



Ministerie van Binnenlandse Zaken en
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The Dutch Journey Ahead

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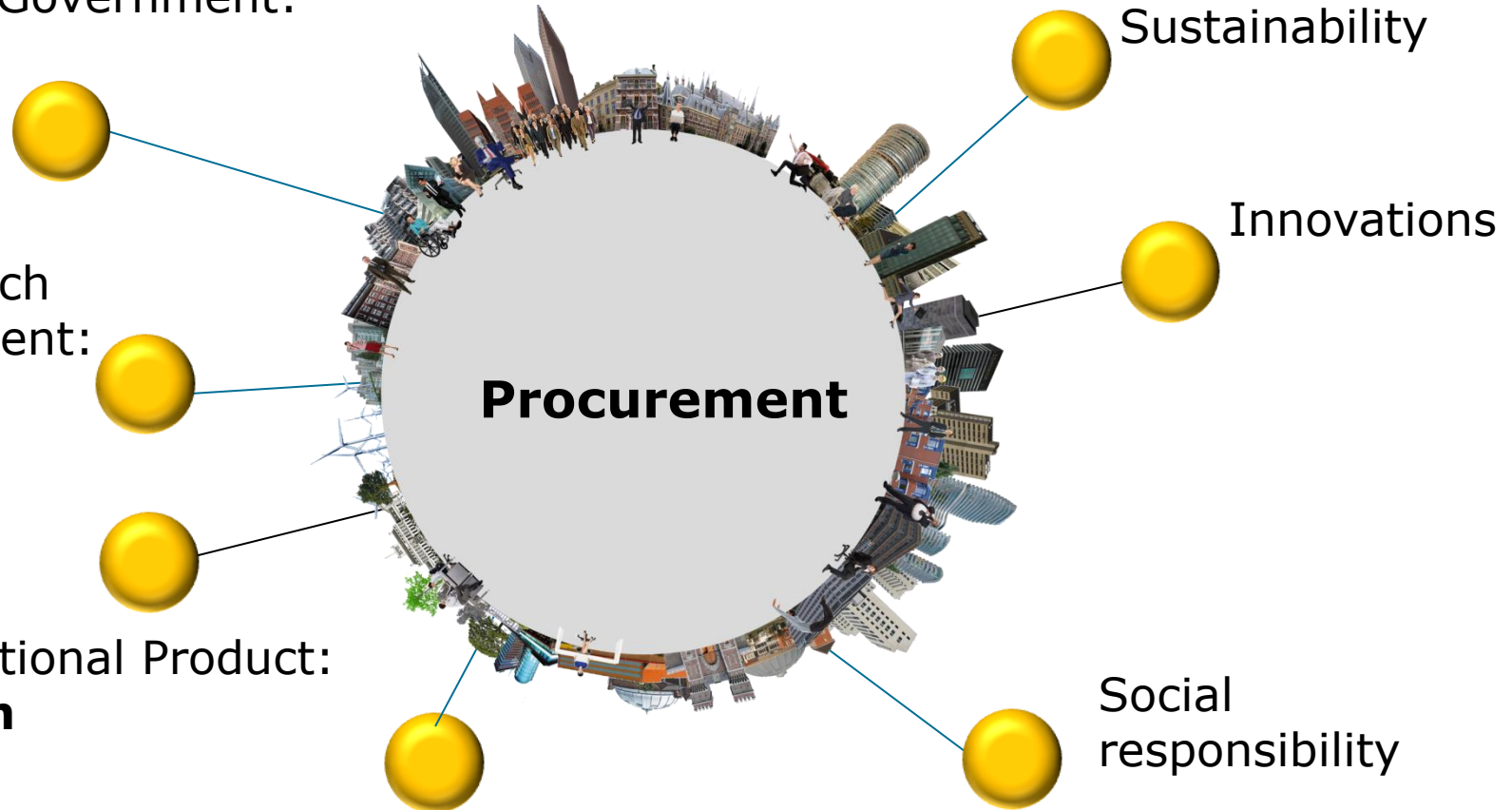
My environment as CPO

National Government:
€10 bln

Total Dutch
Government:
€57 bln

Gross National Product:
€700 bln

170.000 servants





Vision

- Procurement is a tool for implementation of government policy
- Realization of sustainability goals leads to extensive 'Green Procurement':
 1. We represent a voluminous portfolio (€10 bln)
 2. We can create a noticeable effect
- 'Emancipation' of the procurement professional



Dutch approach until now

- Sustainability criteria
- Local and regional governments
- National approach
- Effectiveness
- Limitations





Dutch journey ahead

Professionalization

- Guiding Principles
- Category Management
- Organization

Preconditions

- Interaction
- More value instead of 'quick-wins'
- Together





Good practices

Social return

Energy

Material scarcity





Professional Sustainable Procurement

