Project Title	COMMUNITY DISASTER RESILIENCE (HTTPS://PANTHEON-PROJECT.EU/)							
Epsilon	Country	Contract value (€)	% carried out by Epsilon	No of staff provided	Client	Origin of funding	Date (start/end)	Consortium Members
PANTHEON	Malta	5,025,078.75	8% 365.000	10	European Commission	European Commission Horizon	01/01/2023 31/12/2025	17 Partners

PANTHEON: COMMUNITY-BASED SMART CITY DIGITAL TWIN PLATFORM FOR OPTIMISED DRM OPERATIONS AND ENHANCED

# **Description of the project**

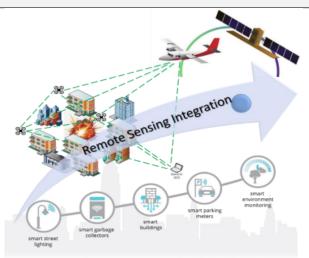


Figure 1. Remote Sensing Integration

The PANTHEON project aims to design and develop a Community-Based Digital Ecosystem for Disaster Resilience, utilizing Smart City Digital Twin (SCDT) technology. The project integrates new and emerging technologies to enhance risk assessment, vulnerability reduction, and disaster resilience at the community level.

By leveraging IoT, multi-source data (satellite, UAVs, in-situ sensors, and social networks), and Al-powered decision support, PANTHEON enhances situational awareness, preparedness, and response capabilities. The platform will provide:

- A Smart City Digital Twin Environment for simulation, training, and evaluation.
- An Early Detection & Situational Awareness System for complex disaster scenarios.
- A Collaborative Sensing Network, combining Earth observation, UAV swarms, and Al-driven analytics.
- A Multi-Hazard Risk and Resilience Framework.

integrating climate scenarios and impact assessments.

PANTHEON fosters cross-border cooperation in disaster risk management (DRM), supporting civil protection authorities, emergency responders, and policy makers in reducing disaster costs and enhancing preparedness strategies.

# **PANTHEON Objectives are:**

- Develop a Smart City Digital Twin (SCDT) for urban multi-hazard disaster assessments.
- Enhance real-time risk analysis using AI, Earth Observation data, and UAV-assisted operations.
- Support decision-makers, civil protection agencies, and first responders with intelligent planning tools.
- Improve data integration and interoperability across multiple sources for comprehensive disaster management.
- Facilitate **cross-border collaboration and knowledge-sharing** to strengthen community resilience.

# For WP1: Project Coordination & Management

• Provided technical and financial coordination support.

Services provided

Contributed to project risk and impact assessment frameworks.

#### For WP2: Disaster Risk Assessment & Modelling

- Developed geospatial datasets for disaster risk zones and vulnerability mapping.
- Integrated Copernicus satellite data and multisource hazard models.

### For WP3: Decision Support & Situational Awareness

- Designed an Al-based early warning system for real-time risk monitoring.
- Implemented GIS-based emergency planning tools to assist decision-makers.

#### For WP4: UAV & Earth Observation Data Integration

- Developed UAV-assisted disaster response models for rapid impact assessment.
- Created a multi-layer GIS module for urban disaster simulations.

#### For WP5: Digital Twin & Simulation Framework

- Built a dynamic simulation platform for communityscale disaster training.
- Developed a cyber-secured interactive IT environment for emergency response planning.

# For WP6: Policy Development & Stakeholder Engagement

- Supported the formulation of policy recommendations for climate resilience.
- Conducted capacity-building workshops for civil protection authorities.