



Allotrope Framework:

Semantischer Datenstandard für das Lab 4.0

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WHO IS OSTHUS?

- Global organization
- 120+ employees and growing rapidly
- 16+ big pharma customers + many chemicals and lab-based companies.
- Allotrope Framework Architect
- Our approach technology:



Connecting data, people and organizations





DATA AS AN ASSET

DIGITALIZATION



Current Situation in the Lab

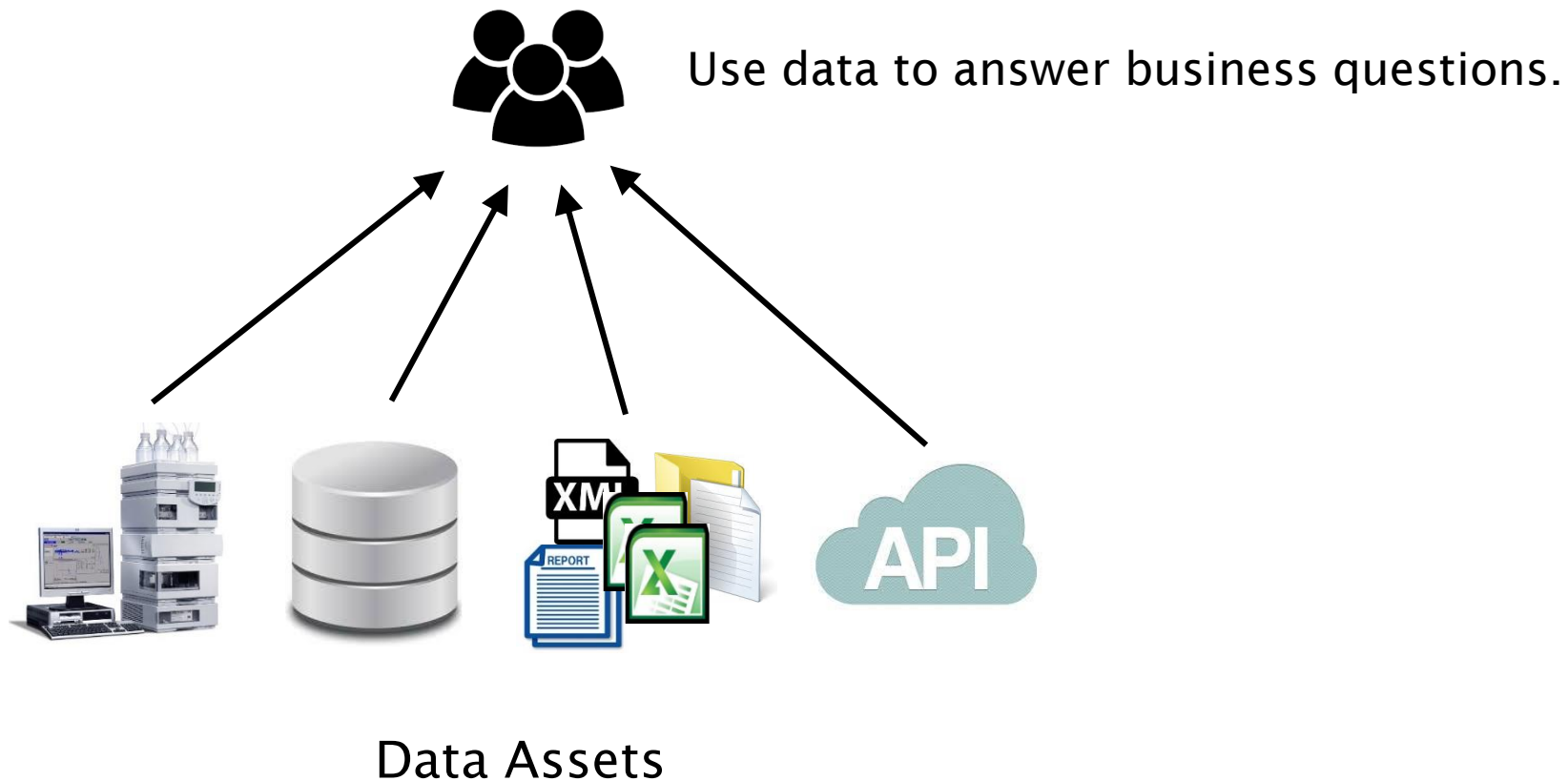
- ⌚ increase in automation
- ⌚ connected devices
- ⌚ heterogeneous IT landscape
- ⌚ increased complexity
- ⌚ more data is generated
- ⌚ stronger regulations
- ⌚ high cost pressure

Digitalization is often still just “paper on glass”!



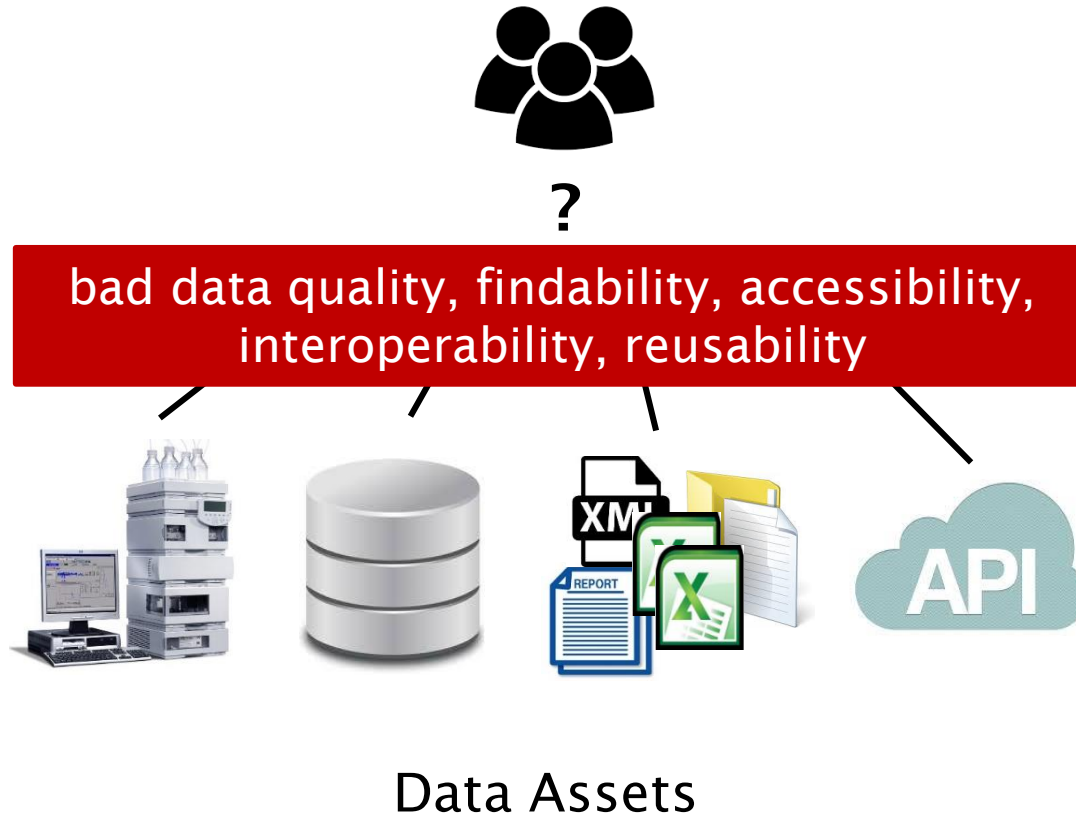


Value of Data is Realized by Usage in Decision Making and Insights





Value of Data is Mostly Not Realized



“Only 3% of Companies’ Data Meets Basic Quality Standards”

Harvard Business Review: <https://hbr.org/2017/09/only-3-of-companies-data-meets-basic-quality-standards>

“For most large enterprises, the root of this problem lies in years of treating the data generated by their operational systems as a form of exhaust rather than as a fuel to deliver great services, build better products, and create competitive advantage.”

Database Trends and Applications:
<http://www.dbta.com/Editorial/Trends-and-Applications/The-Enterprise-Data-Debt-Crisis-123008.aspx>



Finding Information is time-consuming

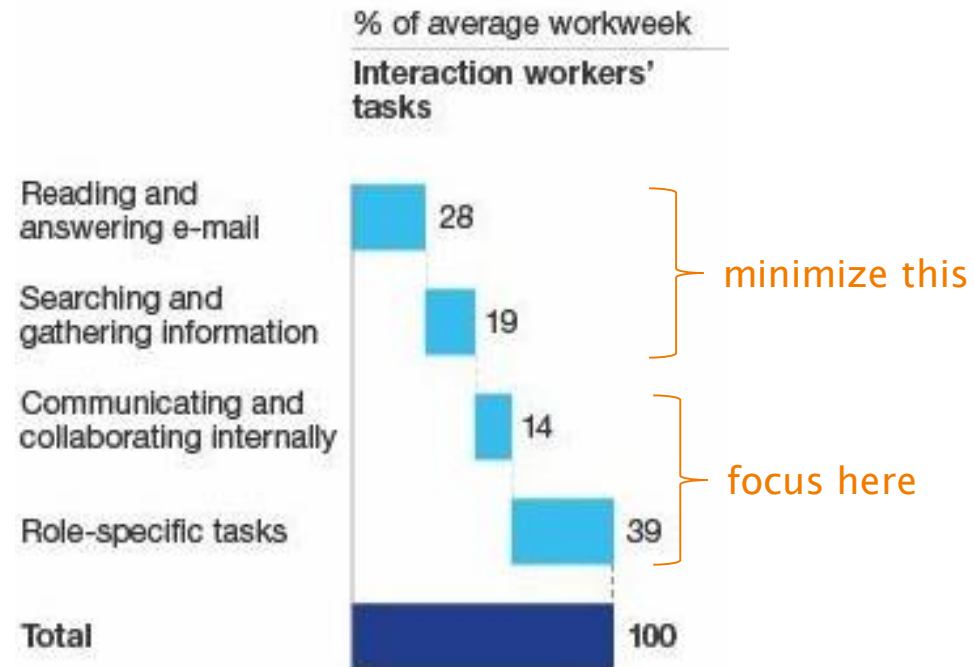
Example Questions:

“Which chromatograms did we make this year for molecule X?”

“Did we already analyze compound X?”

“In which of our labs can I run experiment X?”

“Can I trust the data that was generated by someone else in my company?”



Source: International Data Corporation (IDC); McKinsey Global Institute analysis.



Guiding Principles for Scientific Data Management and Stewardship*

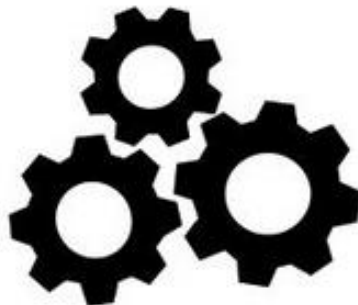
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*Source: <https://www.nature.com/articles/sdata201618>

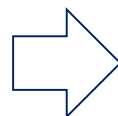
G20 endorse the FAIR principles: <https://www.dtlis.nl/2016/09/13/g20-endorse-fair-principles/>



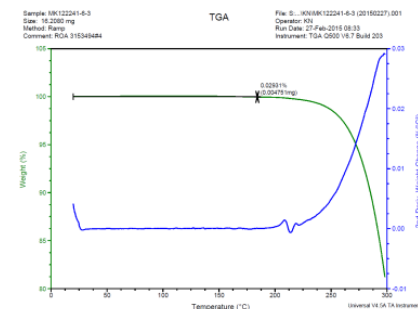
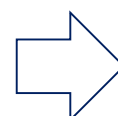
Laboratory Analytical Process



sample



analytical process



data

The Allotrope Community Today



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Drinker Biddle

Baxter



SYNTHACE



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Mettler Toledo • NIST • SciBite • Stanford University • University of Illinois at Chicago • University of Southampton

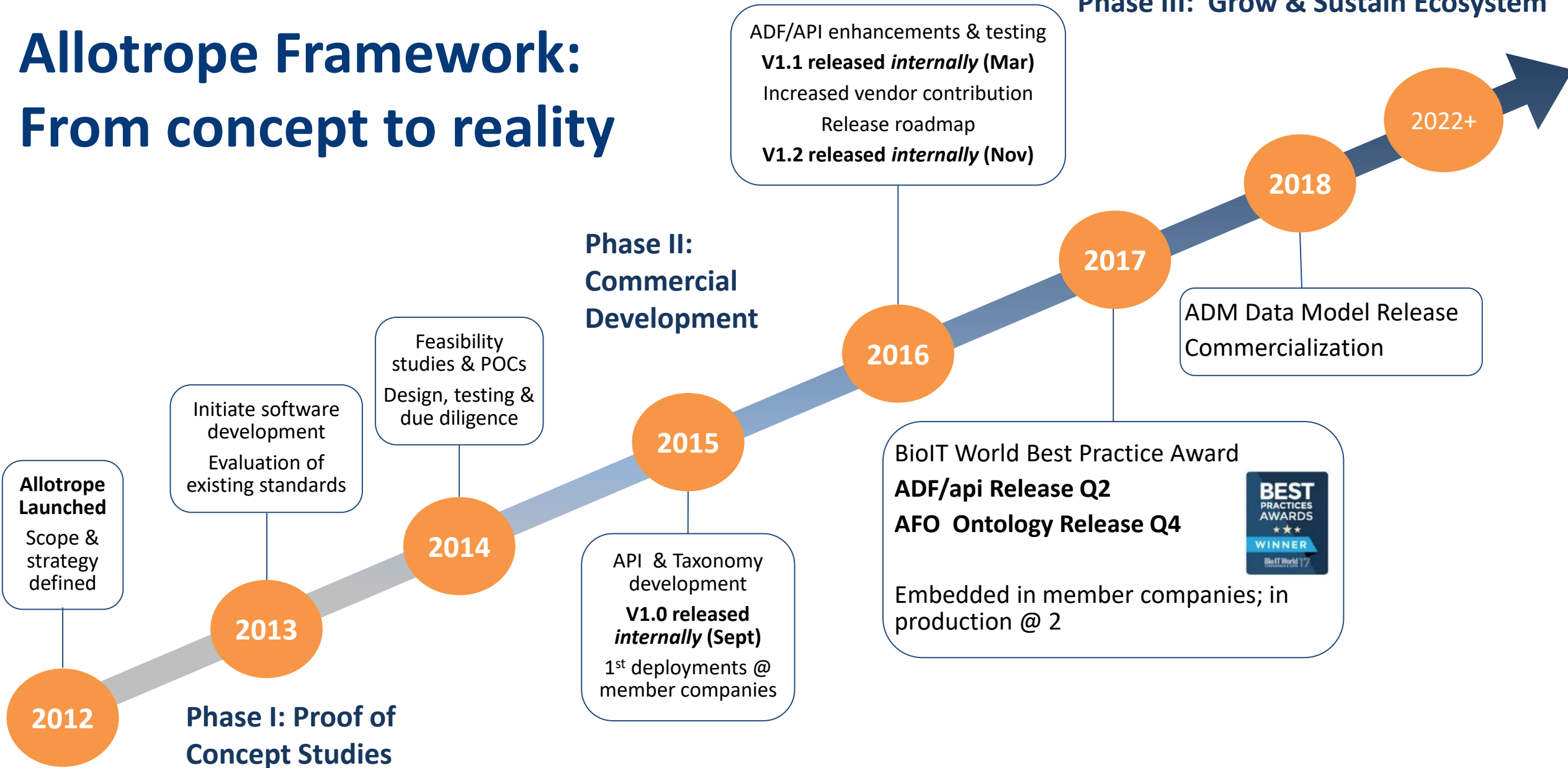


Allotrope Framework: From concept to reality

Phase III: Grow & Sustain Ecosystem

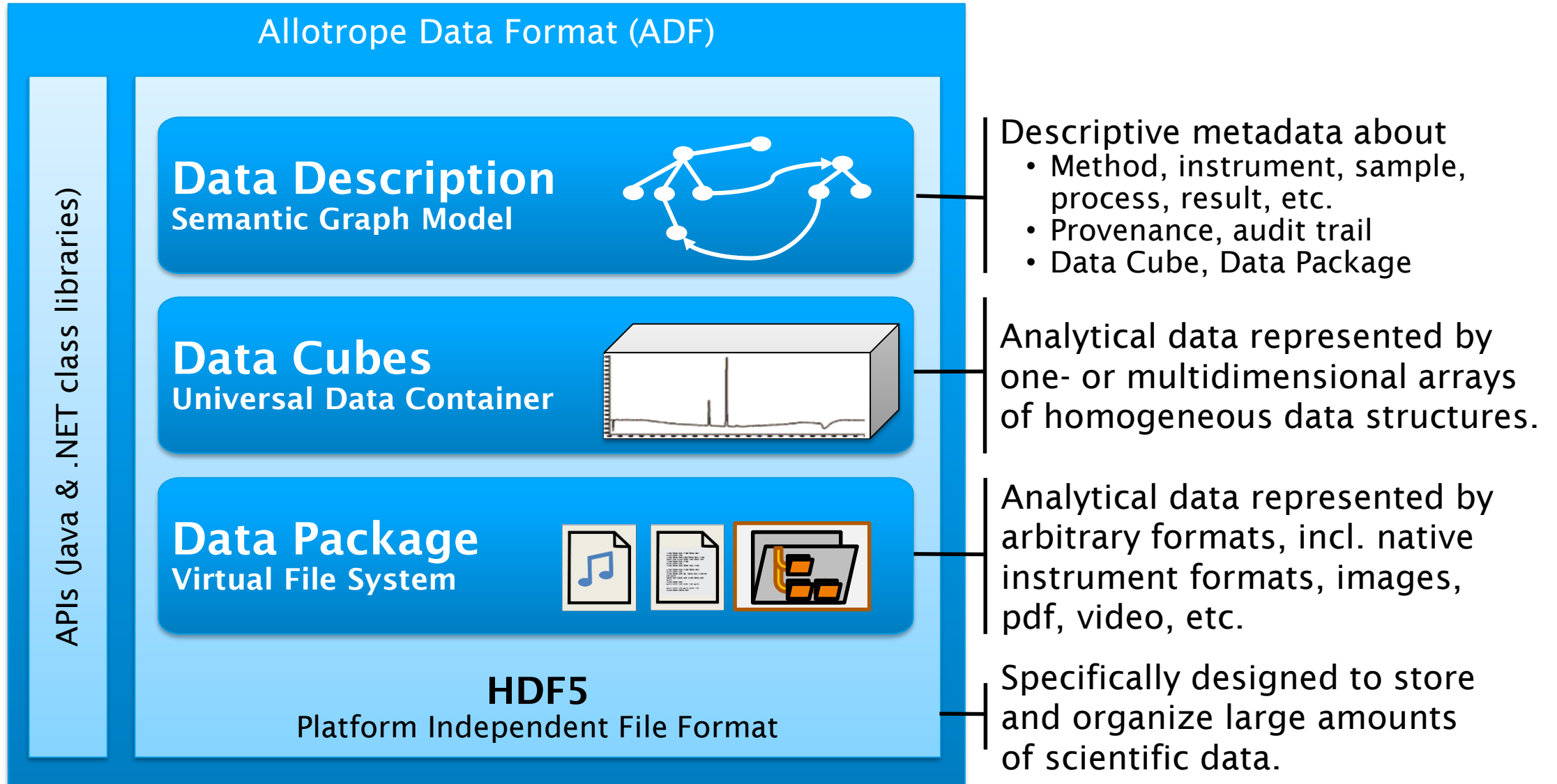
Phase II: Commercial Development

Phase I: Proof of Concept Studies



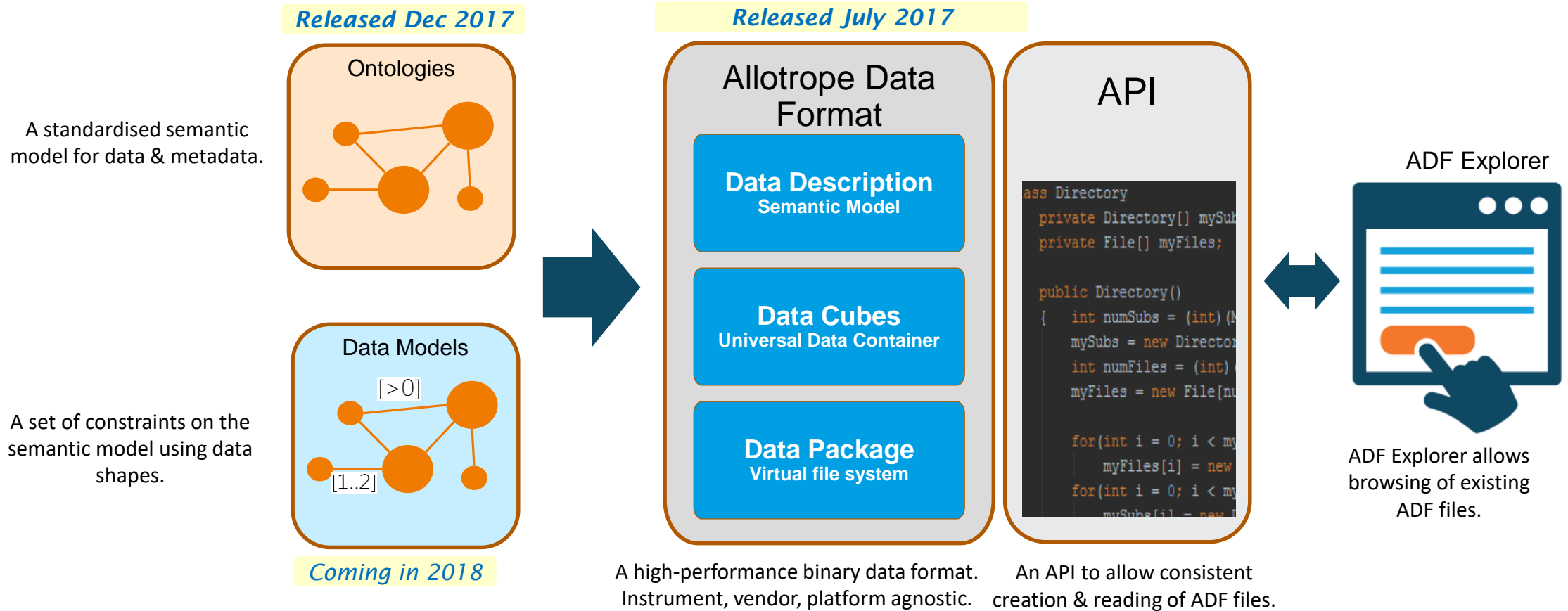


Allotrope Data Format (ADF): A Universal Data Container



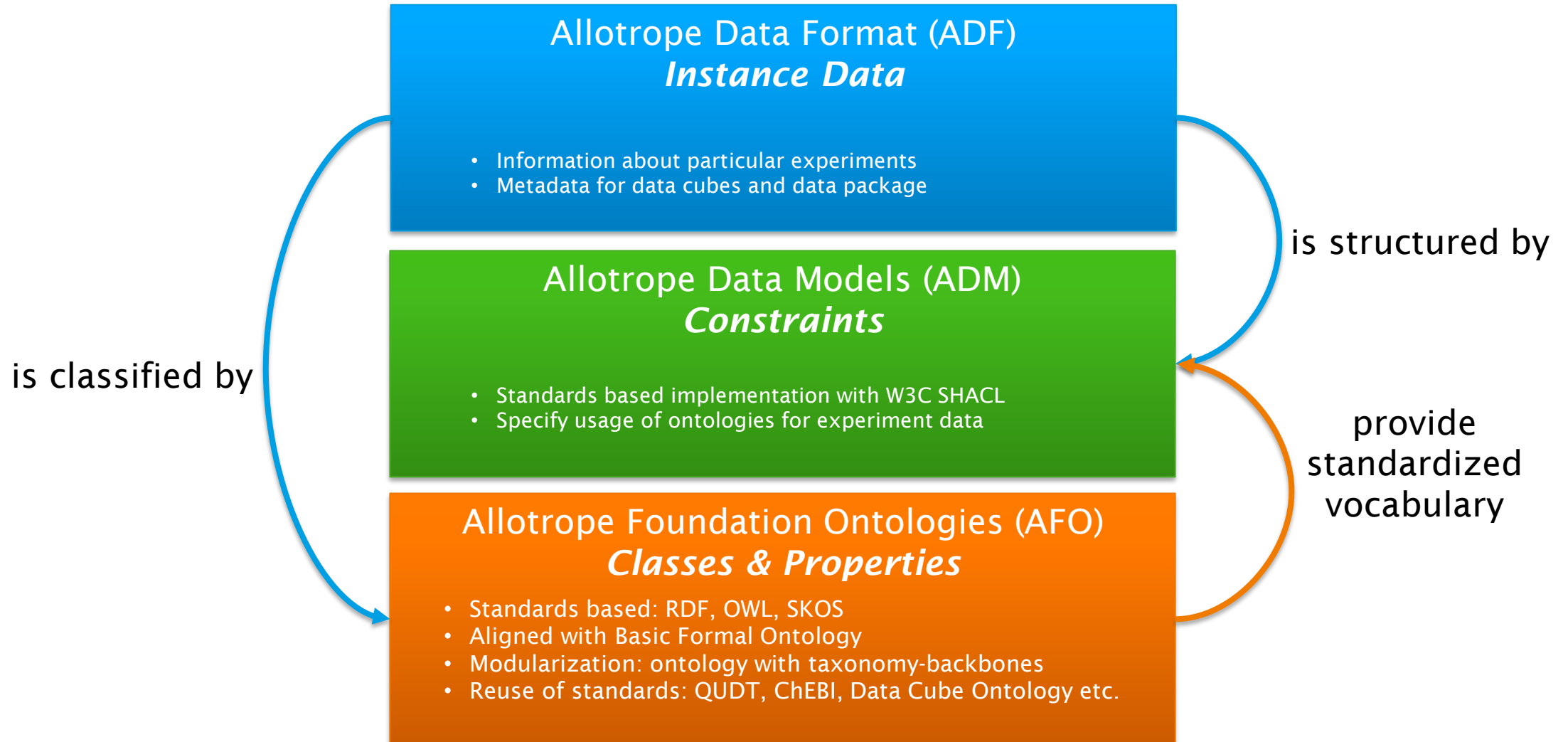


Standardized Data & Metadata



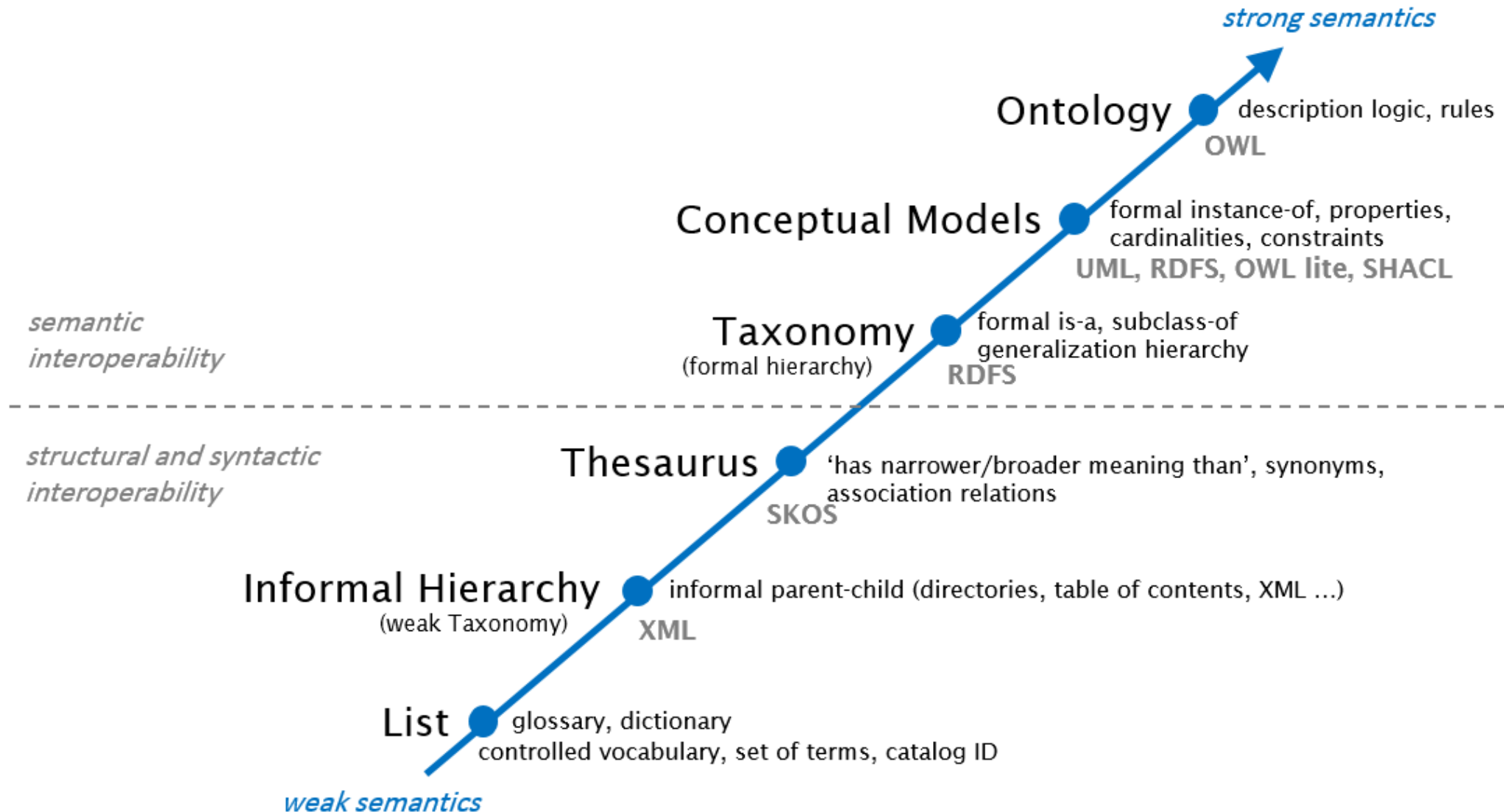


Semantics: Reference Ontologies, Constraints and Instance Data





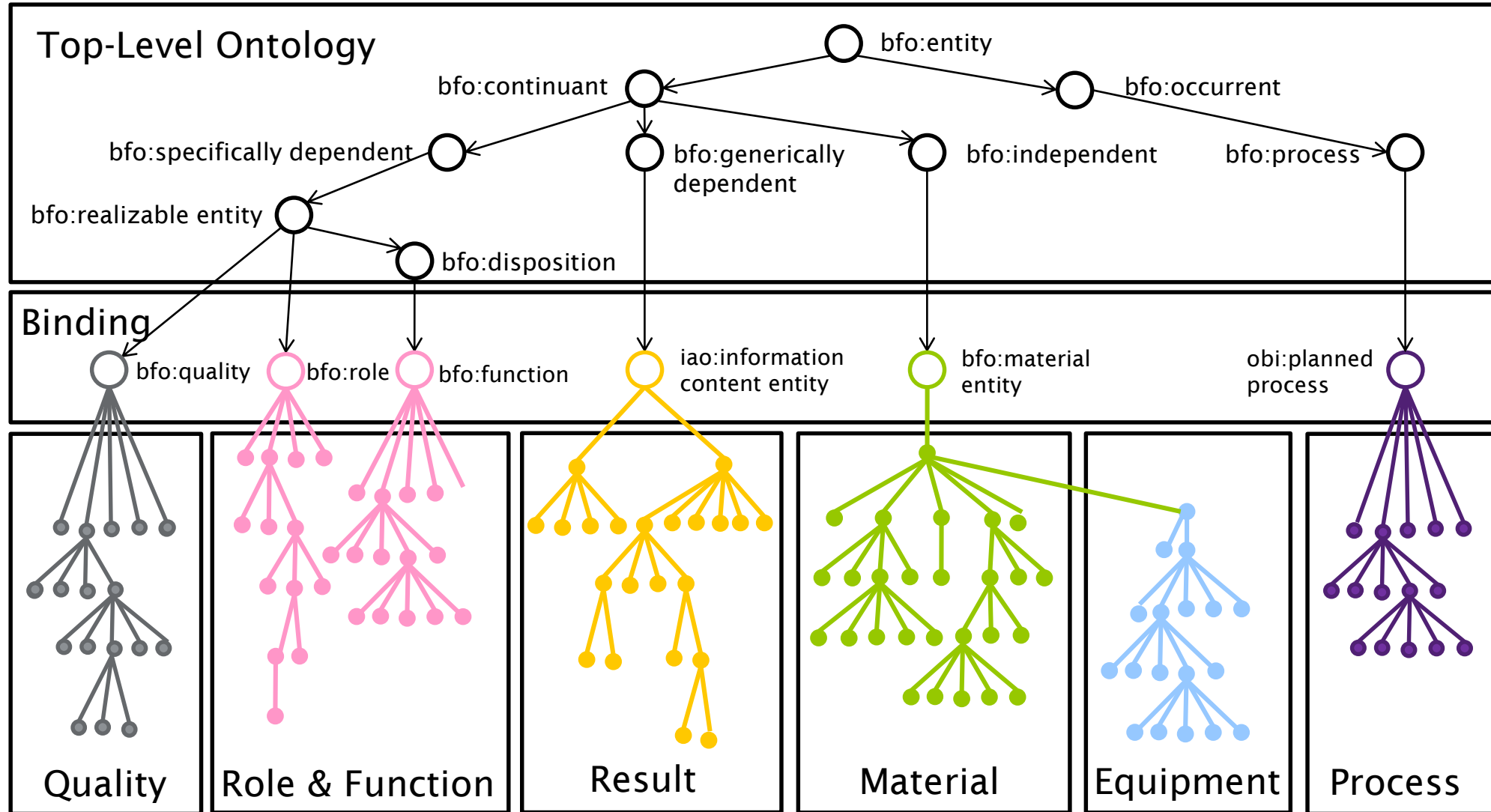
Semantic Spectrum of Knowledge Organization Systems



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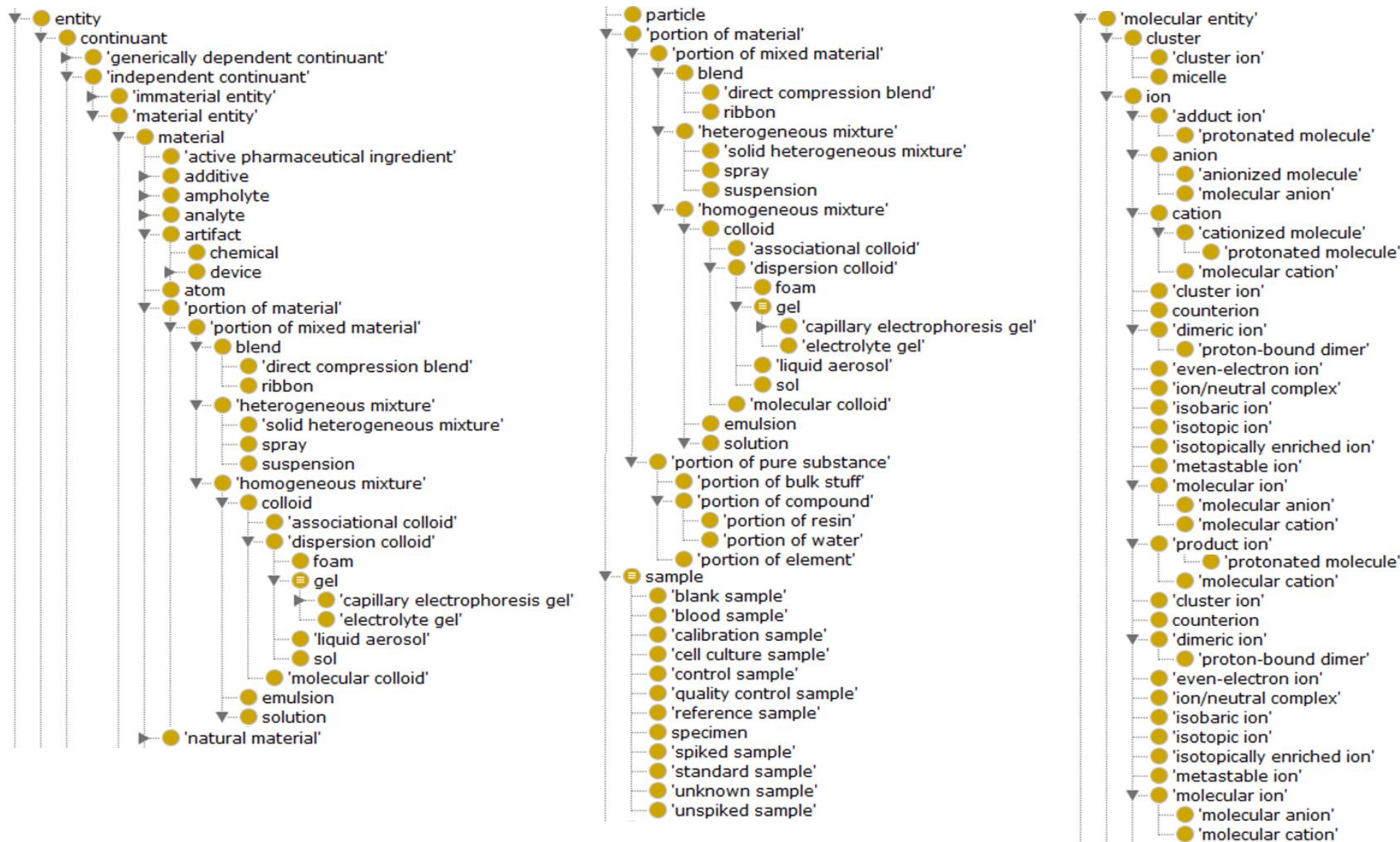


AFO: A Modularized Ontology based on Taxonomy Backbones



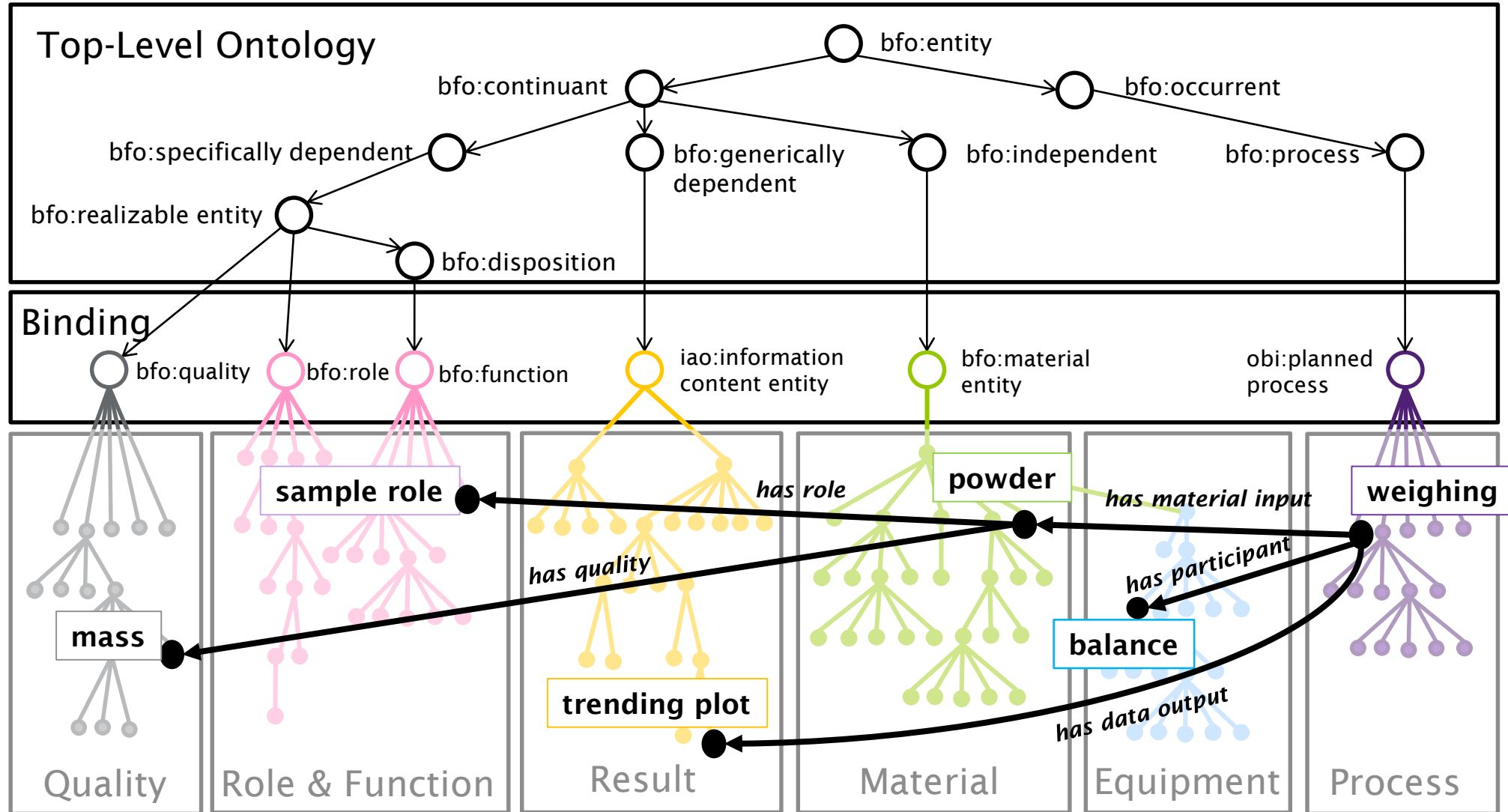


Materials Module (Taxonomy Part)



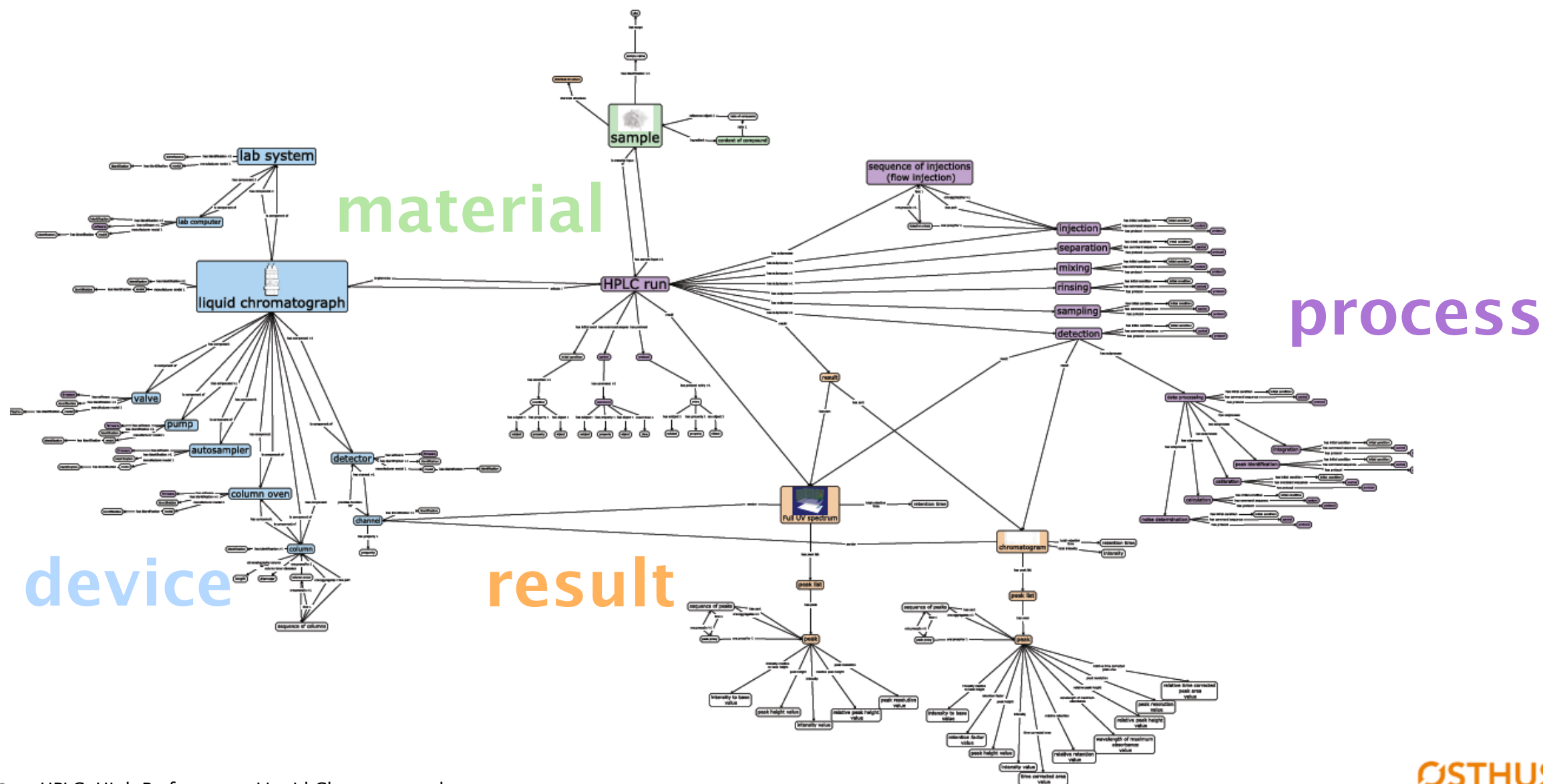


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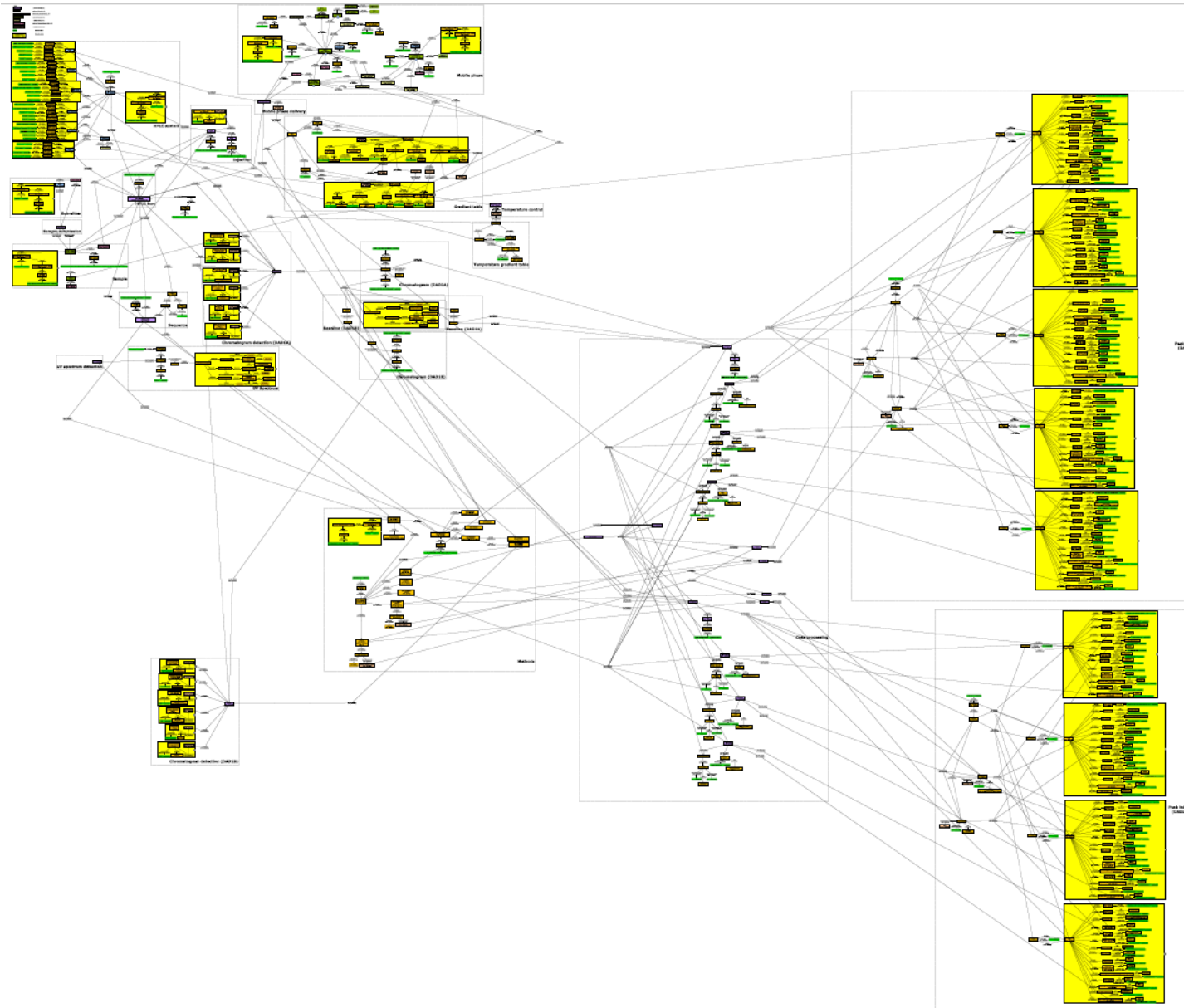


Ontology for HPLC Example





Instance Graphs with Repeating Model Patterns



Allotrope Data Model Pattern Catalog

<https://allotrope.gitlab.io/adm-patterns/>

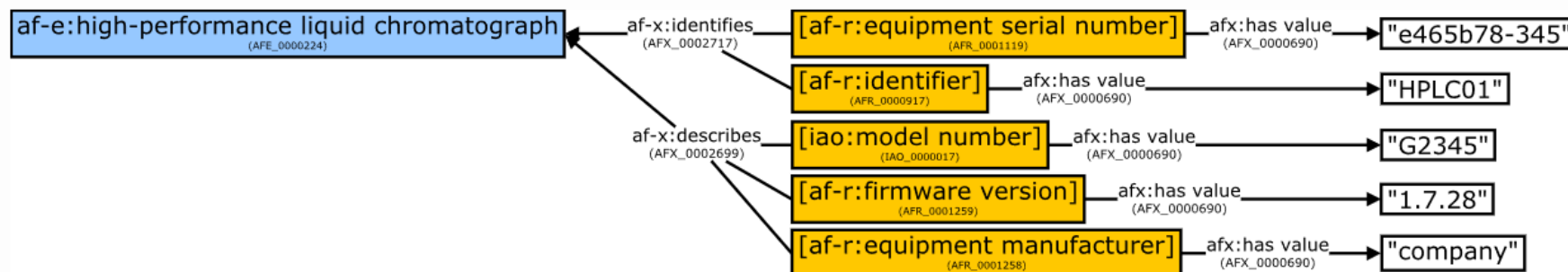


Allotrope Data Model Pattern Catalog

Allotrope Candidate Recommendation

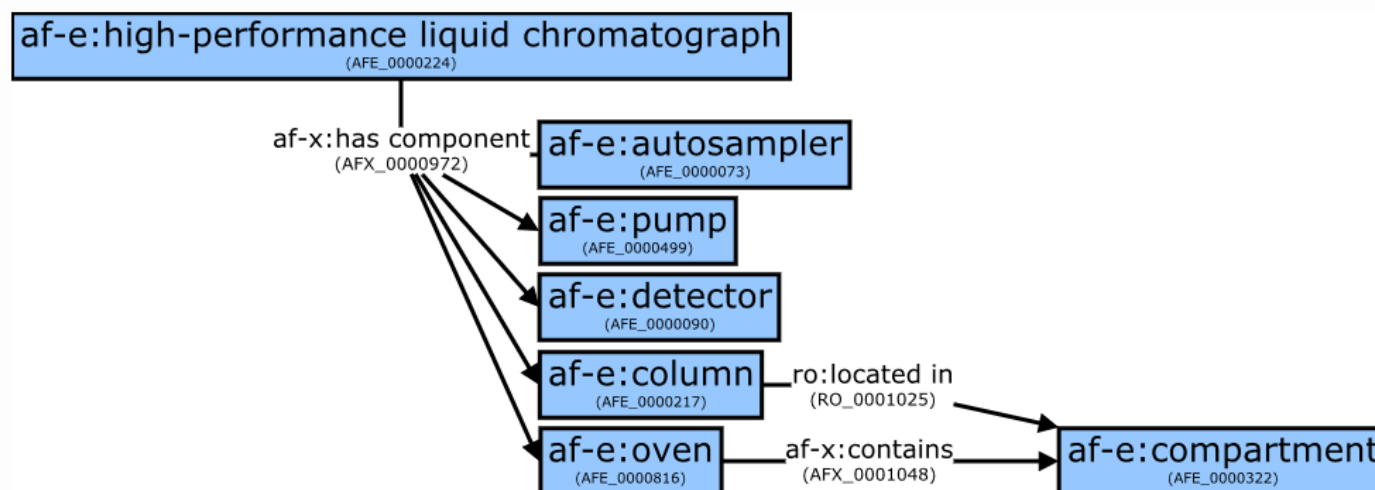
▼ 10.1. Device information of an HPLC

Example of information about an high-performance liquid chromatograph.



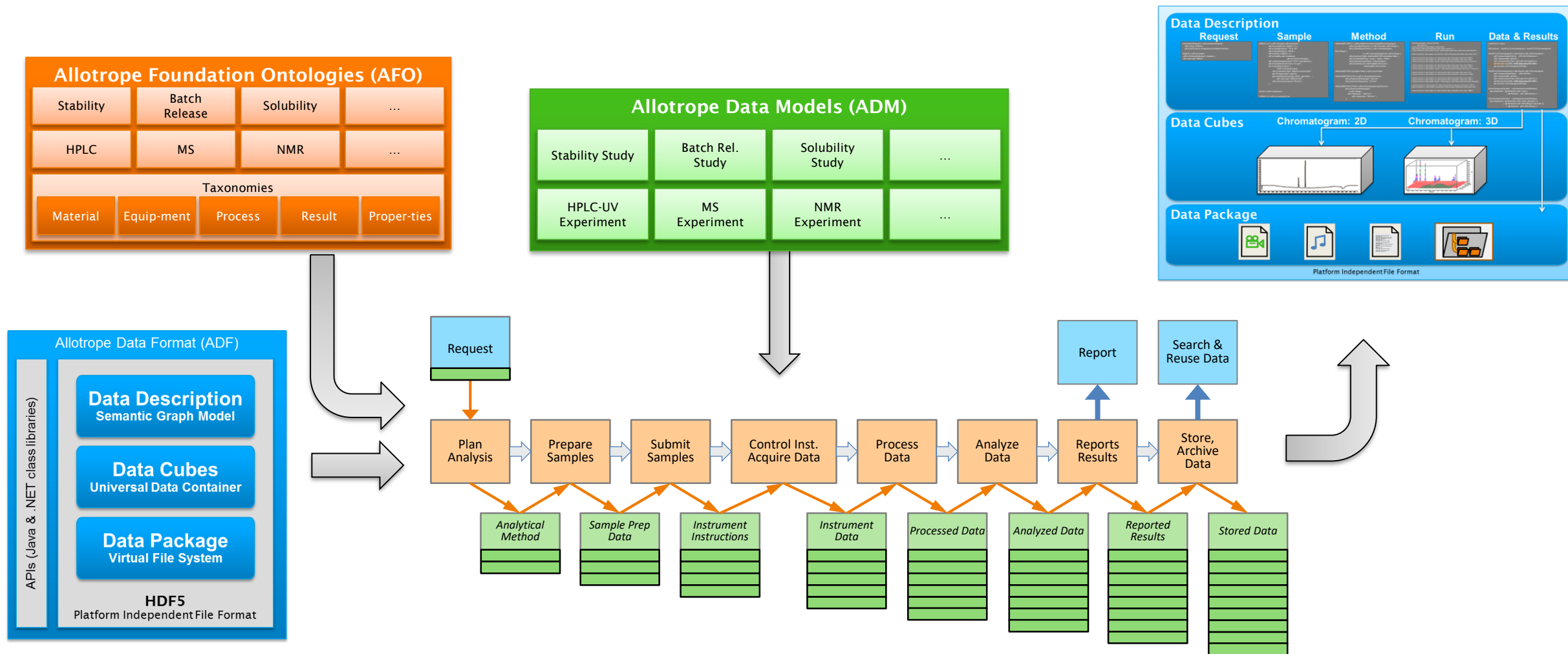
▼ 10.2. Device stack of an HPLC

Example of a stack of a high-performance liquid chromatograph. The column is located within a temperature-controlled compartment that is contained in the column oven.





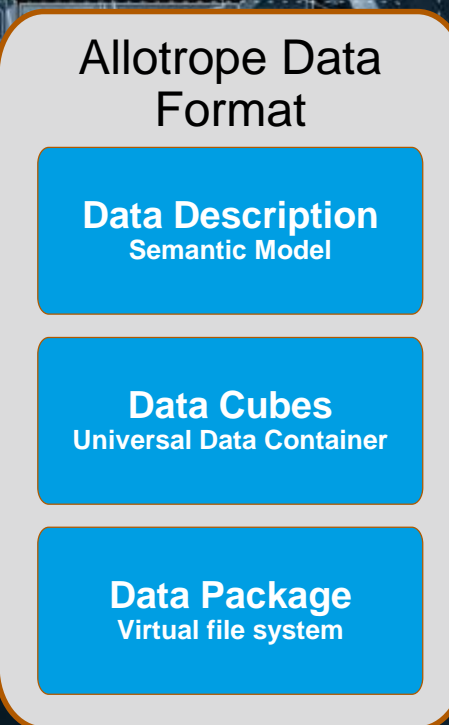
A Foundation for Interoperability & Next Generation Analytics





Benefits of Reusing Allotrope Data Format

- 🔄 Highly reusable, generic data container
 - Flexibility to integrate any custom taxonomy or ontology
 - Can be reused for specification of other standards
- 🔄 Improves searchability & findability
- 🔄 Supports interoperability & reusability:
 - Makes data understandable
 - Removes ambiguities
 - Simplifies reproducibility
- 🔄 Significantly improves information exchange within a community
- 🔄 Ready for productive use
 - E.g., data integrity, traceability, audit-trail out-of-the-box
- 🔄 Prepares data for Big Data, Data Science, AI applications

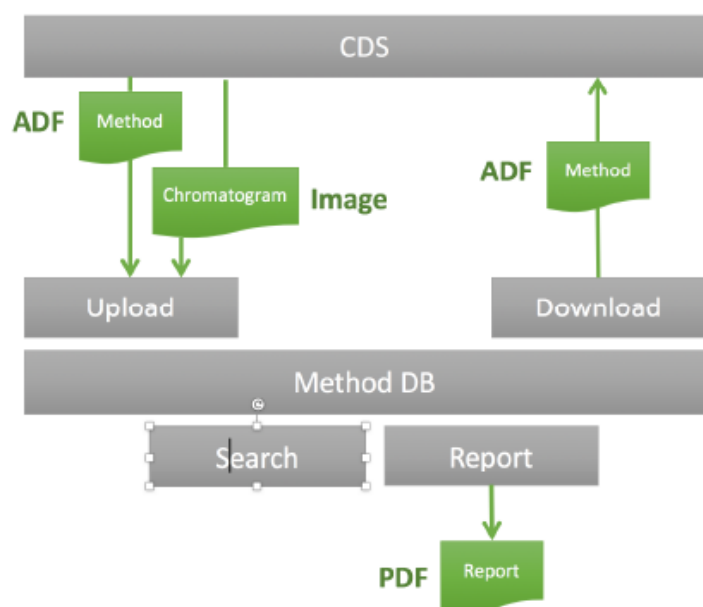




Pistoia Alliance: Methods Database

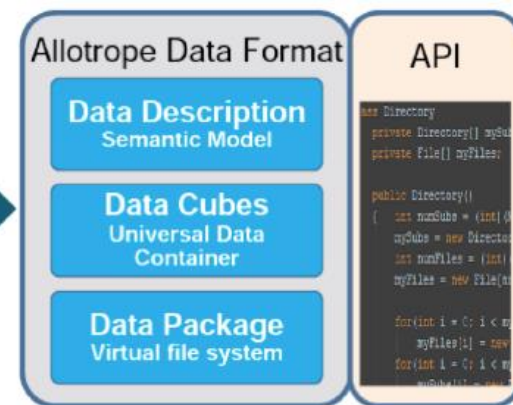


Method recapitulation across business units within, and external to, pharmaceutical research companies continues to be a challenge. Leveraging **institutional knowledge** to improve method development is also a struggle as this information is neither **shared outside of groups** nor stored in **standard formats** across instrument type. Lastly, making **instruments** and the **discovery process** as a whole, more resilient to local or global **cyber-outages** is becoming a higher priority across IT organizations.



1. Extend LC-UV ontologies to include method parameters in scope of PoC

2. Extend LC-UV semantic data model to include these method parameters



3. Use Allotrope API to write digital version of LC-UV method into ADF file

4. Leverage structure of ADF file to communicate with external software



Archiving Platform

..ZONTAL SPACE

- 1st digital archiving platform to enable high data integrity and reuse at enterprise scale.
- Seamless compliance and a greater capacity to innovate.
- Based on open standards and FAIR data principles



ENTERPRISE PLATFORM

Execute cross-functional organizational responsibilities by using a set of integrated and standardized software services that are shared across the enterprise.

Functional needs of individual business units are met by implementing platform-enabled applications.



DATA DISCOVERY AND REUSE

Enhance search capabilities relevant to any global enterprise data application and ensure that non-scientific and scientific data is highly discoverable and enabled for reuse. Finding and extracting layers of standardized metadata during the ingestion process can save an enterprise time and money.



REGULATORY COMPLIANCE

Manage data integrity and access controls across the enterprise. As more data is derived from more sources, centralized data lifecycle management helps companies to both strengthen supervision and enable innovation to take place.



An Information-Centric World Allows to Utilize Data Effectively

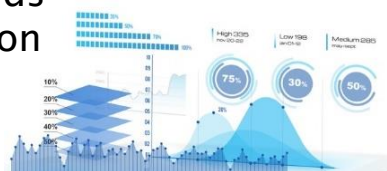
Analytics Tools

simulations
statistics



Visualization

dashboards
exploration
search



Reporting

regulatory
internal
external



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Data Science Layer

machine learning, text analytics, NLP, clustering, matching, classification

Lightweight Semantic Integration Layer

data catalogs, reference master data mgt., metadata mgt., semantic indexing, linking, governance, APIs



Instrument
Data



Operational DBs



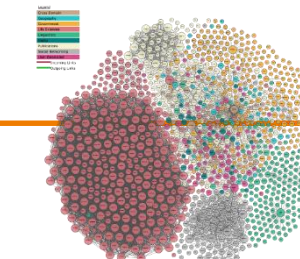
Semi-structured
Data



Unstructured
Documents



Semantic
Graph DB



Linked Open Data
& Open APIs



Connecting data, people and organizations