

Innovation support services since 1996

- Non-profit – innovation support
- Shareholders:
 - Ministry of Economy and Innovation
 - Ministry of Education, Science and Sport
 - Lithuanian Confederation of Industrialists
- Country-wide operations
- Staff – 35+, headquarters in Vilnius, represented in Kaunas, Šiauliai, Panevėžys



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INNOVATION
CENTRE

Things we do

Innovation support services. Public consultants – innovation advisors delivering:

- Advise on innovation process, clusterization, innovation management etc.
- Partner search, Technology transfer
- Capacity building for innovation
- 800+ clients – SMEs, Big companies, R&D institutions



Value for the clients (annually)

- └ R&D investments initiated ~ **2.5M** euros
- └ Transnational Partnership agreements initiated
 - └ value ~ **1.5M** euros
 - └ investment foreseen in 2 years - **2.1M** euros.



Things we do

Innovation analysis and policy development.

Innovation policy advisors delivering:

- Advise for the government on new innovation policies, instruments, initiatives;
- Ex-ante, ex-post assessment of innovation policy measures, collecting and combining business feedback towards the new/improved policies;
- International good practice exchange facilitation

Clients – Ministry of Economy, Ministry of Education and Science, Lithuanian Government





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12 September, 2019 InnoHEIs kick off meeting Thematic Workshop

A wide, flat green field under a blue sky with a small hill in the distance. The field is a vibrant green, and the sky is a clear blue with some light clouds. In the far distance, a small, dark hill or peak is visible on the horizon.

Lithuania's highest peak

no mountains...

...tall people



tall people in action...



Lithuania in a nutshell (1)

#14 in the Ease of Doing Business

Lithuania ranked in its highest position globally¹

#1 Capital in the Ease of Starting a Business

Vilnius is the 1st capital in the European Union (EU)²

#1 in fulfilling ICT business needs

In the whole world³

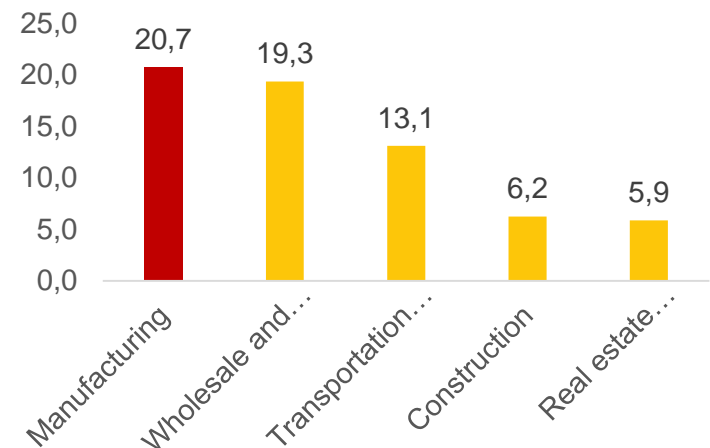
#1 Public Wi-Fi globally

According to Rotten Wi-Fi, Lithuania has the best public in the world⁴

#3 in the EU for 4G LTE coverage

According to OpenSignal (2018), 88.4% of the area of Lithuania is covered with 4G LTE mobile network⁵

Lithuania: structure of GDP, 2017, % (top 5 sectors)



1 Doing Business Report 2018 by World Bank

2, 3 Invest Lithuania

4 2016, Rotten WiFi

5 OpenSignal, 2018

Lithuania in a nutshell (2)

**€42bn in
GDP**

Lithuania is the largest economy in the Baltics¹

**+39% real
wages growth**

Highest growth in real wages among the OECD countries since 2008⁴

- 1 Eurostat, 2018
- 2 Eurostat, 2018
- 3 Lithuanian Department of Statistics
- 4 OECD data, 2018
- 5 Invest Lithuania

**€23,500
per capita**

One of the highest values in the Baltics²

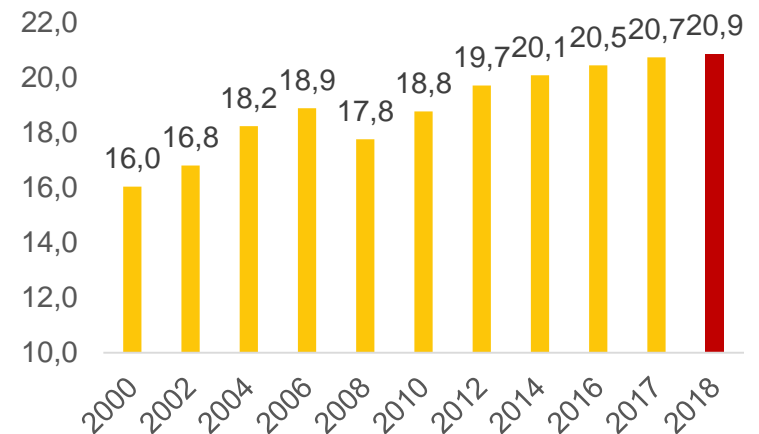
**+60% growth
in FDI**

Foreign Direct Investment up by 60% since 2012⁵

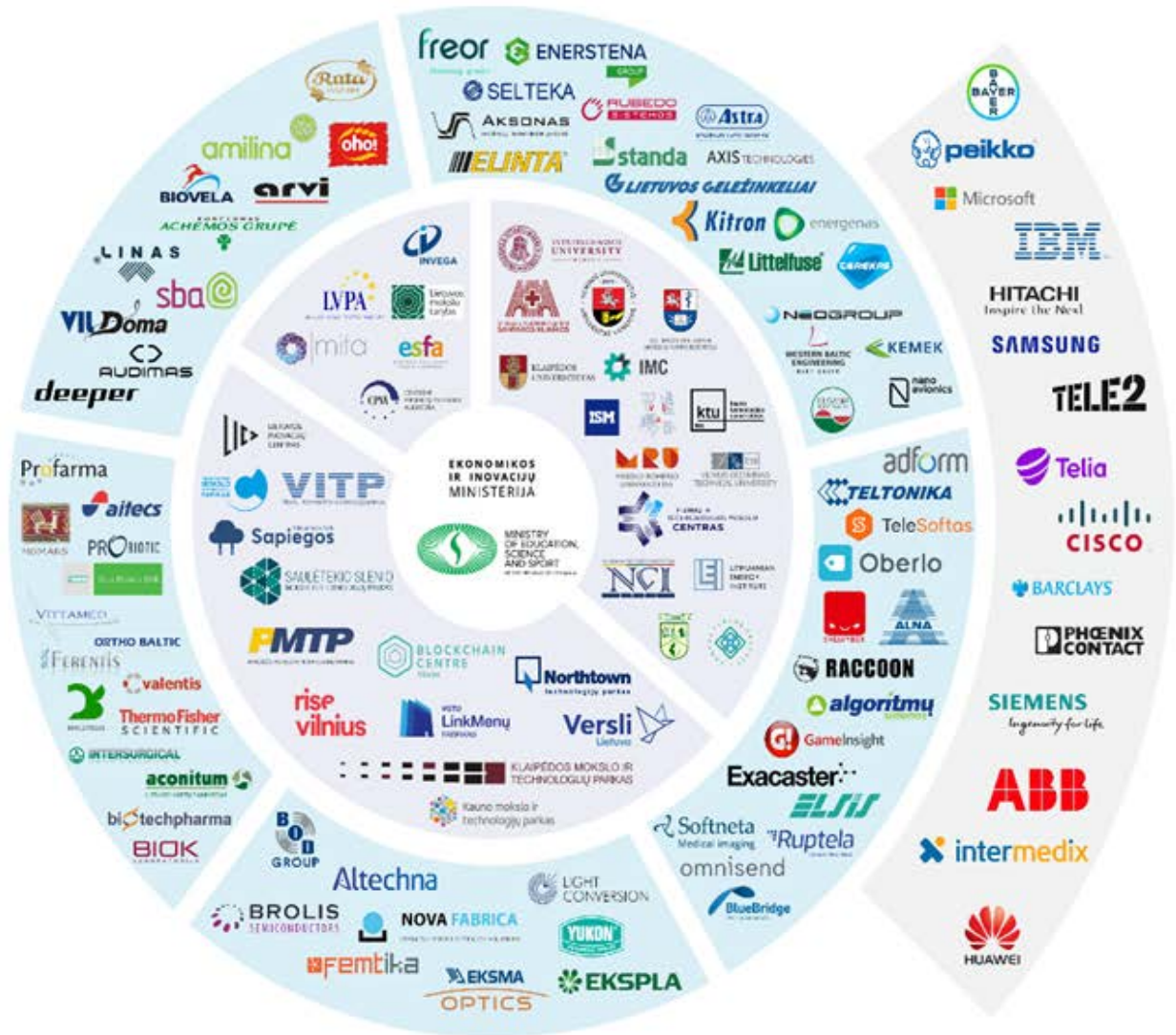
**+3.4% GDP
growth in 2018**

Lithuanian
Department of
Statistics

**Lithuania: share of
manufacturing in GDP, %**



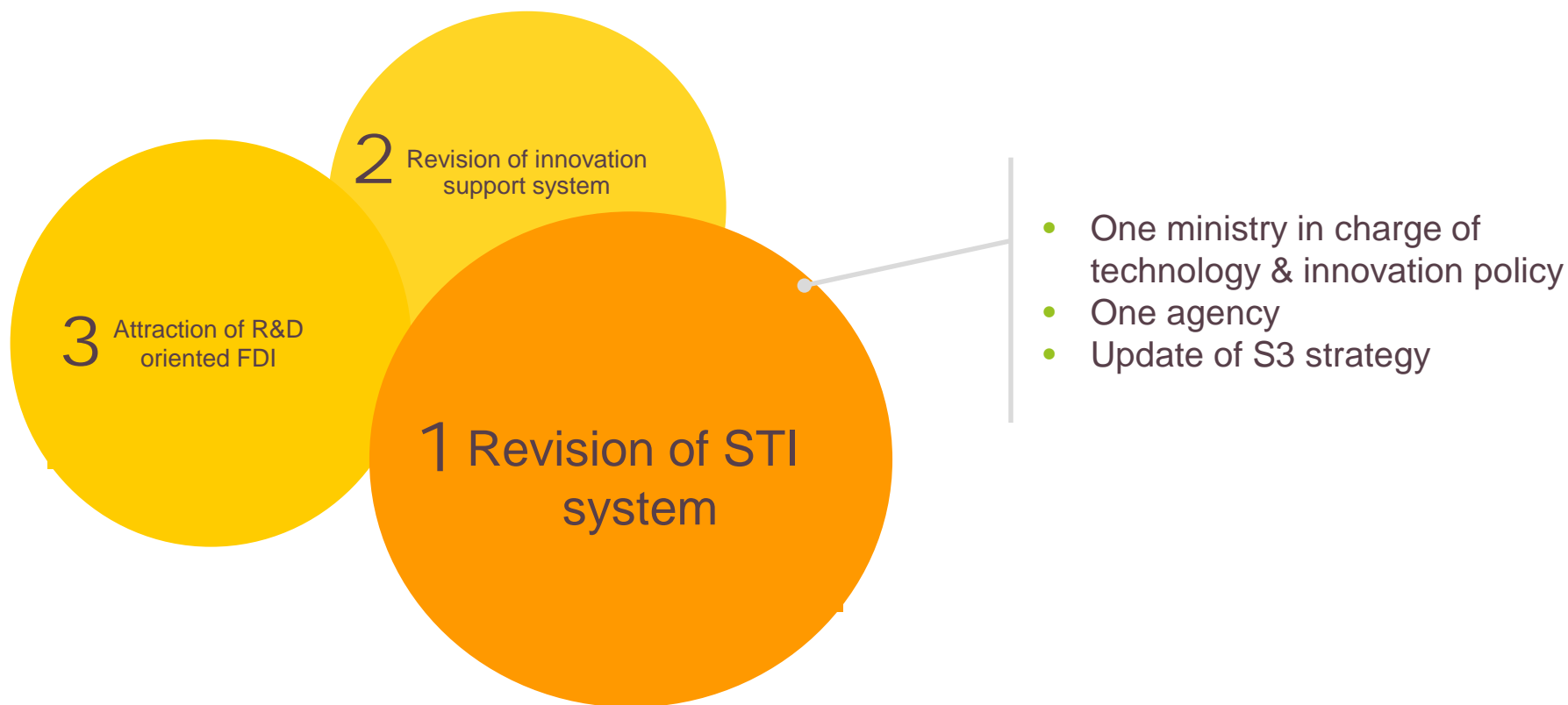
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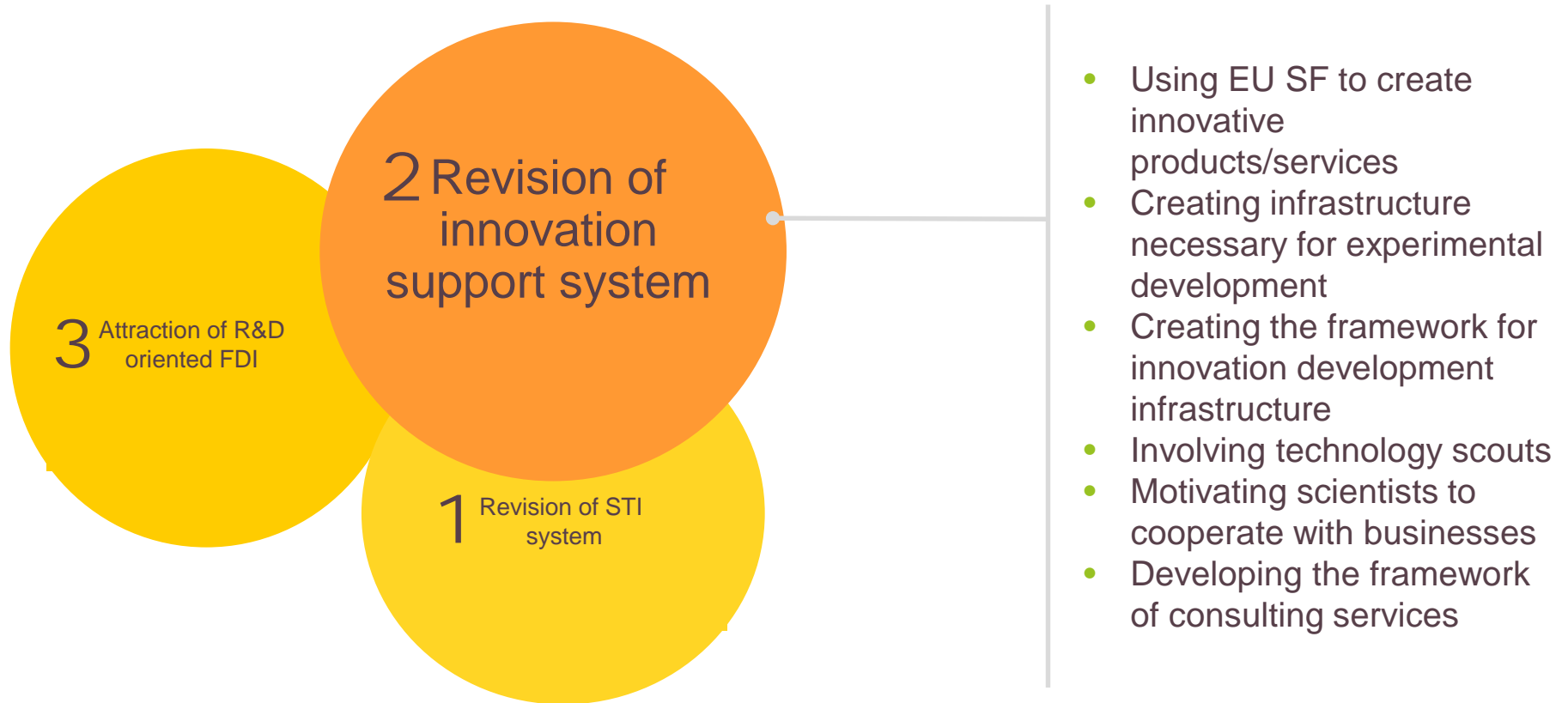
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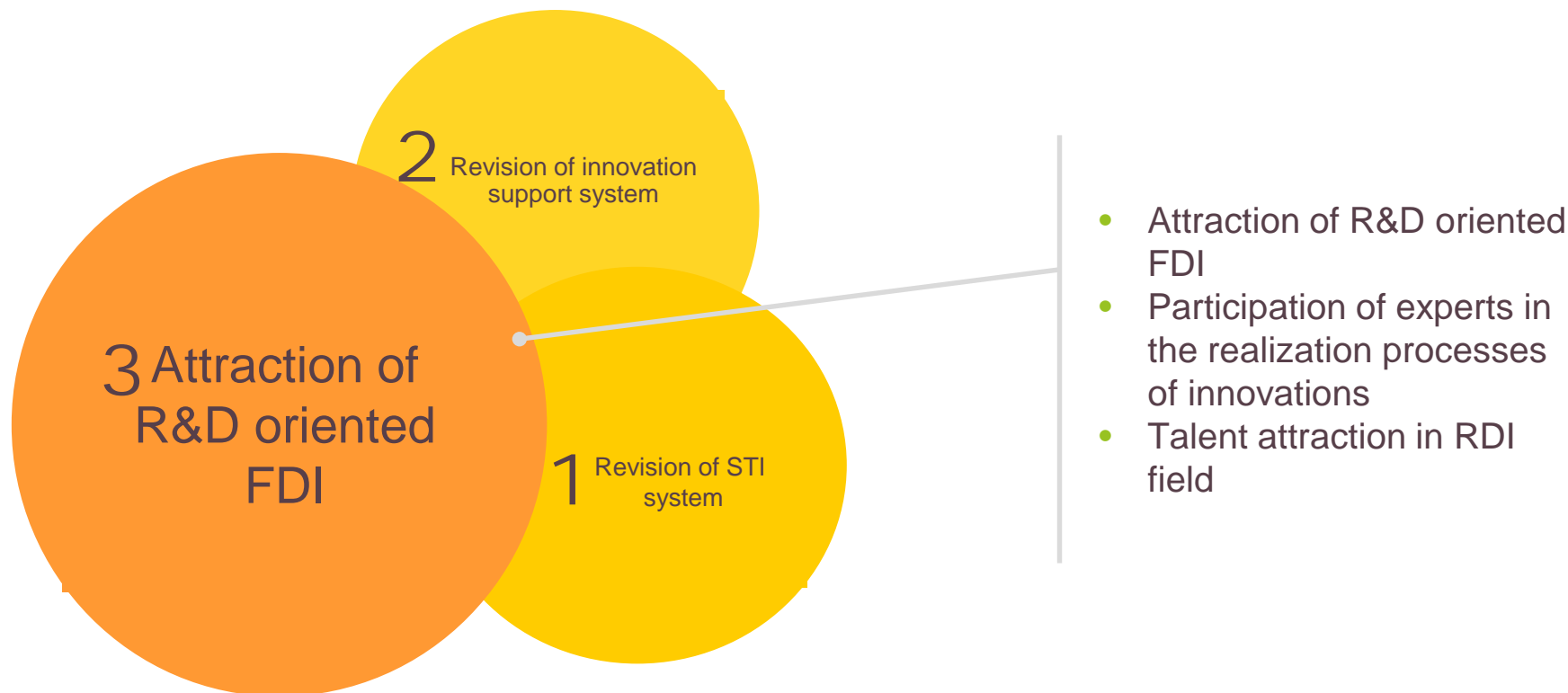
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Thank you!

Questions welcome



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