



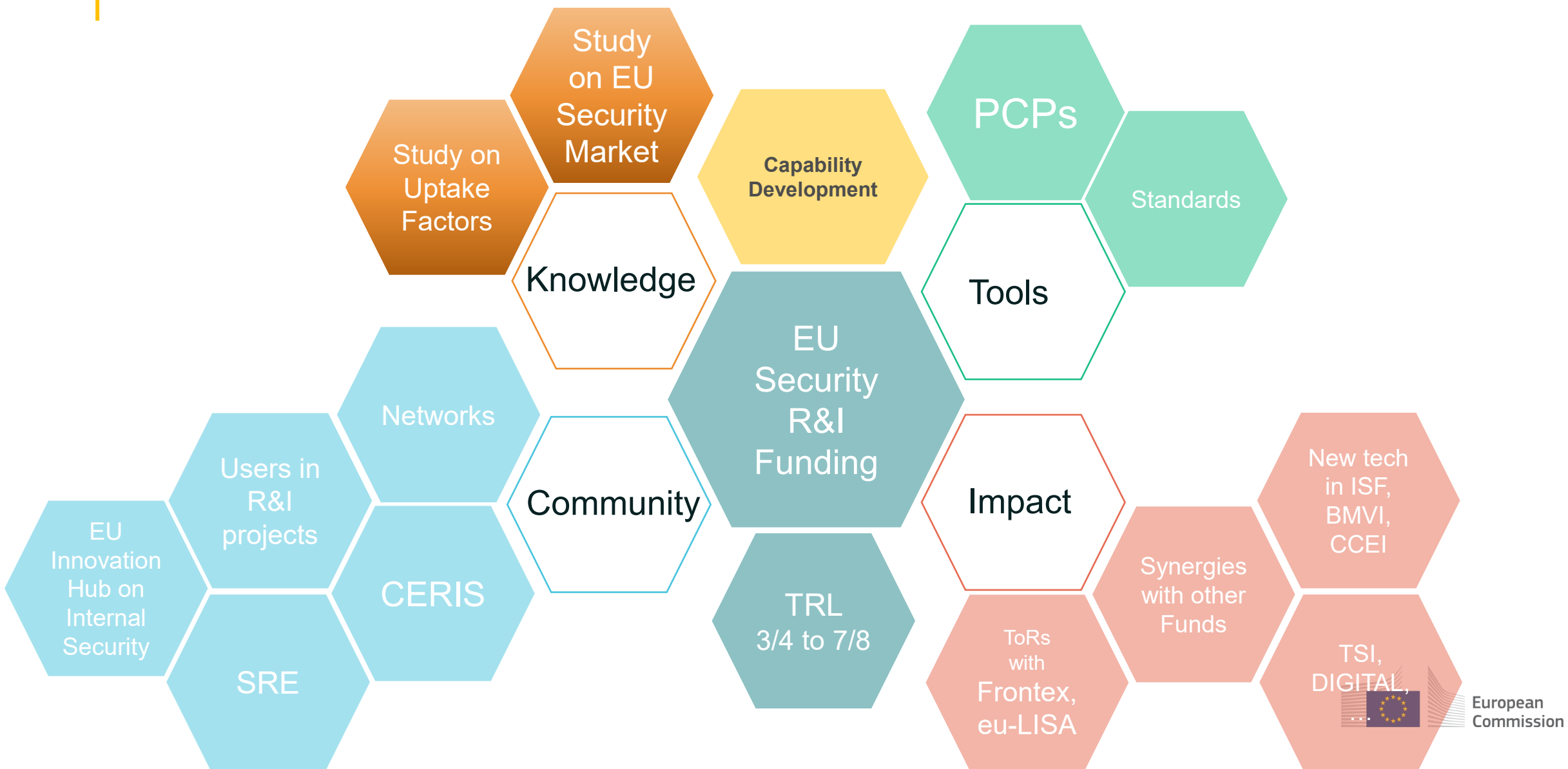
“Innovation Procurement”

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Addressing civil security innovation in the EU



HE CLUSTER 3: Civil Security for Society

- A work programme structured in 6 destinations

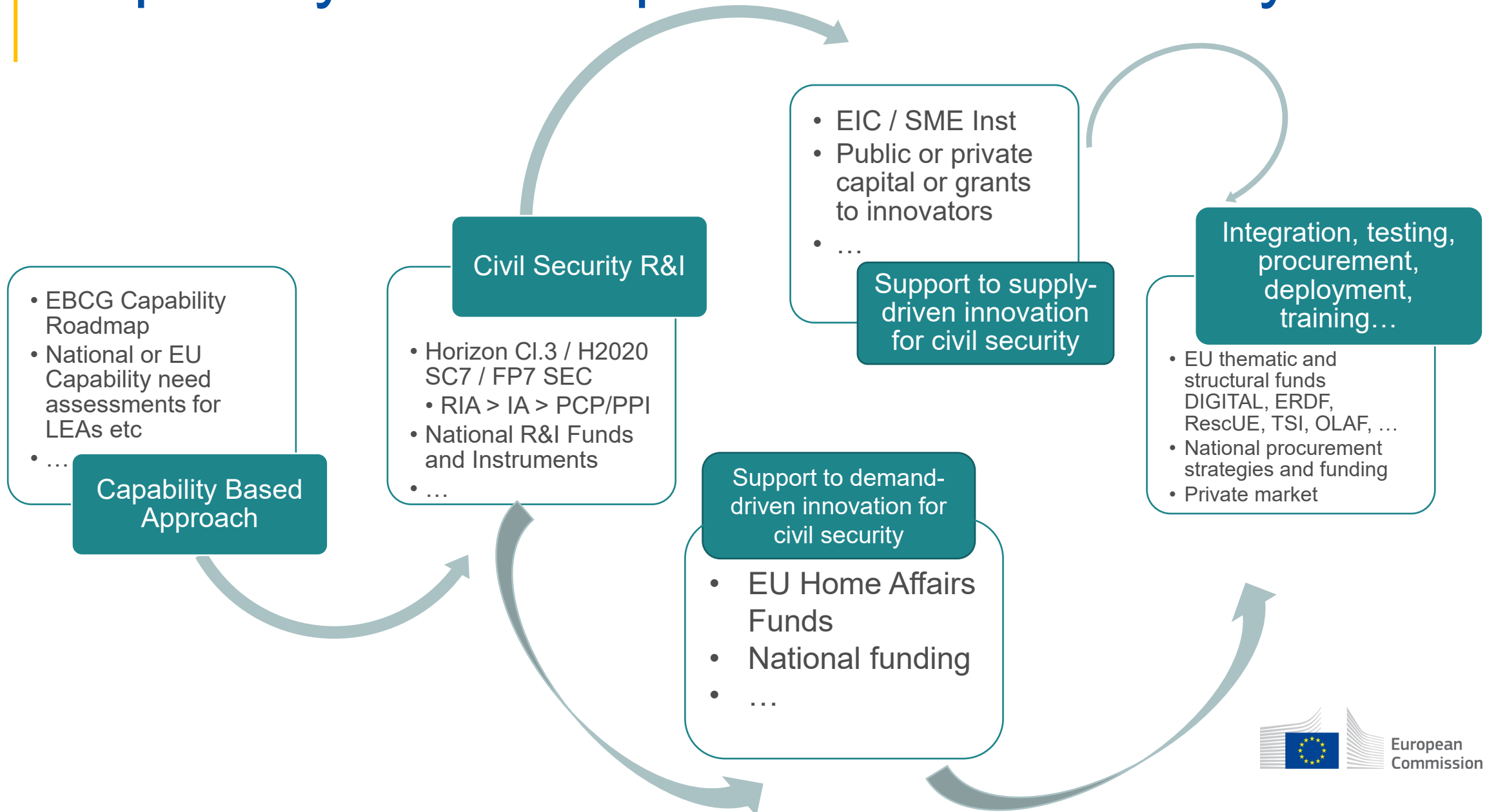


Capability-based approach
End-User oriented
Societal dimension
Synergies and market creation

Meeting Capability Requirements

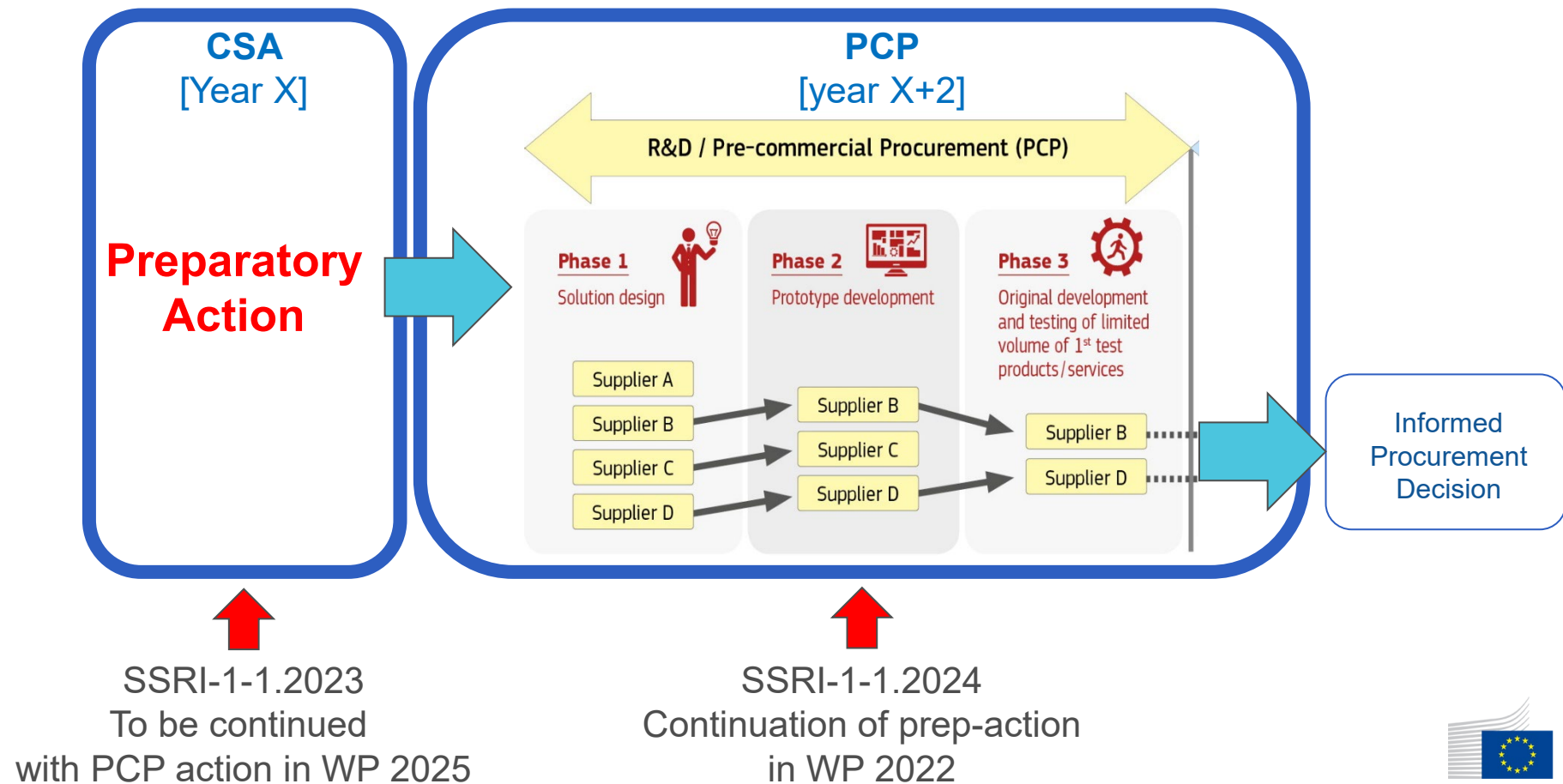
- R&I activity focusing on the final use of the generated knowledge and innovative technologies
- Capabilities expressed in terms of **THREATS** and **NEEDS**
- Non-prescriptive in terms of technologies, except when:
 - Technology itself can be a source of threat or a channel for its propagation;
 - There is a push at programme level for the development of strategic technologies;
 - There is a need to give continuity to previous research on one technology that proved effective to address a particular need.

Capability-Based Uptake for civil security R&I



Innovation Procurement

- PCP projects contribute to overcoming barriers to innovation uptake in civil security
- A two-stage approach for the implementation of PCP for security



2023-SSRI-01-01: Open grounds for pre-commercial procurement of innovative security technologies

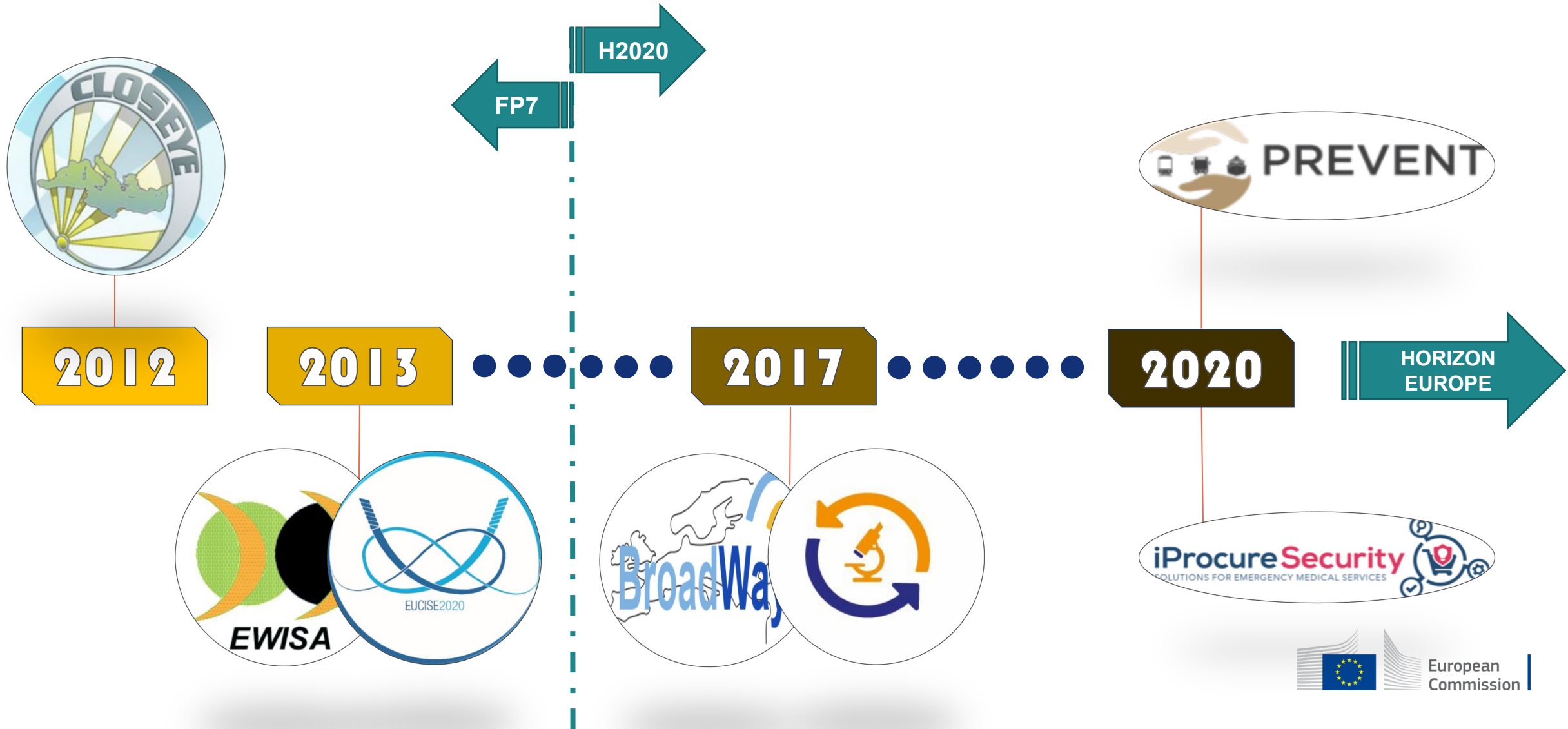
- CSA ->Pre-Commercial Procurement action.
- Oriented to the acquisition of R&D services for the development of innovative technologies, systems, tools or techniques to enhance border security, to fight against crime and terrorism, to protect infrastructure and public spaces, and/or to make societies more resilient against natural or human-made disasters.

This topic requires the participation, as beneficiaries, of at least 6 end-user organisations as well as at least 3 public procurers from at least 3 different EU Member States or Associated Countries.

But why are CSAs important?

- give the opportunity to applicants to consolidate the demand side
- de-risk and prepare the grounds for a successful PCP
- save resources and time

EU-funded Security PCP projects



Thank you



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