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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This first monitoring report (Dissemination and Communication Report) on the execution of the Communication Plan (D7.2) of the IntelComp Project describes both the communication and dissemination channels and materials developed to reach the main target groups: Public Administration, Society, Industry and Academia. It also takes stock of the specific communication and dissemination actions carried out during the first year of the Project to accomplish the Plan's objectives: raise awareness of the Project, disseminate its results and support the engagement of external actors with it.

In this report, we first detail the status of the implementation of the tasks included in the Communication Plan (D7.2) up to 31st of December 2021. Several communication channels have been exploited: the IntelComp website¹ has been updated, social media accounts in Twitter² and LinkedIn³ have been created and the partners' channels have been used. Concerning dissemination channels, a list of potential journals and international conferences has been created collaboratively and the IntelComp communities in Zenodo⁴ and in GitHub⁵ have been extended.

The consortium has also published an interview with the Project Coordinator in the OpenAIRE newsletter and has sent a scientific publication to *Scientometrics*. Partners have already contributed to two international conferences.

Regarding events, the partners have organized four Climate Change consultation workshops⁶ since the adoption of the Communication Plan. IntelComp has had an active role in the events related to the Data Driven Policy Cluster, the joint collaboration of five e-governance projects funded under the same H2020 topic. The cluster organized the "Evidence Based Policy Making in Europe" event⁷ and the IntelComp consortium has participated in two events of third parties' where the cluster has been involved.

There will be updates of this Dissemination and Communication Report in December 2022 (including an update of the Communication Plan) and at the end of the Project in December 2023.

¹ <https://intelcomp.eu/>

² https://twitter.com/IntelComp_H2020

³ <https://www.linkedin.com/groups/12587102/>

⁴ <https://zenodo.org/communities/intelcomp/?page=1&size=20>

⁵ <https://github.com/IntelCompH2020>

⁶ <https://intelcomp.eu/events>

⁷ <https://intelcomp.eu/events/evidence-based-policymaking-europe-summit-2021>

1. INTRODUCTION

The **IntelComp project** is a Horizon 2020 Innovation Action to build a platform that will be able to analyse large volumes of textual data, varying from government open data to open access scholarly works (e.g. OpenAIRE Research Graph⁸) using Artificial Intelligence (AI) services. The IntelComp platform is designed to assist Public Administrations and policymakers in several stages of the Science, Technology and Innovation (STI) policy-cycle: agenda setting, implementation and monitoring. It will also assist all relevant stakeholders of STI policy (academia, industry and citizens) to co-create policies in the three specific domains where the platform will be tested: AI, climate change/blue economy and health/cancer.

The Communication Plan (D7.2), also referred to internally as the dissemination and communication plan (DCP) is the planning instrument for the effective communication and dissemination of the Project activities and results, showing how they can impact society and policy making with its added value. All partners in the consortium are involved and coordinated by FECYT –as the leader of the Communication and Dissemination Task- in the execution of the DCP and they are all encouraged to proactively carry out communication and dissemination activities in agreement and open dialogue with related work package leaders.

In July 2021, FECYT sent a survey to all partners in the consortium to create a record of their communication and dissemination channels and materials, and to know the third-party events (including conferences) that they are aware of, in order to use these instruments and materials for IntelComp communication and dissemination. All partners answered the survey and provided relevant feedback.

This first monitoring report on the execution of the Communication Plan (D7.2) (DCP) describes the communication and dissemination channels and materials developed to reach the main target groups of the Plan: Public Administration, Society, Industry and Academia. It also takes stock of the specific actions carried out during the first year of the Project to accomplish the Plan's objectives:

- Objective 1. Raise awareness of the Project.
- Objective 2. Disseminate the activities and results of the Project.
- Objective 3. Initiate the engagement and support of external actors to the Project.

In this document, we first detail the status of the implementation of the tasks included in the DCP and also take account of new opportunities to communicate and disseminate the Project activities and results. The status of the Key Performance Indicators of the DCP is also part of this report. Finally, we extract some conclusions from the monitoring of the DCP.

There will be updates of this Dissemination and Communication Report in December 2022 (including an update of the DCP) and at the end of the Project (December 2023).

⁸ <https://graph.openaire.eu/>

2. IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DISSEMINATION AND COMMUNICATION PLAN

Section 6 of the DCP outlines its implementation up to December 31, 2021, describing the tasks that were planned to be executed. These tasks relate to the development of the communication and dissemination channels and materials defined in the DCP, and to the execution of the actions.

Table 2 shows the status of the implementation of these tasks up to December 31, 2021. Most of the foreseen tasks were executed. The first press release was delayed until a first version of the platform is ready and the work on some of the materials was delayed as it's not needed until the Living Labs set up their events.

Table 2. Status of the implementation of the DCP foreseen tasks up to December 31

Area	Communication / Dissemination purpose	Task	Owner	Due Date (in month)	Status (as of December 31, 2021)
Channels	C&D	Publish the Project Website	FECYT	February 2021	Done
	C&D	Create a content plan and social media accounts	FECYT / All partners	September 2021	Done (social media accounts); Content plan expected for February 2022, as input from partners is not ready yet.
	C&D	Fill in questionnaire for feedback on partners' channels	FECYT / All partners	July 2021	Done
	C	Acquire email marketing tool	FECYT	December 2021	Done
	D	Identify potential journal and international conferences	All partners	September 2021	Done
	D	Set up IntelComp Zenodo and GitHub open-access repositories	FECYT	September 2021	Done
	C&D	Generate a database of	FECYT / All partners	December 2021	Expected for Q3 2022 as the first press release will be

Area	Communication / Dissemination purpose	Task	Owner	Due Date (in month)	Status (as of December 31, 2021)
		news media and journalists			released when a first version of the platform is ready
Materials	C	Interview one expert	FECYT	December 2021	Done
	C	Design e-leaflet	FECYT	October 2021	Expected for Q2 2022, to be ready for the Living Lab events
	C	Design and print leaflets	FECYT	November 2021	Expected for Q2 2022 – to be ready for the Living Lab events
	C	Design and produce roll-up	FECYT	September 2021	Expected for Q2 2022 – to be ready for the Living Lab events
	C&D	Produce press release	FECYT	December 2021	Expected for December 2022 – to inform about first platform release
	C&D	Fill in questionnaire for feedback on partners' materials	FECYT/ All partners	July 2021	Done
	D	Produce scientific publications	All partners	December 2021	Done
Actions	C	Organize opening event	FECYT	April 2021	Done
	C	Organize consultation workshops	Technopolis Group	June 2021	Done
	C&D	Fill in questionnaire for feedback on other activities (events, etc.).	FECYT / All partners	July 2021	Done

Area	Communication / Dissemination purpose	Task	Owner	Due Date (in month)	Status (as of December 31, 2021)
C		Organize preparatory workshops for the Climate Change Living Lab	ARC	30 July, 8 October, 29 October, 17 December 2021	Done
D		Submit contributions to conferences	All partners	December 2021	Done
C		Organize Joint Data Driven Policy Cluster event	FECYT	Autumn 2021	Done

In the following points, updates on the implementation of the DCP since its submission on (M6) 30 June 2020 are provided.

2.1. Communication and dissemination channels

2.1.1. Updates on the IntelComp website

The Project's website⁹ is a strong communication and dissemination channel to showcase activities and results to the four target groups. Since the submission of the DCP, we have made the following updates in the About, Priority Policy Areas and Events menu sections of the website:

- *About.* We have included a link to the first version of the Policy Brief in the IntelComp Community in Zenodo.
- *Priority Policy Areas.* We have inserted a link to the report on the needs of STI policy in the three priority areas of the Project, in the IntelComp Community in Zenodo.
- *Events.* We have disseminated the agenda and the outcomes of six events: four consultation workshops, organized by the consortium, in the Climate Change and Blue Growth domain; and two events related to the Data Driven Policy Cluster (the projects funded under the same H2020 topic, "GOVERNANCE-12 Pilots on using the European cloud infrastructure for Public Administrations") where IntelComp has had an active and relevant participation.

According to data on web traffic from Google Analytics, the engagement by gender is 58.4% female and 41.6% male. By age, the most predominant age range is 25-34. The top countries by

⁹ <https://intelcomp.eu/>

number of sessions are: United States, India, United Kingdom, Canada, France, Germany and Spain. It is relevant to note that countries outside of Europe are showing interest.

2.1.2. Create a content plan and social media accounts

IntelComp is present in two major social media platforms: Twitter¹⁰ and LinkedIn¹¹, which supports and builds an IntelComp brand. We use social media to promote the activities of the IntelComp project, to promote other related news and activities and to support the website of the Project. The information hosted in the IntelComp website is adapted and disseminated in the social media to attract traffic to the website.

The content plan is expected for February 2022, as input from partners is not ready yet.

Twitter

The IntelComp Twitter account was created on 20th October 2021 and, until 30th December 2021, it has 31 followers. This channel is used to report on activities and events. Figure 1 shows a screenshot of the account profile.

Figure 1. Screenshot of the IntelComp Twitter account profile



The Twitter strategy is to achieve diffusion through the frequent generation of tweets based on the Project’s own activities and on related activities. We have a continuous live interaction with followers, tagging relevant actors and EU projects. To reach desired profiles, we follow them so they follow us back. To achieve maximum diffusion, depending on the objective of each tweet, we seek specific support from the corporate accounts of the partners.

¹⁰ https://twitter.com/IntelComp_H2020

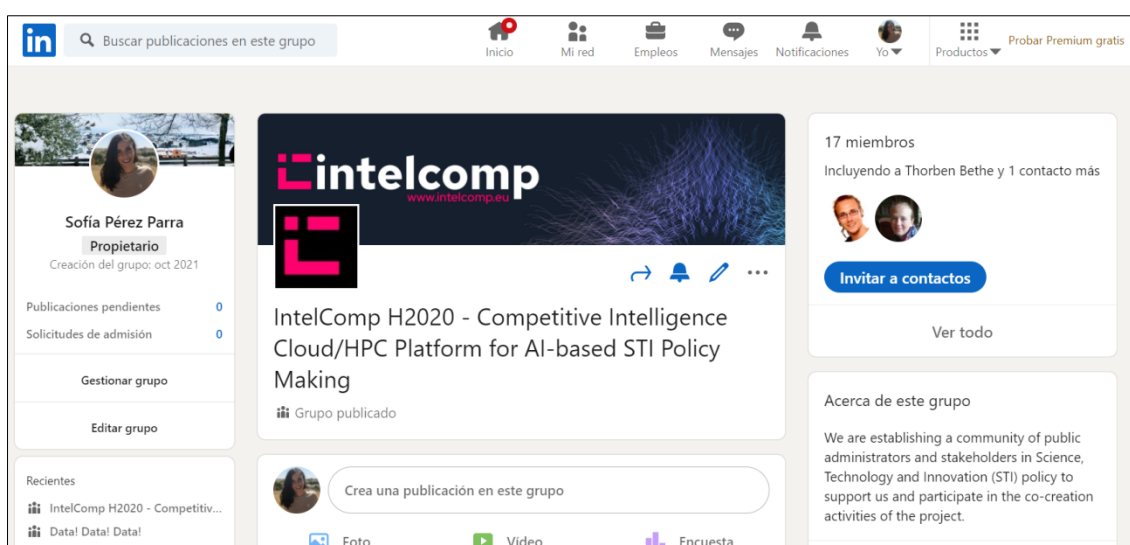
¹¹ <https://www.linkedin.com/groups/12587102/>

Up to 30th December 2021, we have posted a total of 40 tweets and have had 59 retweets. The most successful tweet is related to the diffusion of the “Evidence Based Policy Making in Europe Conference”, a summit organized by the Data Driven Policy Cluster. This tweet is the one that has generated the most impressions, the most views. In total, it got a total of 244 impressions.

LinkedIn

The IntelComp LinkedIn account was created in October 2021 and, until 30th December, it has 17 followers. In this professional network, we have created a group. This communication channel is mainly being used to raise awareness of the project and to disseminate its results to the target groups of Industry and Academia. Figure 2 includes a screenshot of the IntelComp LinkedIn account.

Figure 2. Screenshot of the IntelComp LinkedIn account



References to the main results of the Project in the LinkedIn group are being published: scientific papers and reports available on the IntelComp Community in Zenodo. Professionals related to the Project in order to stimulate an active and fruitful discussion are contacted and invited.

LinkedIn is continuously monitored to determine what content is most appealing and compelling to its audience. Content will be merged as the project develops and its user base grows to ensure its presence is cohesive and impactful.

Once there is a wider base of followers, a more qualitative analysis of the current followers and interactions in social media will be carried out to better design and focus upcoming efforts to increase their impact according to IntelComp objectives.

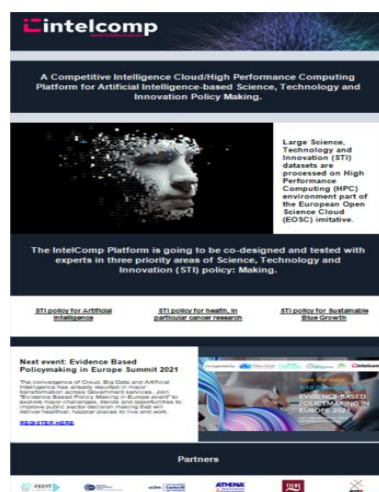
2.1.3. Emailing

Two mailing lists have been created so far: one in the registration for the opening event to be informed about the events of the Project and another, through the “Be Part Of Intelcomp” section of the Project website, to be informed about collaboration opportunities in the Project domains. The former list has 26 contacts while the latter has 34 as of December 31, 2021.

A digital newsletter for the communication and dissemination of the Project and the IntelComp platform has been designed. The aim is to inform about collaboration opportunities in those areas where external input is needed. It is estimated that the first release of the newsletter will be sent via MailChimp in March 2022 in the first phase of the co-creation stage of the Living Labs, as stated in the Engagement Plan of the Project (Deliverable D7.3).

The recipients of the newsletter are those contacts included on the two mailing lists. Figure 3 shows the design of the IntelComp newsletter.

Figure 3. Design of the IntelComp newsletter



2.1.4. Generate a database of news media and journalists

According to the survey sent to all the partners in the Consortium, none of the organizations have a database of general and/or specialized news of European media and journalists that may be used in the Project. FECYT, as leader of the communication task of the Project, is therefore setting up a specialised database to disseminate the results of the Project to its target groups: Public Administrations, Society, Industry and Academia. FECYT has contacted the European Parliament's Communication team and the European Commission in order to include best fit contacts on the list.

A press release of the Project will be available in December 2022 to communicate and disseminate relevant milestones in the platform development. Consequently, the database of news media and journalists is planned to be ready by November 2022.

2.1.5. Conference and journals

The Work Package 7 of the Project (Engagement, Dissemination and Sustainability) has a dedicated task for scientific dissemination (Task 7.5). The objective of this task is to coordinate and follow up on the scientific dissemination of IntelComp results. The scientific community will be able to consult and reuse IntelComp scientific publications.

Although Task 7.5. (Scientific dissemination) has not formally started in Year 1, some preparatory actions have taken place including the general set up for the coordination and the implementation of the task. These preparatory actions were carried out jointly by the

Coordination team and the WP and Task Leaders in order to establish an overall strategy for Scientific Dissemination and define an internal workflow for the management and follow up of the task.

The results of these preparatory actions in Year 1 resulted in:

- *The identification of potential journal and international conferences*, taking into account the interdisciplinary nature of the consortium and its main dimensions: the technical dimension as well as the applied dimension, i.e. policy making. A list of potential journals and international conferences was created collaboratively with the feedback of the different partners (Tables 3 and 4).
- *The establishment of quality criteria for scientific dissemination*. Criteria were established for both channels journals and international conferences. For journals, it must be an indexed journal with impact (e.g. the Journal Citation Report). For conferences, two aspects are foreseen: being international and publishing proceedings based on a peer reviewed process.
- *The monitoring of the progress of this task*. The progress of this task is addressed in the periodic follow-up meetings of WP7 and the monthly Steering Board meetings, based on the internal living document created to keep record of all scientific publications resulting from IntelComp activities.

Table 3. Potential journals to disseminate IntelComp results

Journal	Field of expertise	Language	Open Access
Scientometrics	Information Science & Library Science, Computer Science, Interdisciplinary Applications	English	Article Processing Charges
IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence	Computer Science & Artificial Intelligence	English	Article Processing Charges
Journal of the Association of Computational Linguistics	NLP and Artificial Intelligence	English	Free (To be confirmed)
Journal of Language Resources and Evaluation	NLP and Language Resources	NLP and Language Resources	Free (To be confirmed)

Table 4. Potential conferences to disseminate IntelComp results

Conference	Field of expertise	Geographical level	Periodicity (annual, etc.)
Workshop on Argument Mining	Computational linguistics	International	Annual
Conference on Sustainable Development	Sustainable Development	International	Annual
Workshop on Scientific Knowledge Representation, Discovery, and Assessment	Scientific knowledge	International	Annual
European Forum for Studies of Policies for Research and Innovation (Eu-SPRI) Conference	STI Policy	International	Annual
EMNLP Empirical Methods on Natural Language Processing	NLP & Artificial Intelligence	International	Annual

Open access repositories

The IntelComp community in Zenodo is already set up¹², as well as an account in GitHub¹³. These repositories allow for the showcase and dissemination of the IntelComp reports, services and tools not only to Academia but also to Public Administrations and Industry.

2.1.6. Use partners' communication and dissemination channels

The survey that was sent out to consortium partners, provided information on which communication channels they regularly use to communicate their activities. Nine out of thirteen partners are planning to use their websites to communicate IntelComp activities. Most of them focus on the target groups of Society and Academia, and some on Public Administrations/Policy Makers and Industry.

The partners' websites include information on the IntelComp project (e.g. the FECYT¹⁴ website) and some partners have a dedicated website space for IntelComp (i.e. ARC¹⁵ or ZSI¹⁶). There is great potential to have a multilevel reach by using the United Nations Sustainable Development

¹² <https://zenodo.org/communities/intelcomp/>

¹³ <https://github.com/IntelCompH2020>

¹⁴ <https://www.fecyt.es/es/noticia/fecyt-coordina-la-creacion-de-la-plataforma-intelcomp>

¹⁵ <https://www.athenarc.gr/en/institute-language-and-speech-processing/projects/competitive-intelligence-cloudhpc-platform-ai>

¹⁶ <https://www.zsi.at/en/object/project/5739>

Solutions Network (SDSN) in Greece (through ARC)¹⁷. The OpenAIRE network newsletter¹⁸ is also used to communicate IntelComp's activities

In addition, news about IntelComp is also distributed through the partners' Twitter accounts¹⁹. Intelcomp is using the Twitter accounts of the partners to establish meaningful connections with an active and relevant audience (EC, policy makers, stakeholders of the industry, local authorities and general public). This helps reaching out to audiences through partners' established networks.

2.2. Communication and dissemination materials

2.2.1. Interview one expert

In order to inform Society about the progress of the Project, it is wise to use the interview format to "translate" what experts in the areas are saying to the general public. This approach is more comprehensive to the audience that has an interest in the topic. For this purpose, the first interview with the Project Coordinator was conducted and disseminated through the OpenAIRE partner newsletter²⁰.

2.2.2. Produce promotional materials

As indicated in the DCP, FECYT will produce an e-leaflet for multiple digital channels and a flyer version of the leaflet and a roll-up for physical events. These materials are expected for Q2 2022, to be ready for the Living Lab events. They will contribute to the two objectives of the DCP related to communication: raise awareness of the Project and engage external actors to it.

2.2.3. Produce a press release

According to the DCP, a first press release would have been distributed in December 2021 to communicate the identification of policy needs and selected measurements and data collection needs. However, the results of these tasks will be preliminary until the Living Labs are fully planned in April 2022. Therefore, the first press release of the Project will be distributed in December 2022 to communicate relevant milestones in the platform development and attract media attention.

2.2.4. Dissemination materials

The consortium produces scientific publications and disseminate them in conferences. A publication has been sent to *Scientometrics* on 8 April 2021 and a contribution to the international conference, 8th Workshop on Argument Mining, "Argumentation Mining in Scientific Literature for Sustainable Development" has been published in the peer-reviewed *Proceedings of the 8th Workshop on Argument Mining*, pages 100–111, November 10–11,

¹⁷ <http://www.unsdsn.gr/intelcomp>

<http://www.unsdsn.gr/newsletters-and-press-releases>

¹⁸ <https://www.openaire.eu/archive/319-openaire-newsletter-november-2021?format=raw&tmpl=raw&userid=->

¹⁹ <https://twitter.com/technopolisgrp/status/1385142748471341058>;

https://twitter.com/zsi_fe/status/1387008302429708291

²⁰ <https://www.openaire.eu/blogs/ai-driven-science-technology-and-innovation-sti-policy>

2021²¹. Documentation regarding the open-source software production is also available to different scientific communities through the software repositories of the IntelComp Project in Github²².

The Project has also produced a policy brief on the use of Artificial Intelligence and data-driven tools for STI policy making (Deliverable 1.4)²³. And the five projects (Policy Cloud²⁴, Decido²⁵ AI4PublicPolicy²⁶, DUET²⁷ and Intelcomp) in the Data Driven Policy Cluster have produced a roadmap for “Using the European Cloud Infrastructure for Public Administrations”²⁸, which includes several ideas from the IntelComp consortium.

2.2.5. Use partners' materials

According to the survey sent to partners, the most relevant materials used by the partners to communicate IntelComp's activities will be:

- Scientific publications. 5 out of 13 partners expect to publish results in this format.
- Non-scientific publications: 8 partners expect to publish results in this format.
- Other media content (e.g. web tutorials, podcast, videos, presentations, demos, etc.): 5 partners foresee to use these materials.

2.3. Communication and dissemination actions

The communication and dissemination actions involve not only the events organized by the consortium but also the participation of the consortium in third parties' events that disseminate the IntelComp project indirectly. These activities feed with content the communication channels (website²⁹ and social media) of IntelComp. Due to COVID-19 most actions were realized within a virtual context.

Regarding the events organised by the consortium since June the 30th, when the DCP was submitted, we have used the IntelComp website and the Twitter account to disseminate four Climate Change consultation workshops organized in the framework of Work Package 1 (Evidence-based Policy Modelling). The consortium has also had an active role in the events organized by the Data Driven Policy Cluster.

With respect to the participation of the consortium in third parties' events, partners have contributed to two international conferences and the consortium has also participated in two events organized by third parties' where the Data Driven Policy Cluster has been involved.

²¹ <https://aclanthology.org/2021.argmining-1.10/>

²² <https://github.com/IntelCompH2020>

²³ <https://zenodo.org/record/5541595#.Yt-uV4RBzgh>

²⁴ <https://www.policycloud.eu/>

²⁵ <https://www.decido-project.eu/>

²⁶ <https://ai4publicpolicy.eu/>

²⁷ <https://www.digitalurbantwins.com/>

²⁸ <https://zenodo.org/record/5681330#.YbNNJdDMI2y>

²⁹ <https://intelcomp.eu/events>

2.3.1. Events organized by the project

In the framework of WP6 Living Labs, the Climate Change Living Lab have organized four consultations workshops. These workshops focus on Climate Change and its interconnection with Blue Growth in the European area, by acknowledging that effective climate related policies require a holistic and inter-regional and international approach:

- July 30. The Mediterranean Group: “Understanding the gap between Knowledge and Action”³⁰.
- October 8. The Black and Caspian Sea Group: “Understanding the gap between Knowledge and Action”³¹.
- October 29. The Mediterranean Group: “Climate Change and Energy”³².
- December 17. The Black and Caspian Sea Group: “Climate Change and Energy”³³.

The targeted audiences of these workshops were institutes and research innovation centers; universities and educational institutions; civil society organisations; and public and regulatory authorities. These four workshops, together with the three consultation workshops (60 unique attendees) organized in June, are a steppingstone for the activities of the Living Labs in Work Package 6 of the Project.

Data Driven Policy Cluster

As part of the Data Driven Policy Cluster, on December 9th and 10th, IntelComp co-organized the “Evidence Based Policy Making in Europe” event³⁴, to explore major challenges, trends, and opportunities to improve public sector decision making that will deliver healthier, happier places to live and work.

Over 220 people registered for the two days. IntelComp brought speakers from the European Citizen Science Association (ECSA), OCDE and OpenAIRE to the event. Several members of the consortium presented the IntelComp advances in different tracks. Figure 4 shows the banner of the summit.

³⁰ <https://intelcomp.eu/events/july-30-consultation-workshop-climate-change-and-blue-growth-mediterranean-group>

³¹ <https://intelcomp.eu/events/october-8-consultation-workshop-climate-change-and-blue-growth-black-and-caspian-sea-group>

³² <https://intelcomp.eu/events/october-29-consultation-workshop-climate-change-and-energy-mediterranean-sea-group>

³³ <https://intelcomp.eu/events/december-17-consultation-workshop-climate-change-and-energy-black-and-caspian-sea-group>

³⁴ <https://intelcomp.eu/events/evidence-based-policymaking-europe-summit-2021>

Figure 4. Banner of the Evidence-Based Policy Making in Europe event



2.3.2. Participation in other events

In terms of scientific dissemination actions, IntelComp partners have participated and contributed to the 9th International Conference on Sustainable Development (September 20-21, 2021³⁵): Professor Phoebe Koundouri, as a featured speaker, presented the paper “Accelerating science driven blue growth via a competitive intelligence cloud/HPC platform for AI-based STI policy making”. The consortium has also participated and contributed to the 8th Workshop on Argument Mining (November 10–11, 2021)³⁶. Both international conferences publish their proceedings based on a peer reviewed process.

Data Driven Policy Cluster

Regarding communication actions, the IntelComp consortium has participated in third parties’ events where the Data Driven Policy Cluster has been involved:

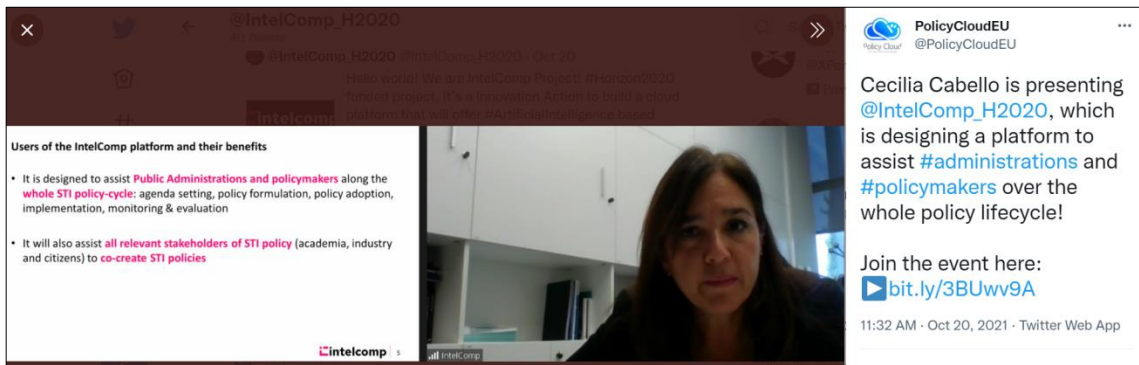
- On October 20th, the Cluster organised the workshop “Initiatives for better evidence-based policies in the Public sector” in the European Grid Infrastructure (EGI) Conference 2021³⁷, where the five projects presented their goal, use cases and co-creation process and, in particular, the contribution of each project to the European Open Science Cloud (EOSC). Figure 5 includes a screenshot of the IntelComp presentation by the Project Coordinator, Cecilia Cabello.

³⁵ <https://ic-sd.org/events/icsd-2021/>

³⁶ <https://2021.argmining.org/>

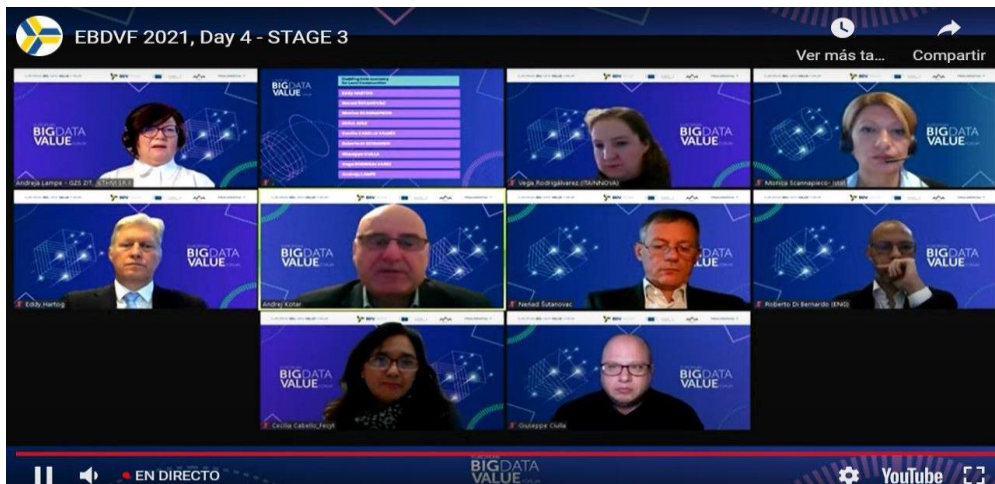
³⁷ <https://intelcomp.eu/events/20-october-2021-egi-conference-workshop-initiatives-better-evidence-based-policies-public>

Figure 5. Screenshot of the IntelComp presentation at EGI Conference 2021



- On December 2nd, IntelComp represented the Cluster at the workshop “Enabling Data economy for Local Communities” in the European Big Data Value Forum 2021 (EBDVF)³⁸. Figure 6 shows a screenshot of the Data Driven Policy Cluster presentation by the IntelComp Project Coordinator.

Figure 6. Screenshot of the Data Driven Policy Cluster intervention at the EBDVF 2021



3. STATUS OF THE KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS OF THE DCP

According to the DCP, the following Key Performance Indicators related to dissemination and communication activities are being monitored (Table 2). At this stage, the applicable indicator based on the IntelComp schedule is the one related to scientific contributions: 0 out of 6 scientific publications (1 submitted) and 2 out of 6 planned contributions to international conferences.

Table 5. Status of the Key Performance Indicators of the DCP

Activity Area	Indicator (KPI)	Target	Value	Comment
Dissemination events organized by the Project	# Attendees National Infodays for Public Administrations (total)	100	0	According to the DCP, National

³⁸ <https://european-big-data-value-forum.b2match.io/>

Activity Area	Indicator (KPI)	Target	Value	Comment
	# Attendees National Infodays for Academia / Industry / Citizens (total)	120	0	Infodays are expected to place in 2022 and 2023-. The consortium has organized three consultation workshops (60 unique attendees) in June, and four more in the Climate Living Lab (30 unique attendees) since then. These workshops are a steppingstone for the national infodays
Audiovisual materials for training sessions	# Public webinars	6	0	According to the Training Plan, these webinars are expected to take place in 2023
Scientific contributions	# Scientific publications (JCR journals)	6	0	1 publication submitted to <i>Scientometrics</i>
	# Contributions to international conferences about NLP, AI, HPC and STI Management	6	2	8th Workshop on Argument Mining (contribution published in proceedings) and 9th International Conference on Sustainable Development (contribution made)

4. CONCLUSIONS

This first Dissemination and Communication Report has given an account of the status of the tasks to be executed during the first year of the project and has shown all the communication and dissemination channels, materials and actions taken so long to increase the visibility of the Project activities and outputs within the consortium and to external audiences

The Intelcomp website and social media accounts have been set up and the partners' websites and social media have also been used. The consortium has elaborated a series of communication materials to disseminate IntelComp, in particular those included in the Dissemination Toolkit and a report of the interview of the Project Coordinator with the OpenAIRE communications team.

All Partners have completed a survey on their communication and dissemination channels and materials, and the third party events (including conferences) they are aware of. In this regard, a list of potential journals and international conferences for dissemination of the IntelComp project was created collaboratively. A scientific publication has already been submitted to *Scientometrics*.

With respect to the communication and dissemination actions, the consortium has already contributed to two international conferences.

The project has also organized four consultation workshops, and has had a very active role in the events related to the Data Driven Policy Cluster. Much has been achieved in the first 12 months of the project in terms of creating awareness of the contribution of IntelComp to the European Open Science Cloud (EOSC), in order to achieve the overarching purpose of the IntelComp Project: contribute to the European cloud infrastructure for Public Administrations.