

1. Executive summary

The present deliverable describes how IT2, one of the Networking Activities of ETSF-I3, has worked towards one of the main objectives of Workpackage 2: "To define and to elaborate proposals for beamline improvement".

As a starting background, the ETSF had its seven beamlines established and working, with three user project calls having taken place, and 42 new projects (collaborative and training) having begun since our previous deliverable, D2.3. We needed to update information, especially from beamline leaders, to understand if corrective actions are needed. Beamline leaders were interviewed, and proposals were made to the steering committee, suggesting actions in response to the emerging needs of the beamlines.

The proposal is an important result achieved by the present deliverable.