

BOOSTLOG workshop "Identified priorities for R&I in logistics"

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"Define high potential contribution to EU policy objectives that need to be prioritized in future R&I actions"



- Develop a holistic framework for identification, assessment and consensus building around priority R&I gaps
- Collect input und feedback from project partners, ALICE members and external stakeholders





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Size and Type of Organizations









- 1. Data sharing architecture / technology
- 2. Interconnected logistics networks
- 3. System of logistics networks: The Physical Internet
- 4. Fostering cooperation and collaboration among the logistics chain
- 5. Supply chain visibility
- 6. Autonomous operations
- 7. Autonomous transport
- 8. E-commerce delivery concepts
- 9. Supply chain resilience
- **10. Synchromodality**







BOOSTLOG heat map shows the relation between:

- 29 Promising Logistics Concepts Topics
- 19 Key Enabling Technologies
- 16 Societal Trends and Economic Drivers





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Observation of two main trend groups generating more heat than others:

- Sustainability related trends
- E-commerce and ondemand related trends





	Distributed Ledger Technology & Blockchain		Next Generation Wireless - 5G	Clouds & Virtualisation	Standardisation & data modelling	Internet of Things	Mobile Computing	Digital Twins	Data Science	Artificial Intelligence	Big Data Analytics	Robotics, Cobots & Automation	Self Driving Vehicles / CCAM	Platooning	Augmented reality	Virtual Reality	Additive Manufacturing / 3D printing	Nano technologies	Alternative fuels & drive train technology	Predictive maintenance
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- Data Analytics and data infrastructure topics are generating more *heat* than others
- With some minor exceptions respondents from the Industry and other organisations share the same priorities



First recommendations based on survey results



R&IA "Connected networks in a sustainable society"



Research question:

How do interconnected networks help in resolving the resource scarcity?

- If interconnected logistics networks exist, how do they help in achieve resource utilisation and the circular economy
- What is the impact then on emissions, resources useage, etc?
- How can (new) technologies facilitate the connectivity and required data analytics



Related topics:
PI, connected networks, synchromodality, connected corridors & hubs



Related trends:
sustainability, circular economy, resource
scarcity



Related KETs: AI, data science, digital twins

R&IA "Coping with the on-demand economy"



Research question:

How can logistics concepts streamline the growing impact of e-commerce channels?

- How should promising concepts be used and integrated in end-2-end e-commerce supply chains
- What distribution models will lead to sustainable and liveable cities?



 Related topics:
PI, connected networks, e-commerce delivery concepts, zero-emission vehicles



Related trends: sustainability, on-demand economy, e-commerce



Related KETs: IoT, AI, data science, digital twins

Demonstration "Digital connected sustainable intermodal networks"



Research question:

Is it possible to show how intermodal networks can be connected for the transfer of information of shipments?



Related topics:PI, connected networks, synchromodality

- Practical approach to integrate the data required in e-cmr, eAWB, etc.
- Building on eFTI regulations to see how information is received form a B2G perspective



Related trends: Sustainability, resource utilisation, collaboration



Related KETs: Data infrastructure, standardisation, DLT

R&IA "Prepare for disruption – Resilience and visibility to the next level"



Research question:

How to achieve increased robustness of supply chains using multi-platform forecasting?

- How will supply chains become more robust and able to cope with disruptions
- What is needed to achieve increased visibility and coordination based on integrated data useage of platforms and other data sources





Related trends: Sustainability



Related KETs: AI, Agility to plan, forecast and adapt

R&IA "Modular loading units for e-commerce"



... **Research question:**

Are modular loading units (PI containers) potential sustainable concepts for increasing ecommerce?





Related trends: Climate change, Circular Economy, **Sustainability**



Related KETs: Standardization & data modelling, IoT, digital twins

R&IA "Requirements for sustainable fleets and assets"



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Research question:

Which conditions do sustainable fleets & assets require with view to data infrastructure, gathering, depiction& analytics and how can this be addressed?



Related topics:



Related trends: Climate change, Circular Economy, Sustainability



Related KETs: Standardization & data modelling, IoT, digital twins

CSA "Aligning initiatives for sustainability measurement schemes"



Research question:

How to measure sustainability impact of research projects?

- Which sustainability measurement & reporting schemes/approaches can help measuring impact of R&I projects?
- What does the term "sustainability" cover with regard to EU research agenda?
- Which framework for quantifying the impact could be used by research consortia (incl. which sustainability indicators, Which benchmark/target value for sustainability indicators)?
- Which impact do proposals / projects have?



Related topics:



Related trends: Climate change, Circular Economy, Sustainability



Standardization & data modelling

CSA "Aligning initiatives for carbon emission accounting/measuring schemes"

Research question:

How to measure and report GHG emissions arising from digitalization of logistics chains?

- Which carbon accounting approaches can help to estimate GHG emissions related to the use of ICT equipment and data servers related to transport operations?
- Which carbon accounting approaches can help at what level (models, practical, real-time) ?
- Which standards should be aligned at EU and national levels to enable GHG info exchange between different roles as well as comparison of logistics chains?



Related topics: fostering collaboration, interconnected networks, PI, data sharing



Related trends: Climate change, Circular Economy, Sustainability



Related KETs: Standardisation & data modelling, data architecture

Open discussion!

Which important open research question do we not yet cover?

Noterial fluss,



Thanks for your input and support!