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Update on European HPC Eco-system



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By the end of this talk you should know:

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Key EU developments HPC



Communication from the EC
"High-Performance Computing:
Europe's place in a global race" (2012)



Council Conclusions on High-Performance
Computing (Competitiveness Council –
2013)



Establishment of the European Technology
Platform on High-Performance Computing
(ETP4HPC - 2012) and Strategic Research
Agenda on HPC (2013)



Horizon 2020 programme including
HPC Calls adopted (end of 2013)



Public-Private Partnership with ETP4HPC
(1st January 2014)

High Performance Computing PPP: Mastering the
next generation of computing technologies for
innovative products and scientific discovery

- HPC to tackle major scientific, societal and competitiveness challenges
- Innovative world-class industrial products and services in a cost effective way
- Underpinning scientific discovery through modelling and simulation

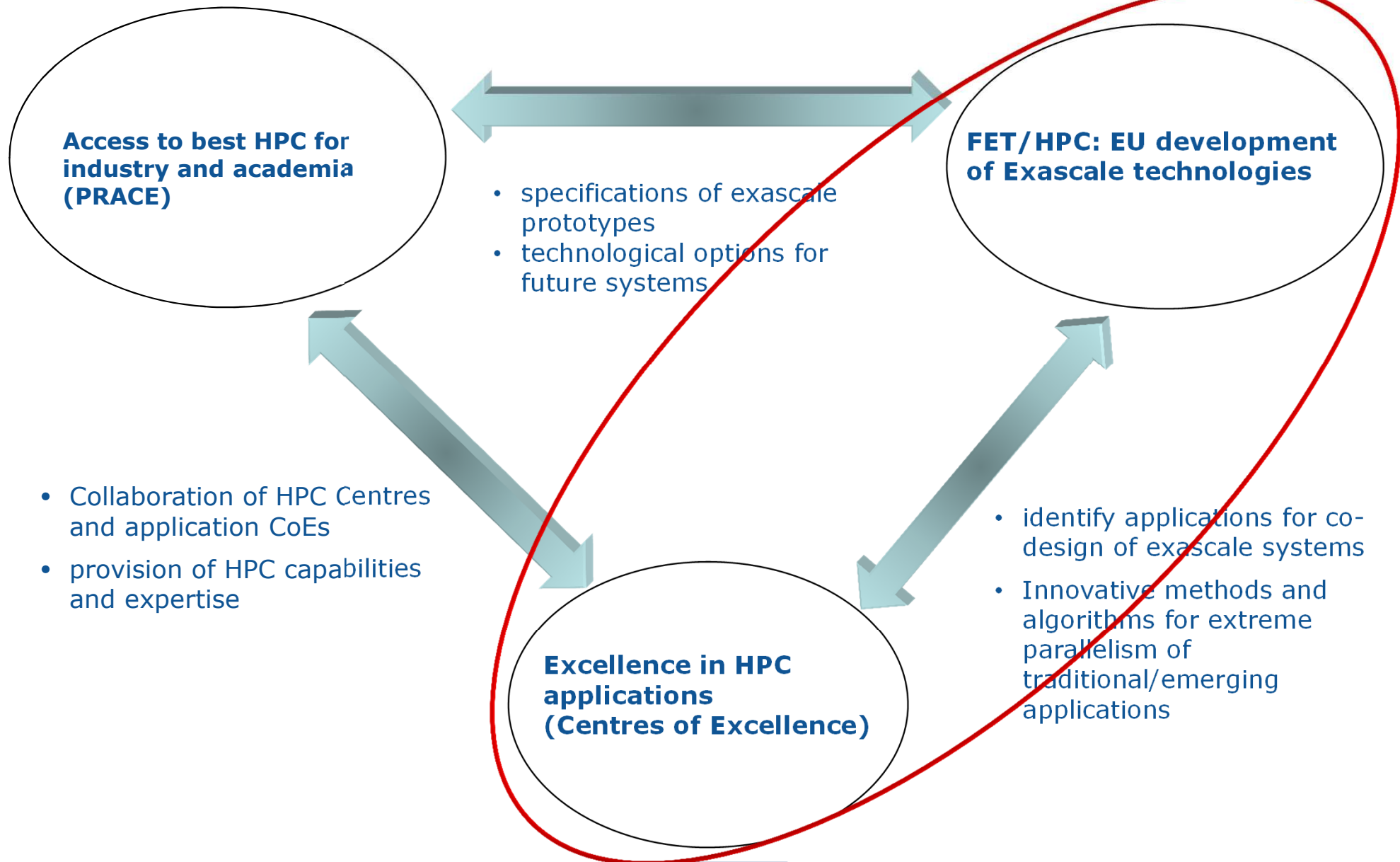


Interrelation between the three elements



"Excellent Science"
part of H2020

Scope of the PPP



Why the technology pillar ?

- Leadership in HPC required
 - vision of the technologies evolution
 - expertise in future technologies
- Large opportunities
 - extreme parallelism, energy efficiency
 - co-designed

The Objective of ETP4HPC

To build a European world-class
HPC technology value chain that is
globally competitive



Main activities

- cPPP implementation
 - FET HPC call : 83 submissions for R&D research projects and 19 selected projects
 - eInfra 5 CoE call : 23 proposals for Center of Excellence and 8 CoEs selected
- Inputs for Work Programme 2016-2017
 - Very active working group
- Preparation of a support action European eXtreme Data and Computing Initiative
 - Key element for the animation of HPC ecosystem in Europe
- Development of our relationship
 - Other organizations : Big Data Value, SKA,...
 - International contacts



Our actions in 2015

- Strengthening our ecosystem
 - More members with opening ETP4HPC to advanced users
 - EXCDI start
- Start of the projects
 - Coordination and development of a global vision
- Centers of Excellence
 - Cooperation in cPPP and co-design
- Update of the Strategic Research Agenda
- Election of a new Steering Board
 - General Assembly in September 2015



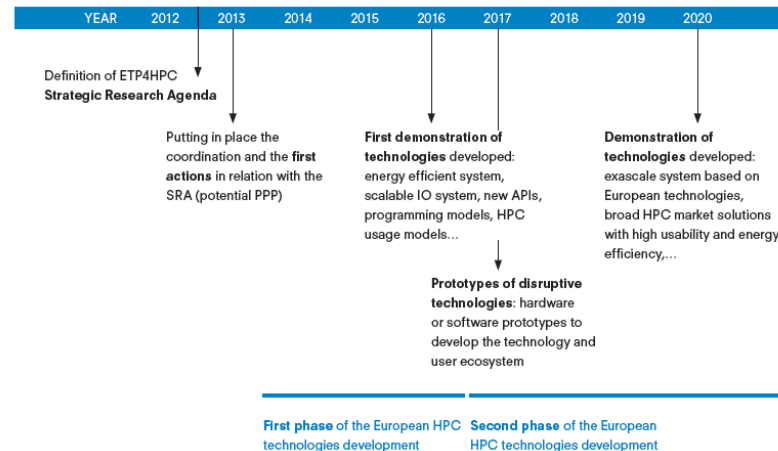
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Strategic Research Agenda (SRA)

- **Purpose:** R&D roadmap to develop HPC technology in Europe within **Horizon 2020**

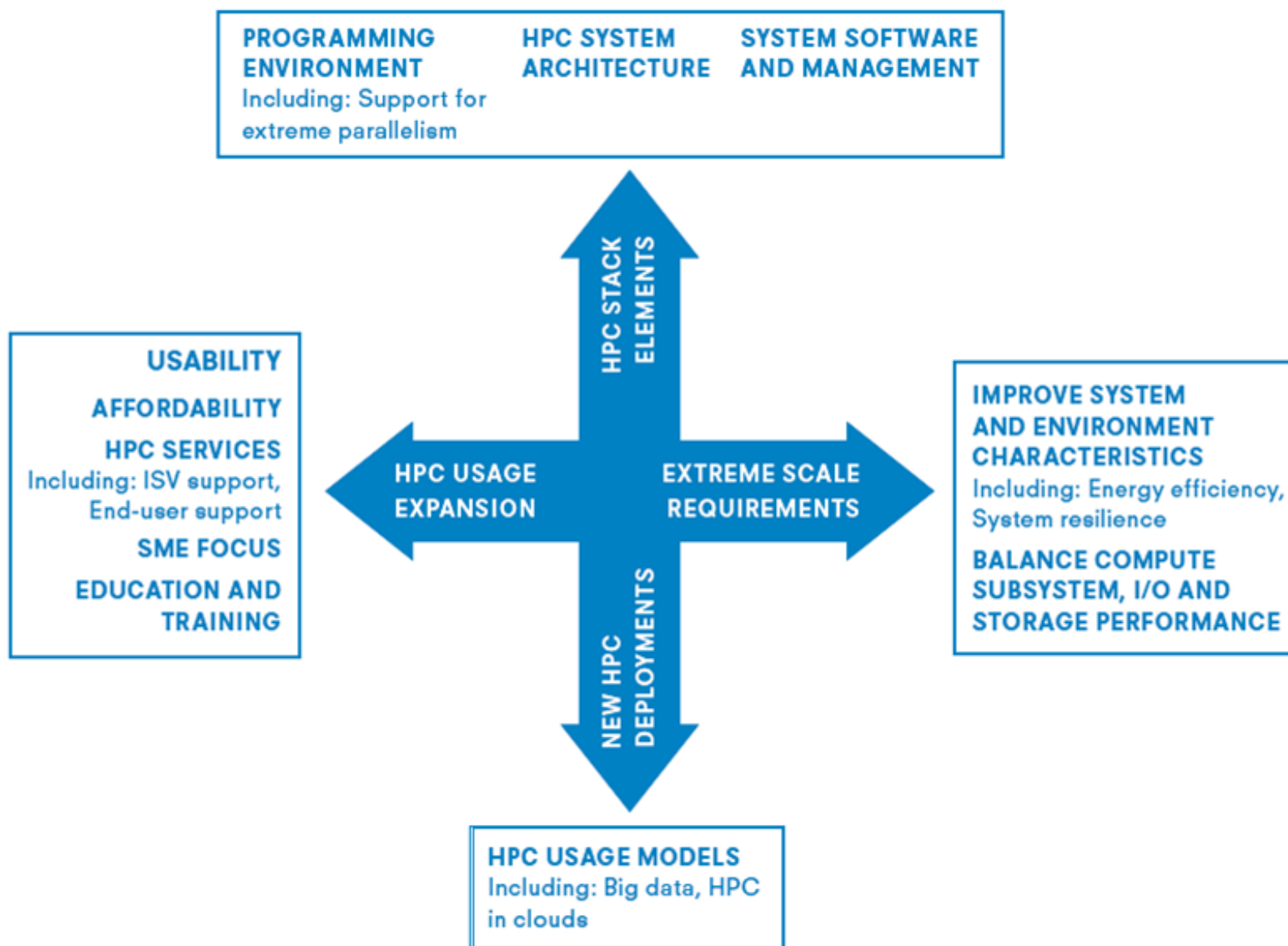
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Milestones

Deadline	Milestones
2014	M-PROG-API-1: Develop benchmarks and mini-apps for new programming models/languages
2015	M-PROG-API-2: APIs and annotations for legacy codes ² M-PROG-API-3: Advancements of MPI+X approaches (beyond current realisations) M-PROG-DC-1: Data race detection tools with user support for problem resolution M-PROG-LIB-1: Self-/auto-tuning libraries and components M-PROG-PT-1: Scalable trace collection and storage: sampling and folding M-PROG-RT-1: Runtime and compiler support for auto-tuning and self-adapting systems M-PROG-RT-2: Management and monitoring of runtime systems in dynamic environments M-PROG-RT-3: Runtime support for communication optimization: data-locality management, caching, and pre-fetching
2016	M-PROG-API-4: APIs for auto-tuning performance or energy M-PROG-LIB-2: Components/library interoperability APIs

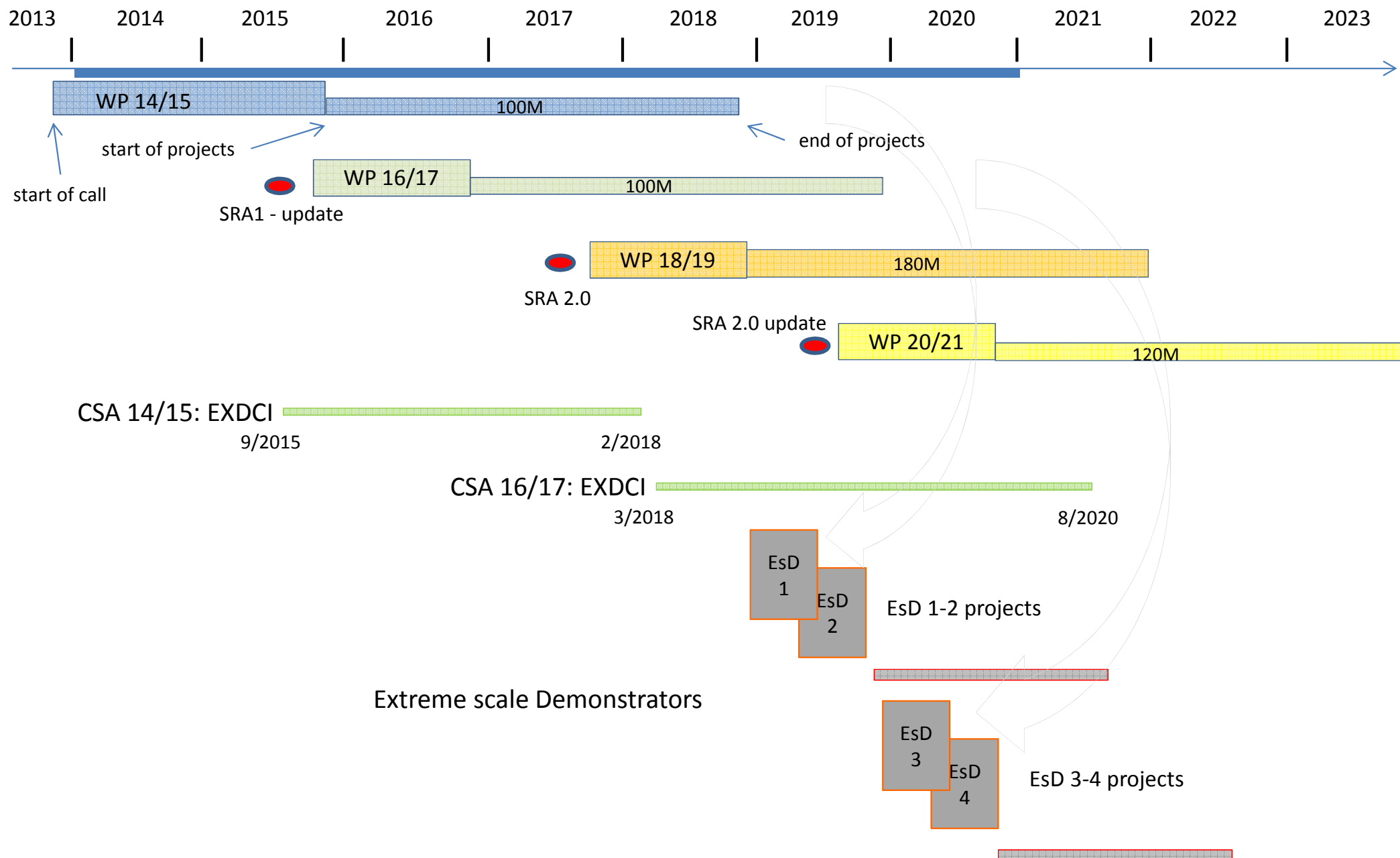


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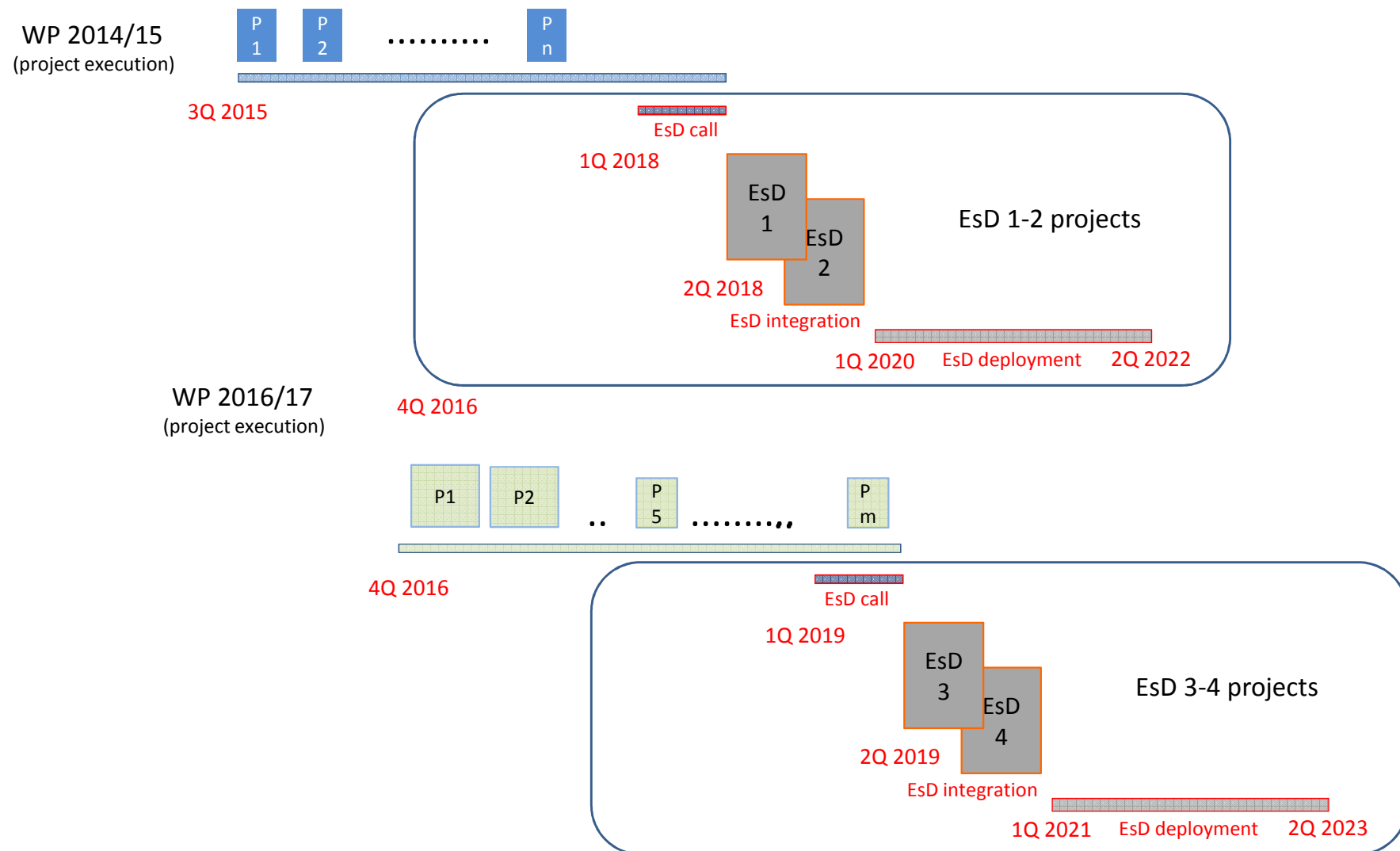




HPC-Horizon 2020 roadmap



Extreme scale Demonstrators call-integration-deployment schedule



Workprogramme 2016/2017 status

- ETP4HPCs proposal (version from Febr. 9th) sent to EC on Febr. 11th
- No further modifications expected
- EC generates its own version based on ETP4HPCs proposal:
 - FETHPC1: HPC Co-design of HPC systems and applications
 - FETHPC 2: Transition to Exascale Computing
 - High productivity programming environments for Exascale
 - Exascale system software and management
 - Exascale I/O and storage in the presence of multiple tiers of storage
 - Supercomputing for Extreme Data and emerging HPC modes
 - Mathematics and algorithms for extreme scale HPC systems and applications working with extreme data
 - FETHPC 3: HPC ecosystem development and international collaboration (CSA)
- Next step: review and approval by EU member states
- Expected call start November 2015

SRA – update: the starting point

- We committed to provide a “fresh SRA” every 2 years, prior to the start of a new call
- Next target date is October 31st 2015
- This cycle we need to provide a “delta update” on top of SRA 1 (only)
- For 2017, it will be a full document update including the general parts
- Technical focus areas:
 - HPC System Architecture and Components
 - Energy and Resiliency
 - Programming Environment
 - System Software and Management
 - Balance Compute, I/O and Storage Performance
 - Big Data and HPC usage Models
 - NEW :Mathematics and algorithms for extreme scale HPC systems
 - NEW: Extreme scale Demonstrators

Every member is invited to contribute by providing deep technical expertise, time and resources!



SRA – update : mapping technical focus areas

SRA 1

- HPC System Architecture and Components
- Energy and Resiliency
- Programming Environment
- System Software and Management
- Balance Compute, I/O and Storage Perf.
- Big Data and HPC usage Models

SRA 1-update for 4Q 2015 :

FETHPC1:

- HPC – Co-design of HPC systems and applications

FETHPC2:

- High Productivity programming environments for Exascale
- Exascale system software and management
- Exascale I/O and storage in the presence of multiple tiers of storage
- Supercomputing for Extreme Data and emerging HPC modes

Added to ETP4HPC scope:

- Mathematics and algorithms for extreme scale HPC systems and applications working with extreme data

Beyond 2017:

- Scoping of Extreme Scale Demonstrators

New:



SRA – update : the actions in 2015

- 25.2.2015 Kickoff-meeting session (IBM Research Rueschlikon)
- March 2015 Start workgroups
- May 2015 Levelset with EESI, BDV(f2f worksession)
- 22.6.2015 User / ISV session (Teratec Forum, Paris)
- July 2015 First rough draft
- Sept. 2015 Second version, f2f meeting SRA technical leads
- Oct. 2015 Reviews, conf. calls
- Oct. 31st 2015 Send out final version



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Partnership for European leadership in HPC

CPPP

Contractual Public-Private Partnership

Done in duplicate at Brussels on 17 December 2013.

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Board Representative





Brussels, 17 December 2013

EU industrial leadership gets boost through eight new research partnerships

The European Commission today launched eight contractual Public-Private Partnerships (CPPPs) of strategic importance for European industry. The partnerships will leverage more than 60 billion of investments to be allocated through calls for proposals under Horizon 2020, the new EU programme for research and innovation. Each euro of public funding is expected to trigger additional investments of between three and 10 euro to develop new technologies, products and services which will give European industry a leading position on world markets ([Link to fact sheet](#)).

European Commissioner for Research, Innovation and Science Maire Geoghegan-Quinn said: "Europe needs industry to innovate to create income and jobs. New technologies and products, such as green cars, energy efficient buildings and cleaner manufacturing processes, are essential to address societal challenges such as climate change, energy and resource efficiency. We want these contractual PPPs to have a substantial impact on the competitiveness of the EU industry, on sustainable economic growth and the creation of new high-skilled jobs in Europe."

Vice President Neelie Kroes, Commissioner responsible for the Digital Agenda, said: "This is a great opportunity for Europe. These PPPs will maintain our global lead in robotics, electronics, high performance computing, telecoms and give us a head start in smart cities, intelligent transport, education, entertainment, media and other promising markets. Combined with a comprehensive industrial strategy, the PPPs will ensure vigorous European leadership and a better future for all."

The eight contractual Public-Private Partnerships are:

- **Factories of the Future (FoF)**, to support the manufacturing industry through the development of sustainable production technologies and systems ([Link to fact sheet](#));
- **Energy-efficient Buildings (EeB)**, to increase the competitiveness and energy efficiency of the construction industry ([Link to fact sheet](#));
- **European Green Vehicles Initiative (EGVI)**, to develop a competitive and resource efficient transport system with significantly less CO₂ emissions ([Link to fact sheet](#));
- **Sustainable Process Industry (SPIRE)**, to make the process industry more resource- and energy-efficient ([Link to fact sheet](#));
- **Photonics**, one of the key enabling technologies for our future prosperity and an essential element of many sectors, from energy and health, to everyday products like DVD players and mobile phones ([Link to fact sheet](#));
- **Robotics**, a key driver of industrial competitiveness and essential to address key societal challenges in areas such as demographic change, health and well-being, food production, transport and security ([Link to fact sheet](#));
- **High Performance Computing (HPC)**, which plays a pivotal role in stimulating Europe's economic growth and advancing European science ([Link to fact sheet](#));
- **Advanced 5G networks for the Future Internet (5G)**, to stimulate the development of network internet infrastructure to ensure advanced ICT services for all sectors and users ([Link to fact sheet](#)).

The contracts setting up the PPPs were signed today by the Commission and representatives of specially-created industrial research and innovation associations, representing more than 1,000 large and small enterprises across Europe.

700 M€ committed by EC to implement application and technology development



HPC cPPP at a Glance

CONTRACTUAL ARRANGEMENT

SETTING UP A PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP IN THE AREA OF HIGH
PERFORMANCE COMPUTING

BETWEEN

THE ASSOCIATION ETP4HPC

AND

THE EUROPEAN UNION

**Contract between EC
and ETP4HPC**

Main Objective: HPC Technologies Development

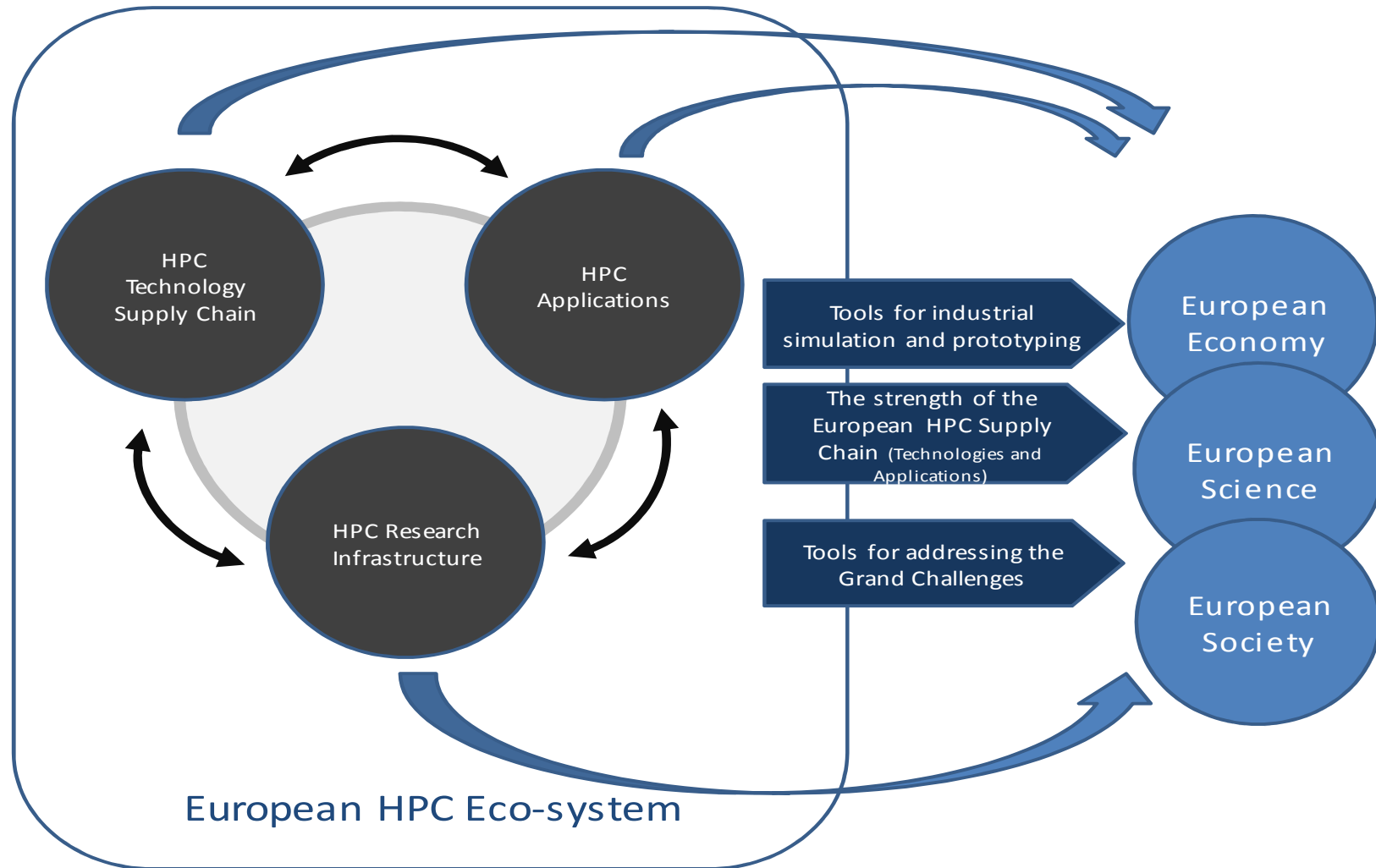
- To build a European world-class HPC technology value chain that will be globally competitive, fostering synergy between the three pillars of the HPC ecosystem (technology development, applications and computing infrastructure);

700M Euro in H2020

The Commission intends to allocate from the Union budget an indicative financial envelope of EUR 700 million for the period of 2014-2020 for those research and innovation activities (from DG Communications Networks, Content and Technology).



HPC cPPP – Building a European HPC Ecosystem



cPPP Partnership Board meetings

- 4 meetings
 - One informal in Paris April 3rd 2014
 - Three ones in Brussels on June 13th, November 12th 2014 and
- Main topics covered
 - Organization of the Partnership Board
 - KPIs
 - Work programme 2016-2017
 - International cooperation
 - Communication
 - Work groups inputs : Education and Training, Intellectual Property Rights



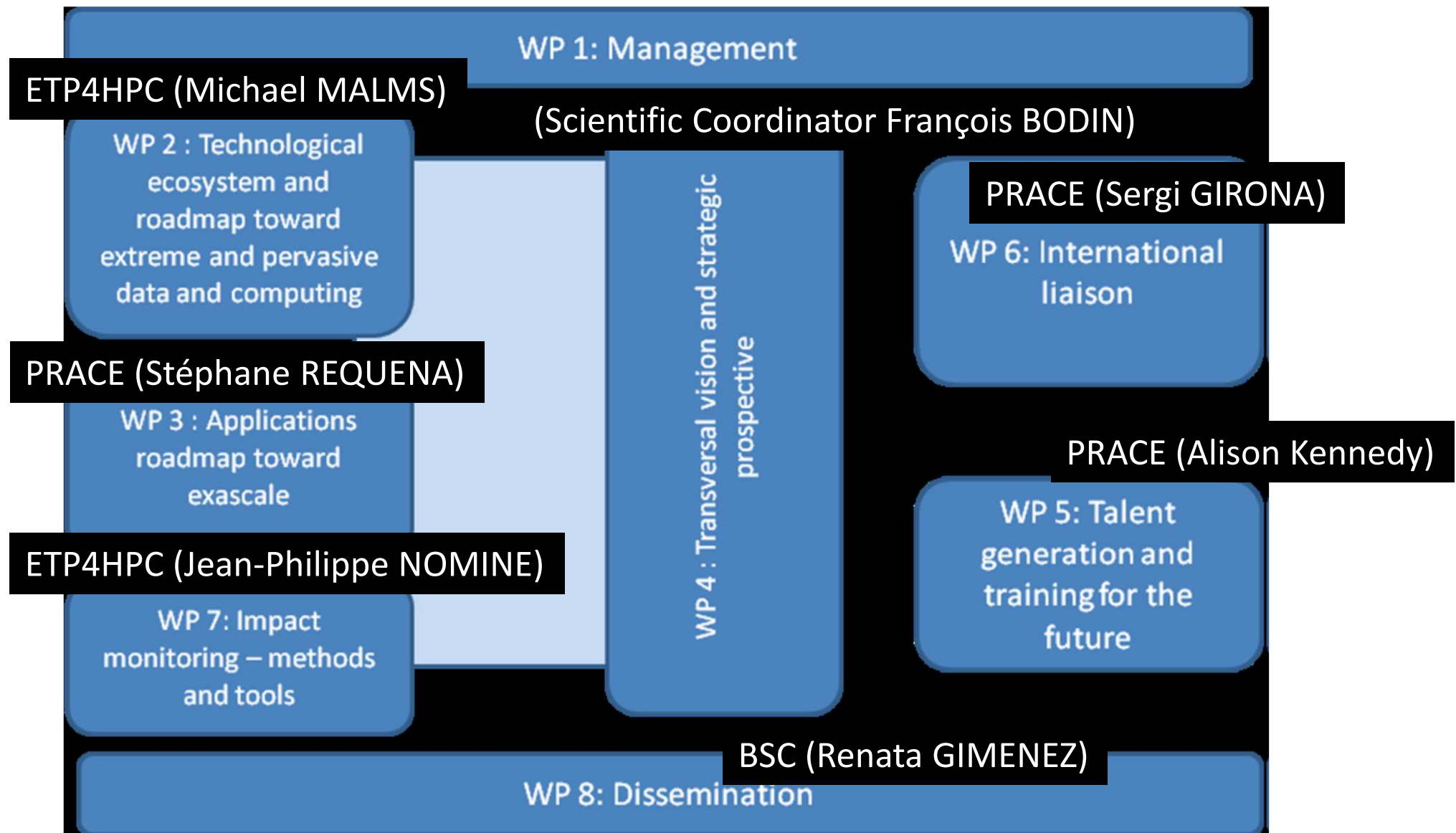
KPIs and monitoring

- KPIs
 - Industrial competitiveness and economical impacts
 - Global share of European HPC, HPC investments, Jobs, SMEs
 - Operation of the programme
 - Quality of projects, Contribution to new HPC solutions, People, HPC use, Software ecosystem
 - Management of the programme
 - Openness of the programme, dissemination
- Monitoring
 - Annual cPPP report
 - Collection of data with a survey

EXDCI

- Objective: **Coordination of HPC Strategy**
- A Coordination and Support Action – budget – 4M together with Part B
- Bid submitted by PRACE (leader) and ETP4HPC – with a number of subcontracting agreements (e.g. the expertise of EESI)

EXDCI - Structure



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How do we work?

- Incorporated as a Dutch association
- Open membership for organisations having R&D based in Europe
- Managed by a Steering board with 15 members representing:
 - Research centres (5)
 - European SMEs (3)
 - European controlled corporations (5)
 - International companies with R&D in Europe (2)
- Steering Board organization
 - Chairman
 - 2 Vice chairmen for PRACE coordination and HPC development
 - Secretary-Administrator, Treasurer
- Virtual office
 - BSC, CEA, Cineca+Eurotech, IBM



ETP4HPC Working Groups

- **FETHPC2 – HPC Strategy Coordination**
- **Education and Training**
- **Monitoring and KPIs**
- **Exploitation and IPR**
- **Centres of Excellence**
- **SME**
- **Co-designing and Prototyping**
- **Ecosystem**



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