FAIR Data Spaces – a common Data Space for Industry, Science and Society

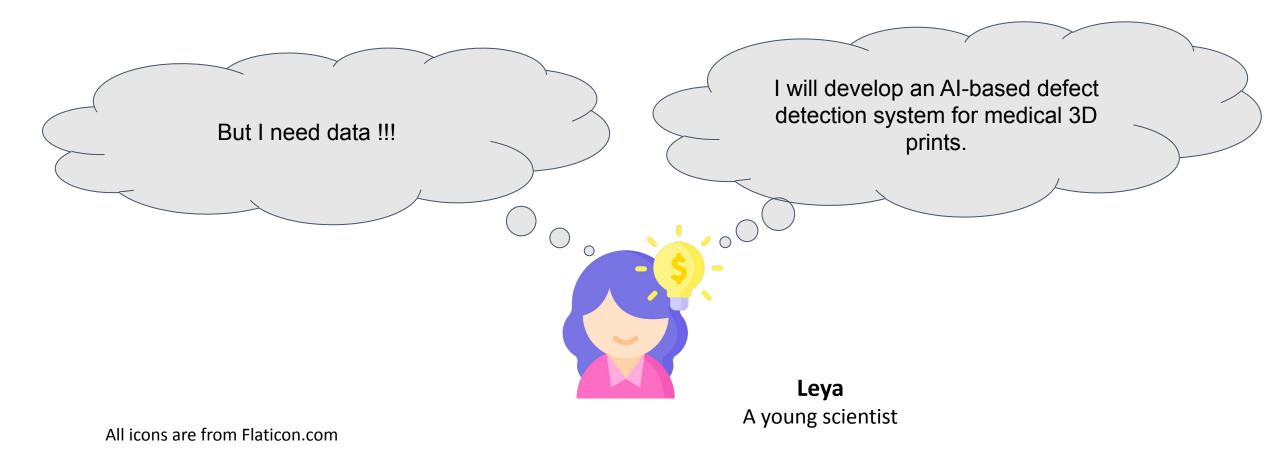
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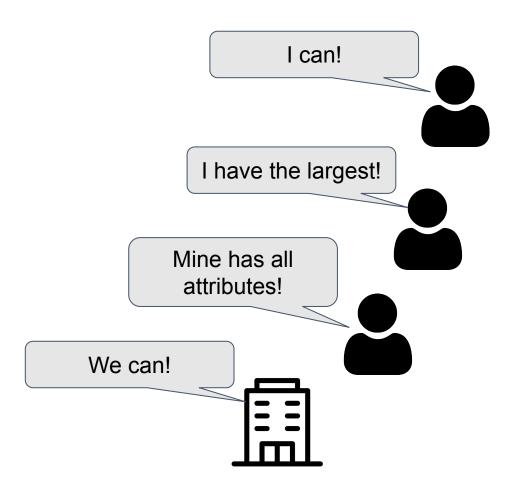






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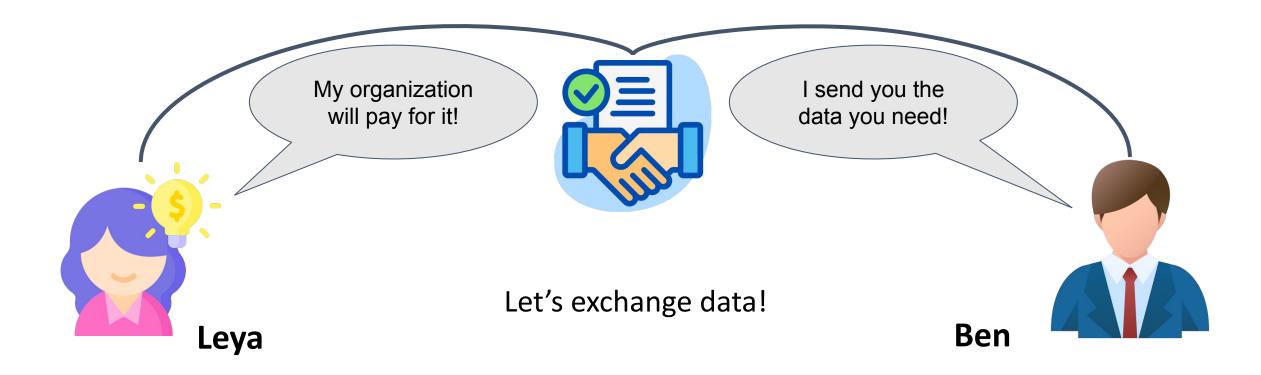
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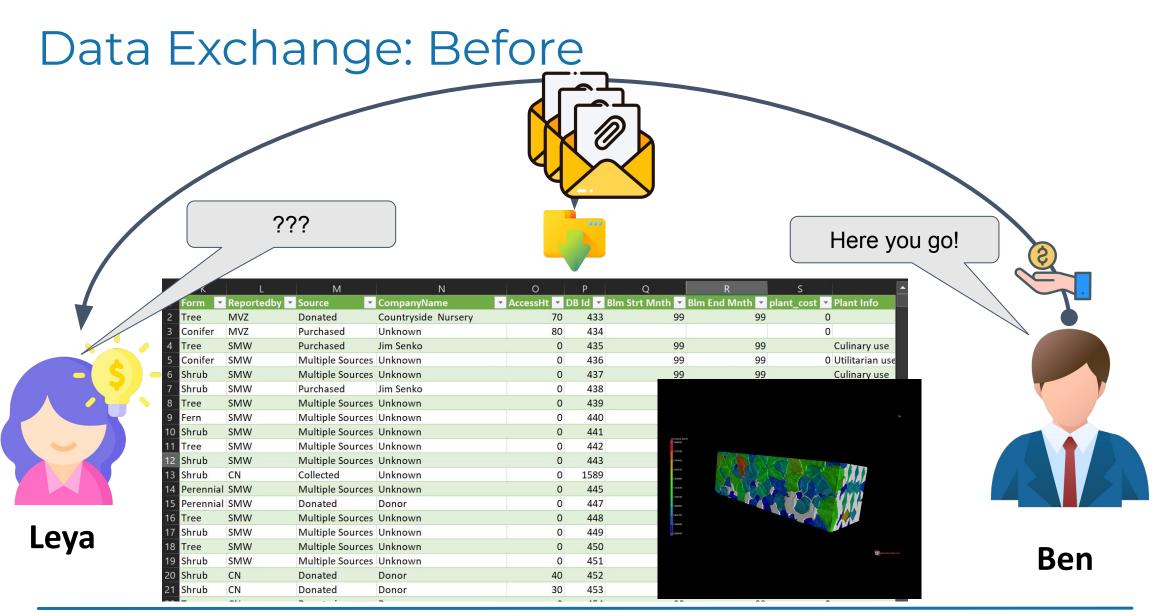


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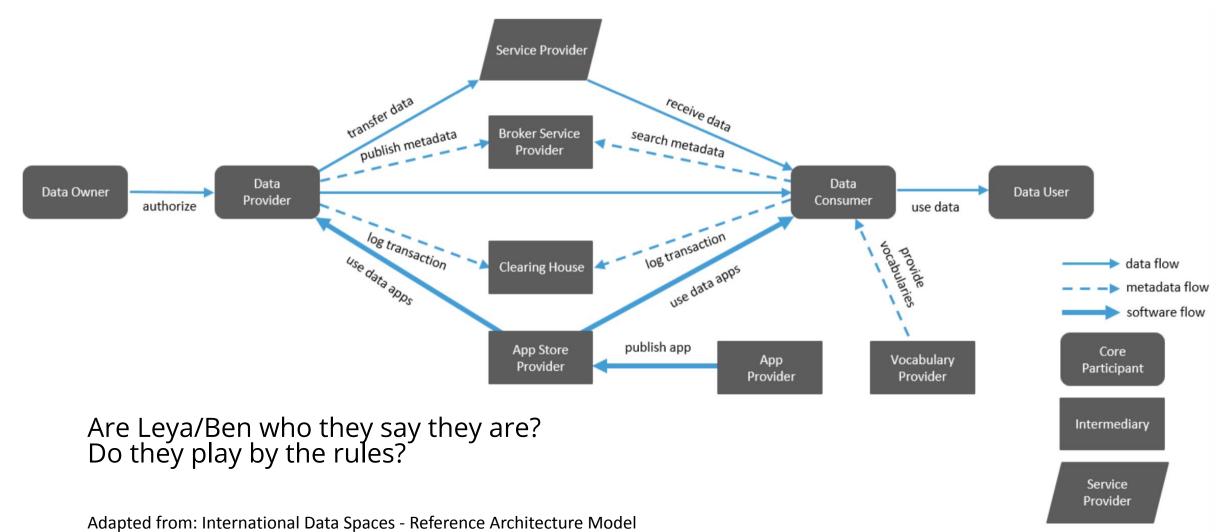








What do we need to overcome this?









Gaia-X & NFDI

Gaia-X



- Gaia-X is a federated and secure data infrastructure for Europe and beyond.
- Its development is coordinated by the non-profit Gaia-X European Association for Data and Cloud.
- Over 359 members so far, mostly companies.

NFDI



The National Research Data Infrastructure (NFDI) for the German science system is set up under the coordination of the NFDI Association by around 30 consortia, in which universities and research **institutes** are predominantly involved.





FAIR Data Spaces: Overview

- Funded by the *Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF)* from *May* 2021 to May 2024
- **Vision:** common cloud-based data space for business and science (based on the FAIR data principles)
- Mission: Create and expand synergies between existing technologies and communities.

	Germany	EU	World
Business	International Data Spaces (IDS): Basis for sovereign data exchange in Gaia-X	Gaia-X: Federated and Secure data Infrastructure	
Science	National Research Data Infrastructure (NFDI)	European Open Science Cloud (EOSC)	Global Open Science Cloud (GOSC)





FAIR Data Spaces: Demonstrators

Biodiversity data space

A deployment of the Geo Engine software in a Gaia-X compatible cloud.

Gaia-X + NFDI4Biodiversity

Research data quality assurance

FAIR Research Data Quality Assurance and Workflows

> Gaia-X + NFDI4Ing (Engineering)

Cross-platform data analytics

The demonstrator relies on already published medical data which can be publicly accessed without any restriction and used to train a classification model in the Gaia-X setting

Gaia-X + NFDI4Health







Cross-platform data analytics

Centralised Analytics

- Collect data (Data centralisation)
- Store locally
- Perform analysis

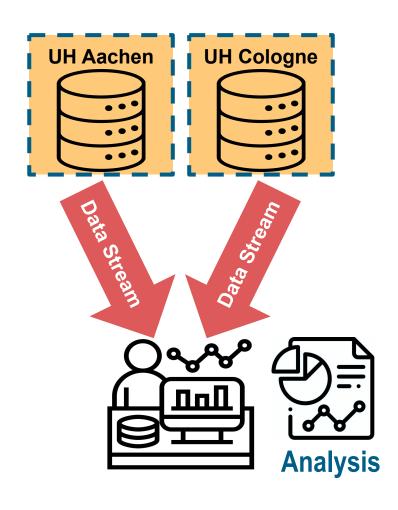
However...

- Not GDPR-compliant
- Network load due to data amount
- Loss of data sovereignty

Solution

Distributed Analytics



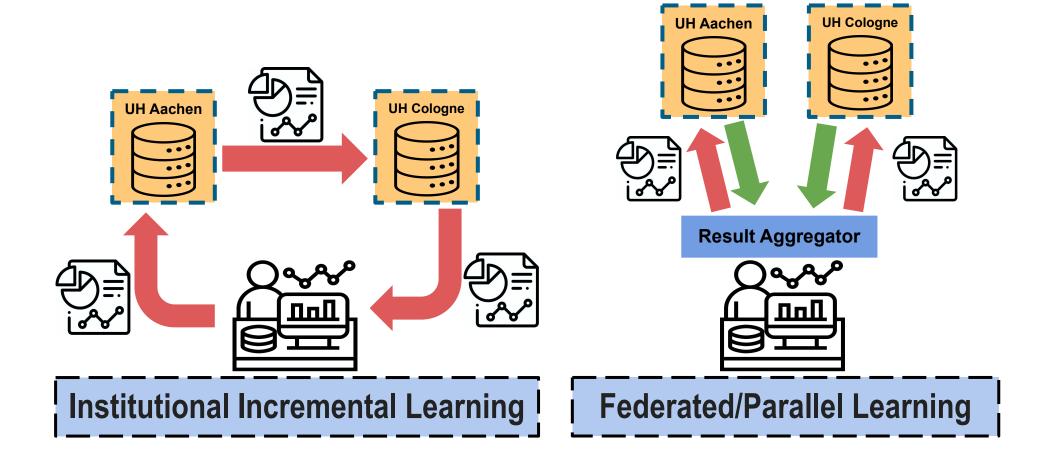








Cross-platform data analytics









Cross-platform data analytics: Personal Health Train

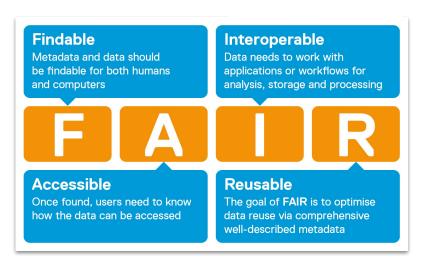
PHT is a distributed infrastructure to support:

- Data management
- Data analysis
- Medical decision making

Guiding Principles:

- Control over data
- Reusable health data
- Distributed and federated solutions
- International interoperability
- Responsible use of health data
- Ethics-by-design
- Machine-readability at the core











Further Demonstrators: Open Call

- FAIR Data Spaces will soon launch the first Open Call to consider further scenarios of data exchange between industry and science and develop demonstrators for them
 - (Partially) reusing the demonstrators of FAIR Data Spaces.

We invite all stakeholders, also those from application domains that have not yet been in the focus of Gaia-X, IDS, and NFDI, to participate.

Are you interested?



Drop us a line!

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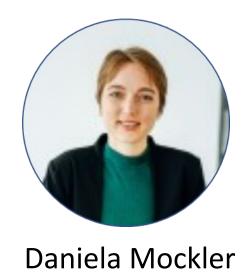














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Call for collaboration











All project participants











































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