

SAP Community Call:

CATENA-X: Industry Network & Technology for a data driven value chain

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Agenda

- 1 Overview on Catena-X
- 2 Technical Foundation
- 3 Roadmap and further information

Catena-X Automotive Network

- Building the First Operating System for a Data Driven Value Chain -

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"Never let a good Crisis go to Waste"

- Winston Churchill



Executive Awareness



Network - Task





Network Mission

"We offer the most user-friendly environment for building, operating and collaboratively using end-to-end data chains, along the entire automotive value chain.

The resulting data ecosystem sustainably differentiates <u>us</u> as a location, industry and ultimately as an individual company. It rewards all participants with superior resilience, innovation and revenue opportunity."



Scope of "Data Driven Value Chain"



Industry Platform

Providing the most user-friendly environment for building, operating and collaboratively using

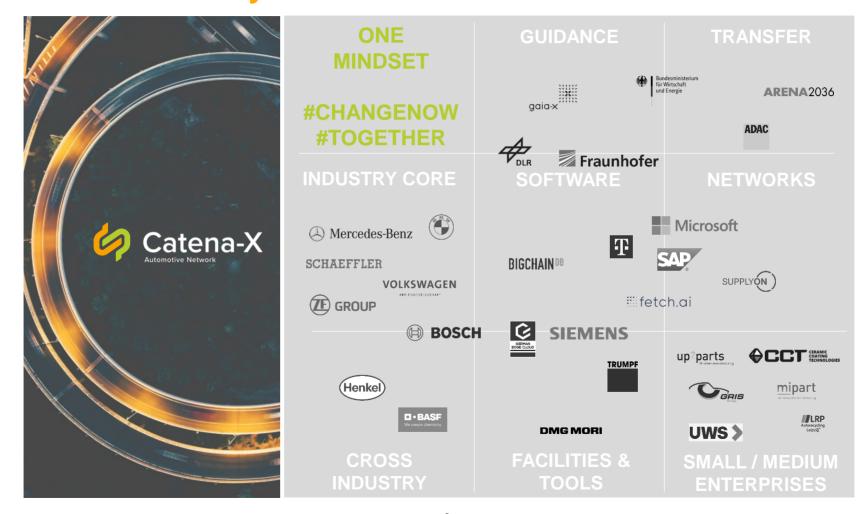








28 strong Partners cooperate with the BMWi (KoPa35c) for the initial Setup of this Data Ecosystem → Catena-X.





Vision & Guiding Principles



Consensus of the pioneers: Significant need for action to meet the challenges of the automotive industry. Creation of a German / European investment in interoperable and secure information exchange and network-based services.



Alliance Vision: Provisioning of a user-friendly environment for building, operating and collaborating on end-to-end data chains along the entire (automotive) value chain.



Guiding principle: Collaborative approach to selecting and implementing scalable, system-relevant use cases. Covering the entire value chain of the automotive industry, regardless of company size.



Security & Openness: Openness and non-discriminatory access to the network as the overriding principle for all market participants. Implementation of data sovereignty, security & interoperability principles based on Gaia-X & concepts of IDSA.



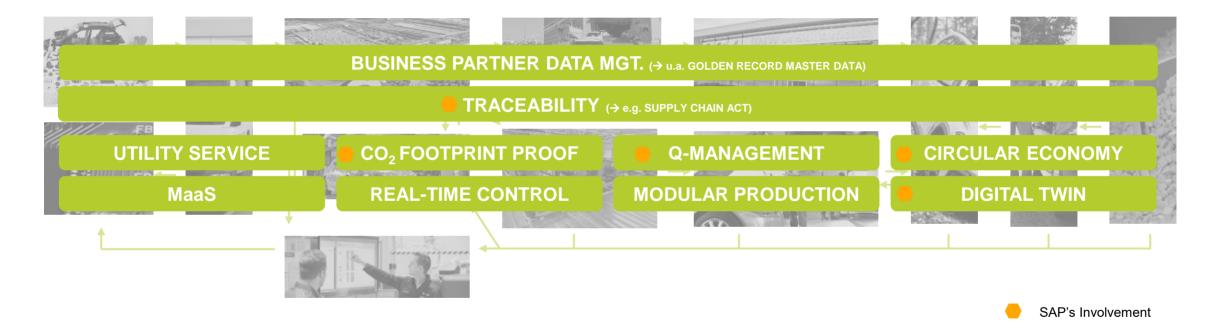
Openness to technology: Openness and interoperability of the technology landscape (multi-tech approach). Based on standards, a solution portfolio of certified, network-based applications and solutions is created.



Industry standards: Validation of the Gaia-X principles and management of industry-specific requirements by the association. Open exchange for the Catena-X standards and certifications with industry-relevant standardization bodies where appropriate.



Catena-X starts with Ten Use Cases (Apps) and focuses on eliminating Barriers for Partners, especially SMEs.





Catena-X is organized into five streams following the joint vision of continuous data exchange for all contributors along the automotive value chain.





One Operating System

Catena-X Operating System / Architecture

Data Sovereignty & Interoperability (europ. architecture)



Decentralized data rooms







Competition at application level

One Operating System (decentralized, federated, FOSS)



Operating System on GitHub



Plug and Play - Standardized APIs

Collaborative and agile product development



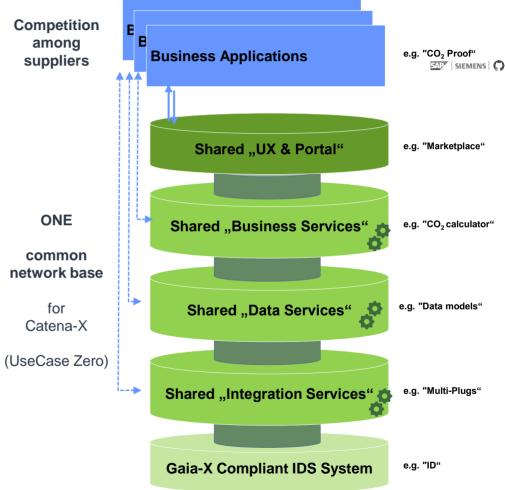
Eclipse Open Source Community





100% Agile working model



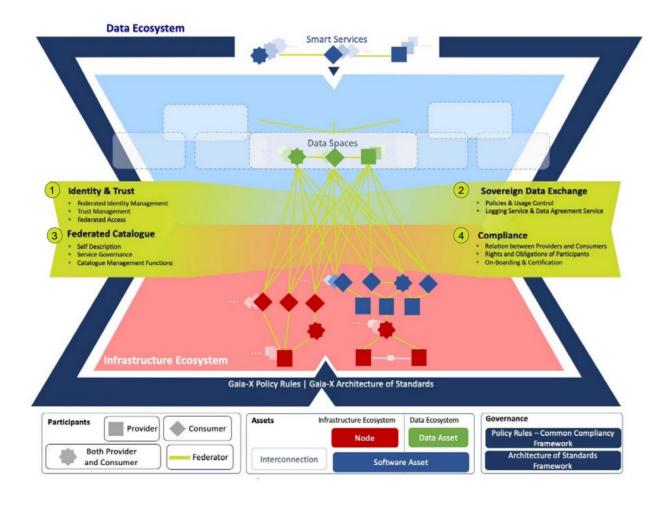




How | 4 technical concepts are foundational

- Decentralized Data Spaces
- Decentralized, Self-Sovereign Identity
- Self-Sovereign Data Exchange
- Interoperability and Semantic Data Description

Decentralized Data Spaces | Catena-X aims to follow GAIA-X Ecosystem Vision



Architecture Requirements

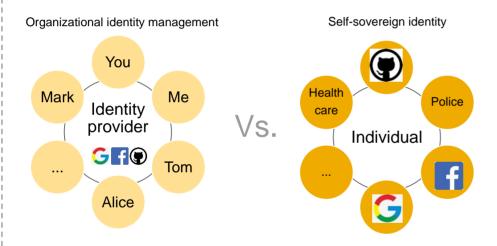
- Interoperability
- Portability
- Sovereignty
- Security and trust

Architecture Principles

- Decentralization
- Distribution
- Federation
- Sharing

Decentralized Identities | Self-Sovereign Identities cater for European Values in IT

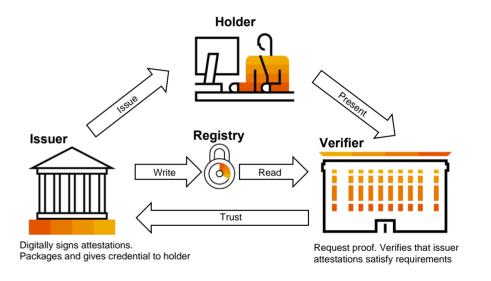
What is different about SSI



SSI is being referred to by many initiatives such as:

- Gaia-X
- IDUnion
- Sovrin Foundation

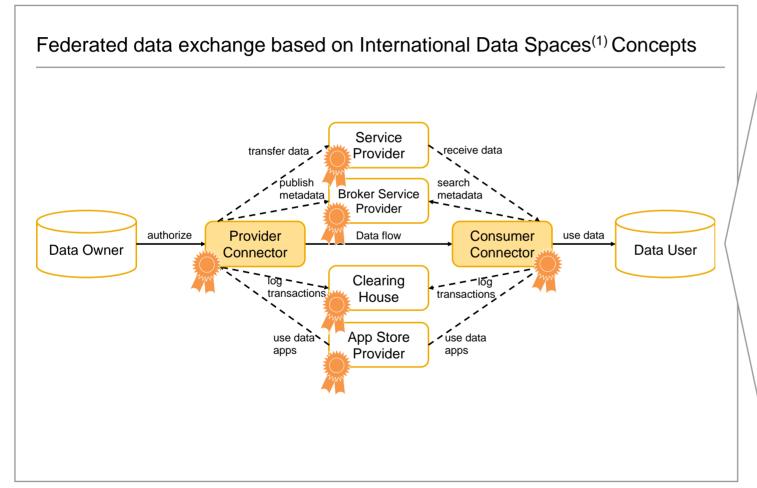
How does SSI work



Based on open W3C standards

- DID Decentralized Identifiers V1.0
- VC Verifiable Credentials V1.0

Self-Sovereign Data Exchange | Sharing Data While Keeping Ownership



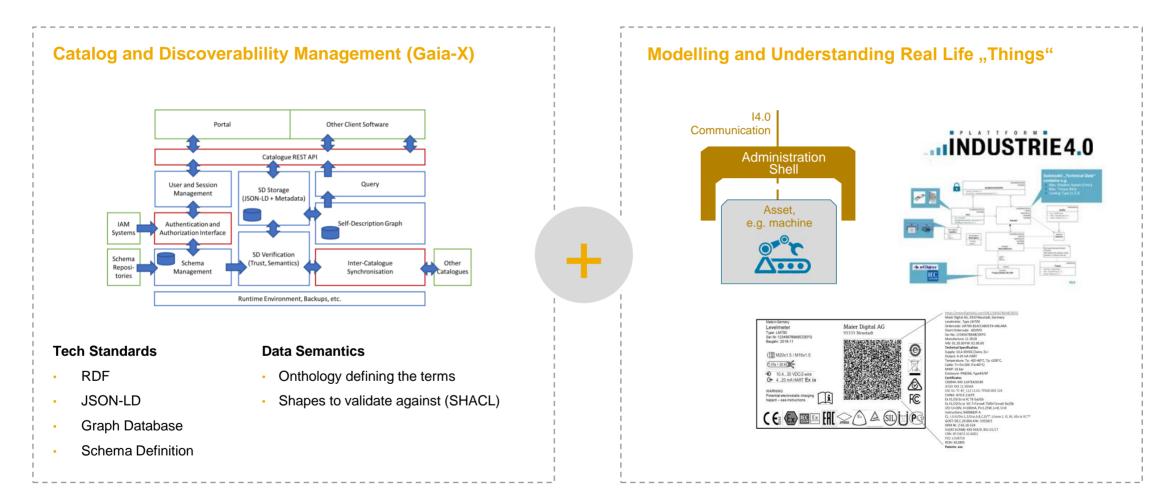
Leading Principles of Data Sovereignty

- Universal interoperability defined a standard between different data endpoints
- Trust between different security domains:
 Comprehensive security function
 providing a maximum level of trust
- Usage control and enforcement for data flows provides governance for the data economy

Open Source: NEW Eclipse Data Space Connector⁽²⁾

(2) https://projects.eclipse.org/projects/technology.dataspaceconnector

Interoperability | Semantics & Self Description



Humans as well as machines talk and understand a domain-specific vocabulary



Roadmap

& further Information

Catena-X Roadmap – Development Cooperation 08/2021 - 07/2024

Phase I

Goal

Result

Set up of development cooperation



Association founded



Funding application submitted



Proof of Concept performed



official start of the project August 01, 2021

2021

Network environment and

transfer concept

Most user-friendly network

Industrializable data ecosystem

2023

Phase III

Scaling and exploitation internationally and other industries

Further innovative value-added services

and business models

+ Value generation

Result

Goal

Incubation space for new business

Sustainable differentiation as a location. industry and company

Result

Use Cases functionally

Standardized Automotive Data

Systemic copy protection



Validation and connection 1000 partners

2022

Goal

Phase II

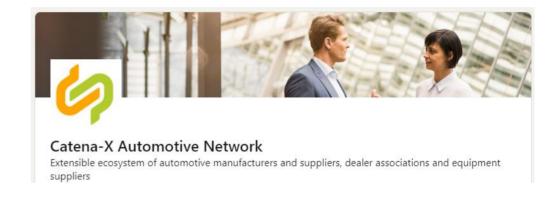
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