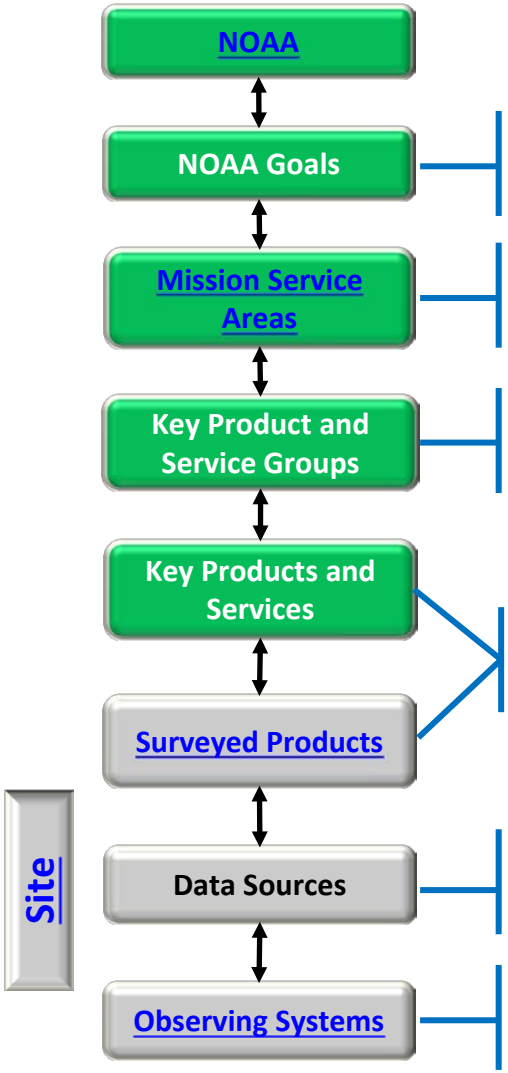
NOSIA-II Value Tree

Elements of NOAA's Value Tree



NOAA's Next Generation Strategic Plan (NGSP) defines the top of the Value Tree

Mission Service Areas (MSA) provide a breakdown of the Goals into topical/applications based on NGSP objectives that encompass major functional areas

Key Product and Service Groups represent high visibility outcome-oriented services associated with an MSA, including science objectives

Key Products and Services are the lowest level of the value tree with weights assigned; these link to **Surveyed Products** at the Sites

Data Sources are observations, databases, and other data sources required to support Key Products and Services

Observing Systems are platforms (e.g. satellites, ships, aircraft, surface based), which include the associated sensors or activities