

# EIT RawMaterials' role in the **Battery value chain**

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# EIT RawMaterials acts under the umbrella of EIT, to foster competitiveness and collaboration in the raw materials value chain

**EIT RM's vision is to develop raw materials into a major strength for Europe through innovation, education and entrepreneurship**

Exploration of raw materials & resources assessment

Mining in challenging environments

Increased resource efficiency in processes

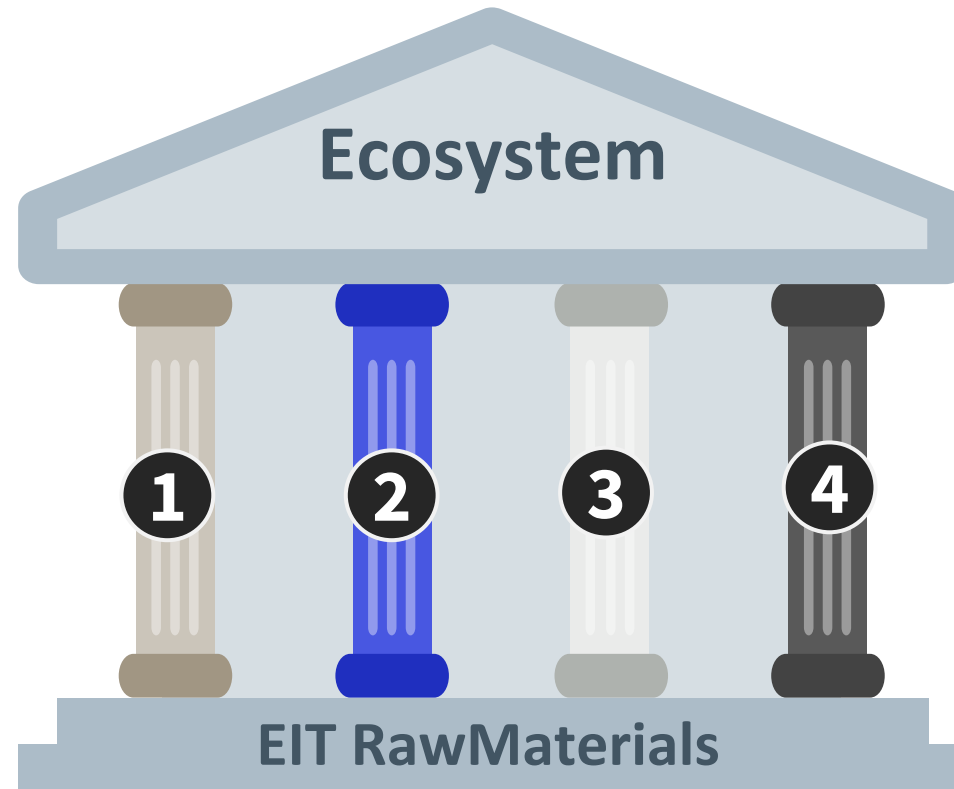
Substitution of critical and toxic materials

Recycling and materials chain optimization

Design product & services for the circular economy

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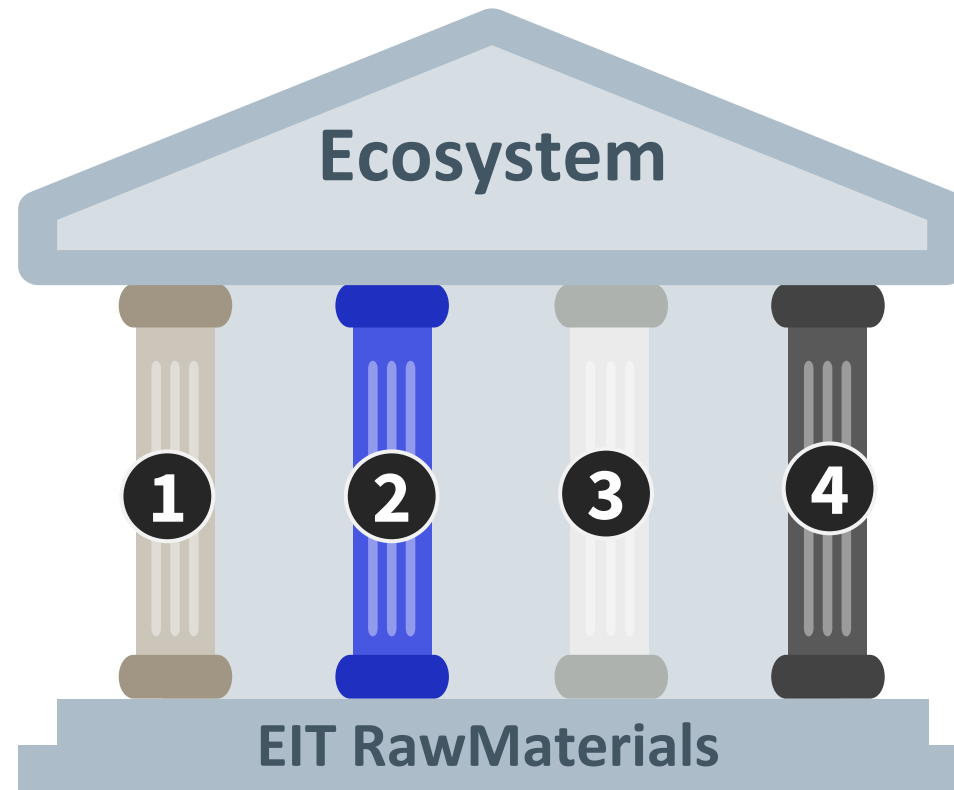
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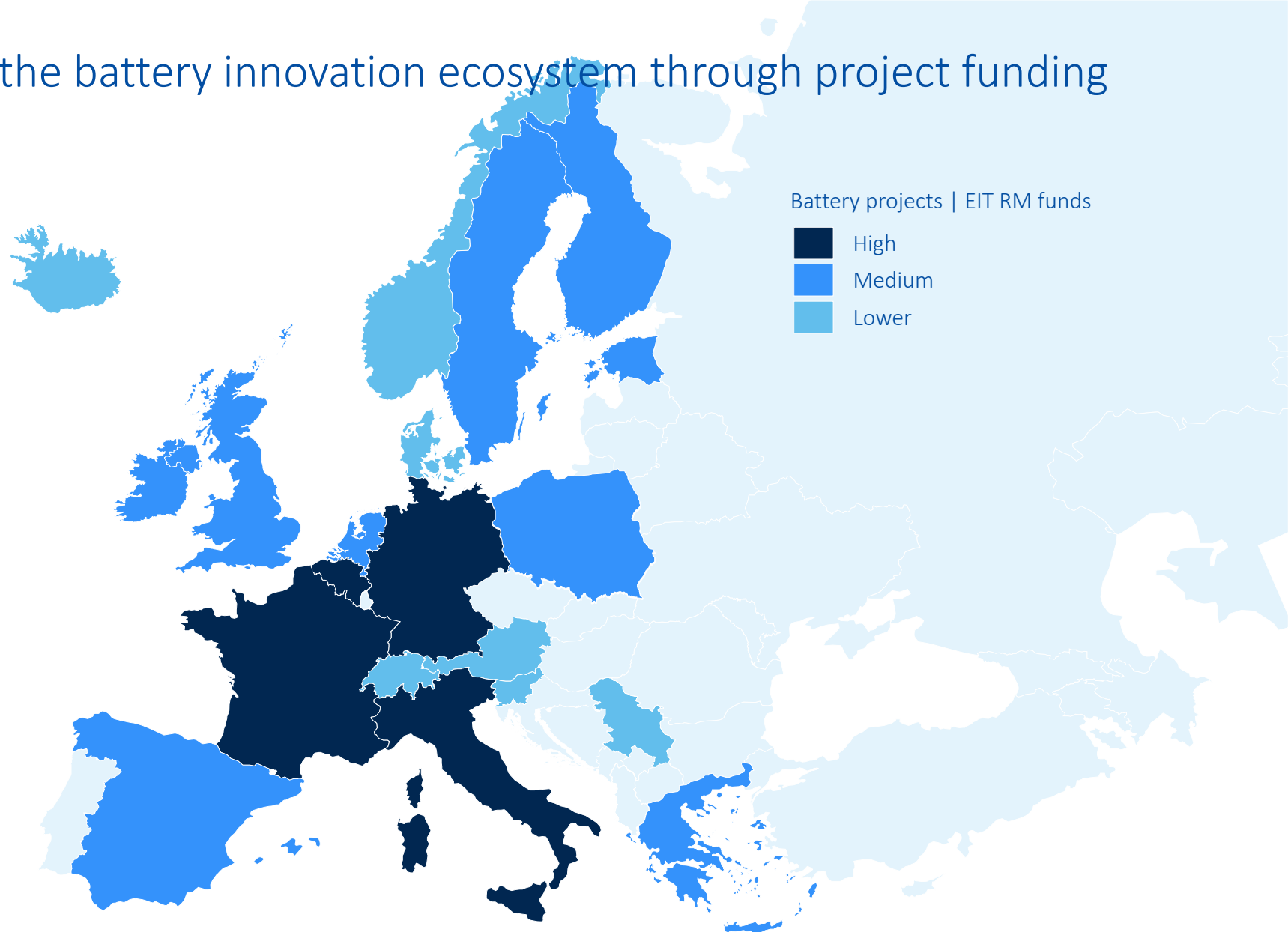
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We play an integrative part of the battery innovation ecosystem through project funding

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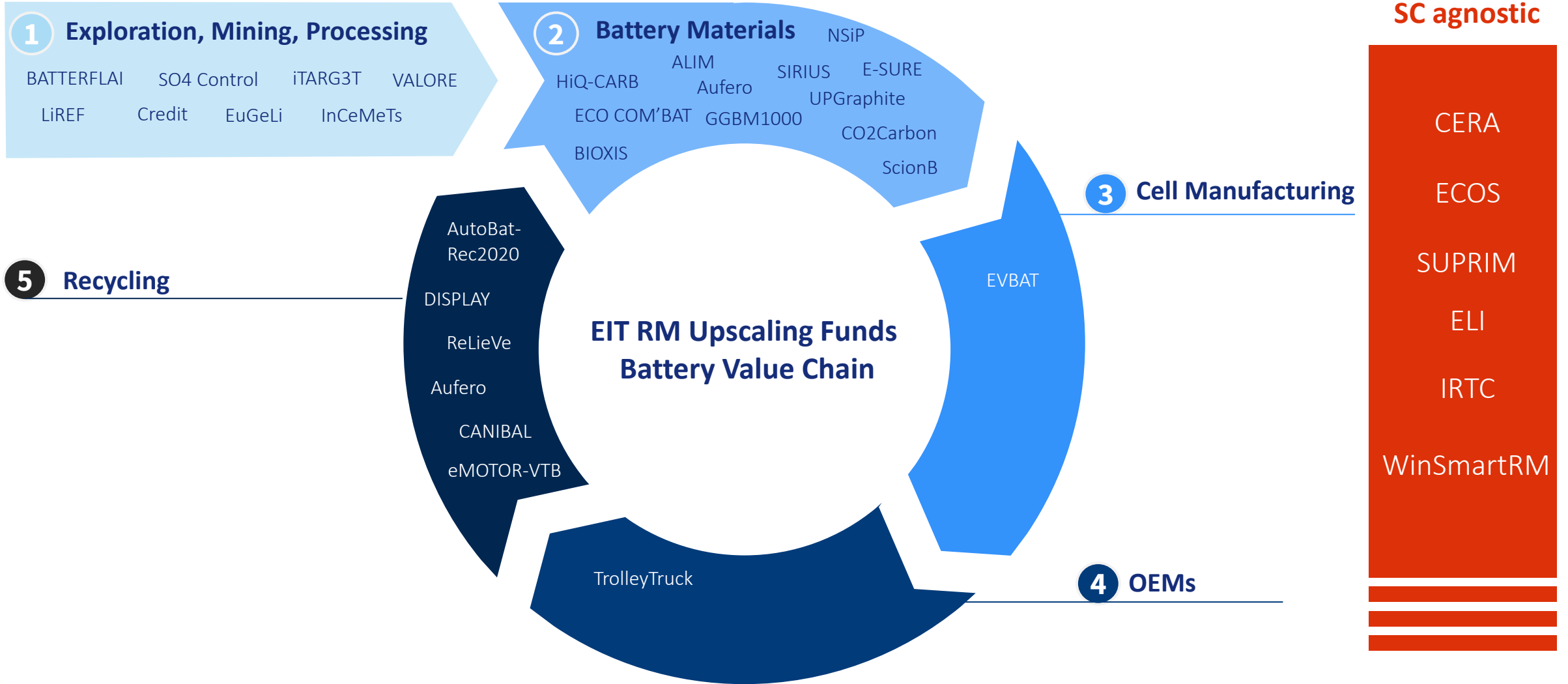
Funding for battery  
upscaling projects  
2023-2025<sup>1</sup>

*Representing half of the total upscaling  
projects for that period*



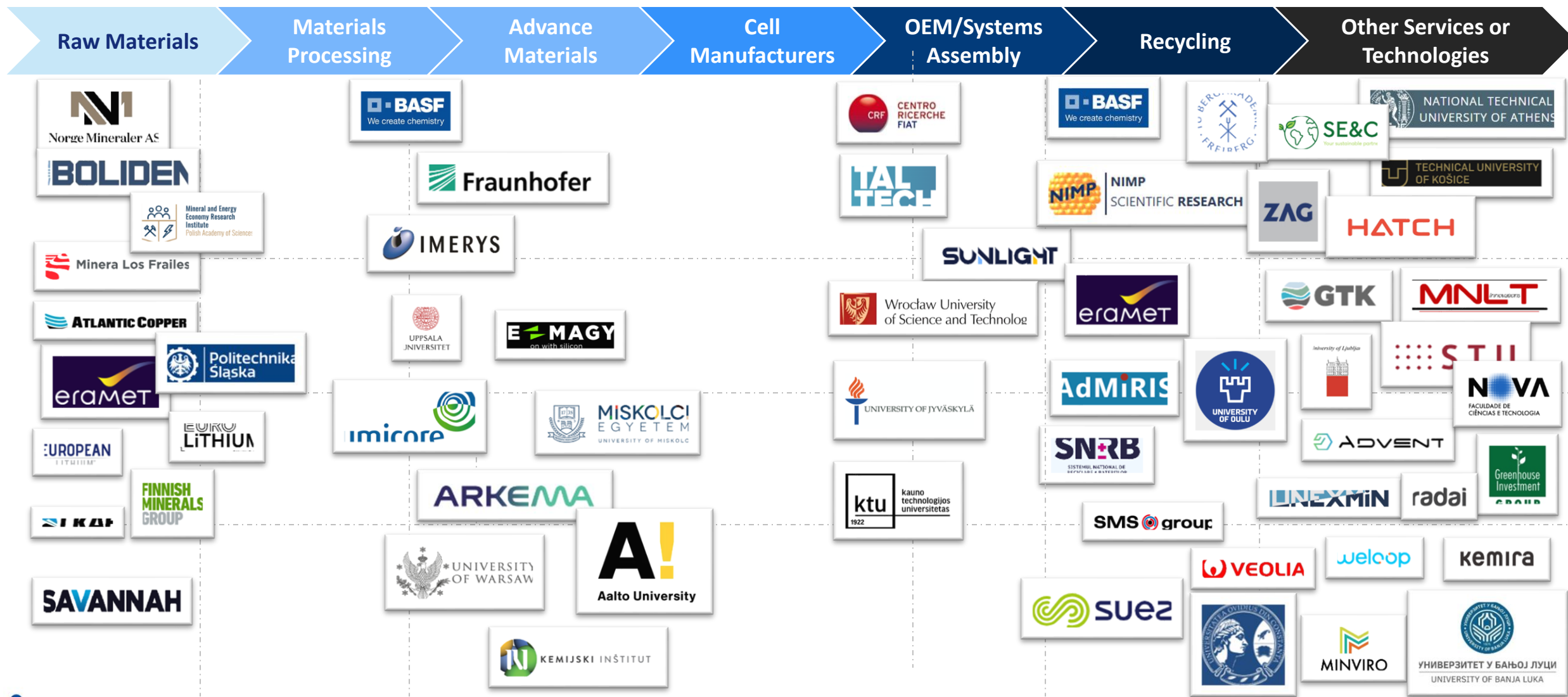
# Our presence led us to support project across the whole battery value chain

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# ...and develop a full portfolio of members representing different area of focus

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# 2025 | We supported our members through the organization of many different initiatives



Expert Forum  
Batteries

April



Arnaud Dubief  
Hydrovolt



Nils Steinbrecher  
Cylib



Jan Tytgat  
Umicore



Peter Handley  
Moderator



Luca Belforte  
Stellantis - CRF

Expert Webinar  
Battery Recycling

September

Aiming to develop jointly insights supporting investment, innovation, skills, and regulation



2025 | And through our participation to external Battery events to stay updated on key trends



Battery Event  
Dunkerque



April



Li-ion SMM



October



Battery Event  
Lyon



October

# We also offer international business opportunities to our partners through the CRM Facility

The CRM Facility, co-led by EIT RawMaterials and EIT InnoEnergy, **spans 16 partner countries** across Africa, Latin America, Asia, Southeastern Europe, and Greenland, with the objective of integrating CRM value chains to enhance Europe's strategic autonomy and the mandate to build long-term partnerships while securing reliable CRM supplies



## Objective

### Benefits for European Community

- Develop mid-to-downstream CRM value chains
- Promote **sustainable practices** and local value-added opportunities
- Support **training programs** to equip professionals with CRM expertise
- Align CRM projects with **European industry needs** and integration strategies
- Facilitate B2B matchmaking and joint ventures to foster collaboration



# Let's connect!

For more information



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