



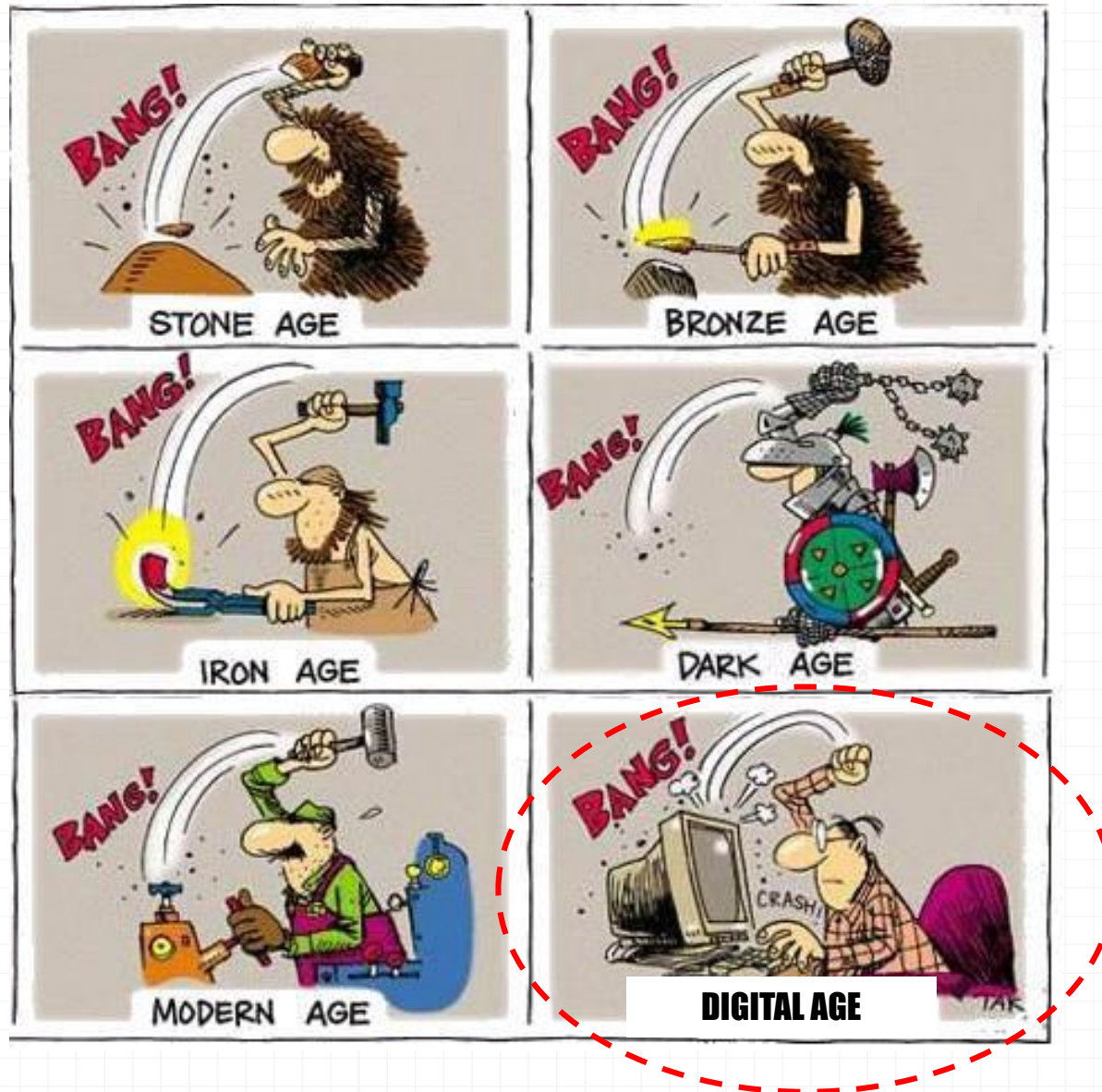
SELFIE tool in Western Balkans and beyond

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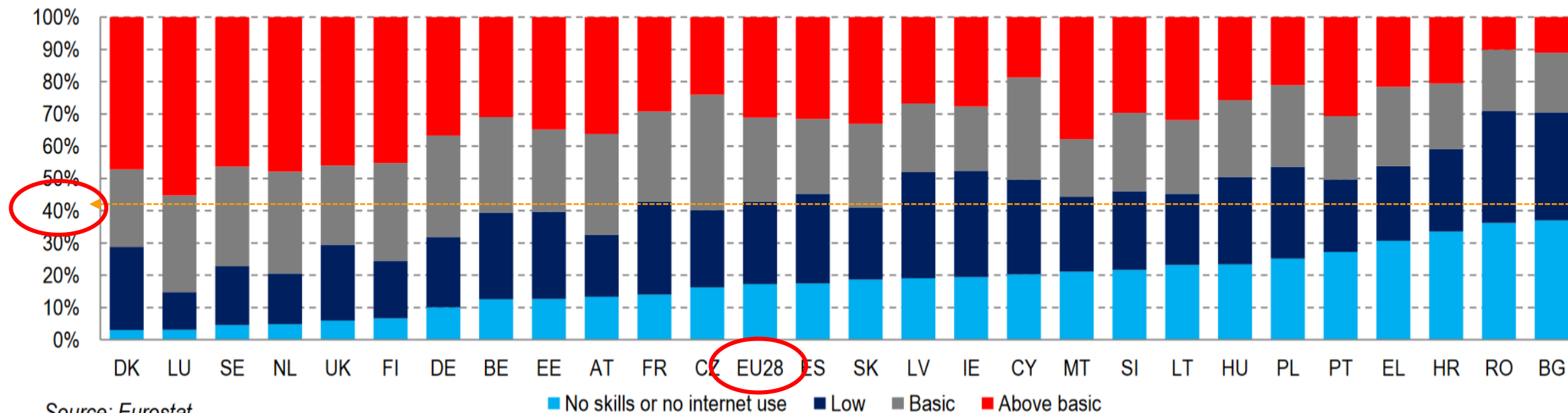


... after centuries of human evolution



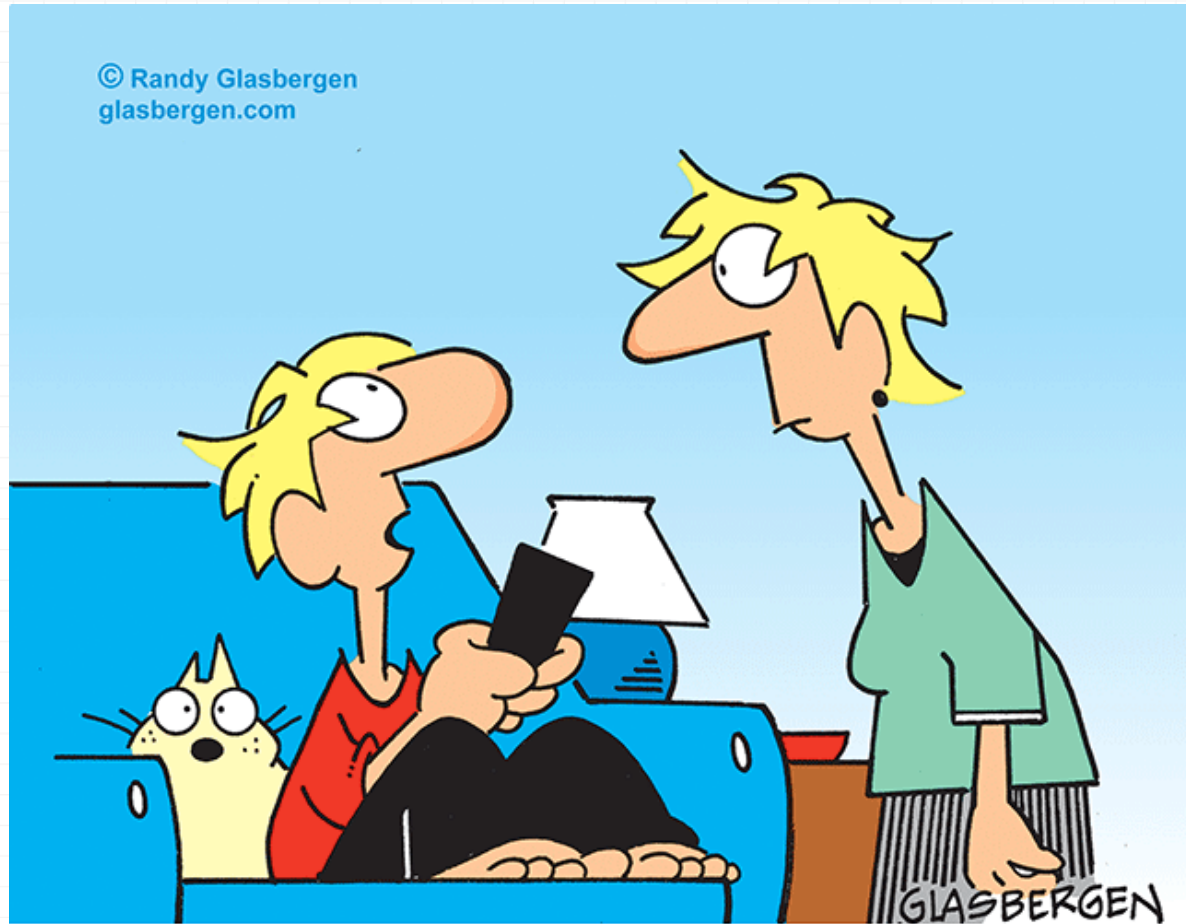
... but we are not well prepared!

Digital skills of the EU population, 2017 (% of individuals, by skills level)**



*More details at: <https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/digcomp>. **To be classified as *low skilled*, an individual has to have carried out activities from only one of the four Digital Competence dimensions considered (information, communication, content-creation and problem-solving). *Basic skills* means that an individual has *basic skills* in at least one dimension, but *no skills* in none. To be classified as *above basic*, the individual has to score *above basic* in all dimensions. Data not available for Italy.

... and in many case we do not know it!



**“My teacher told me to read for an hour a day.
Do Facebook and text messages count?”**

Use of technology \neq Digital competence

... so, a change is needed!



Willingness



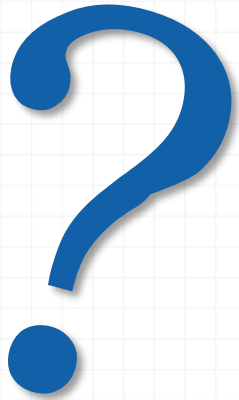
(know thyself)

**Sustainable
change**

Monitoring

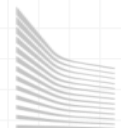
Vision & Plan

71.157.100 students in approx. 250.000 schools in EU



Are schools in Europe ready to make the most of digital technologies for learning?

SELFIE: Is YOUR school ready to make the most of digital technologies for learning?



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From theory to practice

(DigCompOrg
model)

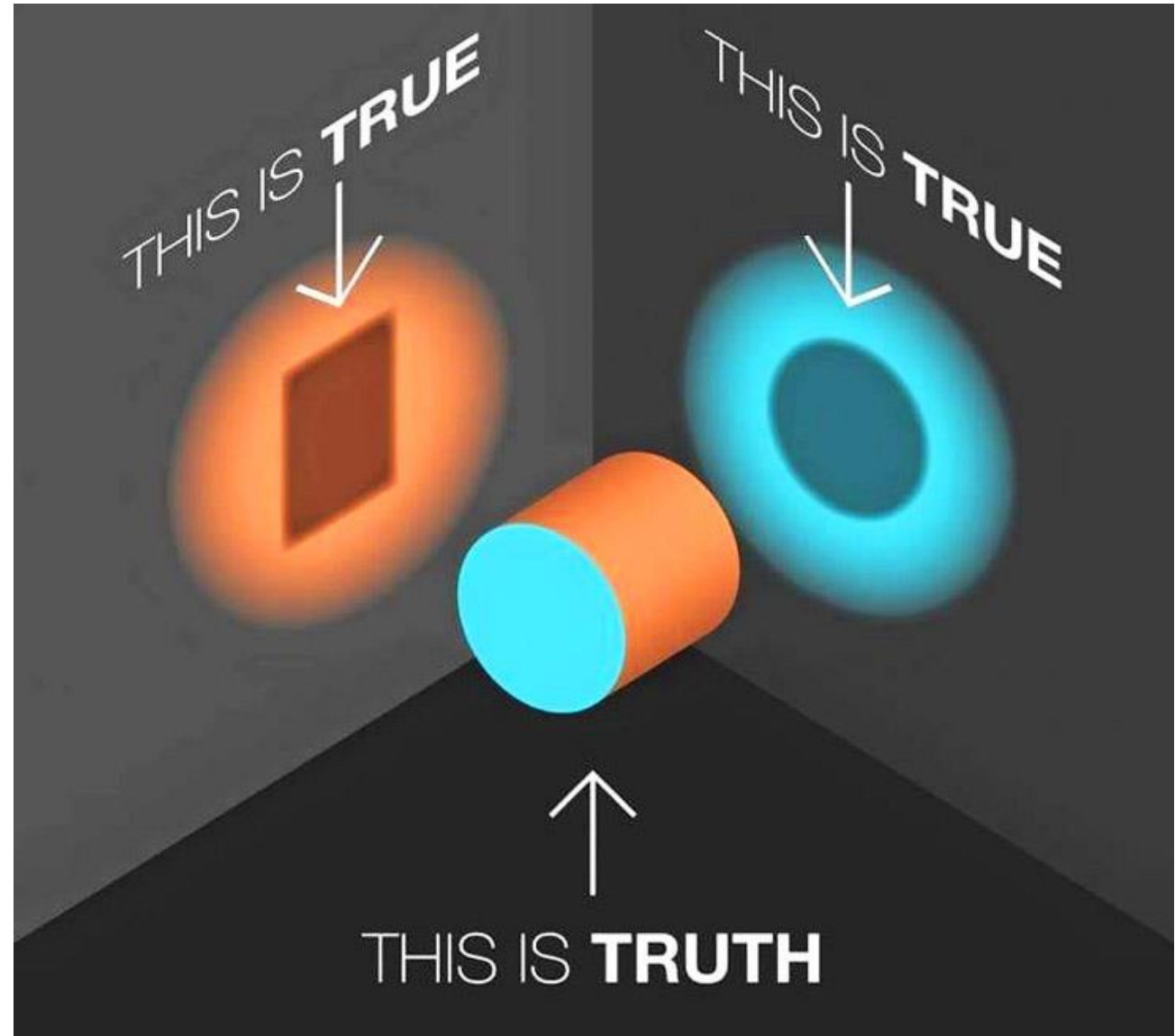


SELFIE is
about
learning for
the digital
age



It's NOT about technology

360° approach



What has been done?

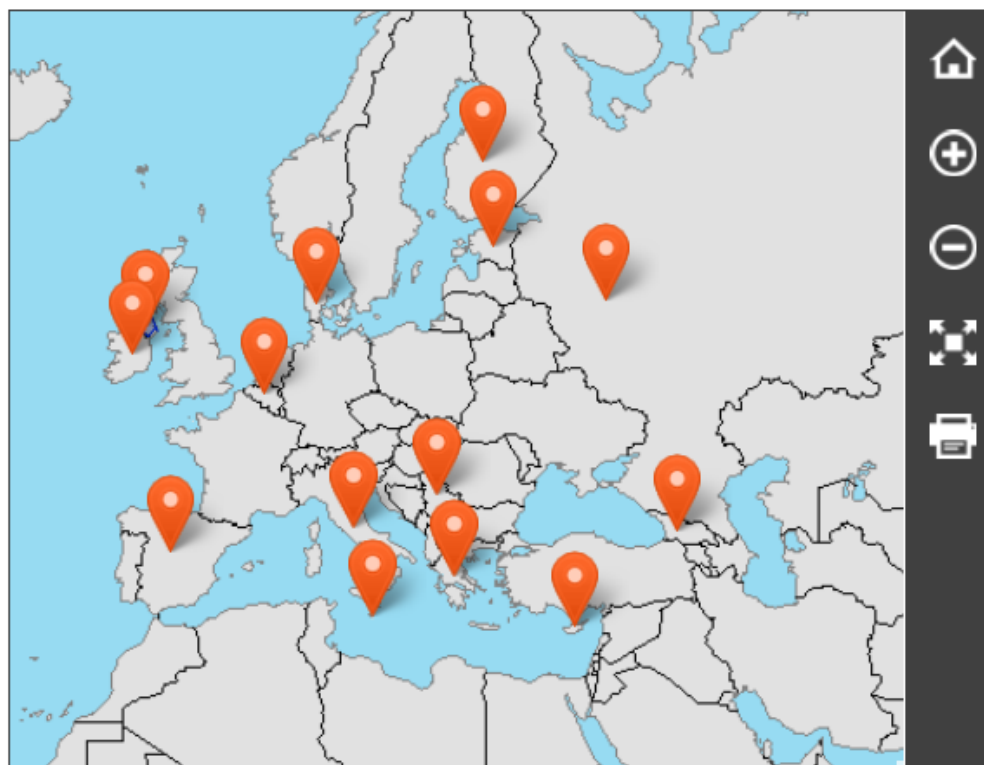


Successful pilot in 14 countries in late 2017

Schools participating in SELFIE pilots

The map below shows the participation per country and school type (i.e., primary, lower secondary, upper secondary or upper secondary vocational).

Schools from Belgium (Flanders), Cyprus, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Malta, Spain, UK (Northern Ireland) as well as from Georgia and Serbia will participate in SELFIE school pilots. In collaboration with UNESCO's [Institute for Information Technologies in Education](#), a number of schools in Russia will also test the SELFIE tool.



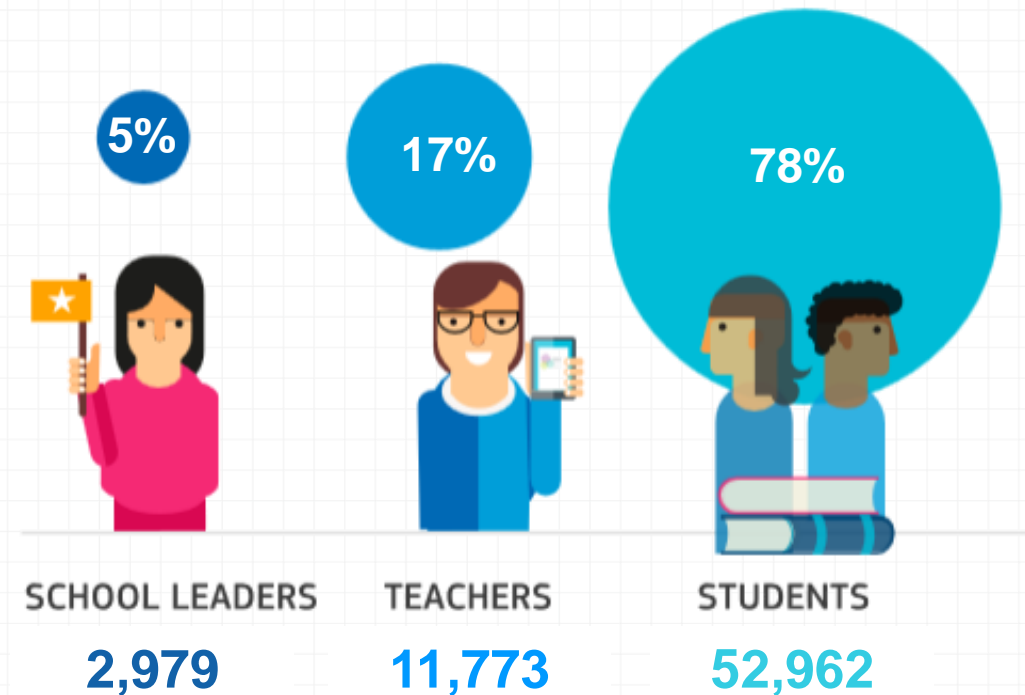
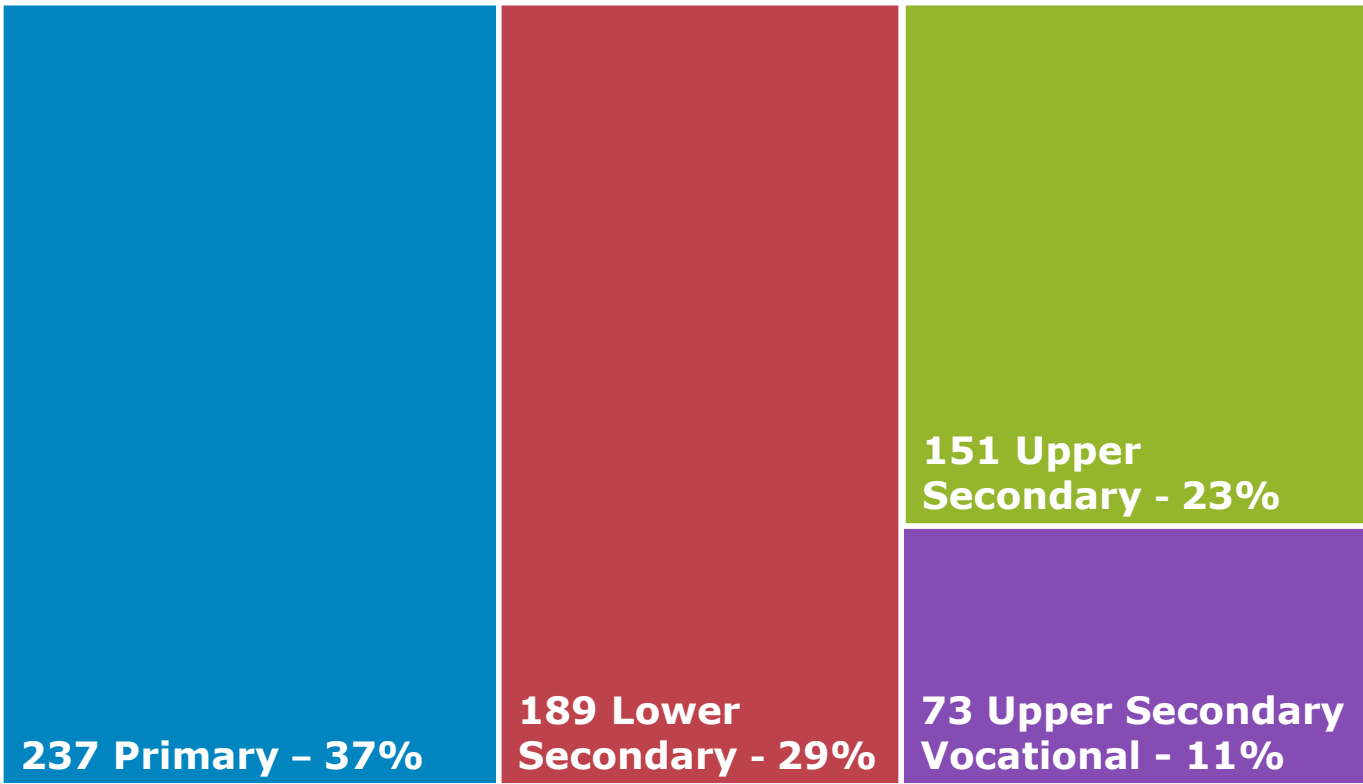
Leaflet | Boundaries of all countries, Credit: EC-GISCO, © EuroGeographics © UN-FAO for the administrative boundaries

Source: <https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/digcomporg/selfie-tool/selfie-map>



650 schools

67,714 users

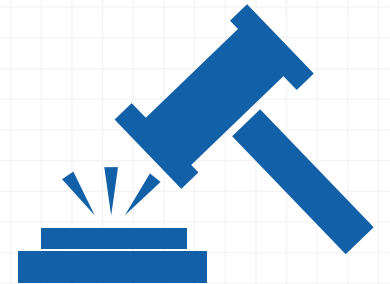


Far more than originally planned!



Key findings from SELFIE pilots

- ✓ SELFIE is a **valid and reliable** tool
- ✓ It **captures well the digital capacity** of schools
- ✓ It is **user-friendly** and works well in all devices
- ✓ It allows for a **time-effective** self-reflection process
- ✓ It is a good basis for **reflection and planning** at school level
- ✓ It can be also useful for **policy making** purposes



EU policy priority



Adopted by Commission 18 January 2018
SELFIE is one of the 11 actions proposed

Sneak preview



SELFIE - Discover your school's digital potential


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Is your school making the most of digital technologies for learning?

Digital technologies are being incorporated in exciting and promising ways by schools across Europe. However, although digital technologies can be enablers of innovation in learning and teaching practices, they do not guarantee it. To consolidate progress and to ensure scale and sustainability, schools need to periodically review their progress in embedding digital technologies in all aspects of teaching and learning.

There is no 'unique' approach; rather, there are a variety of ways in which schools can improve their effective use of digital technologies. This also includes recognising and building on what already exists.

SELFIE is a customisable self-reflection tool for schools that want to reflect on their uptake of digital technologies for better learning. SELFIE enables schools to get a picture of where they stand and to develop an action plan in order to enhance their digital capacity. To find more about SELFIE visit [SELFIE portal](#).

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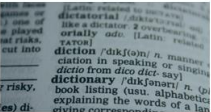
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Launch on 25 October



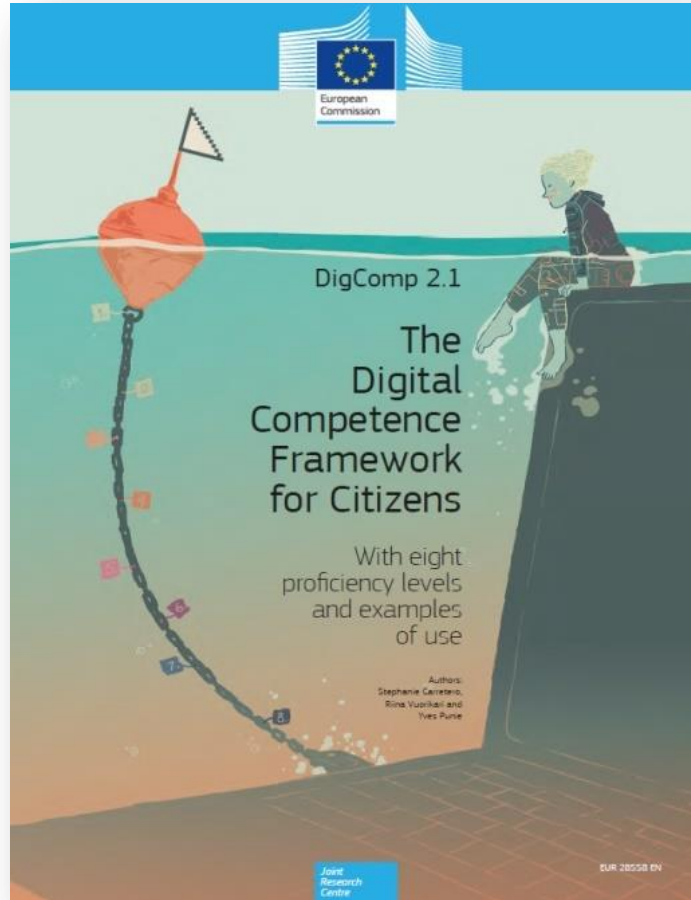
Aim to reach **one million users** by the end of 2019!

SELFIE FORUM: 4-5 April 2019, Madrid



- ✓ Build community
- ✓ Recognition for users
- ✓ Spread the word
- ✓ Learn from each other
- ✓ Place SELFIE within a wider digital education ecosystem

Part of a wider research and policy agenda!



✓ DigComp (citizens, learners)



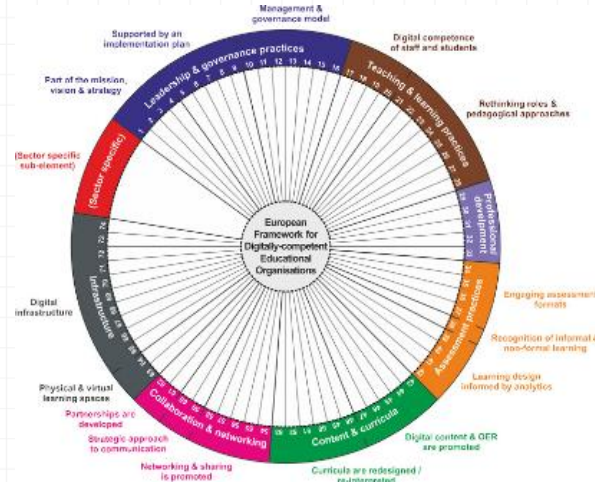
✓ DigCompEdu (educators)

SELFIE in a nutshell



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2020



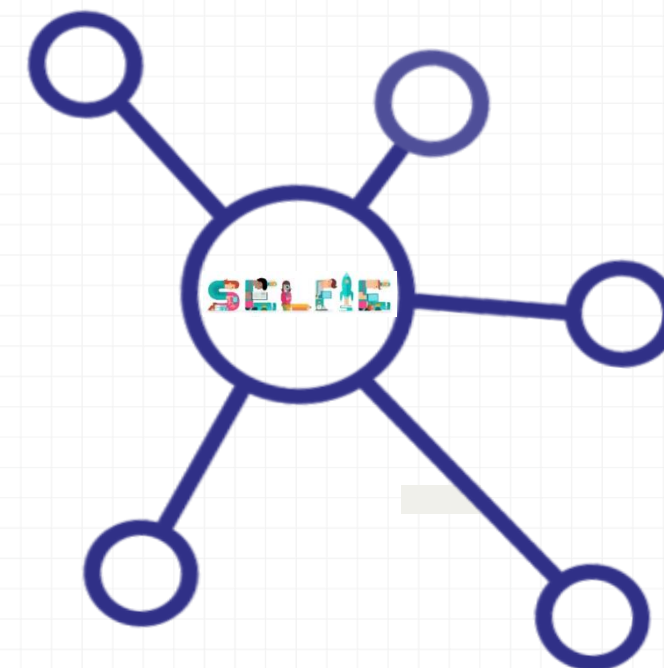
DigCompOrg

Conceptual Framework



Release

Oct 2018



Ecosystem

External support, recognition...

SELFIE FORUM – Spring 2019 in Madrid!



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SELFIE: a open & customisable self-reflection tool

It is NOT a(nother) survey!

- ✓ Research-based
- ✓ Easy-to-use
- ✓ Customisable
- ✓ Useful for reflection, planning...
- ✓ ...and change!



360°

It is NOT a panacea!









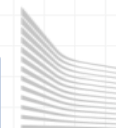
Group work

- ✓ How could SELFIE **support and complement existing tools and strategies?**
- ✓ Potential **challenges and obstacles** to SELFIE take-up?
- ✓ How to **raise awareness** of SELFIE in your country/region?

Roadmap 2018-2019



-  **End 2019** | To reach 1 million users – extend to more countries/sectors?
-  **September 2019** | Stock tacking from the first year implementation
-  **April 2019** | SELFIE FORUM in Madrid
-  **March 2019** | extend to Western Balkans, Turkey, Russia, Georgia....
-  **October 2018** | Public launch (Warsaw, Poland) – tool available in 24 languages
-  **September 2018** | Presenting SELFIE in DELTA WG and Western Balkans representatives – prepare full release



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