What is the EU's Strategy on Cooperative Intelligent Transport Systems?

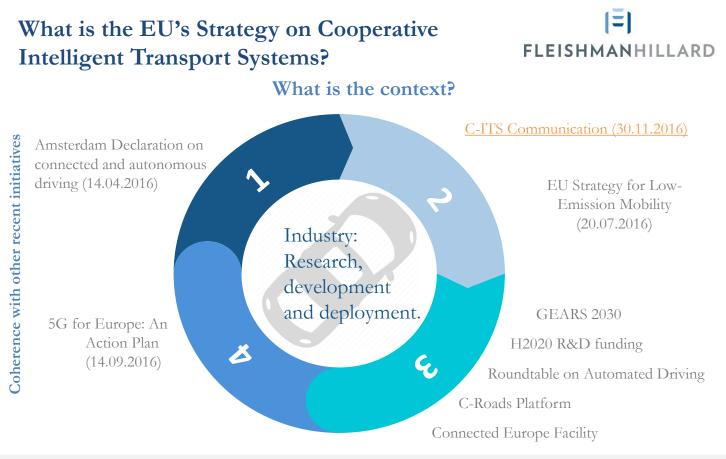


The Commission's Communication for a *European Strategy on Cooperative Intelligent Transport Systems, a milestone towards cooperative, connected and automated mobility* published on 30 November aims to put forward a regulatory framework which will kickstart the deployment of intelligent transport systems.

We offer a summary of the Commission's vision for each of the **8 areas in the C-ITS Communication**, and where it **fits with the other transport strategies and initiatives** of the European Union.

✓ Coordinated priority deployment	Wide-spread deployment across Europe
✓ Security	Guidance and compliance assessment against cyber- attack
✓ Privacy and data protection	Ensure compliance with European Data Protection Rules
 ✓ Communication technology and frequency 	Support for cellular, 5G and satellite; spectrum allocation
✓ Interoperability	Standardisation and deployment specifications across Europe
✓ Compliance assessment	Rules for minimum requirements to support above areas
✓ Legal framework	Revision of ITS Directive 2010/40/EU to put in place specifications
✓ International cooperation	Ensuring international standards for harmonisation in all areas

Priorities of C-ITS Communication



Why should you care?

The Strategy aims to **develop a holistic sectoral approach** in order to deliver the EU's transport decarbonisation objectives.

- ✓ The automotive industry, from OEMs to technology providers, must ensure that connected cars receive clear legal & regulatory guidance. The industry may need to guard against requirements that mandate installation of costly systems increasing prices to consumers.
- Telecommunications network providers must monitor how spectrum will be used and the specifications around hybrid communications, bridging cellular, 5G and satellite.
- Digital technology providers must monitor the development of EU's security and privacy frameworks
- ✓ **Consumers** should care about the rules on data collected from their transport use.