

# National BIM Transformation around the World

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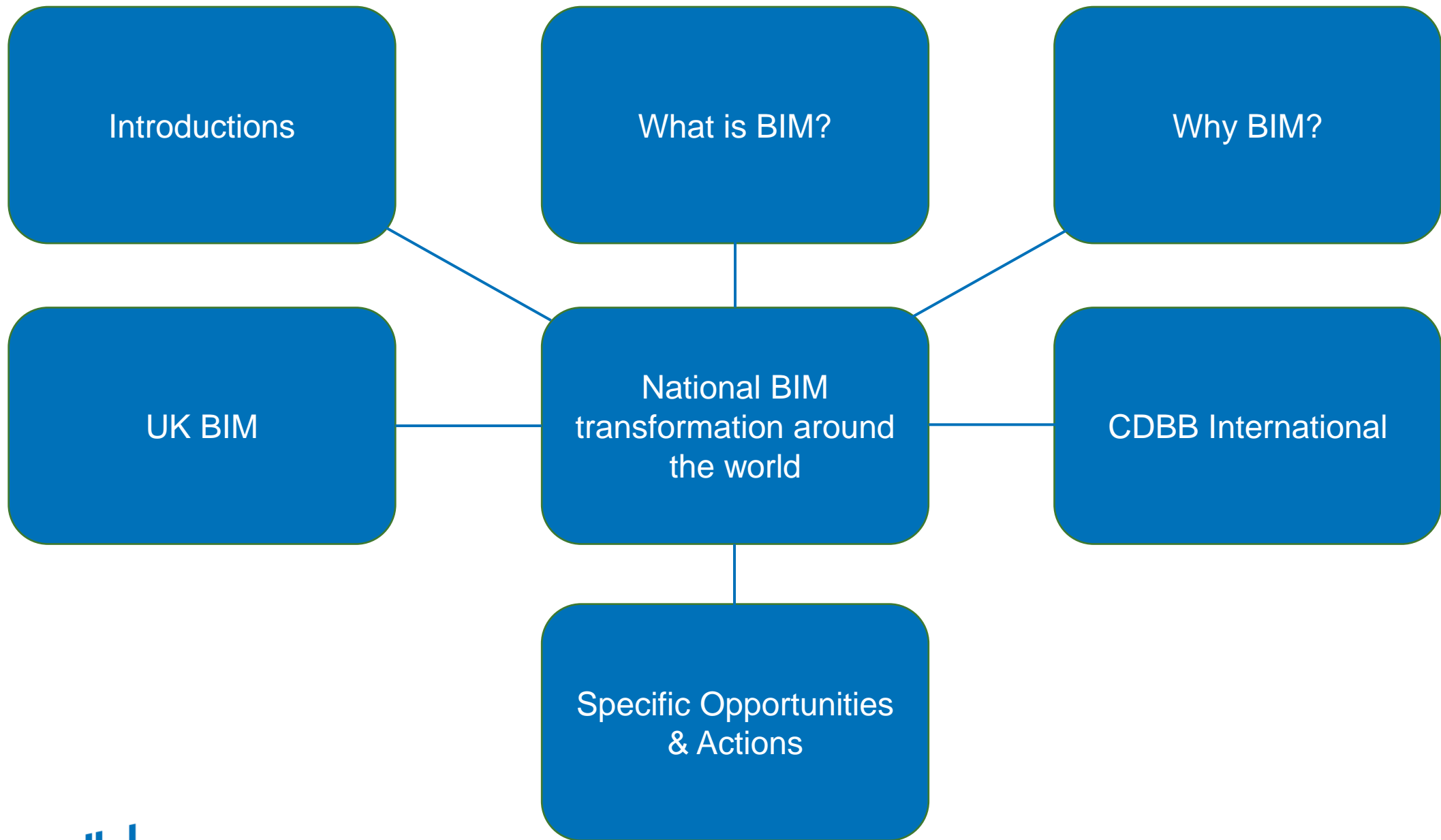
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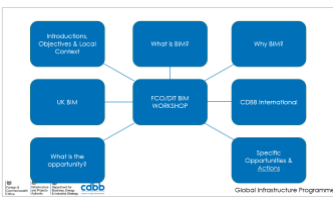


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# Introductions

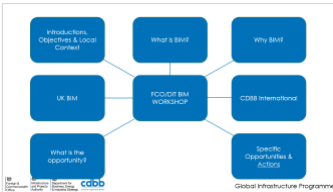


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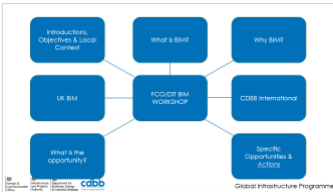
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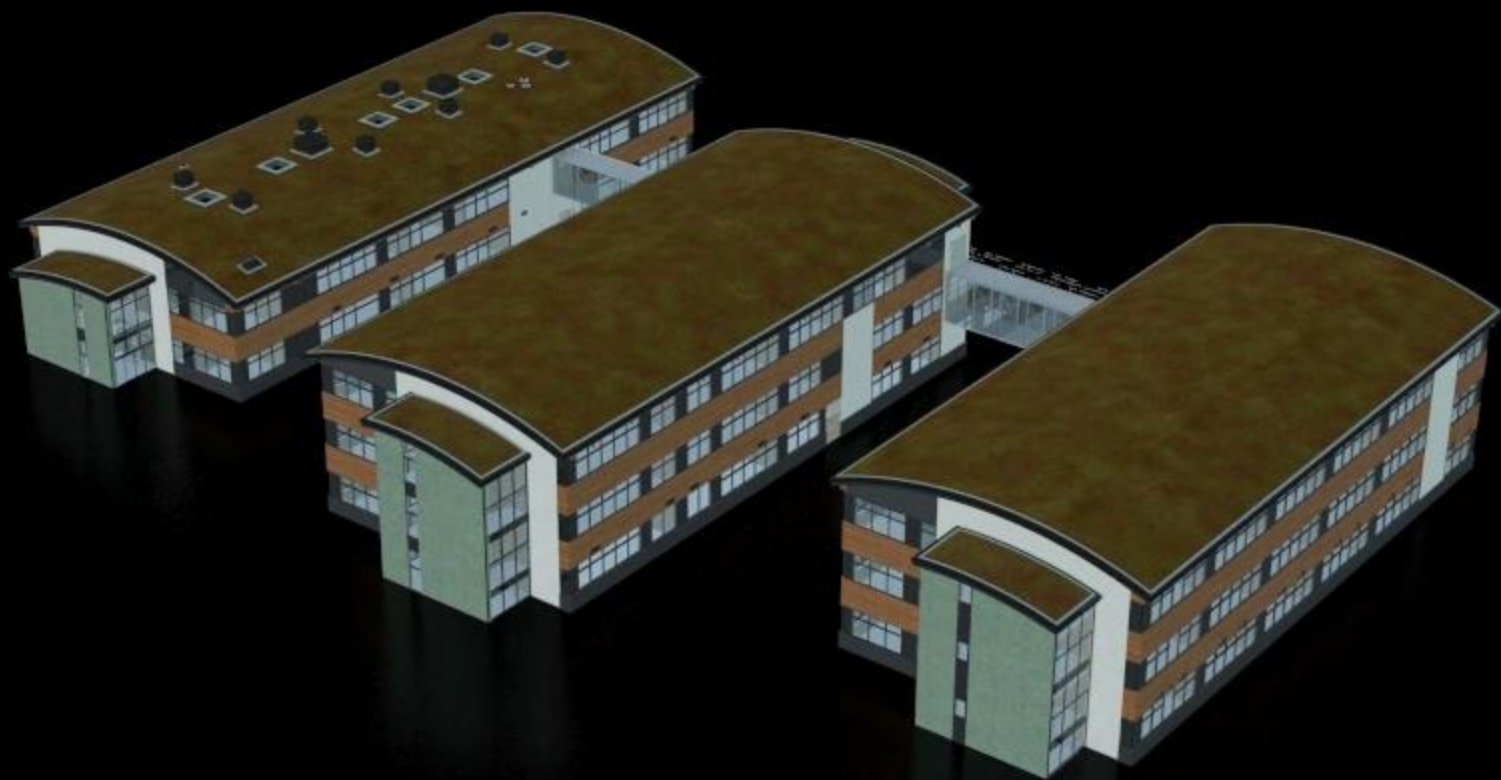
- Name & Role
- Any BIM Knowledge / involvement?
- Any specific BIM questions or objectives for the workshop?

# Section Summary



# What is BIM?







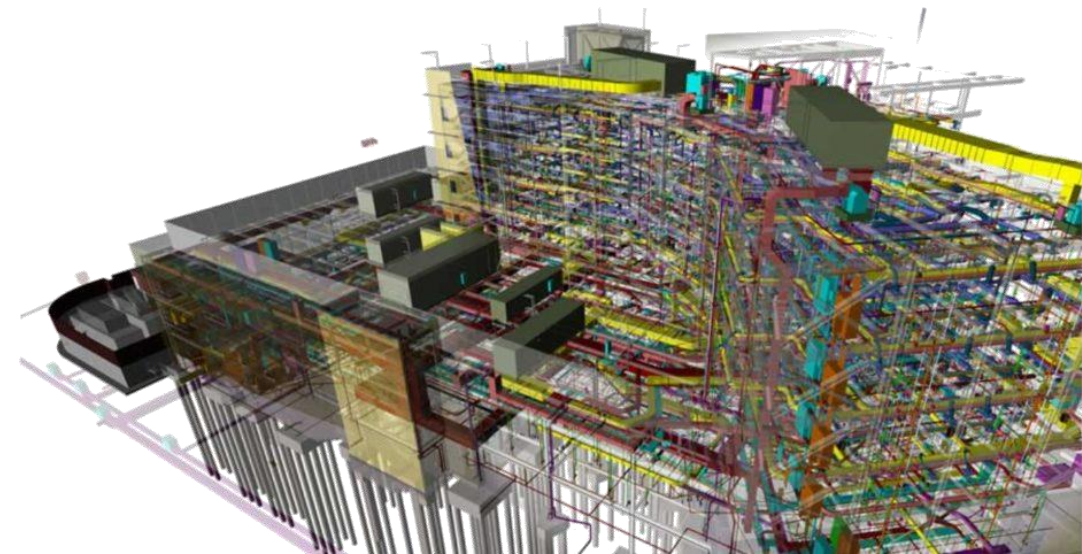
# What is BIM?

- ***Building Information Modelling (BIM) is a digital representation of physical and functional characteristics of a facility. A BIM is a shared knowledge resource for information about a facility forming a reliable basis for decisions during its life-cycle; defined as existing from earliest conception to demolition.***
- ***use of a shared digital representation of a built asset to facilitate design, construction and operation processes to form a reliable basis for decisions***

(NBIMS-US)

(ISO 19650)

***BIM = Building Information Modelling***  
***BIM = Better Information Management***



# Key terms

- **Digital representation** (data, information, documentation and geometry)
- **Built assets** (relevant to all built assets, not just buildings)
- **Whole life** (used from inception to decommissioning / demolition)
- **Shared** (used by the entire project team and operations teams)
- **Reliable** (managed effectively to ensure high quality)
- **Basis for decisions** (informing faster / better decisions)

# Key principles

- **Outcomes** focused
- Enabled by and enables **Collaboration**
- Information isn't just documentation of an asset, it should be **regarded as an asset**

*Definition “a resource with economic value that an individual, corporation or country owns or controls with the expectation that it will provide a future benefit”*



# Local Innovation – National Transformation – Open, Global Market

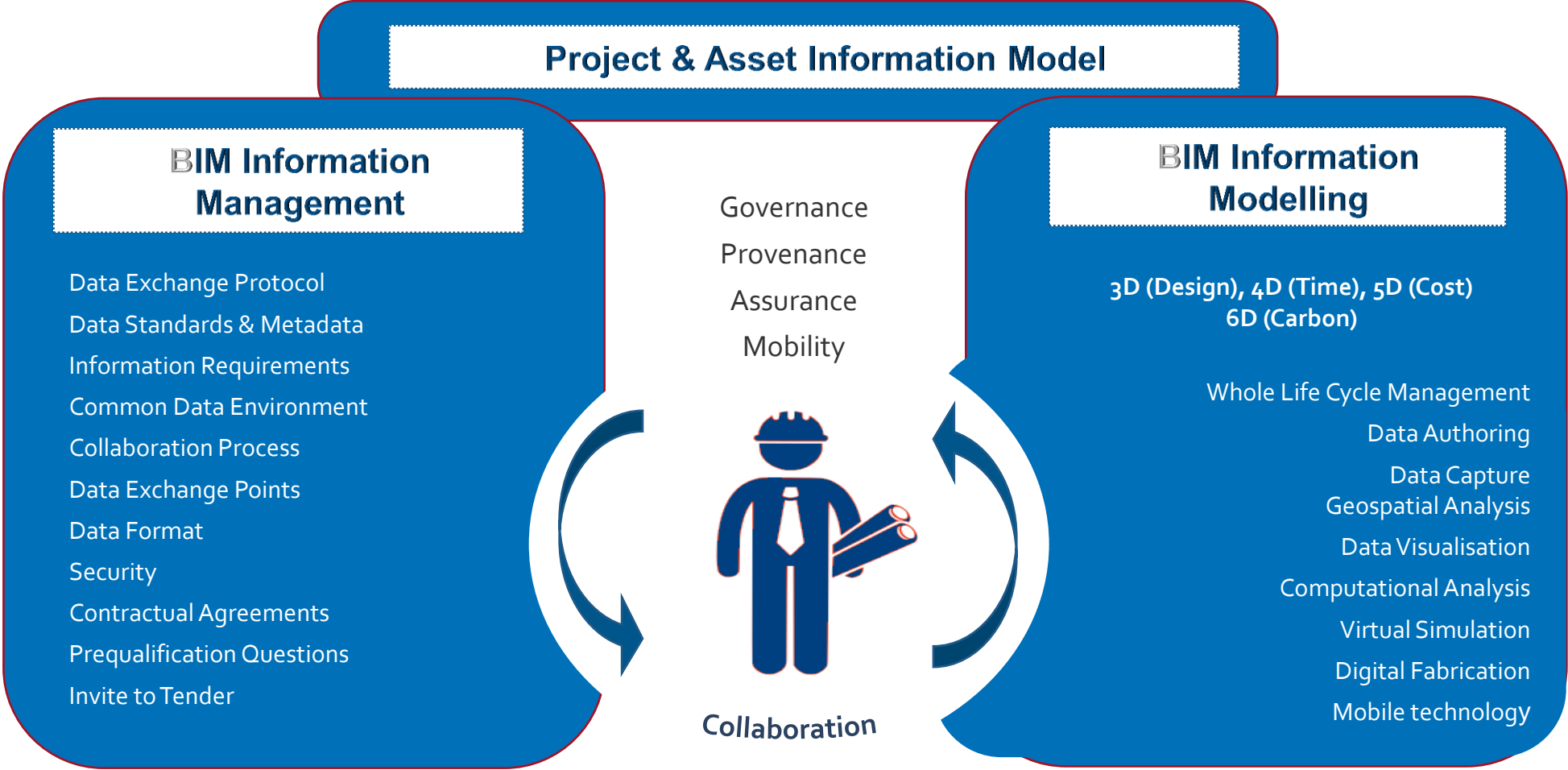
- Public-sector led
- Common principles & definitions (e.g. EU BIM Handbook)
- Standards-based approach (e.g. ISO 19650)

**B**uilding a consistent, collaborative industry, with clear and open communication

**I**nformation of high-quality is procured to support business outcomes

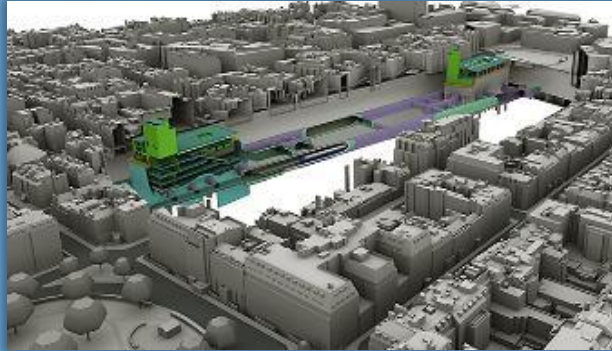
**M**odelling the design increases efficiency, enabling simulation & analysis

# Client Example: What does it mean to HS2?



**Inception | Design | Build | Operation & Maintenance | Decommission**

# Large infrastructure projects



# Small projects

<http://www.david-miller.co.uk/liberty-fields.php>



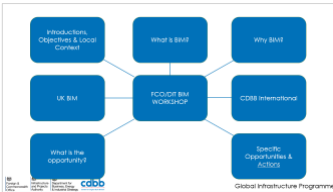
<https://www.mapl.co.uk/projects/01imcasestudy/>

## Key results:

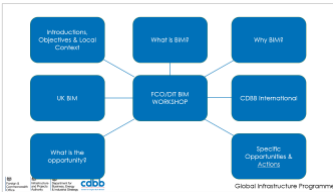
- **On budget:** Target margin achieved on first BIM project
- **Early:** Off site 2 weeks early (*would have been 4 weeks*)
- **Zero Defects...**Almost unheard of in Construction
- **High Quality:** very happy Client



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# Why BIM?









# The Delivery Problem

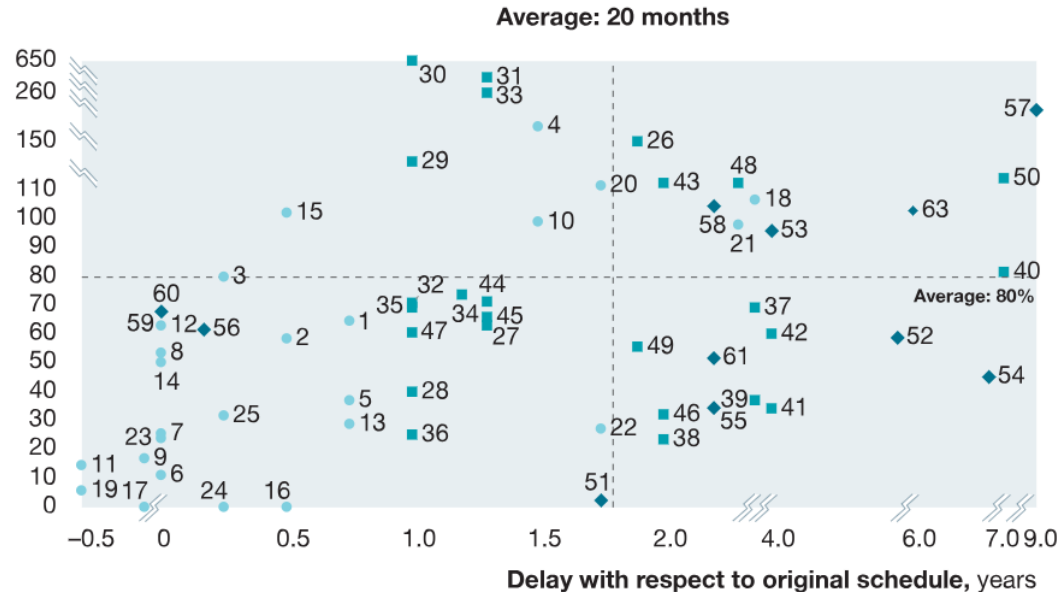
Infrastructure projects are over budget and over-running...



80% cost increase during project, 20 months late

Capital-expenditure overrun  
(% of original quoted capital expenditure)

● Mining ■ Oil and gas ◆ Infrastructure



- 98% of projects incur cost overruns or delays.
- The average cost increase is 80% of original value.
- The average slippage is 20 months behind original schedule.

<http://www.mckinsey.com/industries/capital-projects-and-infrastructure/our-insights/the-construction-productivity-imperative>

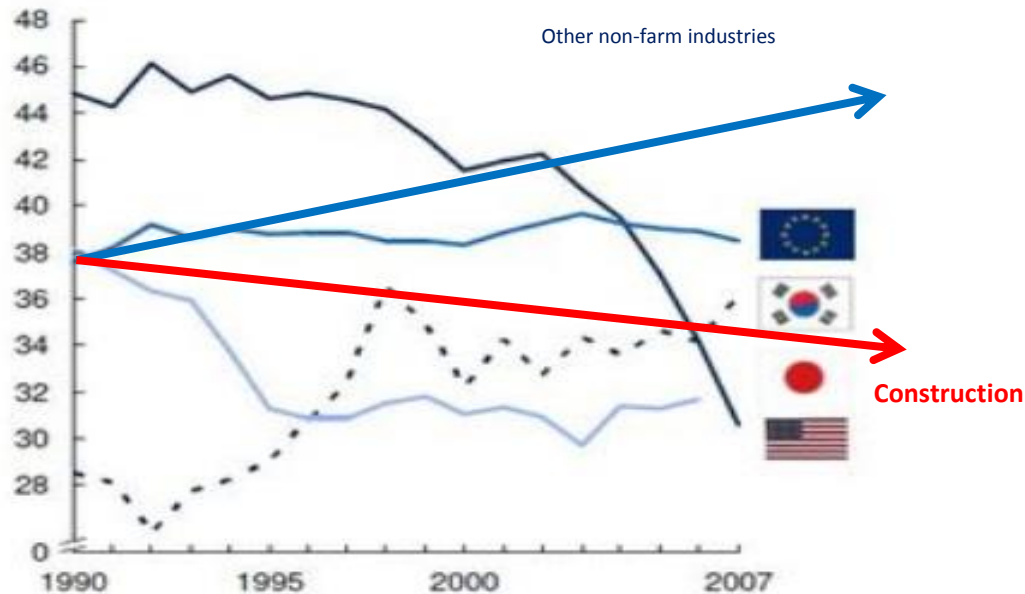


“Three out of five construction projects are completed late”

# Declining productivity and low digitalisation

## Productivity

**Construction productivity**  
GVA per hour worked in 2007 PPP \$



SOURCE: EUKLEMS; Associated General Contractors of America, 2011; U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

## Digitalisation

Bewertungsskala 1 = größtenteils, 2 = teilweise, 3 = wenig, 4 = ansatzweise digitalisiert



QUELLE: TOP 500 STUDIE 2014/ accenture



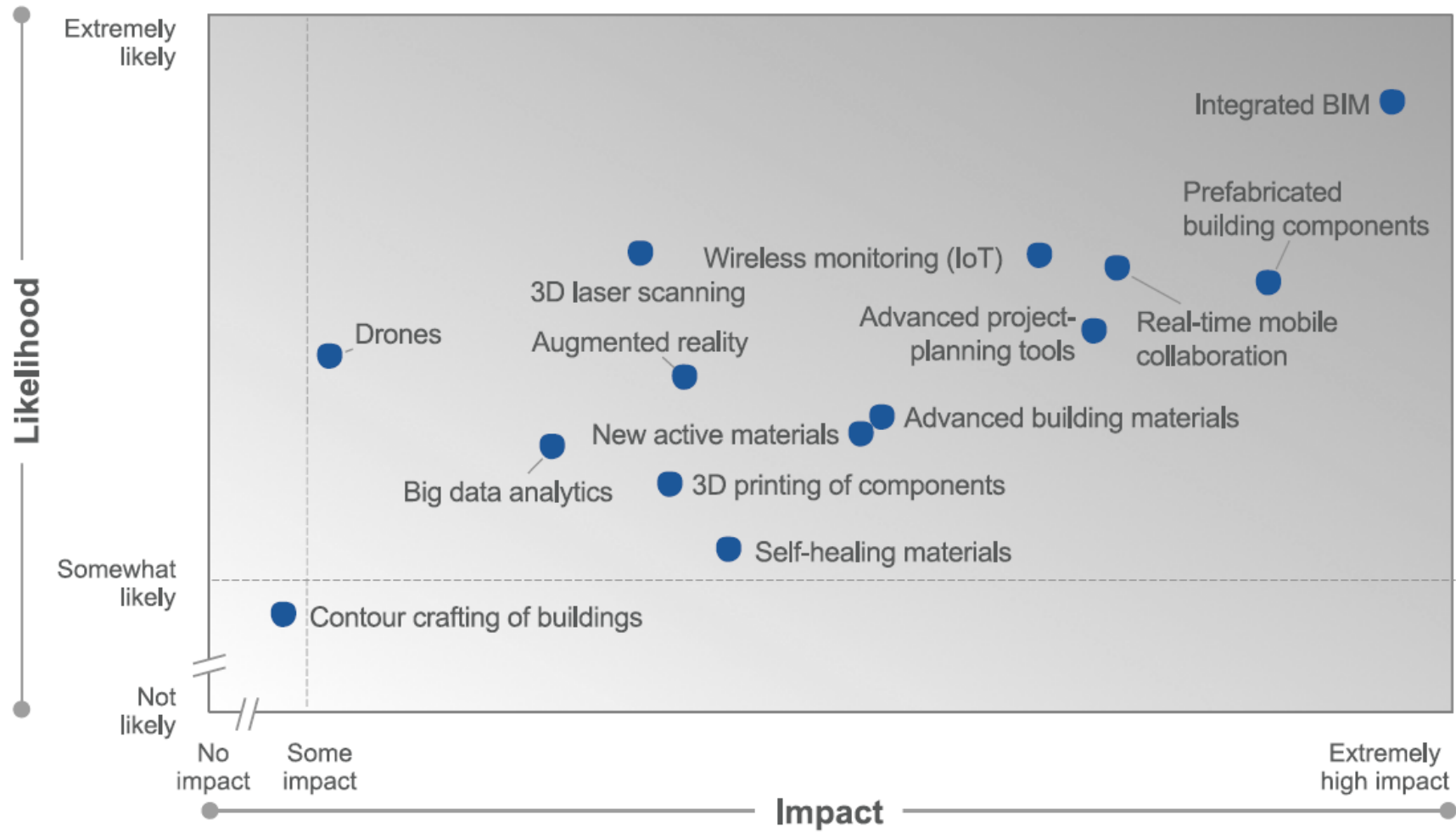
**“Construction is an enabling sector which has a massive impact on the performance of the wider economy.”**

**Construction 2025**

**“The report suggested that the tendency of clients to simply accept the cheapest price created a situation where tenderers would submit low bids, and then make up their income by reducing quality or making claims.”**

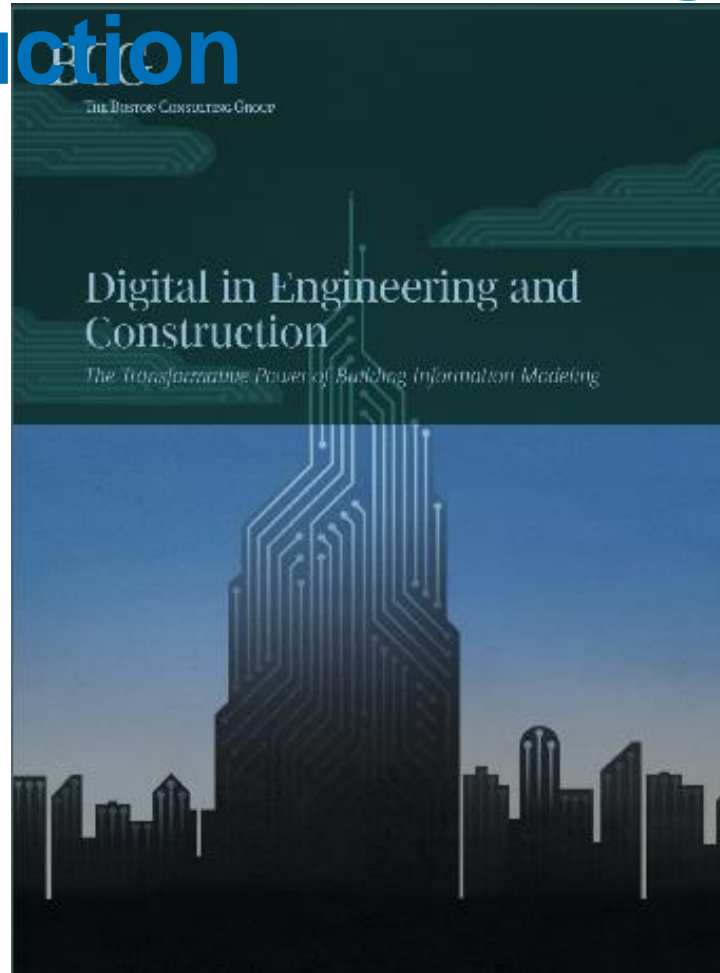
**The Simon Report 1944**

# Impact-likelihood matrix of new technologies



Source: Future of Construction Survey

# The Potential of the Digitalisation of Construction

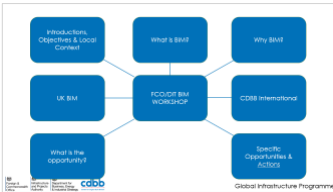


13-21% savings

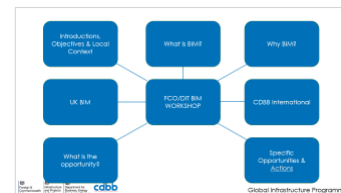


14-16% productivity

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# UK BIM



# Government Construction Strategy 2011

15-20% cost and carbon reduction on all centrally procured government construction projects **within the current parliament**

2.32 **Government will require fully collaborative 3D BIM** (with all project and asset information, documentation and data being electronic) **as a minimum by 2016**



# Why a Client-Led Approach?

Reason for leadership	Description of the driver
Better value for public money	The public sector procurer has responsibility to gain the most economically advantageous value for public money. The introduction of BIM can offer more accurate and lower construction costs, and the reduction of delays for project delivery of public built assets.
Public procurement as a motivator for innovation	Governments, as the single largest procurers of construction with public sector spending approximately 30% of construction total output, can influence and encourage innovation. This is one of the stated aims for the European Union Public Procurement Directive (2014).
Network effect of adoption: support for SMEs	As the construction industry is highly fragmented with 95% of the industry defined as Small to medium sized Enterprises (SMEs), it is not easily able to organise itself and align on one single direction. Only through the wider adoption of BIM across the value chain will full economic benefits be achieved.
Digitalisation agenda	Governments, policy makers and industry are recognising the benefits of encouraging the digitalisation of industrial sectors. This is an especially important agenda in Europe with the European Commission's Digital Single Market initiative.



# Vision: 2025 – Digital Built Britain



## Lower costs

33%

reduction in the initial cost of construction and the whole life cost of built assets

## Faster delivery

50%

reduction in the overall time, from inception to completion, for newbuild and refurbished assets

## Lower emissions

50%

reduction in greenhouse gas emissions in the built environment

## Improvement in exports

50%

reduction in the trade gap between total exports and total imports for construction products and materials

# Original State (SWOT Analysis)

STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES	OPPORTUNITIES	THREATS
<p><b>KEY SECTOR TO UK ECONOMY</b> wider construction accounts for nearly 7% of UK's value added; of which: construction related products and services account for about 1% each and contracting accounts for about 4.7%.<sup>5</sup></p> <p>Some 3 million jobs are based in construction; 10% of total UK's employment.<sup>6</sup></p> <p><b>WIDER ECONOMIC SIGNIFICANCE</b> construction sector builds and maintains workplaces to enable businesses to flourish; the economic infrastructure underpinning how economy. functions; provides schools, hospitals and homes.</p> <p><b>LARGE SUPPLY CHAIN</b> accounting for around £124 billion of intermediate consumption,<sup>7</sup> almost all sourced within the UK. In other words, construction spend tends to stay within UK supply chain.</p> <p><b>WORLD CLASS DESIGN SKILLS</b> particularly in architectural design, civil engineering and sustainable construction with BREEAM as an internationally recognised standard.</p> <p><b>LOW ENTRY COST AND LOW CAPITAL</b> required enables small firms to access the market and promotes competition in the sector.</p>	<p><b>SECTOR INTEGRATION</b> vertical integration in the supply chain is low and there is high reliance on sub-contracting.</p> <p>Lack of integration often leads to fracture between design and construction management and a fracture between the management of construction and its execution leading to lost opportunities to innovate.</p> <p><b>LOW LEVELS OF INNOVATION</b> investment in R&amp;D and intangible assets such as new processes (particularly in contracting sub-sector) is low due to uncertain demand for new goods and limited collaboration.</p> <p><b>LACK OF COLLABORATION AND LIMITED KNOWLEDGE SHARING</b> learning points from projects are often team-based and lost when the team breaks up and project ends. Low technology transfer.</p> <p><b>HIGH CONSTRUCTION COSTS</b> in comparison to foreign competitors driven by inefficient procurement and processes rather than material input costs but there are significant opportunities to reduce them through greater use of technology, new materials and innovation.</p>	<p><b>LARGE GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES IN EMERGING MARKETS</b> with expected annual growth of 6% in construction output until 2021<sup>8</sup> which creates opportunities for UK companies to expand their exports, both in products and high value services.</p> <p><b>LOW CARBON CONSTRUCTION</b> substantial opportunities both in domestic and foreign markets due to environmental requirements and greater societal demand for greener products. Global green and sustainable building industry is forecasted to grow at an annual rate of 22.8% until 2017.</p> <p><b>WIDE IMPLEMENTATION OF BIM TECHNOLOGIES</b> both domestically and abroad which could improve sector productivity and lower costs due to improved information flow and greater collaboration.</p> <p><b>COST REDUCTION</b> industry is capable of delivering its product at substantially lower cost e.g. through greater efficiency and greater technology and information sharing such as Building Information Modelling (BIM). UK government is committed to reduce the costs of public sector construction by 15-20% by the end of 2014/2015.</p>	<p><b>ACCESS TO FINANCE</b> SMEs in construction face more difficulties in accessing bank finance than other sectors. Late payment is a problem. Companies often unaware of support available to them.</p> <p><b>SKILLS</b> substantial fall in apprenticeship completions in construction related sectors relative to other sectors. Low training among self-employed and skills shortages among trade and professional occupations inhibiting technology deployment and innovation.</p> <p><b>LACK OF CAREER ATTRACTION</b> due to perceived low image, lack of gender diversity, low pay and job security due to cyclical nature of demand for construction. This is especially evident in construction contracting and materials.</p> <p><b>INTERNATIONAL TRADE</b> UK has not yet specialised in construction exports despite its capability in construction technology and services and relatively higher proportion of construction-related patents comparing to its competitors. UK remains a net importer of construction products and materials.</p> <p><b>HIGH DEGREE OF FRAGMENTATION</b> relative to other sectors and countries which impacts on levels of collaboration, innovation and ability to access foreign markets</p>

# National BIM Programme

Sponsor



Strategy



Context and Why

Business Case

Alignment

Public procurement

Goal

“In 5 years: Deliver 15-20% savings and a more competitive digital construction sector”

Implementation Plan



Governance

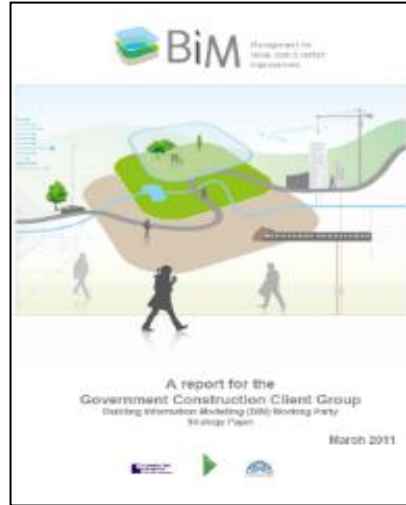
Funding, resources

Roadmap, plans, deliverables

Barriers, risks



# Funded stewardship team



	<p>← <b>Barry Blackwell</b>          BIS Policy Lead for exploitation of BIM and Programme Manager for the Government Grant Programme</p>		<p>← <b>Mark Bew MBE</b>          Chairman HM Government BIM Working Group</p>
	<p>← <b>Adam Matthews</b>          International Director</p>		<p>← <b>Terry Stocks</b>          BIM Task Group Delivery Director</p>
	<p>← <b>Jaimie Johnston</b>          Core team member</p>		<p>← <b>Fiona Moore</b>          Client Engagement Leader</p>
	<p>← <b>Simon Rawlinson</b>          Simon Rawlinson, Partner, EC Harris LLP</p>		<p>← <b>David Philp</b>          Communications</p>

5 Year target for BIM Level 2  
 On centrally funded Government construction projects



HM Government

# Construction strategy

The construction industry is vital to this government's long term economic plan.

The government has been working with the construction industry to get better value from public spending.



2011  
Government  
Construction  
Strategy was  
published



2014  
It has saved  
**£1.4bn**

Government saved  
**£840m** last year  
on construction  
projects –  
exceeding  
the target  
by 13%



**£840m**

Department of Health saved  
**£60m** on construction  
projects last year –  
equal to the price of

**67**

MRI scanners

We now build  
**7 schools** for the  
old price of 5



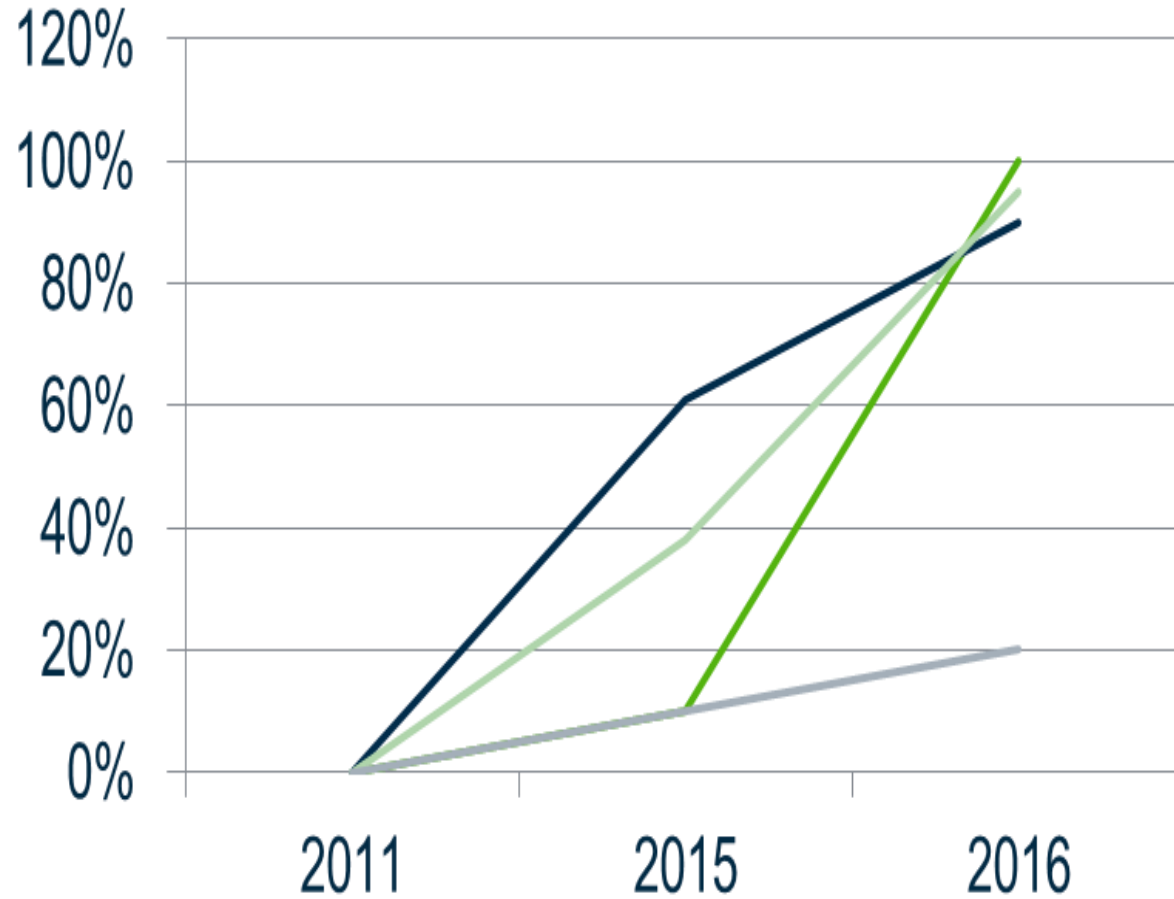
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# Rate of adoption



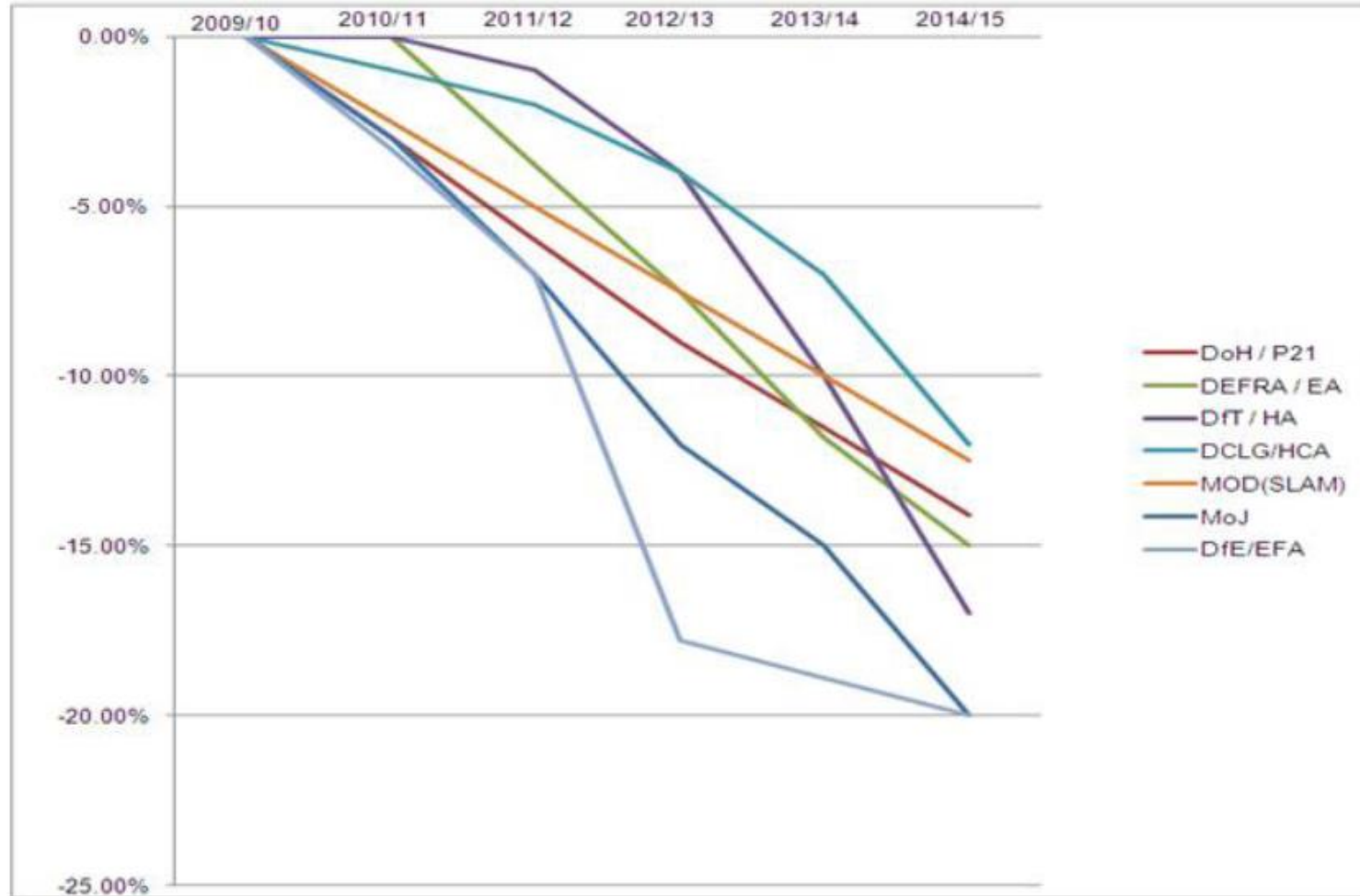
- Highways Agency (1)
- Ministry of Justice (2)
- Environment Agency (3)
- Local Authority (4)

Approximate value of BIM Projects as September 2014

- (1) HA - This equates to £6bn project value
- (2) MOJ - This equates to £760m project value
- (3) EA - This equates to £900m project value
- (4) LA - This equates to £2bn project value

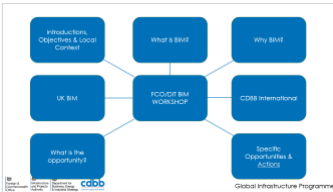
Total project value c £9.6bn

# Benefits tracking



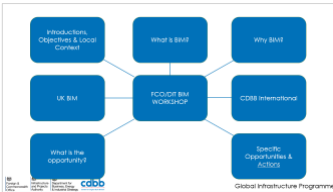
- Savings documented by departments by year

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# Centre for Digital Built Britain (CDBB) International Programme



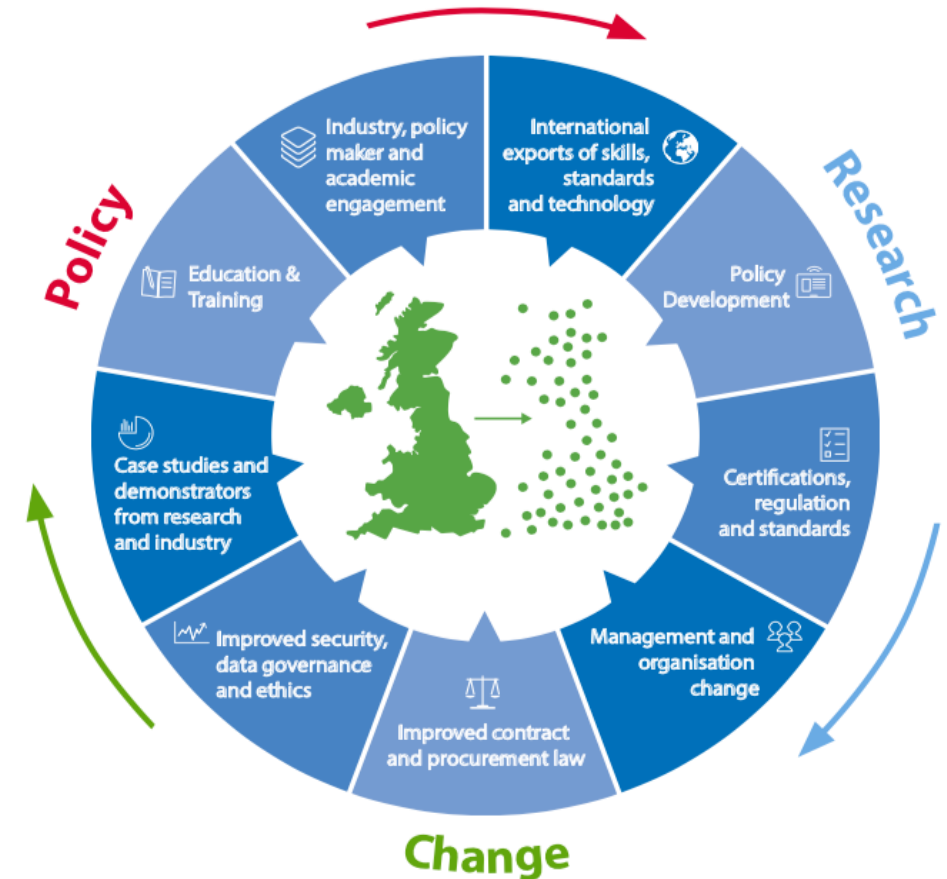
# Centre for Digital Built Britain

Set up in August 2017 by Government at the University of Cambridge to support the digital transformation of the built environment. It does this through:

- building academic capacity
- informing policy
- supporting industry change



# How CDBB supports the Digital Transformation of the Built Environment

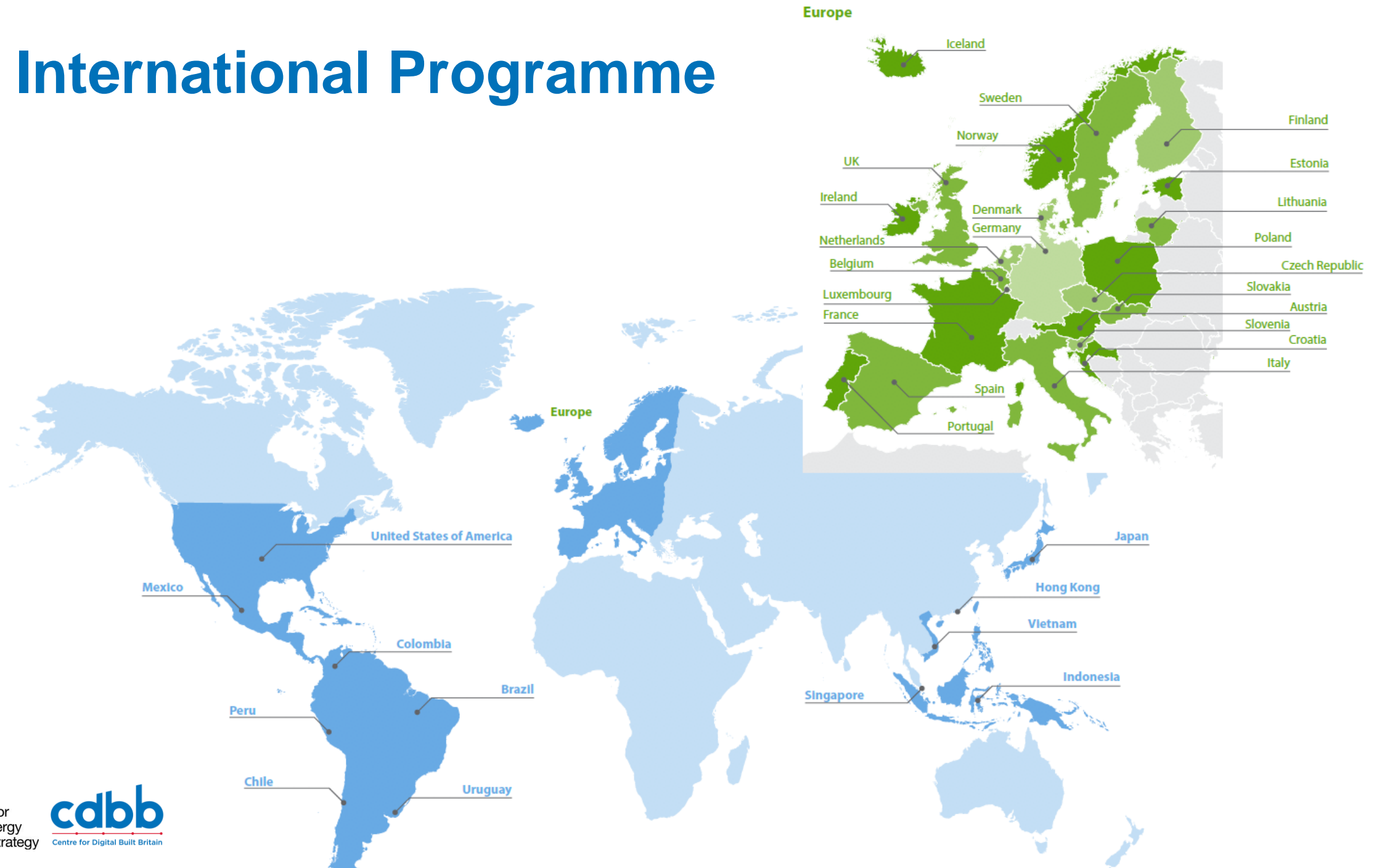


# Supporting change

- Coordinated vision and roadmap towards a DBB
- Grow an open and global digital construction market
- Industry engagement programme across the supply chain
- Highlighting current and emerging good practice
- Sharing value cases to encourage the adoption of digital approaches



# International Programme



# International Timeline

2014 - EU BIM Task Group

2015 - Chile

2016 - Brazil, *Mexico*, Japan

2017 - Prosperity Global Infrastructure Programme

CDBB International

2018 – Vietnam, Indonesia, Colombia

Latin America & South East Asia Regional

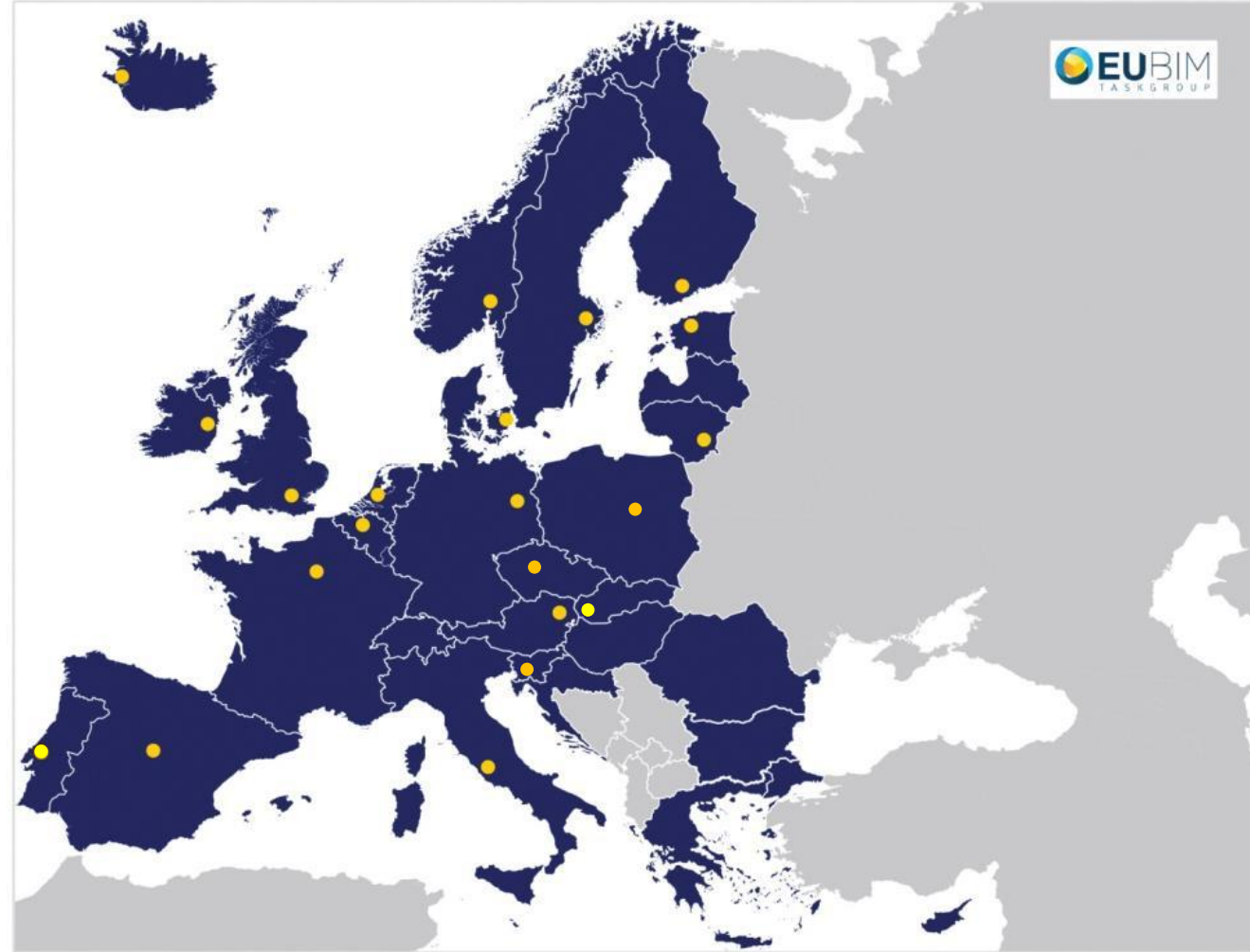
Multilaterals

ISO Standards



# EU BIM Task Group

- Austria
- Belgium
- Croatia
- Czech Republic
- Germany
- Denmark
- Estonia
- Spain
- Finland
- France
- Ireland
- Iceland
- Italy
- Latvia
- Luxembourg
- Lithuania
- Netherlands
- Norway
- Poland
- Portugal
- Slovakia
- Slovenia
- Sweden
- UK



# The EU BIM Handbook

- The handbook provides a central reference point for the introduction of Building Information Modelling (BIM) by the European public sector and aims to equip Government and public sector construction clients with the knowledge to provide the necessary leadership to its industrial supply chain. It is produced and supported by the EU BIM Task Group (EUBIMTG).
- Now available in 20 languages!
- [www.eubim.eu/handbook-selection](http://www.eubim.eu/handbook-selection)





# Key Principles

Exchanging best practice

Demand-led, country-owned, locally coordinated

Consistent & Standards-based

Adapted / Appropriate to local context

# General Approach

## Why?

- Challenges & Opportunities
- Business Case



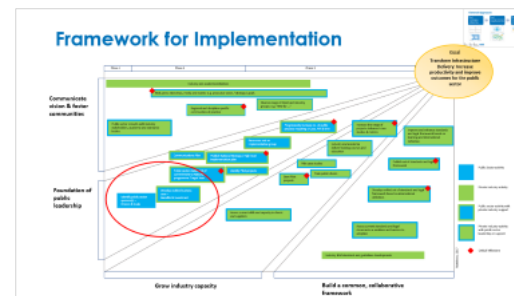
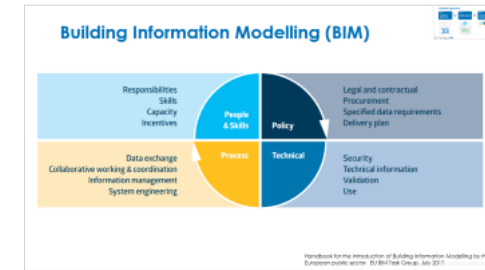
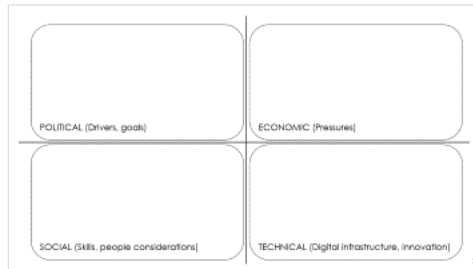
## How?

- Strategic Framework
- Implementation Plan



## What?

- Building Information Modelling
- National definition



## National

- policy, strategy, standards

## Organisation Change

- practices, skills  
- procurement policy

## Projects



Public Policy User

National policy change



National Or Local Public Client/ Procurer User

Public Clients & Industry Transformation



Industry

Public Sector

Private Sector

POLITICAL (Drivers, goals)

ECONOMIC (Pressures)

SOCIAL (Skills, people considerations)

TECHNICAL (Digital infrastructure, innovation)

# Establish Challenges, Goals, Ownership

Primary Challenges & Opportunities

Vision

Value Proposition

Goal

Goal

Ownership

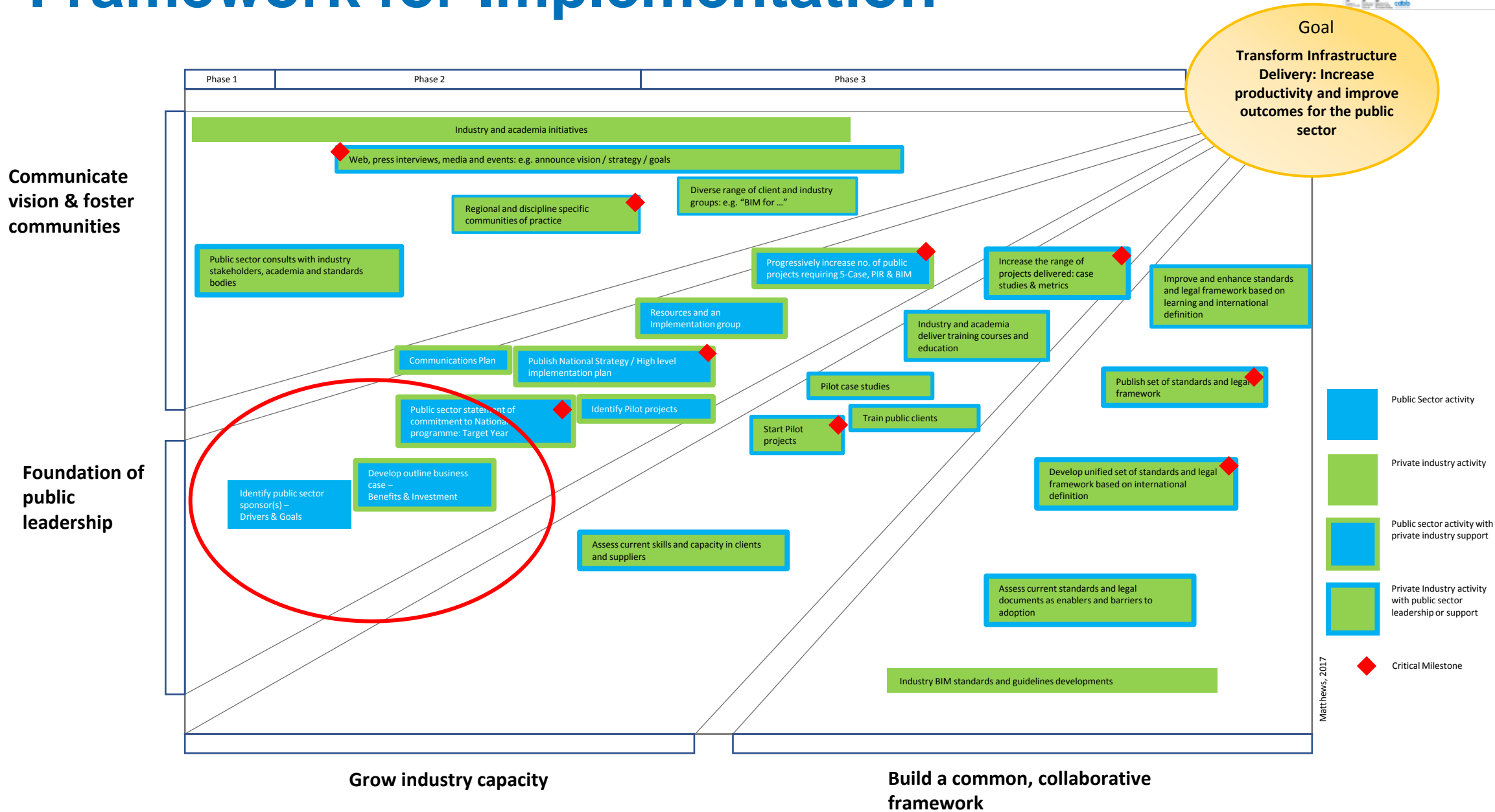




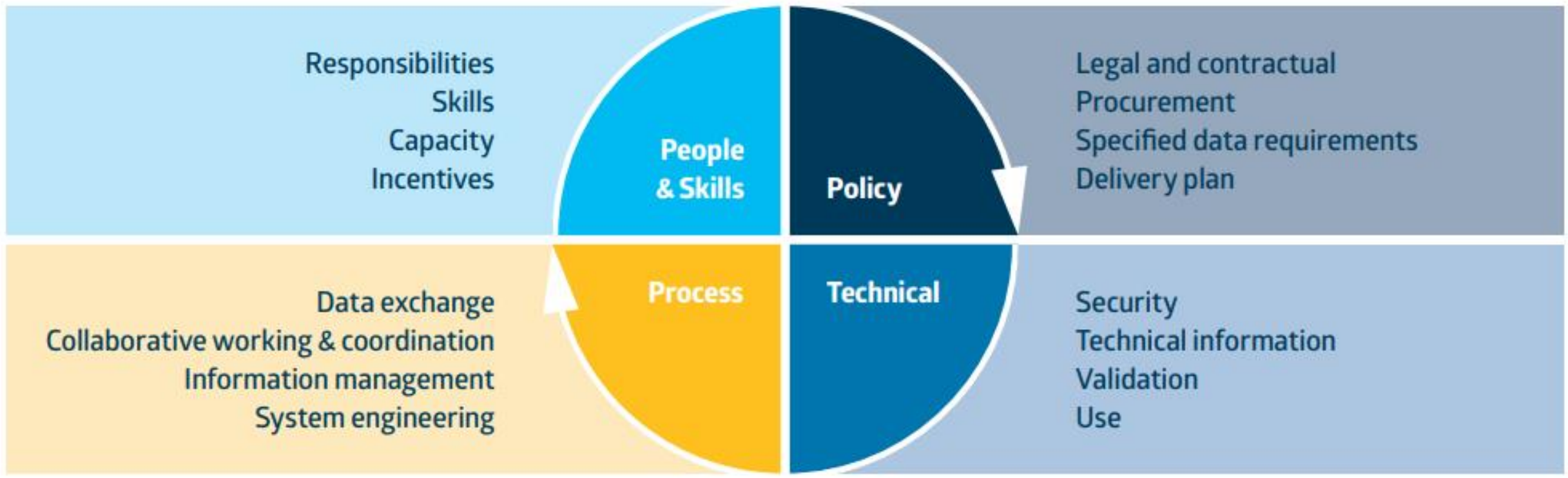
# Strategic Transformation Framework



# Framework for Implementation

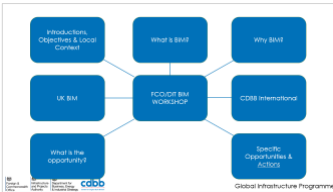


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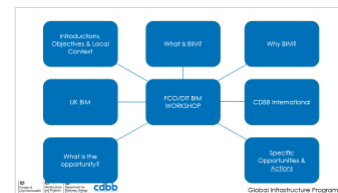




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# Potential Next Steps



# Possible next steps

- Identify objectives / outcomes for how BIM can enable your organization / you to be more efficient & effective
- Consider how BIM enables / requires changes to roles, responsibilities and deliverables
- Contribute to the development of a structured strategy for the introduction of BIM in your organisation
- Consider if you can contribute to transformation beyond your current role, project or organization
- Leverage best practice from around the world and adapt to your context

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