

# European Network on New Sensing Technologies for Air Pollution Control and Environmental Sustainability - *EuNetAir*

## COST Action TD1105

## SENSOR+TEST 2016 - AMA Conference

### SPECIAL SESSION

## *Novel Sensor Solutions for Indoor Air Quality*

NCC, Nuremberg, Germany, 10 - 12 May 2016

Action Start date: 01/07/2012 - Action End date: 15/11/2016 - Year 4: 2015-16 (*Extended Action*)

## *COST Action TD1105: Overview and Plans*

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Action Chair

**ENEA - Brindisi, Italy**



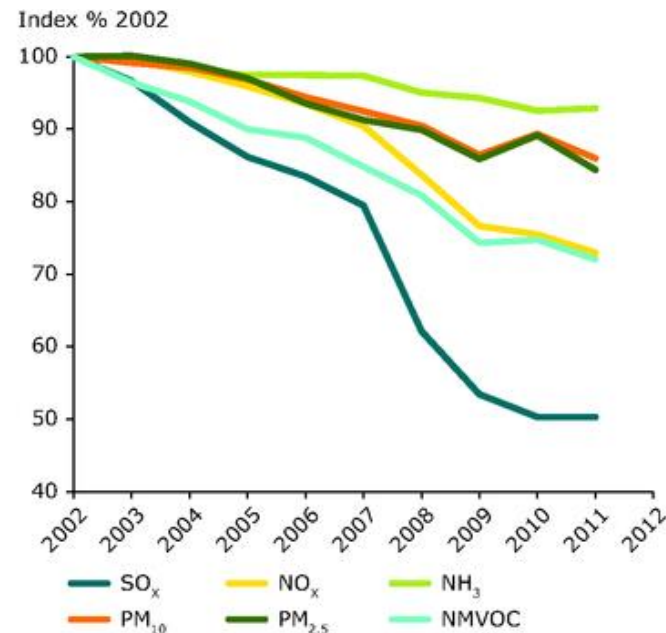
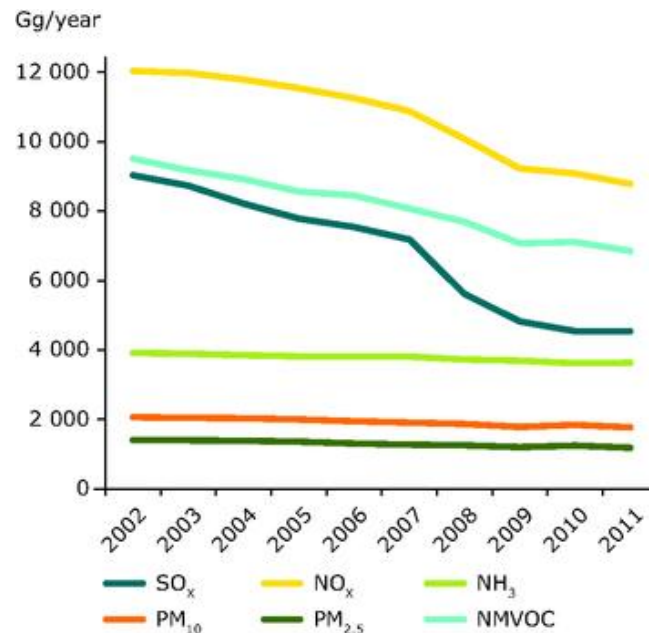
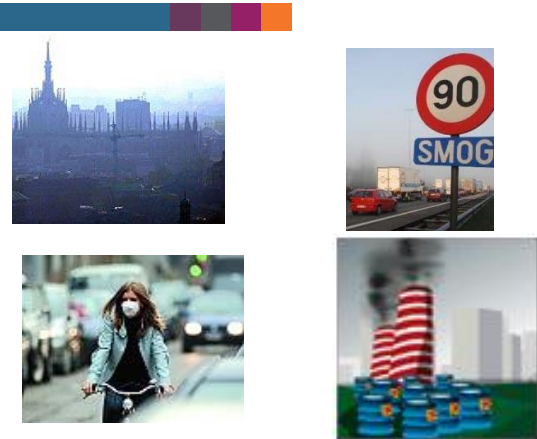
# Outline



- **Background / Problem Statement:**
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- **Concluding Remarks**

# Scientific context: Air Quality Control (2/3)

European Environment Agency, EEA Report 9/2013

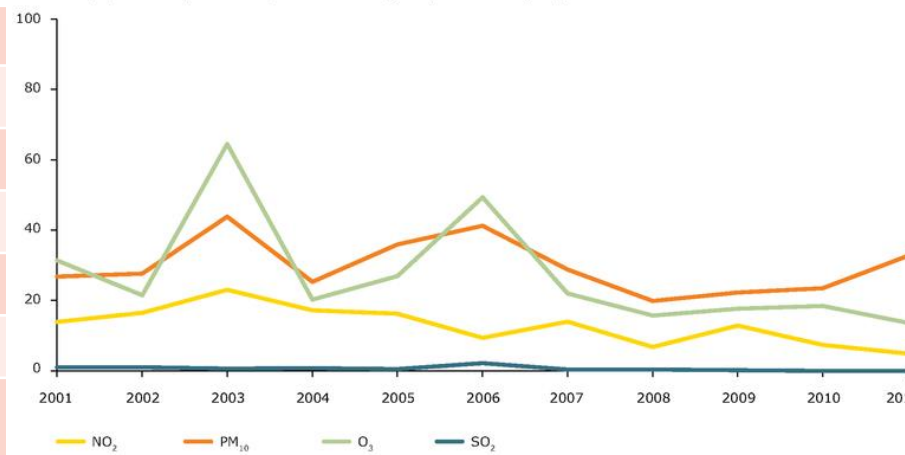


## Some Environmental Emergencies:

- 1930 - Meuse Valley (Belgium)
- 1952 - Great London Smog (UK)
- 1954 - Los Angeles (USA)
- 1984 - Bhopal (India)
- 2005 - Teheran (Iran)
- 2006 - Hong Kong
- 2008, 2015 - Shanghai, Peking, CN
- 2012 - Taranto (Italy)
- .....

Pollutant	Limit Level
NO <sub>x</sub>	100, 200 ppb
CO	8 ppm
SO <sub>2</sub>	130, 190 ppb
O <sub>3</sub>	120 µg/m <sup>3</sup>
PM <sub>10</sub>	50 µg/m <sup>3</sup>
BTEX	6 µg/m <sup>3</sup>
PAH (BaP)	1 ng/m <sup>3</sup>
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	25 µg/m <sup>3</sup>

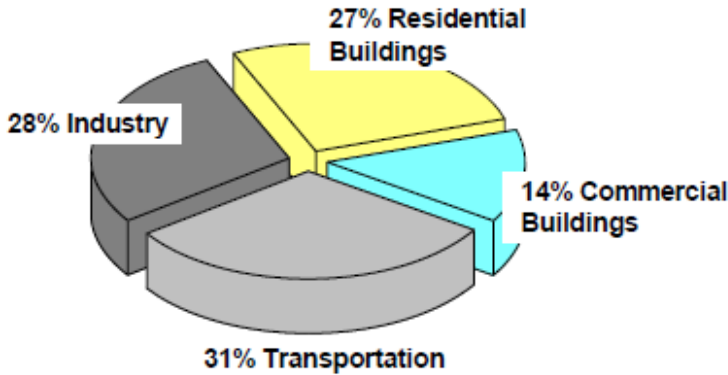
% of urban population exposed to air pollution exceeding acceptable EU air quality standard



## AMBIENT AIR QUALITY EU DIRECTIVE 2008/50/EC and Daughters



# Scientific context: Indoor/Outdoor Energy Efficiency (3/3)



Primary energy consumption in the EU<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> O. Seppanen,

11<sup>th</sup> Conference on Indoor Air Quality  
2008, Copenhagen, Denmark

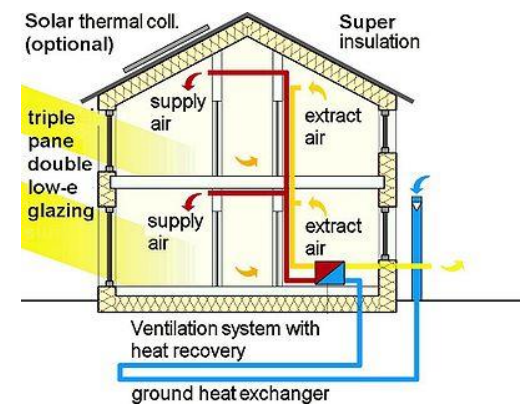
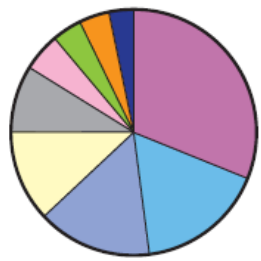
41% Primary Energy consumed in Buildings:

- 2/3 in Residential Buildings
- 1/3 in Commercial Buildings

**Energy Performance of Buildings EU Directive**  
**EPBD 2010/31/EC**

Figure 2 – Total Energy Consumption by End Use  
Adapted from E Source, 2006

- Ventilation 4%
- Refrigeration 3%
- Space Heating 31%
- Water Heating 17%
- Cooling 15%
- Lighting 12%
- Other 9%
- Cooking 5%
- Office Equipment 4%



Source: Environmental Protection Agency's National Action Plan for Energy Efficiency Sector Collaborative on Energy Efficiency Hotel Energy Use Profile

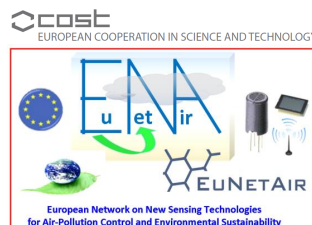
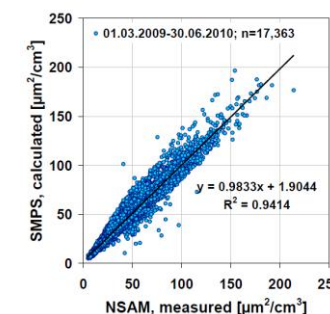
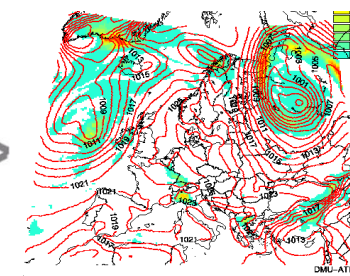
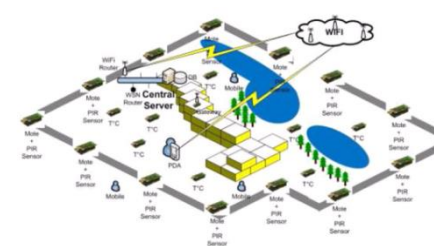
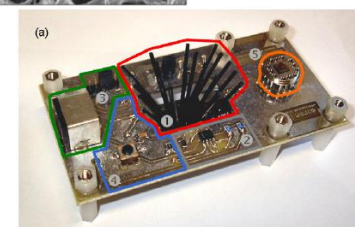
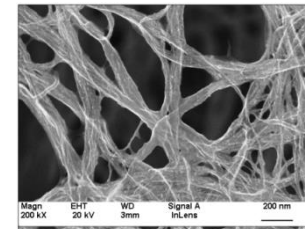
## IAQ by WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

Indoor Air		Typical Substances		Cure
Contamination Source	Emission Source	VOCs	Others	
• Human Being	• Breath	Acetone, Ethanol, Isoprene	demand controlled ventilation	
		CO <sub>2</sub>		
	• Skin Respiration & Transpiration	Humidity		
		Nonanal, Decanal, α-Pinene		
	• Flatus	Methane, Hydrogen		
	• Cosmetics	Limonene, Eucalyptol		
	• Household Supplies	Alcohols, Esters, Limonene		
		Unburnt Hydrocarbons		
		CO		
		CO <sub>2</sub>		
• Combustion (Engines, Appliances, Tobacco Smoke)	Humidity			
	Formaldehyde, Alkanes, Alcohols, Aldehydes, Ketones, Siloxanes	permanent 5-10% ventilation		
• Building Material	Toluene, Xylene, Decane			
• Furniture	Benzene, Styrene, Phenole			
• Office Equipment	• PVC			
• Consumer Products	• Printers, Copiers, Computers			

Table 1 – Typical Indoor Air Contaminants (VOCs and others)

# Challenges addressed by Action TD1105 (1/1)

- **Nanomaterials for AQC sensors**
- **Low-cost Gas Sensors**
- **Low-power Sensor-Systems**
- **Wireless Technology (*Environmental Sensors Network*)**
- **Air Quality Modelling**
- **Environmental Measurements**
- **Standards and Protocols**



# Action's Objectives (1/1)

## MoU Main Objectives of COST Action TD1105:

- To establish a **Pan-European multidisciplinary R&D platform** on new sensing paradigm for Air Quality Control (AQC) contributing to sustainable development, green-economy and social welfare.
- To create **collaborative research teams** in the **ERA** on the new sensing technologies for AQC in an integrated approach to avoid fragmentation of the research efforts.
- To train **Early Stage Researchers (ESRs)** and new young scientists in the field for supporting competitiveness of European industry by qualified human potential.
- To promote **gender balance** and involvement of ESRs in AQC.
- To disseminate **R&D results on AQC** towards **industry community** and policy makers as well as general public and high schools.

# COST Action TD1105 *EuNetAir*: Working Groups (1/5)

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**WG1:**  
**Sensor Materials  
&  
Nanotechnologies**

**WG2:**  
**Sensors, Devices  
& Systems for AQC**

**WG4:**  
**Protocols &  
Standardisation  
Methods**

**WG3:**  
**Env. Measurements  
&  
Air Pollution Modelling**

**INTERDISCIPLINARY  
SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS**

## MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE:

### CORE-GROUP & STEERING COMMITTEE

- **Editorial Board**
- **Dissemination**
- **Training Schools**
- **Gender Balance**
- **Early Stage Researchers (ESR)**
- **Short-Term Scientific Mission (STSM)**
- **Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)**
- **Local Organizing Committee (LOC)**

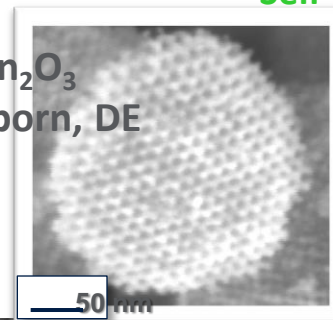
- **SIG 1: Network of Spin-offs**
- **SIG 2: Smart Sensors for Urban Air Monitoring in Cities**
- **SIG 3: Guidelines for Best Coupling Air Pollutant-Transducer**
- **SIG 4: Expert comments for the Revision of the Air Quality EU Directive**

**Action (2012-2016) Size:**

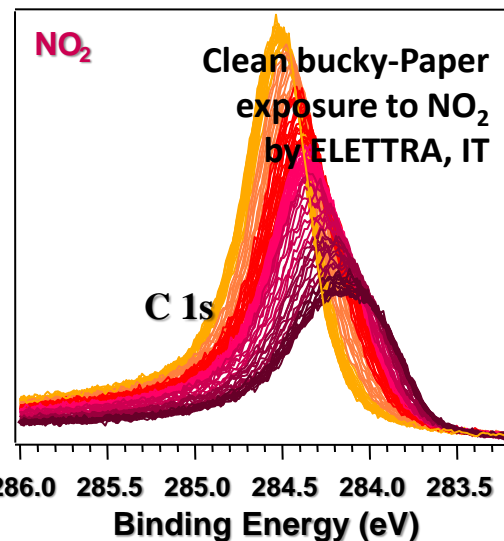
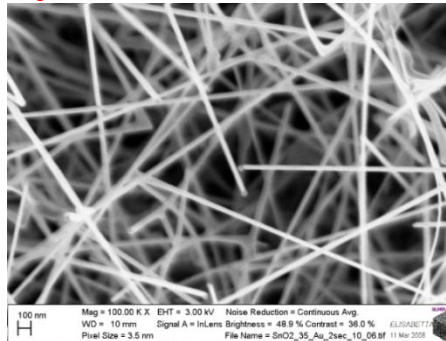
**200 Experts from 120 Teams - 31 Countries**

- **Sub-Working Group 1.1:**  
Metal oxides nanostructures for AQC gas sensors.
- **Sub-Working Group 1.2:**  
Carbon nanomaterials for AQC gas sensors.
- **Sub-Working Group 1.3:**  
Emerging sensor materials (organic/inorganic, hybrid, nanocomposites, polymers, functional, etc.).

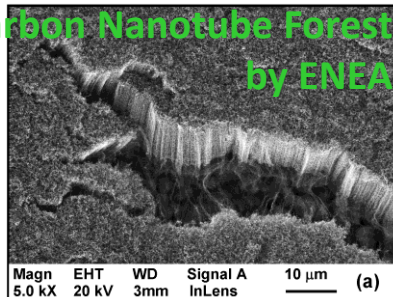
Mesoporous In<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>  
by Univ. of Paderborn, DE



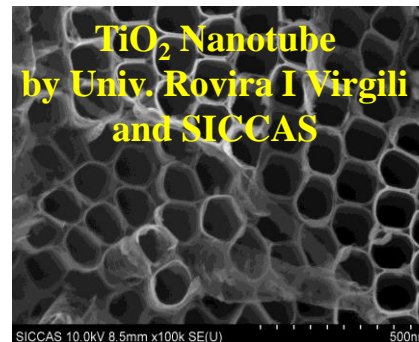
Metal oxide (SnO<sub>2</sub>)  
Nanowires nets  
by Univ. of Brescia, IT



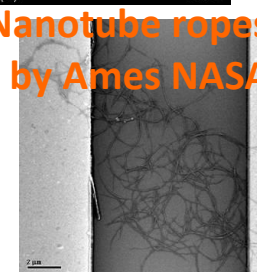
Carbon Nanotube Forest  
by ENEA



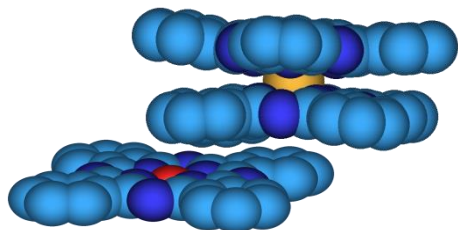
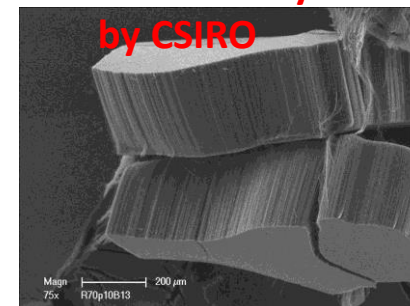
TiO<sub>2</sub> Nanotube  
by Univ. Rovira I Virgili  
and SICCAS



Carbon Nanotube ropes  
by Ames NASA



Carbon Nanotube yarns  
by CSIRO



New molecular materials of polymer-macrocycles as transducers for polluting gas sensing by University of Bourgogne

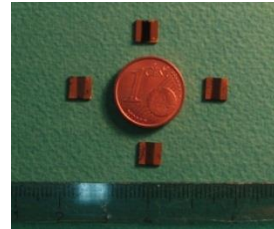


# TD1105 *EuNetAir* **WG2**: Sensors, Devices and Systems for AQC (3/5)

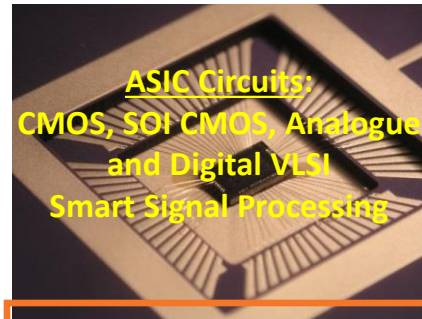
WG2 Chair: Prof. Andreas Schuetze, Saarland University, Germany

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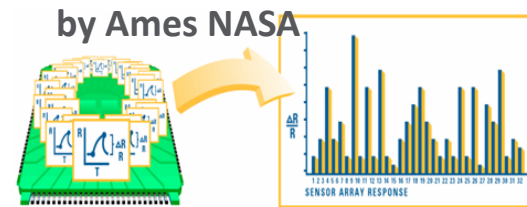
Carbon Nanotube Gas Sensors



EnviroWatch mote by Newcastle University



Warwick University in collaboration with Cambridge University, EPFL, PennState.

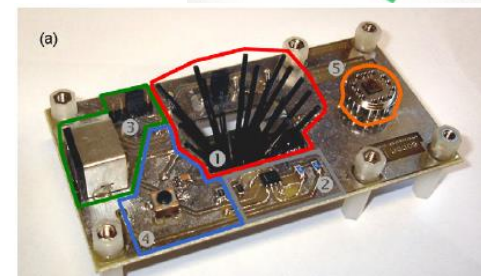


Using pattern matching algorithms, the data is converted into a unique response pattern

A versatile platform for the efficient development of gas detection systems based on automatic device adaptation by University of Saarland.

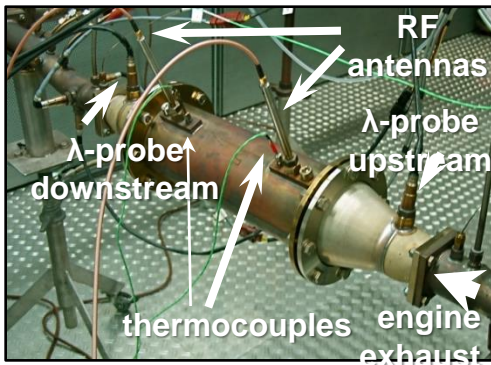


Low-ppb sensitivity for NO<sub>2</sub> GaN-based sensor concept



Autonomous Gas Sensor System by IREC and Univ. of Barcelona

- **Sub-Working Group 2.1:**  
Gas sensors and new transducers.
- **Sub-Working Group 2.2:**  
Portable gas sensor-systems.
- **Sub-Working Group 2.3:**  
Wireless technology and AQC sensors network.
- **Sub-Working Group 2.4:**  
Intelligence algorithms and distributed computing for networked AQC gas sensors.



Direct status measurement of automotive catalysts by radio-frequency technique by University of Bayreuth, DE.

## Sub-Working Group 3.1:

Environmental measurements at laboratory and in field air-quality stations.

## Sub-Working Group 3.2:

Air-quality modelling and chemical weather forecasting.

## Sub-Working Group 3.3:

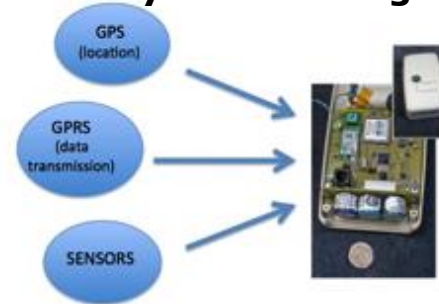
Harmonisation of environmental measurements.

by Aristotle University, EL

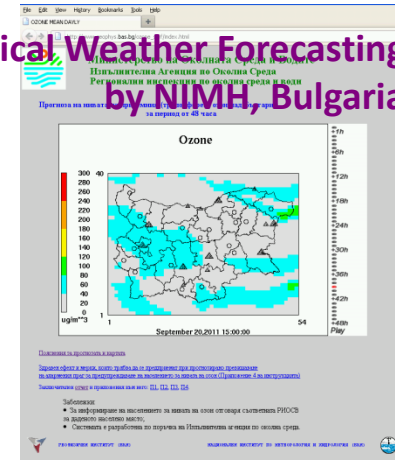


**AirMerge system for Chemical Weather Models**

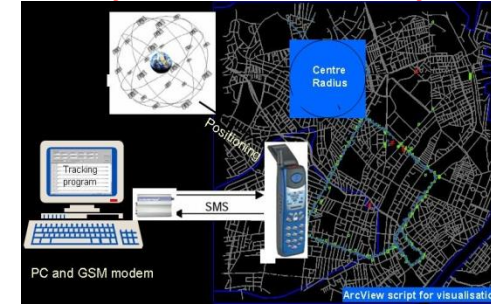
Mobile and static sensor network configurations by University of Cambridge.



## Chemical Weather Forecasting by NIMH, Bulgaria



## AQ Modeling: Tracking routes by Aarhus University, DK



Environmental measurements of PM and air pollution by CSIC, ES



AQ monitoring station by ARPA-PUGLIA, IT



AQ monitoring station by Aarhus University, DK



AQ monitoring station by Lithuanian EPA

# TD1105 *EuNetAir* **WG4**: Protocols and Standardisation Methods (5/5)

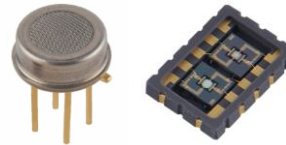
*WG4 Chair: Prof. Ingrid Bryntse, SenseAir AB, Sweden*

- **Sub-Working Group 4.1**:  
Protocols, standards and methods for AQC by analyzers/instruments (no-sensors) technologies.
- **Sub-Working Group 4.2**:  
Protocols, standards and methods for AQC by sensors (no-analyzers) technologies.
- **Sub-Working Group 4.3**:  
Benchmarking of new products and market of commercial AQC sensors.

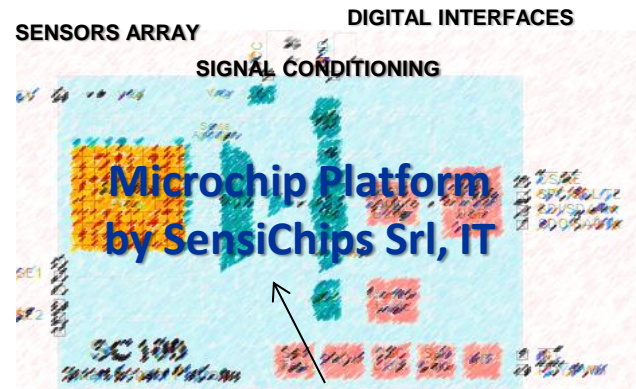
European Directive 2008/50/EC: Ambient Air Quality  
EU standard EN 13725/2003: Dynamic Olfactometry

Protocols and Standardised Methods for Gas Sensors  
Guidelines of Best Transducers applied to specific gases

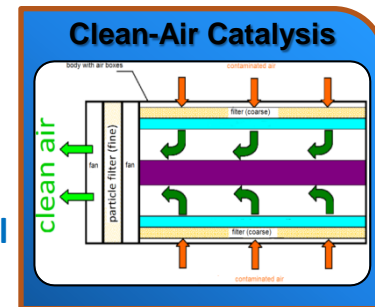
Dynamic olfactometry EN13725  
by Univ. of Liege, Odometric SA,  
Univ. of Bari, Lenviros srl.



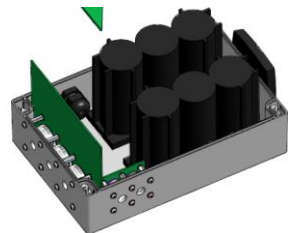
**Packaged Sensors**  
by E2V, CH



New precision multi-parametric analytical tool



Becker Gruppe, DE



**Battery-Powered Sensors by Alphasense Ltd, UK**



**CO<sub>2</sub> IR sensor for alarm System by SenseAir AB, Sweden**

# COST Action TD1105 EuNetAir: **Action Parties (31)**

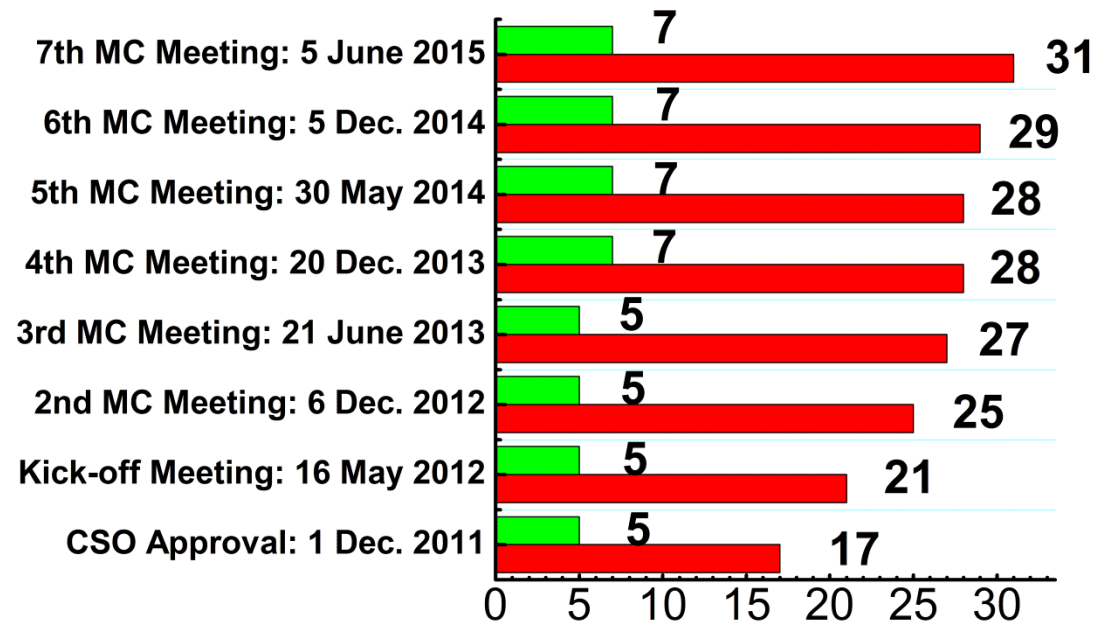
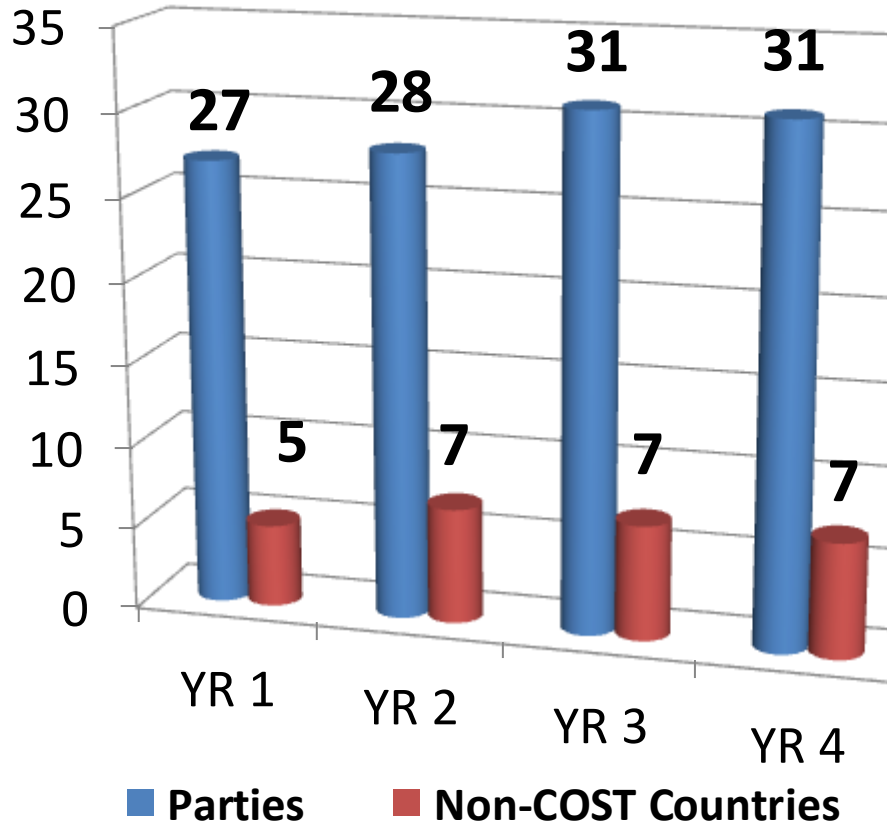
## Grant Holder:

Eurice GmbH, Saarbrücken, Germany

## *GH Scientific Representatives:*

Corinna Hahn, MC Member

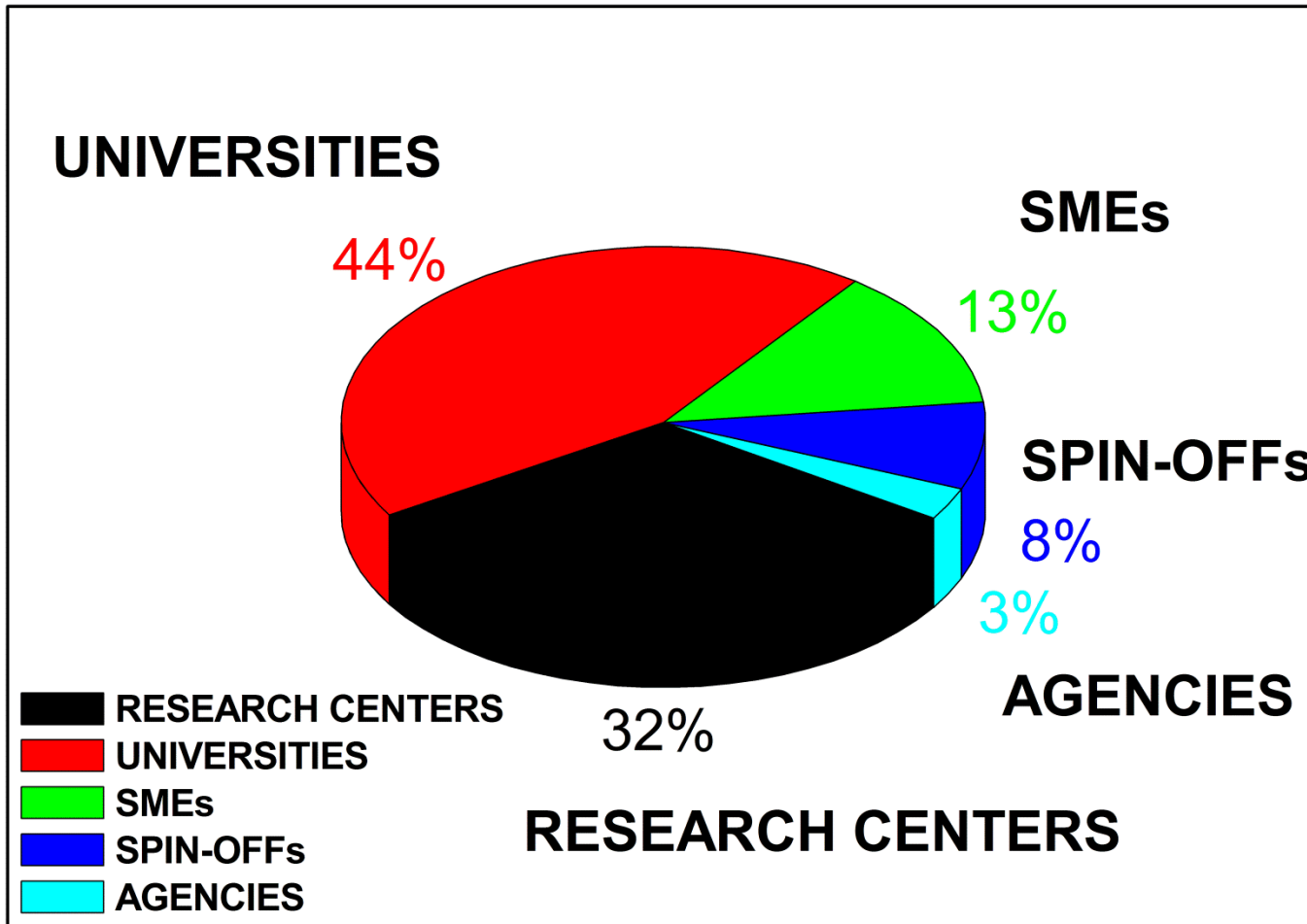
Juliane Rossbach, MC Substitute



**Non-COST Countries: NNC + IPC**

# Action Participation Statistics

**EuNetAir COST PARTNERSHIP** May 2016



**COST Parties: 31**  
**COST Organizations: 123**  
**UNIVERSITIES: 55**  
**RESEARCH CENTERS: 39**  
**SMEs: 16**  
**SPIN-OFFs: 9**  
**AGENCIES: 4**

31 COST Countries (Parties) have already signed Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)

**PARTIES: 31**

**already accepted MoU**

Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Luxembourg, The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Serbia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom

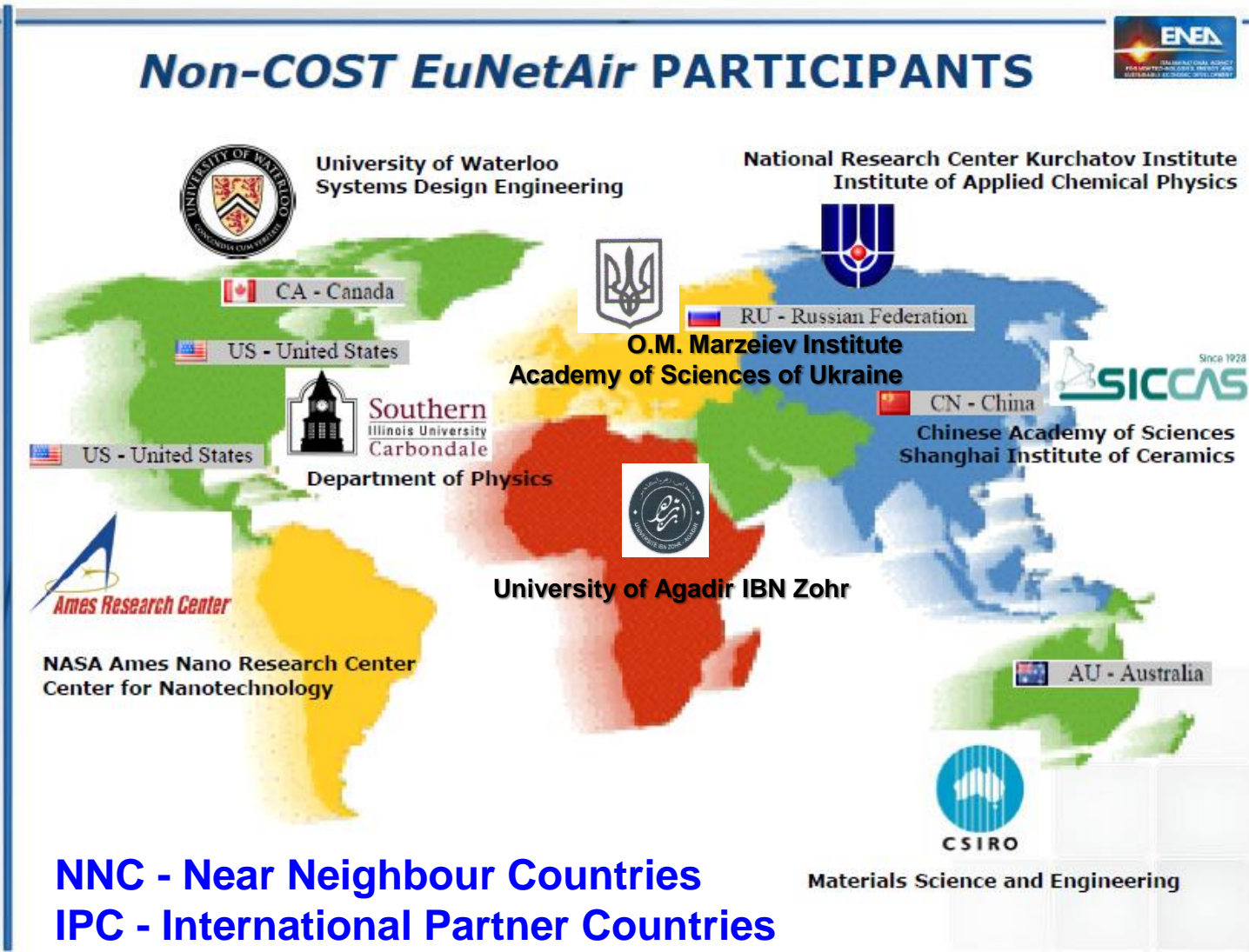


# COST Action TD1105 *EuNetAir*:

## 7 Non-COST Countries and 8 Non-COST Institutions

**Non-COST Countries:**  
Australia, Canada, China,  
Morocco, Russia, Ukraine,  
USA

**Non-COST Institutions:**  
CSIRO (Australia);  
University of Waterloo  
(Canada); Chinese Academy  
of Sciences, Shanghai  
Institute of Ceramics  
(China); University of  
Agadir IBN Zohr (Morocco);  
National Research Center  
Kurchatov Institute  
(Russia); O.M. Marzeiev  
Institute for Hygiene and  
Medical Ecology of  
Academy of Science of  
Ukraine (Ukraine); Southern  
Illinois University  
Carbondale, NASA Ames  
Research Center (USA).



# External Experts involved from International Organizations

International Organization	External Expert	Action Event
<b>JRC - IES, Ispra</b>	<i>Michele Gerboles</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rome, 3-5 Dec. 2012</li> <li>Barcelona, 20 June 2013</li> <li>Brescia, 10 Sept. 2014</li> <li>Linkoping, 3-5 June 2015</li> <li>Vienna, 25-26 February 2016</li> </ul>
<b>AQUILA Network</b>	<i>Annette Borowiak</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Duisburg, 4-6 March 2013</li> </ul>
<b>European Environment Agency (EEA)</b>	<i>Valentin Foltescu</i> <i>Cristina Guerreiro (NILU)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Copenhagen, 3-4 Oct. 2013</li> <li>Vienna, 25-26 February 2016</li> </ul>
<b>US Environment Protection Agency (EPA)</b>	<i>Tim Watkins</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cambridge, 18-20 Dec. 2013</li> </ul>
<b>UNECE</b>	<i>Wenche Aas (NILU)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Copenhagen, 3-4 Oct. 2013</li> </ul>
<b>WHO Europe</b>	<i>Michal Krzyzanowski</i> <i>(Former Head WHO Europe Office)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Riga, 26-27 March 2015</li> </ul>
<b>MIT, USA</b>	<i>Marguerite Nyhan</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Istanbul, 3-5 Dec. 2014</li> </ul>
<b>NASA Ames Research Center</b>	<i>Meyya Meyyappan</i> <i>Jing Li</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rome, 3-5 Dec. 2012</li> <li>Lille, 26-30 May 2014</li> </ul>
<b>CSIRO, Australia</b>	<i>Philip J. Martin</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Barcelona, 20 June 2013</li> </ul>
<b>QUT, Australia</b>	<i>Zorane Ristovski</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Belgrade, 13-14 Oct. 2015</li> </ul>



## Country

## MC Members (58): Male (69%) - Female (31%)

Austria	Dr. Anton KOCK
Belgium	Dr Jan THEUNIS; Dr Anne-Claude ROMAIN
Bulgaria	Dr Dimiter SYRAKOV; Dr Ivan NEDKOV
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Czech Republic	Dr. Vera KURKOVA; Dr. Zdenek ZELINGER
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Estonia	Prof. Raivo Jaaniso
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Greece	Prof. George PAPAPOULOS; Prof. Kostas KARATZAS
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Ireland	Dr. Francesco PILLA; Prof. John WENGER
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Turkey	Prof. Zafer ZIYA OZTURK; Prof. Mehmet Fatih DANISMAN

**Kick-off Meeting  
Brussels  
16 May 2012**

**MANAGEMENT  
COMMITTEE**

**MC Chair:** Michele Penza, ENEA, IT

**MC Vice Chair:** Anita Lloyd Spetz, Linkoping University, SE

**Grant Holder:** Eurice GmbH, Saarbrucken, DE

## Country

## MC Substitutes (33)

Austria	Dr Stefan DEFREGGER
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Czech Republic	Dr. Roman NERUDA
Denmark	Dr. Lise Lotte SORENSEN
Finland	Prof. Jorma KESKINEN
France	Dr Jean SUISSE; Prof. Alain PAULY Dr. Daniela SCHONAUER-KAMIN
Germany	Dr. Thomas KUHMBUSCH Dr. Juliane ROSSBACH
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# Year 4: Scientific Planning of *EuNetAir* (1/2)

Meetings/Workshops/Training Schools planned for upcoming year  
(Year 4: 1 July 2015 - 15 May 2016): EXTENSION: 15 Nov. 2016

- **WG1-WG4 Meeting** on *Air Quality Monitoring and Calibration: Horizons in Sensing Technologies, Methods and Modelling - Start of the 2<sup>nd</sup> EuNetAir Air Quality Joint-Exercise Intercomparison* organized by the VINCA Institute, Belgrade (**Serbia**), 13 - 14 Oct. 2015. Local organizer: Dr. Milena Jovasevic-Stojanovic, VINCA and Anka Cvetkovic, Public Health Institute of Belgrade
- The **4<sup>th</sup> International Workshop of the COST Action TD1105** on *Innovations and Challenges for Air Quality Control Sensors* at FFG (National AT COST Office), Wien (**Austria**), 25 - 26 February 2016. Local organizer: Dr. Anton Kock, MCL
- The **Action 4<sup>th</sup> International Training School** on *Modelling, Methods and Technologies for Air Quality Control* at Emdrup Campus in Copenhagen, by Aarhus University (**Denmark**), 19 - 22 April 2016.  
Local Organizer: Prof. Ole Hertel, Aarhus University. Trainees: 20. Trainers: 8.  
Deadline for Trainees Application: 10 March 2016

# Year 4: Scientific Planning of *EuNetAir* (2/2)

MC/WG Meetings planned for the upcoming year

(Year 4: 1 July 2015 - 15 May 2016): EXTENSION: 15 Nov. 2016

- **5<sup>th</sup> SCIENTIFIC MEETING: WGs Meeting and 8<sup>th</sup> MC Meeting on New Sensing Technologies for Indoor Air Pollution Monitoring and Environmental Measurements** at Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, Sofia (**Bulgaria**), 16 - 18 Dec. 2015. Local organizers: Prof. Ivan Nedkov and Prof. Dimiter Syrakov, BAS

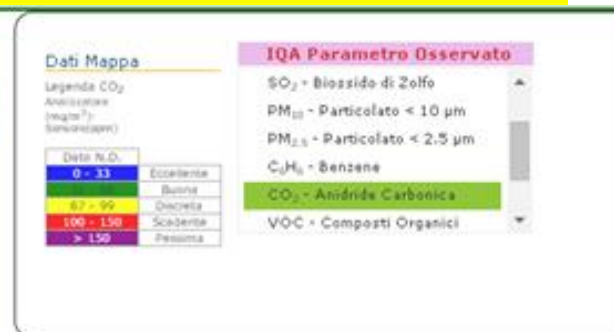
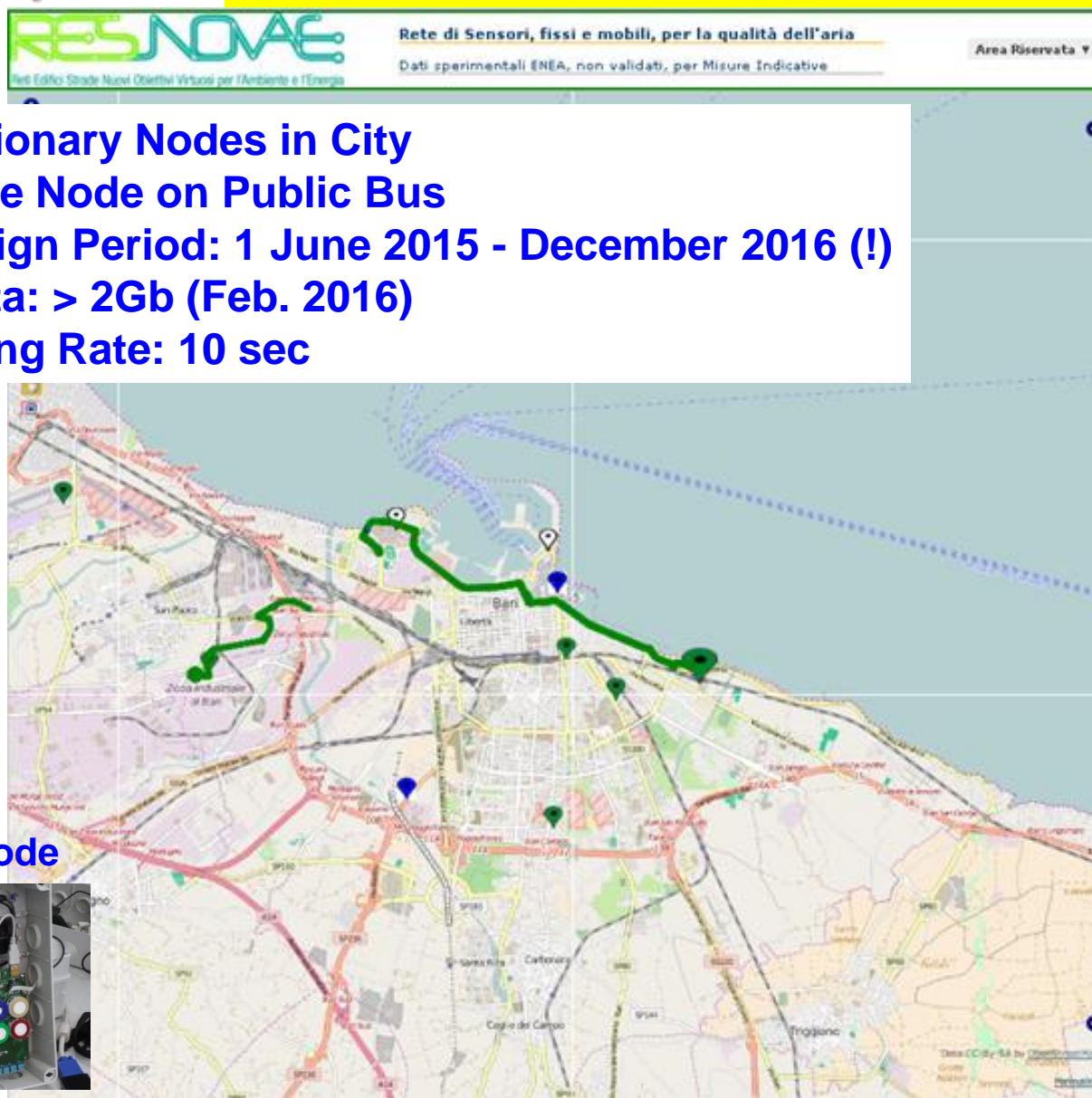
- **6<sup>th</sup> SCIENTIFIC MEETING: WGs Meeting and 9<sup>th</sup> MC Meeting on New Sensing Technologies for Outdoor Air Quality Monitoring** at Czech Academy of Sciences, Prague (**Czech Republic**), 5 - 7 October 2016. Local Organizers: Prof. Zdenek Zelinger, Dr. Vera Kurkova, Dr. Roman Neruda, CAS - FINAL MEETING

- **Special Session EuNetAir / Core-Group Meeting** to **EUROSENSORS 2015**, Freiburg (**Germany**), 6 - 10 September 2015

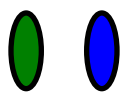
# IT NATIONAL PROJECT RES-NOVAE: OUTDOOR APPLICATIONS

AQ ENEA Sensors Fixed Nodes Network distributed in Bari (Italy)  
Urban Control Center (UCC) collects data from City.

Smart City Bari



- 10 Stationary Nodes in City
- 1 Mobile Node on Public Bus
- Campaign Period: 1 June 2015 - December 2016 (!)
- Big Data: > 2Gb (Feb. 2016)
- Sampling Rate: 10 sec



AirBOX  
Sensor-Node



# IT NATIONAL PROJECT RES-NOVAE: OUTDOOR APPLICATIONS

Smart City Bari

## AQ ENEA Sensors Fixed Nodes Network distributed in Bari (Italy)



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### ENEA Sensors Lab OpenVPN Status Monitor

N7: ON BUS



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# AIR-SENSOR BOX: *Proof-of-Concept by ENEA*

## MicroSensors for Urban Air Quality Monitoring

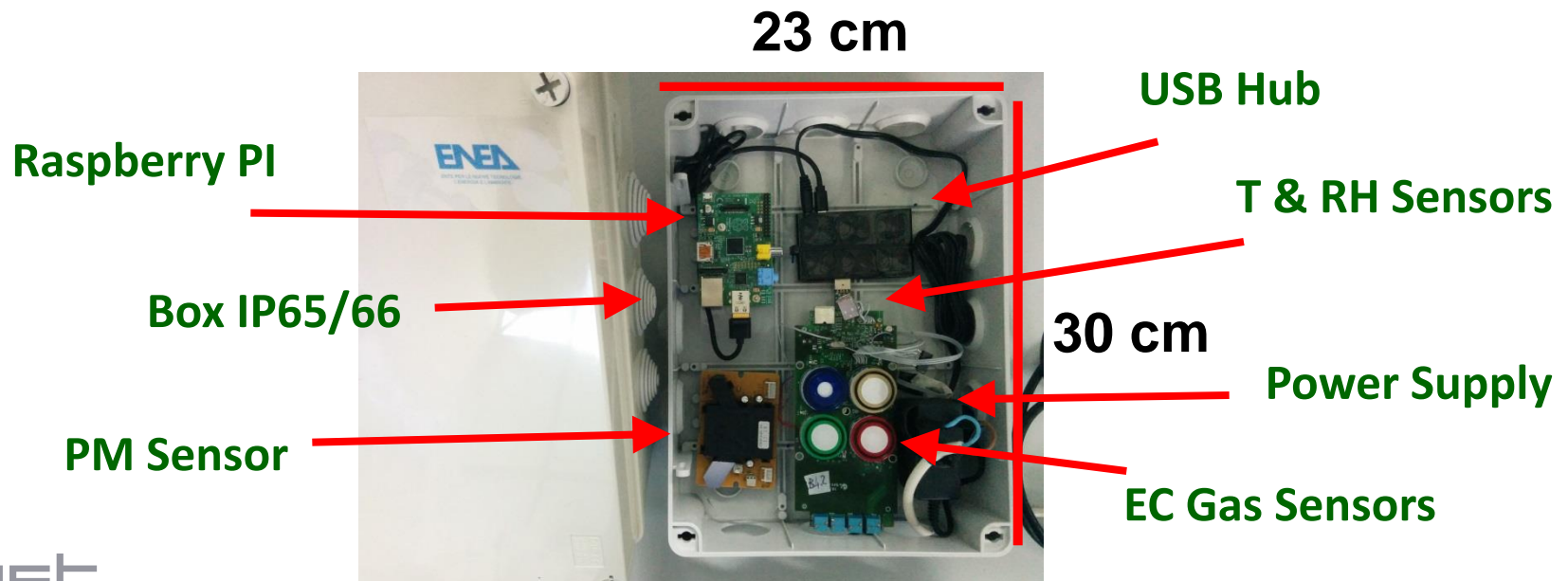
### Wireless Sensor-Node Network for Air Quality Monitoring

- Hardware:

**A. AQ Multiparametric Sensor Node:** NO<sub>2</sub>, O<sub>3</sub>, CO, SO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>10</sub>, T, RH

**B. Electronics:** Raspberry PI, Modem GSM, SIM Card, Wi-Fi

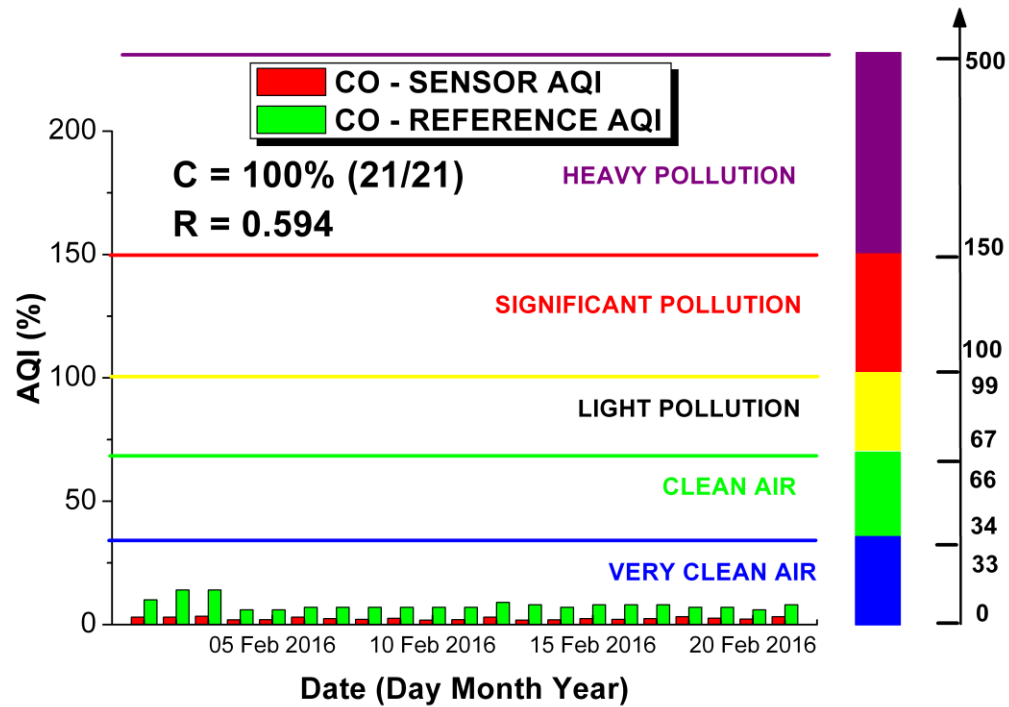
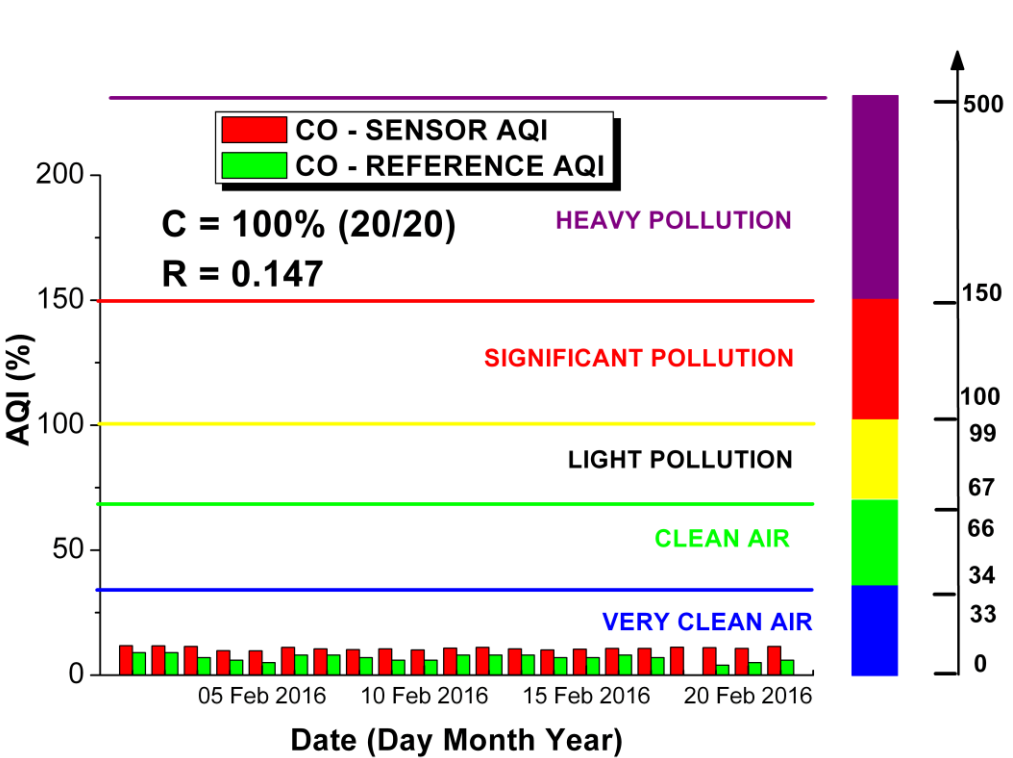
**C. Database:** saving data in real-time on a server (*IBM Italia collaboration*)



# CITY SENSORS NETWORK: AQI from Nodes

**CO**  
**Node 2: ENEA**  
**AQI Sensor vs. AQI Reference**  
**1 - 21 February 2016**

**CO**  
**Node 6: Bari AIRPORT**  
**AQI Sensor vs. AQI Reference**  
**1 - 21 February 2016**



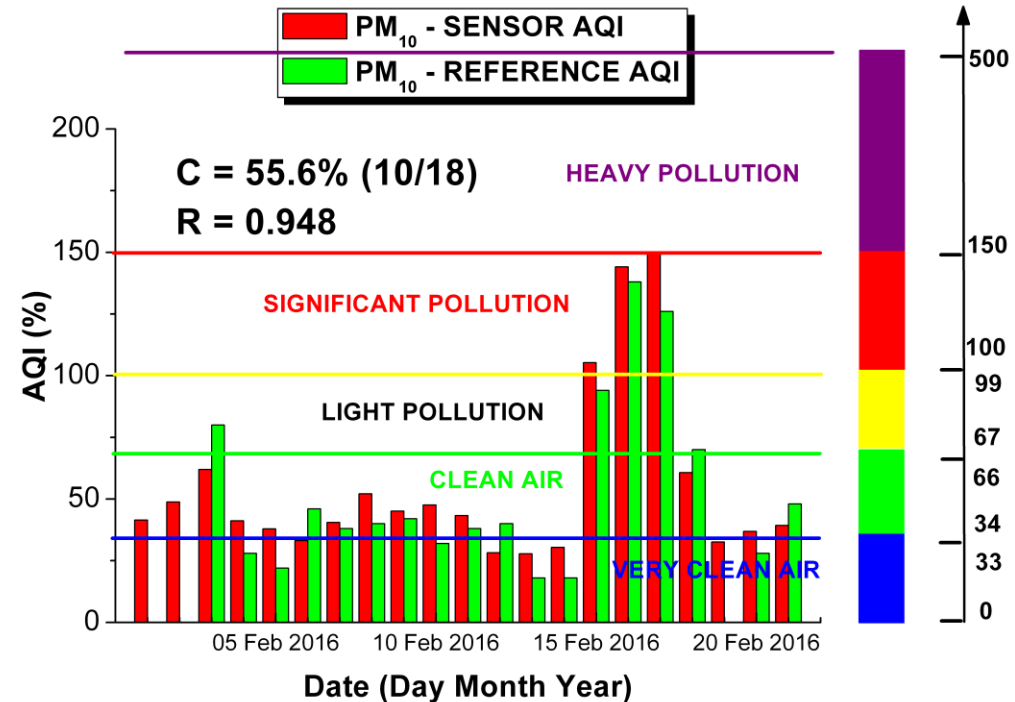
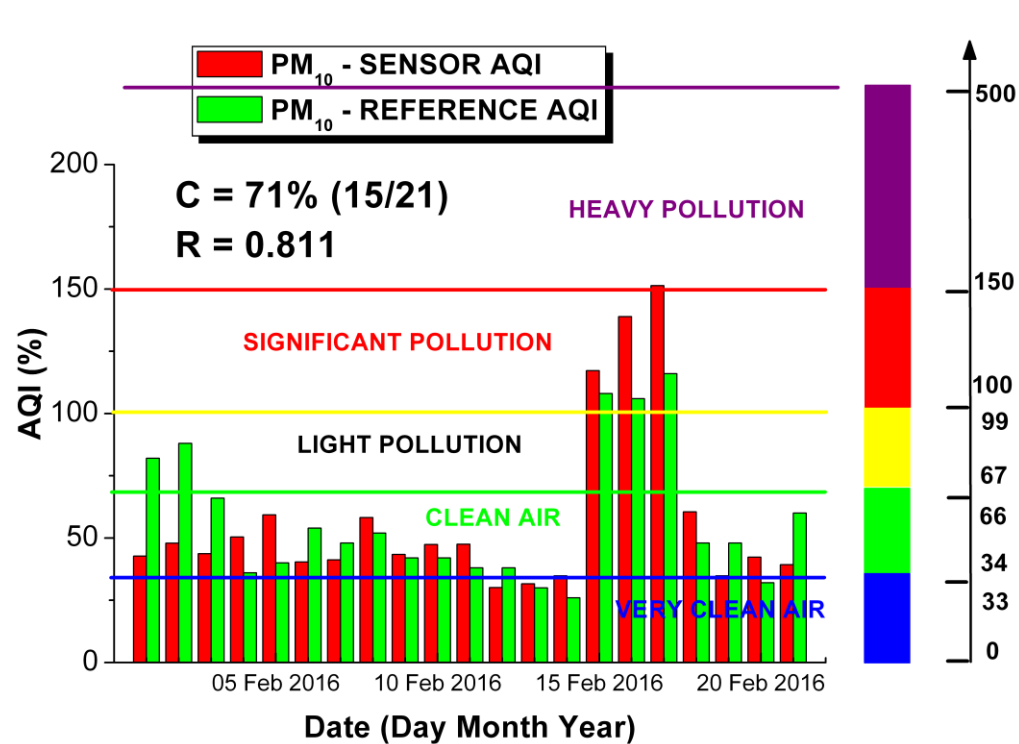
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**Courtesy by ENEA**

# CITY SENSORS NETWORK: AQI from Nodes

## PM<sub>10</sub> Node 2: ENEA AQI Sensor vs. AQI Reference 1 - 21 February 2016

## PM<sub>10</sub> Node 6: Bari AIRPORT AQI Sensor vs. AQI Reference 1 - 21 February 2016



*R = Correlation Coefficient*  
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# Aveiro Joint-Exercise Intercomparison & WG Meeting

13 - 27 October 2014: Starting Joint-Exercise (2 weeks duration)

14 - 15 October 2014: EuNetAir WG1-WG4 Meeting

**EuNetAir Air Quality Joint-Exercise Intercomparison 2014**

**Local Organizers: Prof. Carlos Borrego and Dr. Ana Margarida Costa (IDAD)**

**Air Quality Monitoring campaign at Aveiro (Portugal) city centre 2014**



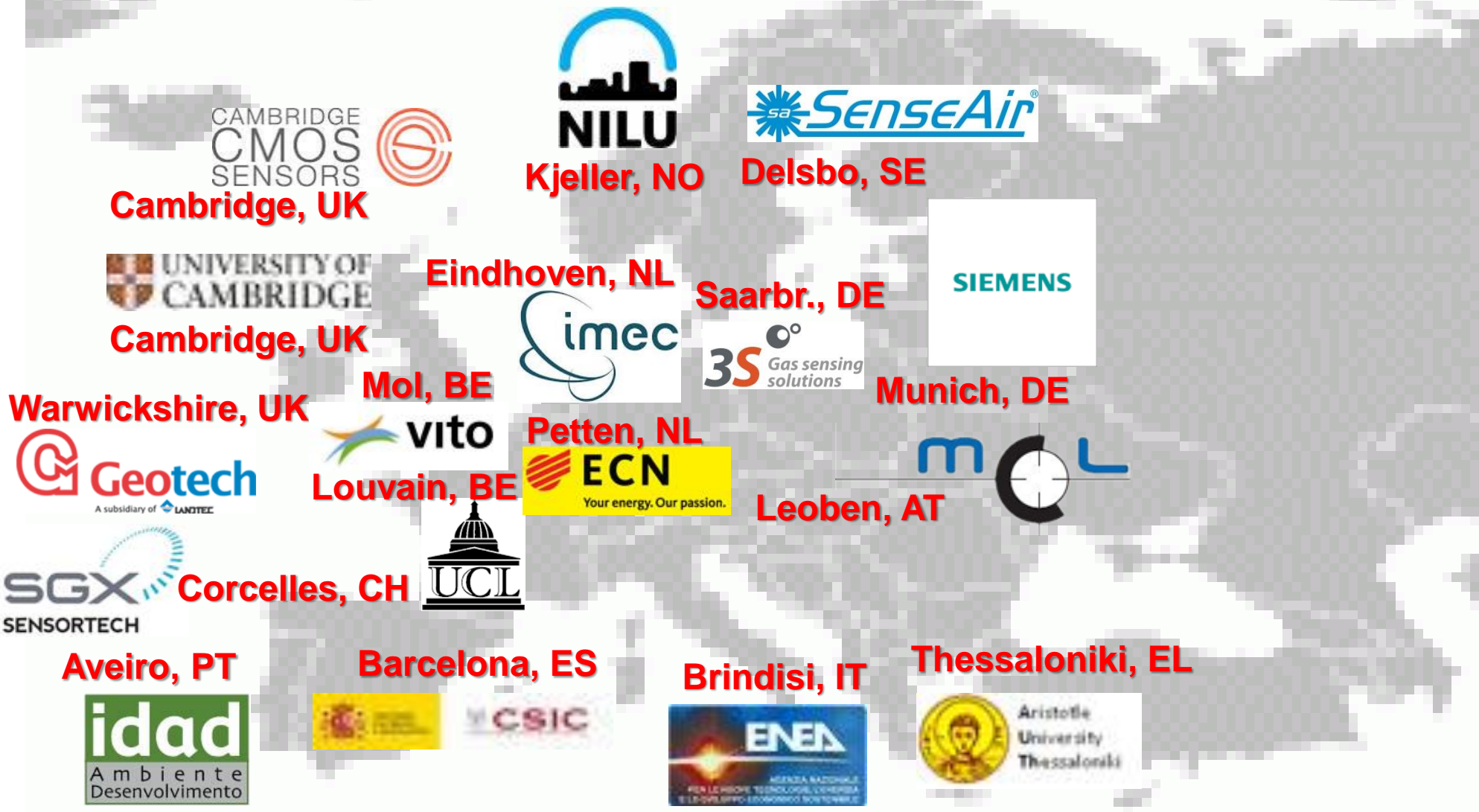
Continuous measurements: CO, benzene, NO<sub>x</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>10</sub>, VOC

Temperature, humidity, wind velocity, wind direction, solar radiation, precipitation

**COST partners (15 teams joined from 12 COST Countries) installed their microsensors side-by-side to compare performance with referenced equipment in the Air-Quality Mobile Laboratory**

# COST Action TD1105 *EuNetAir*: Aveiro INTERCOMPARISON

*New Sensing Technologies and Modelling for Air-Pollution Monitoring*



# 1<sup>ST</sup> EuNetAir Air Quality Joint-Exercise Intercomparison

## • Micro-sensors typologies and monitored pollutants:

- Electrochemical sensors:
  - NO, NO<sub>2</sub>, CO, O<sub>3</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>
- Optical sensors:
  - PM1, PM2.5, PM10
- Metal Oxide Semiconductor based sensors (MOS):
  - NO<sub>2</sub>, COV, CO, O<sub>3</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>
- Non dispersive infrared technology sensors (NDIR):
  - CO<sub>2</sub>
- Photoionization detection sensors (PID):
  - COV<sub>t</sub>

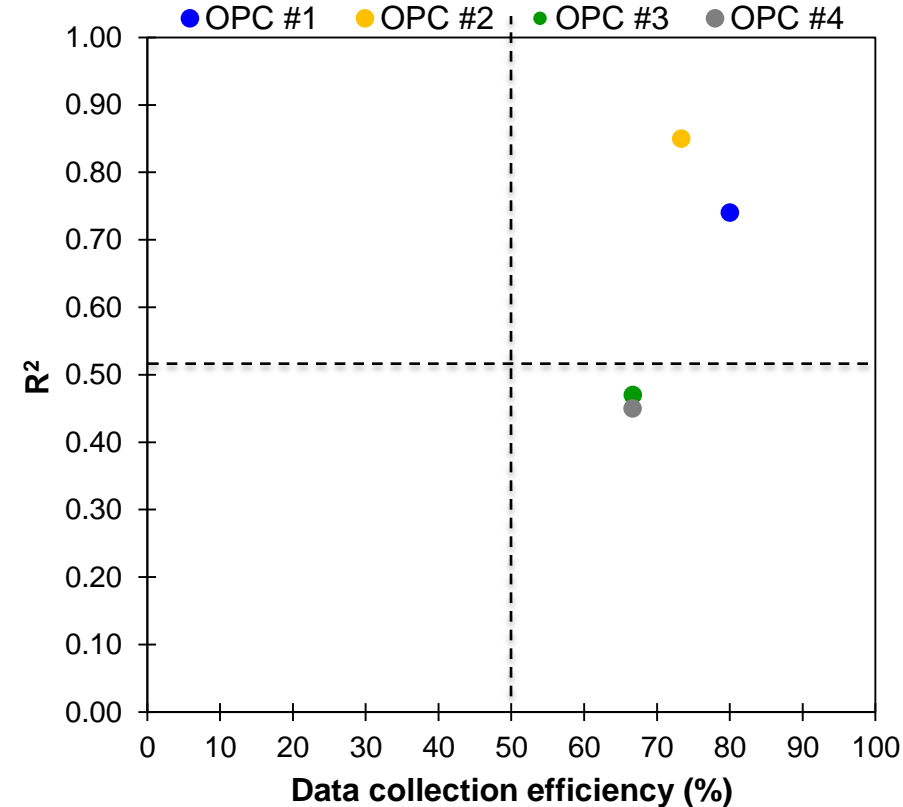
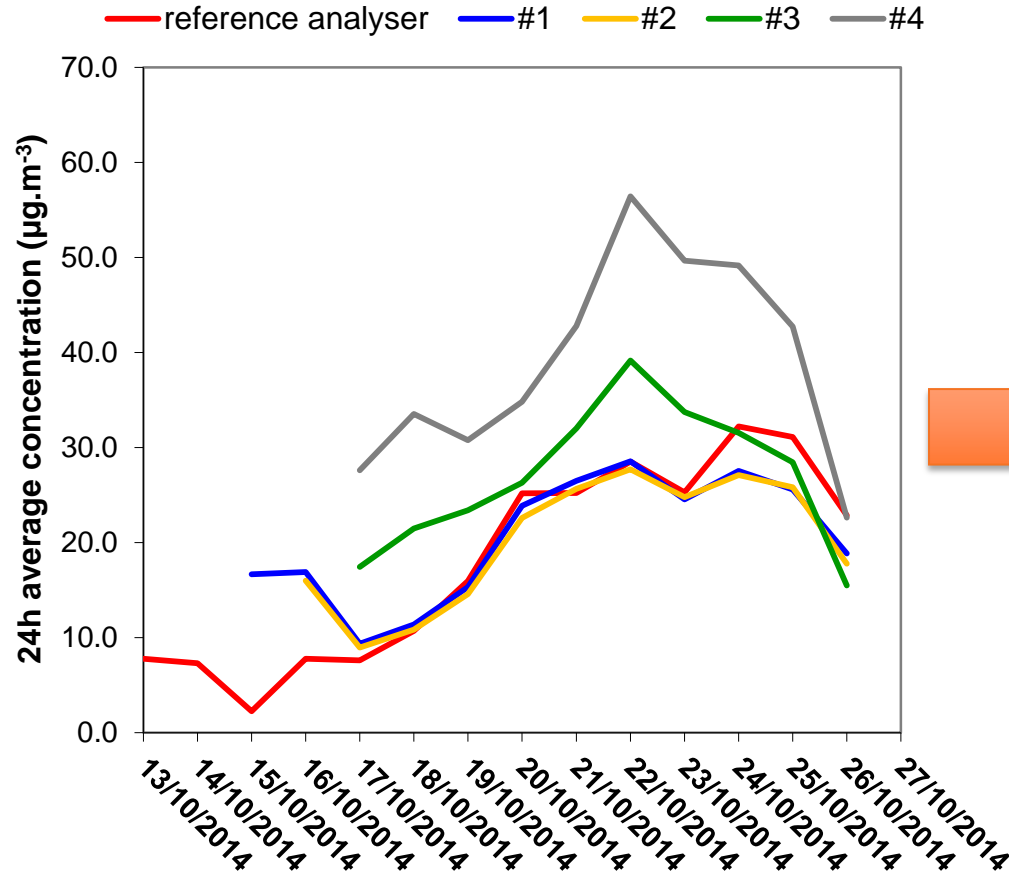


*Carlos Borrego, IDAD, Aveiro, Portugal*

# Assessment of micro-sensors vs. reference methods

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- **PM2.5:**



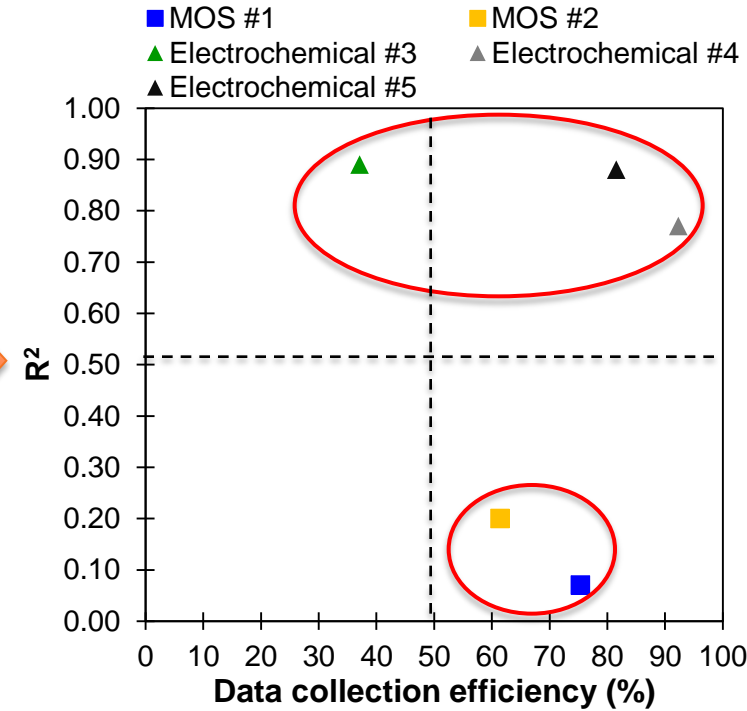
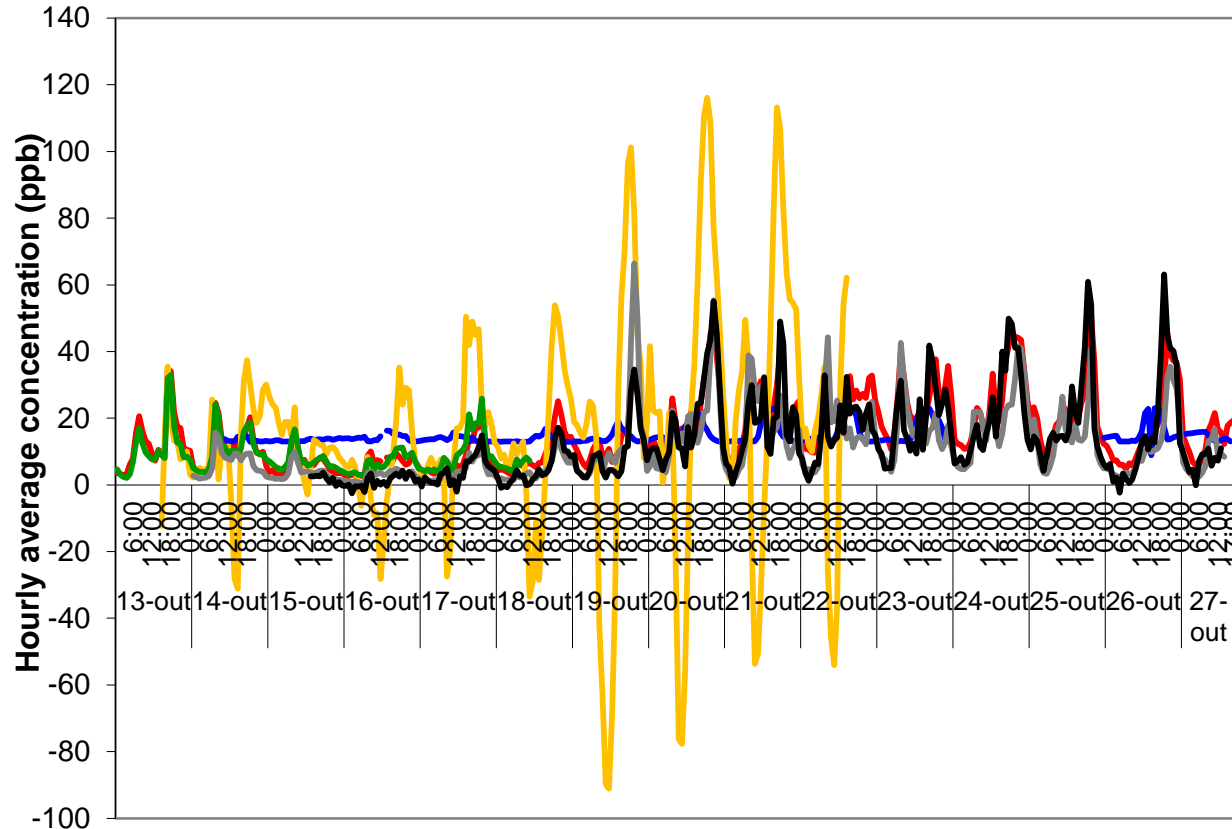
- The optical (OPC) sensors for PM2.5 presented correlations varying between 0.45-0.85 and data collection efficiencies in the range of 67-80%.

# Assessment of micro-sensors vs. reference methods

Carlos Borrego, IDAD, Aveiro, Portugal

- NO<sub>2</sub>:**

— reference analyser — #1 — #2 — #3 — #4 — #5



- Electrochemical sensors showed a greater correlation with the reference method and in most cases a higher efficiency collecting data than metal oxide semiconductor (MOS) sensors.

# Open Questions of the Air Quality Sensors

- Lower Accuracy compared to Reference Methods
- Cross-sensitivity and low Selectivity
- Low Stability and Drift to be corrected periodically
- Calibration needs periodically (e.g., at least 1 calibration/month)
- Regular Maintenance of the in-field AQ sensor nodes
- Data Quality Objective (European Directive 2008/50/EC) to be addressed for ***Indicative Measurements*** by demonstration of the equivalence to use microsensors for AQ monitoring

# Advantages and Benefits of the Air Quality Sensors

- Low-cost for deployment in Cities at high spatial-temporal resolution
- Suitability for personal exposure studies
- Suitability for emission source information
- Outdoor monitoring of gases ( $\text{NO}_2/\text{NO}$ ,  $\text{O}_3$ ,  $\text{CO}$ ,  $\text{SO}_2$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$ , tVOCs,  $\text{CO}_2$ ,  $\text{NH}_3$ , etc.)
- Outdoor monitoring of particulate matter ( $\text{PM}_{10}$ ,  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ ,  $\text{PM}_{1.0}$ , UFP)
- Indoor monitoring of gases ( $\text{CO}$ , VOCs, benzene, formaldehyde, naphthalene, toluene, etc.) and PM ( $\text{PM}_{10}$ ,  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ ,  $\text{PM}_{1.0}$ )
- Combination of sensors with modelling for micro-scale analysis (1-2 mt resolution)

# OUTREACH ACTIVITIES from Action TD1105

## COST Action TD1105 - EuNetAir

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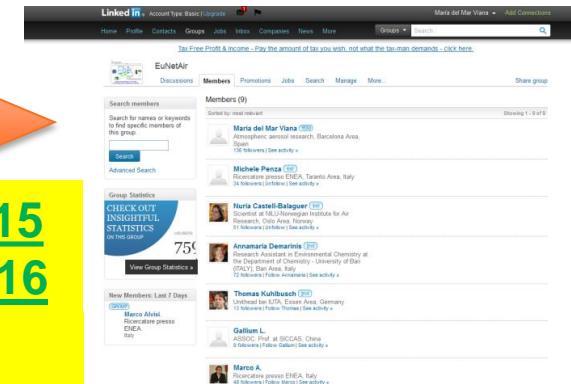
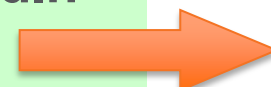
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Social Scientific ESRs Network (SSEN) by LinkedIn

Members: >80 - Moderators: M. Viana, M. Minguillon



4° CALL for Short Exchange Visits launched on September 2015  
Short Term Scientific Mission: **9 TO BE FUNDED by 15 Nov. 2016**

**Dr. Jan Theunis, STSM Coordinator EuNetAir**



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# CONCLUSIONS

**The COST Action TD1105 *EuNetAir* is proposed to solve problems in the area of:**

- Air Quality Control
- Environmental Sustainability
- Indoor/Outdoor Energy Efficiency
- Climate Change Monitoring
- Health Effects of Air-Pollution

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