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Common Data Management
for the ESCB / SSM



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Meeting agenda

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3 Metadata-driven collection & compilation platform

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Vision and principles

Current data platforms' drawbacks



1. **Diverse interfaces**
not a one-stop shop for reporting institutions
2. **Multiple DQM pipelines**
logic not uniform
3. **Restriction on data availability for ESCB/SSM users**
timing and scope depends on institution

CDM Platform - Principles

Accessibility

Ability to access and integrate data across various data sources (ESCB, local, SSM)

Multitenancy

Shared tooling and infrastructure while allowing for separation of concerns and independence

Efficient

High degree of automation, shared infrastructure and maintenance, gaining of cost efficiencies

Innovative

Cloud-based infrastructure and tools for all users within ESCB/SSM, to keep up to date with innovations including AI

Self-service

Allows setup, operation and management of business processes (data flows) in a highly automated manner, improving separation of IT and business concerns, shortening time-to-market

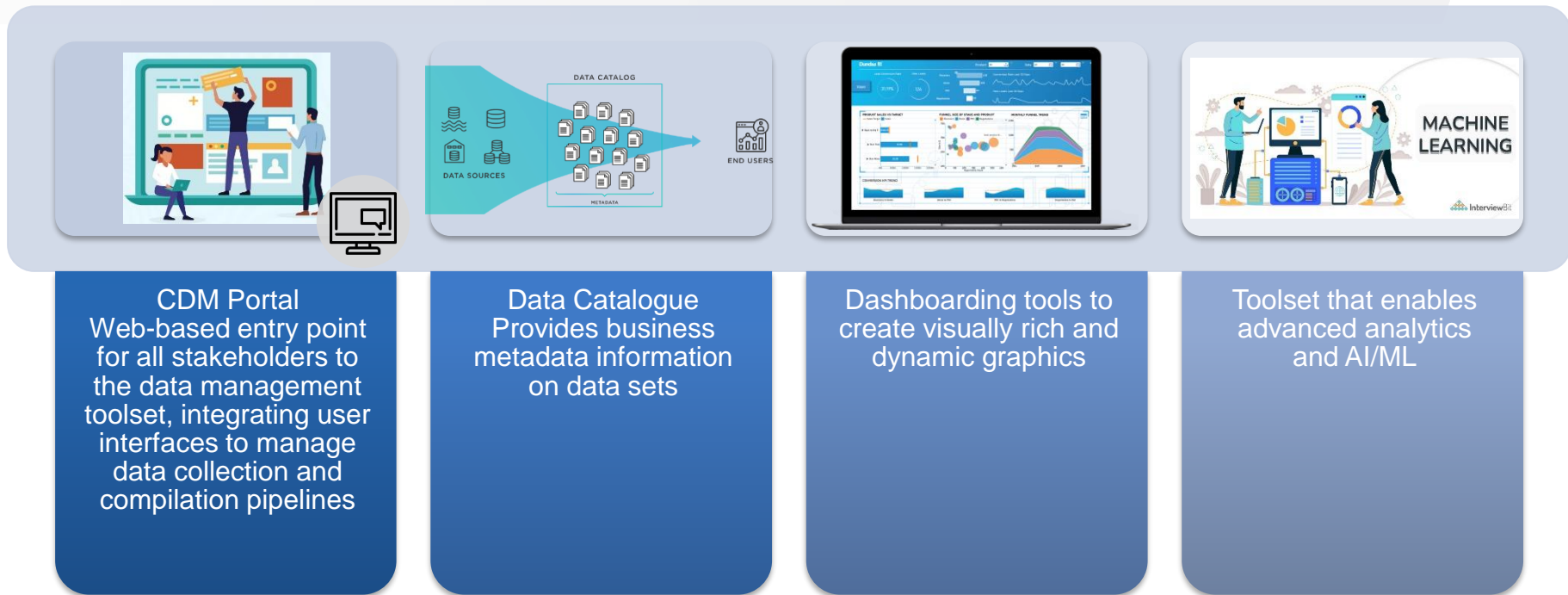




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Components of CDM

CDM Platform – Frontend Tooling



CDM Platform – Tooling for Data Producers

- Offers a reusable set of data pipelines for generic tasks like data ingestion, format validation or feedback sending
- Users define business processes (data flows) via configuration

Collection and compilation components



- Reusable component that **executes validation & transformation rules** expressed in a **business rule language**
- Comes with an IDE to support the rule development by business users

Validation & Transformation Engine



- Enables the management of **structural metadata, business process metadata** like calendars as well as **access metadata**
- **Central component** for all collection and compilation tasks

Metadata Management Service



- Allows application engineers to extend the reusable components by building custom source code in a development environment

CDM IT workbench



- Offers access to ESCB and SSM data along the data life cycle and across organisational boundaries
- Enables the management and sharing of source code

Common data store and source code repository

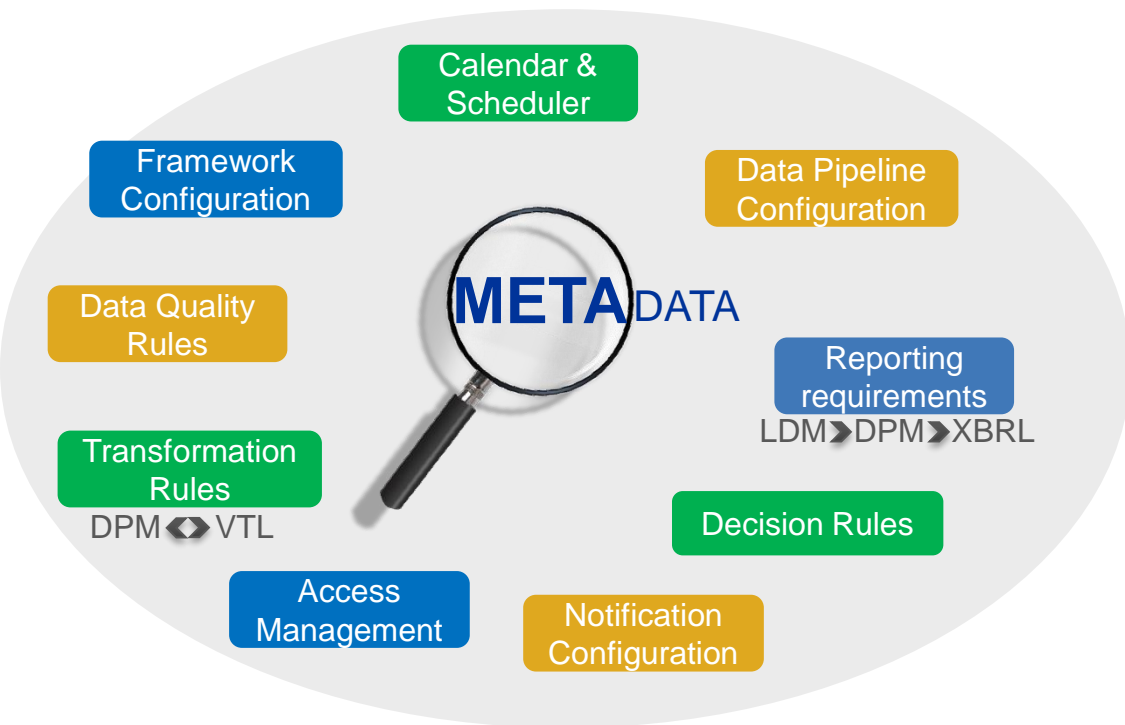




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Metadata-driven collection & compilation platform

User self-service in CDM scope



User empowerment & Flexibility

1. Configurations as metadata determine the behaviour of the platform
2. Offers business agility while responding faster to changes
3. Allows tailoring data flows or DQM changes on the fly
4. Embeds high security standards
5. Provides a consistent interface for all users

Set up of a data flow



Simple ingestion pass-through pipeline

For example: Move of ESCB data into CDM

Define data product



Configure simple data flow



Simple pipelines as self service



Elaborated multi-step pipeline with DQM & transformations

For example: NCB decides to collect ITS data from banks.

Define data product



Define metadata & configure / code data pipeline steps



More complex data flow, development and IT skills needed by the tenant

Full access to cloud services within security guardrails

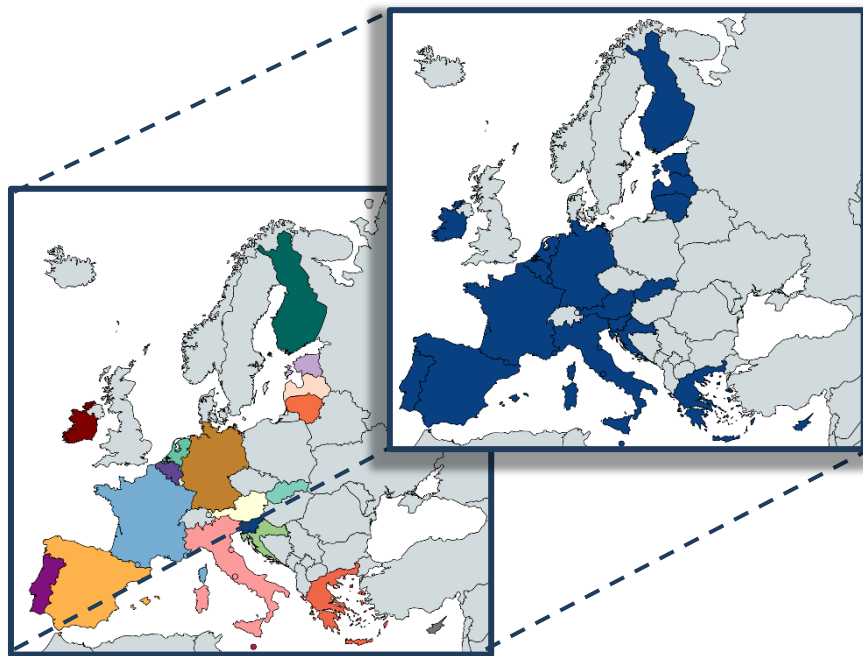




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IReF as use case

Uniform standardised statistical reporting



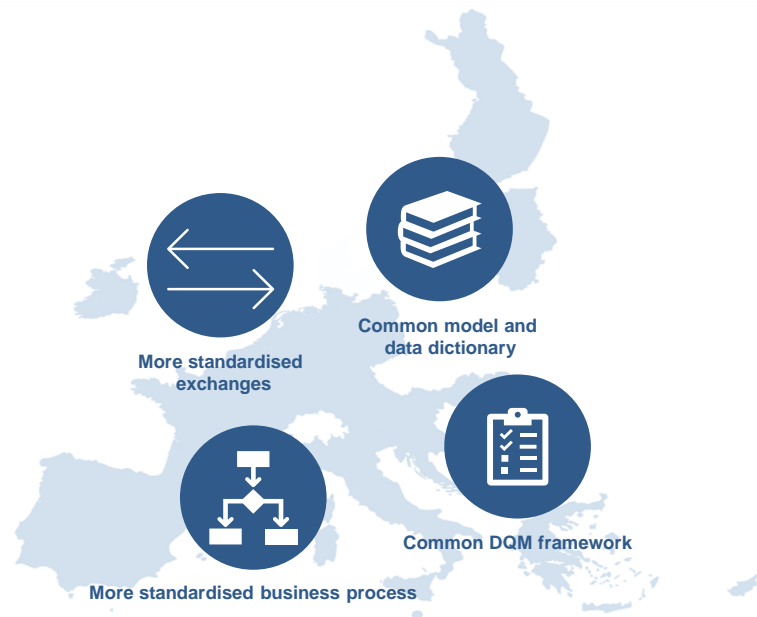
The aim of IReF is to **integrate statistical reporting** content in the euro area. These are currently implemented and described differently in each country. IReF is seen as first step towards a common statistical, prudential and resolution reporting with tangible steps already in this direction.



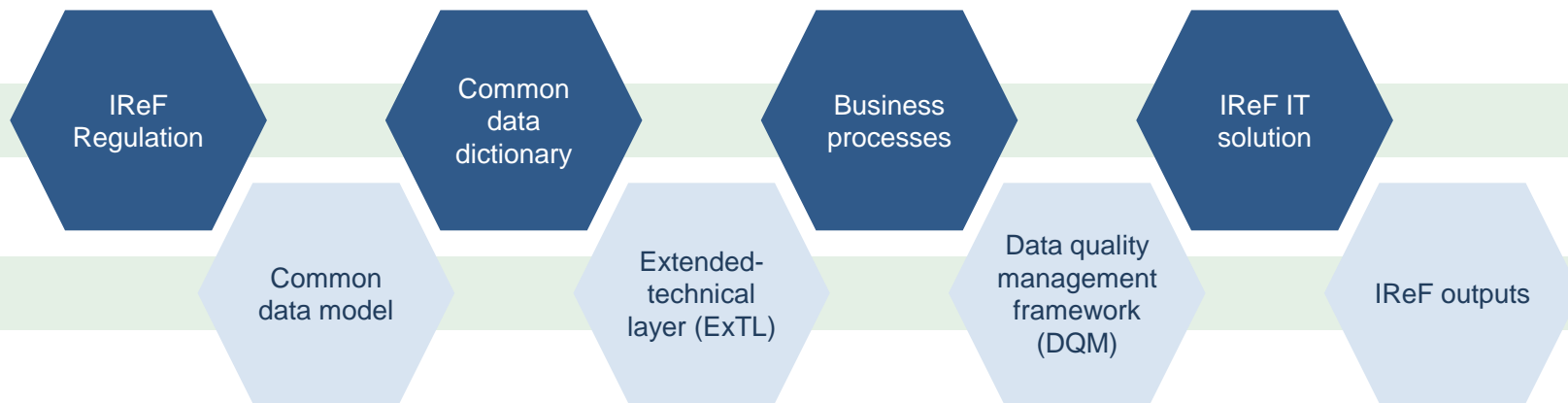
Several broader initiatives in development

IReF focused initiatives

- Moving towards a more **standardised reporting system**
- New approach to **reporting from branches**
- Evaluation of a standardised “data exchange format(s)”, “submission channels”, etc.
- Working towards uniform **data quality management (DQM)**
- Implementation and **standardisation of business processes**



IReF deliverables





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Thank you!
