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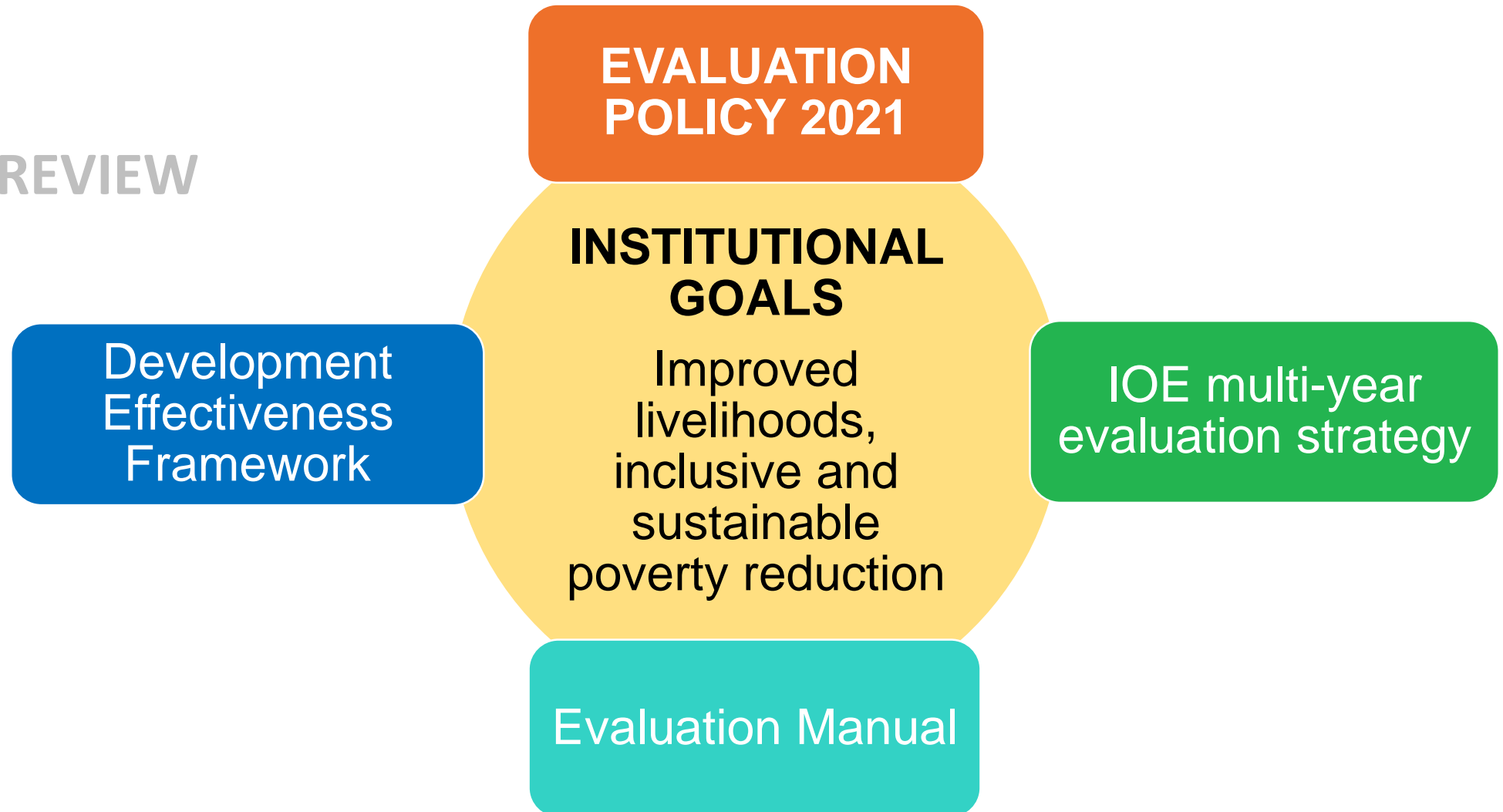
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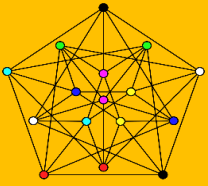


**Update  
on the  
New Evaluation Manual**

2019

PEER REVIEW





**Institution-wide coverage (IOE and Management)**

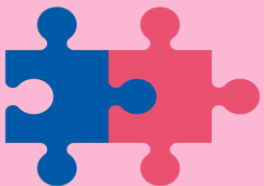


COLLABORATION

**Foster collaboration and synergies between Self Evaluation and Independent Evaluation**



**Include contemporary approaches to evaluation (next slide)**



**Part 1: Evaluations in IFAD (general principles and methodology)  
Part 2: Guidance on self and independent evaluation products**



**'Living' electronic document, with periodic updates and hyperlinked references to videos / presentations. Development of a brief virtual training module**



COMPLEXITY



SOCIAL JUSTICE



CLIMATE CHANGE



LEAVE NO ONE  
BEHIND



Sex Gender



RESILIENCE



TRANSFORMATION

## CHAPTER 1

- The role of IFAD and evaluation
- Evaluation principles and ethical guidelines (UNEG 2020)

## CHAPTER 2

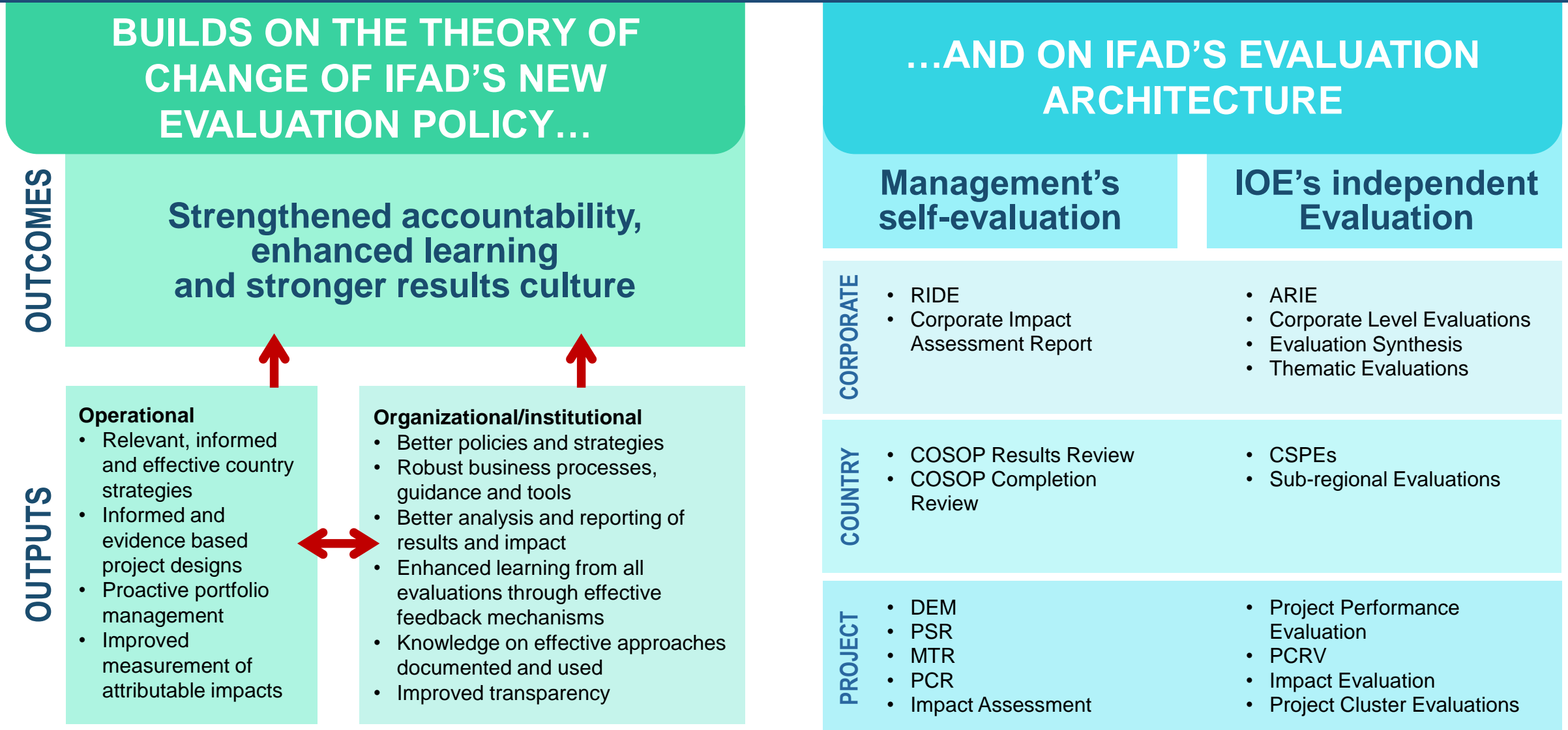
- IFAD's evaluation architecture
- Stronger focus on evaluation processes, evidence generation and learning

## CHAPTER 3

Methodological fundamentals

- Theory-based approaches to evaluation
- Complexity and systems thinking
- Participatory, gender and culturally responsive evaluations
- Updating the evaluation criteria definitions
- The role of ICT

# The foundations of the Updated Evaluation Manual





# Reorganized evaluation criteria

## PROJECT-LEVEL EVALUATIONS

### International Criteria

- **Relevance**
- **Effectiveness**
  - Innovation
- **Efficiency**
- **Impact**
- **Sustainability**
  - Scaling-up
  - Natural resource management and climate change adaptation

MERGED TWO SEPARATE CRITERIA



### IFAD-Specific

- **Gender equality and women empowerment**
- **Performance of partners**
  - IFAD
  - Government

## COUNTRY-LEVEL EVALUATIONS



**International and IFAD-specific criteria**



### Coherence

NEW INTERNATIONAL CRITERION



- Knowledge Management
- Partnership Development
- Policy Engagement

1

**FINALIZE PART 2  
OF THE  
EVALUATION  
MANUAL**

2

**CREATE MANUAL  
WEBSITE AND  
COMPLEMENTARY  
TECHNICAL  
TOOLS**

3

**PREPARE ON-LINE  
TRAINING  
COURSE**

4

**ORGANIZE  
LEARNING  
EVENTS**

thank you

