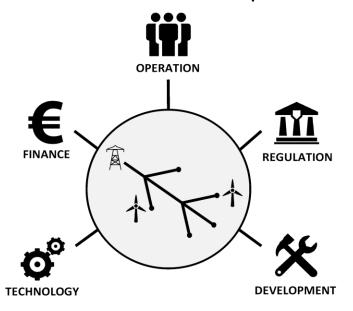


Challenges for deployment of meshed offshore **HVDC** grid

- Cost effective and reliable converter technology
- Grid protection systems
- Financial framework for infrastructure development
- Regulation for deployment and operation
- · Agreement between manufacturers, developers and operators of the grid





Objectives

- Identify technical requirements and investigate possible topologies for meshed HVAC/DC offshore grids
- Develop protection components and schemes for offshore grids
- Establish components interoperability and initiate standardisation
- Develop recommendations for a coherent EU and national regulatory framework for DC offshore grids
- Develop recommendations for financing mechanism of offshore grid infrastructure deployment
- Demonstrate cost-effective Offshore HVDC equipment
- Develop a deployment plan for HVDC grid implementation

Project Structure

Foundation Demonstration Exploitation





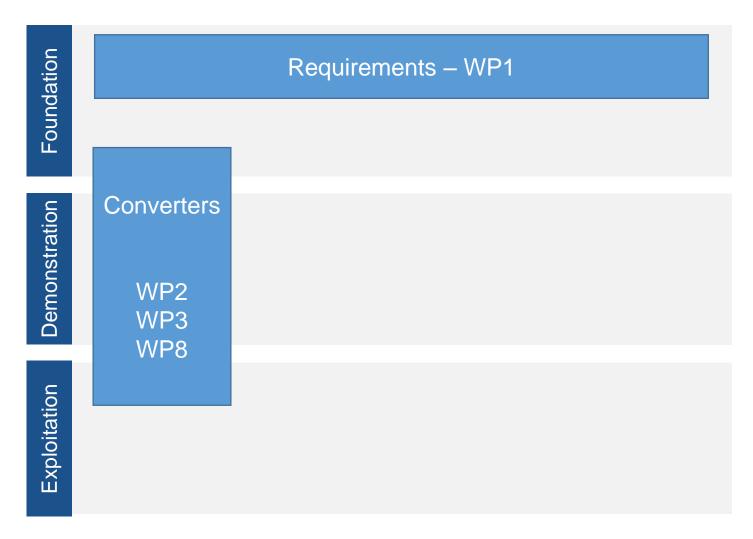
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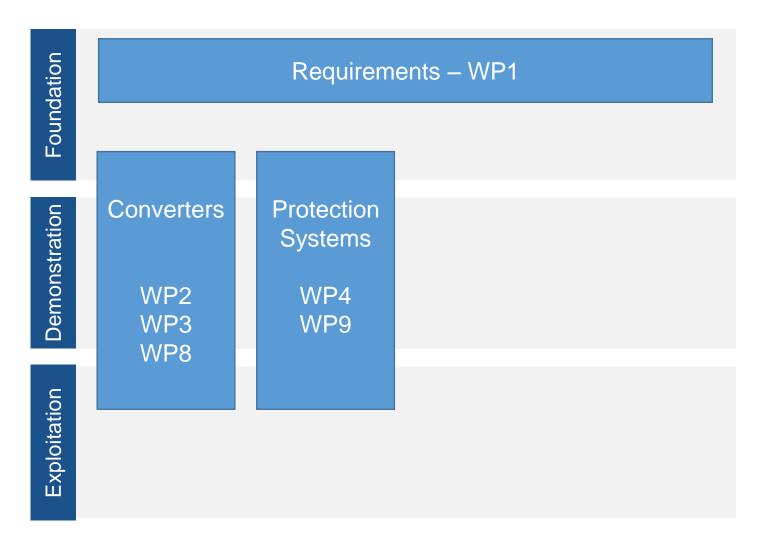
Project Structure - Converters







Project Structure – Protection Systems







Project Structure – DC Circuit Breakers

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Project Structure – Finance & Regulation

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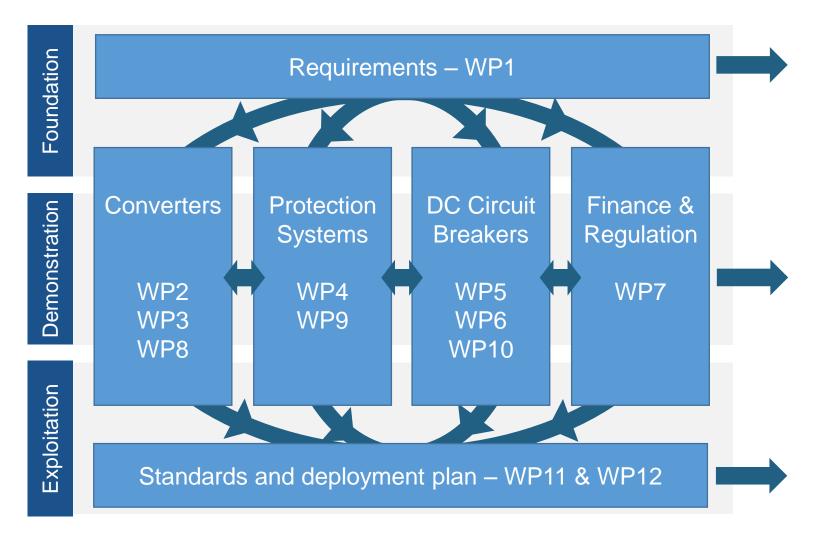
Project Structure – Standards & Deployment plan

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Project Structure – Coordination & dissemination







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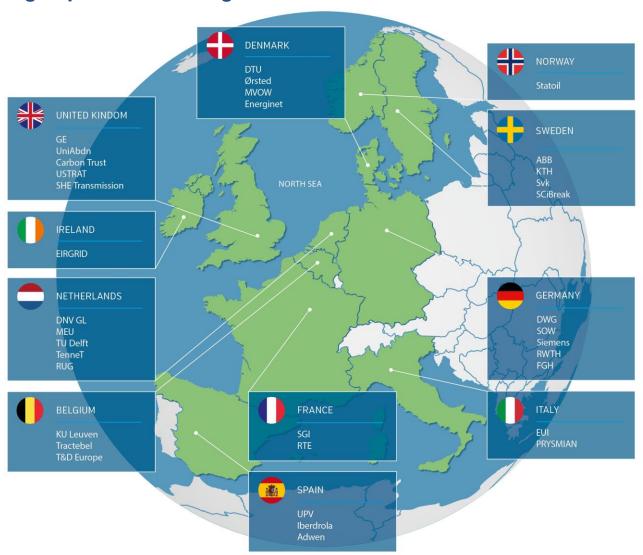
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