

Open APIs
for Open
Minds

FIWARE: supporting an (IoT) Cloud for RDA in Europe

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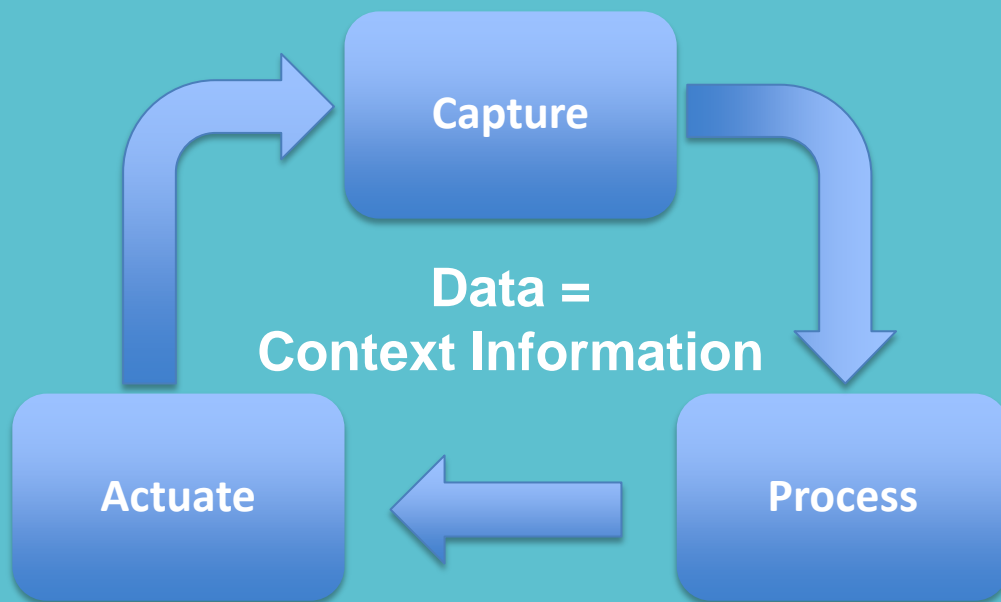
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FIWARE: Definition of Smart Solution

Smart Solutions gather data from many different sources (including but not limited to IoT) to build a “picture” of the real world and then process and analyze that information in order to implement the desired intelligent behavior (which may imply changing the real world)



CONTEXT
MATTERS

Implementing Smart Solutions requires gathering and managing context information at large scale

Smart Cities



Shop

- Location
- Business name
- Franchise
- offerings



Citizen

- Birthday
- Preferences
- Location
- ToDo list



Bus

- Location
- No. passengers
- Driver
- Licence plate

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Smart Industry



Gas Tank

- Station
- Max Volume
- Current Level
- Min Threshold
- Temperature



Station

- Location
- Owner
- SLA



Tanker

- Driver
- Location
- Max Volume
- Current Level
- Speed
- Direction

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Smart Agro



Crop

- Humidity
- Leaf area
- Age



Drone

- Location
- Battery level
- Speed
- Direction



Tractor

- Location
- Speed
- Direction

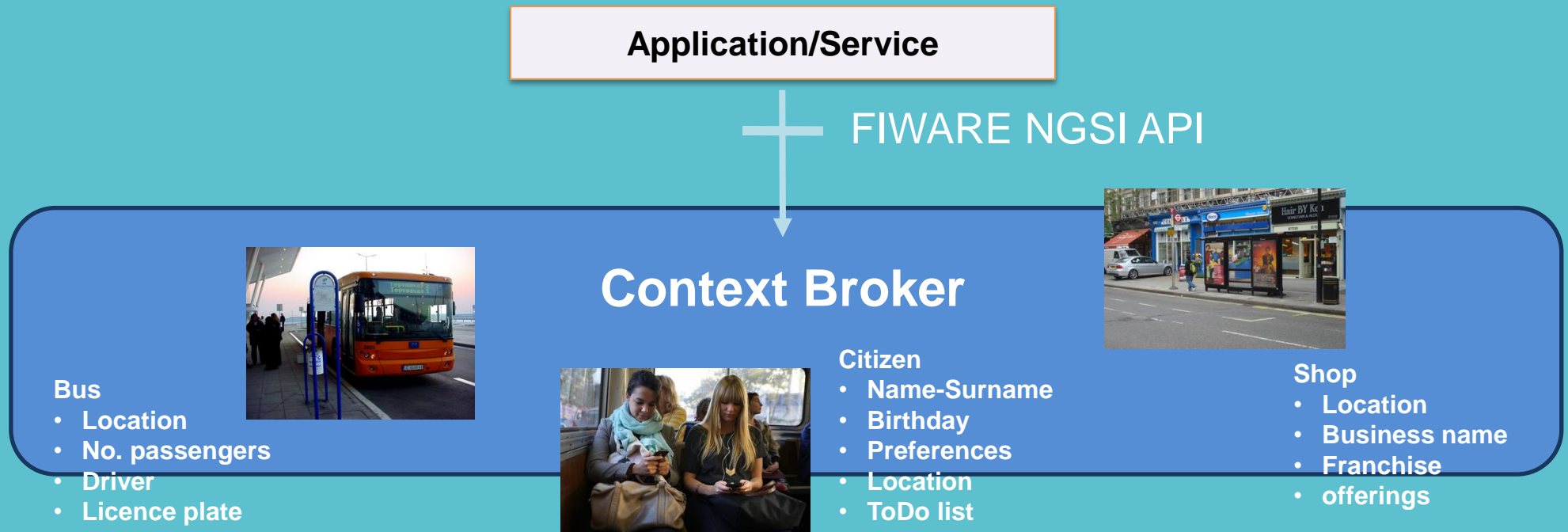
What if ...

*there were
a standard API*

*for accessing
context information?*

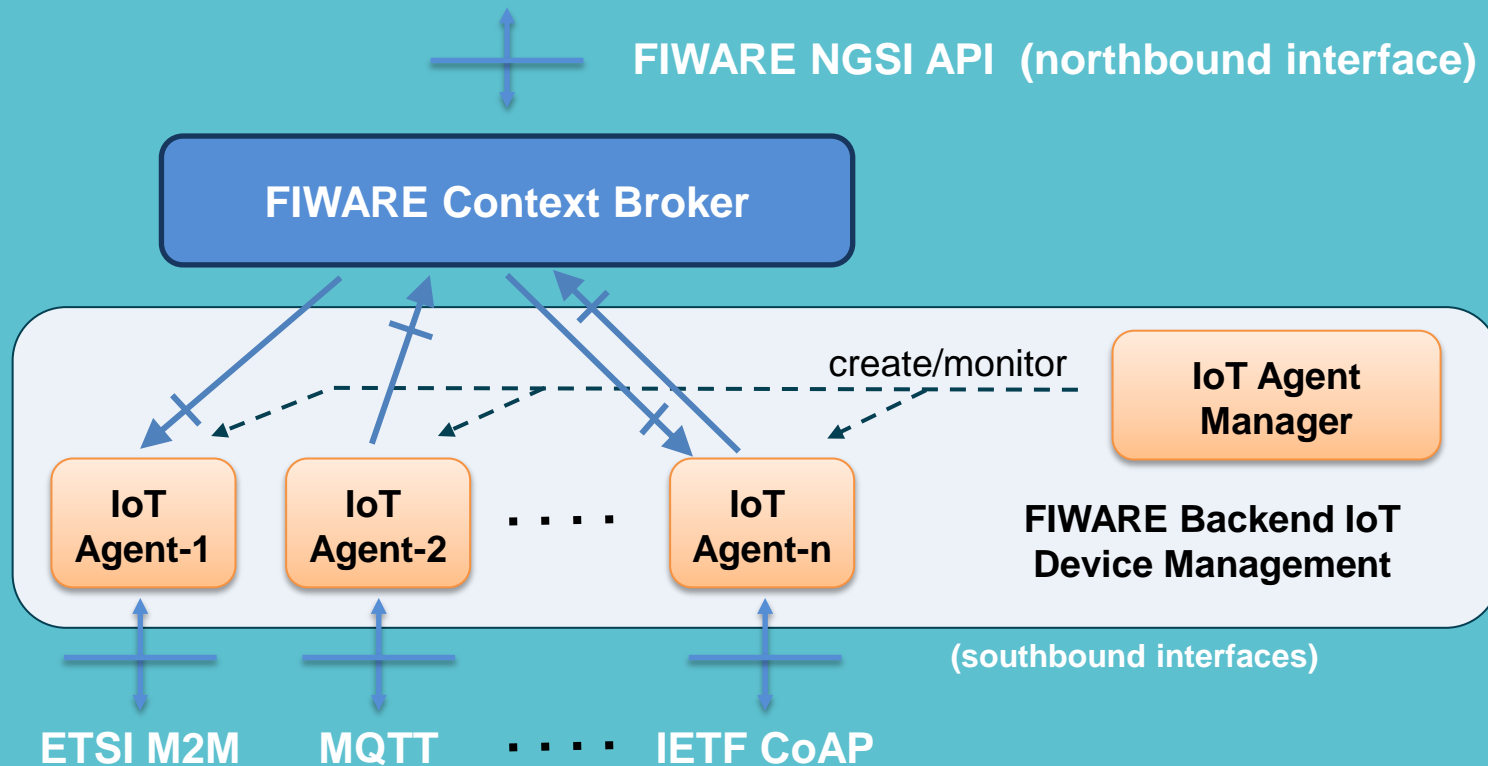
Context Information Management in FIWARE

- The OMA NGSI-9/10 API is a simple yet powerful public, royalty-free standard API for managing Context information
- The FIWARE NGSI API is the Restful binding of OMA NGSI and uses JSON: any web/backend programmer gets quickly used to it
- FIWARE NGSI supports geo-queries, soon Linked Data (JSON-LD)



Integration with sensor networks (1/2)

- FIWARE NGSI is capable to deal with the wide variety of IoT protocols today
- Rather than trying to solve the battle of standards at IoT level, it brings a standard where no standard exists today: context information management



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“I don’t care what low-level IoT protocol is used”

“I should not need to handle connectivity with IoT devices”

GET <Oauth token>
/V1/contextEntities/crop1/attributes/humidity

Standard API +

Context Broker

Reading the value provided by a sensor should be as easy as reading an attribute of an entity



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Standard API

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Actuation on a device should come as a side effect derived from updating the attribute of an entity



Once context information is gathered, other useful FIWARE enablers can be used

Advanced Web-based UI
(AR, 3D)

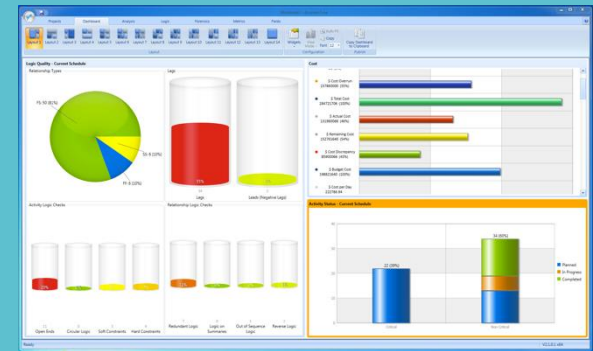


Open data publication

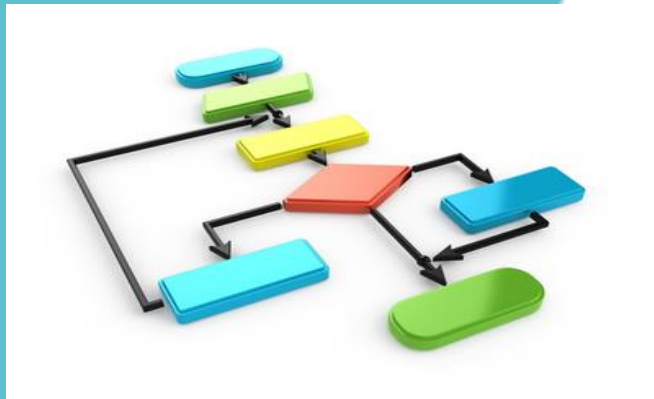


**IoT-enabled
Context Information
Management**

Data/Apps visualization



Complex Event
Processing



Multimedia processing



Big Data Analysis

FIWARE is at the center of major de-jure and de-facto standardization efforts



The GSMA has published a Reference Architecture for IoT Big Data Ecosystem which recommends to mobile operators

FIWARE NGSIv2 should be supported by implementers delivering the IoT Big Data ecosystem



TM Forum, the global industry association for digital business, is working with FIWARE to deliver the key building blocks for enabling and connecting Smart City ecosystems.

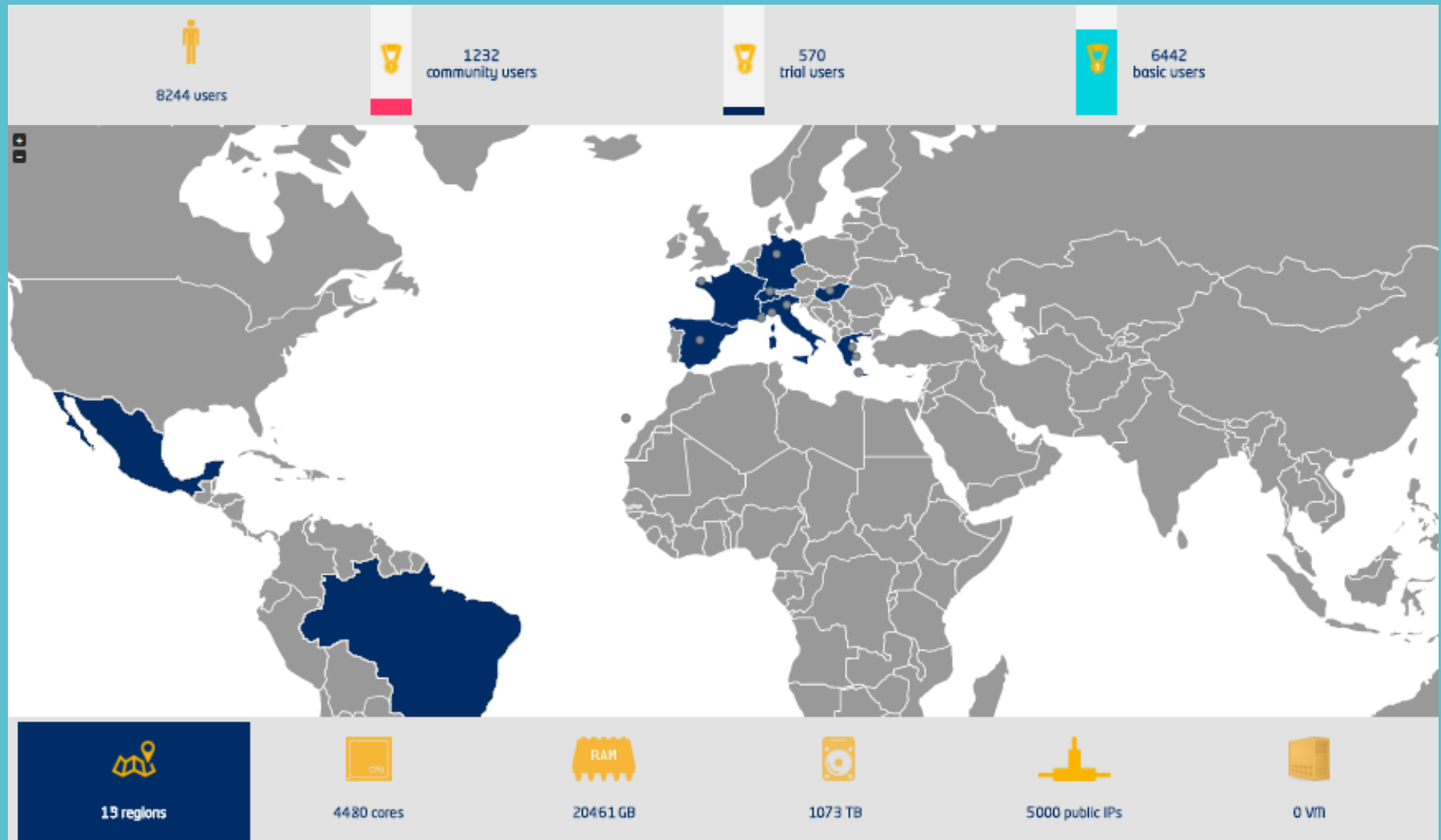
TM Forum is supporting FIWARE NGSI REST-based APIs for real-time access to contextual information for cities.



ETSI has announced the creation of a new Industry Specification Group on cross-sector Context Information Management (ISG CIM) for smart cities applications and beyond.

FIWARE NGSIv2 is the starting point for the CIM API to be specified

FIWARE Lab




FIWARE Lab data portal

The screenshot shows the homepage of the FIWARE Lab data portal. The top navigation bar includes links for Cloud, Store, Mashup, Data, Account, and Help/Info, along with a 'Sign in' button. Below this, a secondary navigation bar lists 'Datasets', 'Organizations', 'Groups', 'Data Requests' (with a count of 7), and 'About', accompanied by a search bar. The main content area features a 'Search data' section with a search bar containing 'E.g. environment' and 'Popular tags' for 'medio ambiente', 'energia', and 'fotovoltaica'. A 'Welcome to CKAN' section follows, with a paragraph about CKAN and a quote: "SMART CITIES ARE OF STRATEGIC INTEREST FOR ALL OF US" by FIWARE for Smart Cities. To the right, a 'FIWARE Lab Data Portal statistics' box displays '3k datasets', '24 organizations', and '19 groups'.

This screenshot displays the search results for 'santander sensors'. The top navigation bar is identical to the homepage. The main heading is '/ Datasets'. On the left, a sidebar lists 'Organizations' (Santander 9) and 'Groups' (none found). Below this, a 'Tags' list includes 'santander (8)', 'ngsi10 (7)', 'sensor (7)', 'apps (1)', 'fixed (1)', 'las llamas (1)', 'lux (1)', and 'mobile (1)', with a 'Show More Tags' link. The main content area shows '9 datasets found for "santander sensors"' with an 'Order by: Relevance' dropdown. The results are categorized into 'PRIVATE APPs SENSORS', 'TRAFFIC SENSORS' (described as vehicle traffic monitoring entities), 'LUX SENSORS' (described as ambient light measurement entities), and 'PRIVATE SOUND SENSORS' (described as sound monitoring entities).


Producing first common information models

<https://www.fiware.org/data-models>




Alarms

Events related to risk or warning conditions which require action taking.




Environment

Enable to monitor air quality and other environmental conditions for a healthier living.




Civic Issue tracking

Data models for civic issue tracking interoperable with the de-facto standard Open311.




Device

IoT devices (sensors, actuators, wearables, etc.) with their characteristics and dynamic status.




Indicators

Key performance indicators intended to measure the success of an organization or of a particular activity in which it engages.




Parking

Real time and static parking data (on street and off street) interoperable with the EU standard DATEX II.




Parks & Gardens

Data models intended to make an efficient, effective and sustainable management of green areas.




Point of Interest

Specific point locations that someone may find useful or interesting. For instance, weather stations, touristic landmarks, etc.




Street Lighting

Modeling street lights and equipment towards energy efficient urban illuminance.




Transportation

Transportation data models for efficient management.




Waste Management

Enable efficient, recycling industrial waste management, etc.



Weather

Weather observed, weather forecasted or warnings about potential extreme weather conditions.



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Docs » Points of Interest » WeatherStation [Edit on GitHub](#)

Weather station

The formal documentation is not available yet. In the meantime please check some of the examples of use.

Examples of use

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{  "category": "WeatherStation",  "location": {    "type": "Point",    "coordinates": [      -7.684722222222222,      43.78611111111111    ]  },  "name": "Estaca de Bares",  "postalAddress": {    "addressCountry": "ES",    "addressLocality": "Mañón",    "addressRegion": "A Coruña"  },  "source": "http://aemet.es",  "type": "PointOfInterest",  "id": "WeatherStation-ES-1351"}
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Waste Management

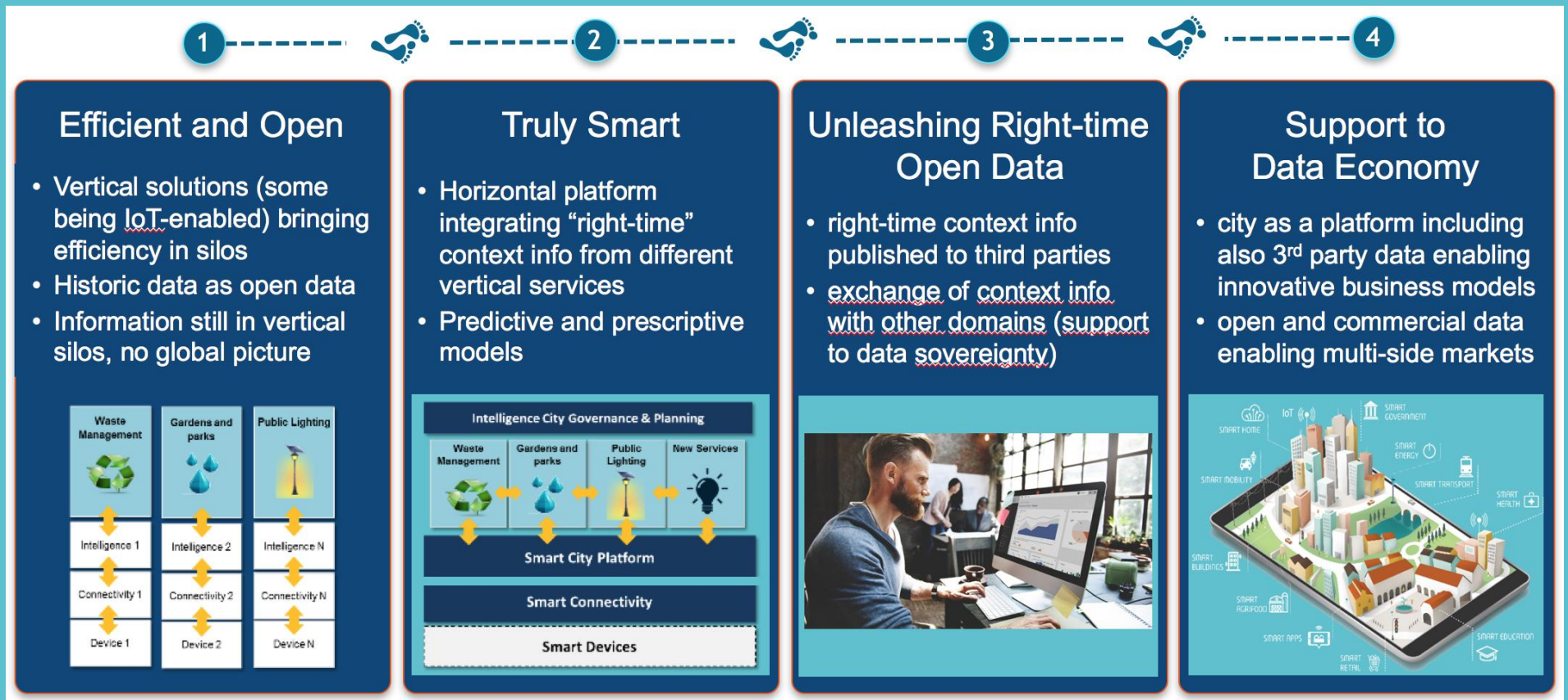
Enable efficient, recycling friendly, municipal or industrial waste management using containers, litters, etc.



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The journey from more efficient cities into engines of growth as enablers of the Data Economy



Front-runner Cities initiative

- Host an Advanced Open Data Portal on FIWARE Lab where front-runner cities connect and publish data
 - Managing NGSI API queries as “dynamic” datasets
 - Assignment of Access Rights Policies to datasets
 - Managing Access Rights acquisition
 - Binding pricing to datasets (acquisition and access)
- Open Data Publication framework based on:
 - Extended CKAN
 - FIWARE Biz Framework components relying on TM Forum Business Open APIs for monetization

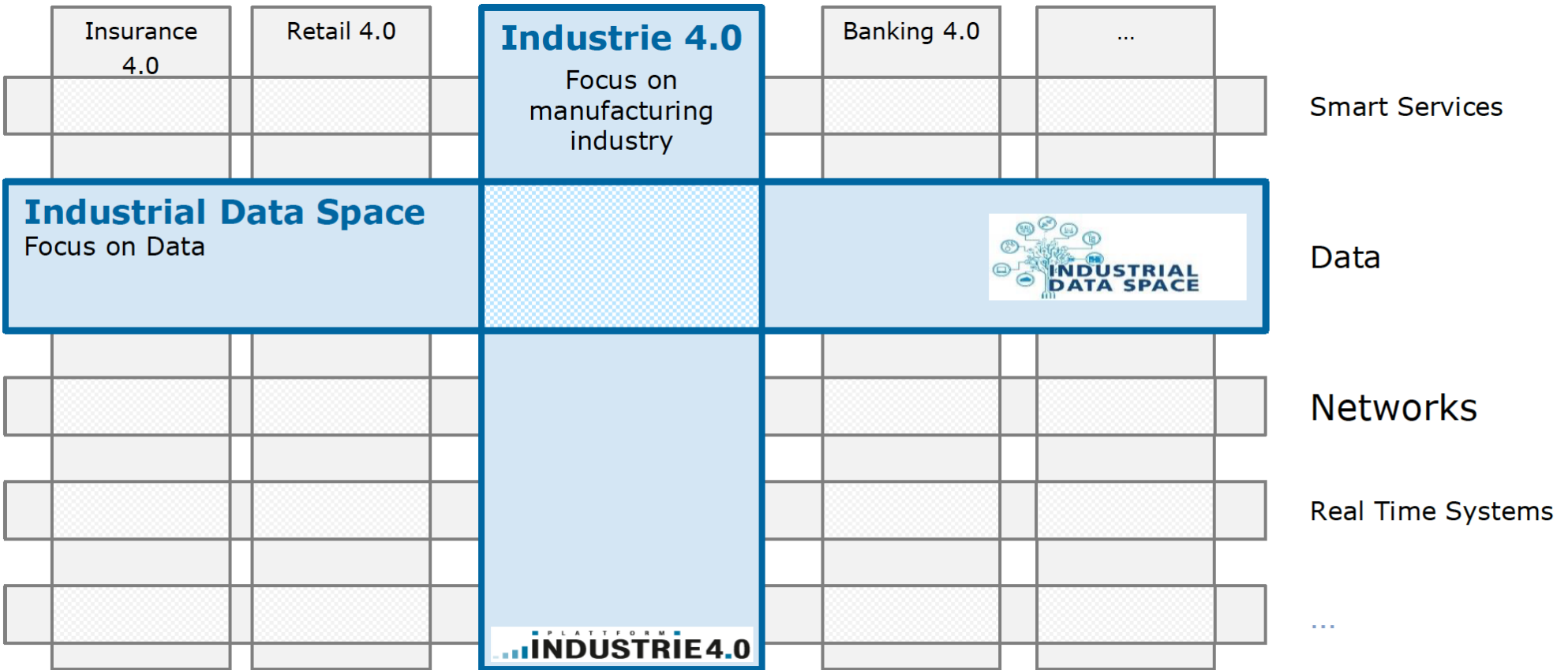


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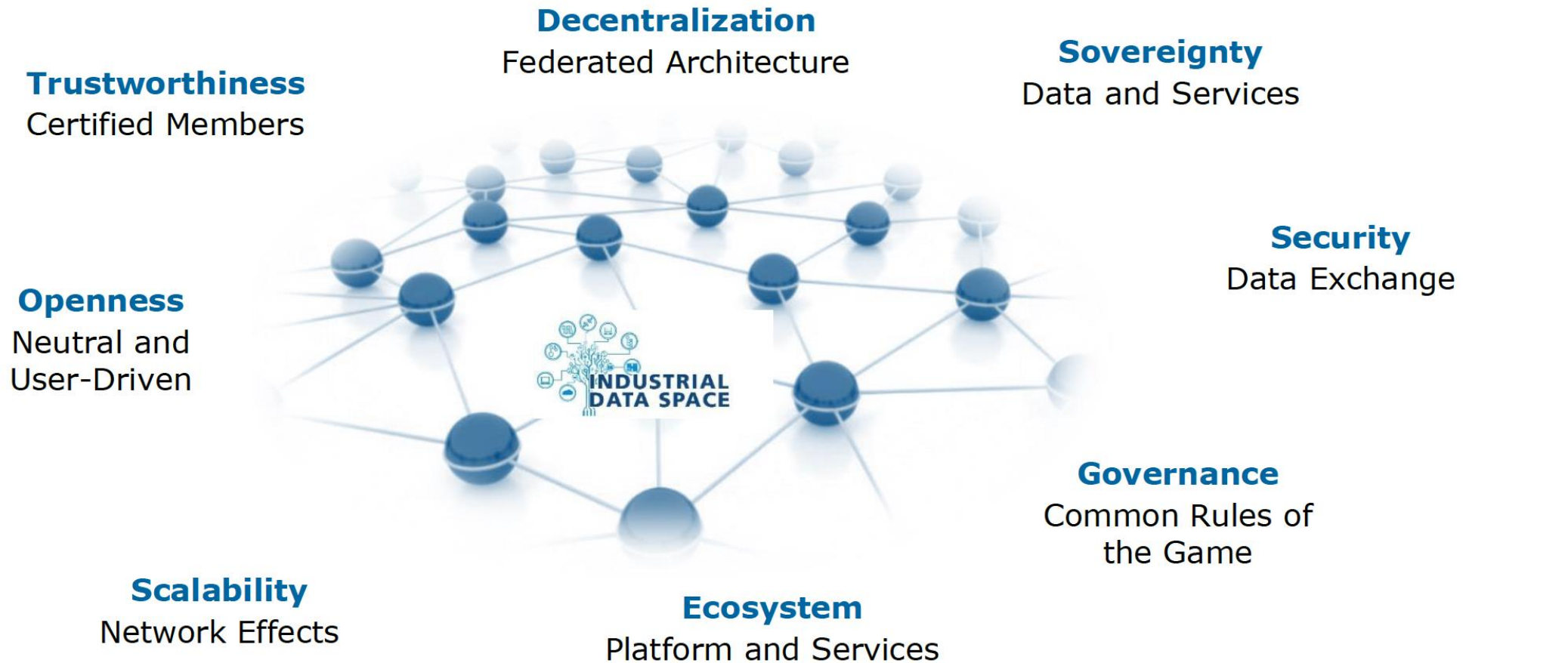
- Catalog
- Product offering
- Product inventory
- Billing
- Party/Customer

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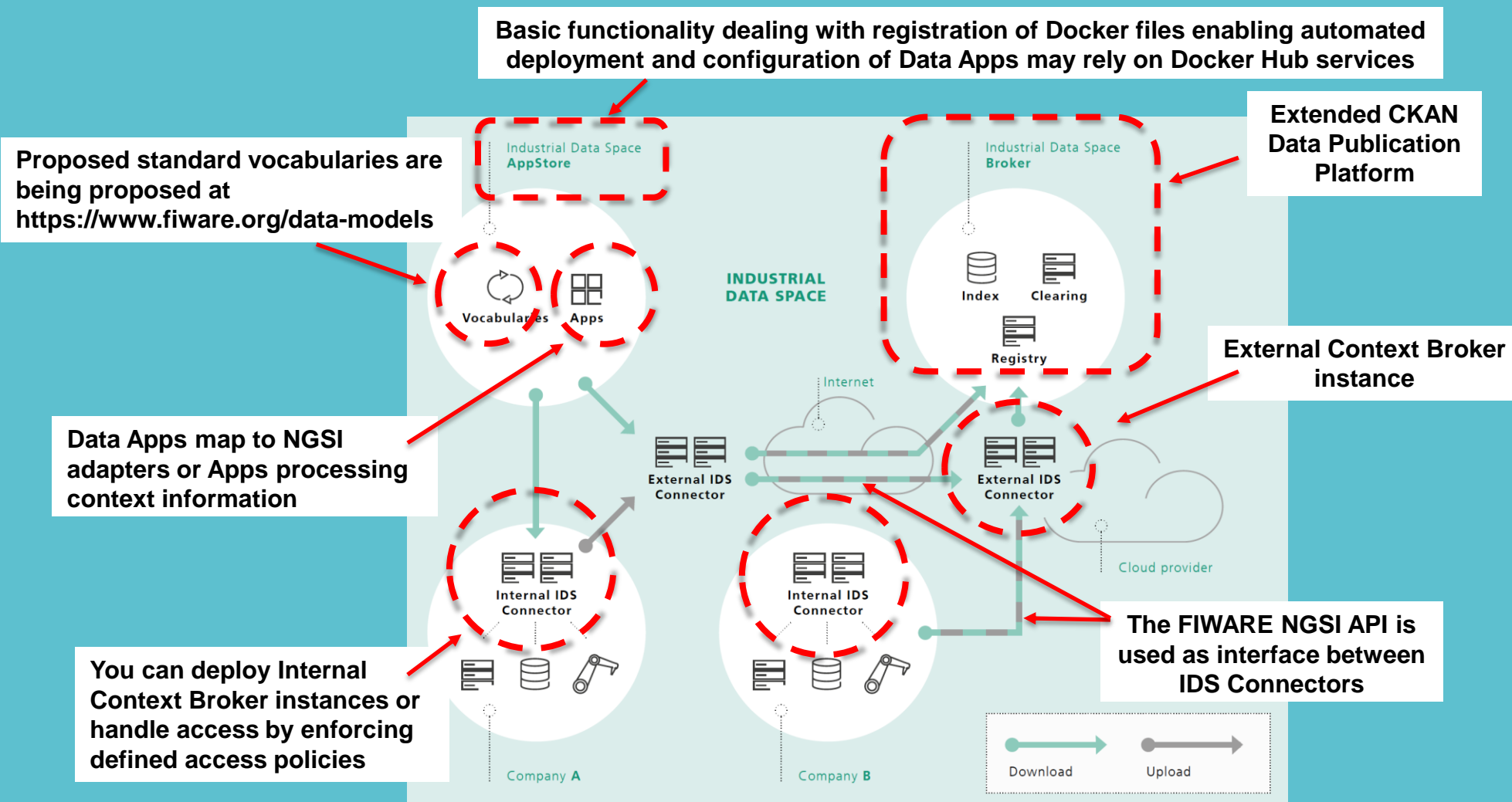
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FIWARE will bring a first open source implementation of the IDS Architecture



Thoughts for food

- FIWARE brings a standard for context information management:
 - simple model for representing context information: entity-attribute-value
 - decentralized distributed architecture
 - standard open API for getting access to context information
 - support to data sovereignty and economy of data concepts
- Context data (current and history) may not comprise all kind of data but a rather relevant part, so a standard for context information management may be useful:
 - 75-80% of data scientists time is los with data integration/management work
 - 60% of costs of data intensive projects is spent in pure integration tasks
- FIWARE Lab may emerge as a sandbox environment where:
 - valuable context data for research can be hosted and access policies enforced
 - a directory enabling searching of valuable context data can be hosted
- Major issue is still sustainability for such an environment

FIWARE: Technology but much more

- Mission: build an open sustainable ecosystem around public, royalty-free and implementation-driven software platform standards that will ease the development of new Smart Applications in multiple sectors
- Pillars:



the open source platform of choice for developing smart applications



a meeting point where innovation happens and users can experiment with the technology



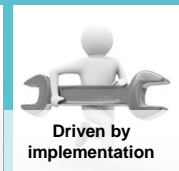
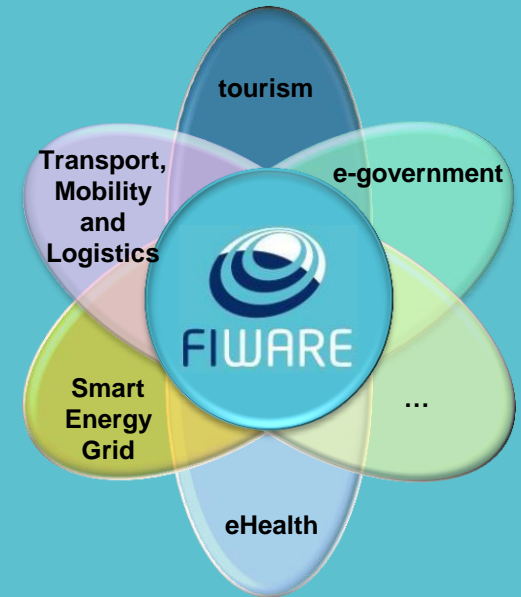
activate funds and accelerate the business of entrepreneurs using the technology



reach a global footprint, opening to regions that share the same vision and ambition



support development of the community at local level, bringing support, training, certification



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