

Multi-Annual Strategic Plan for Electronic Customs (MASP-C)

Single Window at the border

EU Single Window environment for customs

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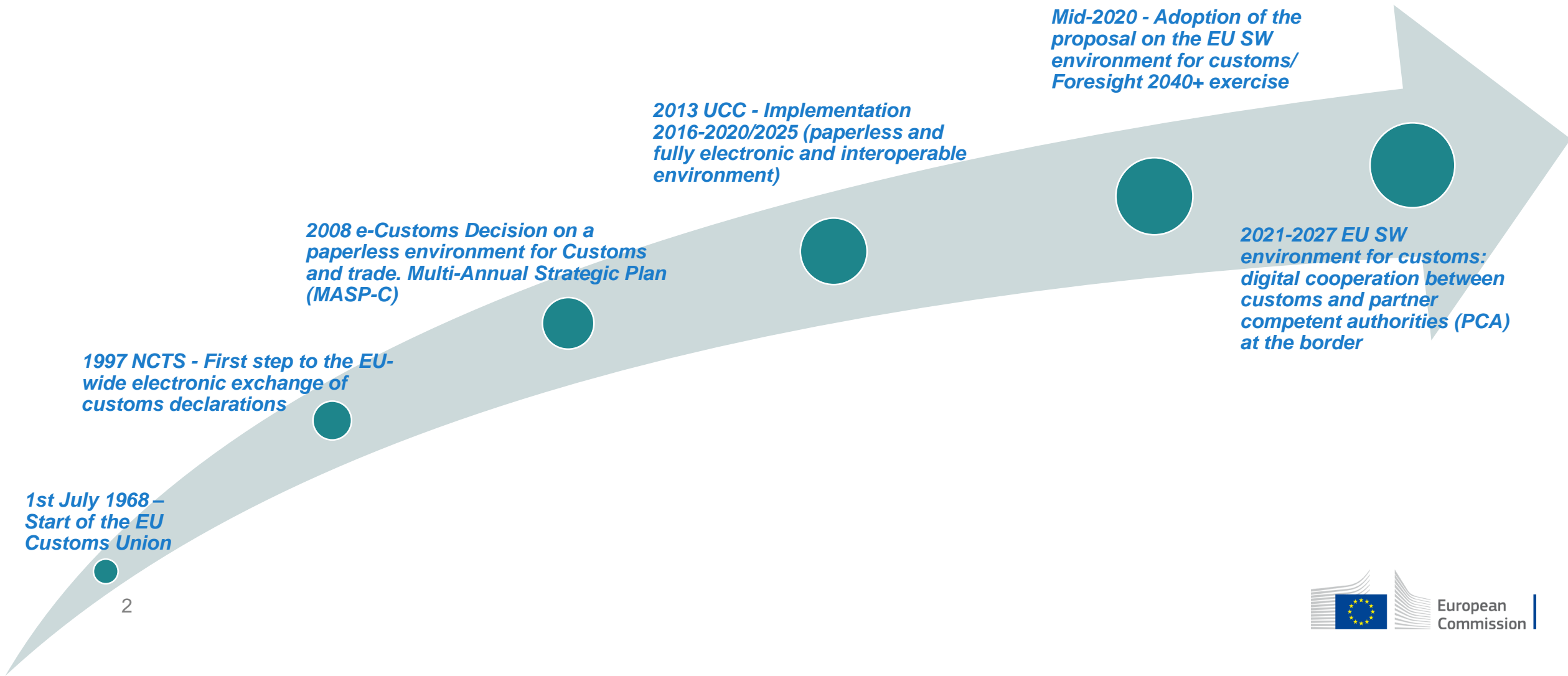
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Roadmap to EU Customs Union modernisation



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Decision factors considered for MASP-C implementation:

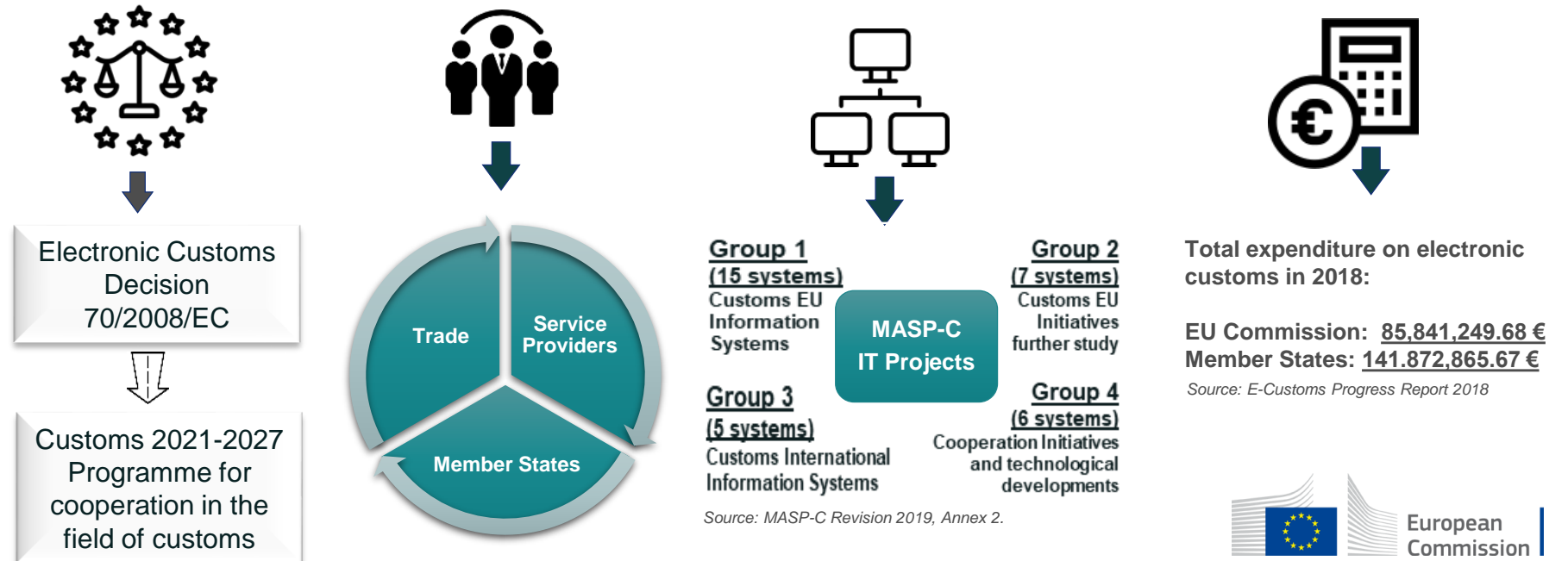
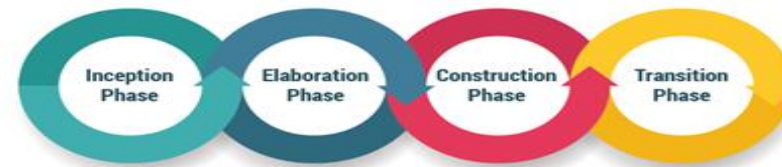
- Desired planning outcomes
- Level of leadership commitment
- Availability and accuracy of data
- Process management through business process modelling
- Level of agreement on strategic priorities with involved stakeholders
- Time and resources available
- Maturity of IT customs systems

Total of 33 IT systems



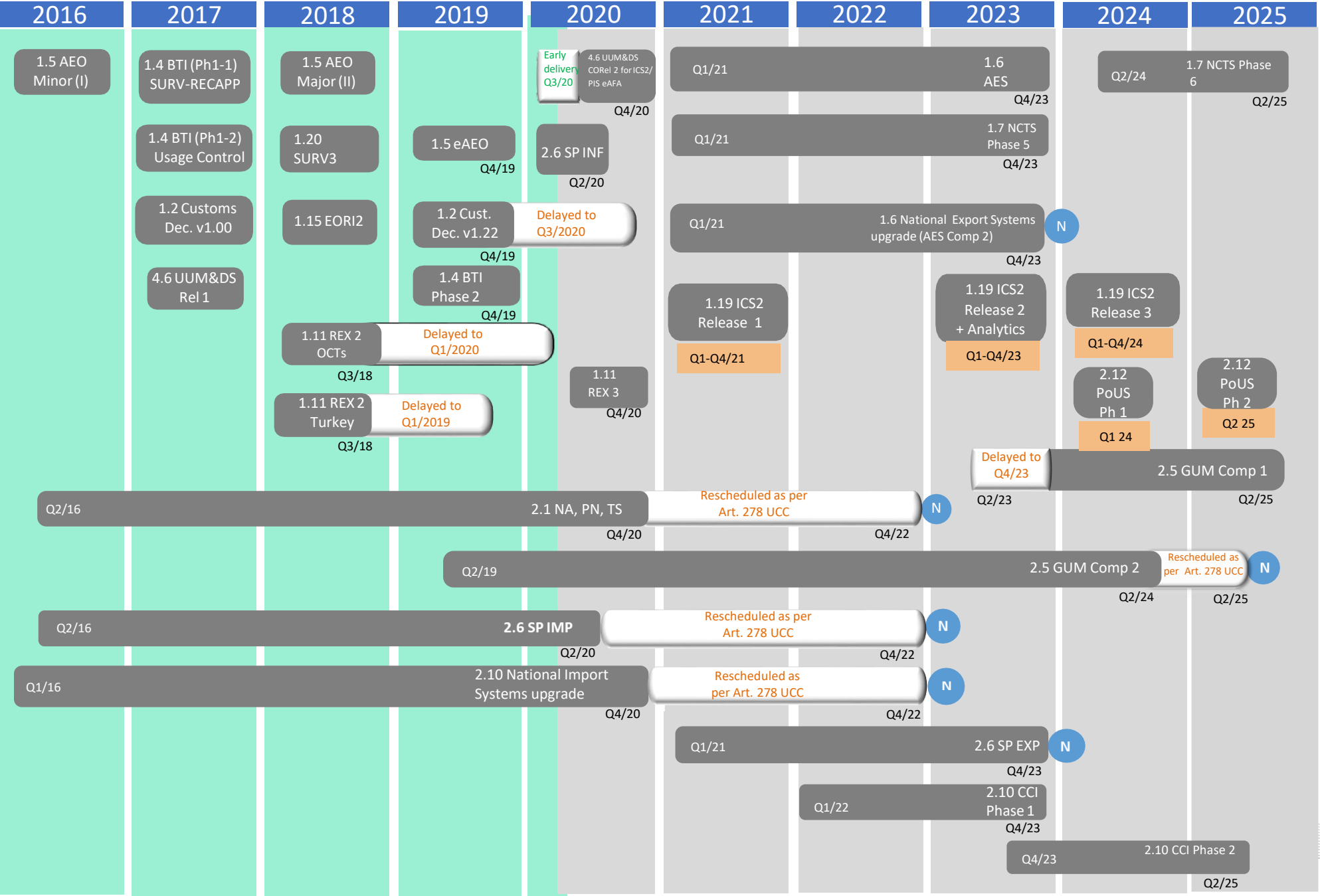
17 UCC IT systems

High-level strategic planning for EU customs IT systems

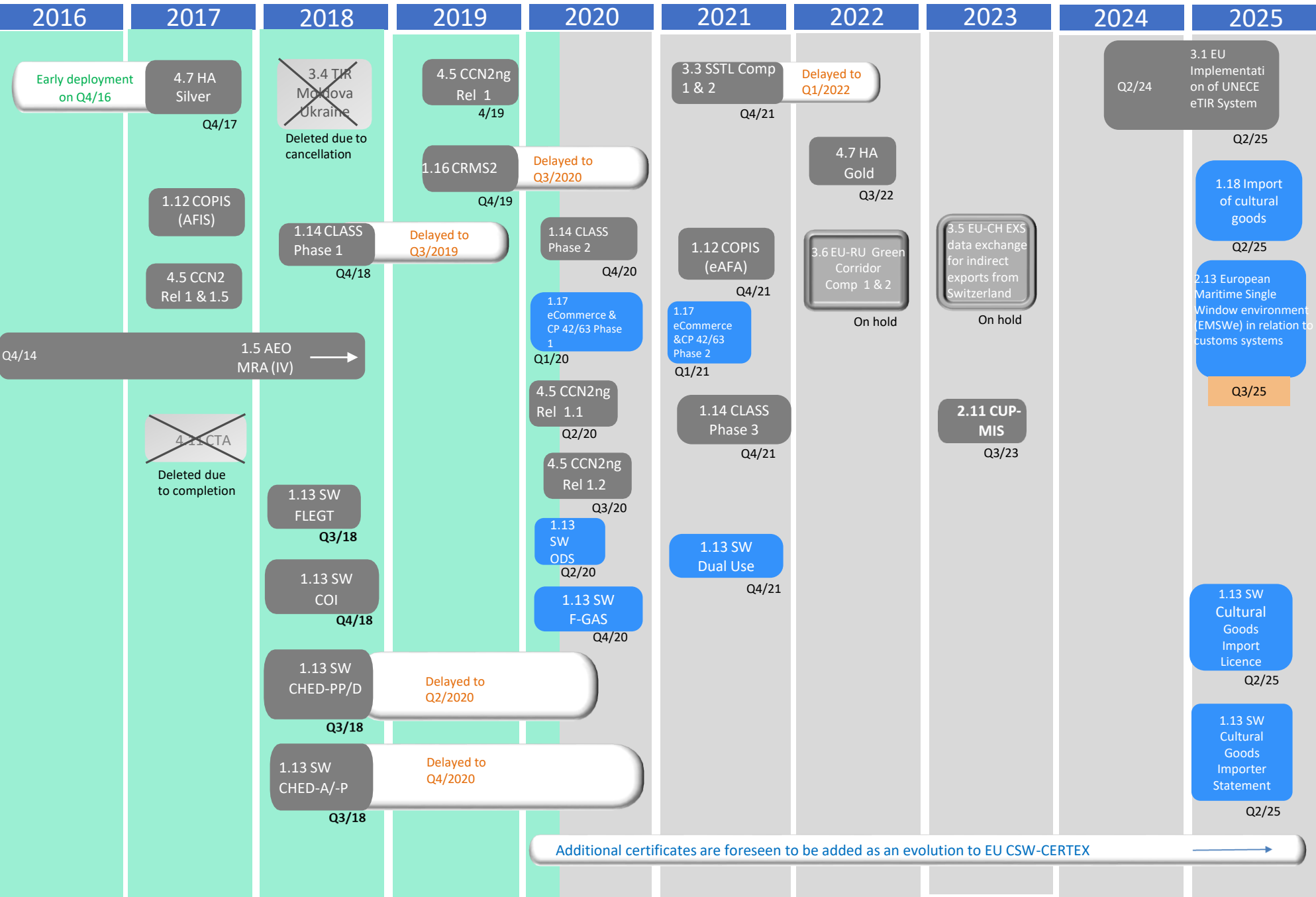


MASP-C Revision 2019 Planning Overview - UCC Projects

N National systems



MAASP-C Revision 2019 Planning Overview - Other Projects



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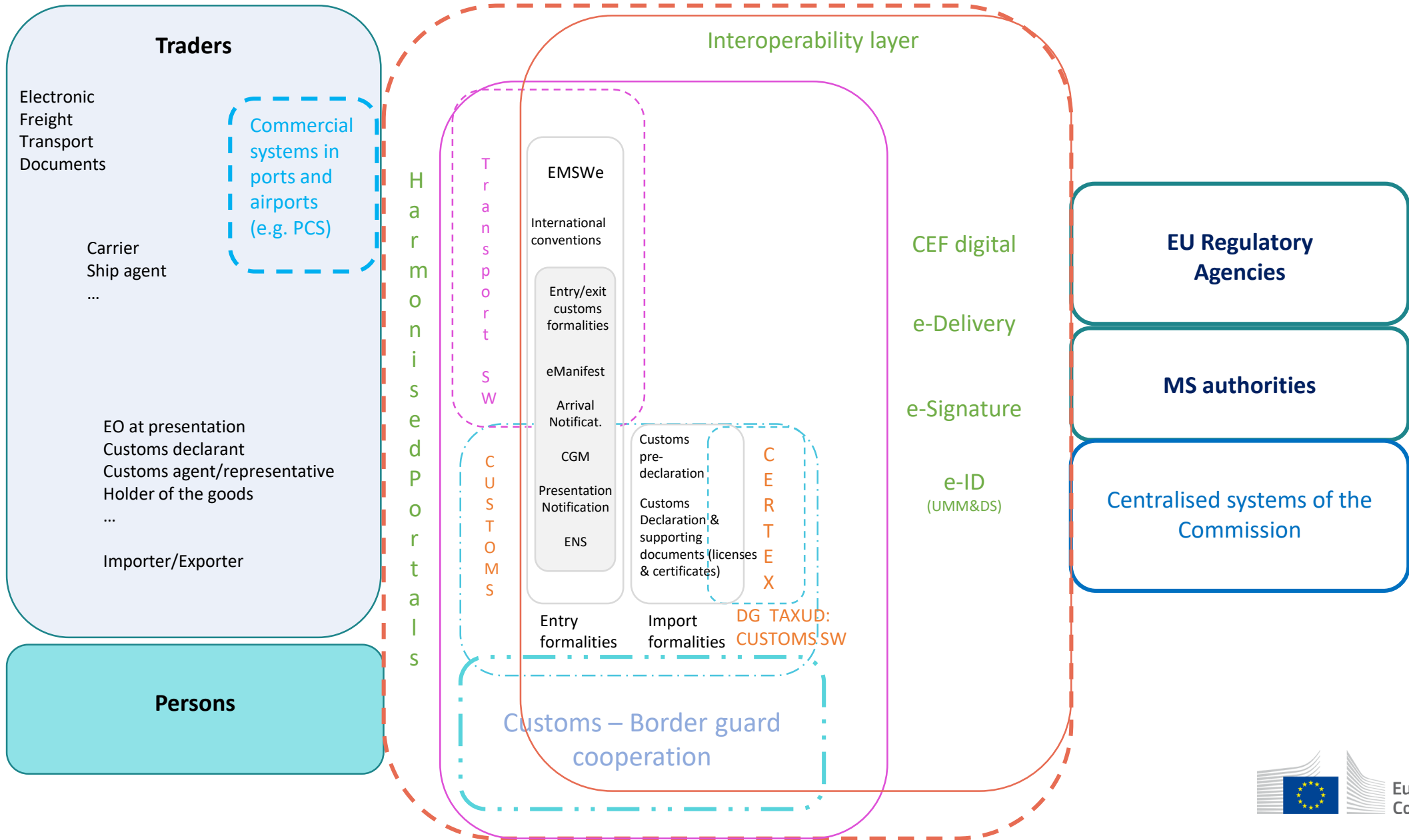


Why the Single Window?

Vision
*Faster and more
efficient trading
across borders*
*Maximise the growth
potential of the digital
economy*
*Better application of
legislation*
*Streamlined
regulatory formalities*



Realisation
Trade facilitation
*Increased efficiency of
goods clearance*
*Improved regulatory
compliance*
*Reduction of
administrative burden*
*Better cooperation and
coordination between
authorities involved in
goods clearance*

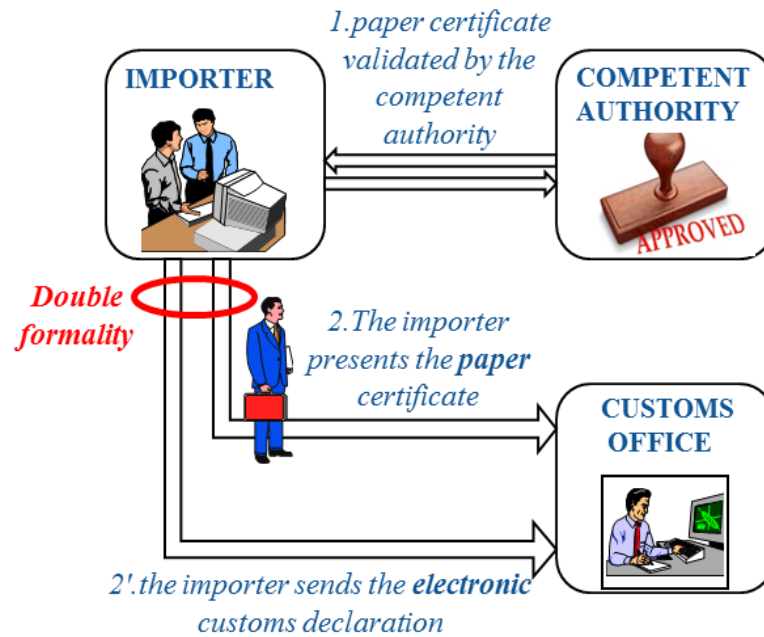




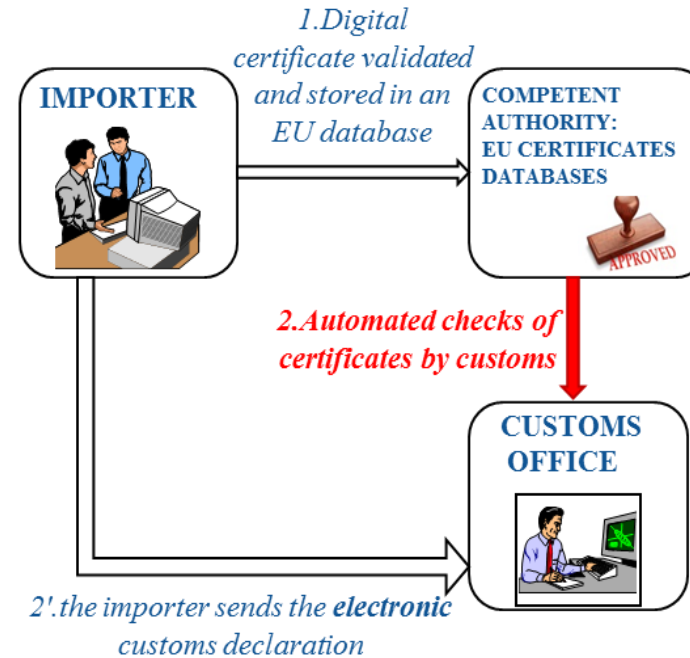
EU Single Window environment for customs

EU Customs Single Window certificates exchange

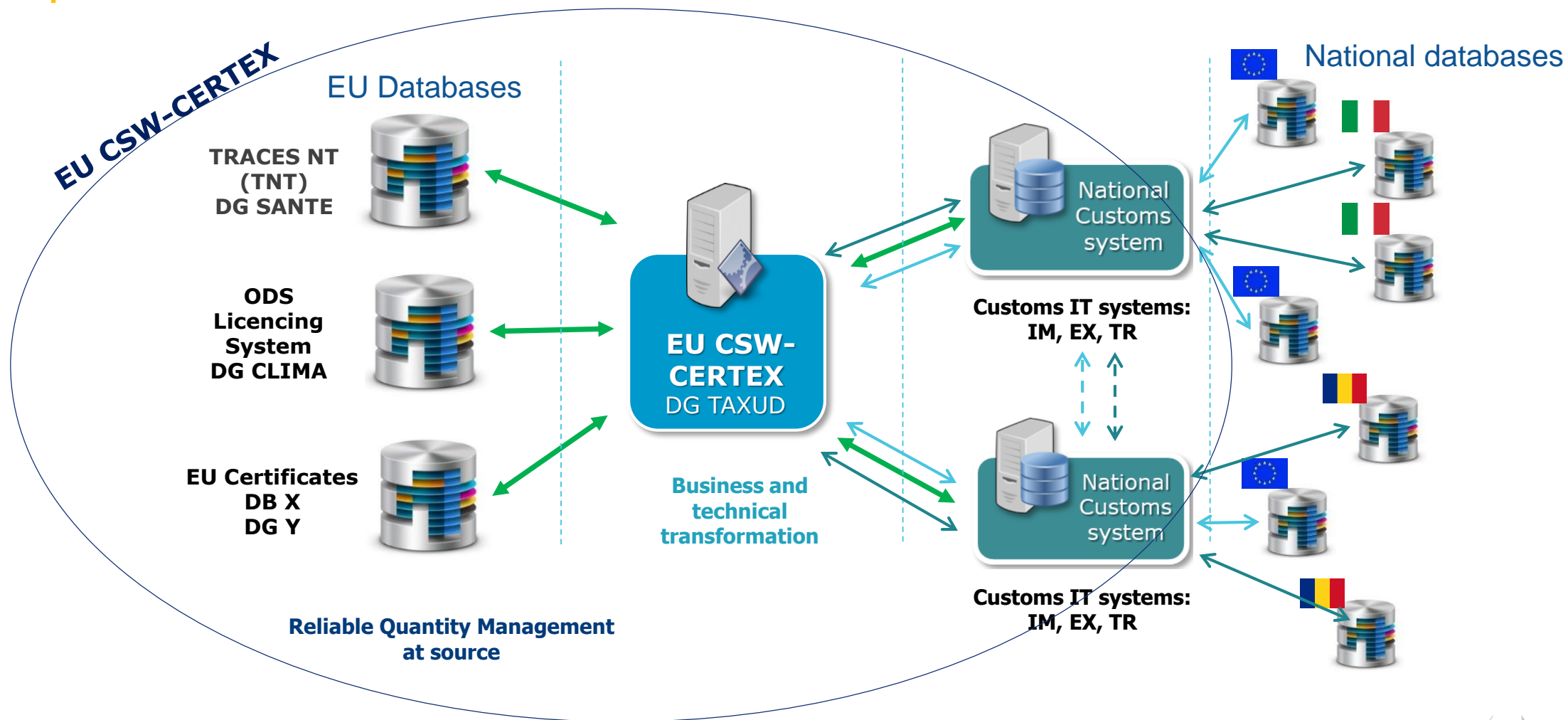
CURRENT SITUATION



WITH SINGLE WINDOW



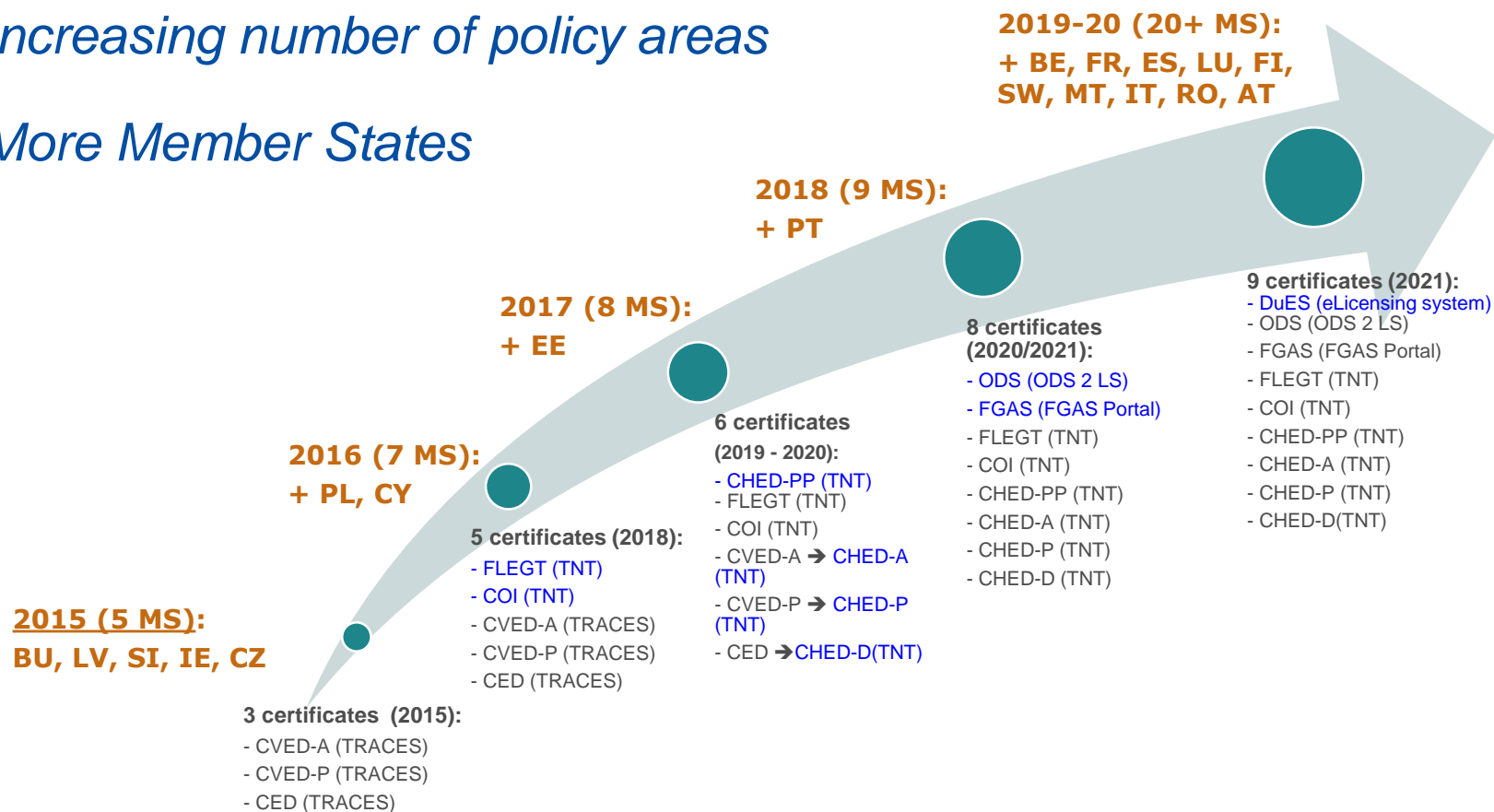
Architecture overview of the EU Single Window environment for customs



EU Customs Single Window CERTEX pilot project (EU CSW-CERTEX)

Increasing number of policy areas

More Member States



11 certificates (2023):

- Cultural Goods Import Licence
- Cultural Goods Importer Statement
- DuES (eLicensing system)
- ODS (ODS 2 LS)
- FGAS (FGAS Portal)
- FLEGT (TNT)
- COI (TNT)
- CHED-PP (TNT)
- CHED-A (TNT)
- CHED-P (TNT)
- CHED-D (TNT)

On the radar:

Alien species
(DG ENV)

WASTE
(DG ENV)

CITES
(DG ENV)

Products Safety
(DG GROW)

Preparation for the legal initiative on the EU Single Window environment for customs

Activities leading to the preparation of the Impact Assessment report



Open Public Consultation (09/10/2018 – 17/01/2019)

371 responses received from stakeholders and private citizens across MS

Strong support for further EU action to improve the trade and transport of goods across borders

Potential objectives for a new initiative were considered important by over 90% of respondents



High-level Seminar on the EU Single Window environment for customs (May 2019)

Assessment of policy options in the G2G and B2G domains with national customs DGs and trade

G2G cooperation: Strong support for **Option 1**; support with **preconditions for Option 2**

B2G cooperation: Strong support for **Option 6 as voluntary**



Customs 2020 Project Group on the Single Window environment for customs to study a possible framework to develop the EU Single Window environment for customs including its legal aspects (Set up in December 2016)

Direct consultation with national customs experts on the problem analysis, identification of the objectives and potential policy options



Inter-service Steering Group meetings

Internal consultation with concerned DGs and COM services on the preparation of the impact assessment report, including SG, TAXUD, AGRI, CLIMA, CNECT, DIGIT, ENV, GROW, HOME, MARE, MOVE, SANTE, TRADE and the Legal Service.

Legal initiative on the EU Single Window environment for customs: Policy options preferred package

Government-to-
Government (G2G)

G2G

Make **EU CSW-CERTEX** mandatory, enhance its functionalities over time and **expand coverage to all non-customs regulatory formalities** for which **all information required by customs is available at central level for all Member States**.

Business-to-
Government
(B2G)

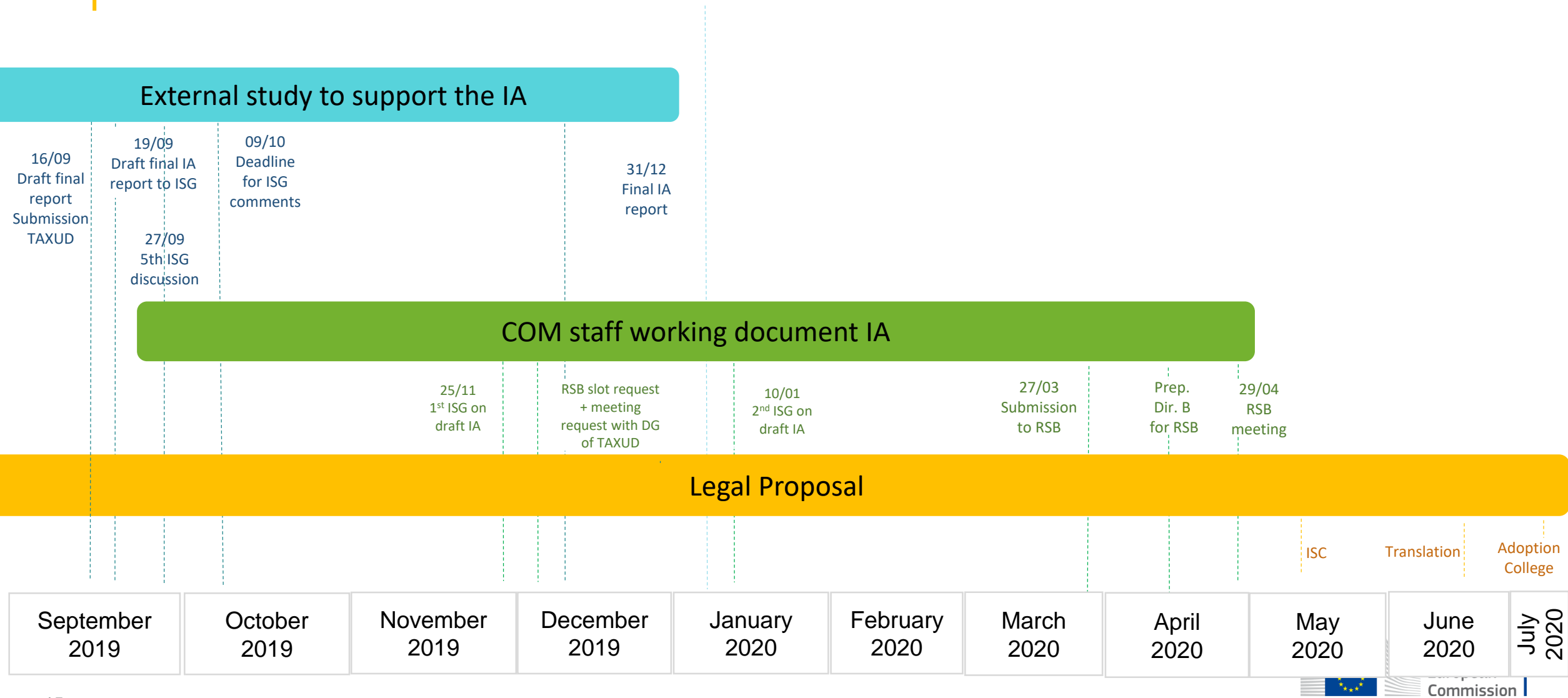
B2G

Interoperable national single windows: each Member State to establish an integrated declaration system that would allow for **joined up submission by economic operators of information required by customs and partner competent authorities for a range of EU regulatory formalities**.

EORI

To facilitate collaboration between the different authorities involved in border management, EORI will be opened up so that partner competent authorities can use it for validation purposes.

EU Single Window environment for customs: Detailed planning until adoption by the College



Thank you for your attention



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