



Preparatory Action CSDP-related research: state of play

Preparatory Action on CSDP-related research

- Commission has the initiative .
- Preparatory Action (PA) to test CSDP-related research at EU level.
- Prepare a thematic theme in next Research Framework programme (2021-2027).
- Timing: 2017-2019.
- Consultation with Member States and industry in the form of workshops.
- Importance of harmonised views.

workshop 1: 21 November 2014:

workshop 2: 12 February 2015:

workshop 3: 30 March 2015:

scope

governance and modalities

industry views

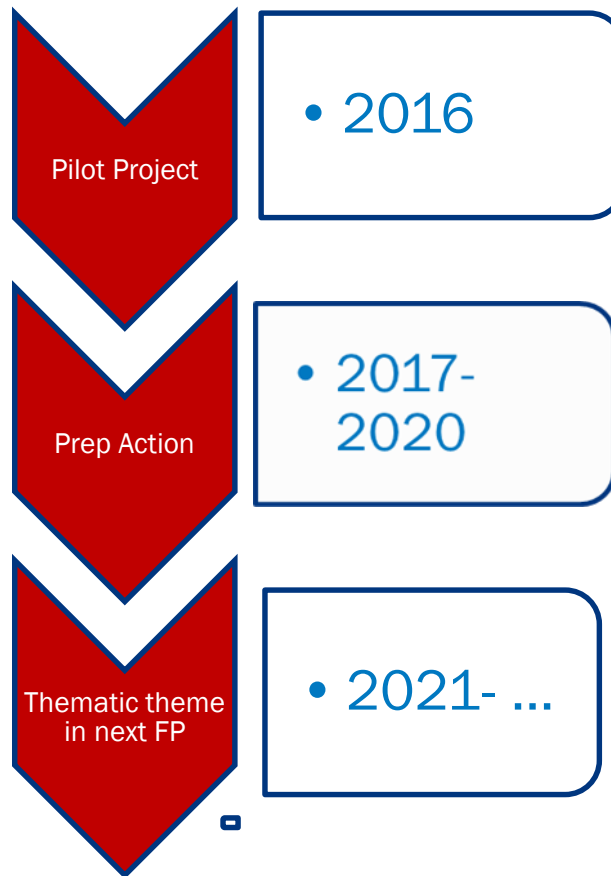
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- Next phase of **workshops**: 3 will be organised in 2nd half of 2015
 - governance
 - topics/content
 - IPR scheme
- Goal: to have a general idea of content and modalities at end of 2015 before the Commission will table the preliminary draft budget, including some of the key aspects of the PA, at the beginning of 2016
- At same time: **Group of Personalities**

Input from EDA CapTechs and from MS

- Input from CapTechs as a result from the COMMs:
 - COMM of 31/10/2014
 - COMM of 5/12/2014
 - ▶ THEMES (not project proposals) from CapTechs
- During WS1 on scope: MS requested to give additional high-level guidance on capability areas
 - ▶ priority capability areas from MS
- EDA is analysing the input and will propose the consolidated input from Member States and CapTechs to Steering Board of 30 June
- Goal: Mapping of the input. This could be a sound contribution for the Commission, based on CDP and on SRA

Timeline



Detailed time schedule

MEETING	DATE	Leader	Venue
Council of Heads of Government and State	25 June 2015	N/A	Brussels
Workshop 4: Governance, including implementing agency	21 September 2015	EDA and Commission	Brussels
Group of Personalities	September 2015	Commission	Brussels
Establishment of Working Groups on IPR	September 2015	EDA and Commission	Brussels
Workshop 5: Priority topics and content of PA	20 October 2015	EDA and Commission	Brussels
Workshop 6: IPR	December 2015	EDA and Commission	Brussels
2016 Preliminary Draft Budget	February 2016	Commission	N/A
Group of Personalities: final report	March 2016	Commission	Brussels
EDA R&T conference	March 2016	EDA	Amsterdam, Netherlands
Commission COMM PA CSDP-related research	December 2016 January 2017	Commission	N/A
Commission Financial Decision on PA	Early spring 2017	Commission	N/A
Negotiation of delegation agreement <small>in case of delegating the implementation of the PA to an executive body</small>	First half of 2017	EDA-Commission	N/A
Launch of first call of PA	Summer 2017	Commission/ Implementing agency	N/A