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Risk Analysis of Infrastructure Networks in response to extreme weather

Fact Sheet

Project Information

RAIN

Grant agreement ID: 608166

[Project website](#)

Project closed

Start date

1 May 2014

End date

30 April 2017

Funded under

Specific Programme "Cooperation": Security

Total cost

€ 4 611 933,40

EU contribution

€ 3 493 600,00

Coordinated by

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OTHER MEMBERS OF BOARD,
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Objective

The RAIN vision is to provide an operational analysis framework that identifies critical infrastructure components impacted by extreme weather events and minimise the impact of these events on the EU infrastructure network. The project has a core

focus on land based infrastructure with a much wider consideration of the ancillary infrastructure network in order to identify cascading and inter-related infrastructure issues. A core component of the research will consider the implications of climate change and the subsequent impacts that this may have on an already ageing and vulnerable infrastructure system. The impact of these disruptions on both the key components and the wider pan-European network will be assessed using economic and social markers that will identify and rank a series of “worst case” scenarios. Technical and Logistic solutions will be developed to minimise the impact of these extreme events, which will include novel early warning systems, decision support tools and engineering solutions to ensure rapid reinstatement of the network. These tools will be implemented within a fresh Europe-wide operational and response strategy that will build on previous European infrastructure models. The robustness of the existing transport and energy networks to deal with changing weather conditions will be analysed in detail. The ability of this response plan to transcend borders will be guaranteed by the multi-disciplinary consortium. The project grouping will have expertise in climatology, operational analysis, transportation economics, risk analysis and mitigation, emergency planning, transportation engineering as well as engineering design and assessment. The outputs from the project will result in enhanced safety and reliability of critical infrastructure networks in the case of major weather induced disruptions and will address European policy in the areas of safety and security, inter-modality and emergency response planning.

Fields of science (EuroSciVoc)

[social sciences](#) > [economics and business](#) > [economics](#)

[engineering and technology](#) > [civil engineering](#) > [transportation engineering](#)

[natural sciences](#) > [earth and related environmental sciences](#) > [atmospheric sciences](#) > [climatology](#) > [climatic changes](#)



Programme(s)

[FP7-SECURITY - Specific Programme "Cooperation": Security](#)

Topic(s)

[SEC-2013.2.1-2 - Impact of extreme weather on critical infrastructure – Capability Project](#)

Call for proposal

Funding Scheme

[CP-FP - Small or medium-scale focused research project](#)

Coordinator



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EU contribution

€ 432 727,75

Total cost

No data

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Region

Ireland > Eastern and Midland > Dublin

Activity type

Higher or Secondary Education Establishments

Links

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Participants (15)



European Severe Storms Laboratory e.V.

Germany

EU contribution

€ 327 720,00

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Activity type

Research Organisations

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ZILINSKA UNIVERZITA V ZILINE

 Slovakia

EU contribution

€ 113 760,00

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Slovensko > Stredné Slovensko > Žilinský kraj

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Higher or Secondary Education Establishments

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TECHNISCHE UNIVERSITEIT DELFT

 Netherlands

EU contribution

€ 340 010,00

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Higher or Secondary Education Establishments

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GAVIN AND DOHERTY GEOSOLUTIONS LTD

Ireland

EU contribution

€ 232 800,00

Address

KILLACLORAN UPPER

- Aughrim Wicklow

Region

Ireland > Eastern and Midland > Mid-East

Activity type

Private for-profit entities (excluding Higher or Secondary Education Establishments)

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DRAGADOS SA

Spain

EU contribution

€ 202 200,75

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FREIE UNIVERSITAET BERLIN

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€ 197 832,00

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Higher or Secondary Education Establishments

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ROUGHAN & O'DONOVAN LIMITED

 Ireland

EU contribution

€ 268 744,00

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ARENA ROAD ARENA HOUSE

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Ireland > Eastern and Midland > Dublin

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HELLENBERG INTERNATIONAL OY

Finland

EU contribution

€ 212 100,00

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ISTITUTO DI SOCIOLOGIA INTERNAZIONALE DI GORIZIA



Italy

EU contribution

€ 74 298,00

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Nord-Est > Friuli-Venezia Giulia > Gorizia

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Research Organisations

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PRAK PETER LEONARD



Netherlands

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€ 144 400,00

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ILMATIETEEN LAITOS

 Finland

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YOURIS.COM

 Belgium

EU contribution

€ 177 700,00

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Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest > Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/ Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest > Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad

Activity type

Other

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INDEPENDENT POWER TRANSMISSION OPERATOR SA

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APLICACIONES EN INFORMATICA AVANZADA SL

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UFD DISTRIBUCION ELECTRICIDAD SA 

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