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Road Map organic certification Mozambique

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A savanna landscape with a large baobab tree and a cloudy sky. The foreground is filled with dry, golden-brown grass. In the middle ground, there are several trees, including a prominent, large baobab tree with a thick trunk and sparse, dry leaves. The sky is blue with scattered white and grey clouds. The text is overlaid on a semi-transparent white box in the upper right corner.

Agenda:

1. Introduction
2. **Gap and Market Analysis**
 - Needs
 - Constraints
 - Recommendations
3. Roadmap

I. Introduction

Background

- The potential of organic production in Mozambique
- Draft regulation on organic production (2021)

Goal

- Draft a roadmap containing actions to improve organic production in Mozambique through official organic certification

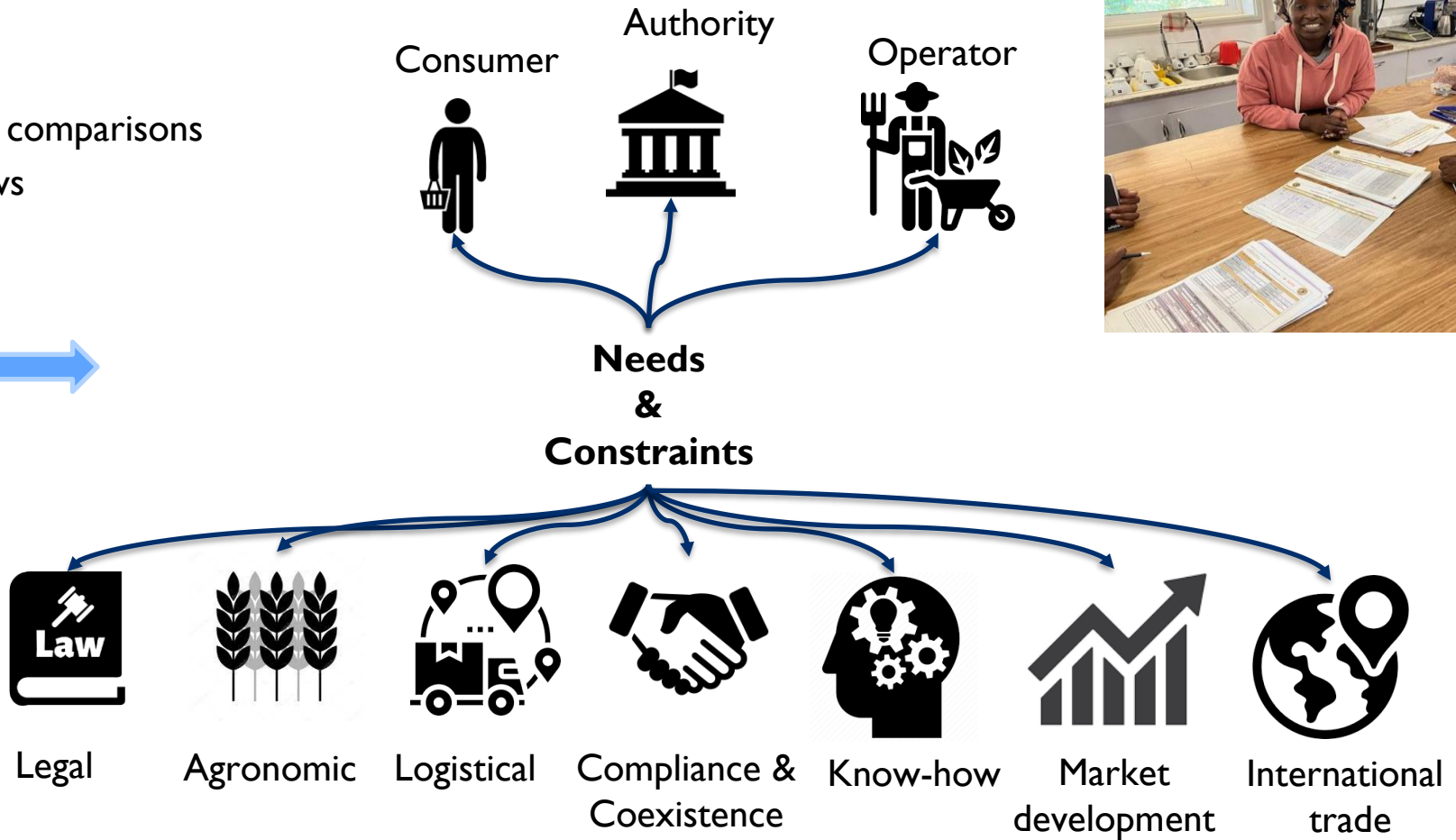
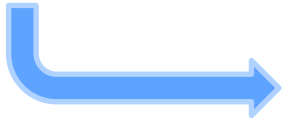
Methodology

- **Selection of value chains:** avocado, coffee, tea, macadamia, honey, sugar, baobab
- **Comparison of organic regulations (MOZ, EU, NOP)**
- **Interviews (360°):** Input suppliers, producers, processors, retailers, certifiers, laboratories, exporters, etc.
- **National workshop**

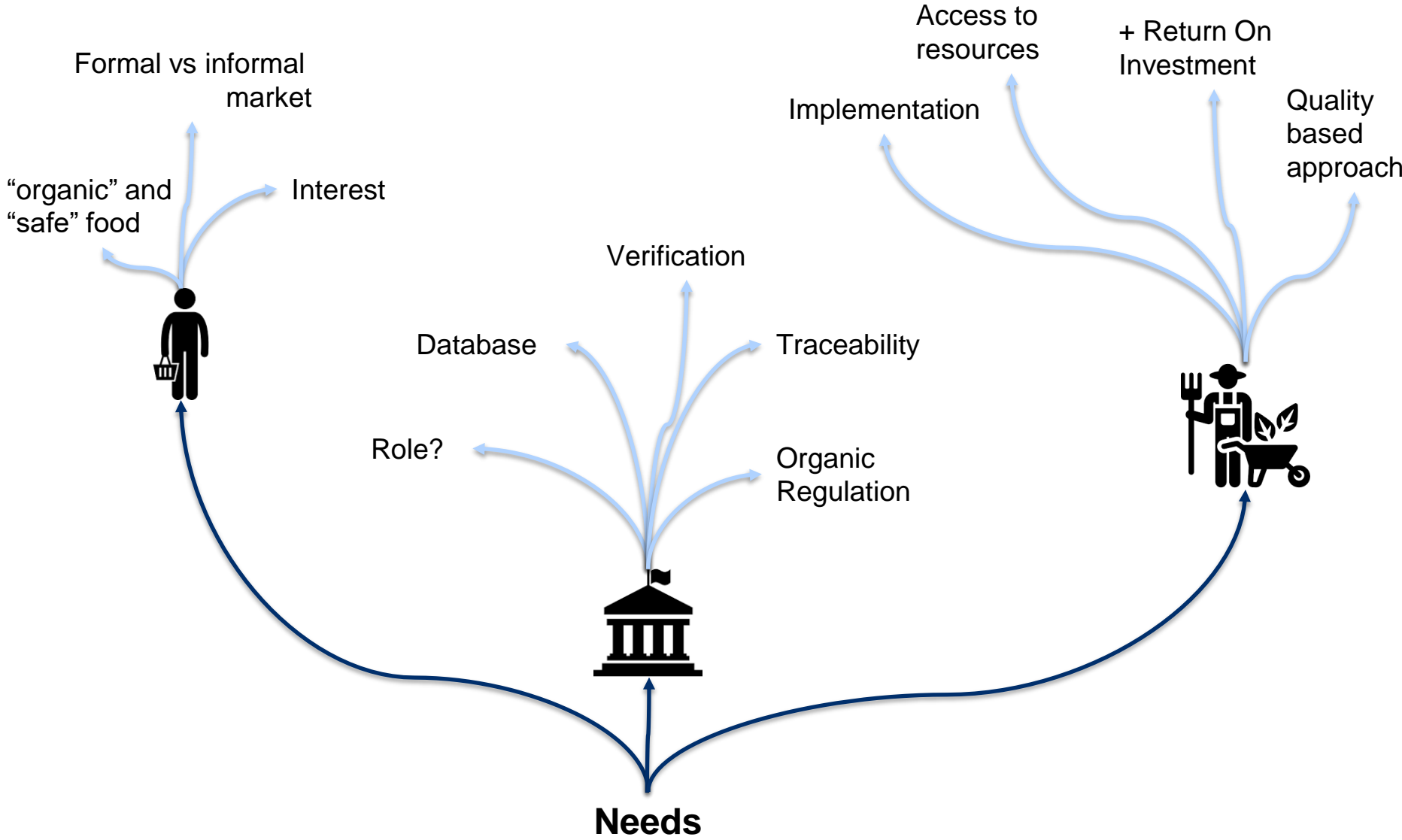


II. Gap and Market Analysis: Needs and Constraints

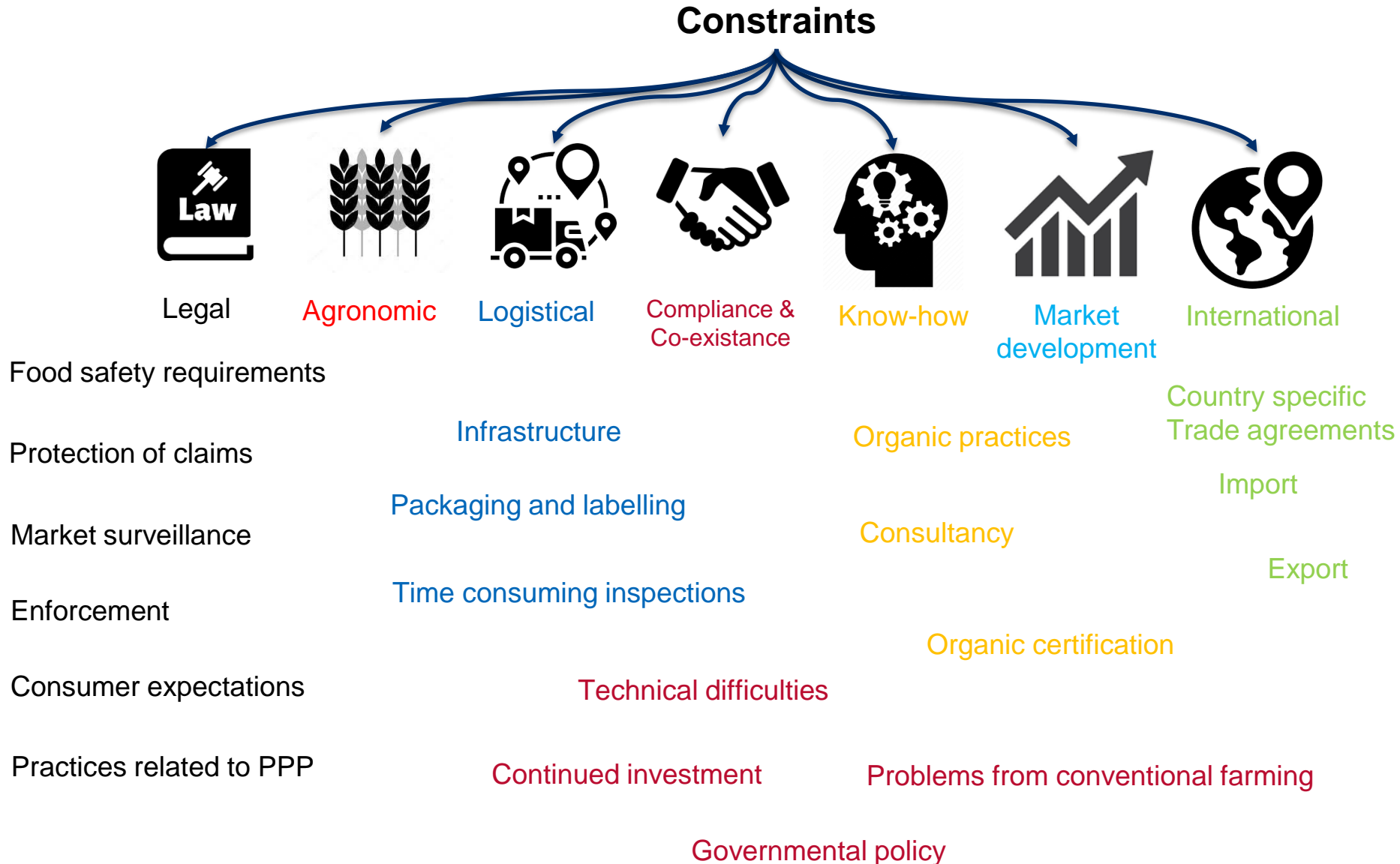
Side by side comparisons
Desk reviews
Interviews
Consultants



II. Gap and Market Analysis: Needs



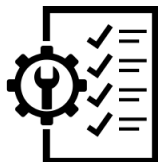
II. Gap and Market Analysis: Constraints



II. Gap and Market Analysis: Recommendations

Policy development

1. Publish the organic Regulation
2. Review existing legislation
3. Strengthen farmers' organizations
4. Review research programs
5. Develop support programs
6. Launch pilot projects
7. Increase awareness
8. Attract foreign investors



Capacity building

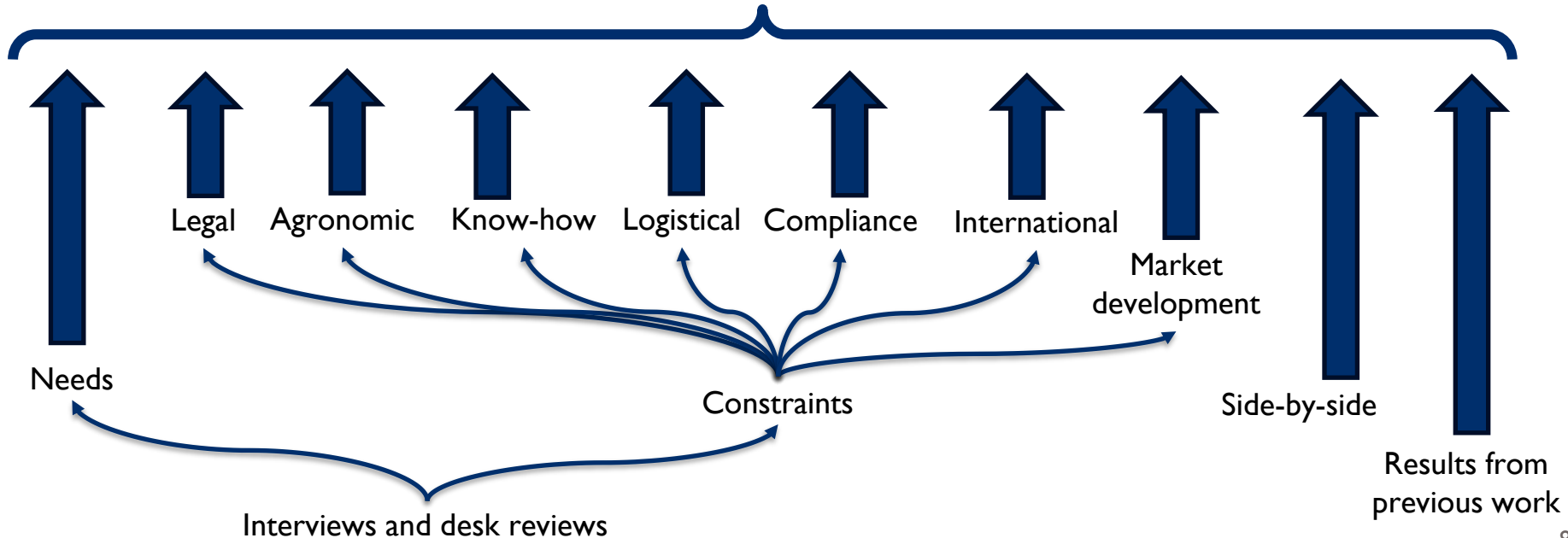
1. Designate staff and working means
2. ISO/IEC 17065
3. “1-stop-certification shop”
4. Facilitate accessibility to organic
5. International recognition



III. Road map

Policy development	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Capacity building	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029

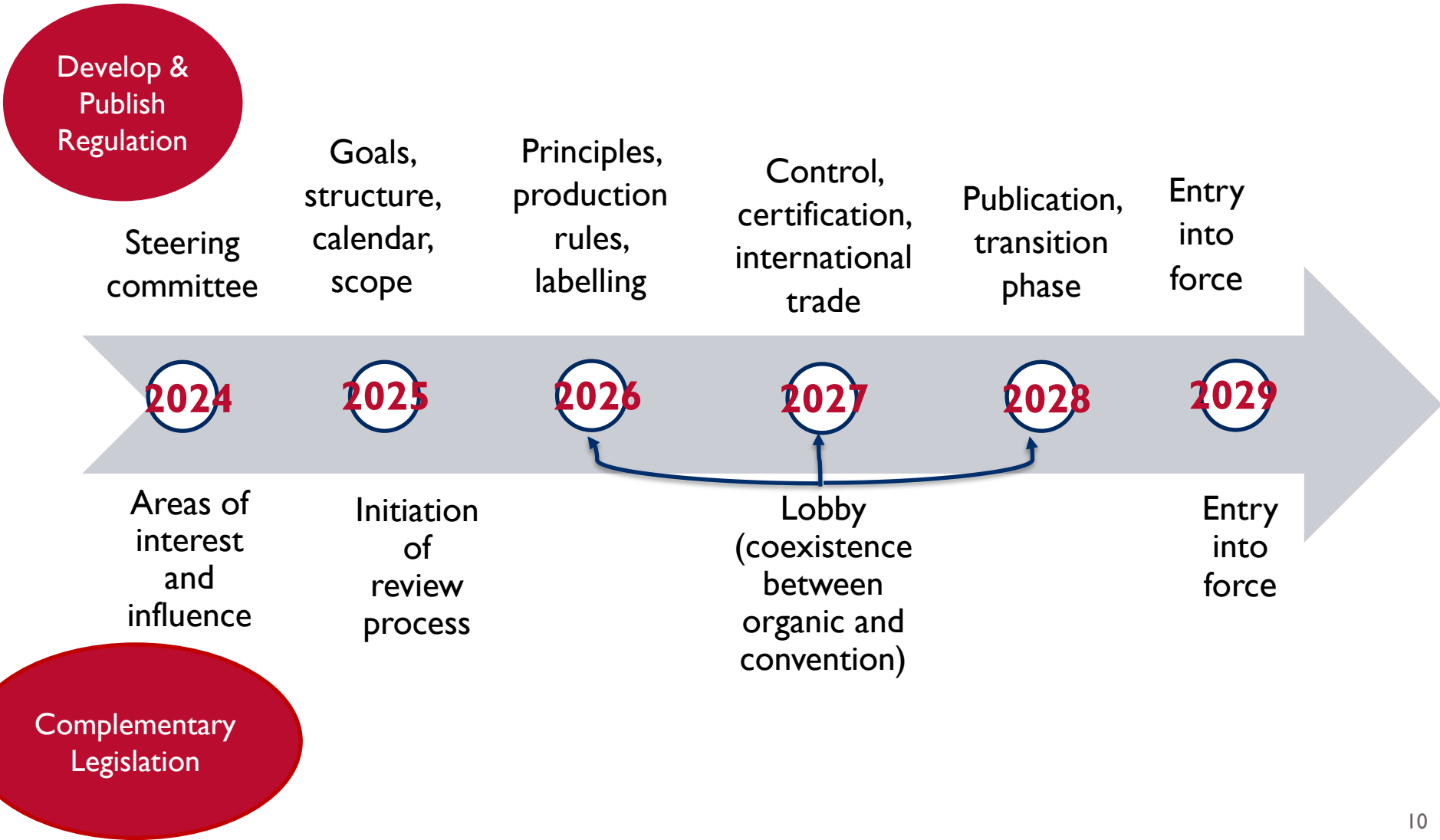
Recommendations



III. Road Map: Overview

Description	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Policy Development						
○ Develop and publish organic regulation						
○ Review existing legislation						
○ Strengthening farmers' organization						
○ Review research programs						
○ Develop support programs						
○ Increase awareness						
○ Attract foreign investor						
Capacity Building						
○ Designated staff and working means						
○ Adopt international product certification standards						
○ Increasing effectiveness and efficiency of public service						
○ Facilitate accessibility to organic certification						
○ Obtain international recognition						

III. Road Map : Policy Development



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Review & Develop Support Programs

Design research & pilot programs

Prepare budget, infrastructure procedures

First experimental trials

2024

2025

2026

2027

2028

2029

Reach out to potential donors

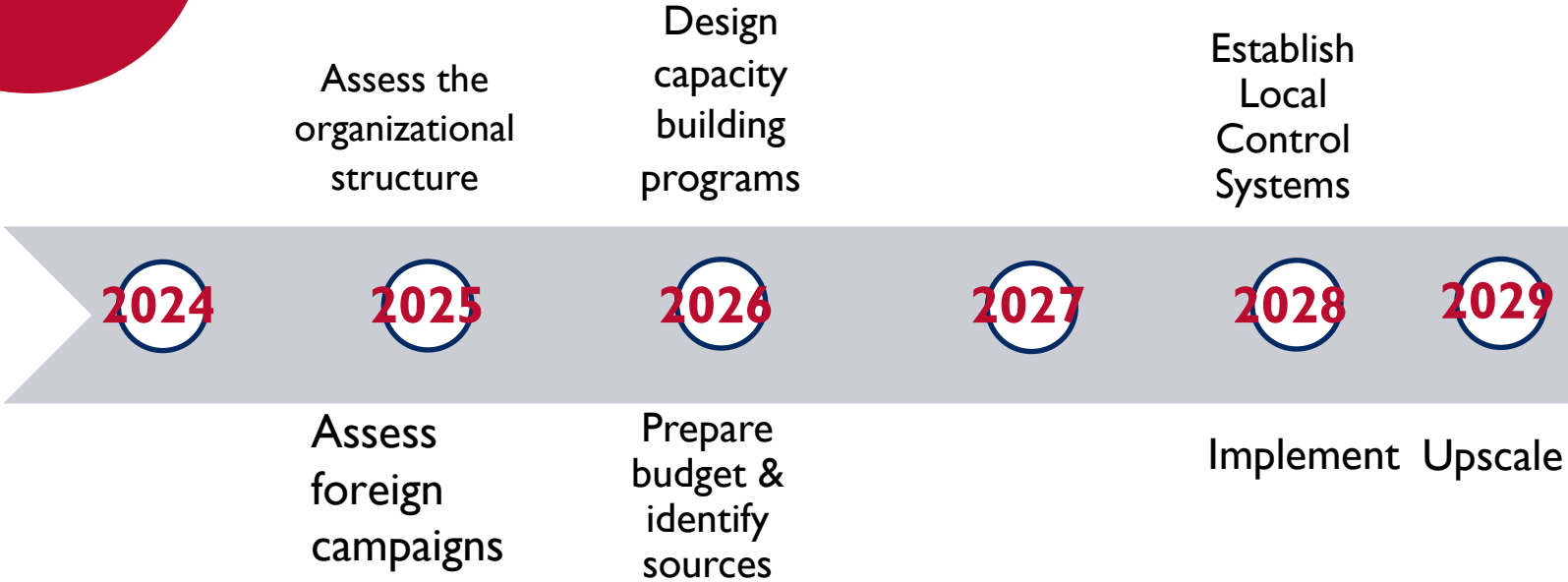
Prepare for launching (e.g. pilot farm, compost)

Launch

Launch Pilot Programs

III. Road Map : Policy Development

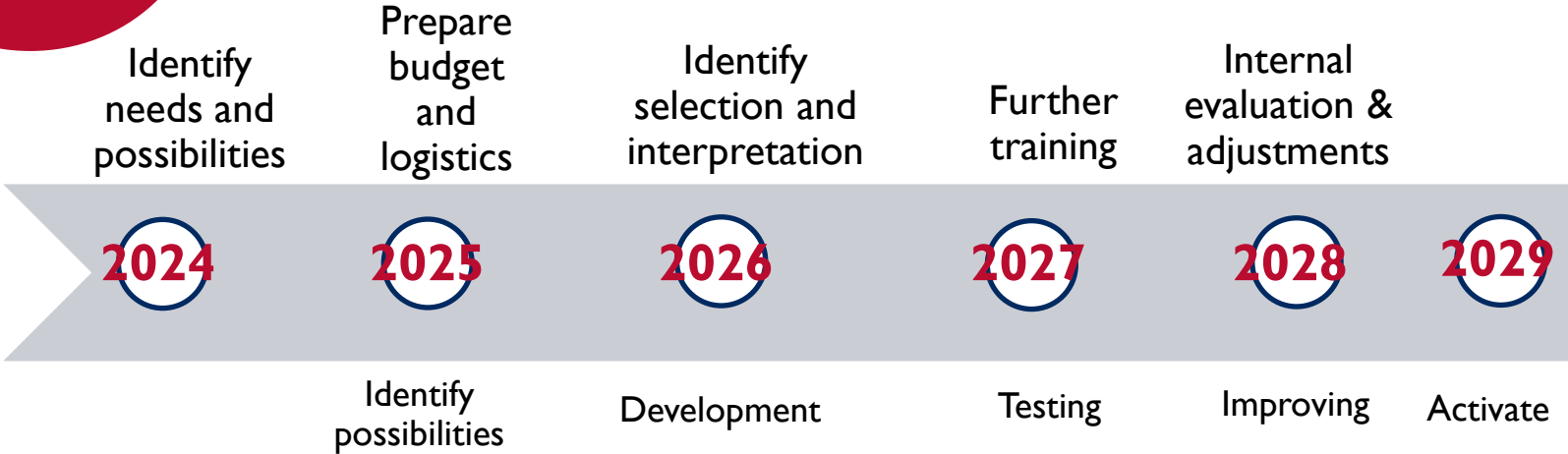
Strengthen farmers' orgs



Increase Awareness

III. Road Map : Capacity Building

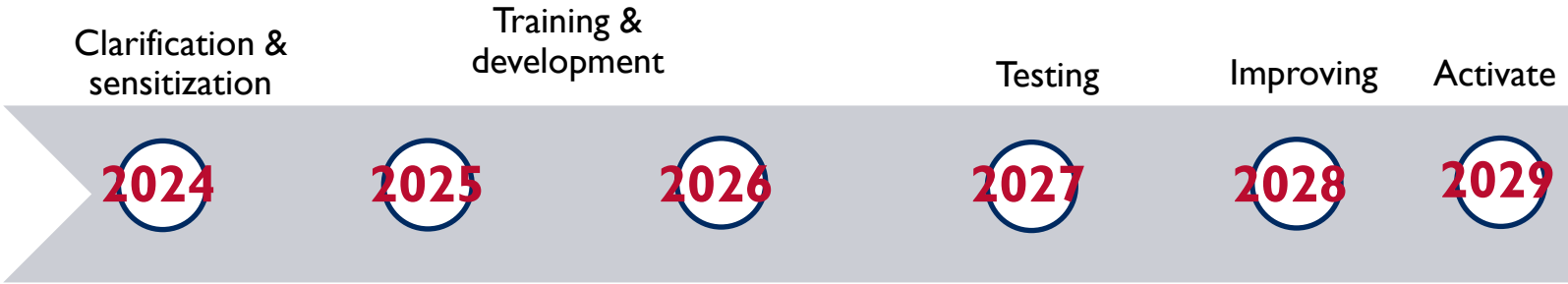
Designate staff



Increase effectiveness of public service

III. Road Map : Capacity Building

Adopt International Standards



Training & development for international organic market

Testing, application and improving

Submit request

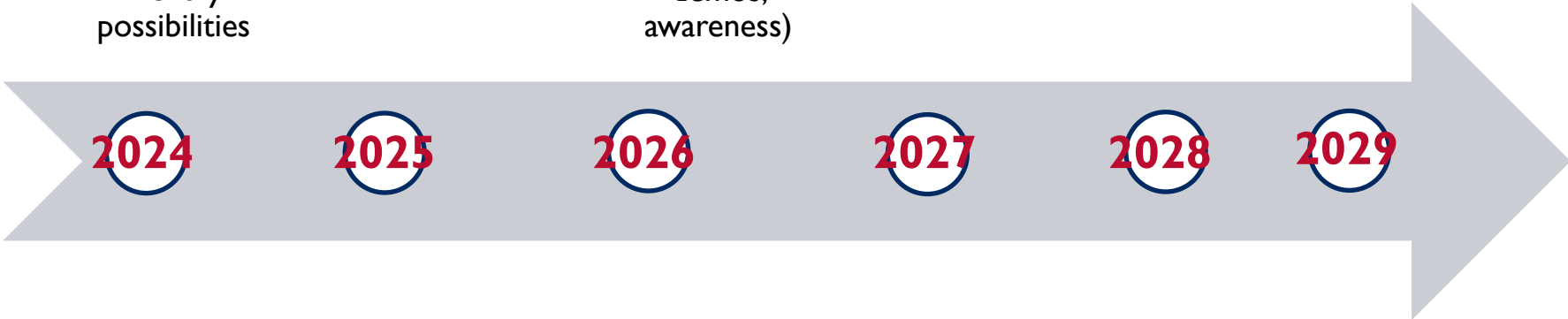
Obtain International Recognition

III. Road Map : Capacity Building

Facilitate
Accessibility
to Organic

Identify
possibilities

Implement
(training,
demos,
awareness)



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