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Overview



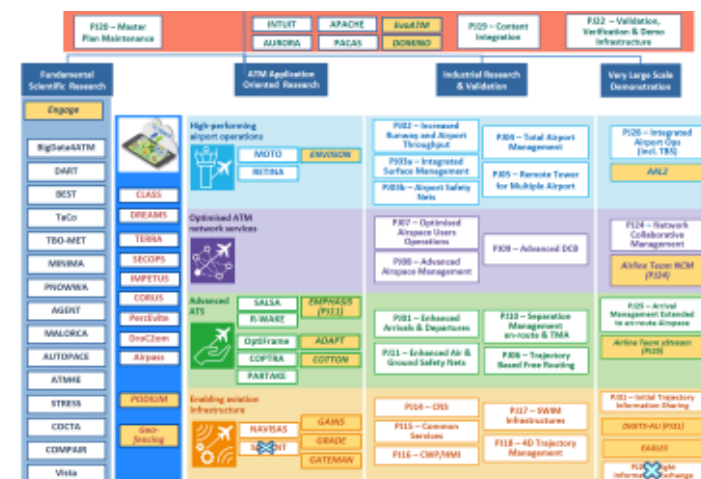
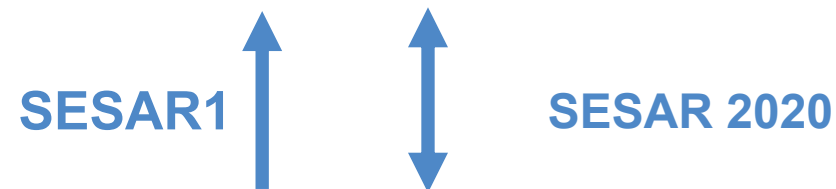
- Background (three aligned perspectives)
- Objectives
- The bigger picture
- The smaller picture
- Wrap-up and next steps (1640ish)

Background

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SJU perspective

- SESAR1
 - 100% bottom-up, from projects to MP
- SESAR 2020
 - bottom-up and top-down
- Initially ER 'performance projects' and PJ.19-04; widened ...
- Planning underway from Sept. 2017
- Already an achievement



Background

SESAR 2020 Scientific Committee, Task Force 3

- First meeting 14-15FEB17
- 10 members, plus observers from ECTL, PC and DG MOVE
- Task Force 3: Performance Measurement
- Focus on horizon scanning (e.g. defining new indicator requirements beyond 2035) and refining/repairing existing indicators



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SESAR 2020 Scientific Committee, Task Force 3

- Objectives
 - identify key challenges in performance measurement in wider context of air transport, especially regarding **missing indicators for future system**
 - establish performance measurement '**scoping framework**' to capture state of the art re. existing & new indicator development
 - use scoping framework to inform the **Scientific Research Agenda TF**
 - select indicators for future work; identify initial solutions for developing missing indicators, outlining specifications for **potential further research**
- Wider context of 'scoping framework': horizontally (beyond vertically (including the intermodal context))
- Differentiation from PJ.19-04 "performance framework"
 - activities complementary & mutually aligned



• Very much in listening mode today

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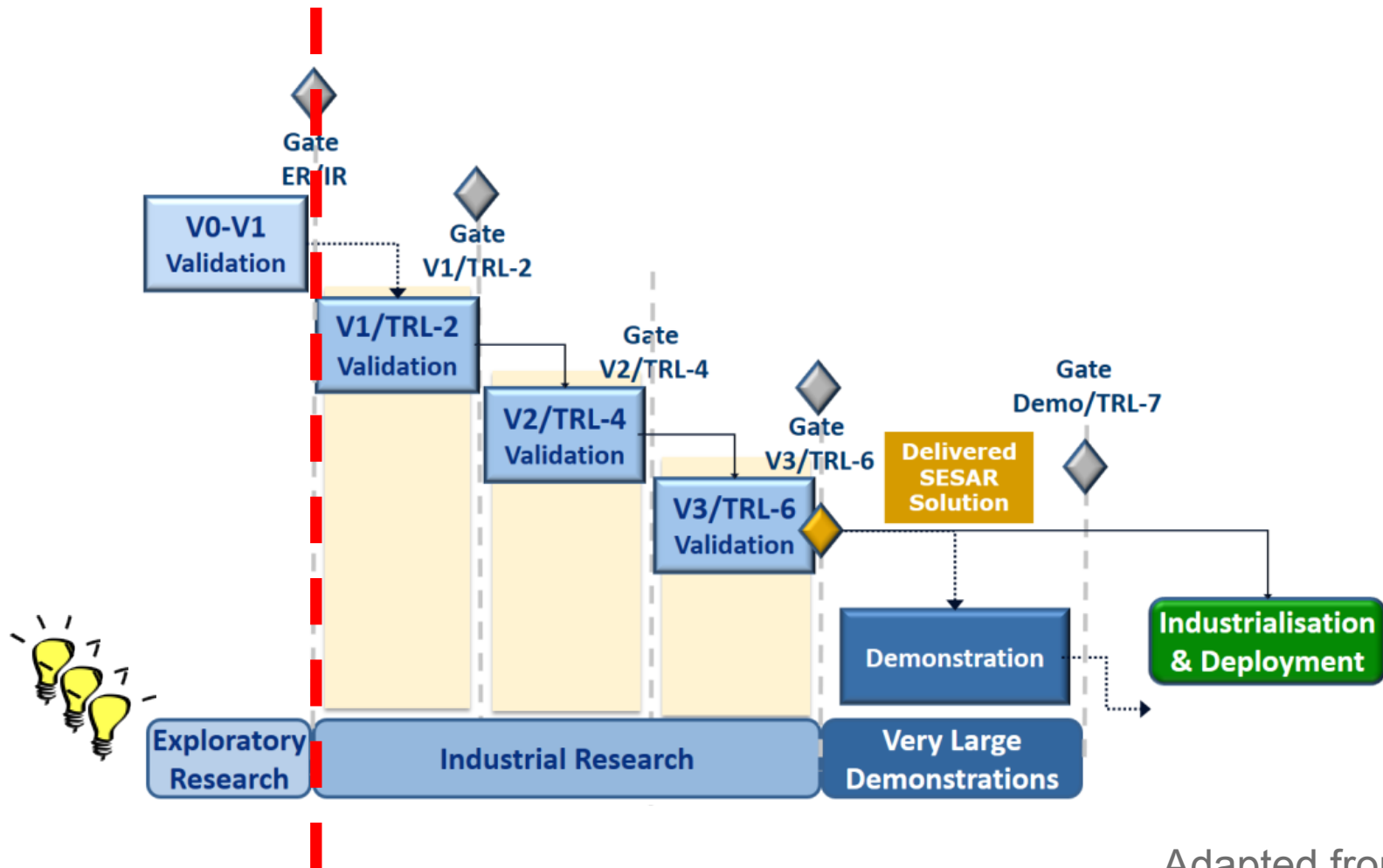
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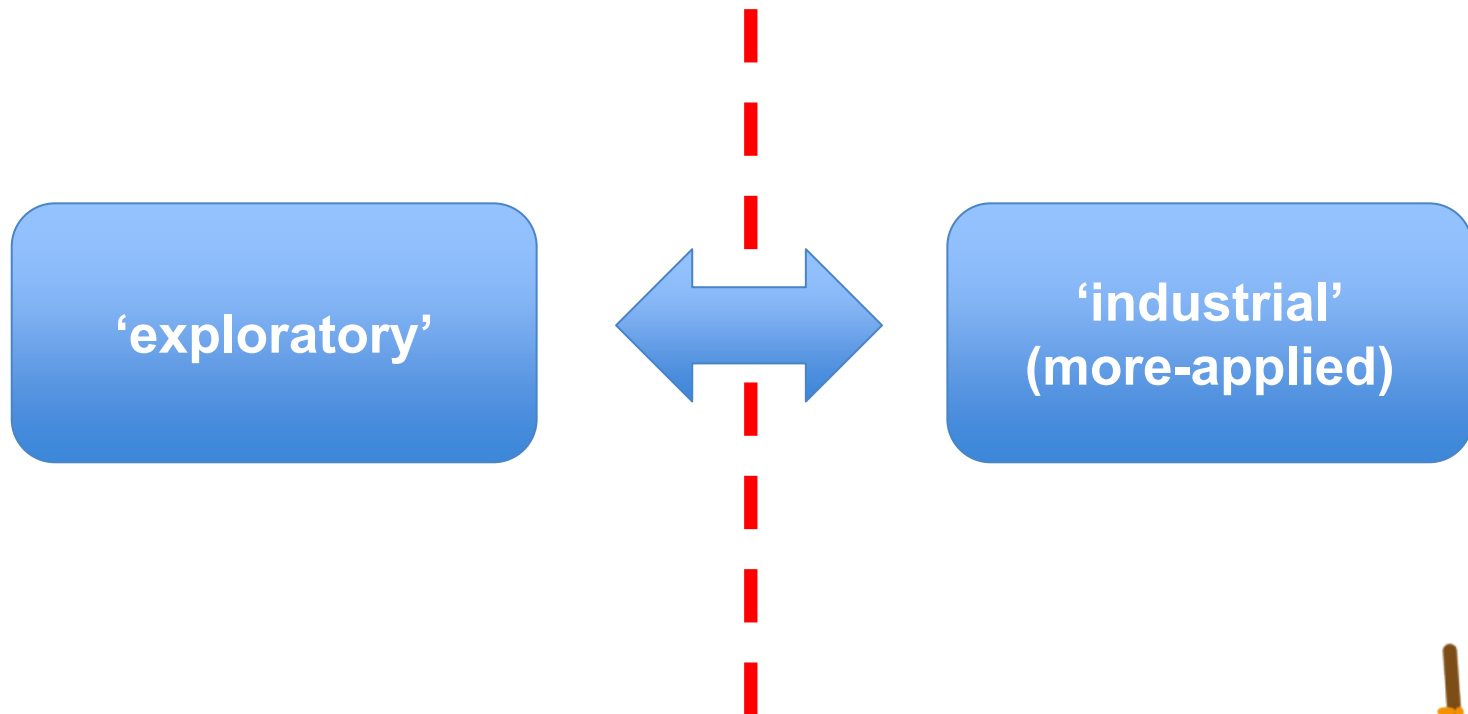
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Adapted from SJU (2018)

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Brick wall? Conspiracy?
Mechanism & motivation ... dialogue



Objectives

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Agenda (1/2)

- Increase awareness of ER projects working on performance
 - exchange of materials, slides this morning
- Discuss issues and needs related to evolution of the performance framework to ensure alignment with **stakeholder expectations**, future policy objectives, and development of (e.g. decision-support) tools
 - initiated by presentation from PJ.19-04
 - interactive sessions this afternoon (**stakeholder focus**)
- Identify potential direct uptake by PJ.19-04 of results (e.g. KPIs, open models, datasets, tools, etc.) from ER performance projects
 - interactive sessions this afternoon
 - not constrained by funding and time just yet – focus on *what*
 - budgets etc. in follow-up
(indicative funding in a moment)

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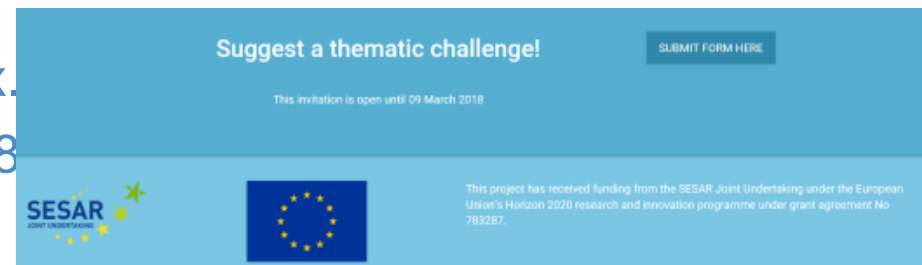
Agenda (2/2)

- How to exploit results of ER performance projects in Wave 2
 - wider perspective than PJ.19-04 (unconstrained brainstorming)
 - 'barriers and enablers' in ER slides
- Identify research needs that could be addressed by ER4 projects to:
 - (i) drive evolution of performance f'work: better aligned stakeholders' expectations
 - (ii) support gaps identified by PJ.19-04 where further support beneficial
 - push-pull, dialogue
 - mutual complementarity
- 3-hour session this afternoon
 - planned scope for ample dialogue and debate
 - something to add? (cookaj@westminster.ac.uk)
 - next steps

Objectives

Forthcoming funding

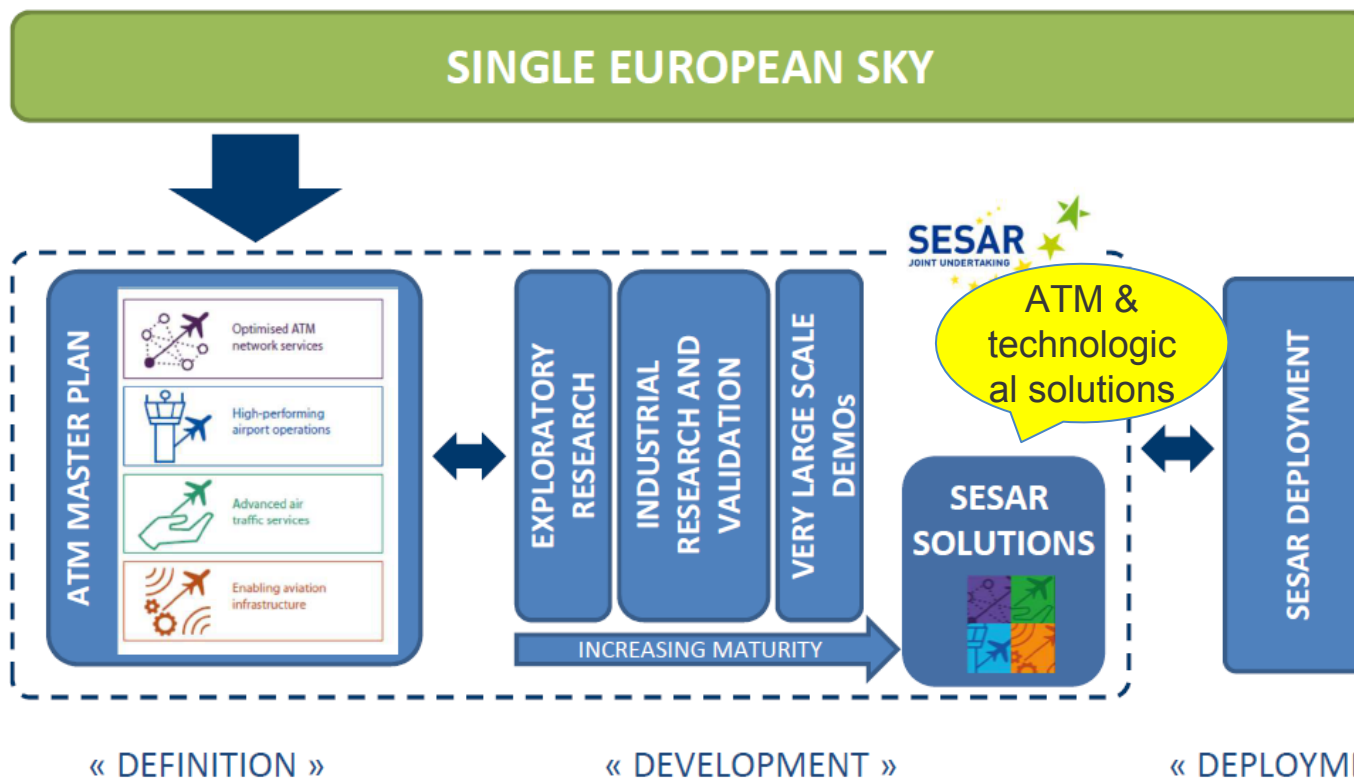
- ER4
 - expected call: Q1 2019
 - expected start: early 2020
 - overall planned budget: appx. €40M
 - budget per project? – views today; exploiting ER in Wave 2 (previous ER contributions: typically €600k-1M)
- Engage KTN
 - catalyst funding, 16 (appx.)
 - first call: (appx.) Oct. 2018
 - up to €60k, 'light touch'
 - submit your 'thematic challenge' ideas by 09 March!



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The bigger picture

Bigger picture



D. Bowen, SESAR update (2018)

The bigger picture

Innovation Investment Package

Ten partnerships with the industry and Member States were proposed as part of the Innovation Investment Package, and one more followed. The EU's contribution of €9 billion to the package will unlock a €10 billion investment from the private sector and €4 billion from Member States.

Public-Private Partnerships

Most of the funding will go to Joint Technology Initiatives (JTIs). These are run as Joint Undertakings that organise their own research agenda and award funding for projects on the basis of open calls.

The new Joint Technology Initiatives are active in a number of areas of strategic importance for the EU:

- **Innovative Medicines 2 (IMI2):** to develop next generation vaccines, medicines and treatments, such as new antibiotics ([website](#) | [factsheet](#))
- **Fuel Cells and Hydrogen 2 (FCH2):** to accelerate market introduction of clean and efficient technologies in energy and transport ([website](#) | [factsheet](#))
- **Clean Sky 2 (CS2):** to develop cleaner, quieter aircraft with significantly less CO2 emissions ([website](#) | [factsheet](#))
- **Bio-based Industries (BBI):** to use renewable natural resources and innovative technologies for greener everyday products ([website](#) | [factsheet](#))
- **Electronic Components and Systems for European Leadership (ECSEL):** to boost Europe's electronics manufacturing capabilities ([website](#) | [factsheet](#))
- **Shift2Rail:** to develop better trains and railway infrastructure that will drastically reduce costs and improve capacity, reliability and punctuality ([website](#) | [factsheet](#))

A related type of initiative is

- **Single European Sky ATM Research (SESAR) 2020:** to develop the new generation of European Air Traffic Management system that will enhance the performance of air transport ([website](#) | [factsheet](#))



Horizon 2020

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With funding totalling €2.4 billion since 2007, European [#cancer](#) research has been leading personalised medicine efforts on understanding cancer biology as well as better prevention, treatment & care solutions [#WorldCancerDay](#) [#InvestEUresearch](#) [EU](#) [#EUHealthResearch](#) [twitter.com/EU_H2020](#) /statu...

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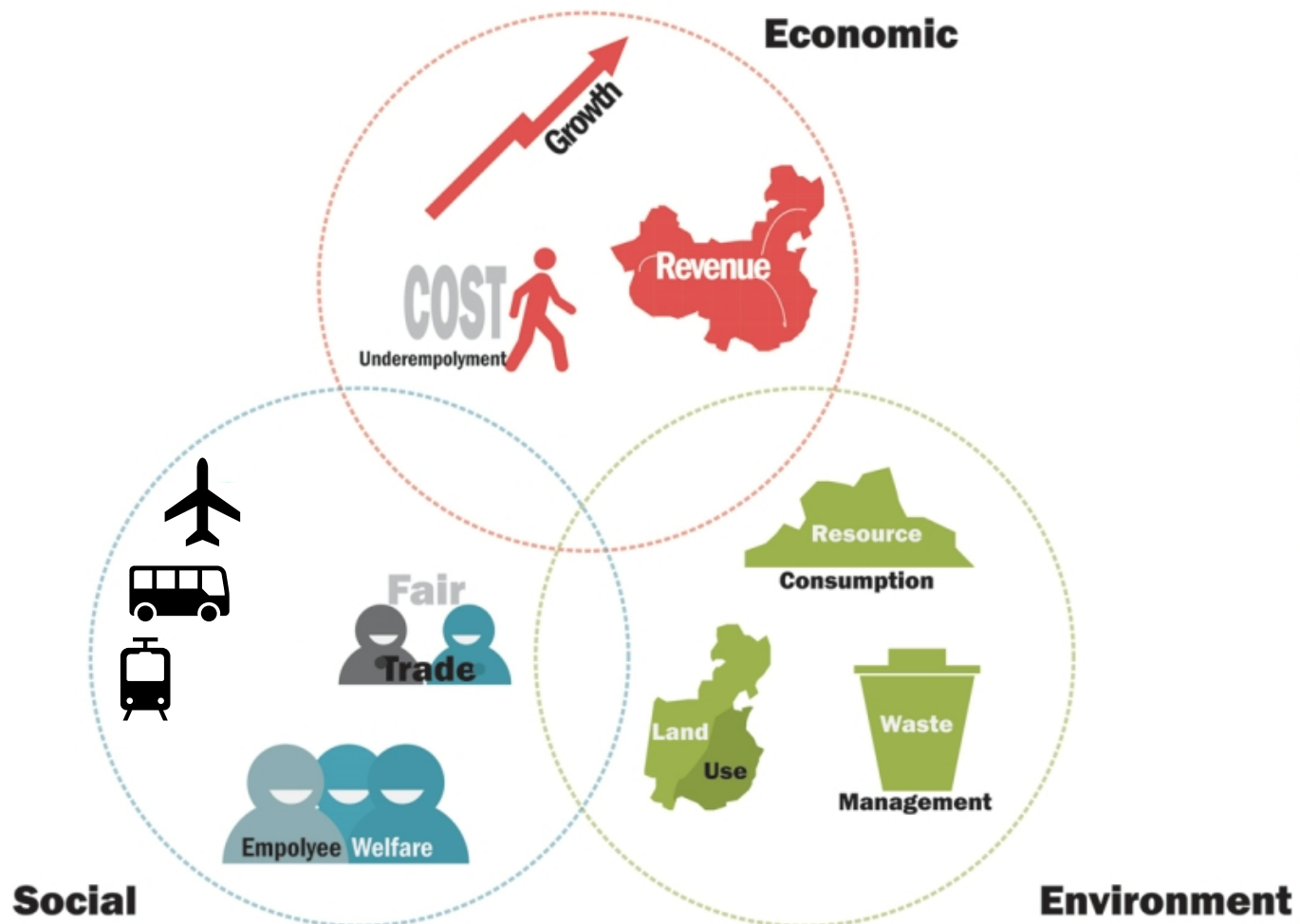
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Applicants will find ample funding opportunities

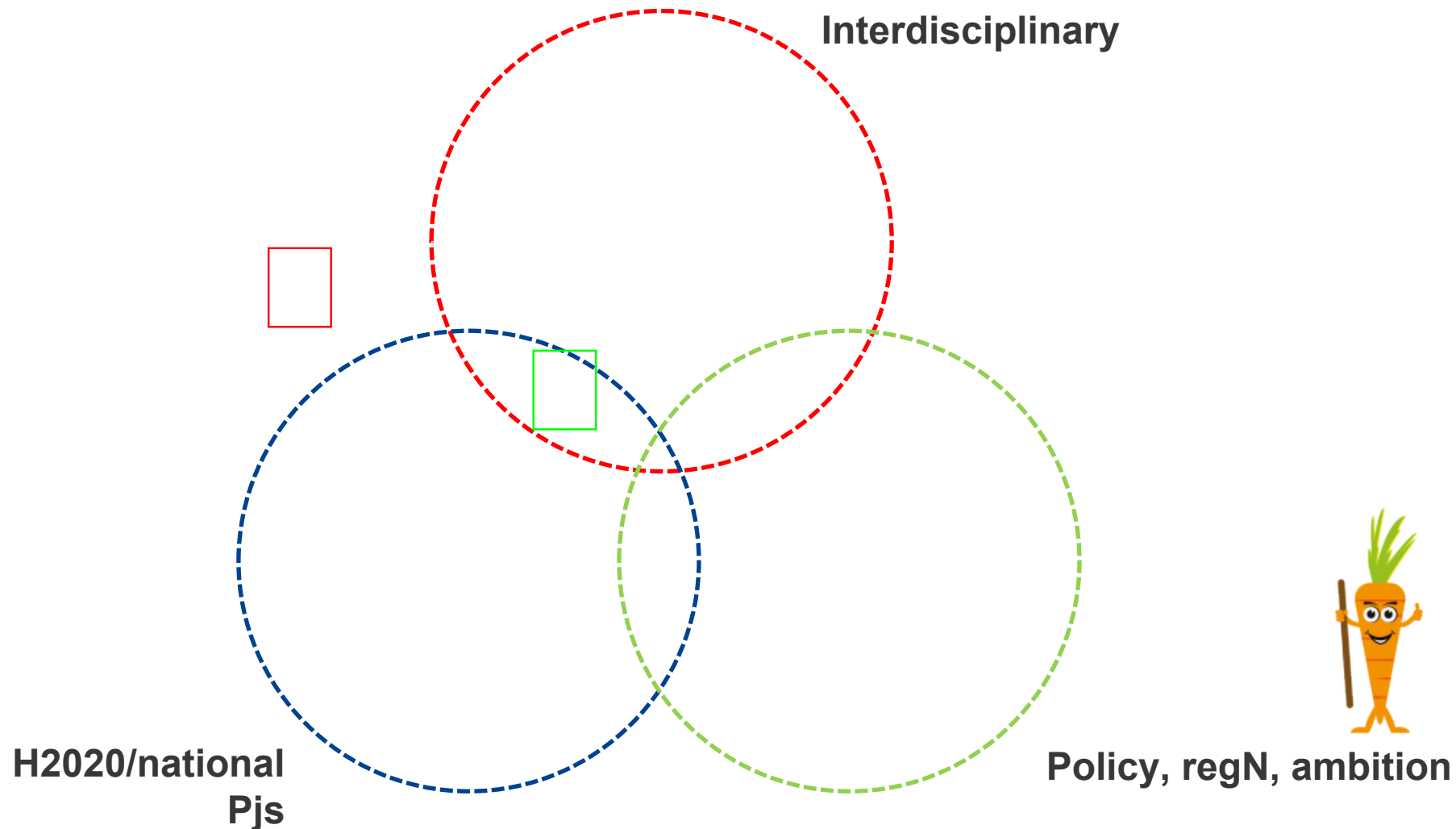
The bigger picture

Triple bottom line approach



The bigger picture

Complementarity and gaps



The smaller picture

The smaller picture

Planning for this afternoon

- Please note your stakeholder group
 - stars (*) and hats (^)
 - please bear in mind during the presentations
 - room allocations
 - each group will need a spokesperson (*) and a timekeeper (^?)
- We will reconvene in Beluga, after lunch, for a briefing
 - then disperse into the breakout groups
- *Please* do try to get back from lunch promptly – thank you!

Over to Jose Manuel ...

Wrap-up and next steps

Next steps

This was just the start ...

- Write up results of today (including discussions this morning)
- Add a brief synthesis of the slides (action points and ideas)
- SC and SJU to discuss best way(s) forward and identify actions
- Will be considered in planning for ER4
- Please e-mail me if you think of anything (polite!) on way



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Thank you *very much!*



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SESAR call TRLs



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The level of achievement and consequent maturity at each level is described below:

Exploratory Research covers:

Pre-TRL1 Scientific Research: Fundamental exploratory research investigating relevant scientific subjects and conducting feasibility studies looking for potential application areas in ATM, concentrating both on out-reach to other disciplines as well as educating within.

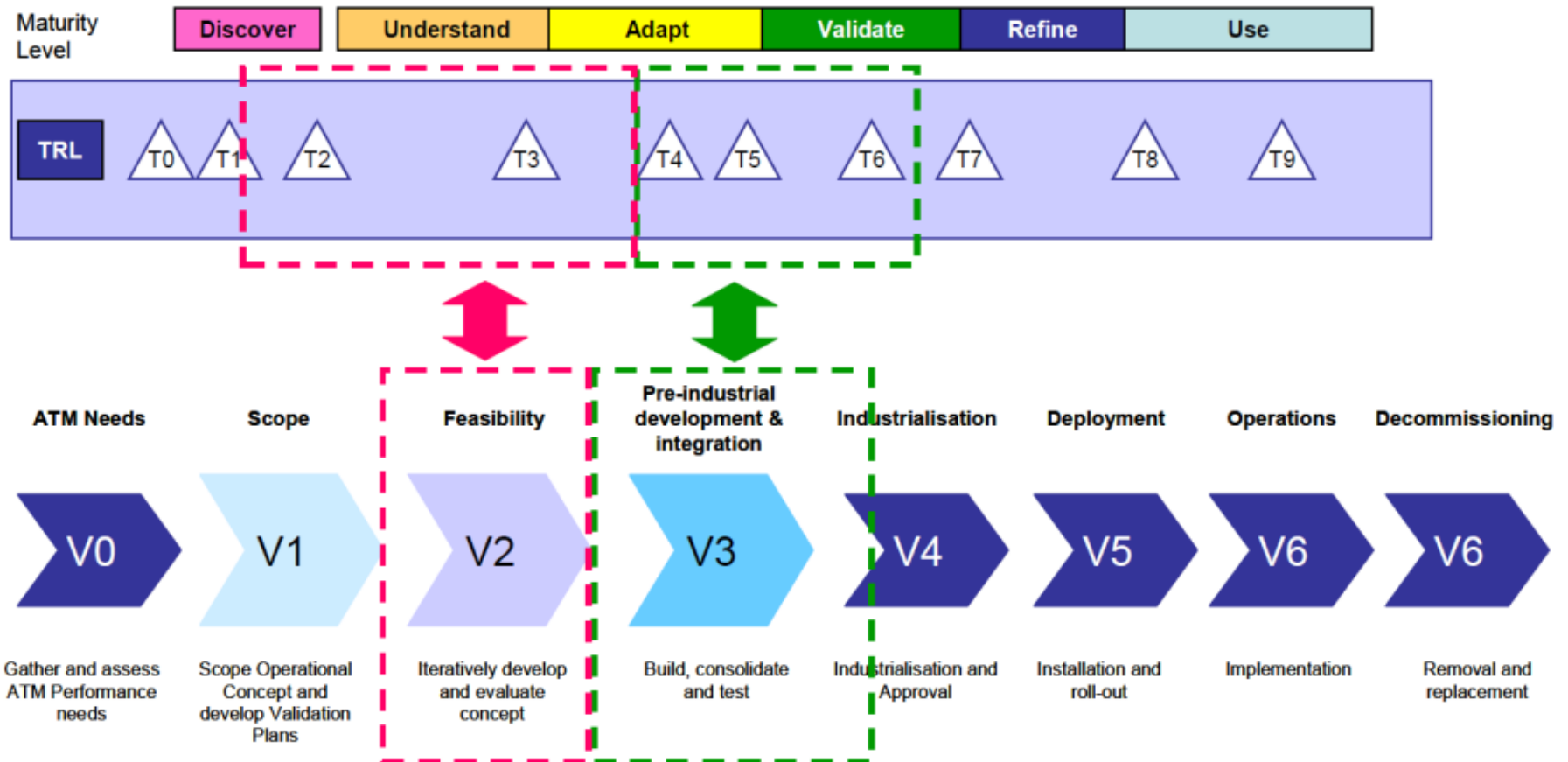
TRL 1 Basic principles observed and reported: Exploring the transition from scientific research to applied research by bringing together a wide range of stakeholders to investigate the essential characteristics and behaviours of applications, systems and architectures. Descriptive tools are mathematical formulations or algorithms.

TRL 2 Technology concept and/or application formulated: Applied research. Theory and scientific principles are focused on very specific application area(s) to perform the analysis to define the concept. Characteristics of the application are described. Analytical tools are developed for simulation or analysis of the application.

Industrial Research & Validation (outside the scope of this Call) covers:

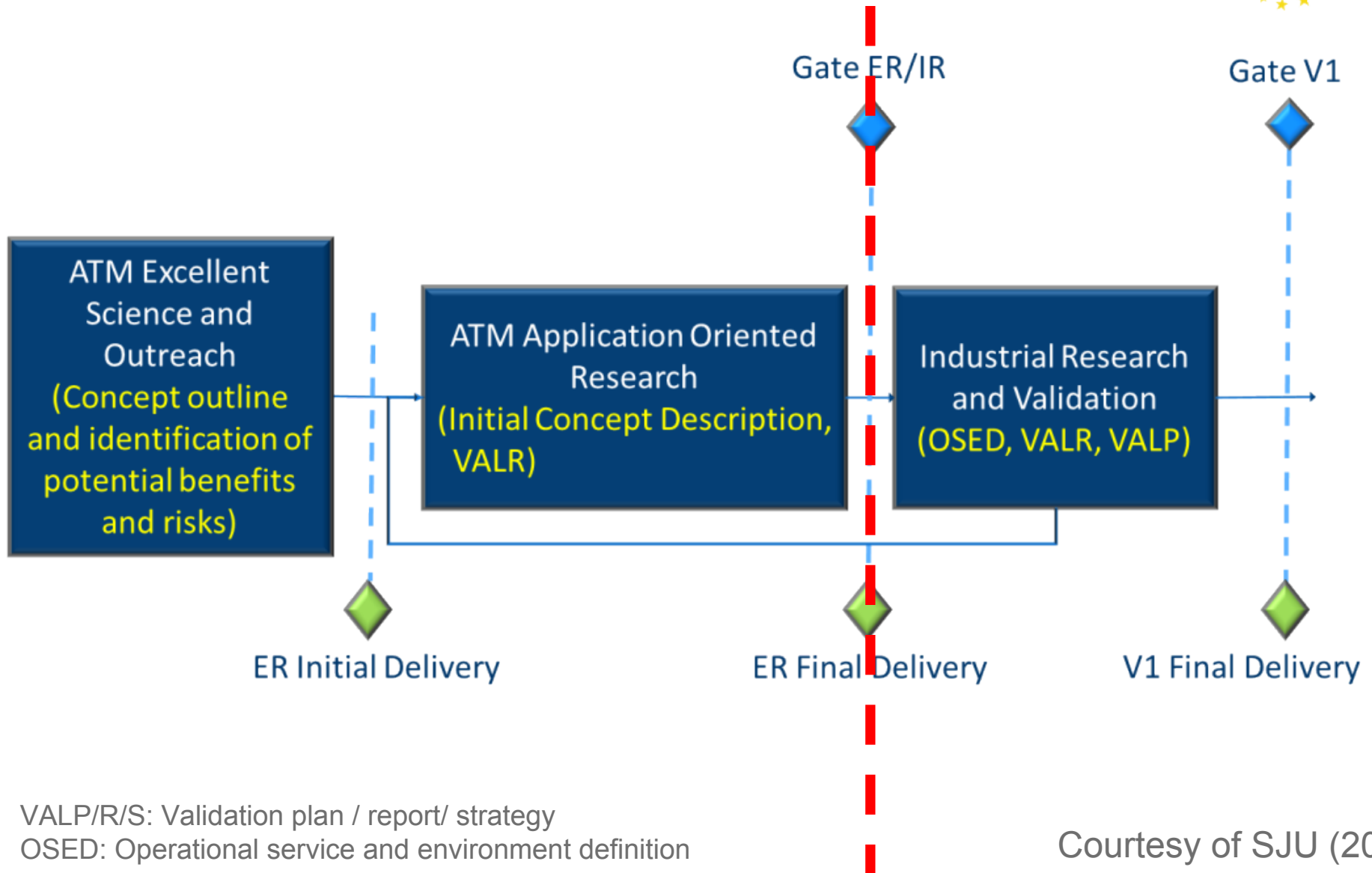
TRL 3 Analytical and experimental critical function and/or characteristic proof-of-concept: Proof of concept validation. Active Research and Development (R&D) is initiated with analytical and laboratory studies including verification of technical feasibility using early prototype implementations that are exercised with representative data.

V 1.1 dated 24 March 2015



Source: European Operational Concept Validation Methodology Version 3.0, Volume II Annexes, EUROCONTROL

ER reviews & gates



VALP/R/S: Validation plan / report/ strategy

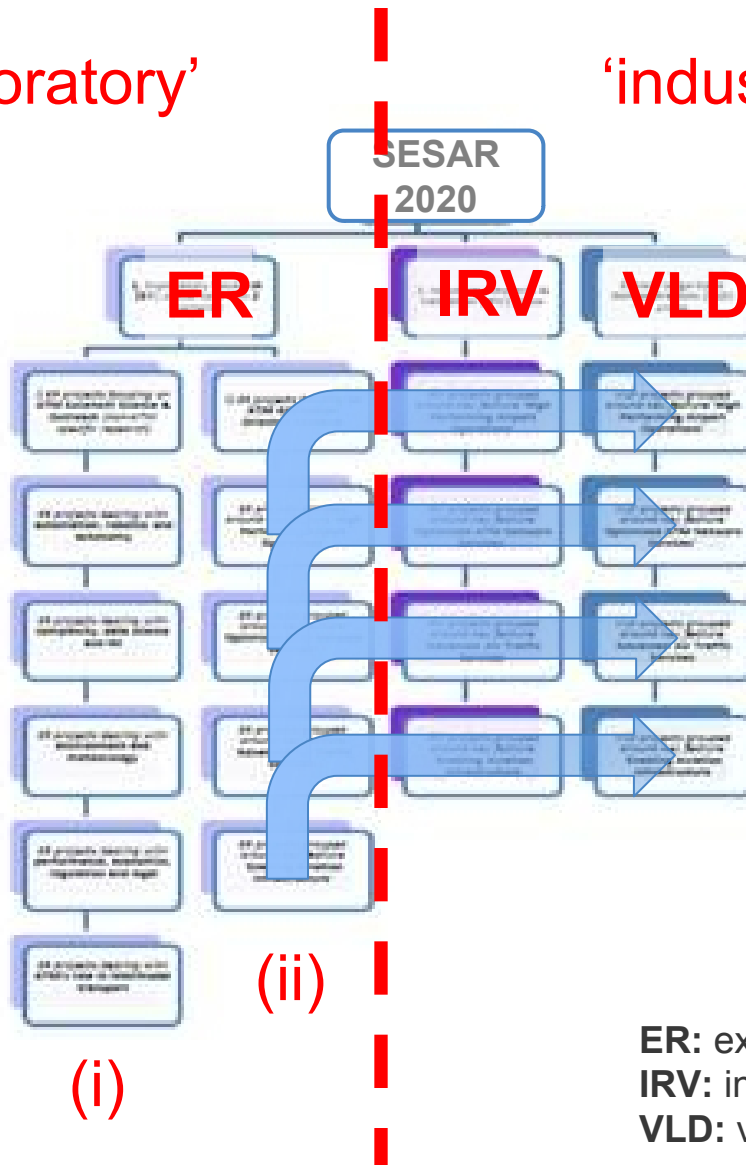
OSED: Operational service and environment definition

Courtesy of SJU (2018)

AWP 2016

‘exploratory’

‘industrial’



Exploratory research area

(i) Excellent science & outreach

Automation, robotics and autonomy

Complexity, data science and Information Management

Environment and meteorology

Performance, economics, regulation and legal

ATM's role in intermodal transport

(ii) Application-oriented research

High performing airport operations

Optimised ATM network services

Advanced air traffic services

Enabling aviation infrastructure

ER: exploratory research

IRV: industrial research and validation (‘Wave 2’)

VLD: very large-scale demonstrations

SESAR AWP 2016 (2015)