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**About the Foundation**

**Strategic Focus Areas**
- **Cloud Native Java**
  We provide a collaborative environment for the world's leading Java ecosystem players to advance open source enterprise Java technologies for the cloud.
- **IoT & Edge**
  We enable industry leaders to collaborate on an end-to-end IoT architecture that is secure, flexible, and fully based on open source and open standards.
- **Automotive**
  We provide leading automotive OEMs, their suppliers, and partners with a sustainable, transparent, and vendor-neutral platform to collaborate on open technologies & standards.
- **Tools**
  The Eclipse IDE is the critical development environment for more than 6 million active users. Our community is innovating on the next generation of cloud native developer tools.

**Strategic Members**

**The Foundation at a Glance**

- 375+ Projects
- 240M+ Lines of Code
- 300+ Members
- $13B+ Shared Investment
- 1600+ Committers
- 14 Working Groups
- 30 Staff Members

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A Proven Governance Framework

With 14 working groups and growing, the Eclipse Foundation provides an open and vendor-neutral governance framework for collaborative development for specific technology domains. The working groups include Jakarta EE, Edge Native, Eclipse IoT, Tangle EE, and more. These groups enable industry collaboration and coordination across many open source projects and support the shared development of specifications, marketing strategy, test environments, security policies, etc to drive industry adoption. The Foundation actively works to attract and foster new working groups focused on emerging technologies.

Europe's Largest Open Source Organization

The Eclipse Foundation is the largest open source organization in Europe as measured in staff, projects, developers, and members.

- 170+ member organizations in Europe
- 900+ committers in Europe
- The Eclipse Foundation has operated the Eclipse Foundation Europe GmbH for 7+ years.
- The Foundation is a long-time and respected supporter of and contributor to the European research processes.