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# Industry demands for Photonic Integrated Circuits in Russian Federation

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# Why Photonic Integrated Circuits – PICs?

## Future of photonic – nomenclature of PICs

### Microelectronics



Discrete electronics

Qualitative transition



Modern microelectronics based on integrated circuits - ICs

1950

1960

1970

1980

1990

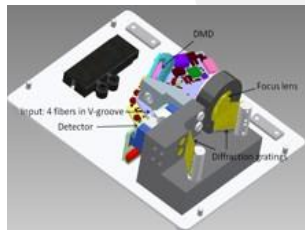
2000

2010

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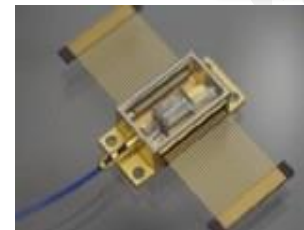
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### Photonics



Discrete photonics

Qualitative transition



Semiconductor based PIC



Industrial standards for design and fabrication. Concept of foundries&PDK, MPW etc.



# ECOPIC – ECOsystem for Photonic Integrated Circuits

- In spite of wide variety of the PIC types, whole area can be summarized in a Table “Markets vs technologies”
- The markets have been identified based on the tendencies and demands of industrial partners.
- The five PIC types covers the requests of all identified markets.

**PIC-LF:** Photonic Integrated Circuits, Low Frequency

**PIC-HF:** Photonic Integrated Circuits, High Frequency

**PIC-THz:** Photonic Integrated Circuits, Terahertz

**PIC-Quantum:** Photonic Integrated Quantum

**VCSEL:** Vertical Cavity Surface Emitting Laser;  
**MEMS:** Micro Electro Mechanical Systems

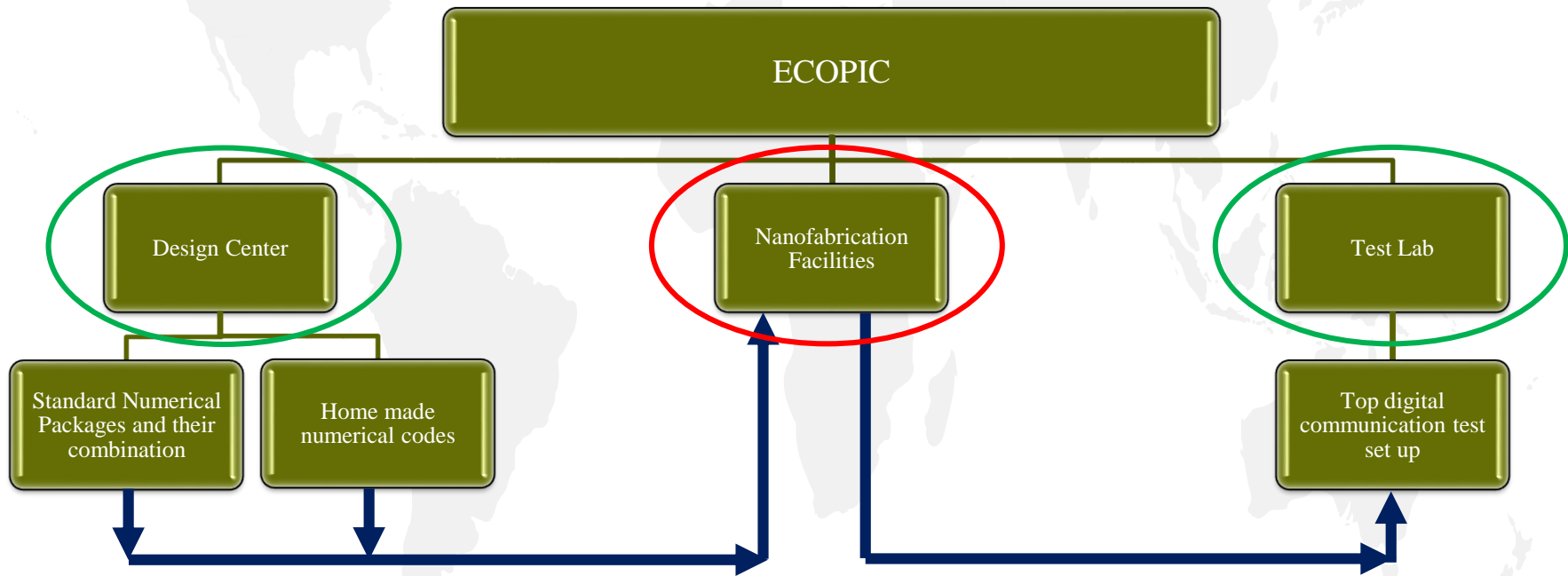
N	Markets/Technologies	PIC - LF	PIC - HF	PIC-THz	PIC-Quantum	VCSEL&MEMS
1	Optical communication, QKD	X	X	X	X	X
2	Atomic Clock/Networking	X	X		X	X
3	Structural Health Monitoring	X	X	X		X
4	Radiophotonics (5G, 6G, radar&lidar, ADC, etc.)	X	X	X	X	X
5	Bio-medical photonics	X	X	X		X
6	Agricultural photonics	X	X	X		X
7	Emergency Communication	X	X	X	X	X
8	Optical Quantum Simulator	X	X		X	X
9	Optical computing (classic)	X	X		X	X

## Markets vs Technologies



# ECOPIC – ECOsystem for Photonic Integrated Circuits

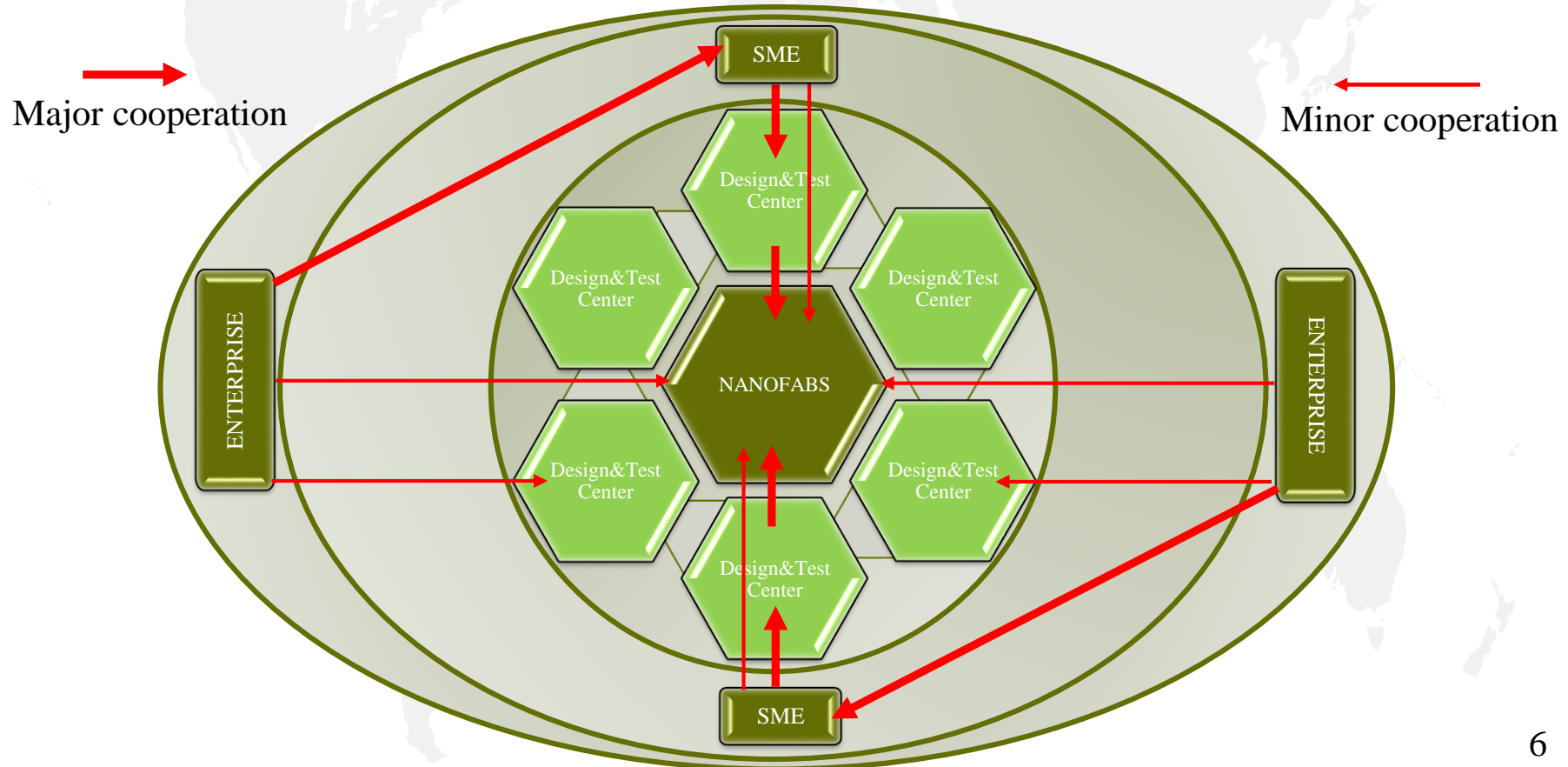
- Industrial demands can be satisfied only in the frame of **ECOPIC**.
- Design Centers consist of computer stations and standard numerical packages.
- PDK libraries have to be formed at each nanofab satisfying common standards that guarantees internal compatibility of all parts.



**Design, Producing, Testing**

# Commercial cooperation in the frame of ECOPIC

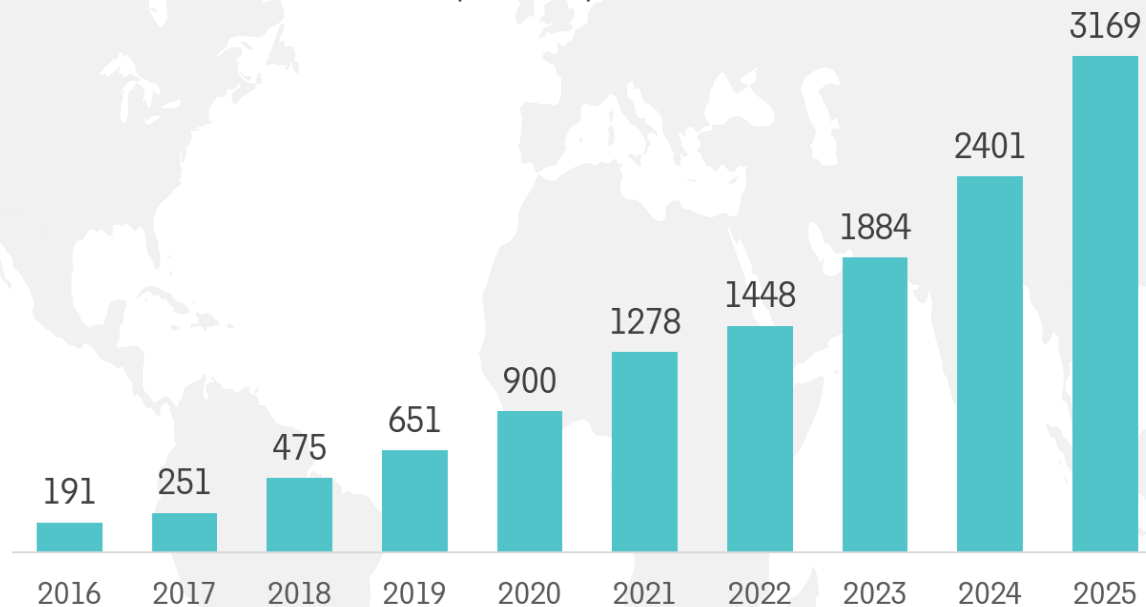
- It is expected that **SME becomes a major partner of ECOPIC**. Main cooperation SME-Design Center does not exclude interaction SME-NANOFABS, especially for standard samples with PDK.
- **Enterprises cooperate mainly with SME**, which does not exclude cooperation with SME and ECOPIC directly.





# Photonics Market - Growth, Trends, and Forecast (2020 - 2025)

Revenue of 100G Silicon Photonics Transceiver, in USD million, Global, 2016-2025\*



\*Forecast

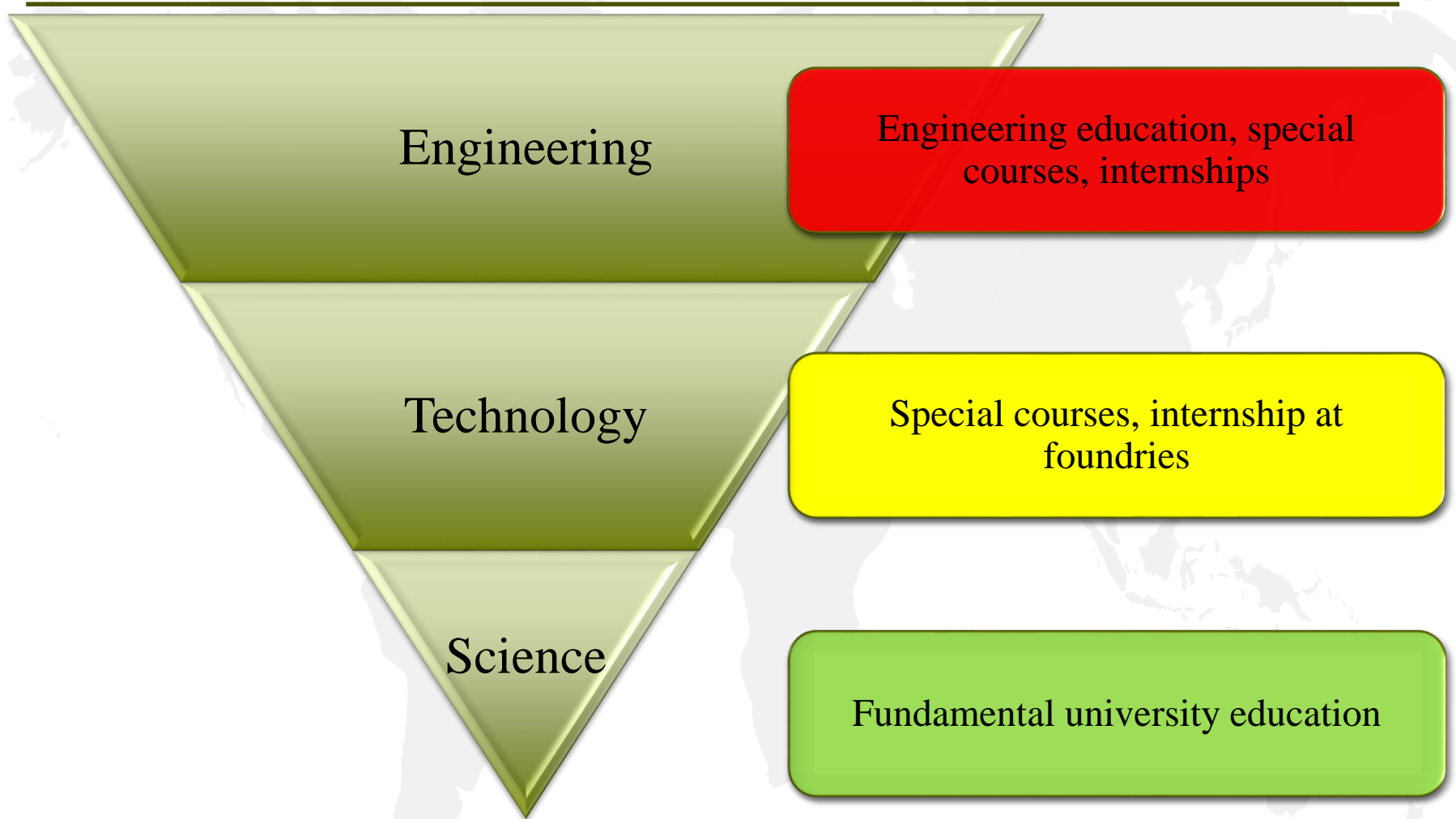
Source: Silicon Photonics 2018 Report



<https://www.mordorintelligence.com/industry-reports/photonics-market-market>



## Educational aspects



**The most critical part - is the engineering education**





## Conclusions/suggestions

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1. In 21-th century it is expected a **competition between eco-systems** rather than between companies/countries.
2. There are similar Roadmaps in PICs in BRICS countries – it is necessary to analyze them and elaborate a Joint Action Plan (JAP), which **clearly shows the benefits of synergy between the Roadmaps.**
3. It is suggested to initiate this activity and come up with a roadmap for **Joint Integrated Photonic Ecosystem for BRICS – JIPE BRICS** before the next WG meeting.