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# System of coordination of programmes directly managed by the European Commission

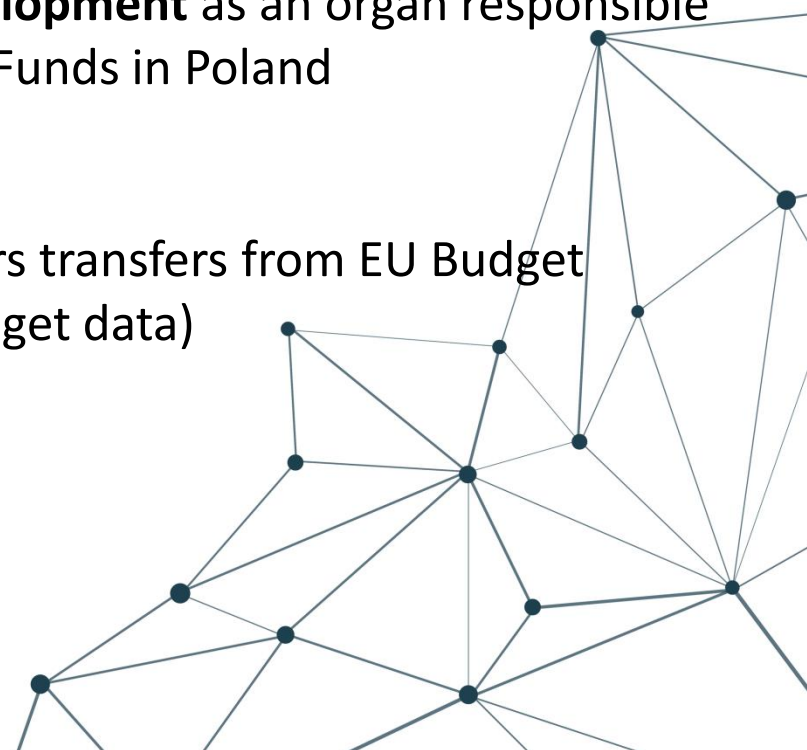
*Ministry of Investment and Economic Development of Poland*

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# Introduction

1. **Adoption of *Strategy for Responsible Development by 2020* (with the perspective by 2030)** – on 14th February 2017
2. **„*System of Coordination...*”** as a one of the main projects included in the Strategy
3. **Minister of Investment and Economic Development** as an organ responsible for coordination and implementation of EU Funds in Poland
4. **III Quarter 2017 – start of the project.**  
Ministry of Economic Development monitors transfers from EU Budget in terms of horizontal programmes (DG Budget data)



# Diagnosis

Level of participation of Polish beneficiaries in centrally managed programmes such as: Horizon 2020, Erasmus+, CEF, COSME and LIFE is currently unsatisfactory.

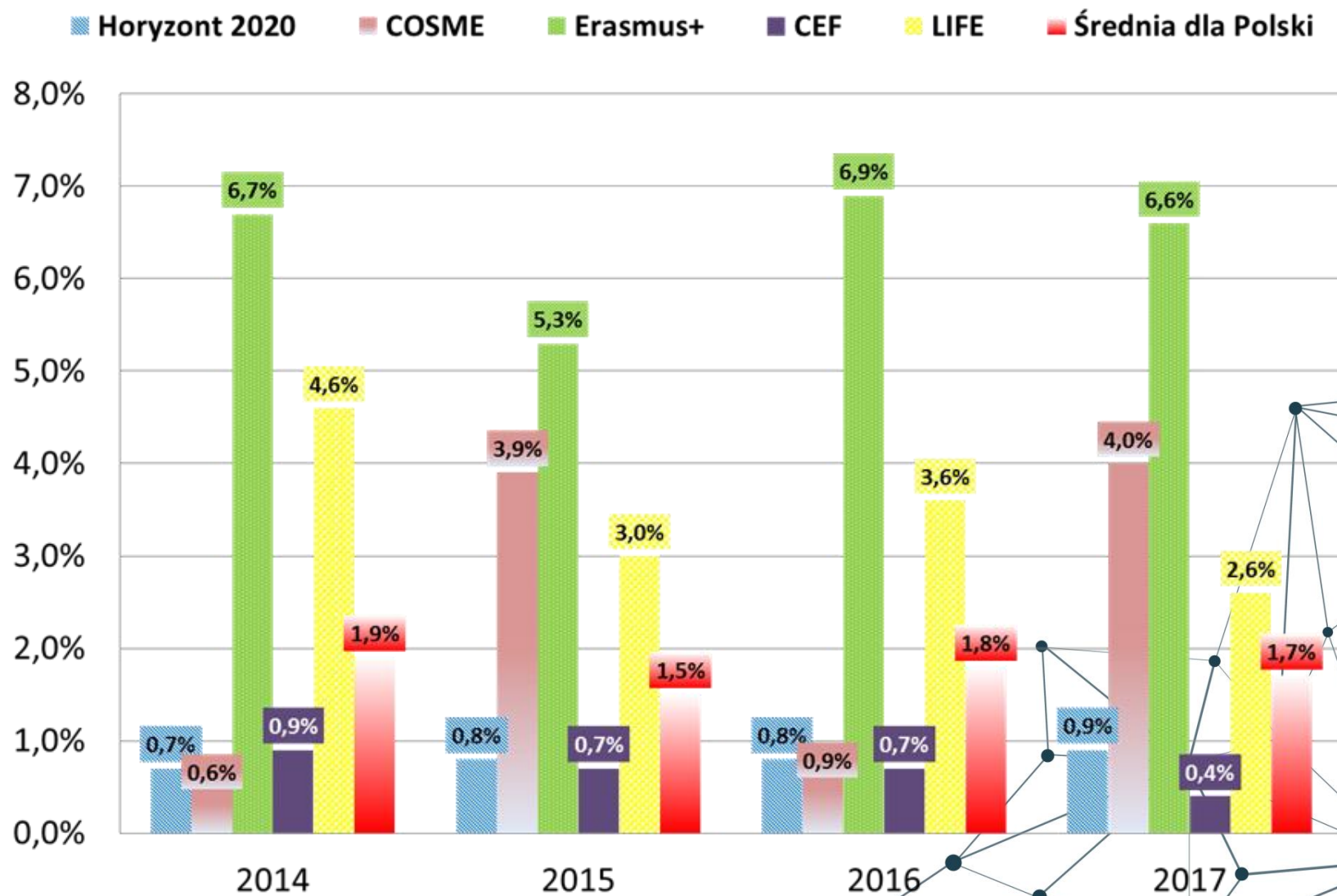
Lack of coordination between institutions (contact points) responsible for particular programmes

Dispersion of actions taken by particular institutions and contact points – especially in terms of information and communication measures

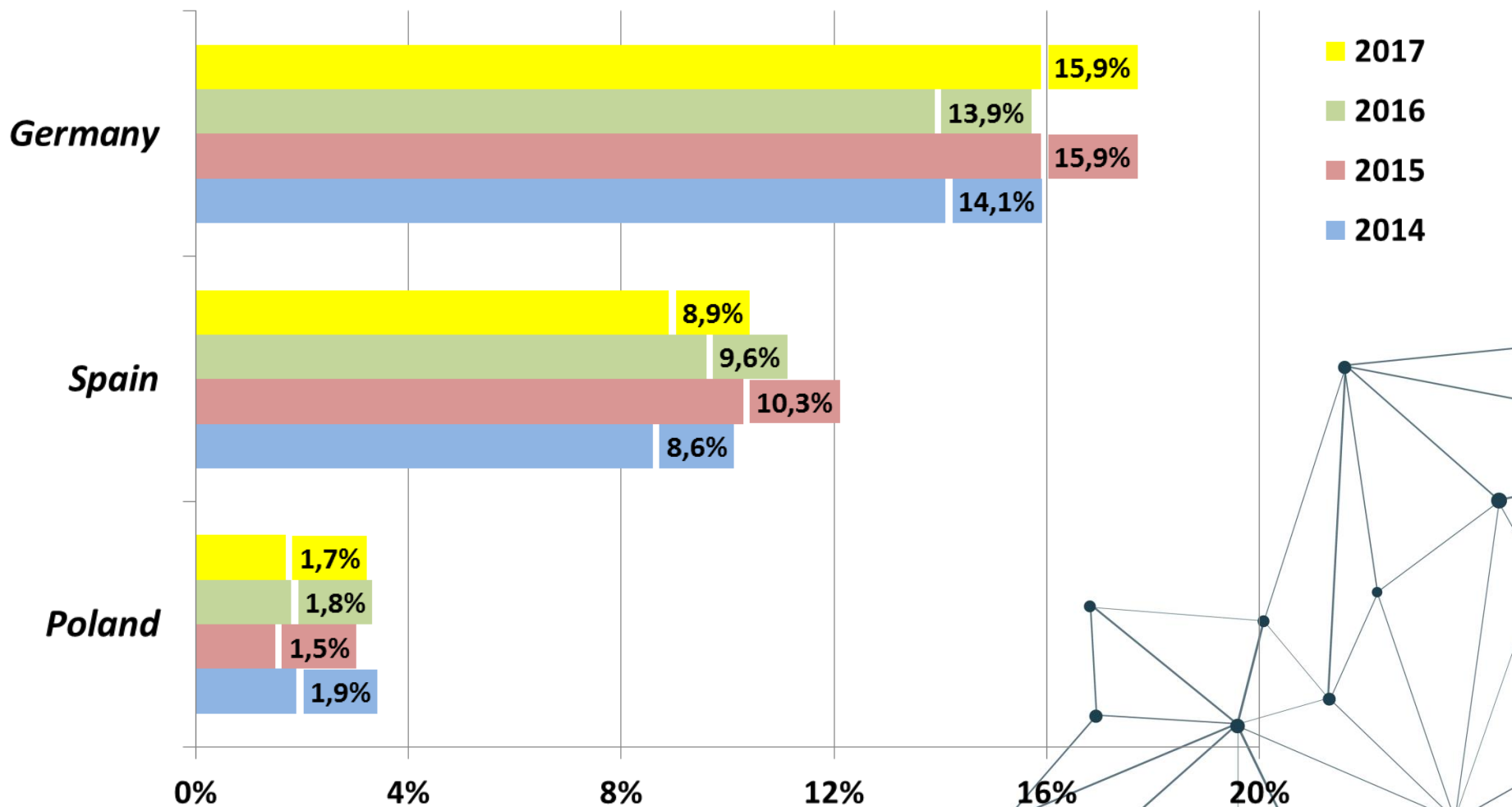
Lack of influence of Polish institutions on framework/content of programmes.



# Average share of Poland's participation in central managed programmes in 2014-2017



# Average transfers to Poland, Spain and Germany from aggregated budgets of central managed programmes in 2014-2017 (benchmarking)



# Project of the Ministry of Investment and Economic Development of Poland

**Title:** System of coordination of support for polish entities in implementing projects financed through the programmes directly managed by the European Commission

**Main objective:** Increase of number of polish entities, which apply for support from EU directly managed programmes

Project included in the Strategy for Responsible Development

# Steps in the project:

**Analyses/Researches  
on the use of  
horizontal  
programmes in  
Poland**

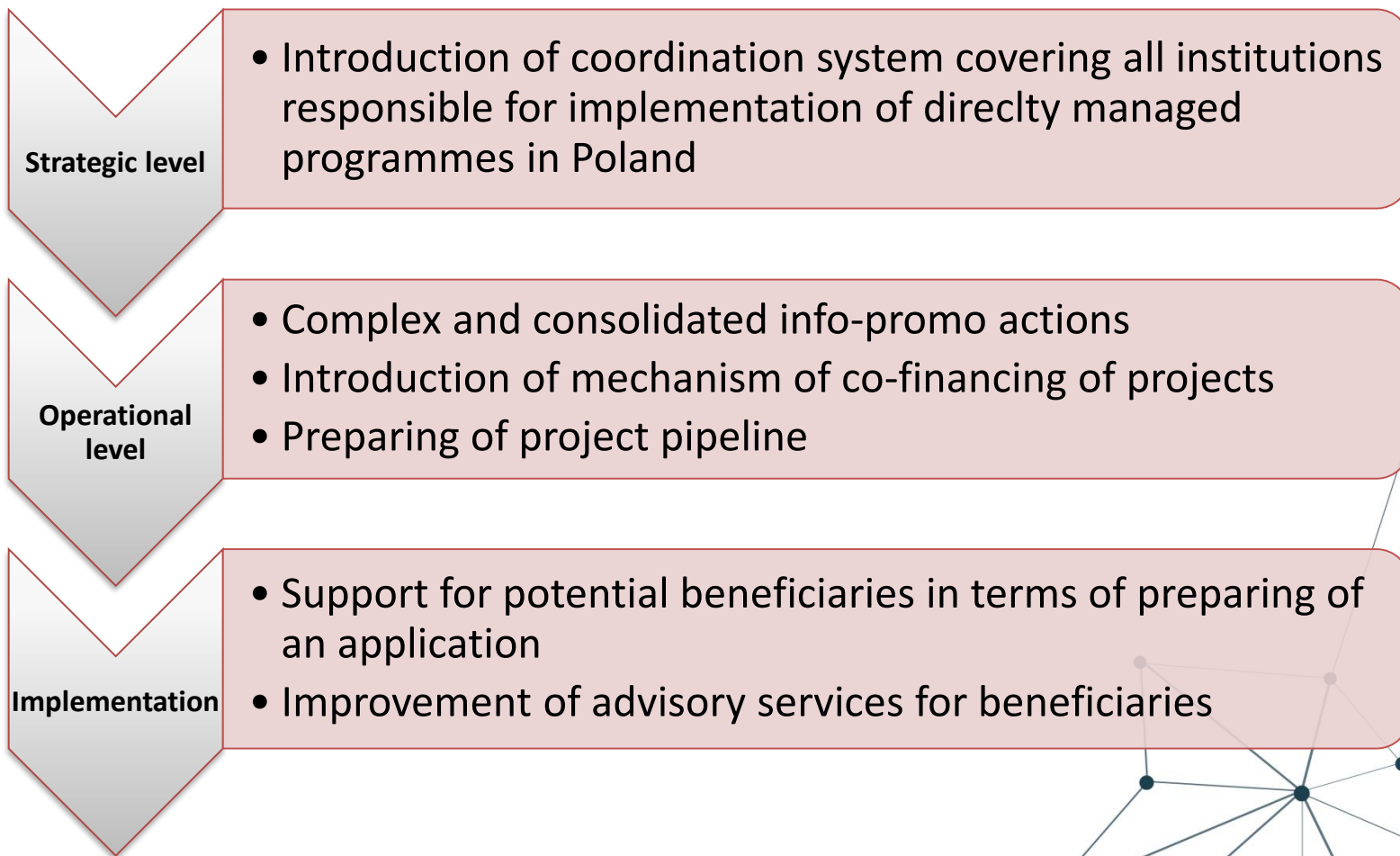
**Preparation of the  
system on the basis  
of conclusions of  
analyses**

**Consultations with  
all institutions and  
contact points**

**Acceptance of the  
system by the  
Council of Ministers**



# Conclusions of analyses and proposals of actions





# Best practises in Poland (1)

Project implemented within  
Technical Assistance of OP  
Smart Growth (ERDF)

- **Project: „STEP”**

„**Innovation Coach**” service is provided for beneficiaries of project

The aim of the service is **to support the beneficiaries, who are interested in applying for grants for R&D+I project** but they need support in terms of company’s potential assessment

**The aim of the project:**

To mobilise potential innovators to apply for grants from ERDF or horizontal programmes such as Horizon 2020

# Best practises in Poland (2)

Actions planned within OP  
Smart Growth (ERDF)

- **Project: „Grants for grants”**

**Support for enterprises and research institutions** in preparing for their participation in international programmes

Scope of support within the project:

**Financing of preparation of application form, financing of costs connected with international cooperation** (with European technologies' platforms etc.) such as costs of audits and advisory services

**The aim of the project:**

To increase of SME and research institutions' participation in European programmes

# Best practises in Poland (3)

Projects carried out by the Ministry of Science and Higher Education of Poland

- **Projects:**
  - 1) „Grants for grants”
  - 2) „Bonus on the horizon”

„Bonus on the horizon” - support for research institutions (especially in terms of financing of additional remunerations)

„Grants for grants” – financial support for research institutions in preparing for application process within Horizon 2020

The Ministry of Science and Higher Education supervises the activity of **National Contact Point** for Research Programmes of the European Union (Horizon 2020)

**Thank you for your attention!**



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