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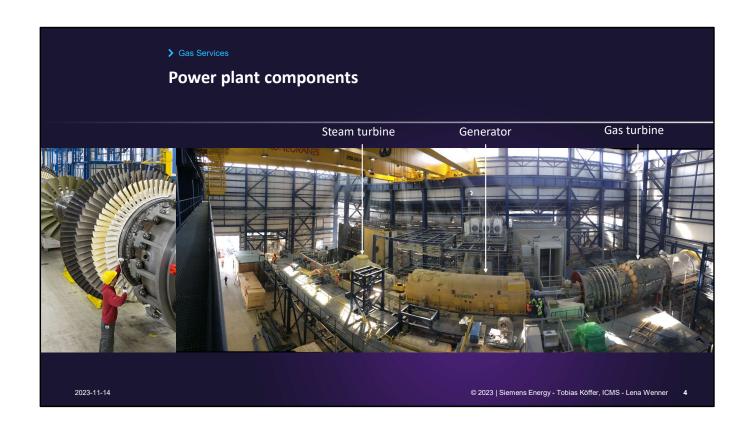
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Transformation of Industry

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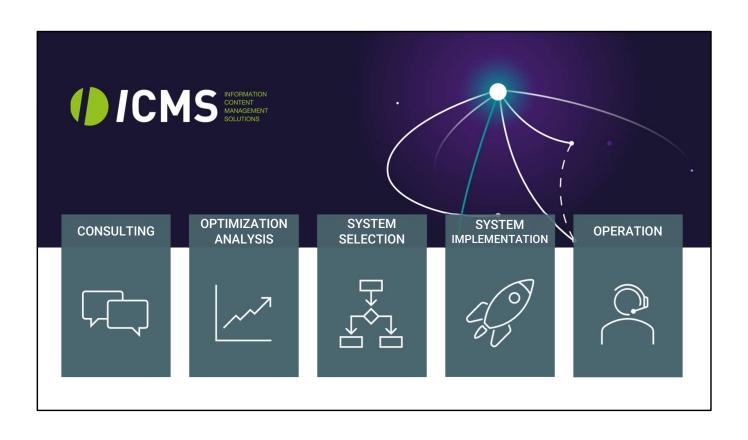


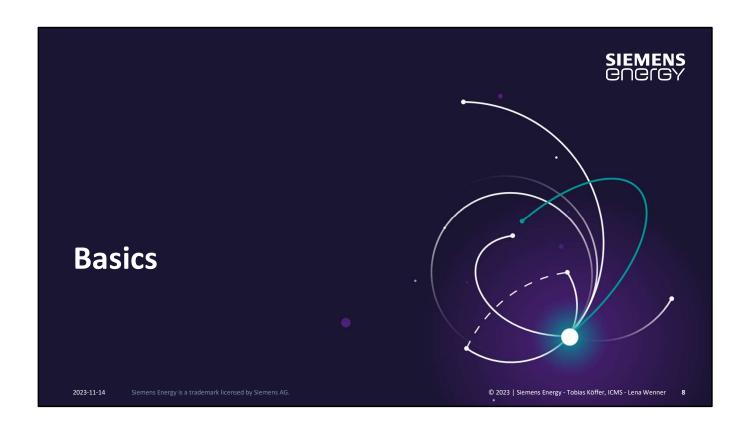
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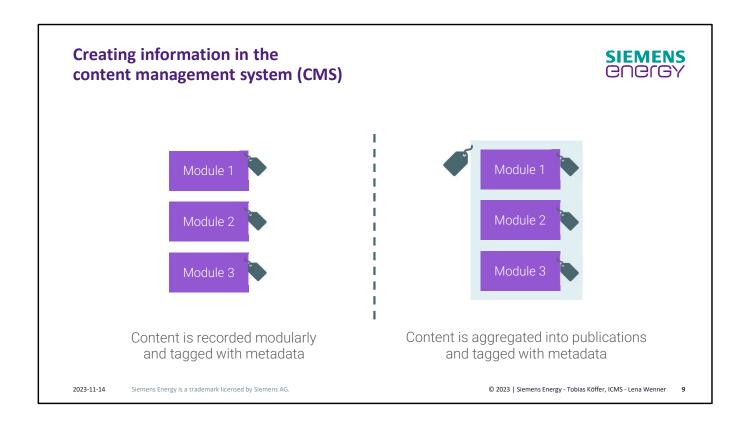
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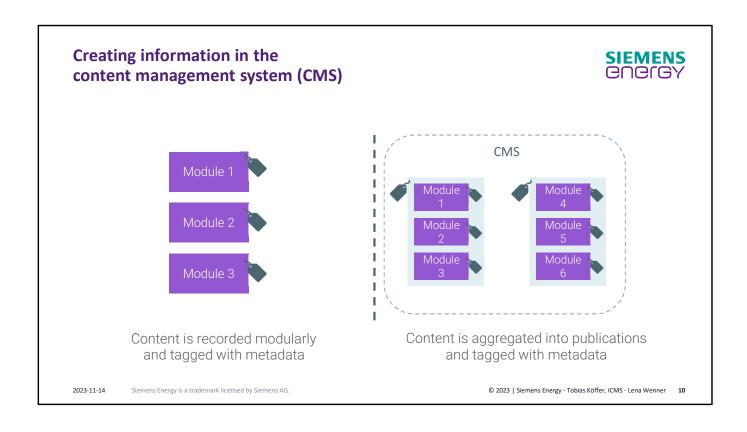
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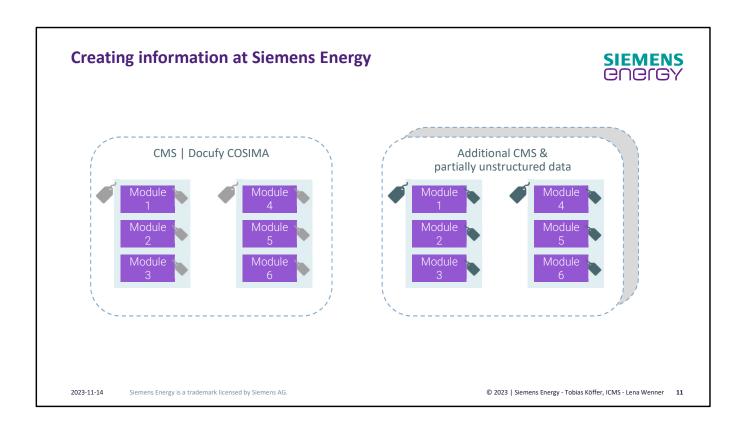
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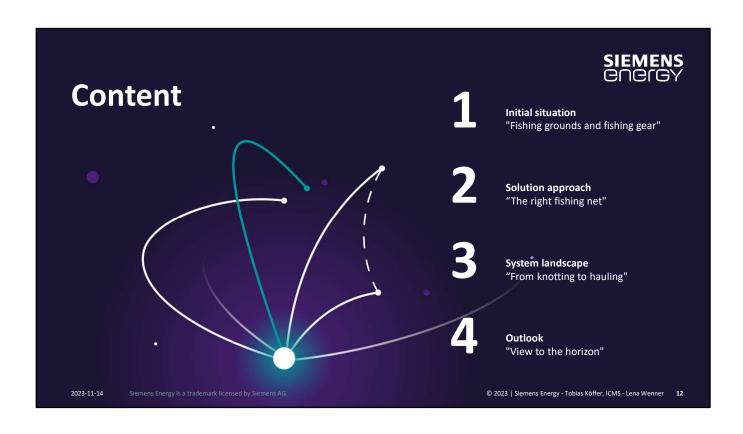




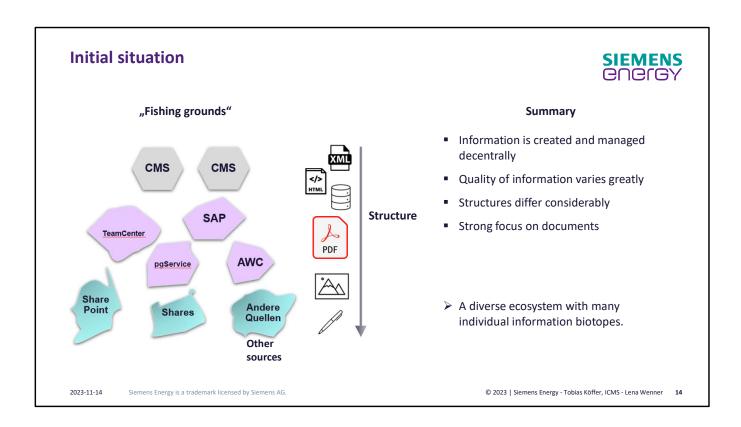












Initial situation



"Fishing gear"



CMS systems, interfaces,



Manual process for known/structured filings



Explorative process for unknown filings

Summary

- Few (semi-)automatic interfaces
- a lot of information has to be prepared and transferred manually
- No standardized catch method
- "By-catch" is dragged through (IDs, structure numbers, etc.)

> Capturing the right information is complex and time-consuming.

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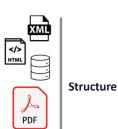
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Structure

Initial situation



Delivery targets





CMS systems / CDPs,
PLM systems, SAP



Plant / end customer, Internal documentation



Special requests (internal & external)

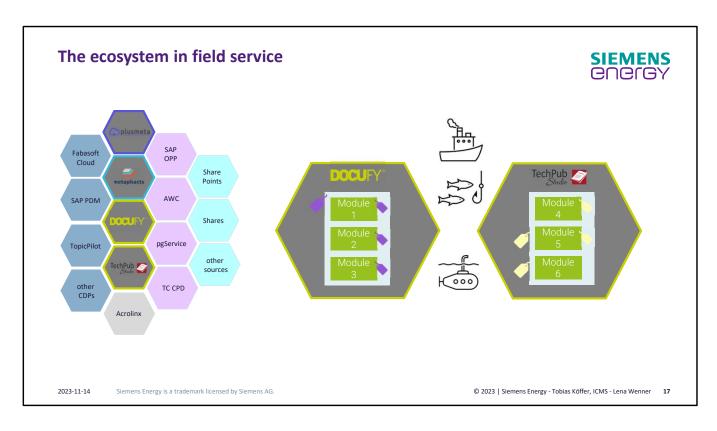
Summary

- diverse delivery targets with existing structures
- Very different requirements for preparation and structure
- Deliveries are not coordinated with each other

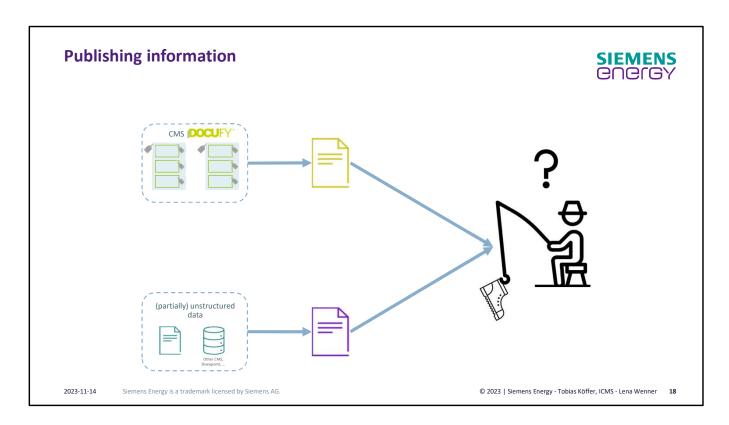
➤ No standardized exchange / delivery format, therefore formats are not compatible with each other.

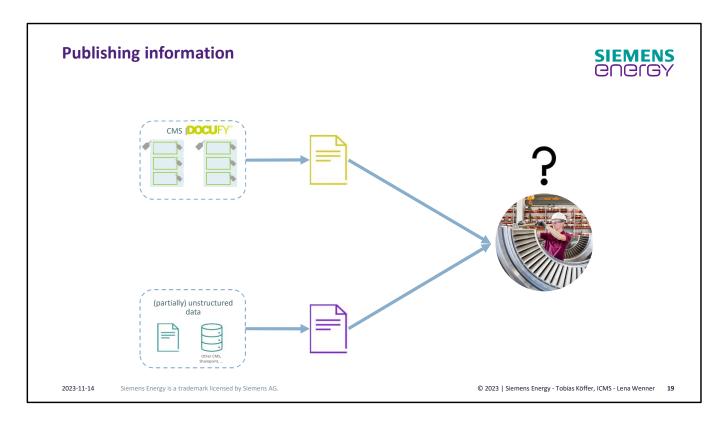
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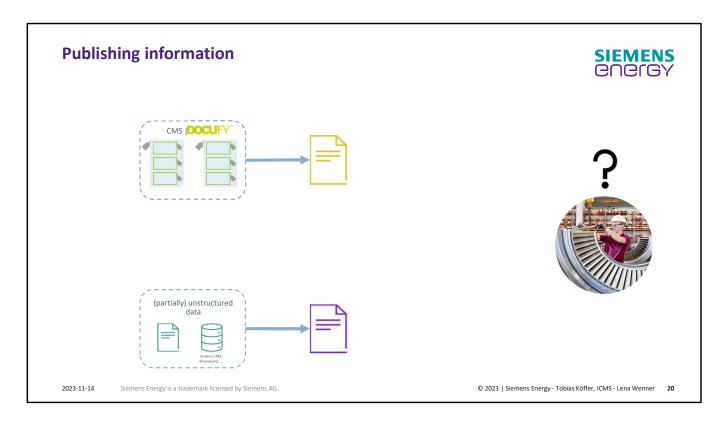
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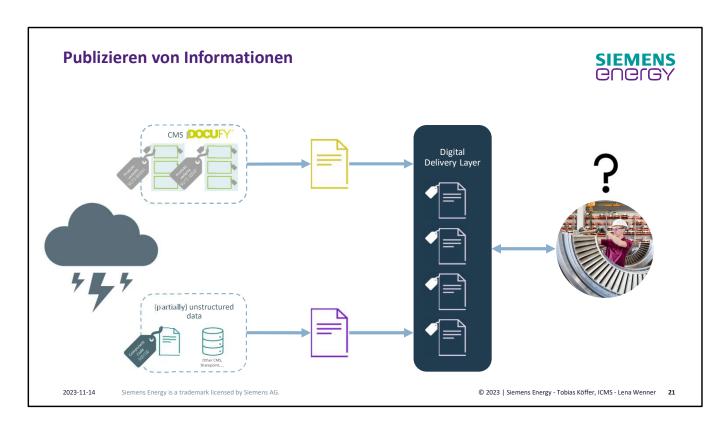


- 2 CMS in use
- Each CMS has a different purpose
- Working methods within the CMS work perfectly → satisfied with the use
- 2 CMSs and other data sources should continue to be used











Solution approach



"A standardized exchange and delivery format"

Objective:

- Provide information as a package digitally and situationally.
- Linking information instead of dragging it along.

Framework conditions:

- Individual sources remain as they are for the time being (specialized in their content).
- No direct transfer from one structure to another.
- Migration or continuous exchange between CMS too time-consuming.

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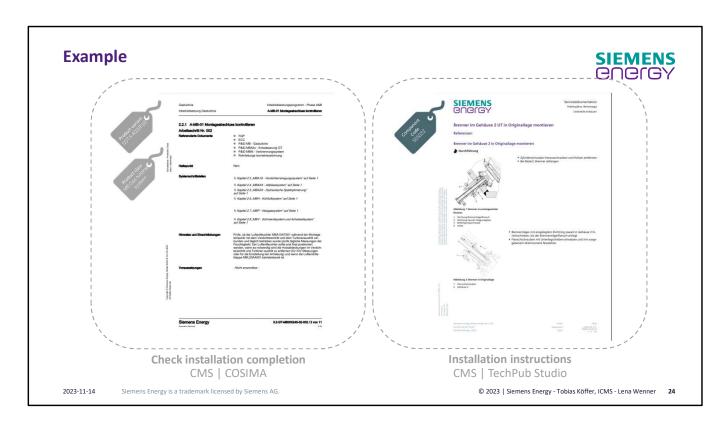
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Why do we need a standardized exchange/delivery format?

- Although there is (partially) structured information from different areas, these documents cannot be harvested by the same harvesting machine because the harvesting machine cannot recognize what it is.
- Separately created information has different structures (classifications, systematics, logics, ontologies)
- We want/must provide this information in a linked digital and situational manner (for publication or exchange)

What problem do we currently have in not being able to link the information with each other?

- A direct transfer from one structure to another is not possible
- Individual sources remain as they are for the time being (specialized in their content)
- Migration does not make sense, time-consuming, maintenance-intensive, etc. → not a viable option
- Migration only makes sense if data structures exist

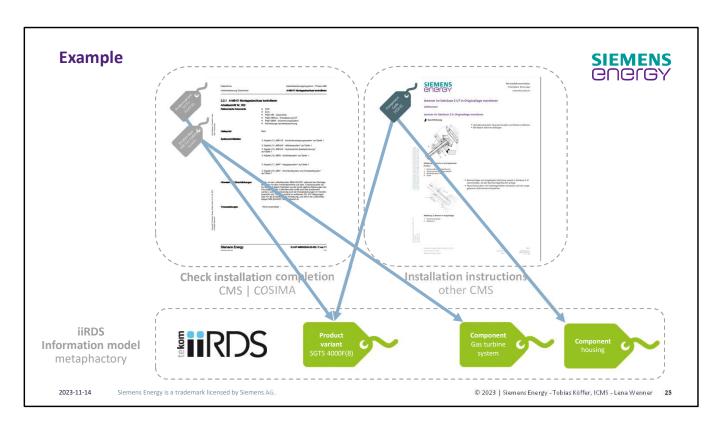


Historically conditioned, current systems map requirements from outside

TPS > ComponentCode as a requirement from "the Americans" (Teamcenter)

Cosima > Requirement comes from target system

Goal: make all target systems iiRDS-capable > remain flexible



This is where we came on board as ICMS. How can the CMSs and their working methods be retained and how can we achieve the goal of a digital delivery layer?

As the two CMSs should remain in place and their working methods should not be affected, we decided on metadata mapping.

Metadata from the systems is mapped to a common information model. The metadata remains in its source systems, but a common information model is developed to which the metadata is mapped.

Here: Product variant SGT4000F(8) corresponds to this variant in Cosima, in TPS it is only available in encrypted ComponentCode.

Metadata mapping



Advantages



- Common, system-independent information model Agreement on a common information model
- Uniform corporate image
- No "bending" of the systems
- Connection of further systems
- Update capability through changes to the "master" information model
- Future-proof: Adaptation to company-wide specifications possible

Disadvantages

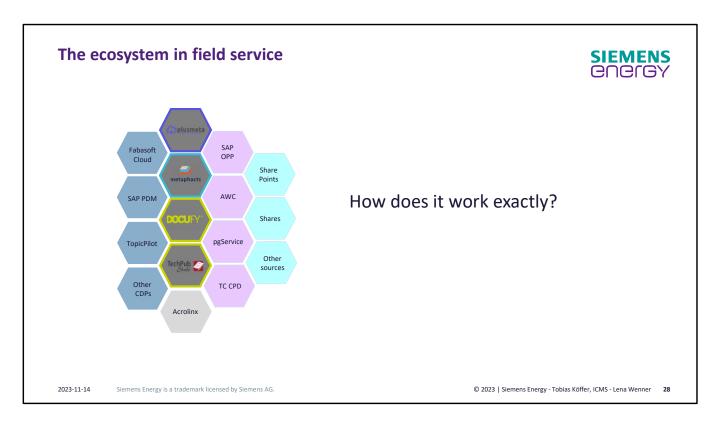


- Additional tool / system required
- Necessary process adjustments

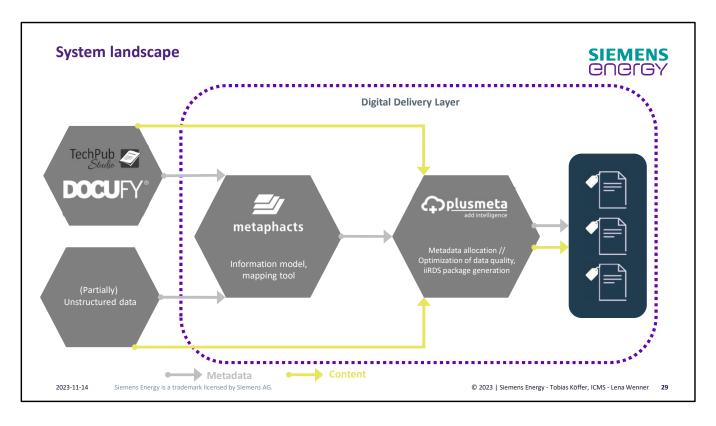
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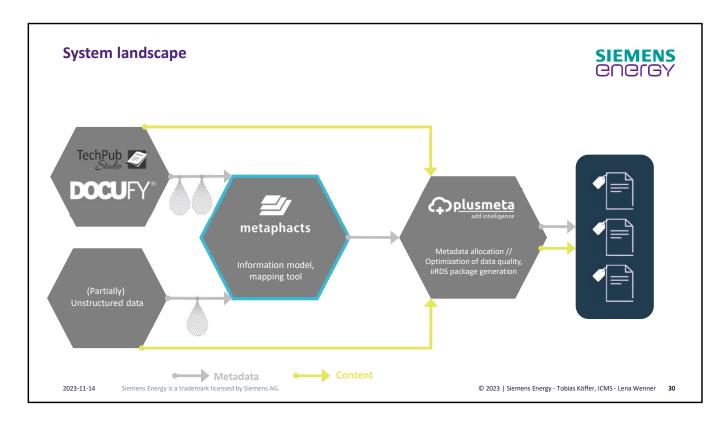




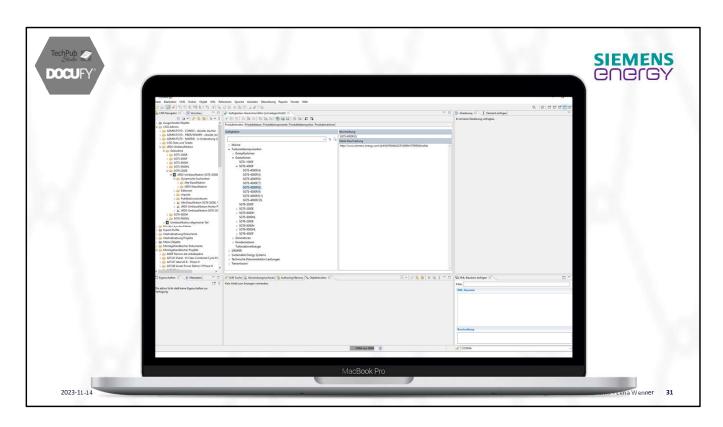
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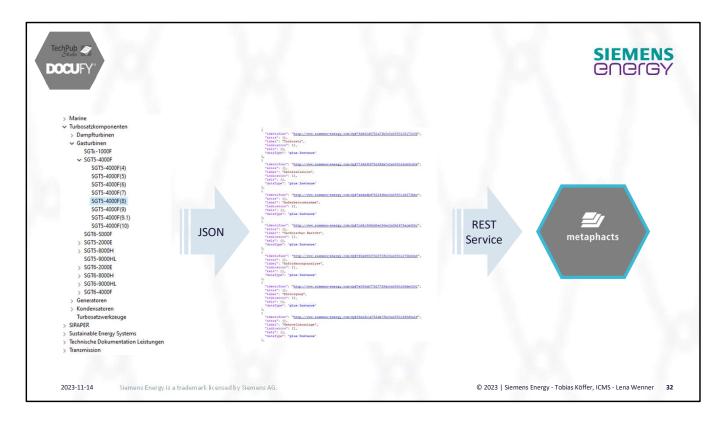
- The 4 systems are involved in the project of a "digital deliver layer"
- Creation: 2 CMS with metadata, partly unstructured data e.g. Sharepoint
- Metadata harmonization: metaphacts
- Optimization of data quality: plusmeta
- metaphacts collects information models from the source systems and harmonizes / standardizes them \rightarrow delivers this information to plusmeta
- Content is added at plusmeta, where the content then merges with the metadata



Fisher Metaphor: the nets collect the metadata of the source systems and transmit them to metaphacts



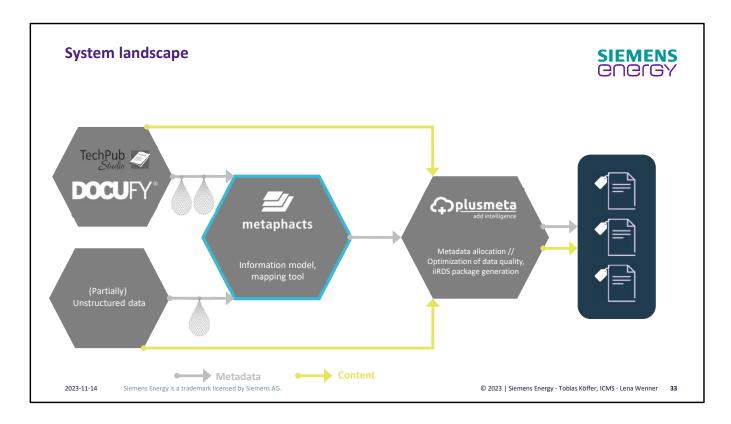
- Let's take a closer look at Cosima's network
- Interface of the CMS



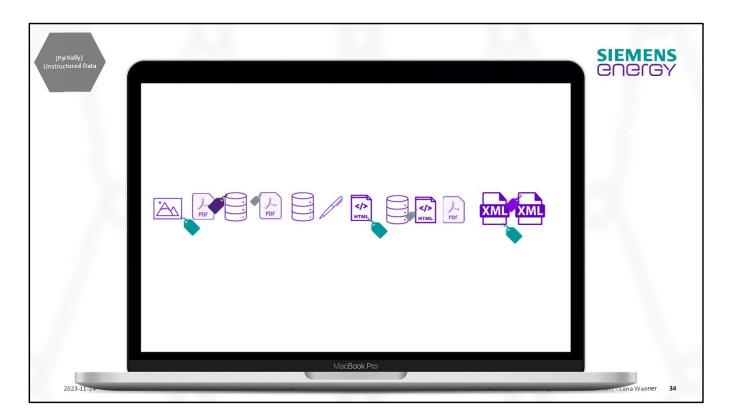
Metaphacts

- The content is not important in the first step, we look at the quality hierarchies
- Goal: mapping the Cosima taxonomy
- Taxonomies are written in any format (here: JSON) via the scripting engine contained in Cosima
- This format can then be transferred to metaphacts via REST services

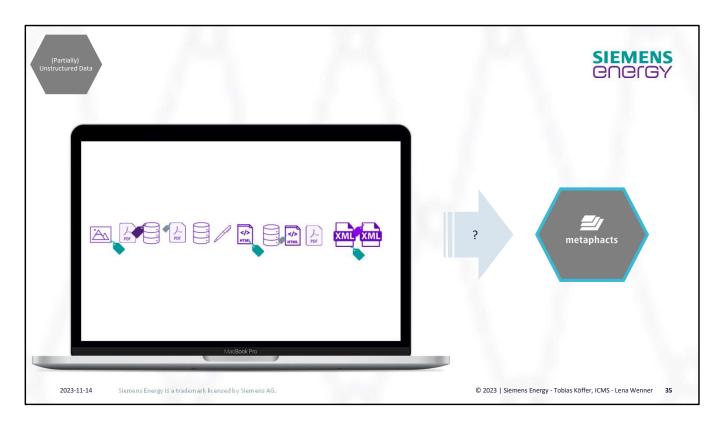
The scripting engine included in Cosima provides extensive methods for interacting with the editorial system. JavaScript is available as the programming language for creating scripts. With the help of these scripts, we can evaluate the metadata stored in validity hierarchies and transfer it into a JSON format. This exchange format can be automatically transferred via HTTP interfaces to a REST interface provided by PlusMeta. The data prepared by PlusMeta is then also transferred to a (customized/developed for this purpose & data is also transferred in JSON format) REST interface in the target system/metaphacs and thus stored in the graph.



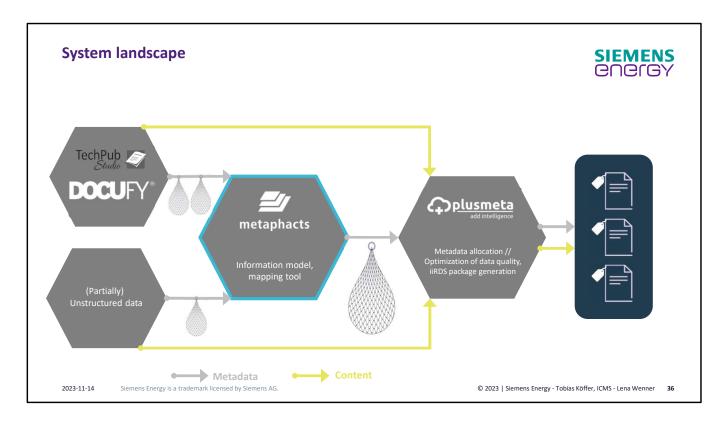
Classification models of the other systems should also be mapped in metaphacts



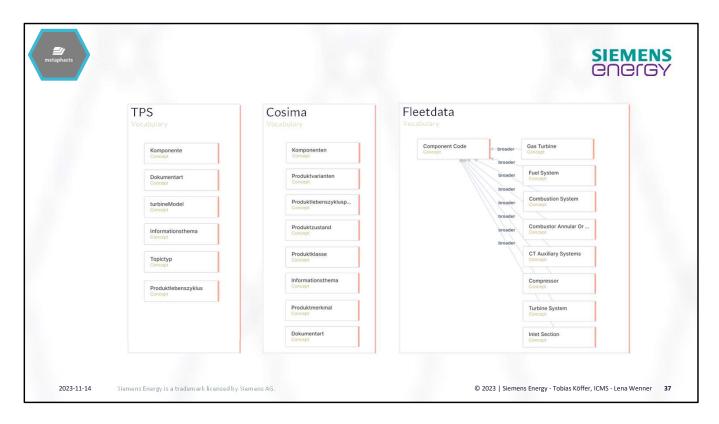
Unstructured data is available



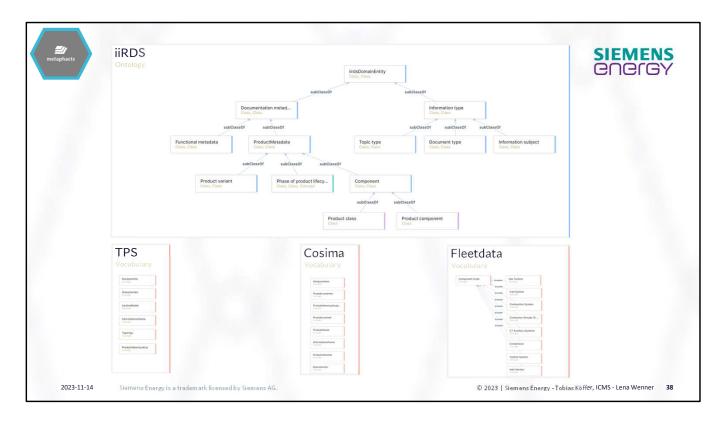
This data can be mapped in metaphacts via individual interfaces: Import from Excel, manual creation, ...



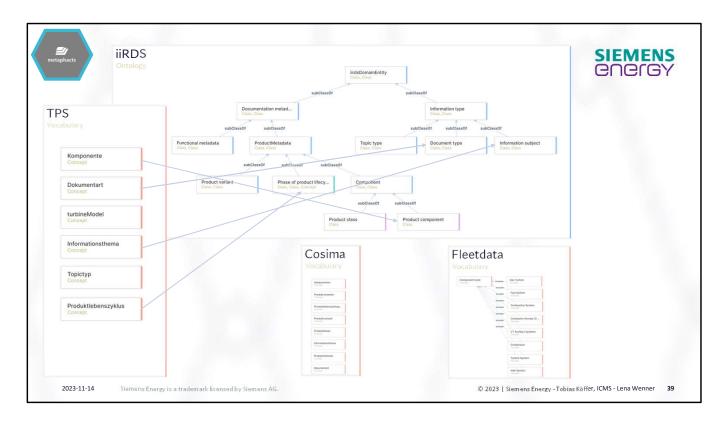
In metaphacts the different classification models are unified and collected in a network and brought to plusmeta



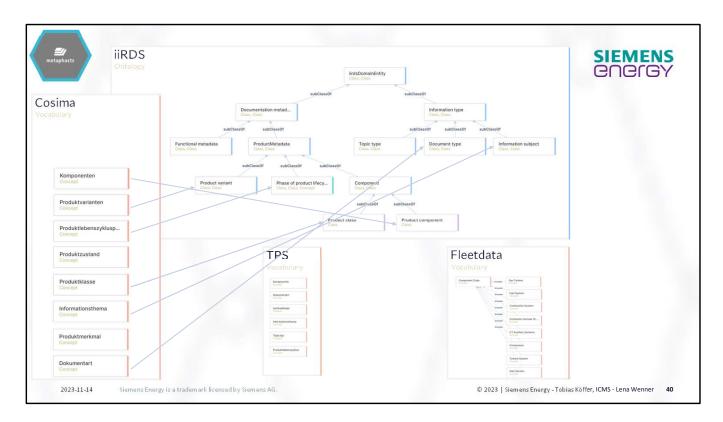
After importing metadata from the source systems, these are stored in parallel to each other



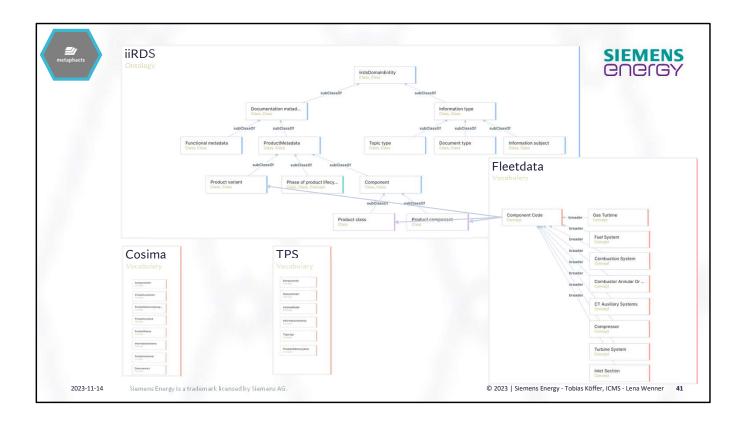
iiRDS standardizes the individual concepts



A mapping of the individual instances is created: e.g. each component of the TPS classification has an equivalent in iiRDS



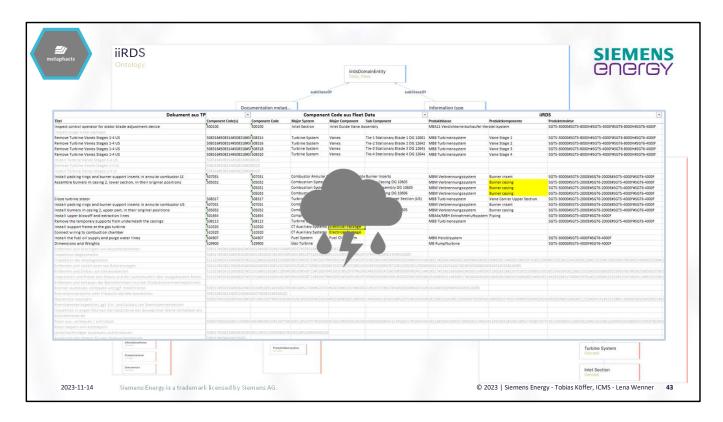
The same applies to Cosima and Fleetdata



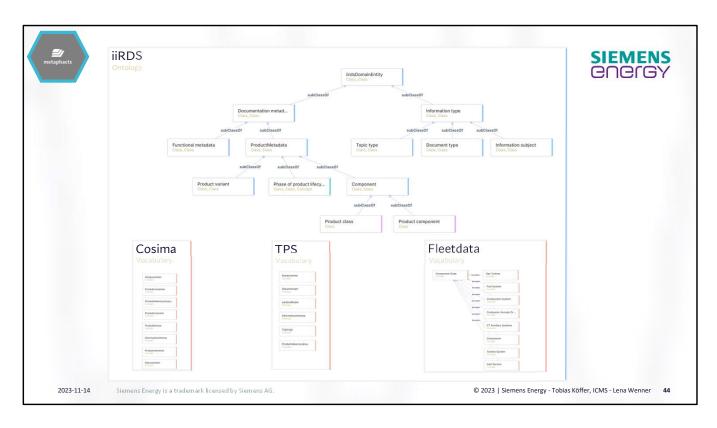


Let's take a closer look at the mapping tool:

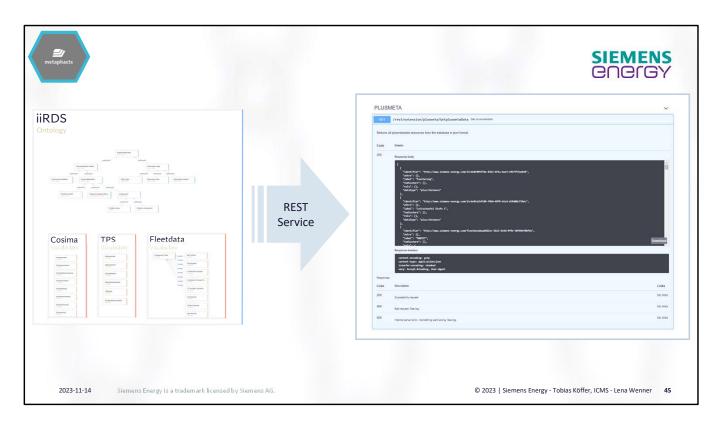
- The user has the option of creating or linking equivalents for the values in the iiRDS network
- Network visualization, forms, ...
- Any display can be configured by the user



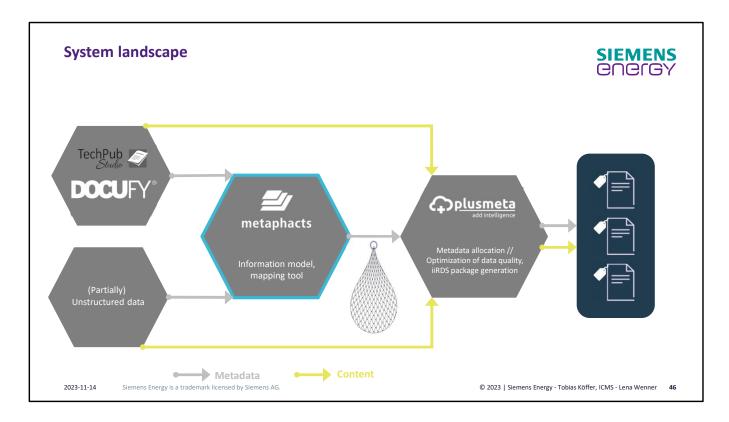
Looking back: not manageable in a world with Excel \rightarrow a tool was needed



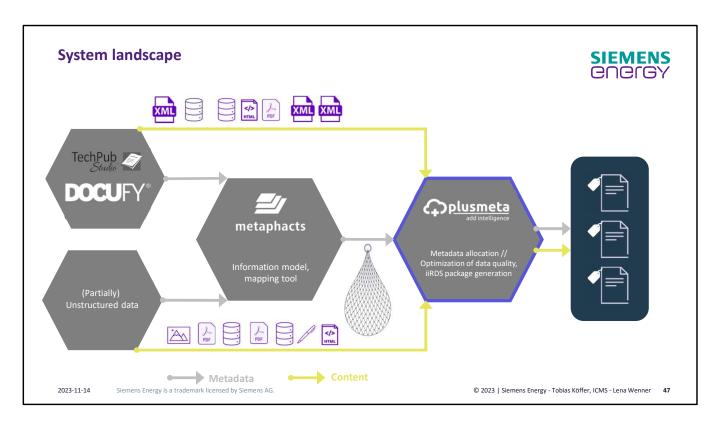
Result: a standardized information model that covers all existing metadata systems without the individual systems having to change



- All the information is now transferred to metaphacts via a REST service
- JSON format created for plusmeta in metaphacts



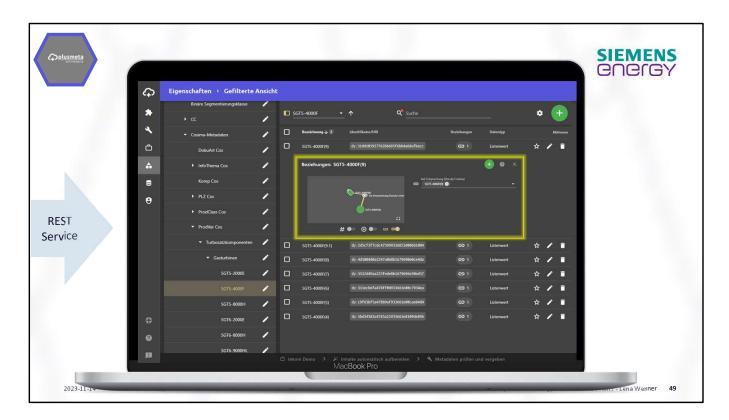
We now have the complete information model in the network and can deliver it to plusmeta.



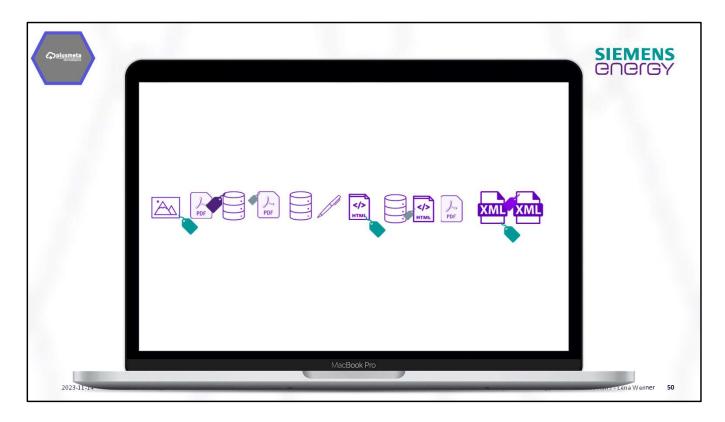
- In addition to the metadata, the content is added in plusmeta
- Content and metadata are now combined here



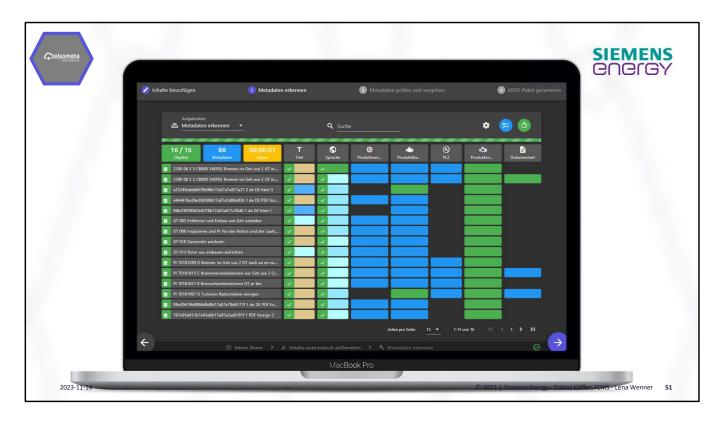
Input from metaphacts \rightarrow the entire information model



- Mapping of the taxonomies
- incl. mapping information



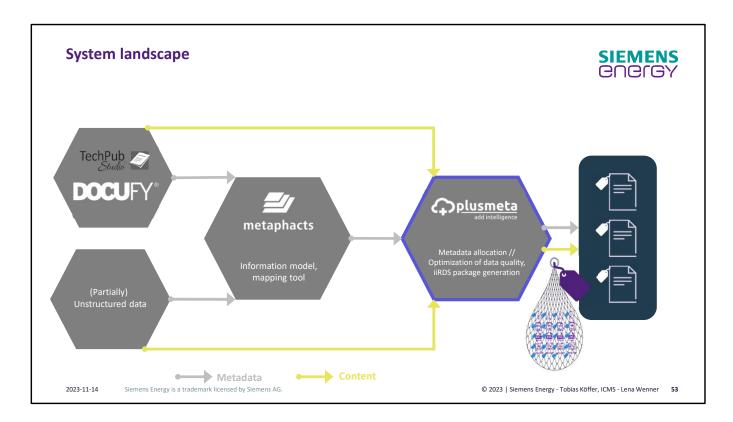
- Import of files
- For data from the CMS incl. metadata from the respective source system



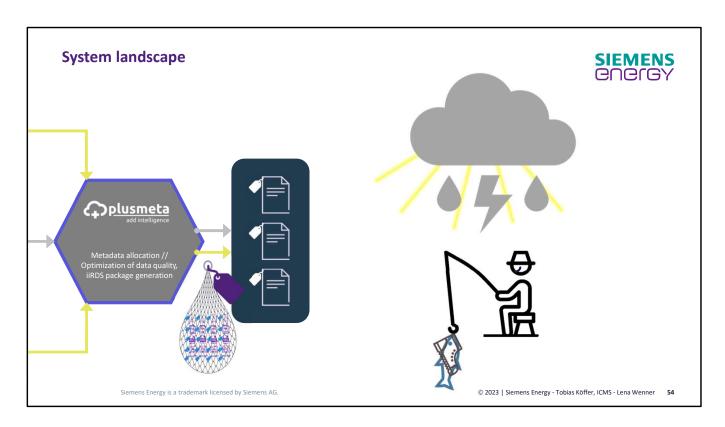
- Files are stored in the project
- Provided with metadata \Rightarrow corresponding metadata is read out via mapping OR assigned accordingly via AI (can be configured per metadata)
- Then release follows



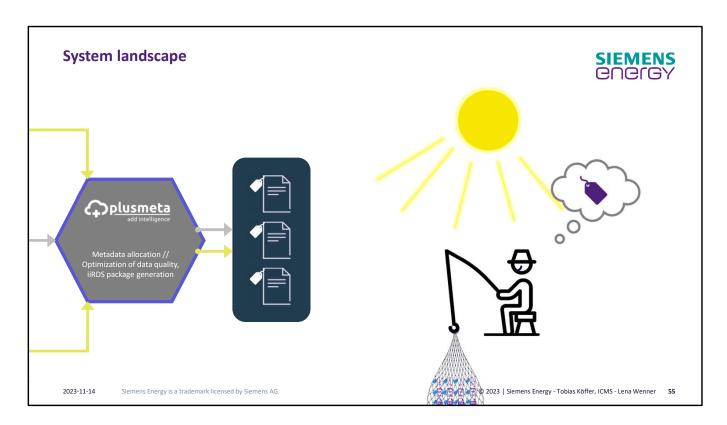
Download the iiRDS packages incl. standardized metadata



Net with "best fish" and without "bycatch"



- Fisherman no longer have to fish in the dark
- with the right bait he catches the desired fish



The fisherman is provided with the information according to the required metadata so that he only catches the fish he wants



A look into the future



Right under your nose:

- Fast, uncomplicated distribution of content to other systems
- Machine learning training (in plusmeta) enables expansion to other use cases and departments

On the horizon:

- Application of the concept company-wide
- Growing knowledge network with further sources and additional other networks
- Flexibility and adaptability to higher-level and global decisions

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