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Rural Transport Research in Support of SDGs

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Key Message

Rural transport plays an indispensable role in achieving more than half of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and research into rural transport has a vital input to that role



Role of Research



- Evidence
- Innovation
- Guidance



Rural Access

Key SDG Targets

Evidence

Research evidence informs the key decisions on strengthening cost effective rural access and transport service processes to be promoted and embedded in practice in Africa and Asia

Innovation

New approaches:

- Cost effective designs
- Climate resilience
- Low cost remote sensing
- Agricultural access

Guidance

National policy

Provincial planning

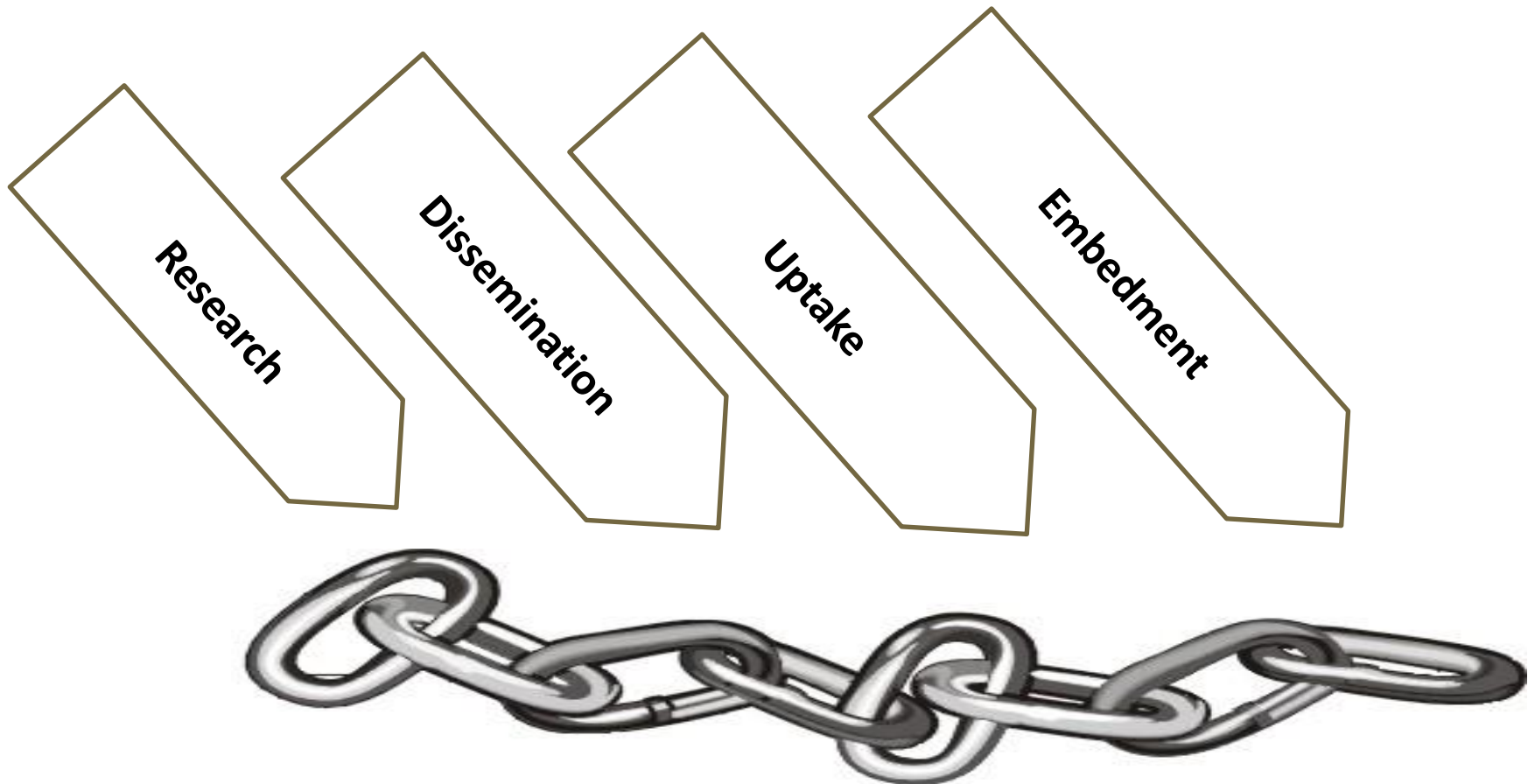
Local application

Typical ReCAP Access Research

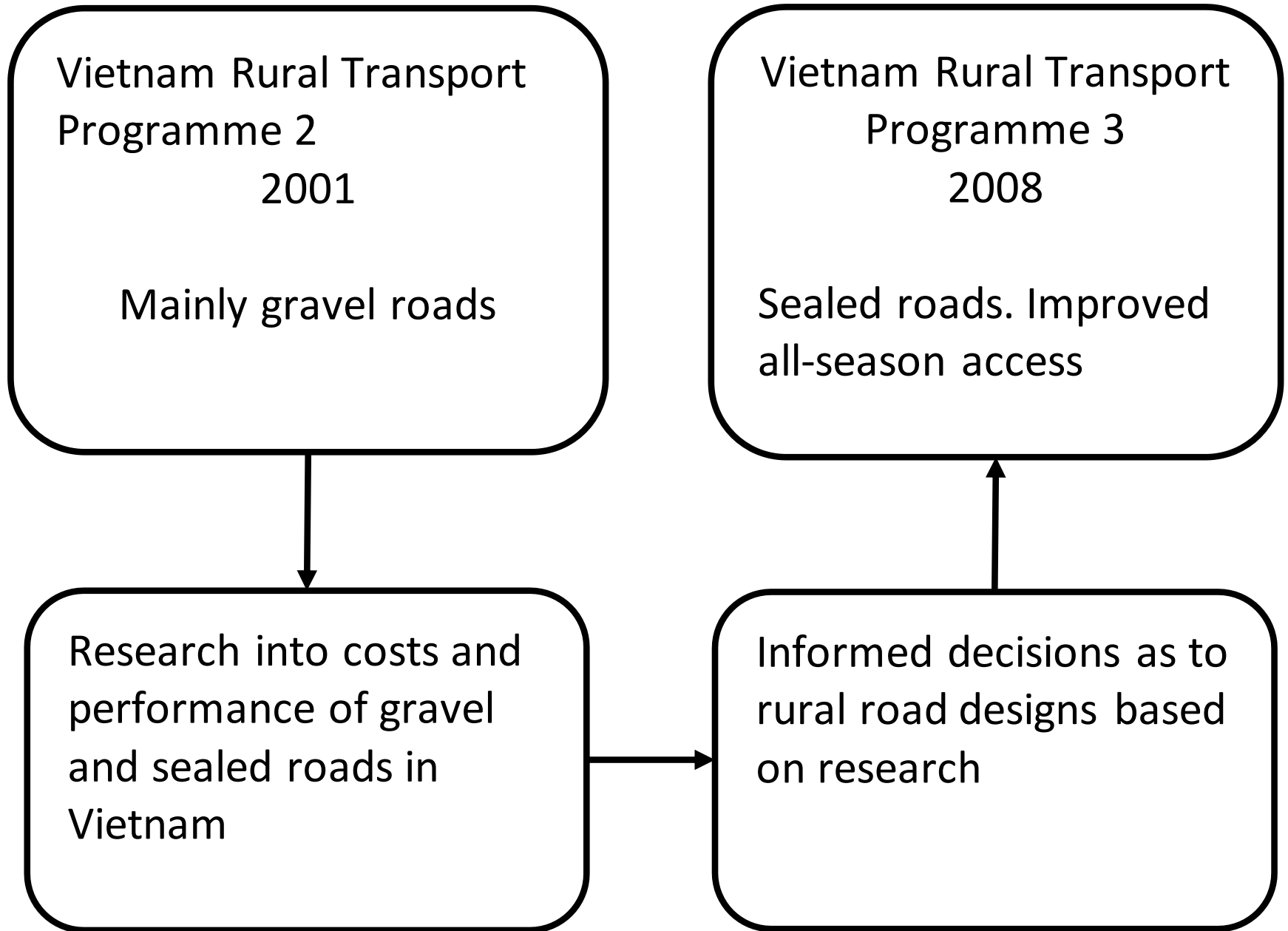
- Optimised use of local material resources
- Effective whole life rural road asset management
- Transport services operation and regulation
- Rural mobility and rural access
- Climate threats, impacts , and increasing resilience
- Gender equality, equity and social inclusion
- Rural access safety



Research – a Logical Chain



Research Uptake



Research: A Driver of the Move to Affordable and Sustainable All-Season Access



Applied good practice in support of SDGs

