



CyPhers Project: Main Results

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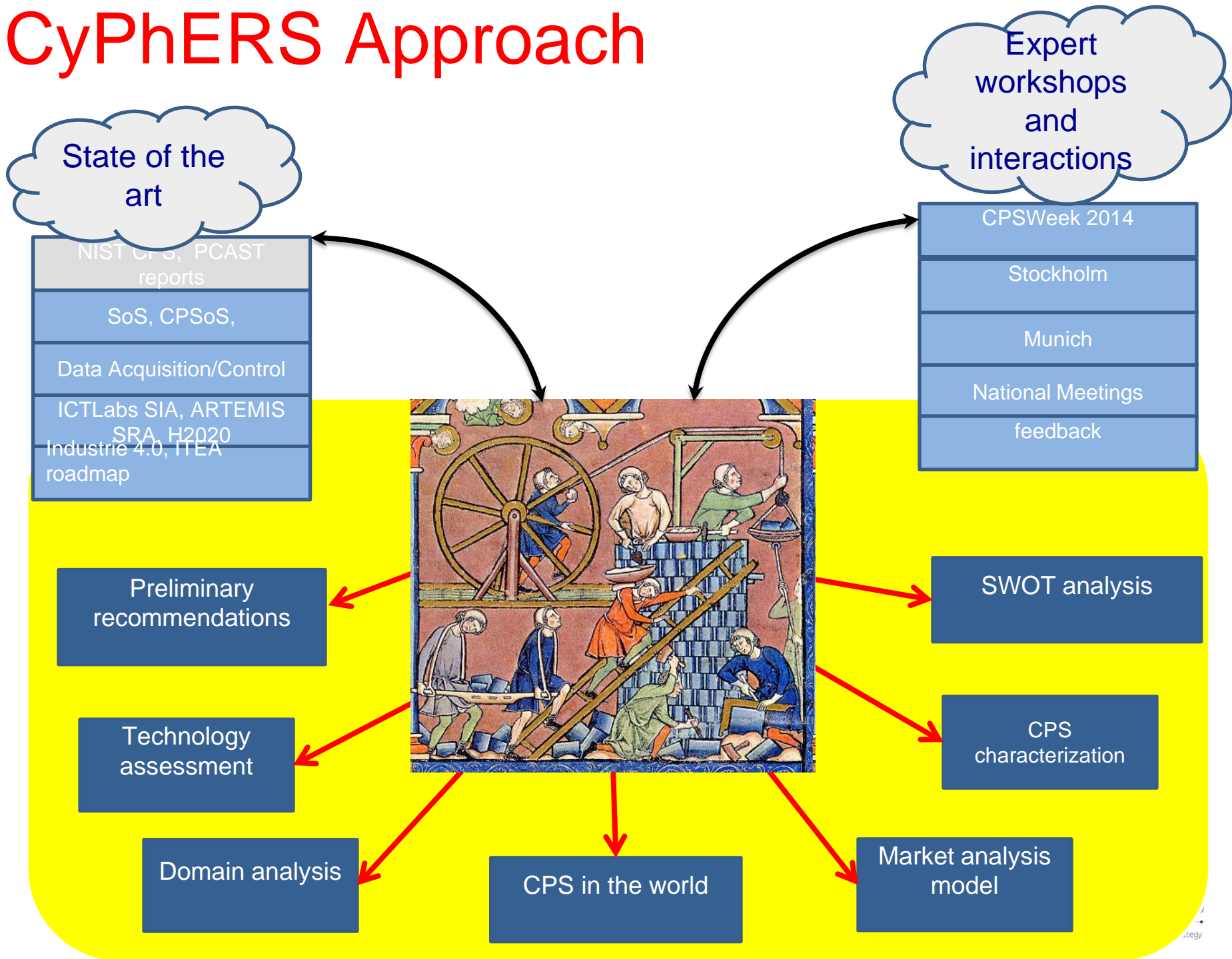
Objectives

The goal was to systematically survey, analyse, and evaluate the economic, technical, scientific, and societal significance of Cyber-Physical Systems for Europe by

- providing a systematic classification of the CPS domain;
- modelling of the markets and their players relevant for CPS;
- developing a structured analysis and assessment of core technologies and the current state in science and technology related to CPS;
- analysing the future technological, economic and social implications of CPS, and
- assessing challenges, bottlenecks and risks for research and development in CPS.

Main results: Development of a comprehensive research agenda and related recommendations for actions in regard to the design and promotion of CPS

CyPhERS Approach



Outline

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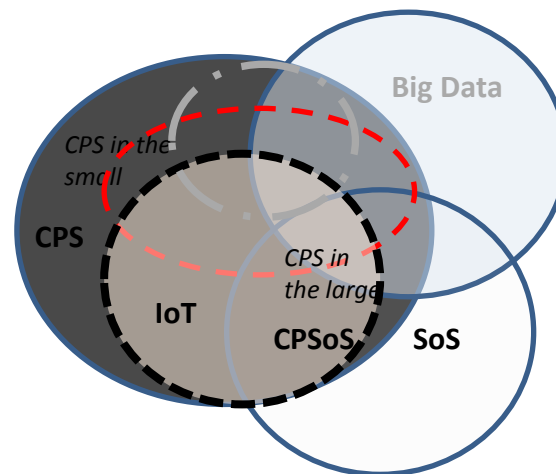
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Characterization of the CPS domain

Findings – characterization

- Related terms mirror different perspectives
 - Many perspectives emphasize “digitalization”
 - CPS, Mechatronics, SE and SoS have a systems emphasis
- CPS encompasses many related concepts
 - The concepts contribute to the the complex, “cross-” technology/domain/discipline nature of CPS – key to CPS
- 10 characteristics to describe systems/domains



CPS characterization

- Physical vs. Embedded vs. IT Dominated
- Single Domain vs. Cross Domain
- Closed vs. Open
- Degree of Autonomy
- Centralized vs. decentralized organization
- Governance and jurisdiction
- Adaptability
- Human In-/Outside the Loop
- Level of integration

CPS Technologies

Scenario-based Approach

- Five sectors of the economy:
 - *Manufacturing, Smart Grid, Transportation and Mobility, Healthcare and Medical Devices, **Smart Cities***
 - For **each sectors**:
 - *key drivers for CPS technology and use, technology push and demand pull, current and future vision,*
 - **challenges** and obstacles (technical and non-technical).
- Why these five sectors of the economy?
 - **Prime areas of opportunity** as they are emerging in many applications
 - **Critical to the development** of EU and society in general

Future vision of CPS in Smart Cities (1)

“Smart City”: Two scenarios are of special interest

The Best of Time



- *Helps run the infrastructure more effectively (desires and needs of the occupants and on the common good),*
- *Empowers the occupants in their daily activities by providing more effective interfaces, better mobility, etc*

The worst of time



- *Is able to safely and securely align both stationary (e.g., biohazard detection sensors) and mobile (e.g., UAVs, robots, humans) resources needed to protect itself and its inhabitants.*

Future vision of CPS in Smart Cities (2)

In both scenarios:

The Best of Time



The worst of time



SmartCities *combine* the *management of fixed infrastructure* (e.g., environmental monitoring, energy-usage, tracking and mapping), *mobiles* (automatic vehicles, UAVs, robots), and *immersive humans* in an integrated whole.

This involves seamless discovery and integration of sensing, actuation and computation, with the use feedback to manage uncertainty

Smart Cities: Key Drivers (1)

- ***The constantly increasing urbanization.***
- ***Insufficient infrastructures:*** *traffic in cities, garbage collection, garbage disposal, energy distribution, internet connection.*
- ***Managing vital services:*** *crime prevention, health care, and transportation better.*
- ***Making the city competitive in attracting people*** (tourists and professionals) ***and investments.*** (Modern cities are becoming almost states in their own and need to worry about the composition of their population.)

Smart Cities: Key Drivers (2)

- **Technology push**

- Comes from: sensor technology, big data analytics, cloud computing, control and optimization.
- Can be disruptive if it is not corralled by strong integration capabilities and validation techniques.

- **Demand pull**

- Increasing demands on safety, security, better health care, traffic and resource management, better energy efficiency and more responsible production to prevent the destruction of the environment.
- Has to be fulfilled with reliability and without damaging privacy.

Technology Providers: Vision & Key Drivers

Vision

- **Large data** sets will require new levels of controls for **privacy** and **security**.
- **Multi-disciplinary approaches** will **shape** future CPS.
- **New liability issues** will arise and need to be addressed.
- **Global standardized data** will be available for expert systems to extract.
- **Advanced testing and modeling** will lower the life cycle costs – operations and maintenance as design – and improve efficiency.
- **IT, networking, manufacturing, and automation will converge.**

Key Drivers

- Solving hard problems in **security** will continue to **drive CPS design and use** (both safe and secure).
- **Payback** will drive the implementation and expansion of CPS and infrastructures.
- **Industry requirements will shape future CPS:** advanced human-in-the-loop systems; accident-free actions; and monitoring and control integrated with data.

Industry Users: Vision & Key Drivers

Vision

- **Increasing cyber threats** are changing their **view of security**.
- The EU must **think globally** to realize the potential of CPS.
- Great **strides** are needed in **multi-disciplinary** system-level thinking.
- **Human factors** must be effectively addressed.
- Systems must be **adaptable** to changing environments and events.

Key Drivers

- **Attacks and intrusions** on networks will **grow**, making protection of data harder and more **expensive**.
- **Societal needs** for CPS will **increase consumer demand** for functionality and **reliability**.
- **EU leadership** in CPS could **open strategic markets** in vital industries and **grow domestic jobs**.

Scientific, Education & Societal: Vision & Key Drivers

Vision

- **A common science for CPS will be established.**
- **Availability, security, and safety** of systems will be **assured** by integrated **multi-disciplinary scientific approaches.**
- **Risk assessment and management metrics** will **link technical and business** issues.
- **A skilled CPS workforce** will remain a **high priority.**
- **Breakthroughs, synergies, and new frontiers** will epitomize future CPS.

Key Drivers

- **Sectors and agencies will demand a secure CPS infrastructure and technology.**
- **The ease and cost of systems integration and validation** is a key driver for implementation.
- **Security, energy, and public health and safety** are **major drivers for CPS.**

Recommendations for Action

Recommendations: Science

Strengthen Key Sciences

- **Enabling Sciences:** "Research and Innovation Activities in core fields – from physical via ICT and data to system level – must be intensified."
- **Human-Machine Interaction:** "Integration of behavioral science and technical disciplines – from multi-modal ergonomics to modeling human behavior – must be key research."
- **Cross-Disciplinary Research:** "Research programs must address integration of participating disciplines, homogenization and integration of ontologies, domain models and languages."

Recommendations: Technology

Accelerate Maturation

- **Maturation Initiatives:** "Public- private partnerships should set up 'technology demonstrators' or 'show cases' accessible to a wider audience."
- **Available Infrastructure:** "Public-private partnerships must ensure the availability and affordability of dependable and trustworthy ICT infrastructure."
- **Key System Installation:** "Trans-European large- scale public-private partnerships should implement systems in key fields of societal importance like European Smart Grid or Smart Traffic."

Recommendations: Technology

Facilitate Interoperability

- **Reference Platforms:** "Research activities should provide medium-TRL reference platforms along stack of disciplines with a potential to be applied in several domains."
- **Interoperability Standards:** "Interoperability standards for components from different domains and organizations must be established and homogenized."
- **System-Level Design:** "Methodologies must be defined that support modular development of system-level services chains of physical, technical, and organizational processes ."

Recommendations: Innovation

Open Innovation

- **Open Standards:** "Funding programs must promote definition, provision, and evolution of open – both pre-normative and normative – standards."
- **OpenSource & Licence:** "Funding programs for Research Activities should promote the provision of open-source or open/free license results ."
- **Open Data:** "Support activities should facilitate access to open data, and specifically availability of live data."

Recommendations: Business

New Business Models

- **Open Innovation:** "Platforms should be provided facilitating initialization of contacts between innovators trying to enter service ecosystems and existing providers of services."
- **Service Infrastructure:** "Set-up of necessary technological and regulatory service infrastructure for providing highly dependable services must be supported."
- **Liability Frameworks:** "Regulation frameworks and supporting technologies must provided that non-refutably identify continued and temporary acceptance and delegation of responsibilities for services."

Recommendations: Education/Training

Enabling Education/Training

- **Collaboration:** „Incentives for academic and industry stakeholder should be provided to stimulate the cross-fertilization of pragmatic and theoretic knowledge.“
- **Live-Long Learning:** „Academic-industrial alliances should engage established engineers in life-long learning to ensure re-qualification.“
- **Education Platforms:** „Private-public cooperations for the operation of educational platforms must be supported, facilitating experimentation with new technologies and interdisciplinary learning .“

Recommendations: Society

Societal Awareness

- **Decisions Makers:** "Coordinated actions including European academies of engineering and science, societies of engineers, and management organizations should enable decision maker to understand impact on society and markets ."
- **Public Discussion:** "Dissemination activities addressing the wide public outside the scientific community should be established to to obtain public support and ensure an understanding of the necessary responsibilities."
- **Societal Consensus:** "Sciences of engineering and humanities must initiate and moderate process for defining publicly acceptable responsibilities of suppliers and users of technology."

Recommendations: Public

Trustworthiness

- **Infrastructure:** "Joint public private investments are needed to assess and improve security of both public and private ICT to protect critical infrastructures from cyber-attacks."
- **Data Ownership:** "Legal regulations clarifying treatment of data ownership including granting and revoking access, as well as corresponding technical implementations are needed."
- **Dependability Regulations:** "Research programs must address provision of mechanisms for highly automated operations and live update of dependable systems, and adaptation of relevant standards and regulations ."

Conclusion

- The main aim of the CyPhERS project was to shape future directions of the European research and innovation in the area of cyber-physical systems. Subsidiary aims of CyPhERS are to influence industry and educational institutions to adopt a CPS agenda.
- The fundamental impact sought by the project is to secure the EU's position in the growing and fundamentally important CPS marketplace.
- There are many direct benefits of these CPS – corresponding to a number of societal goals – including lower energy/power consumption, improved safety, reduced environmental impact, increased efficiency and further economic benefits, and improved functionality and user experience.
- CyPhERS does not, of itself, deliver these ultimate impacts; however, it enables them and makes them more likely to come about. CyPhERS contributes to this by having built an understanding of technologies, markets, trends, opportunities and international competition as a basis to define a strategy for Europe.
- The CyPhERS project website is located at <http://www.cyphers.eu>