
More High-Tech Start-ups for the Bioeconomy in Europe by Founding Angels Investments

Background, Approach, Experiences and Examples

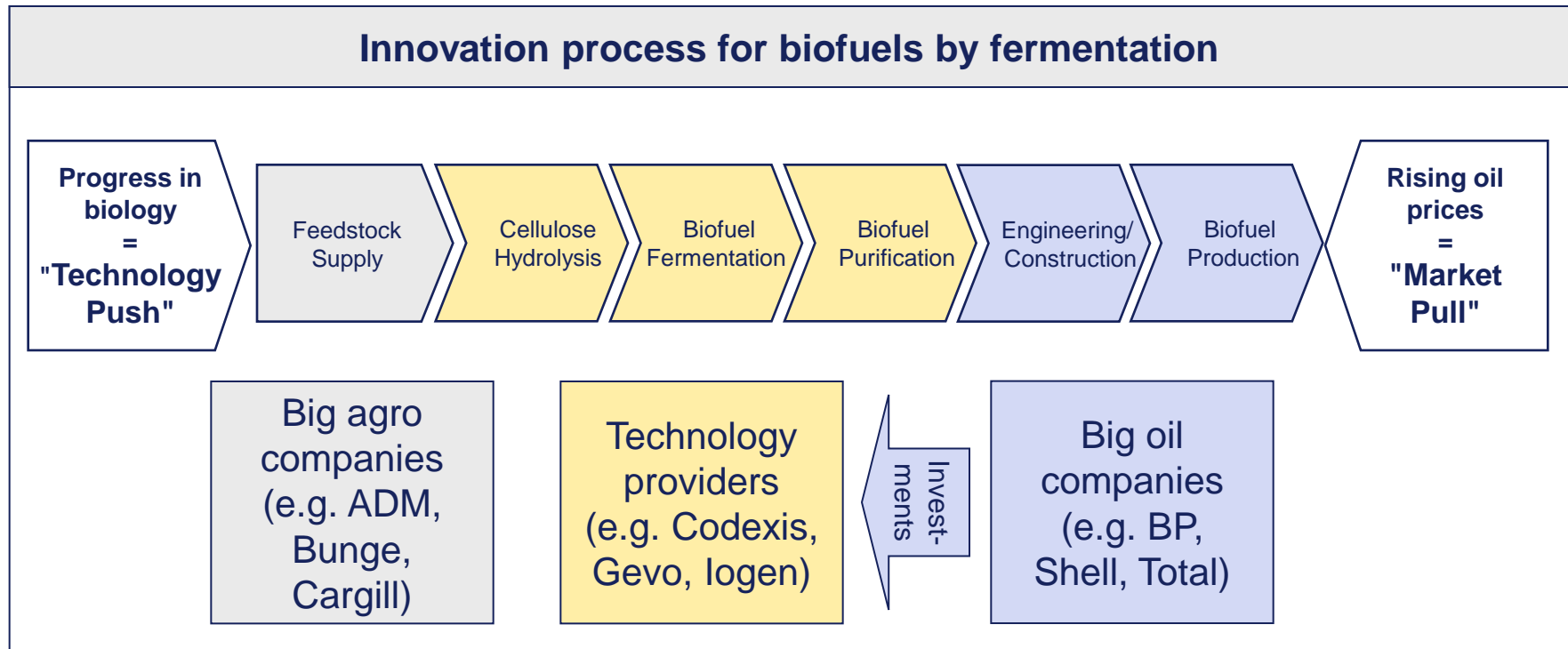
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Founding Angels - Challenge

Start-ups are of high importance as innovation drivers along the whole value chain

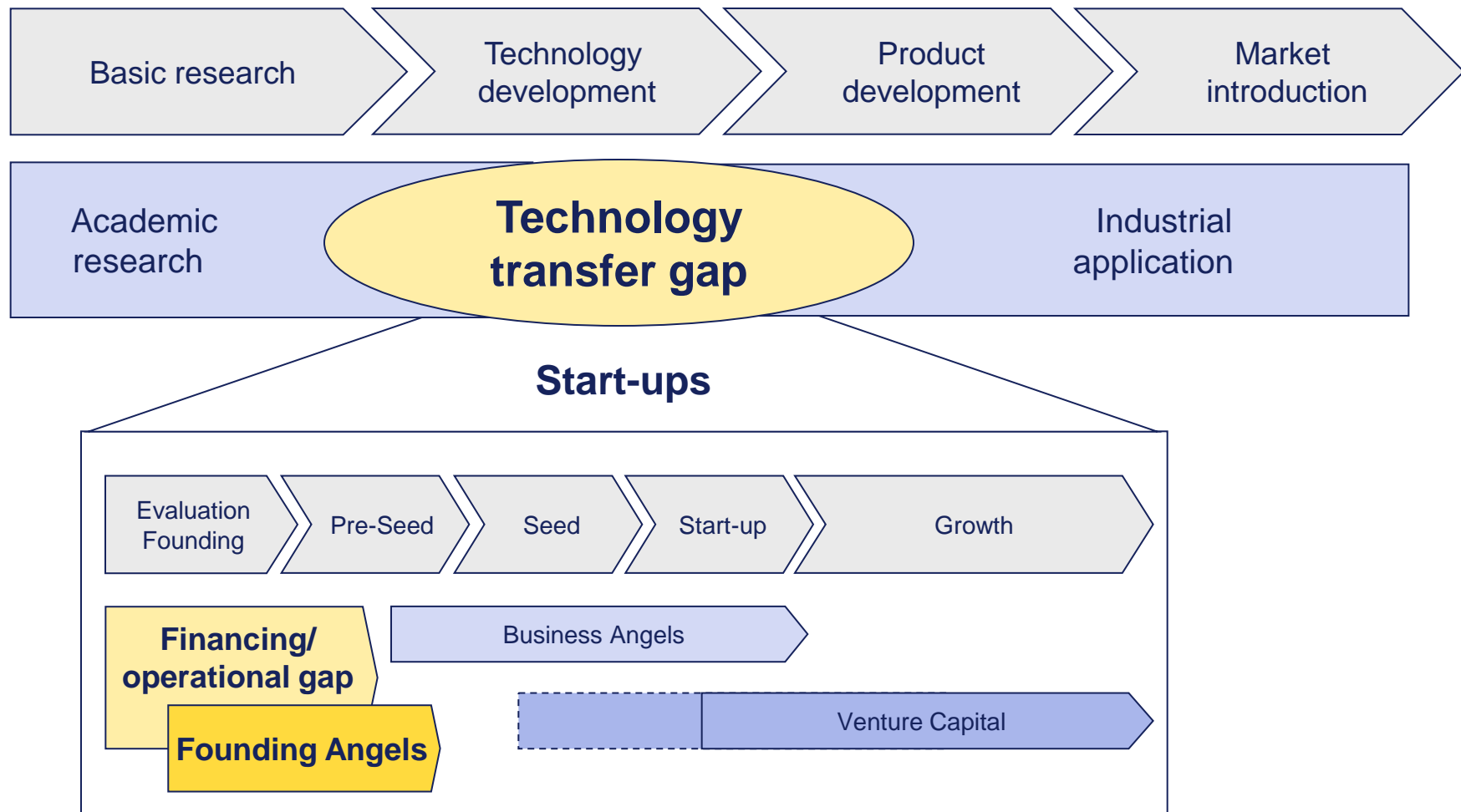


Are there enough start-ups in the area of advanced biofuel technology in Europe?

NO

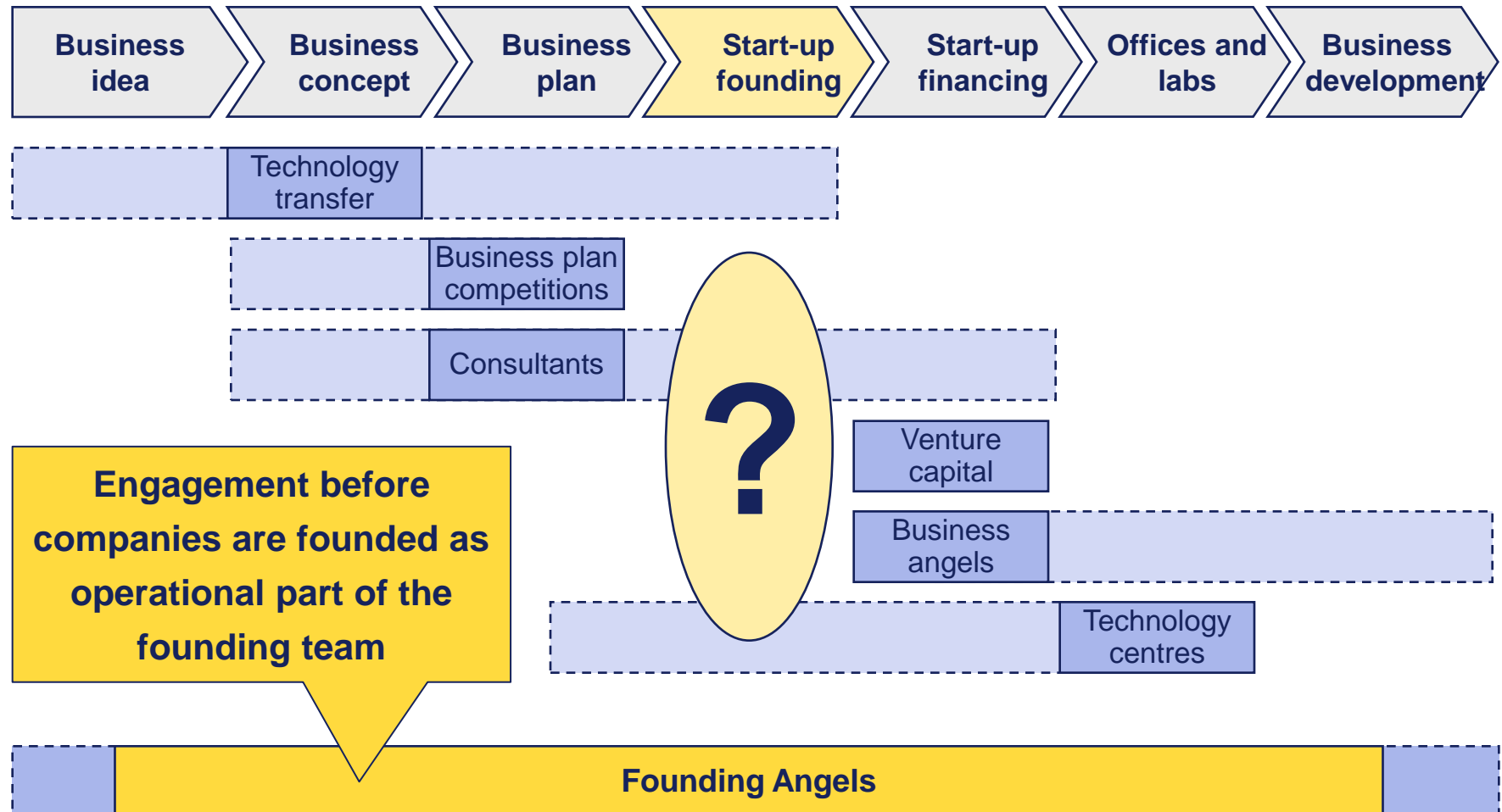
Founding Angels - Definition

Besides the technology transfer gap there is a second gap in the start-up area showing a lack of financing and operational expertise



Founding Angels - Positioning

Founding Angels are engaged in very early phases and fill the gap between established business models within the start-up area



Founding Angels - Examples

Gunter Festel co-founded 6 companies in the field of biotechnology over the last 5 years

