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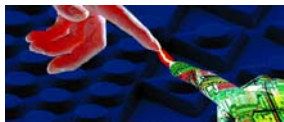


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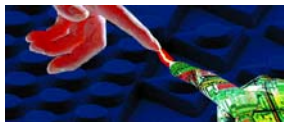
**The European Micro and Nano Technology**  
**SME B2B Accelerator**





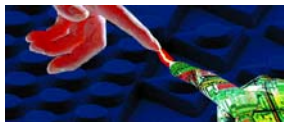
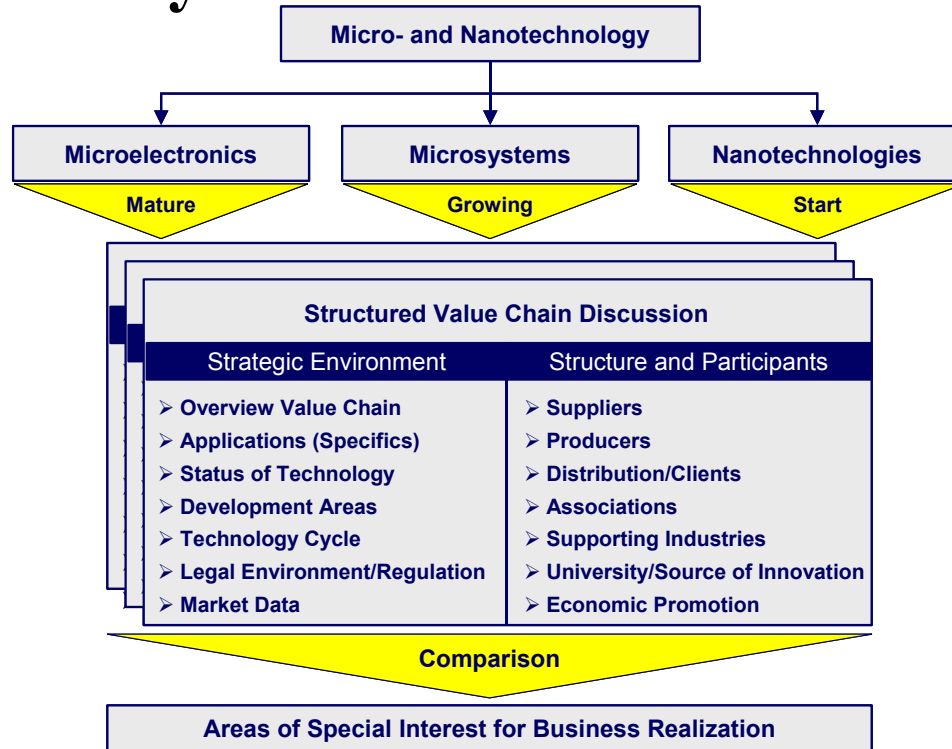
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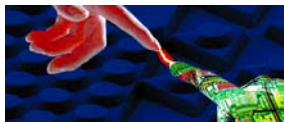
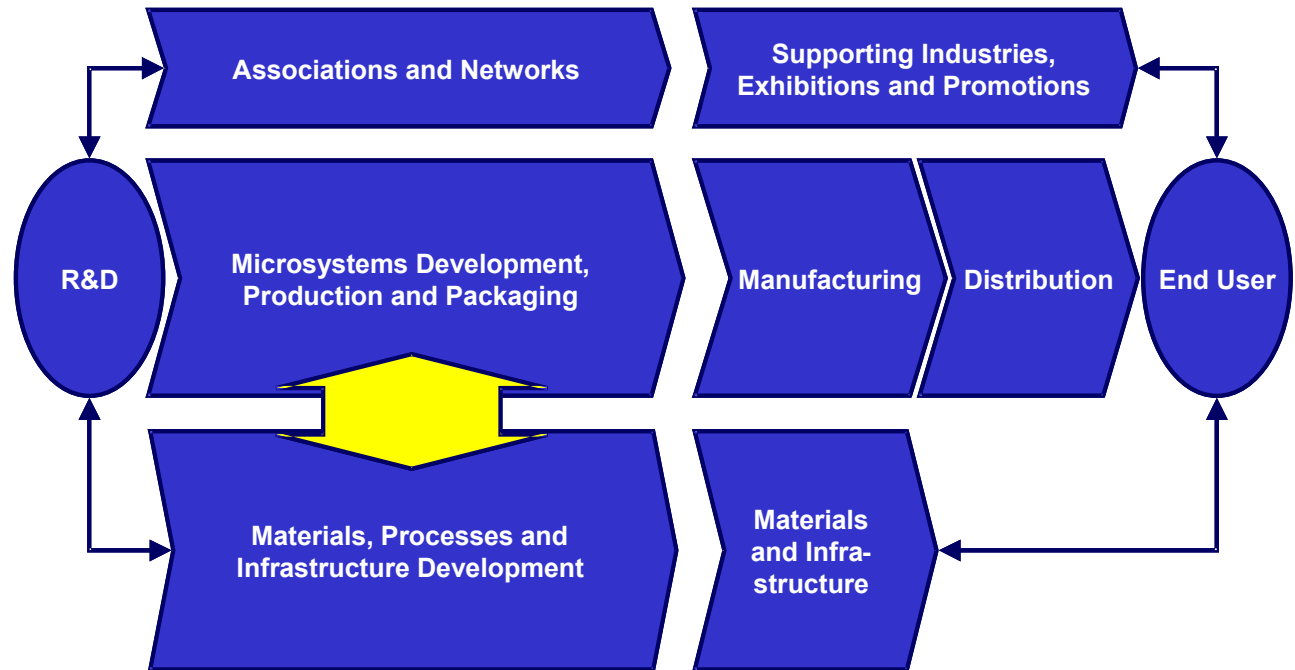


### The NMST Industry



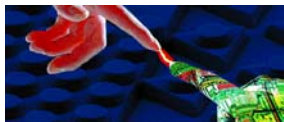
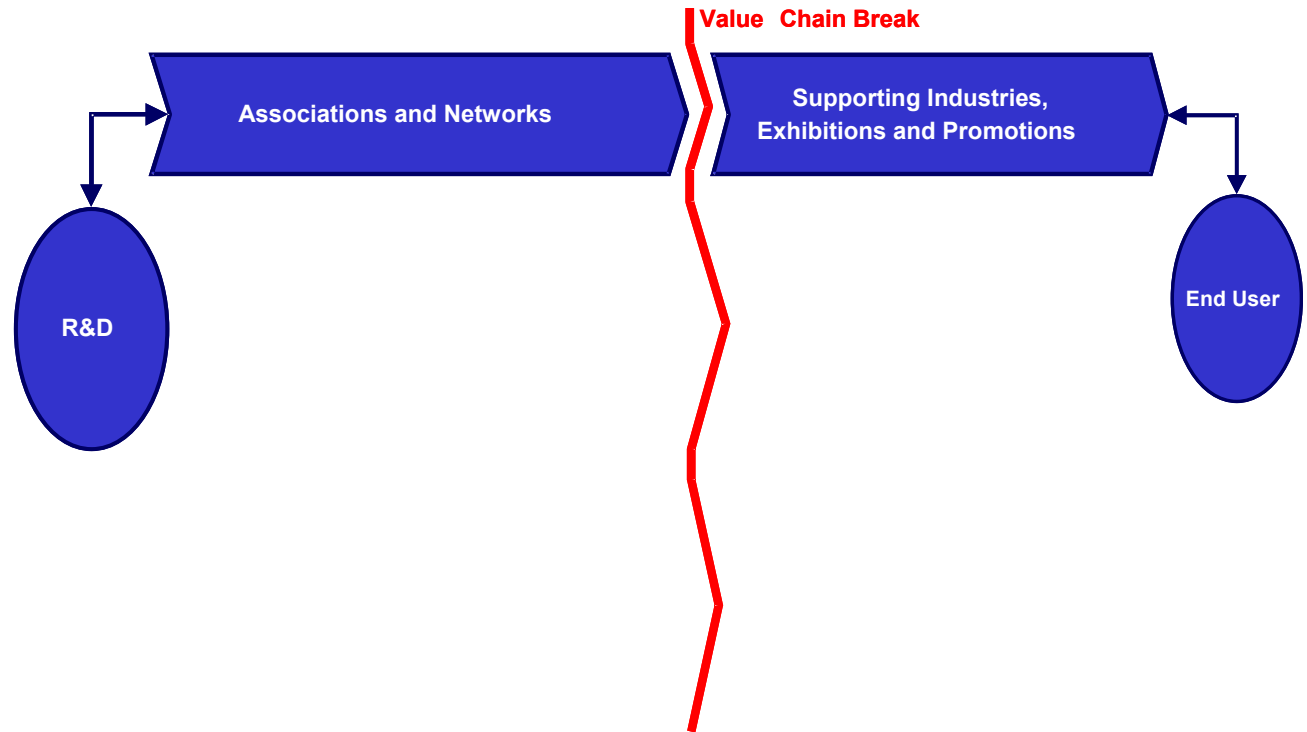


### The value chain



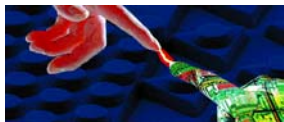
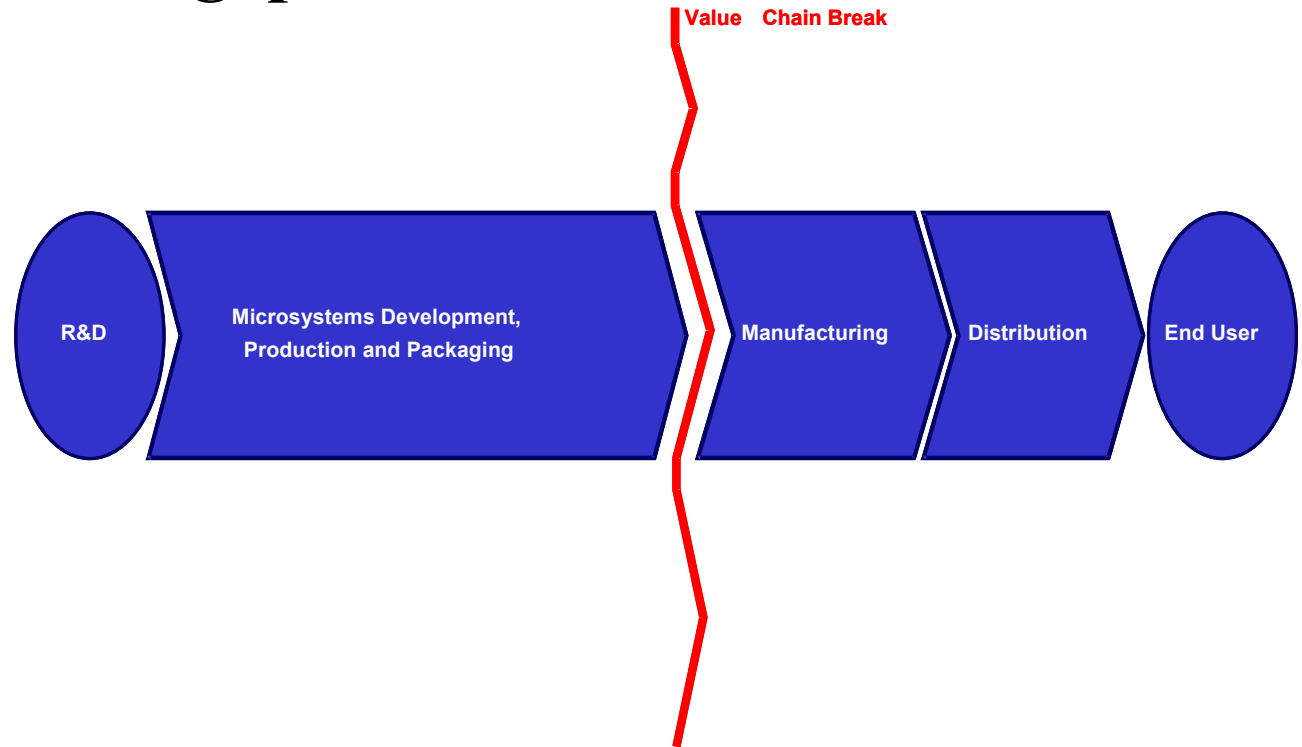


### The value chain gaps



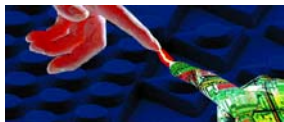
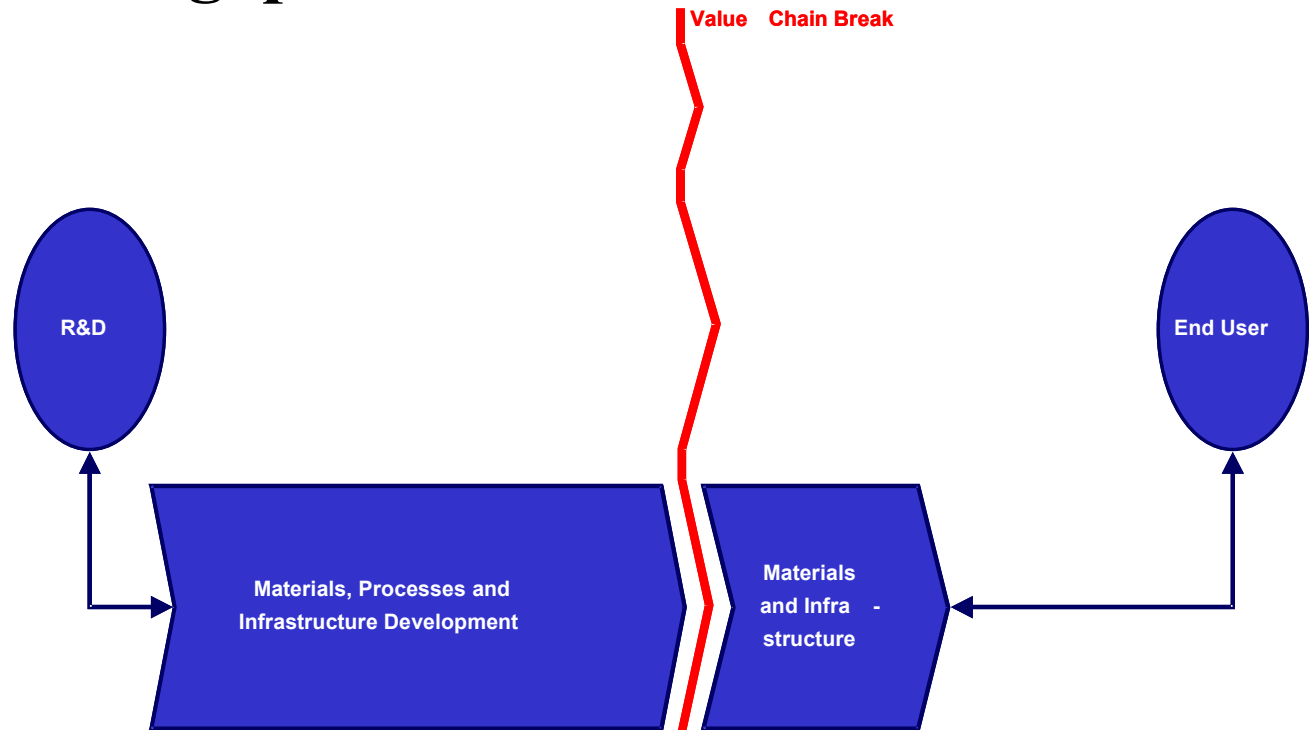


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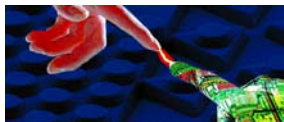
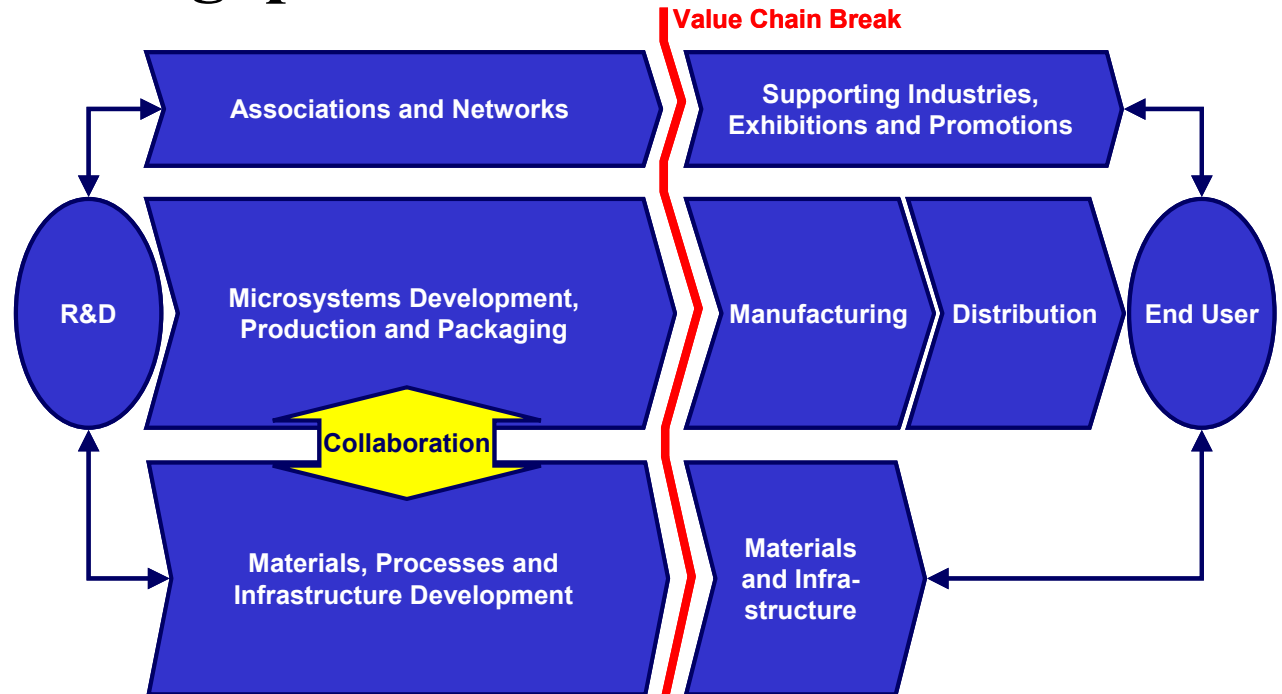


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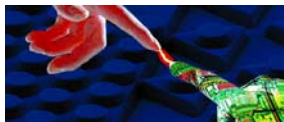




## **Summary: The value chain gaps**

- *The upper gap has to be closed by cooperation with branch organizations and operational dissemination tools.*
- *The middle gap has to be closed by information, best practice examples*
- *The lower gap has to be closed by a knowledge pool and consulting services*

**=> key to success: communication, cooperation**



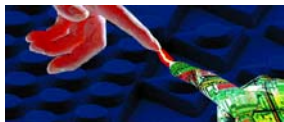


## **EMINENT - Objectives**

- setting up relations between all kinds of NMST related institutions
- representing the micro/nano SME's in forums and organisations with international dimension
- creating a business/organisation related knowledge pool of successful activities

**to support micro/nano SME's in their development and to accelerate their global business activities**

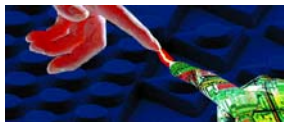
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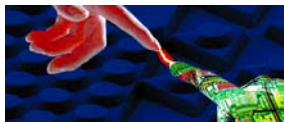
- to create communication channels
- to connect the links of the value chain
- to give support and service to the SME's active in the NMST biz





## **EMINENT tools**

- workshops, leading to ‘one-to-one’ meetings
- information dissemination; website, newsletter, fairs etc.
- Meetings of the EMINENT participants; information exchange,
- 6th FP, support and coordination

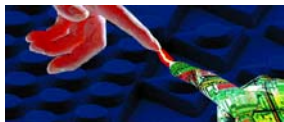


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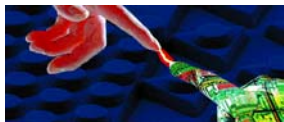
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## Who we are

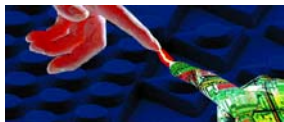
- EMINENT is an EU funded IST-2001-38176 Thematic Network, it is meant to be virtual network, where the actual work is done by ist participants with the least possible overhead





## Who we are

- The EMINENT project aims at representing the European micro/nano SME's in different governmental and all relevant business oriented forums on a European level





## Who we are

- ADEMIS - France
- APTE - Swiss
- IVAM - Germany
- MINAC - The Netherlands
- MINT - Belgium
- OGMS - Austria

