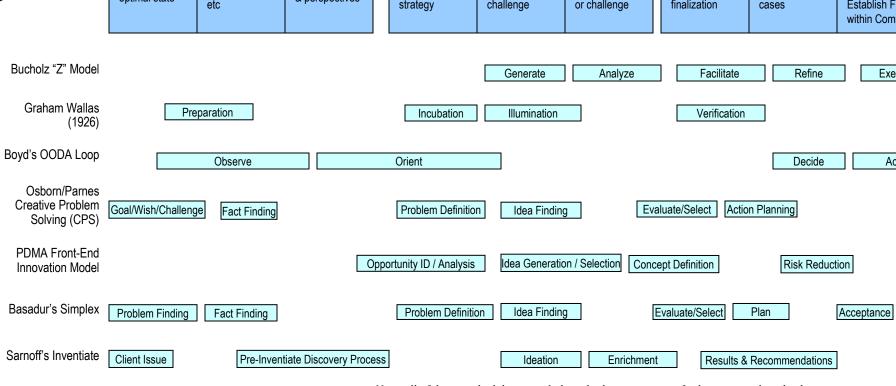
## Comparative "Innovation Stages" - openinnovators **Insights & Perspectives Define Problem & Generate Ideas Test & Refine** Reduced Volumes of Specific Strategic Refined Proposal Generalized Key Voluminous I evel two Uncertainty Information, Insights statement of a Opportunities Ideas Basic Concepts and Data. problem or and/or Draft Business/Tech Establish How Concepts Scenarios, **Implications** Challenges Recommendations Cases the Program Fits opportunity Fragments etc within Company **Iterations** Observation of Re-definition Generation Enrichment and Formulation of Iterative refining to reduce Reconciliation of Sense of and amplification the environment of fragmentary synthesis of actionable of plans through uncertainty and disequilibria the data Internally, of the insights solutions disparate idea concepts prototypes or pass baton between the according to our within the fragments within that receive a simulation - to Externally, keyed to one current state contextual views. context of the specific pro/con analysis Portfolio Mgmt Future, the context of refine business. and a more prejudices Past. organization's opportunity or the opportunity prior to tech and brand Cycles to & perspectives optimal state etc strategy challenge or challenge finalization cases Establish Fit within Company Generate Analyze **Facilitate** Refine Execute Preparation Incubation Illumination Verification Observe Orient Decide Act



Stages

**Results** 

**Key activities** 

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