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# **Executive Summary**

The purpose of this document is to provide an overview of the management and administrative procedures of the LEGaTO Project in order to ensure efficient project execution as well as high quality project results. The document will provide to the Partners (referred to in the EC Grant Agreement as "Beneficiaries") a concise reference to the project management plan, structure, tasks and responsibilities at all levels of project execution.

#### 1. Introduction

The Project Management and Quality Guidelines provide an overview of the internal management procedures inside the LEGaTO project with the main goal to ensure an efficient project execution with high-quality project results.

It describes the governance structure of the project, the project management procedures and tools, as well as the reporting procedures, including roles and responsibilities, and monitoring of project progress.

These guidelines provide information to the project partners needed to facilitate the day-to-day management of the project, ensuring the project outcomes to be delivered in time, according to the budget and with the expected quality.

This document specifically covers the areas:

- Project structure with defined roles and responsibilities,
- Project Management Procedure and Tools,
- Project Monitoring,
- Risk Management,
- Intellectual Property Rights and Knowledge Management.

The Project Management and Quality Guidelines will be regularly updated throughout the lifetime of the LEGaTO project, and the most updated version will always be available at the internal repository.

# 2. Project Structure

This chapter introduces the Project Structure of the LEGaTO project identifying all the main elements in the coordination and their responsibilities.

#### 2.1 Coordination Team

The Barcelona Supercomputing Center (BSC) will serve as Coordinator of the LEGaTO project. This role is a responsibility shared between the Technical Manager (TM), i.e. Osman Unsal, and the Project Manager (PM), i.e. Sergi Madonar, or the individuals assigned to these roles during any interim absences from the project.



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#### 2.1.1 Technical Manager (TM)

The Technical Manager (TM) ensures that the scientific and technical objectives of the project are met. The TM defines the high-level technical strategy and drives the project team to implement according to that strategy. During the implementation, the TM also ensures that the project maintains its relevance to the H2020 ICT Work Programme 2016-2017 and its strategic objectives. Moreover, the TM organizes technical presentations of project progress to external parties and ensures the appropriate involvement and visibility of the members of the project. The Technical Manager is supported by the Project Manager (PM), who is responsible for the day-to-day execution of the project. The TM collaborates closely with the PM to provide clear and accurate Periodic Reports.

#### 2.1.2 Project Manager (PM)

The Project Manager (PM) is responsible for the day-to-day execution of the project. The PM will ensure the timely delivery of project objectives and deliverables by continuously monitoring the project progress against the plan of record. The Project Manager identifies and tracks issues as well as proposes suitable corrective actions (i.e. resource reallocation, etc.) that might require a formal decision by the General Assembly. The PM is also responsible for calling the General Assembly meetings and reviews as well as compiling and distributing Minutes and Actions. The PM defines the procedures for change control (proposed changes to the plan of record), risk management, quality assurance and Intellectual Property Rights management.

The administrative and financial management of the project is also the responsibility of the PM, including internal use of resources monitoring on a six-month basis, the provisioning of Periodic Reports and Financial Statements, and ensuring an efficient distribution of EU funding. The Project Manager will also act as the official point of contact between the Commission and the Beneficiaries.

#### 2.1.3 Innovation Manager

The Innovation Manager (IM) has the task to understand and assess innovations and innovators in a project, as well as commercialization opportunities and related strategies. For a given innovation, the IM should identify the best place for the project partner to take it to market and provide advice on fulfilling the innovation potential. The IM is an expert with a clear affinity for identifying market opportunities and overcoming commercialization hurdles.

The key task of the IM is to collect relevant information on potential innovation and innovators by reading project materials and engaging in discussions with partners at the review meeting. This way, and depending on the stage to project (just started, progressed or nearly finished), the IM assesses how well prepared the consortium/innovator is for entering the market and how they intend to anticipate changing market conditions. At the same time, the interaction between the IM and innovators in the consortium is meant to raise their awareness of the issues at hand and to help them develop a more compelling exploitation attitude.

In order to ensure that the results of the project will not remain confined in academia or research labs but will find their route toward the market, a proper innovation management is of paramount importance. The innovation manager will work closely with the project coordinator and the consortium exploitation team to ensure a proper exploitation path. Innovation management processes include both day-to-day management of knowledge and IPR issues and the iterative



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creation of exploitation plan and technology roadmaps. More concrete, it will include the following actions:

- Create an IPR repository.
- Monitor IPR compliance with H2020 and consortium agreement rules.
- Facilitate any related conflict.
- Facilitate the creation of commercial agreements between partners leading to joint exploitation after the end of the project.
- Monitor the project to guarantee consistency between technical and marketing choices.
- Monitor the market during the whole duration of the project, particularly concerning the evolution of the technology, potential customers, and existing and emerging competitors.
- Plan initiatives that combine technical and exploitation objectives to create business models for defining and exploitation path of most relevant innovations within the project.

#### 2.2 Industrial Advisory Board (IAB) and End Users Group

The Industrial Advisory Group (IAG) will be created as a new task force and will be incorporated in the project structure. The Industrial Advisory Board (IAB) will provide an efficient, independent, industry-based mechanism for quickly obtaining real-world feedback on project interim results. Moreover, it will facilitate industry's direct participation in identifying and pursuing exploitation opportunities.

The IAB members have been chosen by the General Assembly (GA) in the first months of the project in order to meet 3 main objectives:

- Evaluating the scientific quality and principally practical application of the work
- Providing expert opinion to the GA and the Coordinator on issues concerning to the development of the research activities
- Assistance and support regarding external communication, dissemination and exploitation. The IAB will be comprised of expertise areas that reflect the activity state-space of the project. These areas include low-energy computing, heterogeneous architectures, programming models and runtimes, as well as the LEGaTO use-cases of smart home (with the IoT gateway), smart cities, machine learning and healthcare. The IAB will review the project plan and suggest possible additions to better align the project with the needs of industry and user communities. It will also assist in directing the work of the project to ensure the compatibility of the technology planned and developed with industry and user requirements. The feedback will be solicited via Technical IAB Meetings.

Currently, the following Europe-based experts have confirmed their interest to participate as IAB members. The details have been given below:



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Sector HW/ SW	Member	Institution	Country	Justification	Industry	Std. Bodies	Policy maker
HW	Michaela Blott	Xilinx Inc.	Ireland	Machine Learning, Data centers and FPGAs.	х		
HW	Stephan Diestelhorst	ARM	UK	Computer architecture, energy monitoring and modelling	X		
HW	Alain Porret	Centre Suisse d'Electroniq ue Microtechni que-CSEM	Switzerland	Low-energy consumption processors, artificial intelligence algorithms requiring minimal resources and sensor portability.			
HW & SW	Marius Feldman	Cloud & Heat	Germany	Energy efficient cloud computing, green computing	x		
HW & SW	Ayal Zaks	Intel	Israel	Compiler Optimization s, Parallel architectures	х	Х	
SW	Mariano Lamarca	Barcelona City Council	Spain	Networking, smart cities			х
HW & SW	Prof. Dr. Ingmar Steinhart	Bodelschwi ngh Foundation Bethel	Germany	Health care, social service	х		

Based on the expertise of the IAB and to acquire enhanced advice from them, it has been divided into two groups: Hardware (HW) expert group and Software (SW) expert group. So the plan is to invite the HW expert group in the first IAB meeting and SW expert group in the second IAB meeting. In the final IAB meeting, both the HW and SW experts will be invited. Therefore, there will be three IAB meetings during the life of the project. To obtain better feedback from the IAB it has been decided that the first IAB meeting will take place after completing the first phase of the project, the second IAB meeting will held during the second phase of the project and the final one will occur at



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the last phase of the project. All the IAB feedback will be collected via specific technical IAB meetings during the F<sub>2</sub>F meetings of the project.

No.	Date (Approximate)	Location	Event	IAB Members	Expertise (HW/SW)
1	9 <sup>th</sup> April, 2019 (Month 17)	Tel Aviv, Israel	Face to face	Ayal Zaks, Stephan Diestelhorst, Michaela Blott	HW
2	October, 2019 (Month 23)	To be decided	Face to face	Mariano Lamarca, Marius Feldman	SW
3	May, 2020 (Month 34)	To be decided	To be decided	All IAB members	HW & SW

End User Group (EUG): At the end of the project, we will organize a workshop inviting community members from the three use cases in order to ensure the wider uptake of the project technologies and the tool-set. In order to invite the most relevant stakeholders, we will utilize the internal database of key company contacts for the three use cases from the RETHINK big project, which was coordinated by BSC. At least 10 European companies from each of the use cases with a potential interest to form a user community will be invited.

#### 2.3 Work Package Leaders

Work Package Leaders (WPL) are responsible for the scientific and technical work of their respective Work Packages. This includes the planning and control of all activities within the Work Package, the preparation of deliverables and the collection of the contributions from other partners participating in the respective Work Packages for internal and external reports. They meet regularly via teleconference or face-to-face as a part of the Grant Agreement and arrange for additional technical meetings when necessary. They are expected to raise critical issues to the General Assembly and to support the Technical Manager in coordinating cross-work package relationships within the appropriate activity area. They should actively participate in the regular project-related meetings and prepare technical and status presentations as required. Each WPL is appointed by the organization responsible for the respective WP. Partners appointed as WPL are indicated in Section 3.1.5 "Work Packages List". The WPLs may nominate separate task leaders when necessary.

The LEGaTO Work Package Leaders are:

WP No	WP Name	WP Leader
1	Project Management and Coordination	BSC
2	Hardware Platform	UNIBI
3	Tool-chain Back End	CHALMERS
4	Tool-chain Front End	UNINE
5	Application development and optimization	CHR
6	Project Dissemination and Exploitation	BSC



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#### 2.4 Partners

The project has ten partners from different countries with the responsibility to:

- Execute and deliver the agreed work defined in the DoA.
- Proactively report any problem or unforeseen deviation to WPLs and PM.
- Coordinate the project contributions carried out by their staff.
- Report technical and financial work on time.
- Notify the consortium of changes in the contact data of the partner.

#### LEGaTO's partners are:

Partner No	Partner name	Country
1	Barcelona Supercomputing Center (BSC)	ES
2	Universitäet Bielefeld (UNIBI)	DE
3	Universite de Neuchatel (UNINE)	CH
4	Chalmers Tekniska Hoegskola AB (CHALMERS)	SE
5	Data Intelligence Sweden AB (DIS)	SE
6	Technische Universität Dresden (TUD)	DE
7	Christmann Informationstechnik + Medien GmbH & Co. KG (CHR)	DE
8	Helmholtz-Zentrum für Infektionsforschung GmbH (HZI)	DE
9	TECHNION - Israel Institute of Technology (TECHNION)	IL
10	Maxeler Technologies Limited (MAXELER)	UK

#### 2.5 General Assembly

The General Assembly shall consist of one representative of each Party. Each General Assembly Member shall be deemed to be duly authorised to deliberate, negotiate and decide on all matters listed below:

Content, finances and intellectual property rights:

- Proposals for changes to Annexes 1 and 2 of the Grant Agreement to be agreed by the Funding Authority.
- Changes to the Consortium Plan.
- Modifications to Attachment 1 (Background Included).
- Additions to Attachment 3 (List of Third Parties).
- Additions to Attachment 4 (Identified Affiliated Entities).

#### Evolution of the Consortium:

• Entry of a new Party to the consortium and approval of the settlement on the conditions of the accession of such a new Party.



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- Withdrawal of a Party from the Consortium and the approval of the settlement on the conditions of the withdrawal.
- Identification of a breach by a Party of its obligations under this Consortium Agreement or the Grant Agreement.
- Declaration of a Party to be a Defaulting Party.
- Remedies to be performed by a Defaulting Party.
- Termination of a Defaulting Party's participation in the Consortium and measures relating thereto.
- Proposal to the Funding Authority for a change of the Coordinator.
- Proposal to the Funding Authority for suspension of all or part of the Project.
- Proposal to the Funding Authority for termination of the Project and the Consortium Agreement.

Members of the General Assembly Committee who are not normally authorised to take legally binding decisions concerning the below-mentioned matters due to internal organizational rules or proxy regulations applicable at their institution shall ensure they consult with their institution's legal office or the relevant department. This way, they should obtain a necessary approval upon receiving the meeting agenda for the General Assembly meetings or a written document according to the agenda and, in any case, prior to participating in any vote at such meeting.

# 3. Project Management Procedure and Tools

The project management procedure and tools describe the internal communication, quality control and evaluation, the progress monitoring, risk and IPR management.

#### 3.1 Internal Communication

In order to support the cooperation among all Partners and encourage participation in the decision-making process, a set of mailing lists have been created.

- <u>legato@bsc.es</u> General-purpose communication
- <u>finance-legato@bsc.es</u> Financial/Reporting issues
- <u>wp1-legato@bsc.es</u> Coordination, operative representation
- wp2-legato@bsc.es –Related to WP2
- wp3-legato@bsc.es Related to WP3
- wp4-legato@bsc.es Related to WP4
- wp5-legato@bsc.es Related to WP5
- wp6-legato@bsc.es Related to WP6

An updated version of the subscribers to each of these lists is available at the internal repository. The PM needs to be contacted for any modification in the lists.

#### 3.1.1 Meetings

The consortium decided in general that the hosting partner of a face-to-face meeting pays for conference facilities and catering while each partner pays for accommodation and provisions. The meeting locations will seek to change regularly to share the costs equally. To keep these costs down, the consortium agrees to meet usually at partners' facilities that are free of charge or at reduced costs.



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Additionally to the face-to-face meetings, monthly online meetings are being organised by the coordinator to review the progress of the Work Packages on a regular basis. CISCO WebEx software will be provided by the Coordinator to develop these meetings. Other specific online meetings could be also organised. A reminder of the periodic meetings with the agenda is being sent one week before the meetings. According to the CA, in general, the minutes of the meetings will be written by the PM and distributed within the next ten days after the meeting. The minutes shall be considered as accepted if, within 15 days from sending, none of the Partners sends an objection. The minutes of all the meetings will be uploaded to the internal repository.

The Kick-off Meeting was held in BSC's premises in Barcelona on the 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> of December of 2017 with 32 attendants with the objective to establish the basis of the project and firsts tasks. The presentations from all the partners and the minutes of the meetings are available in the internal repository.



Image 1. The group picture from the Kick-off meeting in Barcelona

#### 3.1.2 Public Project Website

An external website has been created for the project in order to be a channel for uploading all the information and progress of the project for the defined target audience. The public communication and dissemination are described more in detail in the Deliverable 6.1 "Communication and Dissemination Plan". Below you can find two screenshots of the website.



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The LEGaTO project will apply to three use cases

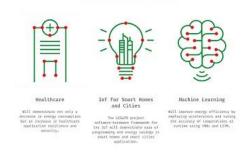


Image 2. The homepage of the website



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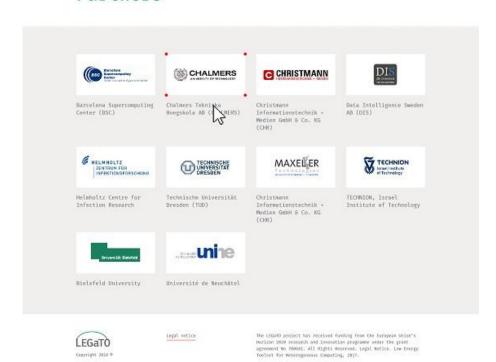


Image 3. The page with Partners on the website



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#### 3.1.3 Internal Repository

To facilitate the sharing of documents and information between all the partners, an internal SVN repository has been installed with the website. The content and user management are the responsibility of the Coordinator. The Coordinator will provide support to access to the repository, if necessary. The link to the repository is:

https://legato-project.eu/usvn/svn/LEGaTO/trunk

#### 3.1.4 Conflicts of Interest

It is essential for the LEGaTO project to avoid any conflict of interest and to act in good faith. When Partners identify conflicts of interest, which cannot be resolved through bilateral communication, they should bring the issues to the attention of the Project Manager immediately. The Project Manager working with the Technical Manager as necessary will, in turn, bring the issue to the General Assembly for discussion and a vote if required.

#### 3.1.5 Emergency Procedure

Any event that may jeopardize the overall completion date of the Project should be reported immediately to the Project Manager. The Project Manager working with the Technical Manager will endeavour to resolve the issue as soon as possible by calling an emergency General Assembly Meeting as required in order to determine the next steps.

#### 3.2 Project Monitoring

Progress monitoring will be performed through the set of milestones as part of the work plan structure, and summarized in the List of Milestones:

- MS1: During the first 9 months of the project, all the efforts will be focused on the definition
  of the specifications of the project to achieve the overall objectives regarding the project
  optimizations targets, the toolset definition as well as the hardware architecture design.
- MS2: In this milestone at M20, the project will introduce the first porting of the use cases to
  the project toolset, especially with respect to the task-based programming model and
  runtime driven by OmpSs and Nanos. The project will also release the first versions of the
  fault tolerance, security, and productivity solutions as well as the XiTao experimental
  runtime.
- MS3: In this milestone at M20, the project will introduce a first integration of the toolsets developed in the project: OmpSs programming model, MaxJ compiler, XiTao runtime, and Dfiant language.
- MS4: This milestone at M30 will feature the final integration of the LEGaTO toolset with the LEGaTO hardware including energy-efficient solutions for fault-tolerance, security and programmer productivity
- MS<sub>5</sub>: This milestone at M<sub>3</sub>6 would be the final integrated release and will additionally
  include the use case optimized for energy-efficiency running on the integrated toolset and
  hardware and providing fault tolerance and security.



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Milestone number	Milestone name	Related work package(s)	Due date (month)	Means of verification
MS1	Phase 1. Definition/Desi gn	WP1,2,3,4,5,6	M9	All of the deliverables (D1.1, D2.1, D3.1, D4.1, D5.1, D6.1, D6.2) required for the successful achievement of this milestone have been completed.
MS2	Phase 2.1 Implementatio n/Integration First Release	WP2,3,4,5,6	M20	All of the deliverables (D2.2, D3.2, D4.2, D5.2, D6.3) required for the successful achievement of this milestone have been completed and have met internal quality standards.
MS <sub>3</sub>	Second (internal) release integration	WP 2,3,4,5,6	M24	All the software required for the successful achievent of this milestone have been completed, tested, documented and pushed in the LEGaTO github on the website.
MS4	Phase 2.2 Implementatio n/Integration Final Release	WP1,3,4,6	M30	All of the deliverables (D1.2, D1.3, D3.3, D4.3, D6.4) required for the successful achievement of this milestone have been completed and have met internal quality standards.
MS5	Phase 3. Evaluation/Opt imization	WP1,2,3,4,5,6	M36	All of the deliverables (D1.4, D2.3, D2.4, D3.4, D4.4, D5.3, D5.4, D5.5, D6.5) required for the successful achievement of this milestone have been completed and have met internal quality standards.

#### 3.2.1 Internal Reporting

The Coordinator will ensure that monitoring the work progress and use of resources is done on a 6-month basis in order to ensure the detection of errors and deviations as early as possible in the project's lifecycle. This will enable the consortium to apply systematically corrective actions or contingency plans, if necessary. WPLs will report to the Coordinator the effort spent on their work packages, the status of achievement of milestones, production of deliverables and completion of tasks within their respective WP. The template for the internal reporting will be available in the internal repository.



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#### 3.2.2 EC Reports

There are two official reporting periods (M1-M18 and M19-M36) with two deliverables associated:

- First reporting period: D1.2 Periodic report.
- Second reporting period: D1.3 Final Periodic report.

#### 3.2.3 Reporting Calendar

All the reporting periods (internal and EC) are summarized below:

- M1-M6: First Internal Quarterly Report
- M7-M12: Second Internal Quarterly Report
- M1-M18: EC Periodic Report
- M19-M24: Third Internal Quarterly Report
- M25-M30: Fourth Internal Quarterly Report
- M1-M36: EC Final Periodic Report

#### 3.2.4 Deliverable Preparation and Review

Project Deliverables to the EC (except the Periodic and Final Report) serve as an outcome of the technical progress of the project. There is a deliverable template in the internal repository that defines a detailed common structure for all the deliverables.

In order to guarantee the quality of the deliverables, for each one:

- The Deliverable Owner must send a first initial draft of the document at least to one reviewer, to the Coordinator and the WPL minimum 15 days before the deadline.
- The reviewers will have to provide their feedback with the possible corrections at least three days before the deadline.
- The owner will gather all the possible corrections, create a final version of the document and send it to the Coordinator at least one day before the deadline.
- The Coordinator will upload the final version of the deliverable in the Participant Portal.

All the reviewers must provide constructive suggestions for improvement in writing to the Deliverable Owner. Upon receiving the suggestions for improvement, the Project Manager works with the Deliverable Owner to determine the schedule to complete the Deliverable.

#### 4. Risk Management

The following table provides a list of potential risks identified per work package. All risks that have been identified to date are classified with low and medium probability but with the potential for high impact. Addressing potential risks will be part of the normal operation of the project, being addressed in the General Assembly meetings. This regular review of potential concerns will ensure the early warning of potential risks and ample time to employ the necessary corrective actions.

Risks considered to be of importance, in particular, risks associated with partners not performing or conflicts between partners will be closely monitored by the Coordinator. In general, risk management will be the responsibility of the Coordinator, and the status of any risk situations will be informed to the EC via the Periodic Reports, except when there is a clear need for earlier EC intervention upon the decision of the General Assembly.



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Description of risk		WPs involved	Proposed Risk- mitigation measures	
Potential Risk	Impact	Likelihood		
Possible delays in appointment of personnel	The project start will be slower than planned	Low	WP1	Partners already have personnel with the required expertise. However, partners will start early (before actual project kick-off) to search for qualified personnel.
Key milestones or deliverables are delayed	The project results will be delayed	Low	WP1	The PM will foresee possible problems and take early corrective actions to improve the performance of concerned partners.
Expertise risks	Partners are not capable of performing the planned activities	Low	WP1	Partners have been chosen carefully. Partners will react quickly if replacements are required. The Technical Manager will contribute by identifying alternatives.
Emerging disruptive technology from other suppliers, e.g., new CPU architectures or hardware accelerators	New technology may significantly outperform currently available solutions	Medium	WP2	Scalability and modularity of the hardware platforms enable easy integration of new computing modules. Possible integration into the tool flows can be evaluated within the project.
Techniques from XiTAO runtime cannot be applied/merged into OmpSs	Energy efficient targets may not be met	Low	WP3	We will enable interoperability between OmpSs and XiTAO so that both runtimes can be run



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				side-by-side, without the need of integration.
Inability to fully automate the synthesis algorithms required for DFiant code generation within the project's timeframe	The porting of some applications to the DFiant FPGA language will be delayed	Low	WP4	Most of the algorithmic questions have been resolved at Technion, which reduces the risk. Nevertheless, if we encounter hurdles, generated designs will include some manual code tuning to abide by the programmer's constraints. This is the common practice used today in FPGA designs.
GPU and FPGA accelerators are susceptible to errors	System will not operate at the targeted fault tolerance level	Medium	WP4	We will investigate resilient accelerators using such software techniques as having standby ghost tasks for rapid recovery from failure
Inability of application partners to develop and run applications on the testbeds due to difficulties in access or instability of software stack	Unable to showcase benefits on one or more of the use cases.	Medium	WP5	Use cases will be monitored closely throughout the project, and will revert to using the alternative hardware platform, or alternative runtime. Use of multiple hardware and software platforms provide means of mitigating this risk.

## 5. Intellectual Property Rights and Knowledge Management

For an effective exploitation of the project results and to ensure the proper route to the market a comprehensive IPR and knowledge management process will be applied from the very beginning of the project. It will regulate Intellectual Property (IP) both during and after the project. It aims to protect the interests of each partner, allow good cooperation, and appropriate access. IPR management is based on the following principles:

 Background: Each partner owns the background that it brings to the project. The background IP of each partner has been included in the Attachment 1 of the LEGaTO



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Consortium Agreement at the beginning of the project. To collect the information, the PM along with the innovation manager contacted with all the partners to fill in the following table:

Describe Background	Specific limitations and/or conditions for implementation (Article 25.2 Grant Agreement)	Specific limitations and/or conditions for Exploitation (Article 25.3 Grant Agreement)

Table: Background IP

During the project if any partner come with a new unreported background that is needed for the project, it needs to be notified to the innovation manager. The innovation manager will contact with the PM to get it formally included in the corresponding annex of the consortium agreement and with the Technical Manager to understand how they align in the IP flow.

Each partner owns the results, specified in Section 8 of the CA according to the Article 26 of the Grant Agreement. Also, the joint ownership of the results and their dissemination are defined in the same section in the CA.

- Patents: The Innovation Manager will check the compliance of the partners with the IP process and support the partners on questions concerning patents. The process will be that any partner who wants to file a patent has to refer to the Innovation Manager, who will determine if it is a joint foreground or not. In the case of a joint foreground, the General Assembly will decide on the allocation of intellectual property and exploitation modes. In case of conflict, there will be a vote by a majority of two-thirds (2/3) where the Coordinator will have the casting vote.
- Foreground: generated by only one partner. Foreground shall be the property of the partner carrying out the work generating such foreground.
- Joint foreground: Where the generated foreground is the foreground of several partners, the partners concerned shall have joint ownership of such foreground, according to the proportion of their intellectual, human, material and financial contributions unless they establish an agreement regarding the allocation of property rights relating to it and the terms of exercising that joint ownership.
- Access Rights: For the sole purpose of implementing the project, the right to use a partner's
  background shall be granted to the other partners, if it is needed to enable those partners
  to carry out their own part of the work. Such use rights shall not be assignable or exclusive.
  They shall not be subject to sub-licensing and shall be granted on a royalty-free basis.

#### 5.1 IPR and Knowledge Management- The Role of the Innovation Manager

To obtain the maximum outcome from the exploitation of the research results, the proper IPR and knowledge management is essential. Therefore, the role of innovation manager is very significant in the project. The key roles of the innovation manager are provided below:

Creating and maintaining repository for software component and IP: Two repository table
have been created to collect the information on foreground IP. One repository has been
created to collect foreground IP related to software component and another has been
created to collect other IP e.g. patents, trademarks, registered design, utility model, etc. (IP
repository has been created based on the template provided by the European Commission



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periodic progress report<sup>1</sup>). All the partners are responsible for updating both the software component and IP repository according to their innovation. The innovation manager will continuously monitor the project and update the repositories with a close interaction with the Technical Manager. He/ she will notify the innovation manager on any missing gaps in the information on the project's IP. The innovation manager will get in contact with the corresponding partner or contact person related to the technology. The software and IP repository tables have been given below:

Software Component	Owner	Protection or Licence Type	Link for Download	TRL
[Name]	[Project Partner]	[Licence Type / Open Source / Proprietary, etc.]	[Link for GitHub or other Repository]	[1-9]

Table: Repository for Software components

Type of IP Rights	Application Reference	Date of the Application	Official Title of the Application	Applicant(s)	Has the IPR protection been awarded	If available, official publication number of award of protection
[Patent/ Trademark/ Registered design/ Utility model/ Other]	[Insert Application Reference code with organisation / country code]	[Insert dd/mm/yyyy]	[Insert title of the application]	[Project Partner]	[YES][NO][No applicable]	[Insert official publication number]

Table: IP Repository

- Monitoring IPR compliance with H2020 and consortium agreement rules.
- Facilitating any related conflict
- Facilitating the creation of commercial agreements between partners leading to joint exploitation after the end of the project.
- Monitoring the project to guarantee consistency between technical and marketing choices.
- Monitoring the market during the whole duration of the project, particularly concerning the
  evolution of the technology, potential customers, and existing and emerging competitors.
- Planning initiatives that combine technical and exploitation objectives to create business models for defining and exploitation path of most relevant innovations within the project.

The work flow of the innovation manager has been given in the figure below:

 $<sup>^1\,</sup>http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/data/ref/h2020/gm/reporting/h2020-tmpl-periodic-rep\_en.pdf$ 



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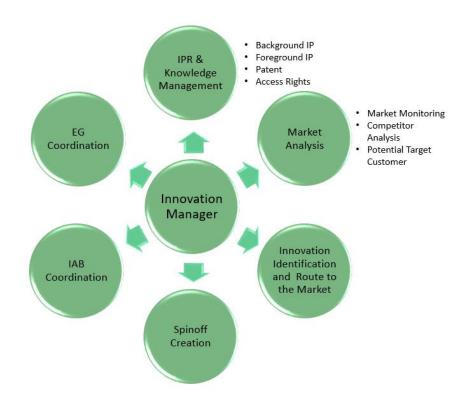


Figure: Workflow for Innovation Manager

Contact details of the Innovation Manager has been provided below:

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#### **Timeline for Reporting**

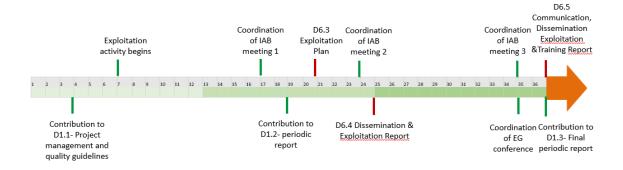


Figure: Timeline for reporting

#### Main milestones and deliverables:

- D6.3 Exploitation Plan (M20)- End of July 2019
- D6.4 Dissemination and Exploitation Report- End of November 2019



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D6.5 Communication, Dissemination, Exploitation and Training report- End of November
 2020

Apart from the main deliverables it is needed to contribute to the project handbook, periodic report and coordination of IAB and EG.

- D1.1 Project Management and quality guidelines (M3)
- D1.2 and D1.3 Periodic Reports (M18, M36)
- Coordination of three IAB meetings (M<sub>17</sub>, M<sub>24</sub>, M<sub>34</sub>) and EG (M<sub>34</sub>).

#### 6. Software Quality

For all the LEGaTO software packages, we will add appropriate README files that explains how to setup and run the package, as well as including tests for correctness. Wherever applicable, we will add the Jenkins environment for automated continuous integration of the software. For LEGaTO software packages that can be used together, we will include instructions for integrating the packages together.

#### 7. Gender balance

All the consortium is fully aware of the unbalanced number of HPC professionals between men and women, there is clearly a bigger number of men. The partners receive an average of 20% of female candidates to their job offers, so even having strict HR hiring policies, it is difficult to achieve the 50% women in the project.

After asking directly some of our female members of the project in a project meeting about any idea, we all agreed that we cannot afford to hire female candidates only because they are women. This would be discriminatory measure.

Then the compromise that the consortium will acquire is to keep applying the gender balance and equality measures in their respective entities at every possible level. Other initiatives like the "Supergeek" at BSC, that promotes the research careers among the young with special focus on girls, will keep going but the results will be seen in future research generations.



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## List of Abbreviations

DoA: Document of Action

GA: Grant Agreement

CA: Consortium Agreement

WP: Work Package

WPL: Work Package Leader

TM: Technical Manager

PM: Project Manager

IM: Innovation Manager

IAB: Industrial Advisory Board

EC: European Comission

MS: Milestone

M: Month

**SVN: Subversion** 

**QR**: Quarterly Report

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# Annex – Addressed Recommendations

Recom. No	Reviewer recommendations:	Action to be taken/Implemented changes
formatting and quality. All deliverables should have a clearly separate Executive Summary of 1-1.5, a distinct Introduction and a specific Summary or Conclusion section. The project has developed nice branding and colour schemes; these could be considered for use on e.g. the first page of the deliverable or in the header/footer etc. as a means to make the deliverable look more attractive.		For each deliverable (and each chapter in SD), included executive summary, introduction and summary. Improved the format for deliverables. The deliverables template has been updated.
R2	The project needs to quickly clarify the situation concerning the Industrial Advisory Board. While it is recognized that some efforts have been made in this direction, it is not specifically clear how and when the IAB will engage with the project and it is not clear that they will be able to provide useful input.	<ul> <li>Our first IAB meeting took place on 9th April,</li> <li>2019 at Tel Aviv during the f2f meeting.</li> <li>We are going to provide a feedback report in</li> <li>D6.3, which is due in M20</li> <li>Considering the comments from the reiewers we are now trying to involve more Industrial end users group to our advisory board</li> <li>So we are renaming it as Industrial and End</li> <li>Users Advisory board</li> <li>The detailed description and plan is included in resubmitted D1.1</li> </ul>
R3	The project needs to make its Open Source outputs clearly visible from its web page. It is understood that the project is leveraging previous work and some thought may need to be put into giving appropriate credit to previous work while also giving sufficient credit to LEGATO, but this is not difficult in principle. Appropriate pointers to software documentation should be clear and LEGATO should provide some information on how the disparate components can be integrated/used together.	It has been created a whole new section in the website to cover this recommendation:  https://legato-project.eu/software-components
R4	Make specific modification to Deliverable D1.1 based on the comments below. Specifically, changes relating to each of the following points are required: (i)	(i) Industry Advisory Board: please refer to R2 action, (ii) additional milestone added at M24 (please refer to D1.1) (iii) Innovation and IPR management: the detailed description of the role of the Innovation

	Industry Advisory Board, (ii) more fine-grained milestone definition, (iii) innovation and IPR management and (iv) software management and software quality assurance	manager and IPR management has been prepared. Also created two repositories in SVN to collect information from the partners regarding IP and software components (iv) Please refer to R3 action
R5	Make specific modifications to Deliverable D6.2 based on the comments below. Specifically, changes relating to new and potential data sets arising from the work are required.	Partial rewriting of the D1.2 following their comments.
R6	Make specific modification to Deliverable D6.1 based on the comments below. Specifically, changes relating to the following are required: (i) different constituencies with which the project should communicate need to be considered more clearly, including appropriate messages for them, (ii) if developers/engineers are one of the primary constituencies the project is targeting this needs to be given due attention	Update of D6.2 done with target audience table included.
R7	Make specific modifications to Deliverable D2.1 based on the comments below. Specifically, changes relating to the following are required: (i) a summary table highlighting how the applications can benefit from LEGaTO, (ii) more details regarding baseline energy consumption for the use case applications, (iii) clarification regarding the purpose of the energy model devised, (iv) the inclusion of data pertaining to the FPGA undervolting work, (v) an alternative TCO calculation assuming lower power consumption per rack.	(i - iii) Discussion of how applications can benefit from LEGaTO has been added, table for energy for use cases including the baseline has been added, the energy model purpose is clarified, and the section moved to runtime chapter (iv) Data from the FPGA undervolting is made publicly available (v) The TCO calculation in chapter 6 for D2.1 has been updated to include an additional scenario with lower power consumption.
R8	The publication related information on the LEGaTO website needs to be amended as noted below. Slide decks, which have been given relating to talks, should also be made available via the project website, perhaps using a LEGaTO slideshare account.	https://www.slideshare.net/legato-project (Publicatoins have also link to the PDF further to the slideshare, e.g.: https://legato- project.eu/publication/comprehensive- evaluation-supply-voltage-underscaling-fpga- chip-memories)

R9	The project needs to more clearly define groups who could use components of the LEGaTO framework and engage with these communities. The OmpSs community is interesting but it is small; developers of SmartHome applications is more likely a larger community and developers of neural network based application is also large – the project should review which communities have scale, momentum and focus energies on engagement with these communities.	<ul> <li>Meeting with CLASS and ELASTIC projects for potential synergies</li> <li>LEGATO will try to participate in AI events that will take place in Europe.</li> <li>Use Cases included on project website: https://legato-project.eu/use-cases</li> </ul>
R10	A number of important new development platforms have received significant interest in the last year, including RISC-V (including bespoke processors with e.g. neural network inference extensions), Google EdgeTPU, Intel Myriad X-VPU. The project needs to maintain a watching brief on such new platforms and may be able to obtain early access to some of these platforms for experimentation purposes should it be appropriate. It any case, it should perform a lightweight assessment to determine if LEGaTO is well suited to such newer platforms and in particular if there may be 'easy wins'.	Propose an evaluation mechanism for suitablility of LEGaTO technologies on new and upcoming hardware platforms. Include report for next review and for M36.  (WP2): The edge chapter has been updated by a note mentioning the ongoing activities in the project wrt. integration of new form factors.
R11	The project needs to ensure an adequate portion of its work/resources targets development platforms, which have some traction or provide solutions to enable work to be ported from widely used development platforms to the LEGATO framework.	Target development platforms such as Eclipse, present proposal at EclipseCon and similar industry meetings

# **Objectives and Workplan**

D12	WD6 has been progressing promotion of the project	Now our market is divided in
K12	WP6 has been progressing promotion of the project,	Now our market is divided in
	with visibility in 6 media outlets and having 7	horizontal and vertical markets
	publications, which is commendable for the first 9	focusing on each components of
	months of the project. The project has performed	LEGaTo. The detailed report will
	some analysis of market opportunities; while this	be provided in D6.3 Exploitation
	work is interesting, the focus should shift away from	Plan deliverable.
	considering LEGaTO as an indivisible unit and focus	
	more on smaller components, which may have	
	commercial potential.	
R13	Risk 4 ("Emerging disruptive technology from other	Propose an evaluation
	suppliers []") needs for periodic monitoring along	mechanism for suitablility of
	the project duration, but so far, there is not visibility	LEGaTO technologies on new and
	on the results of this monitoring activity or the	upcoming hardware platforms.
	potential adoption of these technologies by LEGaTO.	Include report for next review
	This is highlighted in recommendation 10.	and for M36
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K14	The SmartMirror application is compelling and very	Participating in industry events
	demonstrable. Even though the base technology has	such as Teratech to promote the
	not been developed specifically by the project, the	smart mirror application
	project can highlight its valuable work on making it	
	more energy efficient and easier to work with. The	
	project should leverage the very interactive nature of	
	this demonstration to maximize its marketing	
	potential.	
R15	The Smart City use case has not demonstrated	Added the energy consumption
	innovative results yet. Further, as noted at the review,	for the baseline version in the
	a baseline for the typical energy consumption of the	deliverable
	CFD models must be provided to assess gains	
	delivered by LEGaTO	
R16	The Machine Learning use case has provided basic	MIS will prepare a deep dive
	information on a Deep Learning optimization	presentation with more details
	technique, which delivers 4-5x performance over a	for next review
	baseline. However, limited details have been provided	
	neither in the deliverable content nor at the review.	
	We look forward to hearing about	
	progress in this area in more detail at the next review.	
D17	The Infection use case has provided some basic	At the moment we are still
	•	
	synthetic analysis, which indicates that significant	developing the algorithm.
	performance gains of almost 3 orders of magnitude	Therefore we can not perform
	could be possible by porting their R code to code	calcualtions of real data by now.
	running efficiently on the Maxeler DFE engines. It will	
	be interesting to see if such gains can be attained for	
	even smaller variants of the real calculations to be	
	performed by HZI	
R18	The secure IoT Gateway encountered issues in the	The secure IoT Gateway will be
	analysis, which meant that the scope for optimization	used to secure the
	was very limited. The project adapted somewhat by	communication of the Smart
	considering how this could be used for securing other	Home use-case.
	applications sitting on top of it.	
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#### **Impact**

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R19	Smart Home/City use cases: The performed	It is being managed to port darknet to
	adaptation of ML libraries for the SmartHome	OmpSs and will report the progress in
	use case and the TBC library for the SmartCity to	the next review.
	OmpSs (as presented during the review session)	
	is a relevant step for these use cases to benefit	
	from the power-reduction capabilities of the	
	LEGaTO framework.	
R20	Healthcare use case: The use cases is focused on	We have simulated the entropy values
	computation power allowing to analyse bigger	for only 3 biomarkers 1e6 times for 66
	sets with a pre-selected set of hardware	observations and 4 classes . It took
	components (§C). While this can be seen as	14,897 hours. The estimated energy
	reduction in power consumption, to fully get	consumption for this calculation was
	credit from power saving the project should	1,26kWh. Real datasets have about
	present an estimation of the power	50.000 biomarkers and are not
	consumption of these bigger sets (e.g. projection	calculable yet.
	for these bigger sets based on the power	
	consumption of the current sets using the	
	currently available hardware).	
R21	The current status of the LEGaTO framework is	The HZI will port a second application
	in the right path to have an impact on the	to OmpSs and plans to publish a well
	availability of low-power technologies for non-	known ML algorithm (lightGBM)
	experts on the field through the use of OmpSs	adapted to OmpS
	and its annotations (§4.1 D2.1, §4.2 D2.1) and	·
	the synthesis of accelerators by means of High-	
	Level Synthesis (HLS) languages (§DFiant §4.1.5	
	D2.1, MaxJ §4.1.6).	
R22	However, the dissemination activities of the	Dissemination and Exploitation teams
	project should also address non-OmpSs users,	will take into account this sector to
	specifically for ML healthcare user communities	reach them in future activities.
	that can benefit from the ML libraries adapted	
	to OmpSs. Given the relatively small user-base of	
	OmpSs, this is a concern with respect to the	
	impact that can be realised by the project.	
R23	Progress towards this Expected Impact for the	No action to be taken - just a note.
	members of the consortium is adequate with the	,
	three SMEs and mid-caps in the consortium	
	(Data Intelligence, Christmann and Maxeler)	
	increasing their innovation potential through	
	sound technology development. DI is increasing	
	its innovation potential by realizing more	
	efficient neural network designs, Christmann is	
	increasing its capacity through the development	
	of new server designs with significant emphasis	
	on highly configurable heterogeneous server	
	systems, which have potentially lower TCO, and	
	Maxeler is increasing its capacity by supporting	
	more software development models which can	
	exploit its hardware. This may lead to new	
	opportunities for these three partners.	
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R25 There has been little demonstrated engagement We will engage more SMEs and midwith SMEs and mid-caps outside the consortium caps from different target markets and and it remains unclear that the project can have will report in D6.4. broader impact. This is acceptable for the initial stages of the project, but as the project evolves, the consortium should try to engage with other SMEs and mid-caps outside the consortium. R26 The work carried out in the project supports The individual exploitation plan will be increased innovation capacity for the partners provided in M20 D6.3 Exploitation involved. For the commercial partners, some Plan specifics are noted directly above. For the noncommercial partners increased innovation capacity is visible for HZI, which could potentially increase significantly the biomarker discovery rate, for UniBe, which has a compelling Smart Mirror demonstrator, and for BSC, which can support application development and management for more heterogeneous hardware in a HPC context. The more experimental work of Technion (DFiant) and Chalmers (XITAO) is progressing and may receive validated within the project as good solutions to their respective problems. R27 The current progress of the project is in line with Add possible explotation of the results the environmental policy objectives and obtained in the SmartCity use case by strategies by contributing to the implementation other external projects. We will add of measures for the reduction of computational that CLASS project might get some power consumption. The results of the project benefits from using the LEGaTO could be well interesting for policy makers SmartCity Use case knowledge and dealing with energy efficiency in smart buildings, results. including office and public buildings. The results from the smart home use cases can be extrapolated to them. The results from the SmarCity use case may also be interesting for policy makers and public authorities regarding pollution management in big cities. R28 The project has not demonstrated clear efforts Project will keep working on this issue. to achieve gender balance within the action. The Specific comments added in D1.1. reviewers note that it is notoriously difficult to achieve real gender balance within this heavily male-dominated field, particularly in a project, which has a very strong scientific and technical focus. However, the project team could make more effort to improve the male/female ratio within the consortium.

# Implementation

R29 the quality of the deliverables produced to date has been inadequate raising questions about the execution of quality processes  The quality revision process will be applied deliverable submission as it was initially	-
inadequate raising questions about	defined.
the execution of quality processes	
R30 milestone planning is too coarse- A new project-internal milestone was ac	lded
grained to understand clearly if a	
significant milestone or	
achievement has been made	
R31 innovation and IPR management   Created two repositories in SVN to colle	ct
requires more precision and information from the partners regarding	g IP and
should not follow an approach software components and will follow up	and
which focuses solely on LEGATO as manage it accordingly	
a holistic solution	
R32 the interaction with the IAB is not Addressed in R2	
clear.	
R33 Security, Performance and Energy Not in Open Access. Neuchatel has been	informed.
Trade-off of Hardware-assisted	
Memory Protection Mechanisms.	
15th ACM International	
Conference on Computing	
Frontiers. ACM. 2018.	
However, this appears to have	
been published at an IEEE	
conference in Brazil.	
R34 Salami, B., O. S. Unsal, and A. <a href="https://legato-">https://legato-</a>	
Cristal Kestelman. Comprehensive project.eu/publication/comprehensive-e	evaluation-
Evaluation of Supply Voltage <u>supply-voltage-underscaling-fpga-chip-n</u>	<u>nemories</u>
Underscaling in FPGA on-chip (the conference opened with a lighting t	
Memorie. The 51st Annua so the attendees could decide which tall	ks were
IIEEE/ACM International more interesting, the detailed talks were	e scheduled
Symposium on Microarchitecture later and we not publicly available)	
(Micro). 2018.	
This appears to be a lightning talk	
rather than a classical publication	
– this should be made clear.	
R35 Colmant, M., R. Rouvoy, M. The publication has been published in the	
Kurpicz, A. Sobe, P. Felber, and L. <a href="https://legato-project.eu/publication/ne">https://legato-project.eu/publication/ne</a>	ext-700-cpu-
Seinturier. The next 700 CPU power-models	
power models. Journal of Systems	
and Software, Volume 144, 2018,	
Pages 382-396. Elsevier. 2018.	
This does not look to be strongly	
linked to LEGaTO and the preprint	
available from INRIA has no	
LEGaTO credit.	
R36 Salami, B., O. S. Unsal, and A.  The publication has been published in the	
Cristal Kestelman. On the <a href="https://legato-project.eu/publication/re">https://legato-project.eu/publication/re</a>	
Resilience of RTL NN Accelerators: nn-accelerators-fault-characterization-a	<u>nd-</u>
Fault Characterization and <u>mitigation</u>	
Mitigation. High Performance	

	Machine Learning (HPML)	
	Workshop in conjunction with	
	30th International Symposium on	
	Computer Architecture and High	
	Performance Computing (SBAC-	
	PAD). 2018. This has no DOI on the	
	LEGaTO website.	
R37	Dissemination and communication	LinkedIn and Slideshare accounts created. A social
	in social media has been	media plan will be prepared in the following
	performed through the social	months.
	media channel of the partners and	
	associated entities, but the project	
	lacks its own social media	
	channels. See comments to D6.1 in	
	Annex A.	
R38	A dissemination plan has been	Update of the dissemination plan with the target
1.00	prepared (D6.1) which in general	audiences done.
	fulfil the expectations but needs to	dudiences done.
	be updated according to the	
	comments related to Expected	
	Impact 3 in section 3 and the	
	specific comments to D6.1 in	
	Annex A.	
R39	Concerns exist regarding the	The exploitation plan will be sent in M20, and will
1.05	current IP and market	include this information.
	identification that need to be	include this information.
	taken into account in the final	
	exploitation plan:	
R40		All the data regarding OmpSs benchmarking will be
0	provided as a deliverable (D6.2);	made accessible openly. The D6.2 has been updated
	however, it refers quite exclusively	accordingly.
	to the data sets that will be used in	accordingly.
	the use cases but it is expected	
	that other data sets could be	
	generated throughout the project.	
	During the review, a data set	
	relating to the undervolting of the	
	FPGA was discussed, which could	
	be made available; also there will	
	be data sets pertaining to OmpSs	
	graphs produced, perhaps data	
	sets relating to application	
	performance analysis etc.	

#### Annex I D1.1 (for deliverable rewrite)

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R41	The involvement of the IAB seems relevant and	Addressed in R2.
	appropriate. However a some of points need to be	
	addressed:	
	• D1.1 specifically states that the IAB is involved in initially	
	phases of the project, providing advice on the prioritisation	
	of these requirements based on industry roadmaps.	
	However if there has been any contribution in that	
	direction it is not visible in D2.1.	
	● D1.1 does not provide a precise indication of when the	
	IAB contribution are expected (only a generic indication is	
	provided "In the initial phase of the project") nor how the	
	IAB contributions are to be fed back to the documents	
	(produced or being produced).	
R42	Despite reasonable presentation of quality processes	Addressed in R1
	(§3.2.4), the documentation produced to date has been	
	inadequate from a quality perspective:	Past Deliverables will be
	• Executives summaries need to be more concise and	reshaped in this format and
	limited to highlight the essentials of the deliverable	the new ones will strictly
	• Conclusions need to clearly summarize the main points	follow this structure and
	and how they are aligned and contribute to the overall	indications.
	objectives and impacts described in the DoA.	
	The project needs to ensure future outputs undergo	
	appropriate review.	
R43		HZI will provide
		documentation and testing
	Software quality needs to be addressed:	through validation of the
	The project should also consider how to ensure good	developed software.
	quality software is produced; note that it is not expected	
	that the output of an R&D project is necessarily production	CHR has already
	quality software (with 95%+ test coverage), but we do have	implemented a continuous
	an expectation that there is some documentation and	testing process for its
	some test coverage such that it can be used by others.	software development.
R44	While there does not exist a real concern on the	A dedicated Slack channel
	management of internal communication (§3.1) using email,	was opened with different
	the consortium members are encouraged to consider the	sub-channels.
	use of collaborative and team communication tools	
	enabling more effective and immediate communications.	

# Annex I D6.1 (for deliverable rewrite)

	While the target audience is identified (§4),	The dissemination plan includes an
	there is not information on which	exhaustive table with this information
1	communication channels (§5) are used to	
	address each of these groups, while this is a	
	key element for the effectiveness of this	
	communication.	
R46	Social networks (LinkedIn, Twitter,	SlideShare has been created. A social media
	SlideShare, Youtube) are very powerful	plan will be prepared in the following
	tools, which are not currently exploited in	months.
1	LEGaTO. They should be incorporated in	
	the project to channel communications	
	produced specifically for other	
	dissemination activities (e.g. scientific	
1	publications, press clippings, hackathon,	
1	workshops, etc.). Basic mechanisms such as	
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	pushing out all slide decks to slideshare and	
	publishing them on linkedin require very	
1	little effort and can have reasonable	
	impact. EC's report "H2020 Guidance -	
	Social media guide for EU funded R&I	
	projects" provides useful guidelines for the	
	development of a social media strategy.	
	It is clear project has a strong OmpSs focus,	We will expand the focus to larger
	but the claimed focus is on application	communities through exploiting existing
	developers and the OmpSs community is	synergies (for example we will target the
	and the control of th	
	not large. The project needs to carefully	OpenMP community, leveraging the role of
	not large. The project needs to carefully consider how it can maximize its impact	OpenMP community, leveraging the role of OmpSs as a testing vehicle for extensions to
	consider how it can maximize its impact	OmpSs as a testing vehicle for extensions to
	consider how it can maximize its impact regarding the large set of developers, that	OmpSs as a testing vehicle for extensions to
	consider how it can maximize its impact regarding the large set of developers, that is it needs to be more specific with respect	OmpSs as a testing vehicle for extensions to
	consider how it can maximize its impact regarding the large set of developers, that is it needs to be more specific with respect to which sets of application developers	OmpSs as a testing vehicle for extensions to
	consider how it can maximize its impact regarding the large set of developers, that is it needs to be more specific with respect to which sets of application developers could obtain benefit from the LEGaTO	OmpSs as a testing vehicle for extensions to
R48	consider how it can maximize its impact regarding the large set of developers, that is it needs to be more specific with respect to which sets of application developers could obtain benefit from the LEGaTO technologies.	OmpSs as a testing vehicle for extensions to OpenMP standard)
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R50	The consortium could also consider the IAB	A page has been created: https://legato-
	as a potential ally in the dissemination	project.eu/about/industrial-advisory-board
	activities, given their position in the	IAB member logos will be added soon.
	market.	

## Annex I D6.2 (for deliverable rewrite)

R51	Project needs to be more open with respect to data sets that it will	Each generated
	produce: these do not have to be very large data sets, but the result	data will be
	of their R&D activities should be driven by data and hence this data	questioned to be
	should default to open unless there are some significant commercial	open and if not, it
	sensitivities.	will be justified.
R52	The document should include a summary table (possibly in a	Included in the
	conclusion or introduction section) summarising all the data sets that	Executive
	will be used (collected, produced or already available) and for each	Summary.
	of them collect the relevant information provided along the DMP.	
	This information should cover at least: data origin (project task/WP	
	or already available) whether the data will be openly available,	
	where it will be available, interoperation formats (if any) and license.	
R53	The license for openly available datasets needs to be clarified. Now	Comment and
	the document states "GPL- alike" but misses to identify a specific	license included in
	license. "ODC Open Database License (ODbL)" seems to be a good	the deliverable.
	candidate for that.	

# Annex I D2.1 (for deliverable rewrite)

R54	In general terms, the document quality should be improved according to the comments already provided	(see R1, R42)
	for D1,1:	Edited the D2.1 Executive
	• The executive summary is too long and does not fully accomplish its purpose (providing an overall idea of the	Summary to make it more crisp and included discussion
	contents of the documents, the benefits of LEGaTO, and	about achievements during
	where do they come from).	the period.
	A proper summary was missing at the end of the	
	document (an updated version was provided on the day	
	before the the review at the request of the reviewers).	
R55	There needs to be some summary of the applications at	Table 3.4 added.
	the end of this chapter. We suggest a table which includes	
	application name, language(s) application is written in,	
	which legato components will be used by the application,	
	which components are targeted for optimization,	
R56	There is a clear emphasis in LEGaTO regarding power	Table with power baselines
	consumption reduction, however the document does not	were added.
	clearly present which is the current power consumption	
	baseline for all the use cases (an approximation would	
	suffice). The "Smart" use case is an example of that.	
	Having a clear baseline is key to drive the development of	
	the LEGaTO technologies and to evaluate their success.	
R57	While the DoA specifies an objective of 10x reduction in	Updated in the chapter.
	power consumption, is not clear which uses cases will	
	address that. In the case that a specific one is not going to	
	reach it should provide the intended target.	

R58	The two last points could be addressed by incorporating	Done.
	the necessary information to the table suggested in the	
	first point or be gathered in a different one specifically	
	addressing the power consumption topic.	
R59	Additionally, the "Smart Home" mirror should target a	Done.
	more ambitious power consumption around 50W rather	
	than the 100W target that was discussed at the review.	
R60	The respective sections seem to address all the objectives	Added table 7.1 in the SD
	of the LEGaTO project (power consumption, trusted	conclusion chapter.
	computing base, MTBF and FPGA designed productivity),	
	but they miss to provide a global view on how they	
	contribute to these objectives. We suggest including a	
	table for each section detailing which component of the	
	LEGaTO technologies contribute to each objective.	
R61	The above comment can be extended to the techniques	Added table 7.1 in the SD
	that are meant to contribute to the objectives of LEGaTO	conclusion chapter.
	(e.g., task replication contributes to MTBF, undervolting	
	contributes to power reduction, OmpSs mapping	
	annotations contributes to FPGA designer productivity,	
	etc.). A summary table can be employed in the same spirit	
	as for the components.	
R62	The deliverable presents some energy-related concepts	We have adapted and moved
	and formulas (§2.3) but they do not seem to be	the energy model to the
	referenced anywhere in the document. They may be of	Backend (WP3) subsection
	good use related to the concerns described below about	since the model is tightly
	power consumption baseline and targets in the uses	coupled with the task
	cases.	concept.
R63	Some progress was presented during the review session	Section on undervolting
	regarding the aggressive undervolting of FPGA (§2.2, last	added (5.7.4).
	bullet). It would be nice that D2.1 also gathers these	
	preliminary results.	
R64	D2.1 should include a TCO calculation for the server	adapted TCO calculation in
	systems (§6.1.5) that does not involve a 32kW draw on	D2.1.
	the rack (e.g. reduce the per rack power consumption by	
	half and consider twice the number of racks).	