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Working Group objectives

Objective: to optimise S3 implementation building participants capacities in three directions:



Improving capacities of R&I systems

International positioning



Integrating multi-level perspective in S3



Design and piloting capacity building activities



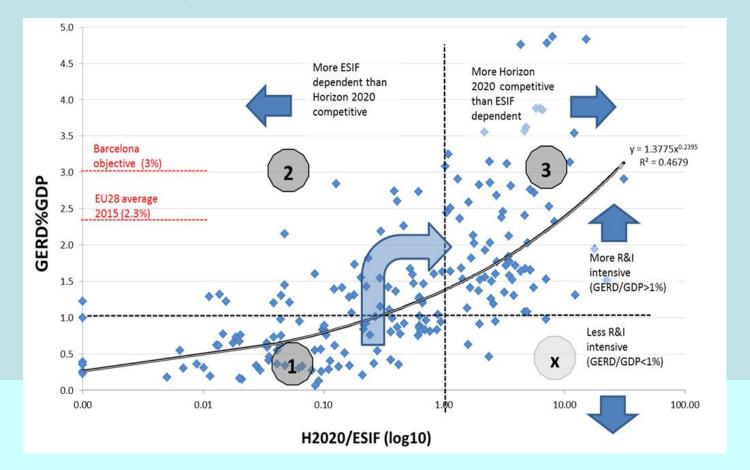
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Working Group members

Three main areas defining EU regions according to R&I spending and their use of EU funding





Working Group- Expected outcomes

Prioritise capacity needs

Discuss set of support tools

First steps to build international networks and widening participation

Set agenda and workplan for WG meetings



Working Group - Planning

