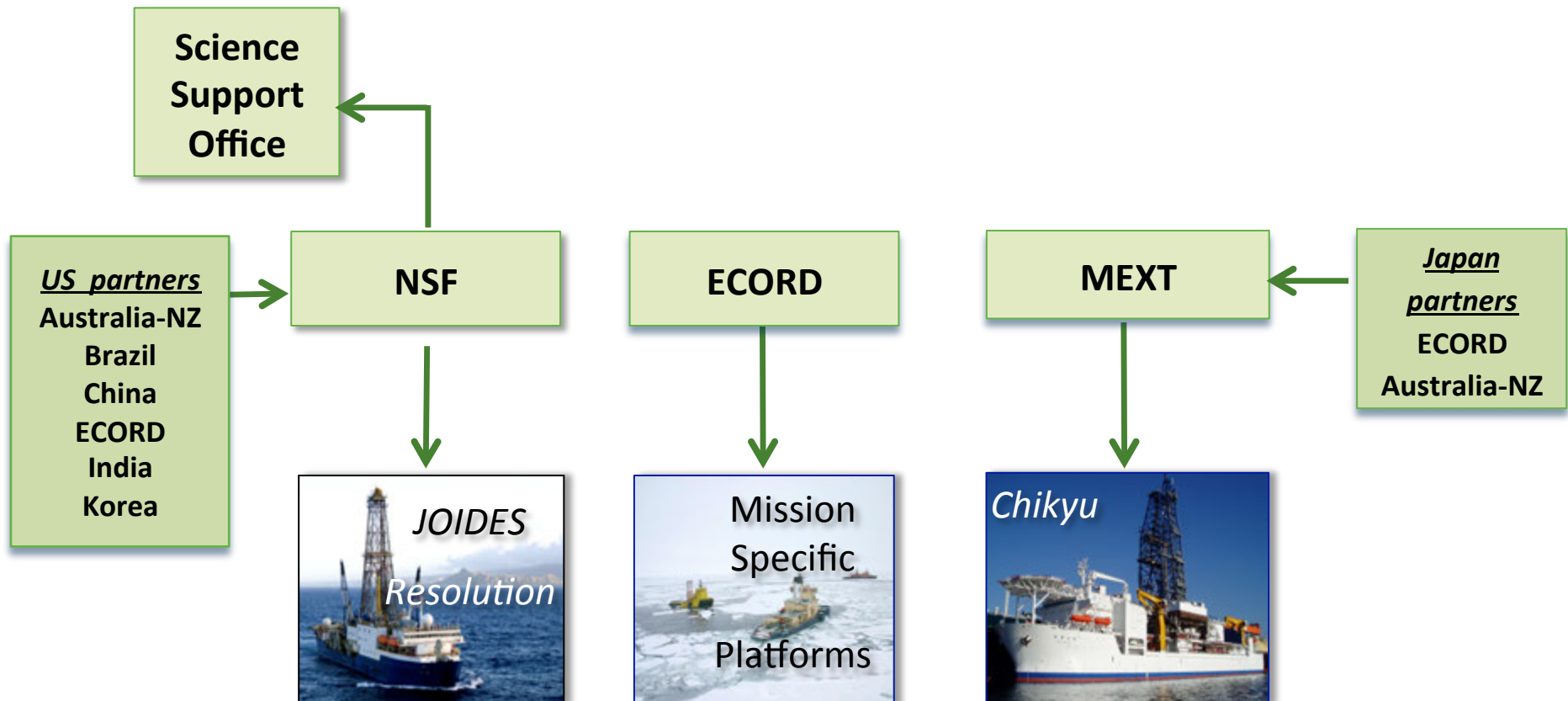
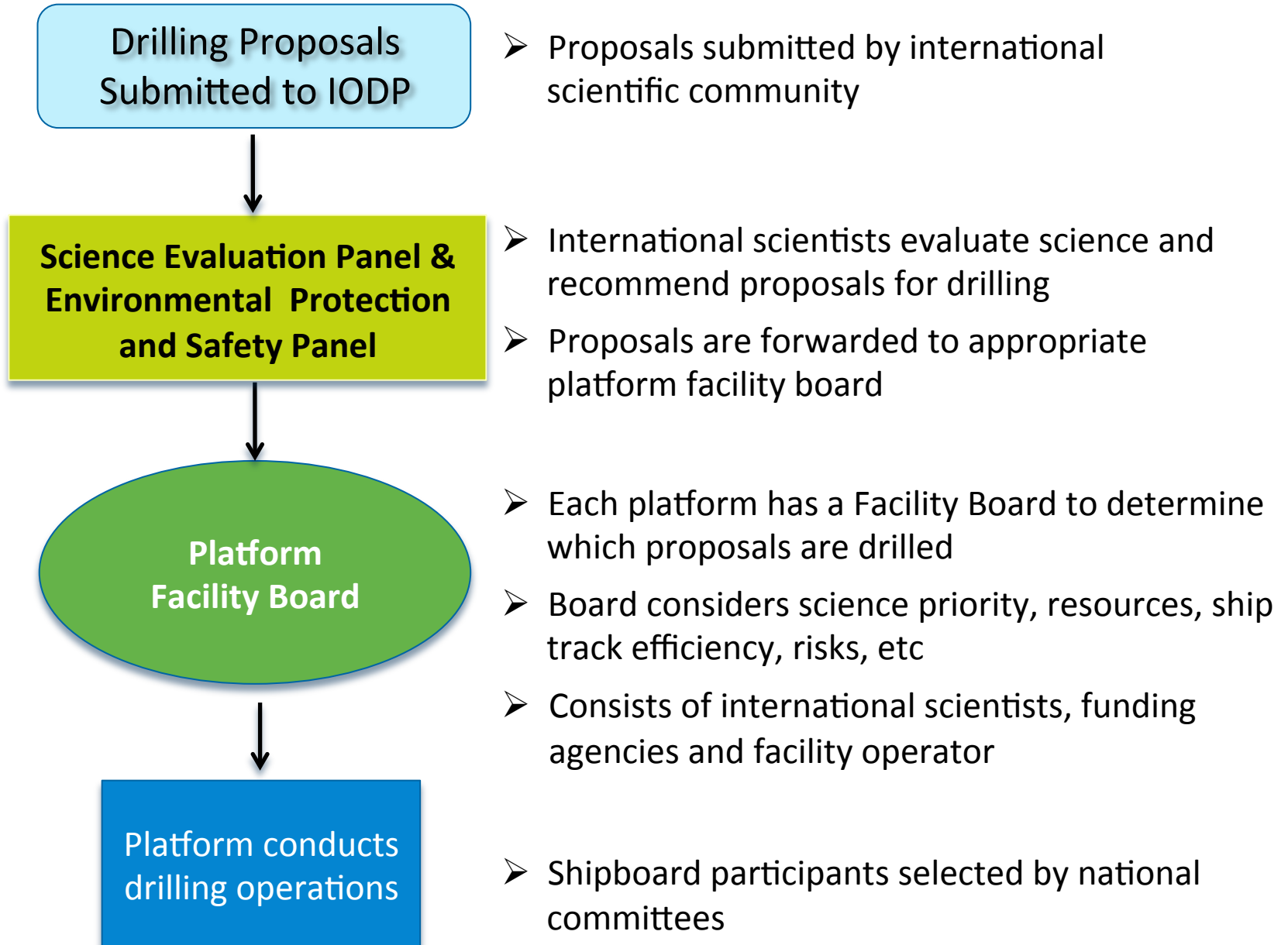


IODP Funding Model

- Each platform operated independently by respective country or consortia
- Science Support Office funded by NSF



How Drilling Proposals Are Selected





Science Community

Support Office
and Site Survey
Data Bank

Science Evaluation Panel &
Environmental Protection and Safety Panel

US
Facility
Board

Chikyu
IODP
Board

NSF

ECORD
Facility
Board

ECORD

MEXT

Chikyu
partners
ANZIC
ECORD

IR partners

ANZIC
Brazil
China
ECORD
India
Korea

JOIDES
Resolution

Mission
Specific
Platforms

Chikyu

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→ Flow of proposals

IODP members ;
Industry ; Other countries

→ Annual funding
- - - Project-basis funding