KIC Innoenergy and the energie challenge

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KIC InnoEnergy The leading engine for innovation and entrepreneurship in sustainable energy

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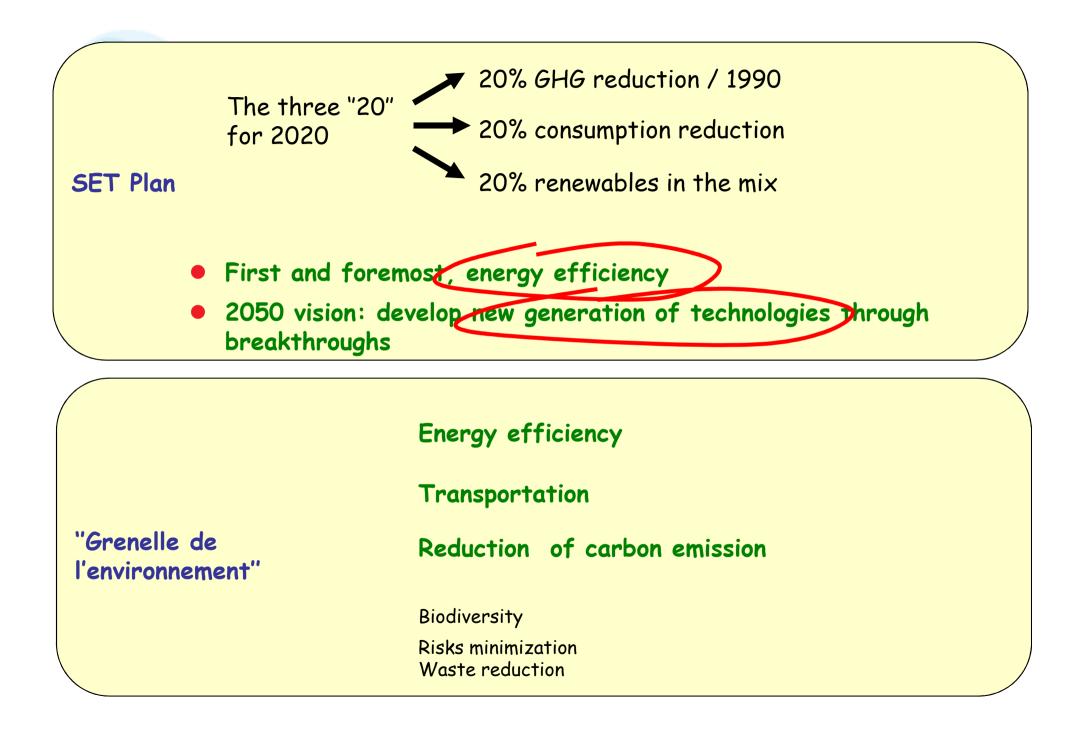
KIC InnoEnergy : one of the three "Knowledge and Innovation communities" selected by the European Institute of Technology in 2009, in order to boost European competitiveness in the field of energy.

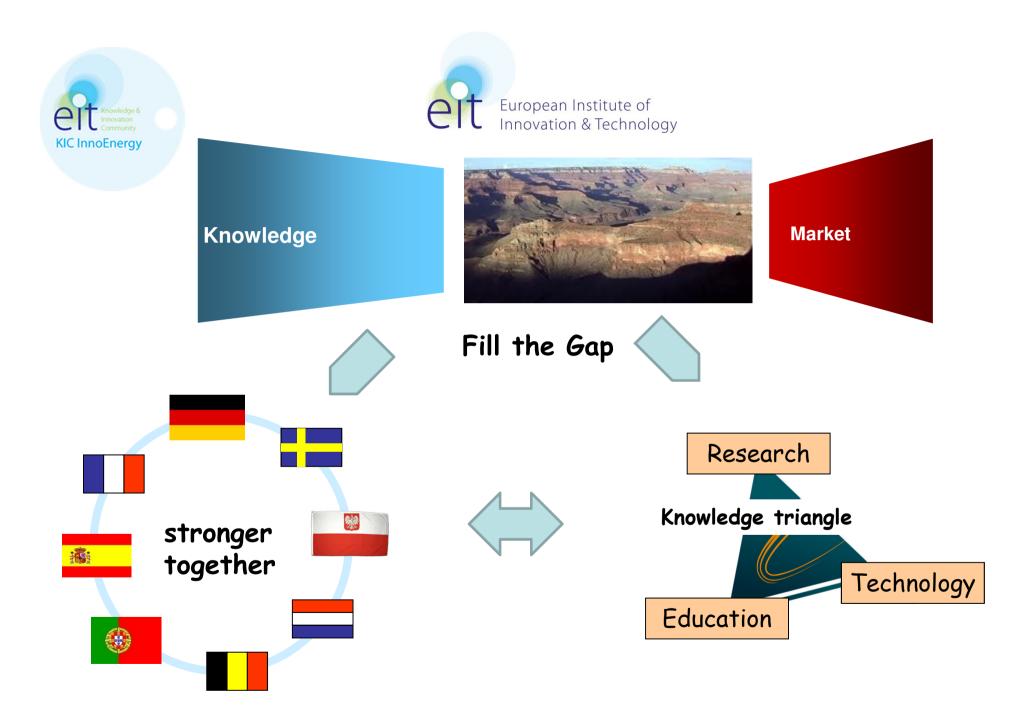
KIC InnoEnergy: a commercial company, incorporated as Societas Europea, with 29 shareholders, all of them key players in the energy field, with top rank industries, research centres and universities.

KIC InnoEnergy is profit oriented, but has a "not for dividend" financial strategy since we will reinvest our profits in our activities.

What are the objectives of a KIC?

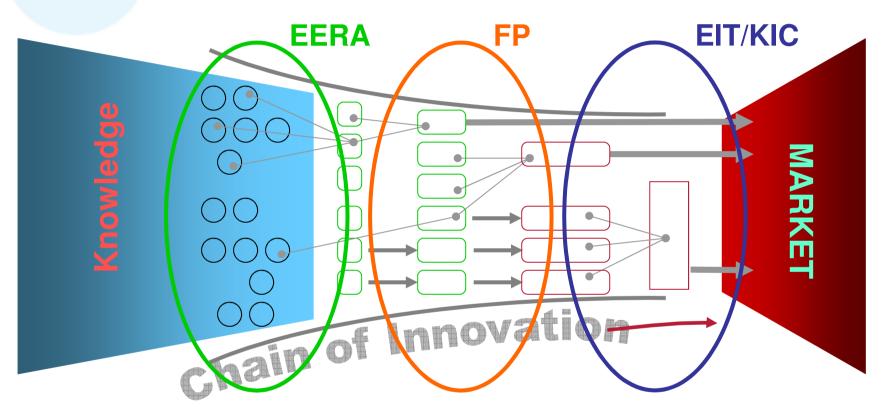
- To address long-term challenges in strategic domains for Europe and tackle new opportunities for innovation in Europe
- To transfer higher education, research and innovation activities to the business context (stimulating innovation in large firms as well as creating spin-offs and start-ups and supporting SMEs)
- To develop entrepreneurial people and bring them to business
- To maximize the share of financial contribution from the private sector





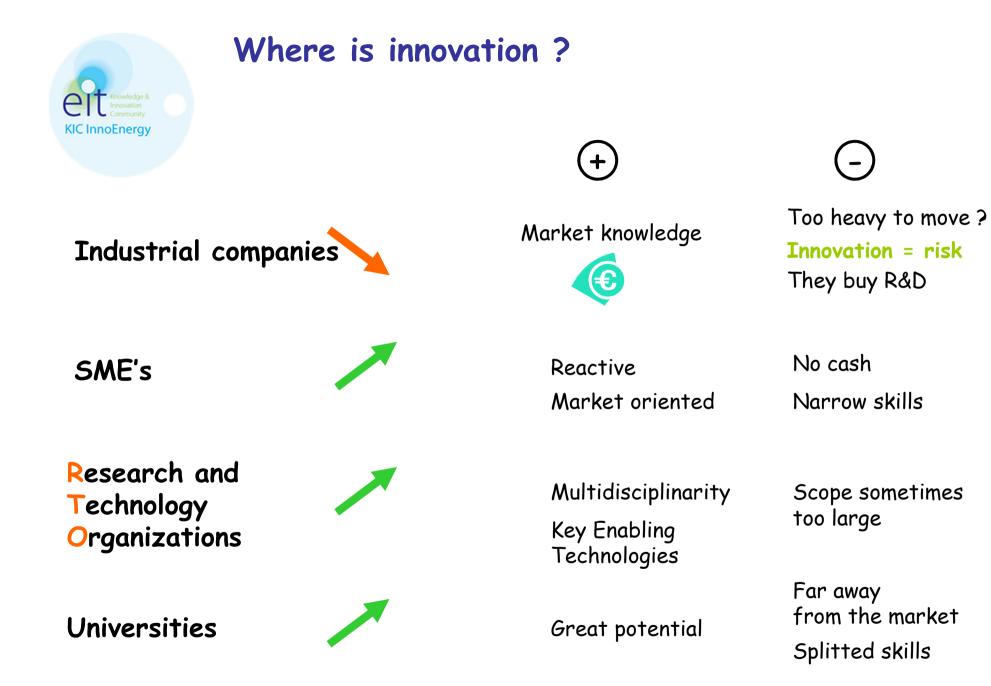


The chain of innovation: from knowledge to the market...

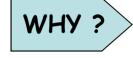


Demonstration under Industry Lead

Joint Programming by Alliance between Public Research Institutes







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KIC Innoenergy is committed to change the European energy system through innovation

- Challenge of sustainable and low carbon energy supply
 Contributing to 20-20-20 agenda
 - Renewables as 20% energy mix
 - Energy efficiency +20%
 - GHG emission -20%
- Whole energy-mix solution coherent with SET Plan
- Objectifs:
 - 1. Decrease energy cost(€) [In all the value chain]
 - 2. Increase Security [Autonomy, Operational]
 - 3. Reduce green house gas emissions
- Business-like organization
 - Lean and effective governance structure
 - Sound and monitored business plan with specified goals (KPIs)
- Team in place
- Agreements signed



Specificities of energy field



Long time to market

National regulations



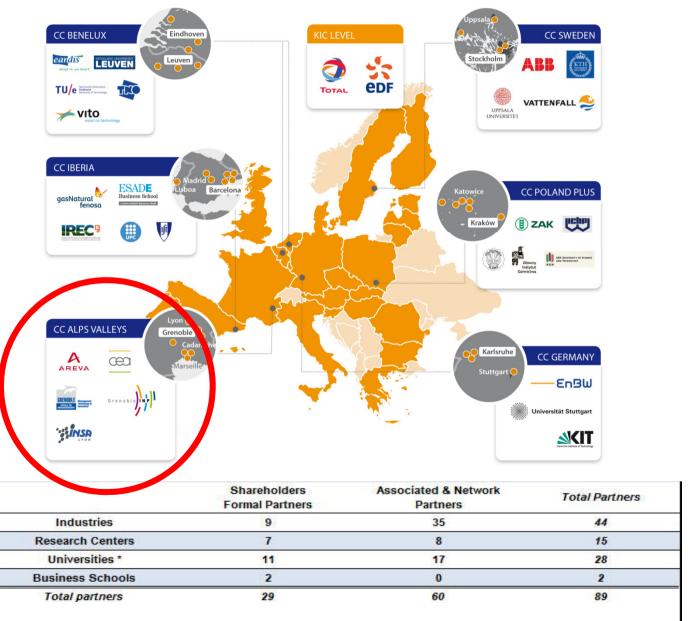
Large investments

KIC Innoenergy has to be ambitious (budgets, strategy, demonstrators,...)



KIC Innoenergy : A world class alliance of top european players

- Some of the most important key research players in Europe
- Covering the whole energy mix
- Knowledge triangle balanced along all dimensions
- Strong connection with local governments





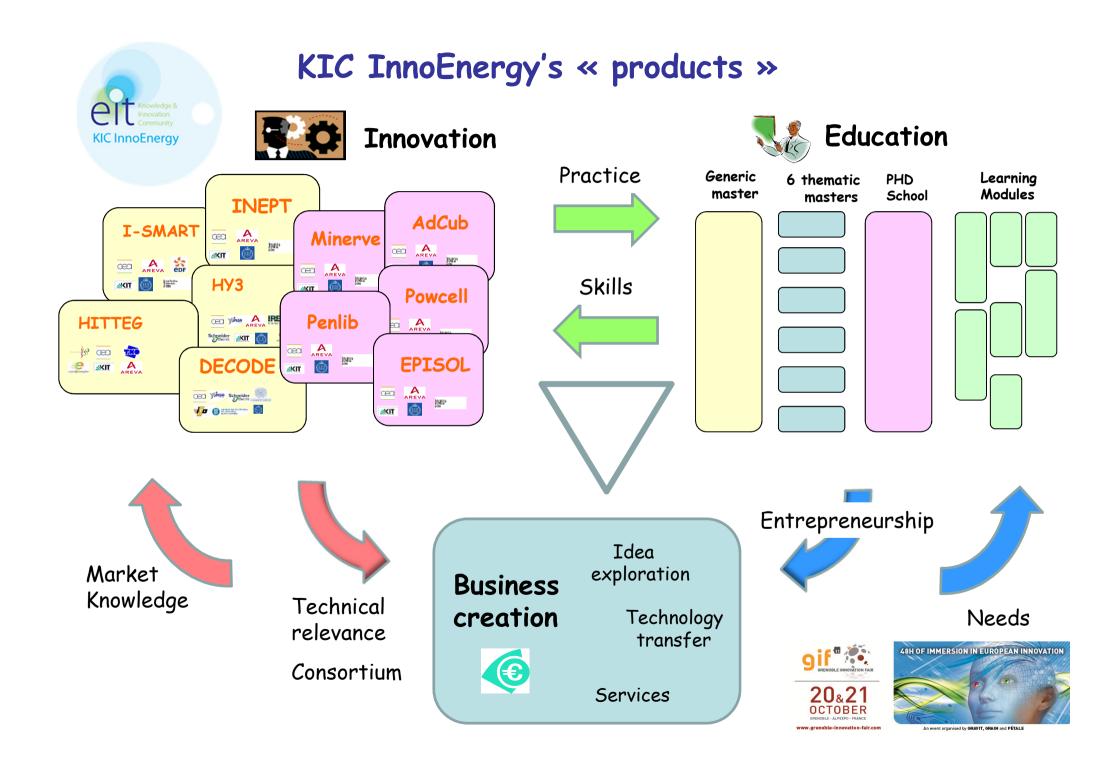
KIC InnoEnergy is output oriented

Three integrated workstreams in 6 thematic fields, delivering 3 type of "products"

Education => MSc, PhD & LLL specialized in thematic fields, entrepreneurship & management

Innovation Projects => Marketable technology product and services

Business Creation => Nurturing entrepreneurship (startups, ...) to become business





KIC InnoEnergy Requirements of an innovation project

Industrials involved

Innovation identified

At least two different CC involved

Products or services identified











Disa Solar



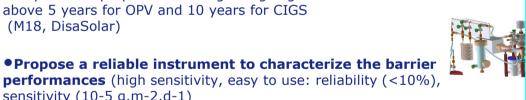
sensitivity (10-5 g.m-2.d-1)

and automated measurement. (M18, CEA)

• Produce a barrier film corresponding to organic and thin film PV requirements (M18, Amcor):

- barrier properties in the range of 10-3 g.m-2.d-1 (Water vapor transmission rate).
- Less than 10% of barrier properties loss after 1000h under continuous irradiation @65°C/85%RH.

• Produce OPV cells and thin film cells (CIGS) on flexible substrate with high performance encapsulation properties offering an ageing above 5 years for OPV and 10 years for CIGS (M18, DisaSolar)

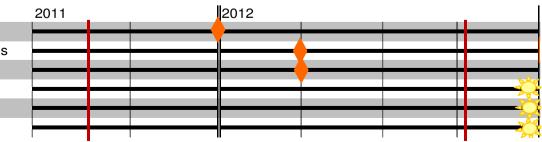


Innovative content of the project

- Barrier film and barrier measurement instrumentation market study
- Round robin test with different barrier measurement methods and different highly performant barrier film
- New barrier film adapted to flexible PV applications : low cost, adapted barrier performances, photochemical stability

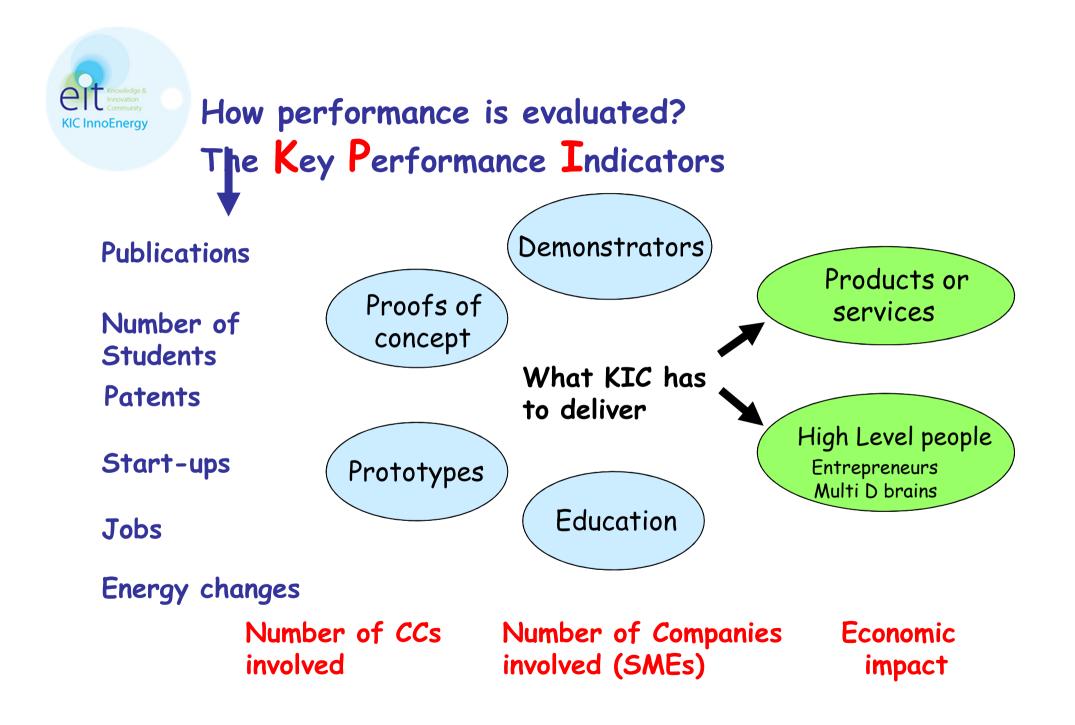
Innovative barrier measurement instrumentation enabling automated measurements for high barrier foils (daily control for industrial production line of barrier films and high sensitivity)

Encapsulation of 2 flexible PV technologies (organic and CIGS) with barrier film. Ageing experiments and demonstration of important lifetimes in accelerated and real conditions



Benchmark (cost/properties) of commercial high barrier film Barrier measurement technology and barrier film market analysis Workshop on thin film photovoltaic technologies Production of flexible OPV & CIGS cells with high lifetime Propose a new generation barrier measurement system

Produce a barrier film adapted to flexible PV application



KIC InnoEnergy KIC InnoEnergy Achievements 2011

- •Education:
 - •4 MSc runnning
 - •2 Ph D Tracks
 - A total of 187 students
- Innovation projects:
 - •34 output oriented innovation projects: some of them industry driven, industrial involvement is mandatory
 - •56 patents pre-identified and 7 patents filled.
 - •IP agreement reached: 10% of foreground licensing goes to KIC.
- •Business creation services:
 - •A unique selling proposition « KIC InnoEnergy Highway » © defined, first entrepreneurs on the pipe.

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KIC InnoEnergy Objectives 2012

Activities 2012	Consolidate & grow ongoing activities	Launch new ones
Education	1 Generic Master	
	3 Thematic Masters	2 Thematic (Clean Coal & Smart Grids)
	7 Learning Modules	6 Learning Modules
	PHD School (2 tracks)	PhD School (All 6 tracks)
	Education Support activities	
Innovation Projects	5 lighthouse projects	
	Energy from Chemical fuels (8 projects)	2 new projects
	Convergence Nuclear-Renewable (4 proj)	5 new projects
	Renewables (5 projects)	3 new projects
	Clean Coal (4 projects)	3 new projects
	Smart Cities (3 projects)	5 new projects
	Smart Grids (5 programs)	Split current programs
	Innovation project support activities (IP, competence mapping,)	
Business Creation	Screen ventures, retain those that will make it. Step increase of deal flow	
	INDU & Business Creation support activities	



Improvements for 2012

A continuous improvement of our management process

- Definition of our strategy: our strengths and weaknesses, competences mapping, competences lacking. Define thematics that are prioritary to focus in.
- Improvement of the whole process :
 - cross-CC project emergence,
 - better connexion innovation/education/business creation,
 - better process of evaluation and selection (professional, clear and transparent)
- > Increase the involvement of industrial groups (good knowledge of the market).
- Increase the involvement of SMEs, (innovation and reactivity).
- Consolidate teams in order to implement activities

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KIC InnoEnergy HORIZON 2020: the perspectives

Horizon 2020 will gather in one programme all EU financing for research & innovation.

The EIT will be fully integrated in the Horizon 2020 programme because it is fully aligned with Horizon 2020 objectives

The Commission has decided to significantly increase its support to the EIT by proposing a budget of € 2.8 billion for the period 2014-2020 (against 309 million euros since the creation of the EIT in 2008).

3 more KIC will be launched from 2014



THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

Our thematic : Nuclear an renewable energy convergence

