

# Open source collaboration for the public sector

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PloneGov is a collaborative software ecosystem where public organizations and SME work together to share best practices, applications and the cost of enhanced capabilities.



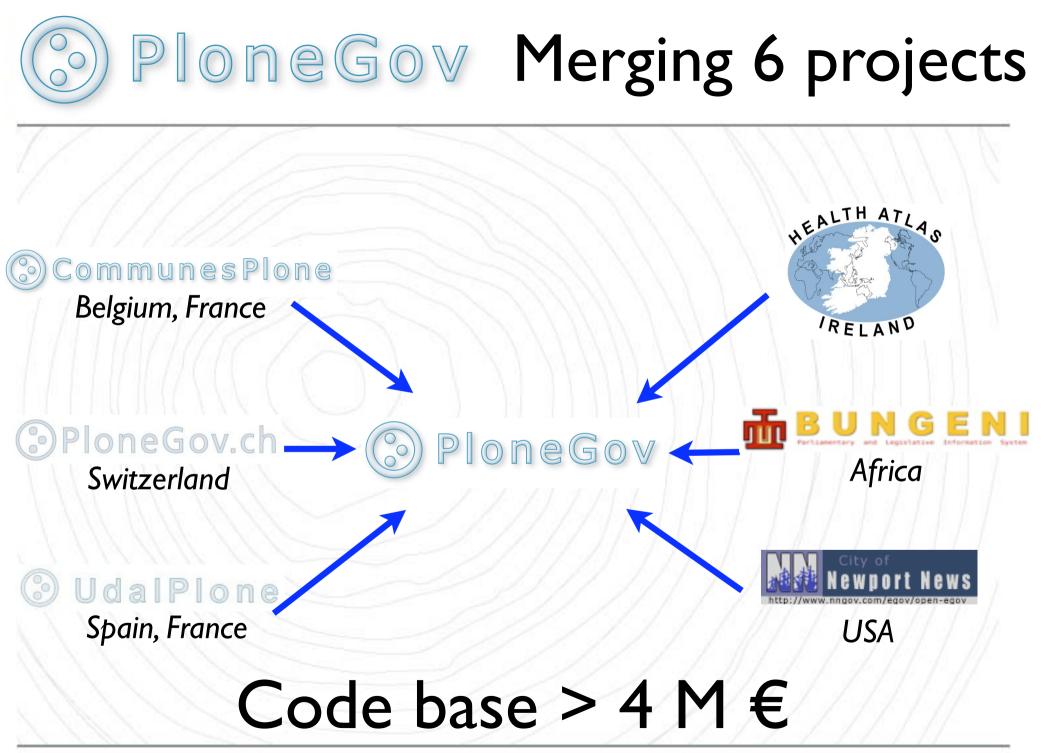
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| Grand Prize<br>Lutèce d'Or 2007 | Good Practice Label<br>ePractice 2007    | Finalist European<br>eGovernment<br>Awards 2007 | Irish Public Service<br>Excellence<br>Award 2008                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | First Prize<br>Havlick Award 2008    |



## The origins



# EU :100 000 local governments Similar needs Limited resources Open to collaboration





#### Today

#### Scale : 100 towns, regions, parliaments

- International : 20 countries over 4 continents
  - Europe : Belgium, France, Ireland, Italy, Spain, Switzerland
  - America : USA, Canada, Argentina, Brazil
  - Asia, Oceania: NZ, Australia, Philippines
  - Africa : Angola, Cameroon, Ghana, Kenya, Mozambique, Rwanda, Tanzania and Uganda







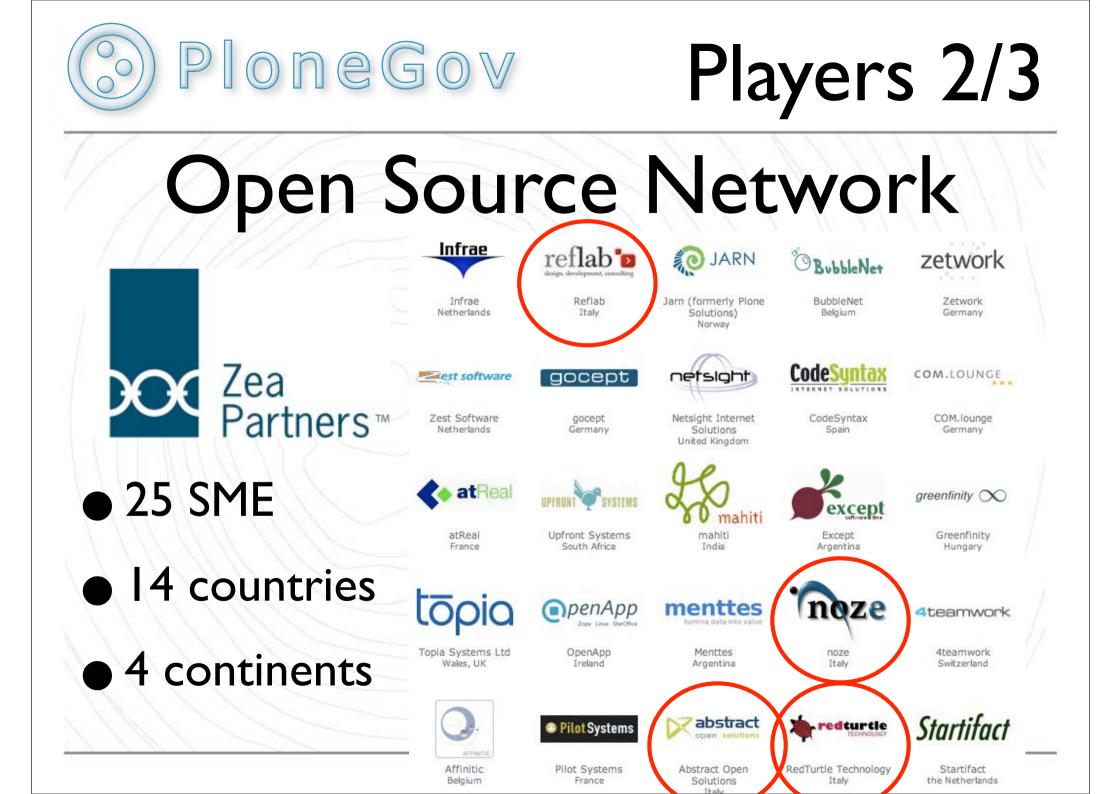
#### Public Sector

- 100 towns, regions, parliaments & agencies
- technical coordination/development











## Players 3/3

## Open Source Community Plone Expertise: innovation & technology Worldwide team : 300+







#### Education & Non-profit

- Universities (Ferrara, Italy)
- NGO (Canada / Philippines)



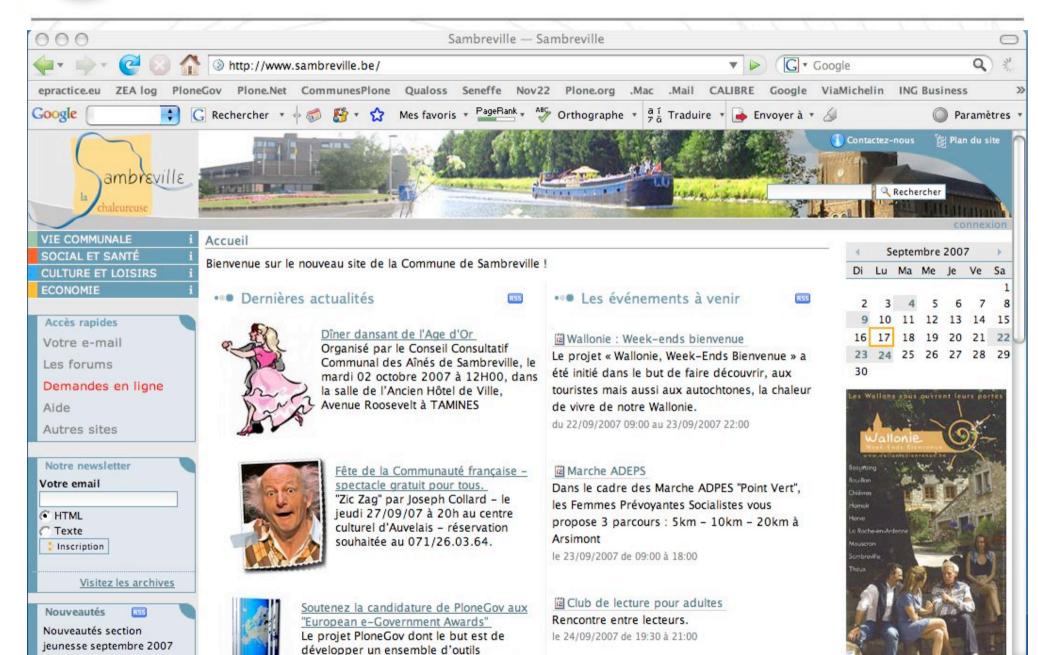
## Creating and sharing new applications





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#### Town 2

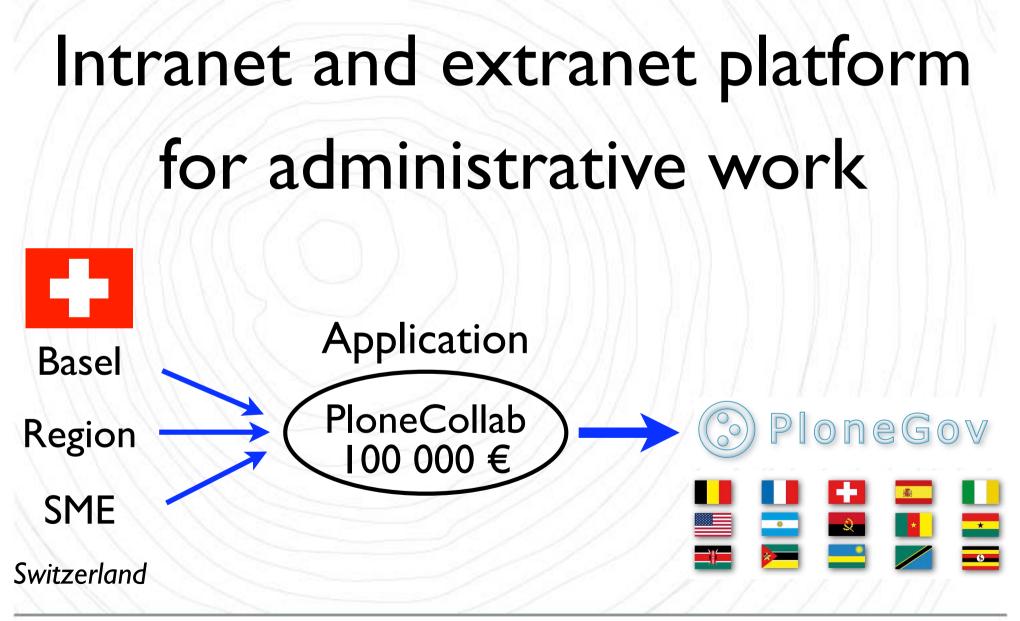


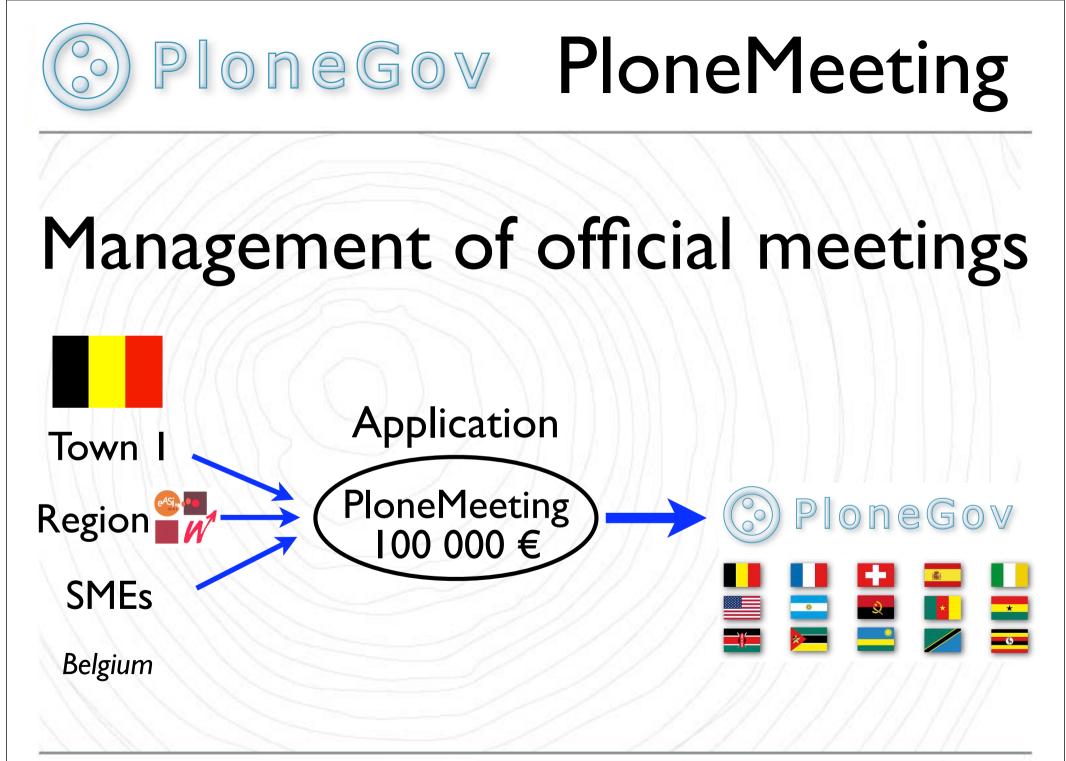
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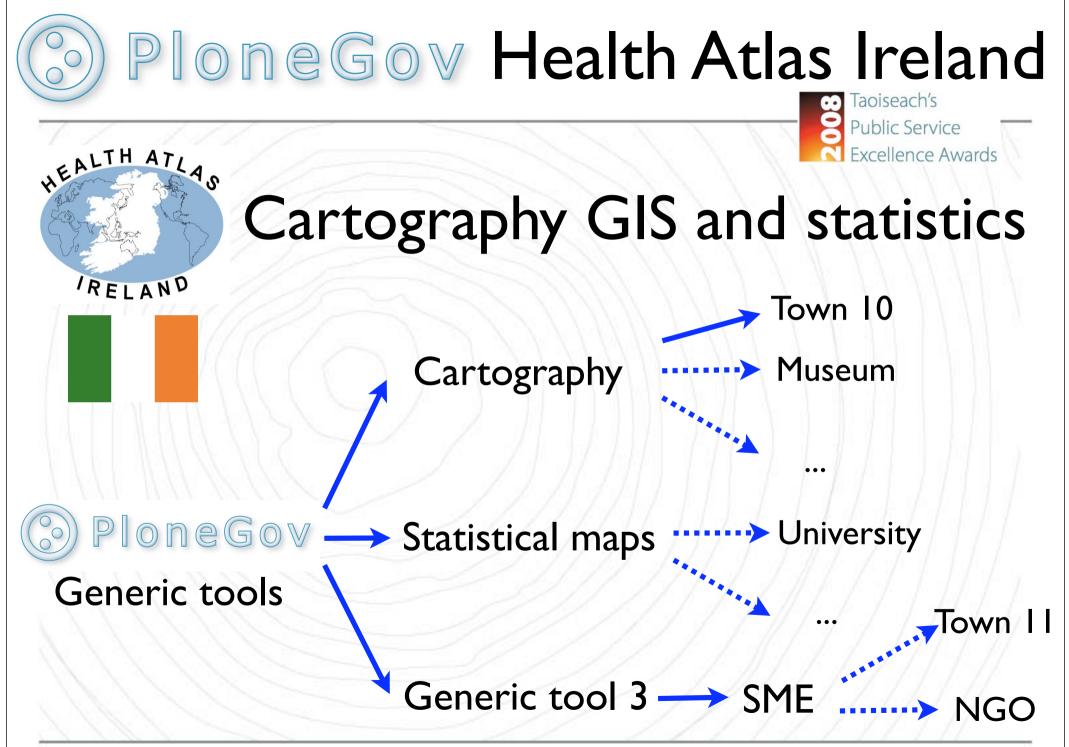
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## Innovation: reports & studies

Studies released by the EU Commission



### I. New model

"**PloneGov** is a new model of programming and maintenance capacities for public sector open source activities". <u>www.publicsectoross.info</u>



### 2. Impact

"**PloneGov** impact is unusual in terms of opportunity for innovation, standardization and economy of scale while gaining independence from large IT providers". <u>www.flossimpact.eu</u>

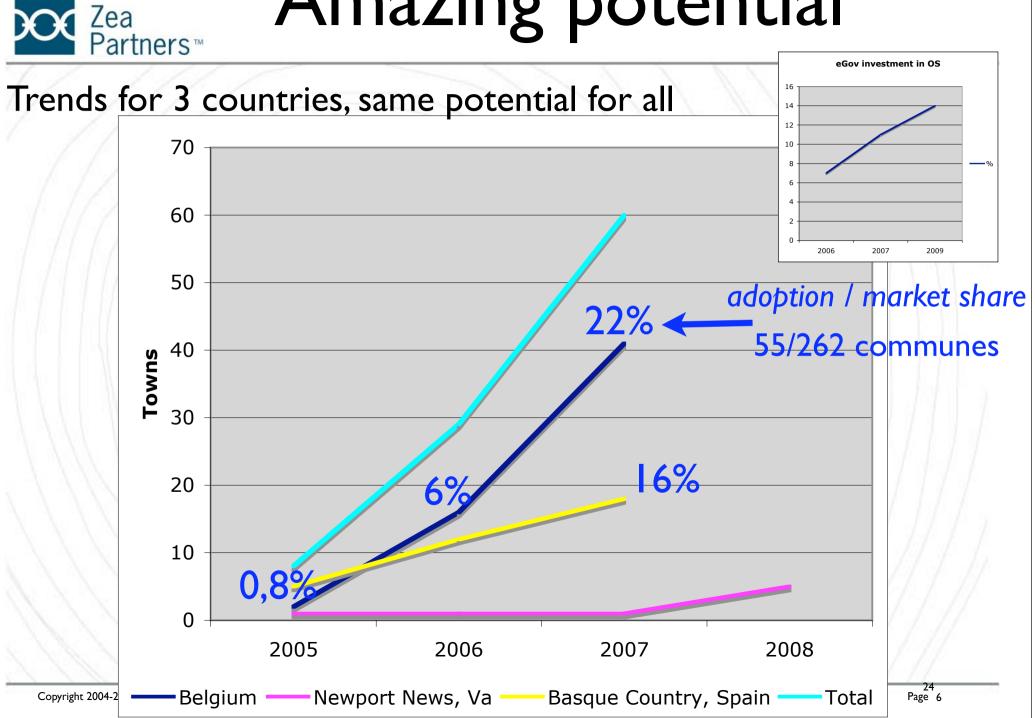


## 3. Open

"PloneGov model has a spatial – or in other words – societal – dimension right from the beginning, as it aims at integrating more and more municipalities and commercial partners across Europe" ... and the world. <u>www.publicsectoross.info</u>

Each new partner is a potential contributor

#### Amazing potential





## Management



#### Management

## National activities International activities



### Management

#### National activities

- Who? : Public Sector and SME
- Activities :
  - Technical development
  - Regional promotion
  - Services



### ) PloneGov Management

#### International activities

• Who? : Public and Non-profit

#### • Activities :

- Operations and strategy Zea
- Technical coordination (Public)
- Dissemination, communication, events -



• Business model -



## Conclusions



## Challenges

Collaboration is not only about code

- Technical -> methodology
- Software sharing -> planning, pooling budgets
- Dissemination: information and experience
- Transfer of knowledge
- Funding networking & collaborative activities



- Funding programs
  - EU FP7, INTERREG
  - e-Government, elnclusion
  - i2010 / ICT Policy Support Program
  - North / South collaboration
  - Economic development (SME)



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#### About PloneGov

Over 70 European, North and South American and African Public organizations participate in the PloneGov project. The goals of this close collaboration is to develop in a cooperative manner, applications and websites suited for public organization for their own use as well as for their citizens'. PloneGov strategy mainly rests on two renowned multiplatform Open Source tools: Plone and Zope.

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#### Awards

PloneGov award winning initiative is drawing attention from a broad range of organizations including European open source federations, American local governments associations or the European Commission. It highlights the positive impact and merit of such collaborative project, which are applicable in a broad sense to public organizations in any country.

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#### Subcommunities

PloneGov aims to create a platform of Plone based e-Government initiatives. We bring together different projects from different countries to develop collaborations in order to foster innovation and efficiency. They exist different distinct groupings within the PloneGov community. Each one addresses a different public, a different geographic area, a different line of business.

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#### References

This section lists local and regional governments involved in PloneGov project. All these public administrations develop by themselves, or with the support of vendors, their own e-government applications and share it in order to eliminate the duplication of effort

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#### **Cases Studies**

Case studies bring you an in-depth view of the projects and enable to understand the benefits of the PloneGov initiative and how we work. Members and subcommunities are invited to share their experience and submit new cases studies. Additional cases studies about Plone usage worldwide can be found on Plone.net

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EISCO 2008: PloneGov an international project tackling the digital divide 2008-07-04

Plone: Official launch of PloneGov in Italy 2008-06-19

Open eGov: an award winning collaborative software ecosystem 2008-05-27

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#### upcoming events

Official launch of PloneGov in Italy Chamber of Commerce Official board-room, Ferrara, Italy, 2008-09-16

7th edition of the
 EISCO Conference
 Naples, Italy,
 2008-09-25

COMPA 2008





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