Extensions – what is it all about?

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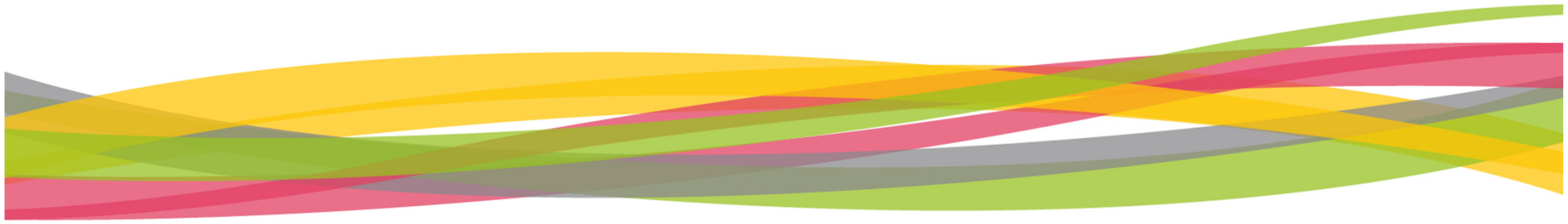

What is an extension?

+ extending an approved project
+ addition of activities and/or partners that require additional funding
+ revision of timeline in most cases
+ in line with the existing project: not an entirely new application

Facts and figures - brief overview of approved extensions

	Additional Funding (in Euros)	Additional Lifetime (in months)	Additional Partners
Average	900.000	13	1
Highest	1.900.000	32	6
Lowest	370.00	0	0

Facts and figures - brief overview of approved extensions

Additional Funding (in Euros)

1.900.000

900.000 (average)

370.000

Additional Lifetime (in months)

32

13 (average)

0

Additional Partners

6

1 (average)

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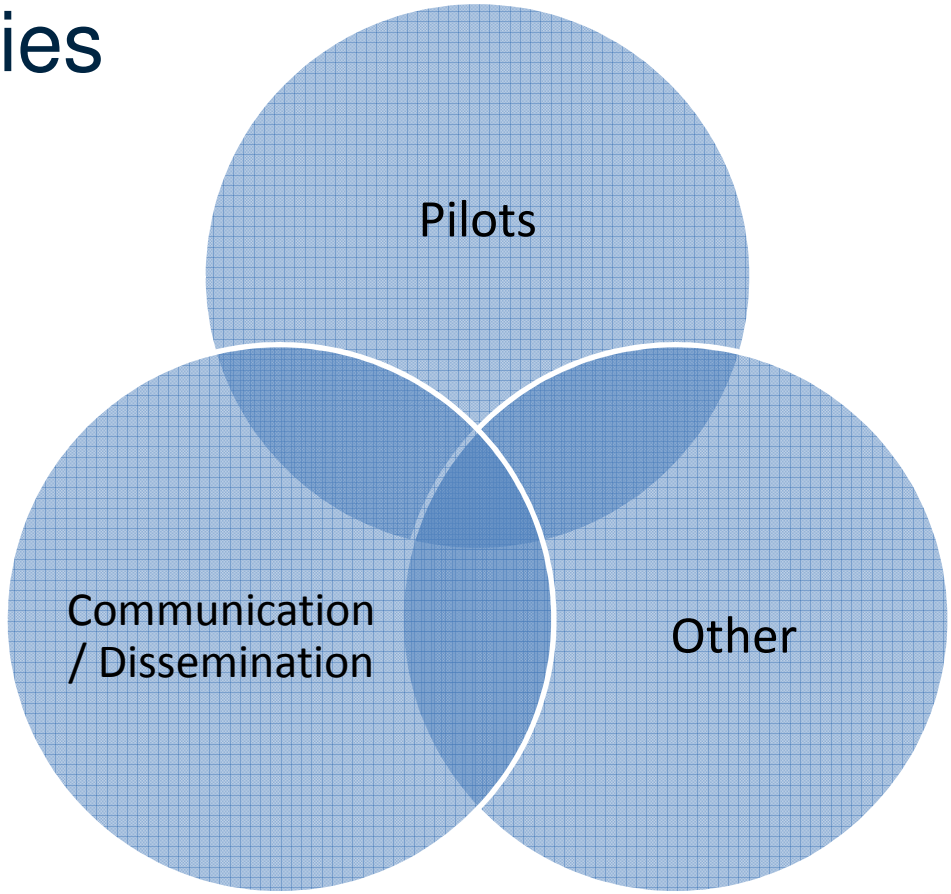
Extension of Partnership
Two examples

1. New German beneficiary to access German market, which was not possible so far

2. Previous key stakeholder of the project in the partnership in order to create added value

Extension Activities



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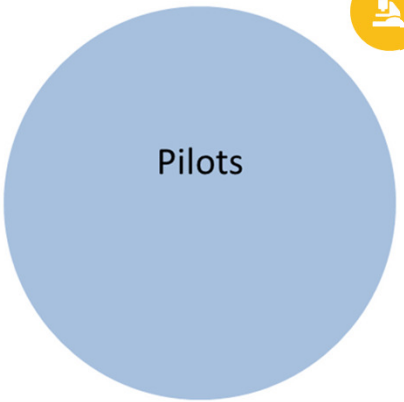

Increased number of pilots	New pilots
certain aspect of pilot implementation turned out to be the most influential -> increased number of pilots with focus on this aspect Rationale: more reliable data for policy influence	no replication of previous pilots but -> testing of new technologies Rationale: broaden the spectrum of available solutions

Communication / Dissemination

Increased number of communication activities	New communication activities
activity, which has been a big success in terms of spreading the word about the project and inviting policymakers and politicians to observe their work	need for high level transnational stakeholder conference to disseminate lessons learned from project to a wider audience

Other

New Service

successful project, but during project implementation further needs and challenges were uncovered
→ project designs and offers a new service beyond the scope of the current activities of the project

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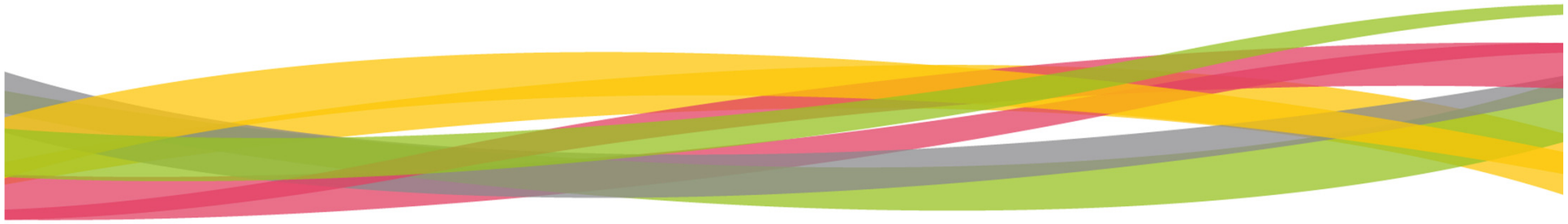

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What can we learn from extensions for call 12?

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Which element of an extension do you consider most important for call 12?

- extension of partnership
- increased target value of pilots
- new pilots
- increased target value of communication activities
- new communication activities
- other new activities