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HELIOS USERS GROUP (HUG)

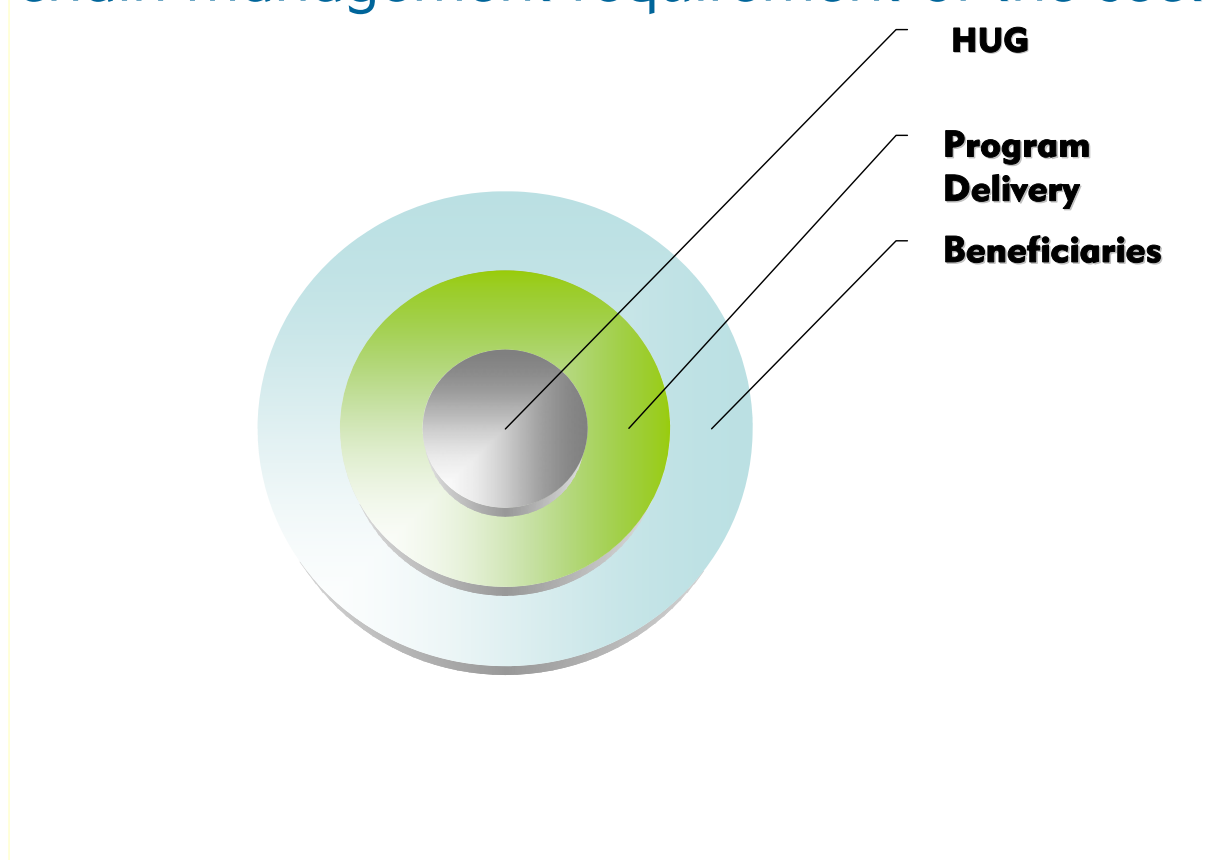
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HELIOS VISION: Community of Users

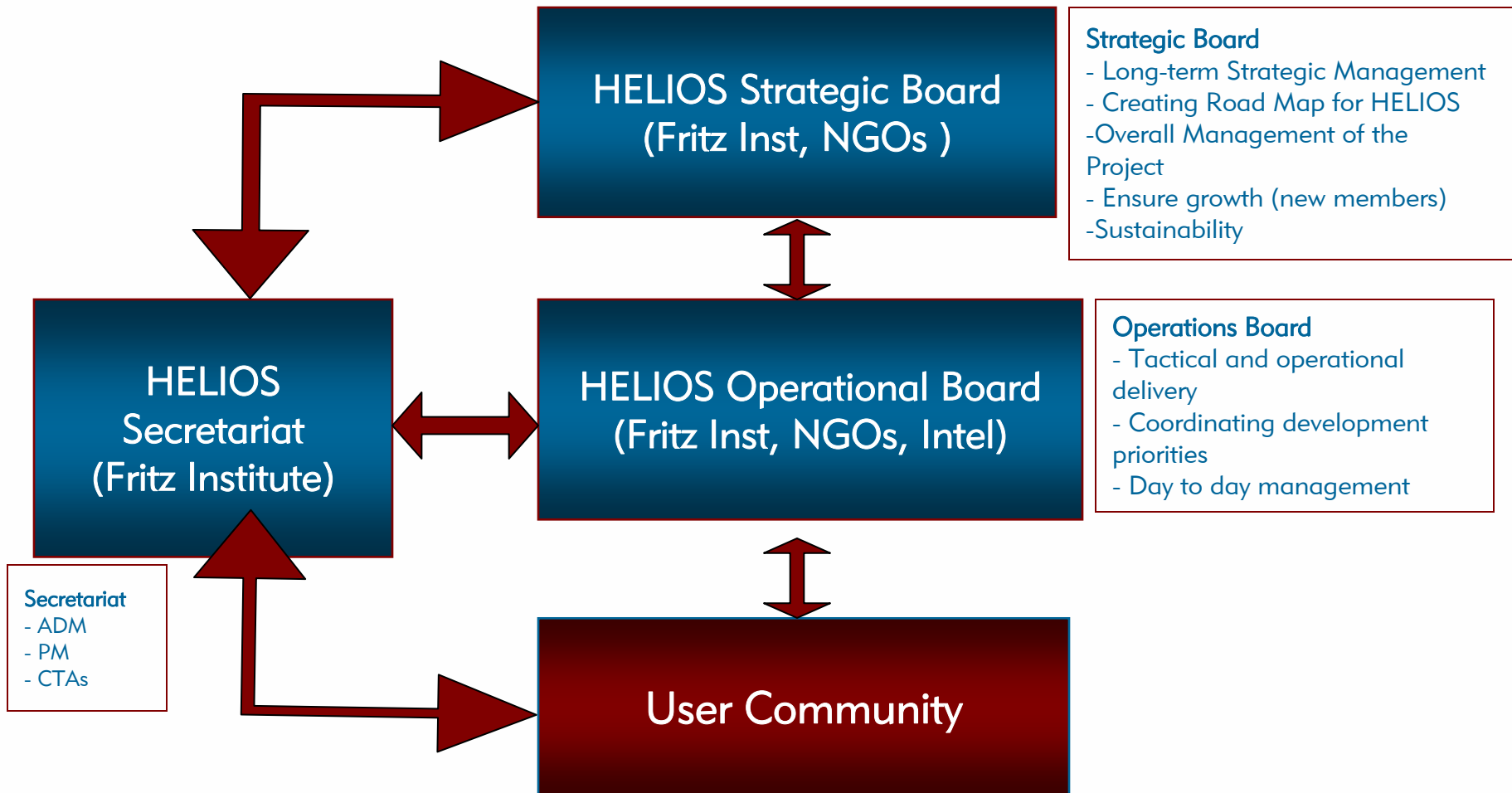
Our vision for HELIOS is to create a supply chain software solution dedicated to supporting the logistics and supply chain management requirement of the sector



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- HELIOS becomes the supply chain software for the humanitarian sector
 - Build community of users from different segments
 - Work together to enhance software
 - Communicate process and vocabulary
 - Collaborate to share Best Practices, establish standards and Benchmark

HUG is to ensure that the interest of the organizations are reflected in HELIOS both future enhancements and deployment

Helios User Group (HUG) Structure



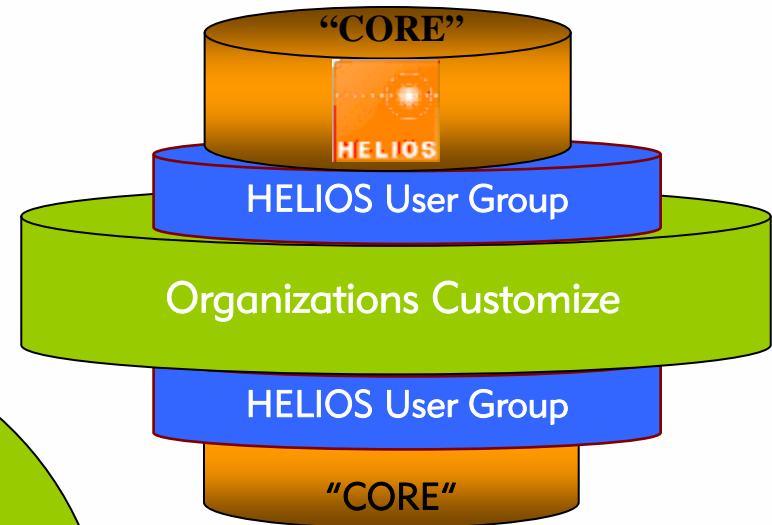
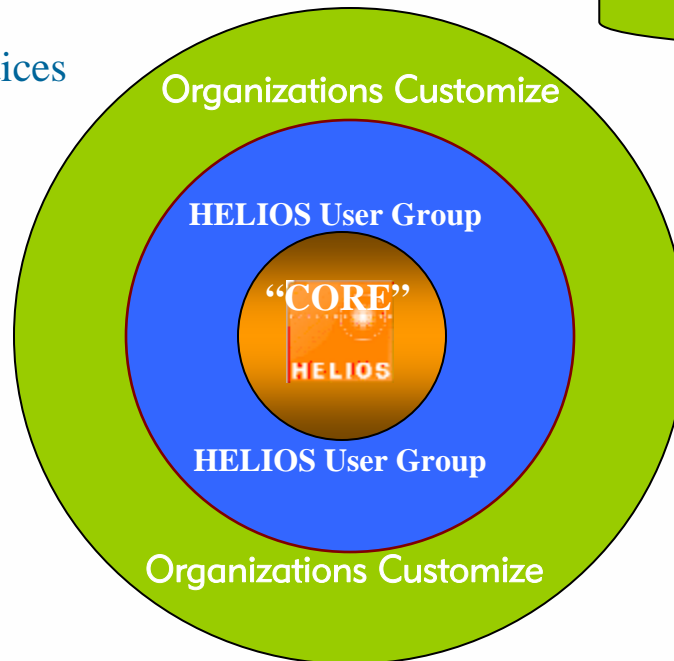
Key Priority Areas

- Open Source Project (OSP)
- Pilots
- Sustainability
- New Members

Open Source Project (OSP)

HELIOS as OSP:

- Mitigates the risks for the agencies
- A type of open source software – some restrictions
- Collaboration and exchange of best practices



How it works:

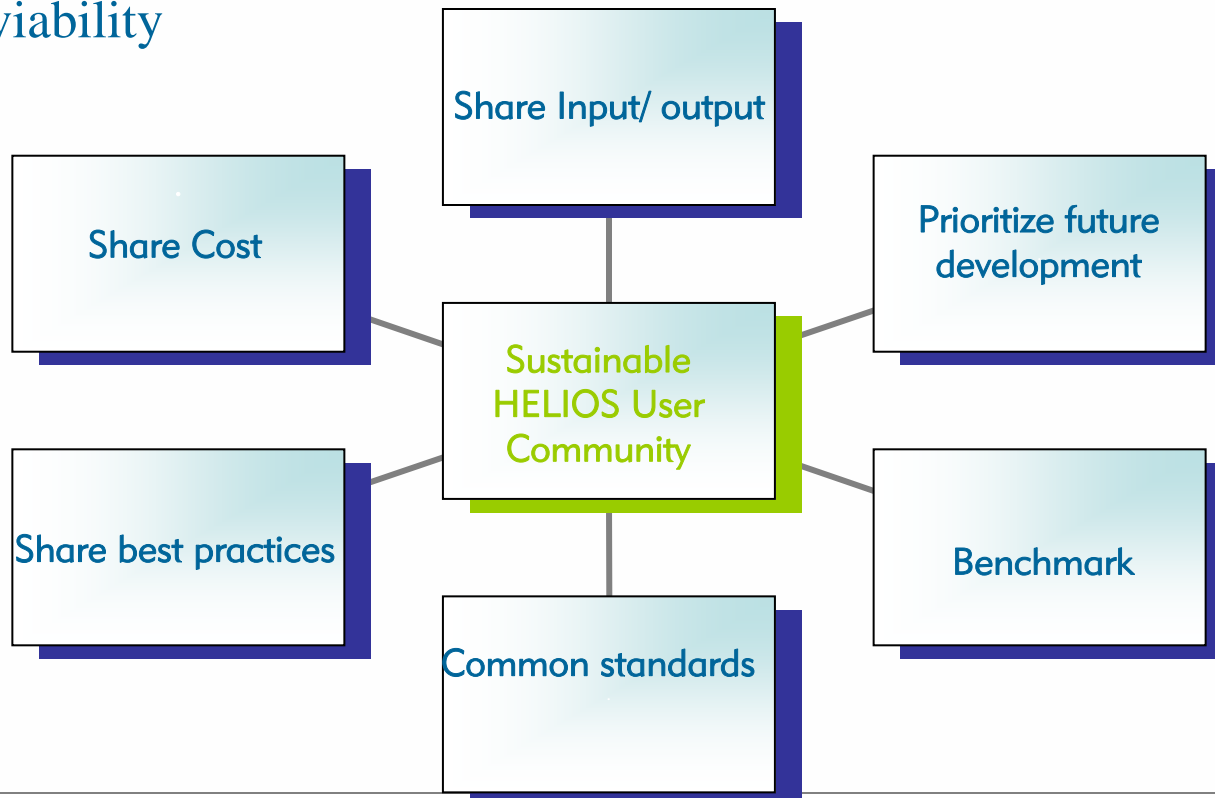
- Maintain HELIOS "core" but organizations can customize
- Details and new functions available for the system pilots
- HELIOS web site for open collaboration and communication

HELIOS Pilots



Current priorities:

- HELIOS user community and its long-term sustainability
- Continued viability



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- Make HELIOS available to multiple organizations
 - Expand the User Group in a timely and strategic manner
 - Build community of users from different segments: small, medium (even UN😊)

HELIOS Strategic Road Map

