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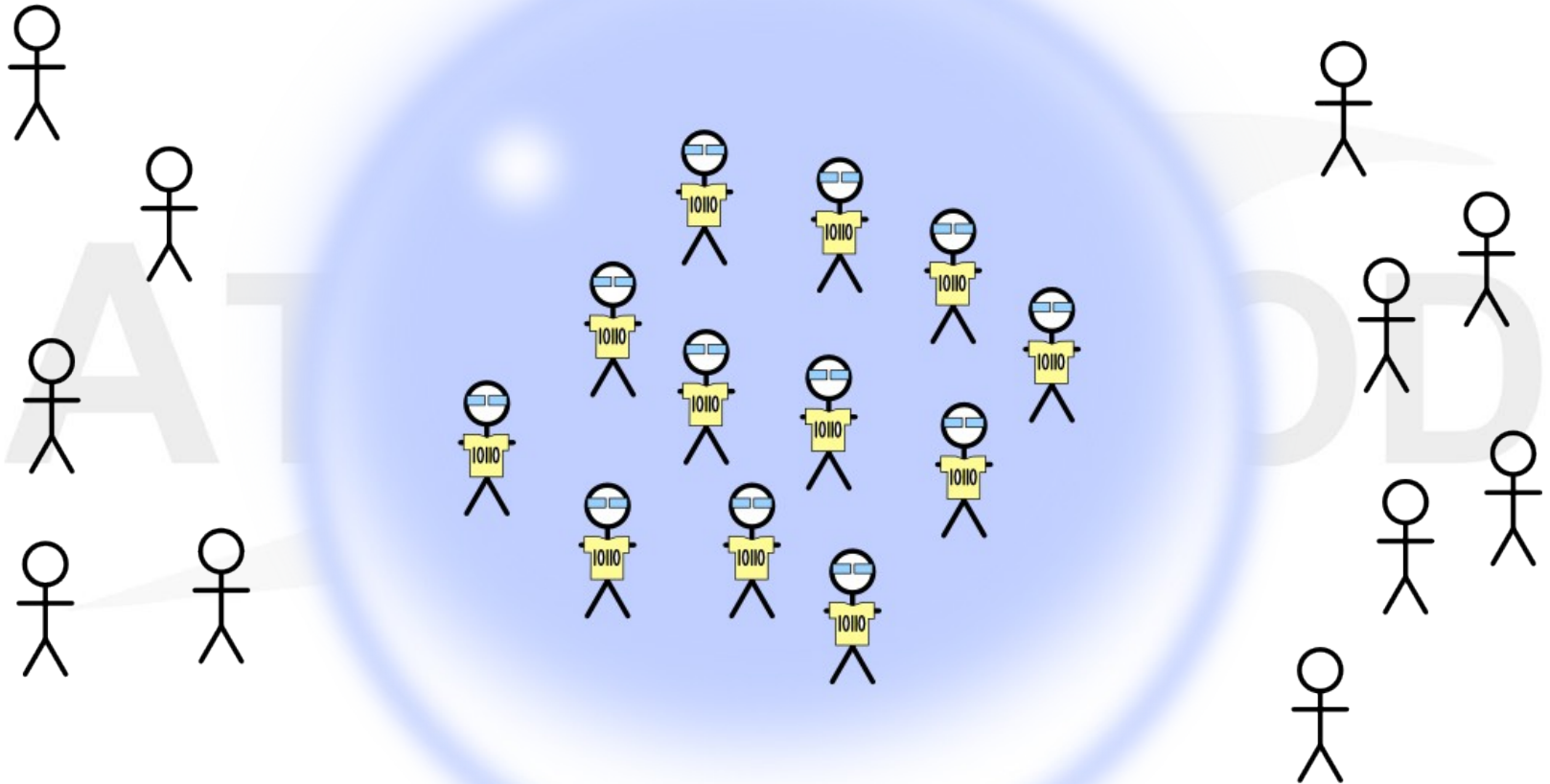
# Collaboro - Community driven language development

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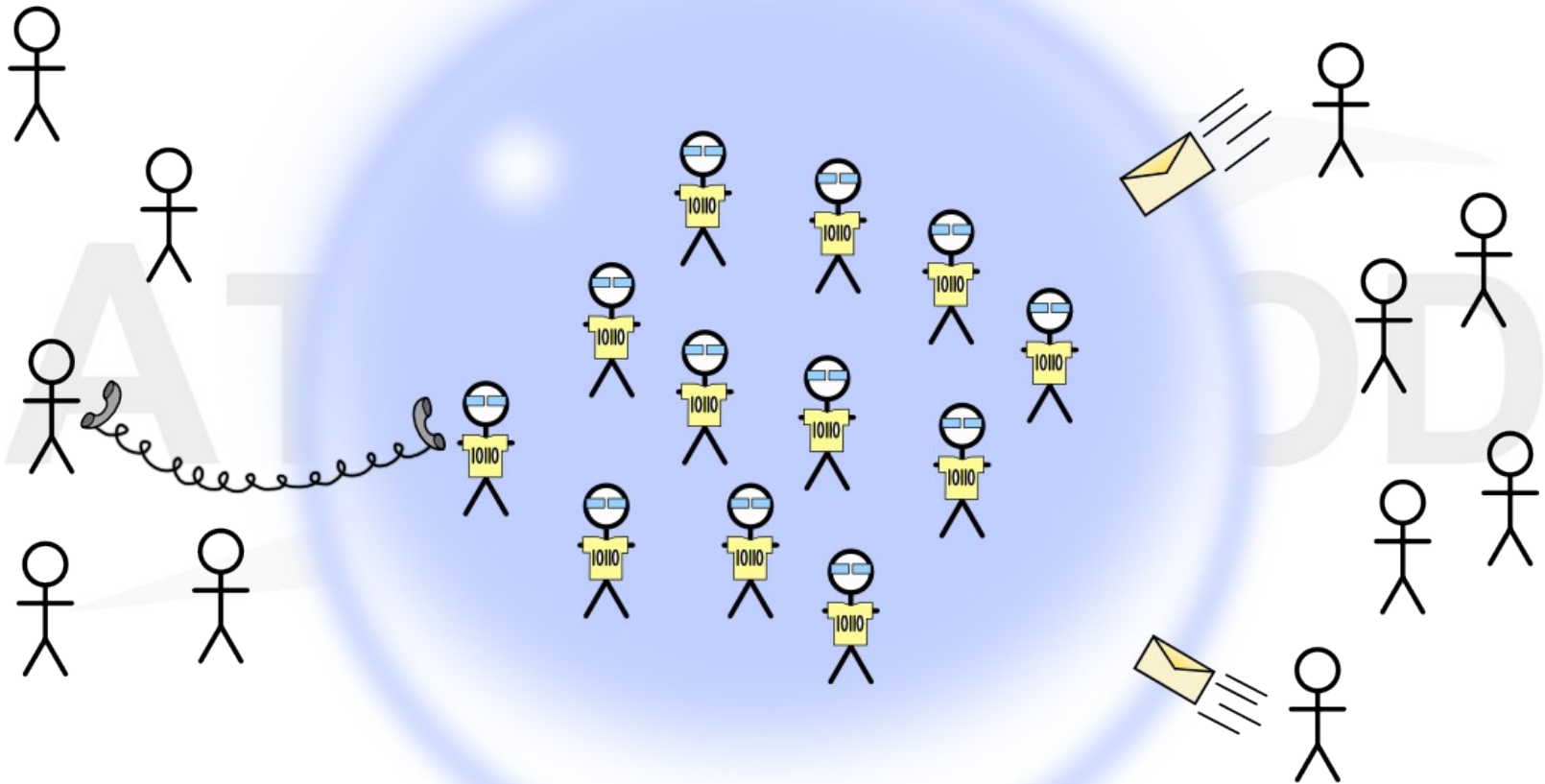
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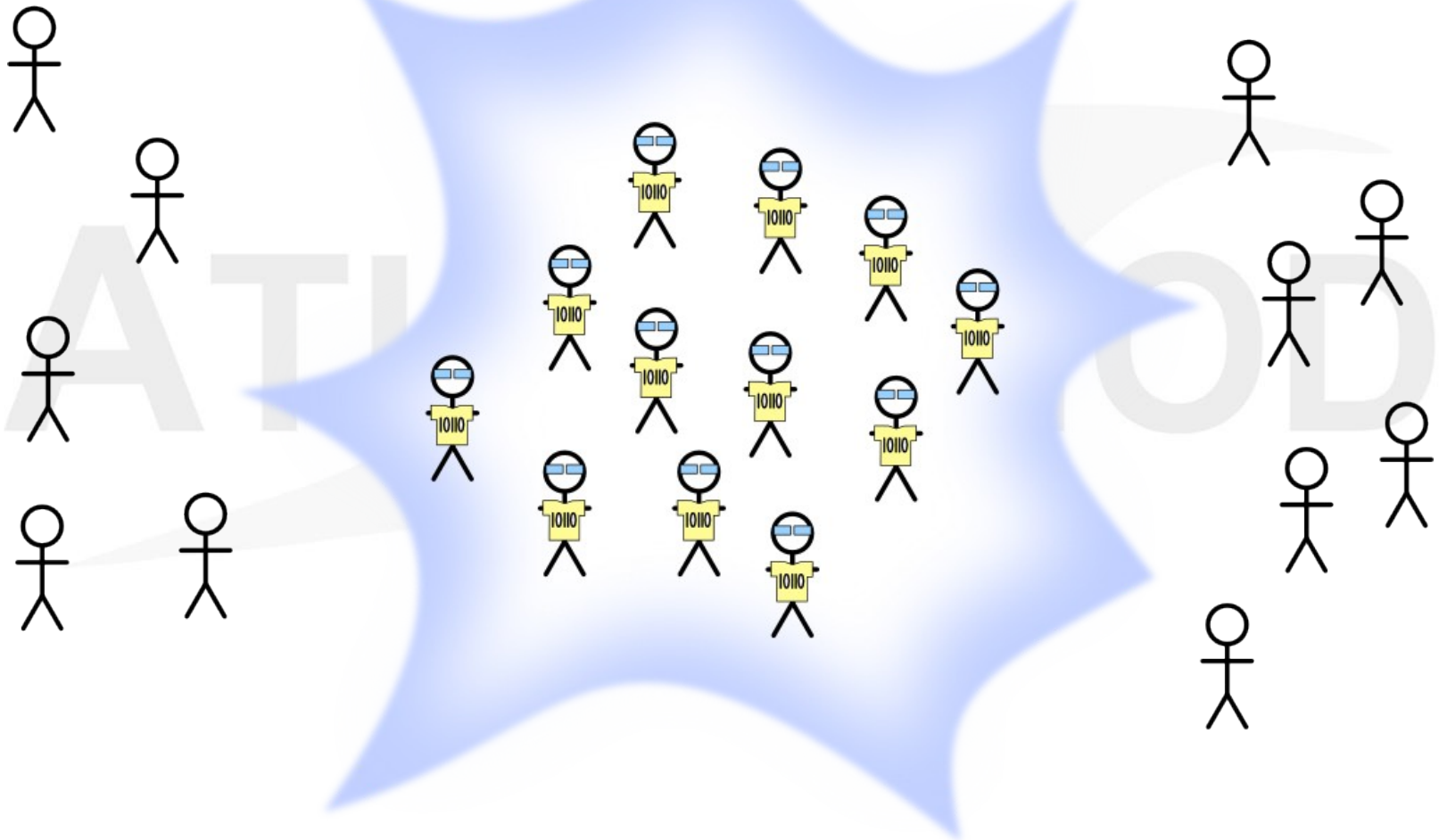
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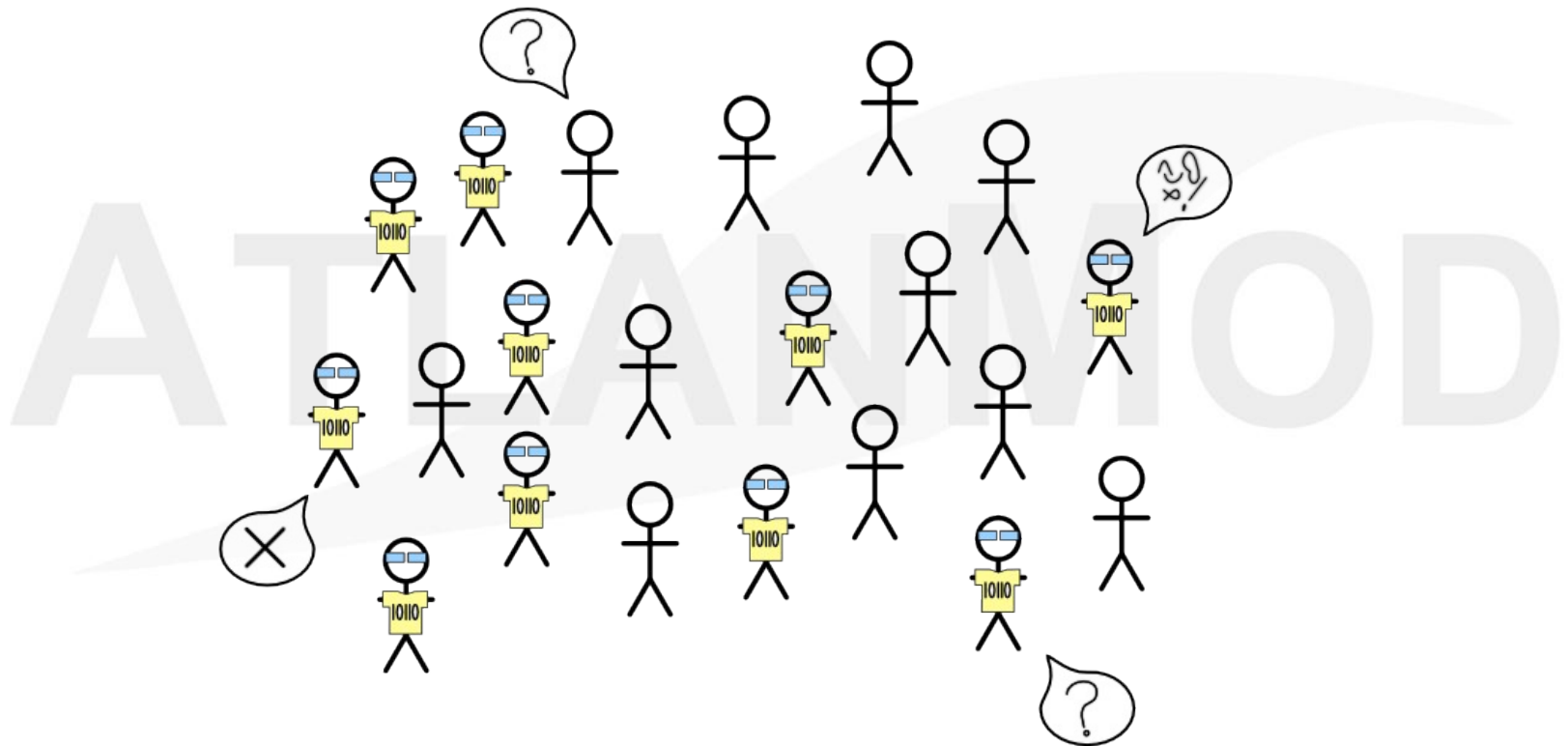
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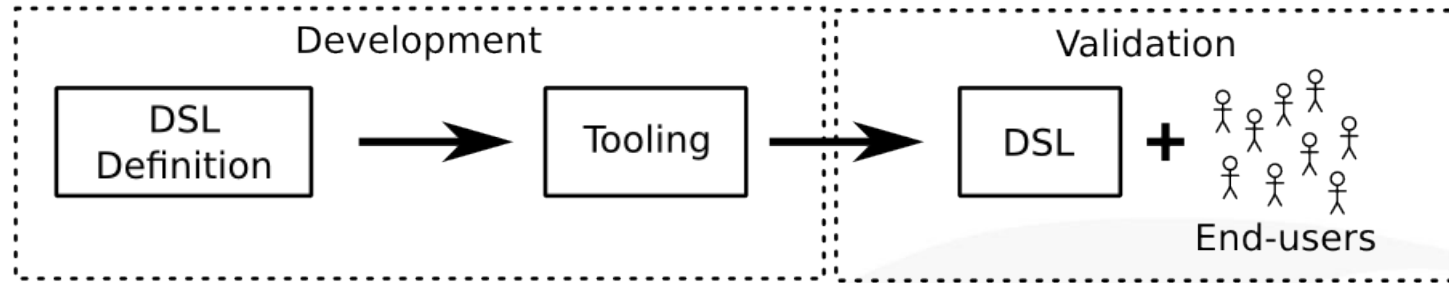
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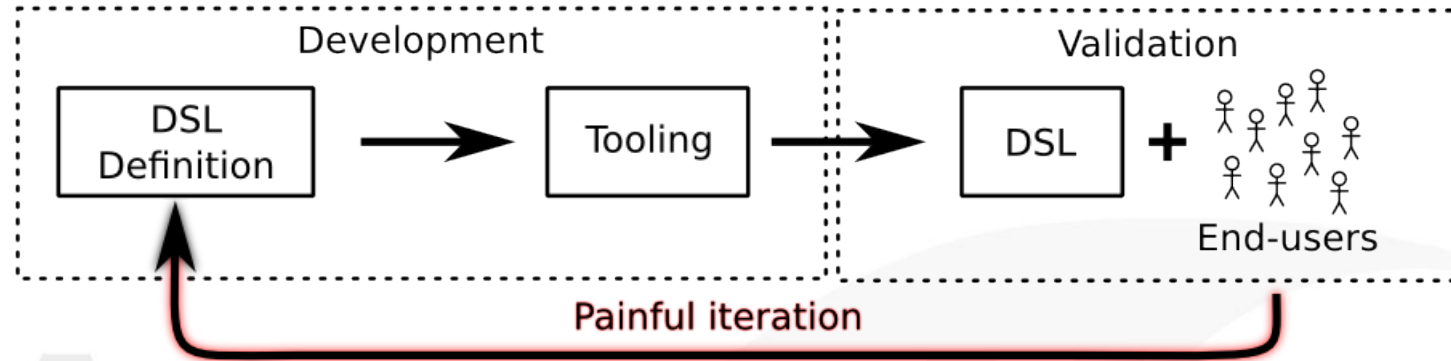


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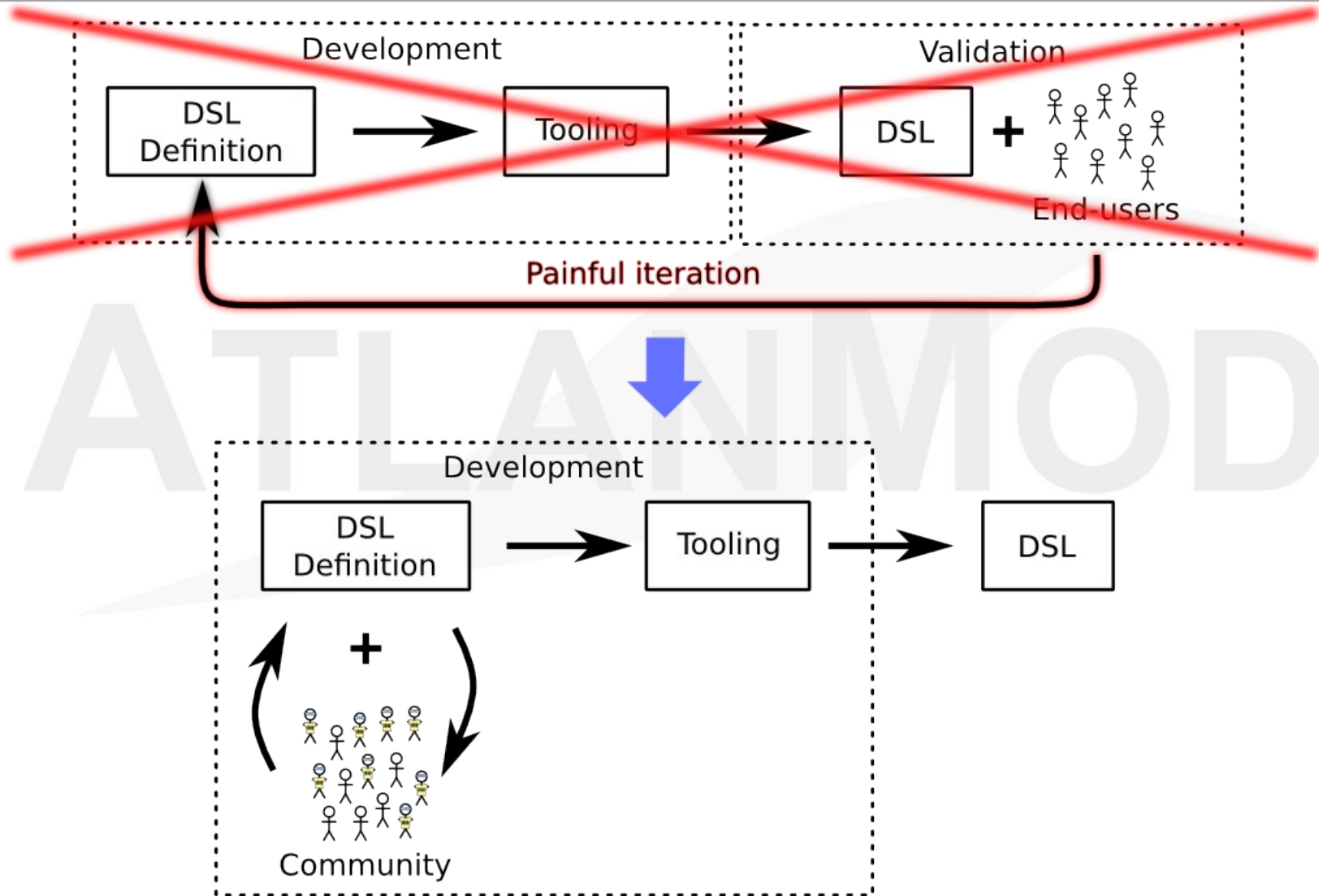
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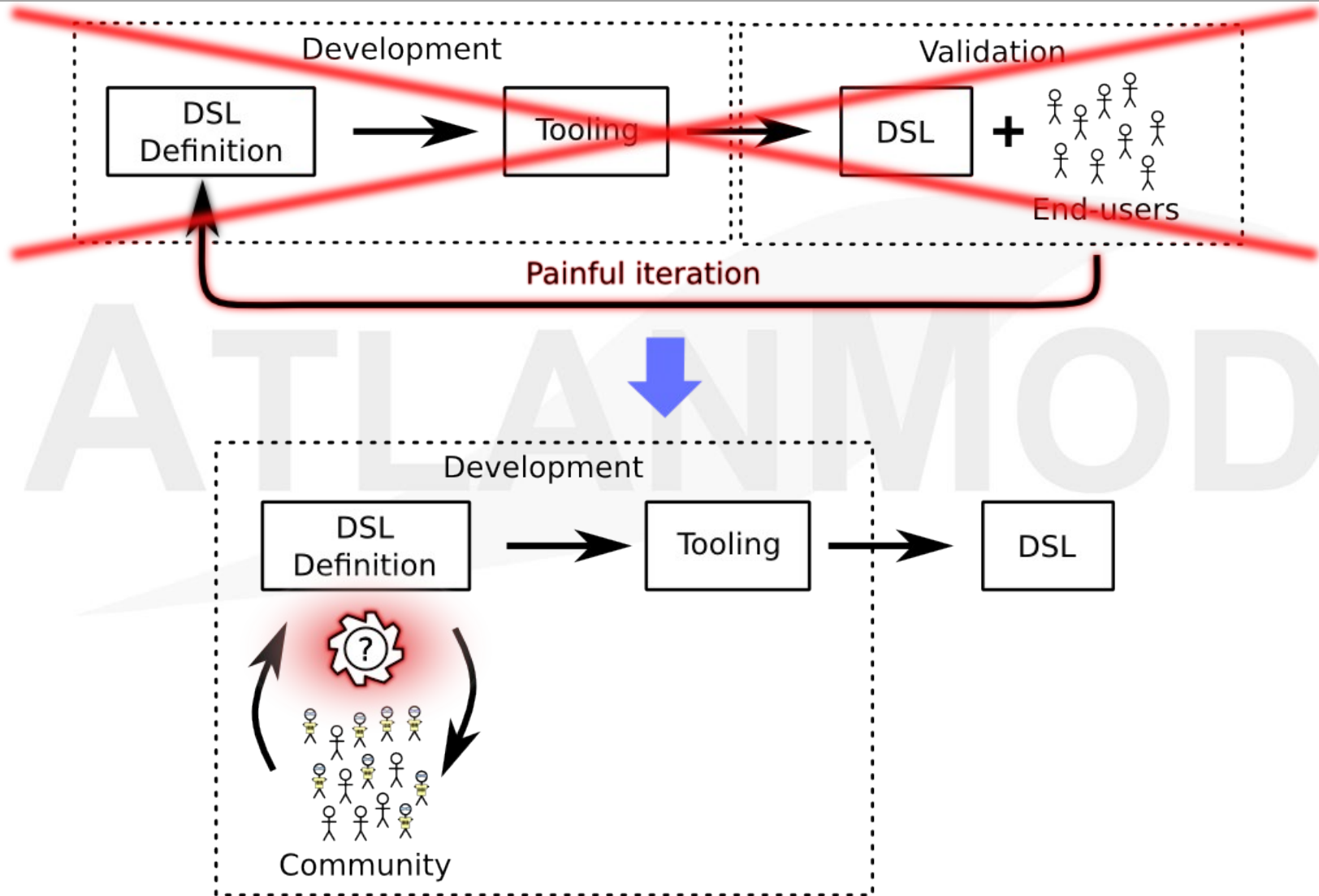
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- What do we **need**?

An infrastructure to deal with the collaborations arising when developing and/or evolving a DSL

- What do we **propose**?

A new tool, called Collaboro, to allow representing and handling proposals, solutions and comments during the DSL development process

- What shall we **get**? Features for...

- Justifying about changes in Ecore models
- Recording related discussions and comments
- Managing the community and voting
- Tracking changes and tracing design decisions

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- Demonstration link to be provided soon...



# Collaboro: Enabling the collaborative definition of DSLs

- What we want to work on now...
  - Support for remote models and synchronous interactions via CDO
  - Initialization of the DSL first implementation for both textual (e.g. Xtext) or graphical (e.g. GMF) ones
  - Better support for non-technical users (e.g. via a simplified Web-based interface)
- What we also plan to do/explore in the future...
  - Discovering changes by looking to proposed examples
  - Generating examples from existing proposals
  - Improving the decision policies (user right managements)
  - Supporting constraints expressed in the metamodel (e.g. OCL)

# Thanks for your attention!

- Collaboro from EclipseLabs

<http://code.google.com/a/eclipselabs.org/p/collaboro/>



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