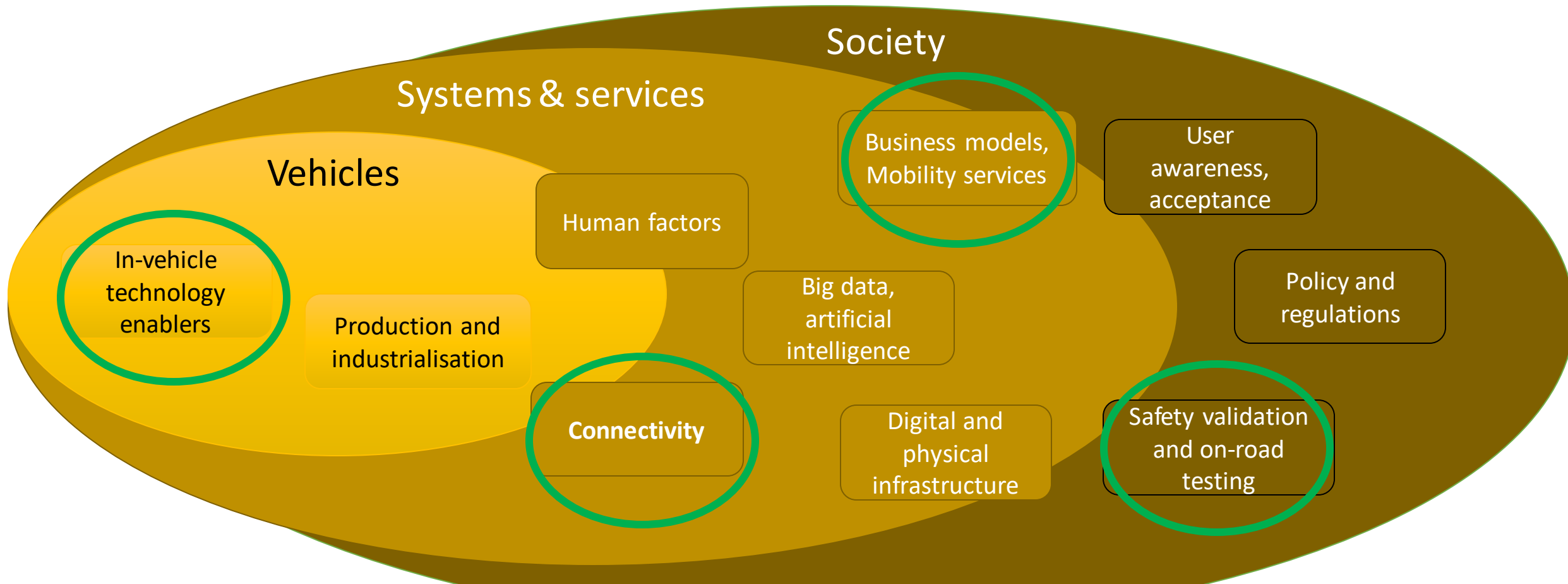


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Cooperative Connected and Automated Mobility

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KEY CHALLENGES TOWARDS DEPLOYMENT



TRENDS AND DEVELOPMENTS AD

Passenger Car Automation – high volumes

- Strong focus on Single Vehicle Automation (SAE level 4)
- Business case based on comfort and safety

Commercial Vehicle Automation – low volumes

- Focus on both Single and Multi Vehicle Automation
- Business case based on cost-efficiency, comfort and safety



OBJECTIVES OF ENSEMBLE

- Jointly agreed specifications of the multi brand truck platooning concept,
- To align and work on standardization
- To demonstrate 7 differently branded trucks in one platoon
- Under real world traffic conditions and across national borders.
- To assess impacts on traffic safety, throughput and fuel economy.

In this way we:
contribute to the **acceptance** and **deployment**
of multi-brand truck platooning in Europe



THE FACTS

- ENabling SafE Multi-Brand Platooning for Europe
- Innovation Action number 769115
- 3 year EU project, started June 1st 2018
- 20 million euro funding EC
- 20 partners, including 6 truck manufacturers and CLEPA representing automotive suppliers

The ENSEMBLE project is led by TNO and joined by:

- ▶ Six European truck manufacturers:
DAF, DAIMLER, IVECO, MAN, SCANIA and VOLVO GROUP (VOLVO TRUCKS & RENAULT TRUCKS).
- ▶ CLEPA represents the suppliers of automotive equipment and components.
- ▶ Suppliers:
NXP, ZF, WABCO, Bosch, Continental, Brembo and Daimler Fleetboard.
- ▶ ERTICO – ITS Europe - the crucial link to the European Truck Platooning Community.
- ▶ Knowledge partners:
IDIADA, IFSTTAR, KTH and VU Brussel.



MAIN DATES ENSEMBLE

June: kick off meeting

Jan: Definition of specifications

August: Communication functions & software ready for implementation

April:

Multibrand platooning on test tracks

nov:

Impact: business model and market needs results

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Impact: effects of platoons on infrastructure

May: final event:

7 differently branded trucks in one platoon

2018

2019

2020

2021

WHERE ARE WE NOW?



- State of the art finished by end of September
- Cooperate to come to jointly agreed specifications (end of 2018)

- Related to the platooning levels A, B, C
- A = minimum requirements
E.g. no lateral control, following distance minimum of 0,8 s, disengage platoon or not with with intruder
- Level B and C will be jointly agreed on, but not demonstrated in the final demo.

- Results will be in public deliverables since we aim for standardization and broad implementation

WHAT WILL BE THE FOCUS NEXT YEAR?

- Design and implementation of a platooning system according to the specifications of WP2
 - Develop the common functionality that is required for multi-brand platooning:
 - platoon coordinator functionality
 - V2X communication aspects
 - Set up of test plan
 - Licence exemptions
 - Market analysis and business models
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- Arrange for official cooperation/twinning with US

THE NEAR AND THE FULL POTENTIAL



Action → reaction

V2x enabled



vs. **Intention → coordinated**

- **Autonomous** vehicles focus on own (sensor) information to take action
- The **full potential of automated driving** can only be achieved using:
connected automated technology



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