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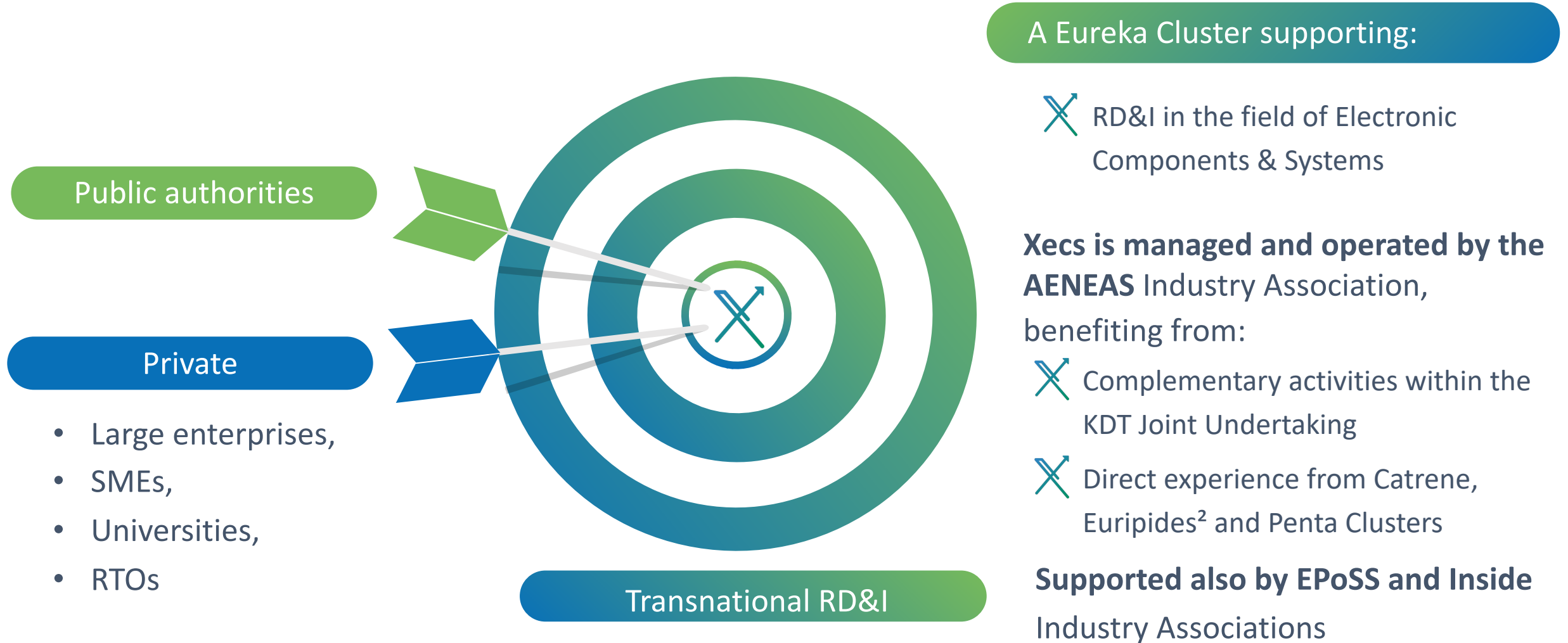
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Xecs - A Eureka Cluster



What is Σ eureka ?

The world's biggest public network for international cooperation in RD&I, present in over 45 countries.

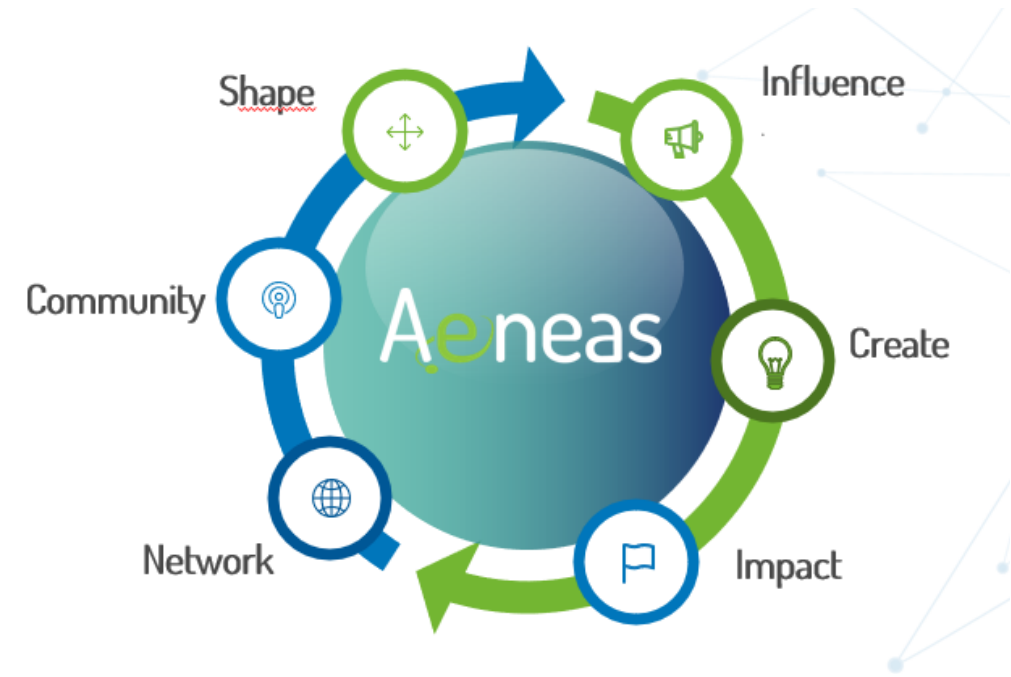
Mainly European, but also including
Canada, Israel, Singapore, South Africa and South Korea

Intergovernmental organisation for market-driven industrial RD&I aiming to boost the productivity & competitiveness of European industries



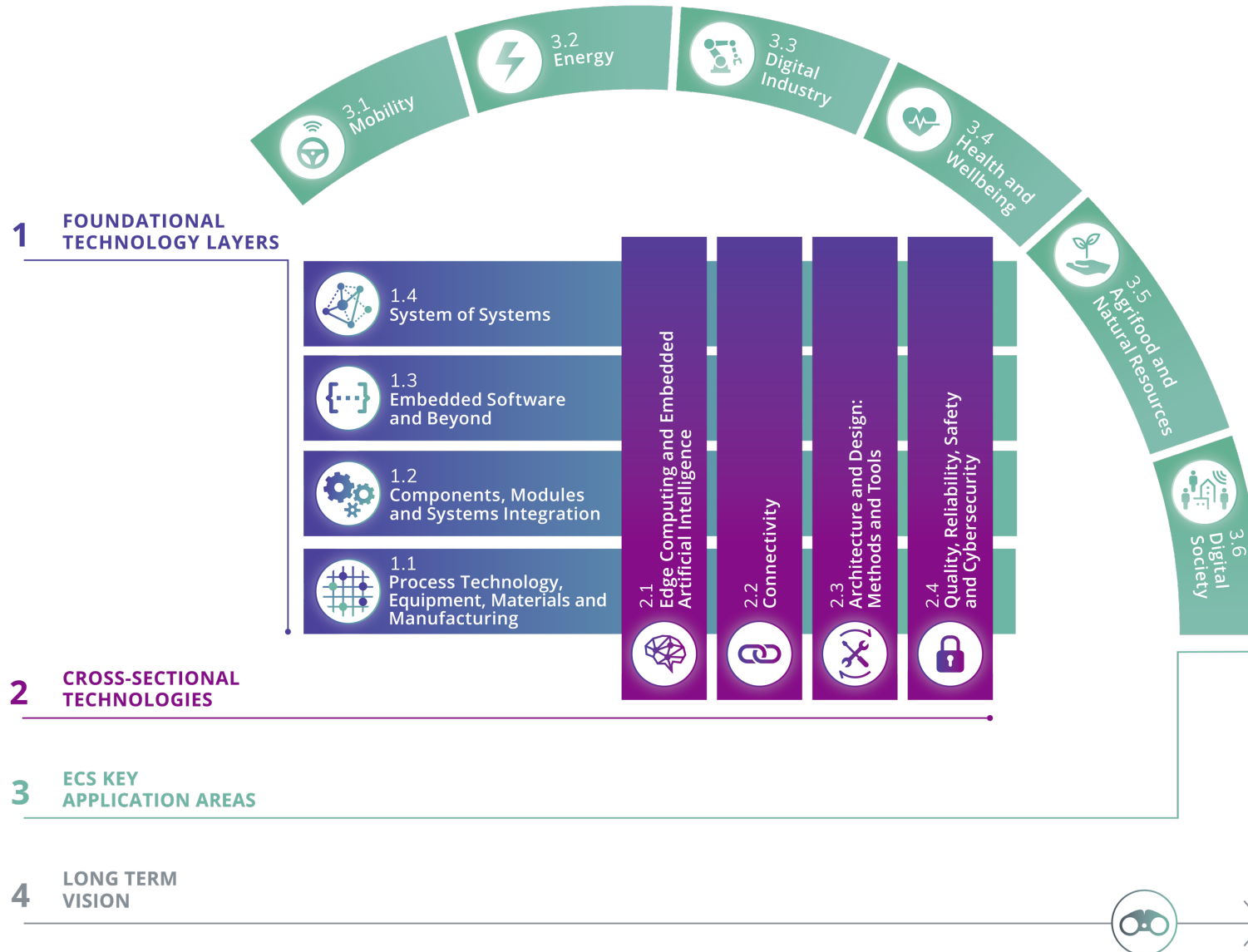
A transnational network facilitating the coordination of national priorities on innovation and providing access to national funding

Who is AENEAS?



- AENEAS is a not-for-profit Industry Association, with members from Large industries, Small and Medium Enterprises, Research institutes, academia, that catalyses RD&I collaborative activity in the Electronic Components & Systems value chain supporting the development of the digital economy
- AENEAS membership is free of charge
- Successful participants are asked a small contribution based on the funding received

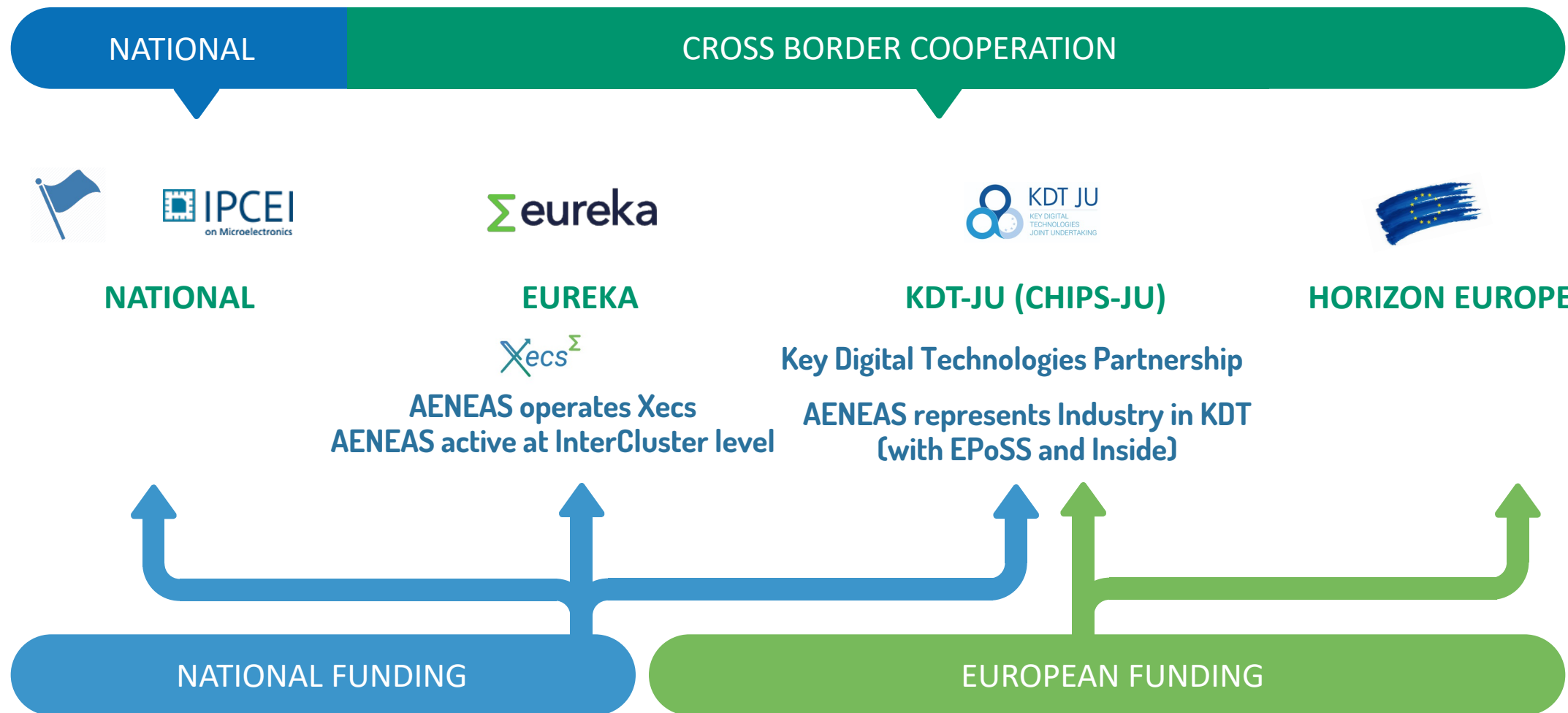
New SRIA structure - 2022 Edition-

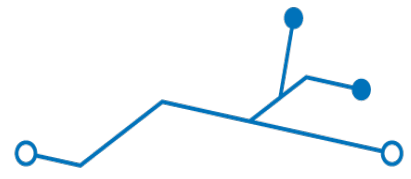




Funding instrument landscape

Positioning Xecs in the European Funding Landscape





How Xecs works



- ✕ Idea Generation
- ✕ Brokerage
- ✕ Consortium Building
- ✕ Project Outline submission



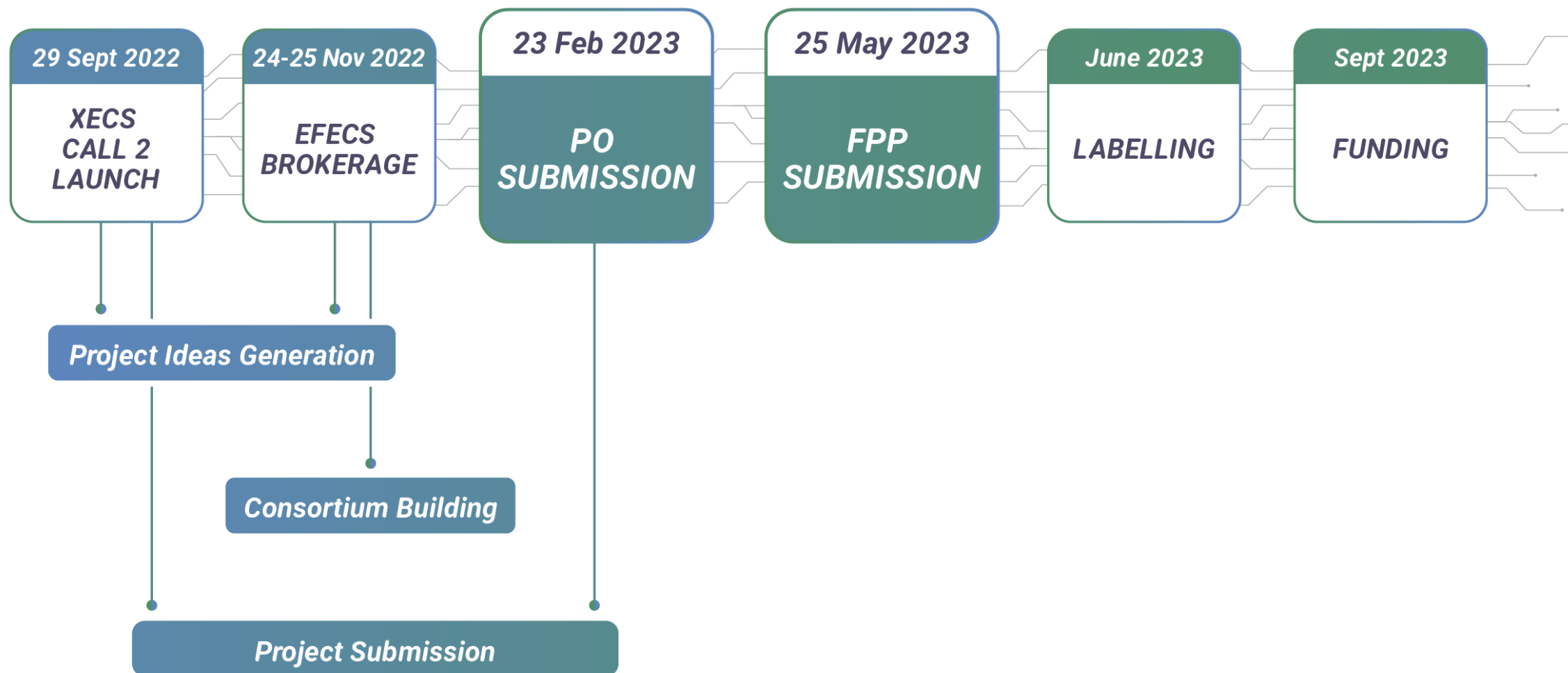
- ✕ Two step review process
- ✕ Full Project Proposal
- ✕ submission
- ✕ Labelling & Funding decisions



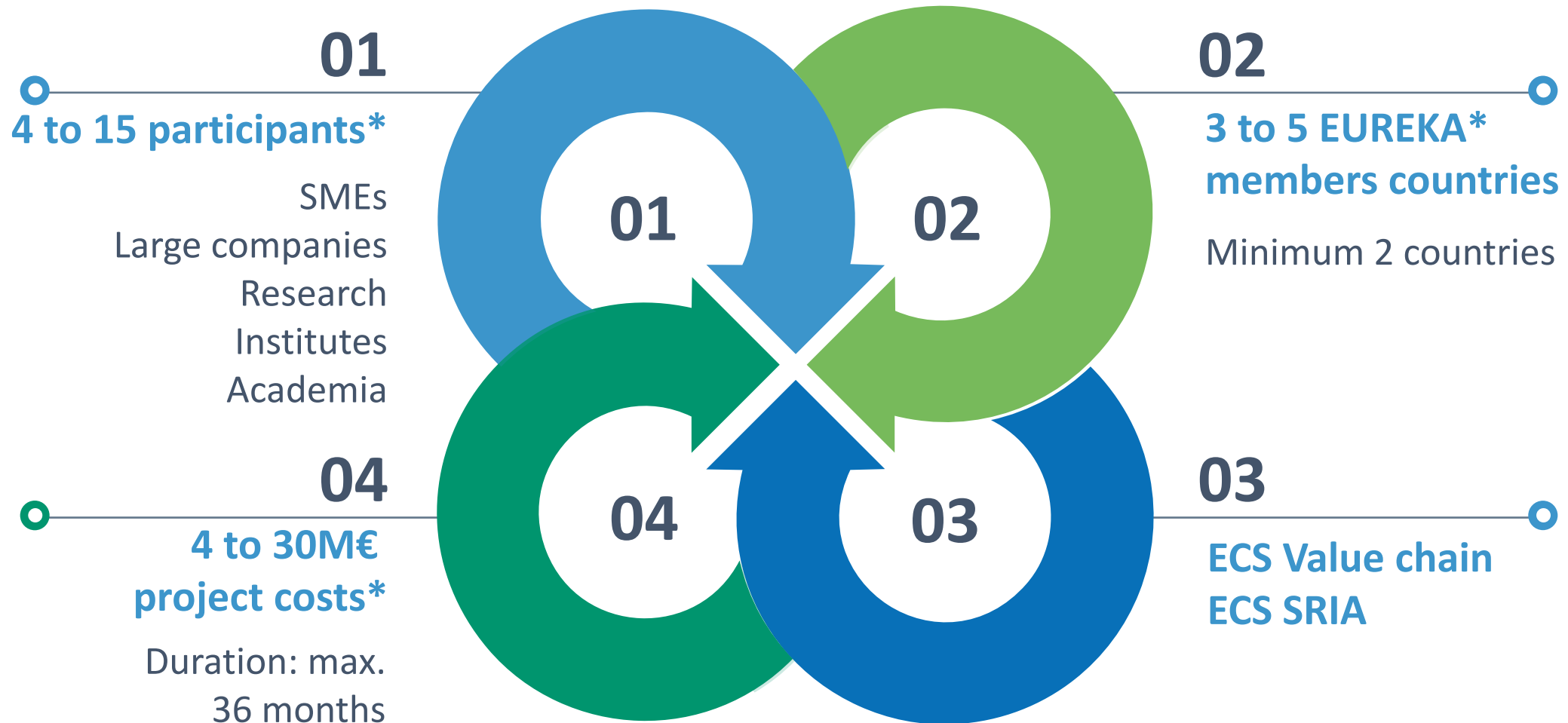
- ✕ Change Request Process
- ✕ Project Start
- ✕ Project Monitoring
- ✕ Final Review
- ✕ Long-term impact analysis



Xecs Call 2 timeline

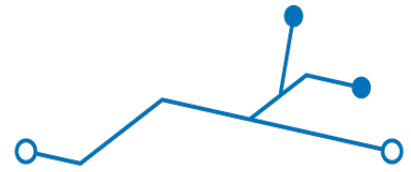


Xecs typical project



* Figures represent a range of a typical project and are not limits

Supporting countries



What is new

France

- 2 funding programmes

Denmark and Luxembourg

- Now support Xecs

United Kingdom

- Dedicated budget: 5 Mio pounds per call

Switzerland

- Can fund companies as of January 2023

Monaco

- Any partner can be funded

Singapore

- Open to fund industrial partners



Why participate?



To take advantage of trans-national RD&I cooperation and related national funding in a broad range of countries



To benefit from multiple and diversified partnership opportunities from the ECS community, and create impactful collaborative ecosystems



To boost competitiveness, accelerate growth and shorten time to market



To access expertise and get professional guidance coaching and mentoring from industrial experts and the Xecs team

Differences between Cluster Xecs and KDT

- Xecs projects are mid-sized
- Hence, they are more agile (in case of market or technology changes), focused and based on technical ground
- High flexibility in the course of the project e.g. for changes in the project
- Scope of project defined by consortium
- Low administrative overhead, even SMEs can take the role of a project leader
- Only national funding according to national rules
- Open to all 47 Eureka countries and beyond
- Equal opportunities to participate for partners e.g. from UK, CH, CA, KR etc
- Close to market - quick use of commercial results

The logo for Xecs, featuring the word "Xecs" in white with a green sigma symbol (Σ) as a superscript, and a stylized white 'X' with an arrow pointing upwards and to the right.
A portrait of Shéhérazade AZIZI, a woman with long, wavy brown hair, wearing a white top and a gold necklace.

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A portrait of Patrick COGEZ, a man with short brown hair and glasses, wearing a grey suit jacket over a white shirt.

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A portrait of Nadja ROHRBACH, a woman with short grey hair and glasses, wearing a beige cardigan over a green patterned top.

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