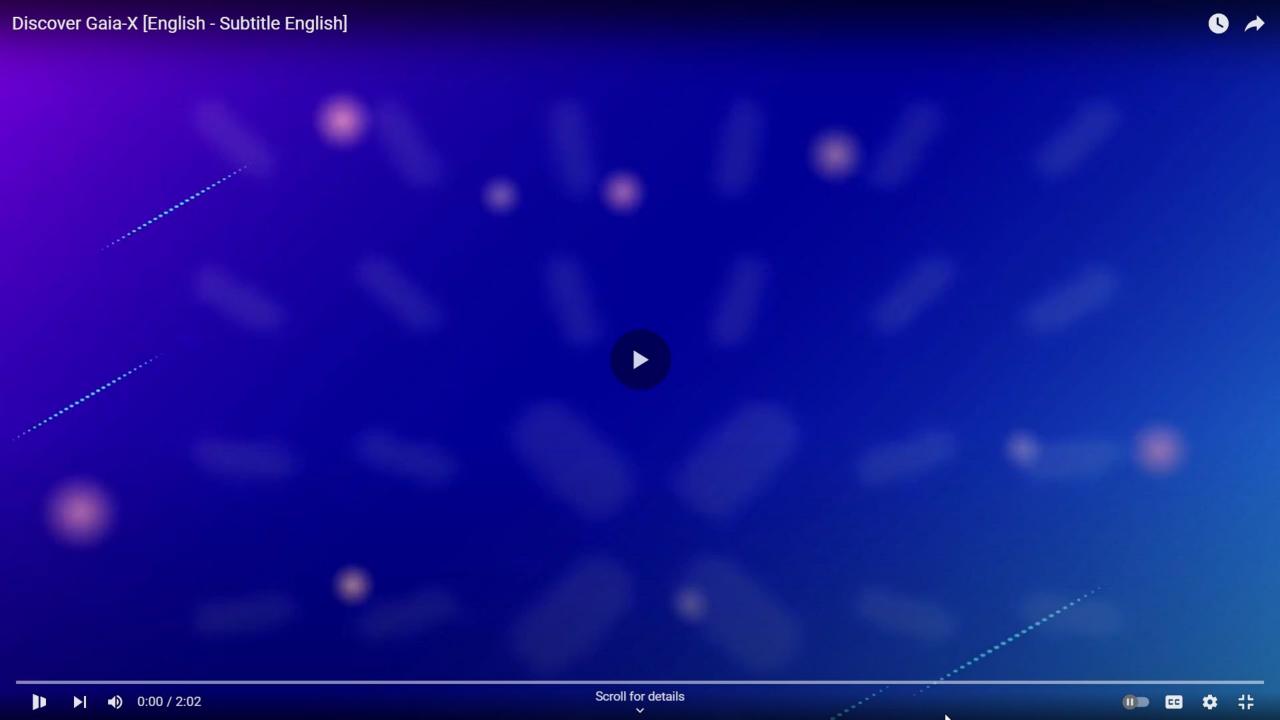
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GAIA-X European Association for Data and Cloud NONPROFIT

Company Number 0762747721

Status Situation Normale

Incorporation Date 1 February 2021 (over 3 years ago)

Company Type Association internationale sans but lucratif

Jurisdiction Belgium

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Gaia-X Committees



Dataspace Business Committee

- Represent the voice of the market / Lighthouse projects / Hubs
 - Collect business requirements from different verticals / domains

Policy Rules Committee

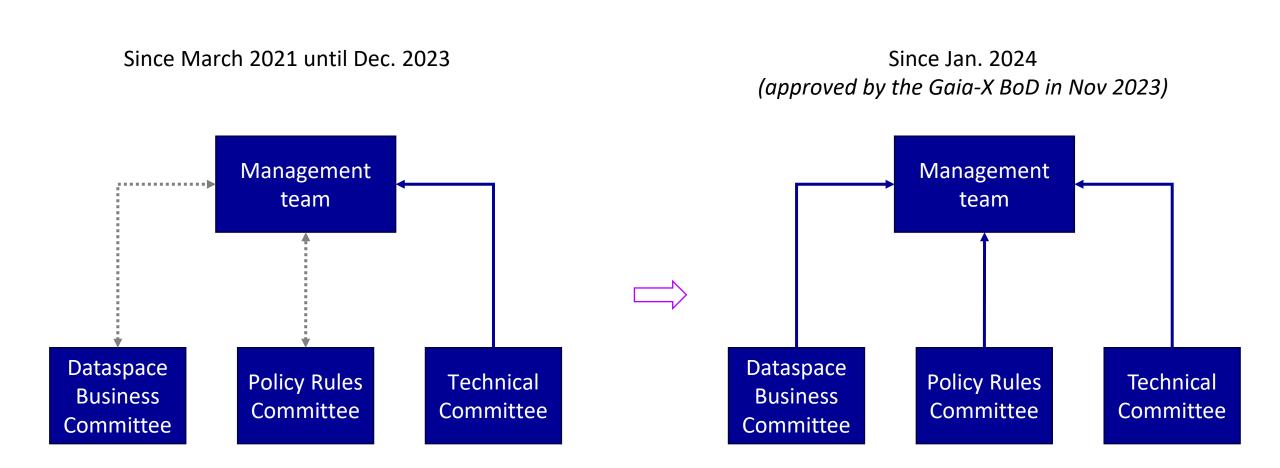
- Elaborate policy rules in accordance with the business needs
 - Ensure Gaia-X Compliance relevance and adoption at a global scale

Technical Committee

- Responsible for the Gaia-X functional and technical overall architecture
 - Ensure standardisation and adoption by the open-source community

Gaia-X Organisational update







Gaia-X mission



Data & Services

(incl. infrastructure)

privacy, self-determination, openness, transparency, modularity & interoperability, data protection

Enable **trusted decentralised digital ecosystems** creating the de facto standard aligned with **EU values** by developing a **set of policies, rules, specifications** and a **verification framework**

Merge of Trust Framework document and PRCD

Gaia-X Compliance document.



This document is **technology agnostic**.

Includes DataExchange, ICAM, ontology references

Gaia-X Architecture documents.



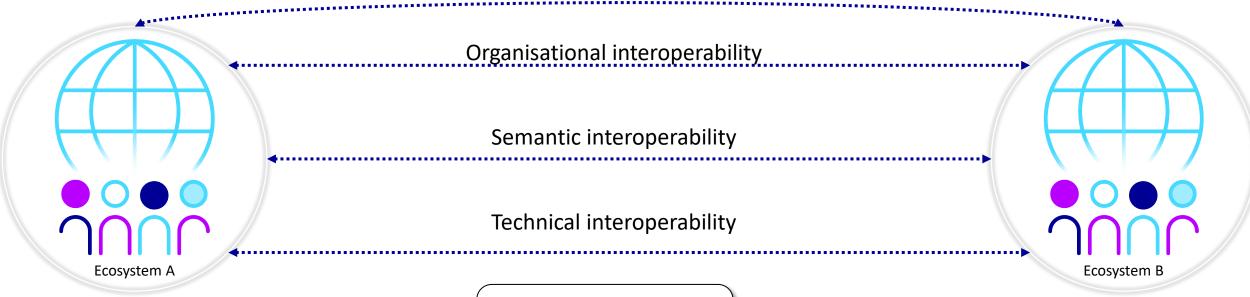
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Interoperability layers



Legal interoperability



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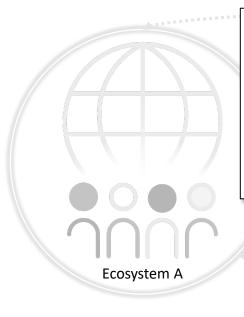
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Interoperability layers

Gaia-X is not about legal enforcement



Legal interoperability



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Organisational interoperability

Semantic interoperability

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Gaia-X technical compatibility.

Technical vs Semantic/Organisation What is the difference between those X.509 certificates?



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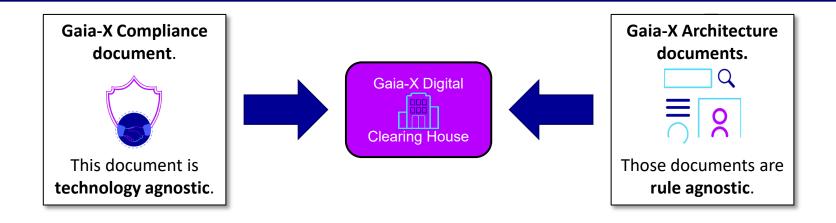
- Assessment scheme (conformity & label)
- For each scheme, a list of criteria.
- For each criteria:
 - the claim: what need to be said/claimed
 - the evidence(s): which proofs are accepted
 - the signee(s): who/what can sign the claims and evidences



- Linked Data {
 - Serialisation format
 - Context + Shape format
 - Grammar + Vocab (ontology + information models)
- Verifiable Credential இ≡
 - Signature type, cryptographic scheme
 - Issuance & exchange protocol
 - Publication & Search

Gaia-X 101 (2/3)





- Fully Open-Source Software with an Open-Source License (EPL-2.0)
 - Code can be audited, and contributions are welcome!
- Micro-services architecture & libraries integration
- Standard APIs: OpenID Connect Presentation Exchange DNSSEC ...
- 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

Gaia-X 101 (3/3)







This document is **technology agnostic**.



Gaia-X Architecture documents.



Those documents are rule agnostic.

Compatible with IDSA Dataspace protocol

Gaia-X Compliance



Gaia-X Conformity

A service or product offering is certified Gaia-X Conformant upon the successful assessment of all the mandatory criteria related to transparency, security, interoperability, portability and sustainability. Not bound to a specific jurisdiction or industry domain.

Value: The provider & consumer can make informed & educated decisions based on information gathered to demonstrate European values.



Gaia-X Label level 1

A service or product offering is certified Gaia-X Label level 1 if the offering is Gaia-X Conformant and fulfils additional European rules related to personal data protection.

Value: In addition to the Gaia-X Conformity, the provider & consumer can rely on their mutual declaration of adherence to the European data protection rules.



Gaia-X Label level 2

A service or product offering is certified Gaia-X Label level 2 if the offering is Gaia-X Label level 1 and fulfils additional criteria related to cybersecurity and the service offering needs to have an option for the customer's data to be processed and shared exclusively in the Europe Economic Area.

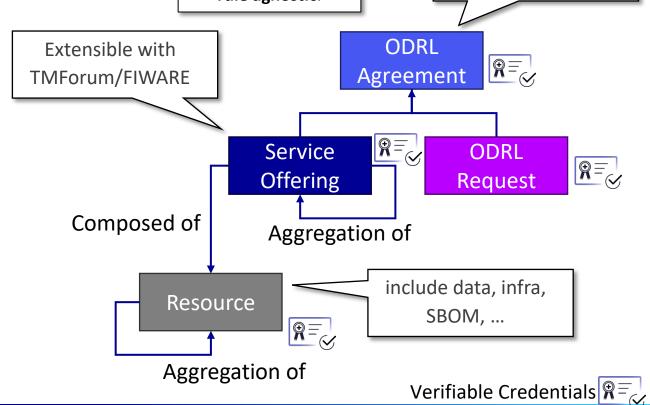
Value: In addition to the Gaia-X Label level 1, cybersecurity criteria have been verified by impartial third parties & data can be processed exclusively in the EEA.



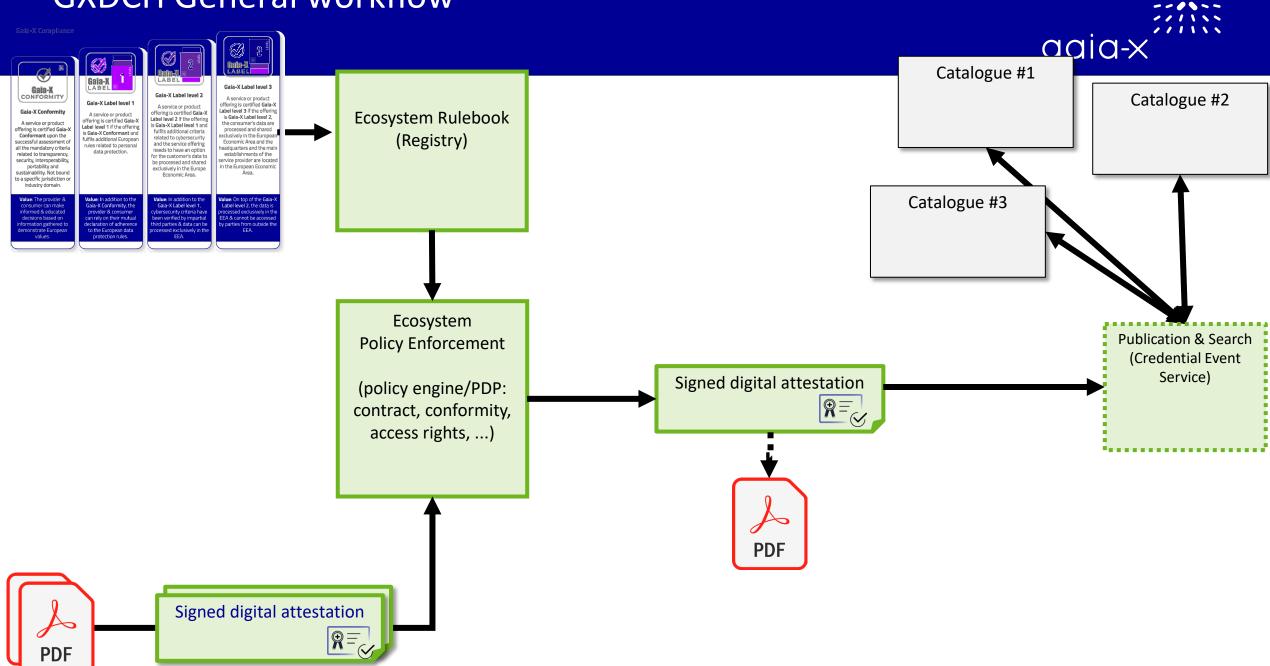
Gaia-X Label level 3

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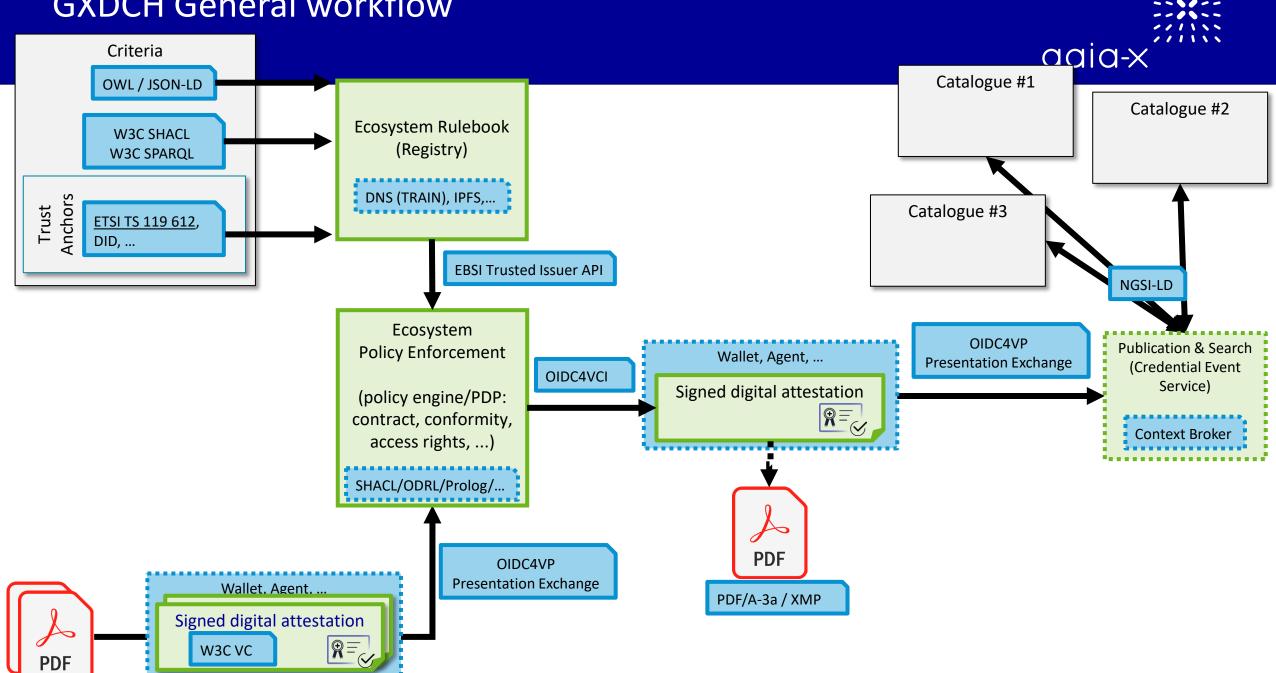
Value: On top of the Gaia-X Label level 2, the data is processed exclusively in the EEA & cannot be accessed by parties from outside the EEA.



GXDCH General workflow



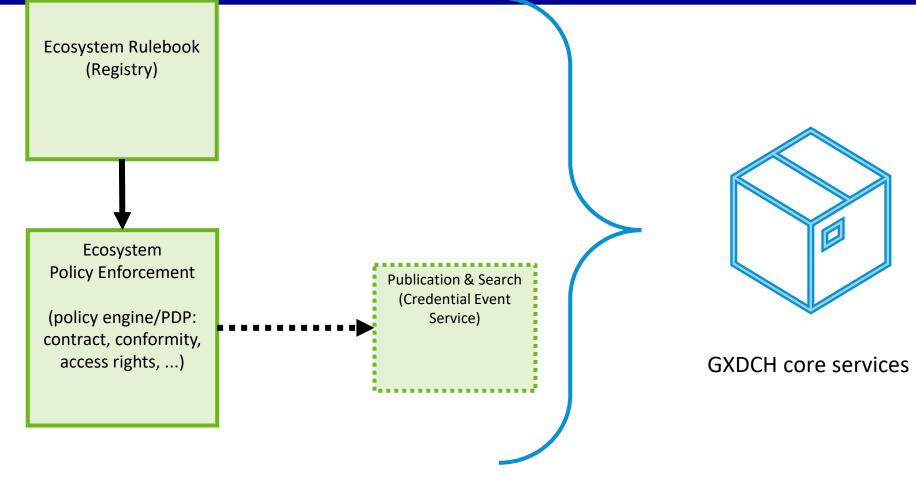
GXDCH General workflow



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GXDCH packaging & deployment





Open source softwares packaged by Gaia-X AISBL (Elbe, Tagus, Loire, Danube, ... releases)

GXDCH packaging & deployment







wallets



APIs

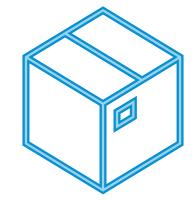


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claims and evidence management





GXDCH core services deployed by T-Systems



GXDCH core services deployed by Aruba



GXDCH core services deployed by Aire Networks

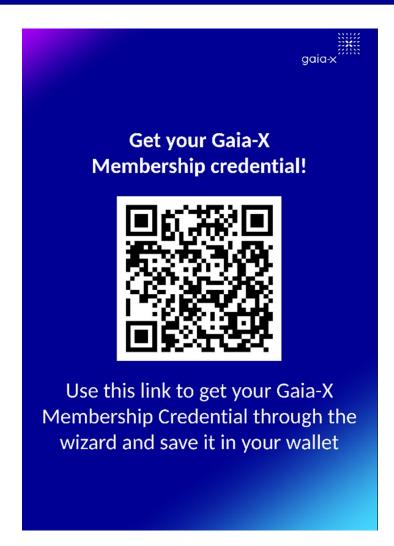


GXDCH core services deployed by Gaia-X AISBL

Gaia-X Membership credential portail



OpenID Connect Verifiable Credential Issuance – draft 13





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Summary





TECHNOLOGIES AND STANDARD USED IN GAIA-X



GAIA-X SPECIFICATIONS & DOCUMENTS



CURRENT STATE OF THE IMPLEMENTATION

Let's start outside of Gaia-X



Verifiable Credentials

JSON-LD

JsonWebSignature

DID/DID Web

SHACL

Verifiable Credentials W3C



Represents any form of credential, permits, license

Used in Gaia-X to represent everything, companies, people, services

VCs are cryptographically signed by the issuer, allowing to check data tampering and issuer's legitimacy

VCs are written using JSON-LD, allowing to intricate and bind credentials and claims

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JSON Linked Data W3C*



Contexts

Same as XML contexts, allow to target attributes without name collisions

Links

Each JSON-LD file is a graph, allowing to target other nodes

Representation

JSON-LD is just one representation of RDF

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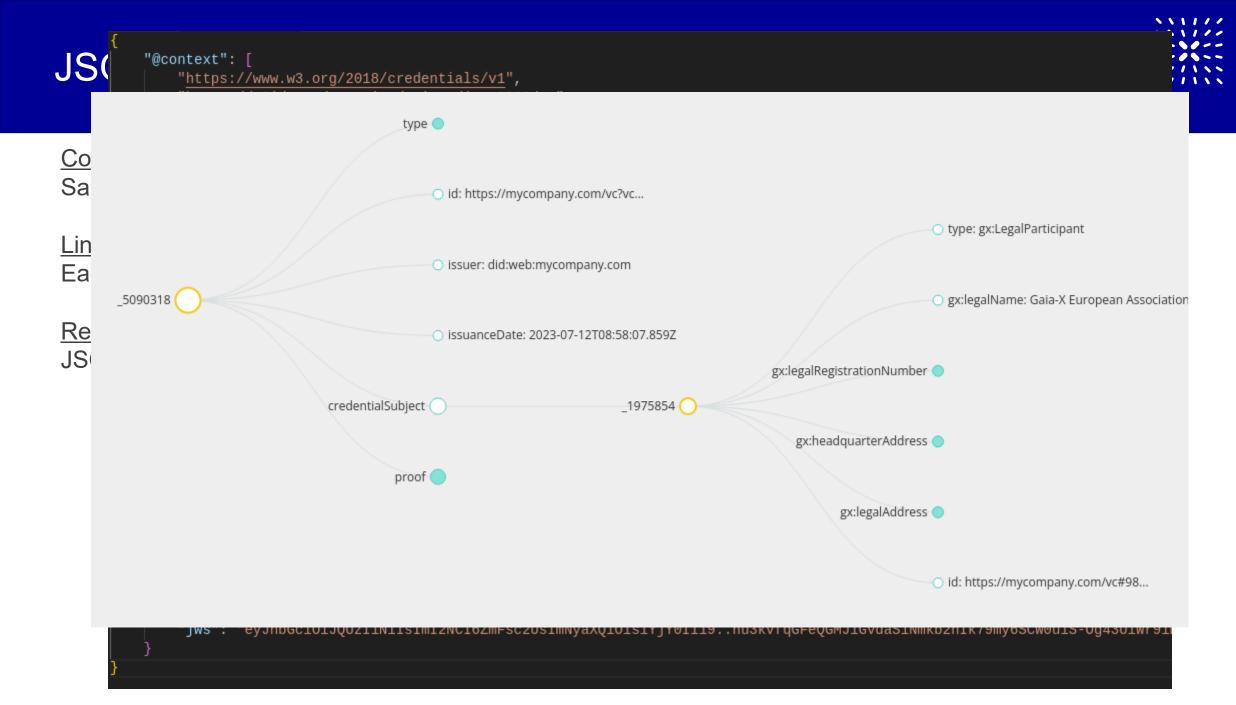
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JWS: JsonWebSignature W3C





Allow to ensure data consistency

References issuer's DID (publicly available), allowing to check issuer's trustworthiness

Gaia-X uses "compact sign" to limit payloads size

Two marshalling co-existing in Tagus. Specification unclear & misinterpreted

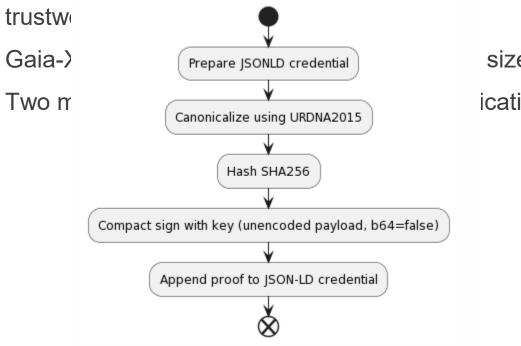
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Prepare JSONLD credential

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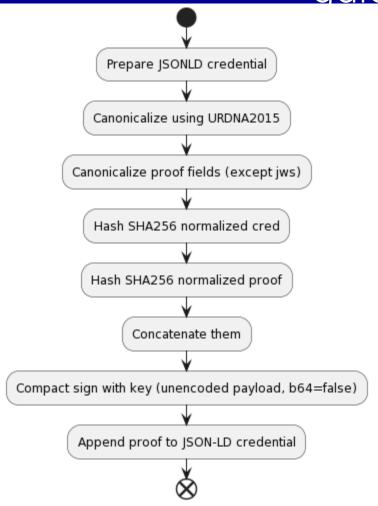
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Hash SHA256

Compact sign with key (unencoded payload, b64=false)

Append proof to ISON-LD credential



JWS: JsonWebSignature W3C





DID: Decentralized Identifiers W3C



Self-declared and self-hosted identity

Contains cryptographic material allowing to ensure trust

One specification used in Gaia-X at the moment : did:web

Examples:

did:web:compliance.lab.gaia-x.eu:v1 resolves to https://compliance.lab.gaia-x.eu/v1/did.json

did:web:bakeup.io resolves to https://bakeup.io/.well-known/did.json

Self-declared and self-hosted id Contains cryptographic material One specification used in Gaia-

Examples:

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did:web:bakeup.io resolves to h

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"verificationMethod": [
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    "type": "JsonWebKey2020",
    "controller": "did:web:bakeup.io",
    "publicKeyJwk": {
      "kty": "RSA",
      "n": "...publicKey...",
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@gaia-x/did-web-generator IS

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One specification Gaia-X AISBL DID Generator Library

Examples:

This library allows you to generate a ready to use DID.

did:web:compliar

It uses your certificate to generate it, and thus relies on several x509/crypto libraries to work.

x.eu/v1/did.json **Usage**

did:web:bakeup.

```
import {createDidDocument} from '@gaia-x/did-web-generator'
//...
function getDid(){
    return createDidDocument("https://mycompanydomain.com", "x509Certifica"
```

```
"type": "LinkedDomains",
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Know as shapes in our ecosystem, and written in Turtle

Validates RDF structure of documents

Similar to XSD for XML

Not all constraints can be expressed in SHACL, hence some "business rules" implemented in code



Know as shapes in Validates RDF stru
Similar to XSD for Not all constraints implemented in constraints

```
gx:LegalParticipantShape
   a sh:NodeShape ;
   sh:targetClass gx:LegalParticipant;
   sh:property
            sh:path gx:legalRegistrationNumber;
           sh:node gx:legalRegistrationNumberShape ;
           sh:minCount 1;
           sh:path gx:parentOrganization;
           sh:node gx:LegalParticipantShape ;
           sh:path gx:subOrganization;
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   sh:targetClass gx:legalRegistrationNumber ;
   sh:message "At least one of taxID, vatID, EUID, EORI or leiCode must be defined.";
   sh:property
           sh:path gx:taxID ;
           sh:datatype xsd:string;
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           sh:minLength 3;
   sh:property
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Gaia-X specifications



Identity & Credentials Access Management Document

Policy Rules & Labelling Document

Architecture Document

Data Exchange Document

For Tagus: Trust Framework (merged in PRLD & Architecture Document since)

All available on docs.gaia-x.eu

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Gaia-X Trust Framework - 22.10 Release

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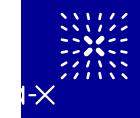
Example of T&C signed by the issuer

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5.2 Legal person

For legal person the attributes are

Attribute	Cardinality	Trust Anchor	Comment
registrationNumbe	1	registrationNumberIssuer	Country's registration number, which identifies one specific entity.
headquartersAddre ss.countryCode	1	State	Physical location of the headquarters in ISO 3166-2 alpha2, alpha-3 or numeric format.
legalAddress.coun tryCode	1	State	Physical location of legal registration in ISO 3166-2 alpha2, alpha-3 or numeric format.
parentOrganizatio n[]	0*	State	A list of direct participant that this entity is a subOrganization of, if any.
subOrganization[]	0*	State	A list of direct participant with a legal mandate on this entity, e.g., as a subsidiary.



Gaia-X TAGUS specifications in a slide



Everything is described using VerifiableCredentials in JSON-LD

Each issuer has to provide signed terms and conditions (TL;DR be nice)

Participant has to provide a Legal Registration Number issued by an accredited notary

On production, participant must use an EV-SSL or eIDAS certificate to sign their credentials

Few providers are accredited Gaia-X compliance issuers, more to come.

Having your credentials validated by the engine will result in a Gaia-X compliance VerifiableCredential

TAGUS state of the implementation



1st production-ready release: Tagus (v1)

- Trust framework 22.10 fully implemented (Participants, ServiceOfferings, Resources)
- PRLD 22.11 partially implementated: Service Offering Labels level 1

A bit of tooling provided:

- Wizard
- o DID Library
- Signature Library
- DID Validator Library

Running endpoints:

https://docs.gaia-x.eu/framework/?tab=clearing-house

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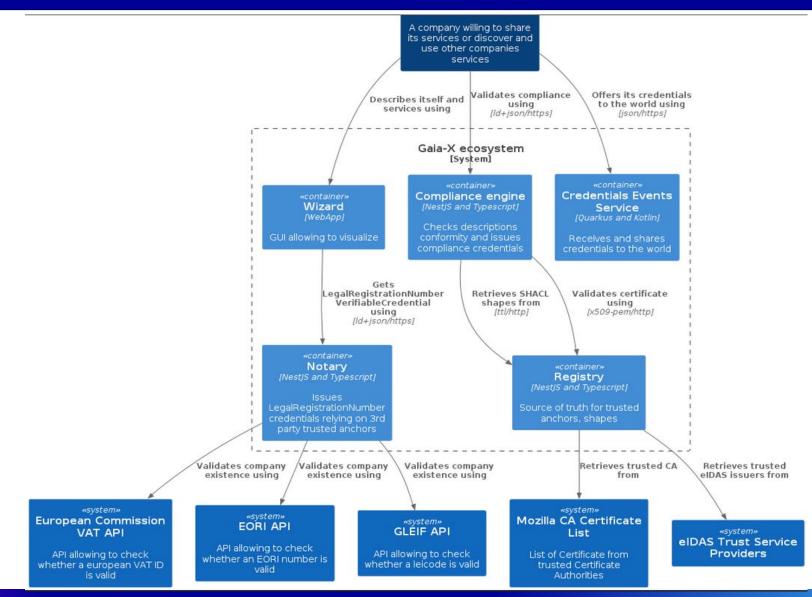


Some mistakes exist:

- JSON-LD namespace complicated and referring to development in the URL
- Shapes are not perfectly aligned with specs (LegalParticipant != LegalPerson)
- Types need to be in credentialSubject to be valid (!55)

TAGUS GXDCH Software architecture





Useful links & info



- Workshop Gaia-X 101 : https://gitlab.com/gaia-x/lab/workshops/gaia-x-101/-/blob/master/gaia-x-101.ipynb
- The community welcomes you: https://gitlab.com/gaia-x/gaia-x-community/open-source-community/
- Ask the Gaia-X Lab team for demonstrations and explanations in the hackathon room







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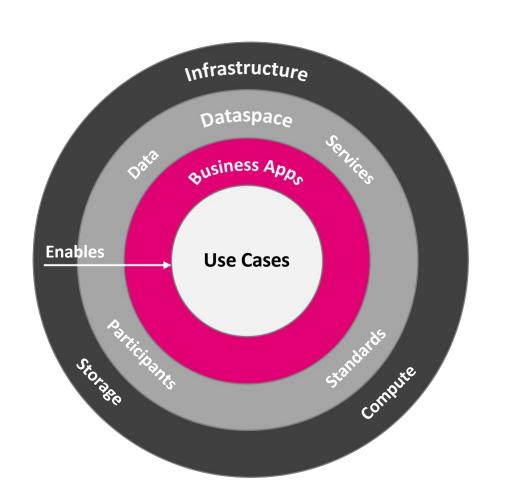




Application prototyping in a dataspace environment

Domain Dataspace Driven Design





Phase 1: Understand

Dataspaces are only a part of the puzzle

Phase 2: Enable

Dataspace technology, protocols and infrastructure are there to support, not the end goal

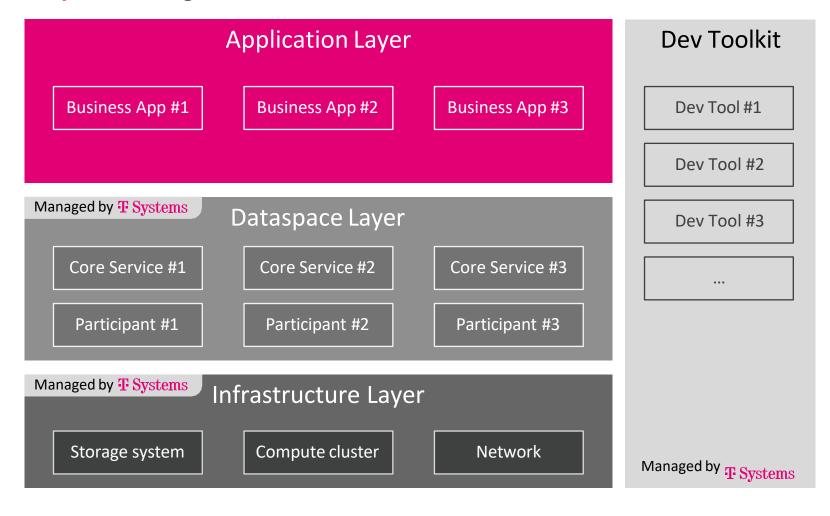
Phase 3: Create Value

Bring Business Applications and Use Cases into the spotlight

Application Prototyping Environment - Living Lab



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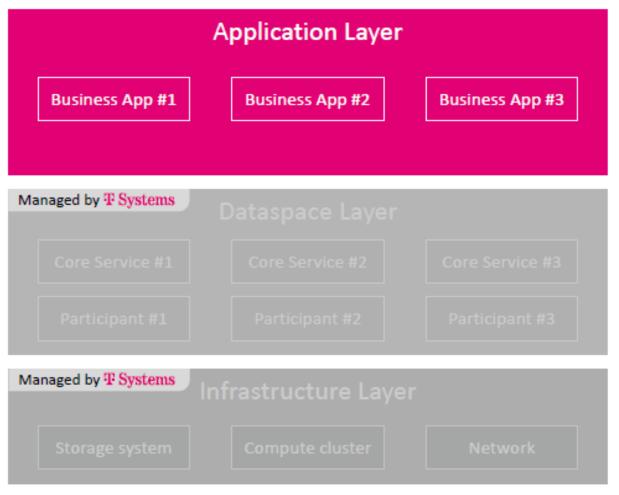
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As simple as you want it Peek under the hood and see how it works, or just build on top of it

Focus on what matters
Feel enabled to create value



Interoperability through Gaia-X Compliance

Gaia-X Compliance



Dataspace := Participants + Services/Apps + Data +

Standards



Participant Credential



Service OfferingCredential



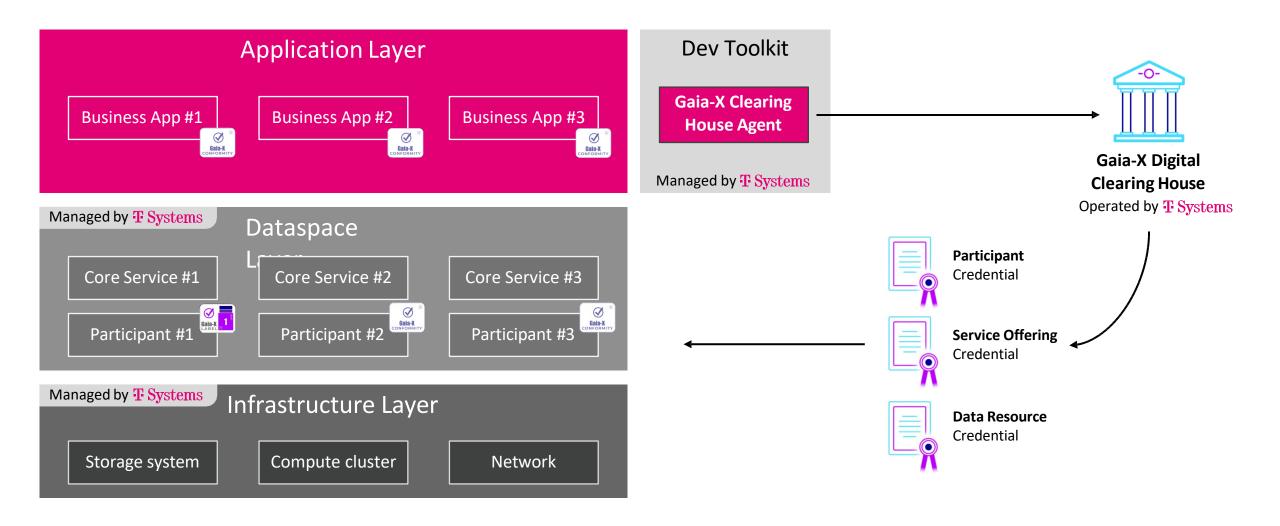
Data Resource Credential





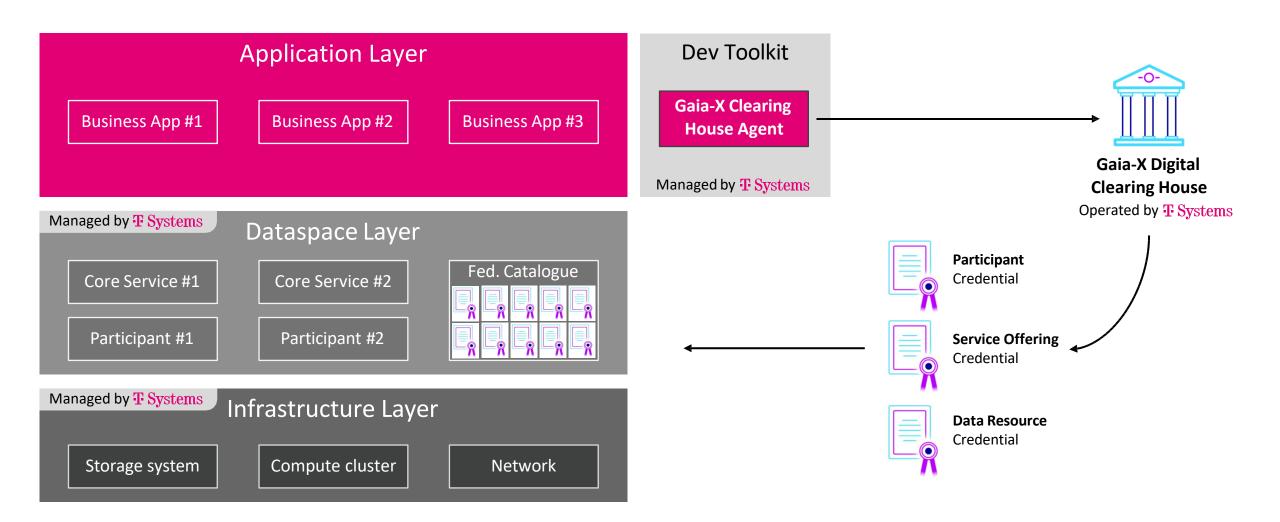
Gaia-X Compliant Application Prototyping Environment





Why stop there?







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New data economy approaches for the GIS market – leveraging Boot-X and the Gaia-X Trust Framework 11:15 – 11:30

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Boot-X Overview



- Huawei's Exchange Data Space (EDS) main focus is to build global dataspace environments enabling cross-border data exchange, e.g. following international standards for data exchange between Chinese and European industries.
- The Boot-X project is a part of EDS and the underlying infrastructure and technology stack for setting up either a complete dataspace environment or all necessary components to participate in an existing dataspace.
- Boot-X's identity management fosters the Gaia-X Trust Framework and provides interfaces for the GXDCH while onboarding new participants or services
- The Boot-X stack follows the EDC framework and implements its capabilities for data transfer, cataloging, identity management, etc. It enhances those with an extended identity management, policy management, and monitoring in a production-ready environment.
- Boot-X thereby is the technical enabler to implement real world use cases and applications on top of dataspace technologies. One of these cases presents the pilot with Tecnalia and Inkolan at hand.

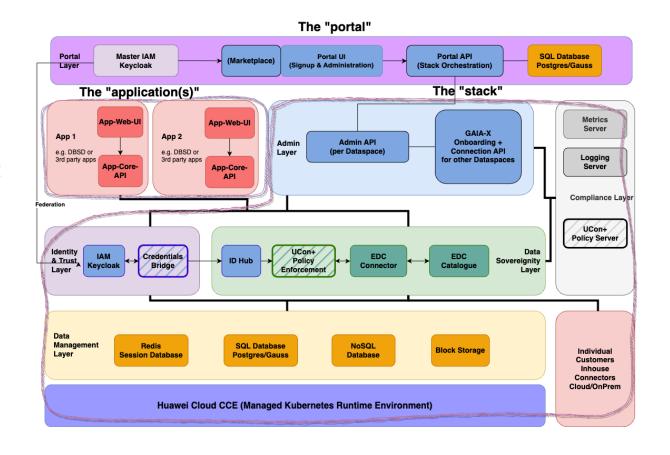




Boot-X Architecture



- Boot-X provides a portal for users as a landing page
- Users can create a new dataspace environment
- Users can join an existing dataspace
- While joining a dataspace, Boot-X provisions a preconfigured set of components for the participant
- Highly scalable through leveraging cloud-native technologies (Kubernetes, Traefik, Helm)
- Leveraging the EDC framework for our derivates enable compliance with DSP out-of-the-box
- Adding (open source) extensions for Huawei Cloud on top of existing set (e.g. Azure, AWS, GCP)
- Adding as much applications on top of the stack
 - one example...



Connected Urban Futures: Data Space + AI + Business



Data for the City of Tomorrow

- Let's create a Data Space to share data ensuring secure and trusted data sharing mechanisms, maintaining control and data ownership (data sovereignty), enabling seamless data sharing across geographical and organizational boundaries, fostering innovation and new smart services across companies and industries.
- Let's apply AI there, let's do magic!
- Let's do business!





Al for utility networks, construction works prediction. Let's do magic!

Data Space will share data and create new roles:

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Data for the City of Tomorrow by WEF.

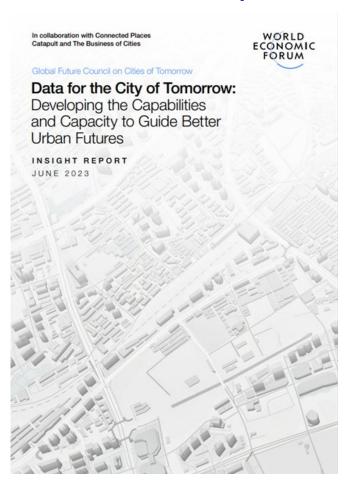
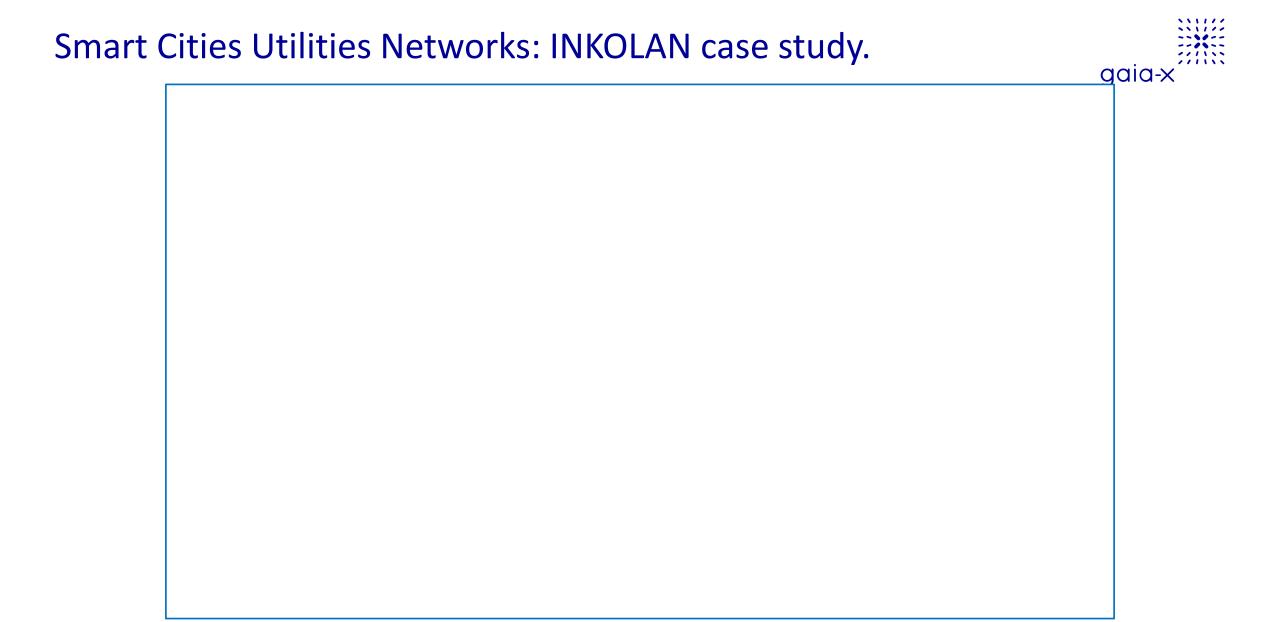
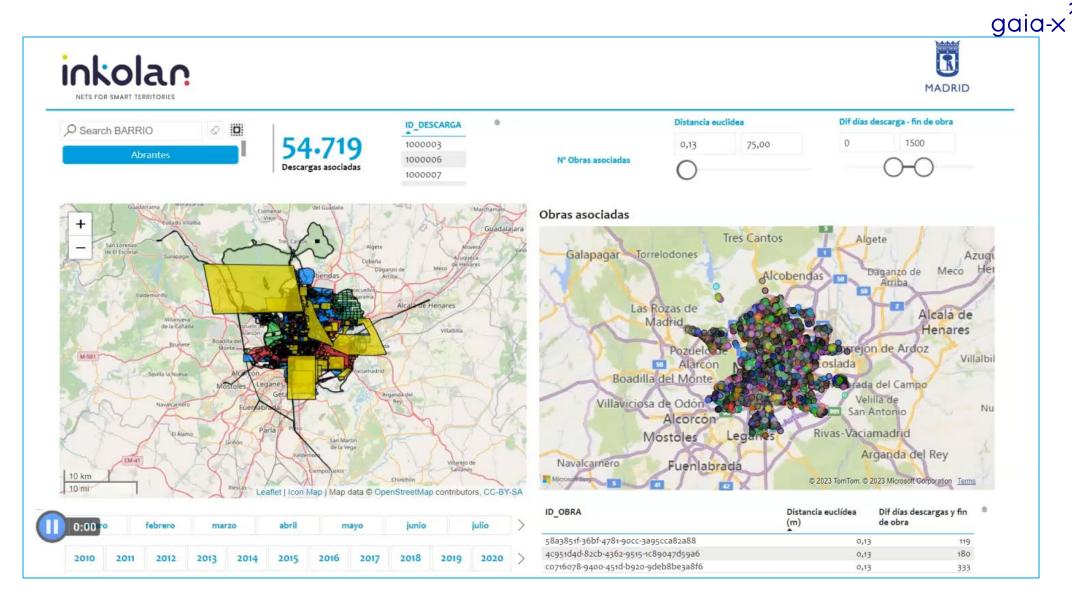


TABLE 1	The challenges holding back the application of data to city-making and management ¹⁰			
Problem and need	Limited data availability	Definitions and coherence issues	Few agreed standards	
The problem	In many parts of the world, especially in lower-income cities and regions, the reservoir of public, private and civic data from which to draw is still modest.	No accepted universal definition yet exists for what constitutes a city, where cities stop, or what defines liveability, smartness or prosperity.	Efforts to standardize city indicators and data-collection processes ¹¹ are still at an early stage and are not uncontested. Data is also hard to interpret in a vacuum and translate into policy decisions.	
What cities need	 Better data planning Stronger digital infrastructure More reliable or pooled resources Incentives for data to spread to new places 	 More clarity on "what success looks like" More "like-for-like" data across diverse cities or contexts 	 An agreed consensus on what data matters, for what and for whom Advice to navigate the many data choices available 	
	Lack of skills and capacity	Governance and processes issues	Lack of trust	
The problem	The collection of data, the development of accurate models and the preparation of information for decision-makers and residents rely on strong local capability and a culture of valuing this activity.		Lack of trust Citizens do not always trust their local government or city with their data. They may also not fully understand how data is being used, especially with enhanced data sets (like digital twins).	



Smart Cities Utilities: data-sharing between public and private sectors.



Applied AI use cases for utility networks construction works prediction:





- 1. Identification of the urban context and relevant infrastructures in the INKOLAN reported location area. The data about the urban context of the reported information will depend on information from the City Council and third-party sources: land registry, cadastre, mobility infrastructure, singular elements (transformation centres, pumping stations, manholes or access points for maintenance...).
- USE CASE I (Operators): IDENTIFICATION OF POTENTIAL AFFECTIONS BY ACTIONS OF THIRD PARTIES (e.g. power cut would disable pumping, communication nodes...).
- USE CASES II (City Council): EVALUATION OF EFFECTS ON CITIZENS AND COMMERCE DUE TO OCCUPATION
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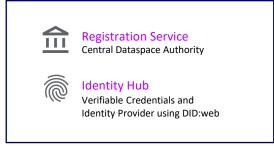
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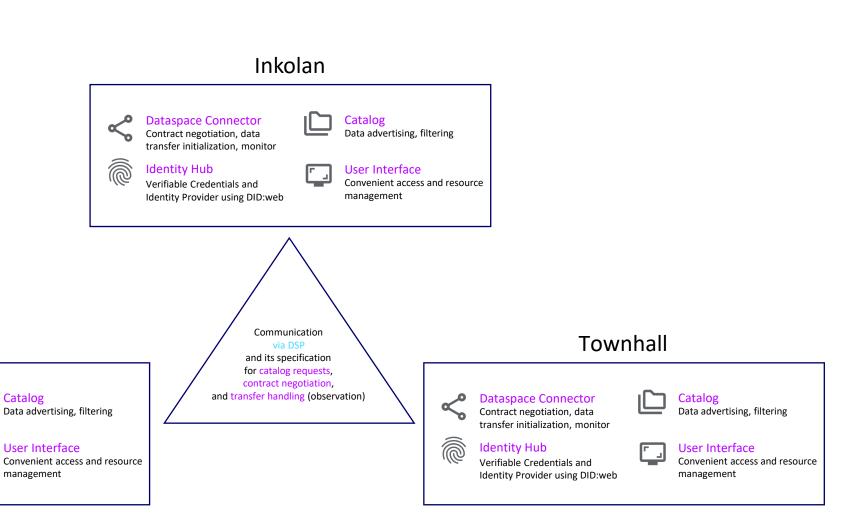
Have you ever seen a Data Space?



Business case scenario with Boot-X







Dataspace Connector

Contract negotiation, data

Verifiable Credentials and

Identity Hub

transfer initialization, monitor

Identity Provider using DID:web

Utility

Catalog

Business case scenario with Boot-X





Registration Service Central Dataspace Authority



Identity Hub

Verifiable Credentials and Identity Provider using DID:web



- Provides the web application
- Application processes updated to trigger dataspace backend
- Defines the policies for data set (bundles)
- Persist contract agreements
- Logging and monitoring
- Profits from ABAC (fine-granular)
- Better control of outgoing data usage
- Reusable infrastructure for future cases or updates on policies

- Starts the application as always
- Authenticates with dataspace identity (different VC than Utility)
- Data request (e.g. select range, add layer) triggers request via dataspace connector
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Townhall

UX is provided in the same GIS platform where other spatial data (e.g. Open (Government Data: What is open data | data.europa.eu) are managed to provide context to the information offered by INKOLAN (private and secured, related to critical infrastructure...) and are dealt together as a Common European Data Spaces | Shaping Europe's digital future (europa.eu)

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Company profile

Founded in 2015

Offices: Paris, Lyon, Montreal, Tokyo

Global reach

- France & Europe
- Japan (2nd largest market)
- North America
- Middle East

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11 awards & recognitions US, EU, ME



Tech Pioneer at the World Economic Forum

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Speaker at G7 Summit and other global events



Data Expert Group member at the UN



Leads Gaia-X Data
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Customer references

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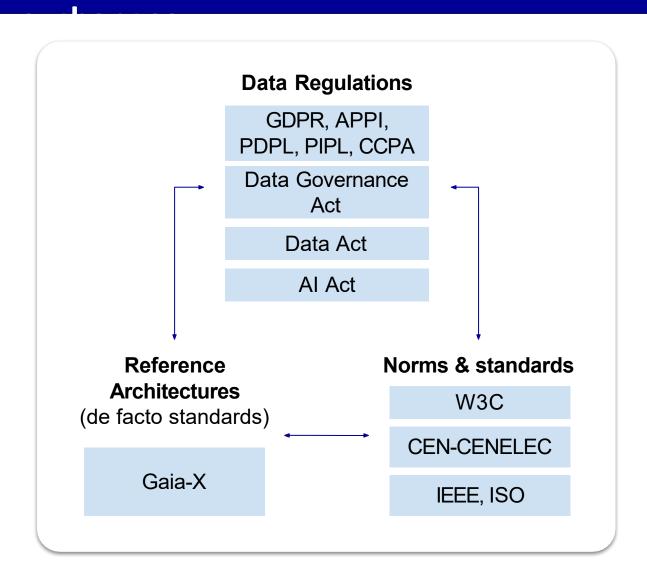
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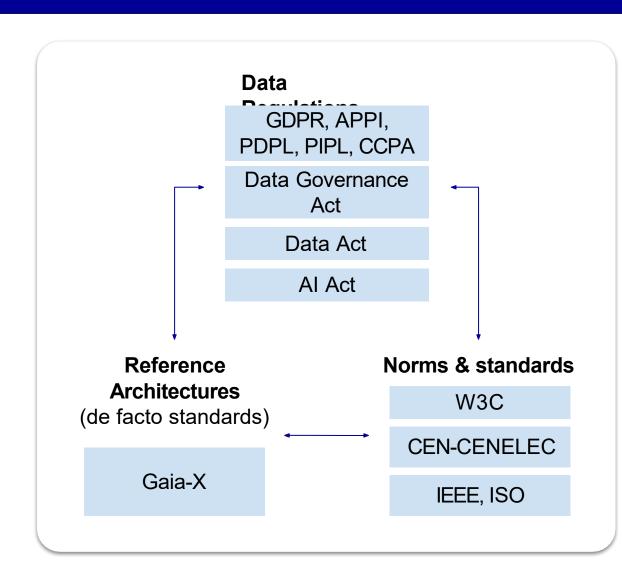


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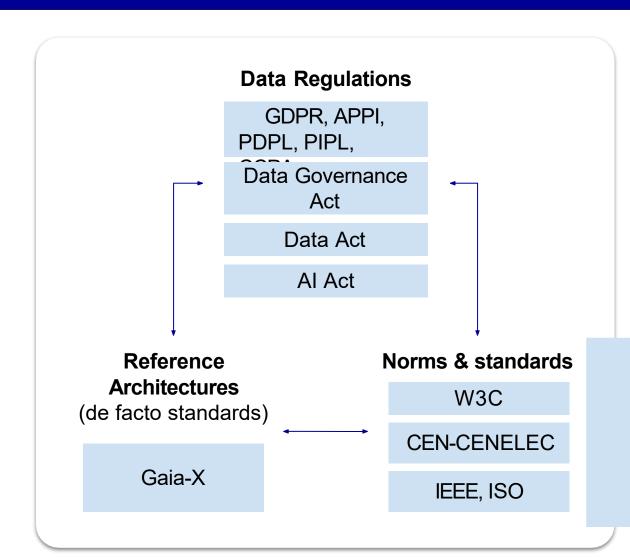


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Objectives

- Prepare for and accelerate the creation of a Harmonized standard on Trusted Data Transaction
- Harmonized standard:
 - European standard developed by a recognised European Standards
 Organisation: CEN, CENELEC, or ETSI
 - Created following a request from the European Commission
 - Can be used to derive a presumption of conformity to a European legislation, e.g.
 Data Act
- Global reach (worldwide)



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CEN Workshop Agreement (CWA) - Part 1

- Description of metadata, which are important for discoverability purposes. It is also important to
 ensure that the description includes enough and exhaustive information about the data product,
 if possible regarding the specific purposes the data product is intended to.,
- data licenses, which describe the legal terms of the license for the data product,
- terms of usage, including, but not limited to, the duration, terms and conditions, territory and sublicensing rights,
- offering details, including commercial terms and price, if any.

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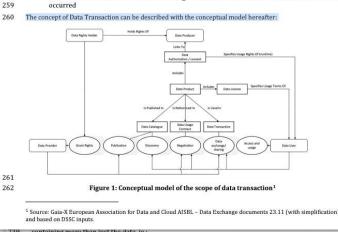
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- A data transaction, in order to materialize, requires a data provider, a data user, a clear definition
 of the data product being transacted, data licensing mechanisms, the secure technical transfer of
 or access to the data, and traceability of the data transaction.
- In some cases, the data is transferred from the data provider to the data user. In other cases, the
 data does not move while access to the data is given to one or several stakeholders.
- Data transactions do not necessarily imply a commercial relationship between the data provider and the data user, and does not necessarily imply the payment of a fee by the data user to the data provider in order to access and use the data.
- Each data transaction is "unique" indicating that it must be treated independently of other data transactions. It is also "immutable" indicating that a data transaction is unmodifiable when it has occurred.



- Scope, terminology, concepts & mechanisms
- Started mid 2023
- Collaborative and consensus-based process (monthly work sessions)
- Draft CWA produced & accepted
- 150+ comments received during "public review process"
- Strong support from European Commission
- Comments resolution proposals produced by Editor (Dawex)

CWA - Part 2

- Characteristics of trust
- Criteria to measure trust
- Increased interest of organizations to participate -> several large corporations currently onboarding for Part 2
- Part 2 to start in June 2024
- Final deliverable expected end of 2024



Part 1 focused on the key definitions relevant to describe a Data Transaction and needed to address Trust in Part 2

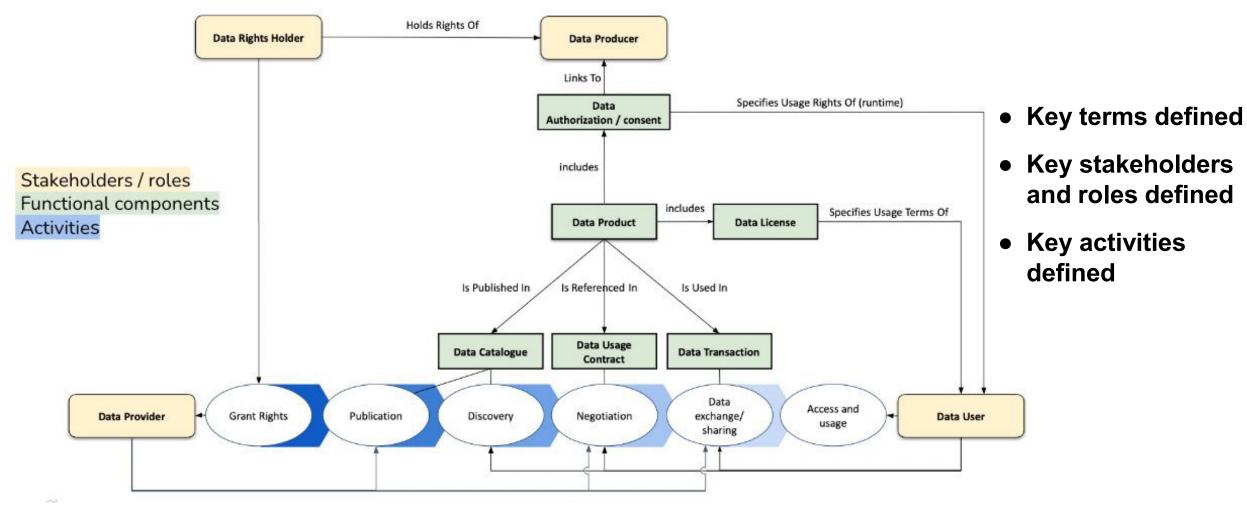


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Need for observability



- Trusted Data Transactions imply the necessity to make the data exchange process observable.
- This can be done for legal reasons to prove that data has been acquired only by authorized entities and, if necessary, with proper consent
- This can be done for **business** reasons, for example to provide a marketplace with **billing** function through a trusted third party
- In this context, an **auditor** would request **logs** of **data transaction** with an **access policy** which restricts access to the auditor.
- To verify the validity of those log entries, digital signing mechanism can be used. This would limit access to sensitive observation data to auditors that are participants of the data space, have special credentials which qualify them as trusted auditors and are bound to the policies of those contracts due to the contracts on the collected log data.



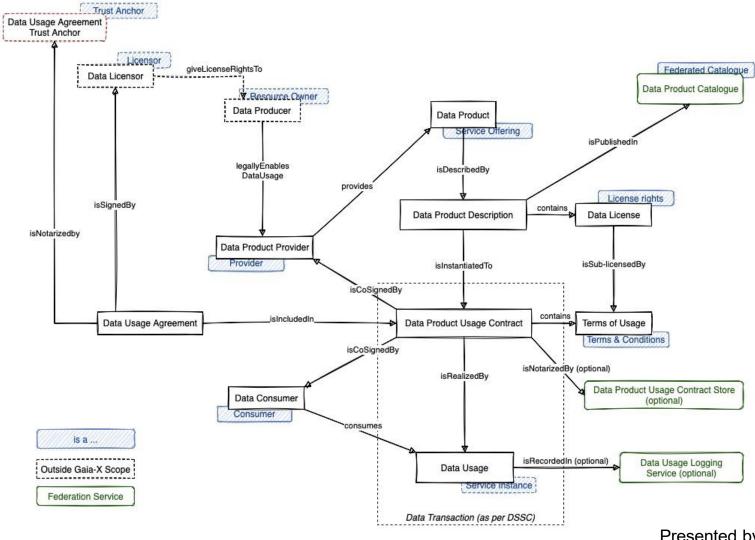
Need for observability



- Observer actions are automatically logged by the system and can be tracked and monitored. This would enable a trust relationship in which auditors can be audited by participants.
- To simplify the auditability of a data space, the data space can **mandate** that participants make their audit data available. Then auditors would not need to request publication but could simply **negotiate** the relevant contracts, which are only accessible to participants with valid auditing and monitoring credentials.
- Following the same pattern, additional optional functional roles can be implemented: a payment clearance service, notary services, regulatory reporting, and the like.

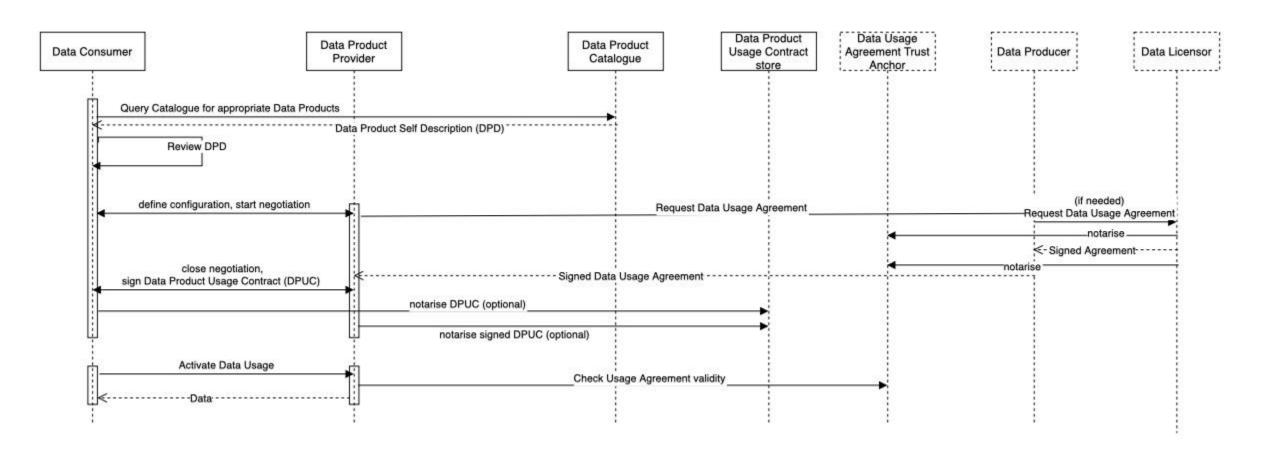
Data Products and Data Exchange Services





Operational model





Data Products and Data Exchange Services



Attributes available to logging purposes in the Gaia-X Data Transaction model (23.11.1)

Signature Check Type

Attribute	Type.Value/Voc	Mandatory	Comment
gx:participantRole	String	Yes	Establish a unique way to identify the participant that has to Sign (e.g. gx:providedBy is identified by Provider). Possible values are Provider, Consumer, Licensor, Producer.
gx:mandatory	String	Yes	Establish if a Signature is mandatory or Optional. Possible values are Yes/No.
gx:legalValidity	String	Yes	Establish if the legal validity check needs to be enforced to the Signature. Possible values are Yes/No.

Data Product Usage Contract

Attribute	Type.Value/Voc	Mandatory	Comment
gx:providedBy	URI	Yes	A resolvable link to the Data Product Provider.
gx:consumedBy	URI	Yes	A resolvable link to the Data Consumer.
gx:dataProduct	URI	Yes	A resolvable link to the Data Product Description (after negotiation).
gx:signers	SignatureCheckType[]	Yes	The array identifying all required Participant signatures.
gx:termOfUsage	URI	Yes	A resolvable link to the Term of Usage.
gx:notarizedIn	URI	No	A resolvable link to the Notarization service.
gx:dataUsage URI		Yes	A resolvable link to Data Usage.

Data Usage

Attribute	Type.Value/Voc	Mandatory	Comment
gx:loggingService	URI	No	Link to the Logging Service.

Data Usage Agreement

Attribute	Type.Value/Voc	Mandatory	Comment
gx:producedBy	URI	Yes	A resolvable link to the Data Producer.
gx:providedBy	URI	Yes	A resolvable link to the Data Product Provider.
gx:licensedBy	URI[]	No	A list of resolvable links to Data Licensors .
gx:dataUsageAgreementTrustAnchor	URI	Yes	A resolvable link to the Data Usage Agreement Trust Anchor .
gx:dataProduct	URI	Yes	A resolvable link to the Data Product Description .
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GXFS-FR observability component

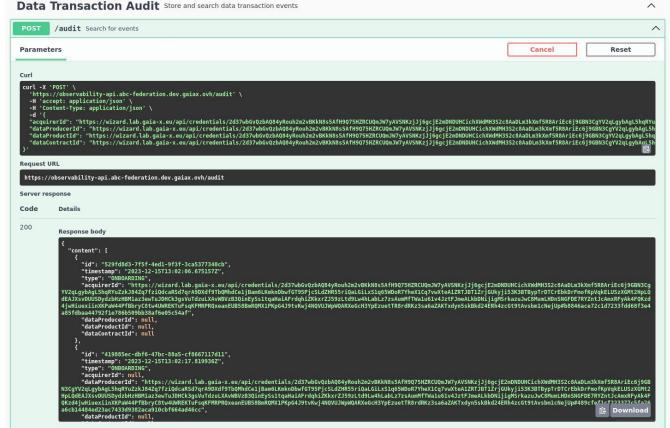


Observed (Cloud)Events

- Participant OnBoarding events
 - Data Producer
 - Data Consumer
- Contractualisation Events
- Data Access Events



Audit Trail







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SOLID protocol: A solid foundation for Data spaces 12:00 – 12:30

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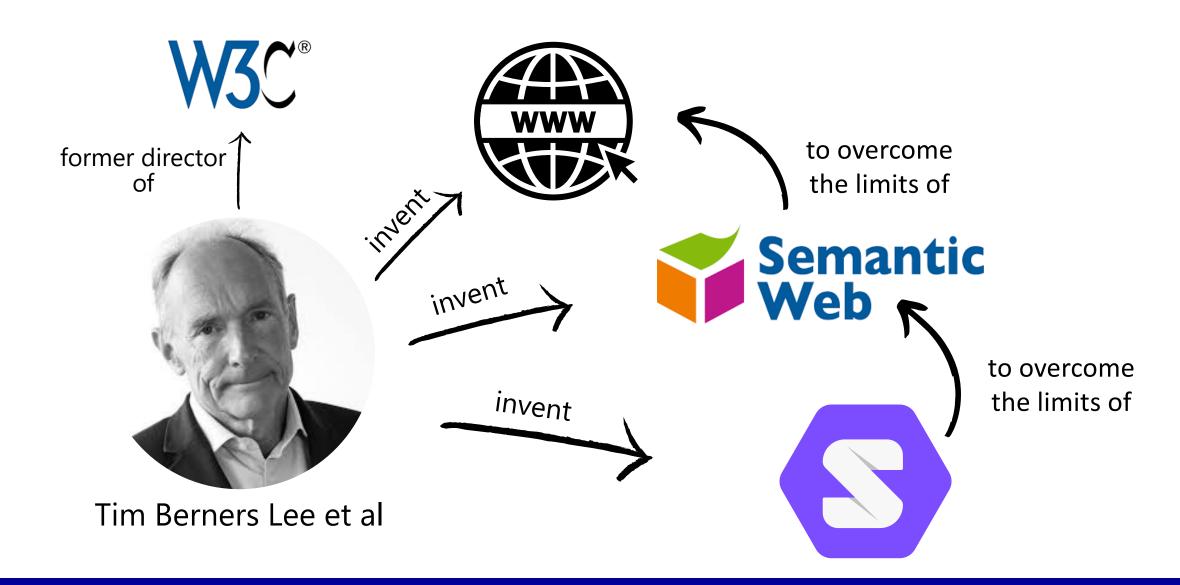
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A brief history of SOLID





What is SOLID?

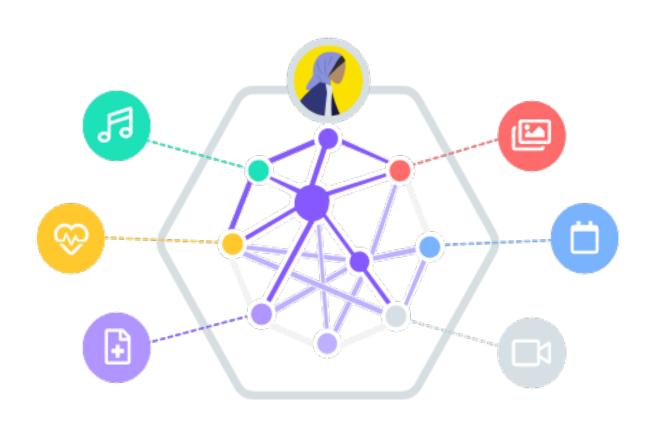




- Solid is a specification that lets individuals and groups store their data securely in decentralized data stores called Pods
- Pods are like secure web servers for data. When data is stored in a Pod, its owners control which people and applications can access it.

Your Pod: All your data, under your control





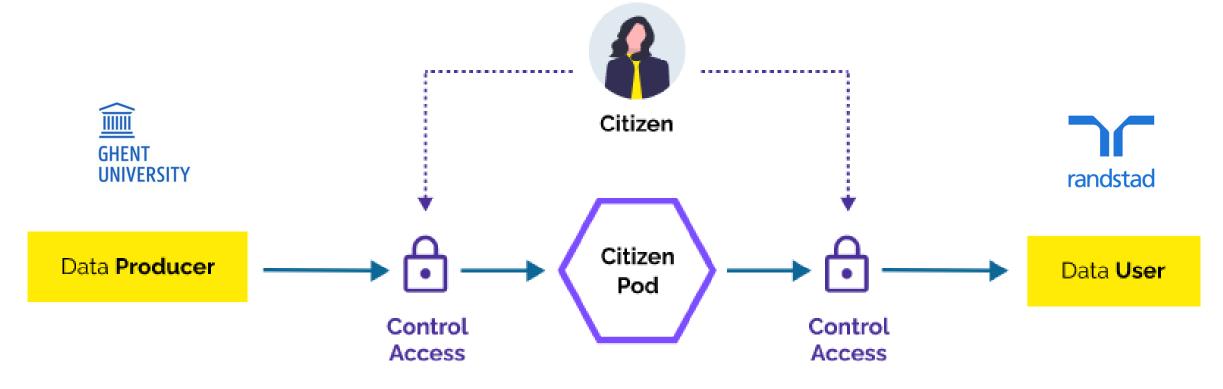
Any kind of data can be stored in a Solid Pod, from structured data to regular files that you might store in a Google Drive or Dropbox folder.

Individuals and groups can grant or revoke access to any slice of their data as needed.

Deployment of Solid by Athumi and the Flemish government



MyDiploma & MyCitizenProfile

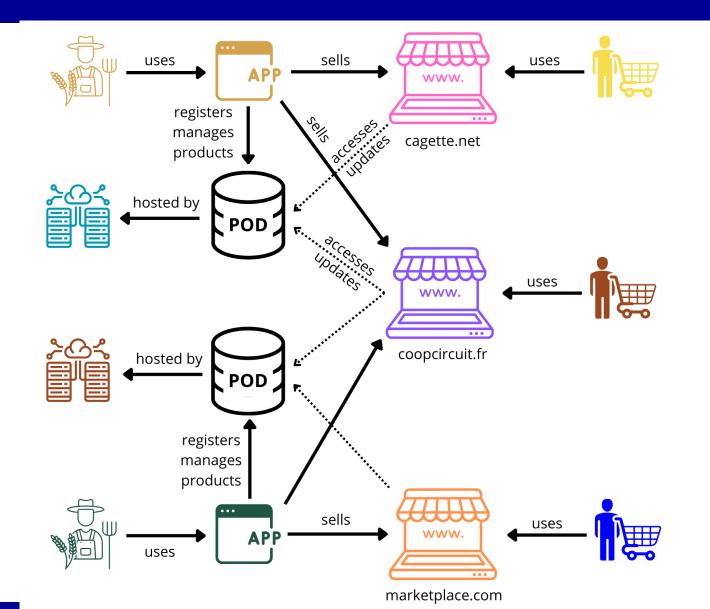


Other use cases: Health, Energy, Banking

Enabling the interoperability of local producers' catalogs



Open Food Network use-case



Open Food Network Use case

Producers can sell via multiple platforms.
They have full control over the management of their stocks

Standards to enable interoperability



All data in a Solid Pod is stored and accessed using standard, open, and interoperable data formats and protocols.

Solid uses a common way of describing things and their relationships that different applications can understand.



SOLID standards' stack



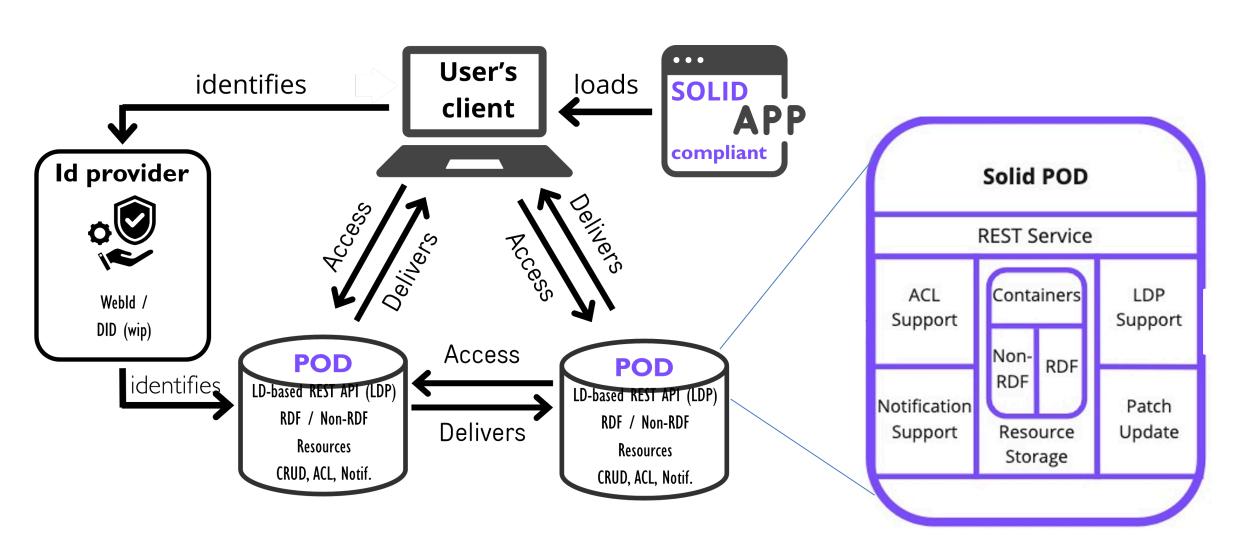
Layer	Interoperability	Agreements on standards and technologies
Dataspace	Application	• Additional agreements between participants of a specific dataspace
		• Services for easier data sharing, e.g. data catalog
		• Trusted third-parties that supervise the data sharing processes
Solid	Access	Decentralized identity (WebID, Solid-OIDC)
		• Access control (WAC)
		• Read-write Linked Data API (LDP)
Linked Data	Data	• Uniform data format (RDF in different serializations, e.g. Turtle, JSON-LD, N-Triples)
		Human- and machine-understandable data with semantics
		Knowledge representation via ontologies and shared vocabularies (RDFS, OWL)
		• Linked Data concepts (LD principles and 5-star LD)
Web	Communication	Uniform communication protocol (HTTP, HTTPS)
		Communication security and certificate authorities (TLS)
		• Common data formats (XML, JSON, HTML)

Solid Data Space on top of Solid and Web layers, <u>Sascha Meckler</u>, Fraunhofer IIS, 2023

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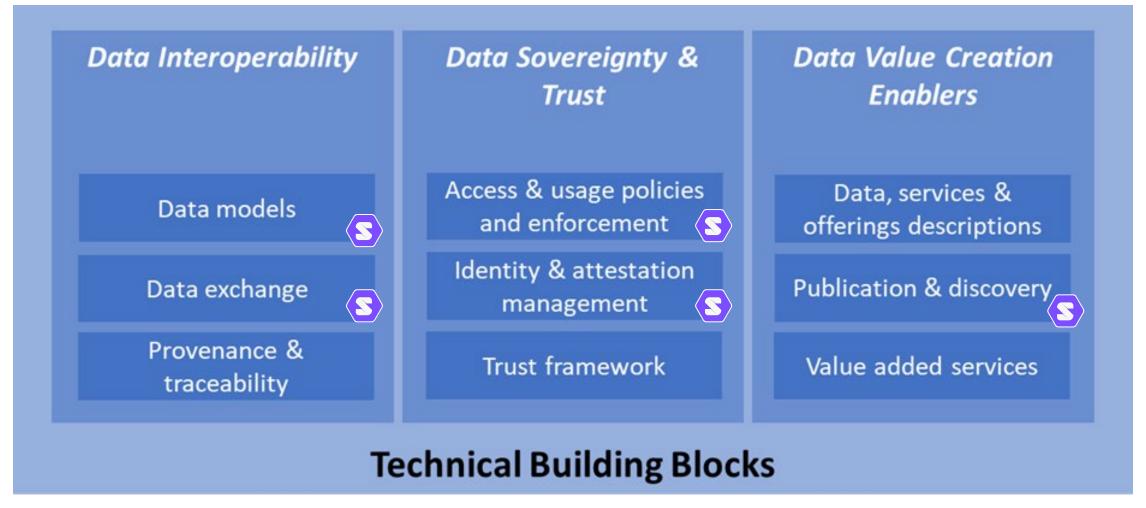
SOLID Architecture





Positioning of Solid vis-à-vis the DSSC's Technology Building Blocks





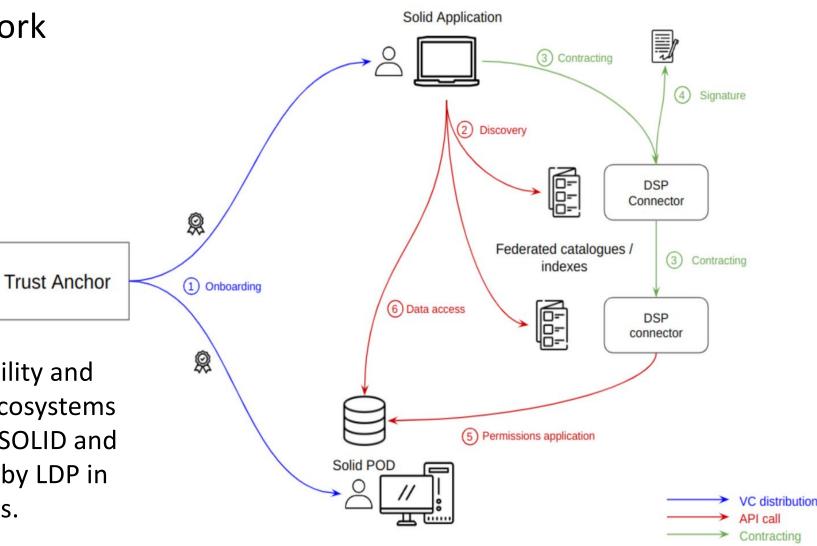
DSSC Blueprint 1.0 - Technical Building Blocks - Blueprint v1.0 - Data Spaces Support Centre (dssc.eu)

Integrating SOLID with IDS and Gaia-X ecosystems 1/4



Integration scenario (Work In Progress)

Using Solid for data discoverability and integration in the IDS & Gaia-X ecosystems via an indexing engine based on SOLID and Communica, with data retrieval by LDP in SOLID-based applications.



Integrating SOLID with IDS and Gaia-X ecosystems 2/4



Innovations

- LDP-based APIs as data plane allowing for direct access to data in a unified way
- Automatic management of permissions on the POD by the connector for efficiency but user still have the upper hand on it
- Proposed standardization of index format to unify data discovery and querying, and introduce a distributed search engine operating at the data level

Integrating SOLID with IDS and Gaia-X ecosystems 3/4



Limits

- WebACL are limited to simple identity-based access management schemes when the DSP handles delegation and more complex role-based schemes.
- Convergence between the WebID and did:web/did:jwt standards are explored
- Support for EIDAS-based identities should be investigated for broader adoption based on governmental use-cases

Integrating SOLID with IDS and Gaia-X ecosystems 4/4



Next step

- StartinBlox, Imec and PTX are joining forces to integrate SOLID opensource components with other open-source data space components
- PTX has established a consent driven data exchange protocol on top of the IDSA dataspace protocol, the GAIA-X trust model, as well as a connector to verify consent before starting data exchange
- Startin'Blox and Imec are now working with PTX to connect solid pods to this protocol and connector
- This will approach will be deployed in other data space opportunities, for example the skills and media ones



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Billions of Dollars Robbed from the Vulnerable Last Year in US consumer losses to \$8.8 bn fraud in 2022 increase in fraud from 70% 2020 to 2021 CREEDIT CARD increase in smishing 700% attacks in the UK in the first half of 2021 A Crime Against Humanity's Most Defenseless

How does SMISHING work?



1. An attacker, pretending to be a legitimate sender, sends an SMS

Attack Initiated Malicious Site Repeat Victim Tricked

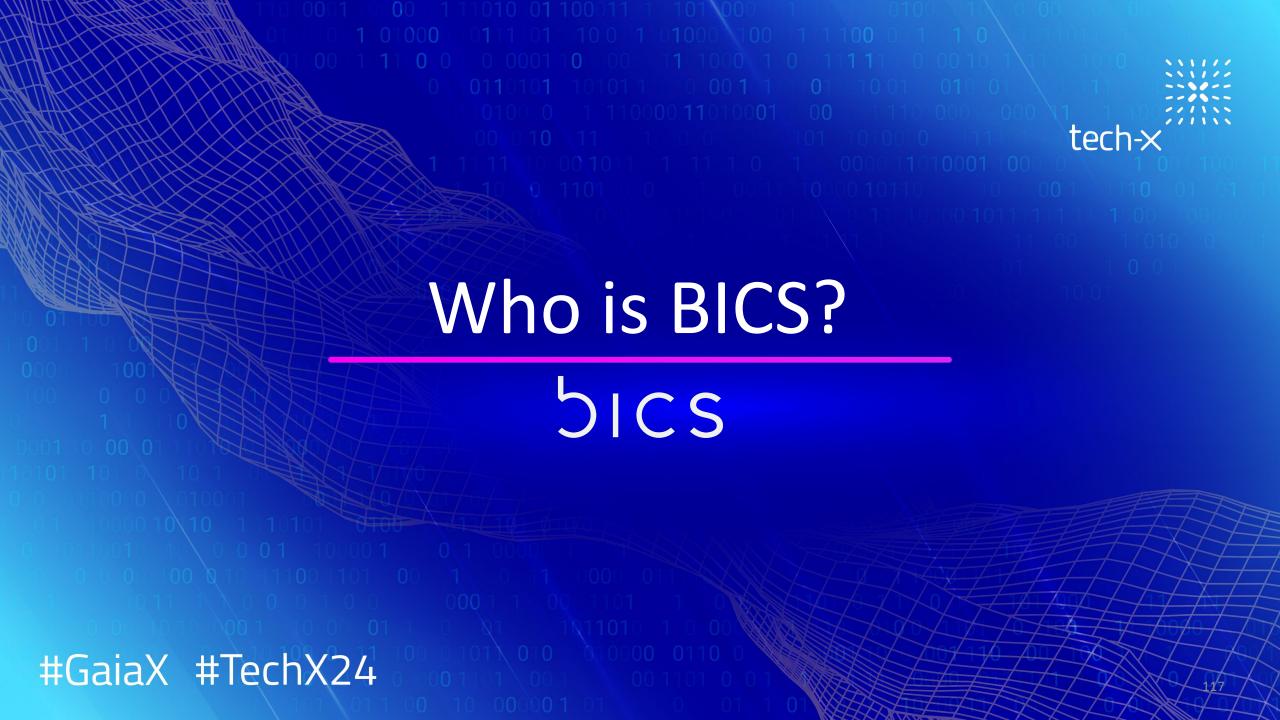
2. Victim clicks the URL without scrutinizing

5. The victim is usually also added to a "suckers list"

3. URL takes the victim to a malicious site.

4. The victim is tricked into sharing sensitive information





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BICS at a glance

Connecting everyone, everything, everywhere





6.8 billion **SMS**20 billion **voice minutes**



2.3 billion text messages between people



4.5 billion text messages between applications and people



€1 billion+ revenues



900+ **employees** around the world



Headquarters in **Brussels**, offices globally serving customers all over the **world**



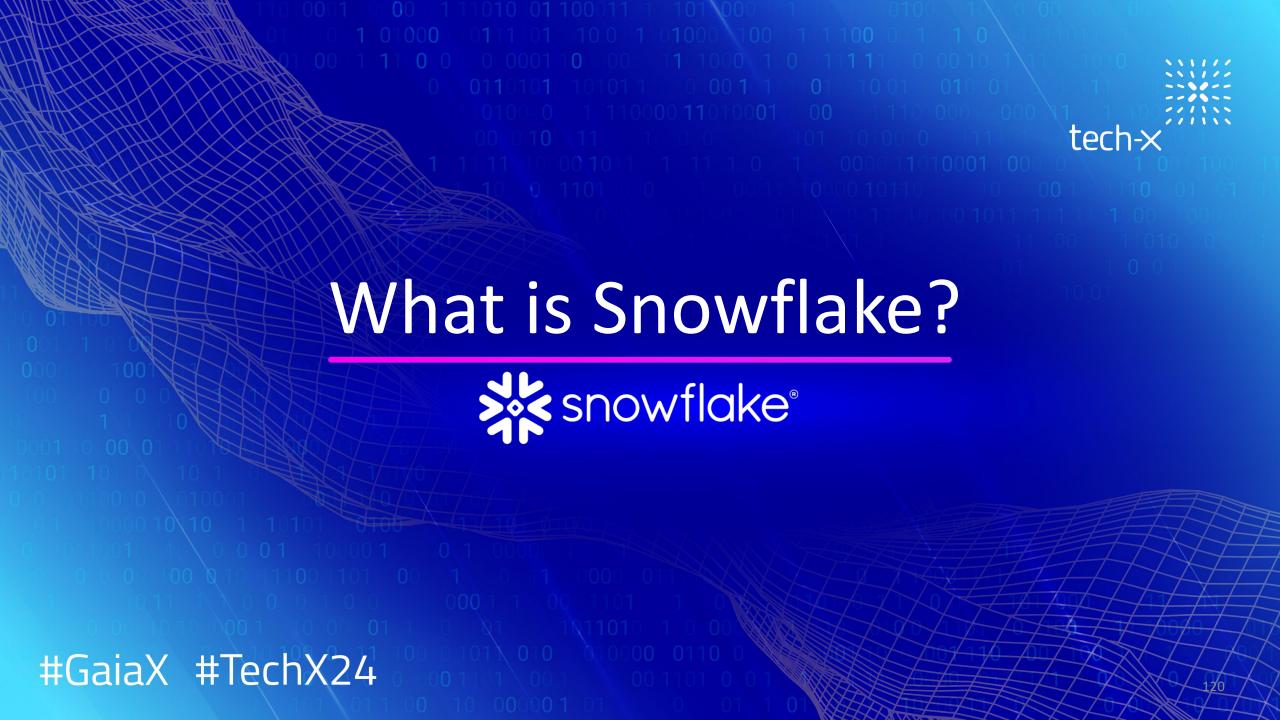
Carrying half of the world's data roaming traffic



Connecting
150 million+
IoT devices



BICS blocks
617 million fraudulent call attempts
473 million smishing attacks
507 million robocalls



The Snowflake Data Cloud

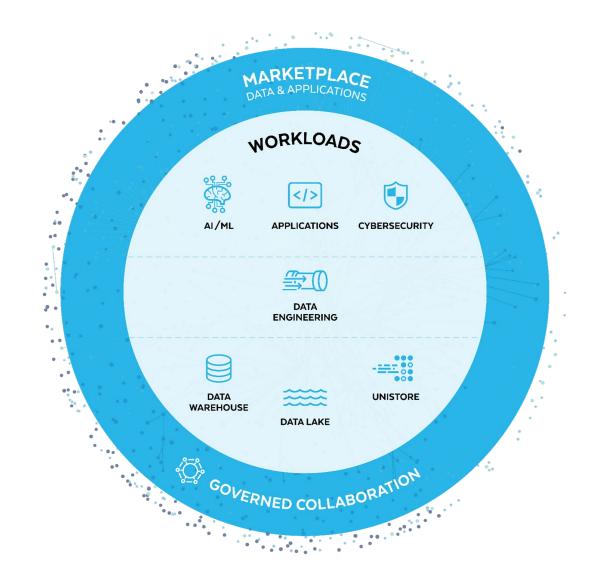
Snowflake Data Cloud

A global network connecting you to the most relevant content, powered by a single platform

>9.4K
Customers

>2.4K
Marketplace Listings

Figures as of Jan. 31 2024

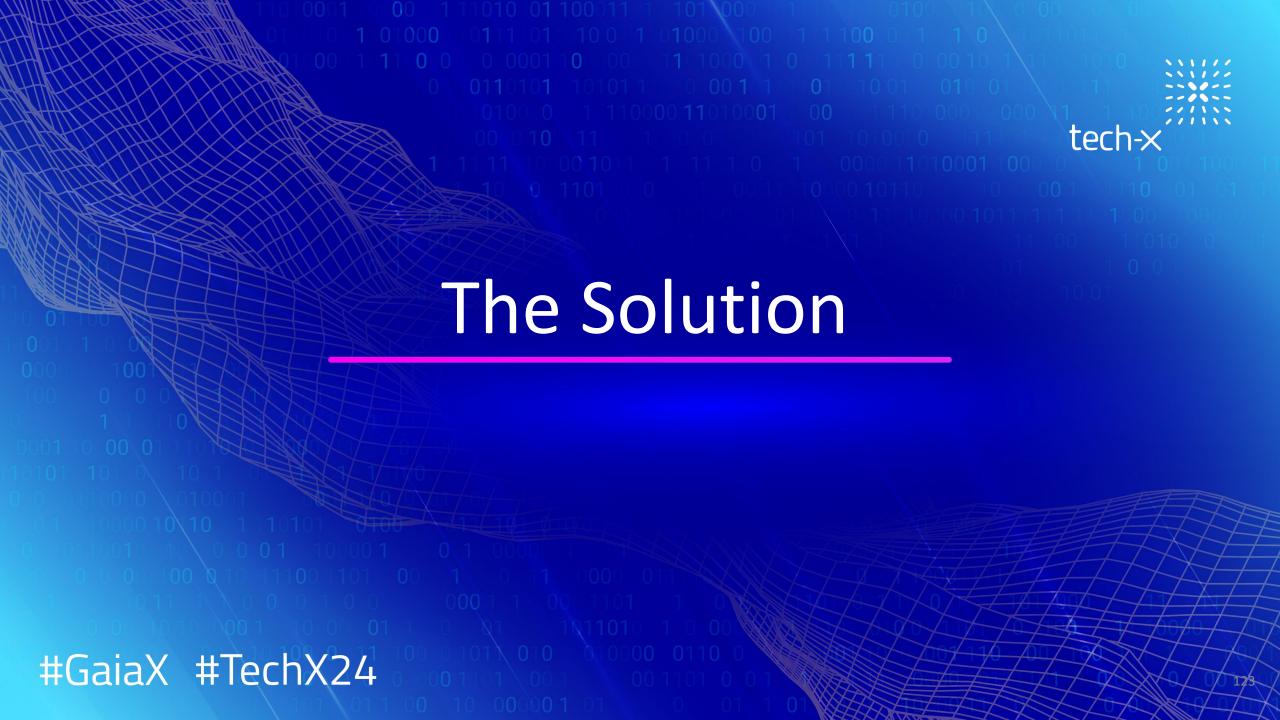


THE DATA CLOUD

THOUSANDS OF ORGANIZATIONS COLLABORATING WITH THEIR ECOSYSTEM

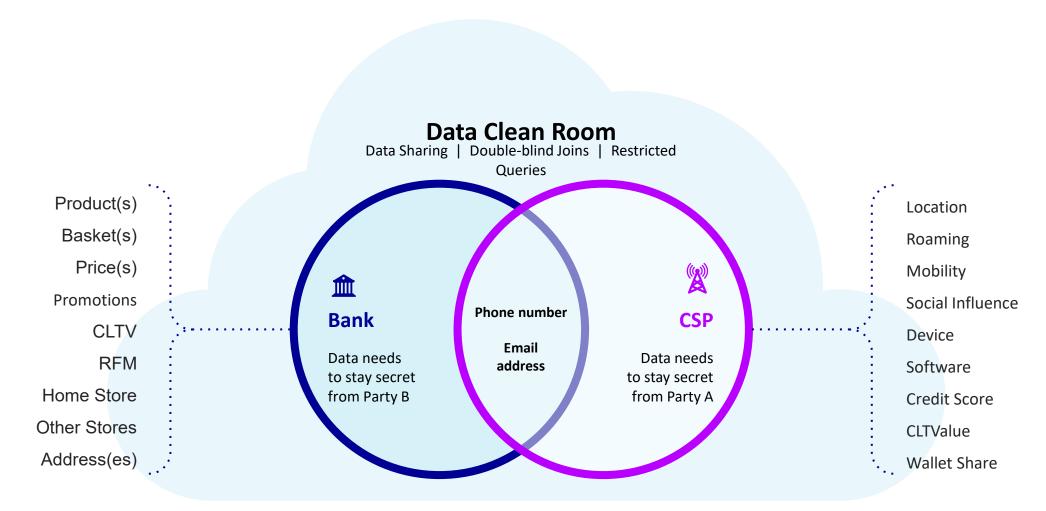


The Network Effect of the Data Cloud



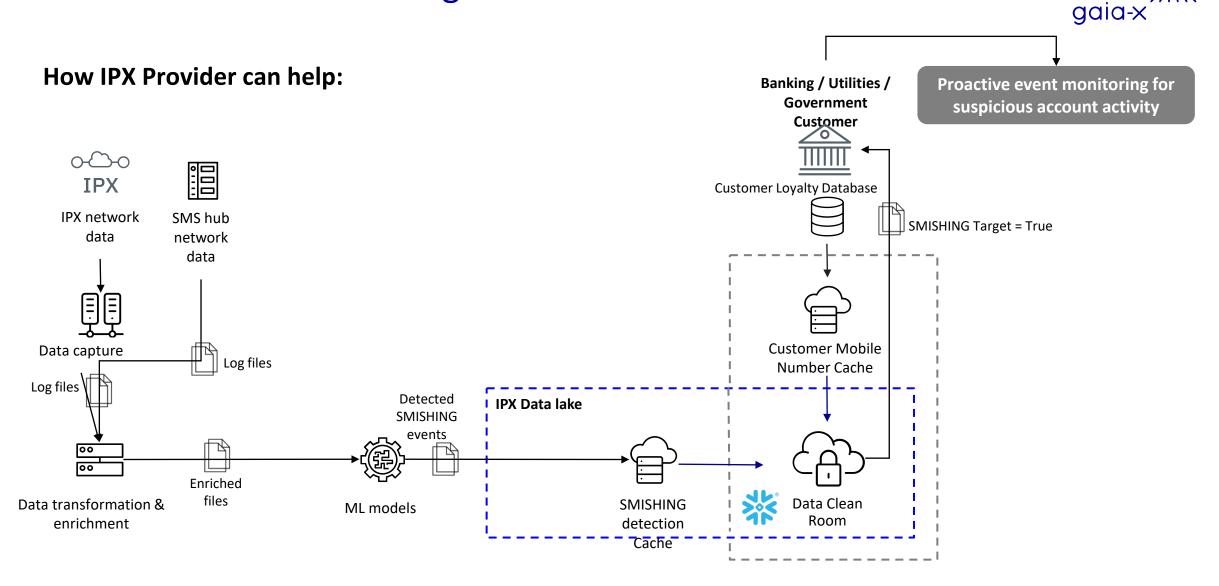
What are Data Clean Rooms?





Phone Number Is a Global Identifier

SMISHING Prevention using Data Clean Rooms







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Cybersecurity - Banking Fraud

SMISHING with Social Engineering Risk Signals

Background:

- SMS is a key channel to interact with brands and service providers.
- Bad actors know this and use SMS to defraud money and personal information.
- Americans lost over \$330 million to text message scams in 2022 with fake bank text messages being the most common scheme
- IPX Provider could play a role in helping banks prevent these kinds of fraud with early warnings social engineering

Idea:

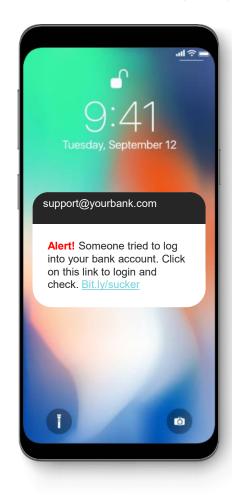
Provide risk signals to private banks when a mobile subscriber receives a SMS related to unsolicited payments / transactions / banking information. This includes the CLI seen by the user.

- payments fraud via international come is increasing
- vulnerable groups and increasingly targeted (senior citizens)
- these group tend to not talk about their attacks to avoid criticism or losing agency (children taking over their money management)
- the vulnerable groups tend to not be digitalized (don't read SMS properly, are likely to engage, if on they get into a voice conversation are likely to keep talking on a call, prefer printed information, etc.)
- SMISHING is often a first step for targets, then once engaged it escalates.
- targets are normally on a traded "suckers" list, so they will be targeted again
- banks can monitor for unusual activities on the user's bank account following an early threat signal
- bank can check if customer is in "vulnerable" category (senior citizens, surviving spouses of deceased, etc.).
- banks are facing legislation to better protect customers against fraud

There is also the possibility to augment this with a line-busy check ad-on if there is suspicious activity on the customers account (e.g., large payment or transfer of funds) to detect if customer is being socially engineered.

Note:

This is not just limited to the Banking Sector (any critical infrastructure could be targeted).



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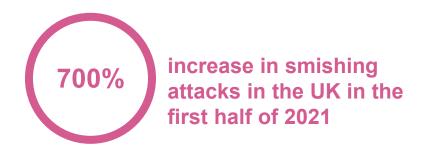
Why banks need a solution:

- Direct monetary losses linked to writing off fraudulent payments / transactions for customers
- Mistrust of SMS by consumers will lead them to abandon SMS as a channel and require banks to pump additional investment into other channels
- Cost of additional security measures and the impact on the experience of customers, for example through additional authentication steps

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Dataspaces and Federations





- Dataspace: business point of view
 - Similar to a Domain Ownership from Data Mesh
 - The Dataspace Authority specifies and maintains governance rules

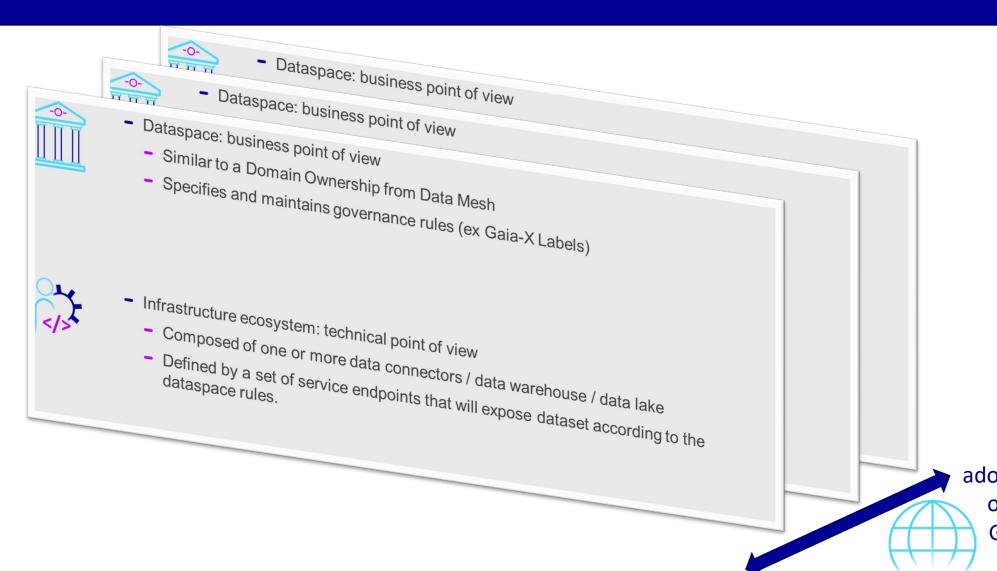


- Federations: technical point of view
 - Composed of one or more data connectors / data warehouse / data lake
 - Defined by a set of service endpoints that will expose dataset according to the dataspace rules.

- => A dataspace can span across several federations.
- => A federation can be used by several dataspaces.

Dataspaces and Federations





Shared governance
adopted across dataspaces,
operationalised by the
Gaia-X Digital Clearing
Houses

The scenario 2023





Dufour Storage is offering data storage services. Currently it is trying to build a competitive advantage based on Gaia-X standards.



Mont Blanc IoT provides IoT Device Management services.

They are currently looking for safe and trusted data storage.



River Trail is a company specialised in IoT market analysis.

They are buying data for studies and researches.

1. Bob the farmer A has installed IoT sensors from Mont Blanc IoT and the sensors are generating Data | ...

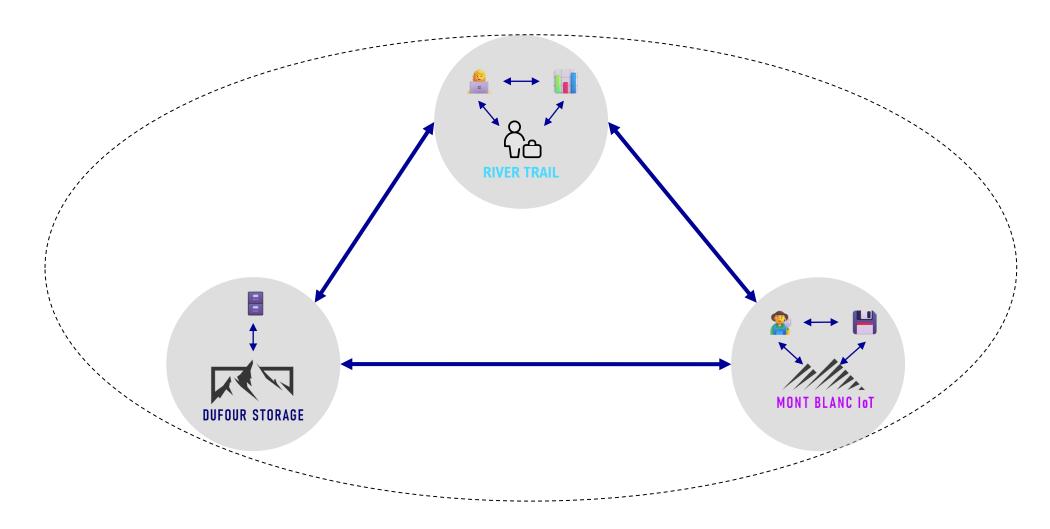
2. Mont Blanc IoT is looking for storage offering and found cloud storage 🚦 from Dufour Storage.

3. Alice 🖺 , a marketing research 📊 employee from RiverTrail is looking for IoT sensors data and found Bob's 2 Data 1.

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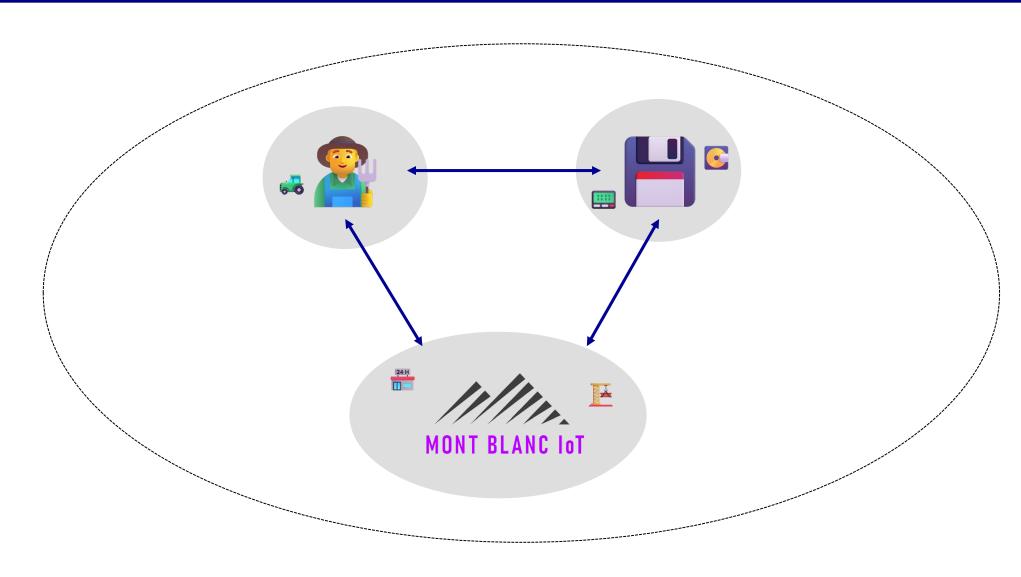


Alice \triangle , a marketing research all employee from from RiverTrail wants to process Bob the farmer Data from Mont Blanc IoT stored on a cloud storage from Dufour Storage.



The scenario: a simple chainable and nested schema

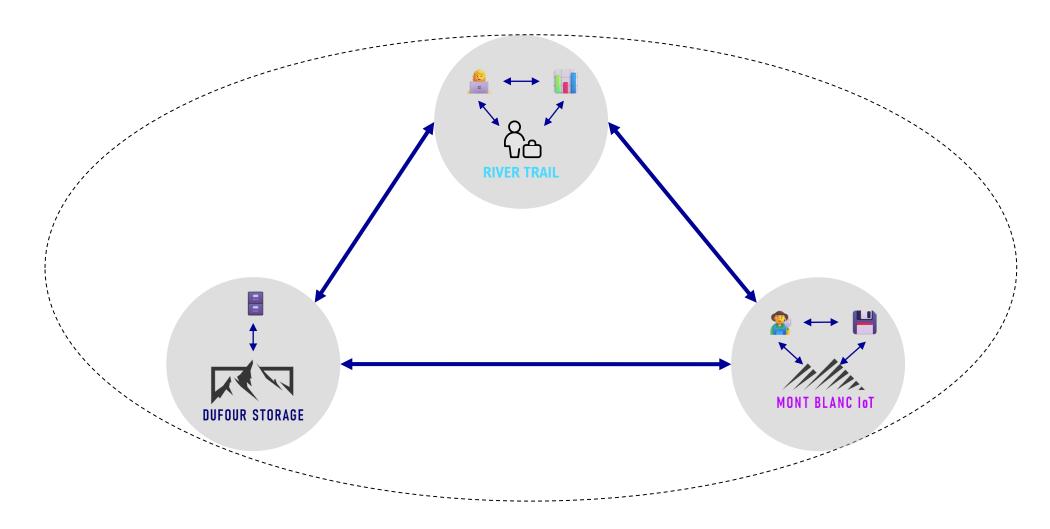


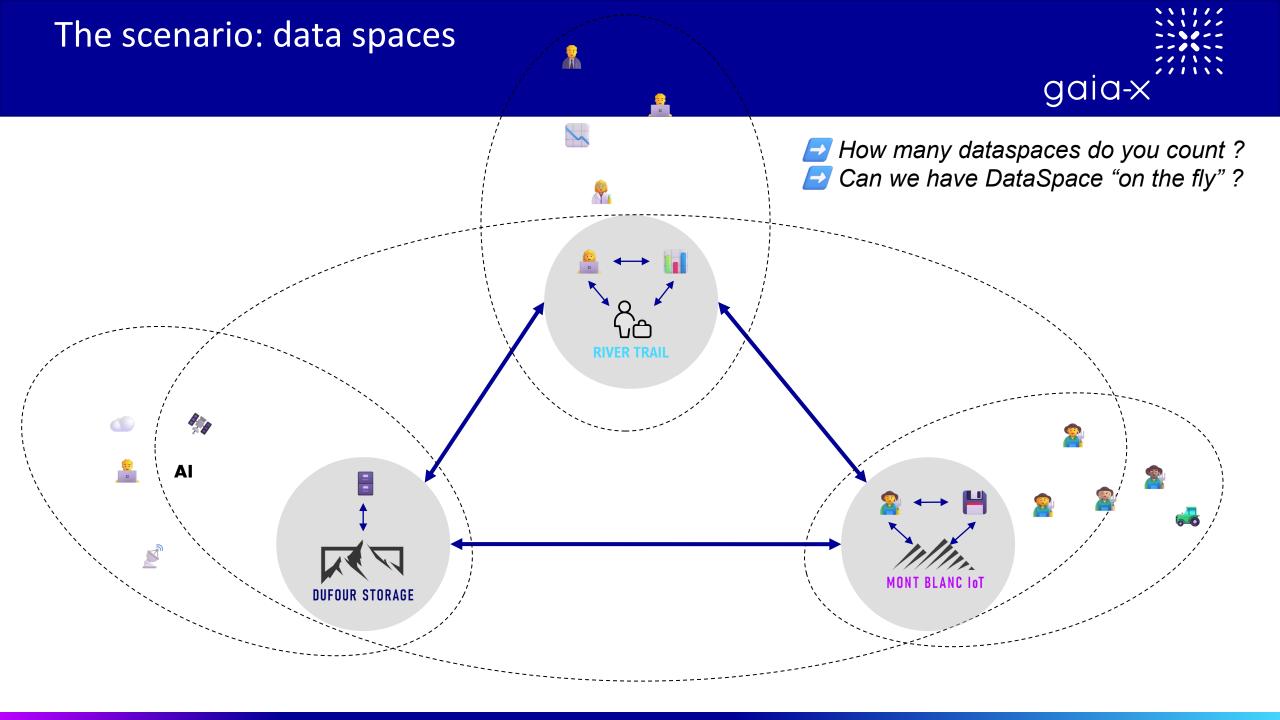


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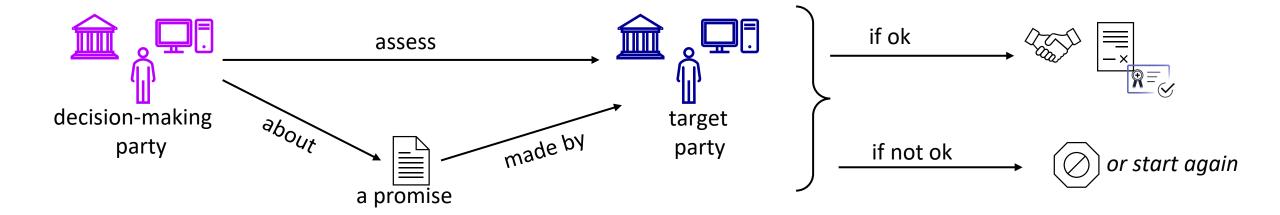
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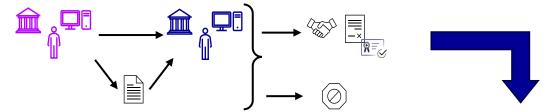
 Trust: the "favourable response of a decision-making party who assesses the risk concerning the target party's ability to fulfil a promise"



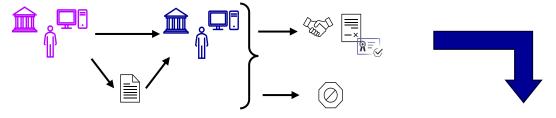
Trust



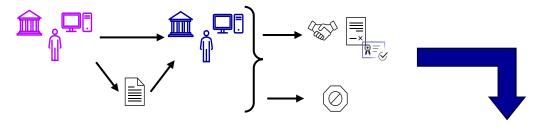
To onboard an ecosystem



To order a service for my domain



To access data for a specific purpose

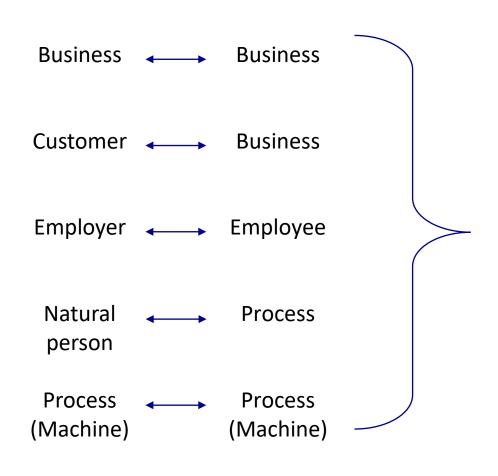


Trust with consistent policies everywhere



Cloud Services Federations with ABAC/RBAC (IPCEI-CIS), ...

Al Act. ...



Policy everywhere

- Contract / legally binding agreement
 - Buying a house in a notarial's office
 - Buying a soda in a vending machine
- Access control / Usage control
 - Standard Read/Write/Execute access
 - Data processing purpose negotiation and enforcement
 - Consent management
- Rights delegation
 - To a legal representative
 - To an employee
 - To a workload / service

GDPR, Data Act, ...

eIDAS v2. ...

Supervised / Automated

- The procedures to establish an agreement.
- The policy rules reasoning to reach an agreement.

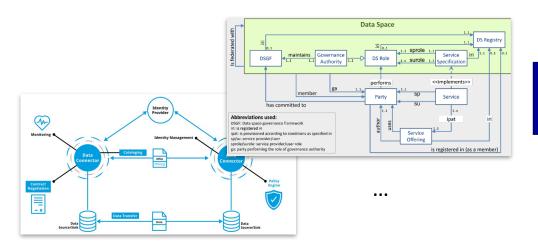
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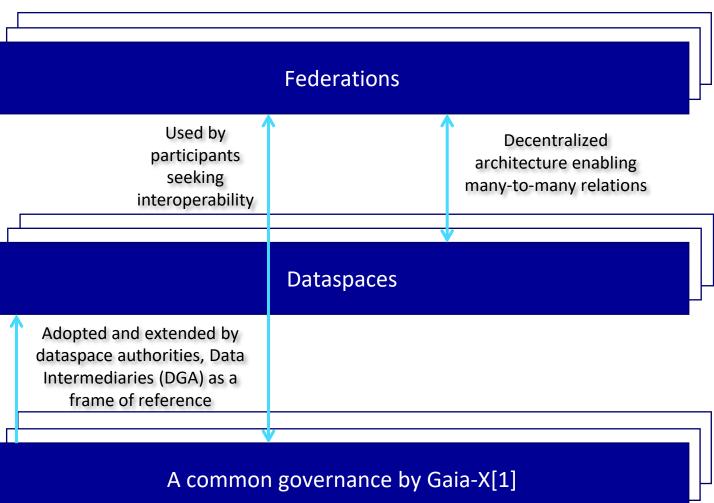




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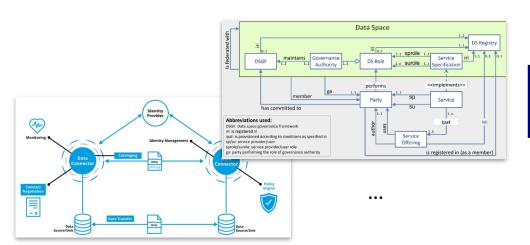
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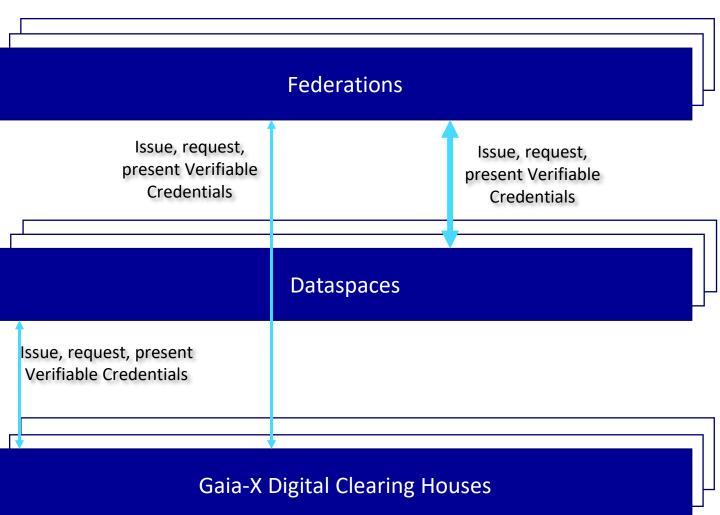




Simpl, ...







There are 2 interoperability scheme



- Technical + partial semantic interoperability because adopting de facto standards and information models.
 - No stickiness to Gaia-X rules.
 - No obligation to use GXDCH services.
 - Can use the GXDCH source code with non-Gaia-X rules.

- Organisational + partial semantic interoperability because based and optionally extending Gaia-X Compliance.
 - Must use GXDCH services.

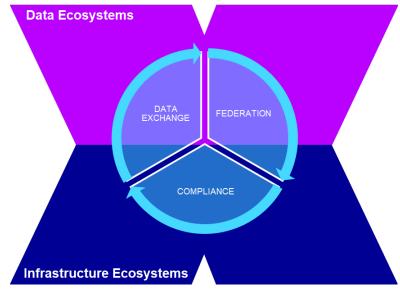




Gaia-X added-values

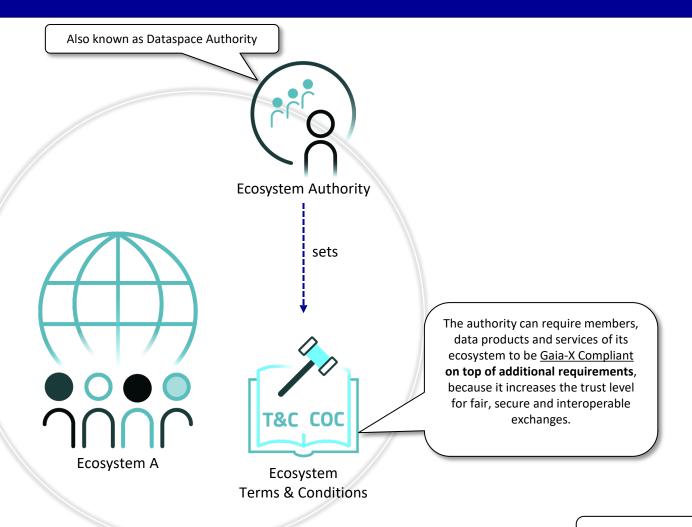


- Unexpensive and scalable K technology.
- Privacy-preserving with no lock-in nor lock-out for services and products
 discovery with the Federated Catalogues .
- Support multiple dataspaces governances, derived and elaborated significant from the common Gaia-X policy rules.
- Support multiple federations architectures , with a minimal technical footprint based on open-standards and open-source code.
- Cloud service switchability.
- Smart legal contract (Ricardian contracts) = .
- Enable users to self-determine their level of technical, operational and legal
 autonomies



Gaia-X Compliance adoption





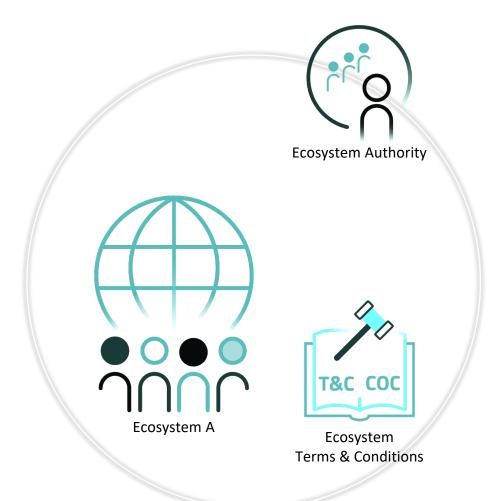
Gaia-X Compliance document.

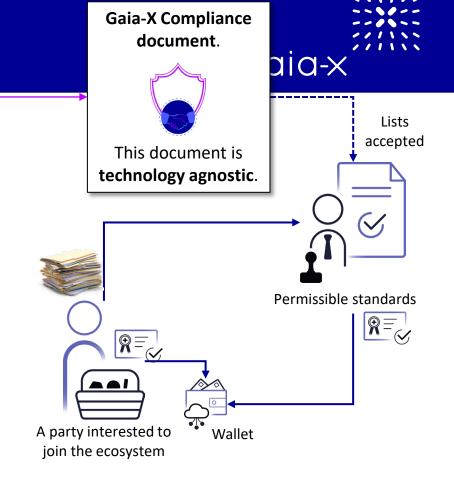


This document is **technology agnostic**.

The Gaia-X AISBL is not involved in the ecosystem setup / onboarding.

Ecosystem onboarding 1/3





Ecosystem onboarding 2/3

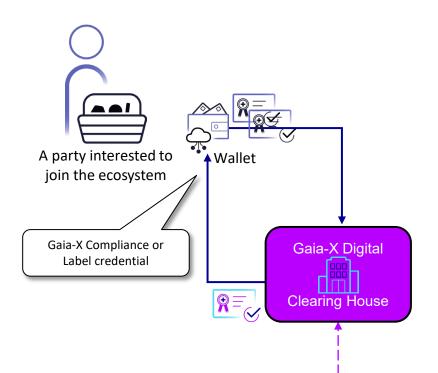






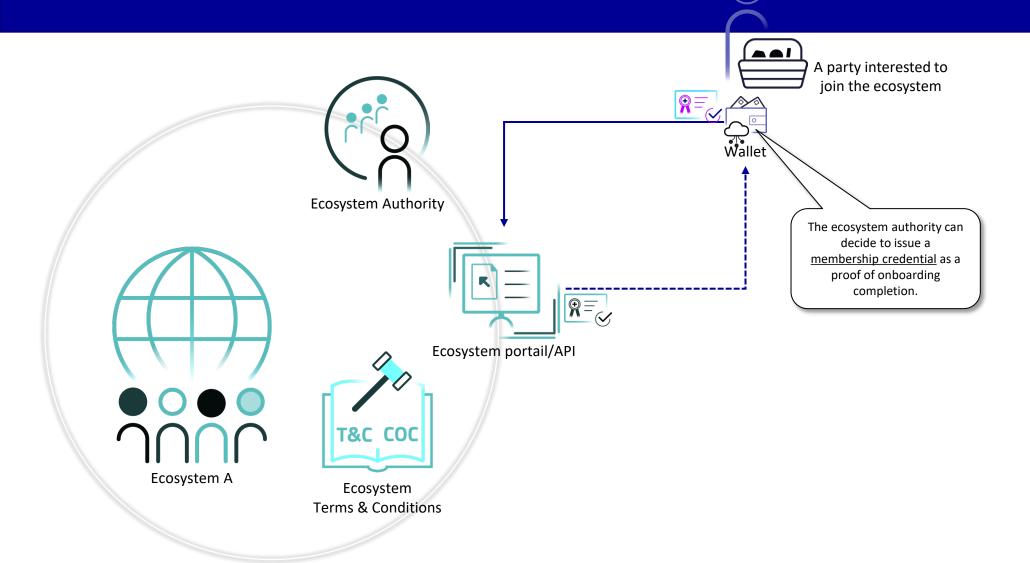






Ecosystem onboarding 3/3





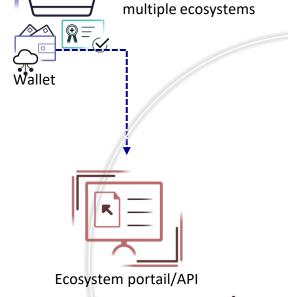
Federating ecosystems



Ecosystem Authority







A party interested to join





Ecosystem A



Ecosystem
Terms & Conditions

Those ecosystems improve their interoperability because their share common procedures/rules and semantic.

The same flow can be used to describe services and products, including data products, with their policies.

Gaia-X provided a common ground for interoperable Trust, extensible by the market and per vertical.

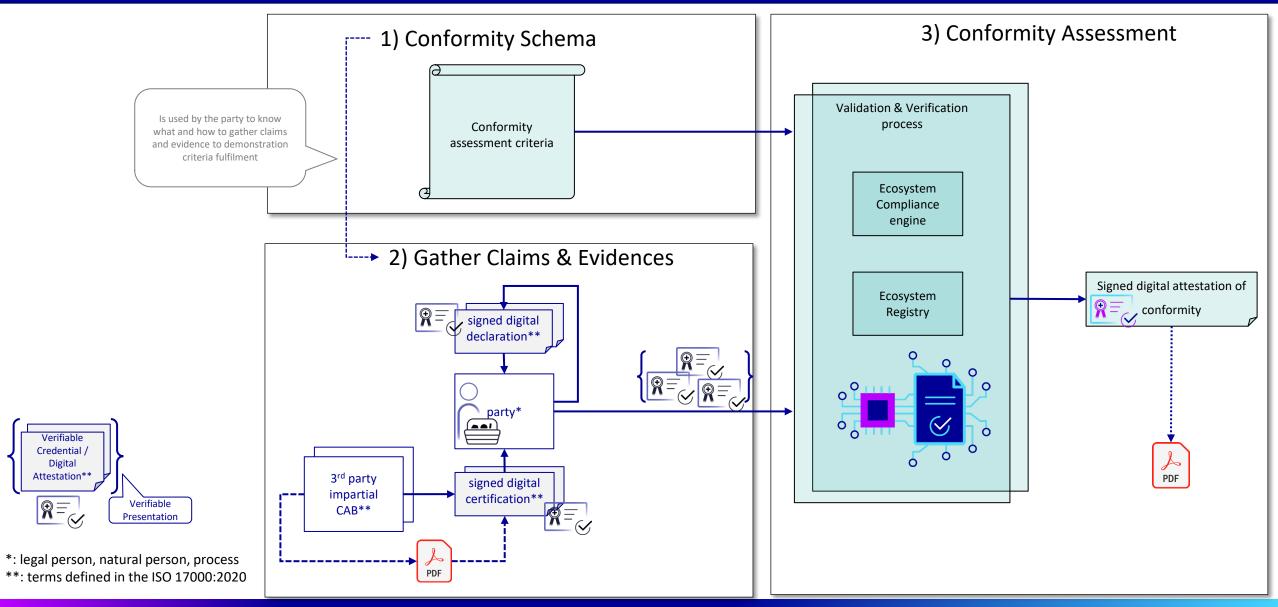
Ecosystem
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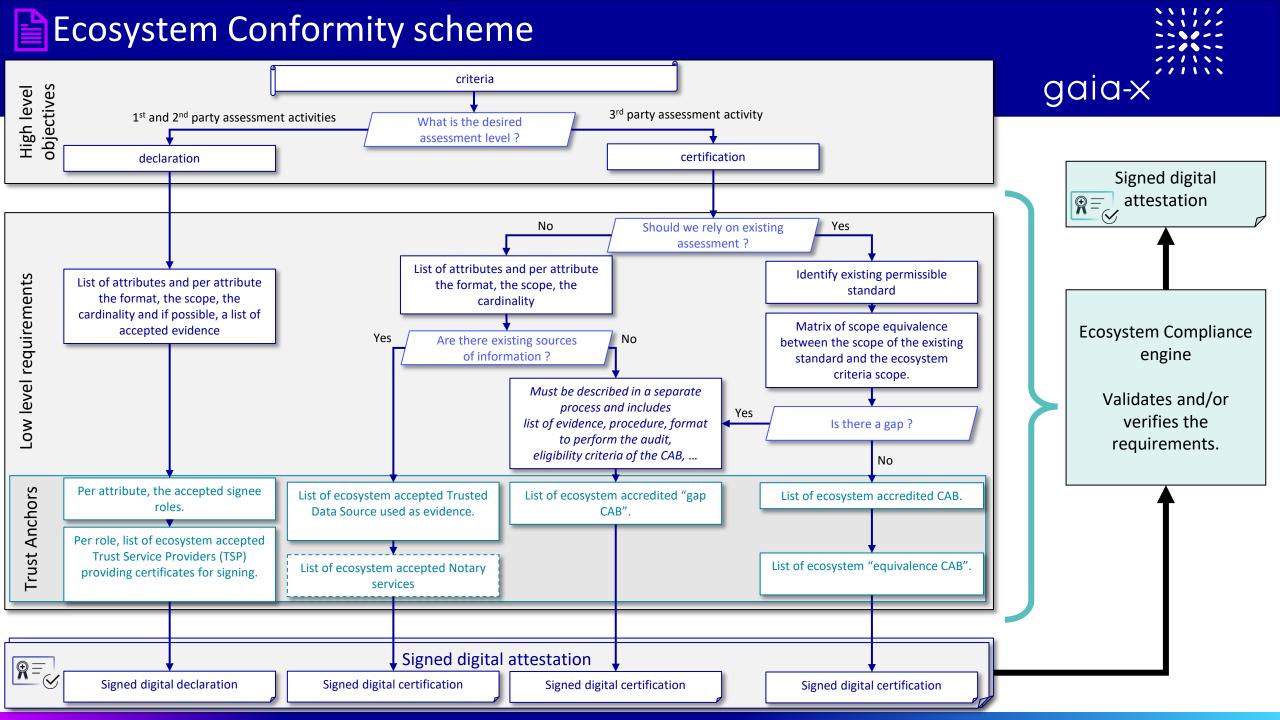
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The authority can decide to accept Ecosystem A membership credential as valid onboarding proof.

Global workflow

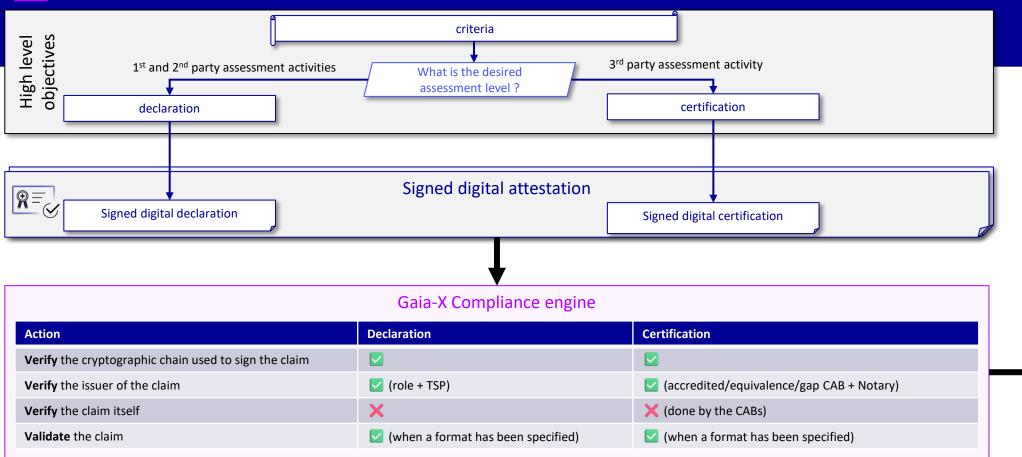






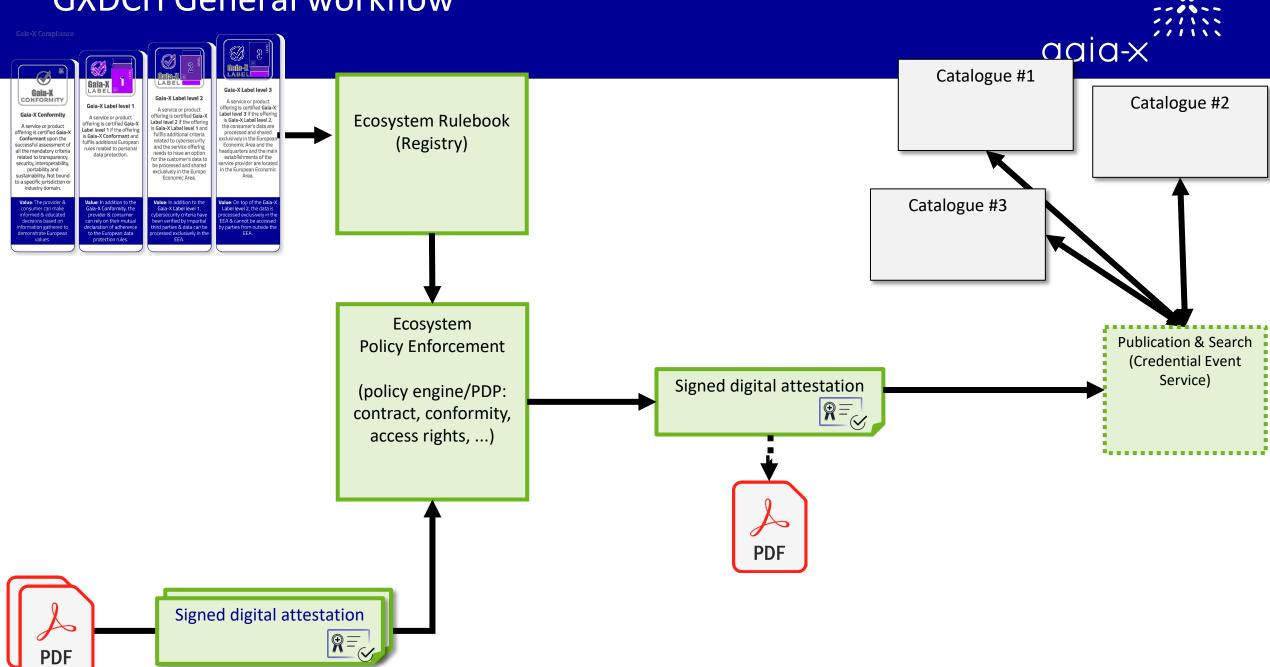
Conformity scheme



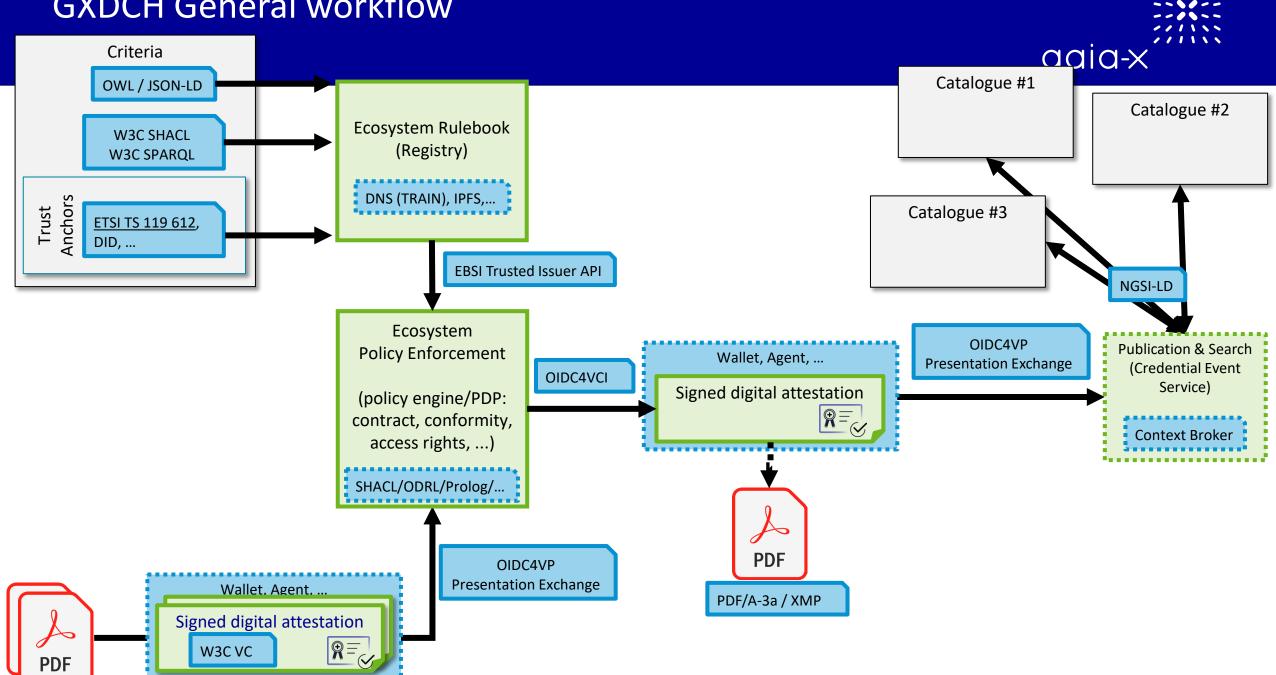




GXDCH General workflow



GXDCH General workflow



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GXDCH General workflow

Criteria



Digital signed

Criterion P1.1.5: The Provider shall clearly identify in each legally binding act the applicable governing law.

Conformity	Label L1	Label L2	Label L3
declaration	declaration	declaration	declaration

Declaration: Using the Gaia-X Ontology, the declaration shall detail the applicable governing laws for

the legally binding act, by indicating the ISO 3166-2 code of the respective country.

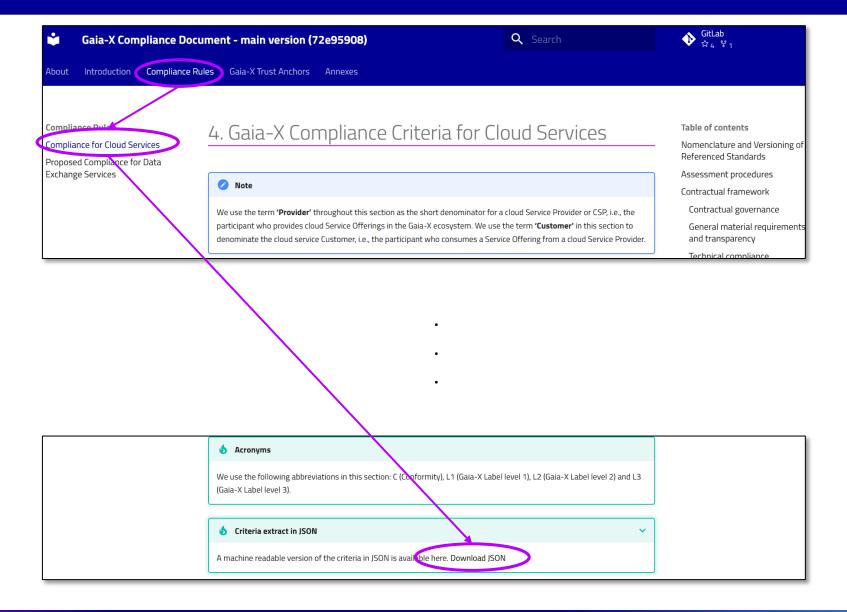
Criteria's translation

```
gx:PostalAddressShape a sh:NodeShape;
sh:targetClass gx:headquarterAddress, gx:legalAddress;
sh:property [
    sh:path gx:countrySubdivisionCode;
    sh:datatype xsd:string;
    sh:minCount 1;
    sh:pattern "^[a-zA-Z]{2}-(?:[a-zA-Z]{1,3}|[0-9]{1,3})$";
    sh:flags "i";
    sh:message "an ISO 3166-2 format value is expected.";
].
```

attestation ▶ @context: "VerifiableCredential" type: ▶ id: "https://www.riphixel.fr/...0-82ae-f0c89cc107 68.json" "did:web:www.riphixel.fr" issuer: ▼ credentialSubject: ▼ id: "https://www.riphixel.fr/workshop/demo2023/ 25ab6315-81b8-4f90-affb-94af099a025c.json" gx:legalName: "Riphixel" ▼ gx:headquarterAddress: gx:countrySubdivisionCode: "FR-59" gx:legalRegistrationNumber: gx:legalAddress: "gx:LegalParticipant" type: validFrom: "2024-05-06T21:56:55+00:00" validUntil: "2024-08-04T21:56:55+00:00" proof:

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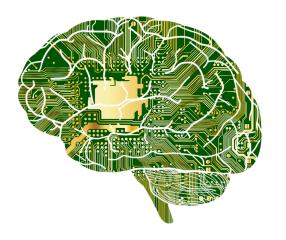
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Context: OASEES Horizon Europe project







OASEES

Open Autonomous programmable cloud appS & Smart EdgE Sensors

project aims to create OASEES programmability framework that will allow edge devices to work together in a decentralized and secure way, using advanced technologies such as AI/ML accelerators (FPGAs, SNNs, Quantum) and a privacy-preserving Object ID federation process. This will be fully European open-source framework.



5ЯЅКДітv: 3 years (2023-2025)

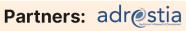
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/TVISTIFIU: 21 partners from 9 EU countries

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construction)

























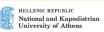






















Context: OASEES Use Cases





USE CASES



E-Health: Smart Nodes for Analysis of Voice, Articulation and Fluency Disorders in Parkison Disease



Energy: EVs fleet coordinated recharging to support optimal operation of electricity grid.



Drone Swarm for area and infrastructure inspection: Drone Swarm over 5G for High Mast Inspection.



Structural Safety for Building and Critical Infrastructure: Swarm powered intelligent Structural safety assessment for Buildings



Collaborative robotic automation: : Robotic Swarm powered Smart Factory for I4.0



Wind Energy: Smart Swarm Energy harvesting and Predictive Maintenance Wind turbines



A real-world Business Case

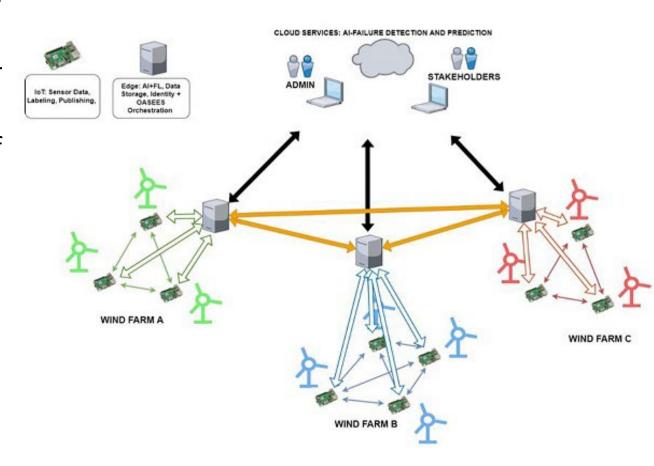




- The Wind Farm owners share acoustic data with the Wind Turbine maintenance company
- The WT maintenance companies provide a WT blade anomaly detection service: Using signal processing methods and AI, they are able of detecting blade damage and to launch preventive maintenance actions.

Data product:

Blade Acoustic Monitoring Swarm System





Wind energy Data Product definition





The Data Product Canvas

Name of Data Product: Blade Acoustic Monitoring Swarm System

Who is the customer? Wind Farms owners – Wind turbine Maintenance companies

We create the data analytics solution

... for the following customers and users

Data Sources

What data sources do we need to create customer value?

Wind turbines (WT) acoustics monitoring systems: This refers to systems that monitor the acoustic characteristics of wind turbine blades. These systems collect raw acoustic data, providing insights into the sound produced by the blades during their operation.

WT blade failure and stop historic. This involves gathering information about the historical occurrences of blade failures and instances where the wind turbine had to be stopped.

WT blade maintenance plan. It outlines the schedule and procedures for maintaining and servicing the blades, ensuring optimal functionality and preventing potential failures.

Analytics



With which data analytics methods do we generate insights from the data?

Signal Processing Methods: identifying relevant features in the sound patterns failures associated with turbine performance and potential.

Neural Networks Trained by Distributed Learning Algorithms:
Neural networks, a type of artificial intelligence, will be employed to recognize complex patterns in the acoustic data.

Data Product



In which form do we provide the data service to our users and customers?

Technical Reports Based on Processed Acoustic Dataset: information included in the reports consists of datetime, wind turbine id, wind turbine height and diameter, and labelled anomalies.

Wind Turbine Blades anomaly detection: Unusual patterns or anomalies in the acoustic data that can indicate issues with the blades.

Maintenance Prediction and Impact on LCOE (Levelized Cost of Energy): potential impact of maintenance activities on the Levelized Cost of Energy Dynamic Maintenance Plan According to Blade Health Status: The data product includes a dynamic maintenance plan that adapts based on the real-time health status of the turbine blades.

Anonymized Blade Acoustic Data:

To address privacy concerns, the product includes anonymized versions of the raw acoustic data.

Customer benefits



What added value and what advantages does the data service generate to our users and services?

This data service adds value by improving turbine performance, offering non-intrusive monitoring, enabling proactive analysis and detection, ensuring algorithm reliability, evaluating maintenance cost impact, and providing anonymized data for further analysis and development.

These advantages collectively contribute to a more efficient and cost-effective management of wind turbine operations.

Pains and Gains



What wishes, problems and challenges do our customers and users have?

Wishes:

 Privacy and data protection between stakeholders (Wind Farms owners – Maintenance companies)

Problems:

- Lack of availability, quality and veracity of the raw acoustic blade data.
- Expensive blade failure detection methods.
- Wind turbine shutdown for blade inspection.

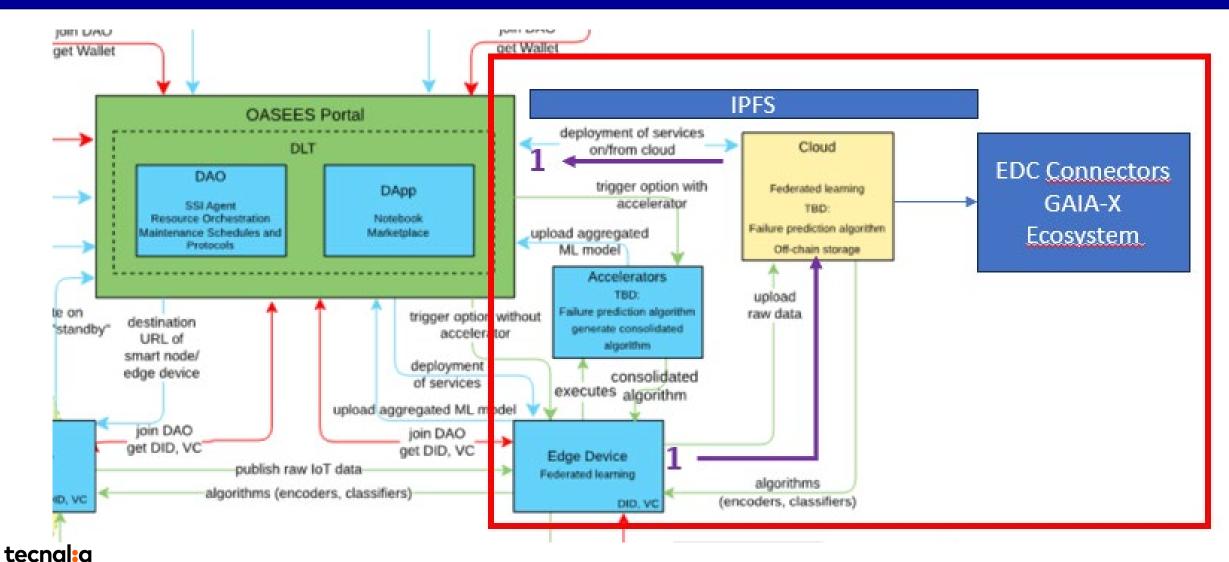
Challenges:

- Improve Operational and Maintenance Expenditure elaborating dynamic maintenance plans.
- New and innovative alternatives to diagnose blade status.



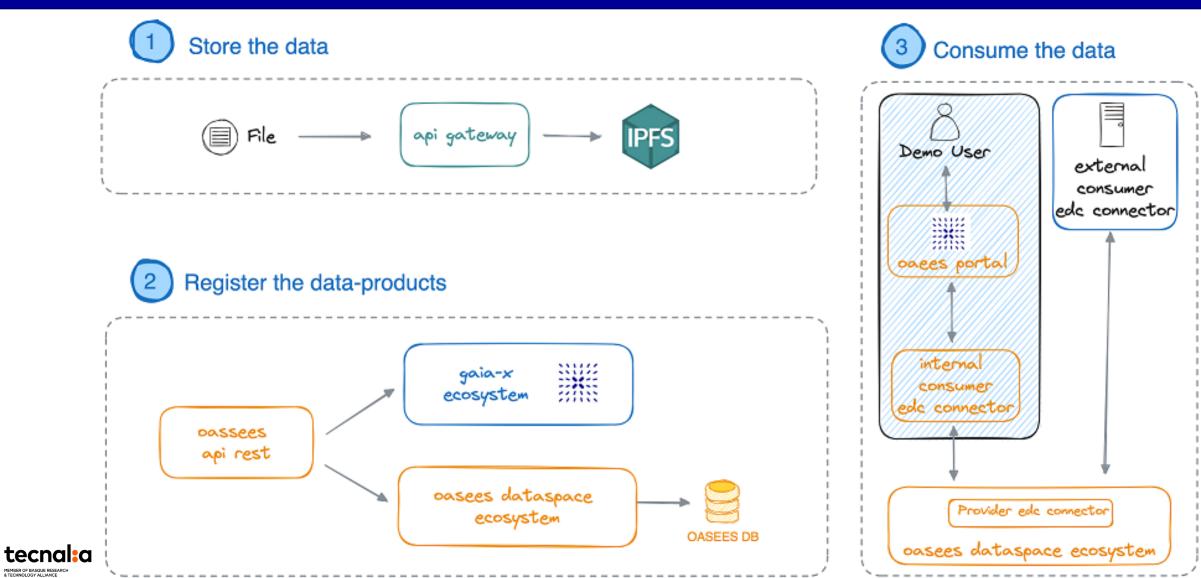
Close view on Use case data gathering





The process to make a Data Product for Gaia-X

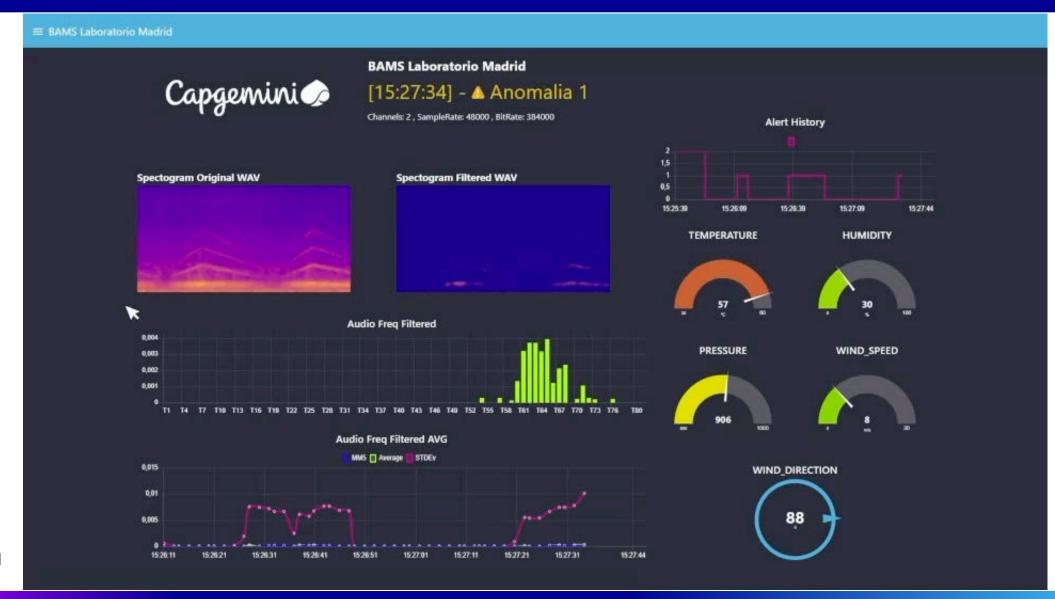






DATA PRODUCT generation (Technical Report)



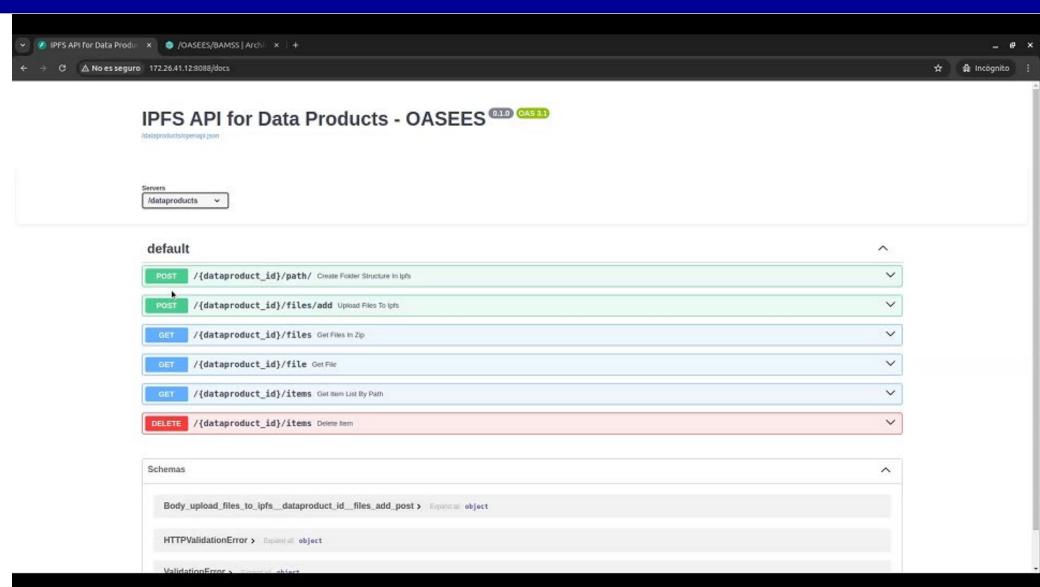






Checking that the DATA PRODUCT is stored in IPFS



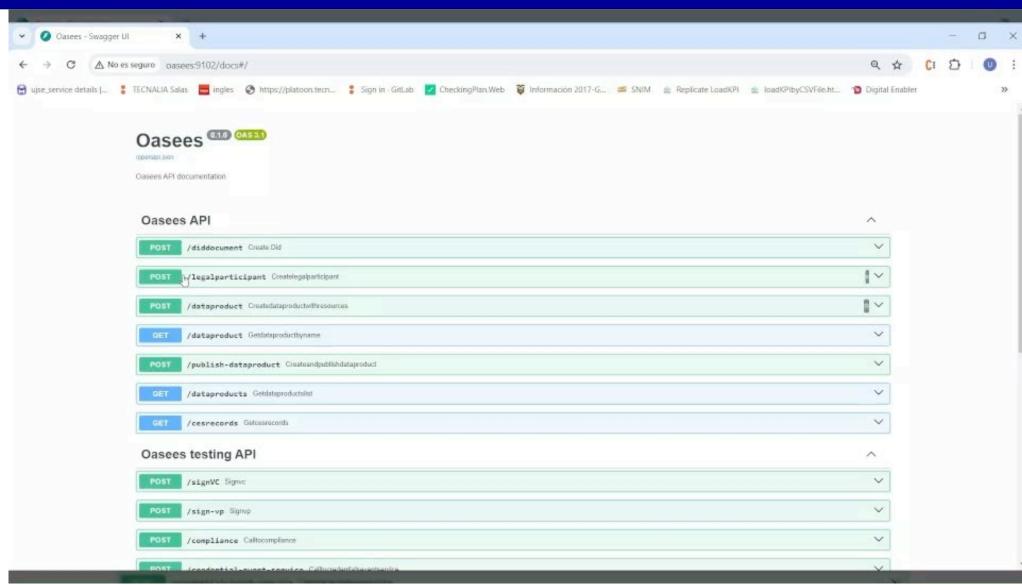






Generating the Verified Credentials for the Data Product offer



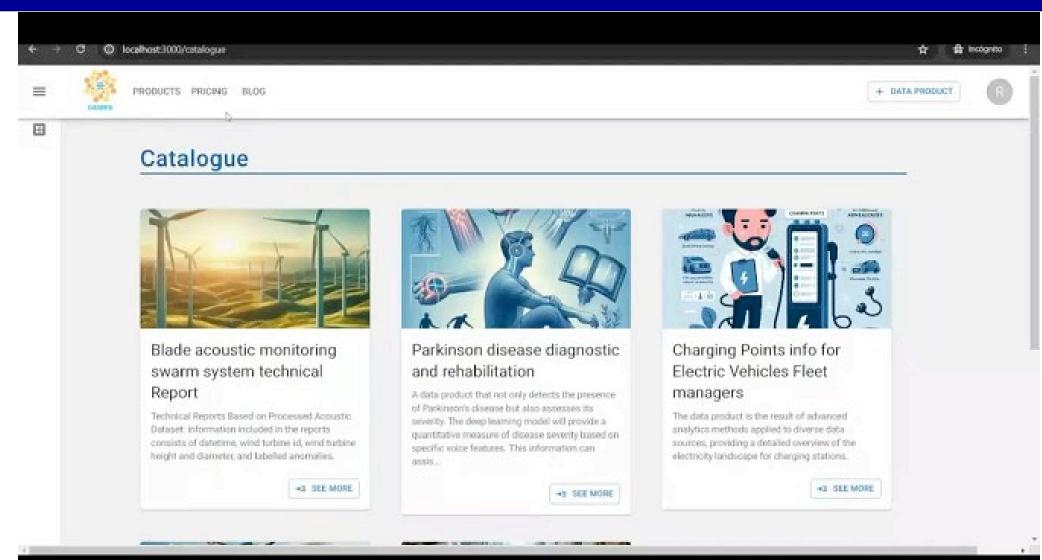






Data Product consumption









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Controlling Data in Gaia-X: Utilizing Policy as Code for Product Carbon Footprint Sharing and Estimation





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Agenda



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- Product Carbon Footprint Sharing (Use Case Part 1)
- Policy and Policy as Code
- A Company Service, Data Space Service, and Service for Multiple Data Spaces
- Implementing
 - Access Policies, Admission Policies, Content Policies, "Sharing" Policies
- Product Carbon Footprint Estimation (Use Case Part 2)
- Implementing
 - Usage Policies
- Policy Management

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Use Case Part 1: Product Carbon Footprint (PCF) *Sharing*

- Reliably store PCF information for Engineers and keep it available.
- Allow fine-grained access control to protect the PCF provider's business interests.
- Access through an API



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M30X HIGH HARD TOOL

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Steel One . Tool Steels

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M30X HHT is a corrosion-resistant, martensitic chrome steel with very good toughness, corrosion resistance, wear resistance as well as improved cutting and polishability properties.

M30 Screw

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Quality Screws . galvanized

DIN 933 / ISO 4017 - Steel 8.8 galvanized - M30x320 - hex bolt; fully threaded

Policy



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"A set of ideas or a plan of what to do in particular situations that has been agreed to officially by a group of people, a business organization, a government, or a political party."

- Cambridge Dictionary

- Policies are not an end in themselves!
 - Goals → Instruments → Implementation

Examples:

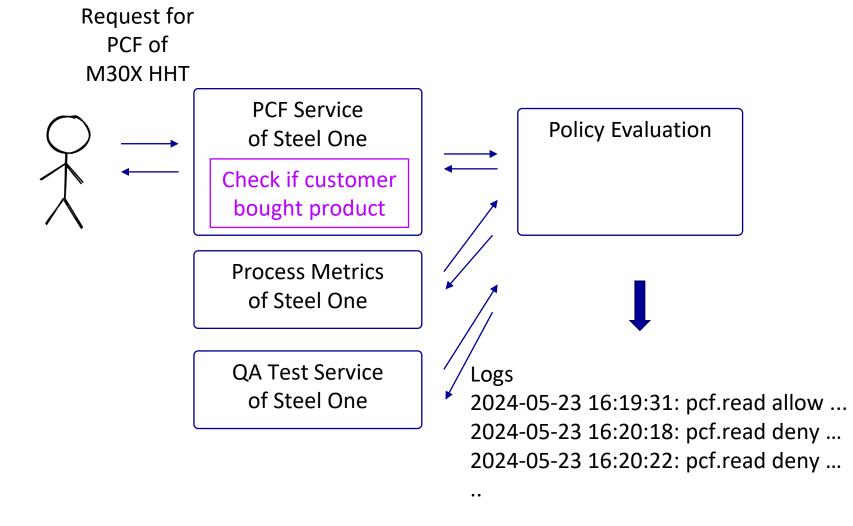
- Protect process IP → Coercion → Rolebased access control
- Provide historical data reliable → Coercion
 → Retention of data (forbid deletion)
- Increase data quality → Suasion → Offer discounts on audits

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Policy as Code



- Example:
 - Only customers who bought a product can access its PCF
- Decouple from Application
 Code
 - Policy Enforcement Point
 - Policy Decision Point
- Reusable over multiple services
- Central decision logs



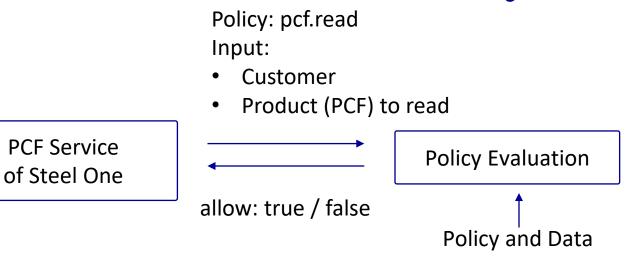
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Policy as Code Language

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- In Gaia-X, two Domain Specific Languages are especially interesting
 - ODRL (Open Digital Rights Language) with OVC profile
 - 2. Rego (for Open Policy Agent)



```
package pcf.read

import data.pcf.crm.is_customer

default allow := false

allow if {
    is_customer

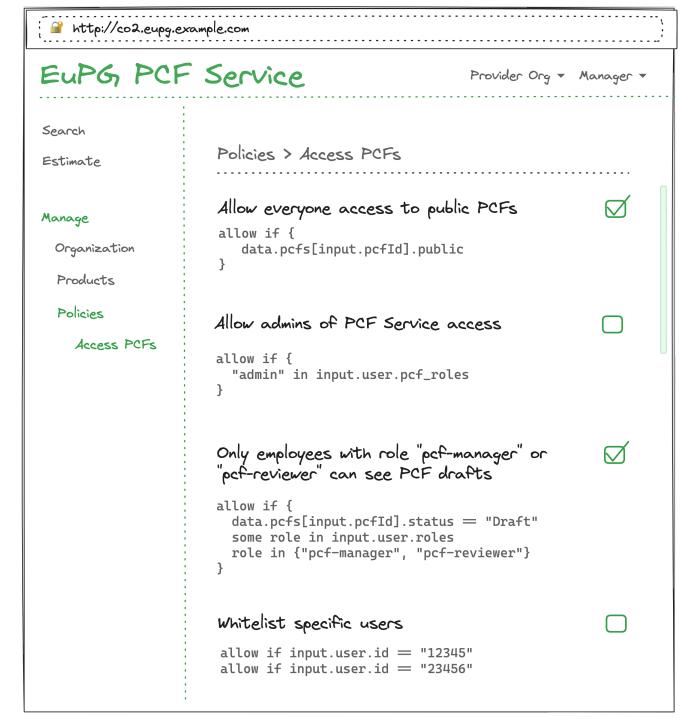
    input.product in
        data.customers[input.customer].products_bought
}
Rego Example
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Access Policies (1) PCF Data and User

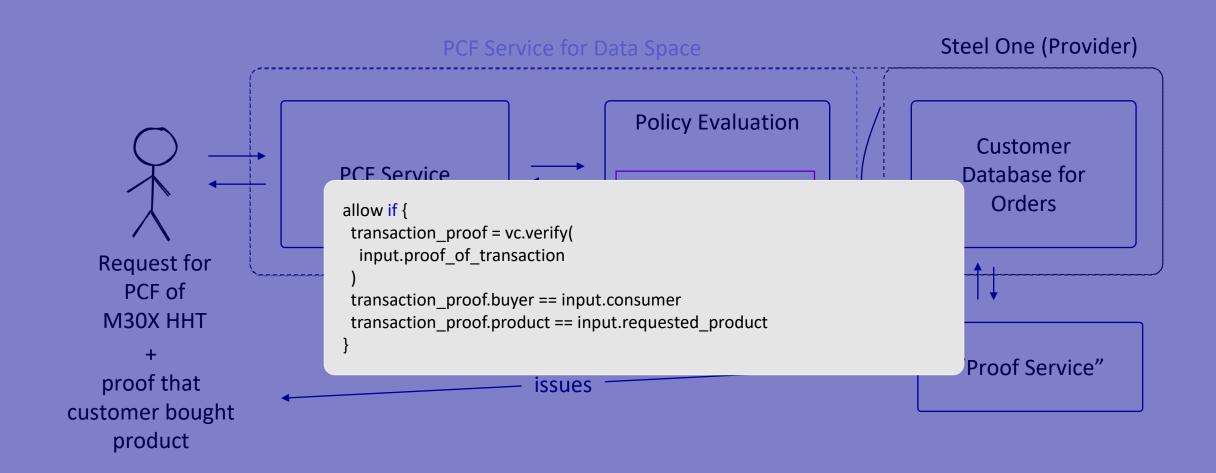
Data Provider

- How can we restrict who can access PCF data?
- Examples
 - Based on product (meta) data.
 - Based on user information
 - Or both: PCF data and user information



Service for a Data Space



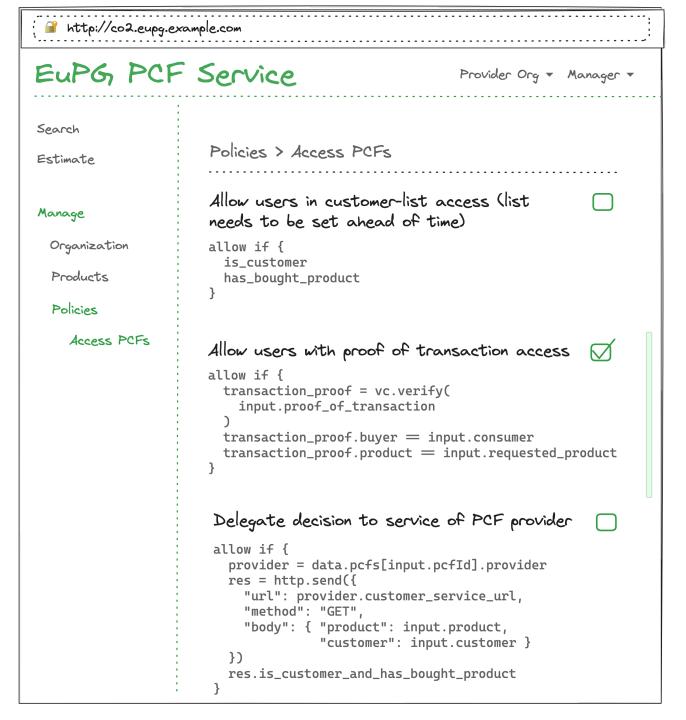


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Access Policies (2) External Information Sources

Data Provider

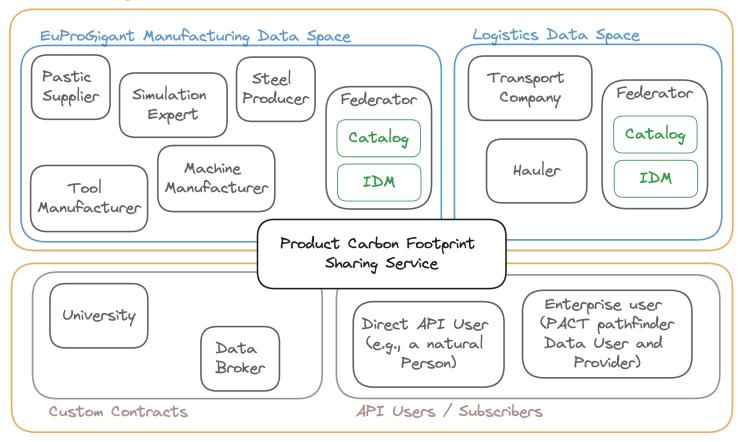
- Examples
 - Rules use data made available to the policy evaluation system
 - Rule uses verifiable credentials as input.
 Custom extension to verify.
 - Rule uses API-call to another service



Multiple Data Spaces



- PCF is of universal interest
- Use infrastructure of data spaces
 - Catalog
 - Identity Management (e.g., authentication)
 - Contracting Service



Outside Gaia-X

Gaia-X Framework

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Admission Policies

Service Administration

- Who do we allow to use the PCF-Service and eventually store and publish their PCFs?
- Example:
 - Everyone from a data space.
 - Allow everyone who accepts the TOS and pays a monthly fee.
 - Anyone with a Gaia-X-compliant self-description



Content Policies

Service Administration Data Provider

 How does a PCF must look like to be published?

- Example:
 - Fields need to be set
 - Only (recently) audited PCF's can be published

```
EuPG PCF Service
                                                     Provider Org - Manager -
Search
                       Policies > PCF Content
Estimate
                       No negative PCF excluding biogenic.
Manage
                       errors contains error if {
                         input.pcf.pcf_excluding_biogenic ≤ 0
 Organization
                         error := sprintf(
  Products
                           "Value must be greater than or equal to 0 (\neq %v).",
                           [input.pcf.pcf_excluding_biogenic]
  Policies
     Access PCFs
                       Allow only audited PCFs
                                                                         \square
     PCF Content
                       errors contains error if {
                         not input.pcf.audit
                         error := "PCF needs to be audited."
                       Audit needs to be current (in last 6 months)
                       errors contains error if {
                         [years, months, _, _, _] := time.diff(
                           time.parse_rfc3339_ns(input.pcf.audit.completed_at),
                           time.now_ns()
                         years \neq 0
                         months ≥ 6
                         error := sprintf(
                           "PCF must be audited in the last 6 month. Is %v.",
                           [input.pcf.audit.timestamp]
```

http://co2.eupg.example.com

Retention Policies

Service Administration

Data Provider

- Deleting and Yanking
 - Deleting removes PCF completely
 - Yanking removes PCF from indexes and catalogs but preserves data and history
- Examples
 - Prevent early deletion
 - Allow deletion only with specific roles
 - Prevent deletion completely

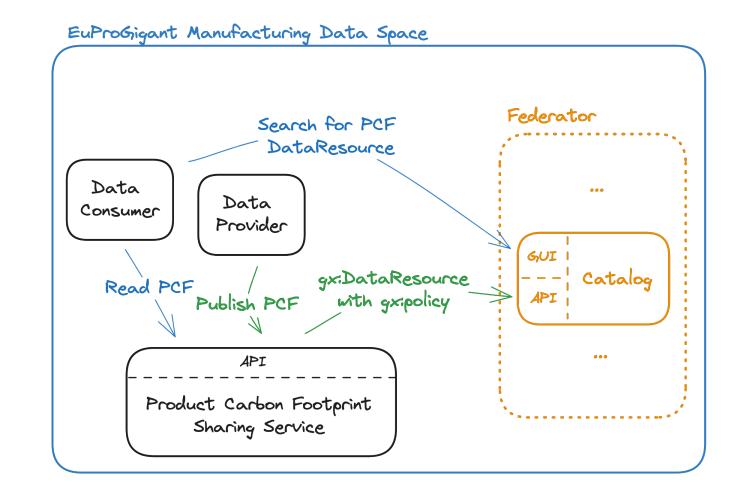


Listing PCFs in Gaia-X Catalogs



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- Use the catalog of the data space.
- gx:DataResource has a gx:policy field
 - Rego
 - ODRL
- In this context, "policy" is more a statement of intent. Used for
 - Filtering (in Catalog)
 - Automated contracting



Open Digital Rights Language (ODRL)

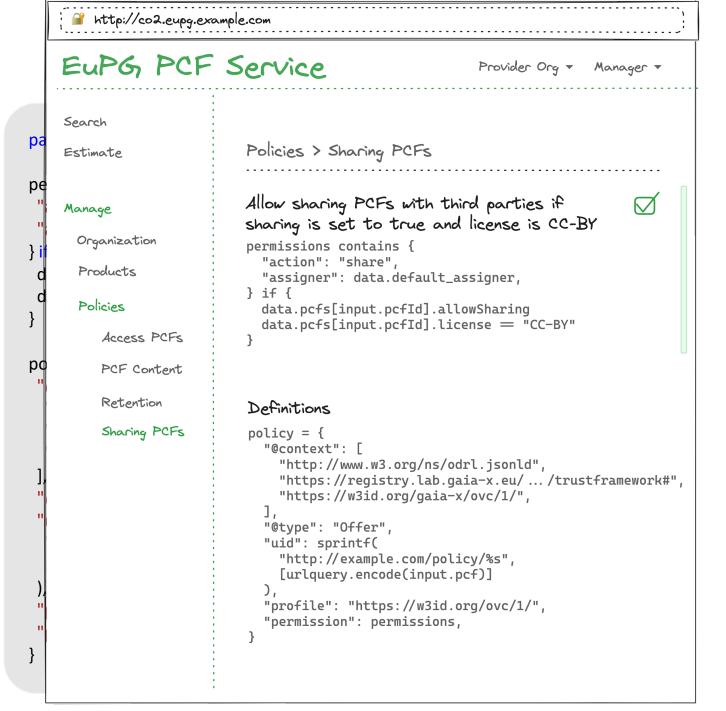
- OVC Profile
 - credentialSubjectType
 - JSON-Path Selectors
- ODRL Types
 - Offer, Agreement, (Set)

```
"@context": [
"http://www.w3.org/ns/odrl.jsonld",
"https://registry.lab.gaia-x.eu/.../trustframework#",
"https://w3id.org/gaia-x/ovc/1/"
"@type": "Offer",
"uid": "http://example.com/policy/123",
"profile": "https://w3id.org/ovc/1/",
"permission": [
  "target": "http://pcf.eupg.example.com/pcf/ab12345",
 "action": "http://www.w3.org/ns/odrl/2/read",
  "assigner": "http://steel-one.example.com",
  "assignee": {
   "ovc:constraint": [
     "ovc:leftOperand":
      "$.credentialSubject.gx:legalAddress.gx:countrySubdivisionCode",
     "operator": "http://www.w3.org/ns/odrl/2/isAnyOf",
     "rightOperand": [
      "FR-HDF",
      "BE-BRU",
      "LU-LU"
     "ovc:credentialSubjectType": "gx:LegalParticipant"
```

Sharing Policies (1)

Data Provider

 The result of a policy evaluation does not need to be "allow: true/false" it can be a complex (JSON) object.



Sharing Policies (2)

Data Provider

Provide helpers to simplify ODRL creation



EuPG PCF Service

Provider Org - Manager -

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Organization

Products

Policies

Access PCFs

PCF Content

Retention

Sharing PCFs

Policies > Sharing PCFs

Allow reading if legal participant is from Brussels or Luxembourg city & PCF is special.

```
permissons contains {
   "action": "read",
   "assignee": constraint(
     country_sub_in({ "LU-LU" })
   ),
} if {
   data.pcfs[input.pcfId].isSpecialForTechX2024
}
```

Definitions

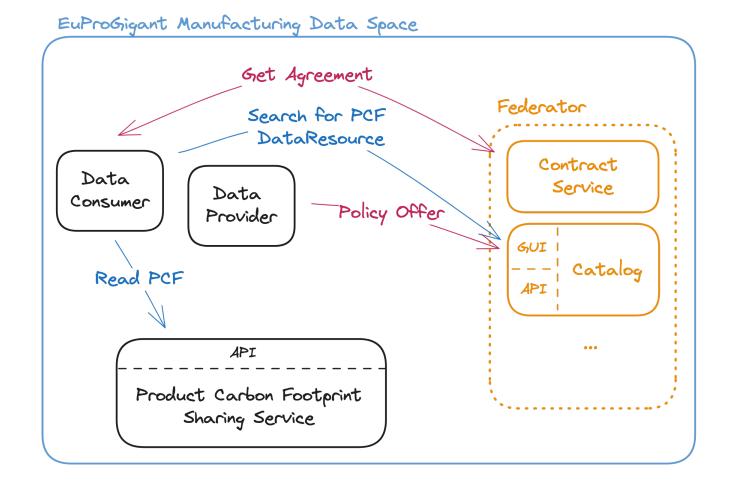
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country_in_list(country_subdivisions) := {
  "ovc:leftOperand":
        "$.credentialSubject.gx:legalAddress.gx:country...
  "operator": "http://www.w3.org/ns/odrl/2/isAnyOf",
        "rightOperand": country_subdivisions,
        "ovc:credentialSubjectType": "gx:LegalParticipant",
}

constraint(contstraints) := {
    "ovc:contraint": [contstraints]
}
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Independent Contracts



 Contracts can be created completely independent of the PCF Service

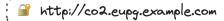


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Access Policies (3) **Honor Agreements**

Data Provider

- Access policies need to respect agreements made by the data provider.
- Examples
 - Allow access if a consumer provides a verified contract (ODRL Agreement) and the contract is not blacklisted.
 - Allow users who fulfill the criteria in the gx:policy field of the gx:DataResource even without an Agreement.



EuPG PCF Service

Provider Org + Manager +

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Allow users with a valid contract if not blacklisted



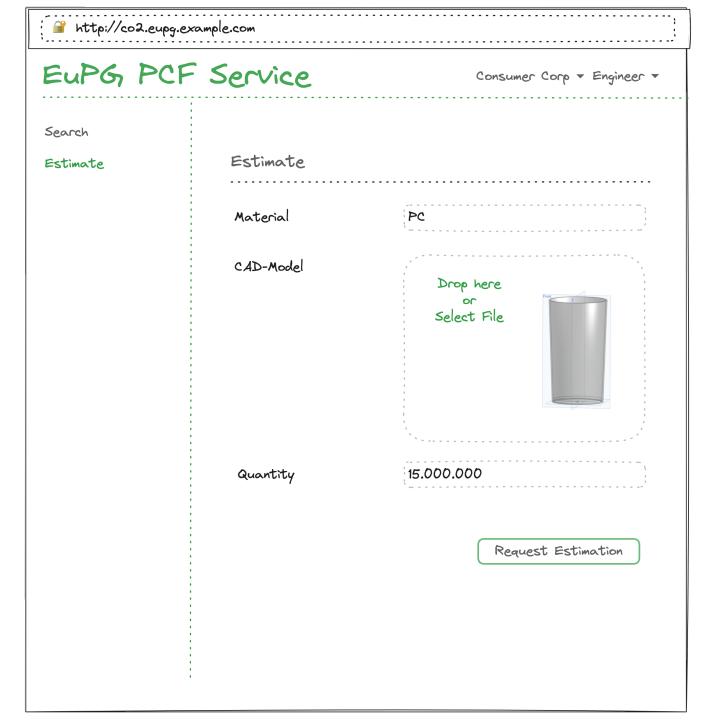
```
allow if {
  not input.contract.id in data.blacklisted_contracts
  vc.verify(input.agreement)
  gxi.odrl_evaluate(
    "read",
    input.product.url,
    input.agreement,
    input.consumer.legalParticipant
```

Allow users that fulfil policy even without an agreement.

```
allow if {
  gxi.odrl_evaluate(
    "read",
    input.product.url,
    input.product.odrl_policy_offer,
    input.consumer.legalParticipant
```

Use Case Part 2: Product Carbon Footprint (PCF) *Estimation*

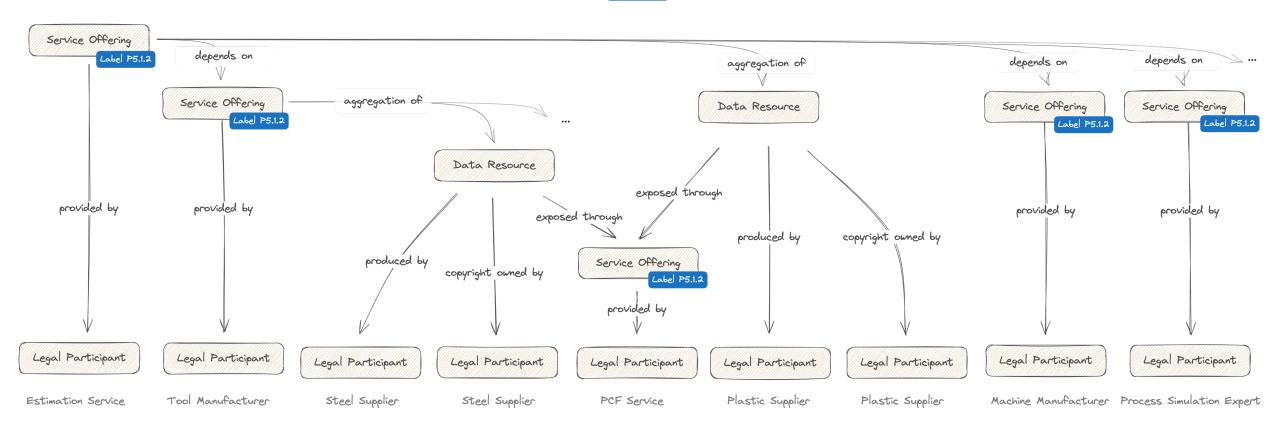
- Enable product engineers to more accurately lower the environmental impact of their designs.
- Hide complexity behind simple interfaces.



Many Participants involved to get accurate Estimations



Label P5.1.2: For Label Level 3, the Provider shall process and store all Customer Data exclusively in the EU/EEA.

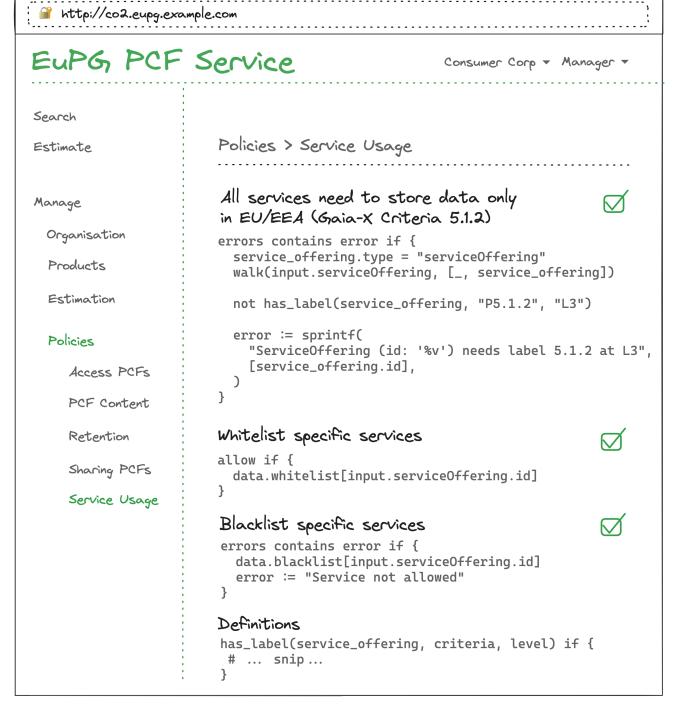


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Usage Policies

Service Administration Data Consumer

- Which estimation services can be used through the PCF-Service by employees (engineers) of the consumer organization?
- Examples
 - Check all service offerings for Gaia-X Labels.
 - Allow specific services (Whitelisting)
 - Disallow some services (Blacklisting)



Manage Policies

- Policies are code, and we use Source Code Management (SCM) system to manage them.
 - Code reviews, automated testing, signed commits, etc.
- Planned UI for Non-Developer
 - Activation and deactivation
 - Adding new rules
 - Basic editing
 - See rules history of changes
 - See decisions logs for rules
 - Replay decisions with edited rules

```
• paul@work ~/I/e/e/p/policies (main)> git log --pretty=oneline --abbrev-commit
  33ed92c (HEAD -> main, origin/main) Initial usage policies
 02cc357 Initial retention policies
                                                                         gaia-X
  9c5ac11 Adds validation and checks when publishing
  e184422 Add helpers for ODRL policy creation
 0e97c20 Permit sharing of `CC-BY` licensed PCFs, when sharing is active
  96ff0ea Allow admittance with logistics token
 79e3a08 Allow EuProGigant LegalPersons to use service
  ab55189 Disable whitelisted users
  26b2723 Adds basic access policies
  2fe842e Delegate read decision to provider
 7395b41 Allow customers with proof of transaction to read PCF
  862db0d Allow customer who bought a product to read it's PCF
• paul@work ~/I/e/e/p/policies (main)> git show 7395b41
  commit 7395b41c19bd0ca3829bbf3fba42c270d6b68d50
 Author: Paul Weissenbach <paul.weissenbach@posedio.com>
        Tue May 14 13:38:37 2024 +0200
     Allow customers with proof of transaction to read PCF
 diff --git a/policies/policies/pcf.read.rego b/policies/pcf.read.rego
 index deda5e2..b00fa0c 100644
 --- a/policies/policies/pcf.read.rego
 +++ b/policies/policies/pcf.read.rego
 @0 -10,4 +10,12 @0 allow if {
    has_bought_product
 +# Allow users with proof of transaction access (a valid proof issuers
  +# need to be configured)
  +allow if {
 + transaction proof = vc.verify(
      input.proof_of_transaction
 + transaction_proof.buyer == input.consumer
 + transaction proof.product == input.requested product
o paul@work ~/I/e/e/p/policies (main)>
```

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Conclusions



- Policies as Code
 - Automate and develop a rule system aligned with participants' goals
- Gaia-X and Verifiable Credentials
 - Benefit from common vocabulary and labels
 - Benefit from data spaces rules (e.g., participant and service offering vetting)
 - Use existing services from federations (e.g., catalog, contract, IDM)
 - Using verifiable credentials to externalize information

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Thank you!

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