



**All-Russian Non-governmental Organization  
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“OPORA RUSSIA”**

**“Role of Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises in  
Business Internationalization in UNECE Region”**

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# SMALL ENTREPRENEURSHIP today

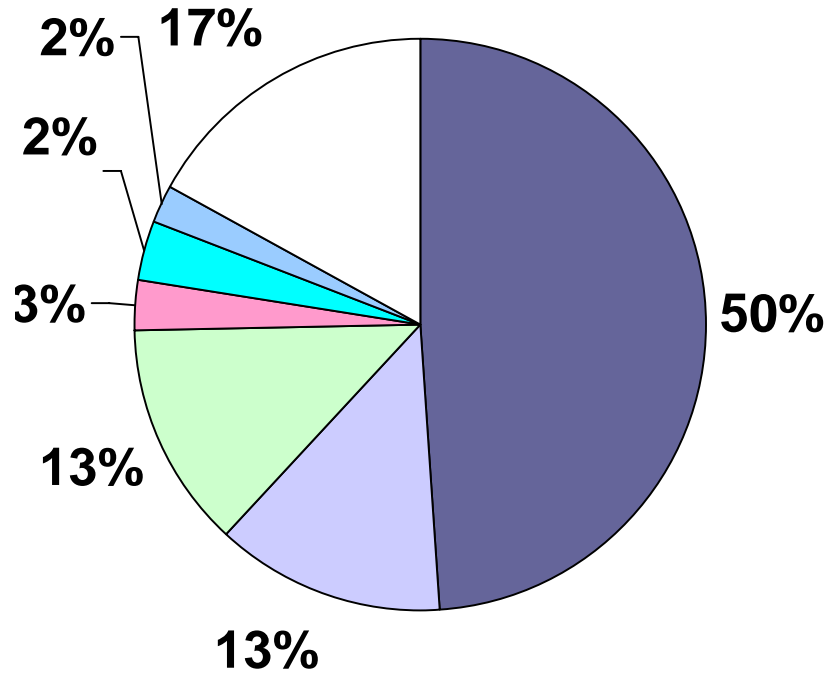


- **1 million 37 thous.** – small enterprises
- **2 million 994 thous.** - entrepreneurs
- **9,5 million people** are engaged in small enterprises
- **15%** in structure of GDP



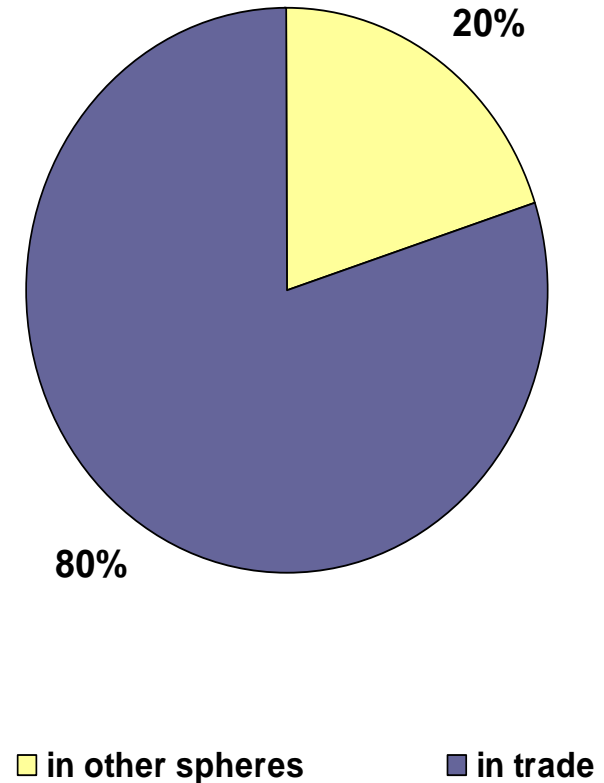
# Sectoral structure of small entrepreneurship

## Small Enterprises (SE)\*



trade and mass catering	50%
industry	13%
construction	13%
transport	3%
science and informational technologies	2%
public health services	2%
other	17%

## SE + Private Entrepreneurs



\*Number of small enterprises (legal persons) in sectors of economy according to the Federal service of the State statistics



# Conditions and factors of development. OPORA RUSSIA's monitoring

- Estimation of sustainability of financial position
- Access to industrial and office premises
- Limited access to some industries
- Administration preferences to “friendly” companies
- Obstacles of public authorities
- Bribes as a usual matter
- Checks impede the companies' activity
- Incompetence of businessmen



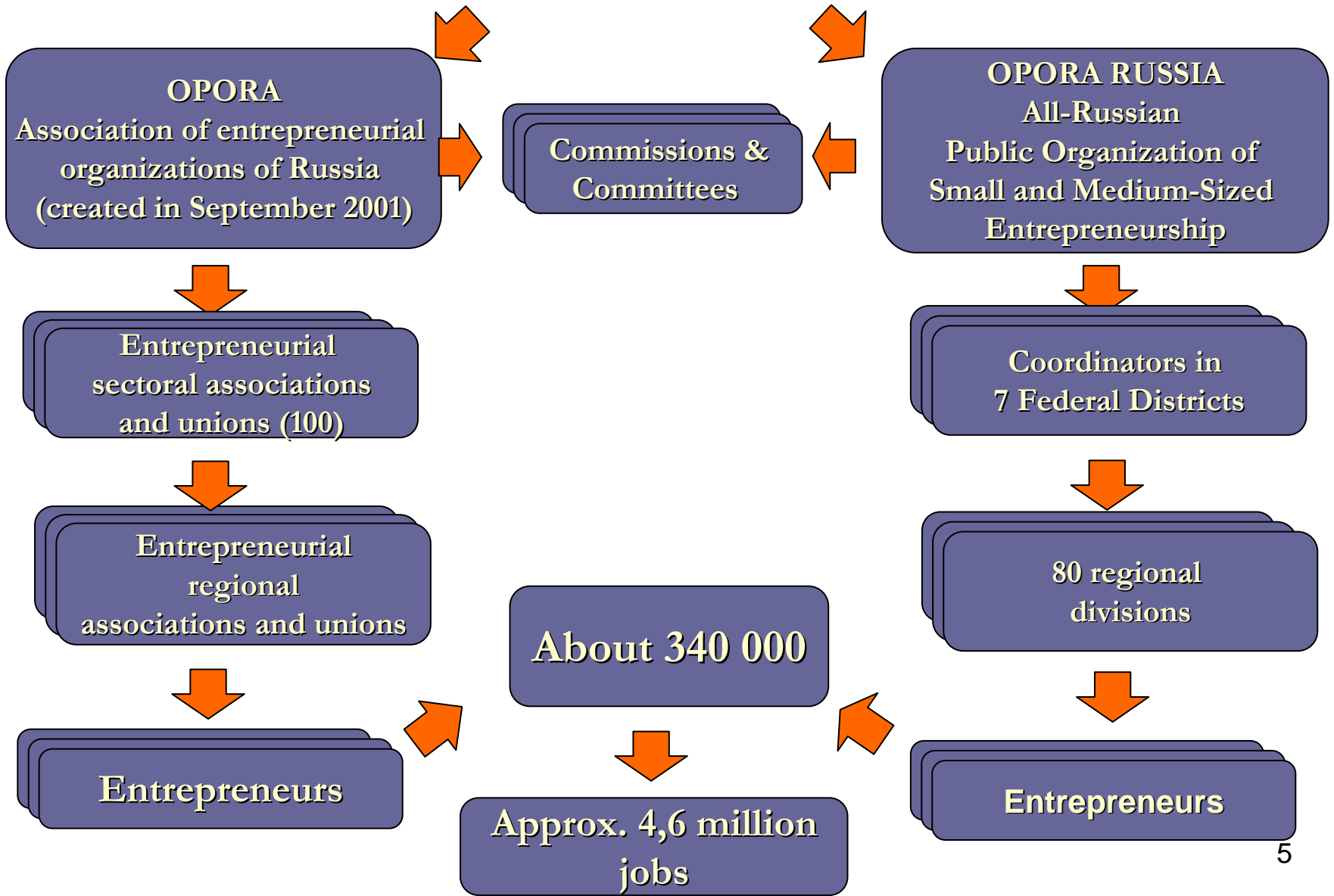
Positive estimations



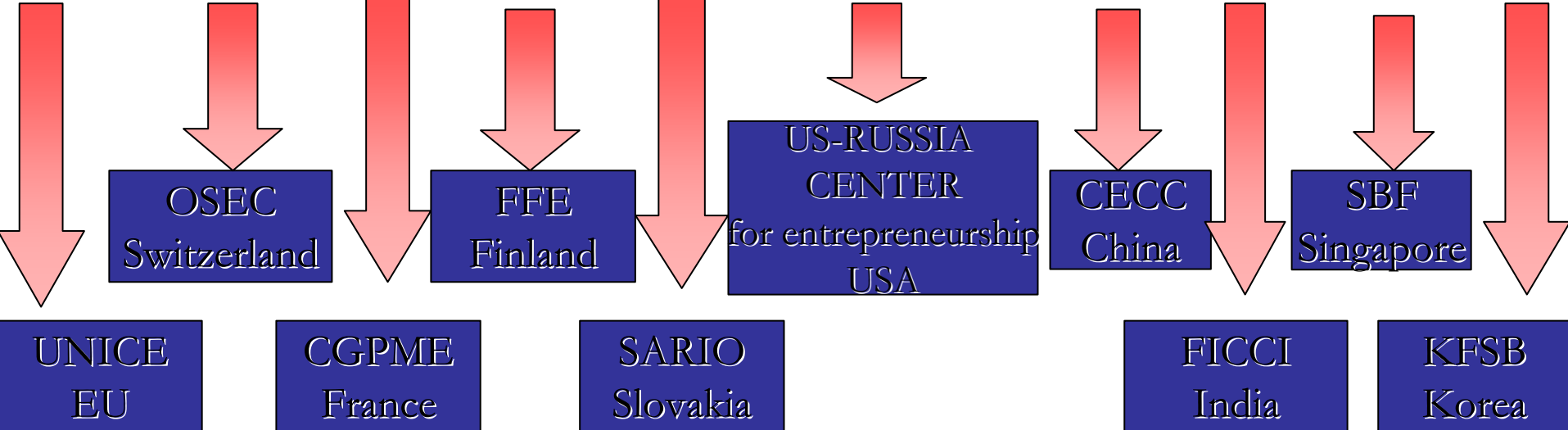
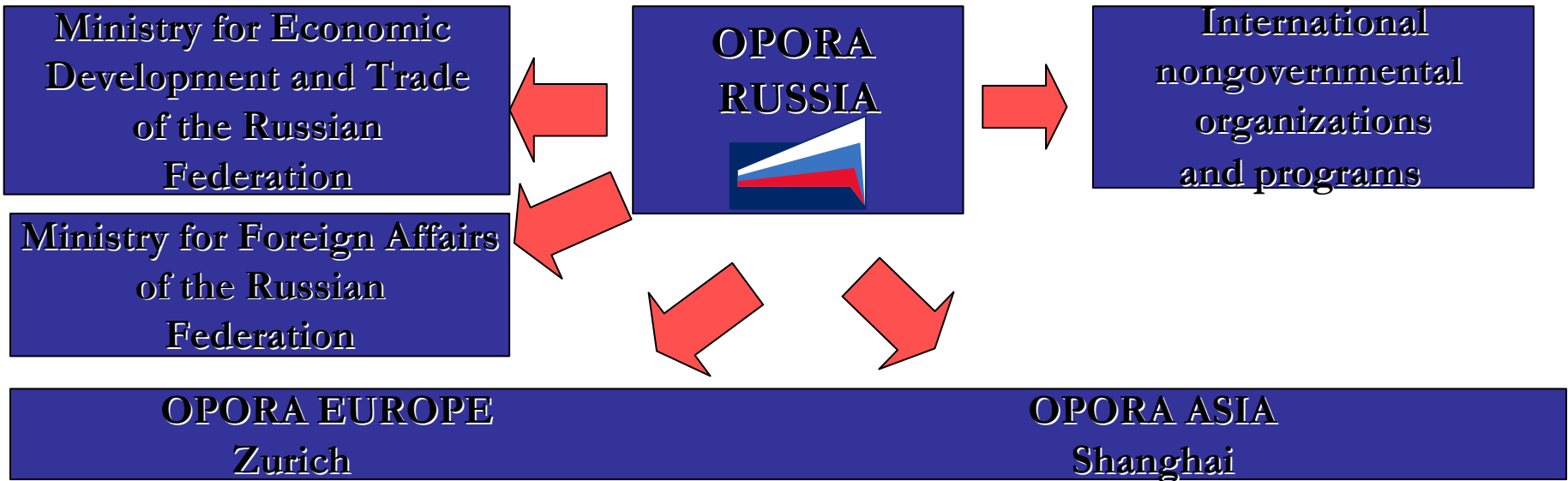
Negative estimations



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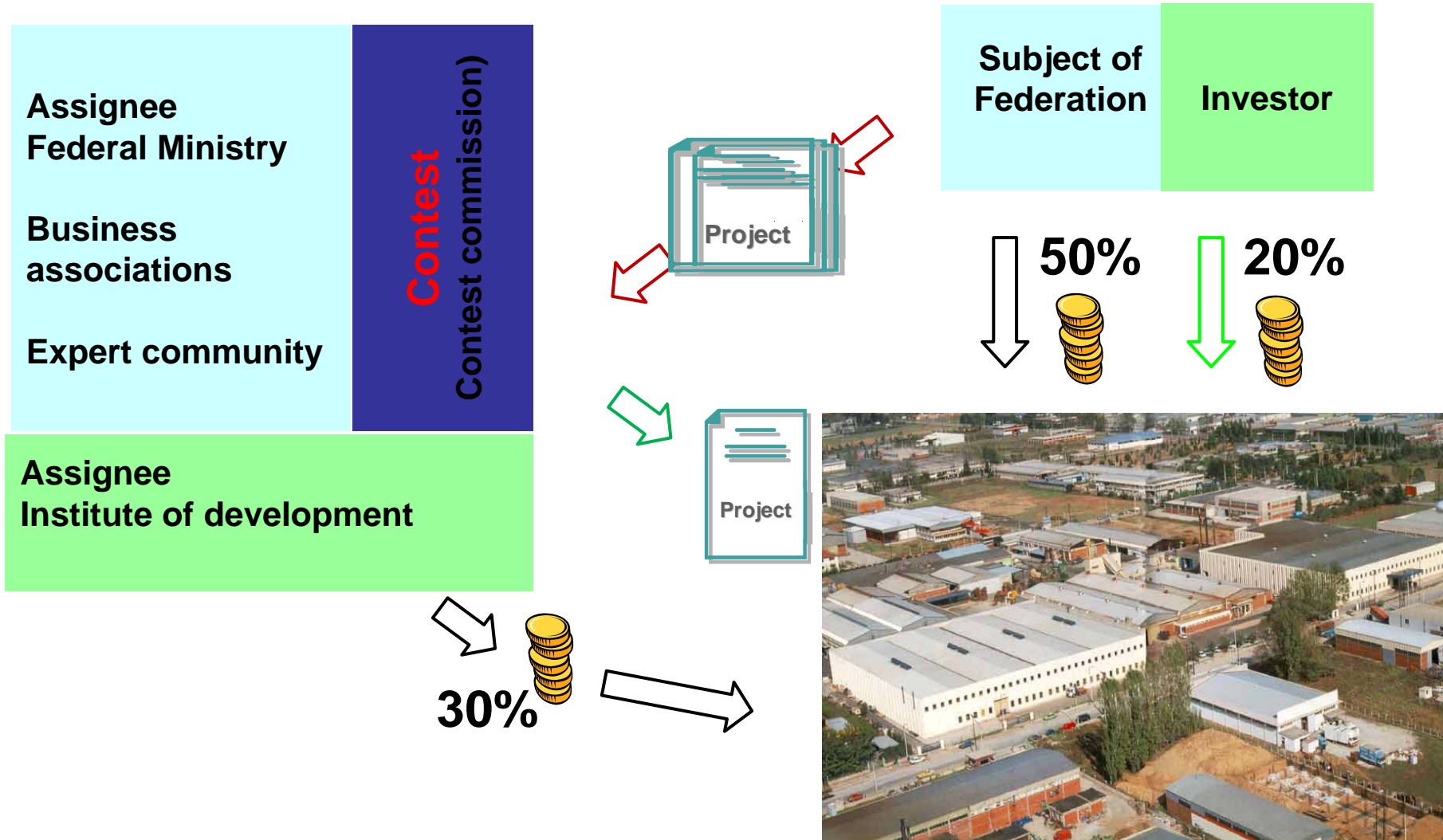


# International cooperation





# Mechanism of contest co-financing stimulates regions to construct industrial parks





# PROPOSALS

## on support of international cooperation of small entrepreneurship

- Dissemination of experience of UNECE countries in Russia in the field of development of business incubators, industrial and technical parks, clusters, etc.;
- Participation of small, medium and large business in formation and conducting federal and regional industrial and innovation policies;
- Exchange of information on current policy in the field of small and medium-sized entrepreneurship and programs of SMEs support;
- Organization of joint measures: exhibitions, seminars, conferences for entrepreneurs and etc.



**Thank you!**

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