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# **PoDIUM scope**

Enable connected & cooperative automated mobility in real traffic conditions

- Advance Multi-access Edge Computing (MEC) as an enabler of new use cases (UCs) and services.
- **Data fusion** (locally generated and distributed computed data) to build **enhanced environmental models** towards digital twins.
- **Extend C-ITS messages** for enabling advanced CCAM use cases.
- Ensure software integrity, trust and truthfulness of CCAM data, their exchange and their processing.
- Integration of Vulnerable Road Users (VRUs).
- Demonstration: **urban and highway use cases in 3 Living Labs** (5G SA testbeds, mmWave).

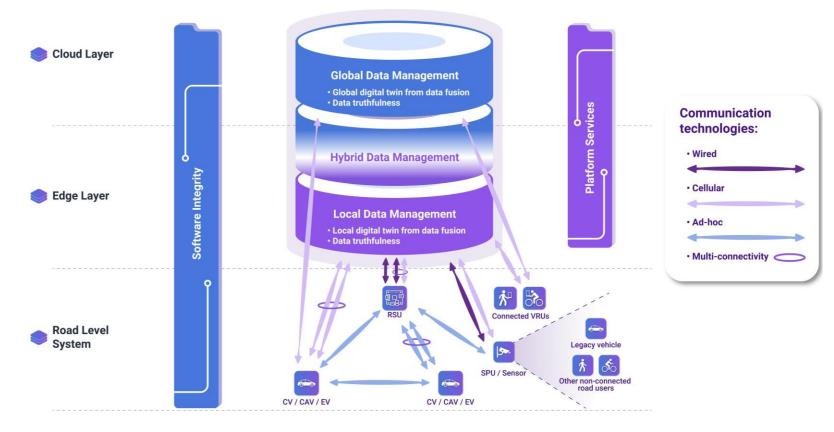
#### Impacted entities/processes

Physical: MEC, wireless networking, RSUs, OBUs, VRUs, etc.

Digital: Traffic Management Centre, Environmental perception, Digital Twins, C-ITS messages, Trust and Truthfulness, etc.

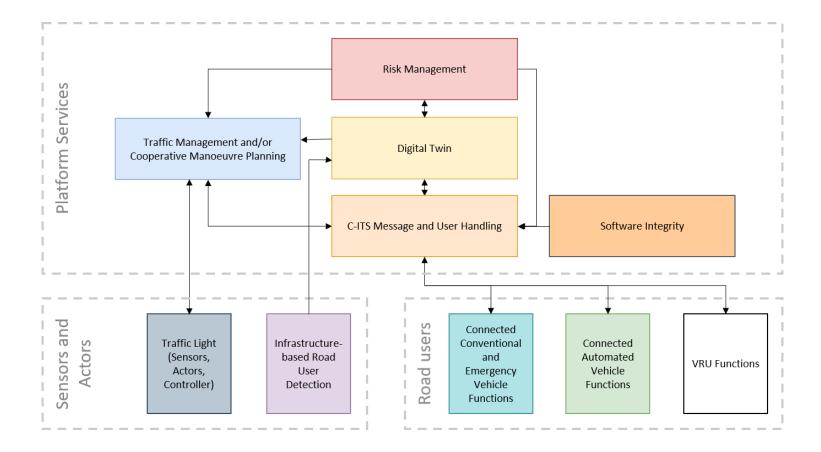
# **PoDIUM** architecture

- A 3-layer architecture supporting
  - All types of road users
  - All communication technologies, including multi-connectivity
  - Hybrid data management
  - Diverse set of services
  - Software Integrity & Data truthfulness



# **PoDIUM** functional view

- Main platform services
  - **Digital Twin**: Providing a full representation of the environment
  - Traffic Management and Cooperative Maneuver Services: Improve efficiency and safety of traffic flow
  - **Risk Management**: Warn road users of upcoming risks
  - **Software Integrity**: Ensure integrity of included software components
  - **C-ITS Message and User Handling**: Standards-compliant information from the road users



# **Expected impact to transportation**

- Improve road safety via automated driving, connectivity and risk management
  - Avoiding human error and providing reduced reaction time
  - Expanding the perception of individual road users (VRU detection included)
- Reduce traffic congestion & support the vision of low-carbon and more fuel-efficient transport
  - Increased awareness of environment via DT
  - Traffic management & flow optimization
- Enhance urban mobility and accessibility via ADS and on-demand multimodal transport
  - more efficient and flexible public transportation systems
  - establishing trust to ADS via real-life validation
- Enhance real-time tracking, monitoring, and coordination of goods in transit via MEC and multiconnectivity
  - Improving the reliability and availability of the physical and digital infrastructure
  - Facilitating seamless connectivity of road entities with logistics systems via multiple communication networks

# Thank you!

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# Living Labs

#### **Common aspects in all LLs**

- Multi-access Edge Computing
- LTE and 5G coverage
- ITS-G5 (automotive WiFi) infrastructure
- Connected Automated Vehicles
- Mobile devices as VRUs

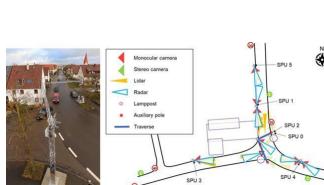
### **Ulm-Lehr LL in Germany**

Urban T-junction equipped with sensing and data processing infrastructure + communication gear

5G mmWave coverage

🔁 60GHz-WiFi

Multipath connectivity
RSU and Sensor Processing
Units (SPUs) supporting multiple
communication technologies



## LL in Spain

Real urban traffic environment: a corridor in the city of Barcelona

- Emergencies Management Centre
- Traffic light controllers

Spain-France cross-border corridor

- Connected automated shuttle
- HEC servers on each side of the border

#### LL in Italy

A complex urban intersection in the City of Turin Real edge infrastructure by TIM

- Highway tunnel located on the Autostrada del Brennero
  - 🔁 RSUs along the motorway axis

Focusing on software integrity, trust and truthfulness enhancements



