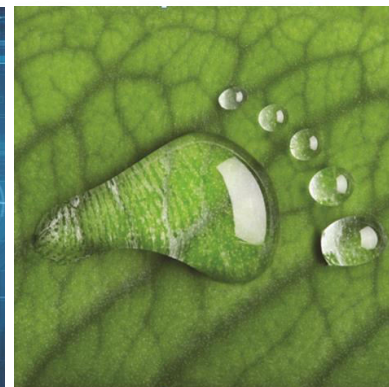
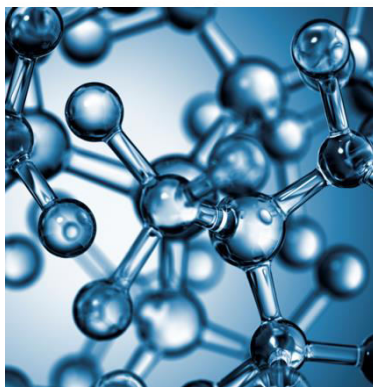
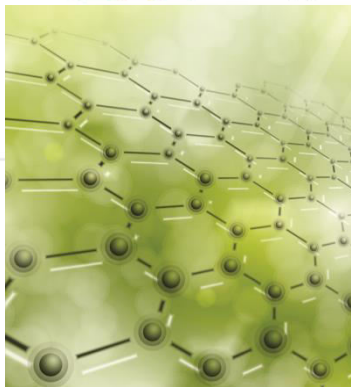


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SusChem Priorities

Working Groups update

































SusChem Initiatives

Working Groups Update

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-  Energy Union – SET plan
-  Digitization of Industries
-  Circular Economy

Societal Challenges

SusChem Technologies	Industrial Leadership		Bio-Economy	Clean Energy	Green Transport	Resource Efficiency, Raw materials	Health
	NMBP*	ICT*					
Raw Material & Alternative Feedstocks	 					 	
Energy Source for Chemical Processing	 		 			 	
Process Technology	 		 	 			
Materials for...	  			 		  	

*NMBP: Nanotechnologies, Advanced Materials, Biotechnology, and Advanced Manufacturing and Processing

** ICT: Information and communications technology

SusChem Initiatives

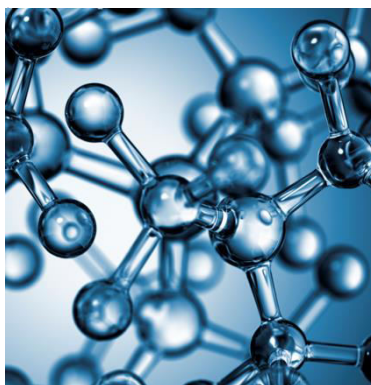
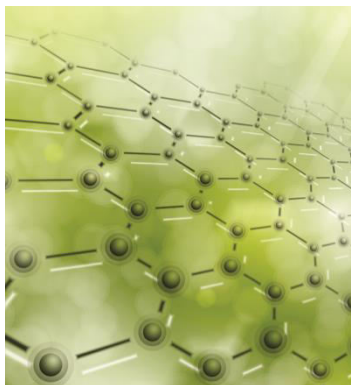
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Sustainable Bioeconomy Innovation Priorities

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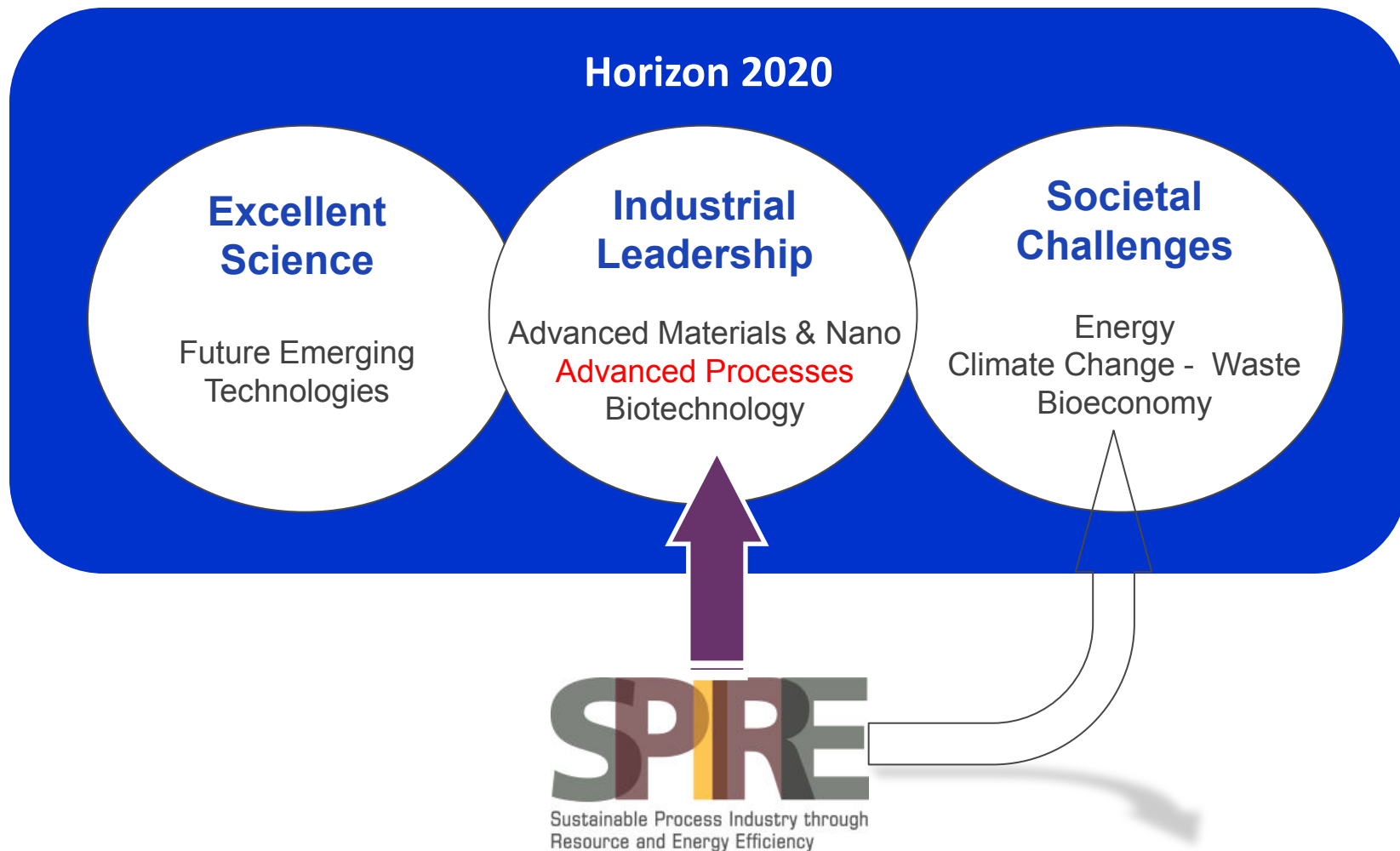
Recommendations for cooperation between the chemical and bio-based industries

SPIRE and BBI establishment in 2012:

Joint narrative to look for synergies between the two PPPs

SPIRE Impact

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BBI Impact



Bio-Based Products and Markets



Bio-based chemicals, building blocks and materials

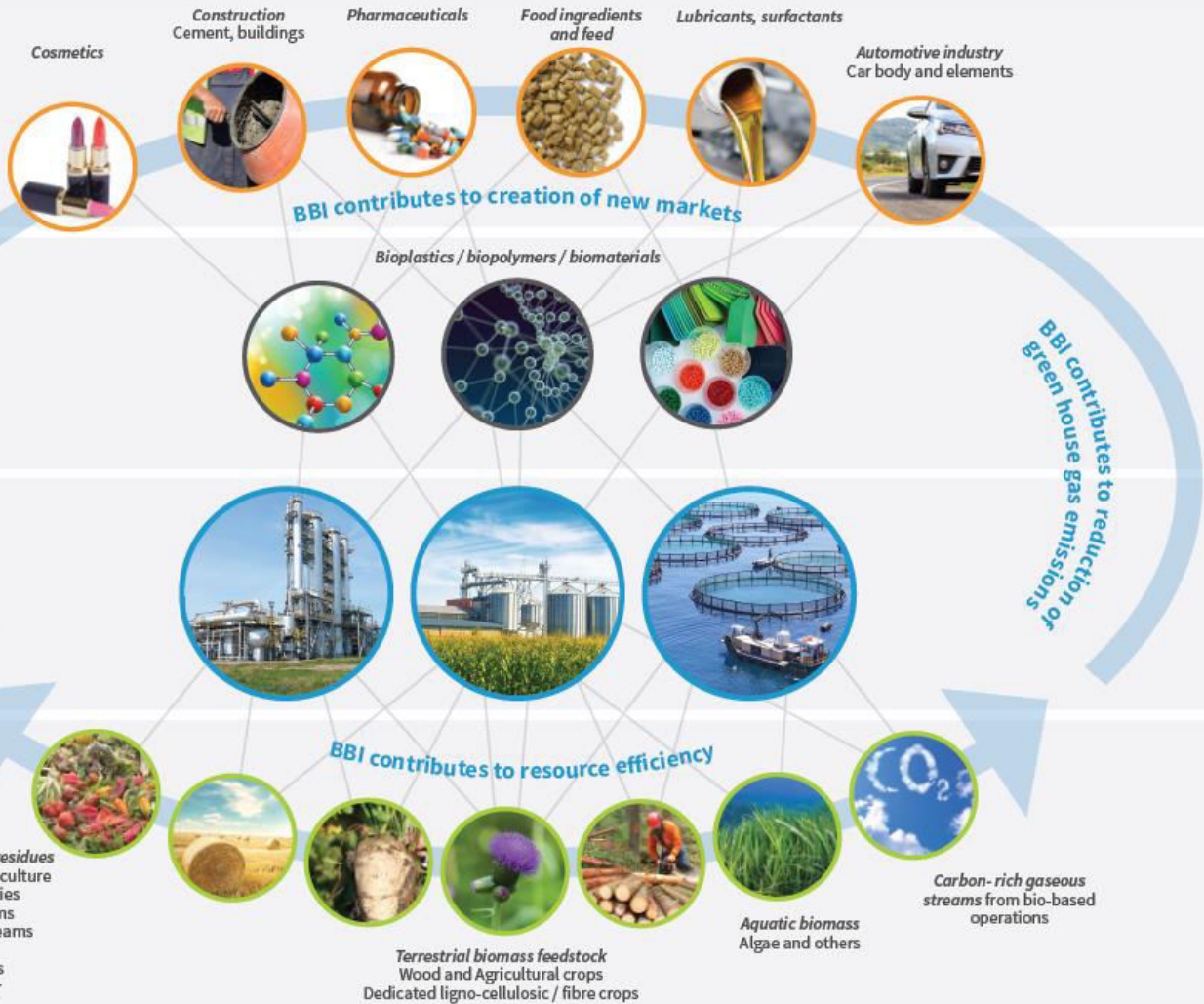


Biorefineries



Biomass and organic waste

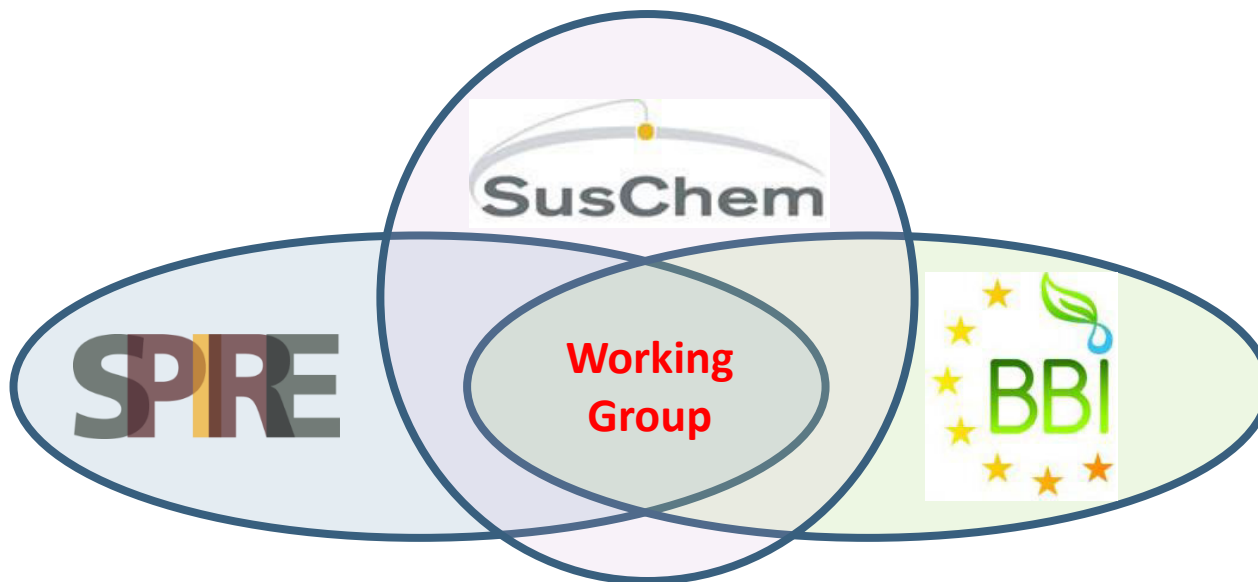
Co-products, side streams and residues
Residues from forestry and agriculture
By-streams from biorefineries
Agro-industrial side streams
Other pre-consumer side streams
Waste streams
Food processing residues
Process and waste water
Municipal organic waste



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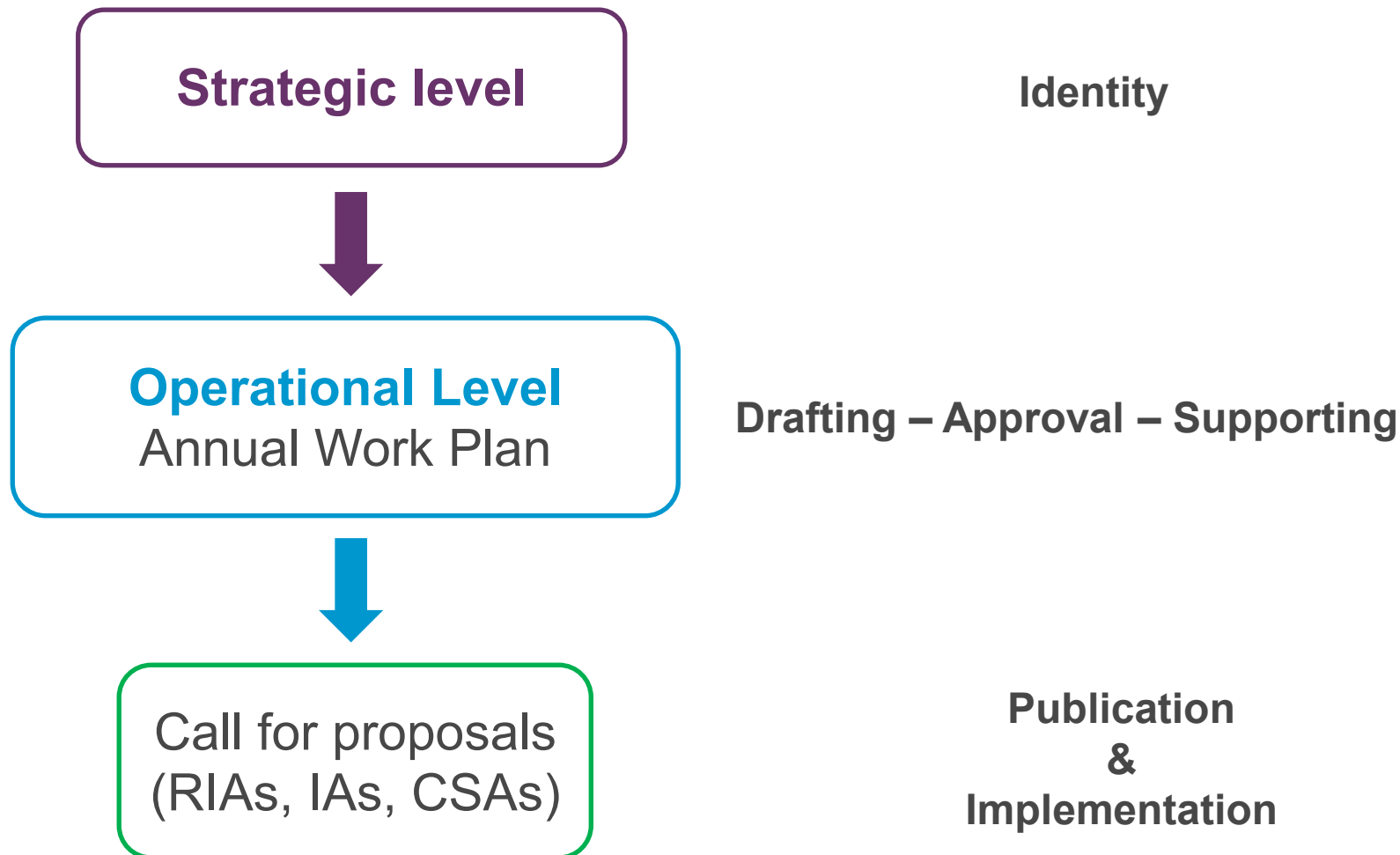
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- SusChem initiative: Workshop with SPIRE, BBI, industry and EC (Feb. 2016)
- Goals: Creation of a working group find possible synergies



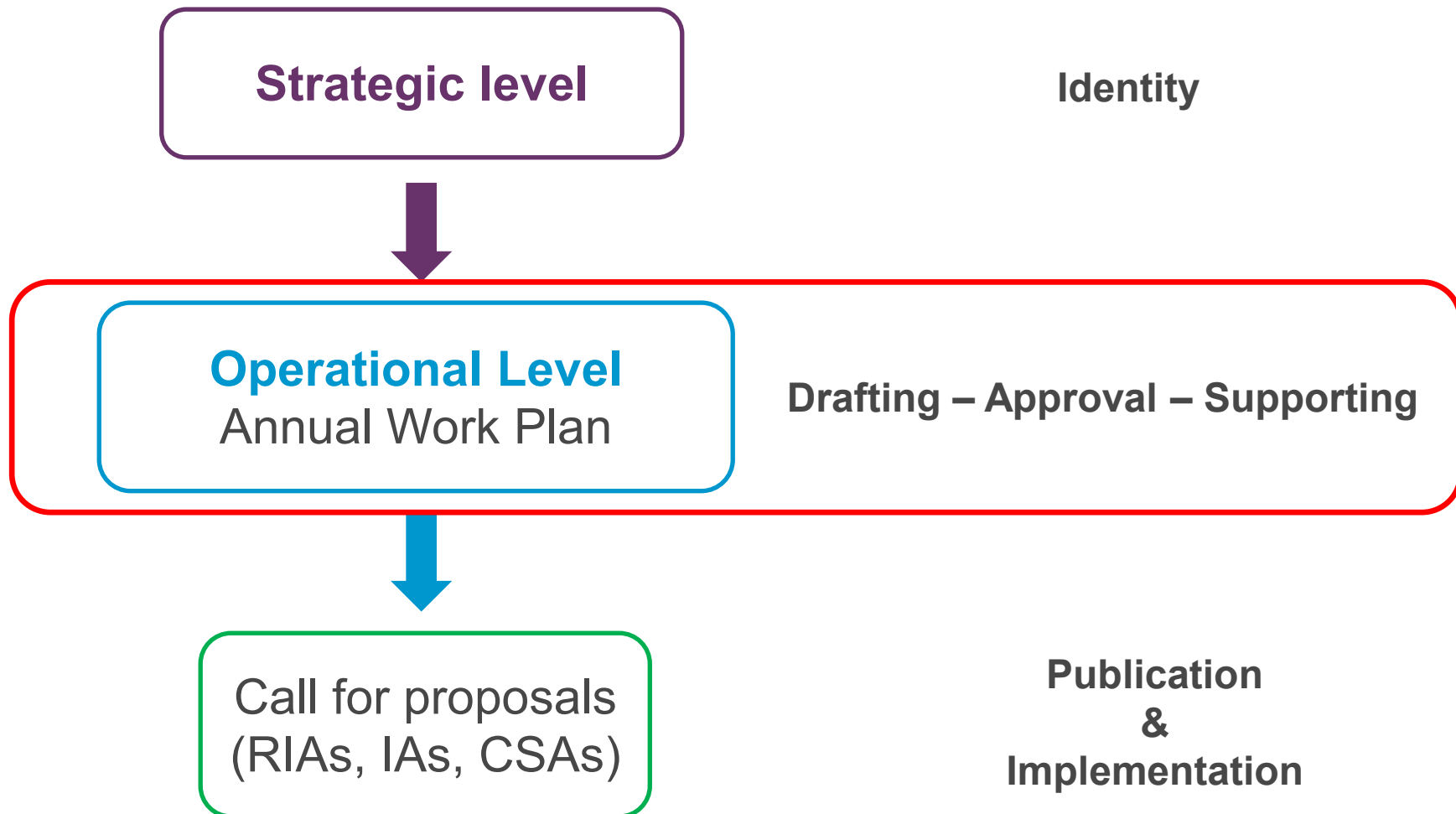
Working Group Impact

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Working Group Actions

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Short term:

- The community will be informed and motivated to consider possible synergies during the consortium and project establishment phase

Mid term:

- Past successful projects from both PPPs will be analyzed and the identified examples of complementarities will be communicated
- Identify a common area of interest to develop content for future SPIRE and BBI Working Programs

Long term:

- Implementation of the topics in future Working Programs



Materials for Energy Innovation Priorities

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Materials and the SusChem SIRA agenda

- The market of **advanced materials for energy applications** represents an important opportunity for the European Industry
- Following the SIRA publication in 2015, they have been established as a key priority
- SusChem responded to the NMBP consultation early May



SusChem SIRA published March 2015

Materials in the Energy Union agenda

- Advanced materials for **sustainable production of renewable electricity**
- Advanced materials and technologies for **renewable energy storage**
- Efficient energy systems to make the **building** stock energy neutral
- More sustainable **transport** systems

Innovation Priorities

New composites materials for wind mills blades

Materials for photovoltaic technologies

Recyclability of materials (Eco-Design)

3D Printing

Electrical storage: Materials for advanced batteries

Chemical energy storage: Power-to-gas and power-to-liquid technologies

Thermal storage of energy via phase change materials


Advanced materials for thermal insulation

Efficient lighting, phase change materials ... for buildings

Lightweight materials, materials for more fuel efficient tires, advanced battery technologies

Materials: SusChem Innovation Priorities

- The area of **Materials for Energy** is vast and priorities need to be narrowed down
- Priorities have been gathered by stakeholders and the formation of working groups is ongoing:
 - A gap analysis was carried out in terms of projects and calls over 10 years
 - The call for experts in materials is still open
 - Next step: Definition of prioritized detailed topics



“Catalysis is an important source of technology-based efficiency improvement potential...energy savings potential approaching - by 2050 - the equivalent to the current annual primary energy use of Germany”

Source: DECHEMA

Catalysis Innovation Priorities

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Catalysis



Catalysis might be one of the single most important and pervasive interdisciplinary technology in the chemical industry - certainly one of the areas with the largest societal impact, nevertheless often underestimated or invisible

Chemical Industry

- Today's catalysts ensuring that raw materials and energy are used efficiently in the production of various industrial large scale and specialty chemicals, plastics or fuels
- Catalysis and catalytic processes (direct or indirect) account for about 25% of the world GDP

SusChem SIRA

- New Raw Materials and Feedstocks
- New Industrial Biotech Processes
- Waste Reduction and Recovery
- Energy Efficiency in the Chemical Industry
- Enhanced Energy Storage Technologies
- Alternative Fuels for Transport
- Nano-structured Materials





Catalysis: SusChem Actions



SusChem achievements in 2016:

Input from various industry/academia experts from the chemical sector to:

- ✓ Exchange on 'Catalysis' topics at a European level to define and prioritize H2020 (2018-2020) innovation priorities reflecting needs and areas of common interest in our sector
- ✓ Built the base for delivering input and knowledge for reviewing initiatives like the ***European Cluster on Catalysis*** created by the European Commission with its aim to develop a ***European Roadmap on Catalysis***

The work has been supported by **7 companies** + several experts from **RTOs/Universities**



Catalysis: Innovation Priorities:

- Catalysts for the **conversion of CO₂** to chemical building blocks or fuels
- Catalysts to directly produce **renewable H₂** from sunlight (photo-catalysis)
- New catalytic technologies enabling **recycling of plastic waste**
- More robust and versatile catalytic systems for processing **variable feedstock's**

- New catalytic systems allowing **softer reaction conditions** (e.g. lower pressure and/or temperature) to save energy and enable potential retrofitting of existing plants

- **Online analysis** during the reaction steps to access to kinetic parameters, development of in-operando techniques
- **High throughput experimentation** methods in catalyst development
- **Computational modeling** methods for rational development of catalytic materials, catalyst by design, molecular simulation and experimentation, including high performance computing and simulation algorithms



Closing the loop & Next Steps

- Catalysts have a significant contribution to energy efficiency of production processes in the chemical industry
- Catalysts can contribute to large-scale storage of renewable energy and production of advanced sustainable alternative fuels for transport
- ✓ SusChem will provide input for H2020 programmes and contribute to Catalysts Roadmaps

“Ninety-five percent of chemicals industry respondents said they foresaw digital technology innovation at their company over the next three years, and 50 percent expected breakthrough or radical advances”

Source: Strategy&/pwc 2015

ICT Innovation Priorities

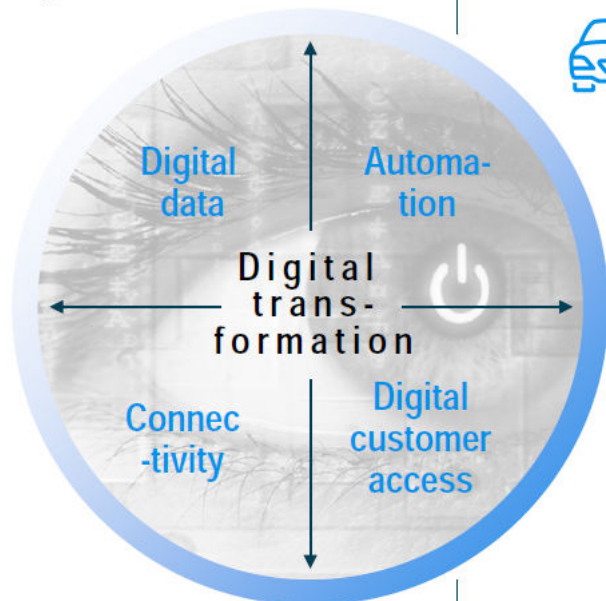
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Digital will continue to impact the chemical industry

300 decision makers were surveyed, 30 CEOs interviewed, expert workshops held on:

The **four levers** of the digital transformation ...



... and their impact on the **industrial heart** of Europe [bn GVA]¹⁾



Automotive
140



Aerospace
& aviation
35



Chemicals
124



Electrical
engineering
87



Medical
technology
43



Logistics
271



Mechanical & plant
engineering ²⁾
299

1) GVA = Gross value added, 2013, EU-15 states plus Norway, Turkey 2) Including energy systems



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ICT



Europe in its way to digitization to strengthen its competitiveness, as recently re-enforced by the European Commission Communication to the European Parliament on *'Digitizing European Industry - Reaping the full benefits of a Digital Single Market'*

Chemical Industry

- For decades the chemical industry has made extensive use of ICT systems throughout its value chain, from logistics, to modeling, design, control, monitoring and repair
- In addition, the chemical industry is a key provider of materials and technologies that form the basis for many ICT solutions

SusChem SIRA

- Chemical Plant of the Future
- Smart Chemical Processes (batch-to- continuous/intensified processing)
- Energy Efficiency in the Chemical Industry
- Industrial Symbiosis
- Smart Materials (enabling ICT)





ICT: SusChem Actions



SusChem achievements in 2016:

Launch new ICT 'Task Force' with industry/academia experts from the chemical sector to:

- ✓ Exchange on 'Process Control and Digitization' topics at a European level and to build a strong base for future projects and collaborations
- ✓ Define and prioritize H2020 (2018-2020) innovation priorities reflecting needs and areas of common interest in our sector
- ✓ Built base for exchange with other process industries sectors, e.g. *ESTEP's I2M Working Group* or for input to the European Commission

First ICT workshop in Brussels organized by SusChem in March with
18 participants from 10 companies + several experts from **RTOs/Universities**



Innovation Priorities: 'Towards Cognitive Plants'

- Plants are interconnected by several carriers of energy and of various intermediates and should be operated in a way to make the best possible use of energy, materials, and by-products reaching highest quality output, uptime and safety
- Data are useful asset to plant operators who should be informed - in real-time
- Model-based solutions will play a crucial role

R&I needs:

- Reliable sensors for continuous and batch processes (materials, energy, plant condition)
- Combining rigorous models and data analytics (=>high performance computing) to enable cyber-physical systems to do the plant control, e.g. recognition of unusual situations in complex plants, proposal of adequate measures, monitoring of environmental KPIs, including retrofit of 'brownfield' assets
- Humans in the loop - what is the role of humans in the operation of plants in the process industries, how can their knowledge and experience be optimally combined with advanced control algorithms and optimization



Innovation Priorities: ‘Digital Supply Chain and Business Models’

- Digital support to support physical customer support, digital customer solution design, link of ICT systems down the value chain
- Optimization of supply chains

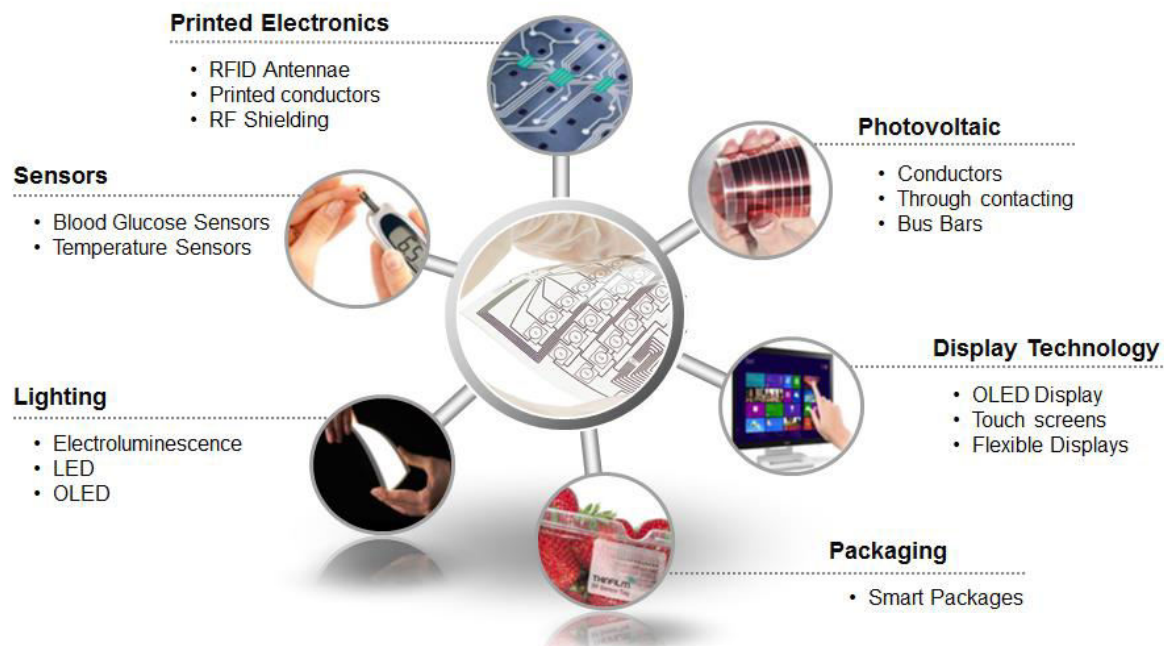
Innovation Priorities ‘Materials Modeling’

- Example from *Catalyst Working Group*: Development of computational modeling methods for rational development of catalytic materials, catalyst by design, molecular simulation and experimentation, including high performance computing and simulation algorithms



Innovation Priorities: 'Materials for ICT'

- New materials enable smarter and more sustainable production of electronic devices with higher performance (less manufacturing steps, less water, less energy etc.)



- SusChem priorities in this field will be further aligned with a materials strategy



Closing the loop & Next Steps

- The chemical industry uses more and more digital innovations
- Smart materials developed by our sector enable new, more sustainable and higher performing ICT developments
- ✓ SusChem will continue to provide input for H2020 programmes (SPIRE, FoF etc.) and continue to built an platform for exchange on priorities
- ✓ It also will support the exchange between our industry and the European Commission on 'Digitization' topics

The background is a vibrant green with a fine, pebbled texture. Several water droplets of varying sizes are scattered across the surface, each reflecting light. A large, teardrop-shaped droplet is the central focus, containing a detailed image of a waterfall cascading over rocks. The overall composition is clean and nature-inspired, emphasizing water and greenery.

Water Innovation Priorities

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Water

- *A colourless, transparent, odourless, liquid which forms the seas, lakes, rivers, and rain and is the basis of the fluids of living organisms**

Chemical Industry

- Water use (cooling, washing, diluting, transporting, ...)
 - Water management solutions (membranes, treatment, ...)
- Quantity
Quality

SusChem SIRA: *Water is a scarce resource*

- Water Conservation, Recycling and Reuse
 - Water Treatment and Recovery
 - Water and Energy Efficiency (Nexus)
 - Water Supply



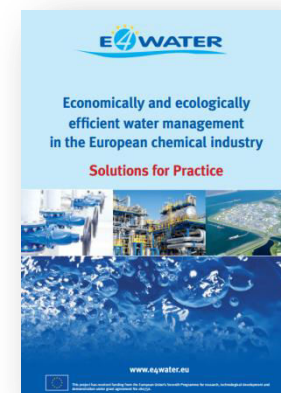
* Definition from Oxford Dictionaries



Water: EU Agenda

- **EIP Water**: Strategic Implementation Plan (SIP) 2013
 - Reuse, Recycling, Waste Water Treatment, Recovery of Resources, Water-Energy Nexus, Flood & Drought Risk Management, Ecosystem Services
- Horizon 2002 “Water” innovation project calls
 - 2014 & 2015 **11** calls
 - 2016 & 2017 **5** calls
 - **SPIRE 01-2016 & SPIRE 12-2017**: Efficient water use, adoption of processes and water re-use
 - **CIRC 02 2016-2017**: Business models & partnerships along the water value chain
 - **PILOT 02-2016 & PILOTS 03-2017**: Water treatment pilot opportunities
 - 2018 -2020 **?** calls

- **E4WATER** FP7 funded project *Shows the way* (2012-2016)
 - Integrated approach efficient & sustainable water management Chemical Industry
 - ✓ Reduction of 20-40% in water use All 6 pilots
 - ✓ 30-70% in wastewater production Close Loops, Symbiosis
 - ✓ 15-40% reduction in energy use All 6 pilots
 - 60% direct economic benefits All 6 industrial case study sites

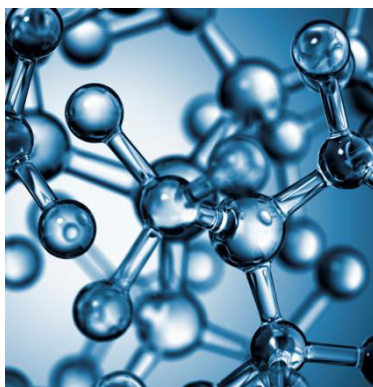
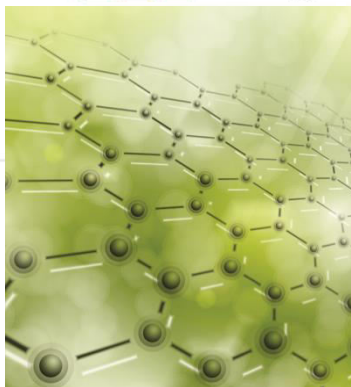




Water: SusChem Innovation Agenda and Priorities

- Industry Working Group
 - Participants: 6 companies
 - Peer Group: 5 companies
- 2018-2020 Innovation Priorities
 - **> Sources of Water** Desalination, Re-use, Rainwater, Condensation
 - **Treatment, Re-use, Recovery** Additives, removal, Specific selectivity, Membranes
 - **Process & Analysis Close Loop** SMART & Online Analysis, Process dev. & dosing
 - **Water Distribution Systems** Retrofit leak repair and maintenance
 - **Water – Energy Nexus** Low energy waste water treatment,
Recovery of low energy from water loops,
Low water consuming processes (eg. BioTech)
- Impact: *De-coupling of growth in economic activity and actual water use*

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