

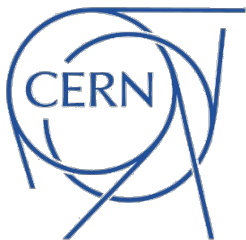


ENLIGHT Meeting 2016

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Introduction

❑ Last annual ENLIGHT meeting in Krakow, Sept 2015.

❑ Ideas for the future of ENLIGHT :

- Training
- Advisory Committee
- ENLIGHT foundation or NGO, membership fee
- Collaboration beyond

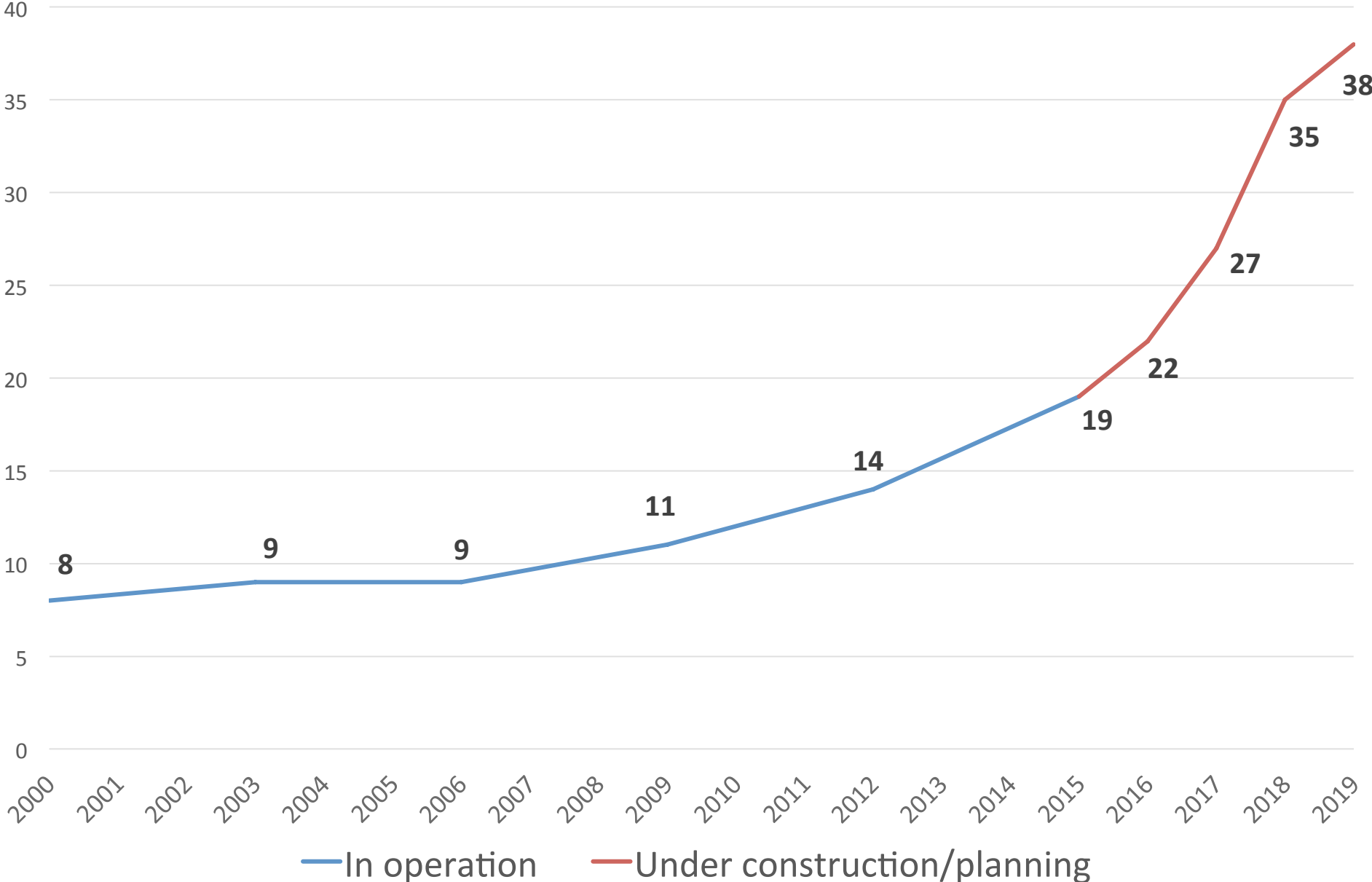
❑ **Where are we now?**



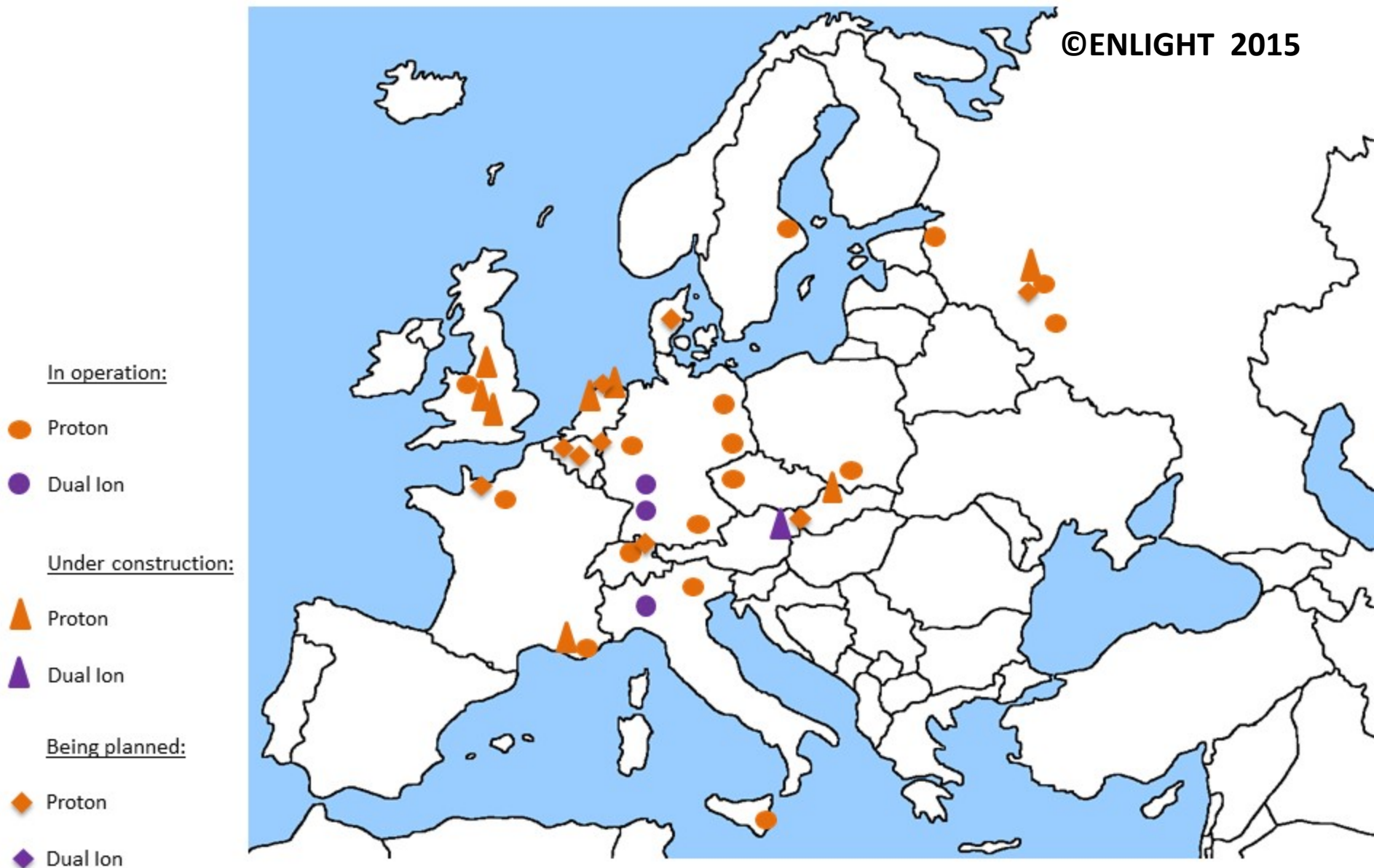
Training

- ❑ The construction of more and more facilities around the world providing particle therapy make it necessary to have specialized staff able to run these centers.
- ❑ The ENLIGHT community recognizes the importance of training young scientists and medical doctors and consider it as one of its priorities.
- ❑ For the first time the annual ENLIGHT meeting is followed by a **one-day training** open to whoever is interested.

Particle Therapy Facilities in Operation & Construction/ Planning Phase in Europe



Particle therapy centres in Europe - 2015

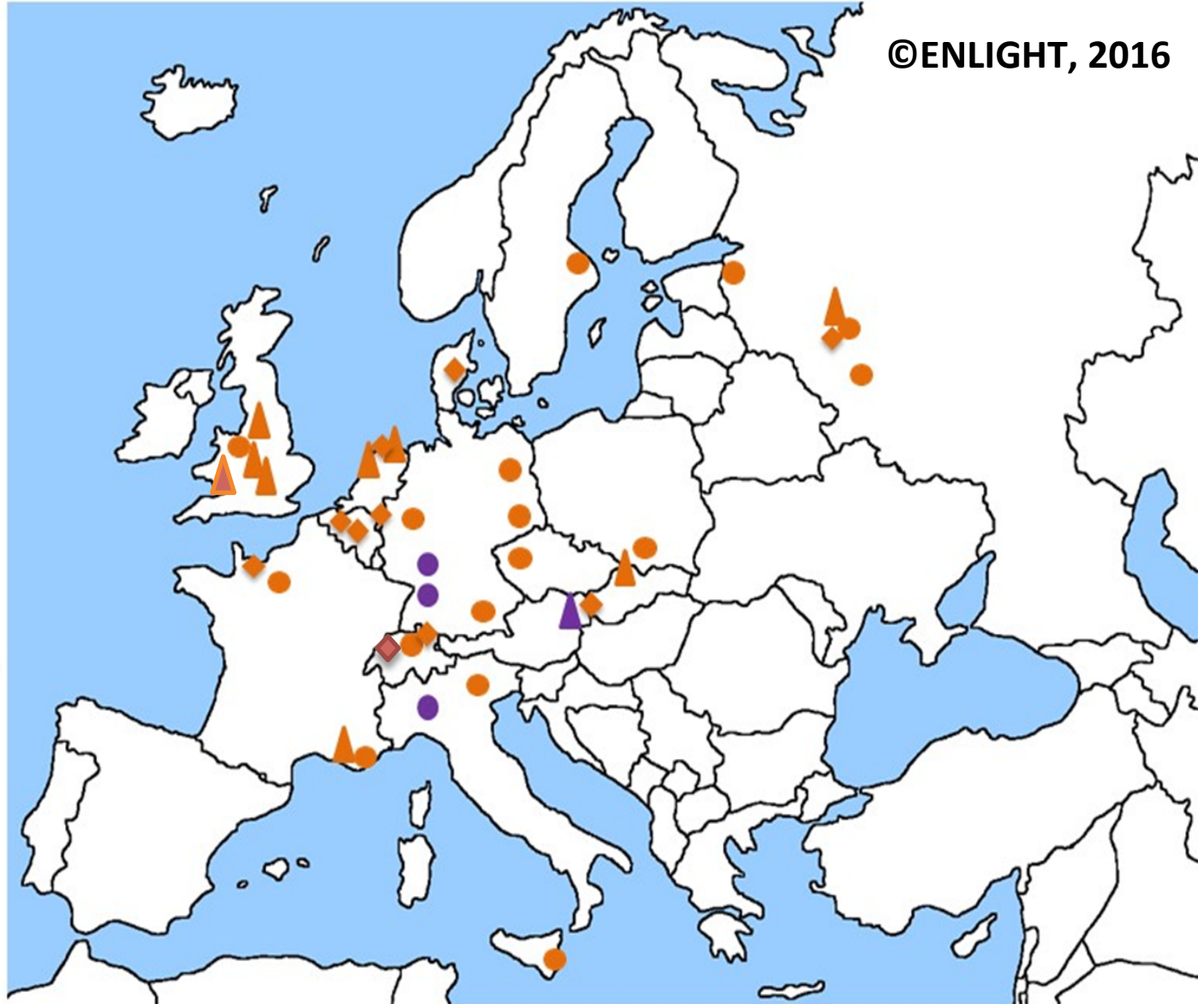


Source: PTCOG, October 2015 and ENLIGHT

Particle Therapy Centres in Europe: 2016

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- In operation:
- Proton
 - Dual Ion
- Under construction:
- ▲ Proton
 - ▲ Dual Ion
- Being planned:
- ◆ Proton
 - ◆ Dual Ion



ENLIGHT Advisory Committee

- ❑ Need for an Advisory Committee to be composed by the ENLIGHT coordinator and eight leading experts in particle therapy.
- ❑ This Committee will be responsible for the overall management of research plan and training programmes within ENLIGHT.
- ❑ Voting open to all ENLIGHT members (please vote if you have not done so).

<https://indico.cern.ch/event/522875/surveys/366>

- ❑ The composition of the Advisory Committee will be announced tomorrow at the end

ENLIGHT as a foundation

- ❑ Establish ENLIGHT as a foundation or a non-profit organization:
 - Make ENLIGHT self-sustaining
 - Raise funding for meeting, training events and secondments.



Collaboration

□ Enhance collaboration with other communities or entities working on particle therapy, in particular:

- ESTRO
- PTCOG
- Industry



Thank you