

## **THE FRAUNHOFER-GESELLSCHAFT**

**“LOGISTICS MAKE THE WORLD GO ROUND –  
BETTER STRUCTURES AND PROCESSES THROUGH  
RESEARCH”**

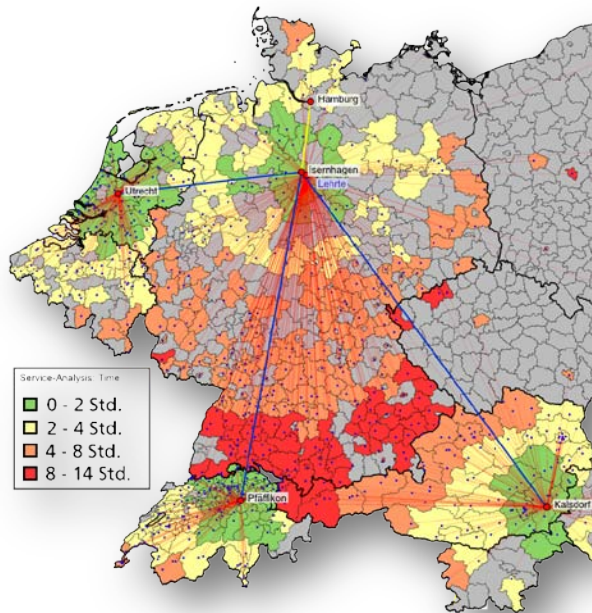
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# Improving logistics .. is about structure and processes



- Analysis of distribution and consolidation strategies  
Determination of optimal stratification (modes of transport, types of storage, capacities, inventory management etc.)
- Positioning of logistics facilities:  
Optimization of # of locations and allocation of facilities
- Optimization of costumer allocations:  
Calculation of distribution areas determined by storage capacities
- Strategical and tactical route scheduling:  
Determination of solid standard runs and required vehicles
- Calculation and controlling of transport costs:  
Calculation of transport costs due to given tariffs, verification of forwarder's bills / tariffs / offers

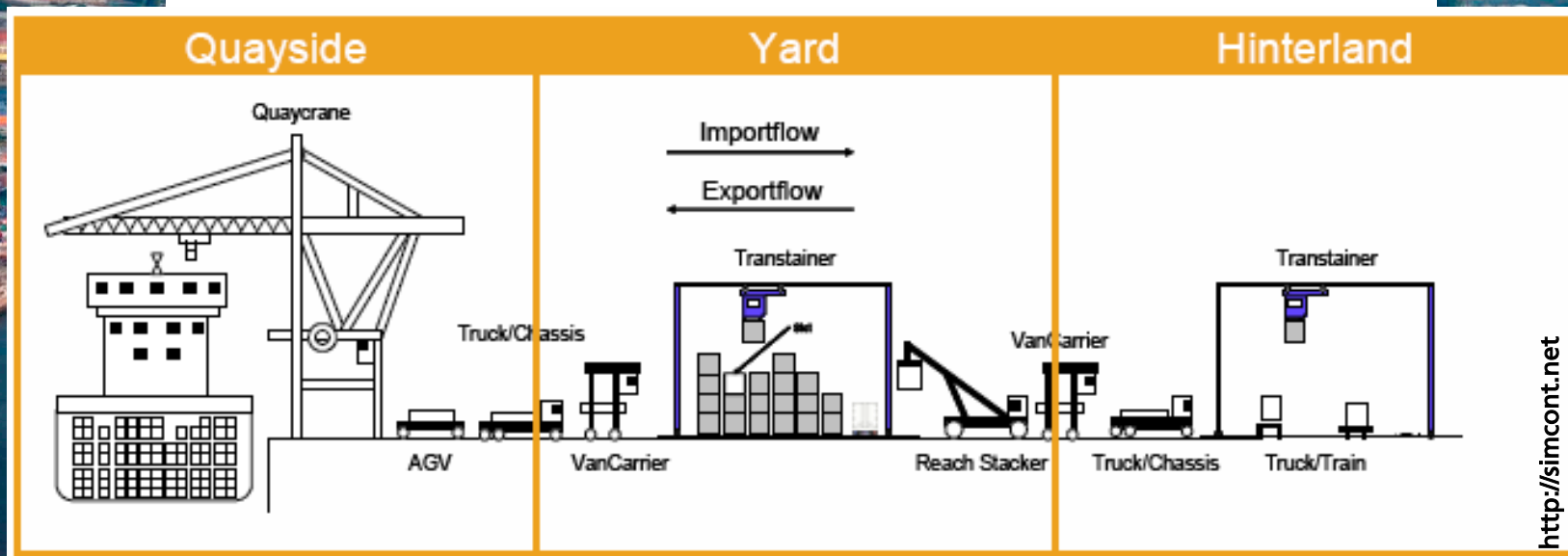


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# Logistics enables the world to come together

**Top 20 container terminals and their throughput for 2006, 2007 and 2008**  
(TEUs and percentage change)

Port name	2006	2007	2008	Percentage change 2007-2006	Percentage change 2008-2007
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Tianjin	5 950 000	7 103 000	8 500 000	19.38	19.67
Port Klang	6 326 294	7 118 714	7 970 000	12.53	11.96
Los Angeles	8 469 853	8 355 039	7 849 985	-1.36	-6.04
Long Beach	7 290 365	7 312 465	6 487 816	0.30	-11.28
Tanjung Pelepas	4 770 000	5 500 000	5 600 000	15.30	1.82
Bremen/Bremerhaven	4 428 203	4 892 239	5 500 709	10.48	12.44
New York/New Jersey	5 092 806	5 299 105	5 265 053	4.05	-0.64
<b>Total top 20</b>	<b>208 479 500</b>	<b>235 823 091</b>	<b>247 373 540</b>	<b>13.12</b>	<b>4.90</b>

UNCTAD (2009)



# Reference - Examination of development potentials and Logistics Strategy of Duisburg Port

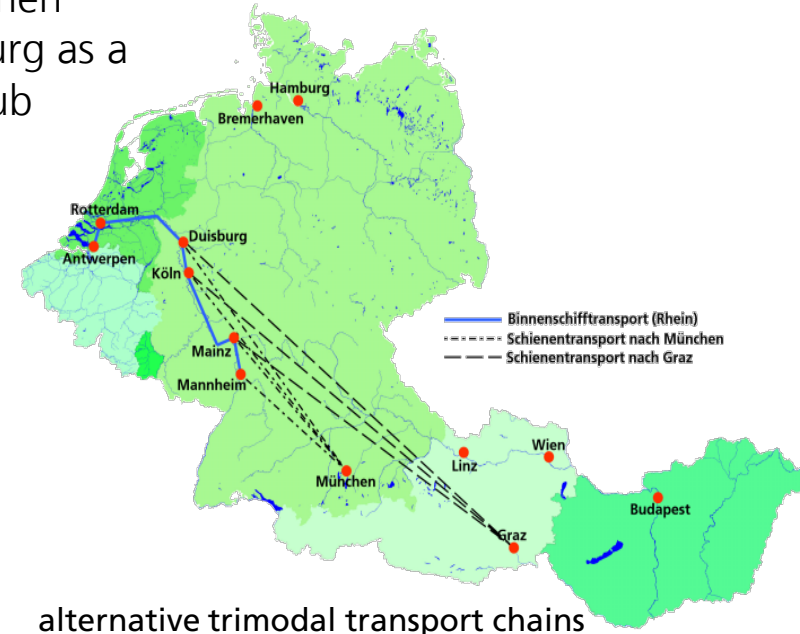


Themes which have been examined

- Chances for development / obstacles and future demands for logistics sites and services
- Possibilities to strengthen the position of Duisburg as a sea port hinterland-hub

## Approach

- Evaluation of the 3 column strategy:  
Infrastructure – logistic services – strategic cooperations
- Analyses of the situation of competition
- Analyses of options for new businesses and competitive situations
- Calculation of models to compare different Hinterland connections



# SMART-CM: Responding to challenges

EU funded project with Fraunhofer including some of the Worlds' largest

- terminal operators,
- logistic service providers,
- shipping companies,
- technology providers and
- national customs organisations

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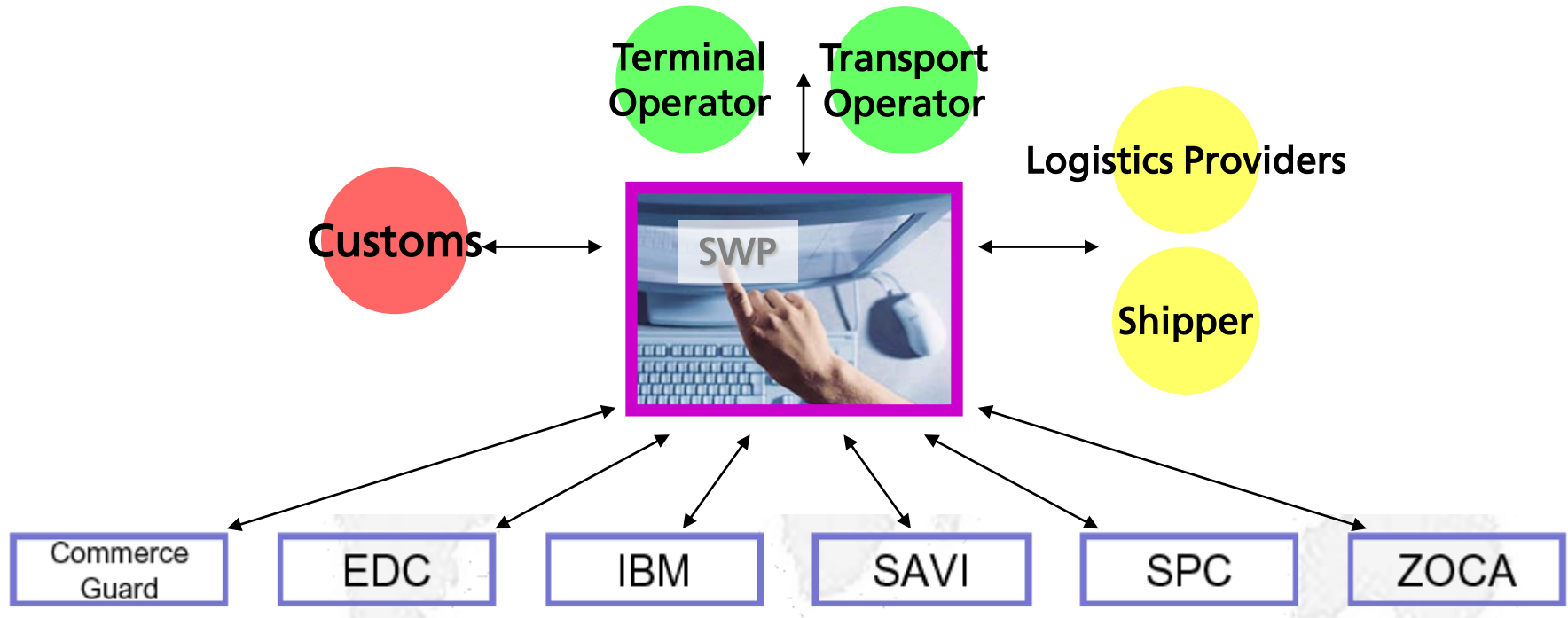


EUROPEAN DATACOMM

aiming at improved security for container transport, beneficial for business and logistics responding to the challenges of the future i.e.:

- **Increase supply chain visibility**
- **Achieve faster throughput in transport corridors (green lanes)**
- **Accomplish high level chain security (continuous control)**
- **Improve productivity in chain operation**

# SMART-CM approach (1/2) "Single Window" platform



Container Security Technology (CST): active RFID / satellite comms / multi-sensoric units



# SMART-CM approach (2/2) neutral communication & service platform

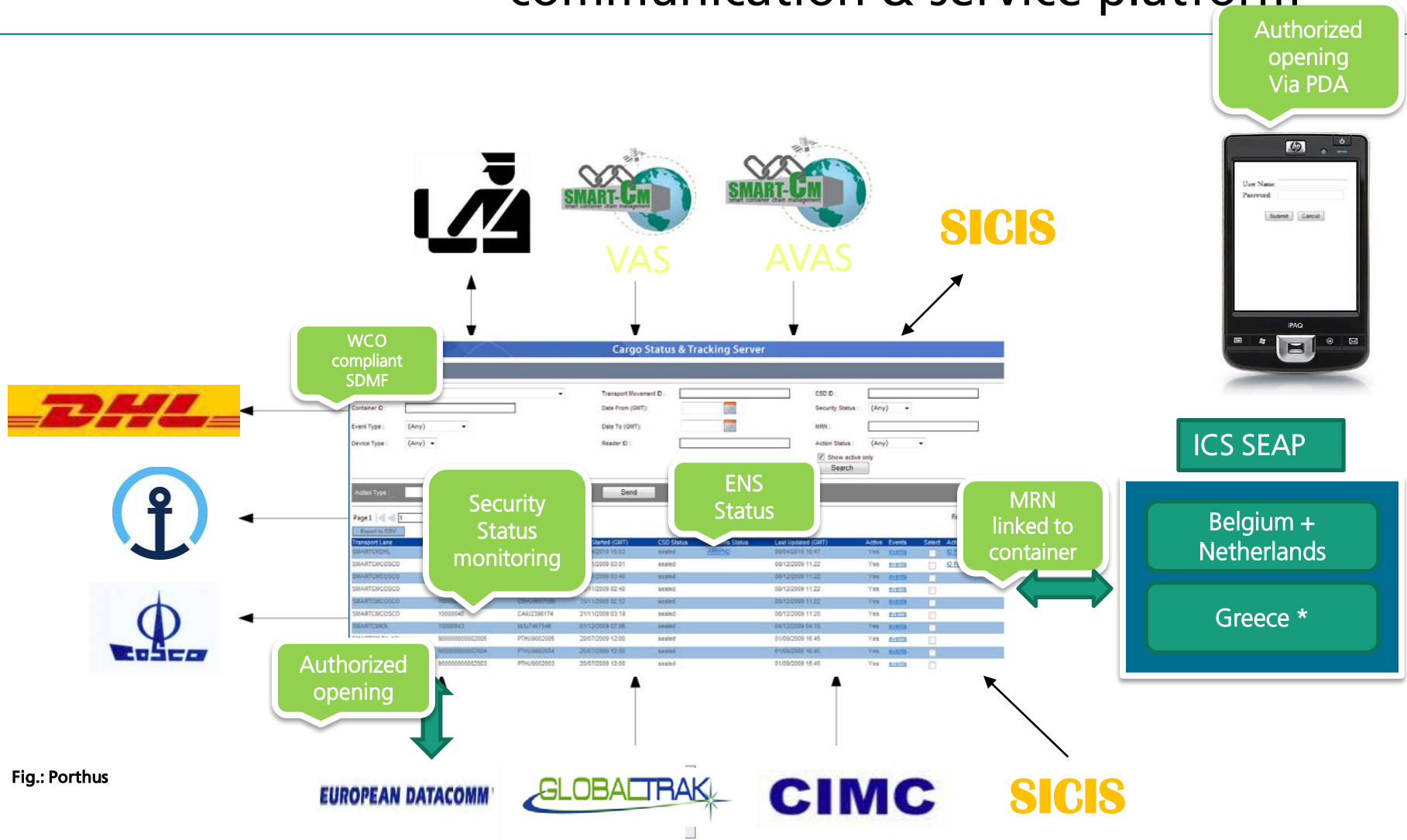


Fig.: Porthus

# Permanent, pro-active tracking & tracing / controlling

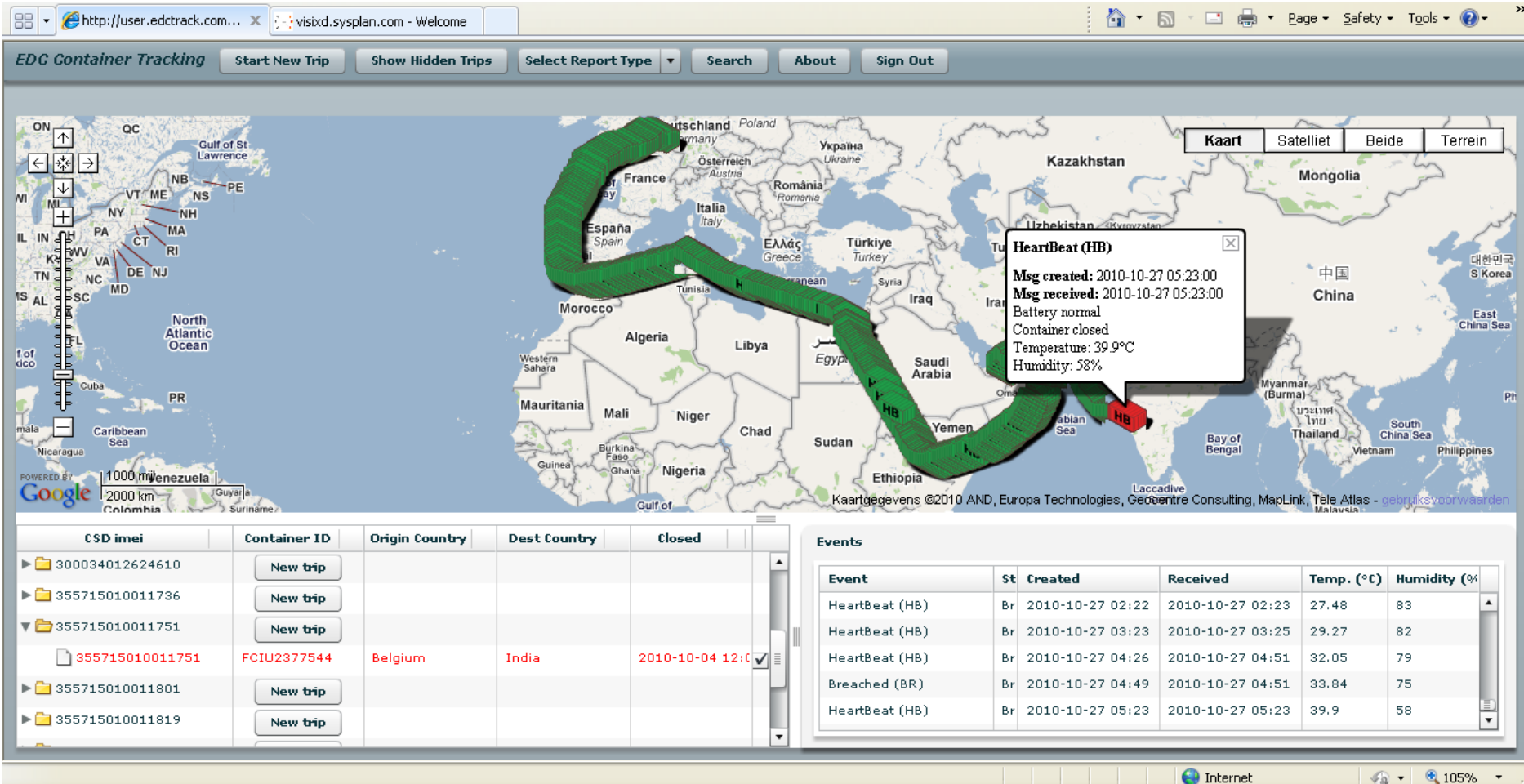


Fig.: TREDIT



# EffizienzCluster LogistikRuhr – one of 15 winners of Germany's leading-edge research competition



- Supporting the strategic development of leading-edge clusters in science and economy
  - The Leading-Edge Cluster competition is intended to take Germany to the top of the league of technologically advanced nations.
  - The high-performance clusters formed by business and science which join into strategic partnerships are set to boost Germany's innovative strengths and economic success.
- » three rounds of competition: in each round, up to EUR 200 million will be made available to up to five Leading-Edge Clusters
- » the funding of Leading-Edge Clusters is based on a common strategy that starts from the respective strengths of each cluster and is aimed at the definition of future development objectives



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# Main Goals



## Efficient management of resources

- Efficient production and transport of goods
- Efficient handling of resources and environment



## Keep individuality

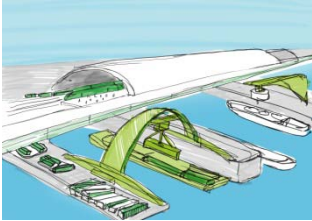
- Individual supply of goods and information
- Keep individual mobility



## Urban supply safety

- Solid and save logistics for urban areas
- Urban logistics systems in a global context

# Guiding Topics



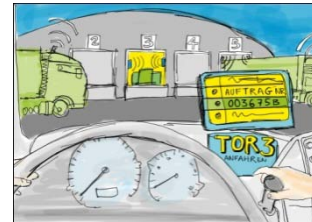
Management of  
goods traffic



Focus on  
environment



Urban supply



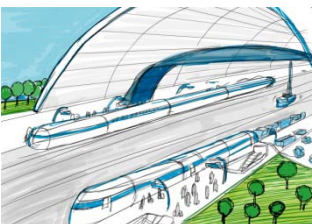
Activation of  
cluster potential



Mutable logistics  
systems



Logistics-as-a-Service



Logistic construction  
competence  
(education)



## MIB - “less stress construction sites”



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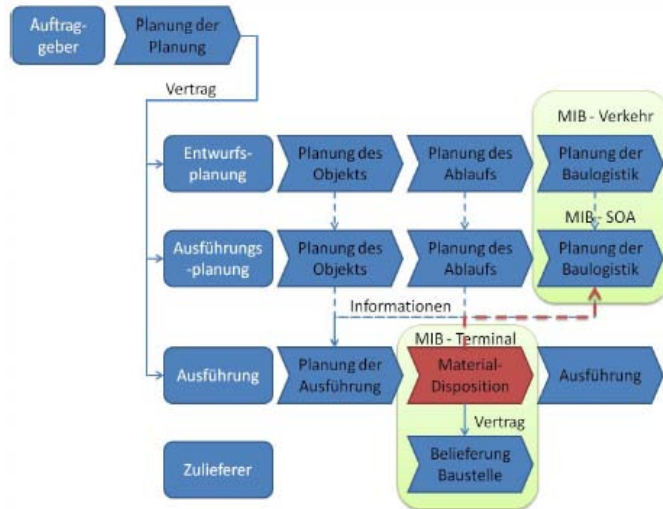


# Minimalinvasive Baumaßnahmen “less stress construction sites”

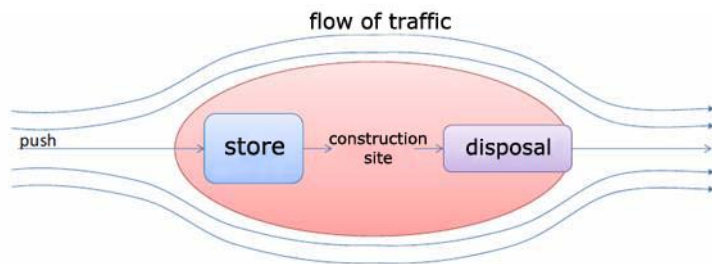


- Partners in the research project
  - Sonepar Deutschland Region West GmbH
  - REICHEL Projektmanagementgesellschaft mbH
  - GEOsat GmbH
  - Gradwohl Konzept
  - Fraunhofer IML
  
- Duration and budget
  - Project start: October 1st, 2010
  - Project duration: 18 months
  - Project volume of approx. 1 mio Euro

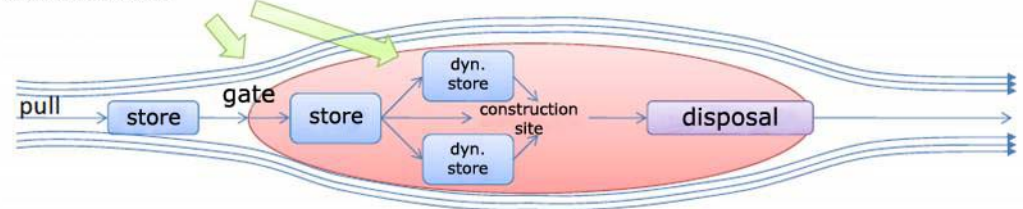
# Objectives



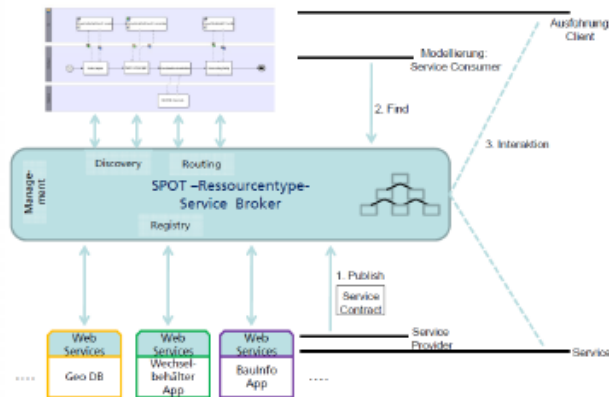
- Improving the traffic flow in the surroundings of constructional projects
  - 15 % less stress on the traffic flow by constructional projects
- Reducing the environmental impact by 10%
  - direct influence on the construction site by means of innovative tools
  - new global aims in the sense of the ecological view
- Reduction of the construction duration by 5%
  - intended by optimized supply and waste management



significant speedup (ramp up) in the traffic flow and on the construction site



# First Achievements



- Development of a technical concept
  - based on requirements engineering with an early integration of all project stakeholders
- Development of the organizational concept
  - transparent presentation of the system
  - display of the demands on data transfer inside and to the system
- Development of a marketing concept
  - determination of the surplus value and potential of the project
  - holistic approach is very unusual in the construction sector
- Current challenges
  - difficulty in finding a constructional project, which appears as a pilot project for the research scheme
  - established structures impede the access of a new strategy and service to the market



## ELA - Efficiency in Logistics Facilities



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# Project Partners and Framework



## ■ Partners

- ESG Elektroniksystem- und Logistik-GmbH
- TU Dortmund, Institute of Transport Logistics (ITL)
- DB Mobility Logistics AG
- AMETRAS nobab GmbH
- Logwin Solutions Deutschland GmbH
- Kühne + Nagel (AG & Co.) KG

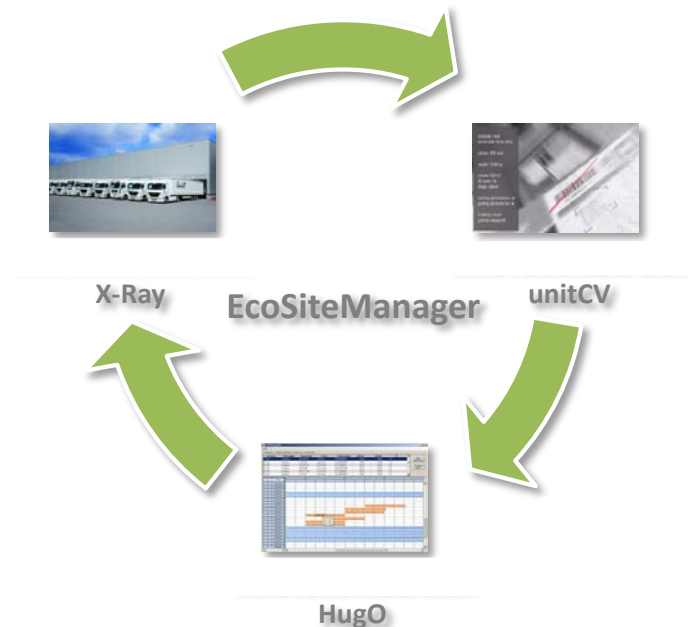
## ■ Project volume

- about 3.65 m. €

## ■ Duration

- June 1, 2010 – May 31, 2013

# EcoSiteManager: The development of this software prototype is based on three areas of innovation:



- **unitCV**
  - Storing relevant shipment information in an electronic CV and IT-platform
- **HugO**
  - Application of Human guided optimization methods and therefore interactive software
- **X-Ray**
  - Monitoring function of all objects and resources within the system

# ELA Projects and methods





## Multimodal Promotion



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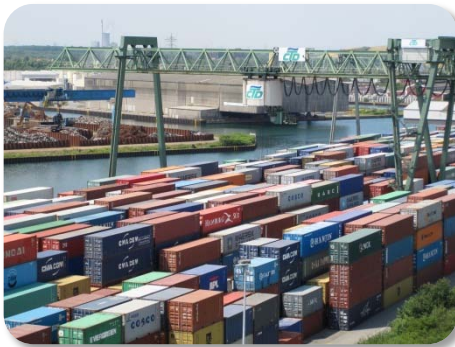


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# Multimodal Promotion - Project targets

- Development of a Web 2.0 tool for the simple design of multimodal door-2-door transport chains without previous knowledge about the combined transport
- Implementation of a company-wide consolidation of transport streams, including drayage and haulage planning
- Bundling small quantities into large volumes
- Improvements of sustainability and efficiency



**Trimodal D2D  
transport chain  
design**



**Company-wide  
consolidation**

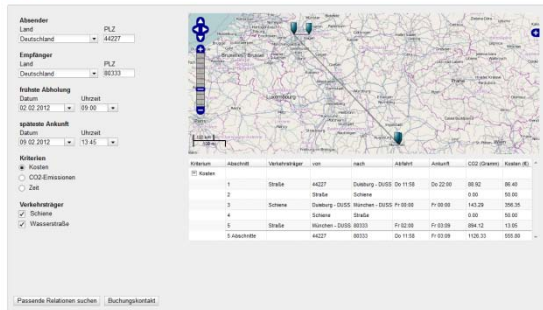


**Evaluation of  
alternatives (cost,  
time, CO2e)**

# Multimodal Promotion - Platform's main functions



Bitte beachten Sie, dass es sich hierbei um einen ersten Prototypen basierend auf Beispieldaten und einem vereinfachten Algorithmus handelt und daher der volle Funktionsumfang noch nicht gegeben ist. (Details Informationen)



The screenshot shows a web interface for MultimodalPromotion. It includes a map of Germany with a route highlighted. Below the map is a table with columns: 'Reihenfolge', 'Abschnitt', 'Verkehrsträger', 'von', 'nach', 'Abfahrt', 'Ankunft', 'CO2 (Liter)', and 'Kosten (€)'. The table lists several routes between different locations like 'Stralsund', 'Dachau', 'Hannover', and 'Stralsund'.

- Interface between operators and users
- Schedule check
  - The aim is the assignment of appropriate schedules to the transportation orders
  - Simple or detailed examination of the own transport volumes
- Timetable formation
  - The aim is to consolidate the transportation amounts and to create new transportation alternatives
  - Calculations are based on all data entered by the users
- Local traffic planning
  - The goal is the reduction of truck trips in pre-and post stages through a comprehensive customers' tours planning
  - Building of FTL by bundling the LTL

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# Summary

Globalization is an ongoing process providing challenges and huge opportunities for individuals and institutions.

Logistics needs long-term planning as well as short-term **flexibility**, innovative, and affordable solutions.

Logistics and mobility of the future will have to be robust and safe, ecological and economical feasible.



# Thank you.

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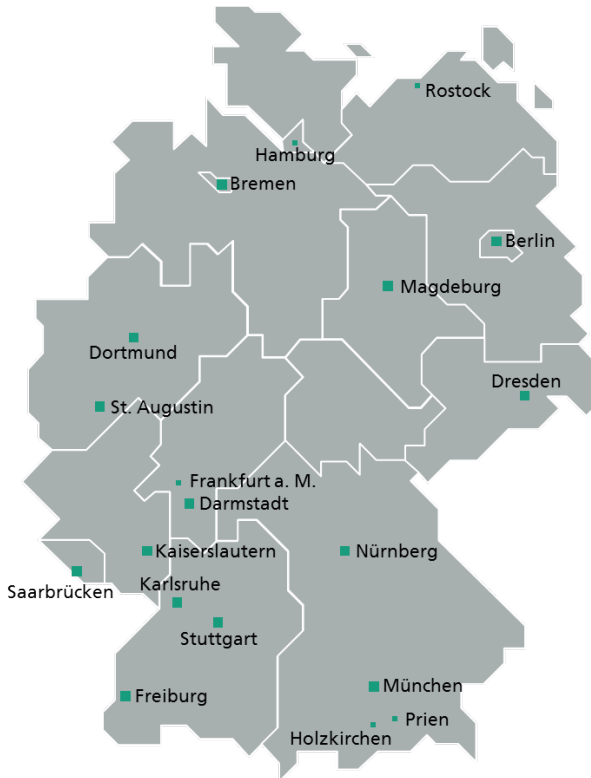
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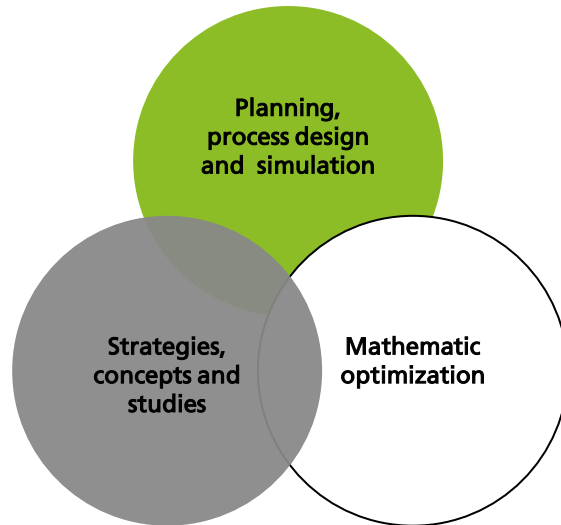
# 17 Institutes from the Fraunhofer Transport Alliance



- The Fraunhofer Transport Alliance develops adequate technical and conceptual solutions for the public and industry partners and puts transport-related research solutions into practice.
- The Fraunhofer Transport Alliance focuses and communicates existing core competencies in transport-related research and ...
- ... develops integrated solutions by means of co-operations between Fraunhofer-Institutes



# Institute of transport logistics- Interdisciplinarity as a factor of success

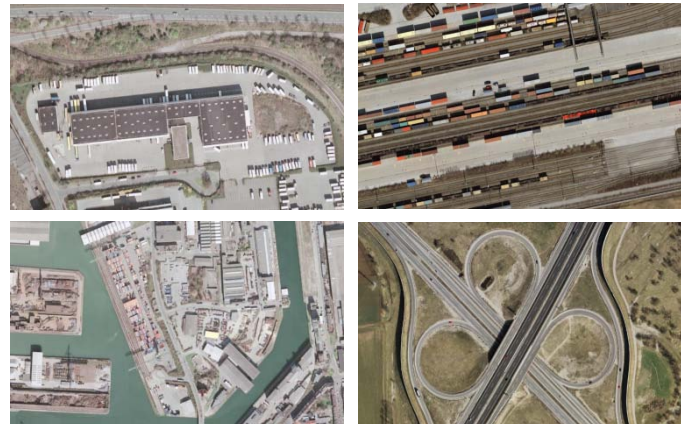


## Methods

- Analyzing of data and processes, Planning
- Material flow simulation
- Empiric studies
- Development of an Operating Number System
- Mathematical Modeling
- Optimization algorithms, design of prototypes

## Topics

- Logistical systems
- Transportation Planning
- Monitoring of Outsourcing
- Commercial transport



## SECTION MATERIAL FLOW SYSTEMS

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Quality Management and Organization Systems,  
Intralogistics and IT Planning,  
Autonomous Transport Systems,  
Machines and Facilities,  
Packaging and Trade Logistics,  
Software Engineering

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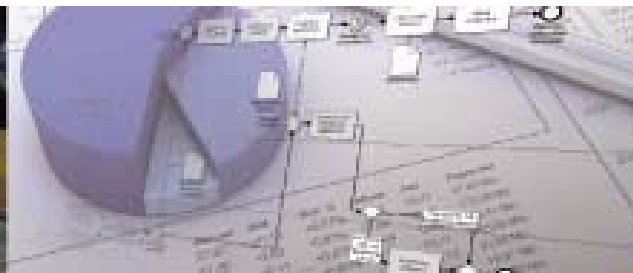
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Enterprise Planning,  
Supply Chain Engineering,  
Production Logistics,  
Maintenance Logistics,  
International Enterprise Development

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Environment  
and resources

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logistics

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Network planning  
and dispatching

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systems

Multimodal  
logistics

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Care

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management

