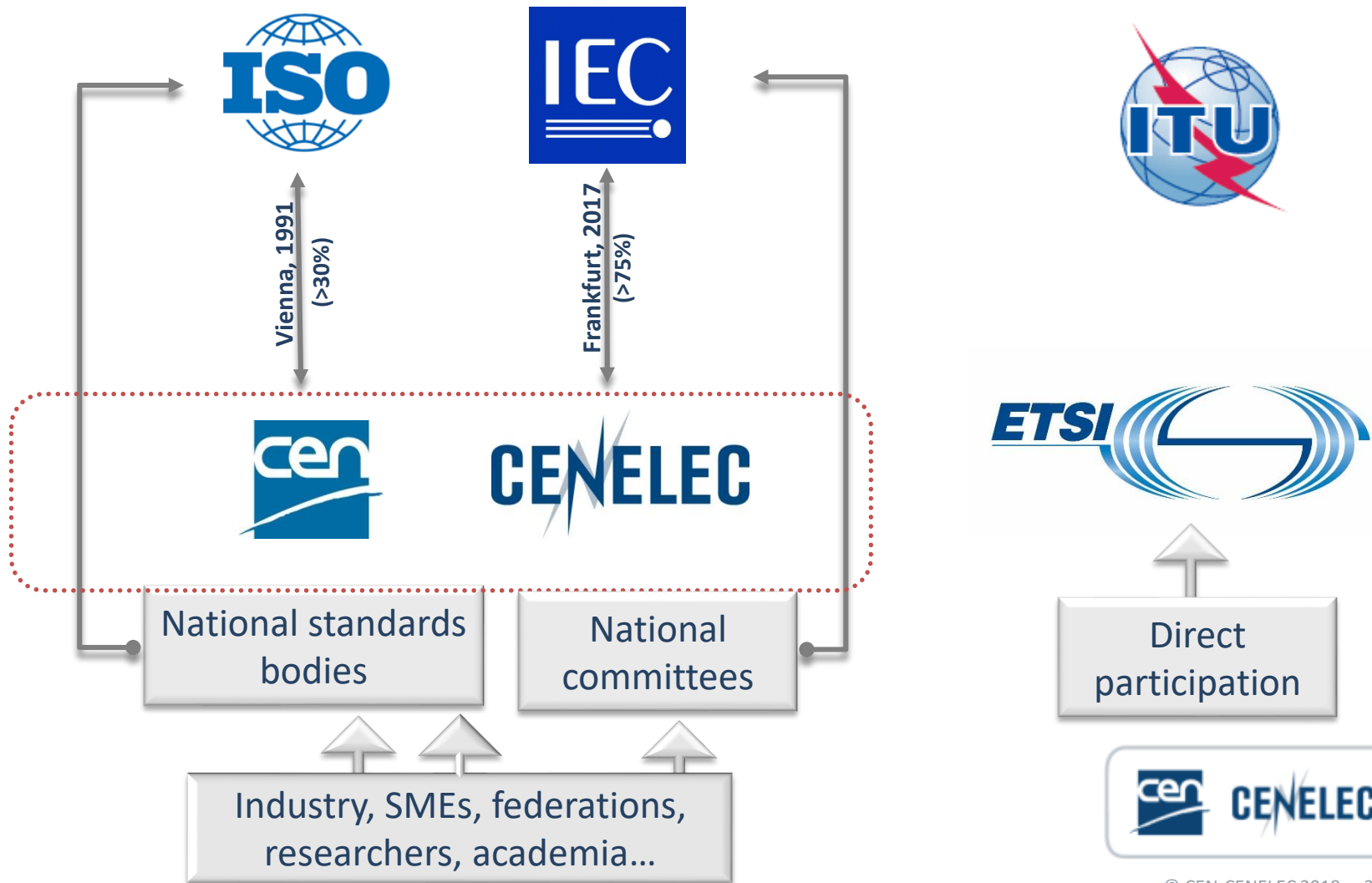
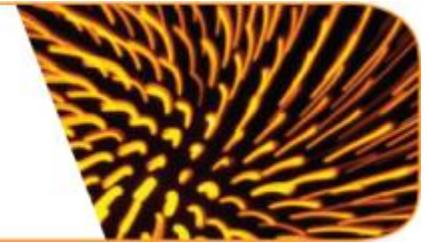


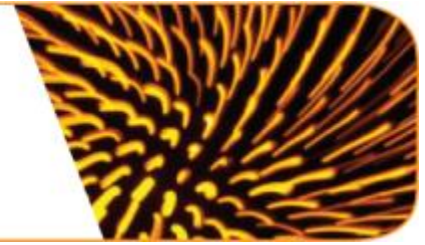
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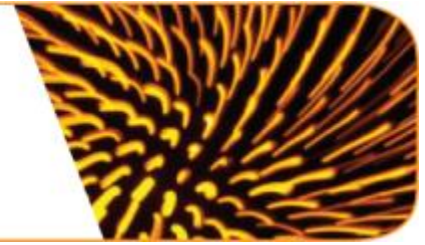
Documents that CEN-CLC produce



- Developed in a Technical Committee following the national delegation principle:
 - **European Standard (EN)** – identical in 34 countries
 - Technical Specification (TS) – first trail/ pre-standard step
 - Technical Report (TR) – informative

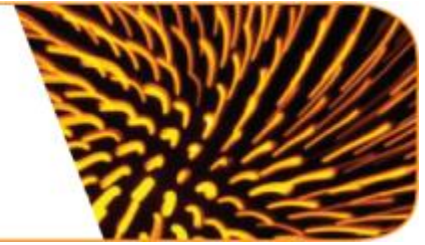
- Direct participation model:
 - **CEN-CENELEC Workshop Agreement (CWA)** – agreement between identified, interested parties; open participation

CEN and CENELEC Workshops – basic principles

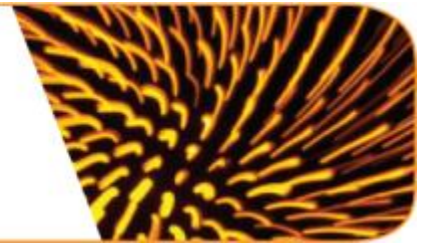


- A Workshop is the technical body that develops and approves a CWA, the CEN or CENELEC Workshop Agreement; Workshops can co-exist with Technical Committees
- CWA reflects consensus of identified stakeholders - the Workshop participants who drafted and approved CWA are indicated in the Foreword
- Each Workshop has to ensure that funding to run the Workshop process is available (e.g. participation fee)
- Participation in the Workshop is open to anyone willing to join and accepting the project plan
- **CEN-CENELEC Guide 29** describes the process

About the Workshop process



- Workshop is launched at its Kick-Off meeting which takes place at least 30 days after the publication of the project plan on the CEN/CENELEC web site(s)
- At the Kick-Off meeting the Workshop's project plan is approved by those wishing to proceed
- Registered participation in a Workshop is conditional upon formal assignment of exploitation rights to CEN/CENELEC and acceptance of the project plan; it remains possible to join during the Workshop's lifetime
- The Workshop Chair decides when consensus is reached on the final text of the CWA, at which point the CWA is approved.



Questions?