

# Objectives for the Regional Summit

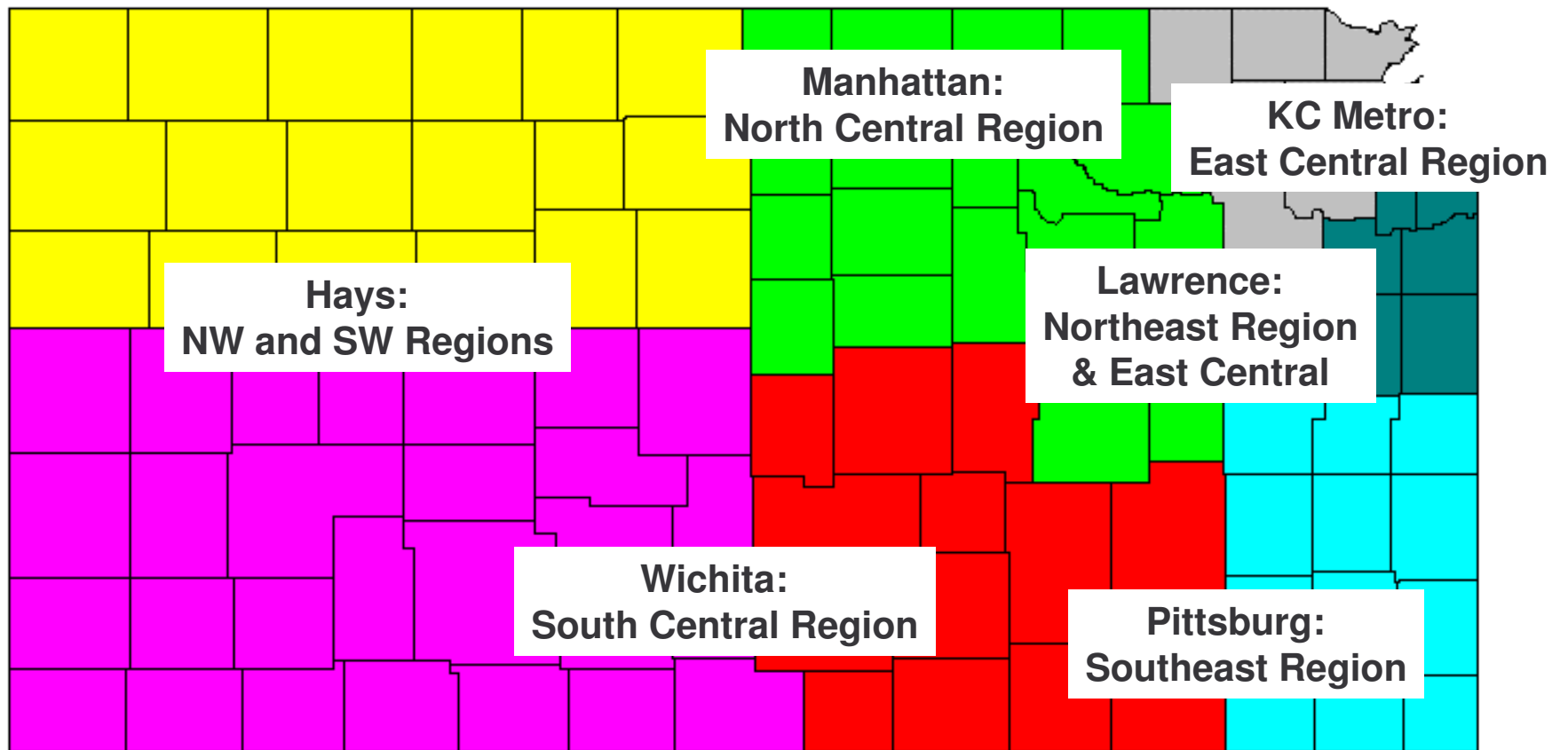
A successful bioscience strategy will depend upon strong and broad state and regional leadership, and the leveraging of regional strengths and synergies. This summit is a critical first step in gathering the information that will further refine our research agenda and focus, and underpin the Kansas Bioscience and Innovation Roadmap.

The objectives for today's summit include:

- Engage key regional stakeholders at the beginning of the roadmap process
- Share the phases of roadmap process and some early empirical findings and thinking
- Receive constructive feedback on the data and process going forward
- Gather input on the perceived strengths, challenges and opportunities of the region and state in supporting and growing biosciences
- Determine individual and regional contributions to building biosciences in the state of Kansas



# Bioscience and Innovation Regional Summit Map



# What's Next After the Summit?

With the completion of the regional summits, we enter into phase II and III of the roadmap process. The information gathered during the summit will be critical in refining our research focus and target of opportunity selection. We will look to the project steering committee members, summit attendees and other key state and regional stakeholders to provide input primarily through the hot team process.

Phase II: Target of Opportunity Selection and Prioritization	Late Oct.
Interim Report of Findings and Initial Recommendations to KTEC	Mid Nov.
Formation of Implementation Hot Teams Around Target Opportunities	Oct-Jan
Phase III: Hot Teams Convened/ Action Plans Crafted	Nov-Jan
Final Roadmap and Initiatives Launched	Mid Feb

