

# Enterprise Integration

## Kick off & *Introduction*

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# Major IE 2025 Goals

- To learn what enterprise integration is
- To understand that integration and cloud are fundamental parts of the digital economy
- To have a practical experience with the “cloud” integration technologies

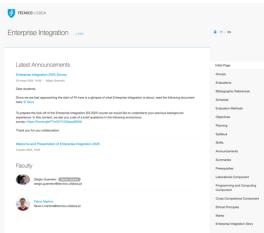
***In the end, to understand the information systems of digital (big) companies***

# Detailed Course Program

The course aims at providing a coherent structure of integration topics that can be found in different parts of the ACM/AIS IS 2010 curriculum, such as “Enterprise Systems” and “Application Development”

- Evolution of information systems. Functions. Evolution. Service.
- Introduction to integration platforms. Messages. Transformations. Schemas. Ports. Adapter. Orchestration. Business rule.
- Messaging systems. Transactions. Correlations. Platforms.
- Message brokers. Publish-subscribe. Streaming. Asynchronous.
- Adapters. 3-tier. Methods. Database. Files. User interface. Dynamic invocations. Web services.
- Micro-services, services and SOA. Applications. Composition. Catalog. Business processes. Service design. Human workflows.
- Service orchestrations. Flow. Decisions. Loops. Events. Exceptions. Transactions.
- Inter-organizational integration. Electronic data exchange. Supply chain management. E-commerce. Negotiation. Internet of things.

**Hyperautomation is a transversal concern in all those aspects. How to do it faster and better?**



# Study artifacts

- Academic page for course @ Fénix:  
<https://fenix.tecnico.ulisboa.pt/disciplinas/SEI36/2024-2025/2-semestre>
- Q&A @ Moodle: <https://moodle.dei.tecnico.ulisboa.pt/course/view.php?id=6273>
- AWS Academy classroom for each sprint -> invitation sent for sprint 1 (using your fenix registered email)
  - SPRINT 1 <https://awsacademy.instructure.com/courses/117013>
  - SPRINT 2 <https://awsacademy.instructure.com/courses/117014>
- Slides + Project + Scenarios + tutorials are already available @ Fénix

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# Class dynamics

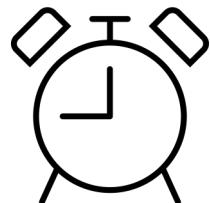
This is a **hands-on** course using **flipped learning**:

1. Understand the IE concepts **at concept classes**
2. Execute the tutorial, **at home**
3. Watch the movie tutorial, if needed, **at home**
4. Deploy the scenarios and adapt them, **at home**
5. Bring questions/problems to apply the tutorial to the **LAB** and **project** classes



# Weekly schedule

|       | Seg 5/5                   | Ter 5/6                  | Qua 5/7                   | Qui 5/8                     | Sex 5/9 |
|-------|---------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|
| 07:00 |                           |                          |                           |                             |         |
| 08:00 |                           |                          |                           |                             |         |
| 09:00 |                           | 08:30 - 10:00<br>L<br>F8 | 08:30 - 10:30<br>T<br>EA3 | 08:30 - 10:00<br>L<br>V1.25 |         |
| 10:00 | 09:30 - 11:30<br>T<br>EA3 | 10:00 - 11:30<br>L<br>F8 |                           | 10:00 - 11:30<br>L<br>V1.12 |         |
| 11:00 |                           |                          |                           |                             |         |



The slots are organized as **concept classes** and **lab classes** and **project classes**

# Course Planning

|            |        |                                       | Content   | Tutorial Guidelines  | Tutorial movies  | Project Deliverables                     |
|------------|--------|---------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| 28/04/2025 | Week 1 | EA3                                   | Concepts<br>00 - Intro / 00 - Enterprise Integration  |  |  |  |
| 29/04/2025 |        | FB + F8                               | LAB<br>Kafka in the cloud   | P1-Kafka-in-AWSAcademy.pdf                                     | <a href="#">AWS VM Creation and Accessing</a><br><a href="#">Kafka Installation EC2</a><br><a href="#">Using Kafka EC2</a> |  |
| 30/04/2025 |        | EA3                                   | Concepts<br>01 - MoM - Kafka - Streams  |  |  |  |
| 01/05/2025 |        | V1.25 + V1.12                         | <i>Holiday: Labor Day</i>   |  |  |  |
| 05/05/2025 | Week 2 | EA3                                   | LAB<br>Kafka in the cloud (cont.) Terraform   | P1-Kafka-in-AWSAcademy.pdf<br>P2-HyperAutomation-TERRAFORM.pdf | <a href="#">AWS VM Creation and Accessing</a><br><a href="#">Kafka Installation EC2</a><br><a href="#">Using Kafka EC2</a> |  |
| 06/05/2025 |        | FB + F8                               | LAB<br>Kafka clustering Kafka Streams   | P4-Kafka-Streams-AWS.pdf<br>P3-Kafka-Distributed.pdf           | <a href="#">KafkaCluster-Configuration</a>   |  |
| 07/05/2025 |        | EA3                                   | Concepts<br>02 - SOA & Microservices & Reactive & Quarkus   |  |  |  |
| 08/05/2025 |        | V1.25 + V1.25                         | LAB<br>Quarkus  | P6-Quarkus.pdf   |  |  |
| 12/05/2025 | Week 3 | EA3                                   | LAB<br>Quarkus with Docker (introductory)   | P6-Quarkus.pdf   |  |  |
| 13/05/2025 |        | FB + F8                               | LAB<br>Quarkus: REST & DB & Swagger   | P6-Quarkus.pdf<br>P5-RDS-database.pdf                          |  |  |
| 14/05/2025 |        | EA3                                   | Evaluation<br>Revision + MAP45  |  |  |  |
| 15/05/2025 |        | V1.25 + V1.12                         | Project<br>Sprint 1 support   |  |  | Saturday 17/5/2025 12h<br>Sprint 1 (15%) |
| 19/05/2025 | Week 4 | EA3                                   | Concepts<br>03 - Containers & Cloud   |  |  |  |
| 20/05/2025 |        | FB + F8                               | LAB<br>AWS LAMBDA   | P8-Lambda-AWS.pdf  | <a href="#">Develop Deploy and Invoke a Lambda microservice</a>  |  |
| 21/05/2025 |        | EA3                                   | Concepts<br>04 - Processes  |  |  |  |
| 22/05/2025 |        | V1.25 + V1.12                         | LAB<br>Sprint 1 Patterns feedback   |  |  |  |
| 26/05/2025 | Week 5 | EA3                                   | LAB<br>Camunda platform   | P7-BPMN-CAMUNDA.pdf<br>Scenario 1                              | <a href="#">Camunda-Overview</a><br><a href="#">A full example of a executable BPMN collaboration in Camunda engine</a>    |  |
| 27/05/2025 |        | FB + F8                               | LAB<br>Business process design & implementation Business process Integration & DMN                  | P7-BPMN-CAMUNDA.pdf<br>Scenario 1                              | <a href="#">Camunda-Overview</a><br><a href="#">A full example of a executable BPMN collaboration in Camunda engine</a>    |  |
| 28/05/2025 |        | EA3                                   | Concepts<br>05 - API management and Gateway systems   |  |  |  |
| 29/05/2025 |        | V1.25 + V1.12                         | LAB<br>Authentication & credentials APIs Deployment & management                                    | P9-KONG.pdf<br>Scenario2                                       | <a href="#">Kong APIGateway Configuration and Invocation</a>   |  |
| 02/06/2025 | Week 6 | EA3                                   | Concepts<br>05 - Identity management & B2B & Other aspects  |  |  |  |
| 03/06/2025 |        | FB + F8                               | LAB<br>Authentication & credentials / APIs Deployment & management (cont.) Ollama deployment in EC2 | P9-KONG.pdf<br>Scenario2<br>P2-HyperAutomation-TERRAFORM.pdf   | <a href="#">Kong APIGateway Configuration and Invocation</a>   |  |
| 04/06/2025 |        | EA3                                   | Evaluation<br>Revision + MAP45  |  |  |  |
| 05/06/2025 |        | V1.25 + V1.25                         | Project<br>Sprint 2 Support   | Scenario 3   |  |  |
| 09/06/2025 | Week 7 | EA3                                   | Project<br>Sprint 2 Support   |  |  |  |
| 10/06/2025 |        | FB + F8                               | <i>Holiday: Day of Portugal, Camões and Portuguese Communities</i>                                  |  |  |  |
| 11/06/2025 |        | EA3                                   | Project<br>Sprint 2 support   |  |  |  |
| 12/06/2025 |        | V1.25 + V1.25                         | Project<br>Sprint 2 Support   |  |  | Saturday 14/6/2025 12h<br>Sprint 2 (25%) |
|            | Week 8 | project discussion                    |   |  |  |  |
|            |        | Normal Season Exam - 26/6/2025 10:30  |   |  |  |  |
|            |        | Second Season Exam - 10/7/2025 15:30  |   |  |  |  |
|            |        | Special Season Exam - 23/7/2025 18:00 |   |  |  |  |

|                   |                          |
|-------------------|--------------------------|
|                   | <b>amount of classes</b> |
| <b>LAB</b>        | <b>12</b>                |
| <b>Concepts</b>   | <b>7</b>                 |
| <b>project</b>    | <b>5</b>                 |
| <b>evaluation</b> | <b>2</b>                 |

# Links for tutorial movies

## (use IST ID Gsuite only for accessing)

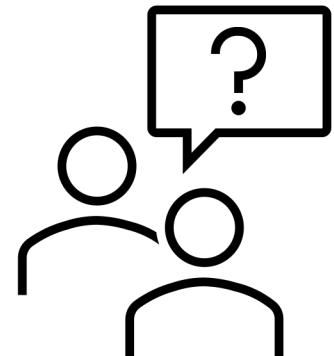
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| How to provision an EC2 VM?   | <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1GicH9SufhMnl2oCSRGjYJteNRxPFKtH-/view?usp=sharing">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1GicH9SufhMnl2oCSRGjYJteNRxPFKtH-/view?usp=sharing</a> |
| How to install Kafka in an EC2 VM?  | <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zp_tEYVgq1o9psL7y064qMDWNoQmKuqd/view?usp=sharing">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zp_tEYVgq1o9psL7y064qMDWNoQmKuqd/view?usp=sharing</a> |
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| How to enforce a Kafka Cluster?   | <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1da2aEJ4HywPNgCQCH4tztLRRR9wqK2t3/view?usp=sharing">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1da2aEJ4HywPNgCQCH4tztLRRR9wqK2t3/view?usp=sharing</a> |
| How to develop, deploy, and execute an AWS Lambda service?                          | <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1rAr27ZAZRdlw9sVCmThUNa_6zietEV5F/view?usp=sharing">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1rAr27ZAZRdlw9sVCmThUNa_6zietEV5F/view?usp=sharing</a> |
| What is Camunda?  | <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1b-j7-OaS1gWM1mJaQGbjt6vWU9L2MYme/view?usp=sharing">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1b-j7-OaS1gWM1mJaQGbjt6vWU9L2MYme/view?usp=sharing</a> |
| How to model, develop, deploy, and execute a business process using Camunda engine? | <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Yxqch1nGm7hOD3Cpz1eiiQeuzmK5Tt2h/view?usp=sharing">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Yxqch1nGm7hOD3Cpz1eiiQeuzmK5Tt2h/view?usp=sharing</a> |
| How to install and operate Kong in an EC2 VM?                                       | <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1vryBWG4BqgLt4cL1uUXwXC_f3Emma-vS/view?usp=sharing">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1vryBWG4BqgLt4cL1uUXwXC_f3Emma-vS/view?usp=sharing</a> |

# Questions classes

By Zoom: <https://videoconf-colibri.zoom.us/j/2785489605?pwd=SXFmNzdMZXAA2TTIiZ09QSFZPUXJhUT09>

Send an email requesting it beforehand.

Tuesday and Thursday at 16:30



# Evaluation

The final grade is given by:

NotaFinal época Normal = round(MAX(0,2 \* NExameNormal + 0,40 \* NMAP45 ; 0,60 \* ExameNormal) + 0,40 \* NProjects)

OR

NotaFinal época Recurso = round(0,60\* NExameRecurso + 0,40\*NProjects)

OR

NotaFinal época Especial = round(0,60\* NExameEspecial + 0,40\*NProjects)

Where:

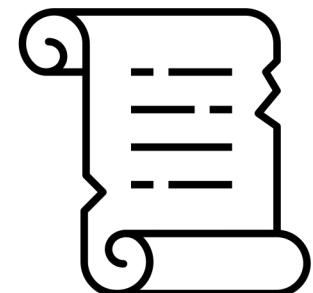
2 \* NMAP45 are done during classes

NExameNormal, NMAP45, NExameRecurso and NExameEspecial requires  $\geq 8,0$  values

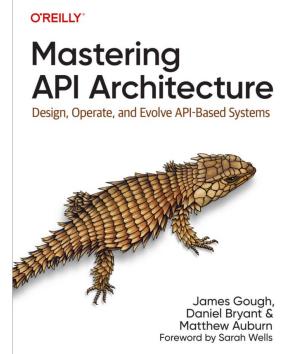
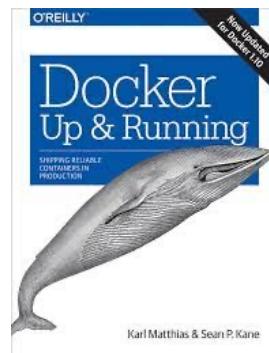
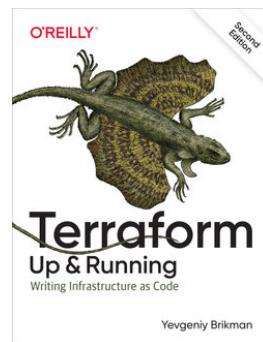
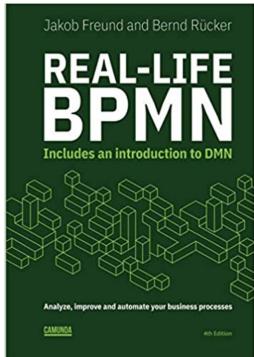
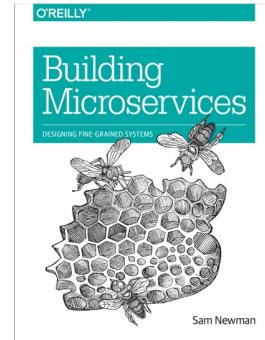
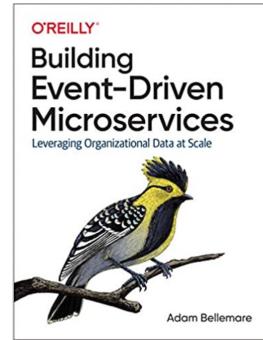
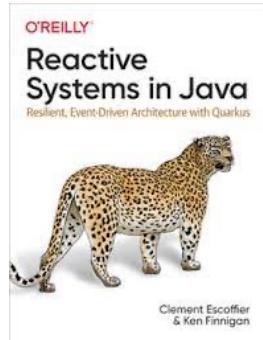
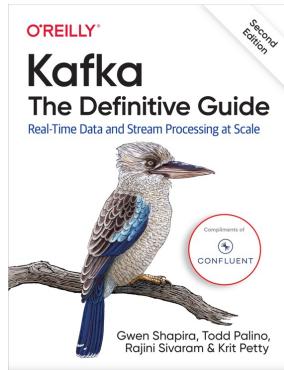
NProjects consists of 2 sprints (15% - 25% for each sprint)

NProjects  $\geq 8,0$  values -> Project is done by groups of 2 students

NotaFinal época Normal, NotaFinal época Recurso, NotaFinal época Especial  $\geq 9,5$  values



# Books



# Books

Gwen Shapira, Todd Palino, Rajini Sivaram & Krit Petty (2021) Kafka: The Definitive Guide, O'Reilly Media, Inc., ISBN: 978-1-491-99065-0

Escoffier, C., Finnigan, K. (2021). Reactive Systems in Java, O'Reilly Media, Inc., ISBN: 9781492091721

Freund J., Rücker, B. (2019). Real-Life BPMN (4th edition): Includes an introduction to DMN, Camunda, ISBN: 978-1086302097

Kane, S., Matthias, K. (2018). Docker: Up & Running, 2nd Edition, O'Reilly Media, Inc., ISBN: 9781492036739

Kleppmann, M. (2017). Designing Data-Intensive Applications, O'Reilly Media, Inc., ISBN: 9781449373320

Bellemare, A. (2020). Building Event-Driven Microservices: Leveraging Organizational Data at Scale, O'Reilly Media, ISBN: 978-1492057895

Brikman, Y. (2019), Terraform: Up & Running, 2nd Edition, O'Reilly Media, Inc., ISBN: 9781492046905

Newman, S. (2021). Building Microservices, 2nd Edition. O'Reilly Media, Inc., ISBN: 9781492034025

Gough, J., Bryant, D., Auburn, M. (2023). Mastering API Architecture: Design, Operate, and Evolve API-Based Systems, O'Reilly Media, Inc., ISBN: 9781492090632

# The technology that you'll be using

*Business  
Processes  
execution*



*API  
Management*



*MicroServices*



*Messaging*

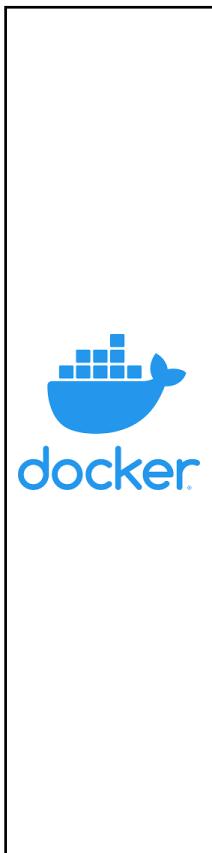


*PaaS  
IaaS*

*Hyperautomation*

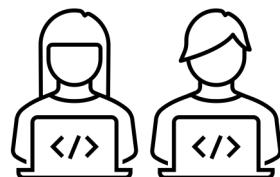


*Containerization*



# Minimum tools to install on your environment

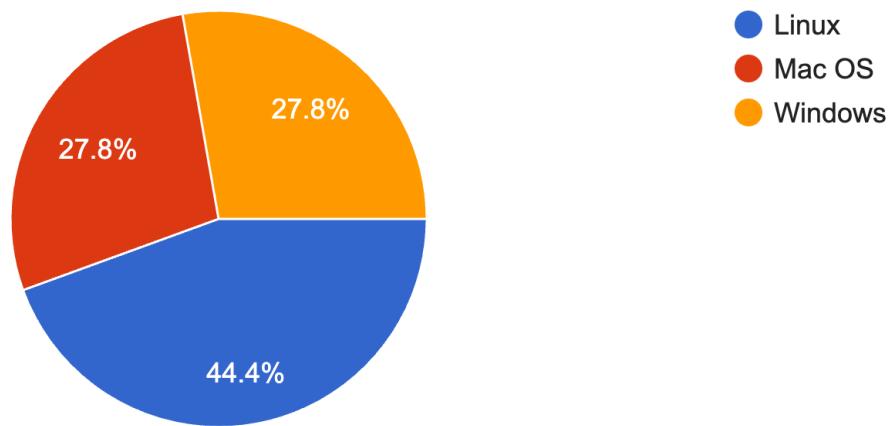
see tutorials for further  
details



- Windows: putty + fileZilla
- Linux or macOS: check if ssh and scp are working
- All Operating systems:
  - VS Code <https://code.visualstudio.com/>
  - Eclipse (*optionally to VS Code*) <https://www.eclipse.org/downloads/>
  - JDK 17 <https://adoptium.net/>
  - Maven 3.9.9 <https://maven.apache.org/download.cgi>
  - Terraform <https://developer.hashicorp.com/terraform/downloads>
  - Docker desktop <https://www.docker.com/get-started>
  - Camunda-modeler (v7) <https://camunda.com/download/modeler/>
  - MYQSL Workbench <https://dev.mysql.com/downloads/workbench/>
  - Postman <https://www.postman.com/downloads/>

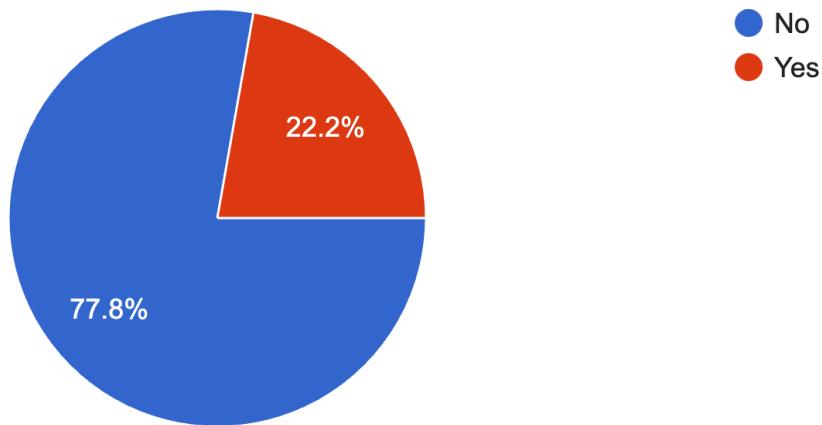
## What is the Operating System that you are planning to use during EI course?

18 responses



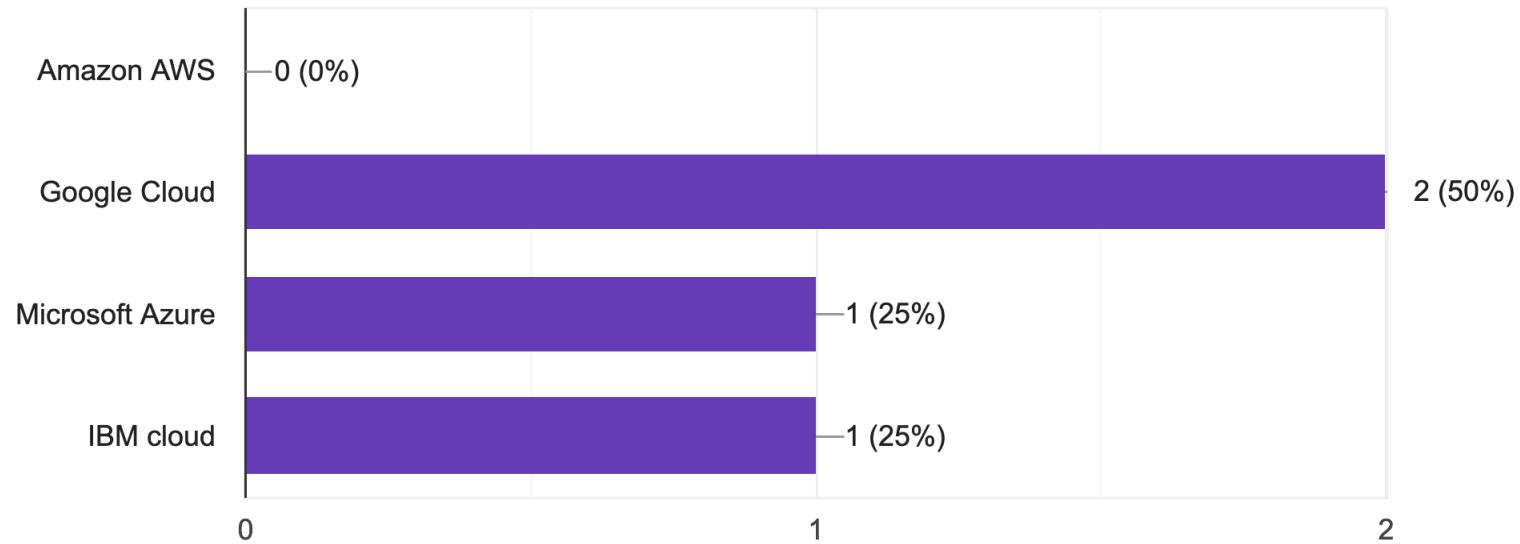
Have you ever developed and/or configured using cloud environments (e.g.: AWS, Microsoft Azure, Google cloud, other....)?

18 responses



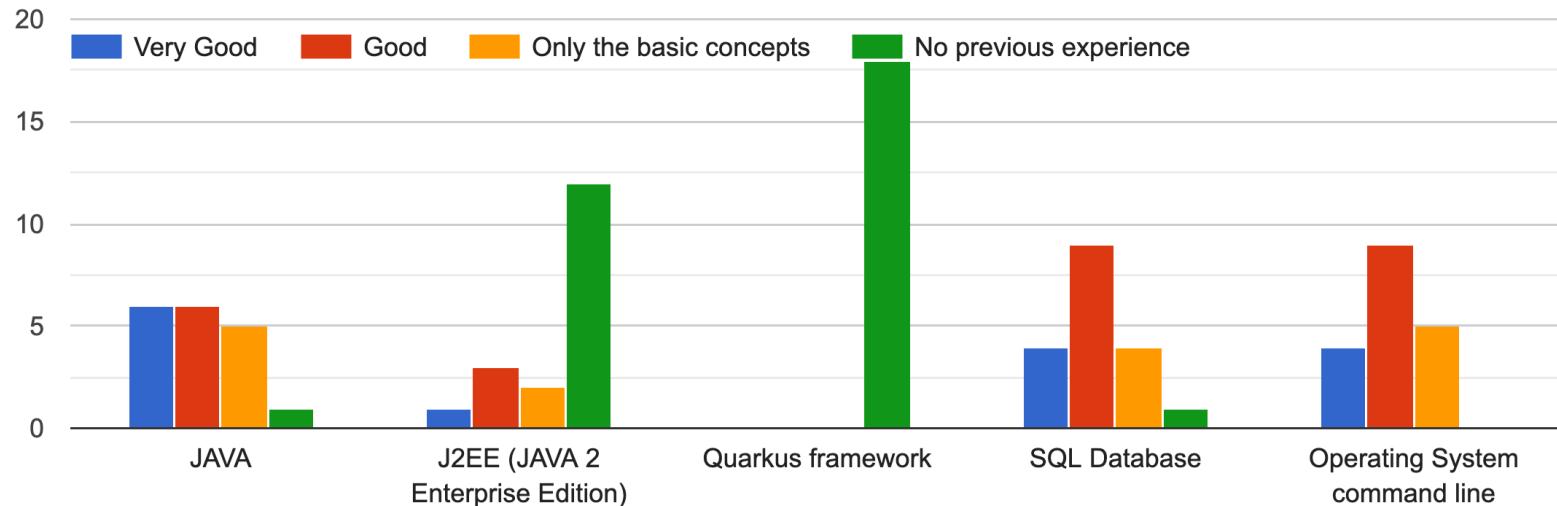
# Which cloud environment are you experienced with?

4 responses



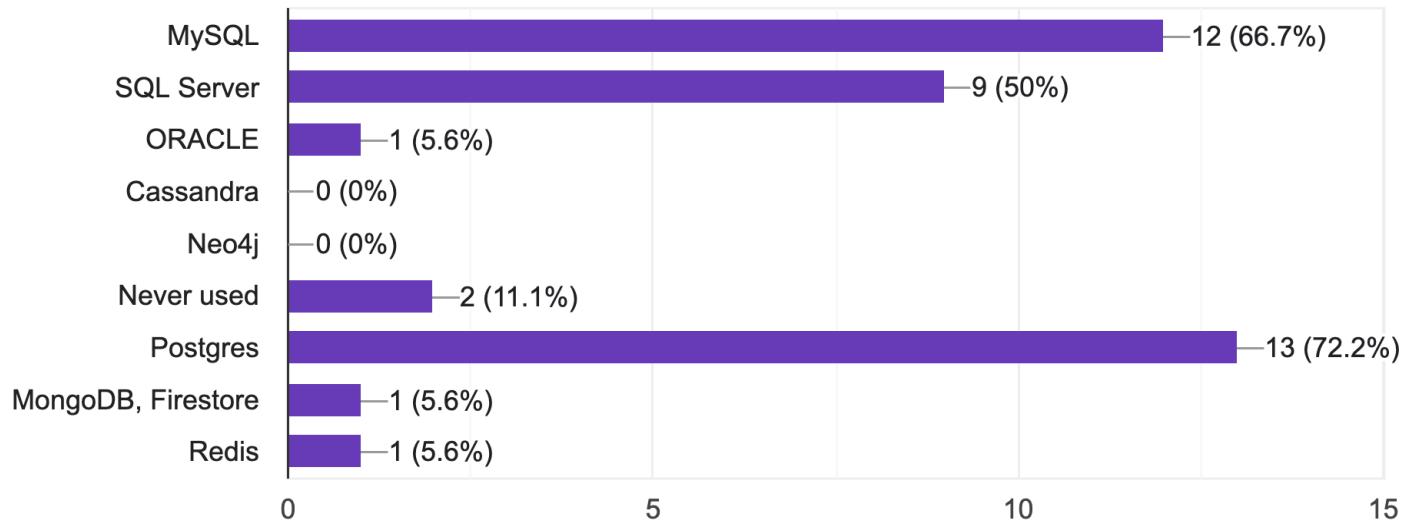
## Programming background - What is your experience in the following technologies?

Choose one option per row.



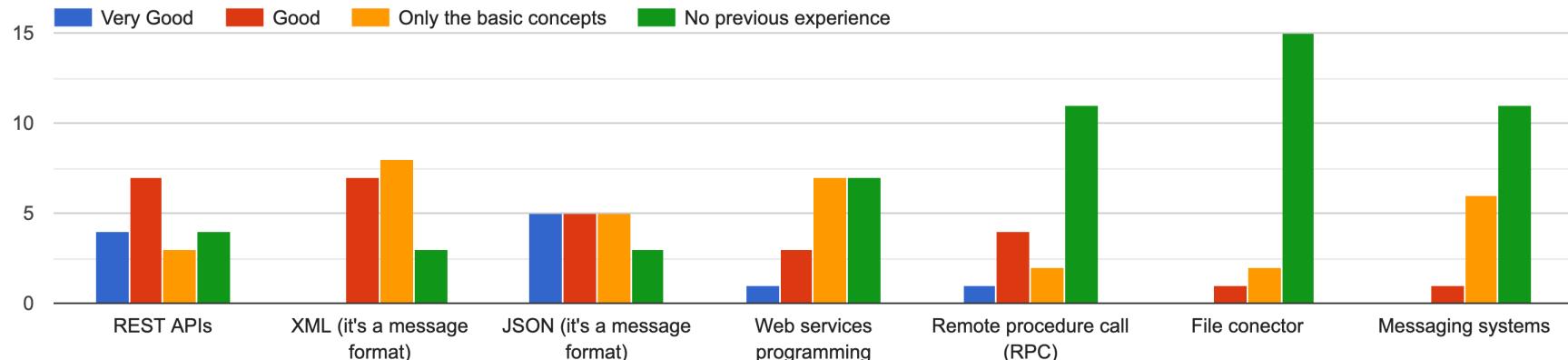
Regarding Database knowledge or experience, which technologies did you use? Choose one or more options.

18 responses



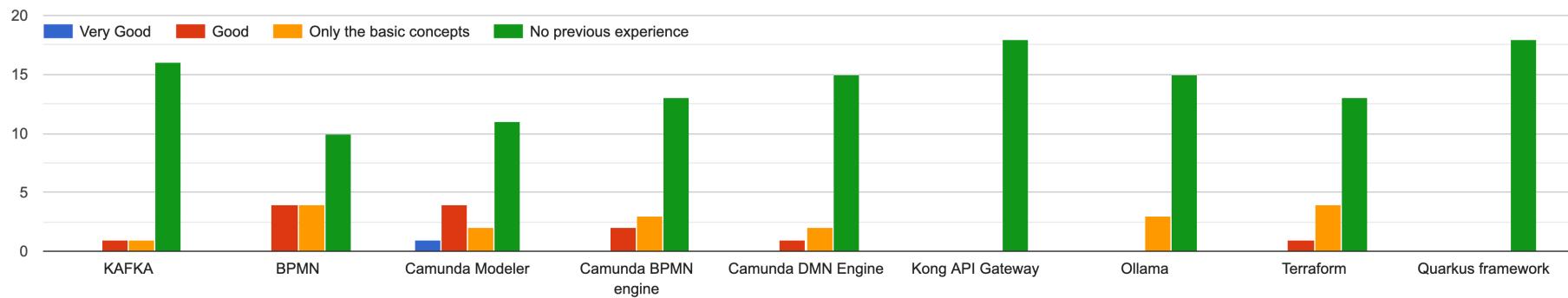
## Integration using API - What is your experience in the following technologies?

Choose one option per row.



## Knowledge related with other integration systems - What is your experience in the following technologies?

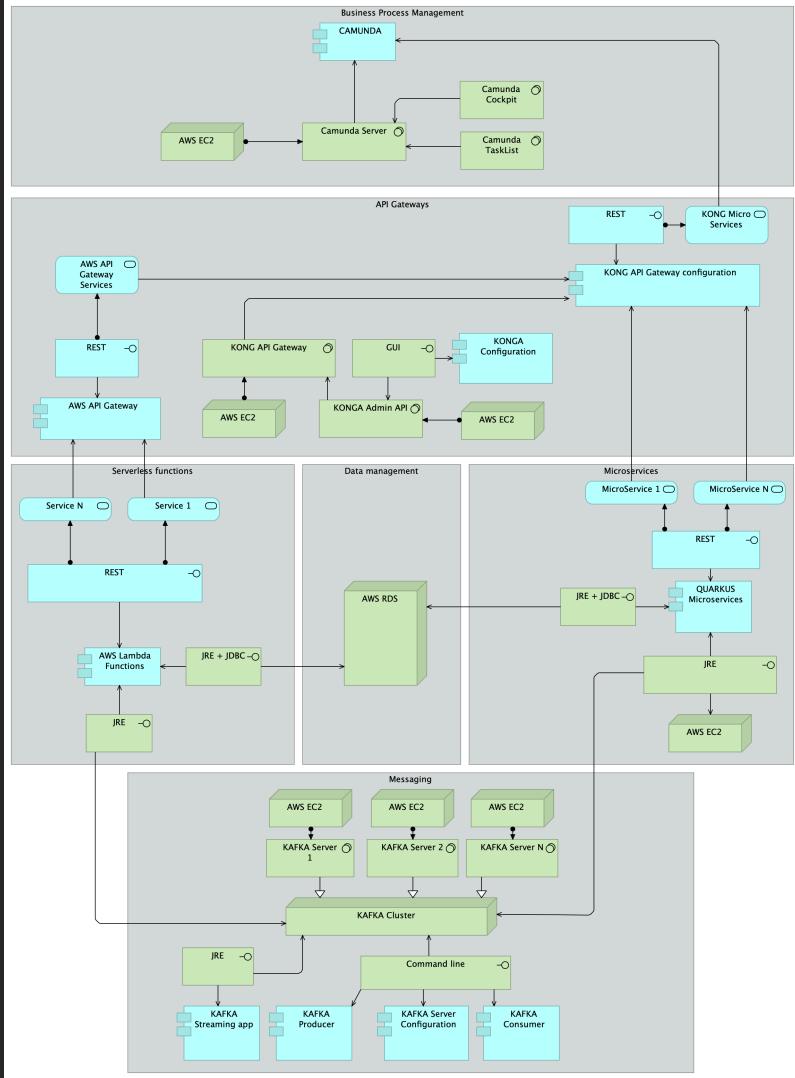
Choose one option per row.





# IE Technology Stack

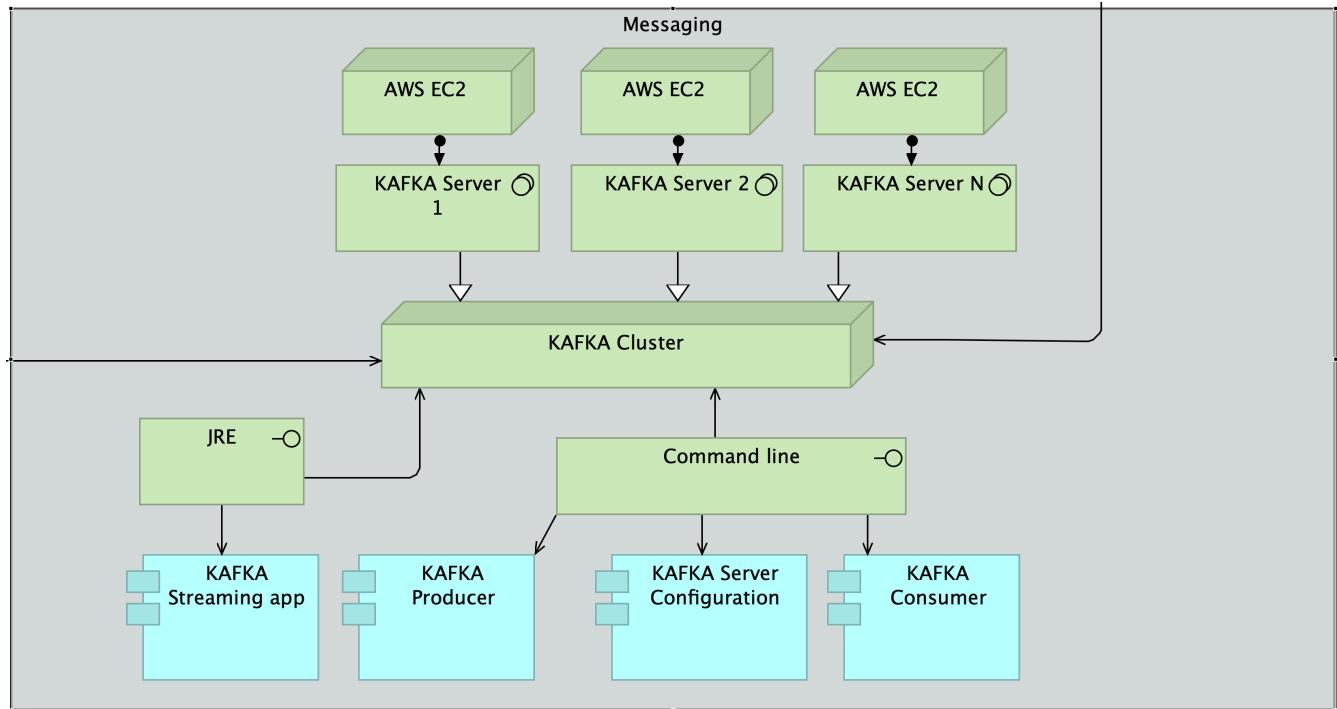
## Overall view





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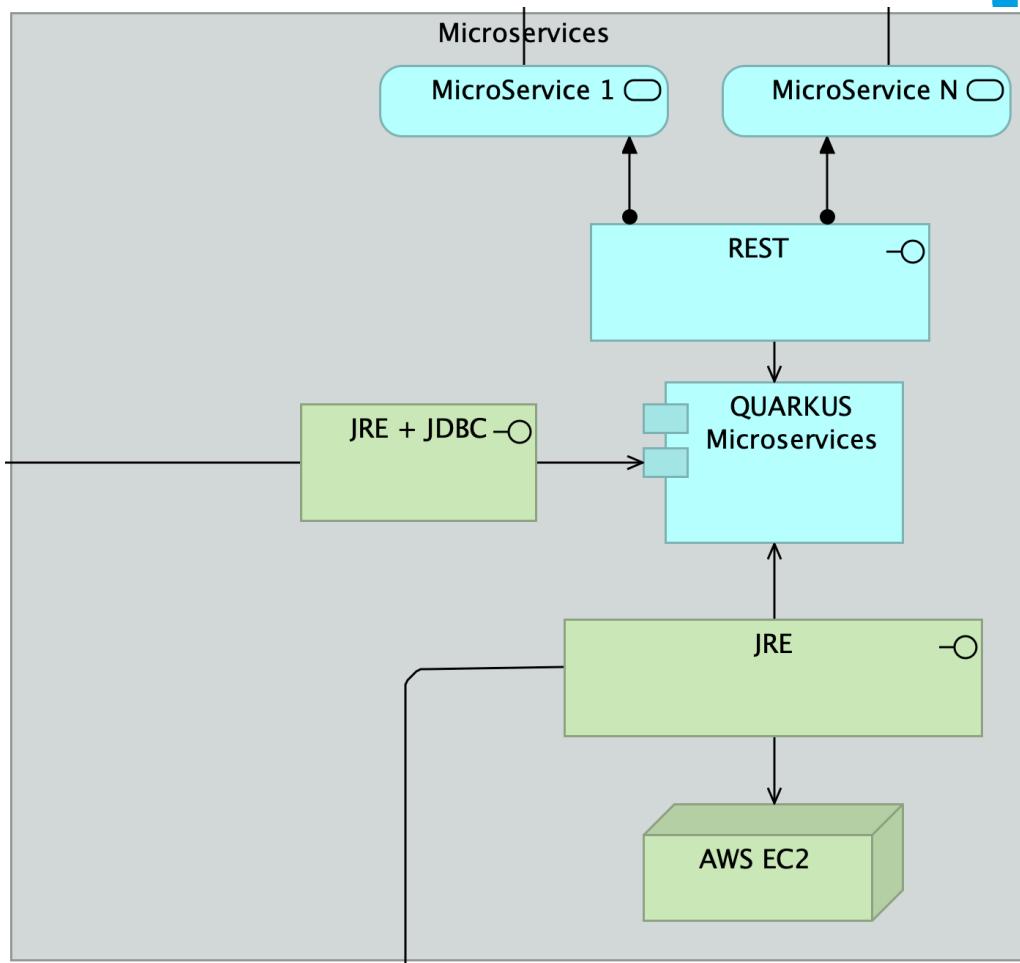
## Messaging layer





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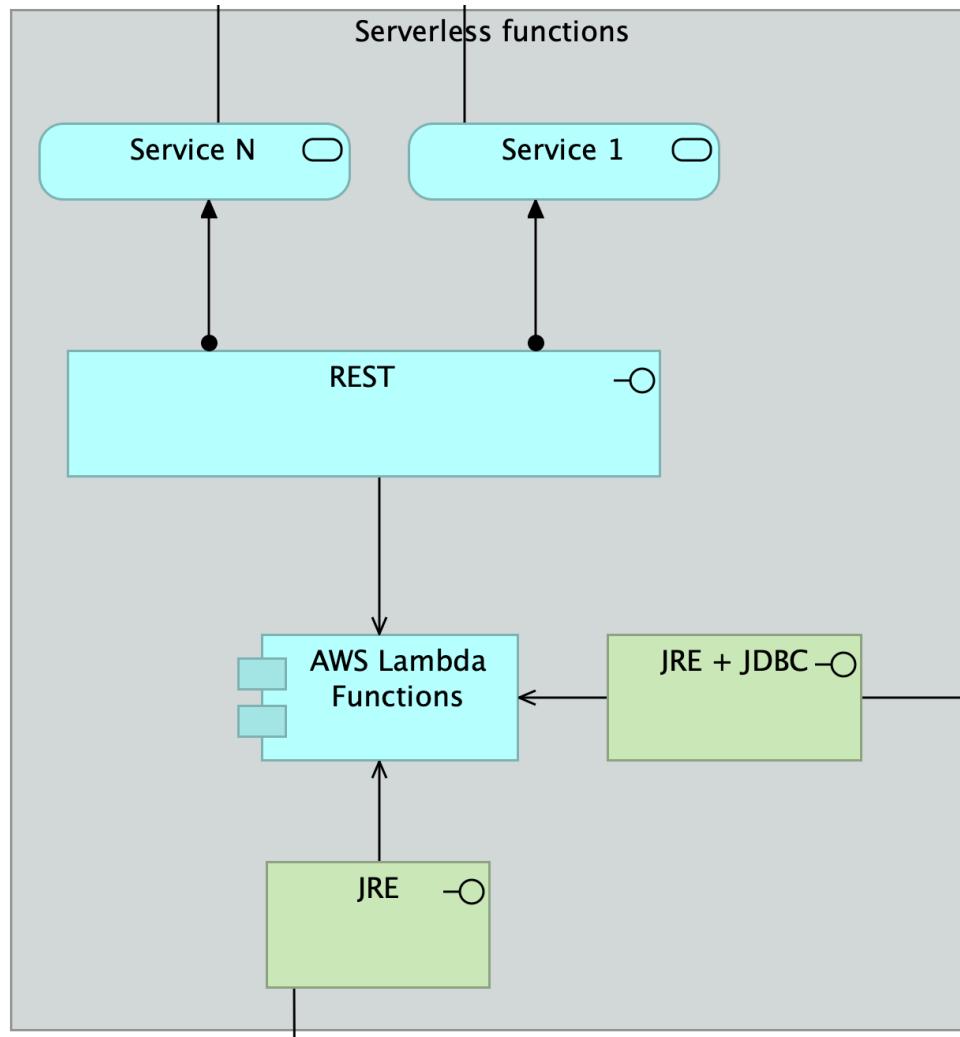
## MicroService layer





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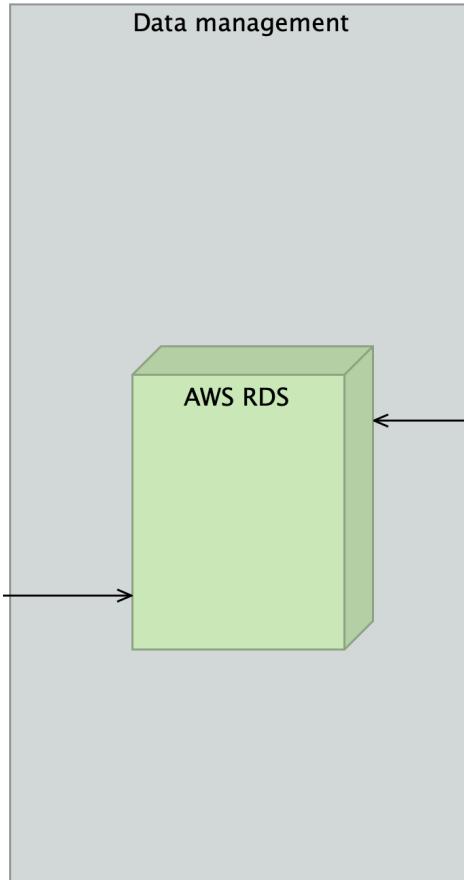
## Serverless layer

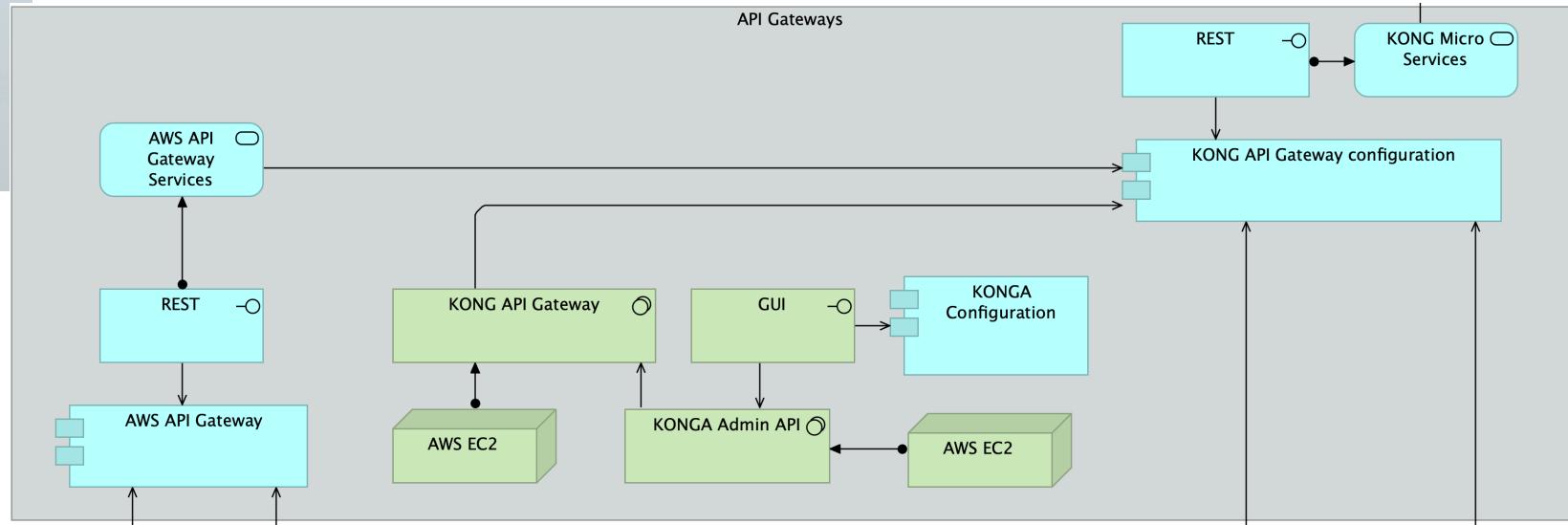




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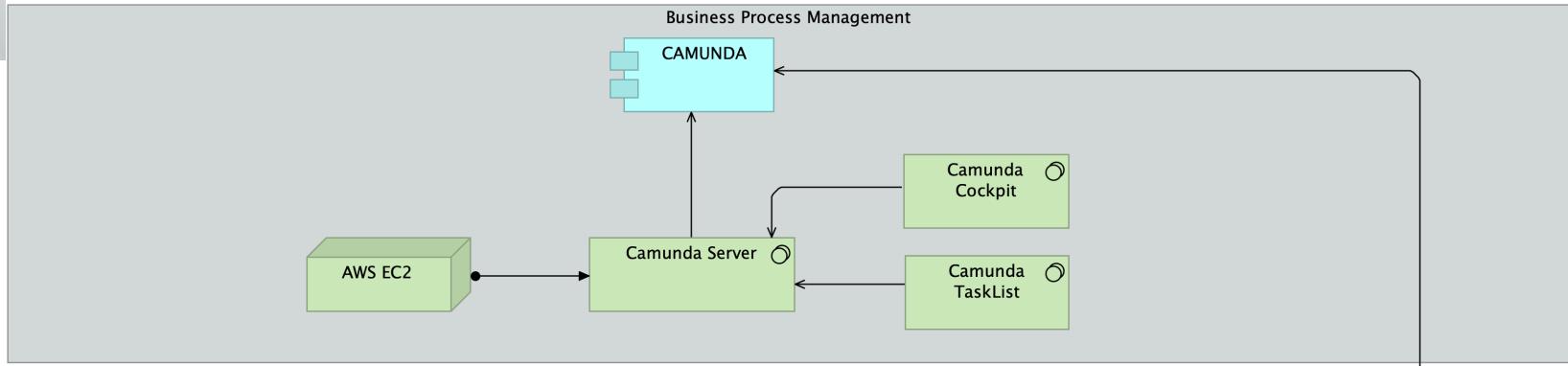
## Data management layer





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### API Gateways layer

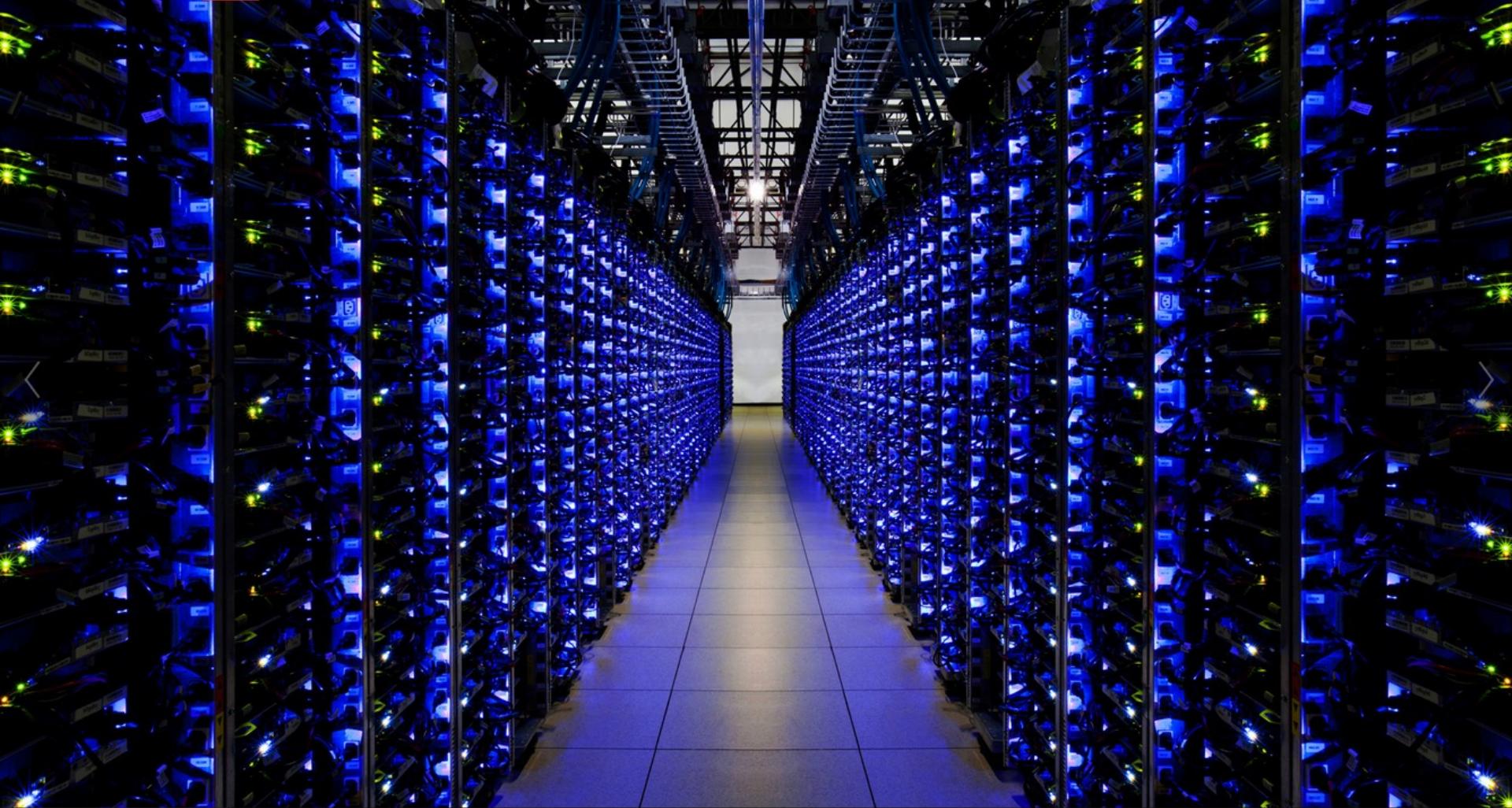


# IE Technology Stack Business Process management layer

# Digital economy

Why is enterprise integration needed?



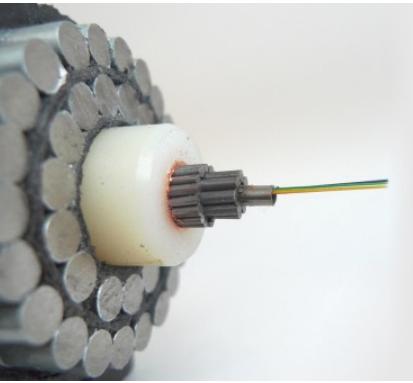
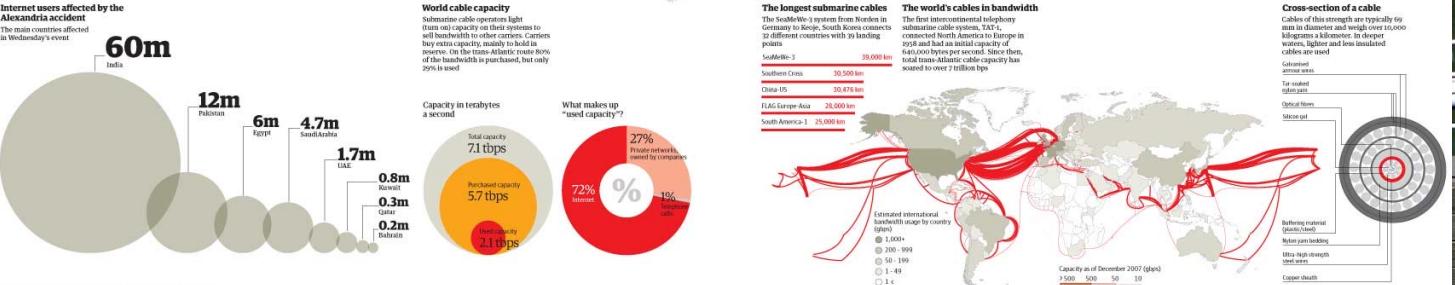
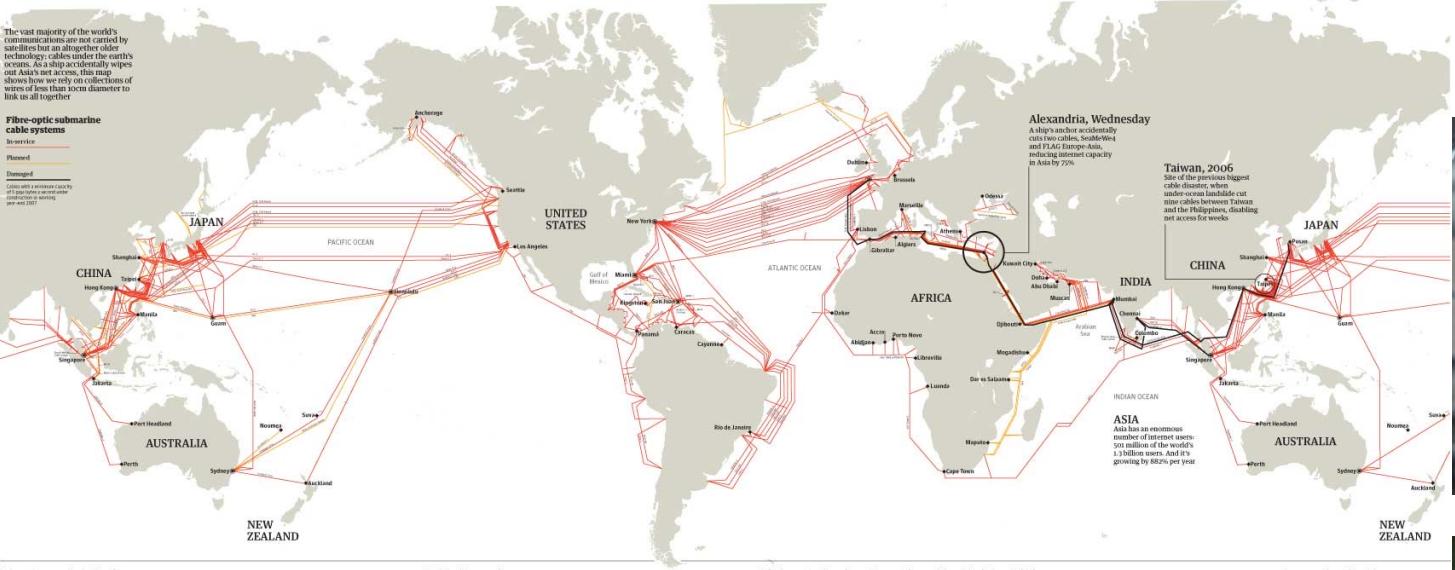


From: <http://www.google.com/about/datacenters/>

## The internet's undersea world



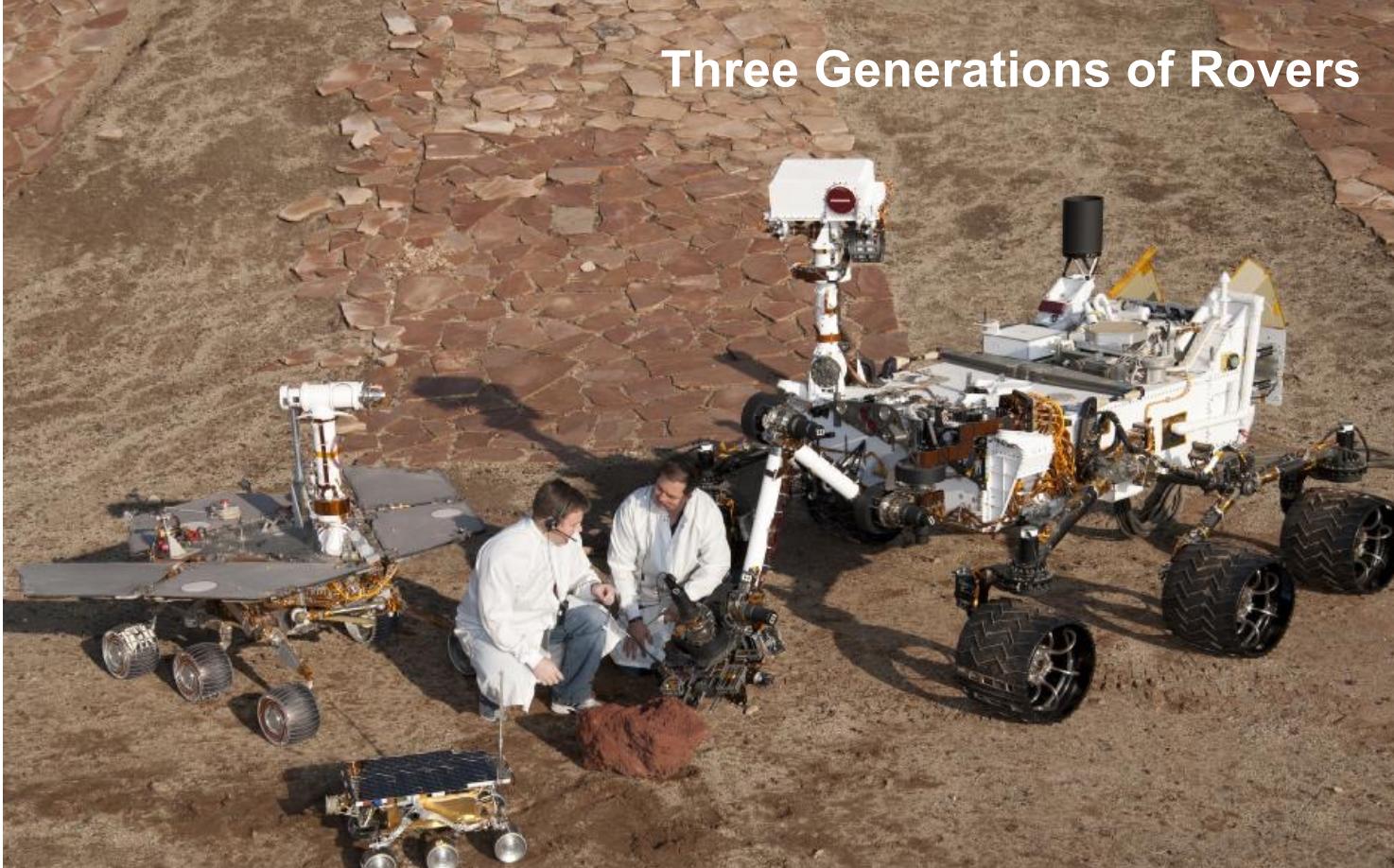
The vast majority of the world's communications are not carried by satellites but an altogether older technology: cables under the earth's oceans. As a ship accidentally wipes out Asia's net access, this map shows how we rely on collections of wires of less than 10cm diameter to link us all together



# Combining data + processing + communications



# Three Generations of Rovers



Front and center is the flight spare for the first Mars rover, Sojourner, which landed on Mars in 1997 as part of the Mars Pathfinder Project. On the left is a Mars Exploration Rover Project test rover that is a working sibling to Spirit and Opportunity, which landed on Mars in 2004. On the right is a Mars Science Laboratory test rover the size of that project's Mars rover, Curiosity, which is on course for landing on Mars in August 2012.

# The Future of Jobs

FIGURE 22

Top 20 job roles in increasing and decreasing demand across industries

## ↗ Increasing demand

|    |   |
|----|---|
| 1  | Data Analysts and Scientists                  |
| 2  | AI and Machine Learning Specialists           |
| 3  | Big Data Specialists                          |
| 4  | Digital Marketing and Strategy Specialists    |
| 5  | Process Automation Specialists                |
| 6  | Business Development Professionals            |
| 7  | Digital Transformation Specialists            |
| 8  | Information Security Analysts                 |
| 9  | Software and Applications Developers          |
| 10 | Internet of Things Specialists                |
| 11 | Project Managers                              |
| 12 | Business Services and Administration Managers |
| 13 | Database and Network Professionals            |
| 14 | Robotics Engineers                            |
| 15 | Strategic Advisors                            |
| 16 | Management and Organization Analysts          |
| 17 | FinTech Engineers                             |
| 18 | Mechanics and Machinery Repairers             |
| 19 | Organizational Development Specialists        |
| 20 | Risk Management Specialists                   |

## ↘ Decreasing demand

|    |  |
|----|--|
| 1  | Data Entry Clerks  |
| 2  | Administrative and Executive Secretaries                 |
| 3  | Accounting, Bookkeeping and Payroll Clerks               |
| 4  | Accountants and Auditors                                 |
| 5  | Assembly and Factory Workers                             |
| 6  | Business Services and Administration Managers            |
| 7  | Client Information and Customer Service Workers          |
| 8  | General and Operations Managers                          |
| 9  | Mechanics and Machinery Repairers                        |
| 10 | Material-Recording and Stock-Keeping Clerks              |
| 11 | Financial Analysts                                       |
| 12 | Postal Service Clerks                                    |
| 13 | Sales Rep., Wholesale and Manuf., Tech. and Sci.Products |
| 14 | Relationship Managers                                    |
| 15 | Bank Tellers and Related Clerks                          |
| 16 | Door-To-Door Sales, News and Street Vendors              |
| 17 | Electronics and Telecoms Installers and Repairers        |
| 18 | Human Resources Specialists                              |
| 19 | Training and Development Specialists                     |
| 20 | Construction Laborers                                    |

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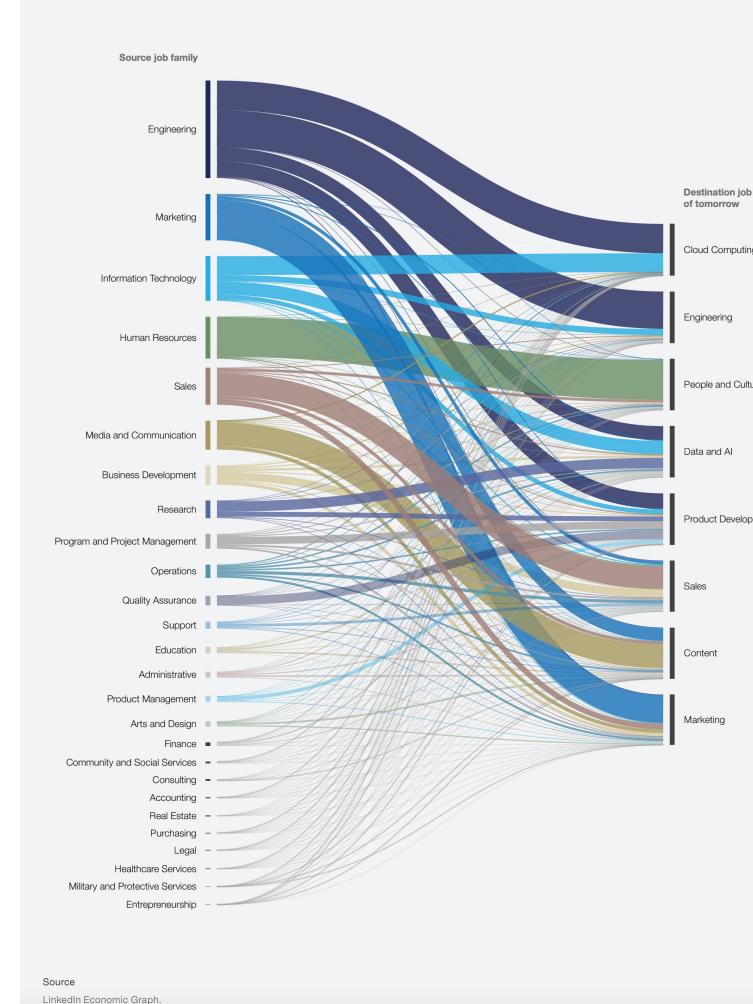
FIGURE 23

Emerging roles clustered into the jobs of tomorrow



FIGURE 25

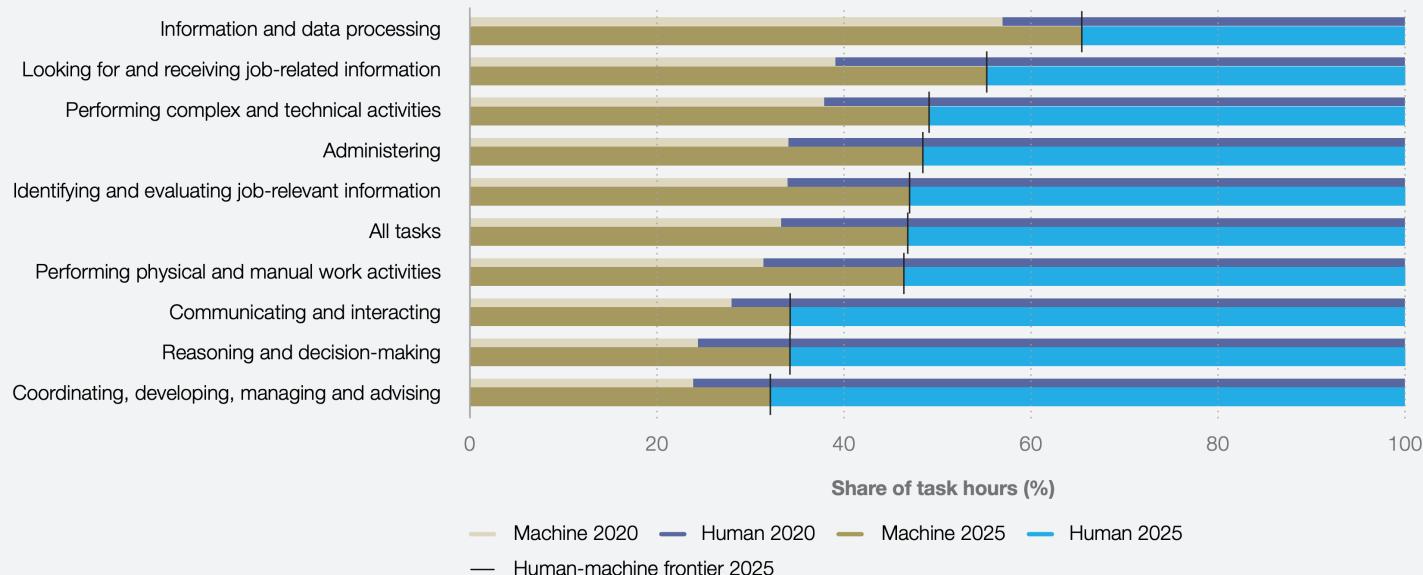
Transitions into the jobs of the future



# Machines taking working hours....

FIGURE 21

Share of tasks performed by humans vs machines, 2020 and 2025 (expected), by share of companies surveyed

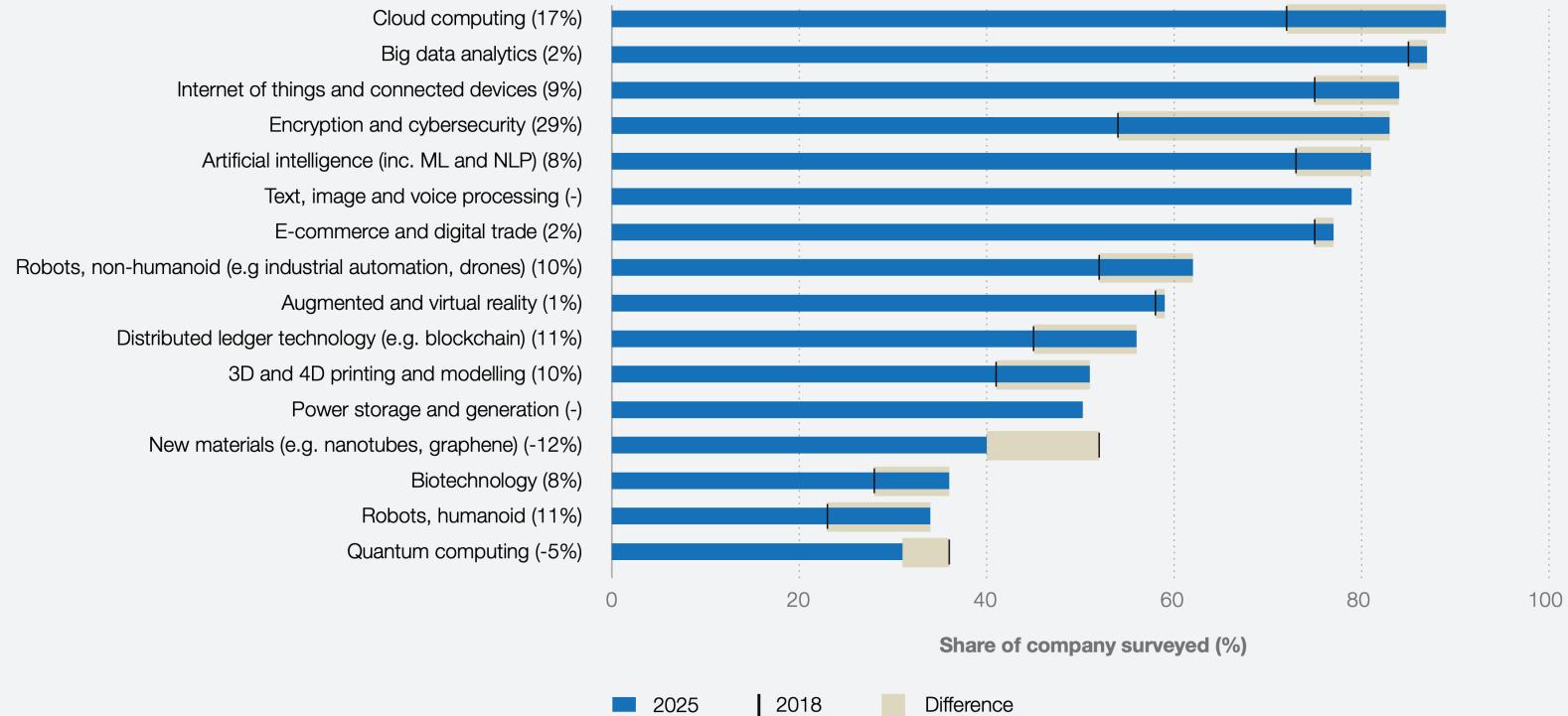


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FIGURE 18

## Technologies likely to be adopted by 2025 (by share of companies surveyed)



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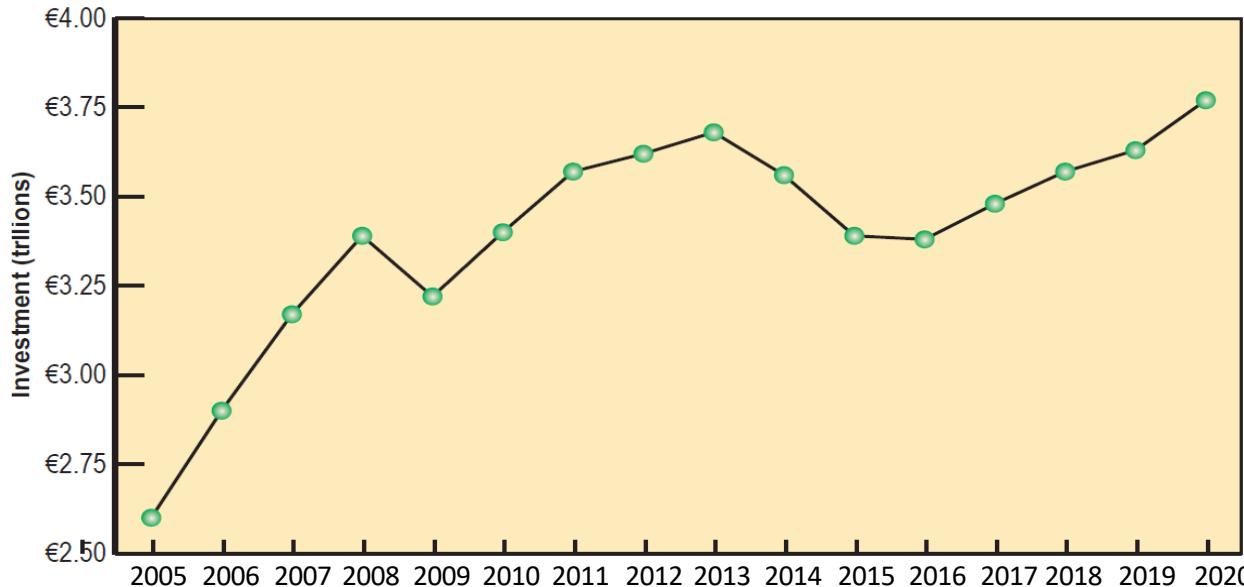
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# Digital Transformation

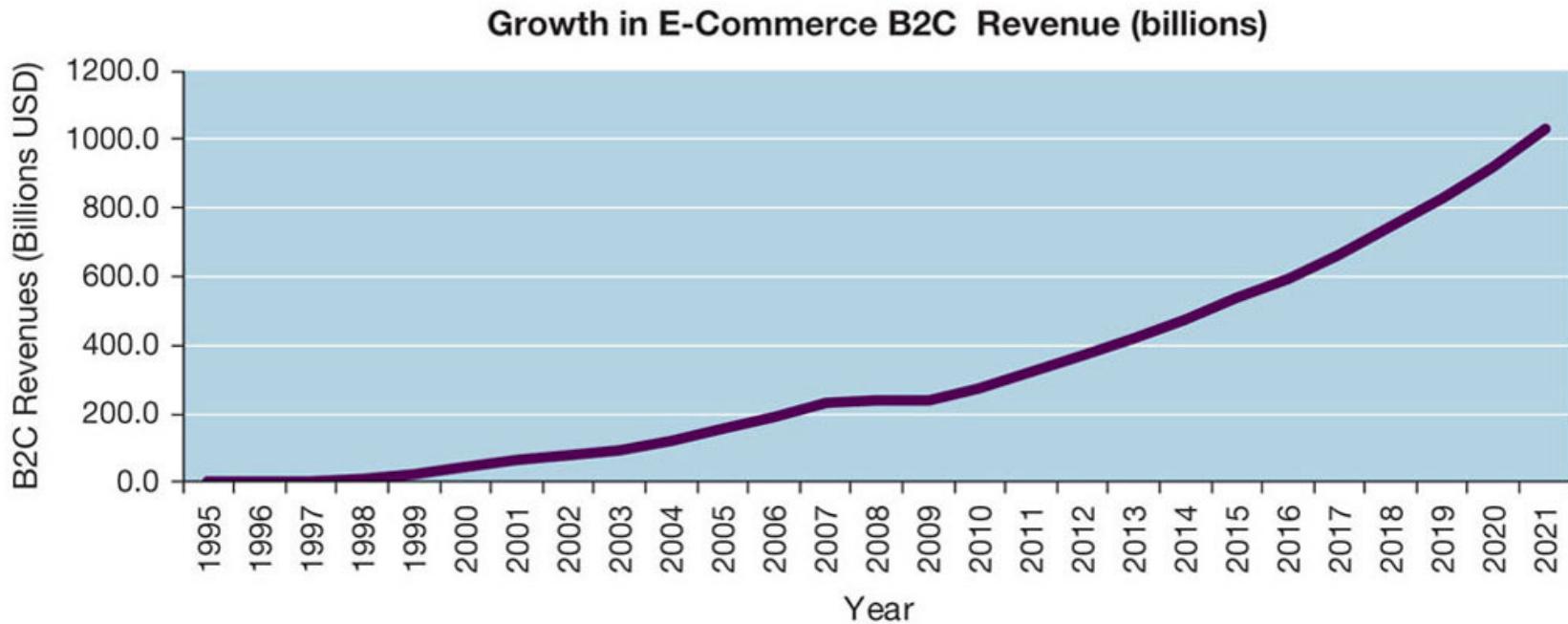


# INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY CAPITAL INVESTMENT

*IT investment now accounts for an estimated 20% of all capital investment* (Laudon & Laudon, 2017)



# The Growth of E-Commerce



# Digital landscape everywhere



# Traditional goods exchanged using digital markets - *Amazon warehouse*





## Goods *versus* Digital Goods

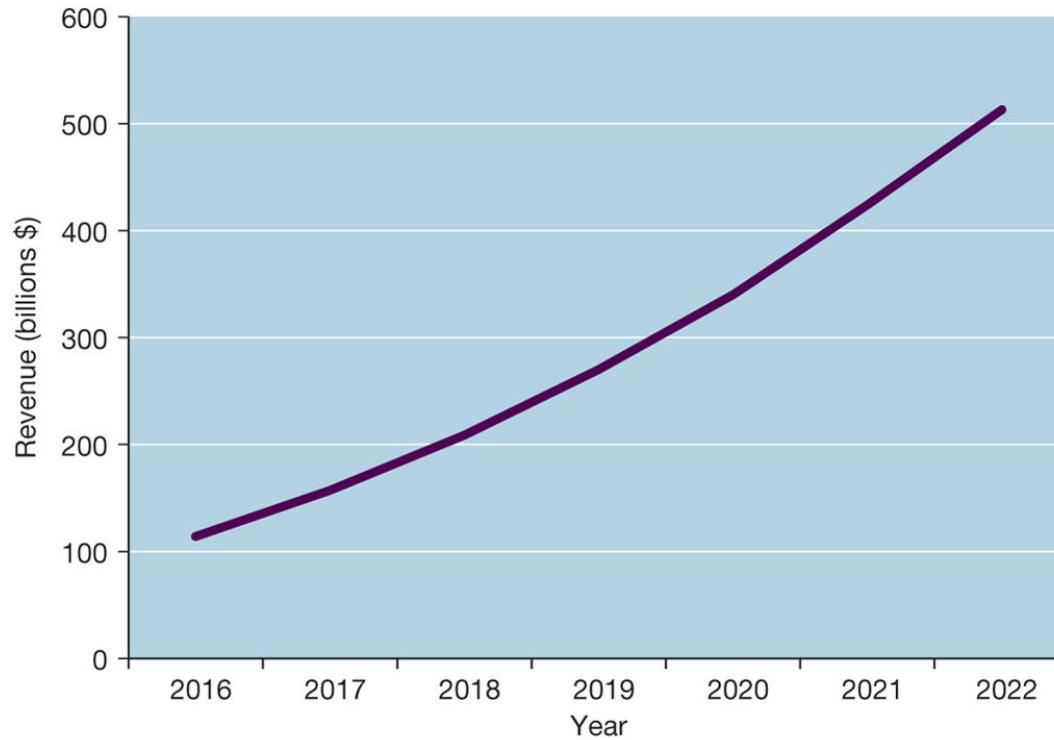
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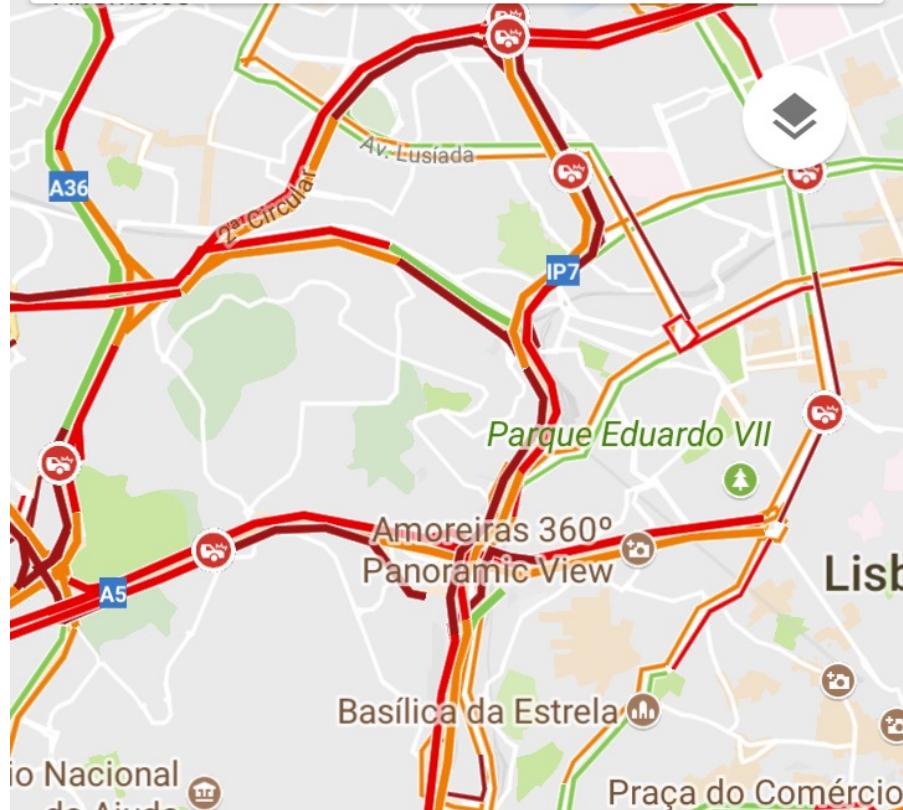
*mixing things –*  
digital markets using  
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# Mobile Retail Commerce Revenues



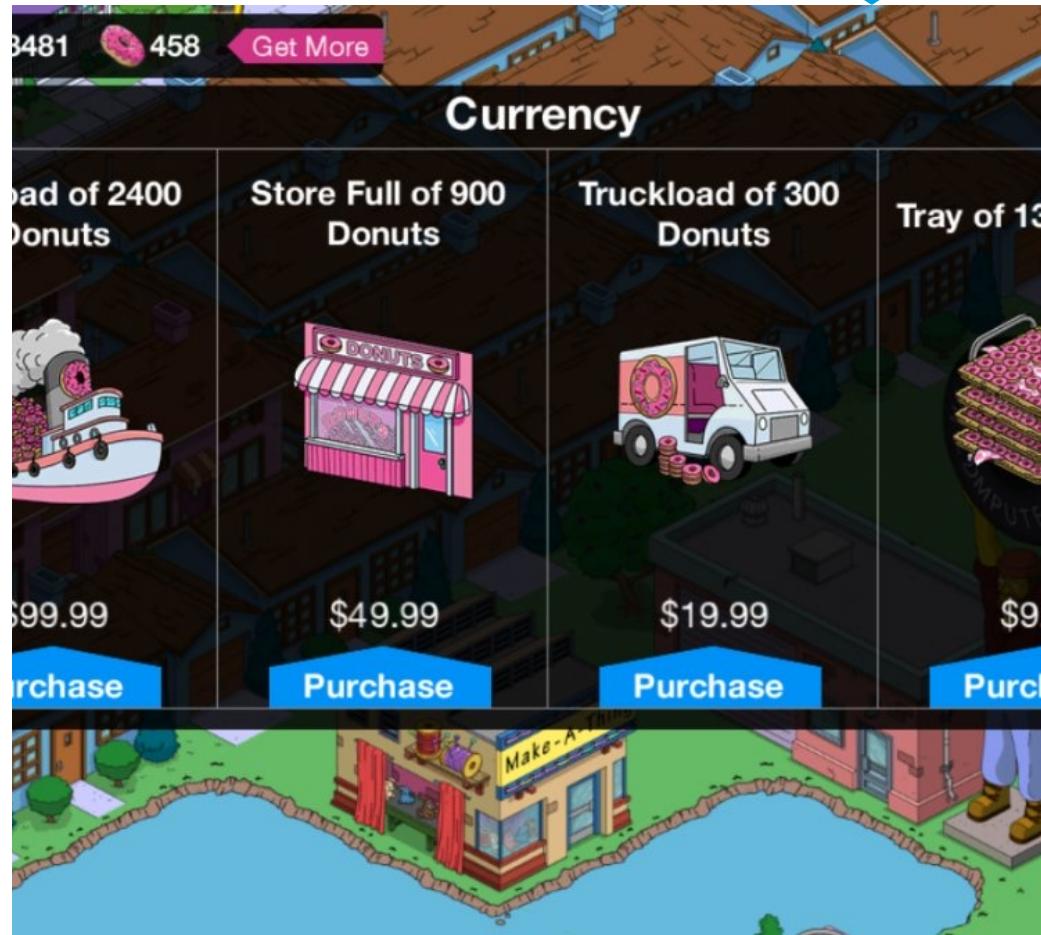
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Location based services and applications



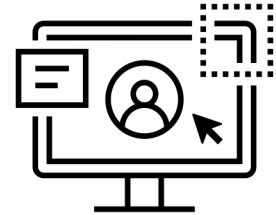
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# Enterprise Systems Applications

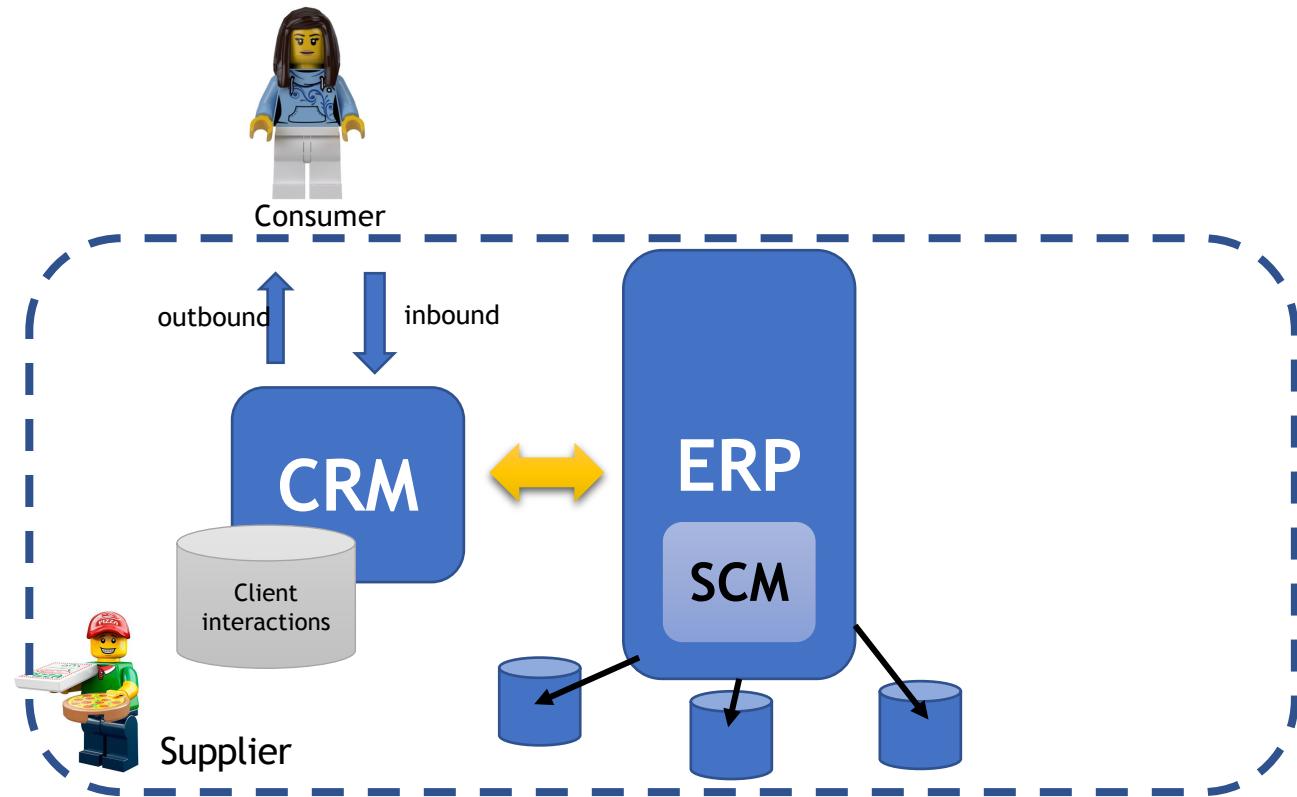
How is a digital enterprise designed?



# Enterprise Information Systems (EISs)

Can be defined as “software systems for business management, encompassing modules supporting organisational functional areas such as planning, manufacturing, sales, marketing, distribution, accounting, financial, human resources management, project management, inventory management, service and maintenance, transportation and e-business”.

They are made of computers, software, people, processes and data.



Supply Chain Operating supported by TPS ([Transaction processing systems](#))

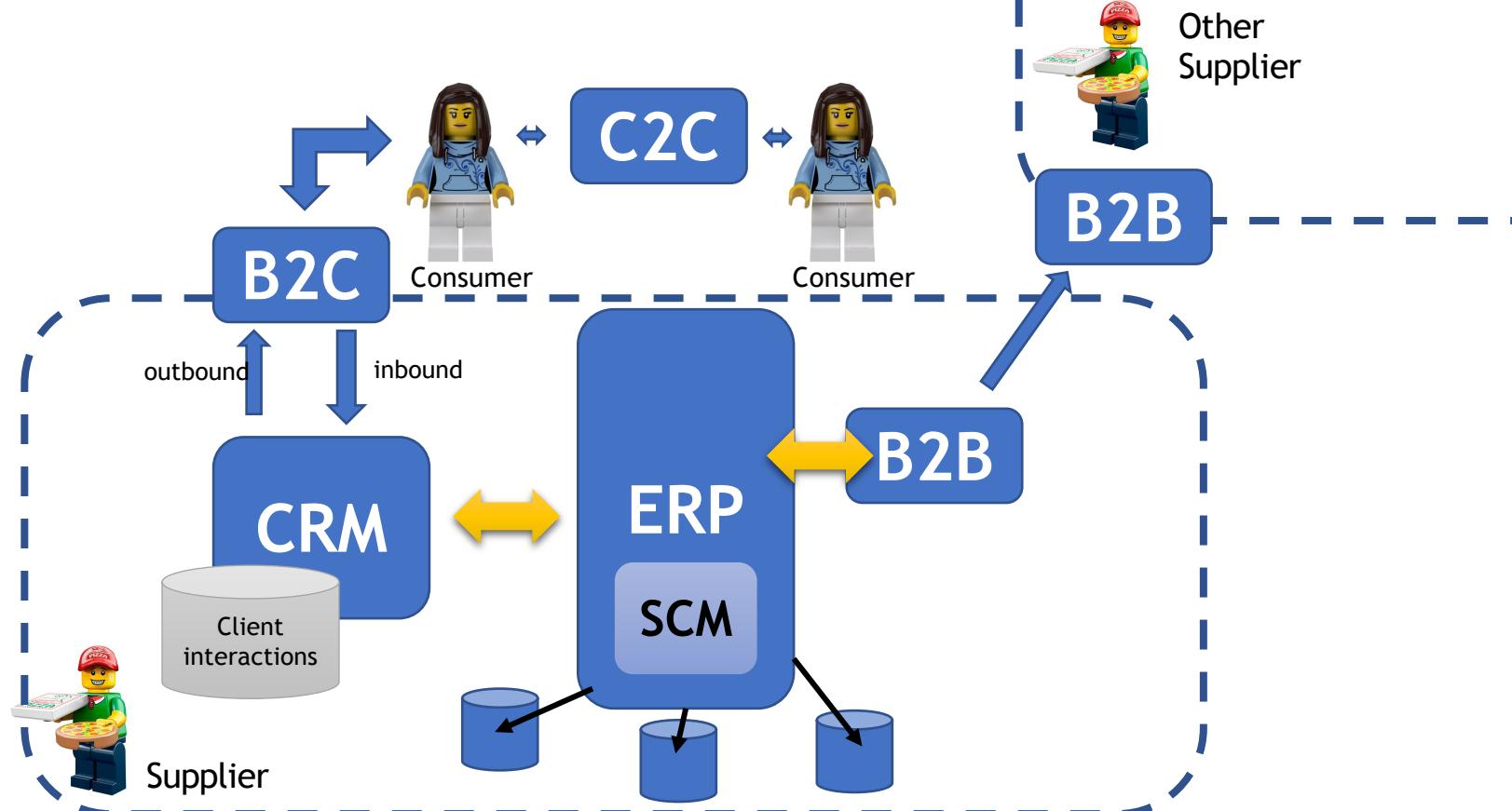
# Customer Relationship Management Systems

- Knowing the customer
  - In large businesses, too many customers and too many ways customers interact with firm
- Customer relationship management (CRM) systems
  - Capture and integrate customer data from all over the organization
  - Consolidate and analyze customer data
  - Distribute customer information to various systems and customer touch points across enterprise
  - Provide single enterprise view of customers

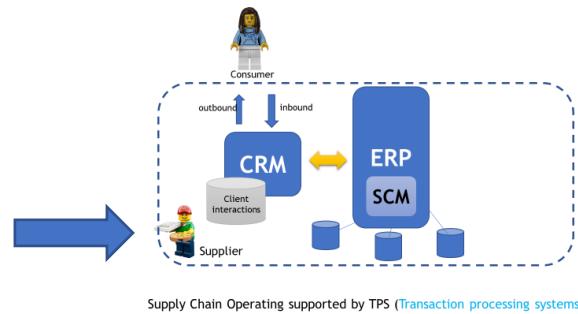
FIGURE 9.6 CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT (CRM)



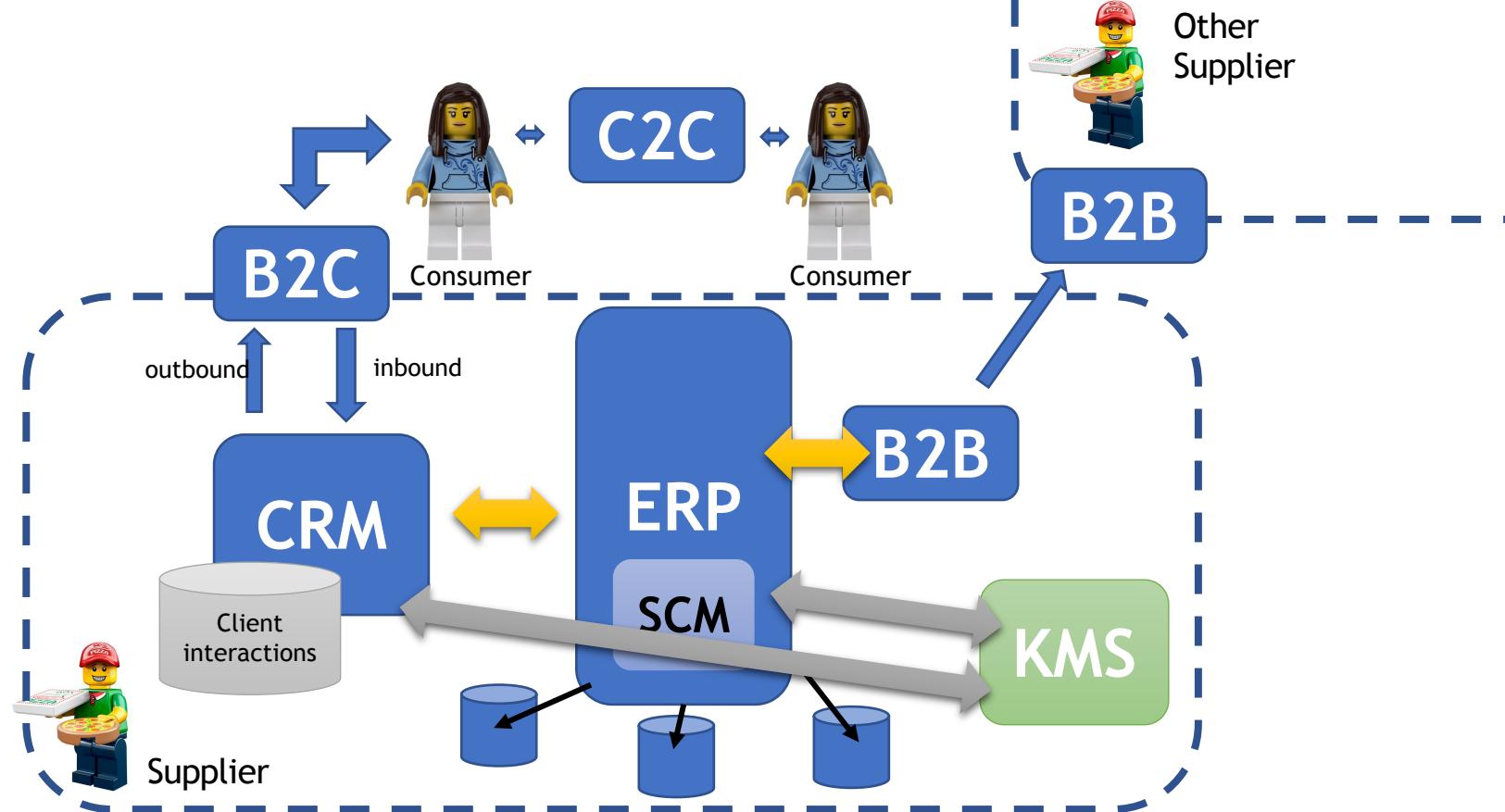
CRM systems examine customers from a multifaceted perspective. These systems use a set of integrated applications to address all aspects of the customer relationship, including customer service, sales, and marketing.



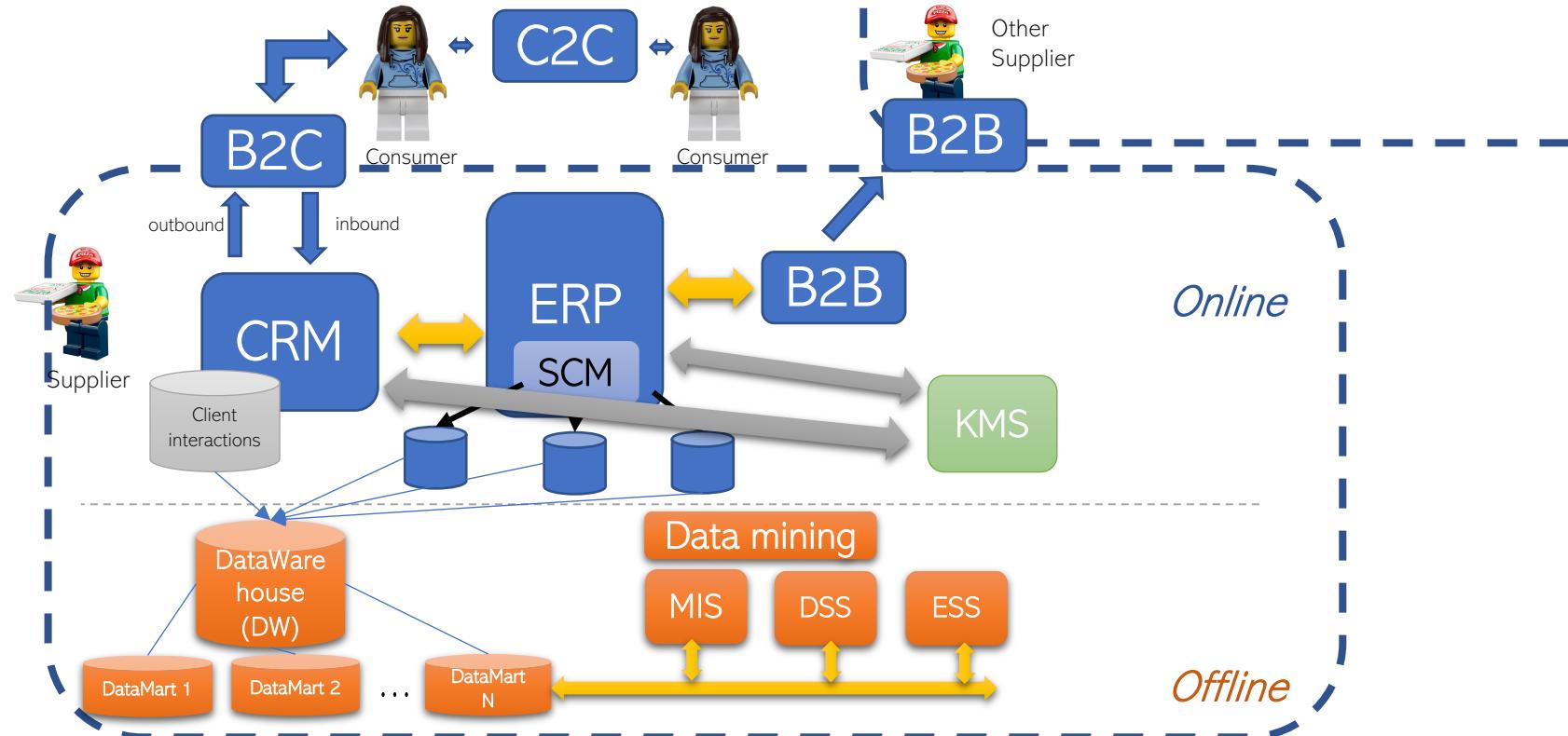
# Supply chain management systems SCMs



- Push-based model (build-to-stock)
  - Schedules based on best guesses of demand
- Pull-based model (demand-driven)
  - Customer orders trigger events in supply chain
- Sequential supply chains
  - Information and materials flow sequentially from company to company
- Concurrent supply chains
  - Information flows in many directions simultaneously among members of a supply chain network



Supply Chain Operating supported by TPS (Transaction processing systems)

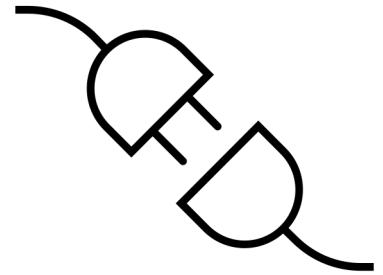


# The evolution of EISs

**Table 1**

Enterprise information systems generations (extended from [4]).

| EIS Generation           | 1                      | 2                                | 3                        | 4   | 5   | 6   |
|--------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|---|---|---|
|                          | Application centric    | Data centric                     | Process centric          | Human centric   | Things centric                                    | Everything centric  |
| Timeline                 | Around 80's            | Around 90's                      | Around 00's              | Around 10's   | Around 15's                                       | Around 20's   |
| Iconic technology        | MRP                    | ERP                              | BPM                      | HMI   | Sensors   | Devices   |
| Technology drivers       | Databases              | Dbms, client-server architecture | Internet, soa            | Semantic networks, intelligent social media, Cloud computing, | Smart things, wireless sensor networks, Big data, | Real plug and play systems, open and trusted Platforms, trustworthy infrastructures, interoperability service utility |
|                          |                        |                                  |                          | Virtual and augmented reality                                 | Service science, cloud computing                  |   |
| Deployment environment   | Local systems          |                                  | Digital systems          |   | Cyber-physical systems                            |   |
| Business challenge       | Efficacy               | Efficiency                       | Effectiveness            | Resilience  | Sensitiveness                                     | Proactiveness   |
| Organisational challenge | Support of departments | Support of enterprises           | Support of supply chains | Support of social networks                                    | Support of sensor networks                        | Support of interplay networks   |
| Technology challenge     | Systems integration    |                                  | Systems interoperability |   |   |   |
| Knowledge challenge      | Structured data        | Integrated data                  | Dynamic data             | Real-time data  |   | Inferred data   |



# Enterprise Systems Integration & Interoperability

# What is integration?

The integration term appears very often in the literature, *i.e.*, books, journals, conferences, newspapers...etc., yet, it has evolved throughout the years, namely:

- the earliest texts referred to “**System integration**”,
- afterwards it was called “**Application Integration**”
- more recently “**Enterprise integration**” and “**Enterprise interoperability**”
- And now often described as “**Enterprise cloud integration**”

# Enterprise Integration *def.*?

- Is the process of ensuring the interaction between enterprise entities necessary to achieve domain objectives
- Can be approached in various manners and at various levels, e.g., (i) physical integration, (ii) application integration, (iii) business integration, (iv) through enterprise modeling, and (v) as methodological approach to achieve consistent enterprise-wide decision-making.

# Enterprise Systems Integration

*Available knowledge base and trends*

# Results for "enterprise integration" (All Fields)

## from Web of Science, Google Scholar, IEEE, ACM on 17.1.2023

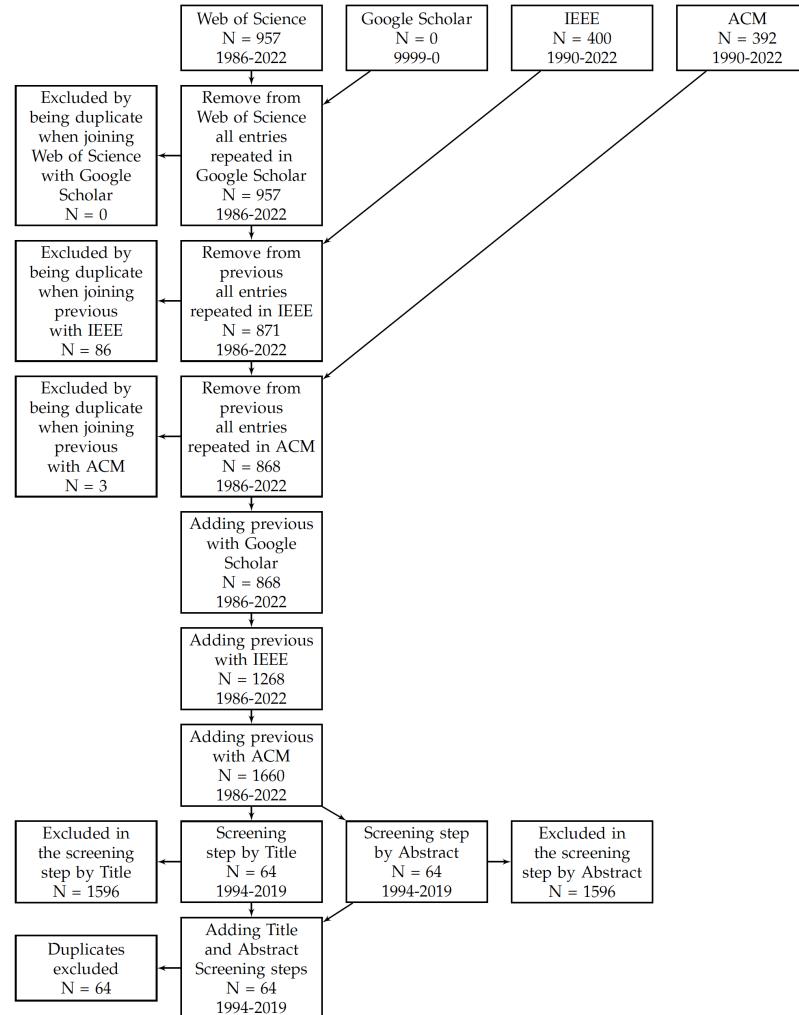


Fig. 1: The refinement steps executed in this SLR procedure and the resulting number of articles.

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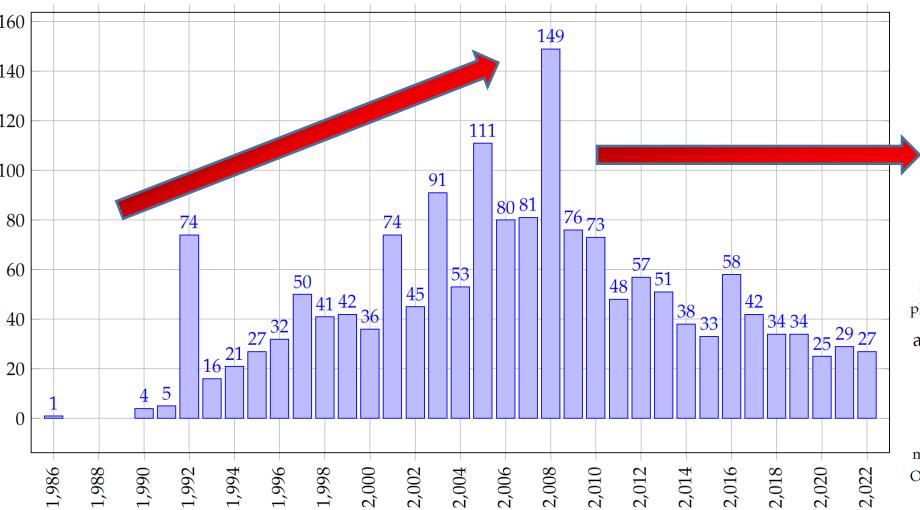


Fig. 4: Distribution of the documents by years. 1660 papers were considered.

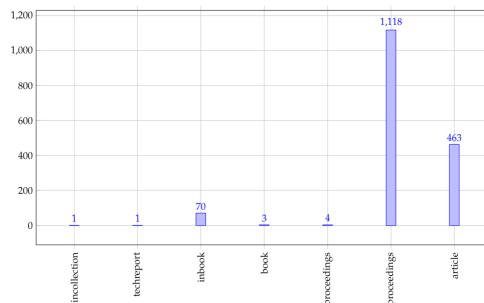


Fig. 2: Wordcloud of the main concepts extracted from Title.

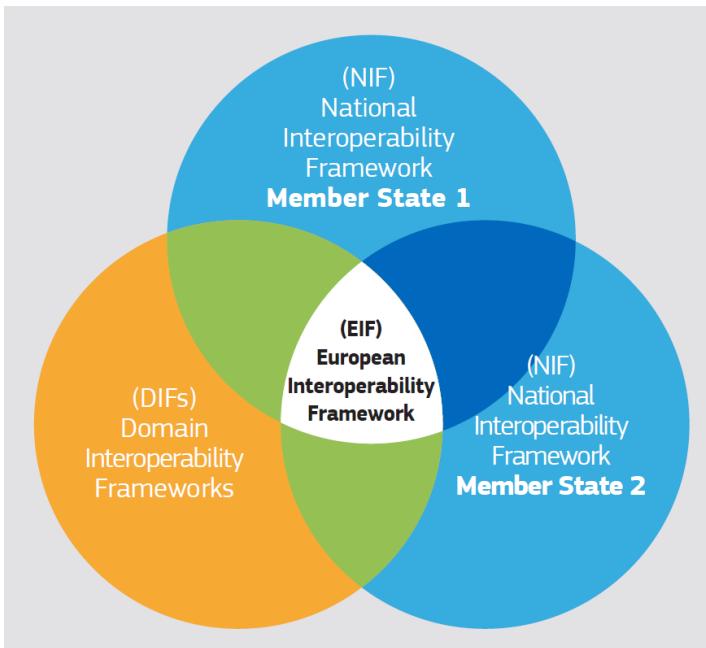
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# Enterprise Interoperability *def.?*

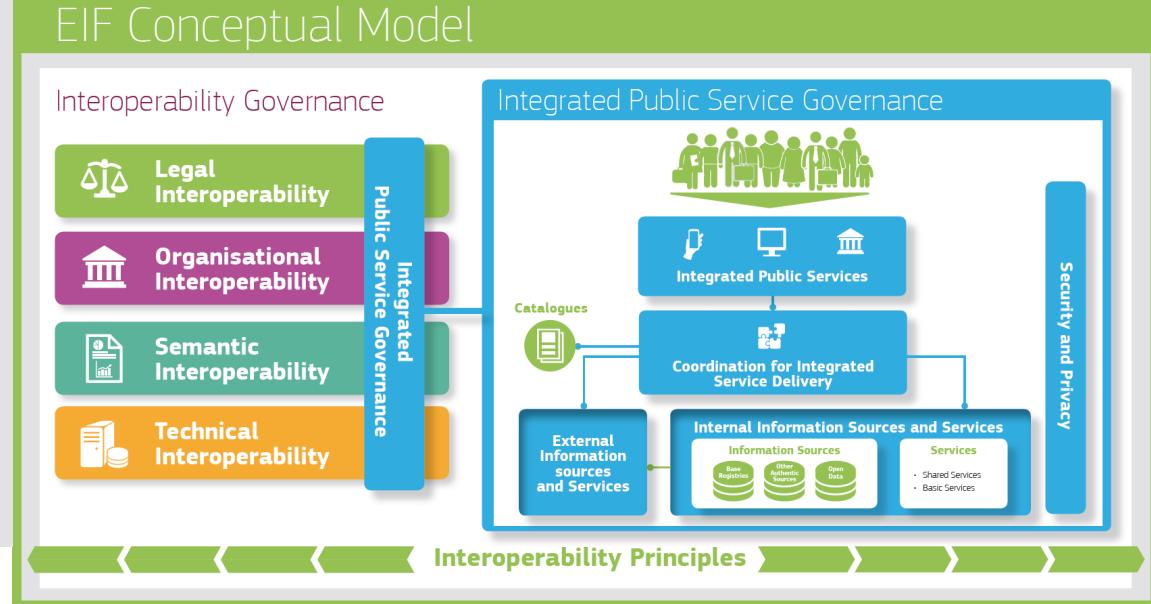
- Is the ability for two systems to understand one another and to use functionality of one another
- "*inter-operate*" implies that one system performs an operation for another system
- In the context of networked enterprises, interoperability refers to the ability of interactions (Exchange of information and services) between enterprise systems
- Interoperability is considered as significant if the interactions can take place at least on three different levels: **data**, **services** and **processes**, with a semantics defined in each business context

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## EIF Conceptual Model



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## 4 LAYERS

### INTEROPERABILITY BARRIERS → EIF SOLUTIONS TECHNICAL INTEROPERABILITY



The truck width does not match

### INTEROPERABILITY BARRIERS → EIF SOLUTIONS SEMANTIC INTEROPERABILITY



EIF promotes the sharing and reuse of common infrastructures, services and IT systems

### INTEROPERABILITY BARRIERS → EIF SOLUTIONS ORGANISATIONAL INTEROPERABILITY



The two wagons do not match

### INTEROPERABILITY BARRIERS → EIF SOLUTIONS LEGAL INTEROPERABILITY



EIF calls upon public administrations to structure their data in commonly agreed formats

### INTEROPERABILITY BARRIERS → EIF SOLUTIONS ORGANISATIONAL INTEROPERABILITY



Complex intersection with red lights in all directions.

### INTEROPERABILITY BARRIERS → EIF SOLUTIONS LEGAL INTEROPERABILITY



EIF encourages public administrations to simplify their organisation, streamline their processes and listen to the needs of business and citizens

### INTEROPERABILITY BARRIERS → EIF SOLUTIONS LEGAL INTEROPERABILITY



The distance travelled in a straight line is considerably shorter.

### INTEROPERABILITY BARRIERS → EIF SOLUTIONS LEGAL INTEROPERABILITY



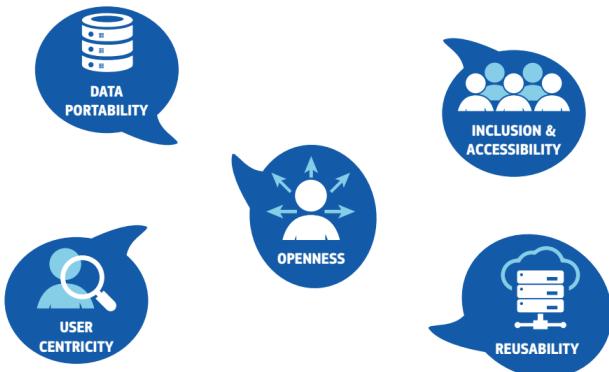
EIF proposes that EU and national legislation and policies are clear, coherent to each other and make good use of digital technologies

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## EIF INSIGHTS

### 12 PRINCIPLES driving interoperability actions



### 47 RECOMMENDATIONS

Concrete and specific as supporting means for implementation



### 1 MODEL

Designing European Public Administrations

## INTEROPERABILITY STORYLINE

### FIRST EIF VERSION



### SECOND EIF VERSION



### THIRD EIF VERSION

# Integration vs. Interoperability?

- **Interoperability** has the meaning of coexistence, autonomy, and federated environment
  - “Loosely coupled” means that the components are connected by a communication network and can interact; they can exchange services while continuing locally their own logic of operation
- **Integration** refers more to concepts of coordination, coherence and uniformization
  - “Tightly coupled” indicates that the components are interdependent and cannot be separated
- Two integrated systems are inevitably interoperable, but two interoperable systems are not necessarily integrated

# Most referred technology classes

Integrated information systems can be divided into three main classes:

- (1) **Interfaced systems** representing the weakest (but still widely used) form of integration because systems can only exchange data using predefined exchange protocols and data schema (e.g. Comma-Separated Value (CSV) files over FTP (File Transfer Protocol), XML files via TCP/IP and SOAP, SQL schemas over DBLink in the case of Oracle applications, etc.),
- (2) **Tightly-coupled systems** integrating all data sources by creating logical mappings between them using standardised hard-coded interfaces and predefined global schemata and requiring so-called integrating infrastructures such as Enterprise Application Integration (EAI) platforms (Linthicum, 2000) and, in between,
- (3) **Loosely-coupled systems** coordinating autonomous component data sources and software applications with a set of federated schemas and open data exchange formats and protocols, preferably XML formats and using, for instance, Enterprise Service Buses (ESB) for message routing (Chappell, 2004). The latter case equates to interoperable enterprise information systems discussed in the subsequent section. Of course, there could be many intermediate gradations of IS integration between these two extrema (i.e. interfaced and tightly-coupled).

# Most referred technology for integration

## File Transfer

- Flat files, structured files, XML files

## Capturing User Interface – Screen scraping

- Legacy screen scraping
- HTML scraping

## Synchronous messages

## RPC and RMI Remote Procedures and Remote Methods

- Within local networks – J2EE, .Net

## Web Protocols

- Web services for application integration
- REST – for tactical adhoc integration

## Data Oriented Integration

- Strongly coupled, development effort involved

## API for Package Applications

- Very efficient but requires dedicated know-how

## Persistent Messages – MOM

## Transaction Oriented – Transactional Monitors

# File Transfer

Integration tools have typically a mechanism for transferring and transforming files with various formats

- Flat file, e.g., Comma-separated Values, is an extremely common flat-file format they're easily consumed by Google Spreadsheet, Microsoft Excel, and countless other applications
- Structured files
- XML and JSON files - file transfer universal solving practically all heterogeneity problems
- Stages of communication
  - Encoding – information (object) to file
  - File transfer
  - Decoding – file to object

# File Transfer

## Advantages

- All operating systems and programming languages support files
- Many applications have ways of exporting or importing files
- Easy to transfer remotely with file transfer protocols, e.g., FTP
- Support disconnected interaction

## Disadvantages

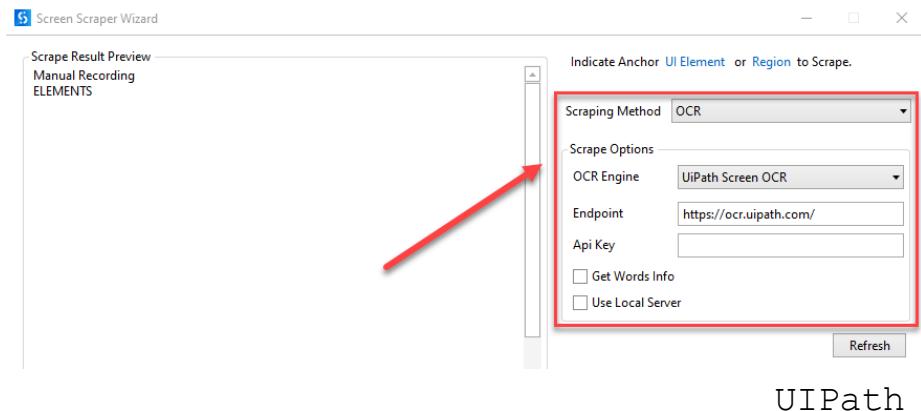
- The complexity of encoding and decoding increases exponentially with complexity of the information to transfer
- Performance is limited

# Capturing User Interface – Screen scraping

- Extract information directly from the user interface of an application

- Integration steps

- Define the screens to use
- Create a template indicating input and output fields
- Replace the terminal with a system that simulates a user, sending and receiving data for each screen



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# Web scraping

- Screen scrapers extract information from HTML and other markup languages
- Browsers and other web crawlers use many scraping techniques
- However, most web pages are intended for human consumption and often mix contents with presentation
- Due to widespread scraping, several anti-screen scraping techniques were developed ...



# Capturing User Interface – Screen scraping

## Advantages

- Suitable for integrating applications with no internal information. For example, COBOL programs on legacy mainframes
- No changes needed in the application
- No direct access to the application data

## Disadvantages

- The application interfaces were not designed for integration purposes
- It is not trivial for a program to simulate a user
- The user interface may be volatile
- Performance is low
- Can be unstable due to communication problems, server availability, etc.

# Synchronous messages

- In synchronous message passing, the components are processes, and processes communicate in atomic, instantaneous actions called rendezvous. **If two processes are to communicate, and one reaches the point first at which it is ready to communicate, then it stalls until the other process is ready to communicate.** “Atomic” means that the two processes are simultaneously involved in the exchange, and that the exchange is initiated and completed in a single uninterruptable step
- In the synchronous mode problems arise when **communication links or communicating threads are in an erroneous state** (broken links, threads in infinite loops etc.) and thus communicating threads remain blocked, since communication cannot be initiated or completed.

# RPC and RMI Remote Procedures and Remote Methods

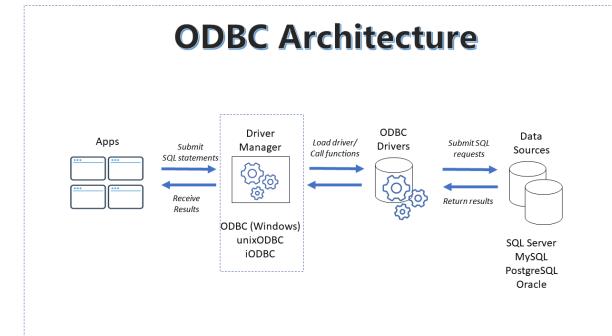
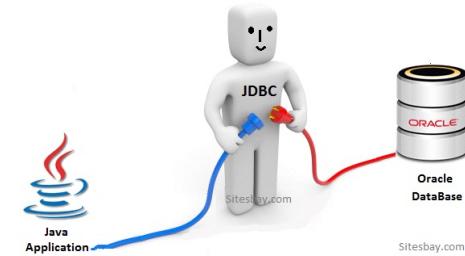
- **Remote Procedure Calls (RPCs)** were developed by Sun Microsystems in the early 1980s. RPCs are represented on different operating systems, including most Unix and MS Windows systems. "Windows NT, for example, supports lightweight RPCs across processes and, with DCOM, full RPCs." (see [15], p.172)
  - **RPC middleware** enables one application **to trigger a procedure** in another application - **running on the same computer or on a different computer or network** - as if both were part of the same application on the same computer.
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- **Advantages**
    - RPC has a good heterogeneity support, because "RPC has bindings for multiple operating systems and programming languages."
    - Marshalling and unmarshalling are automatically generated, thus simplifying the development
  - **Disadvantages**
    - RPCs don't support group communication
    - They have no direct support for asynchronous communication, replication and load balancing, therefore leading to a limited scalability
    - Fault tolerance is worse than by other middleware types, because "many possible faults have to be caught and dealt with in the program."

# Web Protocols

- Many of the released web protocols were used throughout the years to integrate systems. It consists in well-documented connectivity, yet the complexity depend on the details of each protocol
- Web services for application integration, e.g.:
  - **Simple Object Access Protocol** (SOAP) - is a standard protocol originally designed to enable communication between applications developed in different languages and platforms.
  - **Representational State Transfer** (REST) - A stateless client/server protocol: each HTTP message contains all the information needed to understand the request. As a result, neither the client nor the server need to record any state of inter-message communications. In practice, many HTTP-based applications use cookies and other mechanisms to maintain session state (some of these practices, such as URL rewriting, are not allowed by the REST rule). A well-defined set of operations that apply to all information resources: HTTP itself defines a small set of operations, the most important of which are POST, GET, PUT and DELETE. Often these operations are combined with CRUD operations for data persistence, where POST does not exactly fit this scheme.

# Data Oriented Integration

- ODBC, JDBC – Independent API for database management systems
- Strongly coupled, development effort always involved
- An application is independent of the DBMS if it doesn't use specific aspects such as stored procedures, triggers, or SQL specific Commands
- Remote processing imposes a performance penalty due to the way parsing and execution commands are made.



# Data Oriented Integration

- **Object request broker (ORB) middleware** acts as broker between a request from one application object or component, and the fulfilment of that request by another object or component on the distributed network.
- ORBs operate with the **Common Object Request Broker Architecture (CORBA)**, which enables one software component to make a request of another without knowing where other is hosted, or what its UI looks like - the "brokering" handles this information during the exchange.

# Data Oriented Integration

## Advantages

- Simple both in Microsoft and Java platforms with ODBC and/or JDBC
- Relatively low cost because it doesn't require rewriting applications
- Most SGDB manufacturers provide drivers

## Disadvantages

- A large organization may have hundreds of data bases making it difficult to create an architecture
- The Data Schema must be known
- Requires to have technical knowledge on database repositories because the operation can have serious consequences on the information
- Data types can be different and there is need to transform them
- The data is not validated by the application
- A strong coupled integration – any changes affect the integration
- Replicated data can become inconsistent

# API for Package Applications

**API (application programming interface) middleware** provides tools developers can use to create, expose and manage APIs for their applications so that other developers can connect to them.

Some API middleware includes tools for *monetizing* APIs - enabling other organizations to use them, at cost.

Examples of API middleware include API management platforms, API gateways and API developer portals.

# Message-oriented middleware (MOM)

- There are two different types of MOM: message queuing and message passing.
  - Message queuing is defined as indirect communication model, where communication happens via a queue. Message from one program is sent to a specific queue, identified by name. After the message is stored in queue, it will be sent to a receiver.
  - In message passing - a direct communication model - the information is sent to the interested parties. One favour of message passing is publish-subscribe (pub/sub) middleware model. In pub/sub clients have the ability to subscribe to the interested subjects. After subscribing, the client will receive any message corresponding to a subscribed topic
- **MOM** enables application components using different messaging protocols to communicate to exchange messages. In addition to translating - or transforming - messages between applications, MOM manages routing of the messages so they always get to the proper components in the proper order.
- The publish/subscribe MOM works slightly differently. This MOM is an event-driven process. If a client wants to participate, it first joins an information bus. Then depending on its function as the publisher, subscriber, or both, it registers an event listener in the bus. The publisher sends a notice of an event to the bus (on the MOM server). The MOM server then sends out an announcement to the registered subscriber(s) that data is available. When the subscriber requests from a specific publisher some data, the request is wrapped in a message and sent to the bus. The bus then sends an event to the publisher requesting the data

# Transaction Oriented or Transactional middleware (TM)

- TM, or even, transaction processing (TP) monitors were designed in order to support distributed synchronous transactions. The main function of a TP monitor is a **coordination of requests between clients and servers that can process these requests**. Request is a "*message that asks the system to execute a transaction.*"
- TM provides services to support the execution of data transactions across a distributed network. The best-known transactional middleware are transaction processing monitors (TPMs), which ensure that transactions proceed from one step to the next - executing the data exchange, adding/changing/deleting data where needed, etc. - through to completion.

# What is Middleware *def.*?

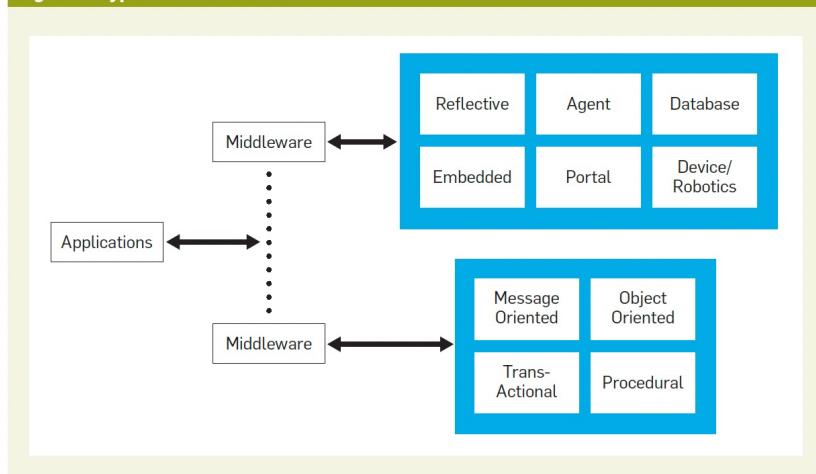
On the one hand, both a software and a DevOps engineer would describe middleware as the layer that “glues” together software by different system components; on the other hand, a network engineer would state that middleware is the *fault-tolerant and error-checking* integration of network connections.

In other words, they would define middleware as **communication management software**.

A data engineer, meanwhile, would view middleware as the technology responsible for **coordinating, triggering, and orchestrating actions** to process and publish data from various sources, harnessing big data and the IoT.

Given that there is no uniform definition of middleware, it is best to adopt a field-specific approach.

**Figure 1. Types of middleware.**



# Middleware – the future

- This middleware “*is an approach for developing a single application as a suite of small services, each running in its own process and communicating with lightweight mechanisms, often an HTTP resource API.*”
- **This means that middleware should not serve solely as an object-oriented solution to execute simple request-response commands.**

But, middleware can incorporate **pull-push events** and **streams** via multiple **gateways** by combining **microservices** architectures to develop a [holistic decentralized ecosystem](#).

# Middleware is STILL Everywhere!!!

Middleware! It was somewhere, and now it is definitely everywhere. Over the past four decades, the term middleware has been tossed around, picked up, and investigated vigorously. **Yet, if you ask 10 different people “what is middleware?” You will most likely get 10 different answers.**

It started as some additions on top of operating systems to **facilitate complex applications development**, moved to become **data integration features**, then became **network applications facilitator**, and eventually became an **important component of every distributed environment, application, system and platform** there is.

To-date, if you examine any type of distributed system or application, you must find middleware or some middleware functionality involved. Although recently, the term itself is becoming less used, yet it still exists in **mobile and sensor networks, service-oriented architectures, grid computing, cloud computing, online multi-player games, networked robotics, the Internet of things**, and much more.

So as is, middleware is really still everywhere and most likely will remain everywhere for a very long time.

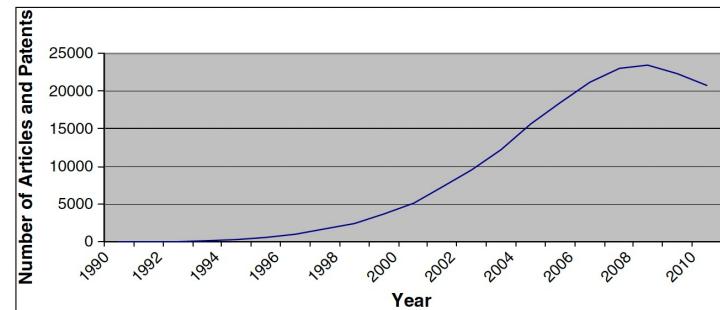


Figure 1. Appearance of “middleware” word on Google Scholar.

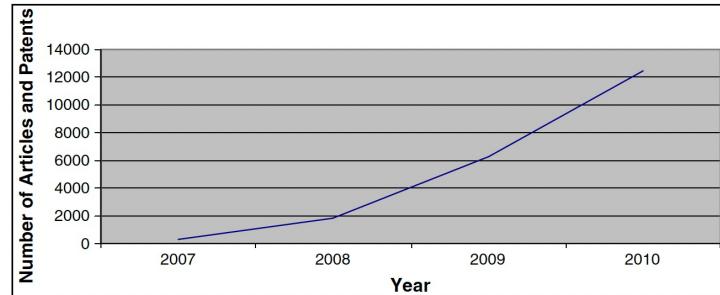


Figure 2. Appearance of “cloud computing” in Google Scholar.

# What is Service Oriented Architecture (SOA)?

- The core unit is **the service** that encapsulates a business function, and services are explicitly defined with interfaces that are independent of implementation (**promote the reuse**)
- Services are **loosely coupled** and invoked through communication protocols that are independent of the location
- Each service is instantiated in a **single site** and invoked remotely on this site by all applications that use it (no replicas with potential independent developments)
- There is **no inheritance** or strong dependencies between services
- Each service is created (build) once but can be deployed to all systems that require it.

# **Results for ALL=“ service oriented architecture” from Web of Science on 8.3.2023**

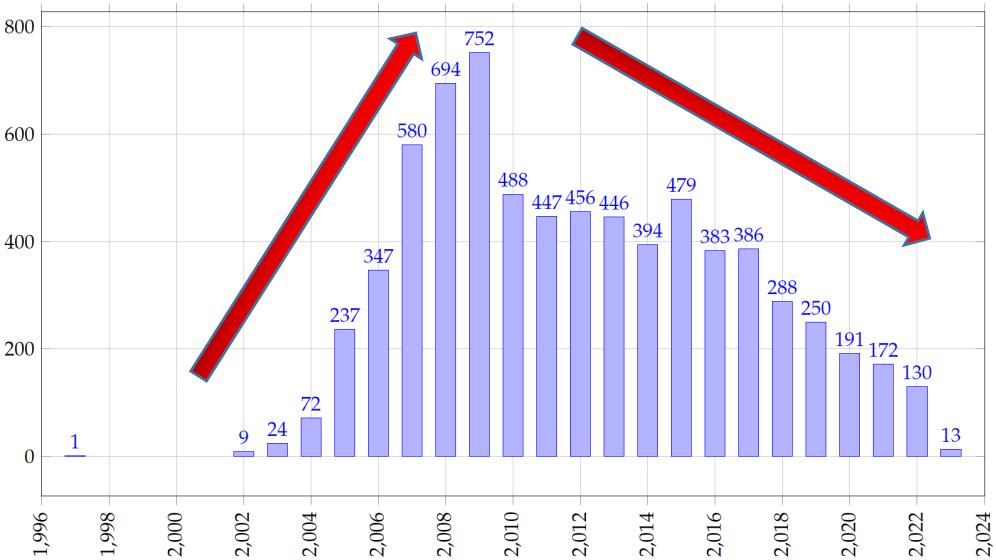
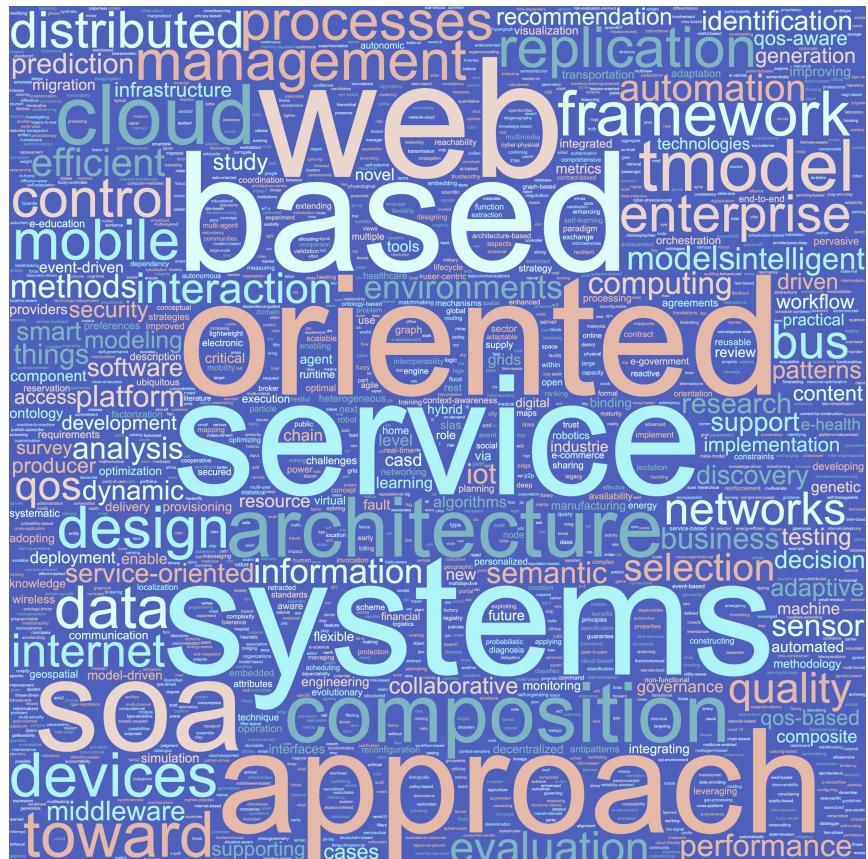
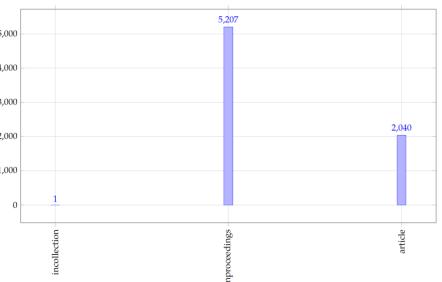
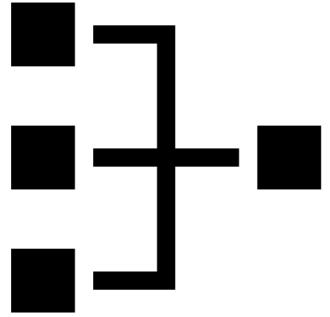


Fig. 3: Distribution of the documents by years. 7248 papers were considered.





# Enterprise Service Bus

*Available knowledge base and trends*

# ESB

- An ESB is a system for interoperateing different application systems in a service-oriented architecture (SOA). It represents a distributed computing architecture and is a variant of the client-server model in which an application can assume both a client and a server role.
- The fundamental concept of an ESB is the fact that a communication “bus” is used and placed between the different applications. In this way, applications are decoupled from each other, operating in such a way that they do not need to be aware of the other systems present on the service bus. The complexity of transport services and protocols are abstracted by the service bus, offering applications an easy way to interoperate with each other.
- The ESB concept was born out of the need to escape the point-to-point communication model (applications that interact directly with each other) that proved difficult to manage or monitor when the organization's infrastructure reaches a certain size.
- They also allow accelerating the integration between heterogeneous applications and thus respond to market needs more quickly.
- The mechanisms provided by an ESB platform are the following: connectivity, transactional control, security, data transformation, transmutations, catalog of exposed services, service orchestration, routing.
- **There are two categories for classifying ESBs: (A) open source and (B) commercial ones. Where the criteria of choice usually used to evaluate the ESB are (i) usability, (ii) the support provided, (iii) the functionality provided, (iv) possible adaptability over the functionality provided, (v) the capacity for future expandability , (vi) existing maintenance mechanisms, (vii) community size, (viii) connectivity offered, (ix) cost, and (x) licensing model.**
- **ESB Examples:** Oracle Enterprise Service Bus; IBM WebSphere ESB; TIBCO; Mule ESB; JBOSS ESB; WSO2 ESB

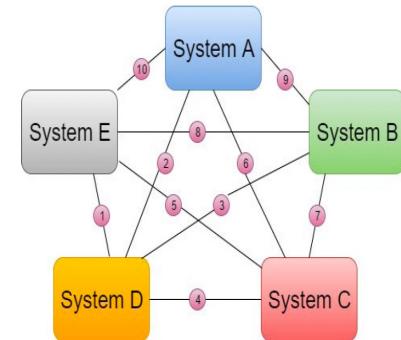


FIGURE 1. Point to point integration architecture.

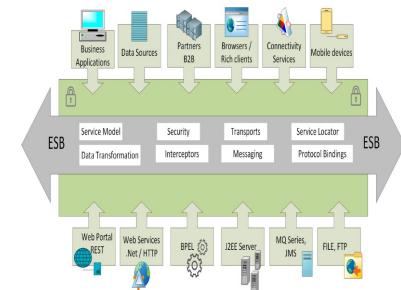


FIGURE 2. Enterprise service bus architecture.

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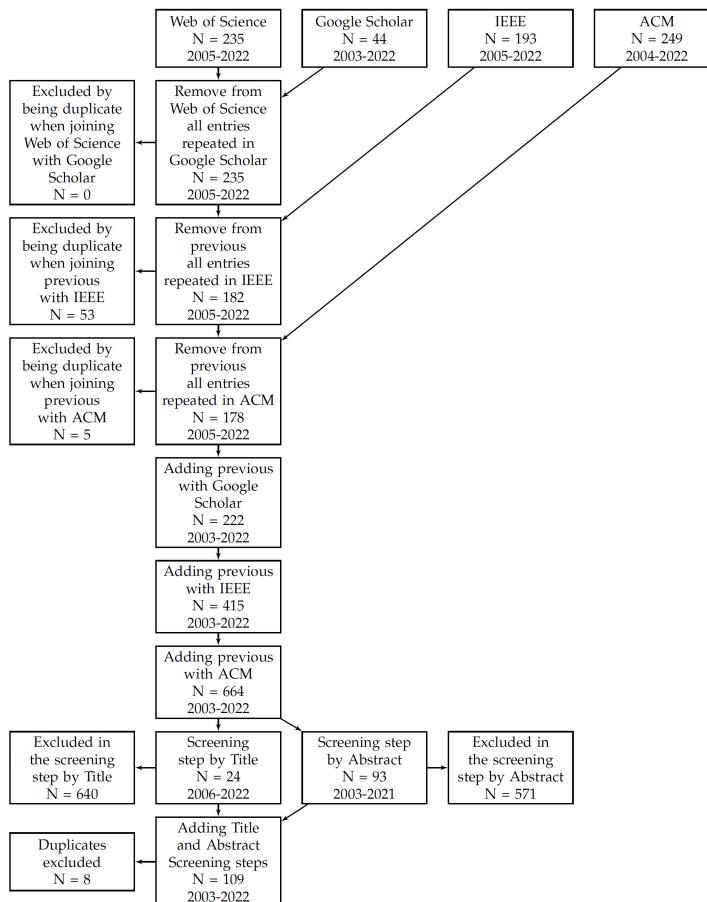


Fig. 1: The refinement steps executed in this SLR procedure and the resulting number of articles.

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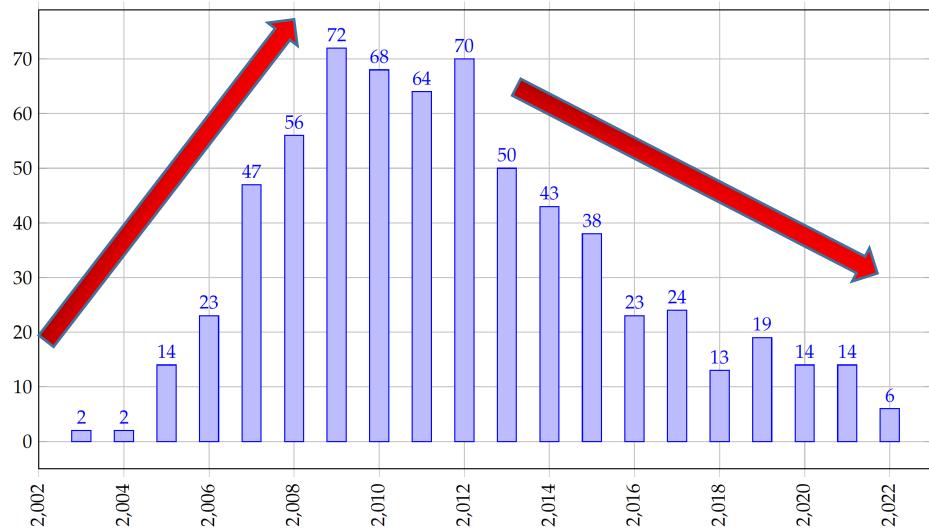
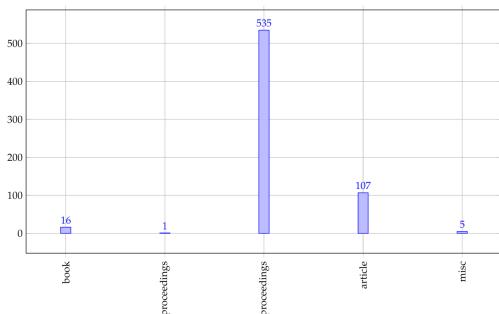


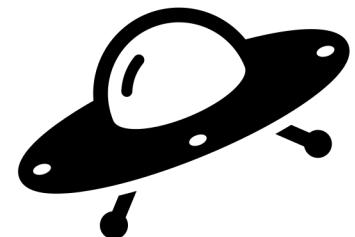
Fig. 4: Distribution of the documents by years. 664 papers were considered.



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Fig. 2: Wordcloud of the main concepts extracted from Title.

# The future of Enterprise Integration



# Event-driven Systems

*Available knowledge base and trends*

## Results for

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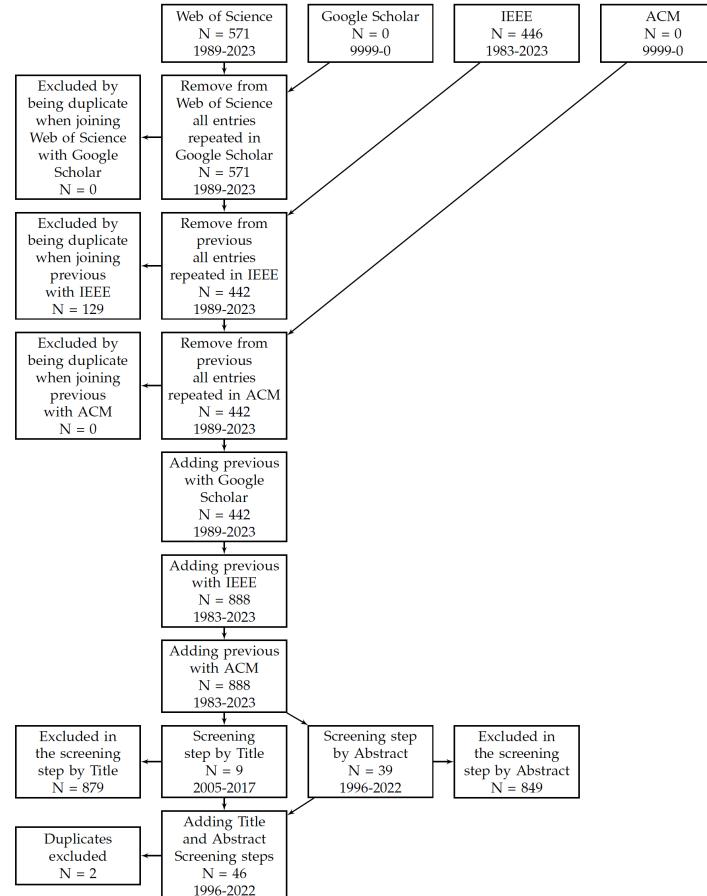


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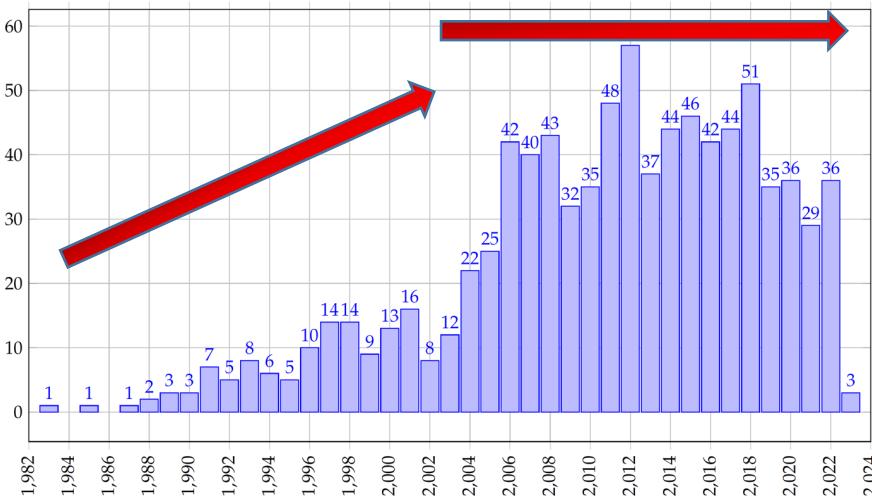
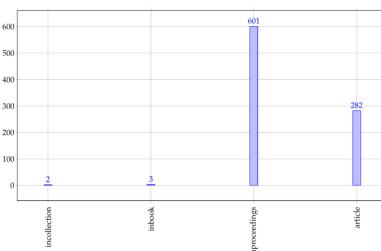


Fig. 4: Distribution of the documents by years. 888 papers were considered.



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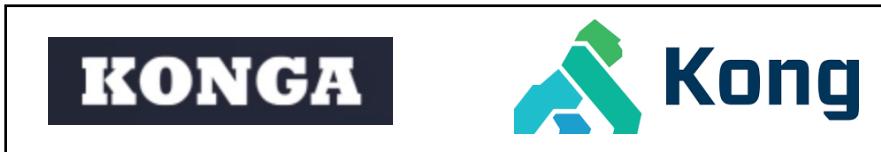
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# The technology that you'll be using is event-driven focused

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Processes  
execution



API  
Management



MicroServices

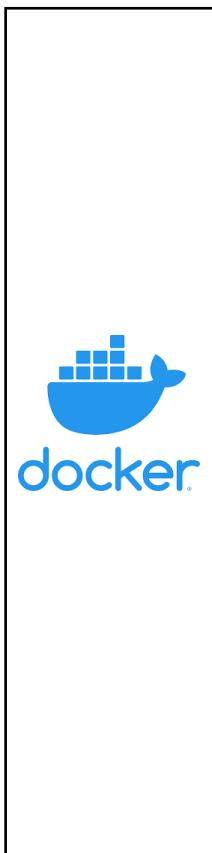


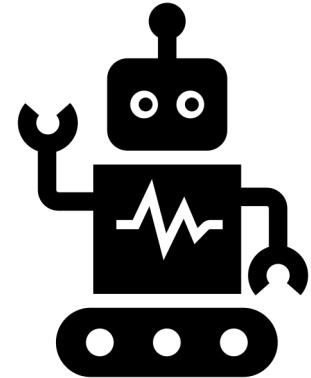
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# Hyperautomation

*Available knowledge base and trends*

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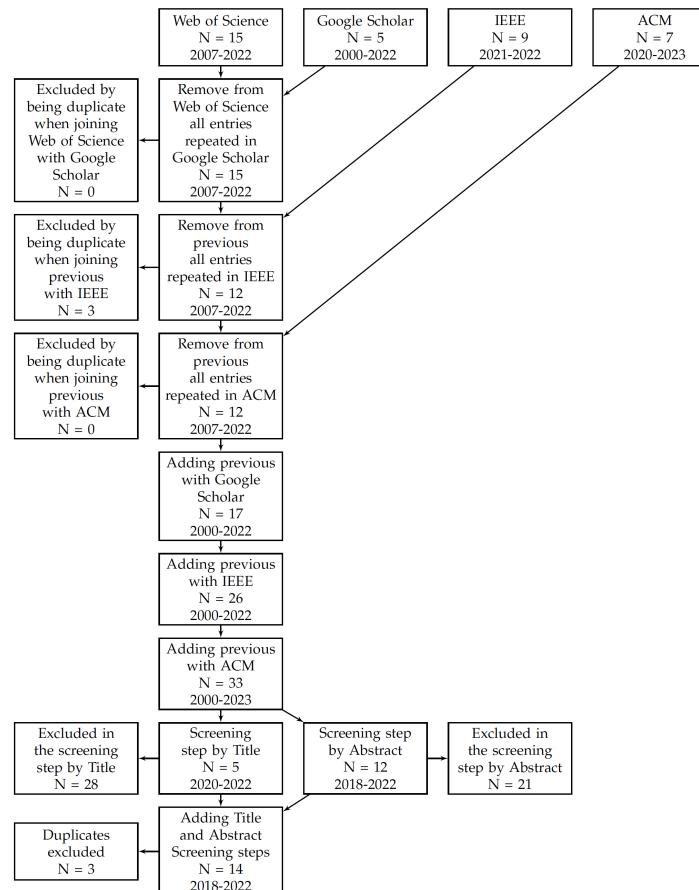


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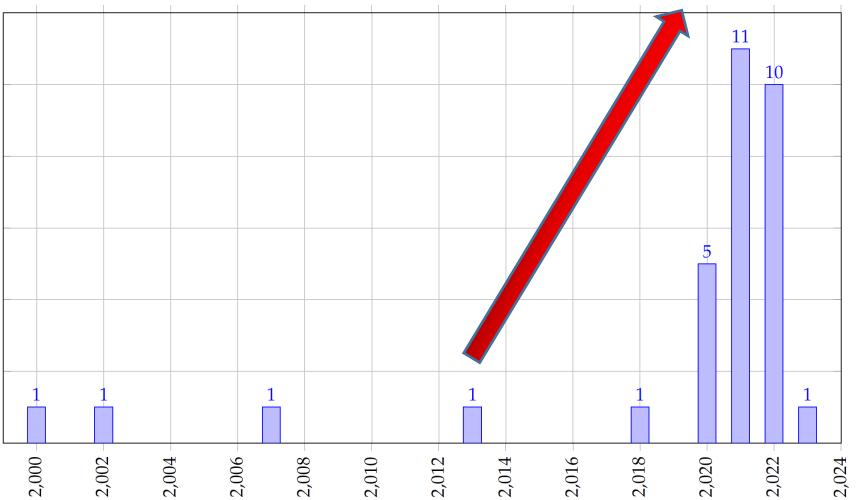


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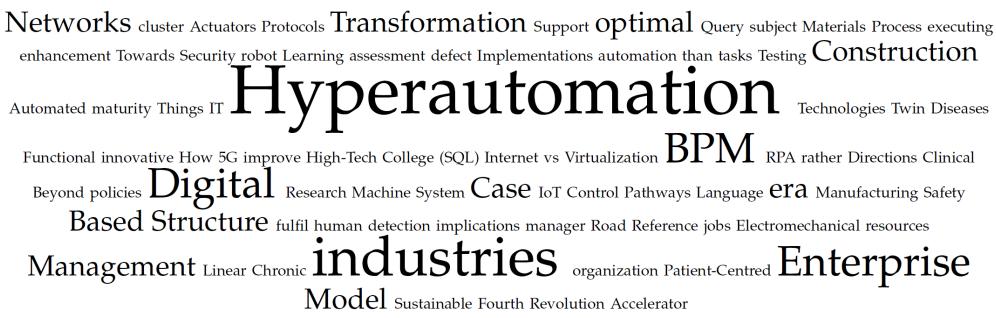
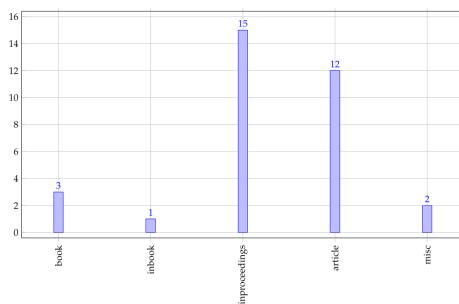


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# Example of new IE applications: blockchain interoperability

## A. The need

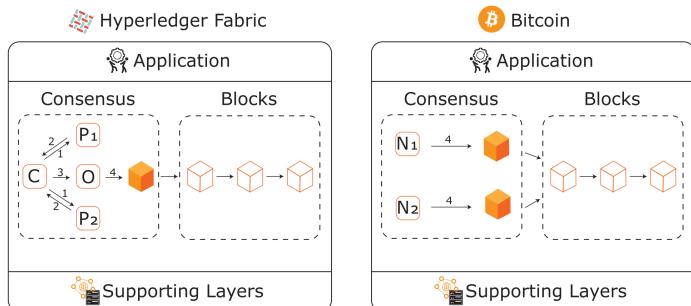


Fig. 2. Representation of two blockchains, Hyperledger Fabric [7], and Bitcoin [132].

## C. The research investment

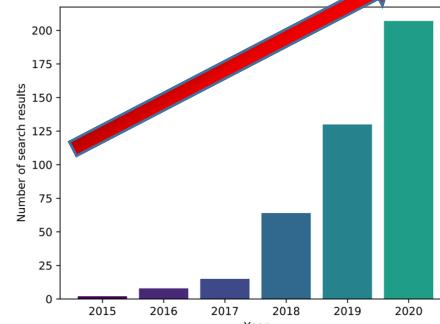


Fig. 1. Research trends on blockchain interoperability.

## B. The conceptual solution

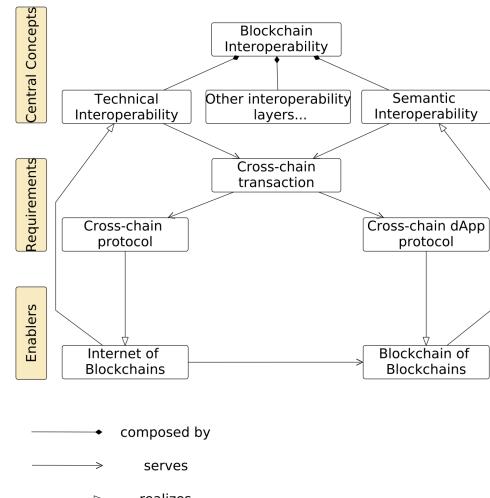


Fig. 3. Concept map, illustrating the relationship between different concepts related to blockchain interoperability

# Contemporary integration strategies used for blockchain interoperability

Table 1. Survey Comparison Criteria, Description, and Sub-Criteria

| Criteria                         | Description                              | Sub-criteria 1        | Sub-criteria 2                          | Sub-criteria 3       |
|----------------------------------|--|-----------------------|---|----------------------|
| Public Connectors (PCs)          | Addresses public connectors              | Sidechains            | Hash lock contracts                     | Notary Schemes       |
| Blockchain of Blockchains (BoBs) | Addresses BoBs                           | Describes solutions   | Detailed comparison                     | N/A                  |
| Hybrid Connectors (HCs)          | Addresses Hybrid Connectors              | Trusted Relays        | Blockchain agnostic protocols           | Blockchain migrators |
| Architecture (AR)                | Addresses architectures enabling CCCPs   | Proposes architecture | Presents related work                   | N/A                  |
| Cross-chain Standards (ST)       | Addresses standards for interoperability | Present standards     | Relate standards to solutions           | N/A                  |
| Cross-analysis (CC)              | Compares across categories               | Compare categories    | Compare sub-categories                  | N/A                  |
| Use Cases (UCs)                  | Presents use cases using an IoB or BoB   | Existing use cases    | Predicted use cases                     | N/A                  |
| Open Issues (OIs)                | Challenges on interoperability           | Research directions   | Relate interoperability to other issues | N/A                  |

# Q&A





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