



#### Galileo Emergency Warning Satellite Service (EWSS)

Satellite-based Services for Disaster Risk Management

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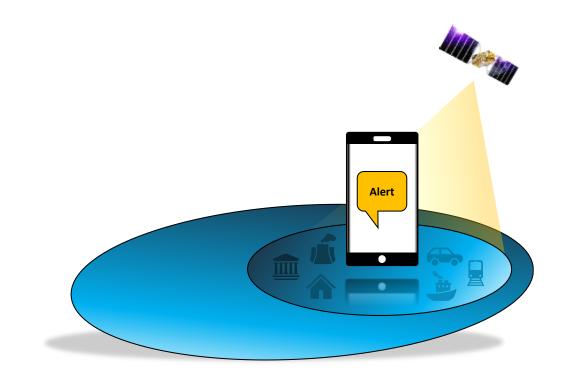
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### **Outline**:

- Why a new service?
- EWSS Benefits
- Implementation Steps
- Prototype and Pilot Tests



# Why a New Galileo Service?

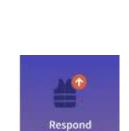
- Close the gap in absence/destruction of Ground based EWS (e.g. cellular networks, radio and television broadcast)
- EU Space considers civilian demand for emergency coordination
- EU role in ensuring large scale, shared and sustainable projects
- Linked to EU Disaster Resilience Goals



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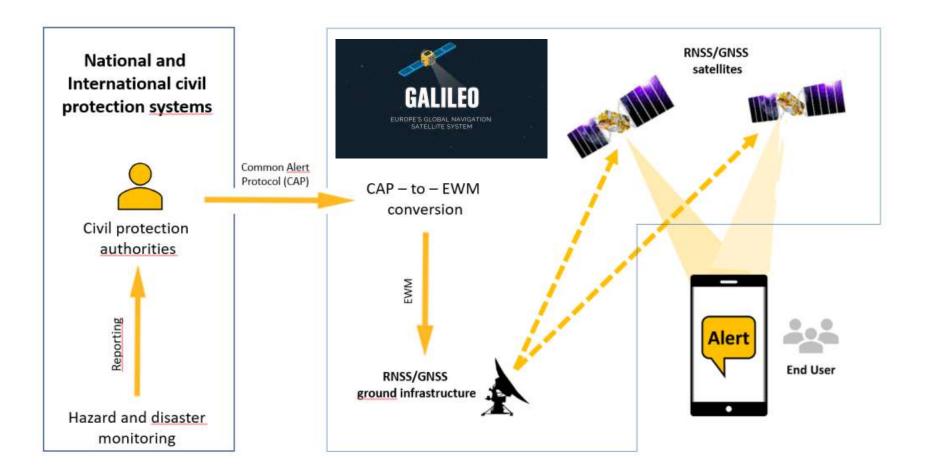








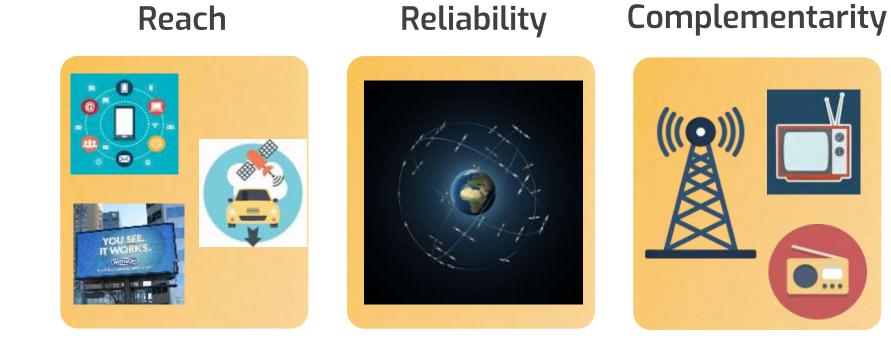
#### **EWSS**







#### **EWSS** Main Benefits



#### **Scalability**



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# **EWS Service Implementation Steps**

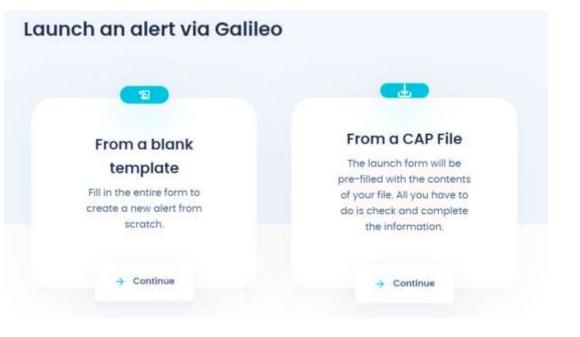
- STELLAR Project
  - Standalone Prototype
- Step O: Pilot Tests and Interface
  - Reuse of the STELLAR assets
  - EU Space Programme deployed proxy interface to Galileo
  - Member States autonomous access to prepare for the service and tests features
- Step 1: Initial Services
  - EU Space Programme commitment to deliver EWSS
  - Member States EWS-ADP connected to Galileo
- Step 2: Full Services
  - EU Space Programme evolved commitment/ more resilience
  - Extension of Service, for instance beyond EU27





# **Prototype & Pilot Test Phase (1)**

- 2023 2024 EU Prototype: STELLAR
- Field tests in France, Germany, Cyprus, Belgium/Luxembourg border, Romania, Estonia
- Excellent technical results
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# Prototype & Pilot Test Phase (2)

- 2023 2024 EU Prototype: STELLAR
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# Prototype & Pilot Test Phase (3)





- For the EWSS test campaign, the mobile device is a Test User Terminal (TUT)
- It is composed of:
  - A mobile phone with Stellar application installed
  - A NavBox to decode the RLM received by satellite
- Presentation of the device in training:



# **Prototype & Pilot Test Phase (4)**

- 2024 2025 Pilot Tests for EU Member States Civil Protection Authorities
  - National, Regional or Local
- Use of Galileo infrastructure/satellites
  - Based on planned requests
- Autonomous access for test purposes





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