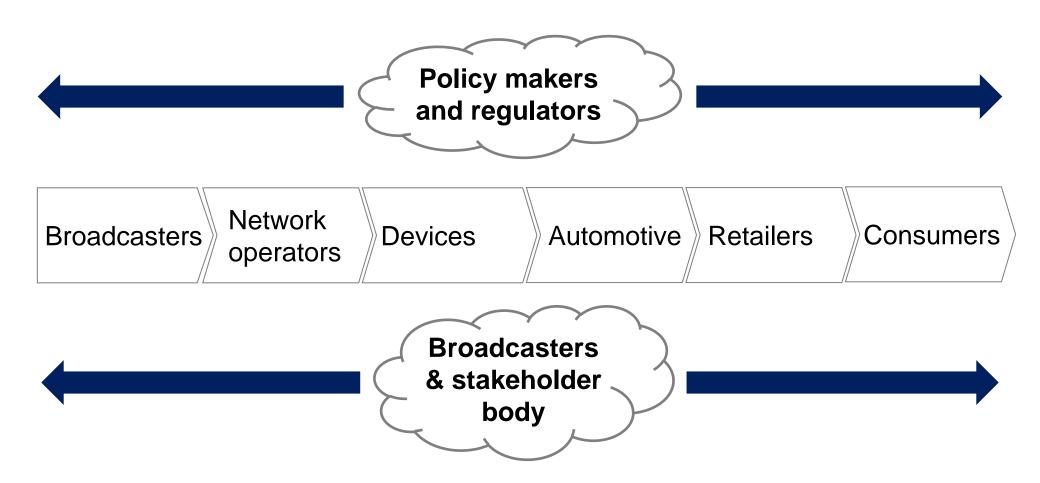


DAB+ implementation

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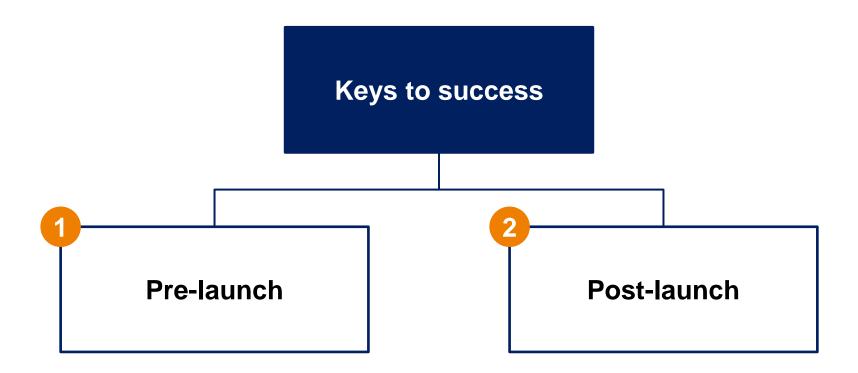
Istanbul: 14th June, 2014

How to launch digital radio



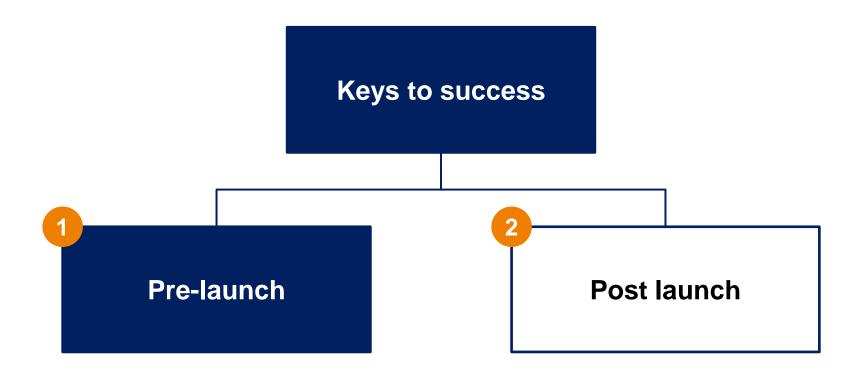


Planning for two phases



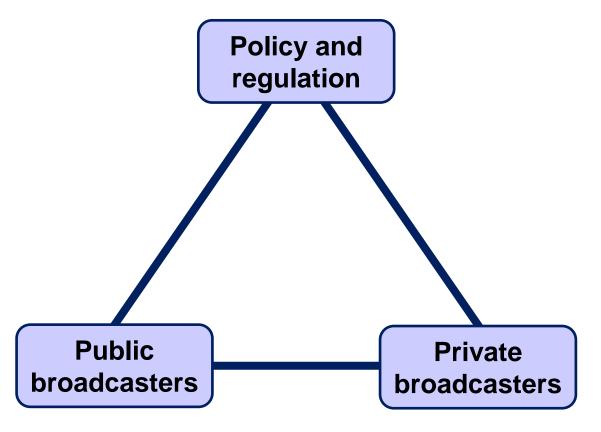


Phase 1





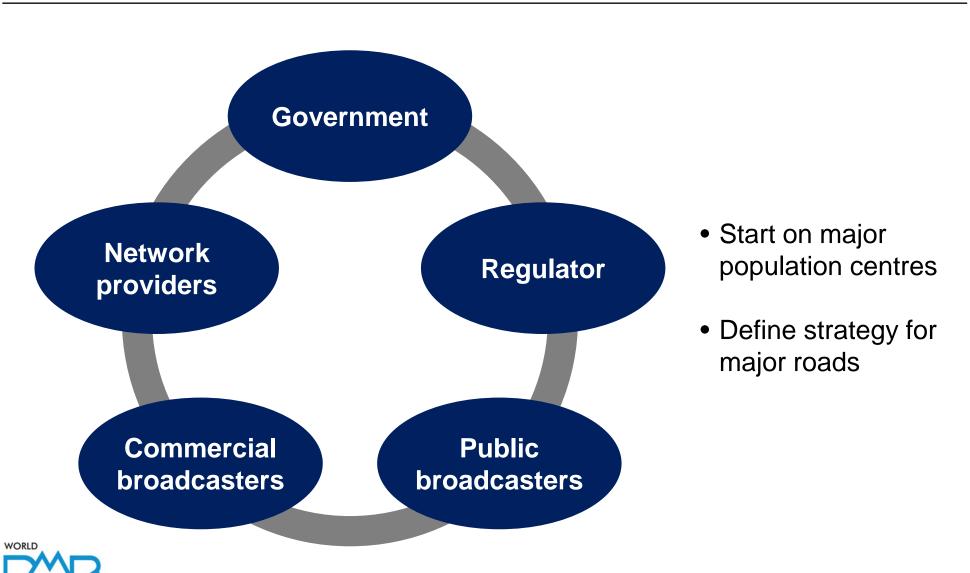
Policy, regulation and broadcasters must be aligned



- Shared vision
- Funding for PSBs
- For private broadcasters, regulatory incentives
 - e.g. extension of FM licences

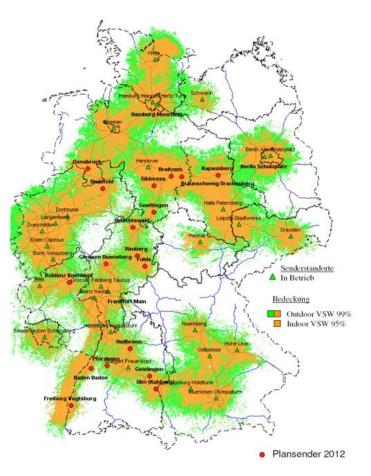


Coverage – work together to create cost-effective plan



Coverage

German national multiplex, 2012



- Start on major population centres
- Define strategy for major roads
- Consumers (and retailers) need to know if they can receive signals



Ensure digital content proposition is stronger than FM



17 services on AM and FM



Over 40 on DAB+



Exploit existing brands





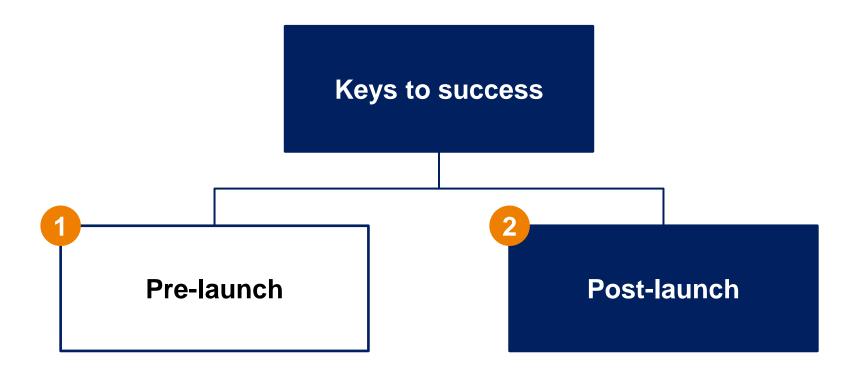








Phase 2





Devices need to be accessible at mass market prices











Engage with major suppliers

SONY PHILIPS BUS















































Devices available in-store



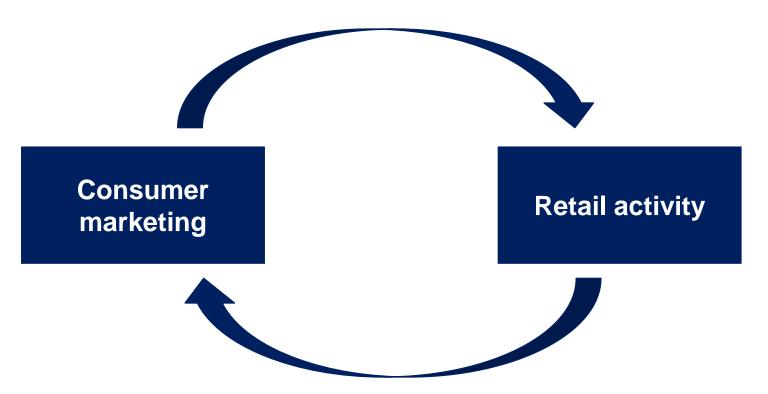
MediaMarkt, Berlin, March 2013

- Must have strong retail support for DAB+ radio
- Devices on shelves
- Training for staff
- Post-code checker
- Repeaters



Marketing activities must be co-ordinated and sustained

Consumer advertising encourages footfall and inspires confidence in retailers



 Retail (with the right product, point of sale and trained sales people) delivers sales



Strong marketing support for digital radio





Switzerland



Netherlands

Germany





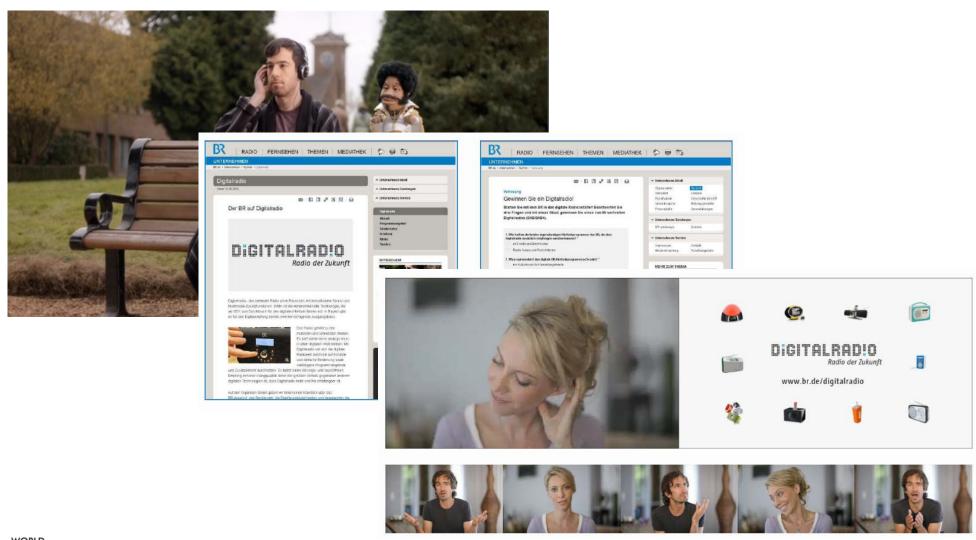




Norway



TV ads, heavy FM promotion and device give-aways





Source: BBC and Bayerische Rundfunk

The automotive sector is a key priority





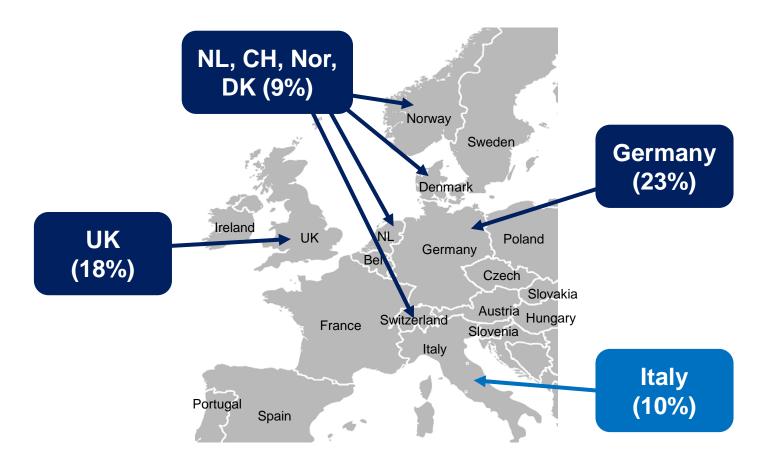






In Europe, countries with DAB: 50% of new car sales

Country share of European new car sales 2013

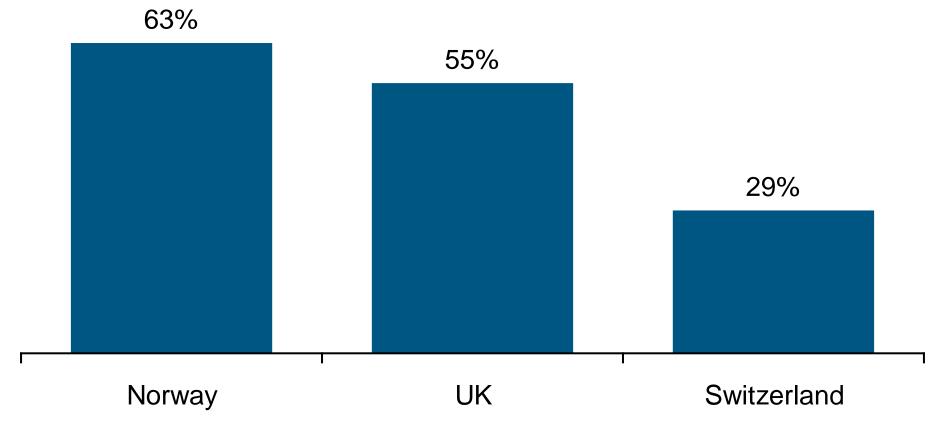




Source: ACEA

In developed markets, DAB in new cars becoming the norm

% of new cars with DAB digital radio





Source: Digitalradio Norge, DRUK, MCDT

Wide range of aftermarket devices available

• 1Din Radios







• 2Din Radios







Dealer fit solutions







Do it yourself adapters









Automotive – work with manufacturers to fit DAB+ as standard









































- Educate local importers and dealers
 - consumer benefits
 - coverage plans
 - long term commitment to DAB+
- Work with international partners



Cross-industry body – essential to drive uptake

Digital Radio UK

Composition:

BBC and UK Commercial Radio

Car and Radio Manufacturers

Work with Government and Ofcom

Objectives:

Accelerating the growth of digital radio
Getting digital radio in cars
Planning a future digital radio switchover







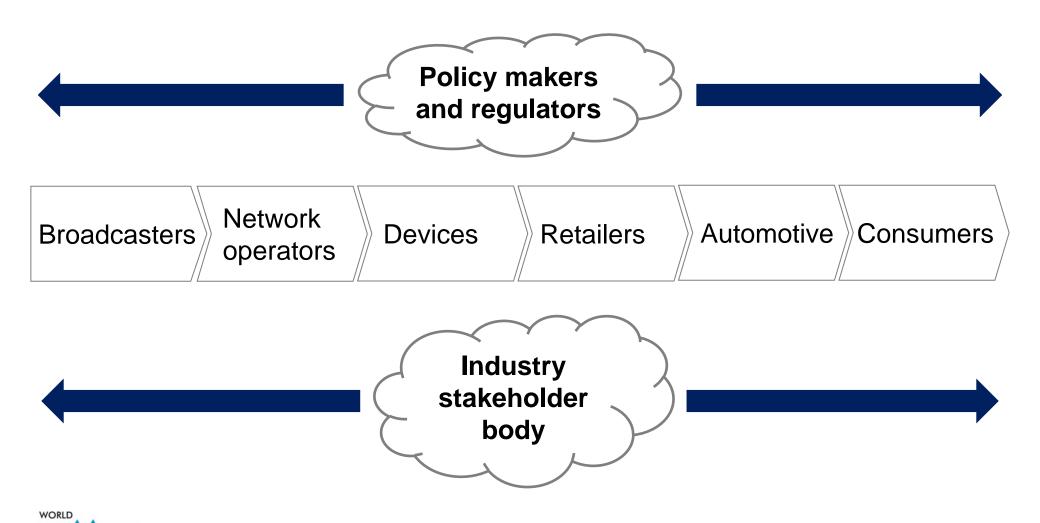








Key to success is collaboration



Thank you

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Converting existing cars to digital radio





Automotive brands offering DAB – increasingly as standard











































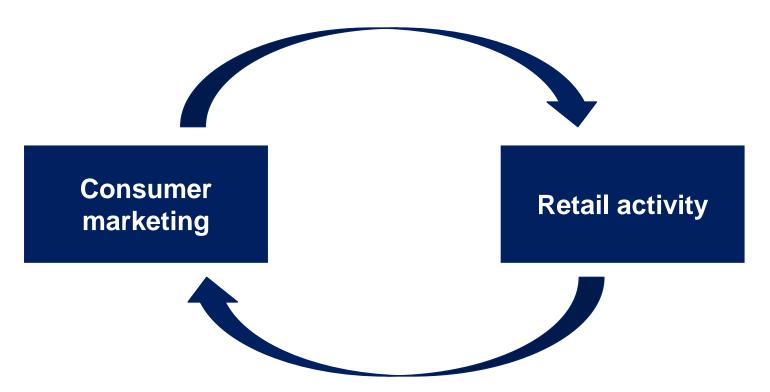






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