

# MODULE IV

## From Cosmos to Earth – Financing Opportunities



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# *A NEW EUROPEAN* **INNOVATION AGENDA**

## **Regional Innovation Valleys**

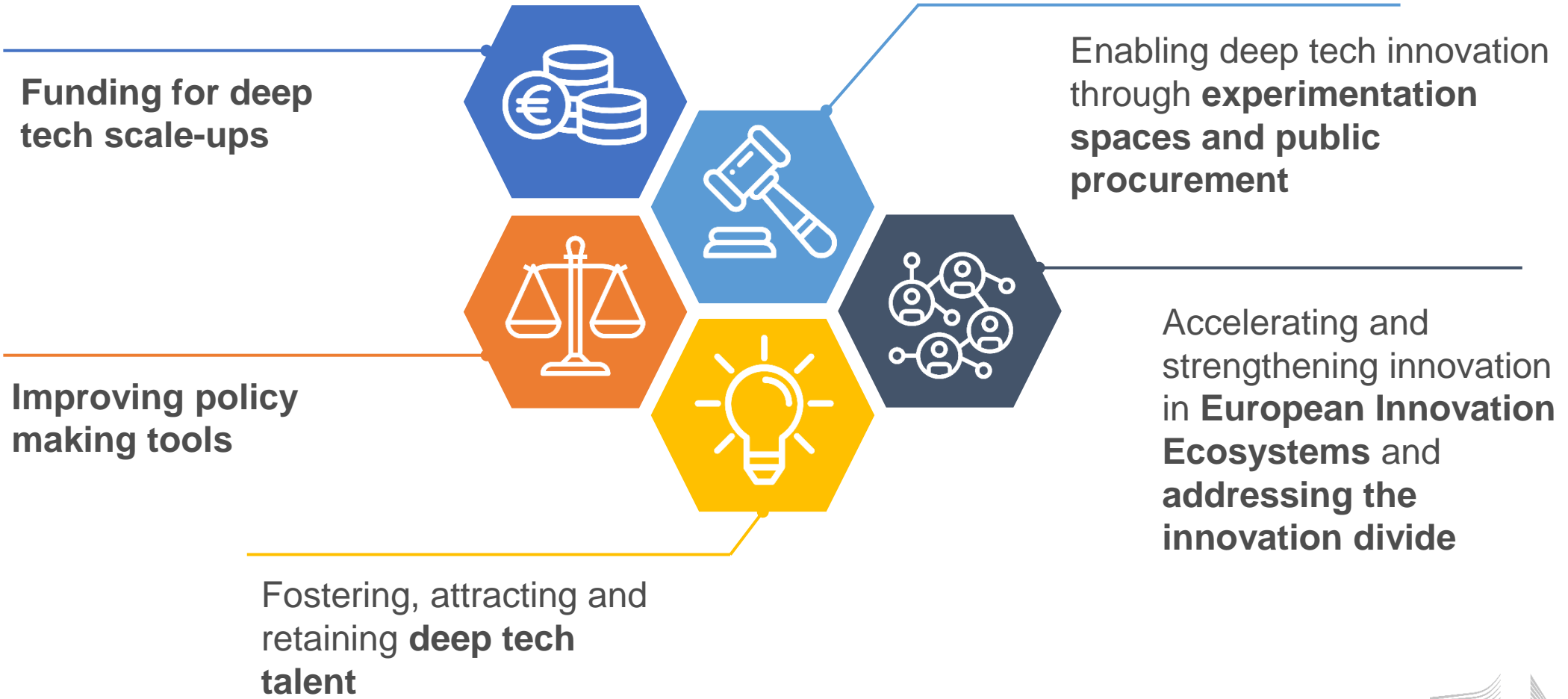
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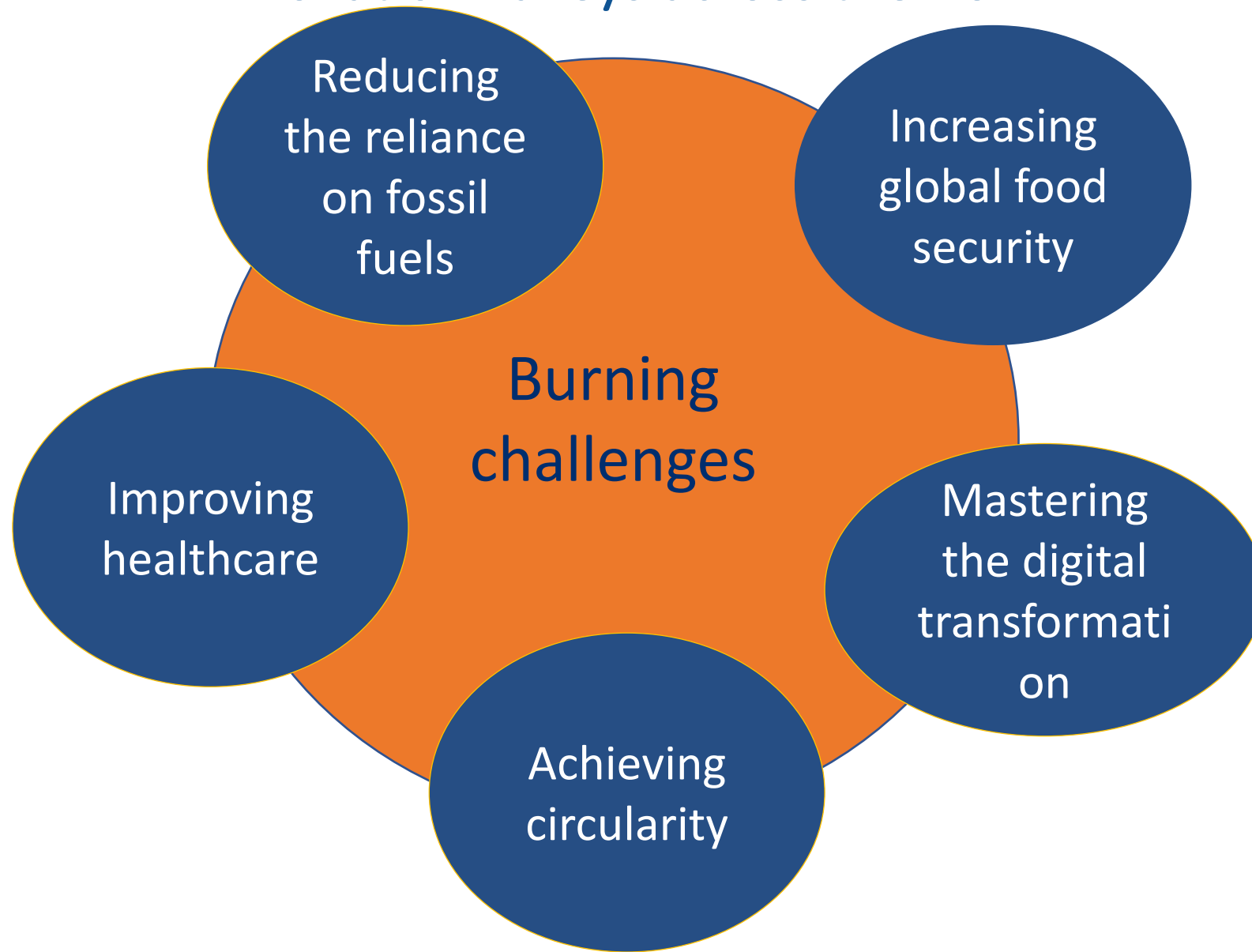
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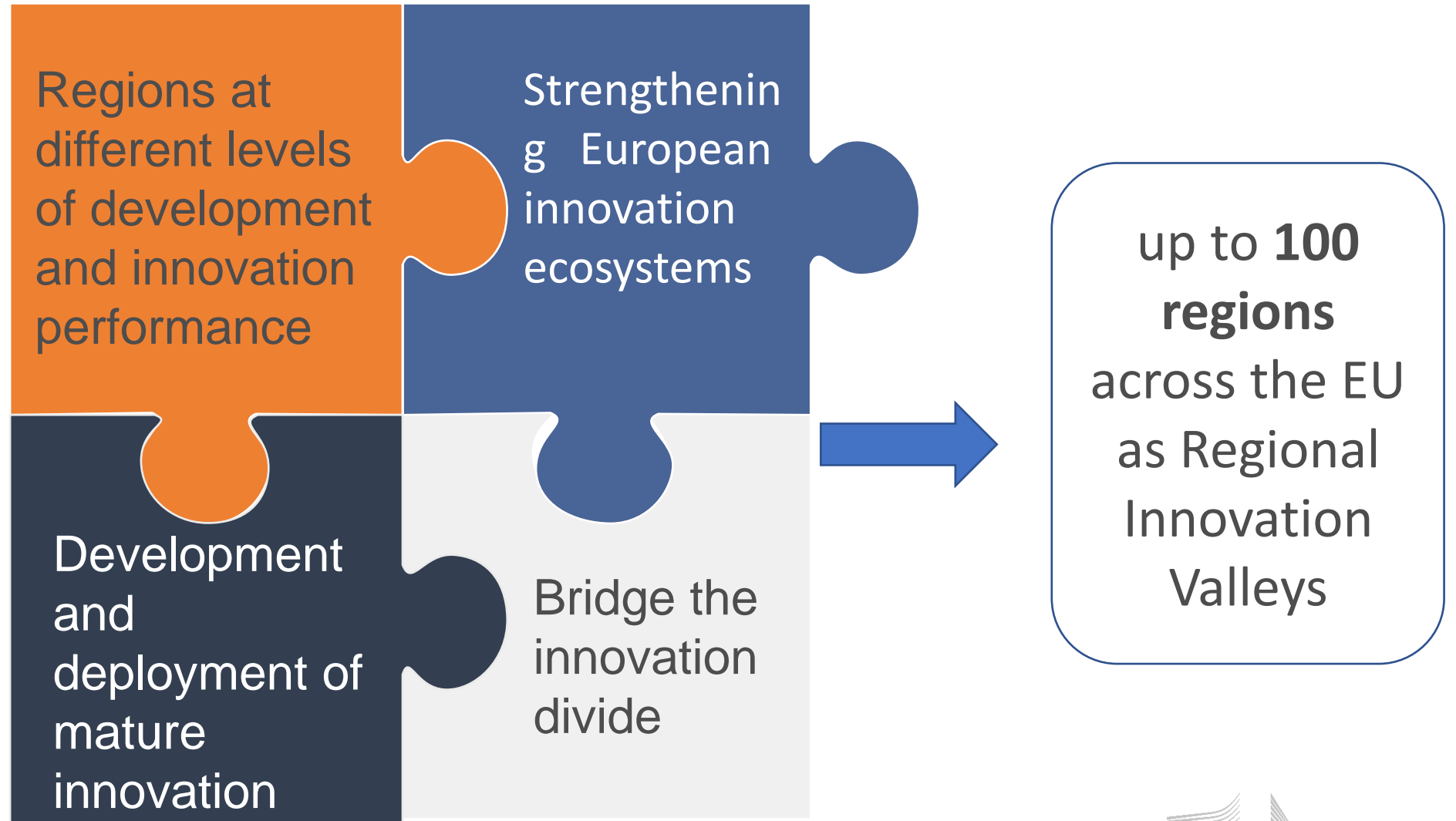
# New European Innovation Agenda: 5 flagships, 25 actions



# New European Innovation Agenda: Fostering connected regional innovation valleys across the EU

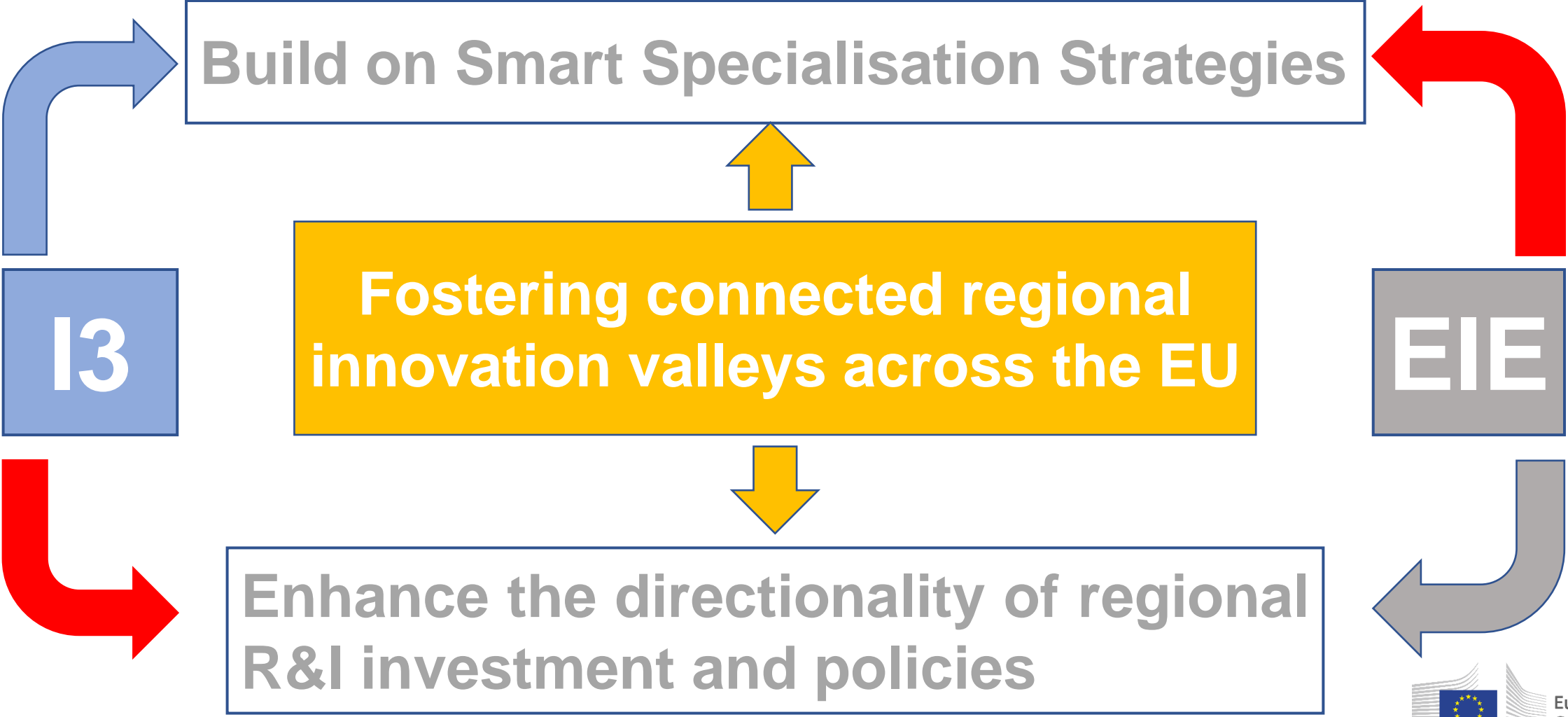


# Regional Innovation Valleys framework



# New European Innovation Agenda – Flagship 3

Cohesion and R&I policy tackle the innovation divide

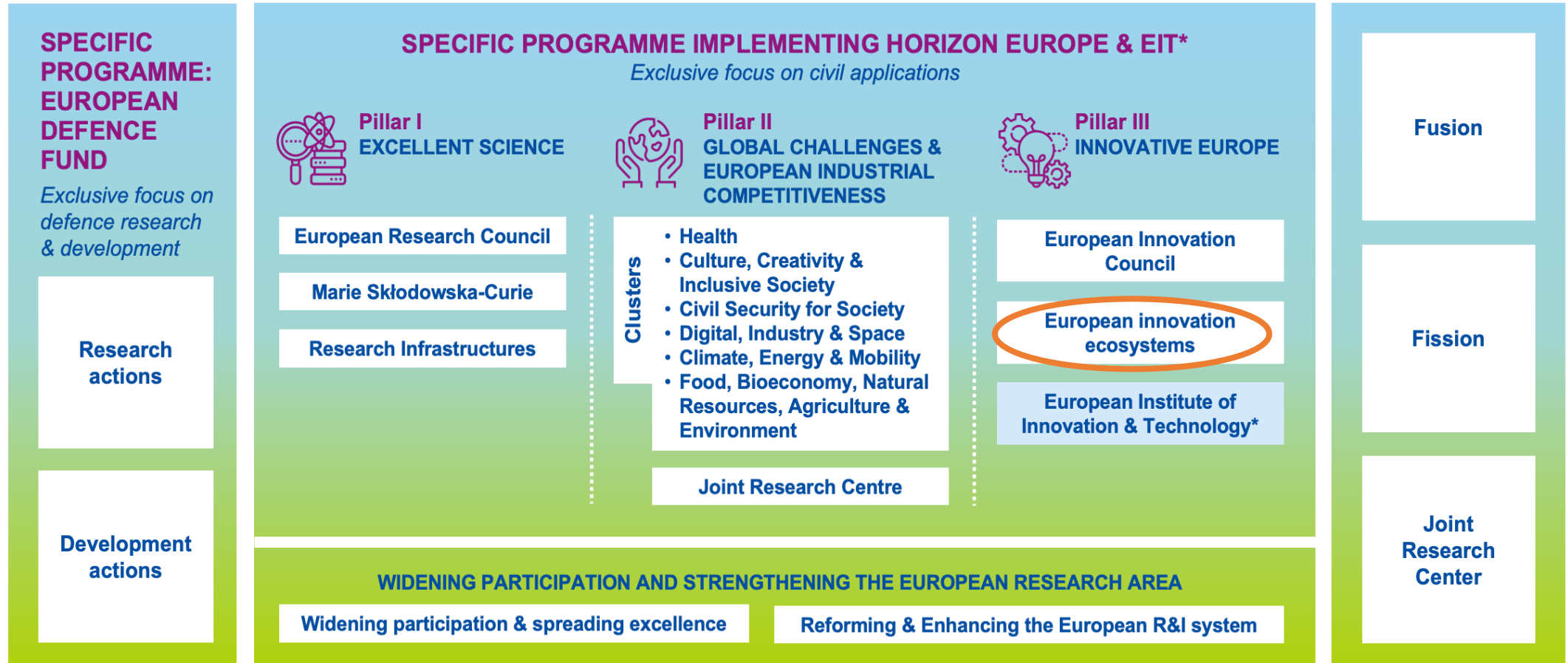




# European Innovation Ecosystems in Horizon Europe

## HORIZON EUROPE

## EURATOM



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# Interconnected Innovation Ecosystems

## HORIZON-EIE-2023/2024

- CONNECT-01-01: Organisation of the **Women TechEU Scheme**
- CONNECT-01-02: **Preparatory action** for setting up joint programmes among innovation ecosystems actors
- CONNECT-02-01: Stimulating **Experimentation Practices**
- CONNECT-02-02: Specialist Advisory Services to build capacities on **innovation procurement**
- CONNECT-03-01: Implementing co-funded action plans for connected **regional innovation valleys**
- HORIZON-EIE-2024-CONNECT-01-01: The **African Union-European Union Innovation Platform**
- HORIZON-EIE-2024-CONNECT-01-02: **Startup Europe**
- HORIZON-EIE-2024-CONNECT-02-01: Expanding **Academia-Enterprise Collaborations**
- HORIZON-EIE-2024-CONNECT-02-02: Mutual learning and support scheme for national and **regional innovation** programmes





## Regional Innovation Valleys



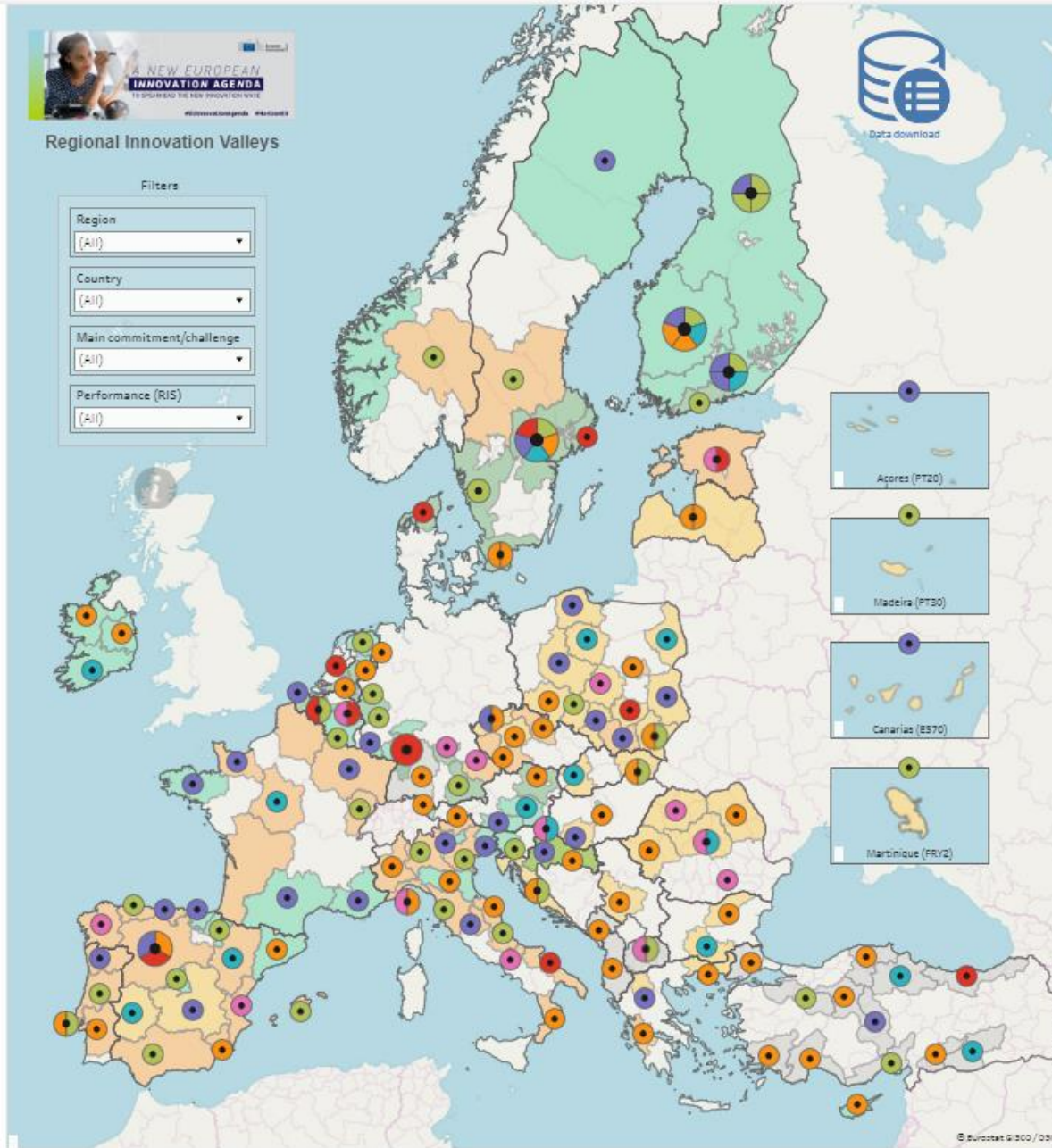
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Background legend: Regional Innovation Scoreboard (RIS) 2023, performance categories by NUTS regions

■ Innovation leader    ■ Strong innovator    ■ Moderate innovator    ■ Emerging innovator    ■ Not applicable

Object legend: Main commitment/challenge stated by applicants in Regional Innovation Valley survey (July - August 2023)

■ Achieving circularity    ■ Mastering the digital transformation    ■ Reducing the reliance on fossil fuels  
■ Increasing global food security    ■ Improving healthcare    ■ Other areas



# Thank you! Any questions?

[New European Innovation Agenda roadmap \(europa.eu\)](https://europea.eu)

[Interregional Innovation Investments \(I3\) Instrument](#)

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