



Development of climate services platforms with users: promises and pitfalls

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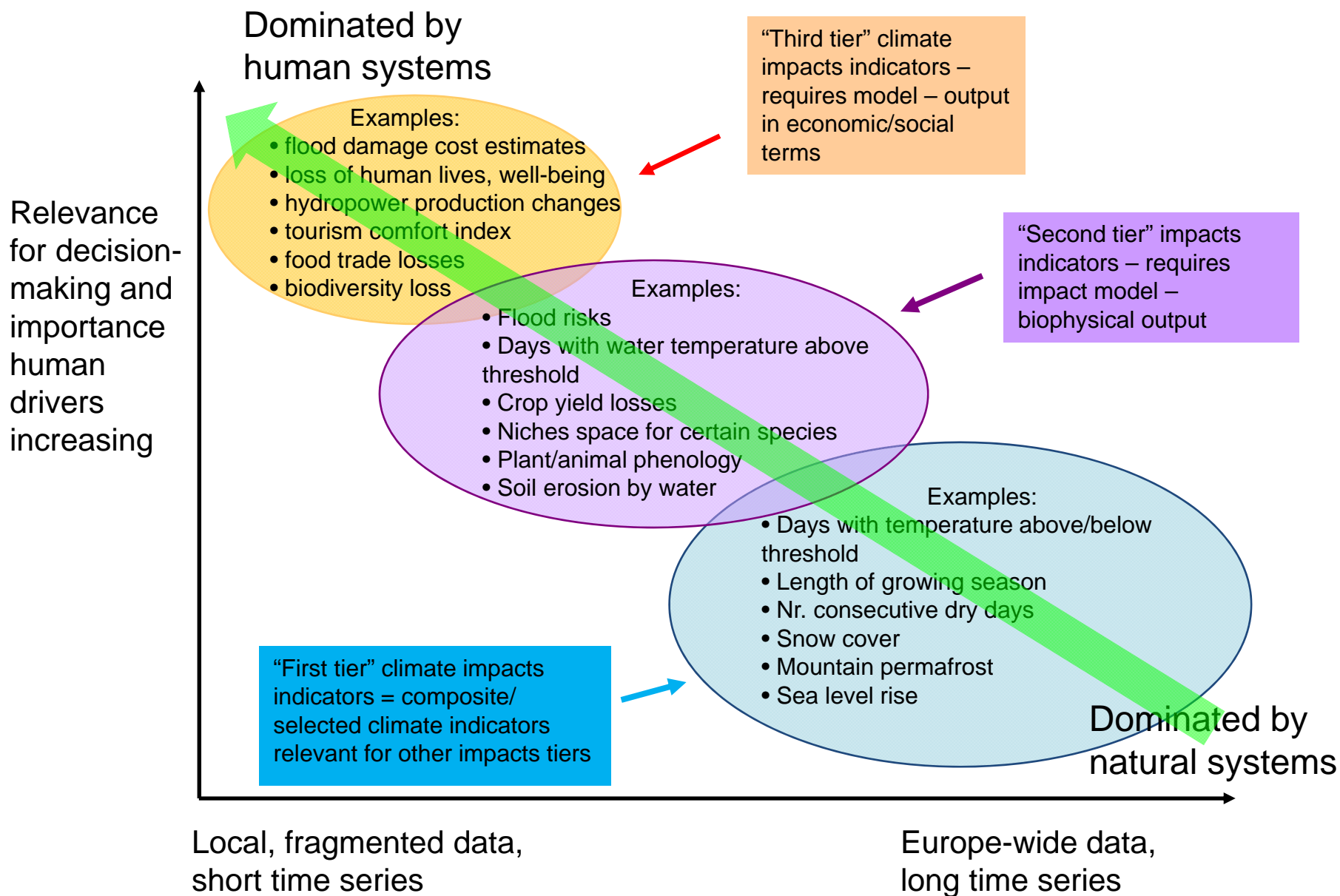
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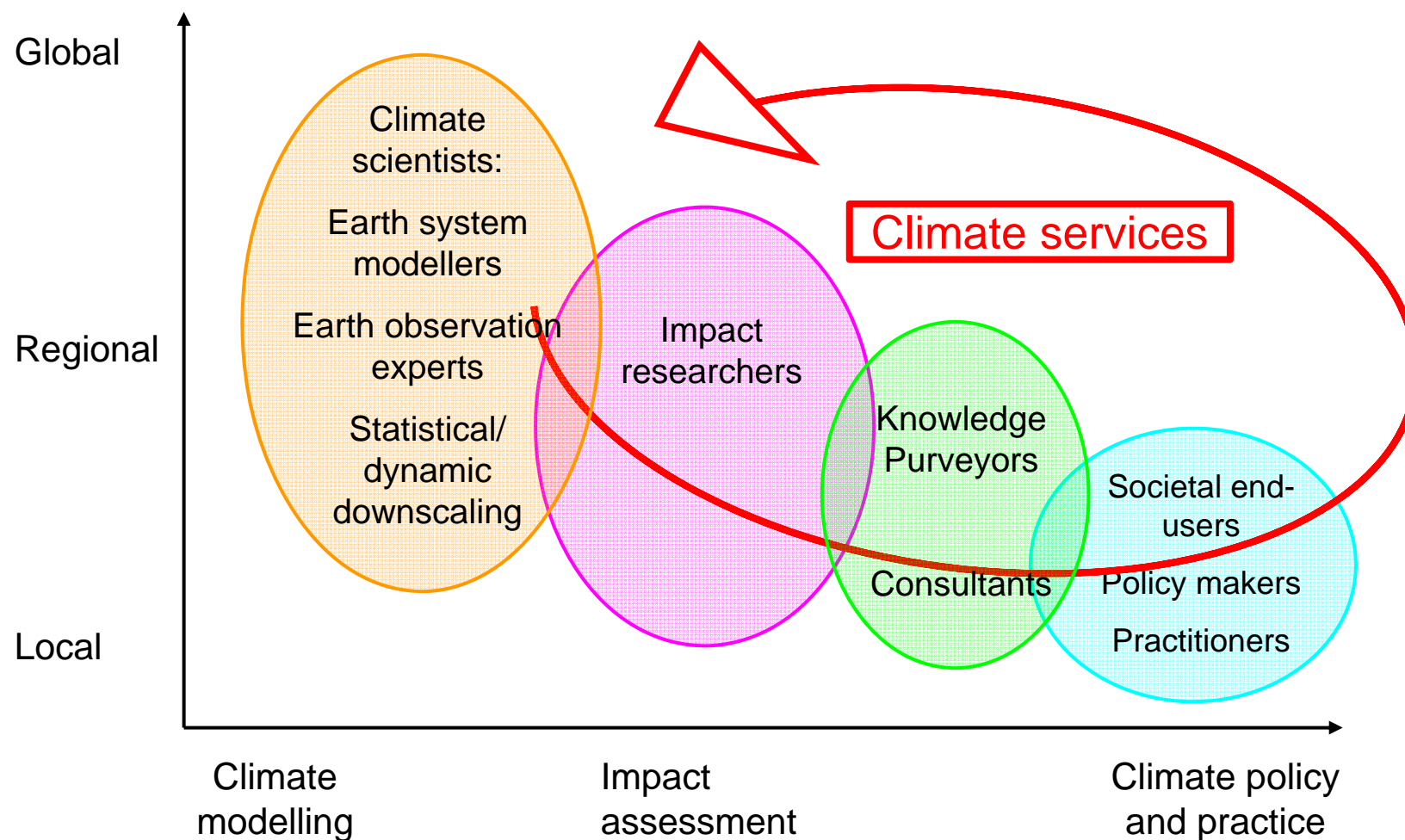
What are success factors and pitfalls of developing a **climate information portal** for and with a broad range of **users** from different countries, with different demands, disciplinary backgrounds and skills?



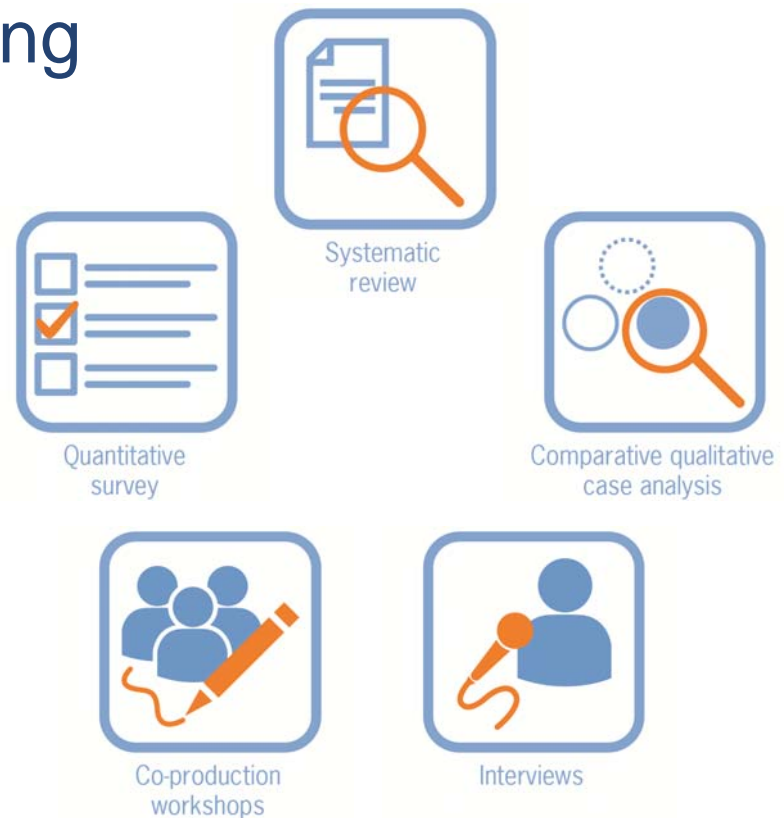
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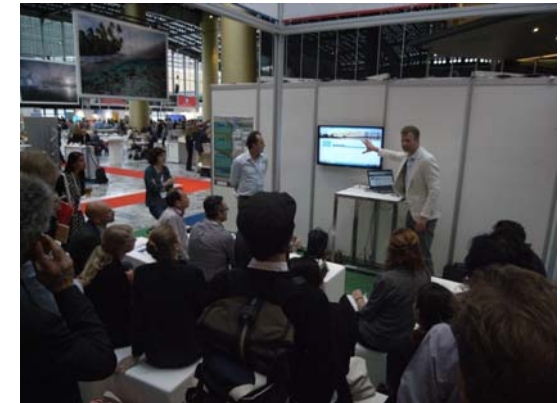
...the variety of potential users at least as big!



- Map experiences from other projects
- Identify and prioritize user categories
- Survey user requirements
- Engage user panels in testing subsequent portal versions



- User fatigue
- Platform continuity
- Portal state of development
- Regional representativeness
- Diversity and representativeness of user types
- User panel continuity
- Portal as element of a wider set of climate services products



- Take the wide diversity of users, their objectives, interests and skills into account when developing information portals
- Pay maximum attention to the continuity of information portals
- Recognize that information portals are a useful but often insufficient component of climate services
- Assure that adequate attention is paid to well-developed guidance for selection, use and interpretation of data
- Ensure links and consistency between international and national sources of climate data and information

Further systematic assessment of the usefulness of platforms and of user engagement practices

WMO (2014) criteria in the context of implementation of climate services – user interface platforms

- Feedback
- Dialogue
- Outreach
- Evaluation



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