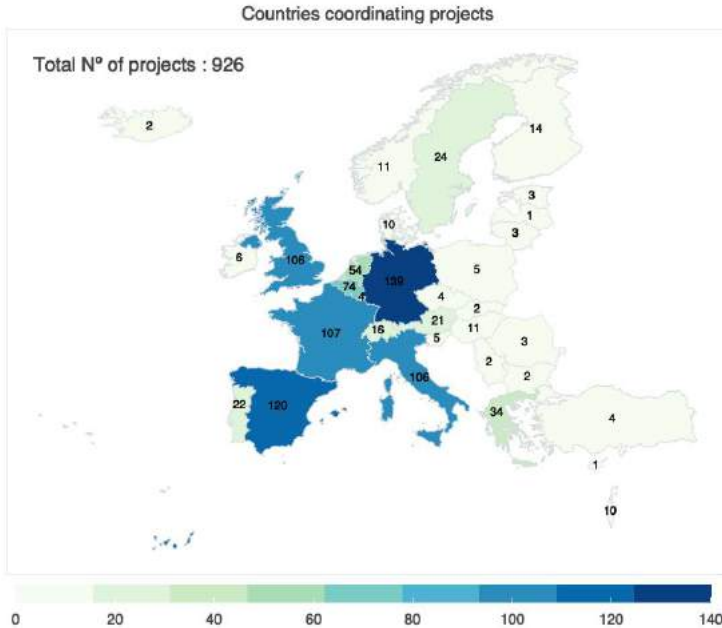
Approach and data used within the CAMERA project

- **Data-centered, automated AI-approach**
- Searching through 40.000 projects within CORDIS
- Using **textual data points**: title, abstracts, final report summaries, etc.
- Filtering out **926 mobility-relevant projects** within CORDIS
- Focusing on **H2020 & FP7 projects**

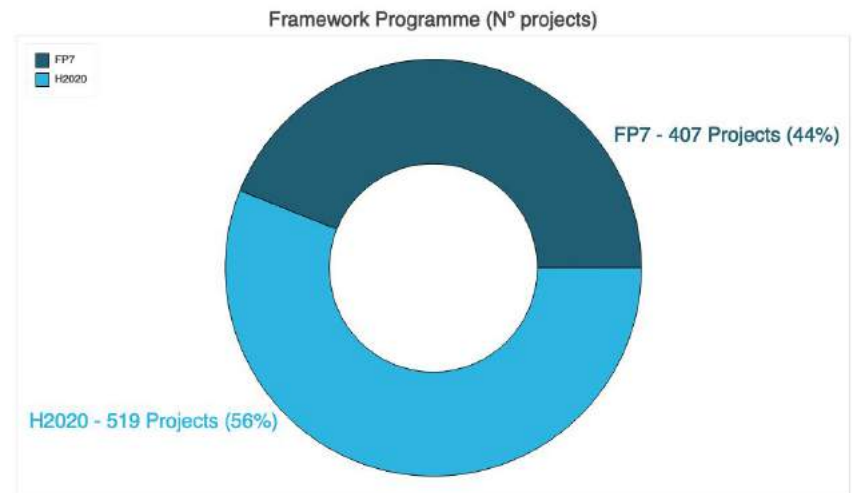
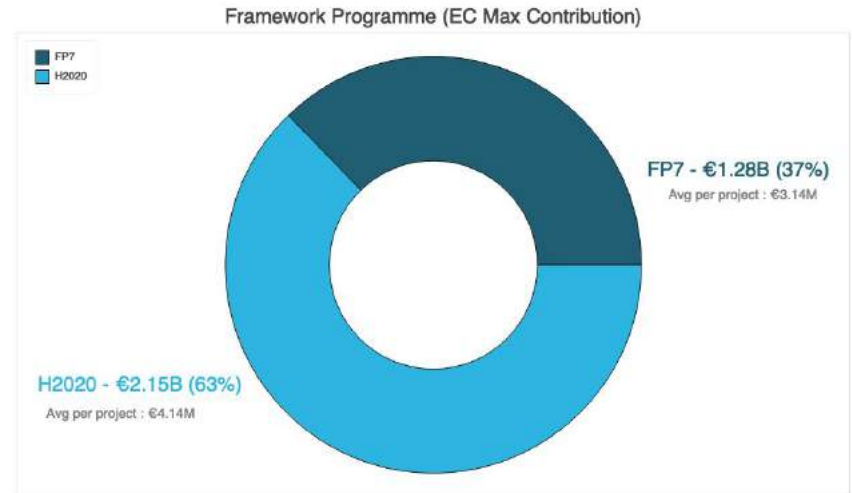




Starting with some Statistics

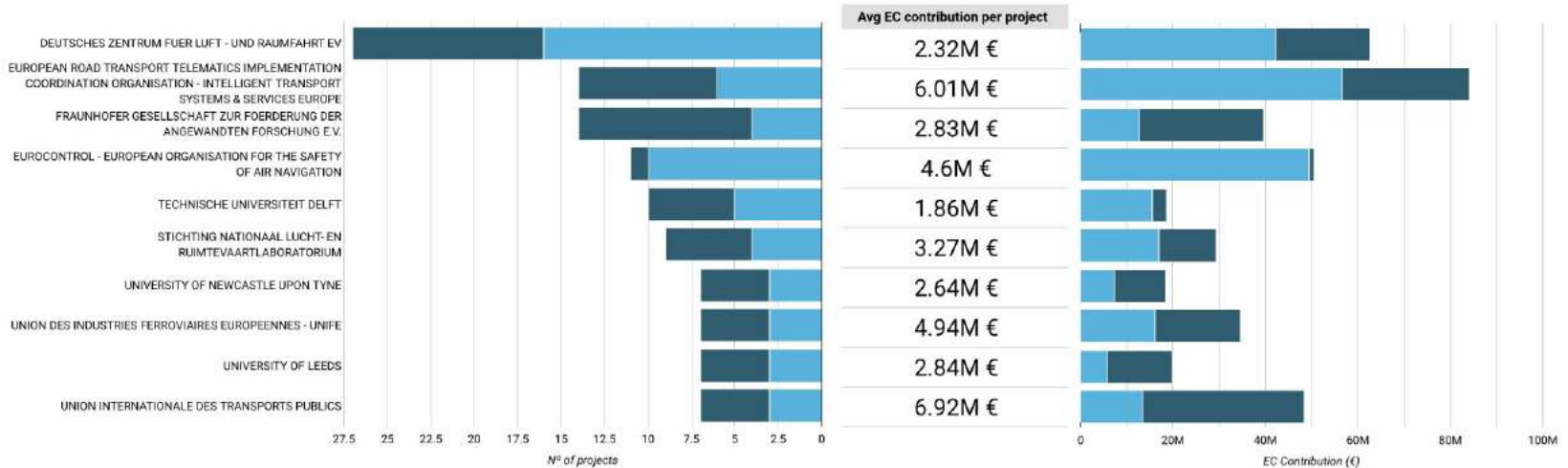


Time evolution of mobility projects **starting** each year

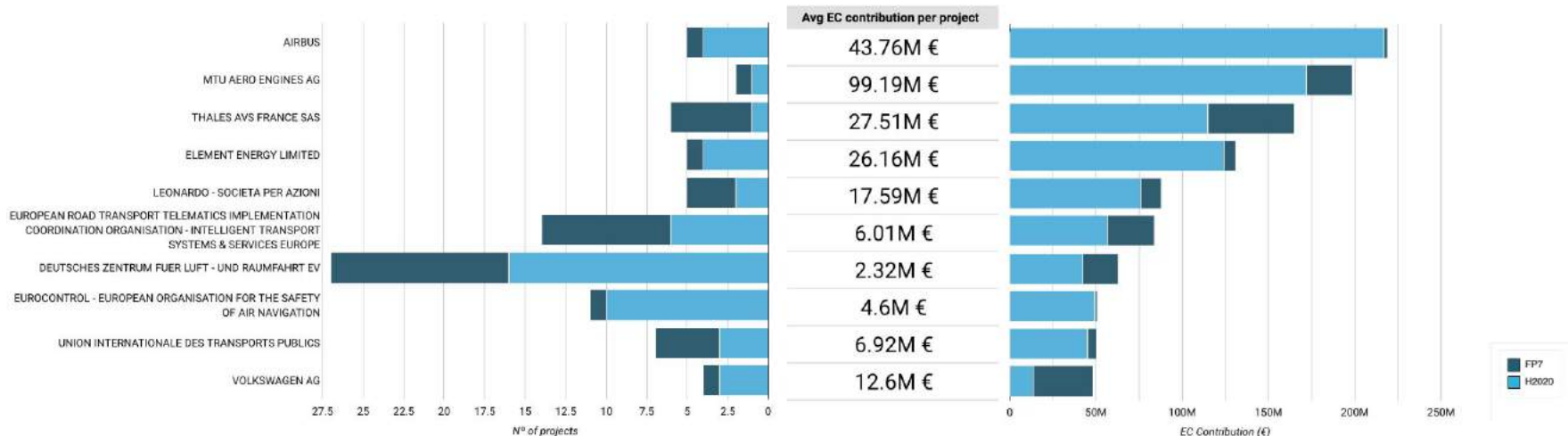


Starting with some Statistics

Top 10 organisations by number of projects coordinated



Top 10 organisations by EC contribution (€)





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Looking for evidence in data: Insights gathered on mobility research in Europe

Damir Valput, The Innaxis Foundation

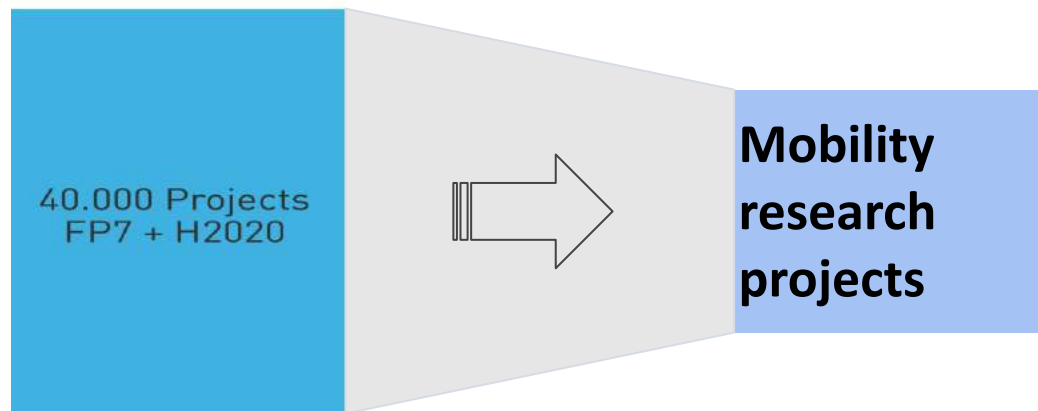
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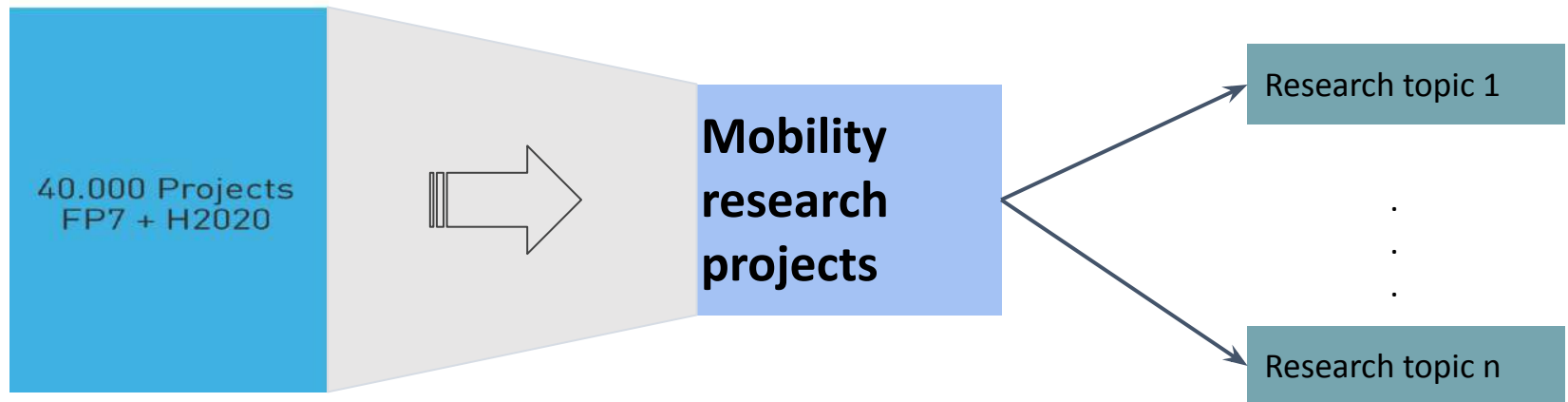
Artificial intelligence as a research “assistant”?

- Identification of **research themes** in a **large** corpus of unstructured textual information (926 mobility-relevant research projects)
 - Need to **automatise**
 - Use **AI to create knowledge** on mobility research landscape in EU



AI-powered model #1

- Identification of **research themes** in a large corpus of 926 mobility-relevant research projects (textual information)





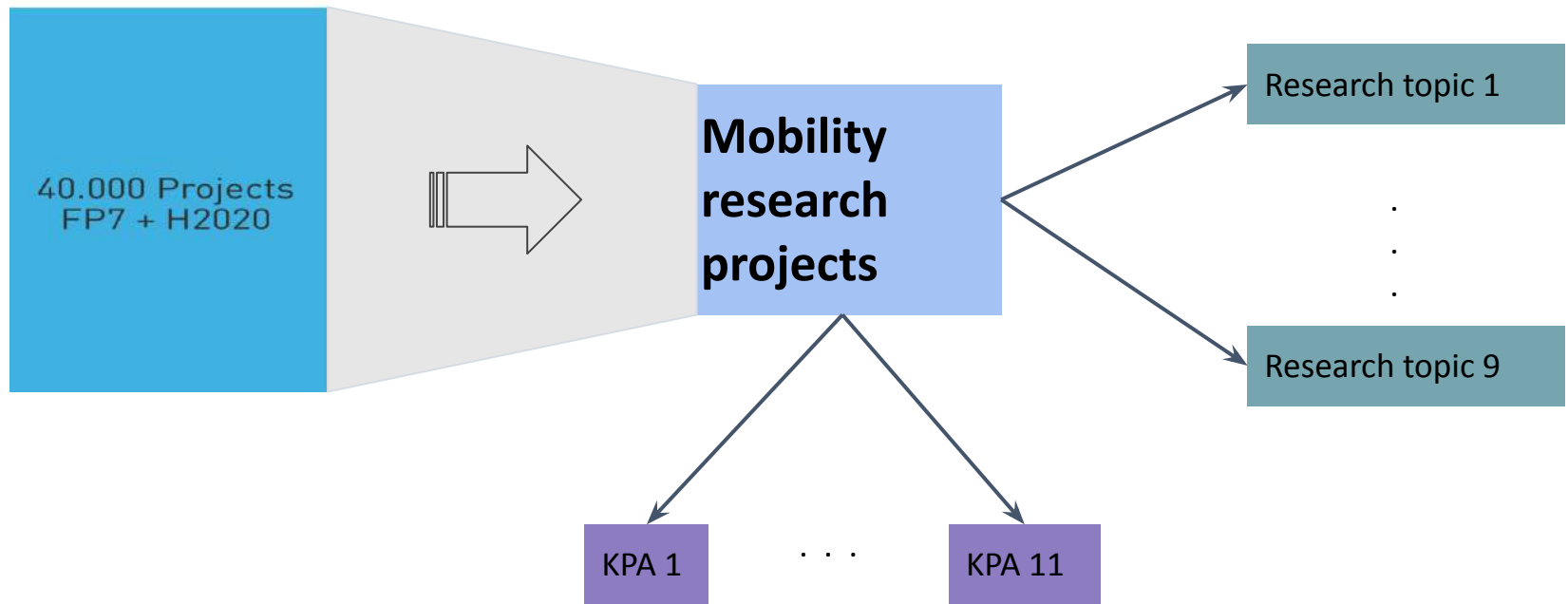
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Most common research topics



AI-powered model #2

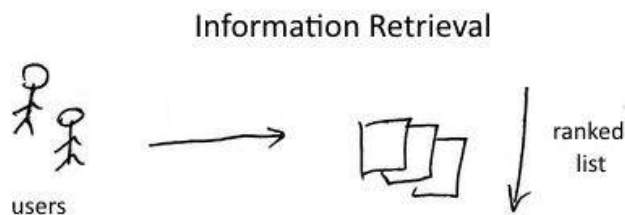
- How do mobility projects align with the objectives defined in KPAs in PF?





Information retrieval

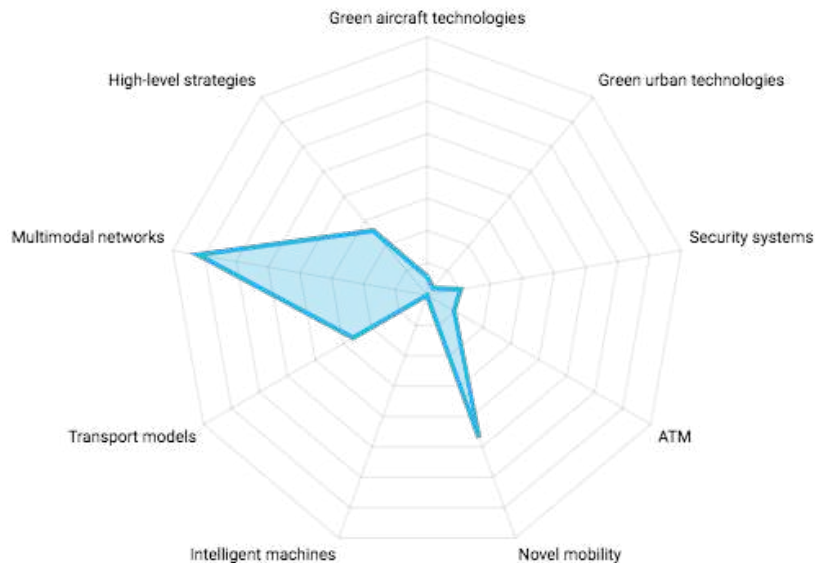
- Searches for **relevant information** within a collection of unstructured (textual) data
- Organises found information → **knowledge**



- ◆ Probabilistic model → **approximate matches**, not a solution
- ◆ Returns: **RELEVANT documents** in some order
 - retrieval function based on semantic similarity metrics

Mobility-relevant projects in two multidimensional spaces

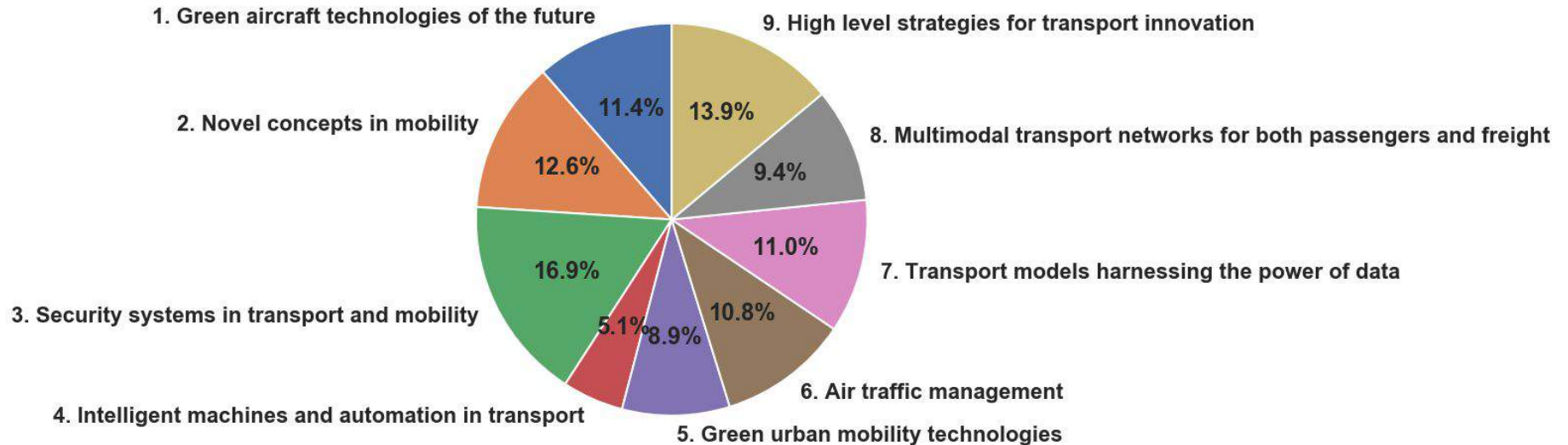
Research topics



Key Performance Areas (KPA)s



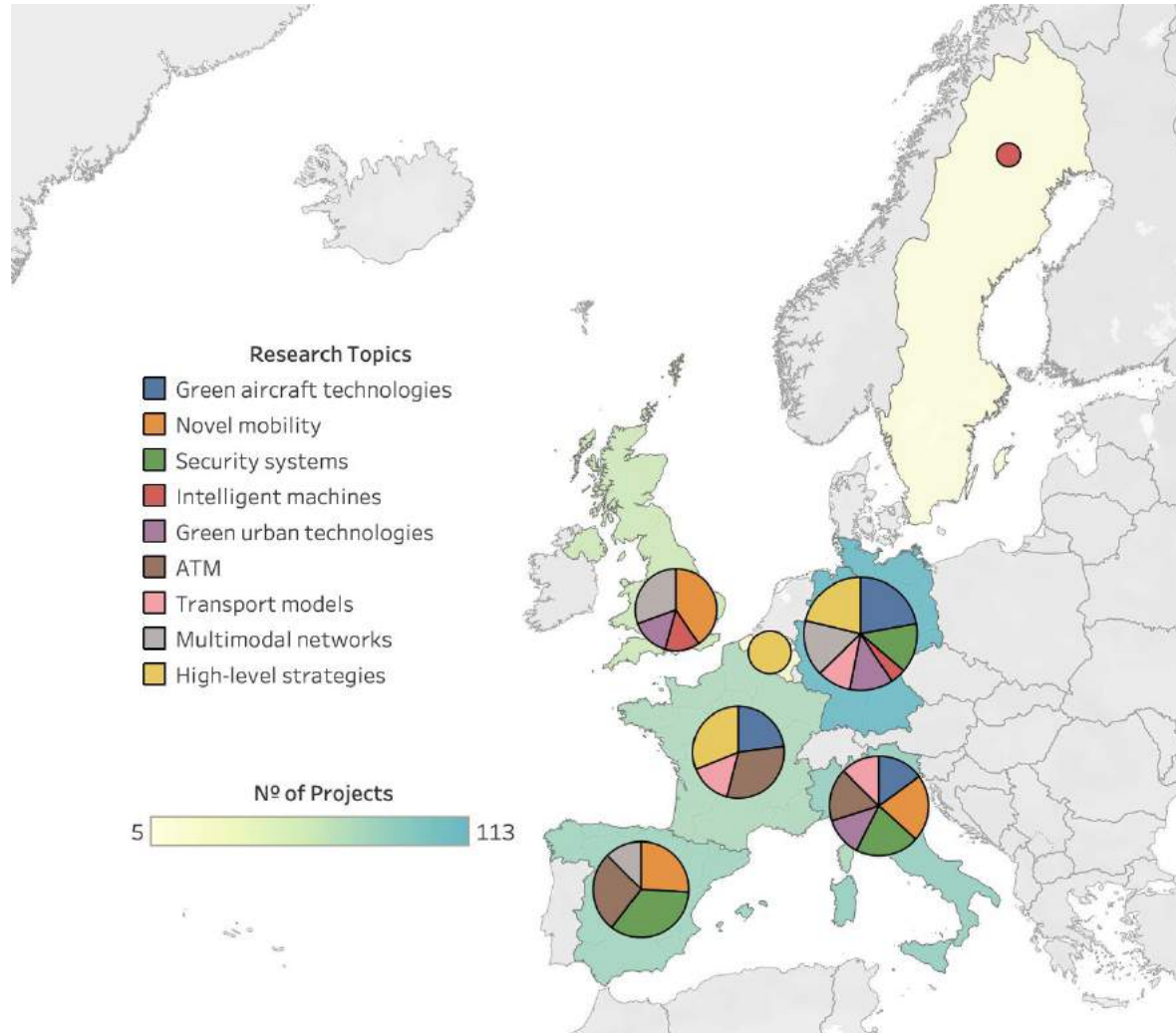
Research topics: representation in the dataset of mobility projects





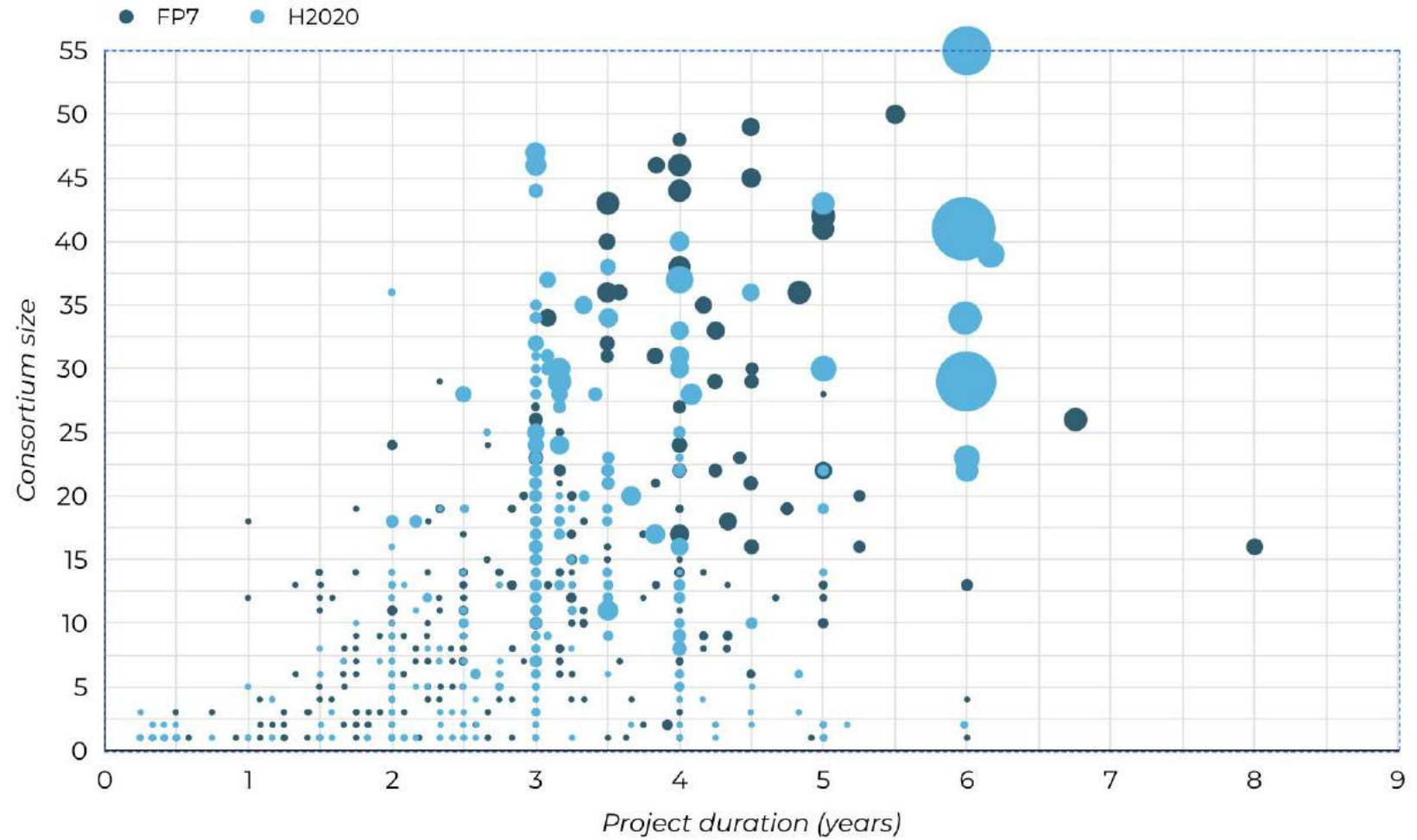
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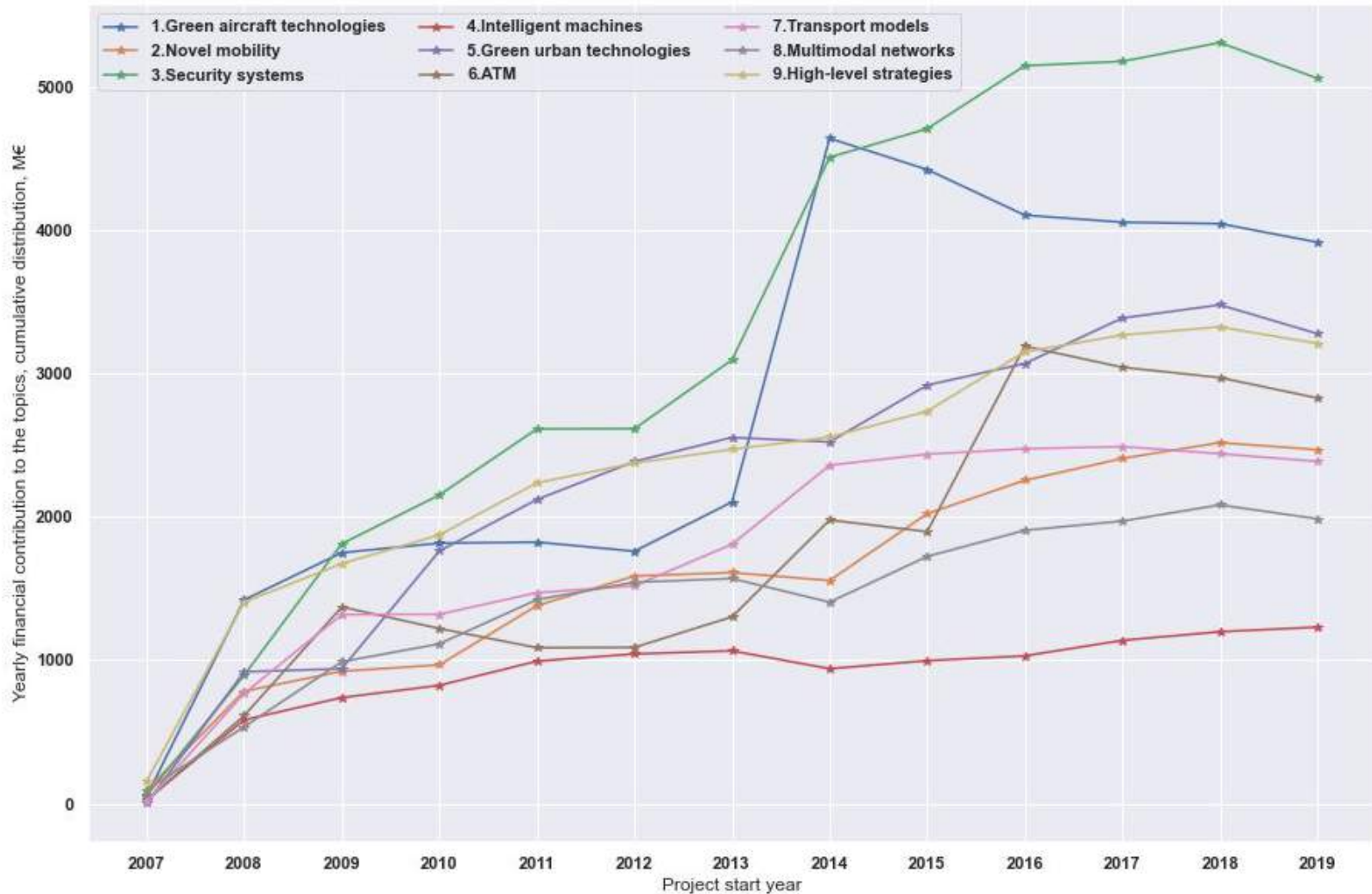
Geographical distribution





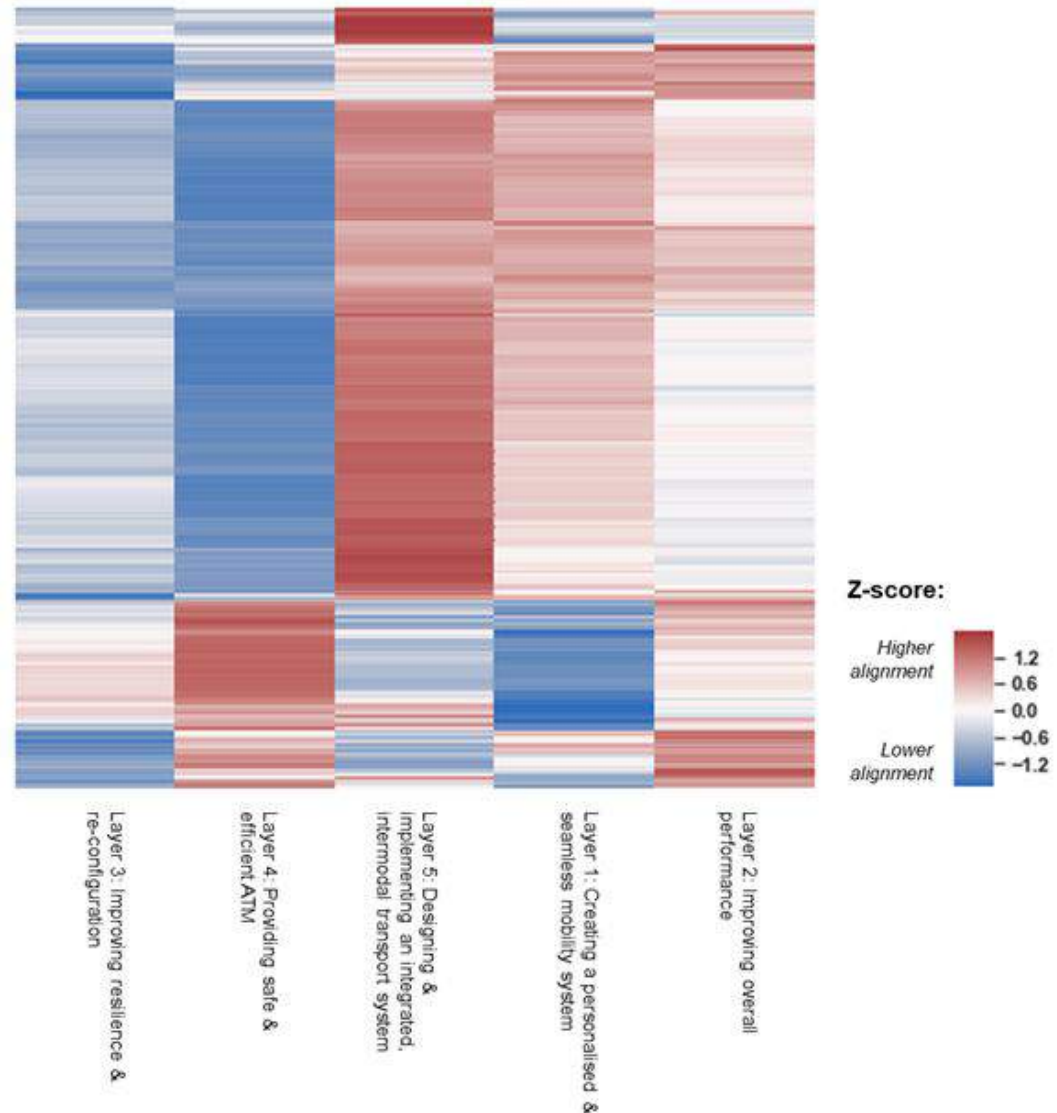
Correlational analysis





Understanding mobility research landscape: **Mobility layers**

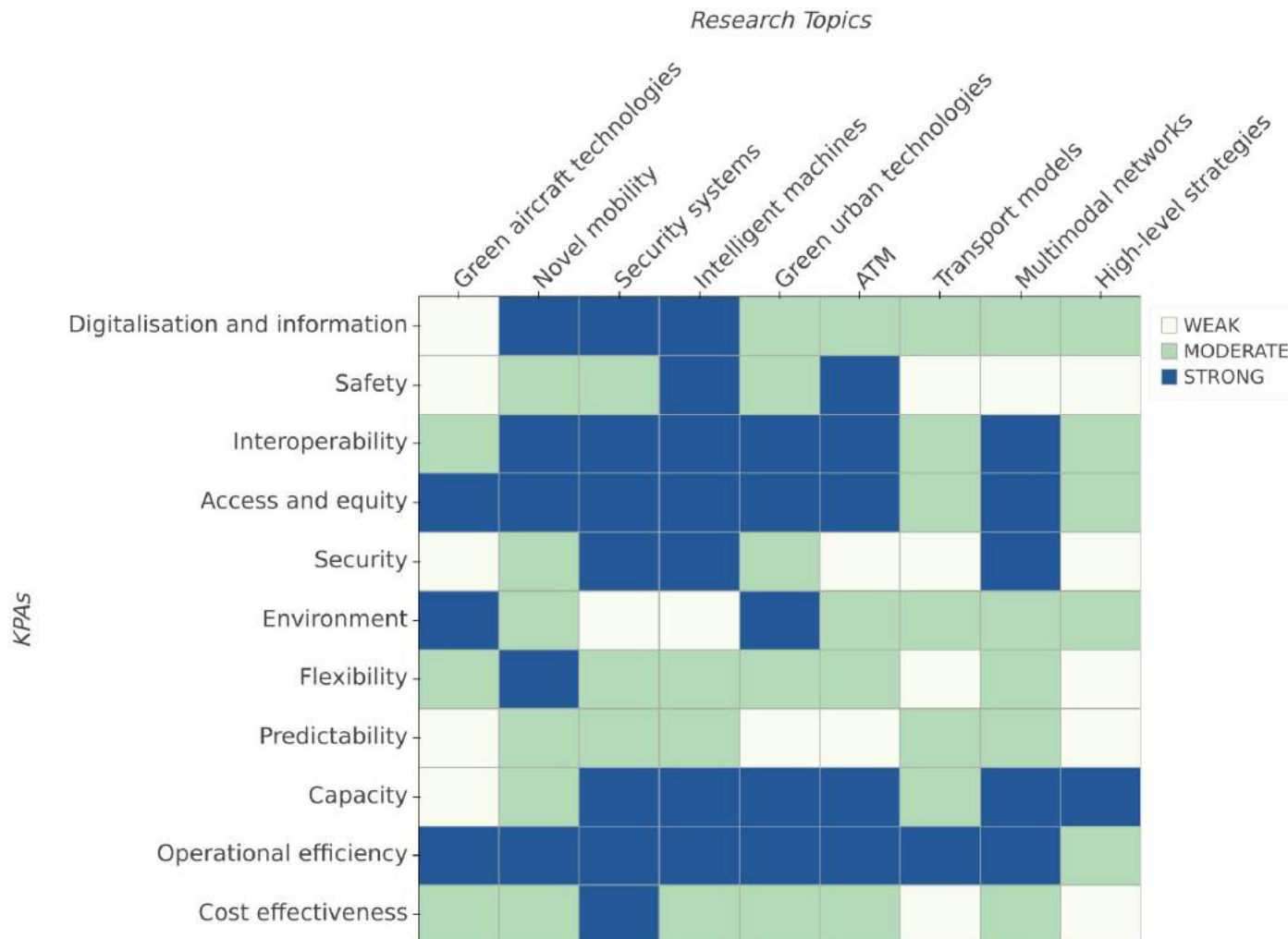
- Resilience: lower coverage
- Intermodal mobility layer objectives: high alignment with the project goals





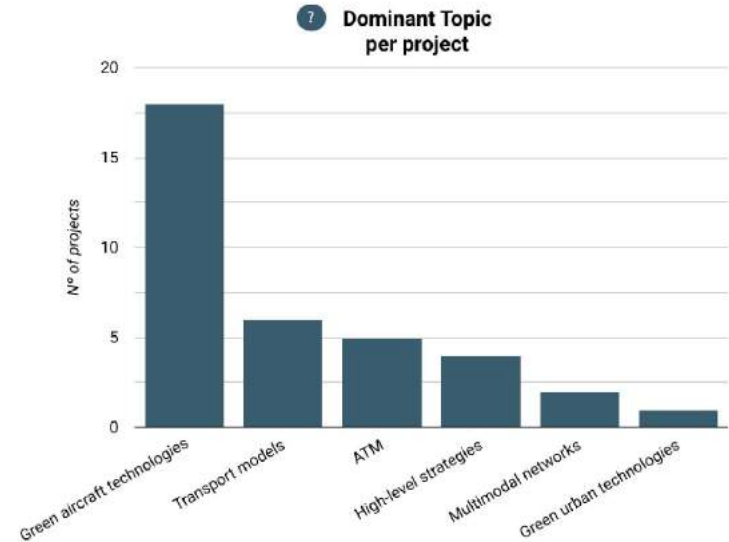
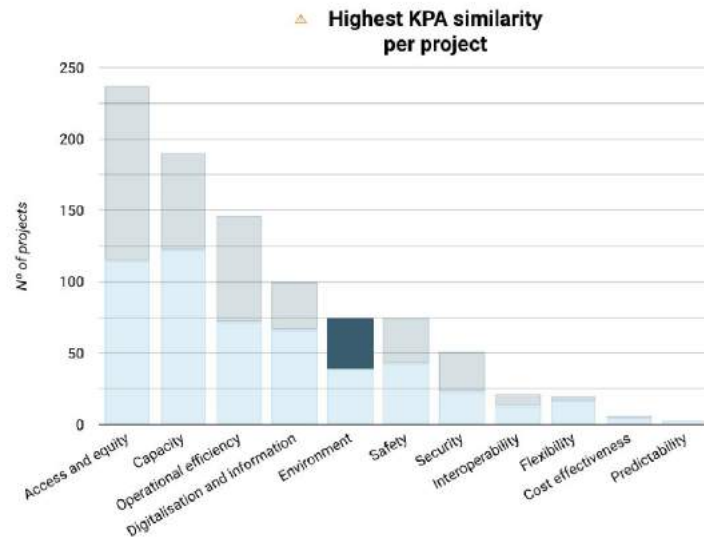
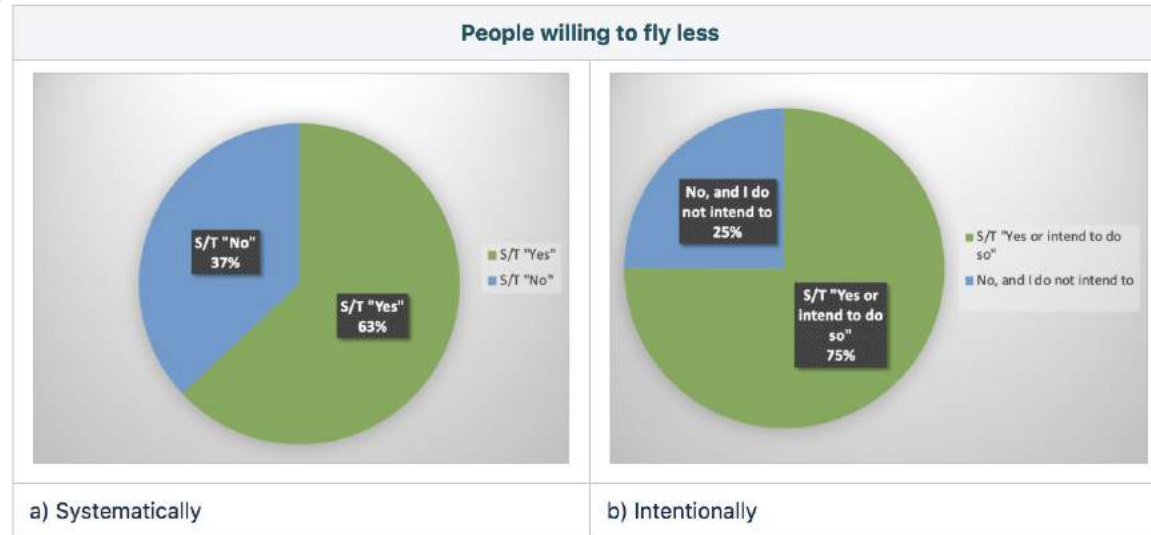
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Marrying KPAs and research topics





Deep dive #1: Environment





Deep dive #2: Digital transformation

London (Greater Area)



Barcelona (City)



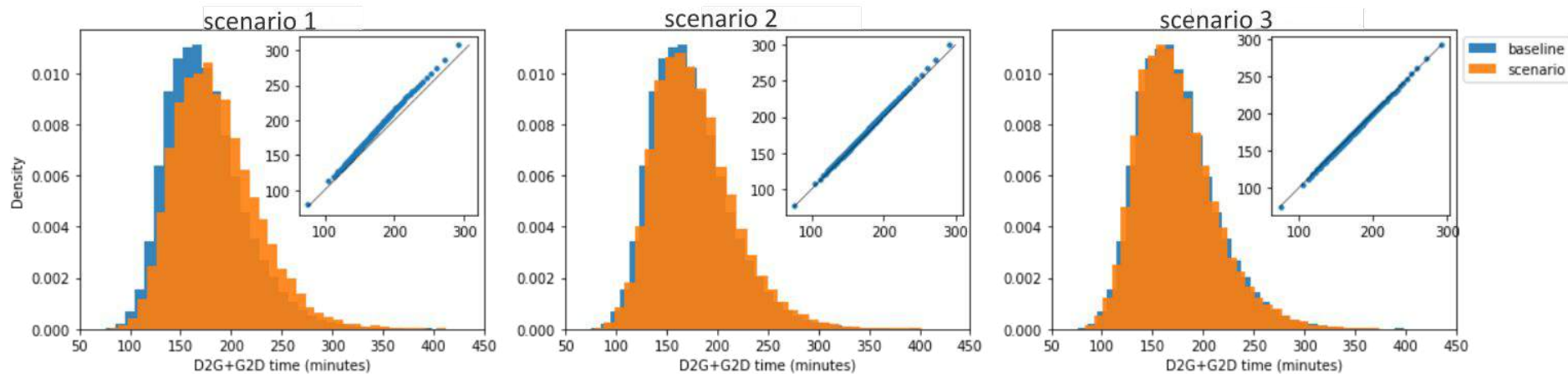
Source: Google LLC "Google COVID-19 Community Mobility Reports"



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Deep dive #3: Impact of Covid-19

| Scenarios | Traffic Level | Parameters modified D2K/K2D | Parameters modified K2G | Parameters modified G2K |
|-------------------|---------------|--|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Scenario 1 | 12% of 2019 | Airport access time via public/private transport (↓) | Immigration, buffer time (↑) | Immigration time (↑) |
| Scenario 2 | 45% of 2019 | Same as Scenario 1 | | |
| Scenario 3 | 95% of 2019 | Same as 2019 | | |



Distributions of D2G+G2D times in the baseline (blue) and in the scenarios (orange). Insets: QQ-plot comparing the baseline and the scenario distributions.



Coffee break

Thank you for your attention. Time for a coffee break!





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STOP!

Back-up slides

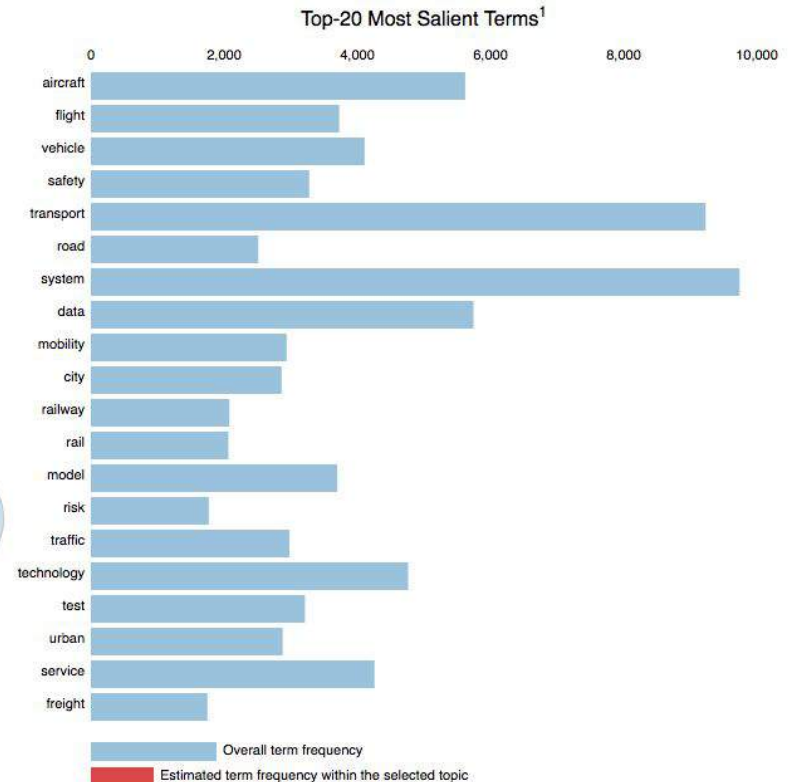
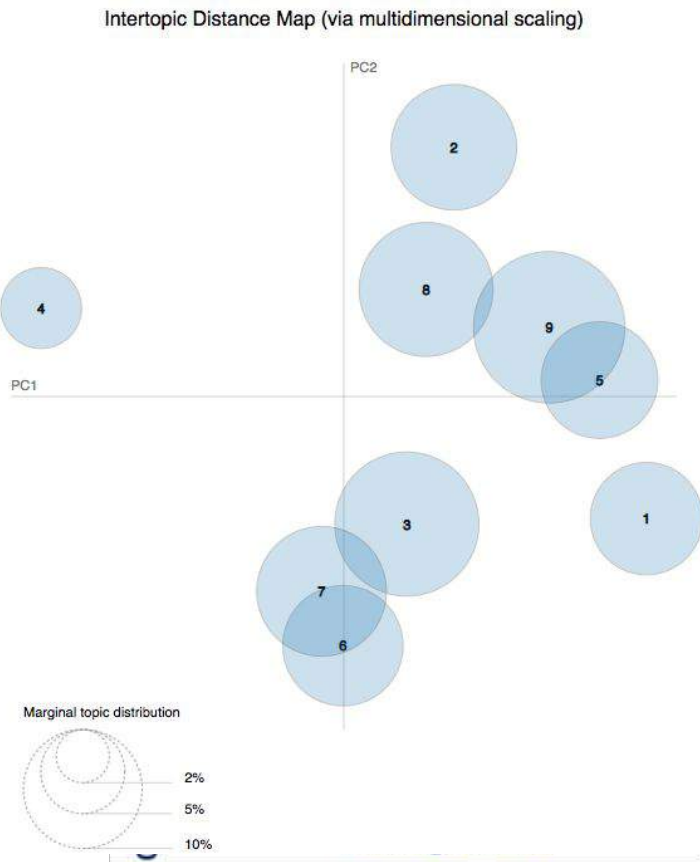


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Create a latent space of data

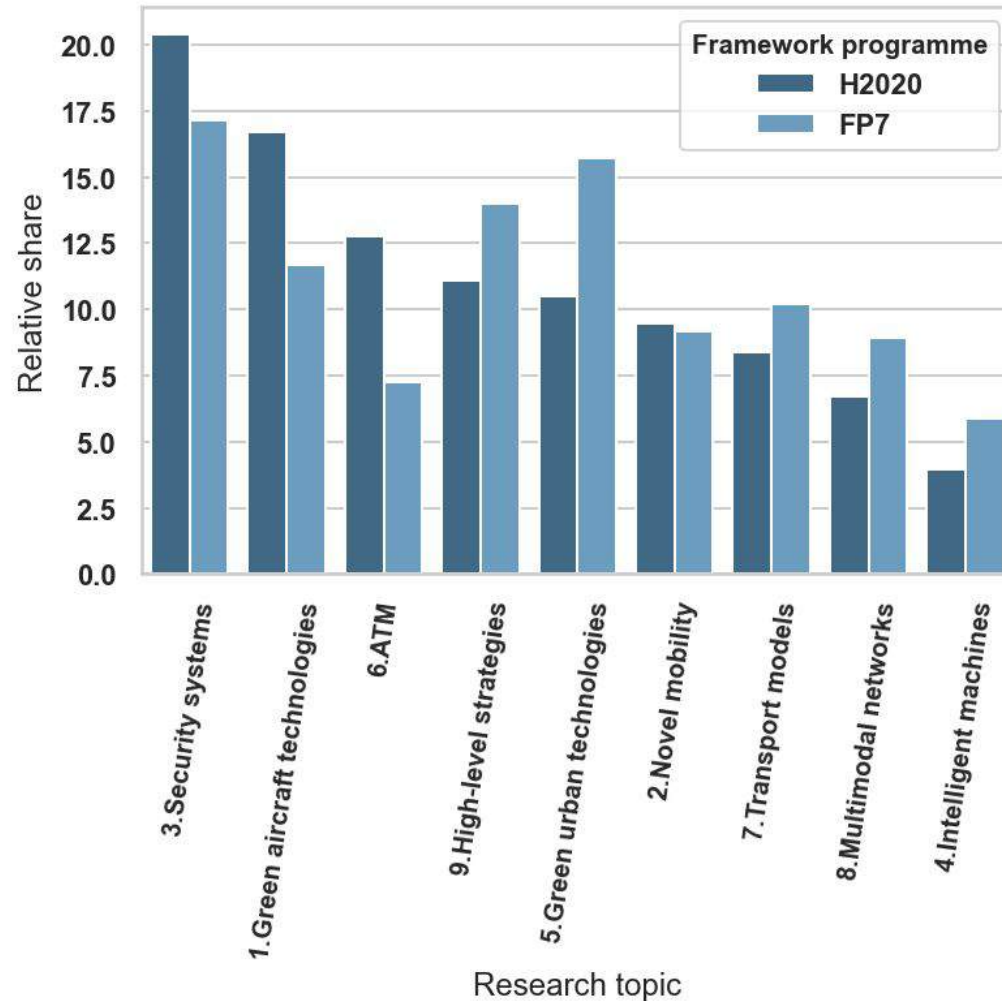


Create a latent space of data



1. saliency(term w) = frequency(w) * [sum_t p(t | w) * log(p(t | w)/p(t))]; see Chuang et. al (2012)
 2. relevance(term w | topic t) = λ * p(w | t) + (1 - λ) * p(w | t)/p(w); see Sievert & Shirley (2014)

Research topics: representation in the dataset of mobility projects

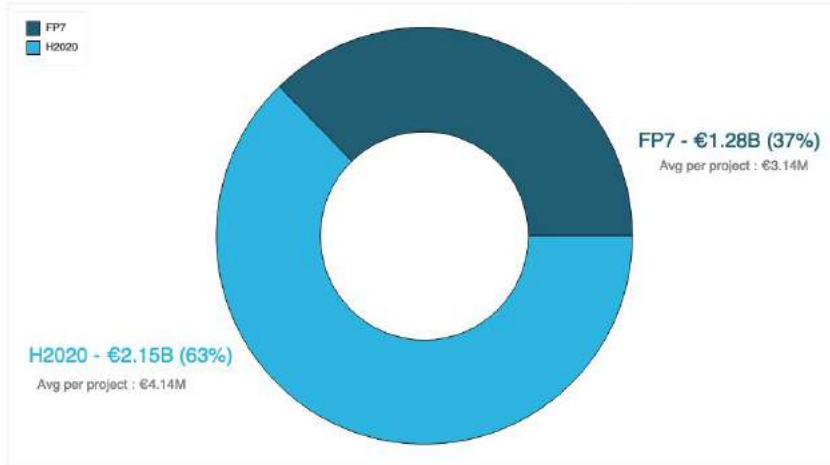




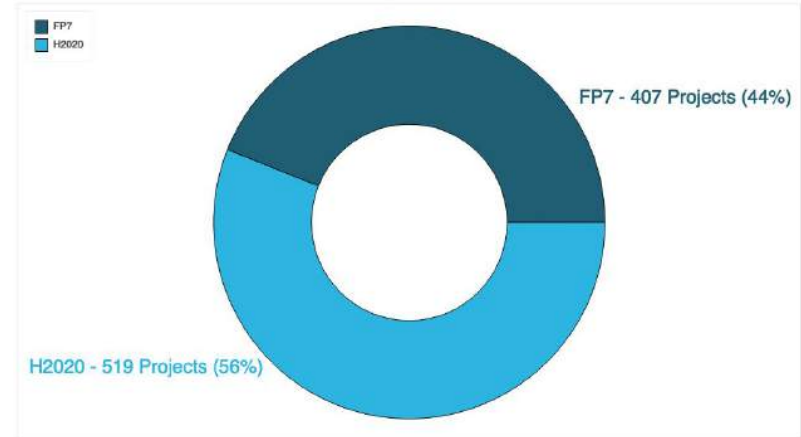
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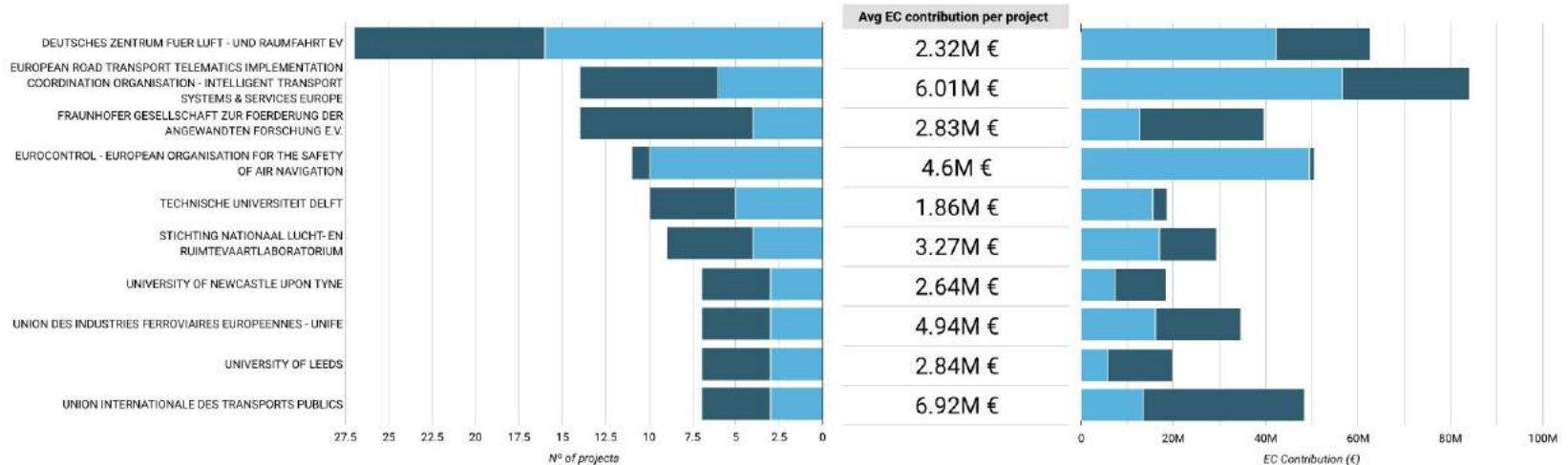
Framework Programme (EC Max Contribution)



Framework Programme (N° projects)



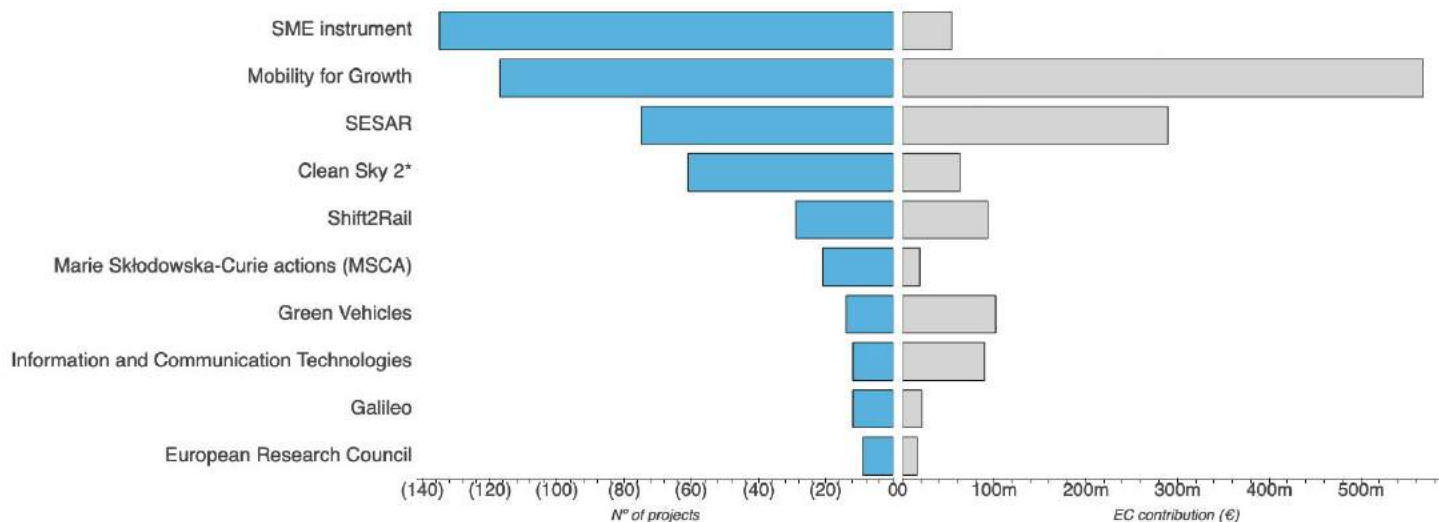
Top 10 organisations by number of projects coordinated





Top mobility initiatives in H2020 and FP7

H2020 - Top 10 Initiatives (N° of projects vs Ec contibution)



FP7 - Top 10 Initiatives (N° of projects vs Ec contibution)

