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"Funding" Working Group
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May 2009 – EACP Initiation Event

May 2005 – Poland joining the European Union 

May 1989 – Round Table negotiations in Poland, resulting in:

- first free elections in Eastern Europe
- first non- communist government
- free market economy introduced
- political changes in whole Eastern Europe/ Berlin Wall colapse/ Germany reunification/ EU enlargement
- enormous effort of transformation (including aviation industry sector)





Changes



2003



2009



Now - mostly private, well equipped, high tech, lean and very efficient manufacturing facilities and engineering offices

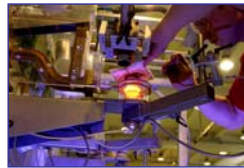
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Main fields of activity :



Knowledge



Networking




Marketing

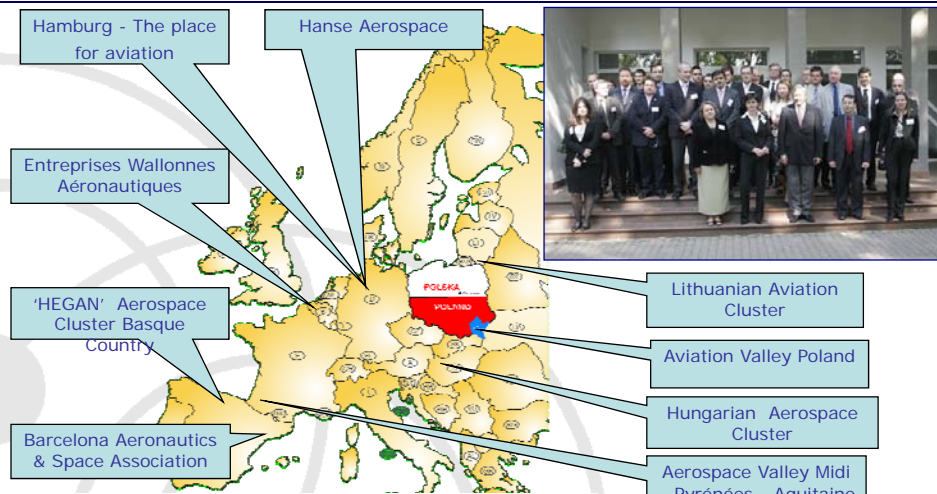


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Clustering aviation clusters – 28.09.2006
Wings for Regions

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Hamburg - The place for aviation

Hanse Aerospace

Entreprises Wallonnes Aéronautiques

'HEGAN' Aerospace Cluster Basque Country

Barcelona Aeronautics & Space Association

Lithuanian Aviation Cluster

Aviation Valley Poland


Hungarian Aerospace Cluster

Aerospace Valley Midi - Pyrénées - Aquitaine

Building network, sharing best practices, understanding opportunities

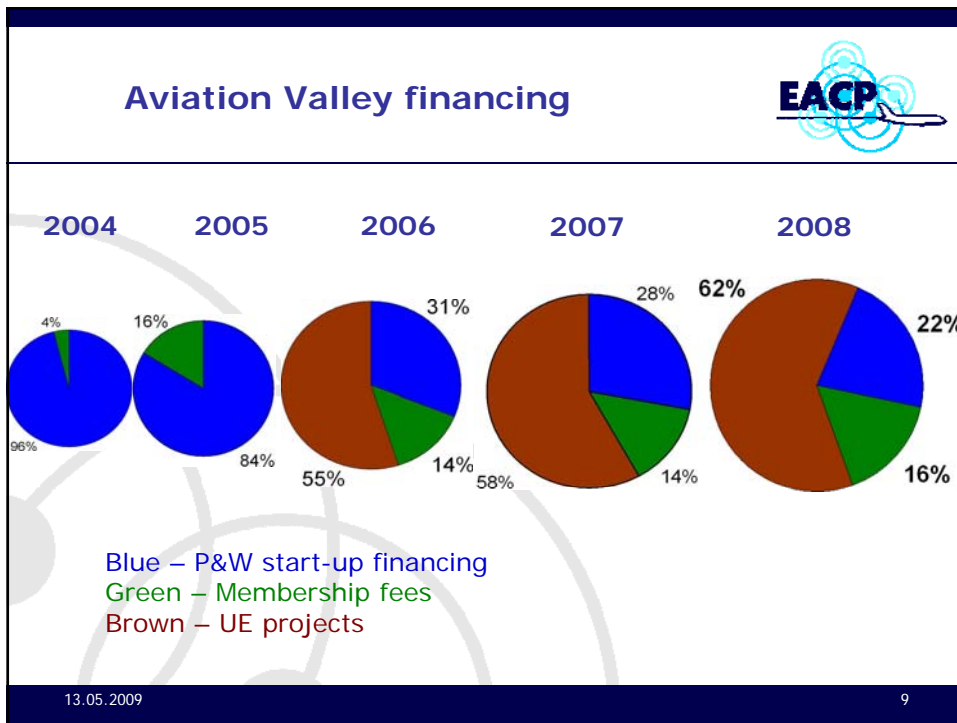
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Proposed functions of the "FUNDING" Working Group

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- ⊗ Providing EACP members with knowledge and ideas about obtaining funds:
 - public programmes (EU, national, regional, etc),
 - private sources (start - up financing, donations, venture capital, etc),
 - others
- ⊗ Counselling other EACP WG on preparation project proposals
- ⊗ Designating certain members to become experts for specific programmes
- ⊗ Identifying possibilities of EACP financing in relevant UE programmes:
 - Regions of Knowledge
 - INTERREG IV C
 - EUROPE INNOVA initiative
 - CIP - Competitiveness & Innovation Framework Programme
 - R&D programmes (FP 7, national R&D programmes, etc.)
 - a variety of regional structural funds
- ⊗ ...Others (to be discussed during the afternoon "Funding" WG session)

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- ✳ INTERREG III C ADEP - 'Development and promotion of an innovative industrial cluster in the Podkarpackie Province'
 - ✳ INTERREG III A - 'Development of a cross-border Polish - Ukrainian aviation cluster'
 - ✳ Technology Foresight project for the Polish aerospace sector
 - ✳ Regional project - 'Common SKY'
 - ✳ FP7 - Sectoral Contact Point in Poland
 - ✳ Competitiveness & Innovation Framework Programme - 'Enterprise Europe Network'
 - ✳ ... new project proposals being prepared
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