

# **Early Warning System Transport**

## **Sensor Service Architecture and Early Warning?**

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# Overview

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- Project introduction
  - Partners
  - Main Tasks of Early Warning System
- Description of problem

# Project – EWS Transport

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Development of an Early Warning System for Transport Lines



**GEOTECHNOLOGIEN**

Improvements of Early Warning Methods



**Geophysical Institute (GPI)**  
University of Karlsruhe

Development of Strategies for Risk Minimization



**Department of Railway Systems (ISEE)**  
University of Karlsruhe

Integration of Efficient Information- and Communication Technologies



**Fraunhofer** Institut  
Informations- und  
Datenverarbeitung

# Main Tasks of Early Warning System

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## 1. Early Warning

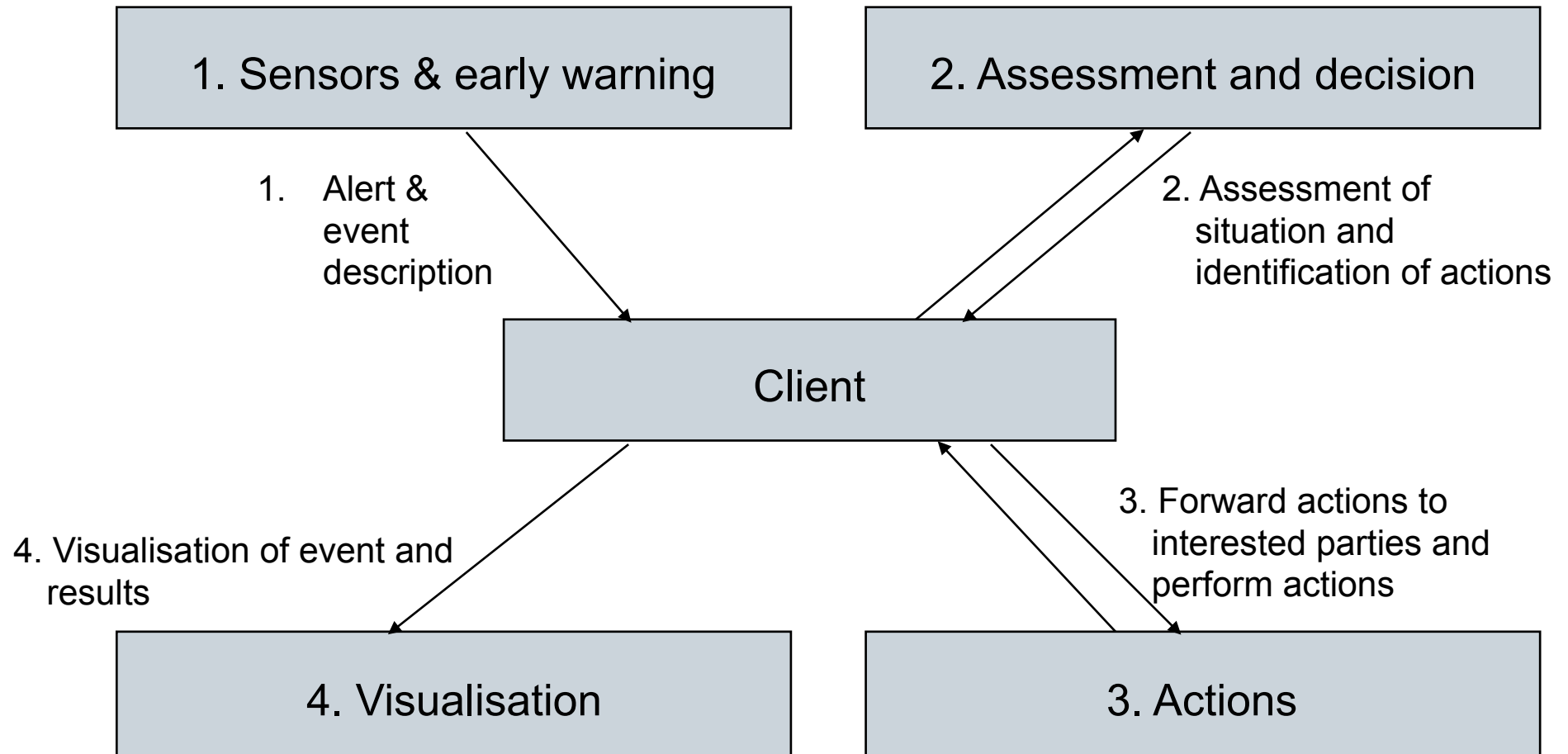
- Quick and reliable detection of an earthquake
- Automatic stopping of trains in endangered area

## 2. Information System

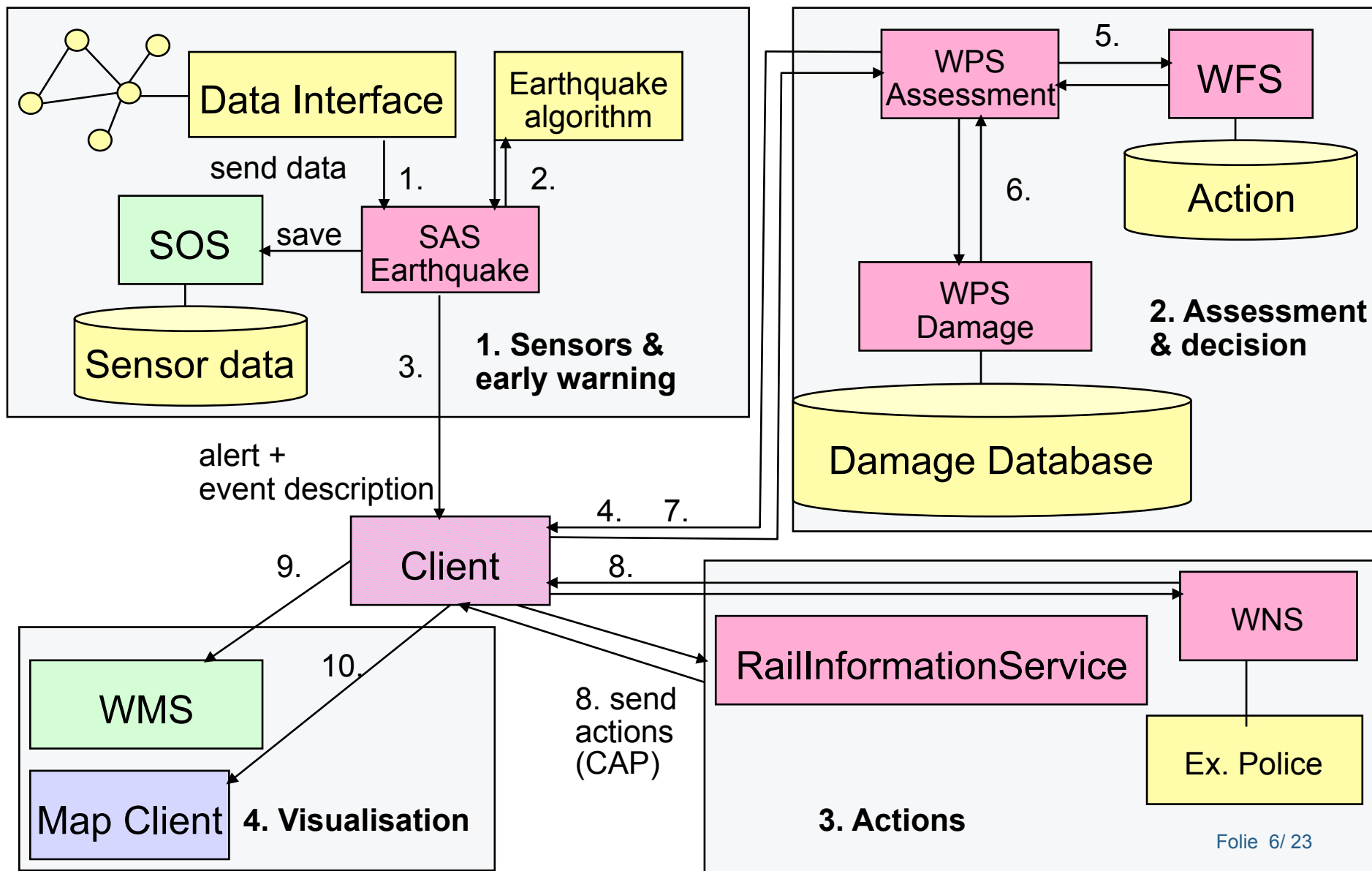
- Simulation and analysis of earthquakes
- Analysis of sensor observations
- Damage prediction

# Functional Building Blocks

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# Mögliche Realisierung in der realen Welt



# Question

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- Currently installed early warning systems for railways concentrate on the stopping of the train
  - Combination of seismometer with magnitude calculation in one machine with direct connection to power station or train control system
  - No combined information system
- Do you know examples of real time issues addressed in sensor service architectures?