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**Development of Intelligent Technical Systems**  
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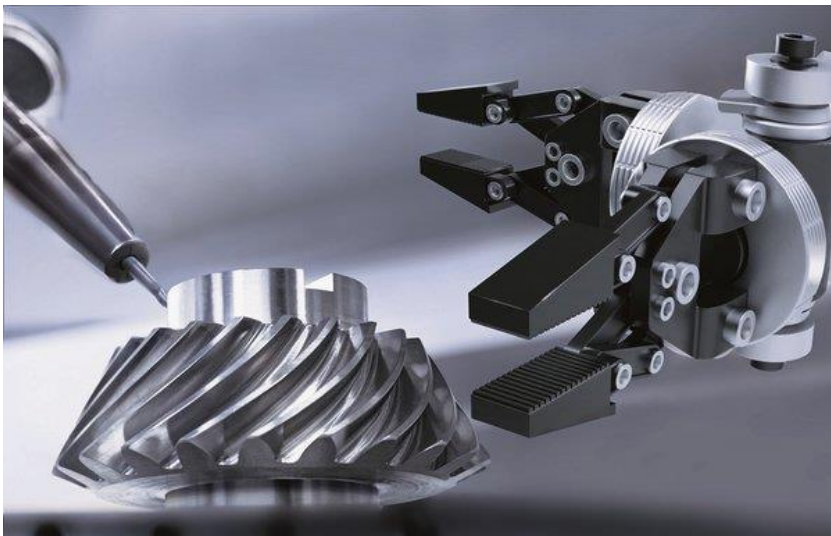
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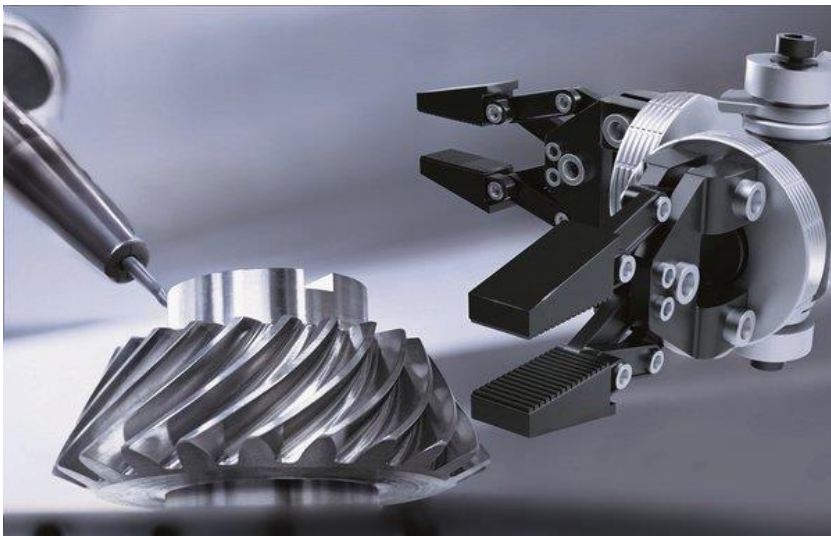
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**Leading-Edge Cluster it's OWL**

**Intelligent Technical Systems**

**Systems Engineering**

# Leading-Edge Cluster Competition initiated by the Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF)



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- BMBF wants to support strong regions in Germany to increase their global positions
- Leading-Edge Cluster competition were initiated
- Close Alliance between top-level science and leading industry
- 3 rounds of competition (2007 to 2012)
- 15 leading-edge clusters represent high-tech competence ensuring growth and employment
- Funding: €40m over 5 years for each cluster
- In total about €100m for each cluster (€60m from enterprises)



# OWL – Outstanding Region for Innovation, Added Value and Employment (1/2)

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## Vibrant Industries

Mechanical engineering, electrical/ electronic and automotive supply industries

Strong brands, hidden champions, independent family-owned companies



# OWL – Outstanding Region for Innovation, Added Value and Employment (2/2)

## High-Performance Research

Strength: symbiosis of informatics and engineering sciences



# Vision it's OWL 2017: Top Position in Intelligent Technical Systems

## Mission Statement:

- Resource efficiency
- Usability
- Reliability

**Vision  
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2017**

**Intelligent  
Systems**

**Cluster  
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2012**

**Mechatronics**

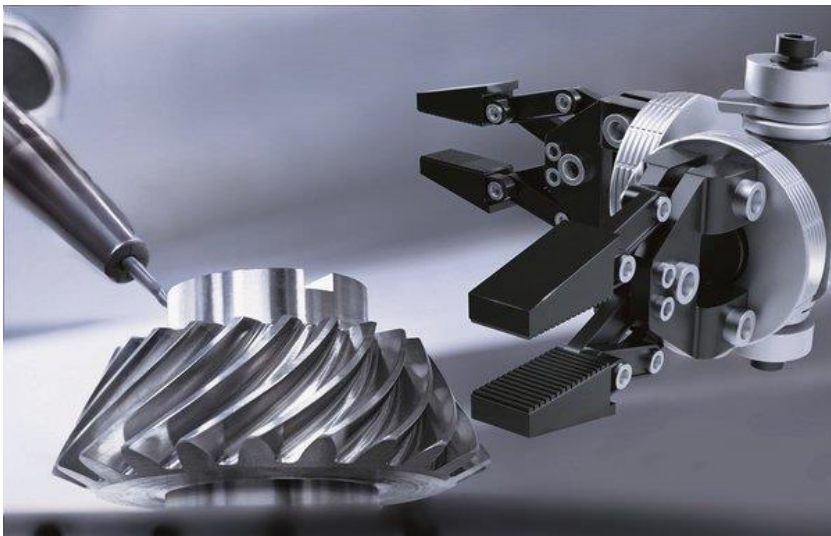
**Mechanics**

**Innovation Leap**

## Objectives:

- 80.000 jobs secured
- 10.000 new jobs
- 50 new companies
- 5 new research institutes
- 500 additional researchers
- 4 new courses of study /  
500 enrollments (per year)

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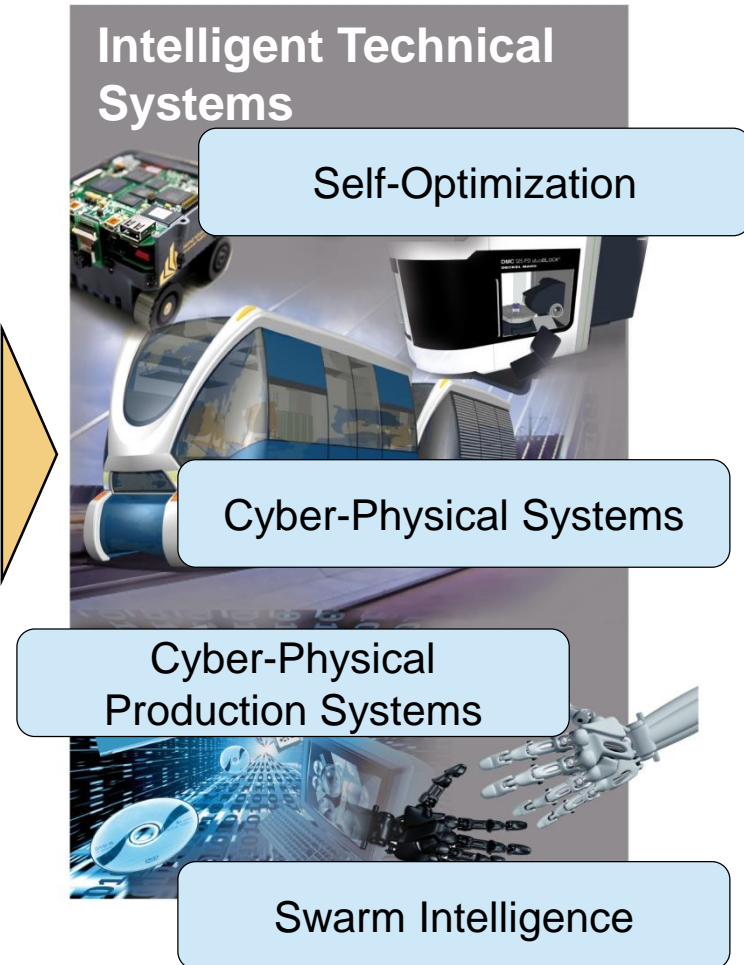
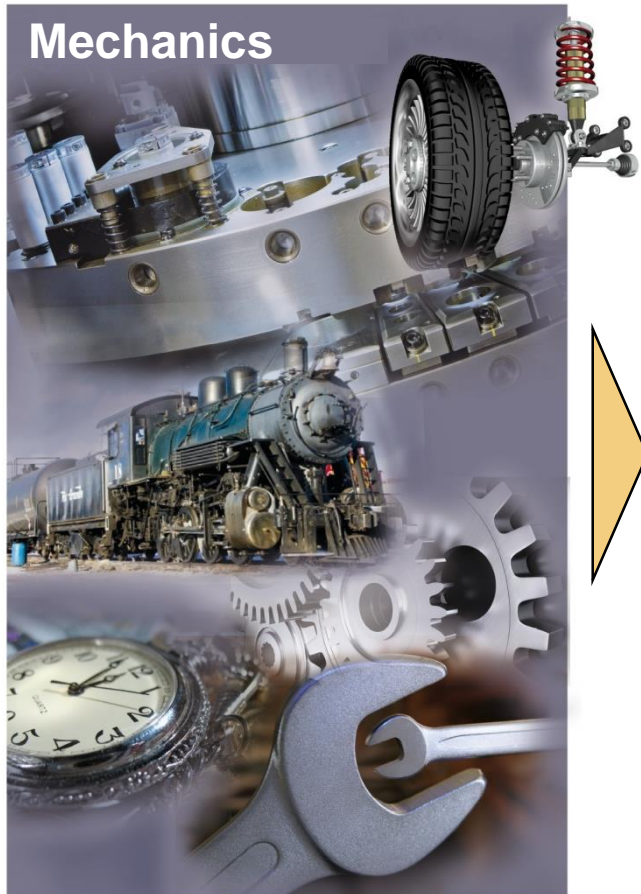
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# Innovation Leap Towards Technical Systems with Inherent Partial Intelligence



# Characteristics of Intelligent Technical Systems



... interact with the environment and adapting to it autonomously (**adaptive**).



... even manage unexpected situations not taken into account by the developer in the development process (**robust**).



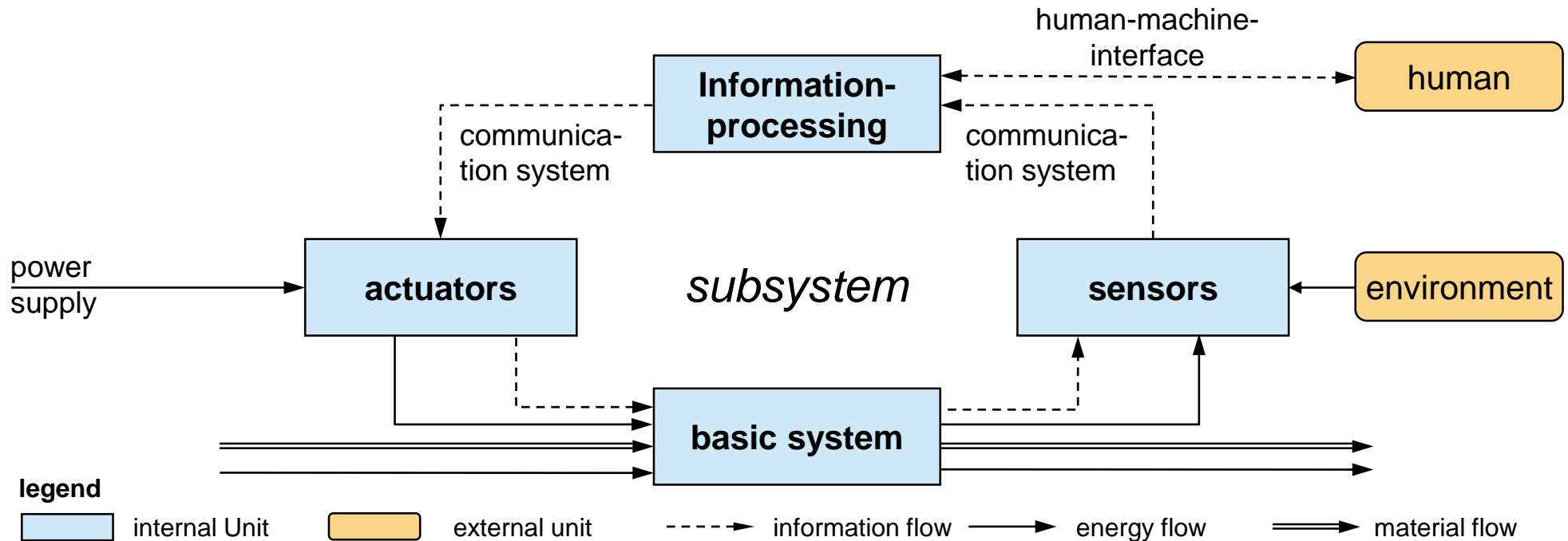
... anticipate on the basis of experimental knowledge future effects of influences and possible states (**anticipative**).



... take into account individual user behavior (**user-friendly**).

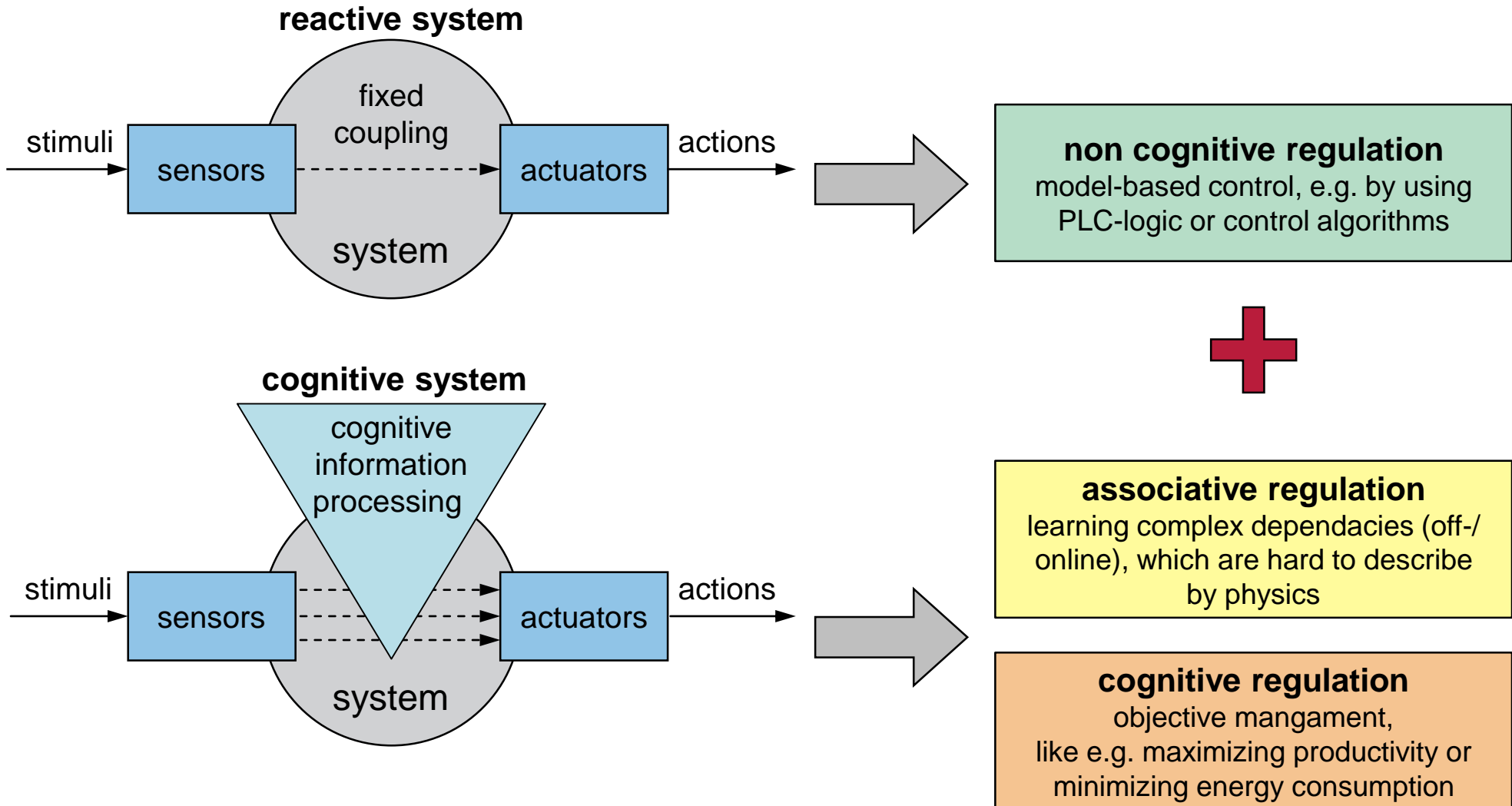
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## Basic structure of a mechatronic system



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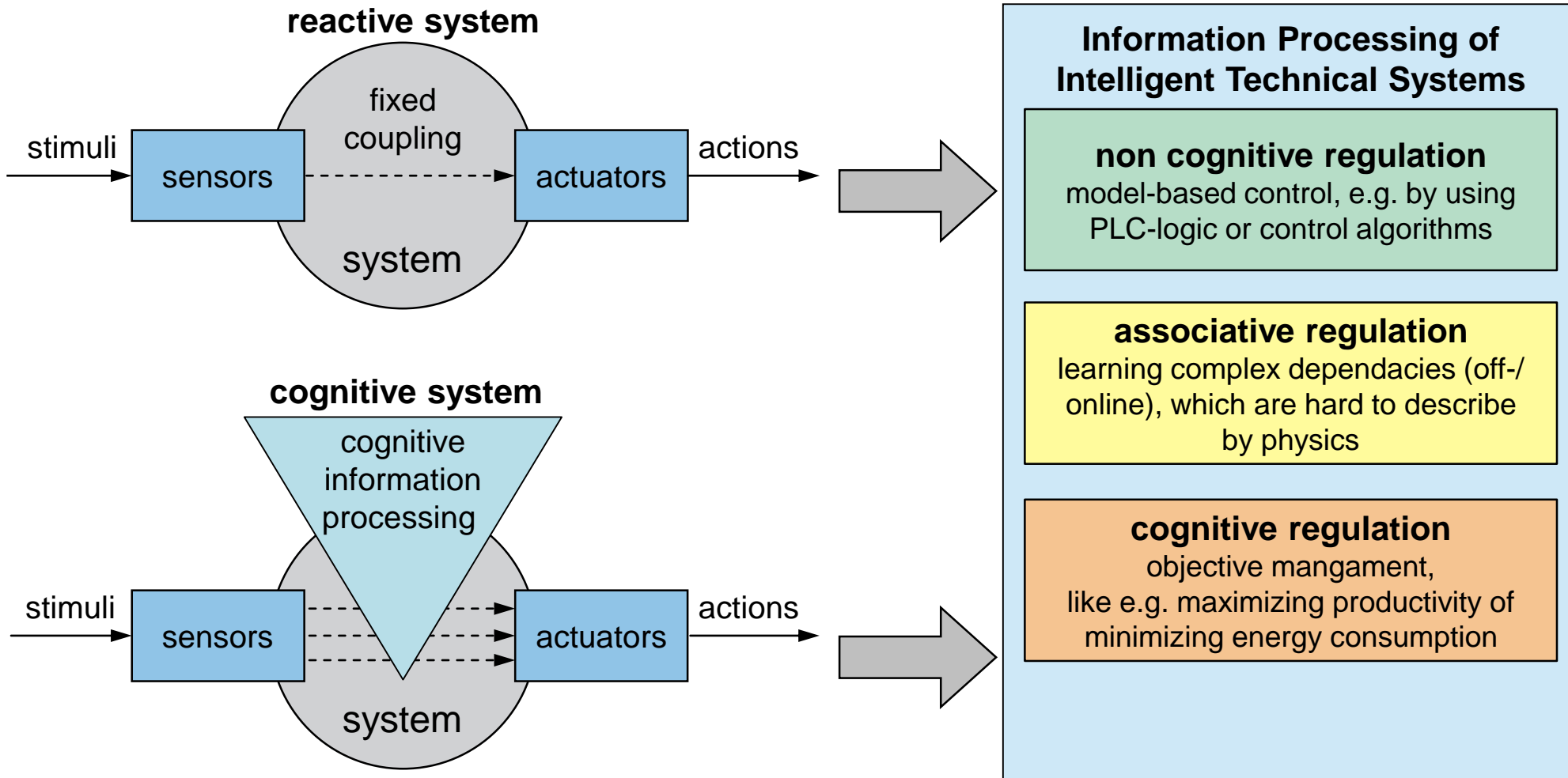
## Information Processing of Intelligent Technical Systems





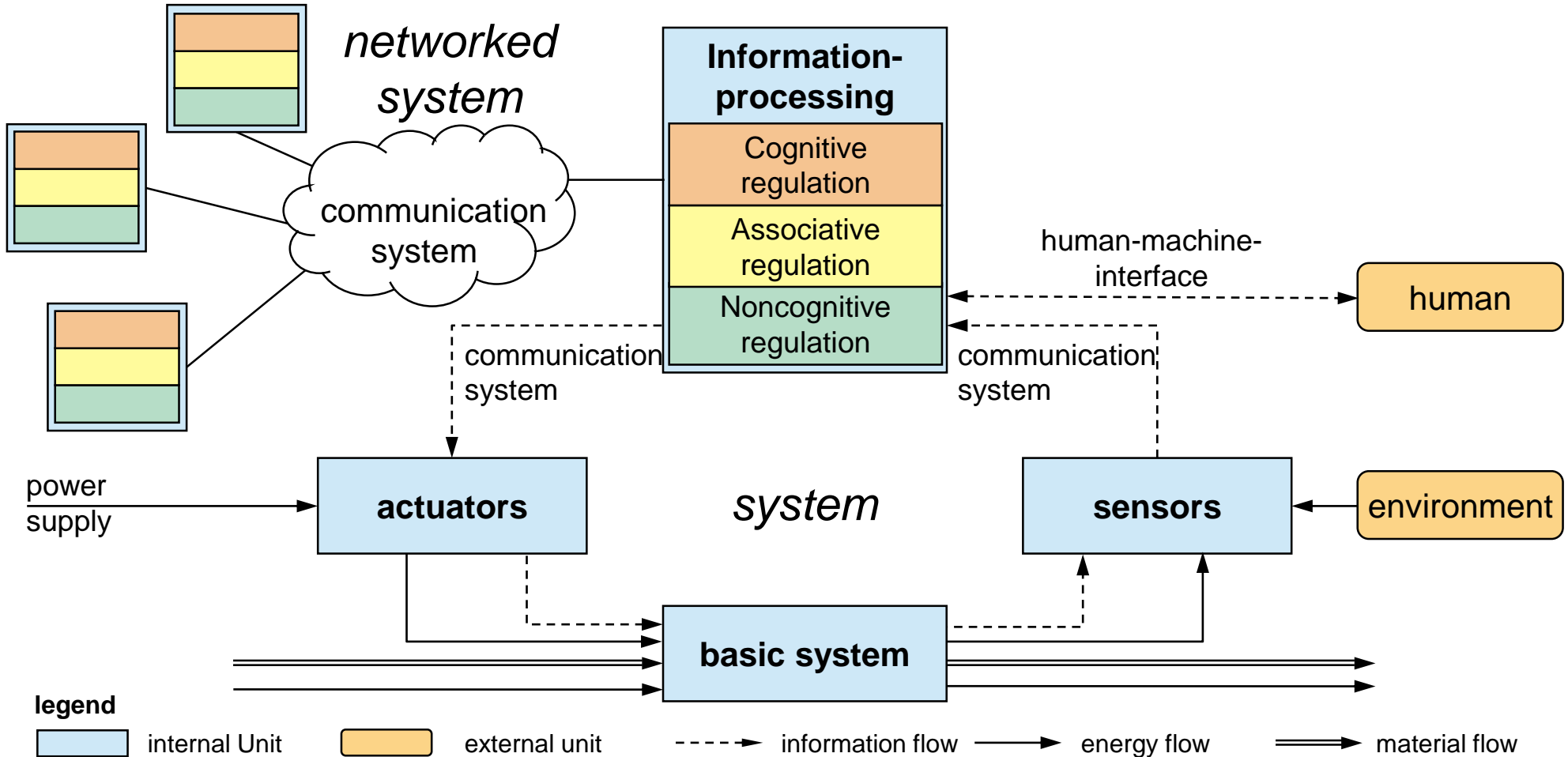
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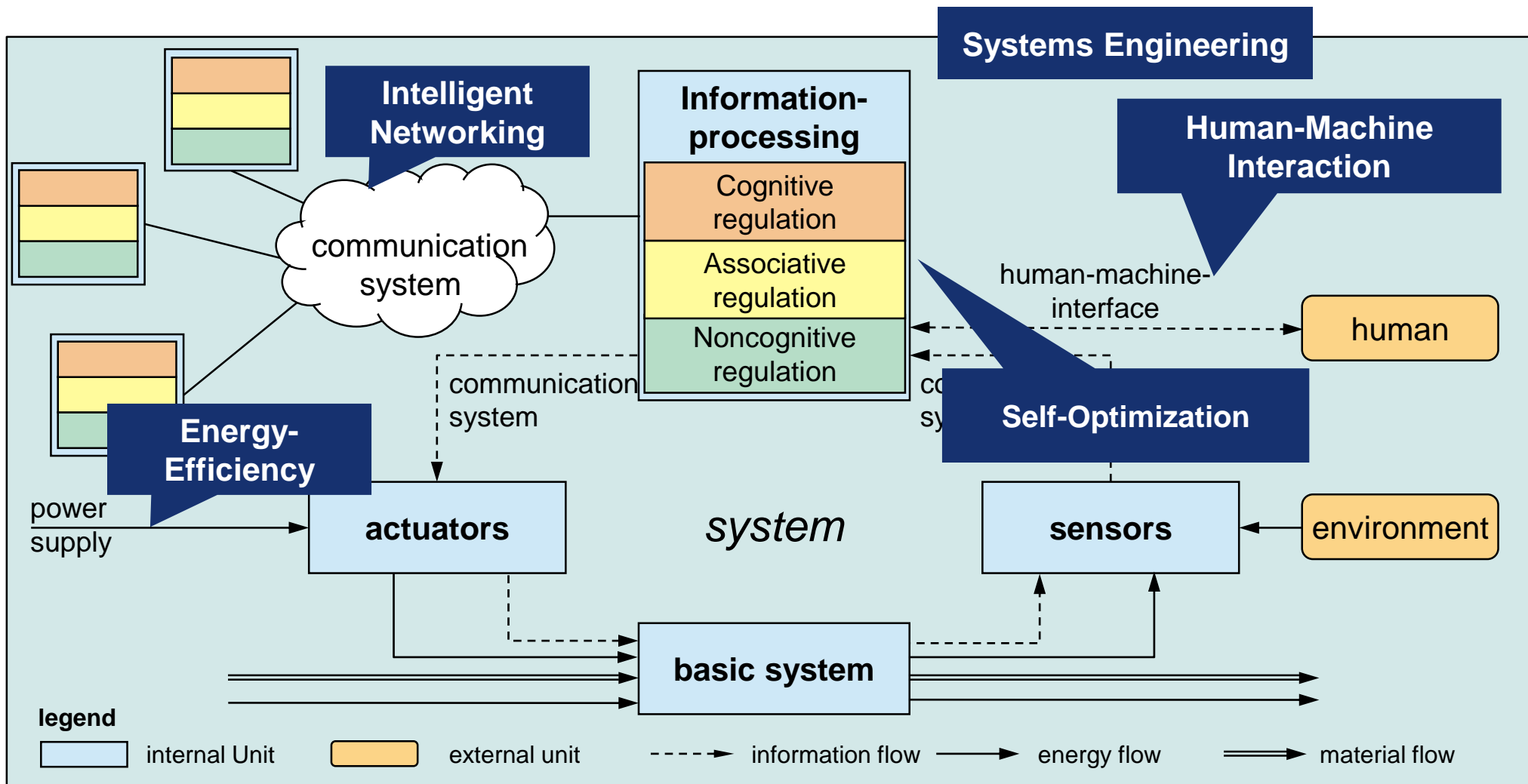
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From mechatronics to intelligent subsystems up to networked intelligent systems (Cyber-physical Systems)



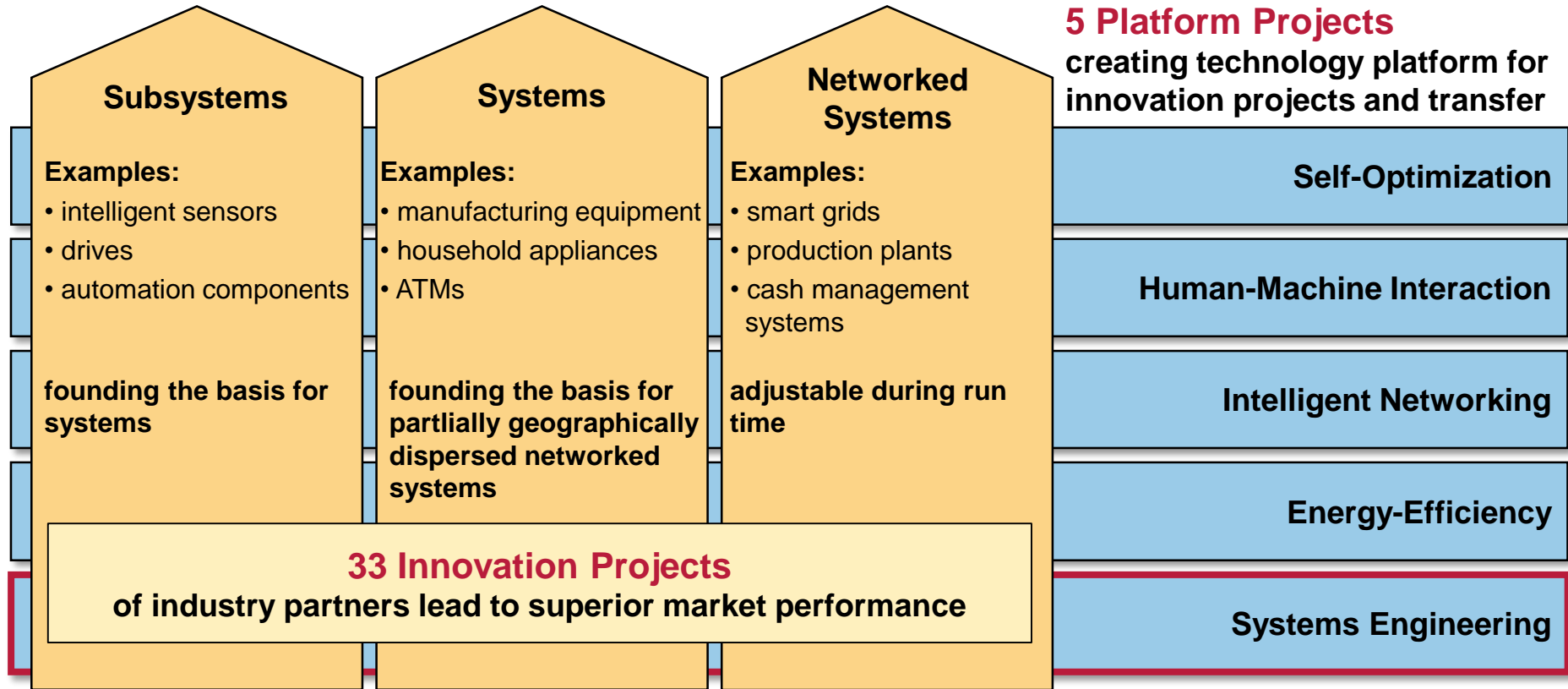
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# Operationalization by Projects

## Global Market for Intelligent Technical Systems



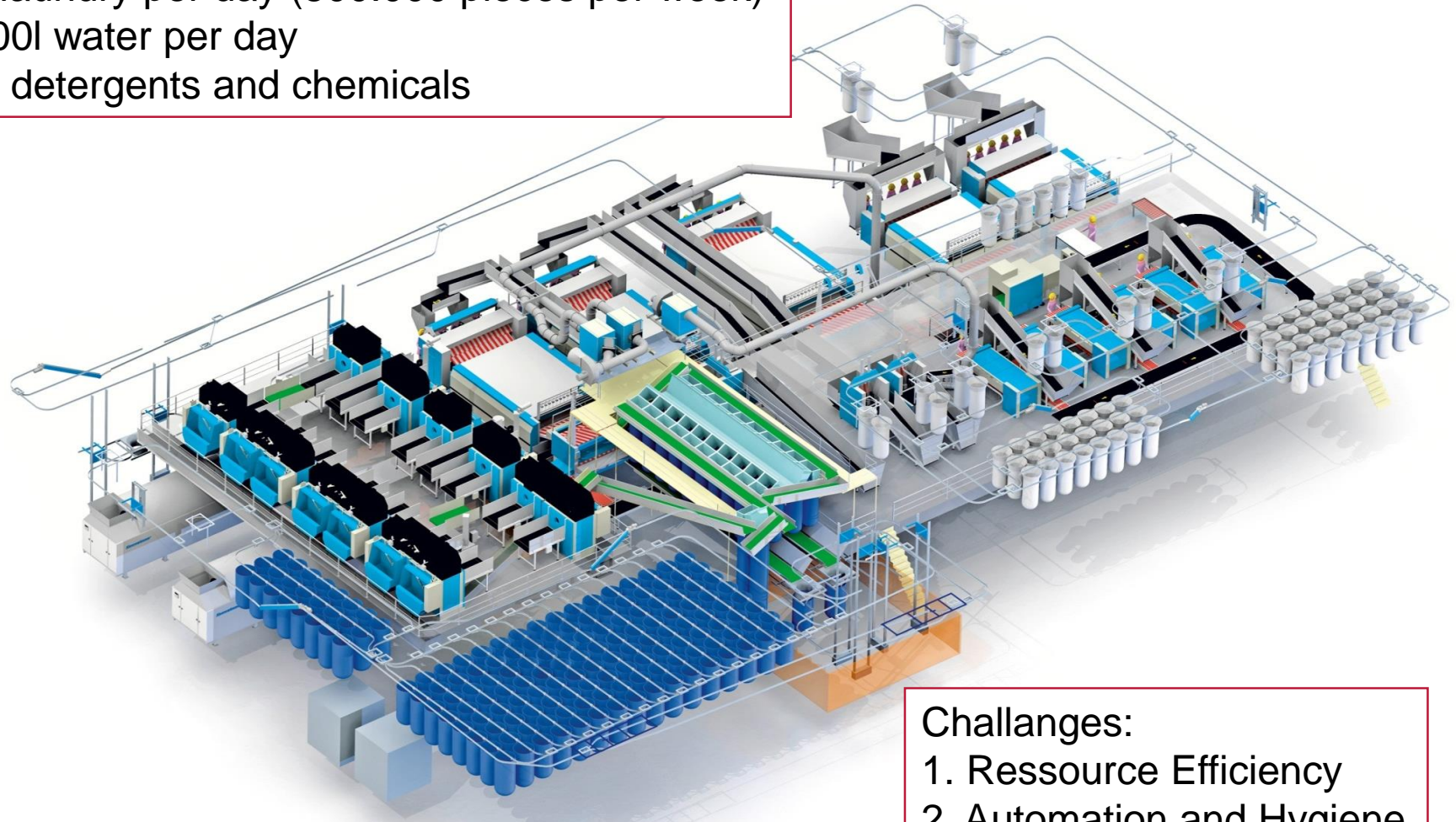
## 7 Measures for Sustainability creating development dynamics beyond funding period

Strategic Foresight	Technology Transfer		Acceptance
Prevention of Product Piracy	Education and Training	Market Orientation	Business Start-Ups



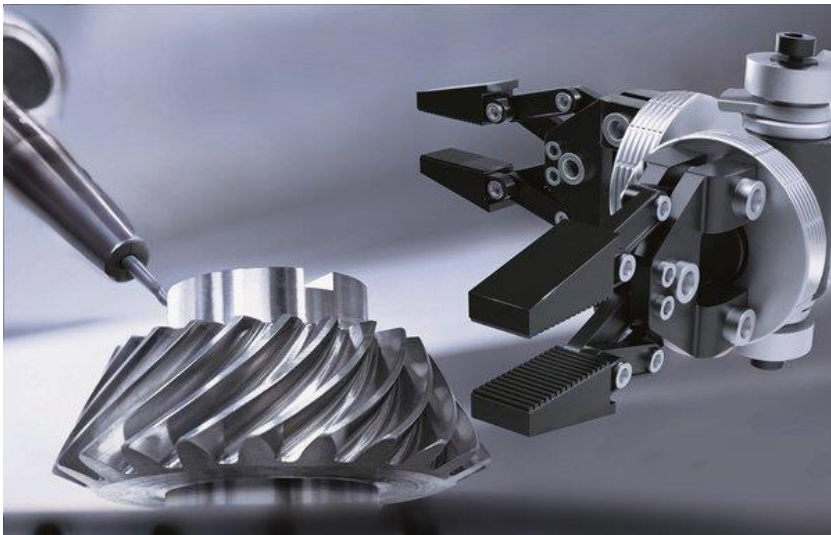
# Self-Optimizing Resource-Efficient Industrial Laundry

50t of laundry per day (800.000 pieces per week)  
900 000l water per day  
1.5t of detergents and chemicals



Challenges:  
1. Ressource Efficiency  
2. Automation and Hygiene  
3. Logistics

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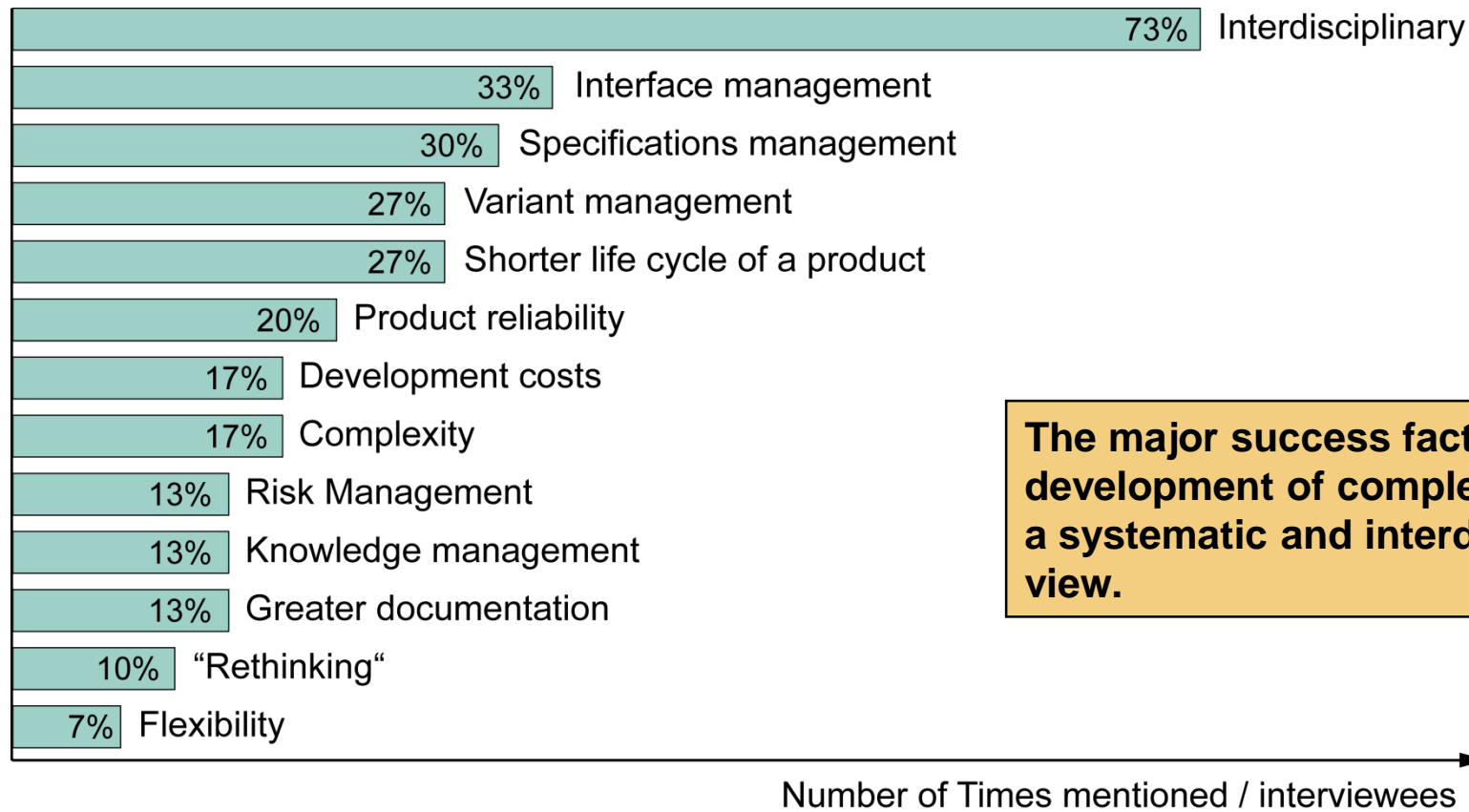
# Survey Design

Expert interviews: personal talks with 32 companies in the D-A-CH region



# Challenges in Developing the Products of Tomorrow

## What are the challenges in future product development?

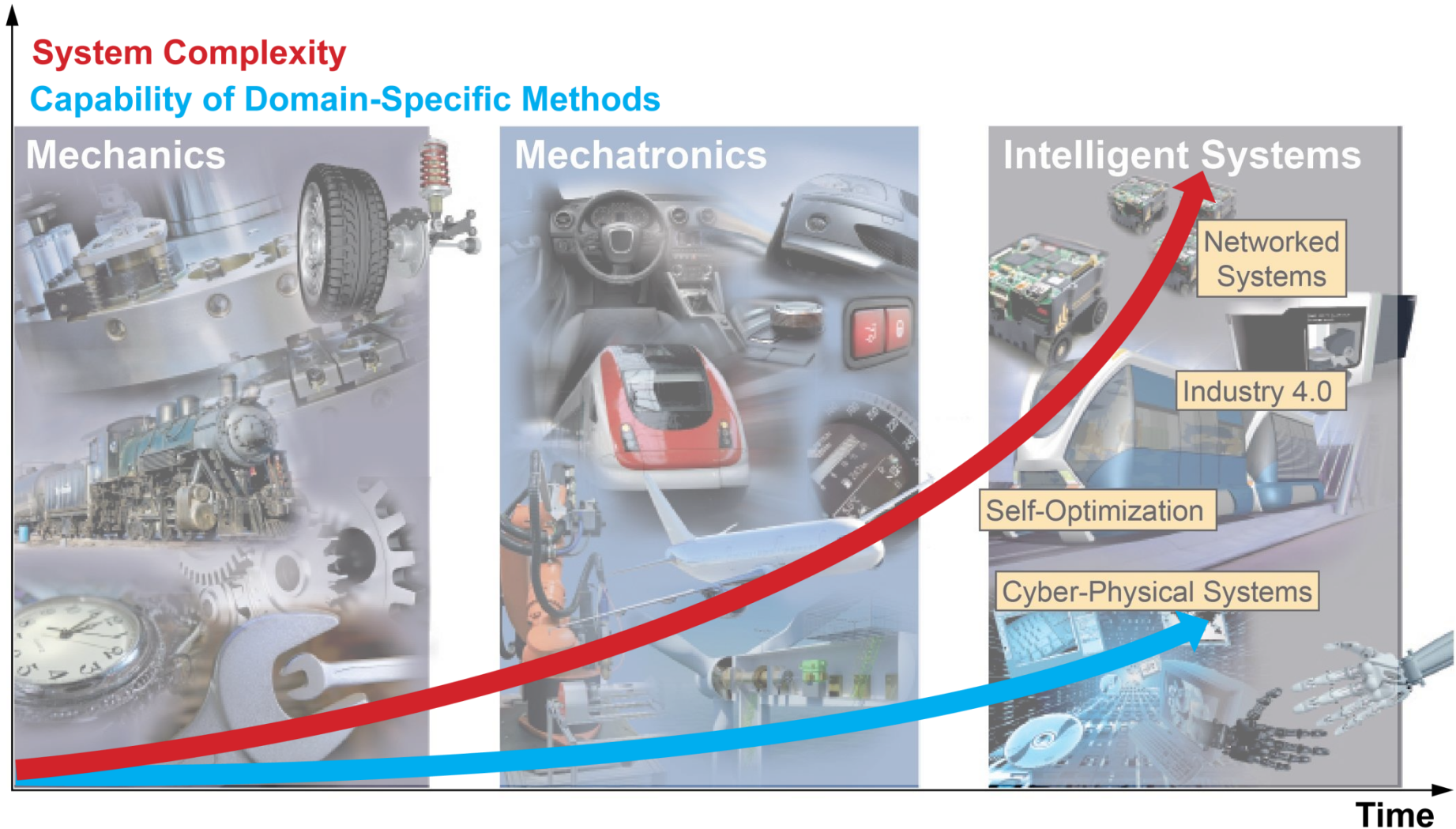


**The major success factor for the development of complex systems is a systematic and interdisciplinary view.**



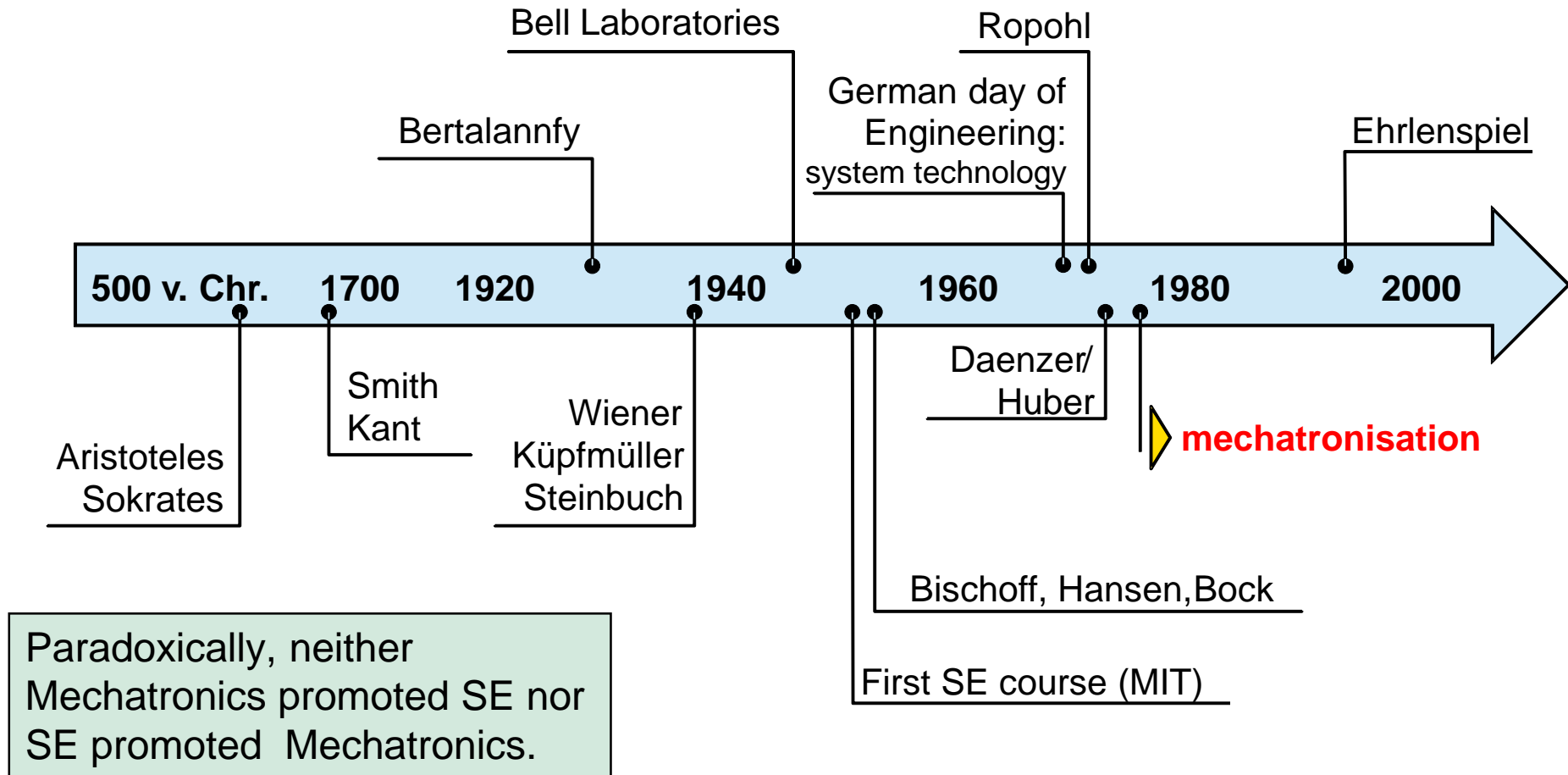
# On the Way to Intelligent Technical Systems

## Enabler: Systems Engineering



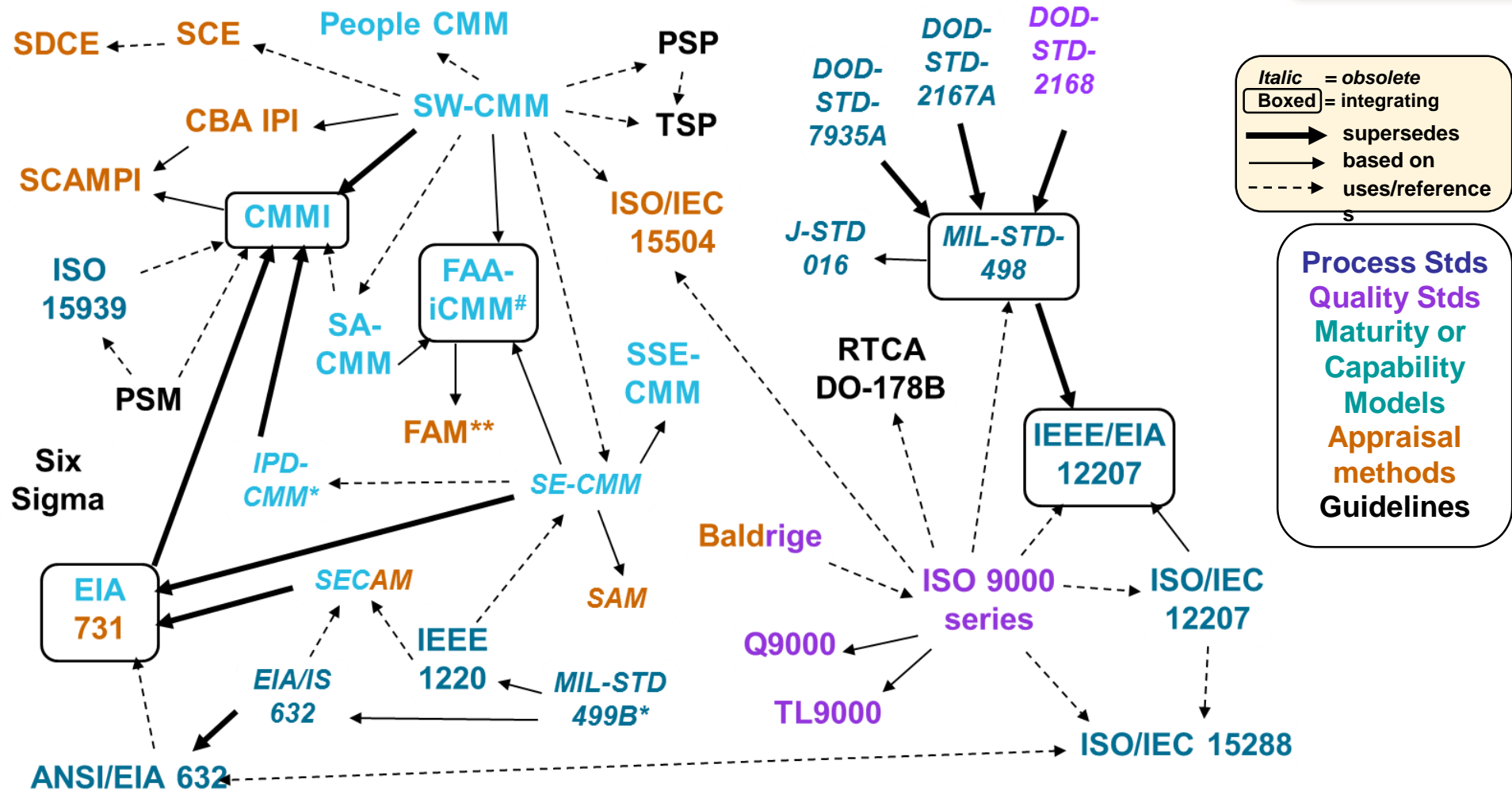
# What is Systems Engineering?

## From Systems Thinking to Systems Engineering



# Is this Systems Engineering?

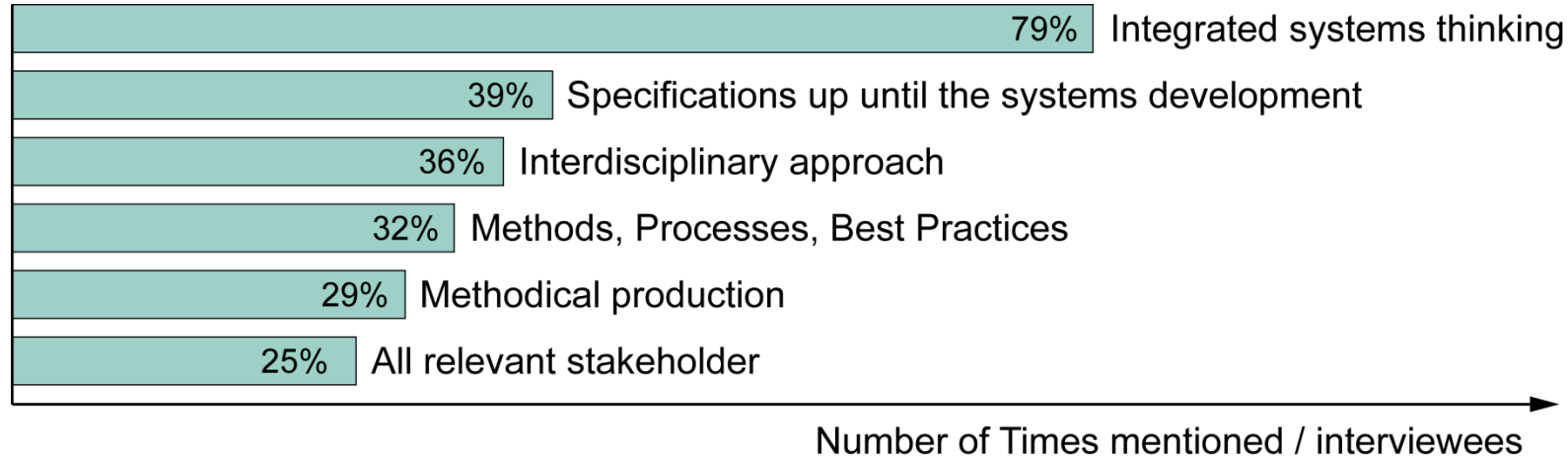
## Some SE standards



# Systems Engineering in Practice:

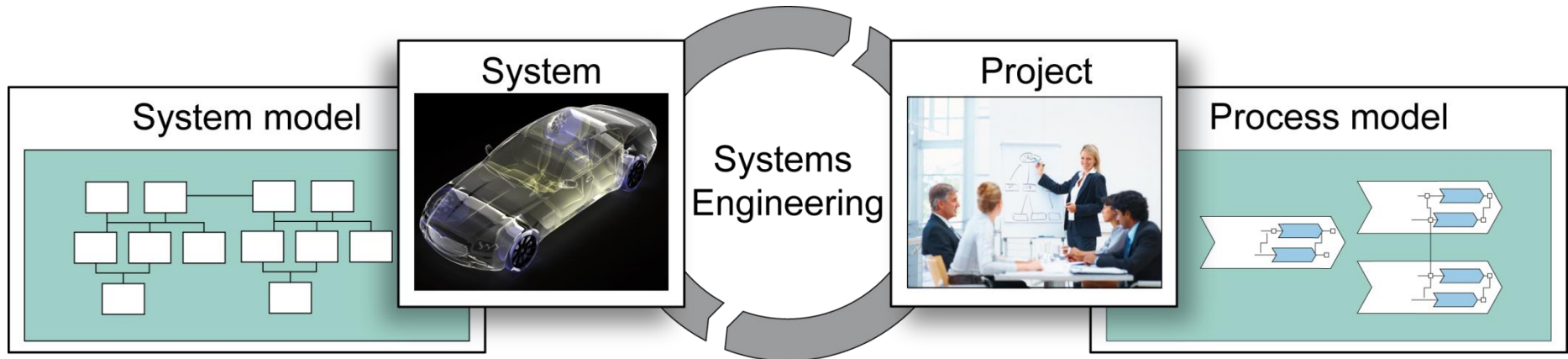
## The concept of Systems Engineering

### Personally, what do you know about Systems Engineering?



There is no common acceptance of what SE is and what it is not.  
The term lacks grip and clarity. SE is often seen as a “generic term”.

# The concept of Systems Engineering (1/2)



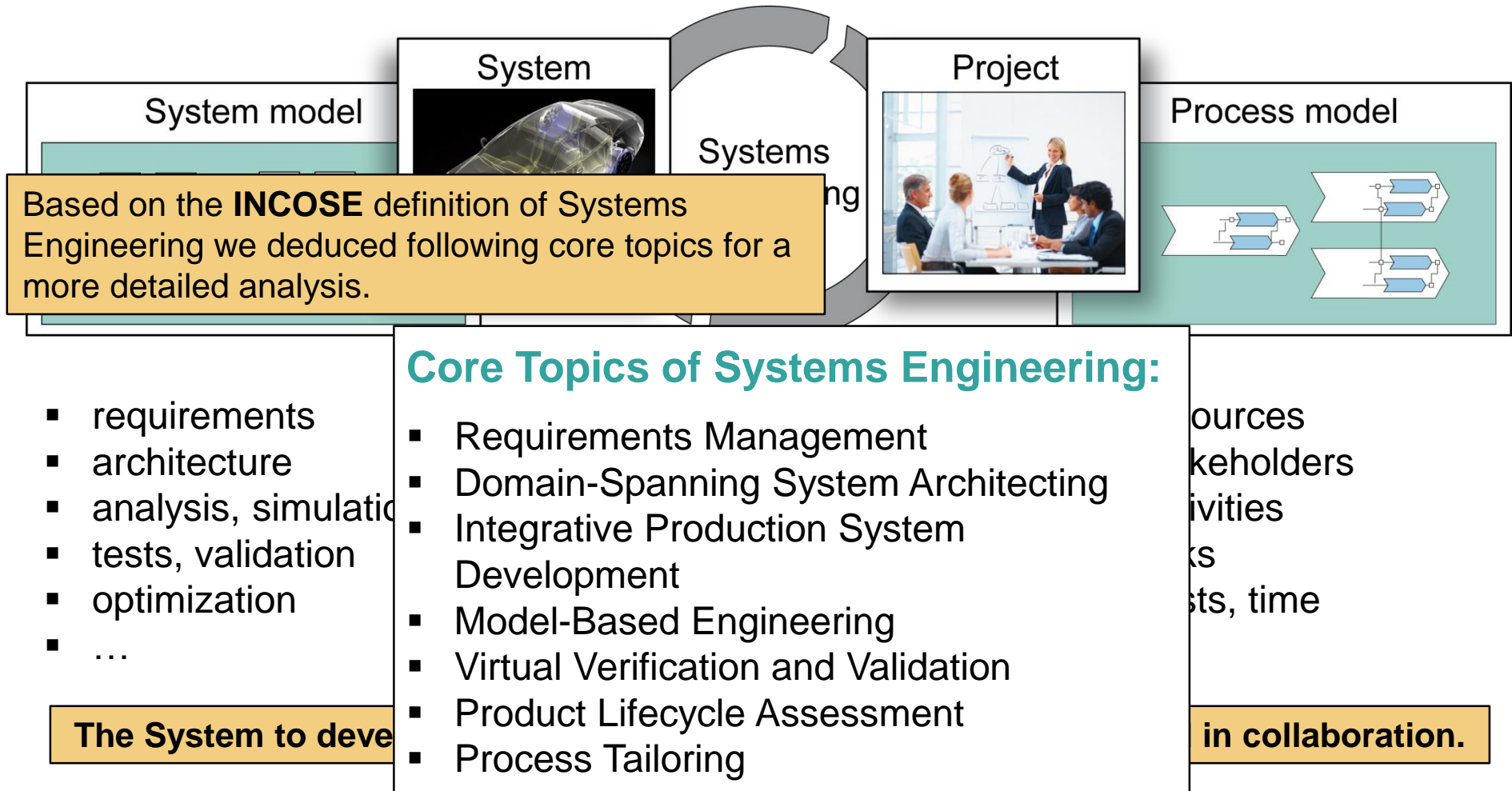
- requirements
- architecture
- analysis, simulation
- tests, validation
- optimization
- ...

- resources
- stakeholders
- activities
- risks
- costs, time
- ...

**The System to develop and the related project need to be considered in collaboration.**



# The concept of Systems Engineering (2/2)



## Conclusion

- Tomorrows systems will be Intelligent Technical Systems
- Cooperation between technical (mechanical, electrical engineering etc.) and non technical disciplines (biology, cognitive science etc.) has to take place
- The Leading-Edge-Cluster it's OWL enables the innovation leap towards Intelligent Technical Systemens for enterprises of the region OWL
- Common view in industry and academia:
  - Systems Engineering is indispensable to face tomorrow' s grand challenges
  - SE methods and tools need to be carried to a new advanced level to face the growing complexity along the product lifecycle
  - Research has to be done in close cooperation between academia and industry

**Thank you for your attention!**