

Paving the Way from Privacy to Trust

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Without context
Data has no Trust

Digital Twin Personalisation

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I want to share
usage patterns
p = personalisation

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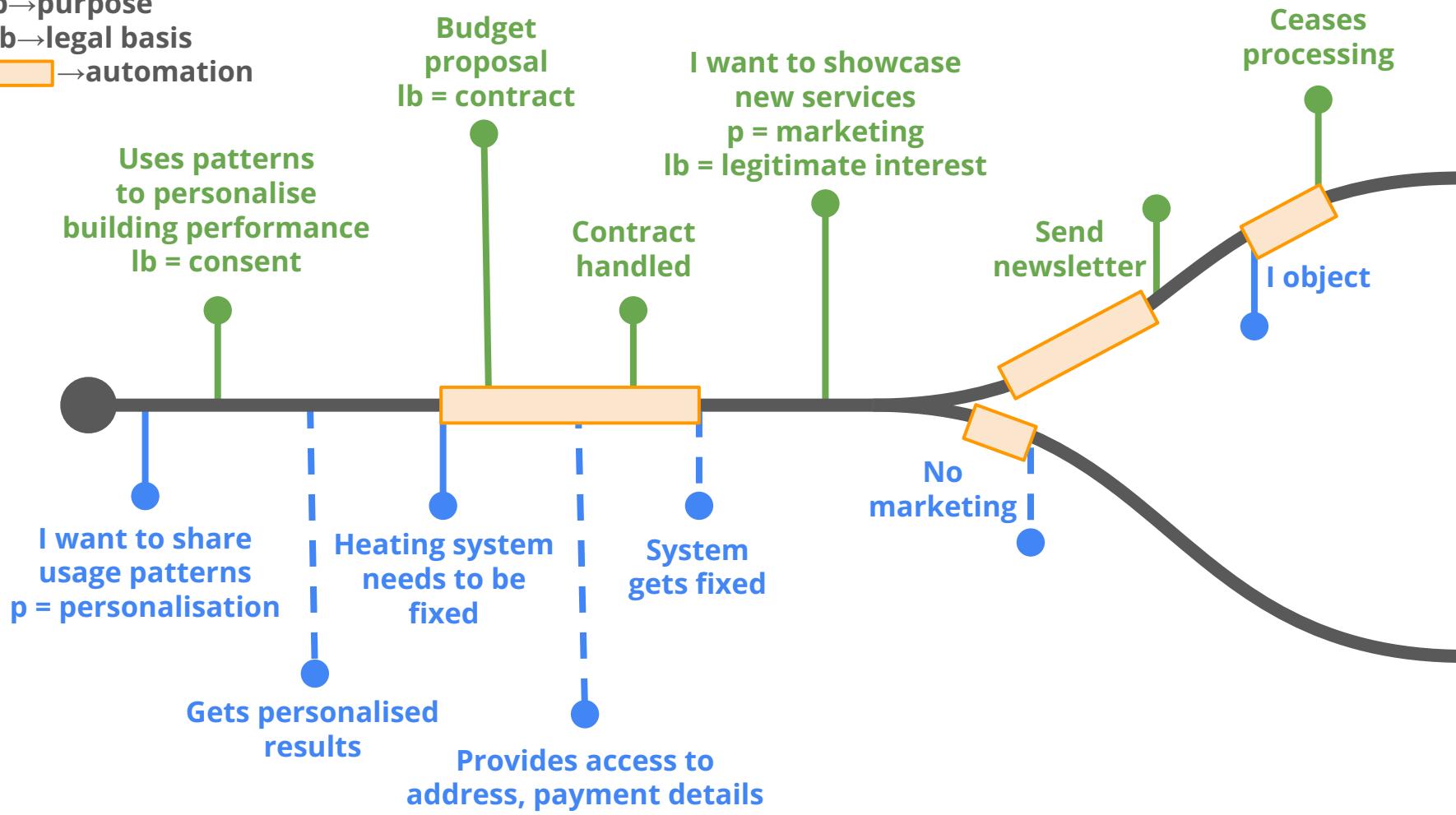
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p → purpose
lb → legal basis
orange box → automation



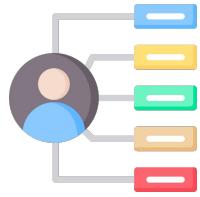
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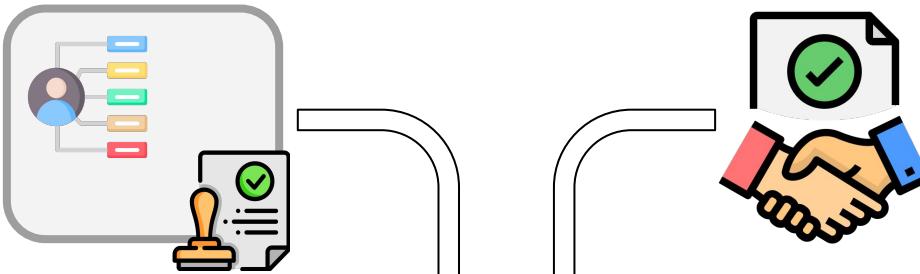
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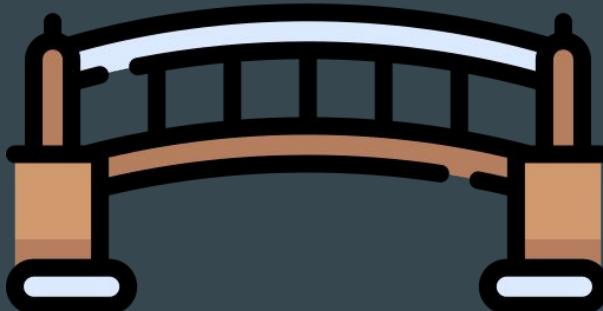
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Verifiable Credentials Data Model v2.0

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Verifiable Credential

Credential Metadata

Claim(s)

Proof(s)

Verifiable Presentation

Presentation Metadata

Verifiable Credential(s)

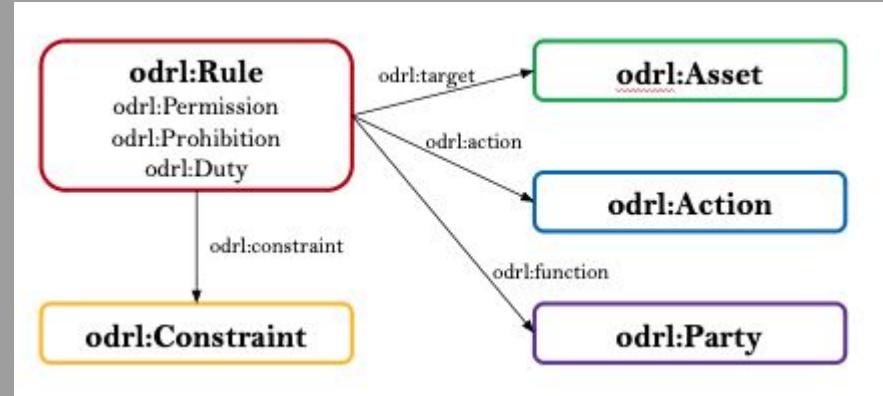
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Instantiated policy



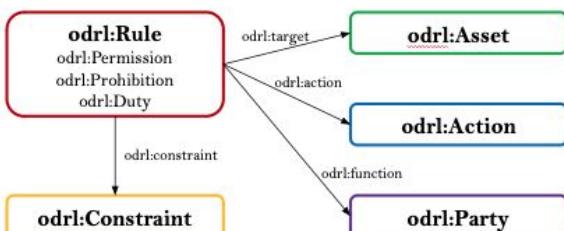
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in which resource how



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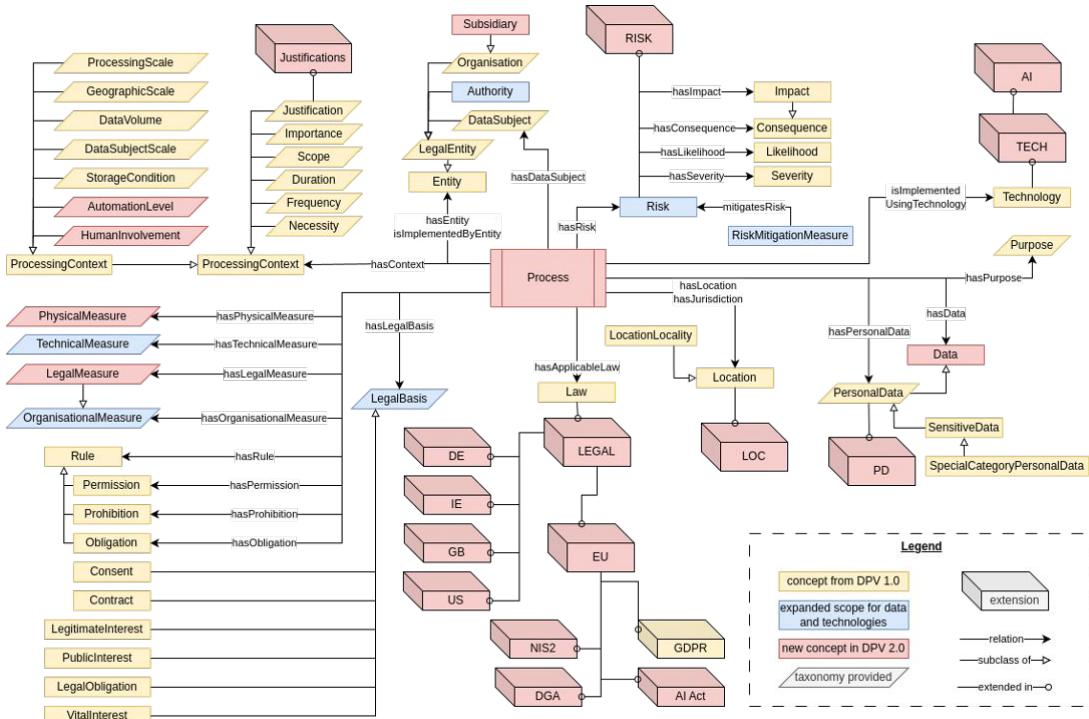
- W3C Recommendation
- Maintained by the [W3C ODRL Community Group](#)
- Composed by several specifications
 - [ODRL Information Model – W3C Recommendation](#)
 - [ODRL Core Vocabulary – W3C Recommendation](#)
 - [ODRL Implementation Best Practices](#)
 - [ODRL Profile Best Practices](#)
 - [ODRL Formal Semantics \[Under development\]](#)
- Easily extendable through the use of ODRL profiles

- Developed by the W3C Data Privacy Vocabularies and Controls Community Group (DPVCG)
- Defines a **jurisdiction-agnostic** ontology for expressing metadata about the processing of personal data
- Provides **hierarchical taxonomies**, from abstract to more specific concepts, to instantiate specific concepts in practical use-cases
- Has law-specific extensions

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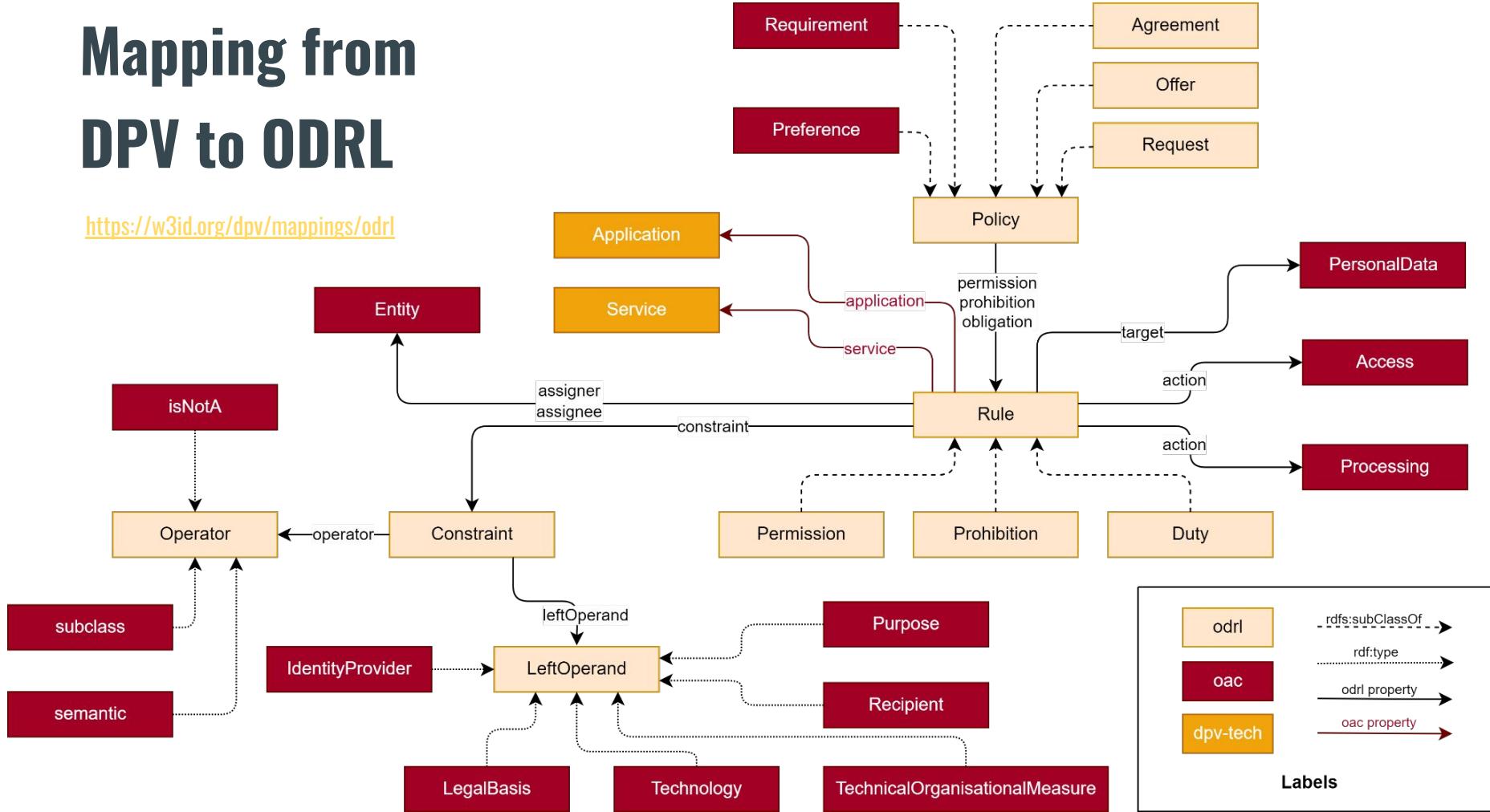
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Data Privacy Vocabulary (DPV)



Mapping from DPV to ODRL

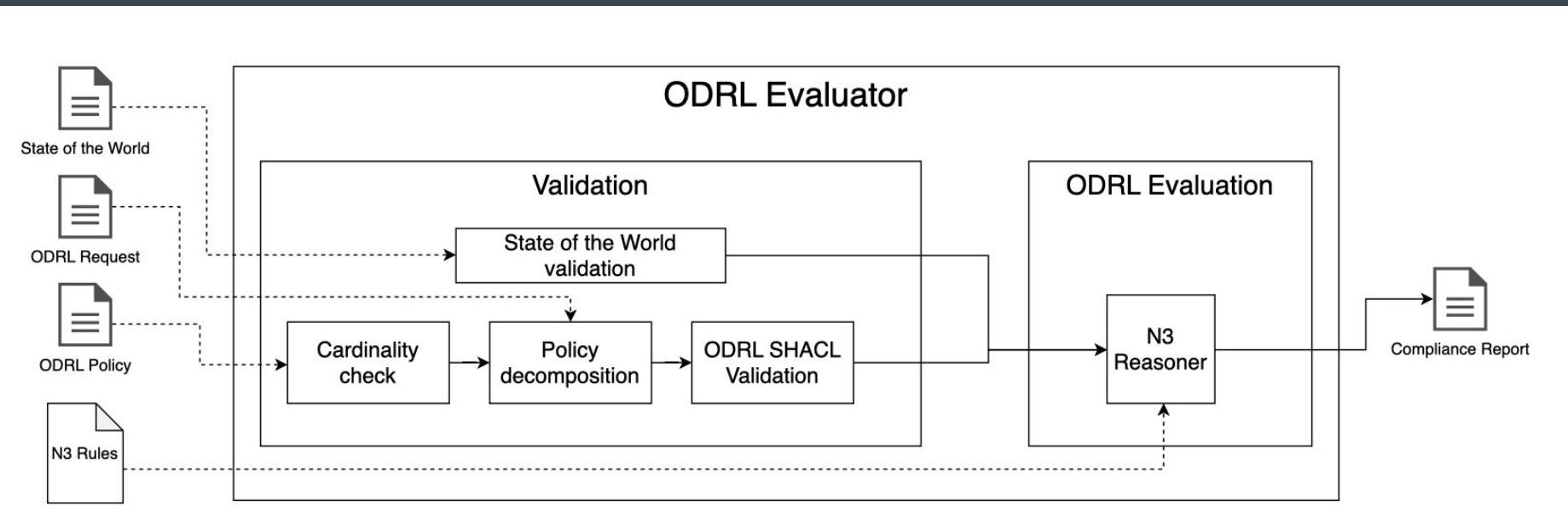
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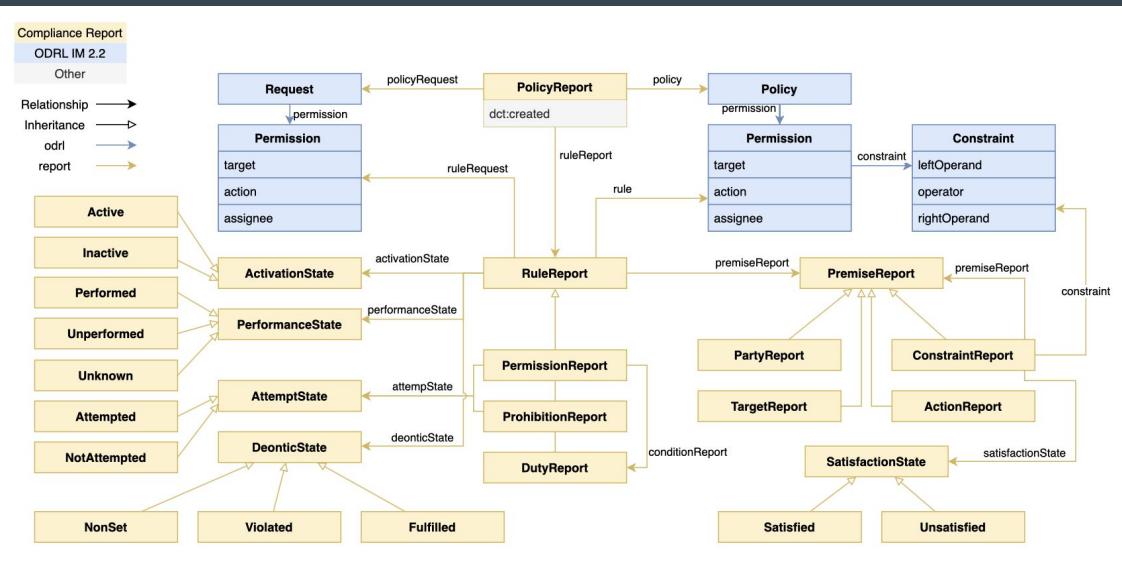


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ex:request a odrl:Request ;
odrl:uid ex:request ;
dcterms:description "Request to read usage patterns for personalised building performance." ;
odrl:permission [
    odrl:action odrl:read ;
    odrl:target ex:usage-patterns ;
    odrl:assignee ex:building-maintainer ;
    odrl:constraint [
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        odrl:operator odrl:eq ;
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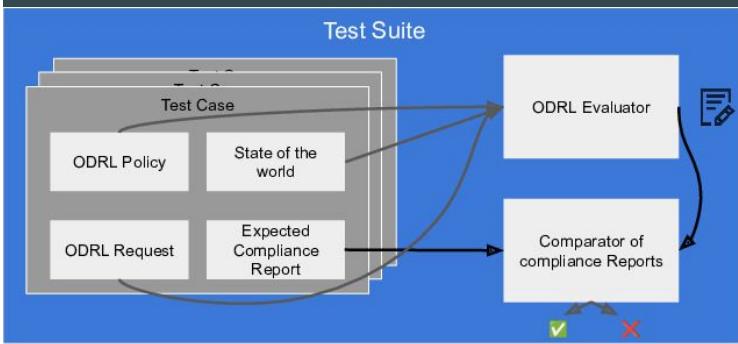
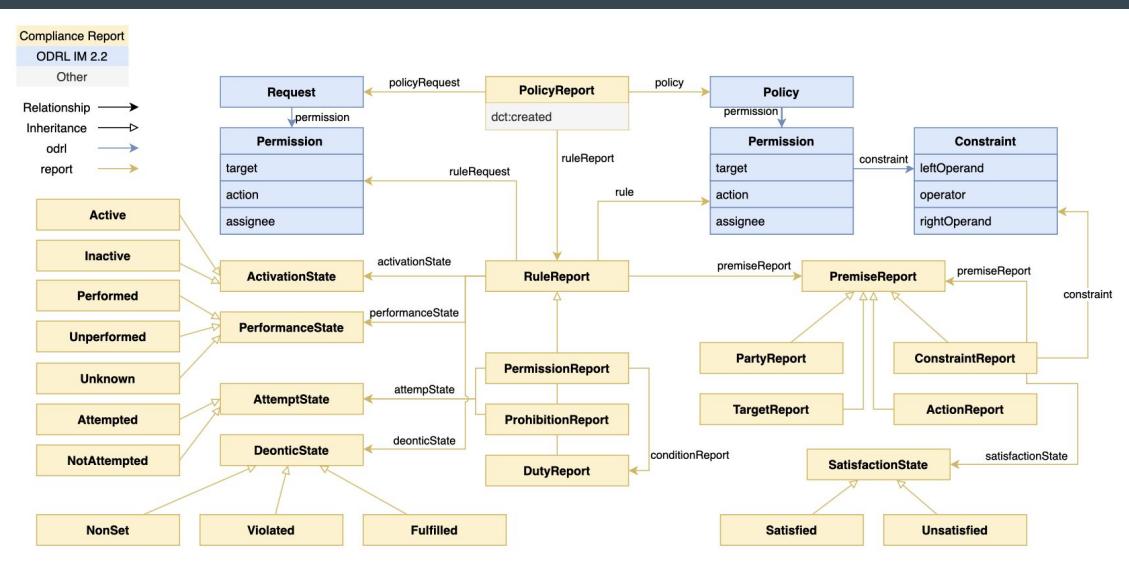


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Agreement Instantiation

- Validate the proper modelling of the odrl:Policy, odrl:Request and SoTW information.
- Convert compact policies into their atomic equivalents.
- Evaluate policies to generate compliance reports.
- Reference the ODRL request that triggered the agreement instantiation and the policies from the data subject/holder.
- Instantiate the concrete assigner and assignee of the agreement.
- Include relevant rules with concrete actions, targets and constraints.



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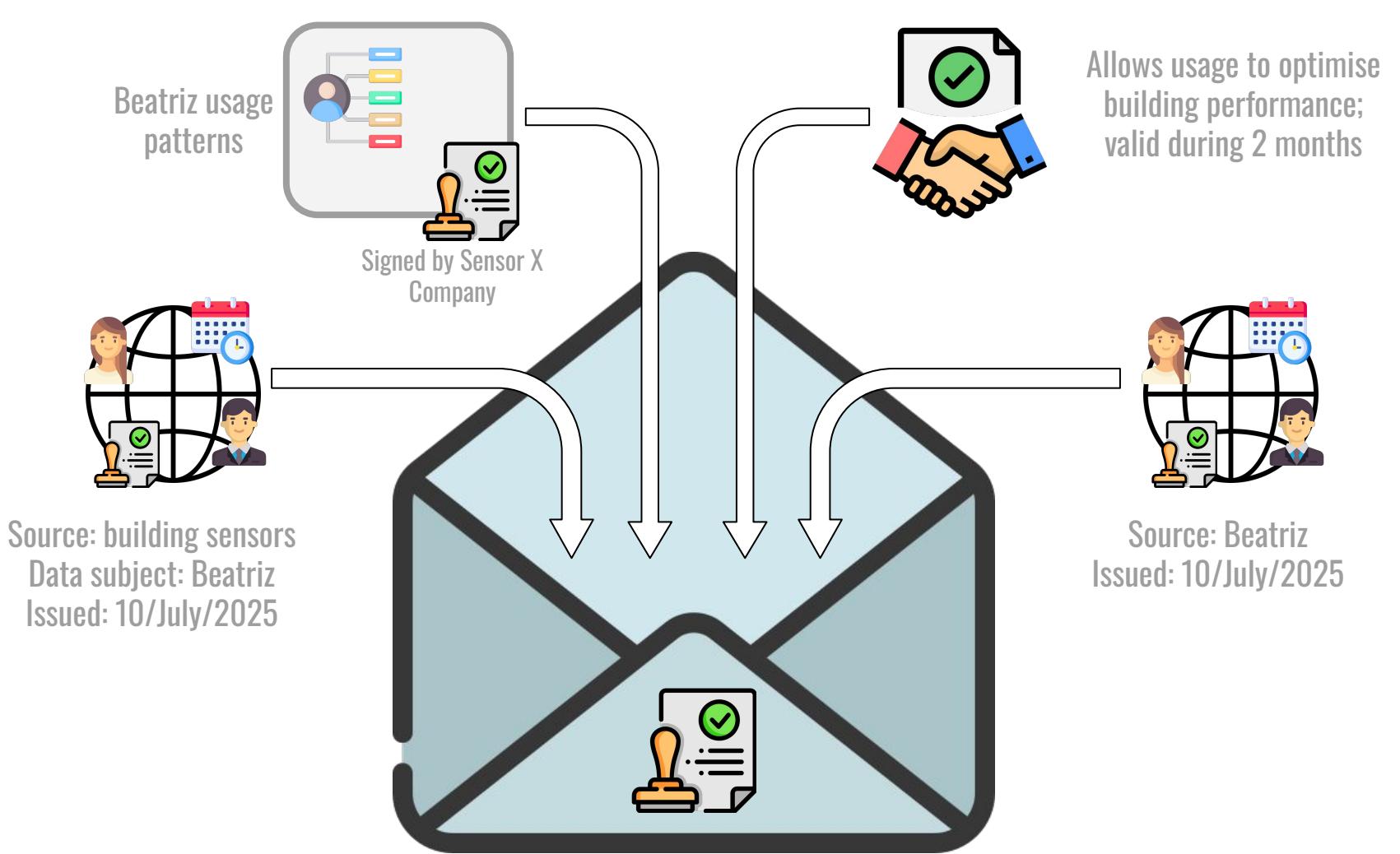
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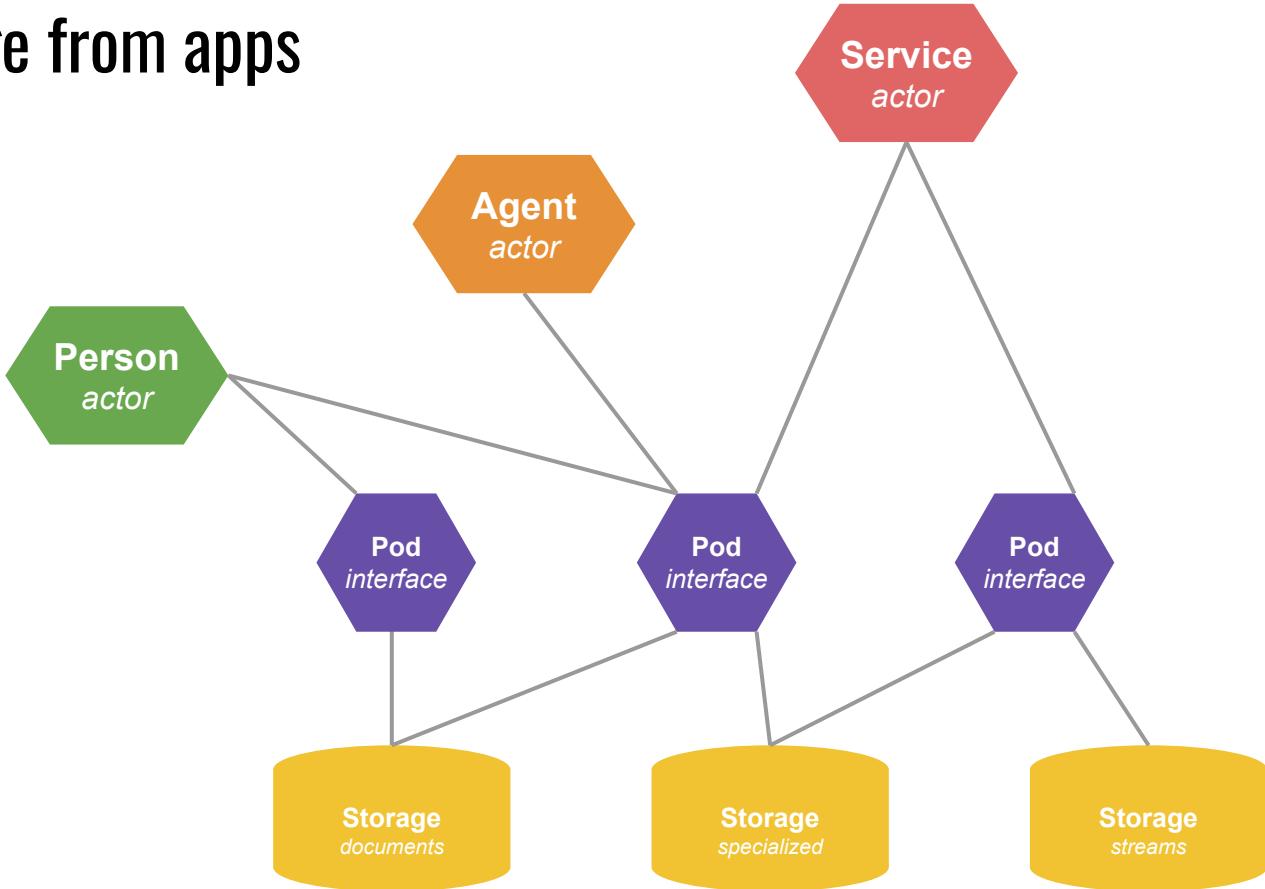
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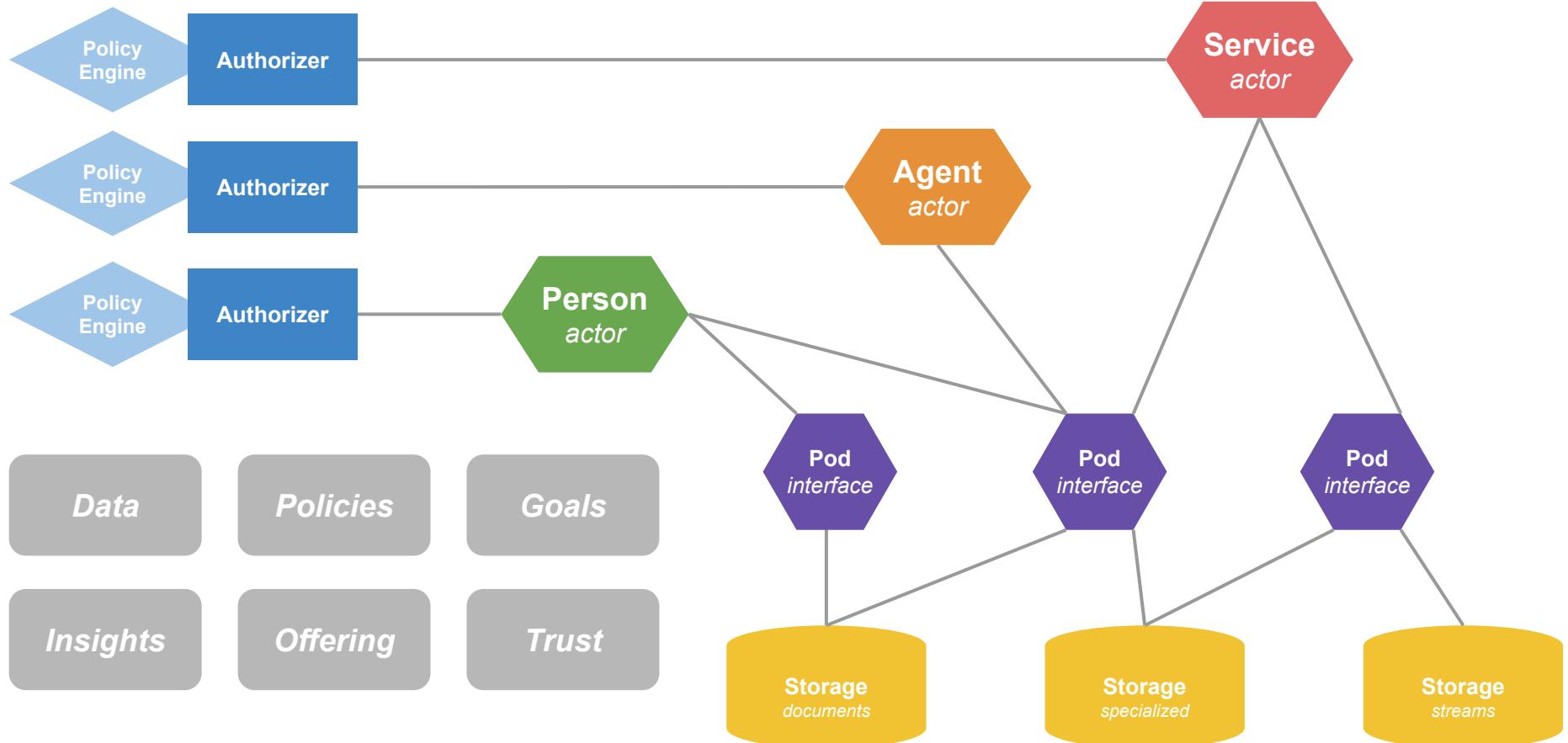


Changing the *status quo*

Solid separates storage from apps

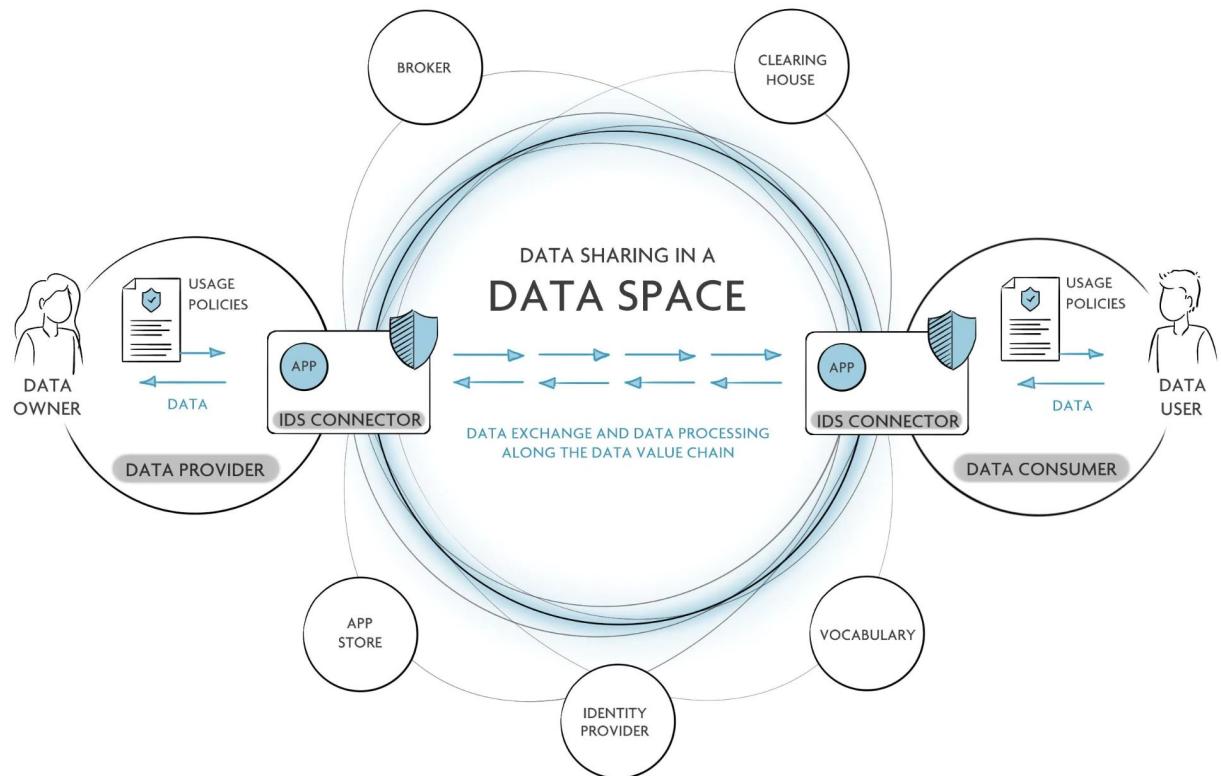


High-level ecosystem architecture – Separation of Concerns



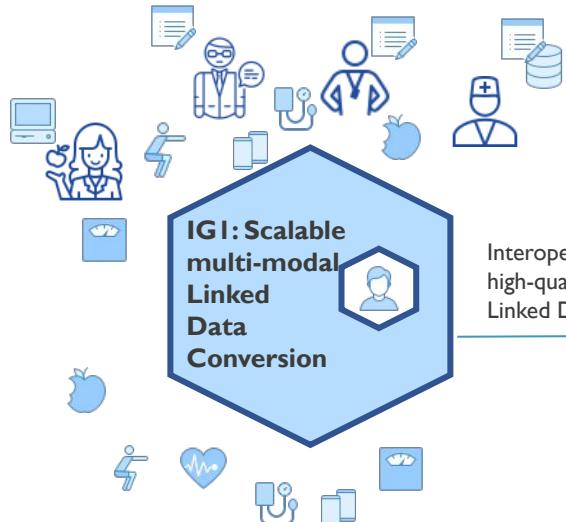
Alignment with dataspaces

... to automate **interoperability**, **discoverability**, and **trust**



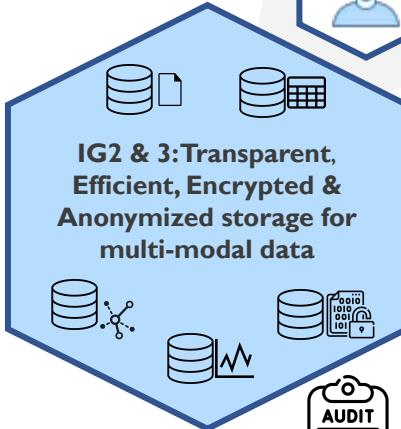
PACSOI – Showcase

Before clinical intervention

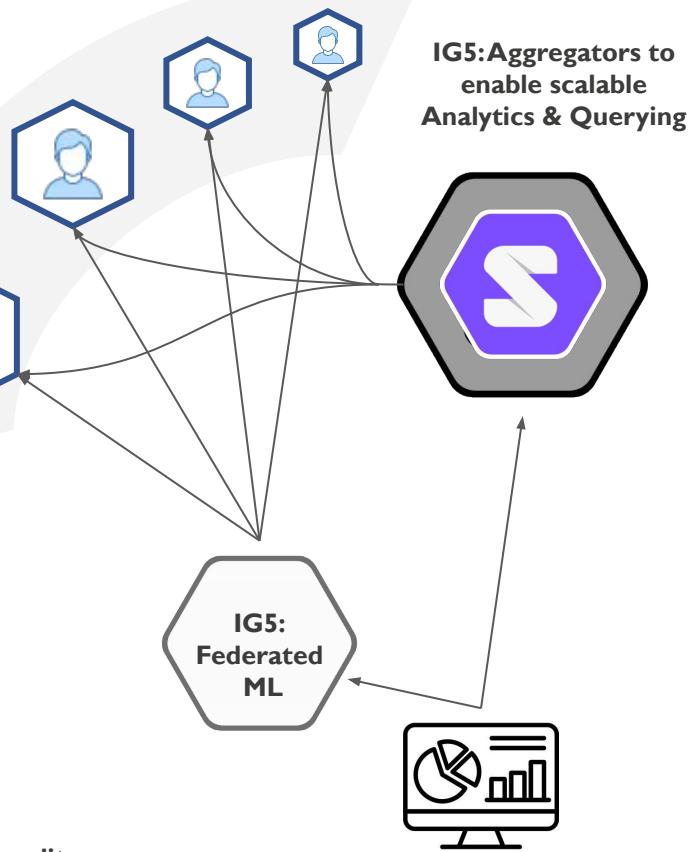


Remote monitoring
(video, streaming data, questionnaires, etc.)

IG4: Policies enabling dynamic informed consent

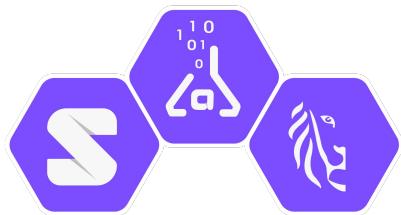


IG3: Qualitative audit logs of read/write operations



IG6: Patient journey overviews & population-based policy & research insights

IG5: Aggregators to enable scalable Analytics & Querying



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