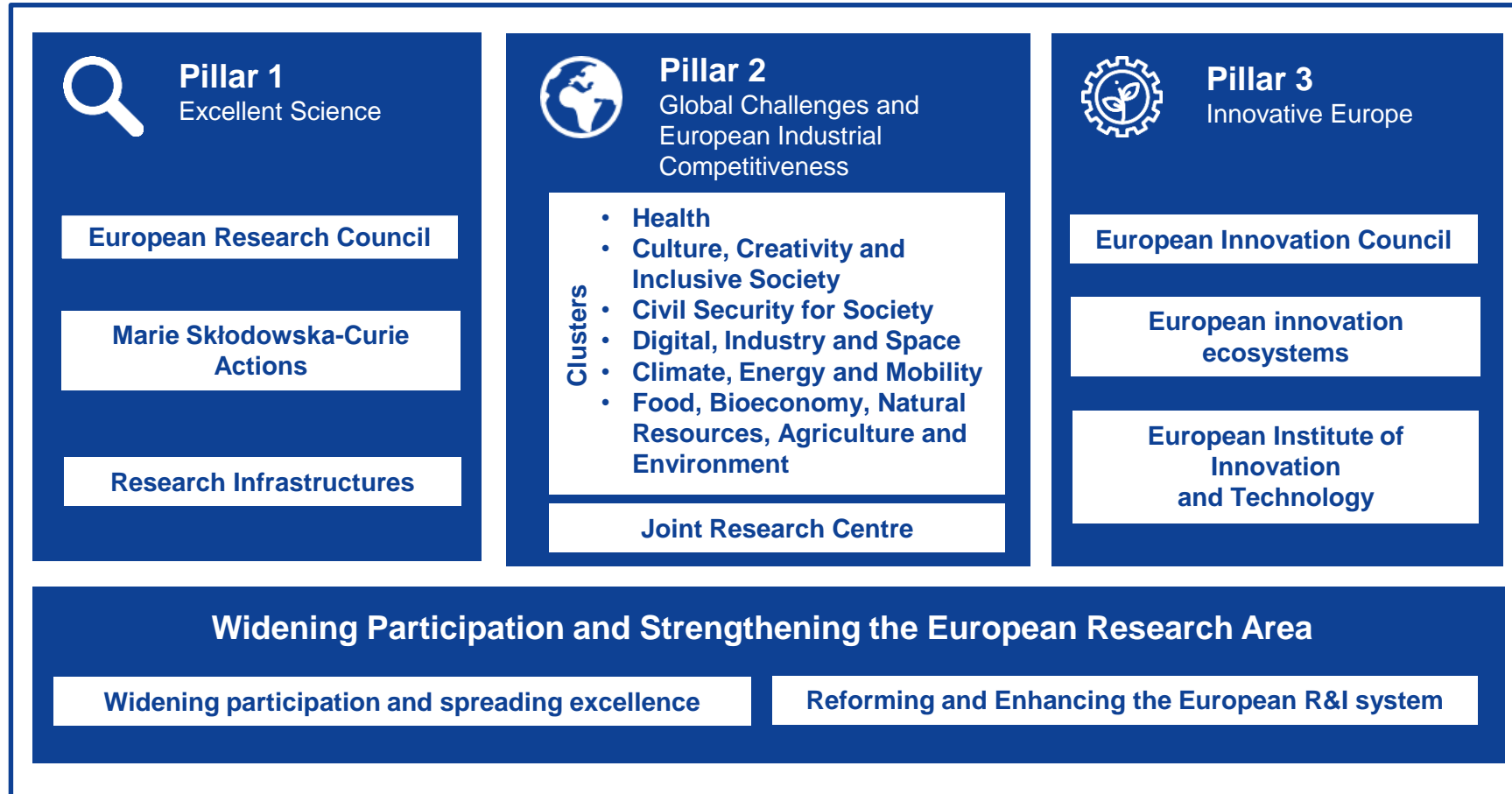




# The widening actions under the programme part “Widening participation and strengthening the ERA” of Horizon Europe

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# Horizon Europe: Overall Architecture



# Widening Participation and Strengthening the European Research Area: optimising strengths & potential for a more innovative Europe

## Widening Participation and Spreading Excellence, e.g.

- Teaming & Twinning
- ERA Chairs
- COST
- Support to NCPs
- Matchmaking and pre-screening
- Brain circulation and excellence initiatives
- “Hop-on” scheme

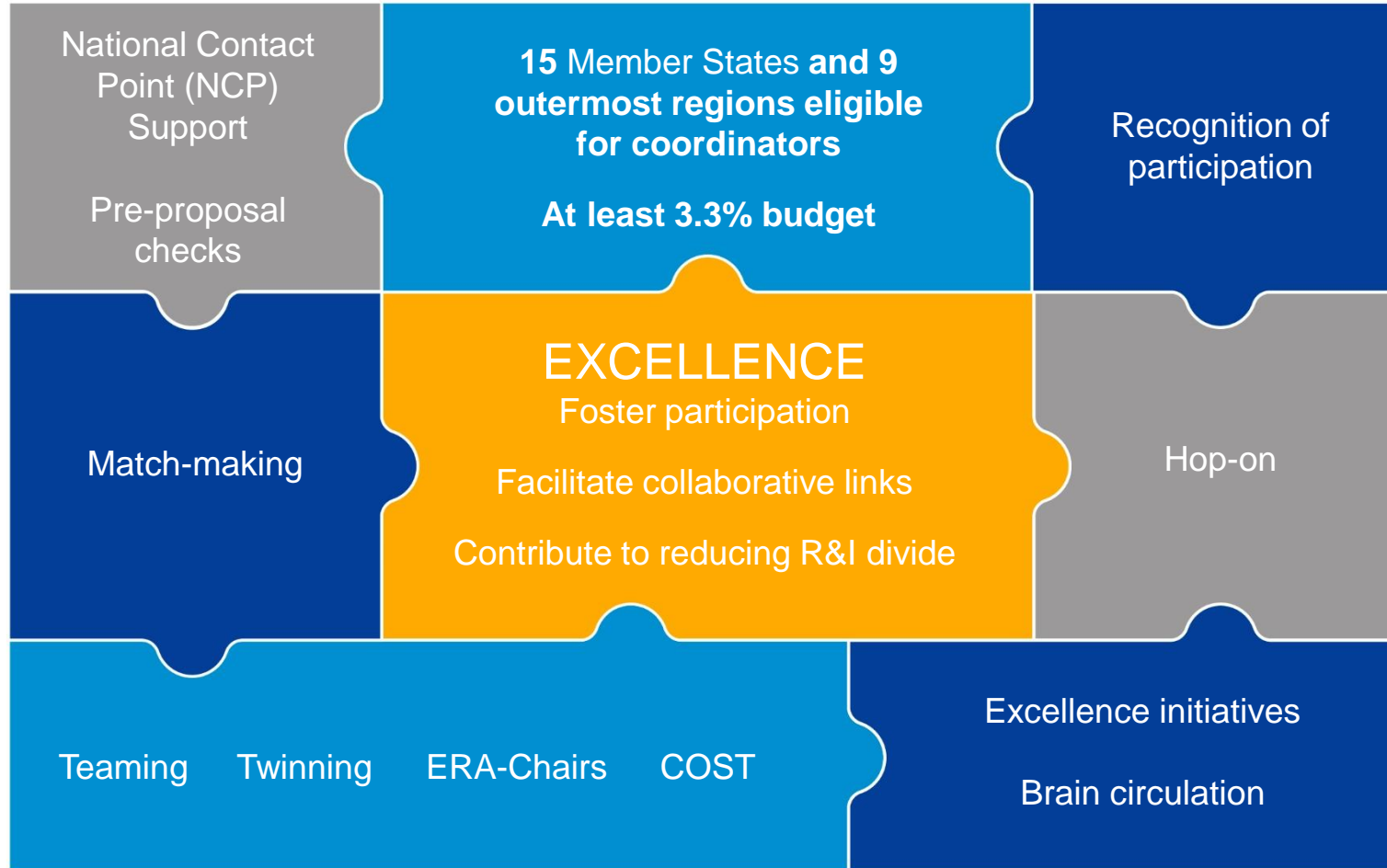
Common understanding: At least 3.3 % of Horizon Europe budget

## Reforming and enhancing the European R&I system

- Scientific evidence & foresight
- Open Science
- Policy Support Facility
- Attractive researcher careers
- Citizen science, Responsible Research & Innovation
- Gender equality



# Widening participation/spreading excellence



## Novelties for Widening under Horizon Europe:

- *More integrated policy approach and enhanced synergies with regional policy, transnational missions, regional smart specialisation strategies etc.*
- *Full alignment with new ERA strategic priorities*
- *Continuation of core widening instruments Teaming, Twinning and ERA Chairs with some improvements in response to lessons learnt*
- *Research cost for CSA eligible under widening opening opportunities for integrating smaller research projects into Twinning and ERA Chairs*
- *More emphasis on developing management capacities*
- *Full integration of COST under widening, 80% of actions must have significant widening dimension*
- *Fixed list of eligible Member States to host the main beneficiary (EU13 + PT + EL) based on new indicators and internal study + Associated Countries*
- *EU Outermost Regions fully eligible to host the co-ordinator*
- *Full implementation of “Advancing Europe” package with a number of additional support schemes to boost participation of less research performing countries*



# Thank you!

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