



Projet FET Open ONE-FLOW

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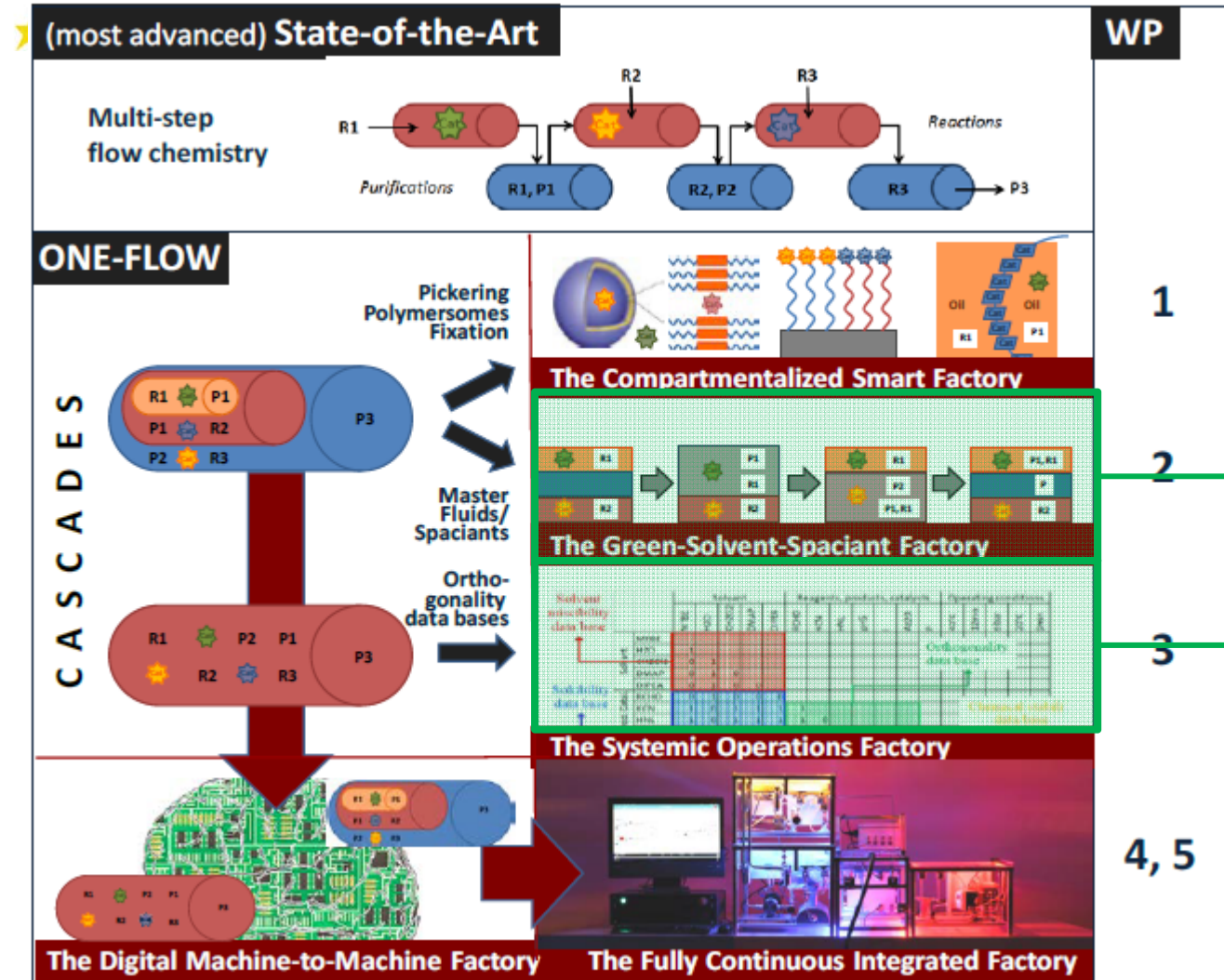
ONE-FLOW

- **Title:** Catalyst Cascade Reactions in ‘One-Flow’ within a Compartmentalized, Green-Solvent ‘Digital Synthesis Machinery’ – End-to-End Green Process Design for Pharmaceuticals.
- **ID:** proposal 737266 - ONE-FLOW. Start 1 January 2017. Duration 48 months.
- **Partners:** 9 from 5 countries **Budget:** 3.9 M€

No	Participant organisation name	Key Researcher	Country
1	Eindhoven University of Technology	Hessel V.*	The Netherlands
2	Graz University of Technology	Gruber-Wölfler H.	Austria
3	Delft University of Technology	Arends I.W.C.E.	The Netherlands
4	Eindhoven University of Technology	Van Hest J.C.M.	The Netherlands
5	Bielefeld University	Gröger H.	Germany
6	CNRS – CPE Lyon	de Bellefon C.	France
7	University of Cambridge	Ley S.V.	United Kingdom
8	University of Hull	Binks B. P.	United Kingdom
9	MicroInnova	Hirschegger, L.	Austria



ONE-FLOW – CNRS Lyon



WP2:
compartmentation
using multiphase
flow

WP3 (WP leader):
methodology for
batch to
continuous flow
cascades



Project building

- As a “simple partner” CNRS Lyon didn’t ask for support to built the project.
- Consortium built from aggregation of renewed teams having complementary expertise.
- The work of the Coordinator was determining.
- A first submission was rejected by the EC.
- The project was rewritten with new ideas albeit with the same concepts.
- Overall, ca. 2 years between the first discussions and the project acceptance by the EC (September 2015 to October 2016).



Gatekeepers

- Long-term vision:
=> mimic living cells “one device, several compartments”
- Breakthrough scientific and technological target
=> Use cutting edge millifluidic, compartmentation targeted at different scales, from nm to mm.
- Novelty
=> Reducing multistep organic synthesis from multiple steps to one operation + from weeks to hours



Gatekeepers

- Foundational
*=> Foundation of the new concept of **compartmented reactors** able to manage “antagonist” chemical reactions in one device.*
- High-risk
=> The project requires the in depth integration of many expertise thus calling for highly motivated partners and open collaboration.
- Interdisciplinary
=> From biochemistry (enzymes) to chemical engineering and computer sciences (A.I.).



“Recommandations”

- Pourquoi un FET-OPEN (taux de succès de 1,5 à 7 %) ?
- Avoir un réseau de collègues européens ayant les mêmes motivations que vous.
- Avoir le soutien de son établissement et pas seulement un soutien moral.
- Avoir l’engagement de son établissement pour la Coordination du projet.
- Overheads = flexibilité
- Partenaires académiques + PME « high-tech » + Club utilisateurs (industriels)