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**International Network  
on Soil Biodiversity**  
in the framework of the  
Global Soil Biodiversity Observatory

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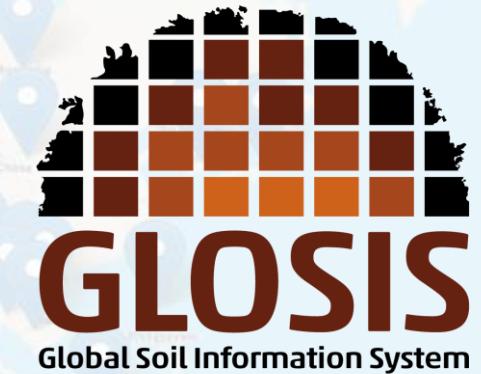
# GloSIS & NETSOB

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# International Network of Soils Information Institutions

- Implementation body of GSPs Soil Information & Data activities
- 117 Member Countries + EU
- INSII's main deliverable is **GloSIS**

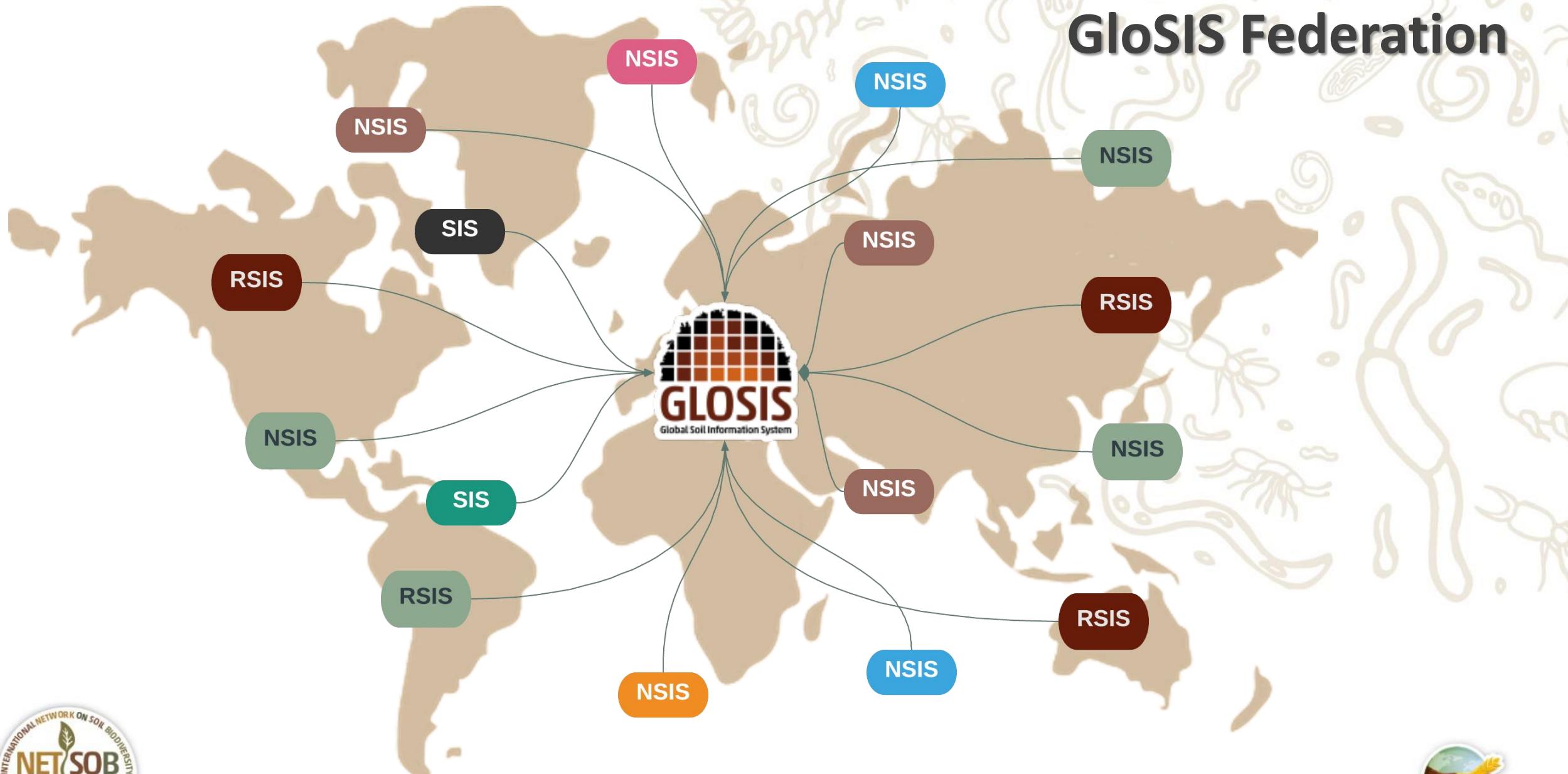




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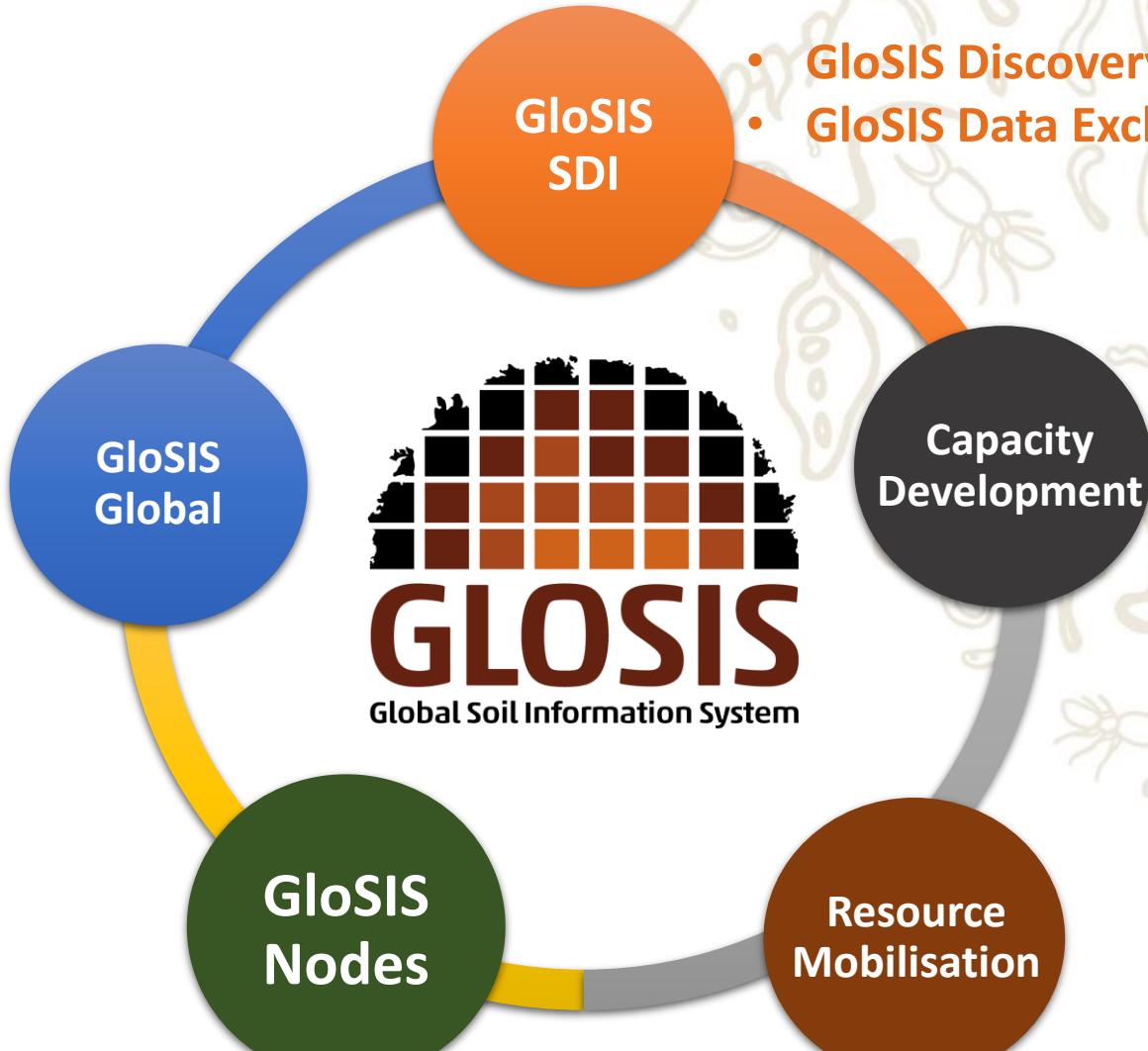
# GloSIS Federation



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- GSOCmap
- GSSmap
- GSOCseq
- GBSmap
- GSERmap
- ...



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**GSOCmap** *v1.0 (2017) >> V1.5 (2019) >> V.1.5 (2020) >> V1.6 (2021)*



**GSOCseq** *V1.0 – (September 2021 - 9<sup>th</sup> PA)*



**GSAmap** *v1.0 (October 2021)*



**GBSmap** *v1.0 (Q1 2022)*



**GSERmap** *v1.0 (TBA)*



**GSNmaps** *v1.0 (TBA)*



**Kick-off**



**25%**

**50%**

**75%**

**100%**

**GloSIS  
Global**



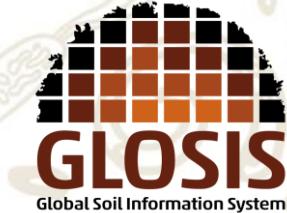
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# GSP Capacity Development Programme

140+ Countries  
1100+ Experts  
50+ Sessions  
8 Regions



# Teaming Up- GloSOB - GloSIS - SoilSTAT



- Harmonised soil biodiversity data/information
- Interoperability (GloSOB, GloSIS and SoilSTAT)
  - Glosis Data Exchange
  - GSP Soil Data Policy
  - Store, serve, exchange soil data
- Data Flow (GloSOB, GloSIS and SoilSTAT)
- GloSOB – towards NSOBs



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## Soil Biodiversity

- Information & Data
- Knowledge
- Science
- Expertise



## Technical Design

- Monitoring Approaches
- Sampling Design
- Platform Development
- Harmonisation
- Mapping Soil Biodiversity

- **Monitoring Soil Biodiversity**  
e.g. Species Diversity, Biological Functions, Threats to Soil Biodiversity.
- **Forecasting Soil Biodiversity**  
forecasting biodiversity change, soil biodiversity dynamics on a broad spectrum of time and space.
- **Mapping Soil Biodiversity**  
e.g. Species Diversity, Biological Functions, Threats to Soil Biodiversity
- **Reporting – Assessment**  
reports, policy briefs, strategic plans

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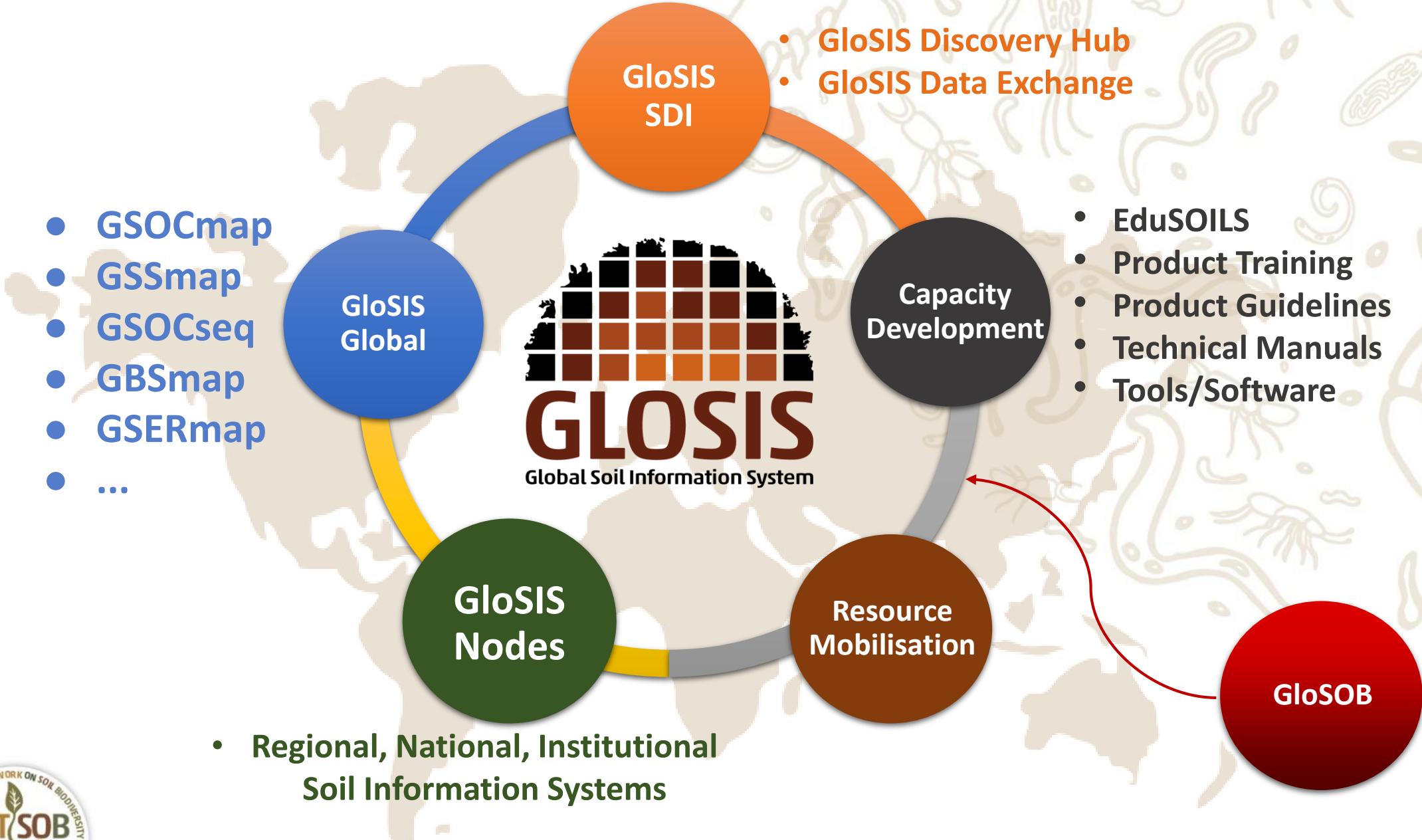


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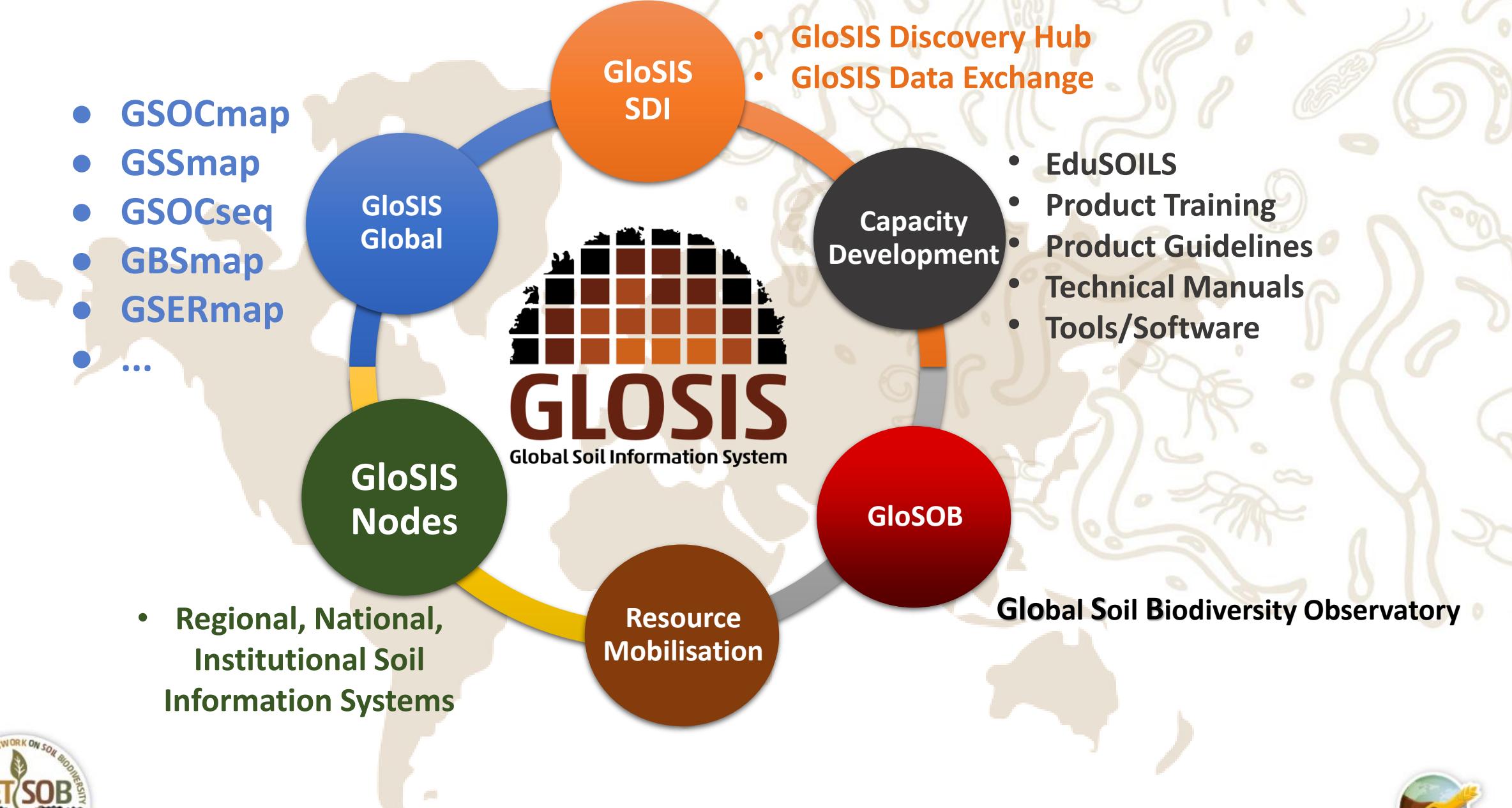
**NETSOB WG1** - measurement, assessment and monitoring of soil biodiversity

**NETSOB WG2** - on sustainable use, management, and conservation of soil biodiversity;



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**Thank you and HAPPY**

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Soil Day



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del Suelo



Journée  
Mondiale  
des Sols



Всемирный  
день почв



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