

2030 DIGITAL DECADE

EU-SINGAPORE DIGITAL PARTNERSHIP A SHARED VISION FOR DIGITAL

Virtual Stakeholder Outreach Event- 16 June 2022

Digital Partnership Scope

“The Digital Partnership is intended to provide an **overarching framework** to strengthen digital connectivity and interoperability of digital markets and policy frameworks and facilitate digital trade between the EU and Singapore.”

“**Issues** that may be addressed include **secure and sustainable digital infrastructure, trusted data flows and data innovation, digital regulations**, the development of **digital skills** for workers, and the digital transformation of **businesses**, including small and medium enterprises (SMEs), and of **public services**.”

“The Partnership would **expand the bilateral trade and investment** relationship by enhancing cooperation, building more **resilient supply chains**, and supporting **innovation and facilitating business opportunities** for start-ups and SMEs.”

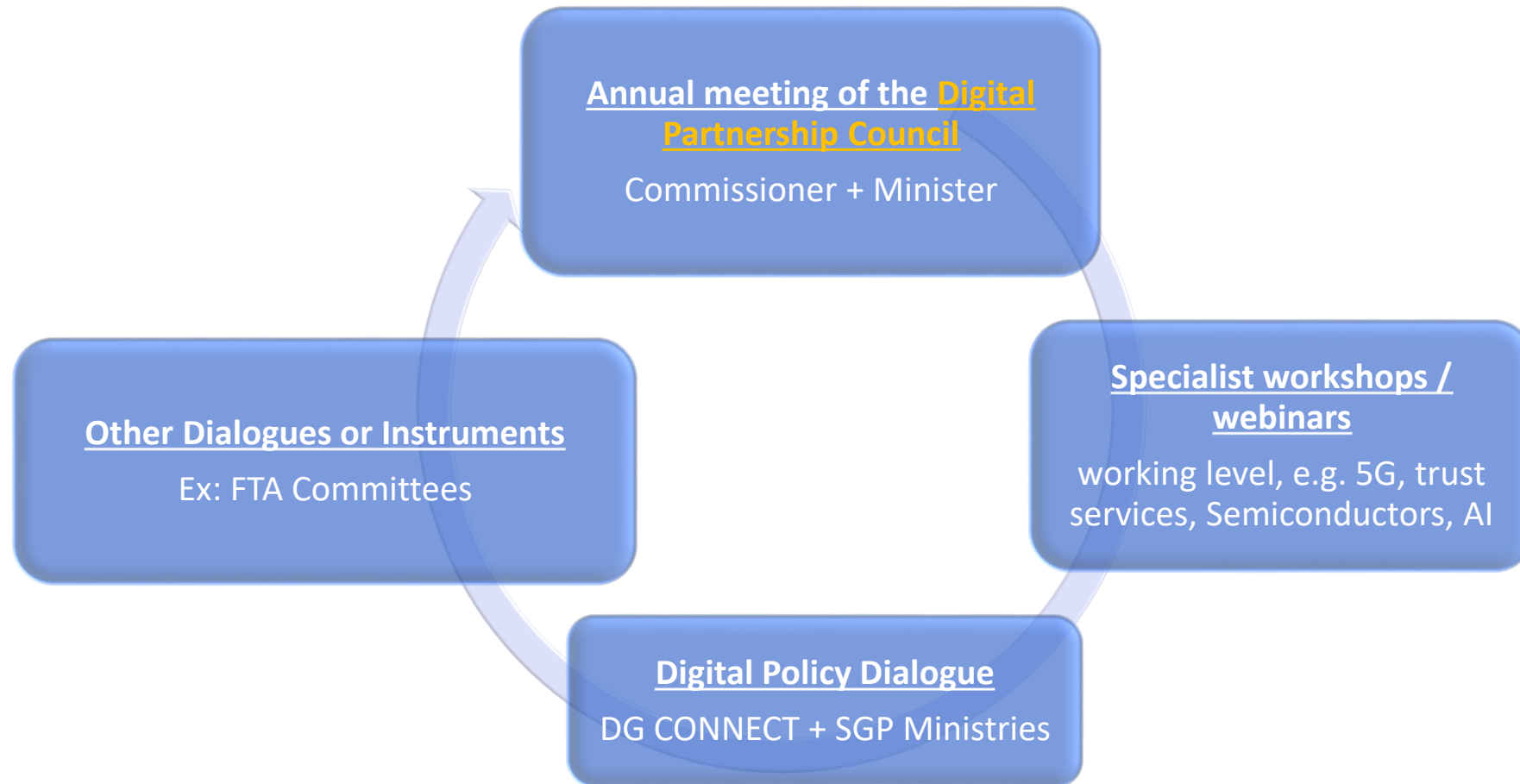
“The Digital Partnership will pave the way for **cooperation in new and emerging areas** with transformative economic potential - such as **5G/6G, Artificial Intelligence, or digital identities**.”

- Minister S Iswaran and Commissioner Thierry Breton on 14 February 2022

Digital Partnership Overview

- **We aim to establish a flexible architecture that can accommodate a comprehensive range of issues.**
- **This would entail an overarching framework which is a non-binding instrument.**
- **Under this overarching non-binding framework, the EU and Singapore can cooperate on different issues using different modalities, e.g. dialogues, MOUs, or even updates to the EU-Singapore Free Trade Agreement.**

Digital Partnership Governance – cycle



Digital Partnership

We want to hear from you

Suggestions for the future EU-Singapore Digital Partnership are welcome!
Please send contributions to:

- DG CONNECT, European Commission – EU-SINGAPORE-DIGITAL-PARTNERSHIP@ec.europa.eu**
- AND/OR**
- Singapore’s Ministry of Trade and Industry – MTI_Europe@mti.gov.sg**

by 23 June 2022

Indicating:

- ✓ Your name
- ✓ Your job title
- ✓ The name of the stakeholder you are representing
- ✓ The country where the stakeholder you represent is based

THANK YOU !