# Gaia-X SUMMIT 2025

DIGITAL ECOSYSTEMS IN ACTION

Porto, Portugal | 20 & 21 November













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### **Welcome Address**



09:30 - 09:55

Catherine Jestin, BoD Chairwoman, Gaia-X; Executive Vice President Digital and Information Management, Airbus

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09:55 - 10:15

Bernardo Correia, Secretary of State for Digitalisation, Portugal

**Anne Le Hénanff,** Minister Delegate for Artificial Intelligence and Digital Affairs, France (Video message)

**Thomas Jarzombek,** Parliamentary Secretary of State, Federal Minister for Digitalisation and Government Modernisation, Germany (online participation)



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# **Keynote: Al and Academy - How to Make a Successful Vertical Al in Europe**



10:15 - 10:25

**Prof. Dr. Stefan Wrobel,** Professor of Computer Science, University of Bonn & Director, Fraunhofer Institute for Intelligent Analysis and Information Systems IAIS (online participation)

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## **Roundtable: Season Two of Data Spaces**



10:25 - 11:20

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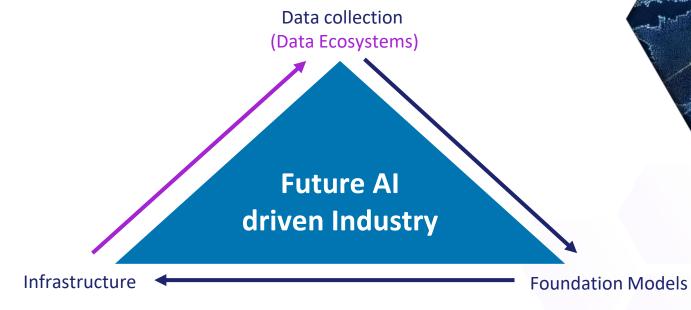
### We achieved a lot!

Momentum high, across the globe to develop open and federated digital ecosystems

➤ Manufacturing-X, Catena-X, Decade-X and other successful lighthouse projects in the industry domain — International Manufacturing-X Council founded

> 8ra - cloud edge continuum (IPCEI-CIS) - NeoNephos Foundation

> IPCEI-AI and IPCEI-CIC are in preparation



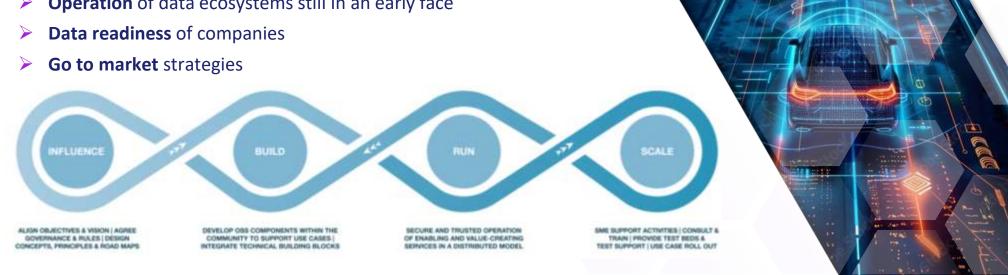


Time for the next steps to build open & comprehesive digital ecosystems at industrial scale

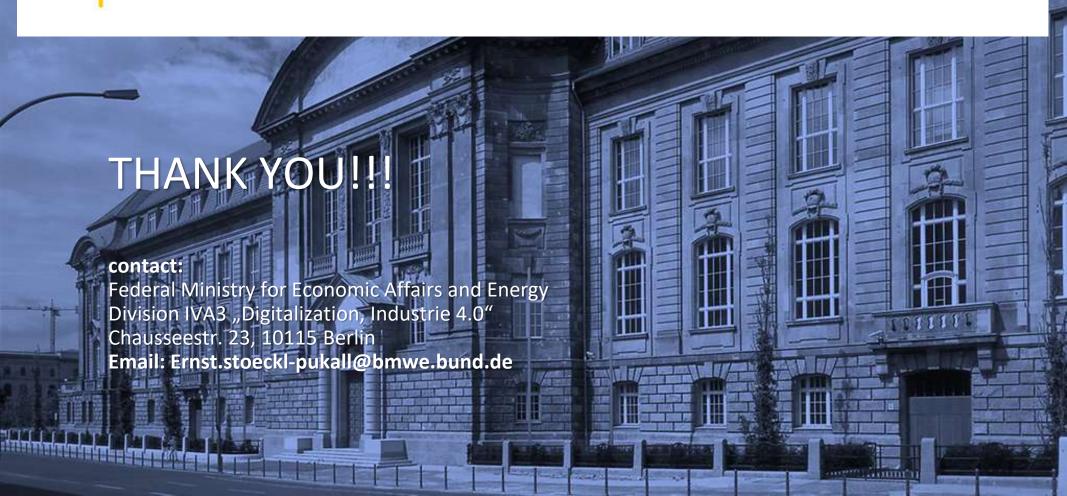
**Huge variety** of dataspace activities and a **highly fragmented** landscape of players

Management (governance) of dataspaces remain to be the bottleneck (who decides what in open communities?)

- **Align** public funding role of government support?
- **C-level and high level political support** to be strengthened (federated ecosystems should be established as a key pillar of its own for digital sovereignty)
- **Operation** of data ecosystems still in an early face









### **Season 2 of Dataspaces**

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### The economic viability of dataspaces:

a necessity for the competitiveness of our industries

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### The France 2030 « Dataspace » Call for projects : Key figures

- Budget: €70 million
- ☐ Submission:
  - 2024: 23 projects in 13 sectors e.g. energy, aerospace, legaltech, media, health.
  - **2025**: 9 new projects were submitted on November 19th
- **Selection**: 3 projects to be funded in the aerospace, energy and airport services sectors.
- **Next steps**: Further submissions in June and December 2026.
- More information :

https://www.bpifrance.fr/nos-appels-a-projets-concours/appel-a-projets-espace-de-donnees

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# Direction générale des Entreprises

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Complete AR & real-world challenges to become the ultimate Data Wizard!

Visit the **Gaia-X Discovery Quest Booth** in the Expo area to find out more!



**Connect** with fellow participants in a fun, new environment.



**Explore** key Gaia-X concepts like trust, compliance, data economy, and interoperability.



**Use Augmented Reality** to make these concepts come to life.



Turn the summit into an **interactive**, **educational** adventure.



#### SCAN TO DOWNLOAD

Scan the QR code to download the Gaia-X AR app and compete in the Gaia-X Discovery Quest!

## Gaia-X SUMMIT 2025 AGENDA - BREAK



DIGITAL ECOSYSTEMS

Day 1 - 20 November

11:20 – 11:50 Networking Coffee & Expo Area

EXPO AREA | Gaia-X BOOTH gaia-x 11:10 - 11:40 | Membership EXPO AREA | Gaia-X LIGHTHOUSE PROJECTS BOOTH 11:20 - 11:35 | Empower-X 11:35 – 11:50 | RegenAg-X EXPO AREA Gaia-X DIGITAL CLEARING HOUSES BOOTH 11:20 - 11:50 CISPE EXPO AREA | Gaia-X HUBS BOOTH 11:20 - 11:50 | France TECH THEATRE | RIBEIRA 2 ROOM 12:00 - 12:30 | Loire - How to use Label Level 2/Level 3 12:30 – 13:00 | Loire Notaries: Theory & Practice

## **Gaia-X Milestones 2025 & Road Ahead 2026**



11:50 - 12:05

Ulrich Ahle, CEO, Gaia-X

### Gaia-X: A global member driven association

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- Founded 2021 in Europe by 11 French and 11 German organisations
- Today 275 members from around the world

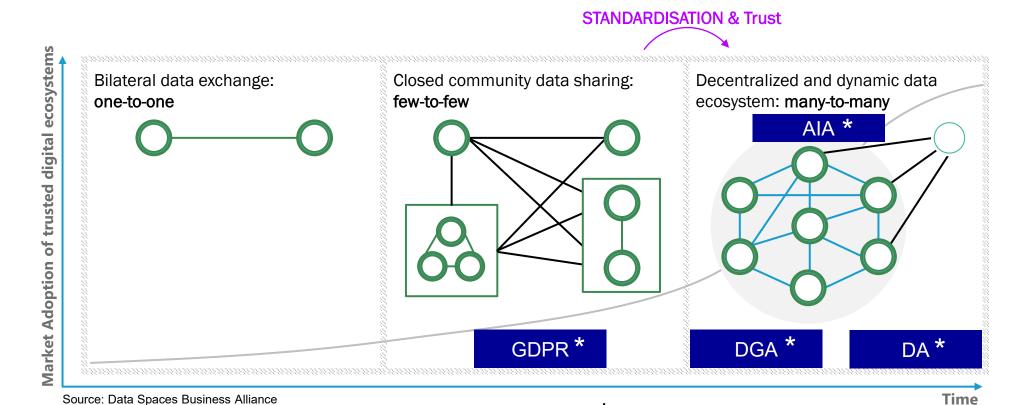
**33 new members** since Gaia-X Summit 2024



### The demand for Data Spaces



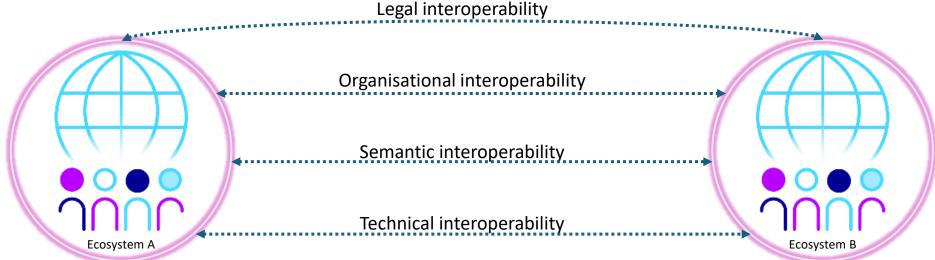
To be replaced for regions outside of Europe



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### Data interoperability is enabled by four different layers



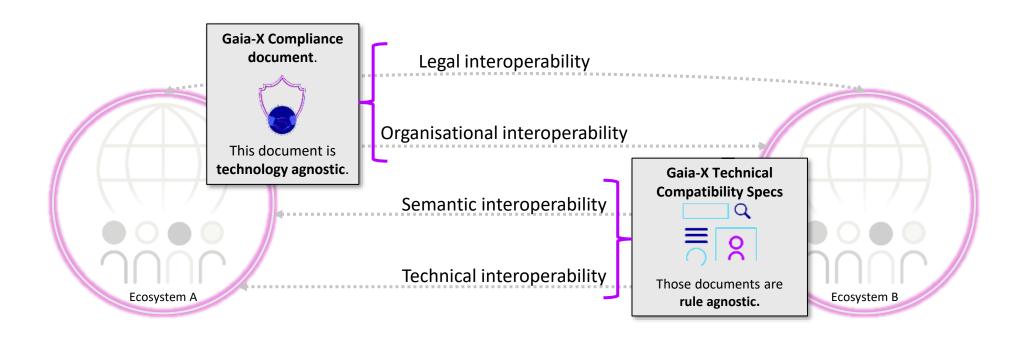






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# Gaia-X Digital Clearing House to implement Automated Compliance





- ⇒ Fully Open-Source Software
- Worldwide adoption ready
  - Decentralised data layer for the Gaia-X Registry scalability and information consistency. (ex: EU <-> JP)
  - Support for European and non-European national Trust Service Providers.
- ! FOCUS ON END USER SERVICES

## The Gaia-X Compliance Document is based on end user requirements

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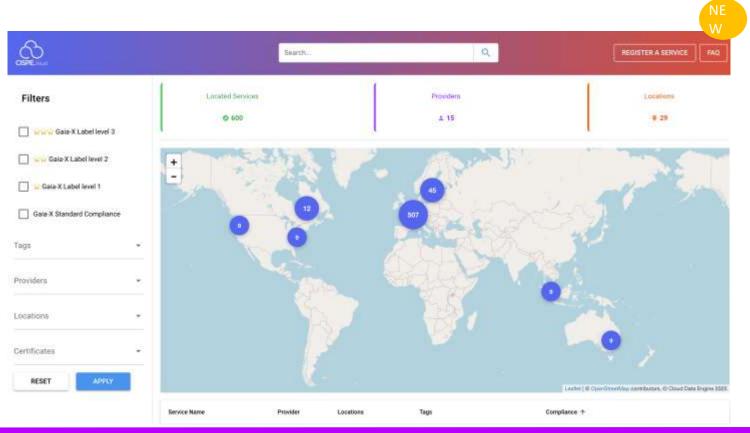
- **62 Criteria** are paving the way for an **Automated Compliance in Europe**
- Compliance documents for regions outside of Europe with other legislations to be developed by the regions with support from Gaia-X

	STANDARD COMPLIANCE	LEVEL 1	LEVEL 2	LEVEL 3
Declaration of Service or Product			<b>Y</b>	~
Signed with verified method (e.g. eIDAS)	<b>~</b>	~	~	~
Automated validation by GXDCH	<b>~</b>	~	~	<b>~</b>
Automated verification by GXDCH*	<b>~</b>	<b>V</b>	+	+
Data Exchange Policies	<b>V</b>	~	•	<b>*</b>
Certified Label Logo		~	~	<b>V</b>
Data protection by EU legislation		~	~	<b>V</b>
Manual verification by CAB			~	~
Provider Headquarter within EU				~

<sup>\*</sup>not all criteria can be automated, "+" means automated verification of the evidence issuer (Standard & CAB)

### **CISPE Catalogue**





- 600 Services
- 15 Providers
- 5 Providers offering Gaia-X Label Level 3
  - Cloud Temple
  - Seeweb
  - THESEE
  - o OVHCLOUD
  - o OPIQAD

### **Gaia-X Digital Clearing House Providers**



#### In production































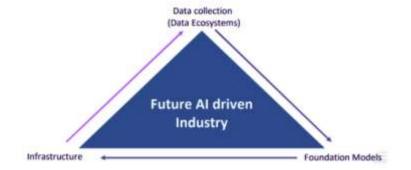


2 new GXDCH in production

# Gaia-X Synergies with European key data & cloud initiatives and projects

#### **Europe as an Al Continent**

- The Data Union Strategy highlights the need for trusted data, computing power, and European AI models
- Gaia-X supports this vision with sovereign and trusted data & infrastructure for AI



### **New Gaia-X Whitepaper**

- Gaia-X Trust Framework as foundational unifying scheme
- It creates synergies with European cloud and data initiatives
- It is both concrete yet extensible across industries, use-cases and geographies

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November 2025 Synergies of Gaia-X with prominent data &

(\*) Yvo Volman - 3rd Conference on "Sustainable Development of Data-Sharing Ecosystems" – Paris Dauphine Univ.

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### Gaia-X & Standardisation activities



- Gaia-X AISBL is official Liaison Organisation to CEN/CENELEC JTC 25 «Date Spaces»:
   Contributing heavily with our trust framework
- **EDWG CAP** Specification Project: **Reference implementation** of the *Conformity Assessment Policy and Credential Profile* ontology in latest Loire Compliance Engine
- Global Glossary Grid released: Synopsis of Gaia-X, DSSC, CEN/CENELEC "Trusted Data Transaction", ISO/IEC DIS 20151, and Simpl glossaries (356 terms) → unification work ongoing

**Lighthouse Data Spaces** 



**9** new Endorsed Projects

**3 upgraded** Projects



**Lighthouse Projects** 



















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Energy

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Mobility, Transport &

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Finance

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Learn more about Gaia-X endorsed projects

# The Gaia-X Hubs Connecting local ecosystems to a global community







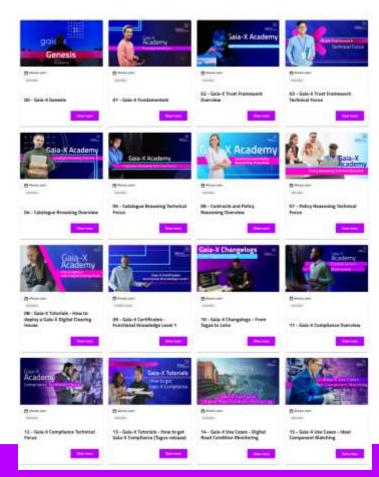
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**Global Hubs** 

# The Gaia-X Academy Provides training materials and is the basis for certifications

- Launched in April 2024
  - Based on OSS OpenEdx
  - More than 1050 learners
  - 21 courses organised in 4 streams: Functional, technical and business trainings, tutorials, changelogs, use cases and certificates
    - Full access for Gaia-X members
    - Limited access to the Discovery Stream for non-members
  - Temporary access accessible for non-members based on:
    - Free access given by a member
    - Bought from a Token Reseller
  - Content available in 4 languages (English, German, French and Italian)
  - Almost 3000 courses taken by the learners (1900 since January 2025)
- Forthcoming:
  - 5 new streams and 10 new courses
  - Live Sessions and Workshops



# Meet Our Evangelists





Enrique Areizaga Sánchez Tecnalia



Kai Meinke deltaDAO AG



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# Gaia-X 2026 Strategic Priorities: Driving Adoption



#### Users

#### **Key topics:**

- 1. Compliance by design (support projects)
- 2. Mapping data Space responsibilities versus Gaia-X responsibilities
- 3. Participant ID

## **Providers**

#### **Key topic:**

1.Deploy services to catalogues
2.Define core ontologies: metaregistry and ecosystem
participant credential models
3.Enable interoperability across
catalogues
4.Establish a Technical
Compatibility Kit

#### **Orchestrators**

#### **Key topics:**

- 1. Support and enable orchestrator as Gaia-X multiplier
- 2. Support the adoption of Gaia-X through orchestrators and improve open-source tooling

# Gaia-X Governmental Advisory Board Recommendations



Presented at the GovB meeting in Paris on 14 November 2025

Representatives from ministries of European countries and the European Commission collaborated to provide guidance on shaping sovereign and sustainable Digital Ecosystems rooted in European values, outlining the following recommendations:

- Contribute to the European Commission's work on defining and advancing digital sovereignty.
- Introduce Season Two of Data Spaces.
- Develop a detailed and transparent maturity assessment methodology for Data Spaces.
- Showcase Data Spaces' economic viability with criteria commonly shared by the community.
- Maximise adoption and impact of Gaia-X deliverables in the market



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# **Challenges Ahead**



Many data spaces still depend on public support

Few show signs of financial sustainability

Building data spaces = Evolving coordination, not a one-off investment

Risk of fragmentation and foreign dependency

Data Spaces and AI belong closely together

Role of orchestrator is critical for alignment & scale

**Call for the Season Two fo Data Spaces** 



# Thank you!

Ulrich Ahle, ulrich.ahle@gaia-x.eu



# **Pioneering Data Space Projects**



12:05 - 12:50

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# Jérémy Mambrini

Procurement Data Governance Improvement Manager, Airbus

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# DECADE-X

An Introduction to the digital ecosystem for aerospace and defence

November 20th, 2025 - Porto

Unlocking the strength of a trusted collaborative supply chain



# The aerospace and defence industry is facing multiple challenges



**Resilient Supply chain** 



Trusted traceability



**Efficient** co-development

# **DECADE-X** is the first trusted and collaborative industry digital ecosystem

Its mission: Build a global collaborative data-sharing framework bringing together industry stakeholders to enable trustful. and secure standard-based data exchanges.

Founded by industry leaders bringing international leadership and experience









#### Collective concerns



**Data sharing control** 



**Digital Continuity** 



**Transparency** 



# Unlock the strength of a trusted collaborative supply chain



From current discontinued digital supply chain landscape...



...to new global Ecosystem with direct exchanges



## This new ecosystem is based on four principles

#### **TRUST**

**INTEROPERABILITY** 

#### **MULTI-TIER**

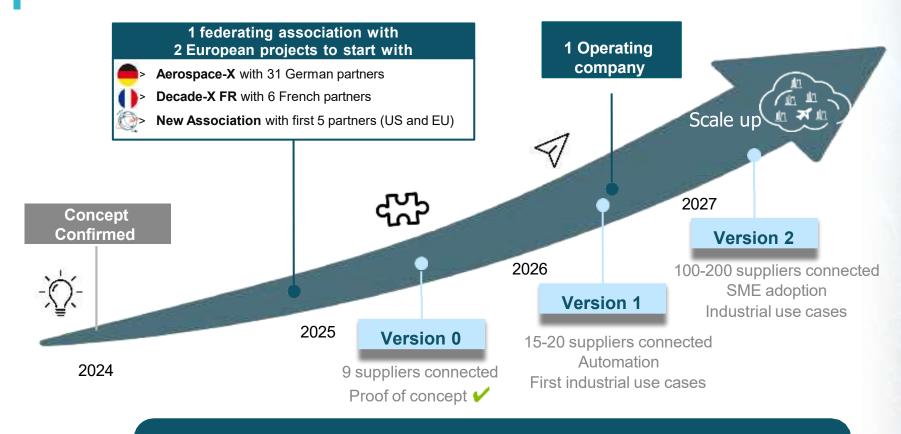
#### **ADOPTION**

- Peer-To-Peer data exchanges
- Data Contracts with trusted Identities
- Transparent & shared Governance

- Common Language & interfaces with Standards
- Agile multi-tier chain validation
- Tailored for SMEs



## From concept to reality, heading towards scalability

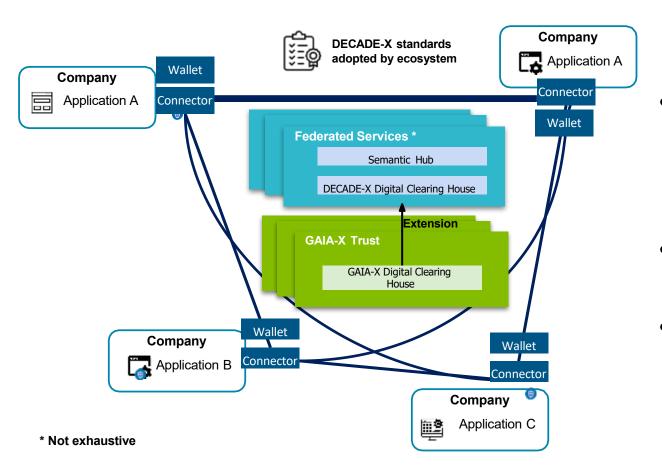




Strategic need confirmed by key players of our industry
Version 0 applied for traceability deployed with 9 suppliers to prove the concept
Version 1 targeted in 2026 with limited deployment

## **DECADE-X** Data Space

DECADE-X Target Architecture for decentralized data exchange enabling global supply chain use cases



Data Sovereignty through decentralized components and interoperable business applications supporting concrete supply chain use cases

- Federated services enabled by common set of standards
- Trust framework based on Gaia-X with extensions for our ecosystem specific rules and global geographical adoption



#### Standardization & Certification: The essential partnership for building Trust & Interoperability

#### What do we standardize?

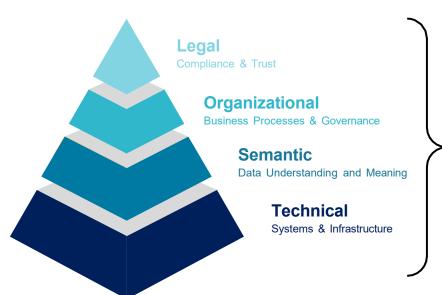
Based on EIF (European Interoperability Framework)

#### How and Why do we standardize?

Seamless Data Exchange & Integration
Fair and competitive Market for Service providers
Reduce Cost of development

#### Why do we certify?

Ensure trust & compliance Guarantee Interoperability Prevent Vendor Lock-in



#### De Jure standards

Officially recognized and approved by formal standardization bodies.

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De Facto standards

Widely adopted by the market, industry, or community (market-driven standards).

Used by

Improve



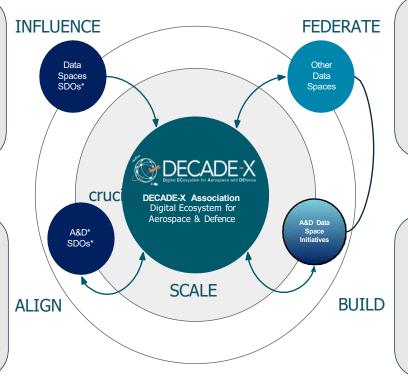
Procedure by which a third party gives written assurance that a product, process or service is in conformity with our standards



#### **Driving Intra & Inter Data Space Interoperability**: To foster synergies and adoption

- Benchmark the development of components & standards (e.g. Gaia-X, IDSA, Eclipse Data Space Working Group, Tractus-X...)
- Early adopters and provide feedbacks
- Explore how best to actively contribute to these SDOs

- Align with A&D Standardization efforts
- Benefit from standardization expertise (e.g. ASD-STAN)
- Formal standardization of assets developed within DECADE-X (if valuable).



Foster synergies & share best practices between ecosystems on common challenges

- Common Cross-Domain Technical Standards
- Viable Business Model for all actors
- Global adoption & Operations
- Reducing entry barriers for SMEs
- Use of AI to accelerate data standardization/data integration

- Aerospace-X is a consortium of 31 german partners part of the Manufacturing-X program
- DECADE-X France incl. 6 partners is part of the "Appel à Projet - Espace de données" from BPI France

Building a truly open, trusted, and scalable Aerospace & Defence Data Space requires strategic external engagement beyond our immediate boundaries to ensure broad interoperability, avoid fragmentation, and accelerate the adoption



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A&D = Aerospace & Defence SDO = Standard Development Organization

# To go further...

# DECADE-X Website



decade-x.org

# DECADE-X LinkedIn Page



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(Longer version of this Introduction & Awareness kit is available with personal sessions)





# **Pioneering Data Space Projects**



# **Martine Gouriet**

Director of Digital Uses, EDF

# Data4 NUCLEAR

The Nuclear Data Space project

Building the sovereign digital trust space for exchanges within the nuclear industry

20/11/2025









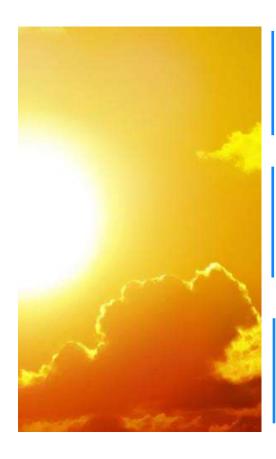






#### Our future is electric





Climate change requires an exit from fossil fuels (80% of the energy consumed in the world).

Energy is more than ever a major issue of competitiveness and security of supply.

Electricity has a major role to play as a vector of energy efficiency and decarbonization.



With 99% of its electricity production decarbonized in 2024 in France, the EDF Group is now the world's leading producer of low-carbon electricity.



# The French and European nuclear sector makes a significant contribution to the European objectives of carbon neutrality by 2050



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**Europe** 



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gr CO<sub>2</sub>/kWh

Carbon-free energy in 2024



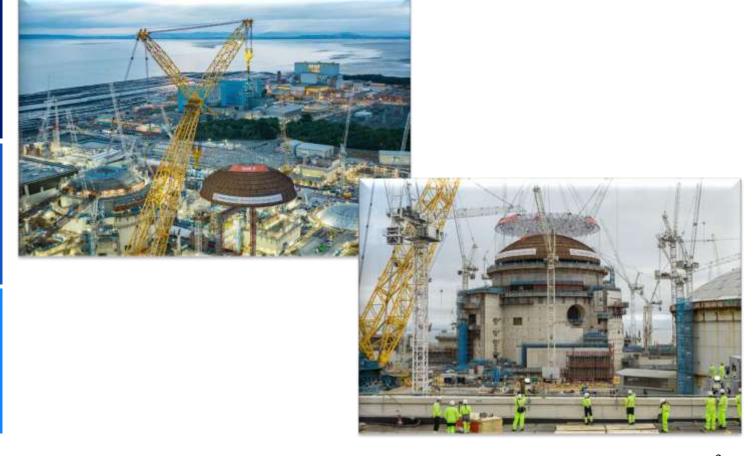
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Millions of direct and indirect jobs in Europe



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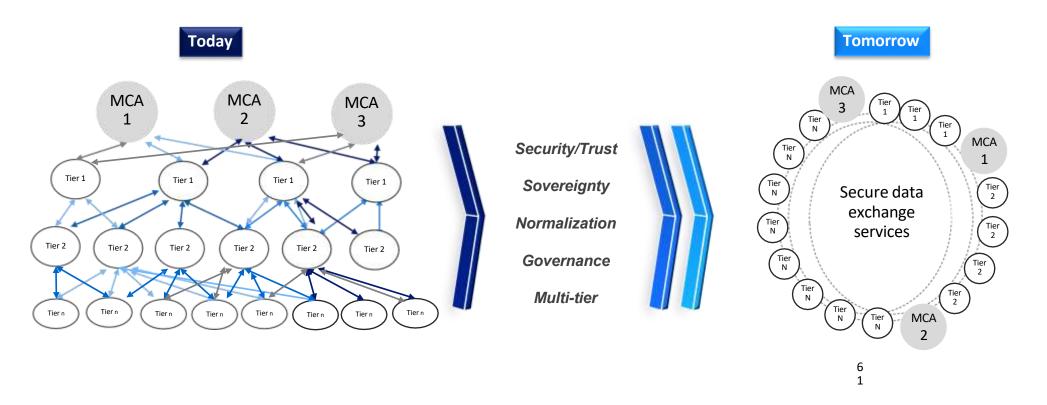
Companies concerned of which 80% are SMEs





# Building a secure and sovereign data exchange space between the players in the nuclear industry







# 4 major challenges to be met



#### Governance

An association and an orchestrator to create and maintain

Technical challenges

Identity
Data transaction
Interoperabiliy
standards

Ensuring technical and economic performance

while onboarding SME

Ensuring the sovereignty of our data

Trust, security, regulation and compliance



Gaia-X is key for our project!





# **THANKS**

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**Christoph Strnadl**, CTO, Gaia-X **Roland Fadrany,** COO, Gaia-X



# **Cross Ecosystem, Cross Domain Trust at Scale**

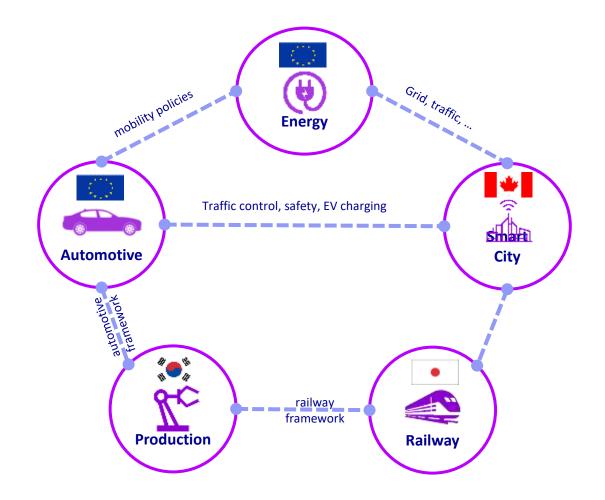
Domain & Geographical Extensions and Gaia-X Danube architecture

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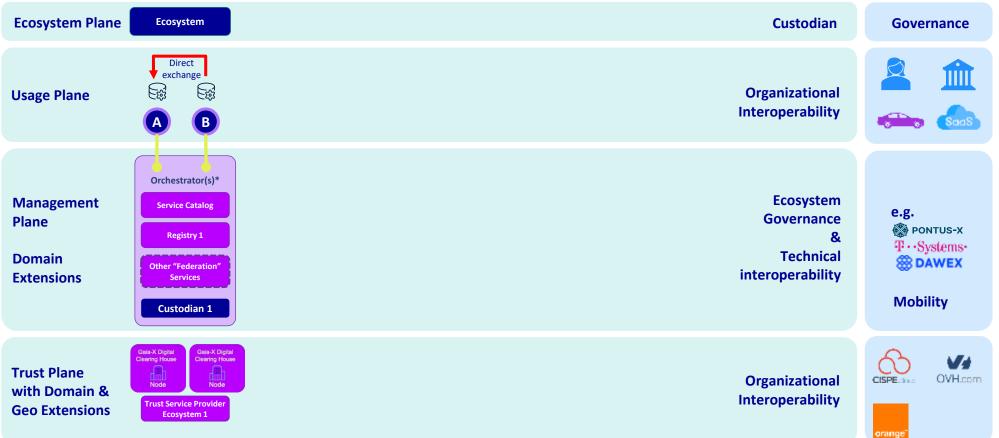
# **Ecosystems and Regions – The problem in-between**





# Trust Levels of an Ecosystem

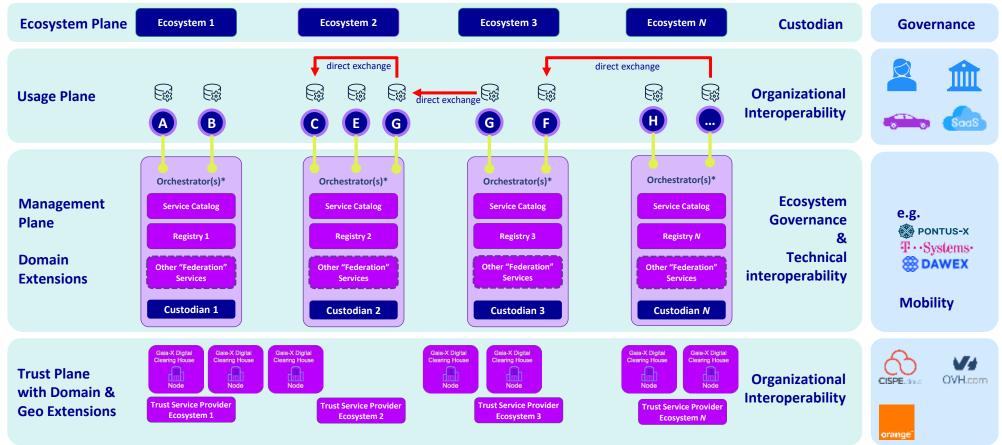




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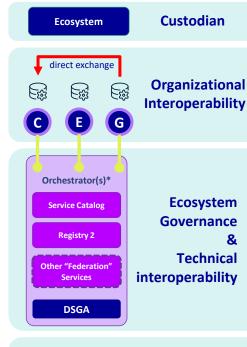




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# **Domain Extensions – BYOR (Bring Your Own Rules)**





#### Custodian

**Ecosystem** 

**Technical** 

#### **BYOR – Bring Your Own Rules**

#### **Extended Participant ID**

Domain specific participant criteria (e.g. region, legal, certification)

#### **Domain Specific Service Criteria**

Compliance by design / code (e.g. regulation, legal, certification) Use of specific or generic GXDCHs

#### **Use of specific or standard GXDCHs**

#### **Benefits**

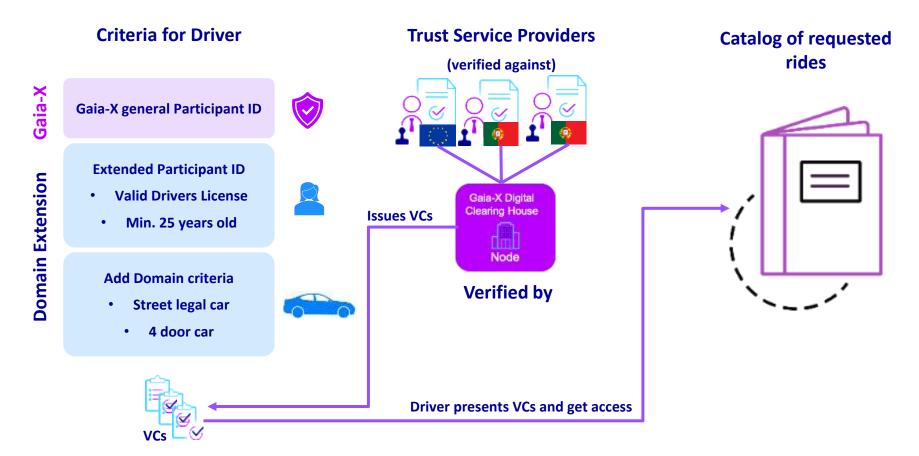
- Automation of compliance
- Automation of regulatory requirements
- Low-cost, inclusive solution for SMBs
- Compatible across multiple ecosystems
- No lock in with single operator through decentralization

**Organizational** 

Interoperability

# **Domain Extensions in Action – "Ride-Hailing app"**





# Geographical Extensions – enable trust across regions





#### **Regional Digital IDs**

#### **Identify regional digital IDs**

Must be government issued or government trusted

Trust SP and access (API)

Opt: Notarization outside region

#### **Region specific permissible standards**

Comparable and widely adopted Conformity Assessment Bodies (CABs) **Opt:** Notarization of certificates

#### **Use of specific or standard GXDCHs**

"wraps" regional verified ID and CABs into a trusted, standardized Gaia-X VC



#### **Benefits**

- True sovereignty on regional terms
- Global recognition and interoperability
- Full transparency between participants
- Harmonized trust levels across regions
  - Per use-case rules enabled

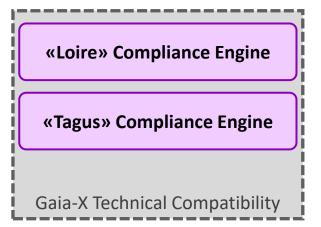
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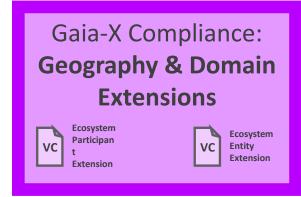
#### CTO team mission



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**Extension Mechanism & Architecture** 

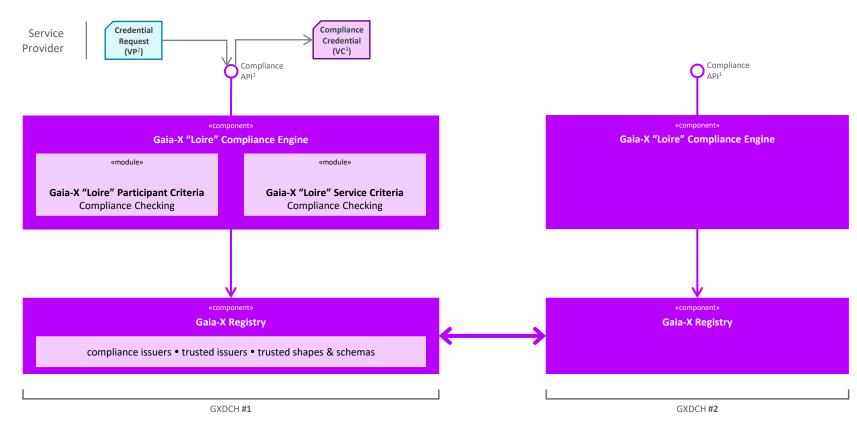
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#### **Gaia-X «Danube»**

# Compliance checking today in «Loire»





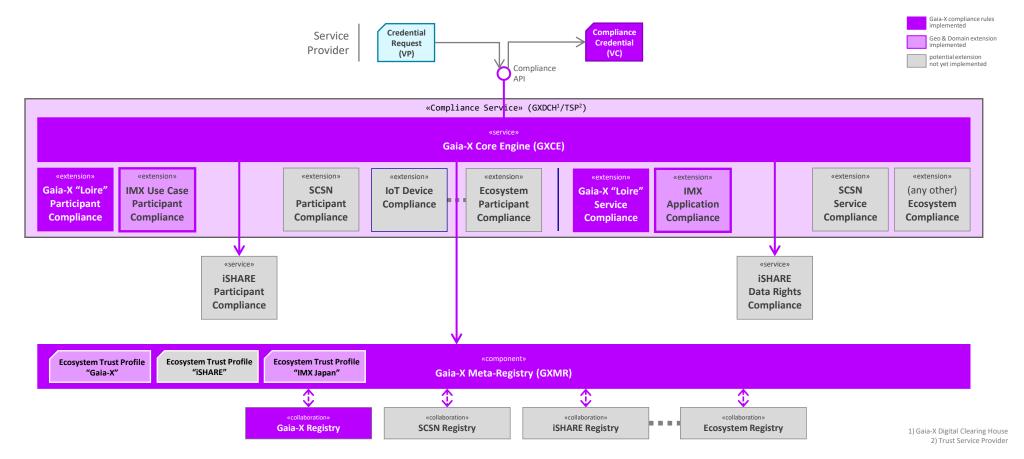
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#### **Gaia-X «Danube»**

#### Extension mechanism architecture



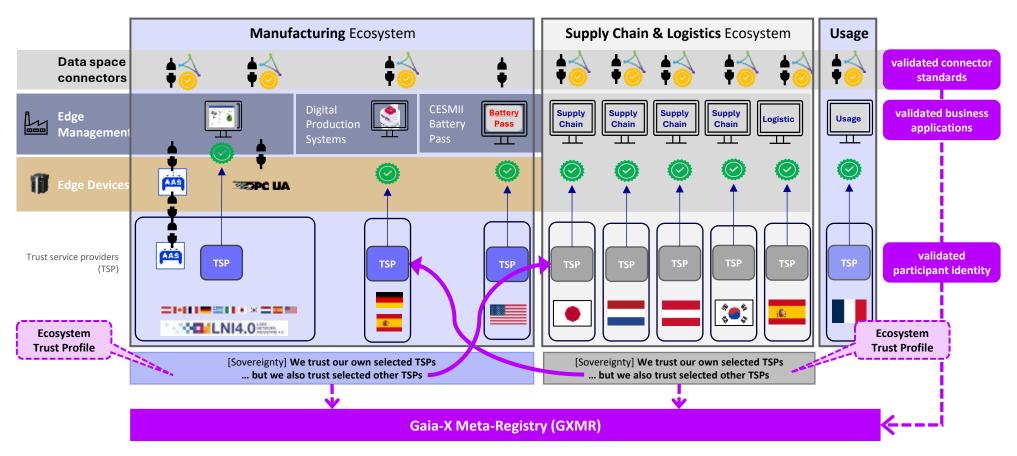


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# Gaia-X «Danube» – IMX Federated Trust Use Case





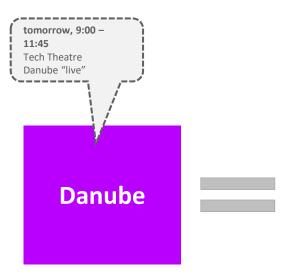


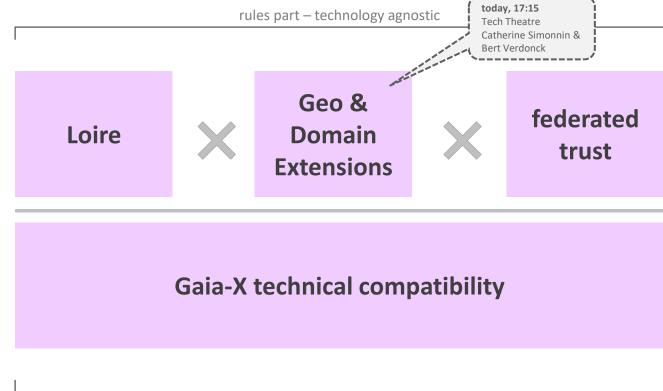
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# Gaia-X «Danube» A summary formula



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technology part – rules agnostic

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# Let's make data sovereignty real... on YOUR terms!

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## Day 1 - 20 November

13:20 - 15:10 Networking Lunch & Expo Area



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EXPO AREA	Gaia-X LIGHTHOUSE PROJECTS BOOTH
13:25 – 13:40	Prometheus-X
13:40 – 13:55	Dataspace4Health
13:55 – 14:10	Dynamo
14:10 – 14:25	InfraDS
14:25 – 14:40	COOPERANTS
MS14:40 - 14:55	ACCURATE
14:55 – 15:10	Digital TER-X
EXPO AREA	Gaia-X BOOTH
13:10 - 13:40	ICT SPs & 'Gaia-X -based Services in action'
13:40 - 14:00	Gaia-X Trust Framework: Danube
14:00 - 14:30	Data Spaces Ready in Action

14:30 – 15:10 | Collaboration and Sprints

EXPO AREA	Gaia-X DIGITAL CLEARING HOUSES BOOTH
13:30 – 14:00	Neusta Aerospace
14:00 – 14:30	Airenetworks
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TECH THEATRE	RIBEIRA 2 ROOM
15:00 - 15:20	From Data Meshes to Data Spaces
15:20 - 15:35	Eclipse Cloud Interest Group
15:35 – 16:00	Simpl – Current State
16:00 – 16:15	Orchestrating Sovereign Data Exchange
16:15 – 16:30	Myrtus: A Computing Continuum Platform





15:10 - 15:30

Moderator: Pierre Gronlier, CINO, Gaia-X

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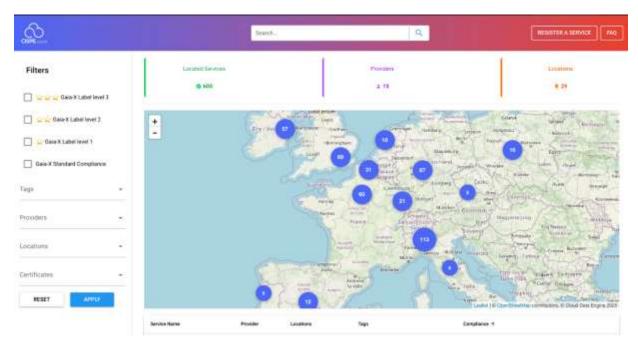


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# 1st GAIA-X LEVEL 3 COMPLIANT SOVEREIGN SERVICES CATALOGUE

Francisco Mingorance, CISPE Secretary General

# Reference Catalogue of Cloud Services within Gaia-X with 600+ services referenced – First





# Join us and declare your services!

https://cispe.catalogue.clouddataengine.io



#### **CONGRATULATIONS!**

# First 5 Companies to Obtain Gaia-x Labels level 3

- SOVEREIGN CLOUD EUROPE -









Made possible through Cloud Data Engine CDE



# 5 Steps to secure your Gaia-X Label(s)

### https://gaia-x.onboarding.clouddataengine.io/

Gaia-X Labels onboarding form





Fill Order form



Automated processing (CDE Notary, CDE Manager, CISPE GXDCH)





Automated Gaia-X Labels attribution + VCs





Automated Publication in the CISPE Catalogue





# CISPE commitment for choice in Sovereign, Resilient and Federated Cloud



# Promoting key reference frameworks

- · CISPE Data Protection Code
- CNDCP
- Cloud Switching Framework
- 10 Fair Software Licenses Principles

CISPE is the promoter of key compliance schemes for Gaia-X Compliance



A journey towards open Sovereign Cloud Services

- 1. Reaching 100+ Gaia-X Level 3 Sovereign services within 6 months
- 2. Expanding Sovereignty Labels Beyond Europe
- 3. Promoting Sovereign and Resilient Cloud services



#### **Promoting choice**

CISPE is committed to enabling private companies & public actors procure sovereign and resilient cloud solutions

- 1. Reaching 1500+ Gaia-X services within 24 months
- 2. Promote federated sovereign offerings through open marketplaces like Fulcrum

## **Concluding Remarks**

GAIA-X Summit and the lesson from the Porto 1757 Révolte des taverniers





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# SÉBASTIEN LESCOP

CEO, Cloud Temple



"Europe's strength will come from its ability to build lasting trust among providers, users and institutions acting together."





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15:30 - 15:45

Christoph Strnadl, CTO, Gaia-X

# **Data Spaces & Digital Ecosystems**

"Data interoperability challenges"...



- #1 ... interoperability means what exactly?
- #2 ... and why does that matter?

# Interoperability

# gaia-x

## A multi-faceted universal topic in distributed IT systems

European Interoperability Framework (FIF)

ISO/IEC 1994 (2017) Interoperability & Portability

large data spaces (10,000+) • lots of SMEs • different verticals • cross-data space exchange • no time to build the «ultimate» ontology



# **Semantic Interoperability**

## ... is very much context-dependent













#### City

#### ■ Brussel

- Bruxelles
- Brussels
- BRU

#### Country

- Belgium
- Belgique
- België
- BE
- BEL

#### **Street**

- Avenue des Arts
- Avenue des Arts 6
- Avenue des Arts, 6
- Avenues des Arts 6-9
- Avenues des Arts, 6-9

#### Price

- net
- gross
- VAT
- discount
- INCOTERMS

#### **Digital Twin**

part of

(distributed)

## **Semantic Interoperability**



Bad for any data space, worse for vertically diverse data spaces



mapping multiple data sources to a common vocabulary or logical information model ("ontology")



aligning different representations of the same (or similar) information



**ensuring consistency of information** across multiple data sources



mapping between different data models (potentially with overlapping/contradicting information content)

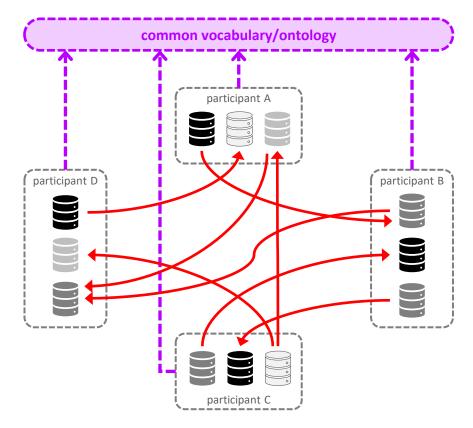


Diagram: Gaia->

Challenges: Jakob Rehof, "Generative AI and Data Interoperability", Paris, 25 Sept. 2025.

# genAI for Semantic Interoperability

## 3 Use cases covering the trusted data transaction lifecycle



#### genAl Use Cases

- generate a common (Decade-X)
  data standard out of existing data assets
  (structured and unstructured)
- transform unstructured or structured data into a (common) data standard
- generate mappings from one data standard to another data standard proprietary data ⇔ common data model

Secured by Gaia-X Trust Framework

#### **AI Tool Chain**

- training data sources
- training data sources
   training data assets/sets
- Al operators (e.g., Al Act)
- augmentation data (RAG)

#### **Trusted Data Transactions**

- cross-ecosystem trust
- ontology authenticity
- data assets conformance

Use cases: Jérémy Mambrini, "GenAl and Data Interoperability", Paris, 25. Sept. 2025 Use case diagram: Gaia-X

## common (Decade-X) data schema/model/standard/ontology standard format standard format trusted data transaction data data asset asset unstructured data (PDF, Word, images) vertical application silos (ERP, MES, CRM,...) structured data (SQL, CSV, JSON, XML) different use case ontologies data provider data user/consumer

# **Advancing genAl for Semantic Interoperability** 2026 outlook





internal genAl tooling preparation



genAl for semantic interoperability hackathon



further planning based on hackathon outcomes

























# Thank you!

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15:45 - 16:30

Moderator: Christoph Strnadl, CTO, Gaia-X

Cloud Data Engine: Alban Schmutz, CEO, Cloud Data Engine

Pontus-X: Kai Meinke, Co-Founder and Business Lead, deltaDAO AG

Prometheus-X: Matthias De Bièvre, Founder / CEO, Visions & Co-Founder / President, Prometheus-X

Fulcrum Project: Leonardo Camiciotti, Executive Director, TOP-IX Consortium

Dynamo: Mauro Brambilla, COO, Dynamo

Wisephere: Clara Pezuela, Strategic Alliances and Positioning Director, ITI

# **Available Tools for Building Data Spaces & Digital Ecosystems**



Panel







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Clara Pezuela Strategic Alliance Dir. ITI



CEO Dynamo Cloud



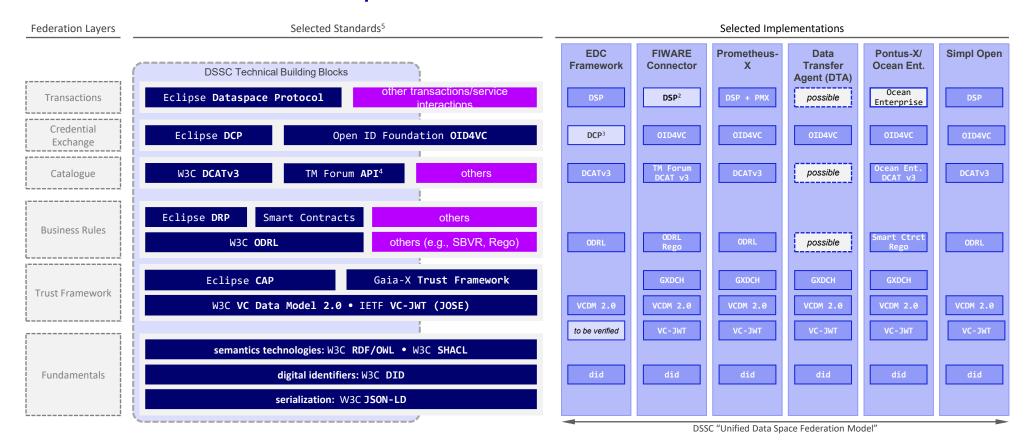
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Matthias De Bièvre Founder/CEO/Pres. Visions/Prometheus-X

# Data Spaces Technology Layers Selected standards & implementations





1) Prometheus-X 2) TCK compliance to be demonstrated 3) DCP versions before v1.0-RC#4 do not support regulated industries 4) here: Product Model schema 5) The morphological field and standards depicted are not meant to exclude additional standards



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# **Data Spaces Ready in Action**



17:15 - 18:00

Moderator: Alberto Curatolo, CFO, Gaia-X

EuProGigant: Wolfgang Kniejski, Senior Project Manager, EIT Manufacturing

Dataspace4Health: Ralf Hustadt, DATA&AI Director, NTT Data

**Cooperants: Arno Scheidereiter,** Co-Lead of the Ecosystem for Aviation, Space and Defence / CEO of neusta aerospace GmbH

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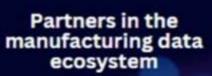














Relevant manufacturing data



Trusted infrastructure

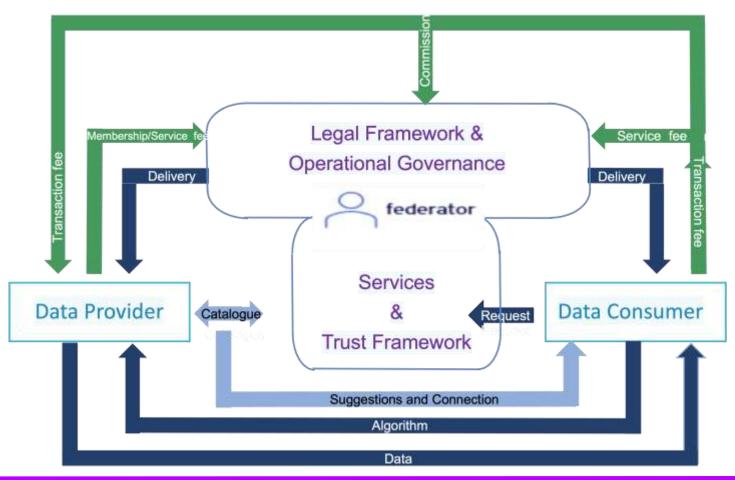


Innovative services and data-driven business models

# Let's Talk About Business Models







# Data Sharing Creates Competitive Advantages





#### **Competitive advantages**

- ⇒ Cost and time savings
- ⇒ Reduction of downtimes
- ⇒ Reduction of scrap production
- ⇒ Energy efficiency
- **⇒** Resource optimization
- **⇒** Shift optimization

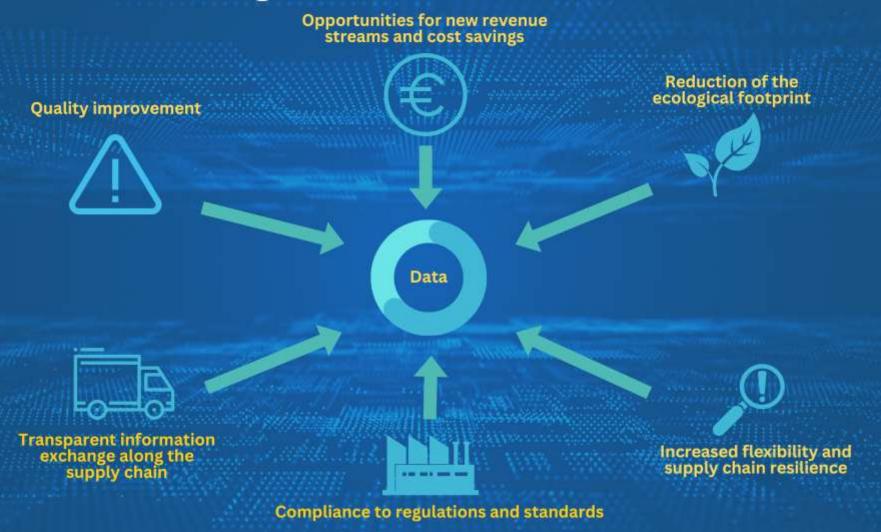
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#### **Company values**

- **⇒** Technology
- ⇒ Market expansion / new customers
- ⇒ New value chains / supply chains
- **⇒** Resilience



# Data sharing creates value for its stakeholders



# **Data Spaces Ready in Action**

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### **Ralf Hustadt**

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# COOPERANTS – Lighthouse Data Space for Aeronautics and Space

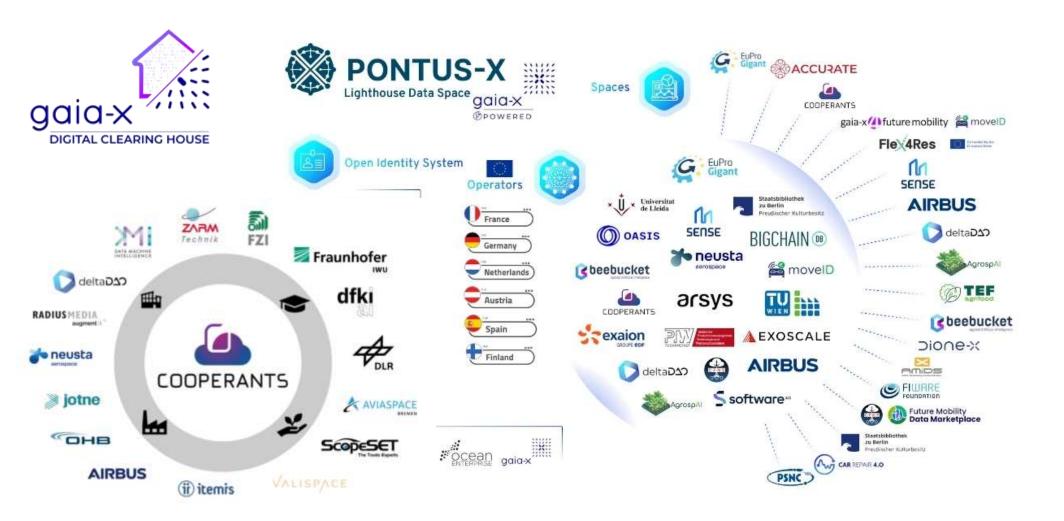


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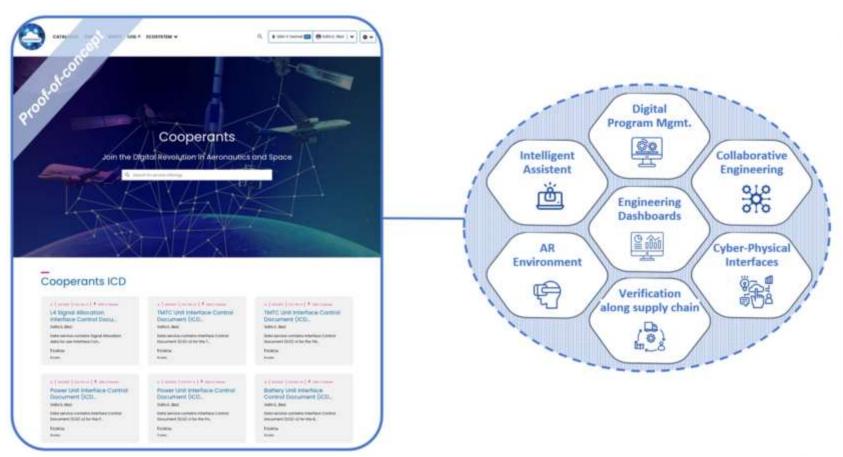
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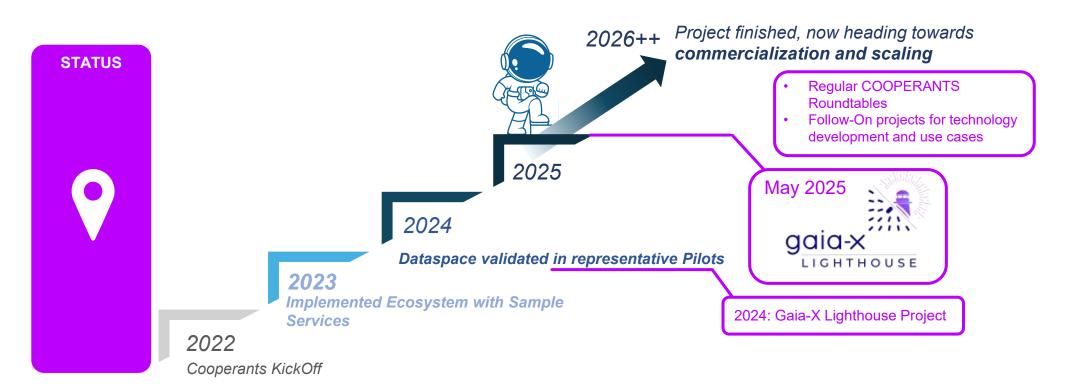
# **COOPERANTS – Collaborative Engineering**





# **COOPERANTS – Status & Roadmap**





# **COOPERANTS** – Way to Success



- Ca. 800 potential SME participants in Germany
- Scaling the ecosystem and facilitate onboarding
- Promote the value proposal

Keynote in the Partner Theater:

10:00–10:30 | "Way to Success – How to scale a Data Space and onboard a heterogeneous ecosystem in aerospace"





18:00 - 19:00

Continue the day with a glass of wine and light refreshments in the Expo Area.

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From 19:00 to 22:00, join us for an evening cruise along the beautiful Douro River. Please note that pre-booked registration is required, and only participants wearing the event bracelet will be allowed to embark. If you are unable to attend and wish to transfer your spot, please get in touch with a member of the Gaia-X team.