

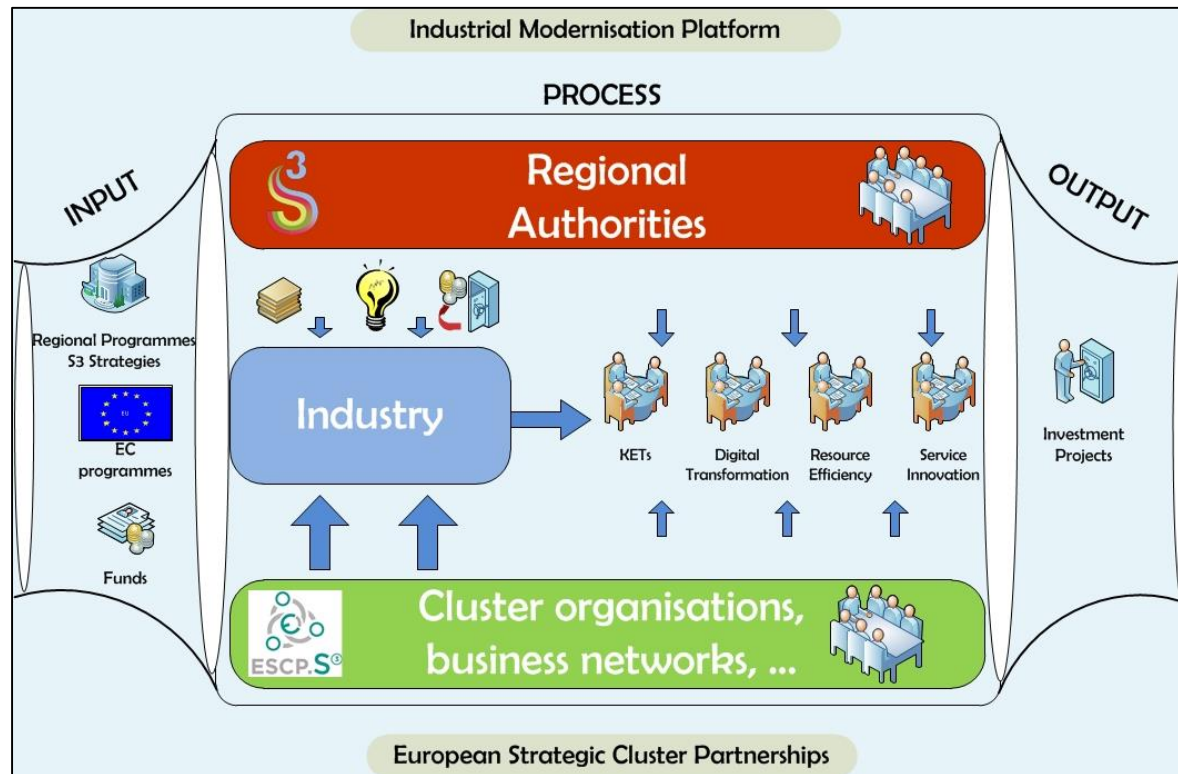


Smart Specialisation Platform on Industrial Modernisation

Objective: *To boost industry investments on thematic smart specialisation areas through interregional cooperation*

The process: *EU regions are invited to work jointly on shared smart specialisation areas, mobilise their industry, and create together a pipeline of investment products.*

Features: *Open and easy-to-join Platform; Thematic areas proposed and led by EU regions;*



- ✓ *Launched on 2 June 2016 at the Smart Regions Event;*
- ✓ *It will be hosted under the JRC/IPTS web site;*
- ✓ *Already two regional partnering meetings have been organised in May and June 2016;*
- ✓ *First candidate thematic areas proposed such as on De & Re-Manufacturing; High Performance Production through 3D printing; Textile innovation*

Thematic Area

RECONFIRM
Project

KETs
Observatory

Digital
Entrepreneurship
Monitor

Technical
Assistance
Facility (2017)

**Mapping of
competences &
matching of
business
opportunities**

**Industry
cooperation and
design of
projects**

**Business Plan &
Funding Mix**

S3 Platform (JRC)

European Cluster
Observatory

European Strategic
Cluster Partnerships

Funding instruments

- Horizon 2020
- EFSI large projects
- EFSI investment platforms
- IPCEIs
- InnovFin – Large projects
- InnovFin – MidCap projects
- ERDFs
- PPPs

Investment Projects

- Demonstrators
- Bundled small projects
- Single cross-regional large scale project
- Large individual projects

Digital
Innovation Hubs
(CNECT)

EIB advisory services

- EFSI Advisory Hub
- InnovFin – Advisory service
- JASPERS
- EPEC - for PPPs