



Decision Support Tools and Policy Initiatives in Support of a Universal Design of Buildings



Different approaches towards the implementation of accessibility in Europe – Which solutions should be promoted?



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“building for the disabled” versus “accessibility for all”

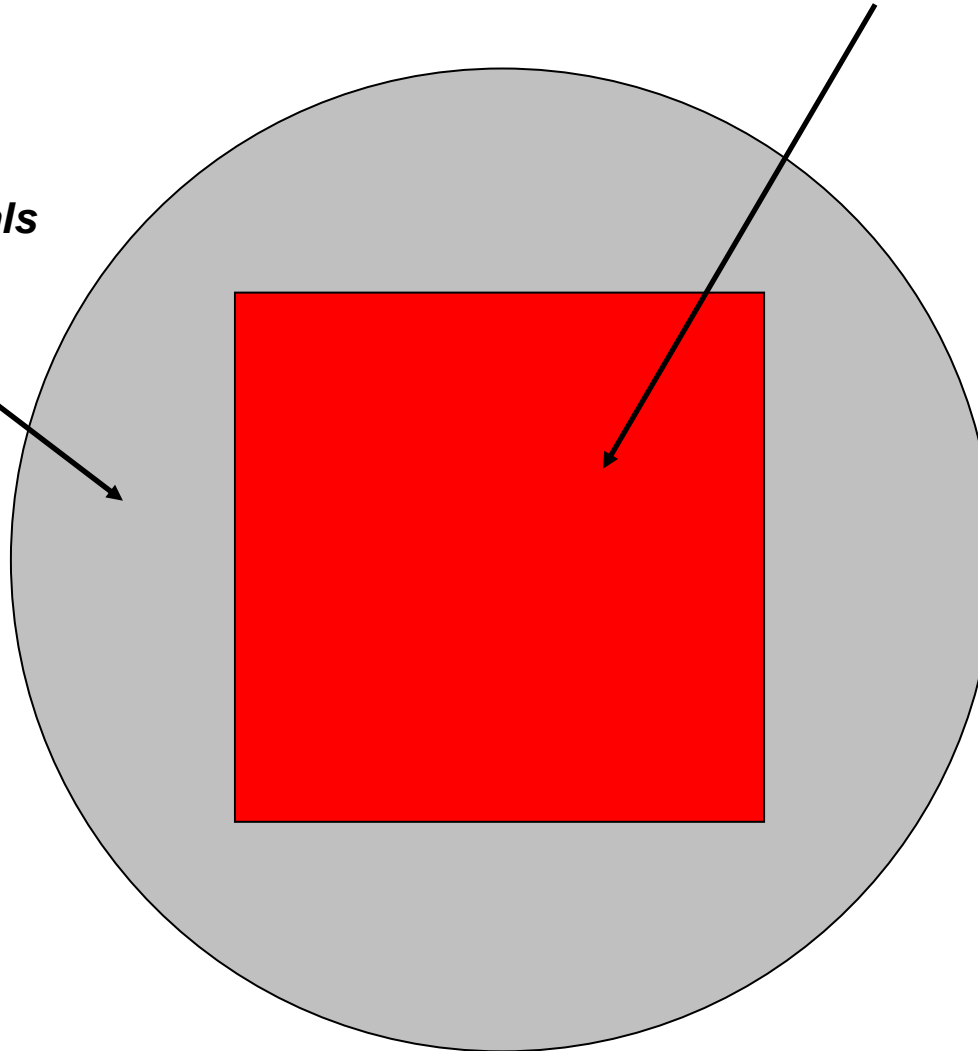


- *Implicit Design (up till 1970)*
- *Designing for the Disabled (1970/1990)*
- *Integral Approach / Universal Design (1990/2000)*
- *Human Diversity (2000+)*



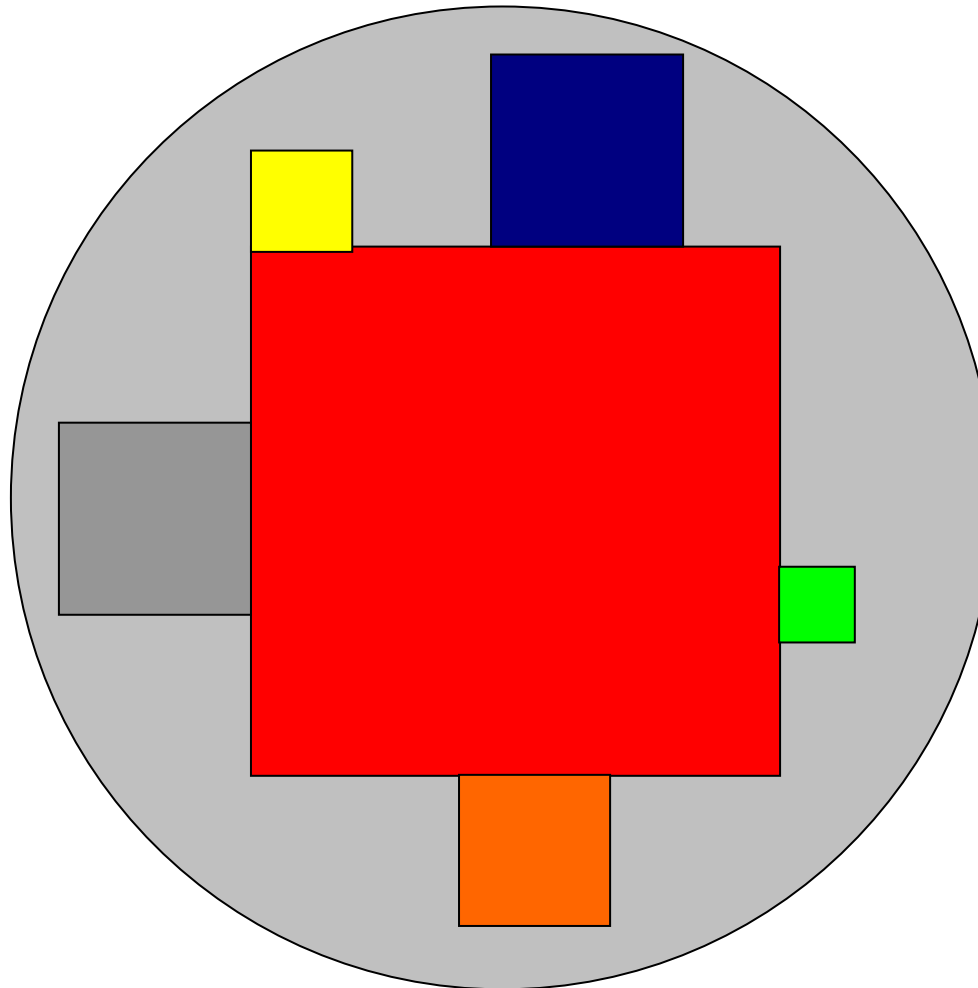
needs of some sort of uniform picture of man

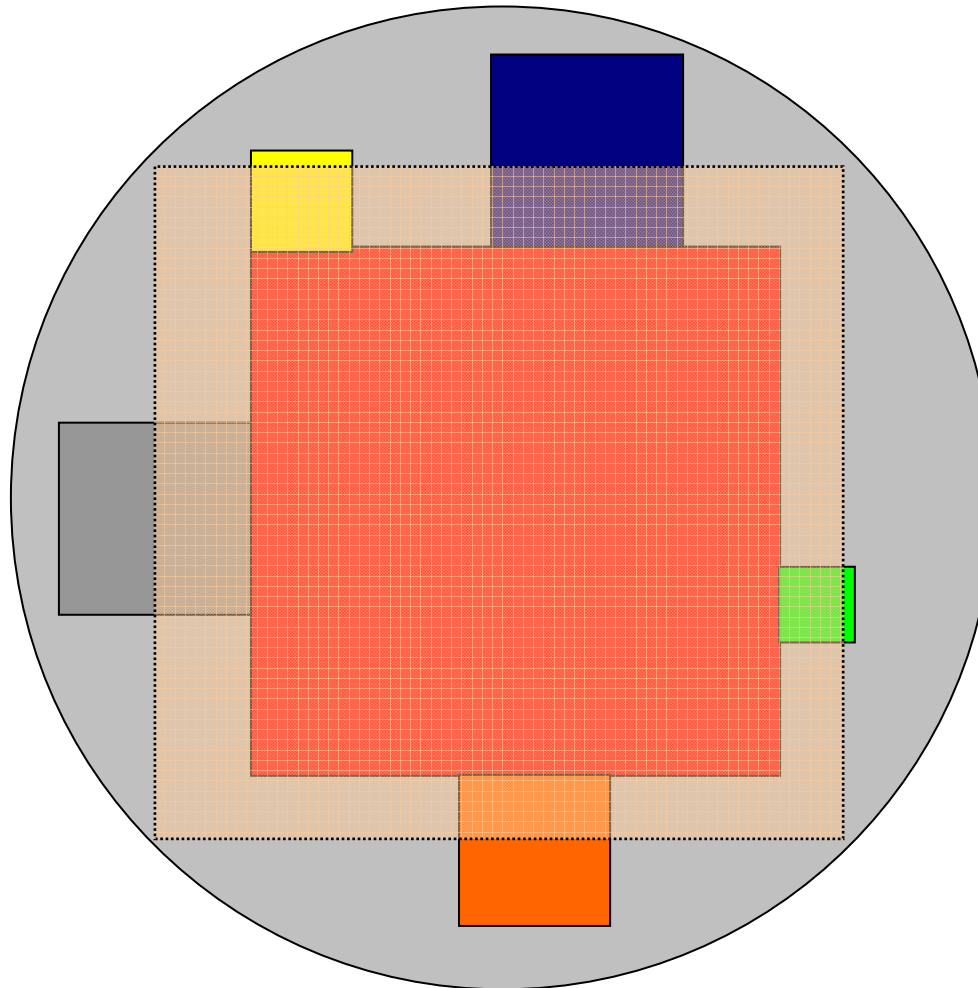
needs of all individuals





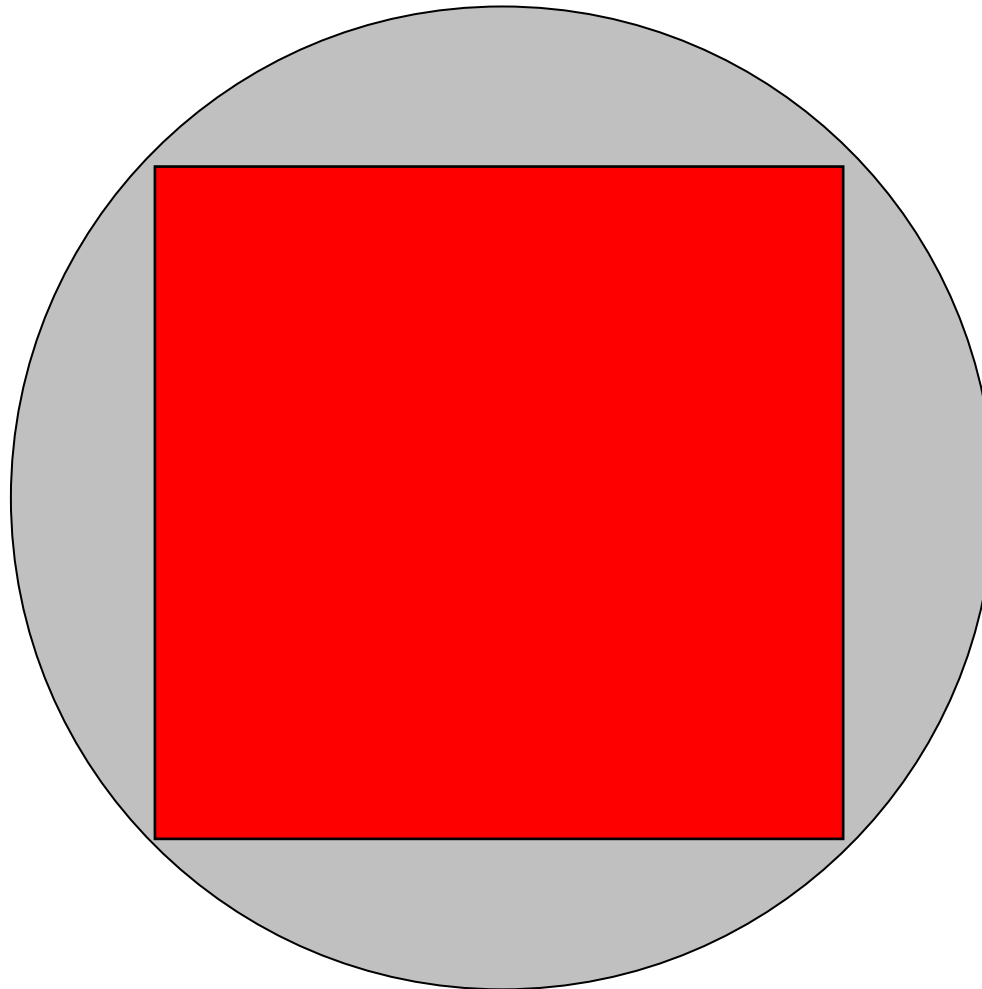
Building for people with disabilities







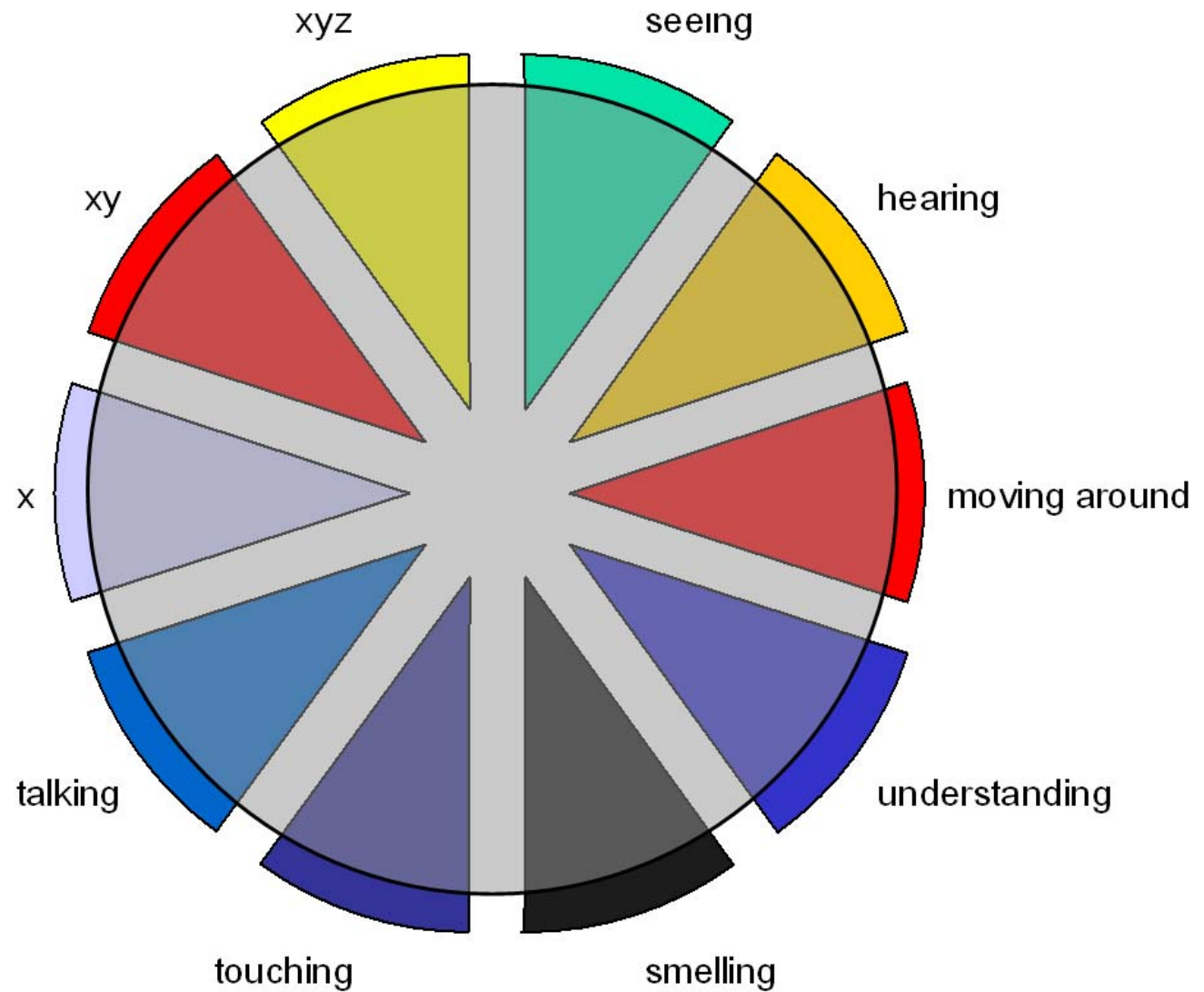
Design for All



Implementation of accessibility for all



| Human functions | Technical Parameters | Decisions |
|-----------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| Seeing | Lighting | Legislation |
| | Contrast | Standardisation |
| | Size of information | Technical aids |
| | Type of information | Etc... |
| | Etc... | |
| Moving around | Horizontal movement | |
| | Vertical movement | |
| | Materials | |
| | Distances | |
| | Etc... | |
| Etc... | | |



Implementation of accessibility for all

