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# **First report on the state of the Digital Decade**

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# The State of the Digital Decade 2023 package

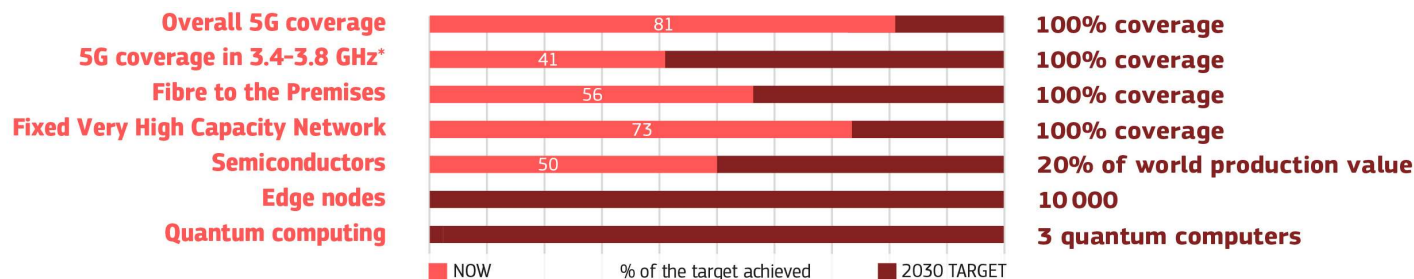
- A Communication including a **comprehensive outlook of EU's digital transformation** and **recommendations**, general and specific to Member States
- A Communication on EU target **trajectories**
- A series of documents:
  - Report on **general objectives and digital rights and principles**
  - **27 country reports**
  - Report taking stock of **Multi-Country Projects**
  - Report on **methodology**
  - Report on **cardinal points**

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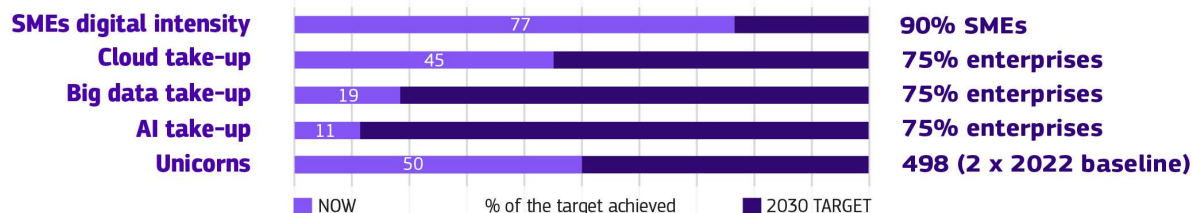
# TAKING STOCK OF PROGRESS TOWARDS 2030



## DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE



## DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION OF BUSINESSES



## DIGITAL SKILLS



## DIGITAL PUBLIC SERVICES



\* Not a KPI but gives an important indication on high quality 5G coverage

# A concrete focus for action: ICT specialists

## Where are we now?

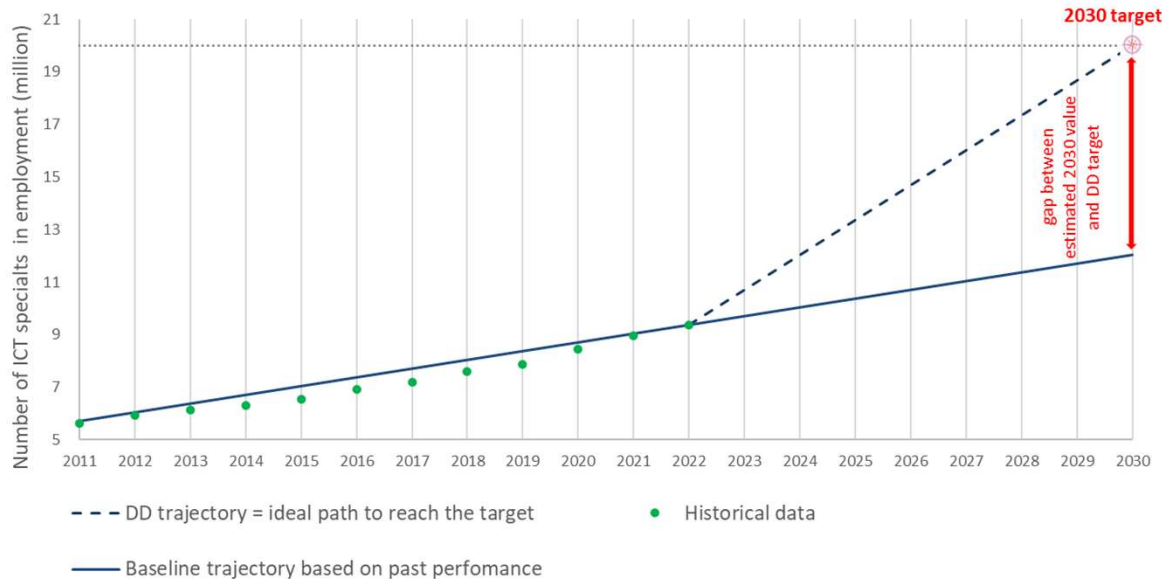
Total number of ICT specialists in 2022 was 9.37 million across EU

Under current conditions, it will be close to **12 million** by 2030

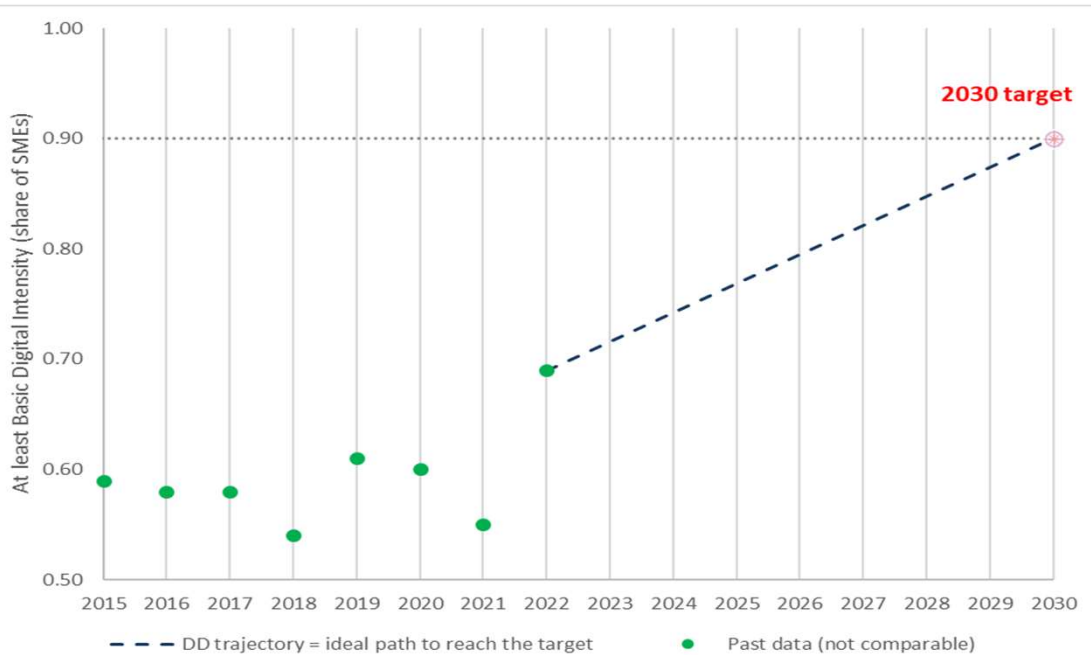


## What is our goal by 2030?

**Target:** At least 20 million ICT specialists in the workforce



# A concrete focus for action: SME digital intensity



## Where are we now?

In 2022, 69% of SMEs reached a basic level of digital intensity  
(an enterprise uses at least 4 of 12 selected digital technologies)



## Our goal by 2030

**General Objective:** high level of digital intensity and innovation

**Target:** more than 90% of the Union SMEs reach at least a basic level of digital intensity

# SDD Recommendations for Slovakia

- Slovakia should accelerate efforts in the digital skills area.
- Particular attention should be given to closing the digital gap, and to ensuring the inclusion of vulnerable groups in all digital trainings, **to maintaining a positive trend for the number of ICT graduates** as well as to the attraction and retention of ICT specialists.

- Slovakia should step up its efforts in the area of digitalisation of businesses.
- Slovakia should facilitate access to training, information and knowledge sharing and other supportive actions, including through **European Digital Innovation Hubs**, to make further progress in the digitalisation of businesses.

## **DIGITAL SKILLS**

## **DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE**

## **DIGITAL PUBLIC SERVICES**

## **DIGITALISATION OF BUSINESSES**

# The road ahead



- National roadmaps bring together policies and set up the approach towards the EU digital transition
- They give an overview of where we are, what our strengths/weaknesses are, where should we collectively focus

- Roadmaps are an input to the **Report on the State of the Digital Decade 2024**
- Based on the final roadmaps, the EC will carry out a detailed analysis along three strands:



**national trajectories**



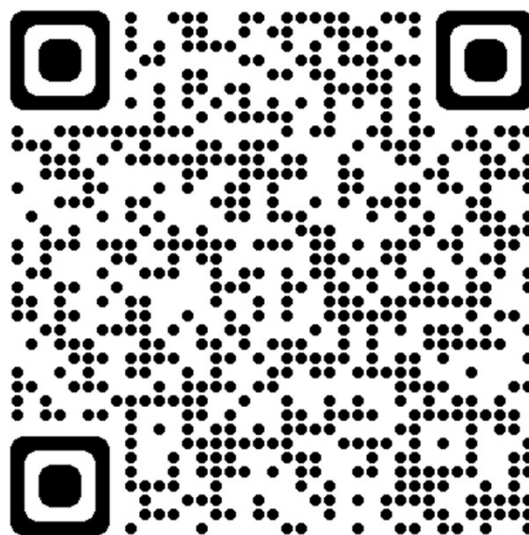
**measures and actions**



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# DESI 2023 dashboard for the Digital Decade

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