



Energy Data Strategy

**"From data spaces
to cross-sector
platforms + ecosystems "**

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Unlocking the potential of energy data: a political priority



Data Strategy

Establish a single market for data. Enable data sharing and establish fair and clear rules on data use and access.



Digitalisation of Energy Action Plan
Support the deployment of **common European energy data spaces** and investment in digital energy infrastructure

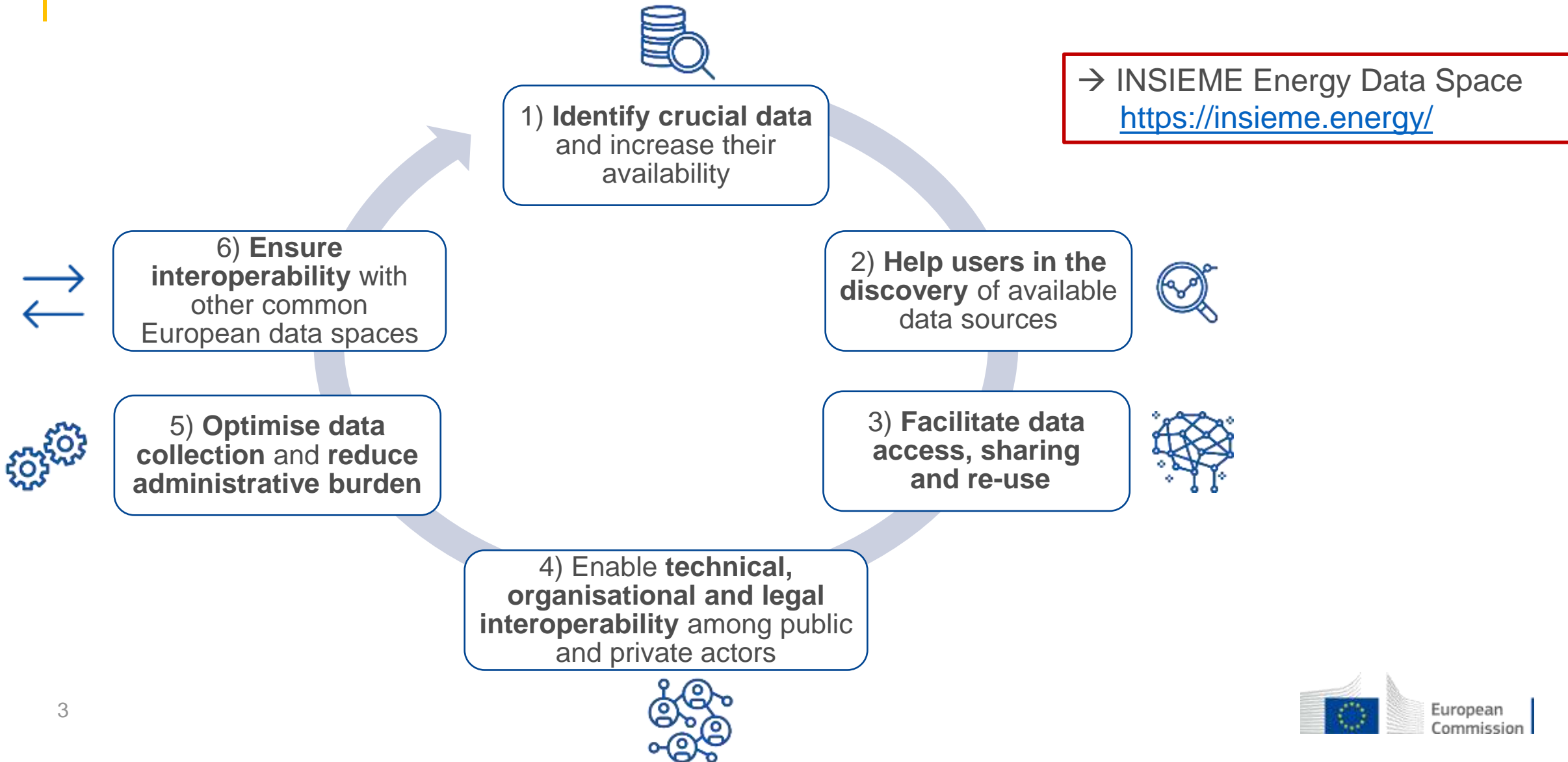


AI Continent Action Plan

Apply AI Strategy to boost AI integration in strategic sectors
Address needs in computing, cloud and data infrastructures

Common European data space

– Harmonisation of Data Exchanges across systems



A bright future – in “theory”

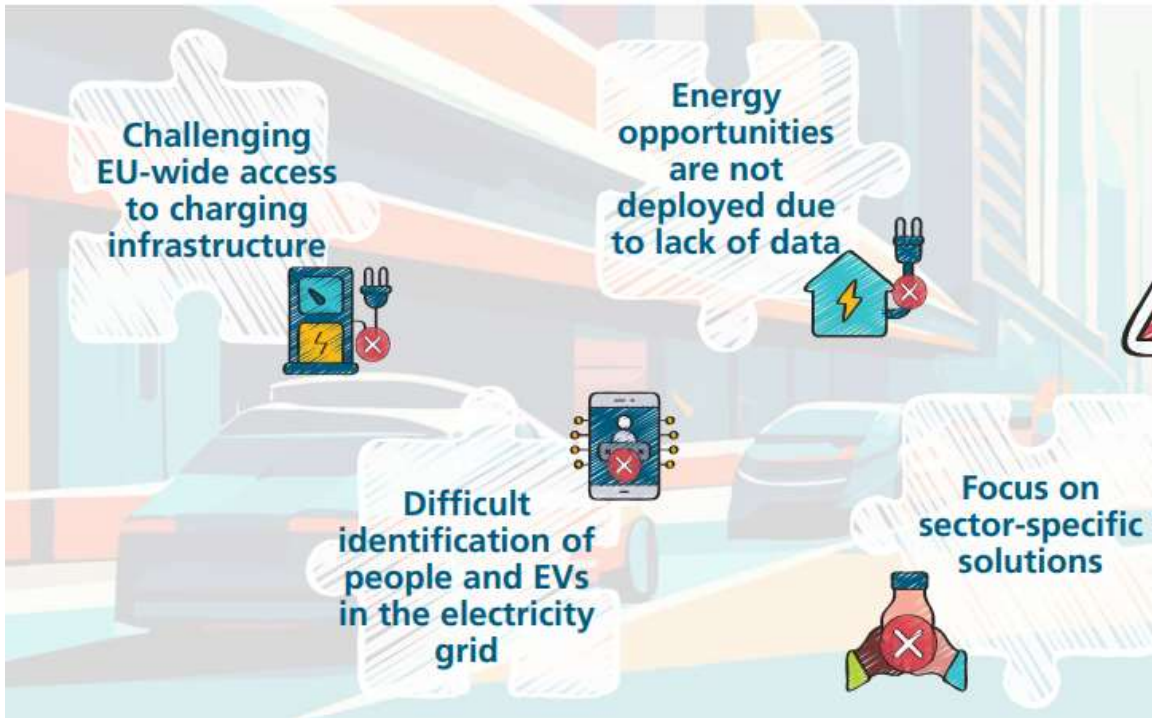


Courtesy: API4AI – 7 Key AI Trends Transforming the Energy Industry in 2025



Lack of cross-sector orchestration

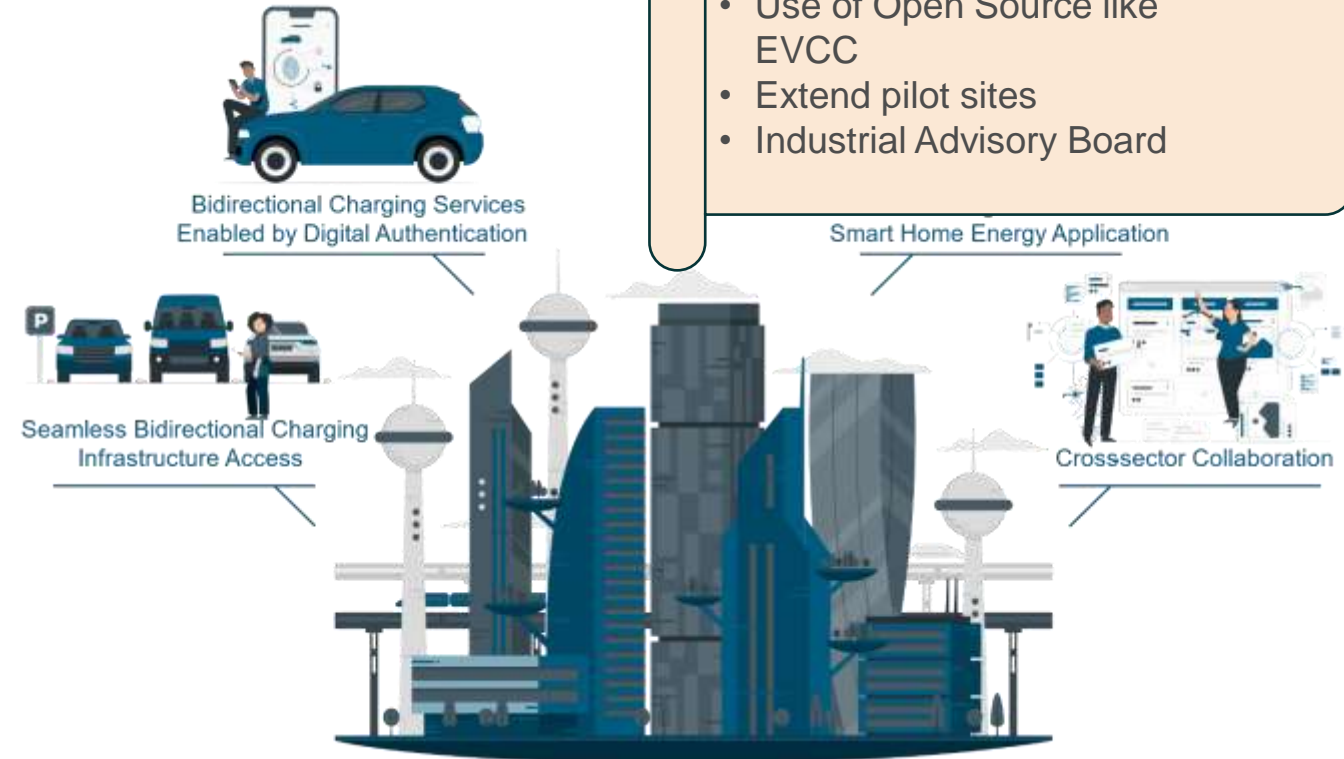
Challenges



Study Report by Fraunhofer FIT, May 2024 <<LEVERAGING TWIN TRANSFORMATION DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURES TO ADVANCE DECARBONISATION AT THE NEXUS OF ENERGY AND MOBILITY >>



Opportunities

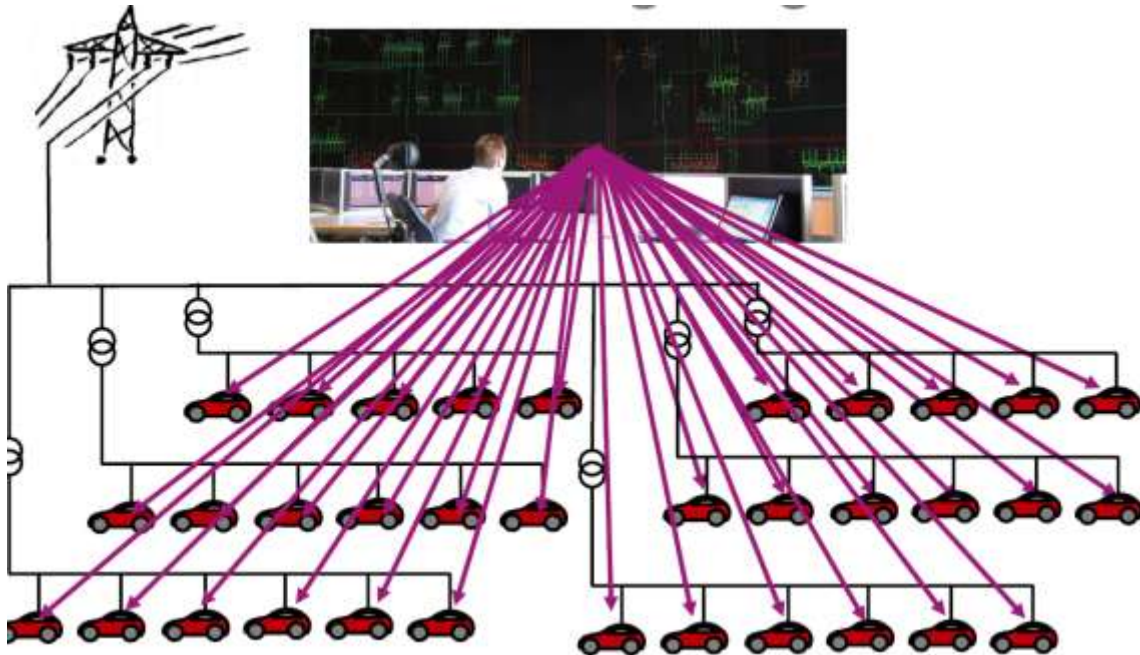


Pilot Project O-CEI

- Use of Open Source like EVCC
- Extend pilot sites
- Industrial Advisory Board

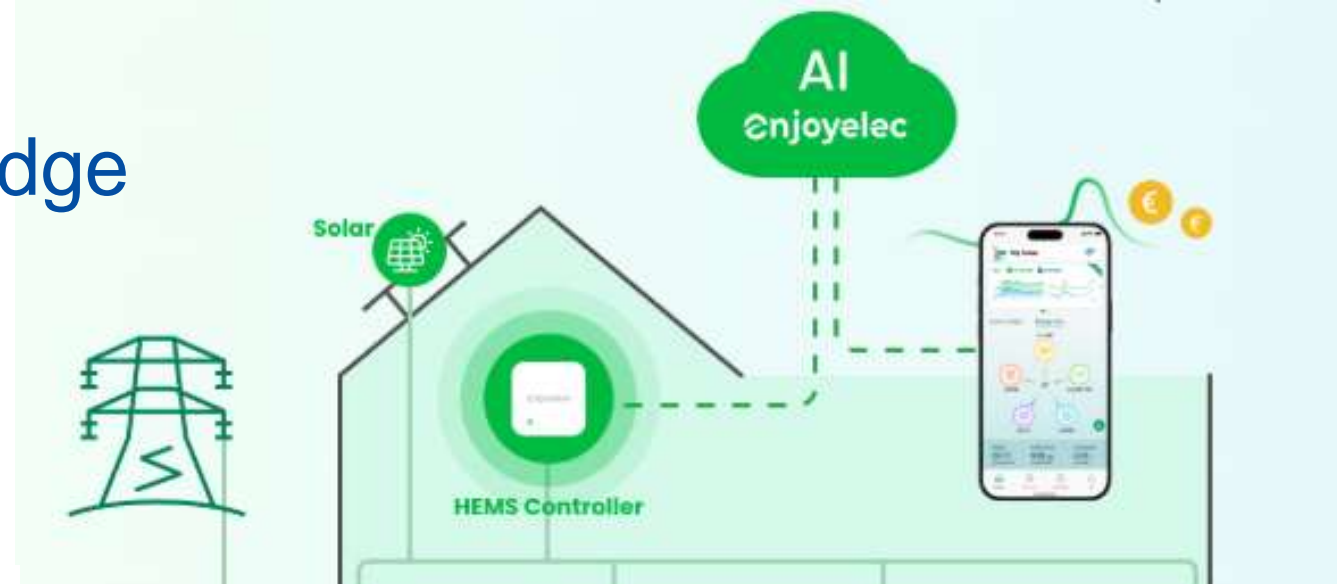
Swarm Intelligence at the Edge

- *today*

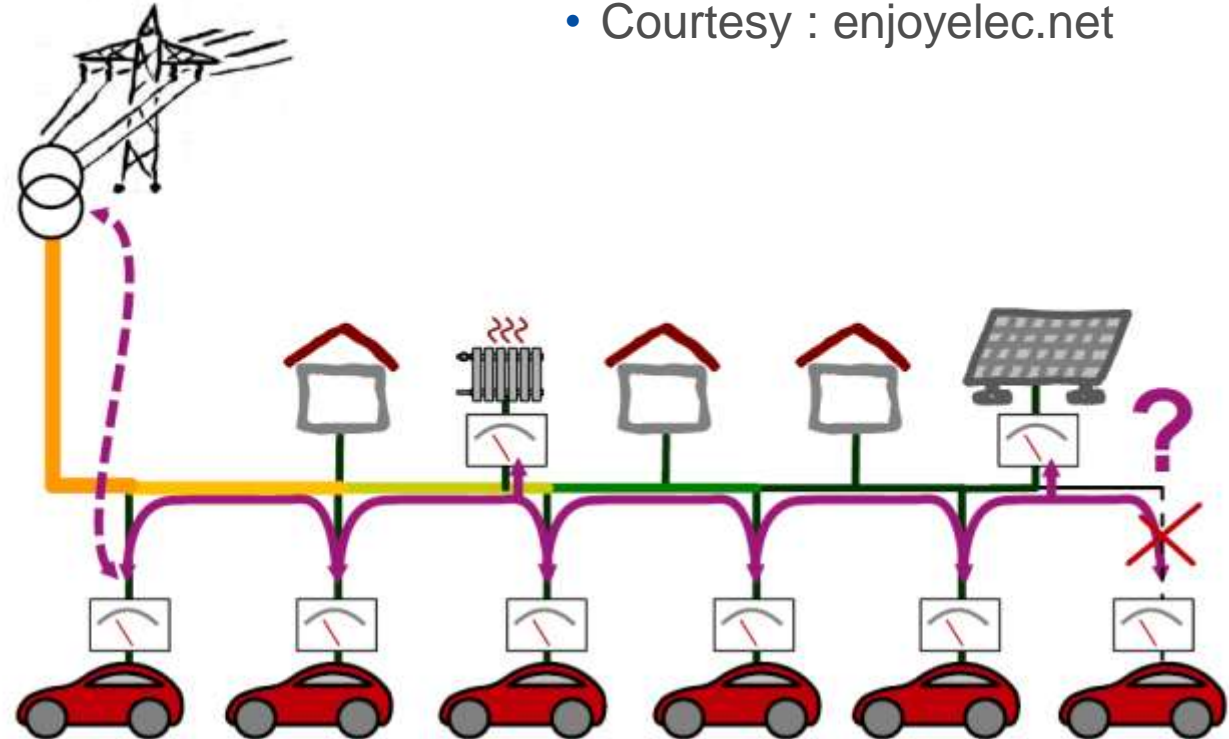


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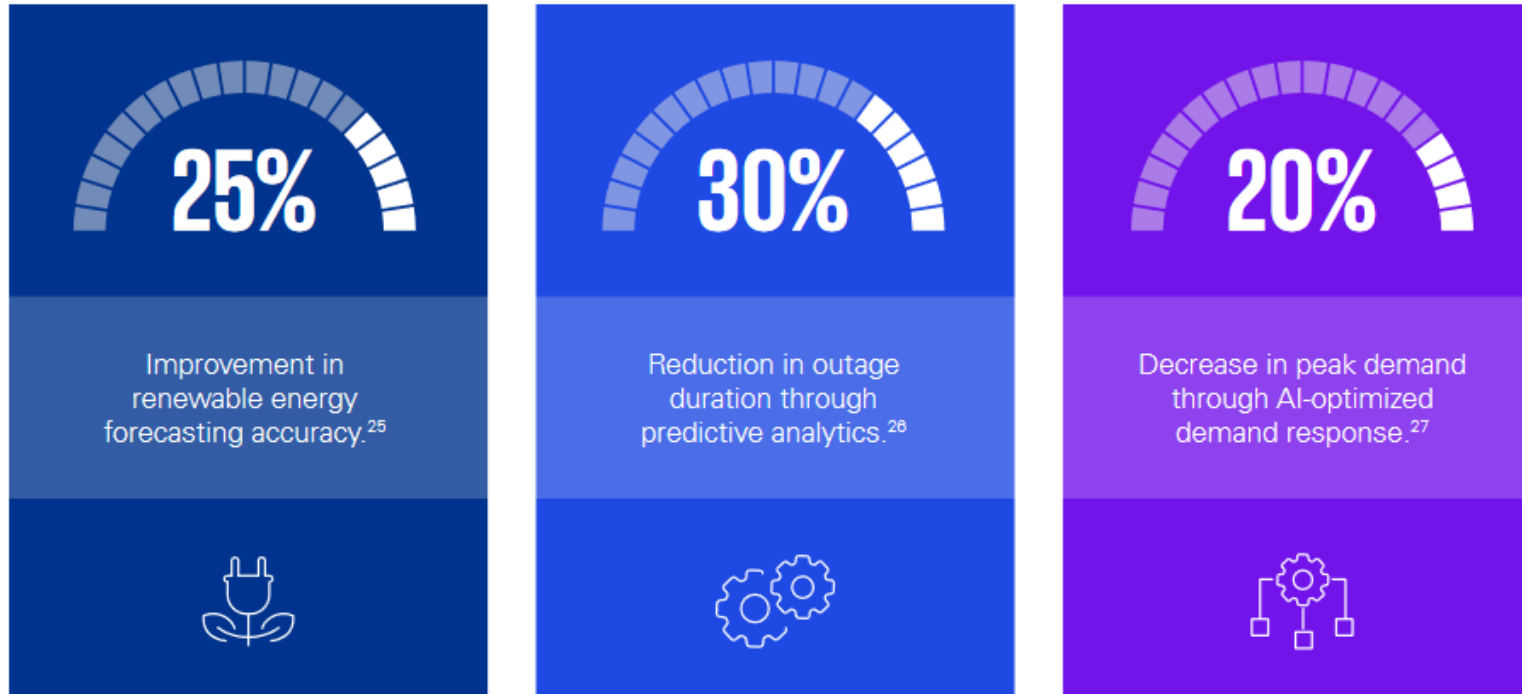
- *tomorrow*



- Courtesy : enjoyelec.net



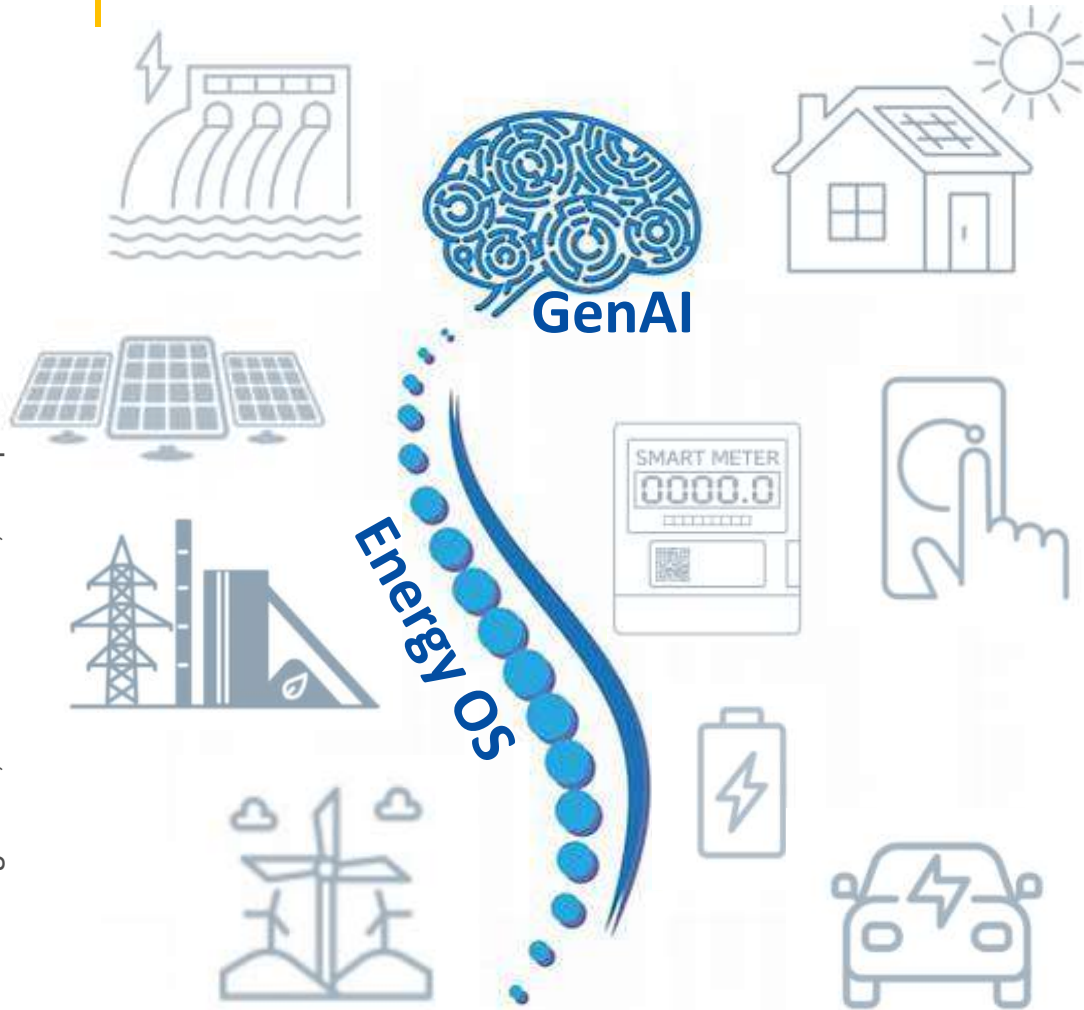
Impact of an Energy orchestrator (KPMG)



- **Navigating utility transformation**
→ in an era of tech disruption, climate uncertainty, and AI innovation

Courtesy: KPMG The Energy Orchestrator: [Redefining the Future of Utilities](#)

Towards a digital spine as an Orchestrator powered by GenAI



Open platforms:

ecosystem – market place – standards – piloting

The power of GenAI + Data:

- Scenario generation & simulation
- Time series forecasting
- GenAI Decision-making models

Digital
Twin



Energy
Data Space

Better supply – demand side optimisation:

- Harness flexibility - shave peaks
- Increase security of supply
- Reduce carbon footprint
- Lower energy prices



**Horizon
InfoDay
on 06 May**

A digital platform model necessary beyond interoperability

Standardise

Open APIs

OSS Building
blocks

Use cases

Aggregate Data

Apps



Smart charging ranks among the main use cases in fast rising cross-industry IoT use cases



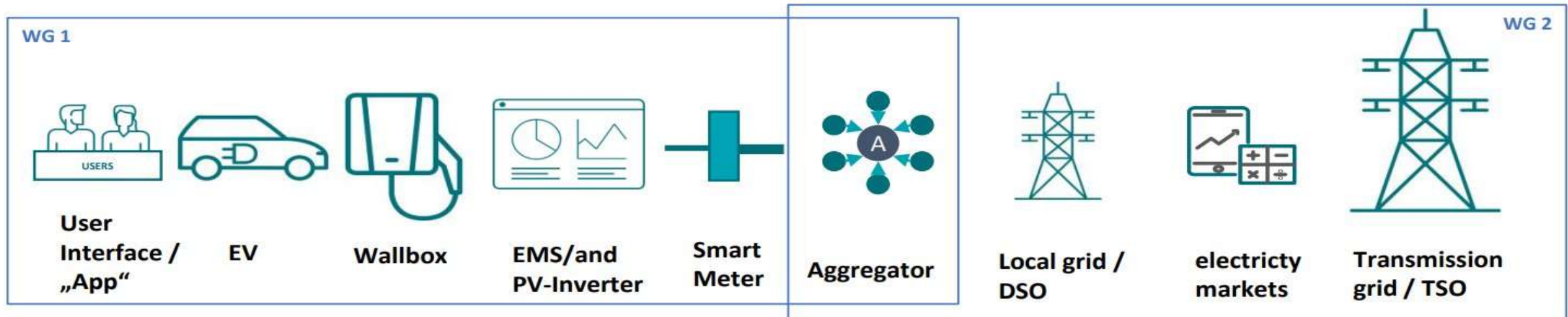
Landscape Report (2023):
Energy and flexibility data models and interoperability across the sectors energy, mobility and buildings



Bidirectional Charging: A Level Playing Field across the Value Chain

Different Actors need to talk...

- **Urgency**: From 2028, available *interoperable and standardised solutions for V2H and V2G*, provided that the relevant standards are determined by then and regulatory in place [National Centre for Charging – DE, 2024]
- Requires a **high-level abstraction** (similar to the CEN/CENELEC S2 standard)
- **Cross-Sector Dialogue** as a baseline for interfering the two camps at the (data) aggregator level



D4E – Expert Group → Network Code / Smart Charging

Regulated Signals

- **Flexibility Information System** (central)
 - Asset registration, easy on-boarding of bidirectional charging equipment
 - Flex service provider / aggregator registration
- Trading on **Wholesale Markets**
- **Explicit Flexibility**
 - In emergency situations , e.g. §14a in DE
 - Industrial assets, solar parks etc.

Market Signals

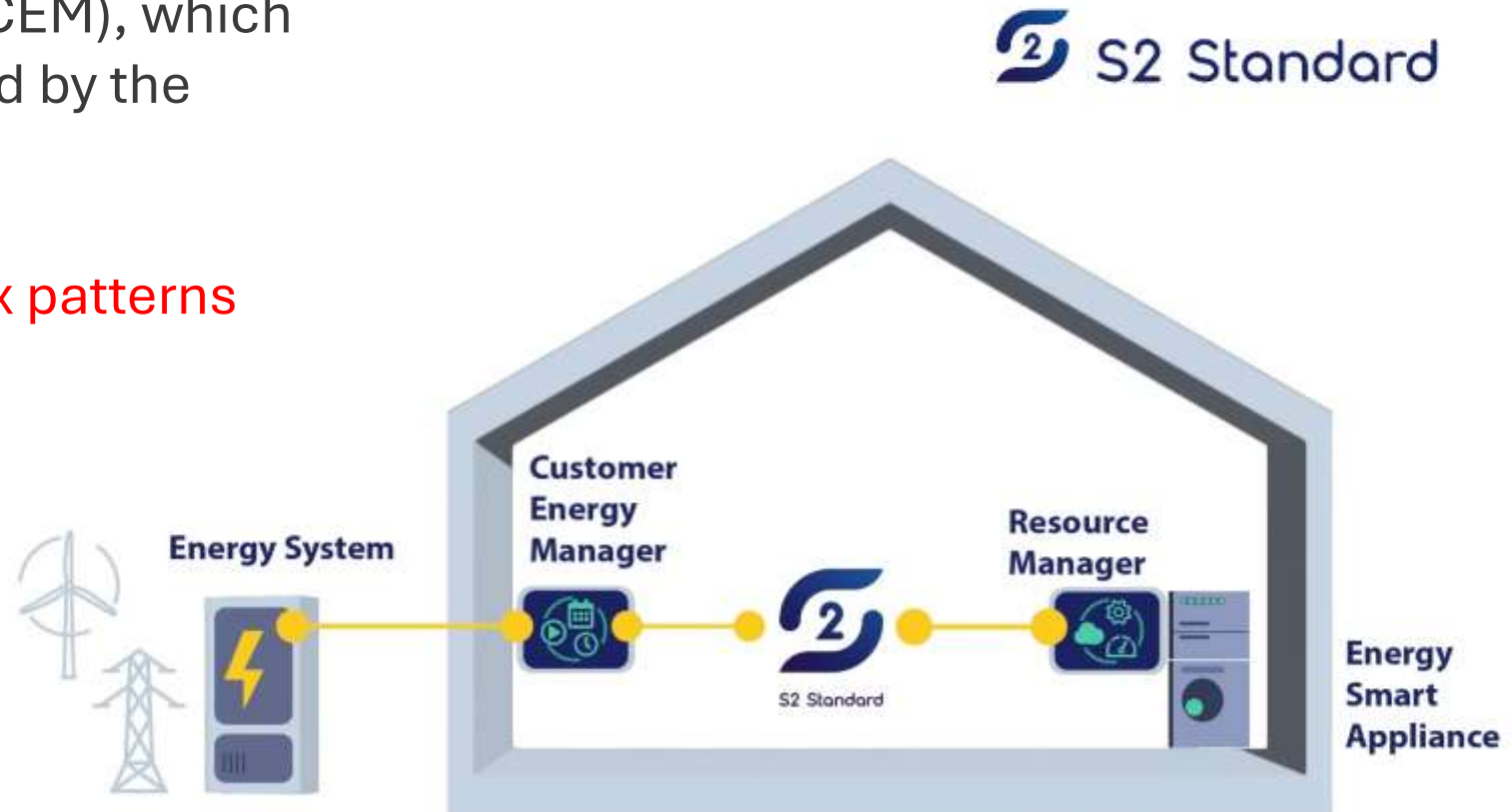
- **Decentralised Governance model**
 - communities, virtualised power assets, e.g. VPP
- **Implicit Flexibility**
 - signals, aggregated attributes
- **STF/CoW: Blueprint for Smart Charging**
 - Common architecture of syntax
 - Sharing of identified set of data points via standardized communication protocols.
- **IEA Task 53 liaison**

CEN/CENELEC S2 Standard

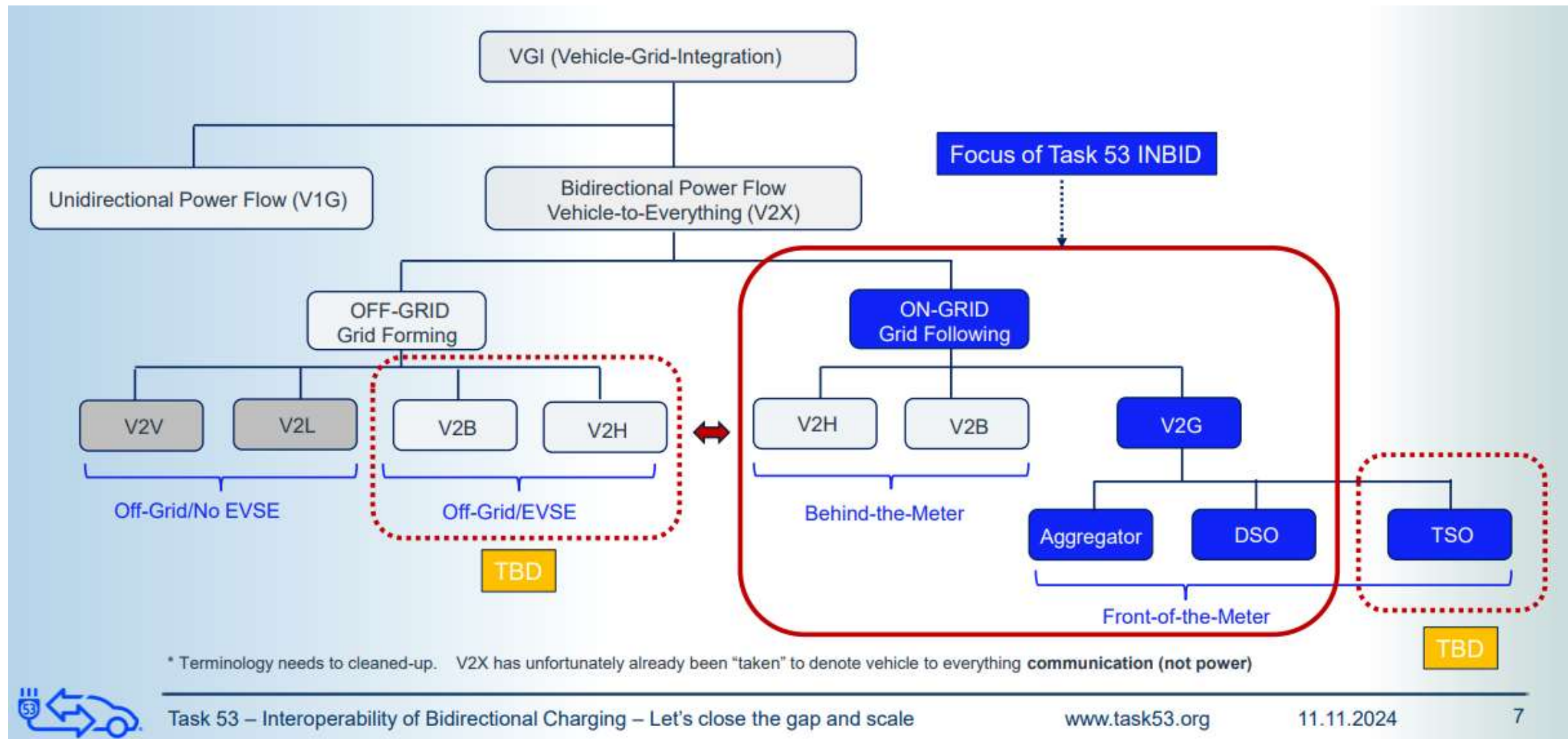
Customer Energy Manager and Resource manager

In S2, there are two entities that communicate with each other:

- The **Customer Energy Manager** (CEM), which orchestrates the flexibility provided by the appliances in the building
- The **Resource Manager** define **flex patterns**
- They communicate via **S2**



IEA Task 53 – Partitioning of Smart Orchestration



Challenges for X-Sector Standards



Industrial evidence:

reinforce market pressure

- * standardisation of assets
 - Involve SMEs, start-ups
 - Feedback through an ecosystem (training 😊)



Diverse approaches

Across different domains

- Level playing field
- Abstraction, Virtual Objects
- Avoid asymmetric regulation
- align with parallel regulatory developments



Interoperability

- * infrastructures and technical Interop requirements
- * Need of Minimal Interop Mechanisms (MIMs)

Open source to benefit from enhanced collaboration with SDOs.



Global adoption

requires an international dialogue / benchmark

- *Joint Workshop with Task 53*
V2GLeaders.com

THANK YOU

Useful links:

- **Cloud-Edge-IoT Portal** – see www.EUCloudEdgeIoT.eu
- **Digital Europe Programme:**
<https://digital-strategy.ec.europa.eu/en/activities/work-programmes-digital>
- **CEF Digital: Operational Digital Platforms:**
<https://digital-strategy.ec.europa.eu/en/news/cef-digital-operational-digital-platforms>
- **OpenDEI: Design Principles Data Spaces**
→ <https://design-principles-for-data-spaces.org/>
- **Data Space Support Center** - <https://dssc.eu>
 - Mobility Data Space <https://mobilitydataspace-csa.eu>
 - Energy Data Space – [Background information](#)
- **V2G Workshop -Task 53 standardisation**
20 Nov. 2025 in Brussels → <https://v2gleaders.com/>

