

Collecting and analysing data for rural policies: science-policy-society interfaces

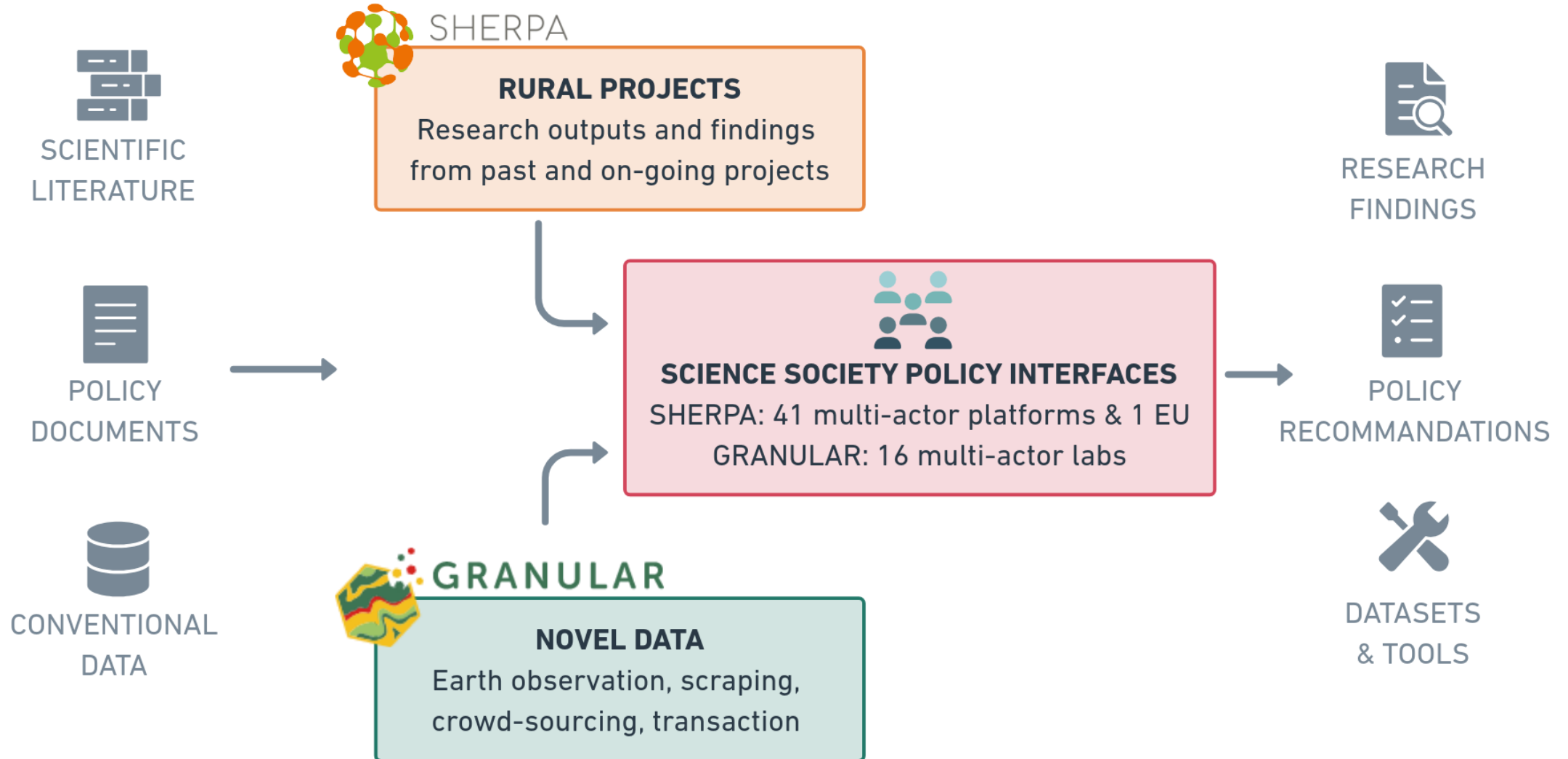
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Interfaces to co-construct evidence



Objectivity, nuance and granularity



Generalise to fail or fail to generalise

Scale of analysis is critical for generating relevant evidence. Mixed methods are essential (qualitative/quantitative).



Objective evidence as a basis for fruitful interfaces

Importance of having a nuanced and non-subjective picture, informed by evidence, to enable productive workshops.

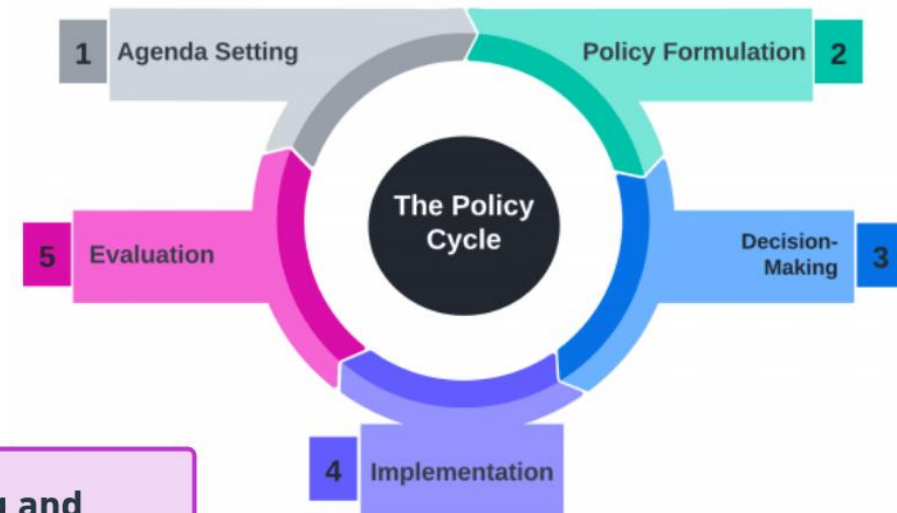


Better evidence to move away from simplistic narratives

Many rural services are not captured. Official statistical processes should be more sensitive to rural diversity and specificities.

Involving actors early and throughout

Co-define policy agenda and synchronise with research agenda
based on objective evidence, with support from researchers



Channel evidence (quant/qual) into a transparent decision-making process

Co-design monitoring and evaluation indicators that are results-based with researchers and stakeholders

Key enablers: sustainable science policy society interfaces, internal capacity building, process transparency, partnerships with local universities

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