# Managing Knowledge in Energy Data Spaces

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### **OVERVIEW**



#### EU Energy Data Ecosystem

- EU legislation
- The vision
- Examples of Innovative Solutions for the Energy Data Ecosystem
  - Interoperability and Integration Framework
- Lessons Learned
  - The case of Serbia



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### MOTIVATION

# Regional Centre of Excellence in smart energy management



- 5 dispatching centers done by PUPIN
- 182 high voltage transformation stations
- Supervision of entire distribution network
- Integrated monitoring and balancing the SMM block



# CHALLENGES



#### Digitalization of the energy sector

 Energy Management Applications are fragmented, developed against energy data silos, and data exchange is limited to few applications

#### Big Data in the energy domain

- modernisation of the European electricity grid focuses on new smart grids services through knowledge exploitation => innovative datadriven services
- multi-party data exchange while ensuring data governance and data sovereignty
- Integration of renewable energy sources (RES)

#### **EU Policy Framework**

- European Green Deal, December 2019
- European Strategy for Data, February 2020
- Energy System Integration Strategy, July 2020
- Data Governance Act, November 2020



aim is to create a single European data space where personal as well as nonpersonal data, including sensitive business data, are secure and businesses also have easy access to an almost infinite amount of high-quality industrial data, boosting growth and creating value, while minimising the human carbon and environmental footprint.



- Technical tools for data pooling and sharing
- Standards and interoperability (technical, semantic)
- Sectoral Data Governance (licensees, access rights, usage rights)
- IT capacity, including cloud storage, processing and services



- Digitalise the energy sector, enabling thus higher levels of operational excellence with the adoption of disrupting technologies.
- Use SGAM (SG Architecture model)-compliant reference architecture for big data processing for the energy sector.
  - interoperability layer based open standards to ensure compatibility with different platforms and legacy systems.
- Reinforce the European efforts for the modernisation of the European electricity grid, as it focuses on new smart grids services through data knowledge exploitation => data-driven services
- Enabling multi-party data exchange while ensuring data governance and data sovereignty

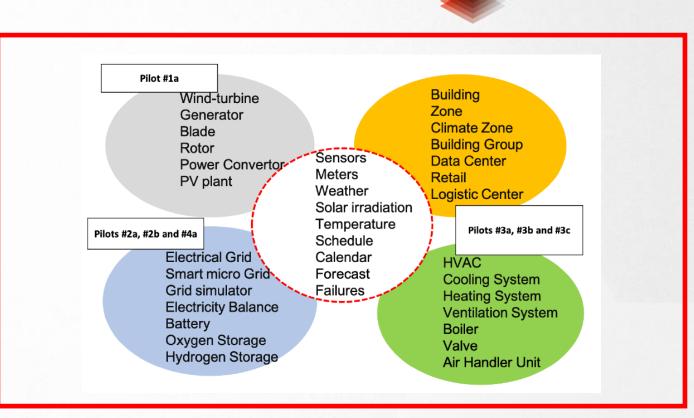


# **RESEARCH** QUESTIONS

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#### **Interoperability and Integration Framework**

- Which are the concepts and properties that characterize the energy domain, and which ontologies cover the needs for modelling the electricity value chain and ensure uniform access to data collected with the proprietary SCADA system?
- How to build a knowledge graph that will enable the development of services to support future energy marketplaces?



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- The knowledge graph layer shall be based on open standards and open APIs.
- One of the first steps in our research is the analysis of existing semantic models already in use:
  - CIM Common Information Model; it comprises concepts for software applications to exchange information about electrical networks
  - SAREF Smart Appliances REFerence ontology; It is modular ontology for Internet of Things domain; it integrates vocabularies to represent smart cities, buildings, energy etc.
  - SEAS Ontology developed in framework of the Smart Energy-Aware System project with the aim of designing a global ecosystem of services and smart things collectively capable of ensuring the stability and the energy efficiency of future energy grids.
  - DCAT The Data Catalog Vocabulary provides a common understanding of the classes and properties that describe a catalog of datasets and data services.

- The work has been divided into the following phases:
  - Requirement Analysis phase: the authors, defined different business questions that we would like to answer with the knowledge graph
  - Design phase: relevant concepts are selected for modelling. Then, data connectors towards the SCADA database and the messaging mechanisms are specified
  - Specification phase: the knowledge graph is specified in terms of RML rules
  - KGs in Action phase: the authors are involved in automating the semantic pipeline and developing exploration GUIs





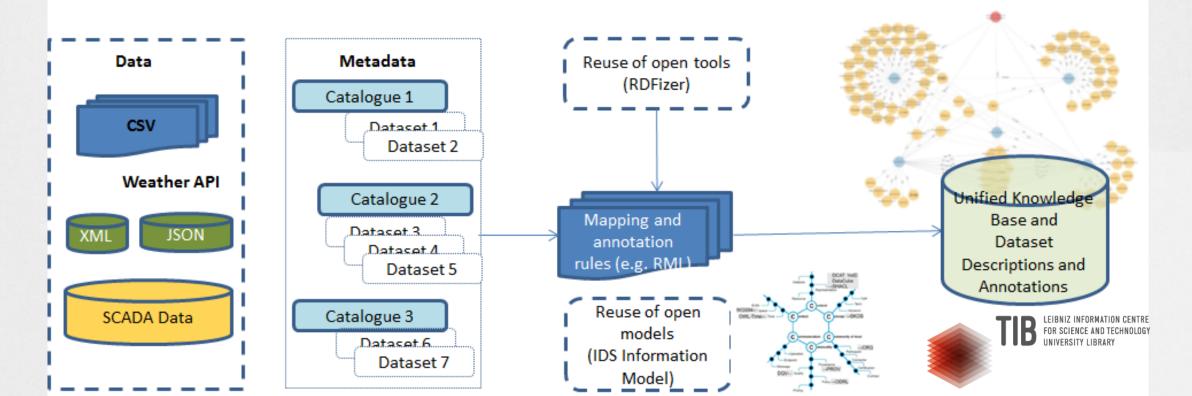




# METHODOLOGY



We follow the Materialized Knowledge Graph Creation Process approach to create a knowledge graph – data is loaded into an RDF format and stored in RDF triplestore



# Example of Innovative Solutions for the Digital Energy Ecosystem (DEE)

**Research Perspective**, 2021





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**Challenges:** penetration of distributed generation (Wind / PV / Solar Power Plants) increases the variability and degree of uncertainty of power output from renewable sources

Data analytics toolbox (e.g. Accuracy of forecasting, production) and edge computing solutions are needed for optimised real-time energy system management



Interoperability Enabling data exchange and integrated value chains between platforms using a wide spectrum of heterogeneous data sources, formats and interfaces.

Data Governance & Security Addressing digital sovereignty challenges of multiple data owners and providers for multi-party data exchange along the energy value chain via IDS-based connectors.

Data Analytics Toolbox & Edge Computing Deploying technologies for data processing and analysis in batch and real-time to optimise the energy system management for the energy domain experts.

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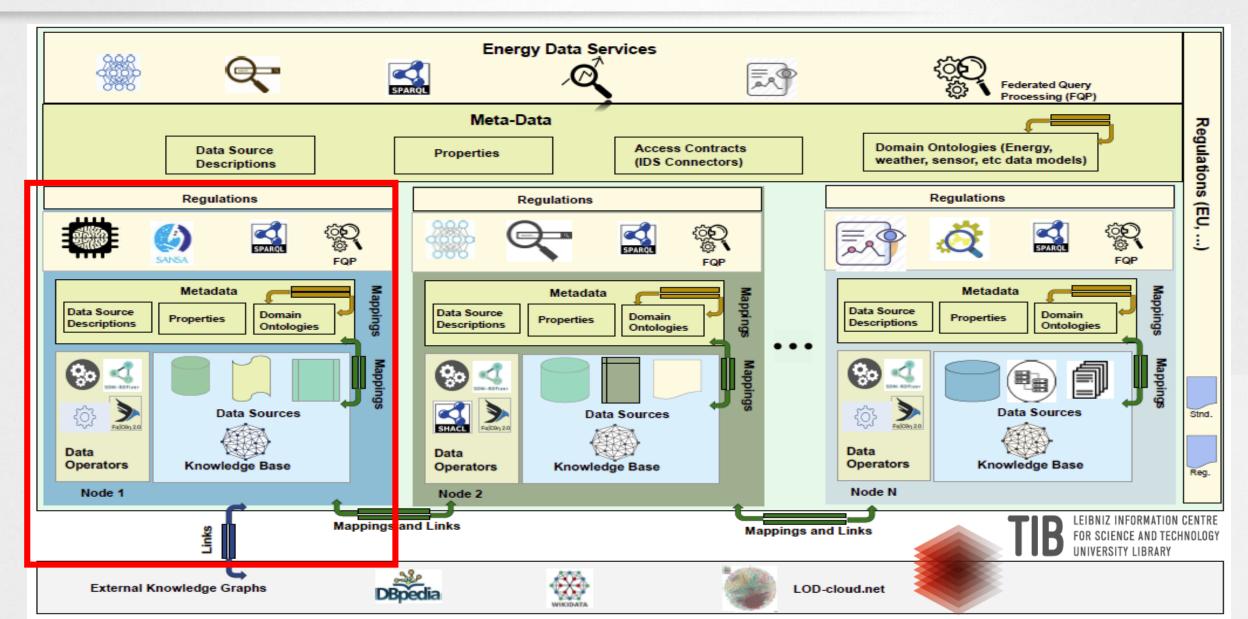
**Solution:** Real-time integration and Big Data analysis upon the highvolume data streams from metering devices and power grid elements **Solution:** Decentralised Data Processing Architecture for processing multi-stream datasets of different velocity





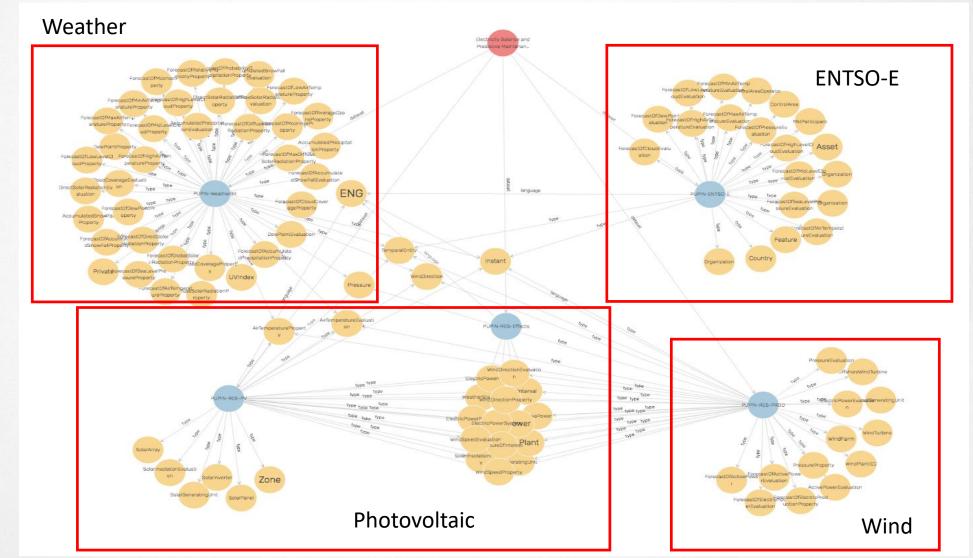






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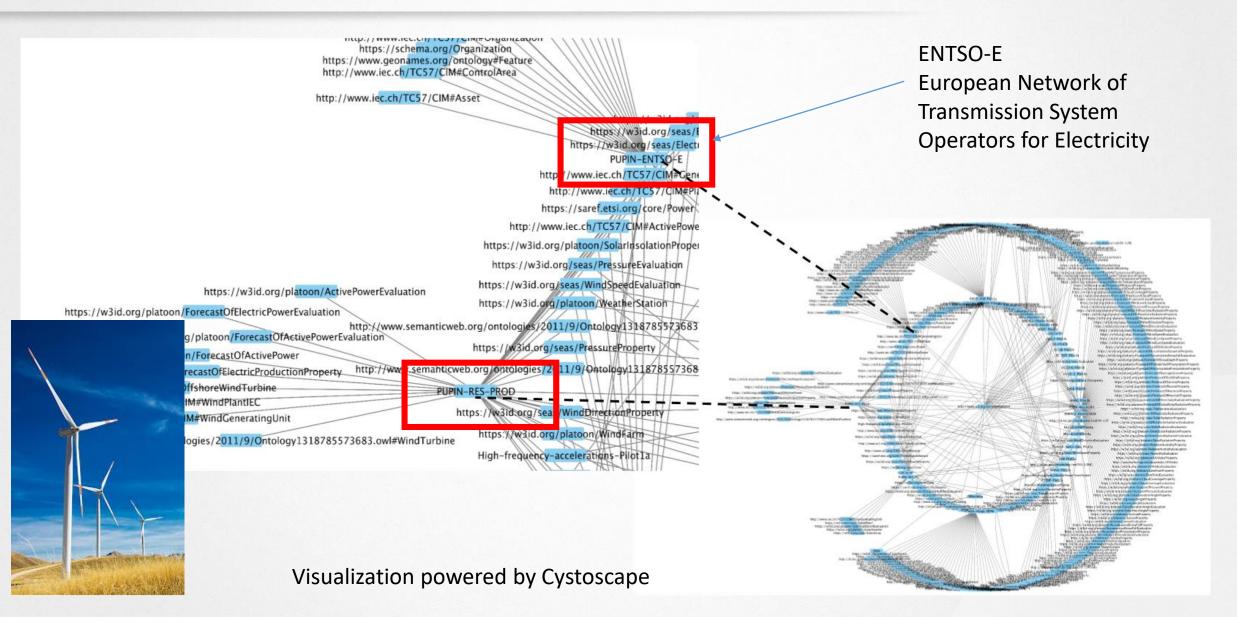




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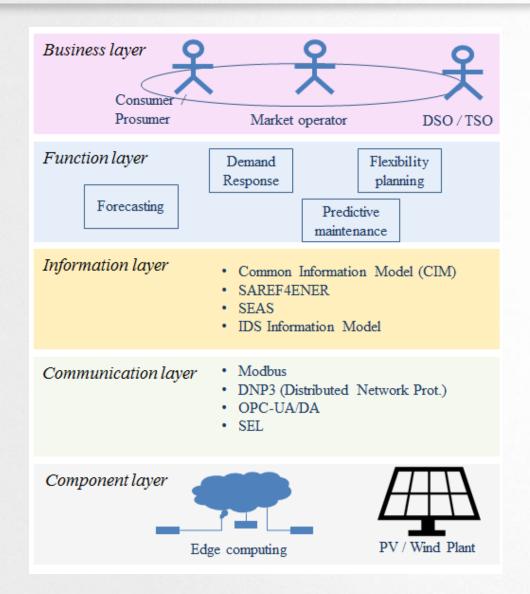


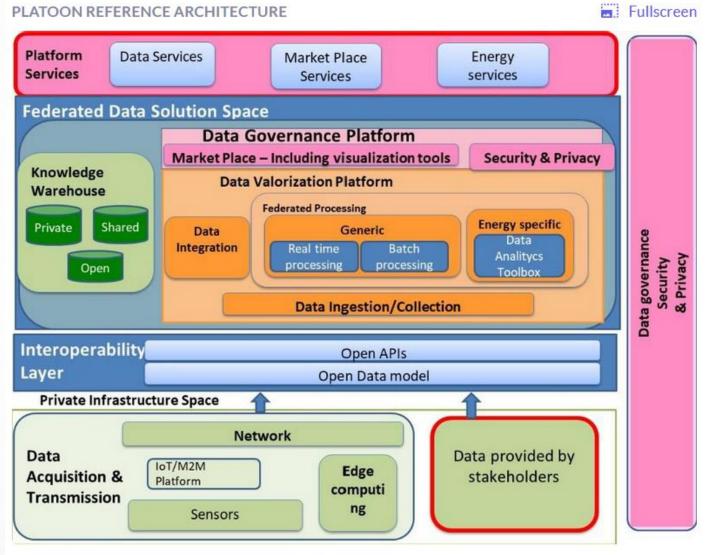
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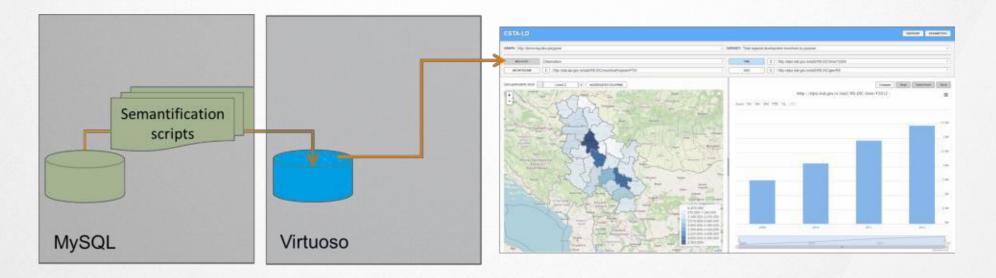








- Energy Analytics Dashboard (EAD) is visualization tool that aims to help users understand the results of AI-based analytics services used in synergy with SCADA KG.
- EAD allows the users to select data of interest, compare time series and visualize summary statistics on the geographical map.







Standards, Integration, Interoperability and harmonization

- Although datasets are presented in diverse formats (e.g., CSV, JSON, RDB, JPEG) it can be characterized by concepts in the energy domain represented in the developed semantic data models.
- Standardized data models (CIM, SAREF) relevant for energy management are available in different formats (UML, XML, RDF)
- Development of the Semantic layer extends the reused common vocabularies and ontologies and the selection of models have to be done based on the target scenarios (e.g. for forecasting)
- Data harmonization task completed in the EU project PLATOON showed that International Data Space information model (e.g., DCAT) additionally facilitates the generation of machine-readable description of the data sources and services and registration in a marketplace (under development).

### Thank you for your attention!





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Next-Generation Integrated Energy Services fOr Citizen Energy CommuNities



Orchestrating an interoperable sovereign federated Multi-vector Energy Data Space built on open standards and ready for GAia-X