



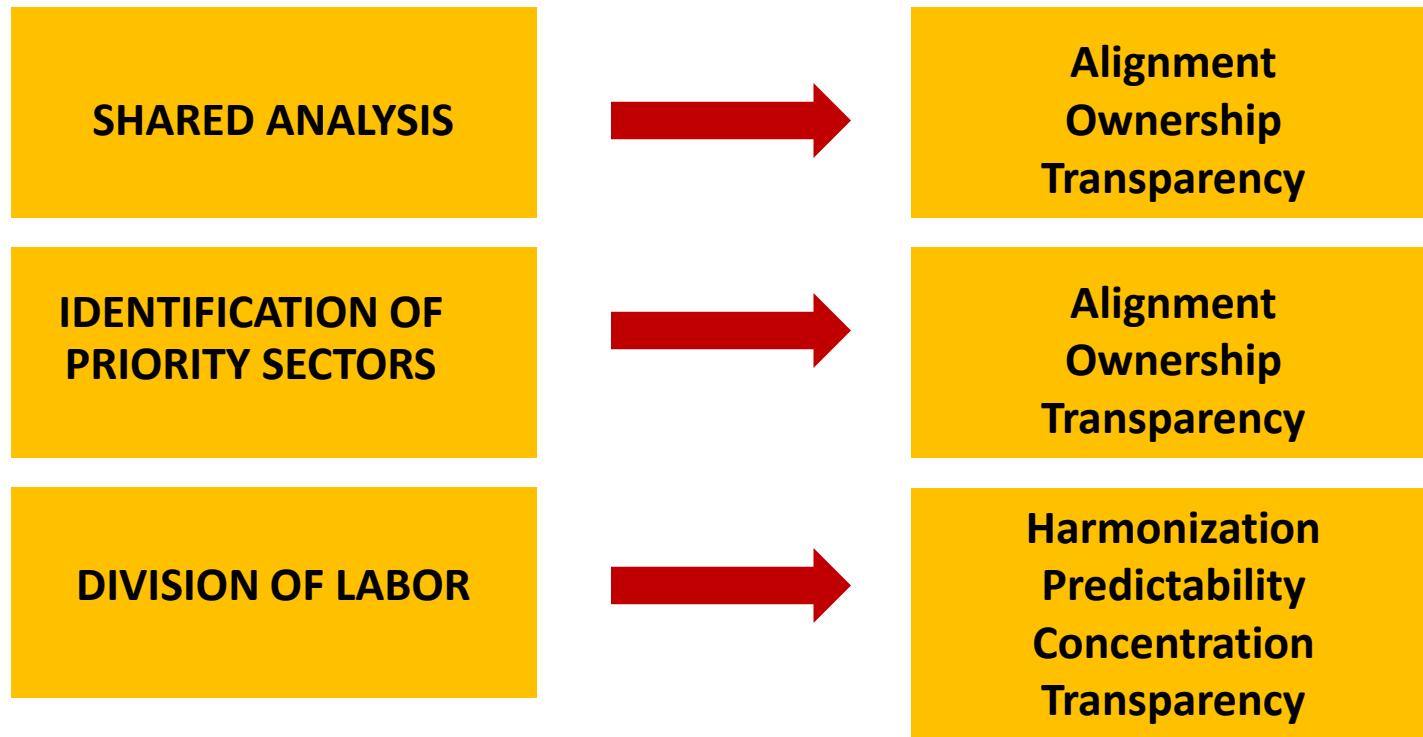
The EU Joint Programming Exercise in Guatemala

Joint programming is a "joint cooperation response" by another name: it involves performing a shared analysis of the partner country's development and reform strategy, identifying priority sectors for intervention, arriving at an in-country division of labor participating donors and mentioning indicative financial allocations per sector and per donor

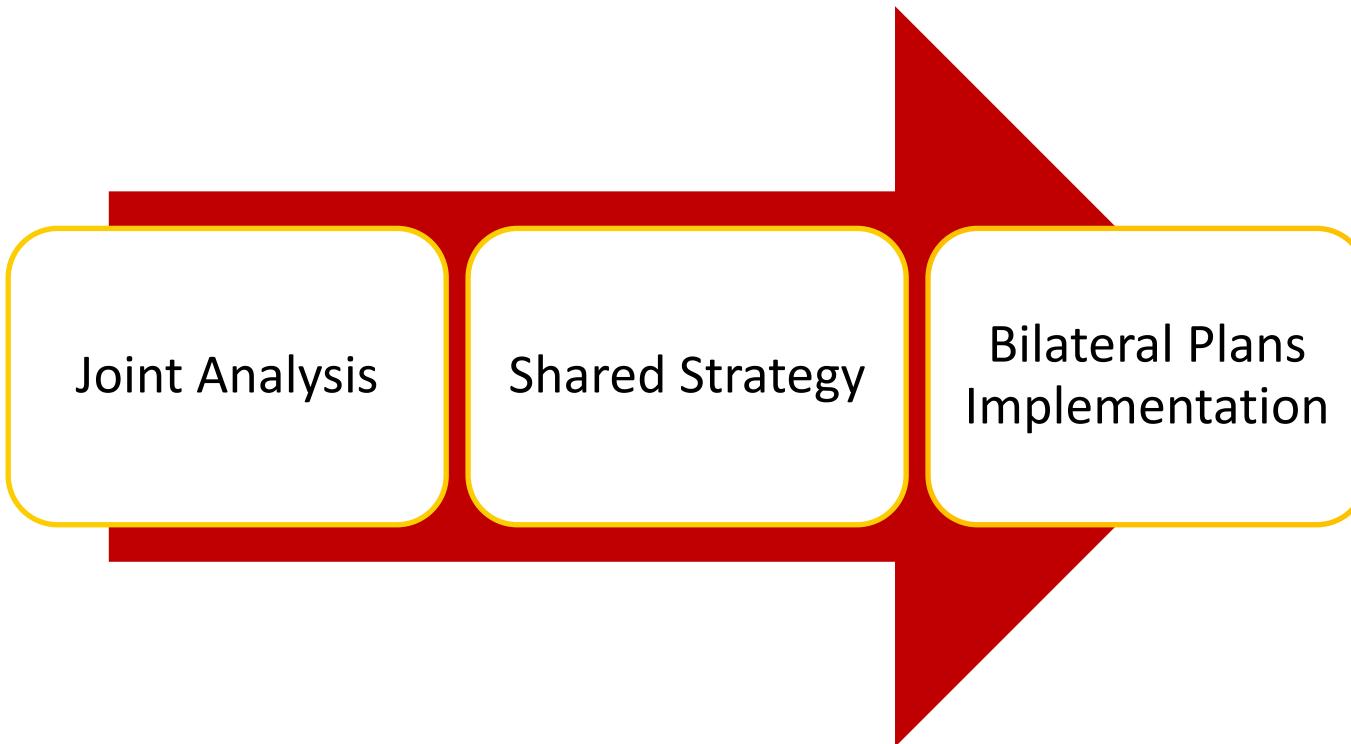
*Letter to all EU Development Ministers (13.1.2012)
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Joint Programming components

Joint Programming effectiveness Criteria



The process of UE Joint Programming



Phase I

March-Dec
2012

14 Dec: JP
Document sent to
HQ (draft)

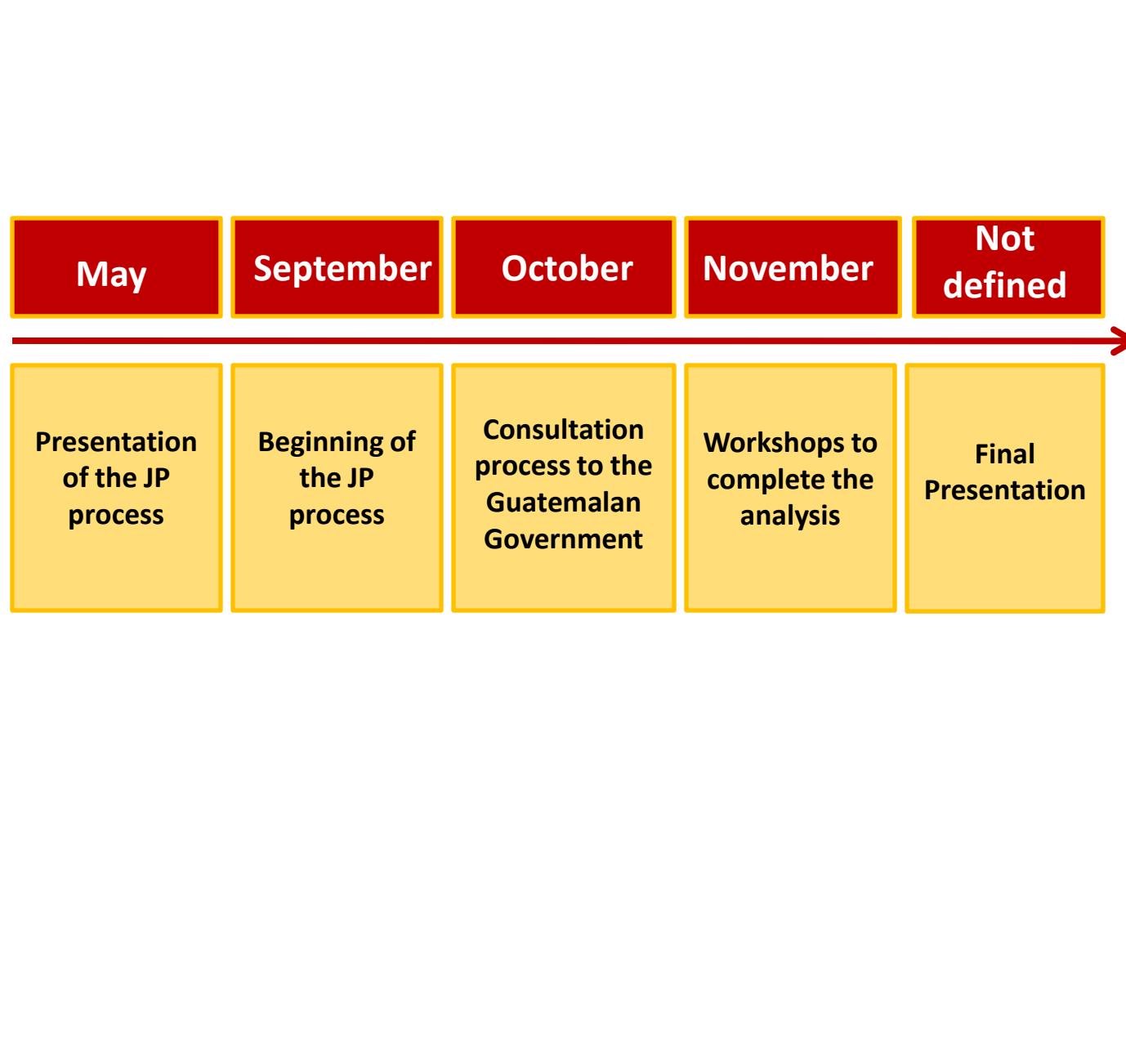
- **Components-Outputs**
- Country analysis: needs and priorities of the country
- Preliminary information on European reply
- Role of EU + **possible** division of labor
- **Tools and Techniques**
- Meetings with government, donors and stakeholders
- Dialogue with civil society, private sector and regional and international organizations
- Brainstorming + Workshops + Webportal (CS)
- Brainstorming + Workshop (Role EU + DoL / EUDEL + MS)

Phase II

Jan-June 2013

- **Components-Outputs**
- Areas defined + amounts for areas
- Objectives, results, indicators
- **Components-Outputs (bilateral)**
- EU: Multiannual Indicative Programme
- SPN: Country Partnership Framework (Input: JP)

May	Presentation of the JP process to the Guatemalan Government (GG)	Reticence from the SEGEPLAN (General Secretariat for Development Planning)
September	Beginning of the JP process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Visit of the EAs</i> ▪ <i>Stronger implication of the SEGEPLAN</i> <p>→Identification of development priorities 2012 -2015 by the GG</p> <p>→Joint design of the consultation process</p>
October	Consultation process to the Guatemalan Government	<p>4 types of actors</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. International donors: UNDP, PAHO, USAID, WB, IMF, FAO, WFP 2. Guatemalan Parliament 3. South-South Cooperation: Chile, Costa Rica, Brazil, Cuba, South Korea 4. Civil Society Organizations: 23
November	Workshops to complete the analysis	<p>2 types of workshops</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Workshops with the CSO <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Zero Hunger Programme</i> <i>Covenanting for Justice, Peace and Security</i> <i>Fiscal and competitiveness</i> 2. Internal workshop (Member State and EU Delegation). Division of labor
Not defined	Final Presentation	Dialogue with the Guatemalan Government



Process scheme

Presentation



Beginning of the process



Consultation



Workshops



Final presentation

Lessons Learned

1. Improve initial Information and Process Definition
2. Provide Tools, Techniques and Procedure
3. Harmonization :
SCHEDULE: Necessary synchronization within donors and with partner countries planning periods
DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVES: Harmonization of development objectives within donors (Long term)

Epilogue: Spain and the JP Exercise

Spain is highly committed to the JP exercise

→ European cooperation should implement management procedures to improve aid effectiveness

→ JP will be an input to the Spanish strategic planning process in Guatemala (MAP 2013-2016)

→ Spain will support the JP exercise in other countries in the LatAm&C region