

*Developments in
Nanotechnologies
and Advanced
Materials:
a European
perspective and
innovation strategy*



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"Advanced materials and nanotechnologies"

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Integrated approach for the development of advanced materials and systems in H2020

Outline:

- Role of Key Enabling Technologies
- Horizon 2020
- Advanced Materials and Nanotechnologies integration:
"First Horizon 2020 calls and future directions"

Key Enabling Technologies as a competitive tool



Mastering and industrial deployment of Key Enabling Technologies (KETs)

What are KETs?

- *Six strategic technologies*
- *Driving competitiveness and growth opportunities*
- *Contributions to solving societal challenges*
- *Knowledge- and Capital-intensive*
- *Cut across many sectors*

- **Nanotechnologies**
- **Advanced Materials**
- **Micro- and nano-electronics**
- **Photonics**
- **Biotechnology**
- **Advanced Manufacturing**

European KET Strategy:

- EC Communications
(2009)512 & (2012)341
- KET High-level Group

Case example: the electric vehicle



**Societal
Challenge
Energy**

De-carbonisation
of transport

Transdisciplinarity: Combining several KETs for
advanced products
→ Case study: electric vehicle



NANO X

Nanotechnologies

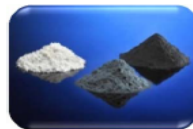


Advanced
Manufacturing
Systems



Electric vehicle

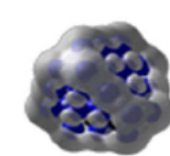
Advanced
materials



Microelectronics



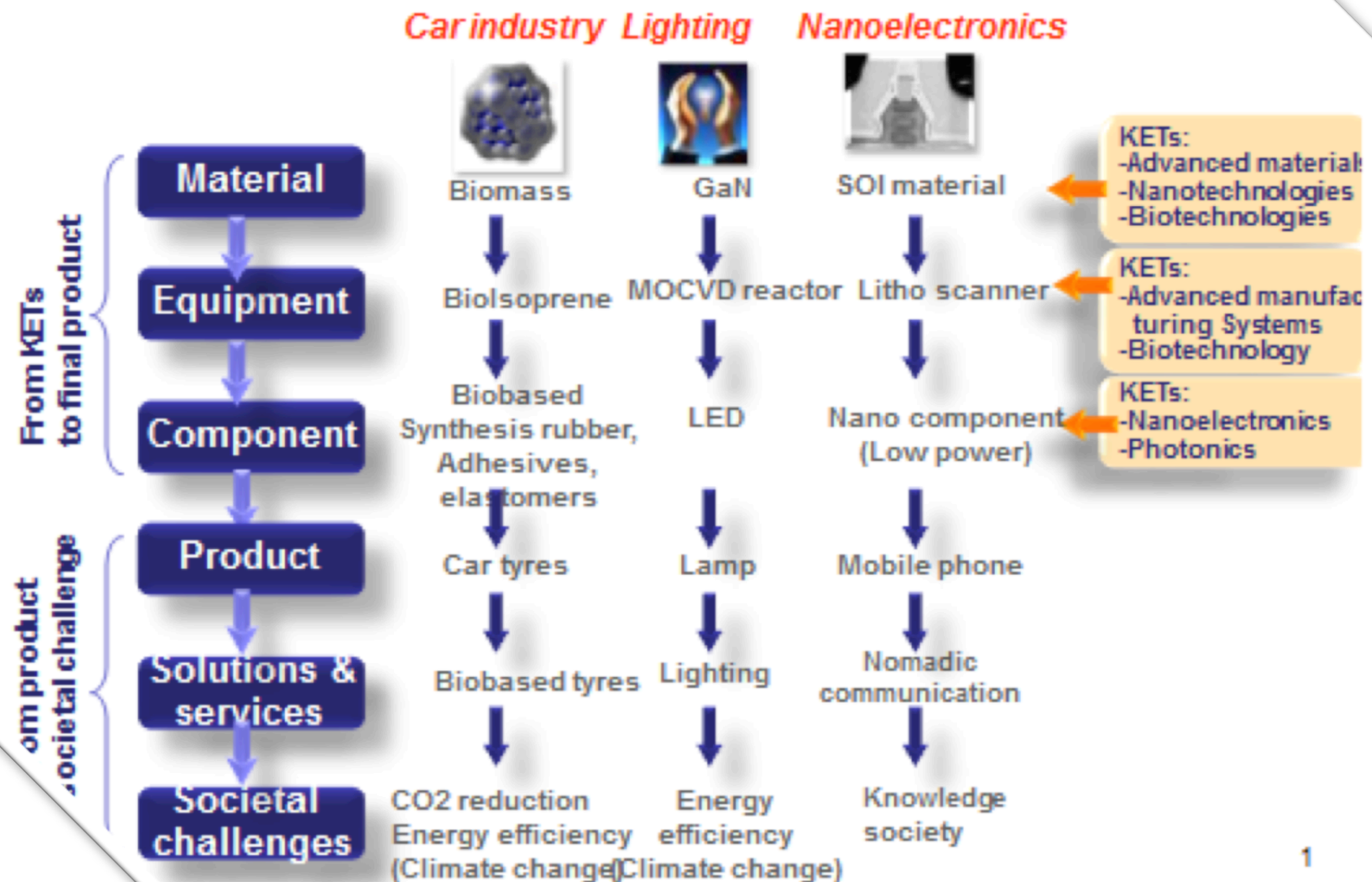
Biotechnologies



Photonics



KETs are strategic all along value chains



Significance of Advance Materials and Nanotechnologies

- Essential for new and existing production **high added value** products and their production processes
- Source of High Innovation Potential
- Important market volumes
- Cross cutting through various disciplines and various industrial applications

The issues regarding Advance Materials and Nanotechnologies

- Europe has strong position in science and in patenting activity
- EU actors are at top of patent ranking in each KET
- But there is a gap between the technology base and the manufacturing base
- We need to add demonstrators, competitive manufacturing and product development

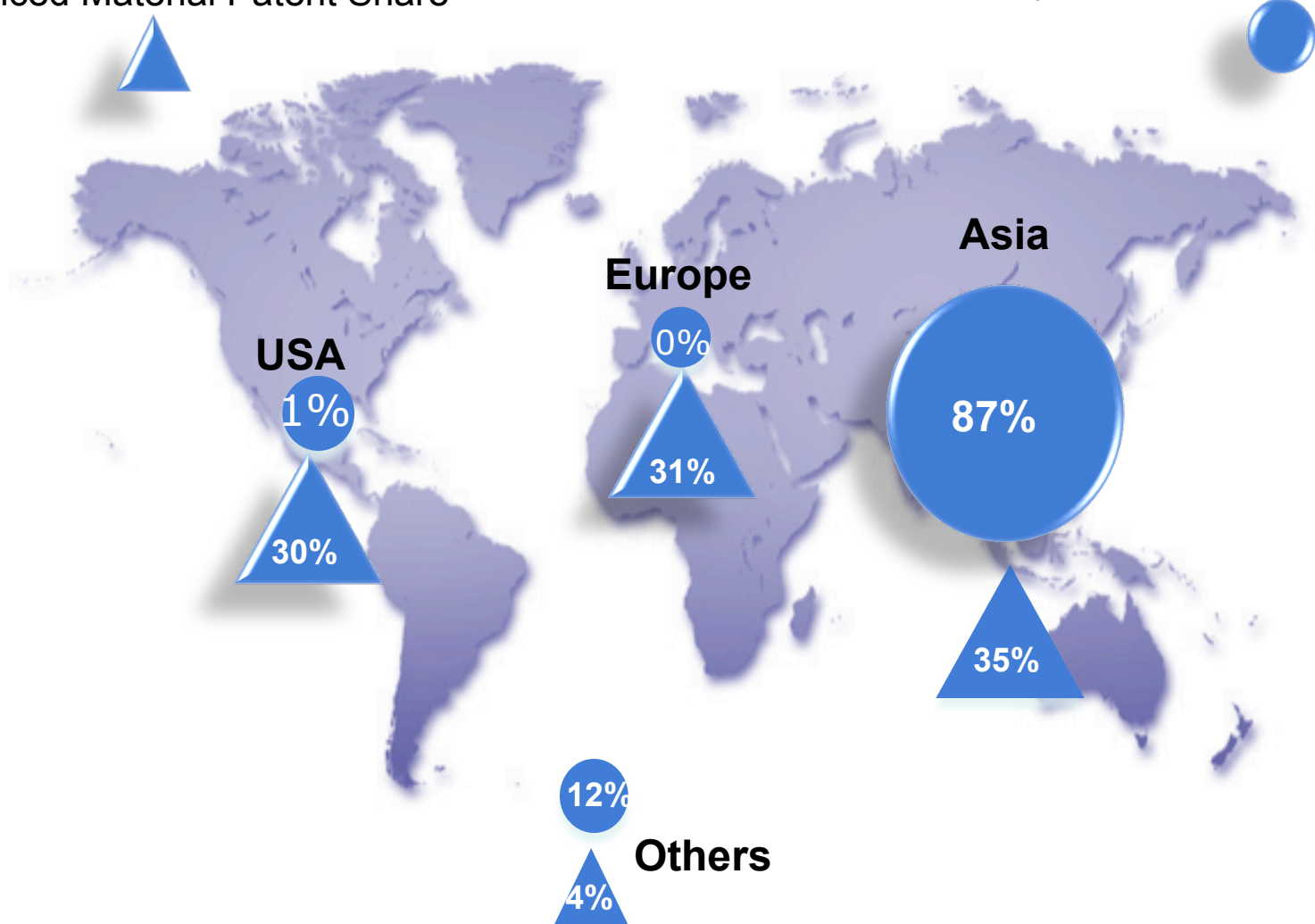
From Lab to Industry to Market BUT...

Case Study: Li-ion batteries



Advanced Material Patent Share

Li-ion battery cell production share in 2008



Source: European Competitiveness Report 2010, European Competitiveness in Key Enabling Technologies (TNO/ZEW), CGGC, Lithium-ion Batteries for Electric Vehicles : THE U.S. VALUE CHAIN, October 2010

Horizon 2020 as an integrator

Three converging priorities





Horizon 2020

Total indicative budget: 77.0 billion €*

Excellent science

- **European Research Council**
- **Future and Emerging Technologies**
- **Marie Curie actions**
- **Research infrastructures**

Indicative Budget:
24.4 billion €*

Industrial leadership

- **Leadership in enabling and industrial technologies**
- **Access to risk finance**
- **Innovation in SMEs**

Indicative Budget:
17.0 billion €*

Societal challenges

- **Health, demographic change and wellbeing**
- **Food security, sustainable agriculture, marine and maritime research and the bioeconomy**
- **Secure, clean and efficient energy**
- **Smart, green and integrated transport**
- **Climate action, resource efficiency and raw materials**
- **Inclusive, innovative and reflective societies**
- **Secure societies**

Indicative Budget:
29.7 billion €*

* 2014-20, actual budget (indicative)
Includes 5.9 billion € for "widening participation",
"science with and for society", JRC and EIT
– not shown in three priorities above

Industrial Leadership

- To be achieved through development of European Key Enabling Technologies (KETs) and support to industry
- Strong focus on the contribution of Key Enabling Technologies to societal challenges
 - Transport
 - Healthy aging
 - Energy
 - Environment
 - etc.
- Emphasis on R&D and innovation with strong industrial dimension





Industrial Leadership (in H2020)

- Activities primarily developed through relevant industrial research agendas, roadmaps and value chains (ETPs, PPPs)
- Contractual Public-Private Partnerships (cPPPs) will be used extensively for the implementation and deployment of the KETs
- They will allow industry to directly participate in the definition and implementation of research and innovation priorities
- Involvement of industrial participants and SMEs to maximise expected impact
→ key aspect of proposal evaluation
- Funded projects will be outcome oriented, developing key technology building blocks and bringing them closer to the market (e.g. pilots and demonstrators)

PPPs in H2020

➤ cPPPs (implemented within H2020 WP)

- Robotics
- Photonics
- Advanced 5G Network Infrastructures
- **Factories of the Future (FoF)**
- **Energy-efficient Buildings (EeB)**
- **Sustainable Process Industry (SPIRE)**
- European Green Vehicles Initiative
- High-performance Computing

NMBP

Linked Initiatives

ERA-NETs (co-funding and networking)

Structural Funds (support to develop smart specialisation)

ETPs (Strategic Research Agendas considered for priority setting)

EIT: new KIC on Added-value Manufacturing

JTIs: Electronic components and systems, Bio-based Industries

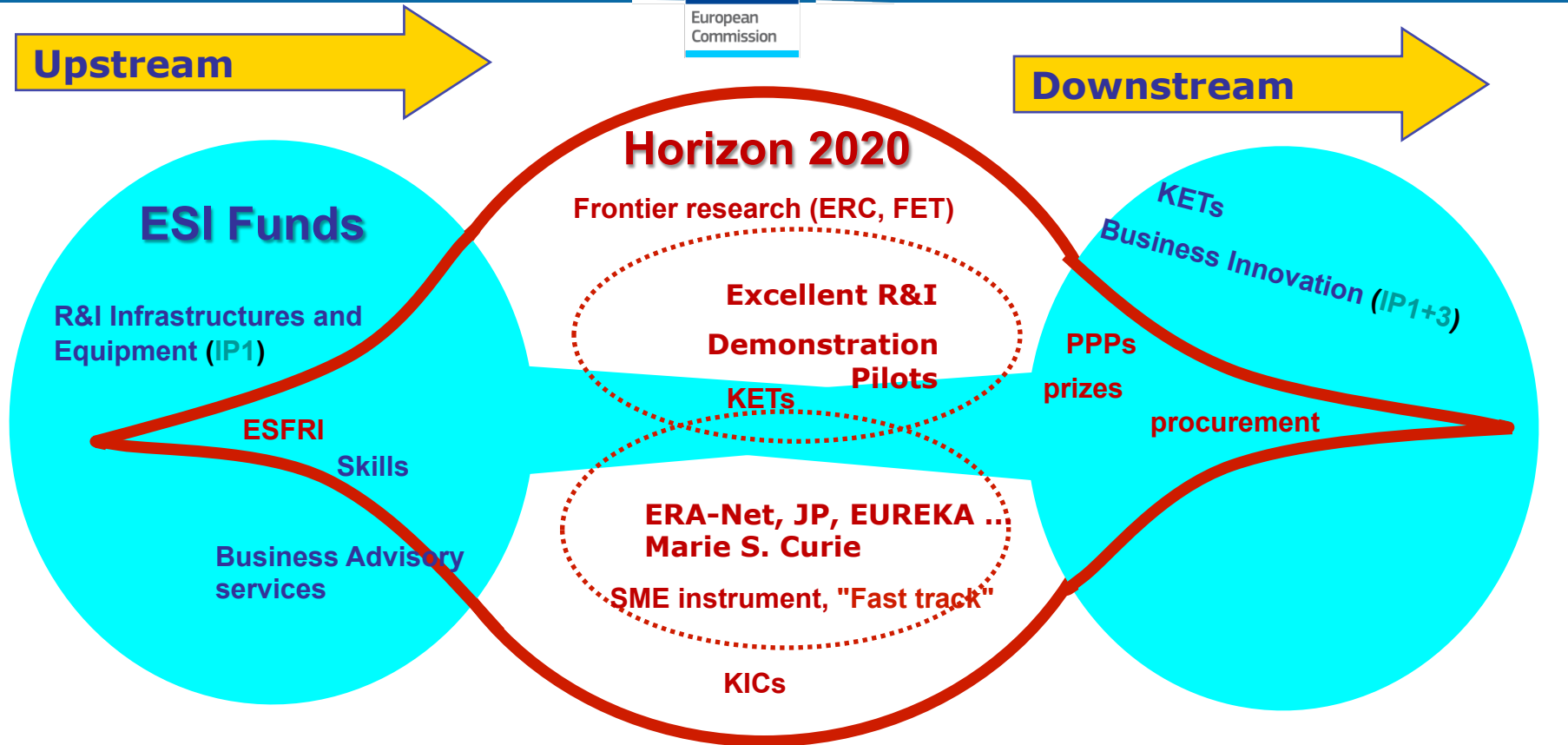
EIPs (Smart Cities, Raw Materials)



Synergies with Structural & Investment Funds (ESIF)

- Increased funding for research and innovation available under regional funding
- *Smart Specialisation*: strategic framework to access funding for Research and Innovation in Structural Funds 2014-2020
- National / regional authorities in charge (not the Commission)
- Policy support measures to be undertaken timely (by the end of 2013)
- Support from other EU, national or regional programmes **encouraged** (supported or not by ESIF)
- Some topics particularly suitable for additional funding (e.g. to deploy technologies)

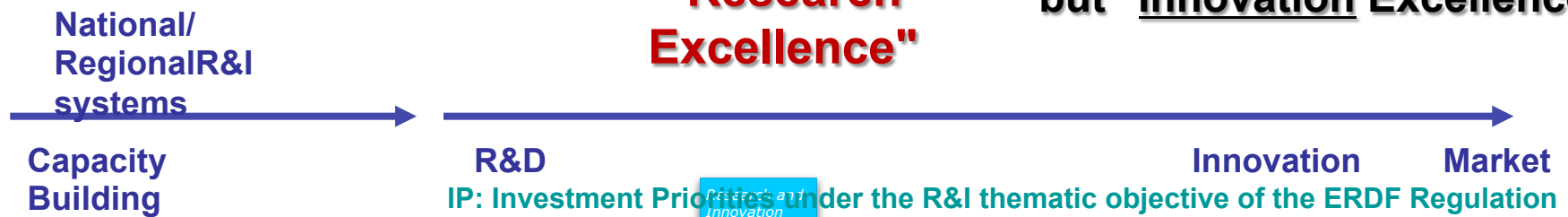
How about synergies with Horizon2020?



"Stairway to Excellence"

"Research Excellence"

Hopefully also excellence, but "Innovation Excellence"



Horizon 2020 is different

- ❑ A strong **challenge-based approach**, allowing applicants to have considerable freedom to come up with innovative solutions
- ❑ Increased emphasis on **innovation**, with continuing support for R&D (research and innovation actions with 100% funding; innovation actions with 70% funding)
- ❑ Less prescriptive topics, strong emphasis on expected impact
- ❑ A strategic approach, with two-year work programmes
- ❑ Focus areas bring together different technologies, along entire value and innovation chains
- ❑ Cross-cutting issues mainstreamed (e.g. social sciences, gender, international co-operation)



Nanotechnologies and Advance Materials related calls 2014-15 and outlook for 2016-17

Covering the innovation cycle "research to market"

From R&D to close-to-market activities

Use of Technology Readiness Levels (TRLs from 3-4 to 8)

Funding rates

100% (~60% of budget)

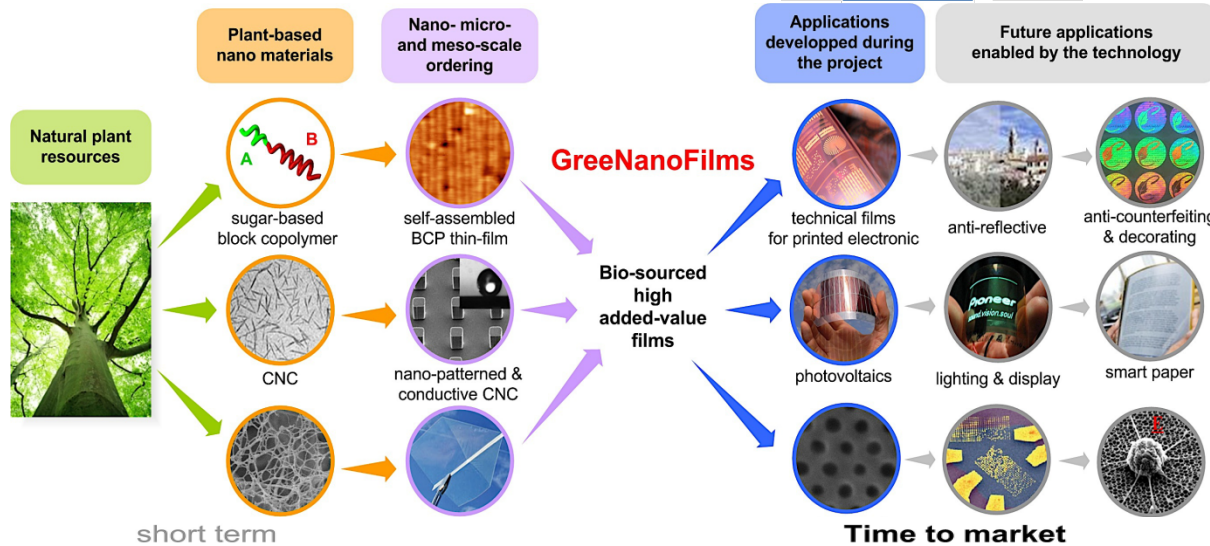
and 70% (for pilots and demonstrators)

Ground prepared in last two years of FP7 ('bridging')

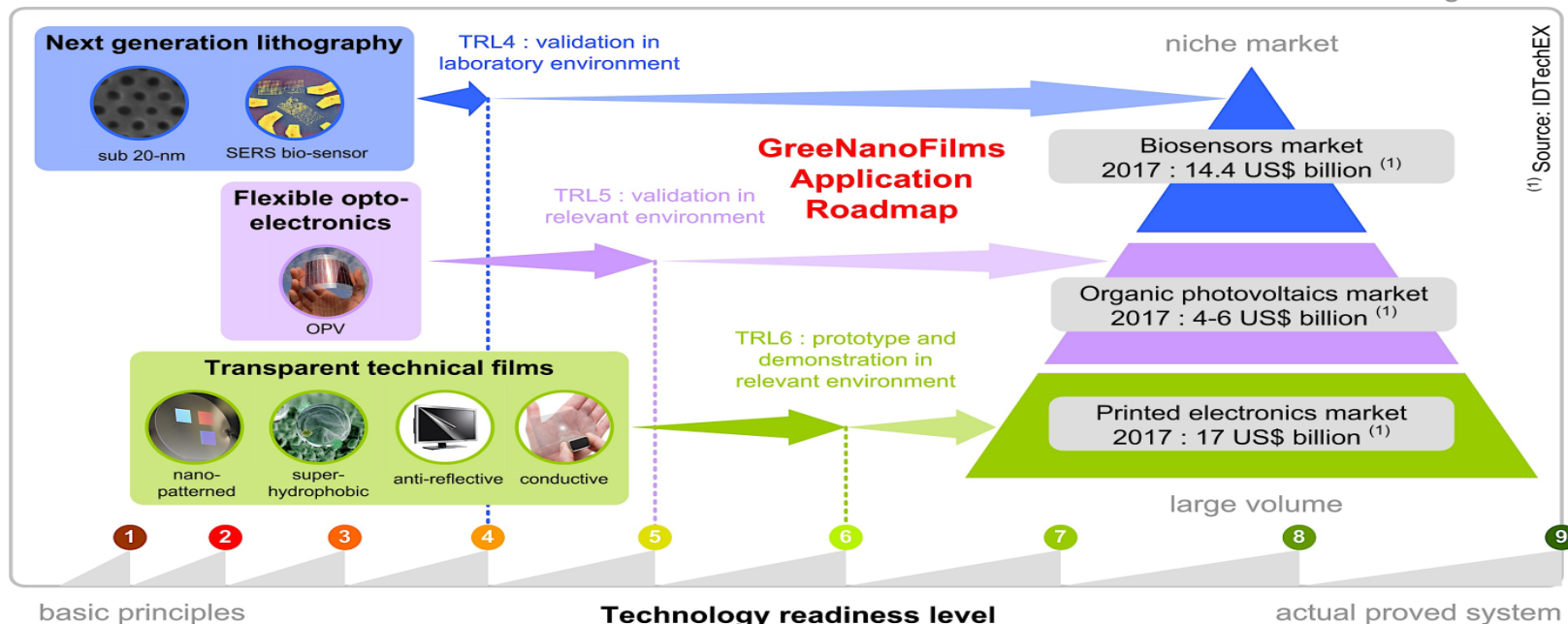
Contractual PPPs and JTIs (Electronic components and systems, Bio-based Industries)

Cross-cutting KETs (combinations of KETs)

Pre-commercial procurement and prizes (to be developed further after 2015)



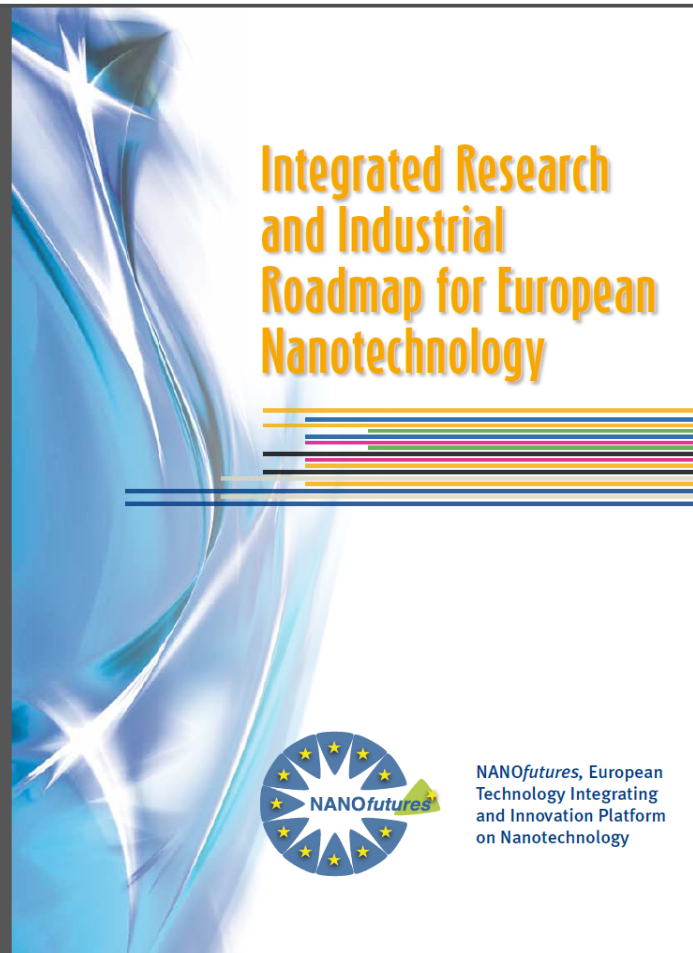
- Plant-based biomaterials:**
- Glycopolymers
 - Cellulose nanocrystals (CNC)
 - Cellulose nanofibrils (CNF)



MAIN CALL PRIORITIES

- ❑ Focus on technology development with industrial deployment of Key Enabling Technologies (KETs)
- ❑ Based on strategic research agendas, roadmaps and value chains (with applications in several sectors and societal challenges)
- ❑ Support for further innovation, through e.g. project clusters and links to other funding (e.g. smart specialisation)
- ❑ Contributions to objectives of selected focus areas, *within LEIT calls - with enabling character: personalising health care, decarbonising energy, waste as a resource*

Setting the nanotechnology research priorities



"NANO**futures**": From SOCIETAL CHALLENGES to PRODUCTS



Foresight

Societal Challenges

Applications & Products

Cross KET Value chains

Technological and non-techn actions

- ✓ *Health, demographic change and wellbeing;*
- ✓ *Food security, sustainable agriculture, marine and maritime research;*
- ✓ *Clean and efficient energy;*
- ✓ *Green transport;*
- ✓ *Climate action, resource efficiency and raw materials;*
- ✓ *Inclusive, innovative and secure societies.*



Textile and sport sector

ICT

Medicine &Pharma

Construction and buildings

Transportation

Energy

Packaging

Direct manufacturing

Consumer Products
(Cosmetics & Household Cleaning)

VC1 Lightweight multifunctional mat. and sustainable composites

VC2 Nano-enabled surfaces for multi-sectorial applications

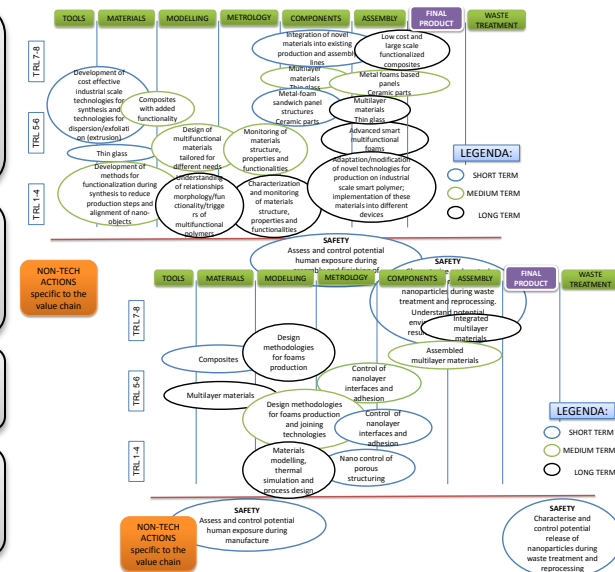
VC3 Structured Surfaces

VC4 - Alloys Ceramics, Intermetallics

VC5 Functional Fluids

VC6 Integration of nano

VC7 Infrastructure for Multiscale Modelling and Testing



Setting the materials Research Priorities

■ Apart from the EAG and Materials Summit paper



Calls for Nanotechnologies, Advanced Materials, Biotechnology and Advanced Manufacturing and Processing

New WP structure !

- **One call** for Nanotechnologies, Advanced materials and KET support actions
- **One call** for Biotechnology
- **Three cross-cutting calls** implementing Factories of the Future (FoF, Energy-efficient buildings (EeB) and Sustainable Process Industries (SPIRE))

Call for Nanotechnology, Advanced Materials and KET support actions

Bridging the gap between nanotechnology research and markets

| Topic code | Topic title | Type of Action |
|--------------|---|----------------|
| NMP 1 - 2014 | Open access pilot lines for cost-effective nanocomposites | RIA |
| NMP 2 - 2015 | Integration of novel nano materials into existing production lines | IA |
| NMP 3 - 2015 | Manufacturing and control of nanoporous materials | IA |
| NMP 4 - 2014 | High-definition printing of multifunctional materials | IA |
| NMP 5 - 2014 | Industrial-scale production of nanomaterials for printing | IA |
| NMP 6 - 2015 | Novel nanomatrices and nanocapsules | RIA |
| NMP 7 - 2015 | Additive manufacturing for table-top nanofactories | RIA |

One stage evaluation and submission !

Above topics implemented as cross-KET activities

Call for Nanotechnology, Advanced Materials and KET support actions

- Nanotechnology and Advanced Materials for more effective Healthcare***

| Topic code | Topic title | Type of Action |
|---------------|---|----------------|
| NMP 8 - 2014 | Scale-up of nanopharmaceuticals production | RIA |
| NMP 9 - 2014 | Networking of SMEs in the nano-biomedical sector | CSA (max 1) |
| NMP 10 - 2014 | Biomaterials for the treatment of Diabetes Mellitus | RIA |
| NMP 11 - 2015 | Nanomedicine therapy for cancer | RIA |
| NMP 12 - 2015 | Biomaterials for treatment and prevention of Alzheimer's disease | RIA |

Call for Nanotechnology, Advanced Materials and KET support

- Nanotechnology and Advanced Materials for low carbon energy technologies and Energy Efficiency***

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|---------------|---|------------------|
| NMP 13 - 2014 | Storage of energy produced by decentralised sources | RIA |
| NMP 14 - 2015 | ERANET on "materials" including those for energy | Era-Net (Cofund) |
| NMP 15 - 2015 | Materials innovations for optimisation of cooling in power plants | IA |
| NMP 16 - 2015 | Extended in-service service of advanced functional materials in energy technologies (capture, conversion, storage and/or transmission of energy) | IA |
| NMP 17 - 2014 | Post-Lithium batteries for electric automotive applications | R/I |

Call for Nanotechnology, Advanced Materials and KET support

- Exploiting the cross-sector potential of Nanotechnologies and Advanced materials to drive competitiveness and sustainability*

| Topic code | Topic title | Project type |
|------------------------|---|--------------|
| NMP 18 - 2014 | Materials solutions for use in the creative industry sector | IA |
| NMP 19 - 2015 | Materials for severe operating conditions, including added-value functionalities | RIA |
| NMP 20 - 2014 | Widening materials models | RIA |
| NMP 21 - 2014 | Materials-based solutions for the protection or preservation of European cultural heritage | IA |
| NMP 22 - 2015 | Fibre-based materials for non-clothing applications | IA |
| NMP 23 - 2015 | Novel materials by design for substituting critical elements | RIA |
| NMP 24 - 2015 | Low-energy solutions for drinking water production | IA |
| NMP 25 - 2014/1 | Accelerating the industrial uptake of nanotechnologies, advanced materials or advanced manufacturing and processing technologies by SMEs | SME * |
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*** 3 separate phases / 70% funding for phase I in form of lump sum of €50,000**

Call for Nanotechnology, Advanced Materials and KET support

- Safety of nanotechnology-based applications and support for the development of regulation***

| Topic code | Topic title | Type of Action |
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| NMP 26 - 2014 | Joint EU & MS activity on the next phase of research in support of regulation "NANOREG II" | RIA |
| NMP 27 - 2014 | Coordination of EU and international efforts in safety of nanotechnology | CSA |
| NMP 28 - 2014 | Assessment of environmental impact of nanomaterials | RIA |
| NMP 29 - 2015 | Increasing the capacity to perform nano-safety assessment | RIA |
| NMP 30 - 2015 | Next generation tools for risk governance of nanomaterials | RIA |

Call for Nanotechnology, Advanced Materials and KET support

- Addressing generic needs in support of governance, standards, models, and structuring in nanotechnology, advanced materials and advanced manufacturing and processing*

| Topic code | Topic title | Type of Action |
|----------------------|---|----------------|
| NMP 31 - 2014 | Novel visualization tools for enhanced nanotechnology | CSA |
| NMP 32 - 2015 | Societal engagement on responsible nanotechnology | CSA |
| NMP 33 - 2014 | The materials "common house" | CSA |
| NMP 34 - 2014 | Networking and sharing of best practises in management of new advanced materials via eco-design of products, eco-innovation, and product life cycle management | CSA |
| NMP 35 - 2014 | Business models with new supply chains for sustainable customer-driven small series production | IA |
| NMP 36 - 2014 | Facilitating knowledge management, networking and coordination in NMP | CSA |
| NMP 37 - 2014 | Practical experience and facilitating combined funding for large-scale RDI initiatives | CSA |
| NMP 38 - 2014/2015 | Presidency events | CSA |
| NMP 39- 2014 | Support for NCPs | CSA |

Take home message :

■ *From Lab to Industry to Markets*

- Nano-pharmaceutical production by SMEs = prerequisite for clinical testing

■ *Developing new technologies to solve societal problems*

- Reducing dependence on critical resources and energy;
- Customising healthcare; critical components of energy technologies; clean water;
- Waste avoidance and recovery; towards the circular economy (environment)

■ *Creating high-quality jobs*

- Combine research and skills development,
- Commit to job creation e.g. in supply industries, chemical and biotechnology industries

Nanotechnologies and Advanced Materials future direction

H2020 Nanotechnologies and Advanced Materials strategy will pursue further:

☐ **Market-Societal**

☐ **VERTICAL INTEGRATION**

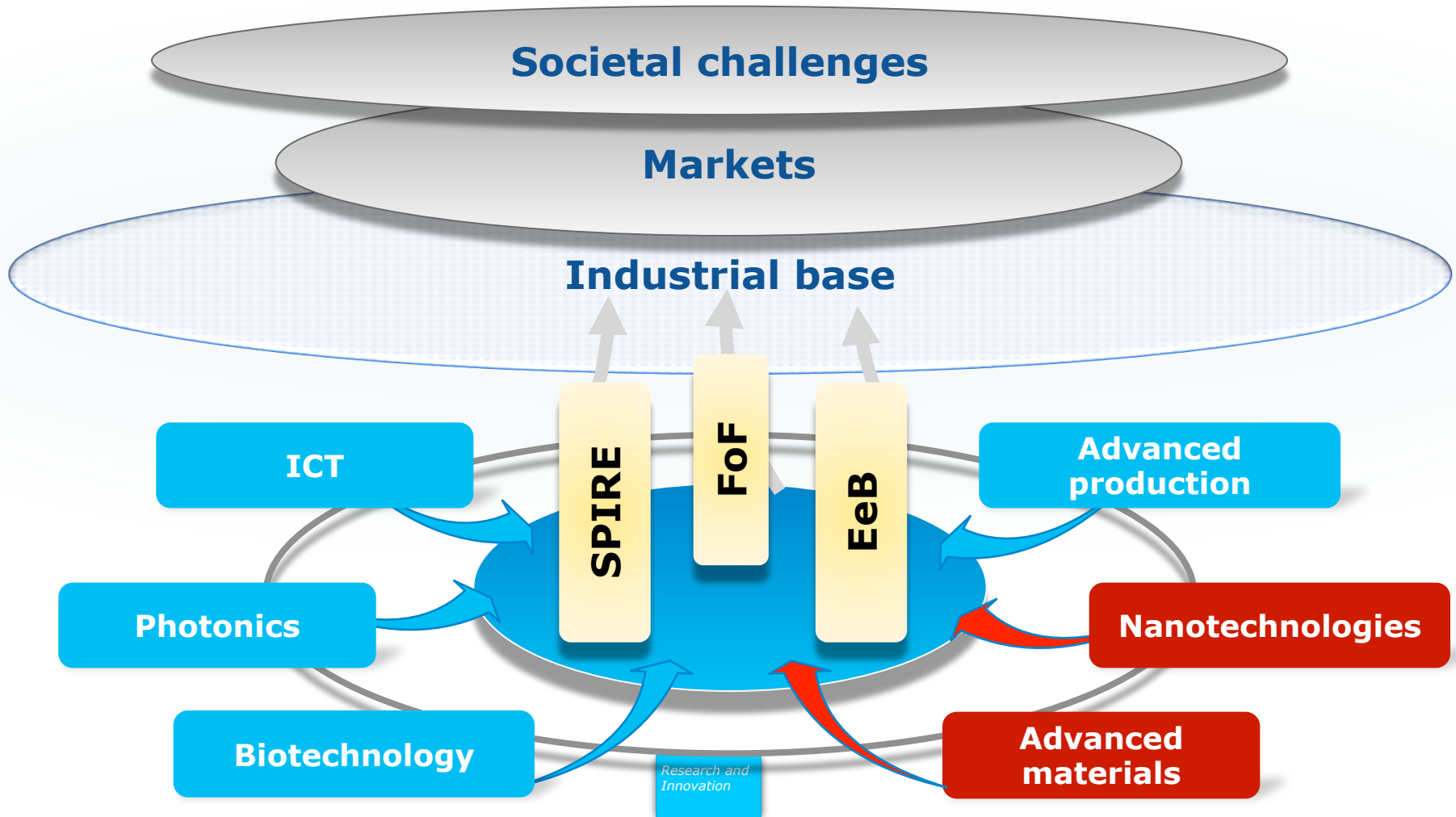
- ☐ Targeted Time-to-market and high added value solutions for manufacturing
- ☐ Support Product life-cycles strategies
- ☐ Support Value chain responses
- ☐ Establish open innovation infrastructure
- ☐ Industrial platforms
- ☐ Build Strategic partnerships

➤ **POLICY RELATED**

➤ **HORIZONTAL INTEGRATION**

- Risk governance
- Growth schemes balancing benefits and risks
- Smart regulation
- Networked centres of excellence (Infrastructure)
- Openness and transparency
- Societal understanding, engagement and trust
- Re-define Education basis and skilling
- Targeted investment

DELIVER: A Enabling-technologies value system for high-added value Manufacturing





Find out more on Horizon 2020:

<http://www.ec.europa.eu/research/horizon2020>

Participant Portal:

<https://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/page/home>

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