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### EFFICIENCY OF INTELLECTUAL POTENTIAL AS A FACTOR OF INCREASING THE COMPETITIVENESS OF THE NATIONAL ECONOMY

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Abstract. The transformations of the world economy related to the informatization of society, digitalization of the world in the conditions of the COVID-19 pandemic, which created the preconditions for the special urgency of the problem of effective use of the intellectual potential of national economies, have been considered. It has been proved that the determining factor of innovative development and competitiveness of the national economy is the intellectual potential of all levels of the socio-economic system, including the regional level, which generate technological innovations and create opportunities for the country's transition to a higher level of technological paradigm, which becomes a decisive factor in the competitiveness of the national economy. The interaction and mutual influence of potentials in the composition of the economic potential of the region, the impact of IP of certain regions on the national economy (on the example of the Prydniprovsk region) have been revealed. The main factors of competitiveness of the national economy have been analyzed and the development of education and science, equipment and technologies, scientific and technical potential as a basis for effective use of IP of regions has been highlighted. The relationship of intellectual potential, both with the geopolitical situation of the region and the current labor market as well as with the scientific and technical potential of the territory, the number of scientific and educational institutions and their development, the presence of regional scientific clusters have been outlined. The ways of effective use of IP on the basis of the analysis of various directions of conceptual and strategic character of development of national economy have been outlined. The connection between the effective use of intellectual potential and the «retention of talents» and human capital as the main asset of the modern knowledge economy has been studied. It has been concluded that the formation and implementation of the mechanism of retention, cultivation and motivation of staff with modern organizational skills, new digital skills, changing competencies, skills and behavior more in line with Industry 4.0, will depend on the efficiency of intellectual potential and competitiveness of the national economy, to ensure which, the formation and introduction of an innovative ecosystem as a driving force of accelerated economic growth, which is possible through the effective use of intellectual potential is crucial.

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### 1. Introduction

The development of modern society at the stage of knowledge and digital economy, as never before, determines its direct dependence on the effective use of intellectual potential (IP), which is one of the most important factors of innovative development of the country and the main factor of national economy competitiveness among world economies. In the conditions of intellectual, digital economy, the scientific problem of formation and effective use of IP at all levels of social and economic system is essential for innovative development of the country, including the level of separate territories (regions) in which technological innovations are generated and opportunities for the country's transition to a higher level of techno-economic paradigm are created, which becomes a decisive factor in the competitiveness of the national economy.

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Scientists' attention to the problem of IP is also explained by its special role in the digitalization of the economy in connection with the beginning of the Fourth Industrial Revolution and the transition to Industry 4.0. The COVID-19 pandemic has greatly accelerated the process of digitalization of national economies the world, giving even greater relevance to this problem.

The peculiarities of IP were investigated by foreign and domestic scientists, in particular: Krasnokutskaya N. S., Volikov V. V., Semikina M. V., Moiseenko I. P., Babiy P. S., Demyanchuk M. A. Aspects of management, assessment and modeling of intellectual potential as well as the impact of digitalization on IP, etc., have been considered in the studies of these scientists. But in the context of radical transfor-mations in the economy associated with the world digitalization and the COVID-19 pandemic, there is a need of thorough scientific generalizations on the category of «intellectual potential», a comprehensive analysis of the impact of IP at all levels, including regional, on the national economy and research of its effective use.

The aim of the study is to consider IP as an important factor in increasing the competitiveness of Ukraine's economy at the meso-level hierarchy of the economic system, study of the impact on the national economy of IP of certain regions (on the example of the Prydniprovsk region), interaction and mutual influence of potentials as a part of economic potential of the region, outlining ways of effective use of IP based on the analysis of different areas of development of the conceptual and strategic nature of the national economy.

Intellectual potential, as an economic category, is considered in the scientific literature according to different scientific approaches (resource, functional, effective). Scientific approaches to the assessment of IP reflect the ability of certain resources of the economic system (including the functional capacity of intellectual resources) to perform its tasks and achieve the goal – through effective use of IP at all levels of the economic system in order to increase the competitiveness of the national economy.

Exploring the intellectual potential in order to outline ways of its effective use in the national economy, it is necessary to take into account the synergistic interac-tion of all its levels, according to the existing hierarchy of the economic system, from personal level – IP of individual, microlevel - IP of the business entity to the mesolevel - IP of a separate territorial unit (region), macro-level – IP of the national economy (state), as well as intellectual potential at the global level (IP of humanity) (Babiy, 2016). Given each of these levels of IP, special attention in the scientific lit-erature is paid to the potential of regions as well as to its role in the innovative development of the national economy. The importance of meso-level of IP for competitive advantages' creation at the macro-level is due to the fact that the process of creating new knowledge is concentrated in the regions, and it is here on the basis of appropriate infrastructure for its dissemination and application relationships between participants in the innovation process are formed. The intellectual potential of the region (on the example of Dnipropetrovsk region) as «an open system characterized by interaction with the external environment that affects the efficiency of its use in the national economy» has already been analyzed by the authors in previous studies. It can be concluded that the IP of any region «...in the framework of interaction with the socio-economic potential of Ukraine reflects the state of the territorial socio-economic system» (Fisunenko, Zyuzya, 2019).

### 2. Multidimensionality of the category «intellectual potential»

The processes of formation, management and effective use of IP in the national economy reflects the multifaceted category of «intellectual potential», interdependence with other forms of economic potential – labor (human), technological, informational, organizational, investment and innovation. The most interconnected forms of potential are intellectual and innovative: «Interacting with other forms of potential, including innovation, based on the development of regional economies, intellectual potential focuses on future development and is a complex dynamic system of generating, accumulating and transforming scientific ideas into scientific and technical results, innovative products and processes» (Fisunenko, Zyuzya, 2019). The properties of IP as an open system and the interaction of different forms of potential are confirmed by statistical and scientific data on the economic potential of the Prydniprovsk region.

Dnipropetrovsk region, as one of the leading regions of Ukraine, has a signifi-cant economic potential, developing on the natural potential, has a strong industrial potential, which is characterized by a high development level of heavy industry. There are about 500 large and medium-sized industrial enterprises in the region of almost all forms of major economic activities and 18.3% (UAH 454.1 billion) of all sold industrial products of Ukraine are produced. According to this indicator, the region ranks first in Ukraine. «Its contribution to the gross regional product of the state is more than 10% and largely determines the general situation in the country» (Investment Passport of Dnipropetrovsk region, 2019). Dnipropetrovsk region is also one of the most investment-attractive regions of Ukraine. Foreign direct investment in the region comes from 57 countries in 914 companies, 11 cities and 18 districts of the region (Strategy of regional development of Dnipropetrovsk region for the period up to 2027, 2020). Its high investment potential is closely related to intellectual potential, because, among the factors of its investment attractiveness (traditions of industrial production, the presence of extensive industrial and transport infrastructure), the most important factor is the high quality of human capital.

Given the labor (human) resources, as the basis of any form of potential, to assess the effectiveness of IP the indicators of the economically active population are important. 1.5 million people (8.5%) of the economically active population are con-centrated in Dnipropetrovsk region, it is one of the main labor markets and ranks second among the regions of Ukraine in terms of employment of the working age population. The Human Development Index (HDI) is 0.81, and the region's GDP is \$ 12.5 billion, which is 11% of Ukraine's GDP. GDP per capita is \$ 2,640. (Investment passport of Dnipropetrovsk region, 2019). Understanding that the effectiveness of the use of IP and other related forms of potential depends on the efficient use of human resources, it is necessary to consider research on the effectiveness of labor potential. Cherep A. V., Dashko I. M., believe that «... the effectiveness of labor potential is determined based on the goals as a function of the results achieved and resources spent on it», and interpret the effectiveness of its use as «... the ratio of the result that characterizes the degree of achievement of the goal (economic, social) to the quantity and quality of the realized abilities of the staff with its achievements» (Cherep, Dashko, 2012).

### 3. Intellectual resources and human capital as a basis for the development of intellectual potential

From the standpoint of IP, it should be noted that the category of «labor re-sources» is characterized by a wider coverage of human resources, compared to the categories of «intellectual resources» and «human capital». At the present stage of development of intellectual economy first of all it is necessary to consider ability of the staff to use knowledge and skills, competence and level of qualification for achievement of the set purpose not so much from a position of labor human resources, but from a position of intellectual human resources and the human capital formed on its basis. If in the assessment of the effectiveness of «labor potential» quantitative indicators of performance are dominated, in a comprehensive assessment of IP, along with quantitative, the most important role is played by qualitative indicators of results related to the quality of intellectual human resources and human capital. In The Strategy of Regional Development of Dnipropetrovsk region for the period up to 2027, among the main (basic) competitive advantages of the region according to the results of expert assessment, along with high industrial potential, convenient geographical location and natural resources, unique human resources (3rd place) and intellectual potential of the region (5th place) are noted (Strategy of regional development of Dnipropetrovsk region for the period up to 2027, 2020).

Among the main factors of competitiveness of the national economy the development of education and science, technology, scientific and technical potential is extremely important based on the effective use of IP of the regions. Scholars note the close relationship of intellectual potential not only with the geopolitical situation of the region, but also with the scientific and technical potential of the territory, «...the density of scientific and educational institutions, social traditions, family composition, and the labor market. The intellectual potential of the territory is formed due to the development of educational institutions of all levels, the introduction of regional educational Internet portals and projects that take into account the specifics of the region, <...> development of regional scientific clusters ... » (Demyanchuk, 2020). Accordingly, the Dnipro region was and remains one of the leading academic centers of Ukraine, where there are 24 institutions

of higher education (universities, academies, institutes), which enroll more than 94 thousand students. The scientific and technical potential of the region includes: 55 research institutes, 21 design organizations, Prydniprovsky Scientific Center of the NAS of Ukraine, which employs 4,486 candidates of science, 753 doctors of sciences, 6 corresponding members and 9 academicians of the NAS of Ukraine (Investment Passport of Dnipropetrovsk region, 2019). According to the authors, the scientific activity of higher educational institutions, the Prydniprovsky Scientific Center of the NAS and the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine, together with research institutes and design organizations, can be considered as the most important factor in the formation of IP of Dnipropetrovsk region. As it can be seen, Dnipropetrovsk region provides more than 11% of the country's economy and is an economically developed, investment-attractive region of Ukraine, which also has a strong intellectual potential.

### 4. Challenges of the Fourth Industrial Revolution, Industry 4.0 as a factor in the development of intellectual potential

An important factor in the growth of the competitiveness of the national economy is Ukraine's awareness of the challenges of the Fourth Industrial Revolution and Industry 4.0, which require the rapid involvement of all economic entities in these processes: «Not only developed, but also many developing countries are competing today in the speed and volume of implementation the digitalization of industry, investing heavily in the transition to 4.0» (National Strategy of Industry 4.0, 2018). Given this challenge, the competitiveness of the national economy depends more than ever on the efficient use of IP and is supported by regional policies on Industry 4.0. In 2018, the Dnipro Development Agency together with AIAEU (Association of Industrial Automation Enterprises of Ukraine) and the Dnipro Space Cluster joined the creation of the first regional strategy 4.0 with the support of the Dnipro Regional Council and the City Hall.

Despite some significant results confirming the effectiveness of IP in some re-gions, the competitive position of Ukraine's economy, reflected in world rankings, is quite unstable. A large number of research and higher education institutions, scientists and engineers working at the regional level, and enough a large proportion of people with higher education do not strengthen Ukraine's position in the rankings of «Innovation», «Relations of universities with industry in research and development», «Technological readiness», «Foreign investment and technology transfer», which are quite low. In 2019, Ukraine took 85th place (according to the Executive Opinion Survey: descriptive statistics and weightings), falling to four positions. In 2020, the consolidated ranking of countries according to the Global Competitiveness Index was not presented, but Ukraine's position among other countries in 2021 depends on compliance with conceptual and strategic directions, including the «Strategy for the Development of Innovation Activity until 2030», adopted by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine from July 10, 2019 (Strategy for the Development of Innovation Activity until 2030, 2019).

## 5. Strategic directions for improving the efficiency of intellectual potential

Recently, Ukraine has adopted a number of legislative documents of a conceptual and strategic nature, the implementation of which can contribute to the efficiency of the use of IP and strengthen the competitiveness of Ukraine's economy. Based on the analysis of the Strategy for the Development of Innovation Activity until 2030, and other important conceptual and strategic legislative documents, the authors made scientific summaries of the main program activities and expected results, which are presented in the table (Table 1), outlined ways to increase the effectiveness of intellectual capacity competitiveness of both regions and the national economy as a whole.

As it can be seen, according to the World Index of Economic Competitiveness, intellectual potential based on intellectual resources and human capital is recognized as the main asset of the modern knowledge economy, so ways to effectively use intellectual potential are primarily related to the «struggle for talent». It is from the formation and implementation of the mechanism of retention, cultivation and motivation of staff with modern organizational skills, new digital skills, change of competencies, skills and behavior more in line with the requirements of 4.0, from proper talent management will depend on the effectiveness of intellectual potential which will become a «serious barrier to «brainwashing» and loose of engineering personnel in the Ukrainian economy» (National Strategy of Industry 4.0, 2018). To ensure the

### Table 1

Conceptual and strategic	Basic program activities	Expected results
legislative documents		
Strategy for the development of innovation activity until 2030	<ul> <li>Creating a favorable regulatory framework for business entities engaged in innovation activity.</li> <li>Implementation of innovations and creation of favorable conditions for bringing innovations to commercial use, in particular through the development of startups.</li> <li>Development of innovation infrastructure and methodological and consulting support.</li> <li>Expanding the ties of domestic scientists and inventors with foreign companies.</li> <li>Increasing the level of capacity, which is realized through cultural and educational activities.</li> <li>Enhancing innovation culture through educational activities aimed at ensuring a successful career for young people after graduation from higher education institutions.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Formation of a national innovation ecosystem in Ukraine.</li> <li>Ensuring the development and effective interaction of elements of the national innovation ecosystem.</li> <li>Ecosystem as a driver of accelerated economic growth through the effective use of intellectual potential.</li> <li>Introduction of new technological solutions based on the ecosystem.</li> <li>Approaching Ukraine to the level of developed countries in the production of intellectual products and innovations.</li> <li>Increasing the country's competitiveness in the world market.</li> </ul>
The concept of AIAEU «Na-tional Strategy of Industry 4.0»	Industry 4.0 is a stage of digital transformation of industrial enterprises: accelerated introduction of technologies – industrial Internet of Things, big data analytics, artificial intelligence, a new generation of robots, augmented reality, etc. – Synergy of IT and OT, change of business models and significant acceleration of innovative development. – Full audit of the structural elements of the innovation ecosystem 4.0 (universities, NASU, parks, design bureaus of state enterprises, etc.), as the most valuable assets 4.0 – «Fight for talent», which industrial high-tech loses to the IT outsourcing and export sectors. – The «Strategy» framework identifies the most important organizational skills: new digital skills, changes in competencies, skills and behaviors that better meet the requirements of 4.0 – Talent management: talent, according to the global index of industrial competitiveness, is the main asset of industrialists.	<ul> <li>Incentive projects are designed to restart (create) System 4.0 in Ukraine, the main purpose of which is development, stimulation of Industry 4.0 players, expansion of their activities and the ecosystem as a whole.</li> <li>Launch of incubators of industrial high-tech segments, as the main condition for integration into European and world programs and attracting international investors.</li> <li>Incubators of industrial high-tech segments and Centers 4.0 should become a serious barrier to «brainwashing» and engineering personnel from the economy of Ukraine.</li> <li>According to the «Strategy» framework, all engineers need to know the basics of cloud technology and communication networks.</li> <li>Talent management appeals to developed policies of recruitment, retention, cultivation and motivation of staff.</li> </ul>
	The main objectives of this Concept are:	Implementation of this Concept will allow:
	formation and development of digital skills	<ul> <li>accelerate the processes of digital</li> </ul>
«The concept of	and digital competencies in society, which will	transformation in Ukraine;
development of	contribute to the development of the digital	– significantly increase the level of digital skills
digital competencies	economy and society, as well as the development	and digital competencies in society, as well
and approval of the	of e-democracy and human capital.	as the level of state competitiveness and the
action plan for its		quality of human capital;
implementation»		– increase the competitiveness of employees
		by mastering new digital skills and digital
		competencies.

# Ways to effective use of intellectual potential as a factor in ensuring the competitiveness and innovative development of the national economy

The main tasks of the «Digital Agenda of Ukraine» are:       The forced digitalization scenario envisages         - «Digitalization» as a mechanism (platform) of economic growth due to increased efficiency and productivity from the use of digital technologies.       - elimination of legislative, institutional, fiscal and tax, currency and monetary barriers that hinder the development of innovative econom edigitalization»;         - Effectiveness is achieved through the possibility of full integration into national       - taking strong measures to stimulate the «digitalization» of the economy and business	]		
of Ukraine» are:       – elimination of legislative, institutional, fiscal         – «Digitalization» as a mechanism (platform) of       and tax, currency and monetary barriers that         – elimination of legislative, institutional, fiscal       and tax, currency and monetary barriers that         – productivity from the use of digital technologies.       – elimination of legislative, institutional, fiscal         – elimination of legislative, institutional, fiscal       – elimination of legislative, institutional, fiscal         – which is the development of innovative econom       whinder the development of innovative econom         – Effectiveness is achieved through the       – taking strong measures to stimulate the         possibility of full integration into national       wdigitalization» of the economy and business		The main tasks of the «Digital Agenda	The forced digitalization scenario envisages:
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<ul> <li>productivity from the use of digital technologies.</li> <li>Effectiveness is achieved through the</li> <li>possibility of full integration into national</li> <li>«digitalization»;</li> <li>taking strong measures to stimulate the</li> <li>«digitalization» of the economy and business</li> </ul>		economic growth due to increased efficiency and	hinder the development of innovative economy,
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possibility of full integration into national and digitalization of the economy and business		<ul> <li>Effectiveness is achieved through the</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>taking strong measures to stimulate the</li> </ul>
«Digital Agenda of		possibility of full integration into national	«digitalization» of the economy and business
<b>Ukraine</b> – 2020» and regional strategies and programs for the		and regional strategies and programs for the	sectors;
development of any ideas, actions, initiatives – initiation by the state of large-scale		development of any ideas, actions, initiatives	<ul> <li>initiation by the state of large-scale</li> </ul>
and programs related to «digitalization». transformation initiatives and projects of		and programs related to «digitalization».	transformation initiatives and projects of
- The key goal is to achieve «digital» (digitalization», including on the basis of		<ul> <li>The key goal is to achieve «digital»</li> </ul>	«digitalization», including on the basis of
transformation of existing sectors of the economy, modern models of public-private partnership.		transformation of existing sectors of the economy,	modern models of public-private partnership.
areas of activity, their new quality and properties,		areas of activity, their new quality and properties,	
comprehensive «digitalization», which transforms		comprehensive «digitalization», which transforms	
existing systems and areas into a new value.		existing systems and areas into a new value.	
Notes the existence of a large-scale scientific <b>Elimination of a number of negative</b>		Notes the existence of a large-scale scientific	Elimination of a number of negative
complex capable of effectively producing world- <b>phenomena as a way to effective use of IP:</b>		complex capable of effectively producing world-	phenomena as a way to effective use of IP:
class results and <b>negative trends that need</b> – unsatisfactory financing of scientific, technic		class results and <b>negative trends that need</b>	– unsatisfactory financing of scientific, technical
to be changed if Ukraine wants to develop its and innovative spheres;		to be changed if Ukraine wants to develop its	and innovative spheres;
intellectual potential and be competitive among – insufficient efficiency of the system of budget		intellectual potential and be competitive among	- insufficient efficiency of the system of budget
countries around the world: financing of research and development, includir		countries around the world:	financing of research and development, including
- scientific, technical and innovation sphere of in the institutions of the NAS of Ukraine;		– scientific, technical and innovation sphere of	in the institutions of the NAS of Ukraine;
<b>The concept of</b>	The concept of	the state as a whole and the National Academy	– legislative restrictions that complicate the
development of the	development of the	of Sciences of Ukraine do not properly perform	commercialization of research results;
<b>National Academy of</b> the role of a source of economic growth; – lack of economic incentives for business	National Academy of	the role of a source of economic growth;	- lack of economic incentives for business
Sciences of Ukraine for	Sciences of Ukraine for	- scientific results are not used in the economy	entities to carry out technological
2014–2023 aute to the low susceptibility of the business modernization through the introduction of he	2014-2023	due to the low susceptibility of the business	modernization through the introduction of new
sector to innovation; scientific and technical developments;		sector to innovation;	scientific and technical developments;
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logistics in science, technology and innovation. Scientists in inding partners in the production		logistics in science, technology and innovation.	scientists in finding partners in the production
sphere and the use of new effective methods of			sphere and the use of new effective methods of
shortcomings in the protection, objective			shortcomings in the protection objective
evaluation and use of intellectual property			evaluation and use of intellectual property
created at nublic expense			created at public expense
Determines the creation of the necessary Mechanisms to support innovation, technolog		Determines the creation of the necessary	Mechanisms to support innovation, technology
conditions for the development of IP:		conditions for the development of IP:	transfer should be implemented, in particular:
- for the successful completion of legislative direct financing of innovation and technolog		<ul> <li>for the successful completion of legislative.</li> </ul>	- direct financing of innovation and technology
institutional and judicial reforms in the field of transfer:		institutional and judicial reforms in the field of	transfer:
intellectual property; – venture financing;		intellectual property;	<ul> <li>venture financing;</li> </ul>
- for the creation, protection, management, - tax support for innovation;		– for the creation, protection, management,	<ul> <li>– tax support for innovation;</li> </ul>
commercialization of intellectual property; – lending for innovations;		commercialization of intellectual property;	– lending for innovations;
– to maximize the potential of intellectual – support for knowledge transfer;		– to maximize the potential of intellectual	<ul> <li>support for knowledge transfer;</li> </ul>
<b>National strategy in</b> property in sustainable innovation development; – support for the commercialization of	National strategy in	property in sustainable innovation development;	– support for the commercialization of
- creation of an effective system of protection of intellectual property rights;	the field of intellectual	- creation of an effective system of protection of	intellectual property rights;
intellectual property rights; – development of innovation infrastructure;	property for the period	intellectual property rights;	- development of innovation infrastructure;
- support for the invention; - support of innovative activity at the	2020-2025	<ul> <li>support for the invention;</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>support of innovative activity at the</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>raising the level of education and culture</li> <li>enterprises, including public-private</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>raising the level of education and culture</li> </ul>	enterprises, including public-private
and popularization of knowledge in the partnership.		and popularization of knowledge in the	partnership.
field of intellectual property, which would		field of intellectual property, which would	
generally contribute to the development of a		generally contribute to the development of a	
national competitive digital economy based		national competitive digital economy based	
on knowledge, innovation and creativity, and		on knowledge, innovation and creativity, and	
increase its investment attractiveness.		increase its investment attractiveness.	

Source: built by the authors

competitiveness of the national economy, the formation and introduction of an innovative ecosystem as a driving force of accelerated economic growth, which is possible through the effective use of intellectual potential, is also crucial.

### 6. Conclusions

among the important conceptual Thus, and strategic directions of effective use of the intellectual potential of the state and ways to solve this problem, one of the most important is to increase the level of innovation of the national economy to build a national innovation ecosystem, which provides incentive projects to motivate talents, which are the main asset of industrialists, favorable conditions for the development of innovation and increase on this basis the number of implemented developments, increase economic returns from them, attract investment in innovation and create conditions for bringing innovation to commercial use, in particular through the development of startups. The transition to 4.0 technology also depends on the effectiveness of intellectual potential and is possible only with the mobilization of all participants in the ecosystem (including HEI and NASU), priority focus on changing customer culture, developing a culture of innovation - through education, changing the culture of scientists and educators - from self-centered orientation to customer-centric, improving cooperation between ecosystem participants and creating mechanisms to

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significantly accelerate the transition of scientific developments into a practical phase, focusing on global markets based on the combined potential of HEI and NASU (National Strategy of Industry 4.0, 2018). Important and logically justified are the tasks set by the Concept of Development of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine for 2014–2023, such as: «... interaction with regional authorities to scientifically ensure the solution of current problems of socio-economic development of relevant regions of Ukraine by involvement of scientists and specialists in this matter, regardless of their departmental subordination» (Concept of Development of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine for 2014–2023, 2014). The solution to the problem of effective use of intellectual potential associated with the transition of Ukraine from a natural resource economy to a «knowledge economy» will be possible through the rapid digitalization of all spheres of life, transition to Industry 4.0, knowledge capitalization, talent management and use of intelligence that creates products with high added value as the most important factors in the competitiveness of the national economy. The formation and implementation of the mechanism of retention, cultivation and motivation of personnel with modern organizational skills, new digital skills, change of competencies, skills and behavior more in line with the requirements of Industry 4.0 will depend on the efficiency of intellectual potential and competitiveness of the national economy.

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