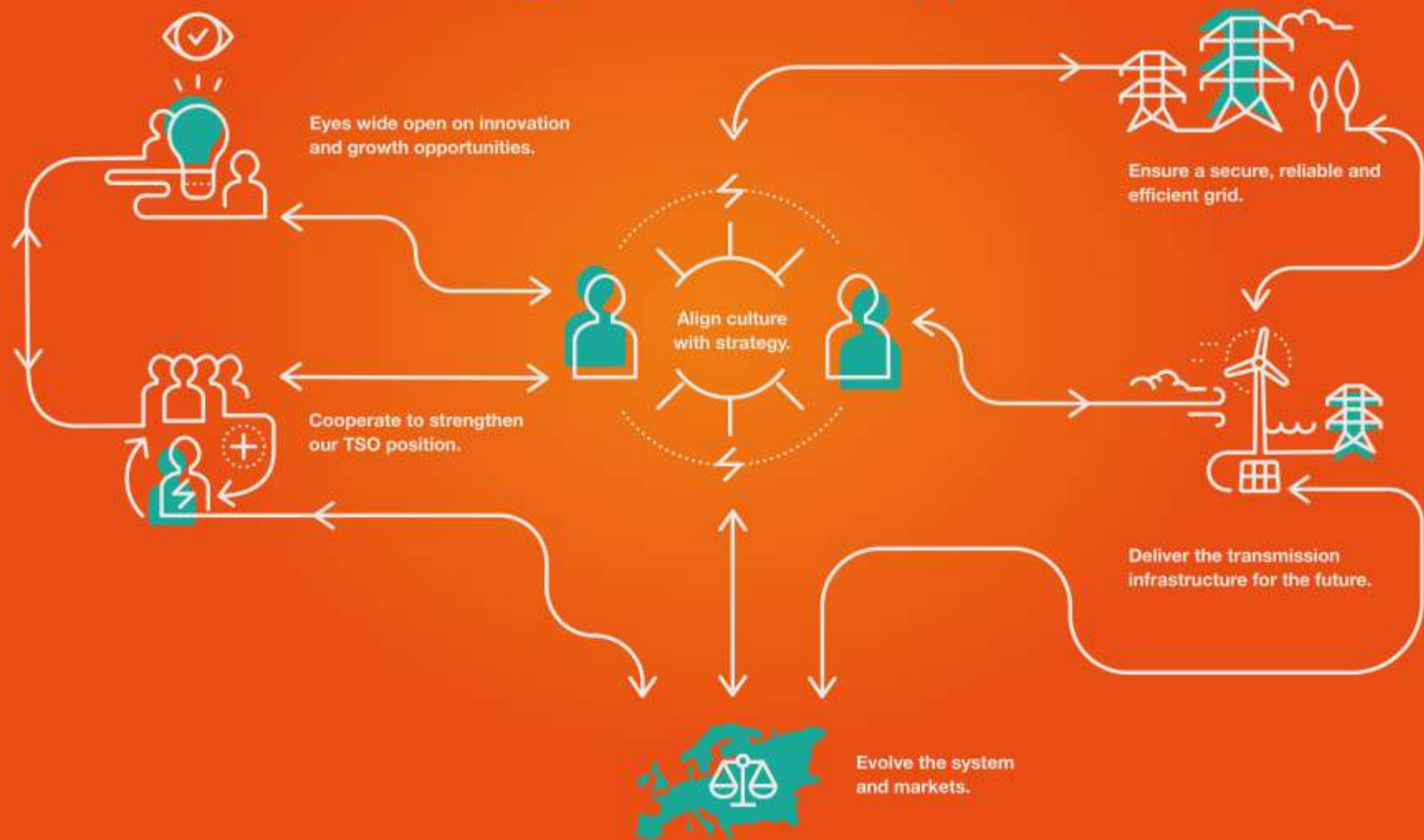




How biodiversity profits from grid extension

18 km of new nature under Elia's 380 kv line Zutendaal-Maaseik

Make the energy transition happen



Interest of society at the heart of in every decision



Stakeholder Management

- Dialogue & coalition building
- Based on mutual respect, empathy and transparency
- Best practices & fruitful collaborations

Successful Public Acceptance

- Close collaboration, transparency & dialogue
- Infrastructure complying with highest technical, environmental & safety standards



Evolution in grid development

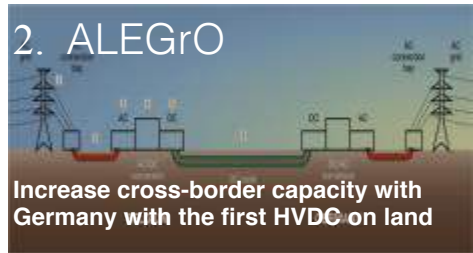
CAPEX plan of € 2,2 billion 2016-2020

1. Brabo



Reinforce the port of Antwerp & increase cross-border capacity with NL

2. ALEGrO



Increase cross-border capacity with Germany with the first HVDC on land

3. Stevin



Integrate offshore wind & benefit from cross-border trading with UK on land

4. Nemo Link

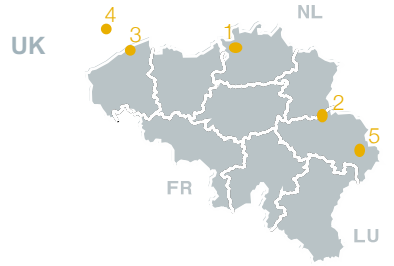


Subsea HVDC-interconnection with UK

5. Boucle de l'Est



Reinforce the grid to integrate renewable production



- More & larger projects
- More interconnectors
- More impact on people & environment

Need for more information & public participation at an early stage to deliver the project on time, quality & budget

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New mindset



Proactive stakeholder management

Emphasis on collaboration

Best-in class innovation

Recent project on nature conservation



380 kv line Zutendaal-Maaseik

Green corridor of 18 km (117 hectares)

Forest management plan for 24 y

250 sheep versus mechanical maintenance

Collaboration with 130 land owners,
6 municipalities,
Dept Nature and Forestry, etc.

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