

Satellite Broadband for European Regions CIP-ICT PSP Call 6

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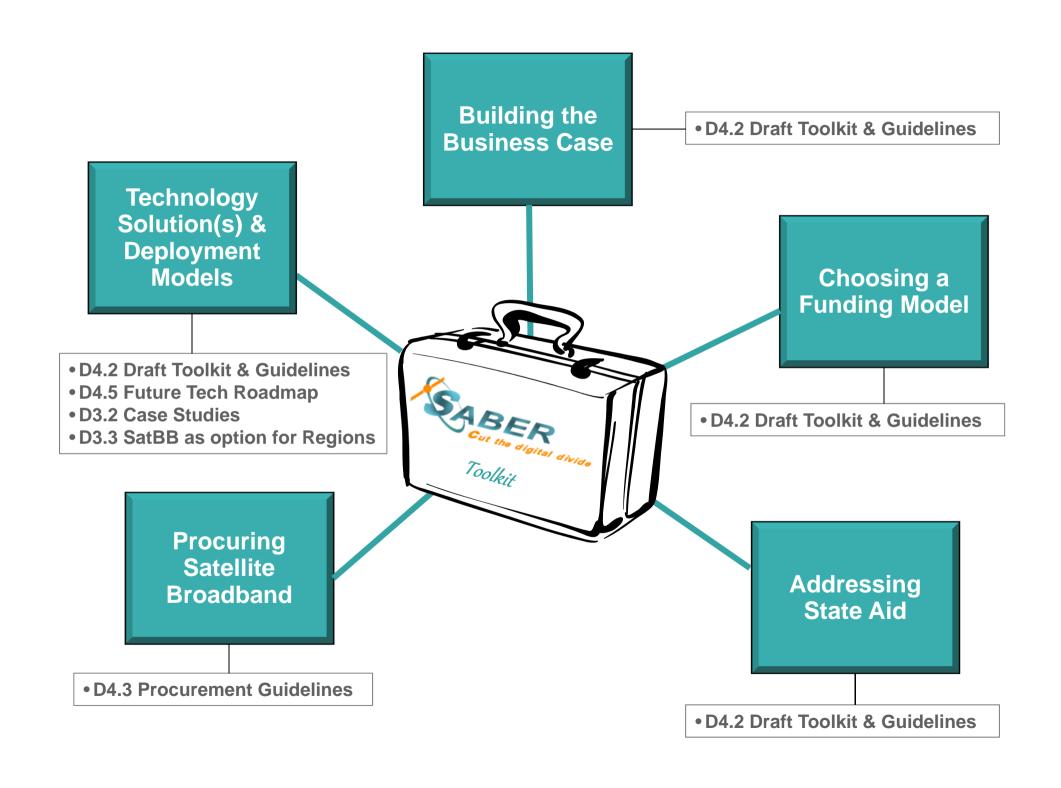
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Technology Solution(s) & Deployment Models

- D4.2 Draft Toolkit & Guidelines
- D4.5 Future Tech Roadmap
- D3.2 Case Studies
- D3.3 SatBB as option for Regions











D4.2 Draft Toolkit & Guidelines — Technology Solutions & Deployment Models

Guidance is based on D3.3 Satellite Broadband as an Option for Regions Guidance covers:

- What is satellite broadband?
- Why choose satellite broadband?
- Who delivers satellite broadband?
- How can Public Administrations support the take-up of satellite broadband solutions
- Deployment models for satellite broadband:
 - o Public Administrations provide backhaul, e.g. in rural communities
 - Wholesales purchase by Public Administrations
 - Public Private Partnership approaches (PPP)
 - Demand Aggregation concept









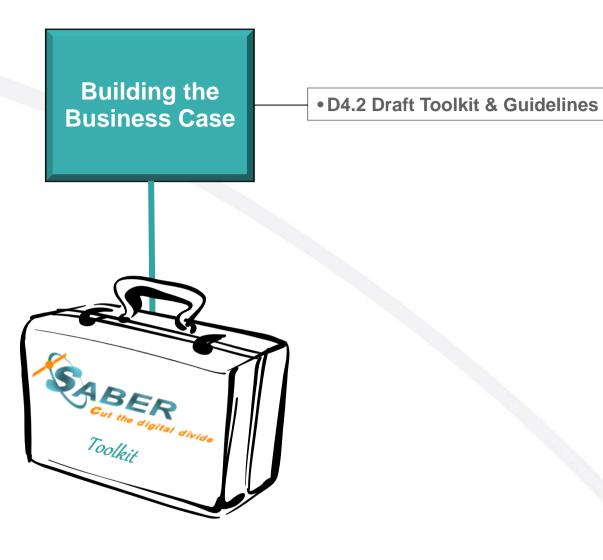
Agnes – Future Technology Roadmap



















D4.2 Draft Toolkit & Guidelines - Building the Business Case

Guidance covers:

- Defining the problem or need to be addressed
 - Economic & social development creating, distributing and exploiting knowledge
 - Bolstering rural economies
 - Looking at access, adoption and usage
 - Arguments for public funding
- Advantages that satellite broadband can offer
- Identifying key stakeholders
- Identifying beneficiaries
- Developing a project plan
- Crunching the numbers



















D4.2 Draft Toolkit & Guidelines– Choosing a funding model

Guidance covers:

- Links to DG Regio Guide to Broadband Investment
- Summary of main funding sources for broadband investment:
 - EARDF (Structural Funds)
 - ERDF (Structural Funds)
 - CEF (Connecting Europe Facility)
 - National Finance Instruments (to be discussed in afternoon)
 - Private Financial Instruments
 - o Others??











Addressing State Aid

• D4.2 Draft Toolkit & Guidelines









D4.2 Draft Toolkit & Guidelines – Addressing State Aid

Guidance covers:

- Introduction
- o What qualifies as State Aid?
- General exceptions
- Notification of a scheme/measure
- Simplified procedure
- General block exemptions
- Aid for broadband infrastructure
- De Minimis aid regulation
- Member State approved schemes











Procuring Satellite **Broadband**











Luisella – Procurement Guidelines







