

## Nomadic Devices Workshop

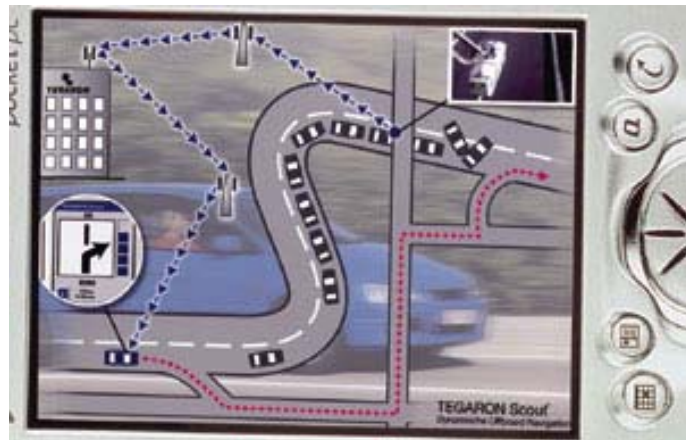
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The use of “Nomadic Devices”, or portable devices used in the car by a driver for support, assistance, communication or entertainment, is increasingly common. As in-car use of Bluetooth mobile phones, handheld computers, portable navigators and personal music players grows rapidly, there are concerns that this should not lead to driver distraction and increased safety risk. There is also a lack of standards for device docking in the vehicle, or for safe installation and use.



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The EU-supported RTD project “AIDE” (6th Framework Programme, IST, E-Safety) is developing an adaptive integrated driver-vehicle interface to tackle the growing demands on the driver from the growing number of driver assistance and information systems. Ensuring the safe and efficient integration of nomadic devices is an important project aim.



### ***Workshop objectives***

This workshop is organised by the AIDE consortium and ERTICO – ITS Europe. The objectives are to:

- convene a cross-sector working group concerned with all aspects of nomadic device integration and use in the vehicle, as a first step towards creating a standing Nomadic Device Forum
- identify key issues for nomadic devices: safety, design, integration/installation, use...
- present the AIDE project and its work on nomadic device integration
- verify use cases and user/stakeholder requirements for the AIDE solution.

### ***Who should attend?***

This workshop will be of interest to:

- vehicle manufacturers
- automotive suppliers
- digital map suppliers
- device manufacturers
- application software suppliers
- mobile phone operators
- service providers
- public authorities & agencies
- users' representatives
- the road safety community
- insurance industry
- inspection/certification bodies

### ***Programme highlights***

Presentation of AIDE project and its work on nomad device issues  
Nomadic devices: safety issues; benefits and market outlook; in-car integration issues  
Nomadic device use cases and draft user/stakeholder requirements  
Preliminary AIDE approach for nomadic device integration and management  
Breakout groups: safety issues; industry requirements; convergence towards one solution

### ***Early registration***

To ensure your place, please complete and return the attached registration form. There is no fee for attendance at this workshop, but the number of places is limited – so reserve yours now!

### ***Contact***

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