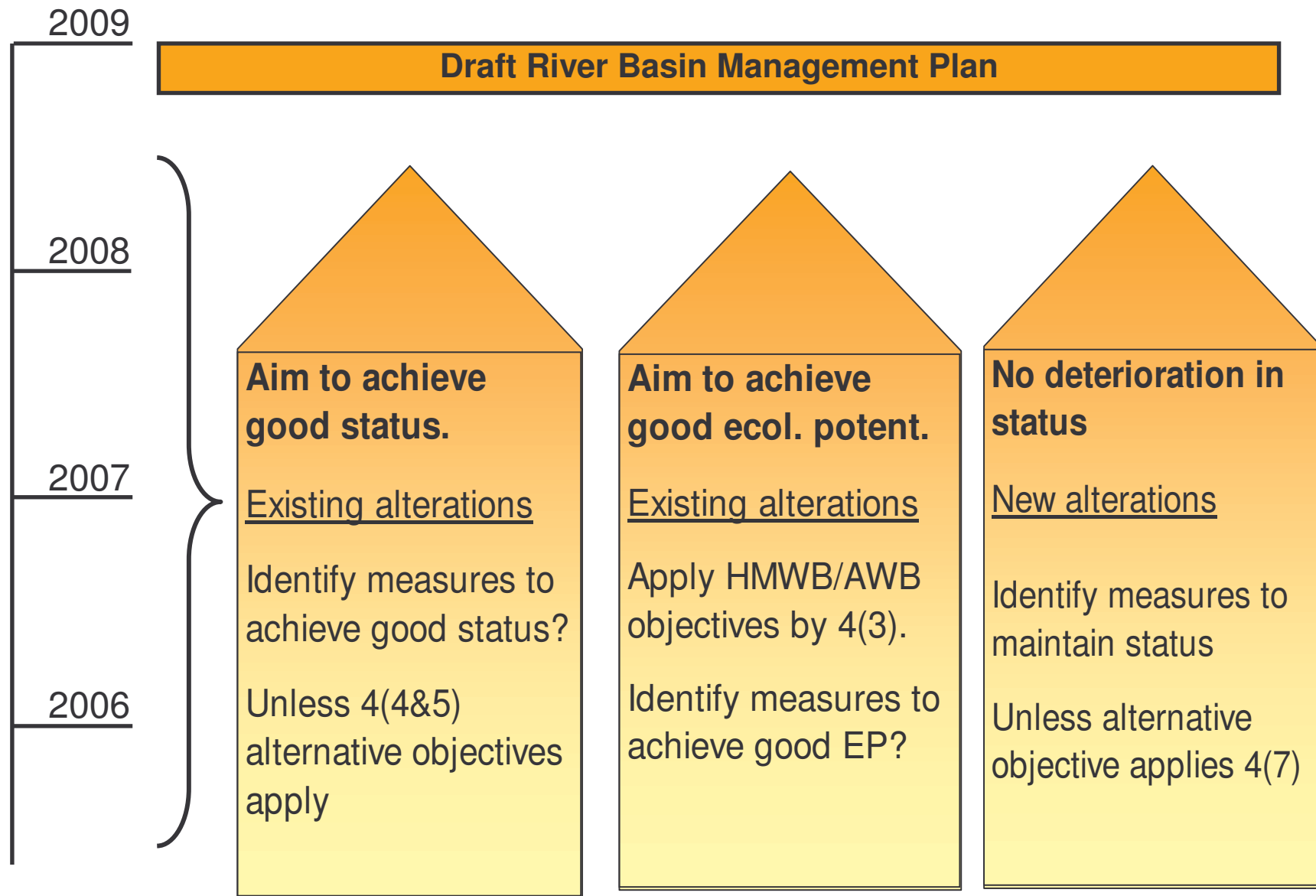


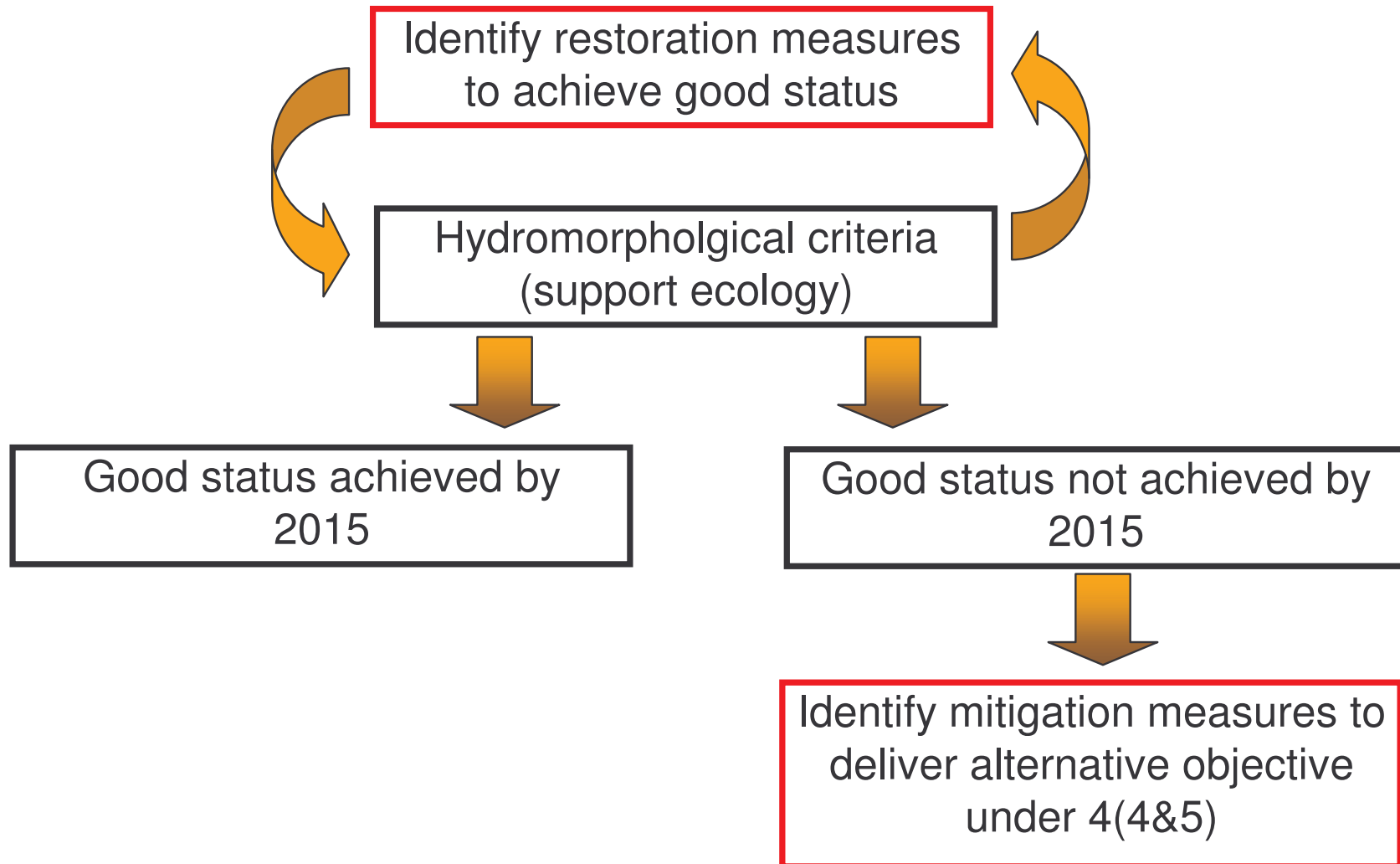
Mitigation measures

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Alternative objectives = measures

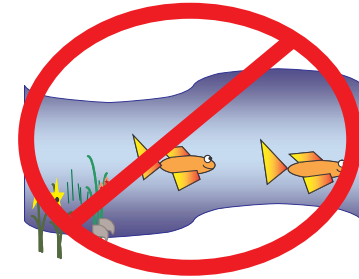


Aim to restore to good status



Aim to achieve GEP

HMWB/AWB 4(3) tests can be complied with



Identify measures which do not have a significant adverse impact upon use



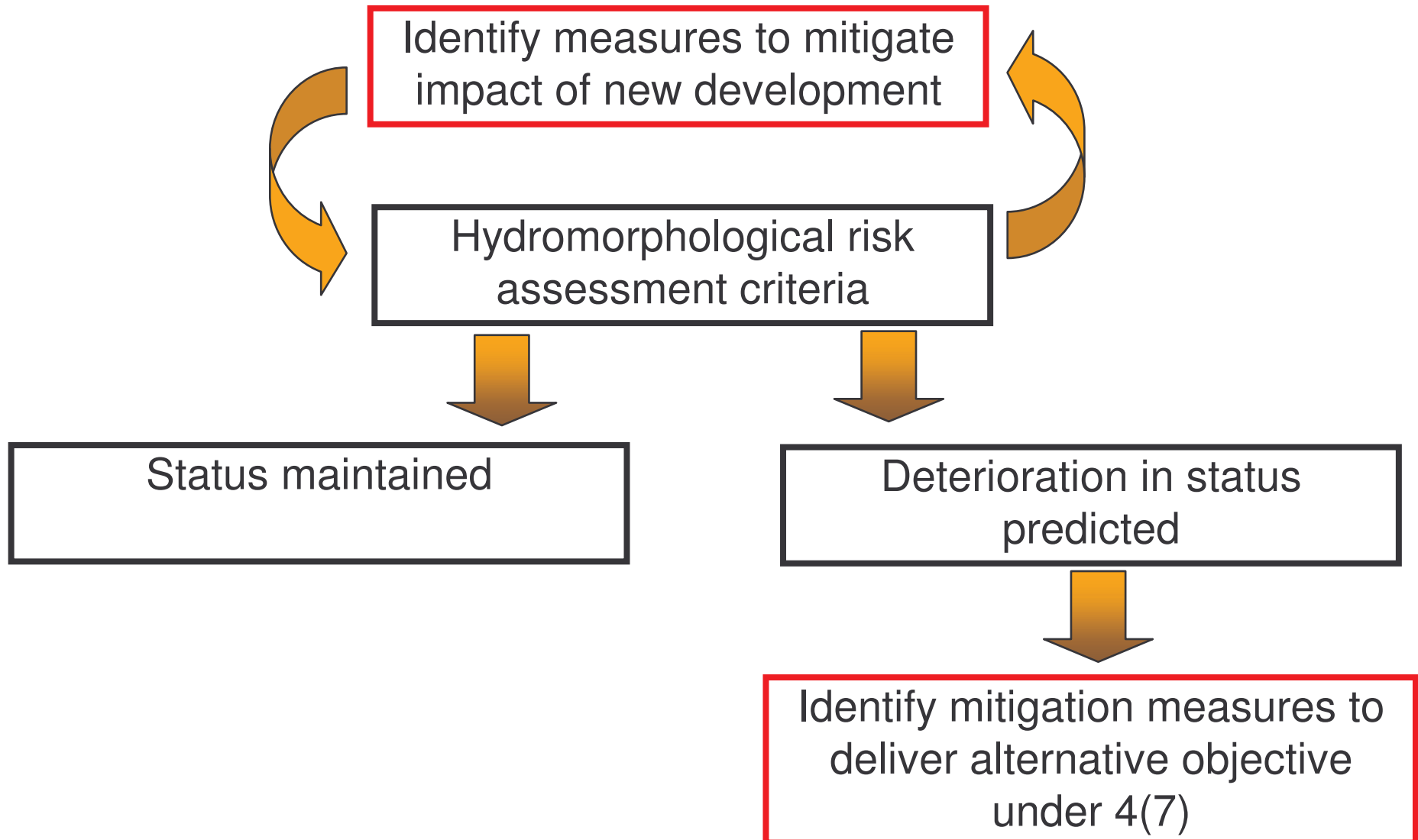
Good ecological potential achieved by 2015

Good ecological potential not achieved by 2015



Identify mitigation measures to deliver 4(4&5) alternative objectives

No deterioration in status



Objective of working groups

Details of mitigation measures may depend on characteristics of the water body and the water use.

However, some measures may be common to certain types of water use.

Sessions will help us share expertise and promote common understanding: hydropower, navigation, flood defence and others (eg agriculture)

Look for:

- Common approaches
- Examples of good practice

Working groups - task 1

- (a) Process used to identify mitigation measures compatible with the water use being discussed by the group (e.g. hydropower generation)
- (b) Views on the mitigation measures normally expected to be compatible with the use; and
- (c) Examples of measures considered incompatible with the use because they would have a significant adverse impact on that use.

Working groups – tasks 2 &3

- Exchange information on the mitigation measures may be practicable for new physical alterations
- Identify work on hydromorphological mitigation measures that could usefully be undertaken as part of Common Implementation Strategy