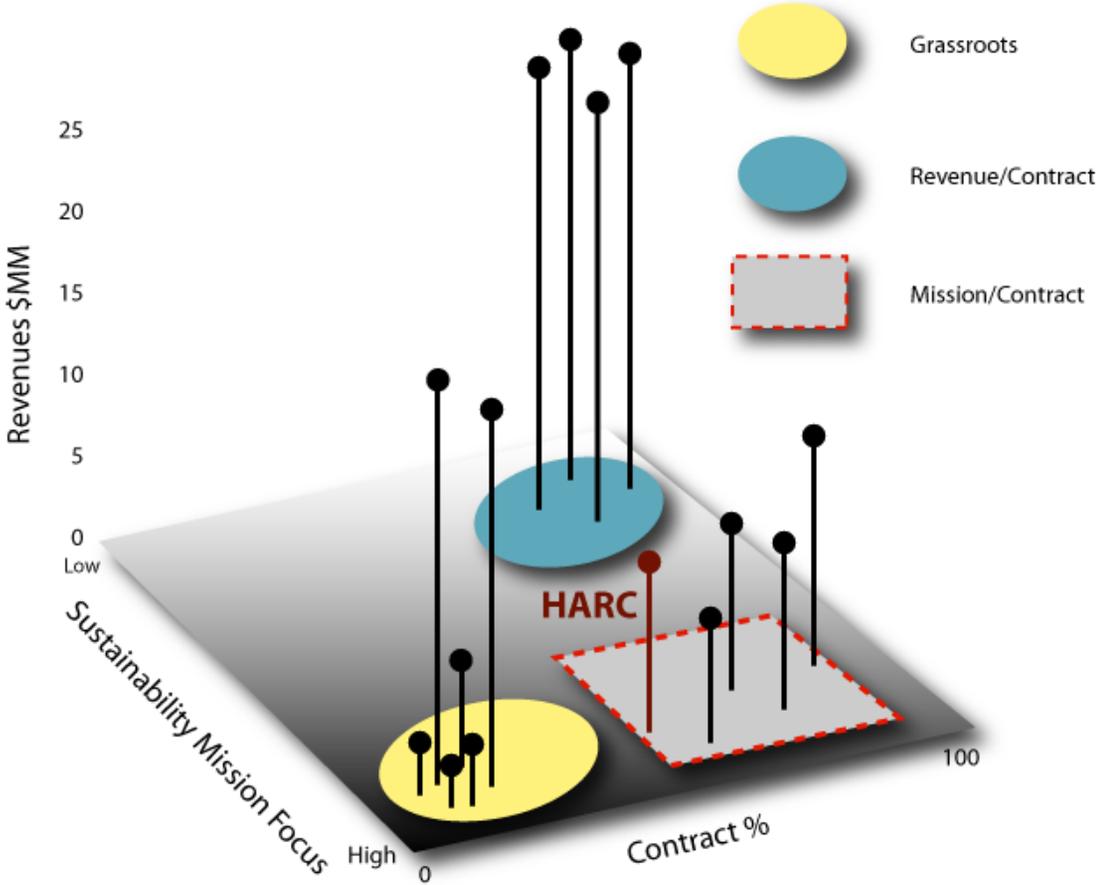


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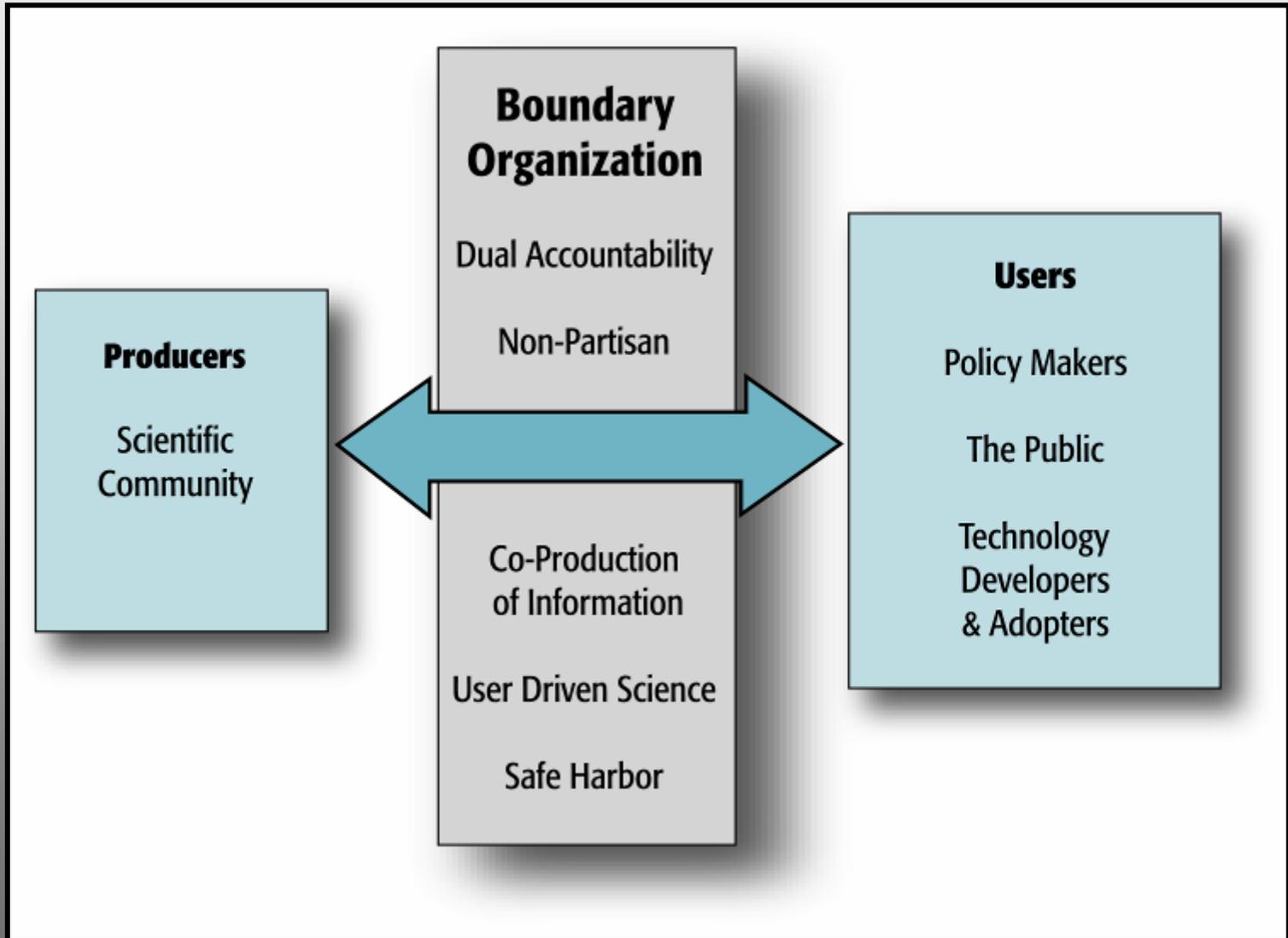
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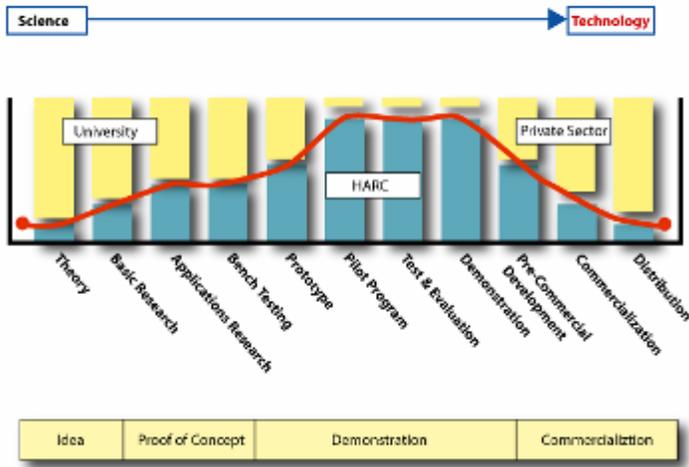


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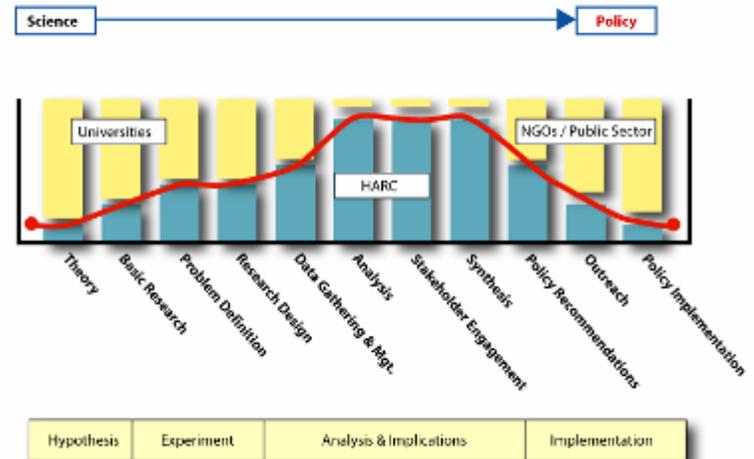


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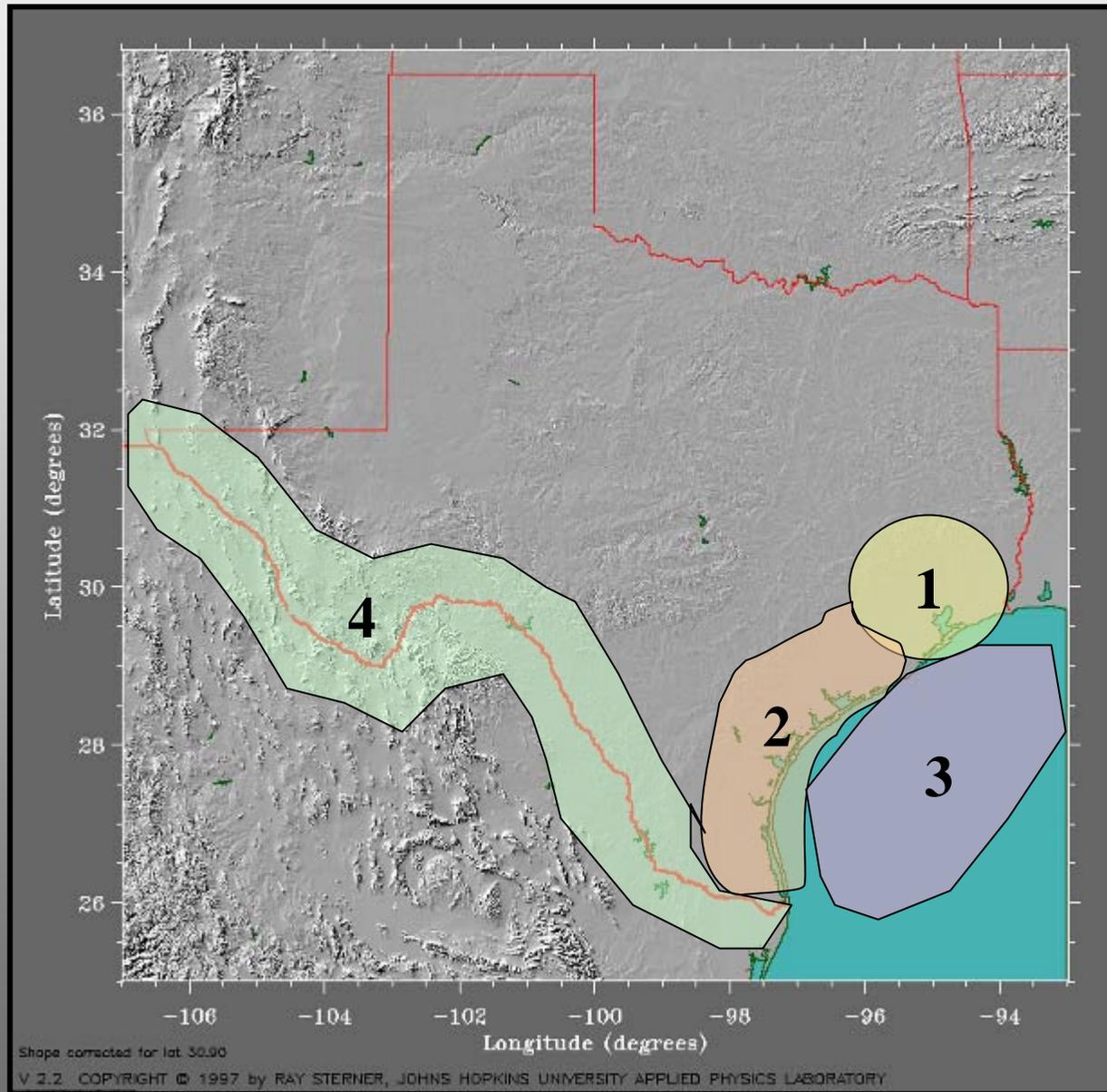
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Science-to-Policy



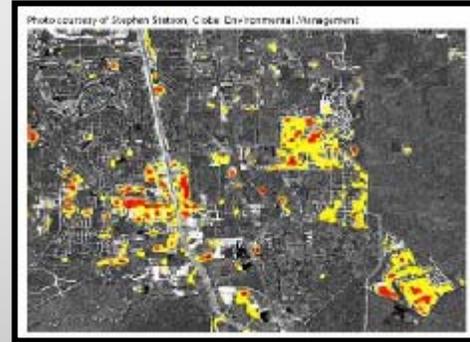
Regional Focus



Programs



Green Buildings
DoE / SECO
“Hot & Humid:



Cool Houston
Foundation funded to plan urban heat Island mitigation



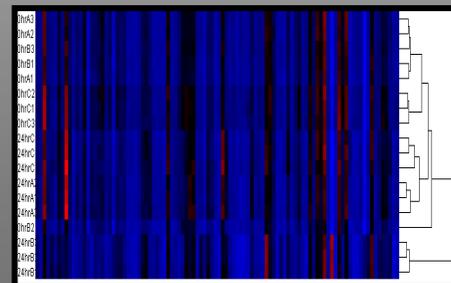
NBII
USGS
Regional Node for biodiversity cataloging



Earth Portal
Partnership with NCSE and ManyOne to develop a stewarded, geospatially navigated Internet portal

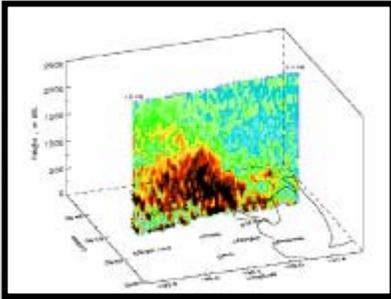


STTP
DoE funded tech transfer from US Navy to offshore O&G industry



Genetic & proteomics
NSF funded to study Toxicity of nanoparticles

Programs



Regional Air Quality

TCEQ funded (TERC)
\$2.5 million annually for
E. Texas (HGA/DFW)
air attainment



Health Indicators City of Houston



CHP

DoE Regional
Application Center



Fuel Cells

Industry consortium
for test & evaluation &
early stage recon



Galveston Bay

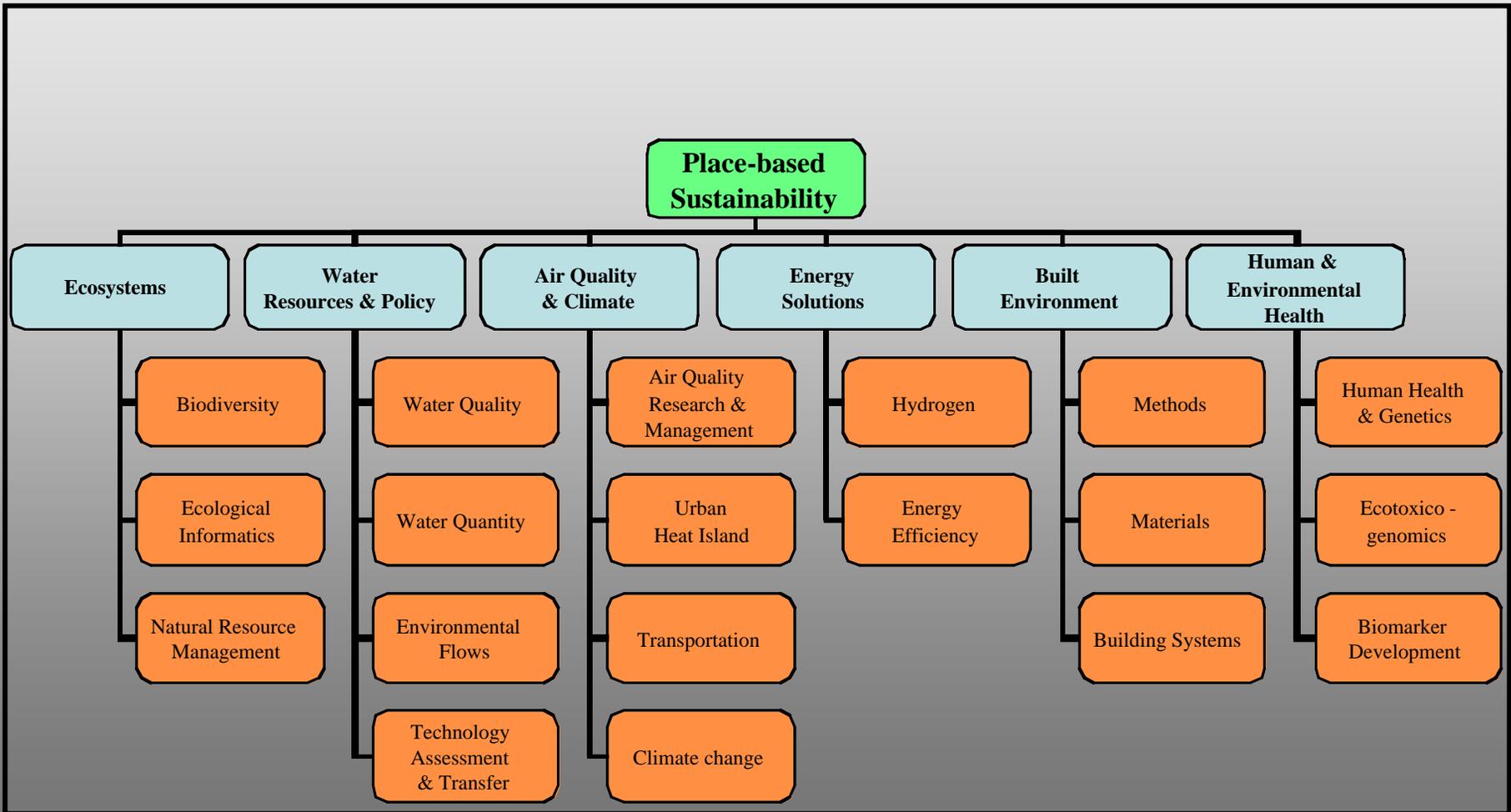
Texas GLO to study
status & trends of
water quality / pollution



Valuing Nature

Foundations, Texas
GLO to study economic
valuation of freshwater
Inflows to sustain
ecosystems

Program Themes





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