

Industry Ontologies Foundry: *Industrial applications of ontologies*

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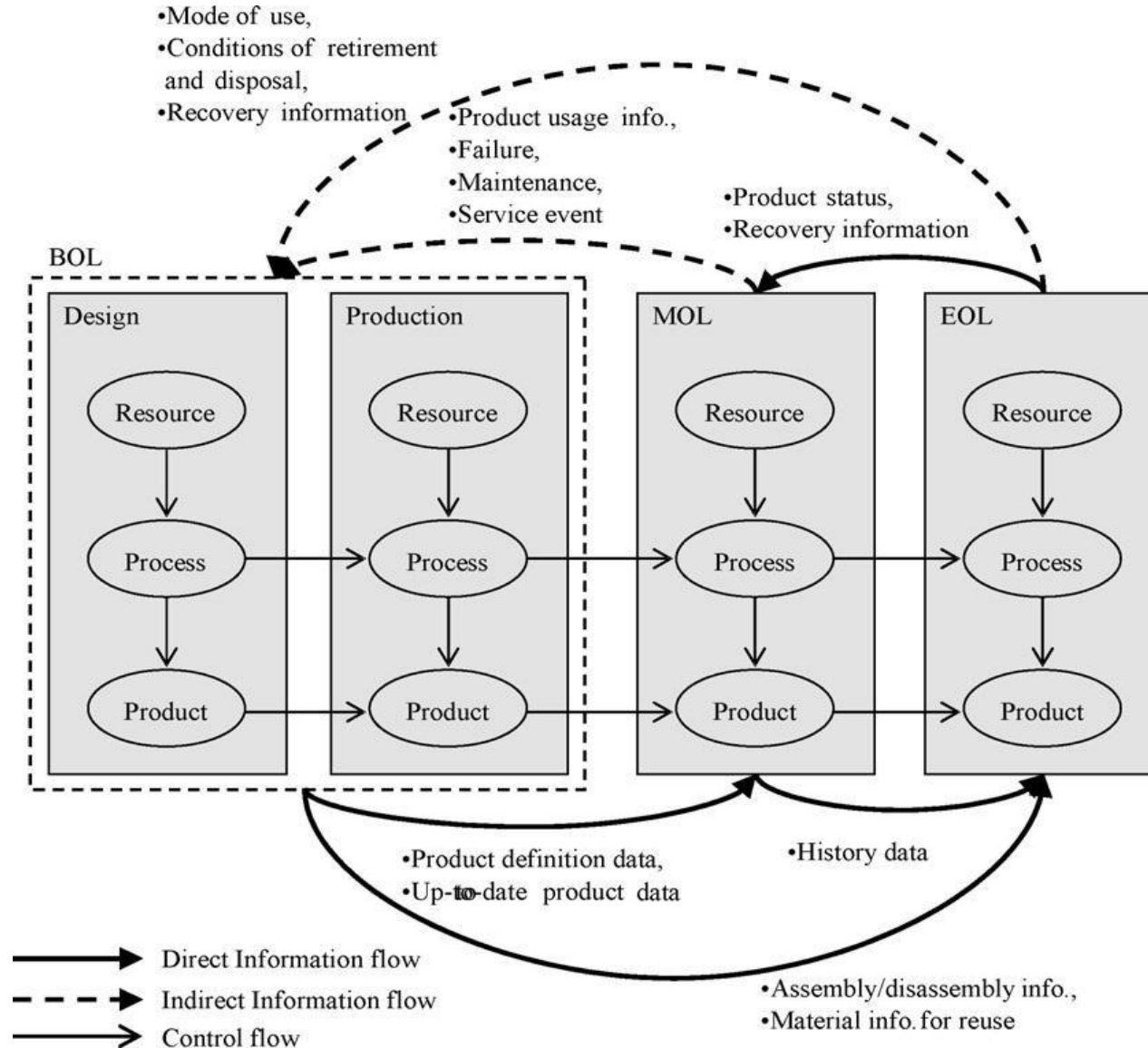
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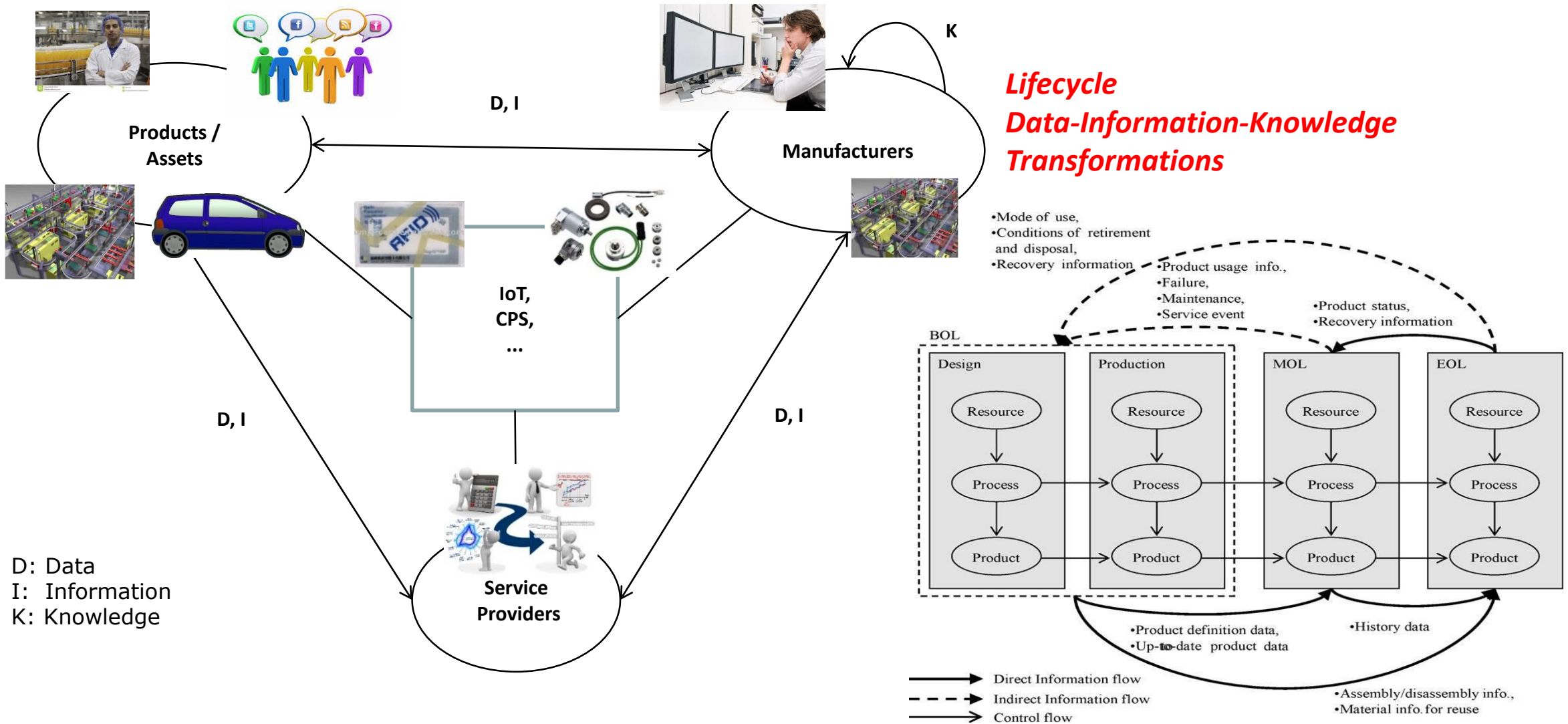


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Closing the information loops of product life cycles



It's about big lifecycle data transformations



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Body
temperature



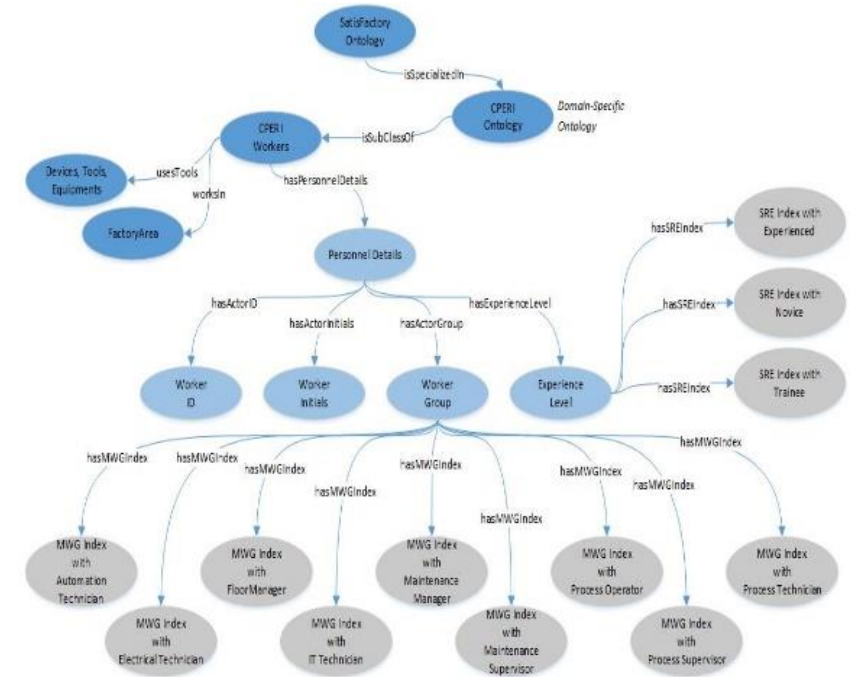
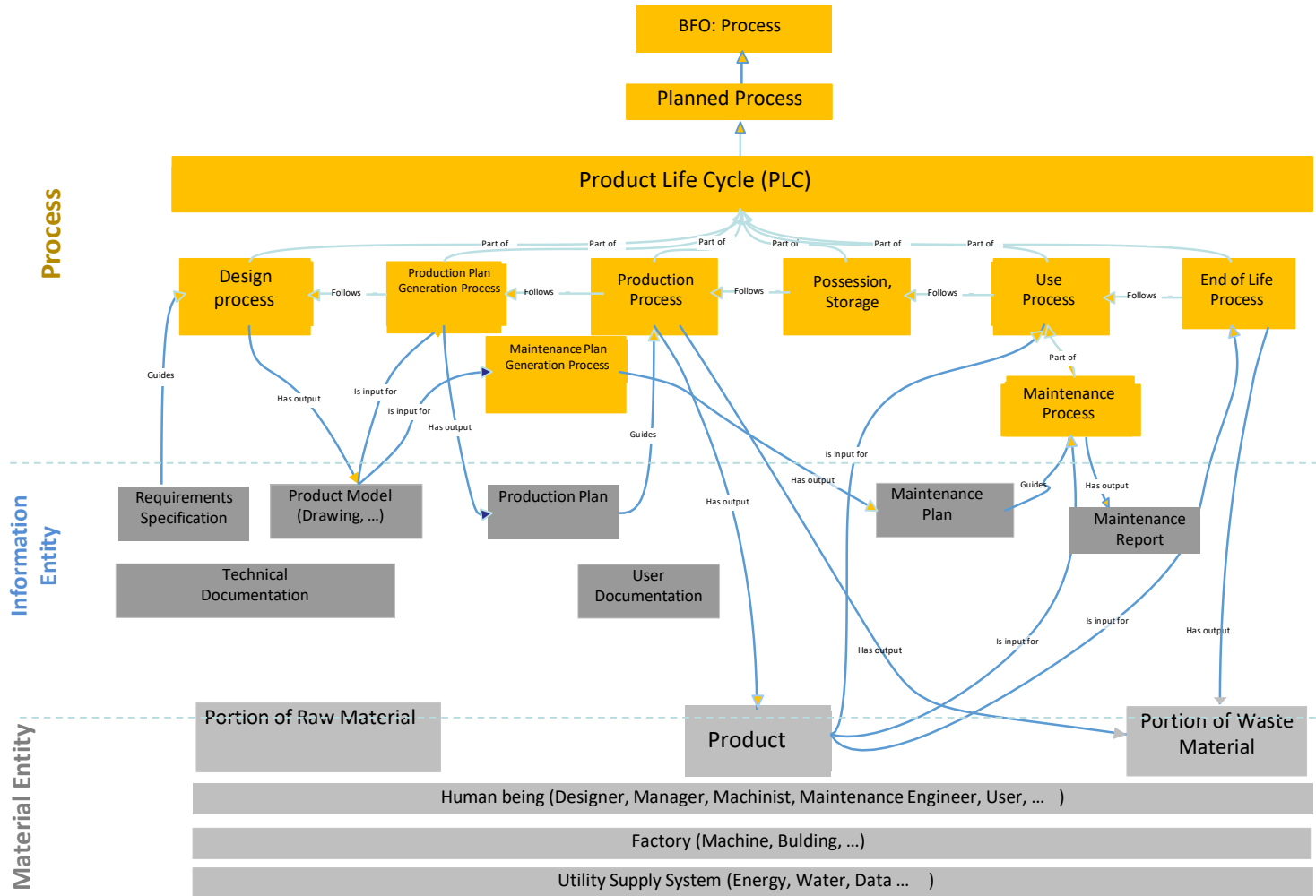
Oven
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- Source of data
- Measurement (sensors, assessment, observation, records, ...)
- Value
- Transformation / Interpretation
- Visualisation
- Meaning / Context

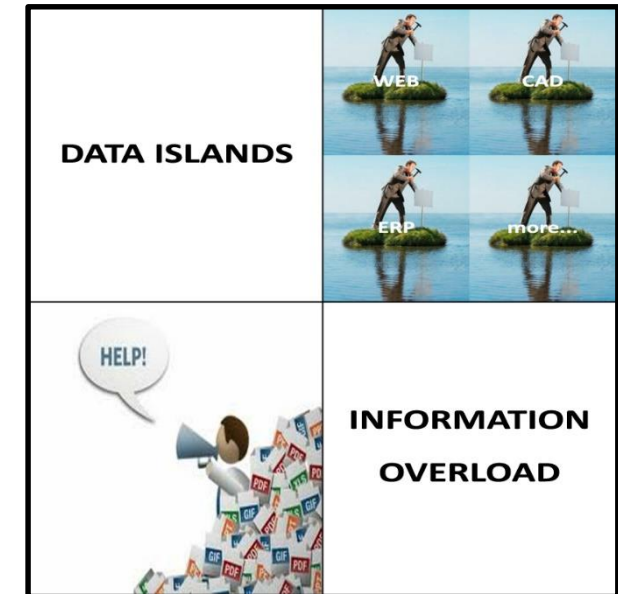
- **Domain modeling** for Big Industrial Data Analytics
- **Content analytics** enriched with semantic meaning
- **Recommend data and analytics** based on information / decision need
- **Improve the ability of analysts** to rapidly find and process relevant information in support of decision making
- The issue of **interoperability**:
 - *How do we get the domain modeling going on in **different communities** to coalesce?*

Ontology Based Lifecycle Engineering



Bring together the Physical (**Real**)–Cyber (**Digital**)–Bio (**Human/Cognitive**) worlds

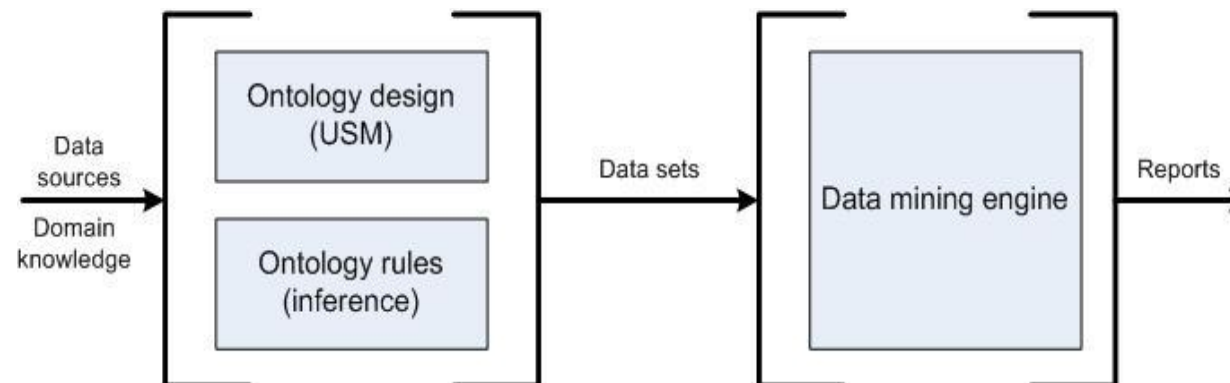
- Scattered data in several sources, systems and services
- Different actors with multidisciplinary skills



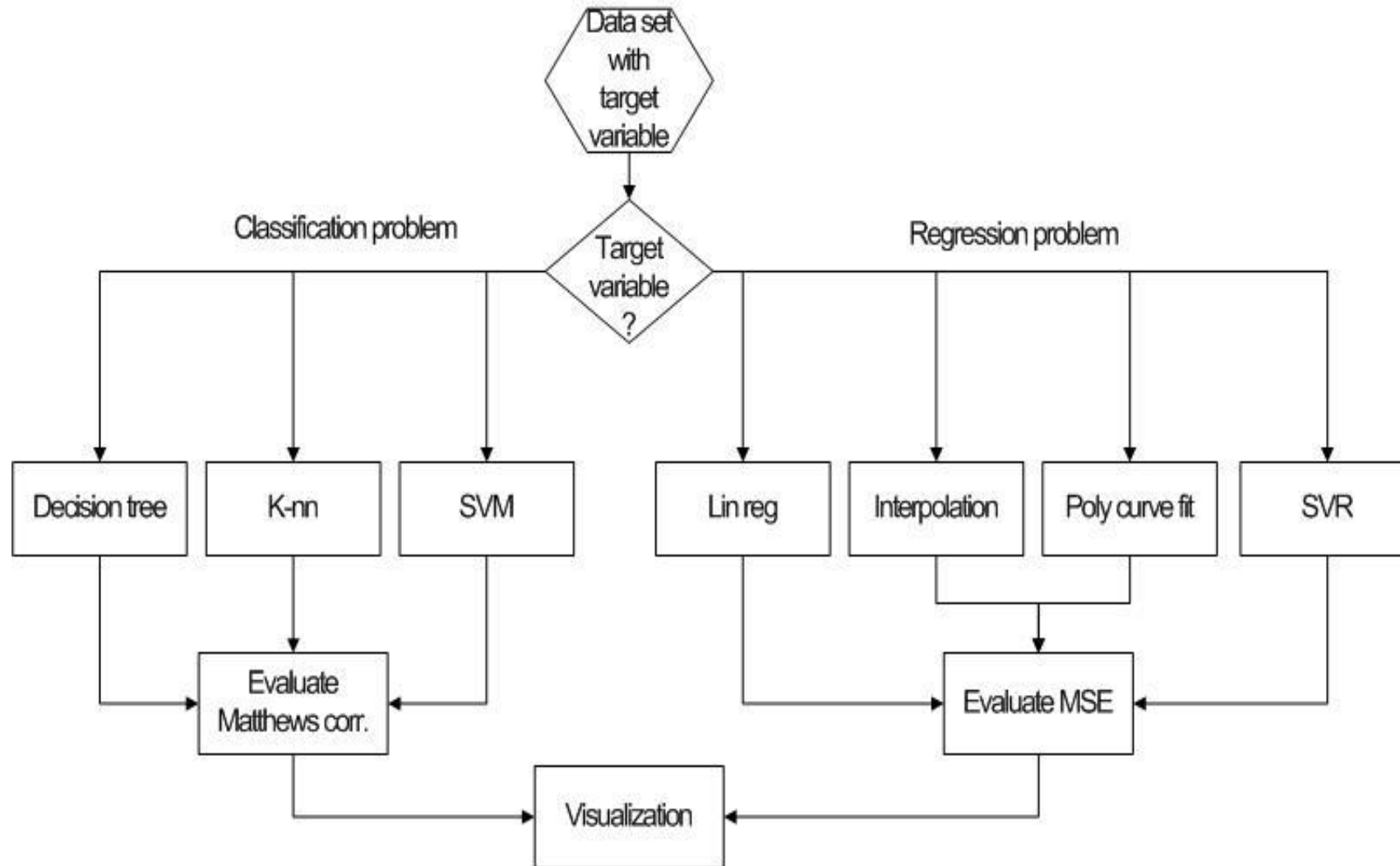
Semantic modelling module



Data Analytics module

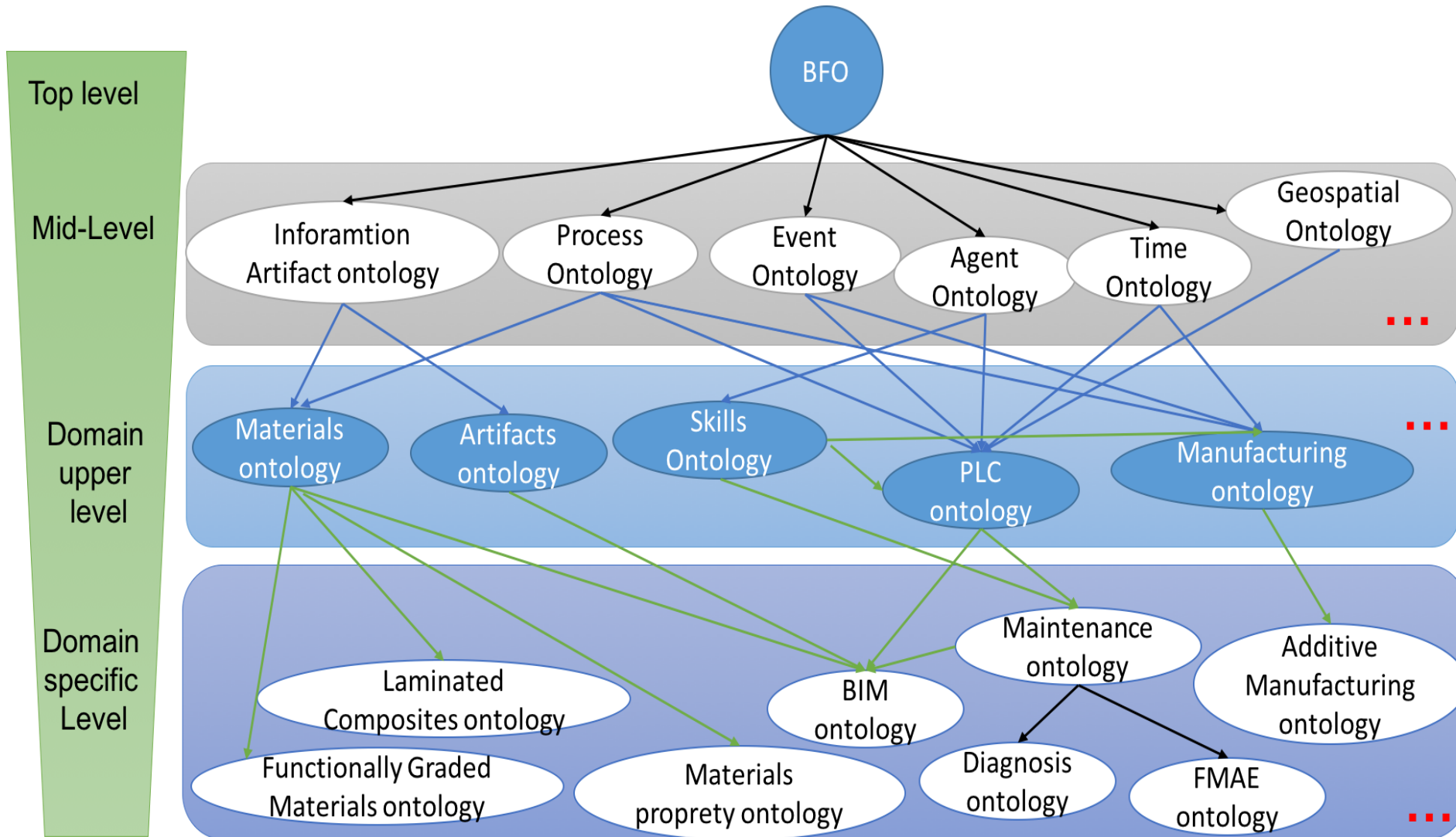


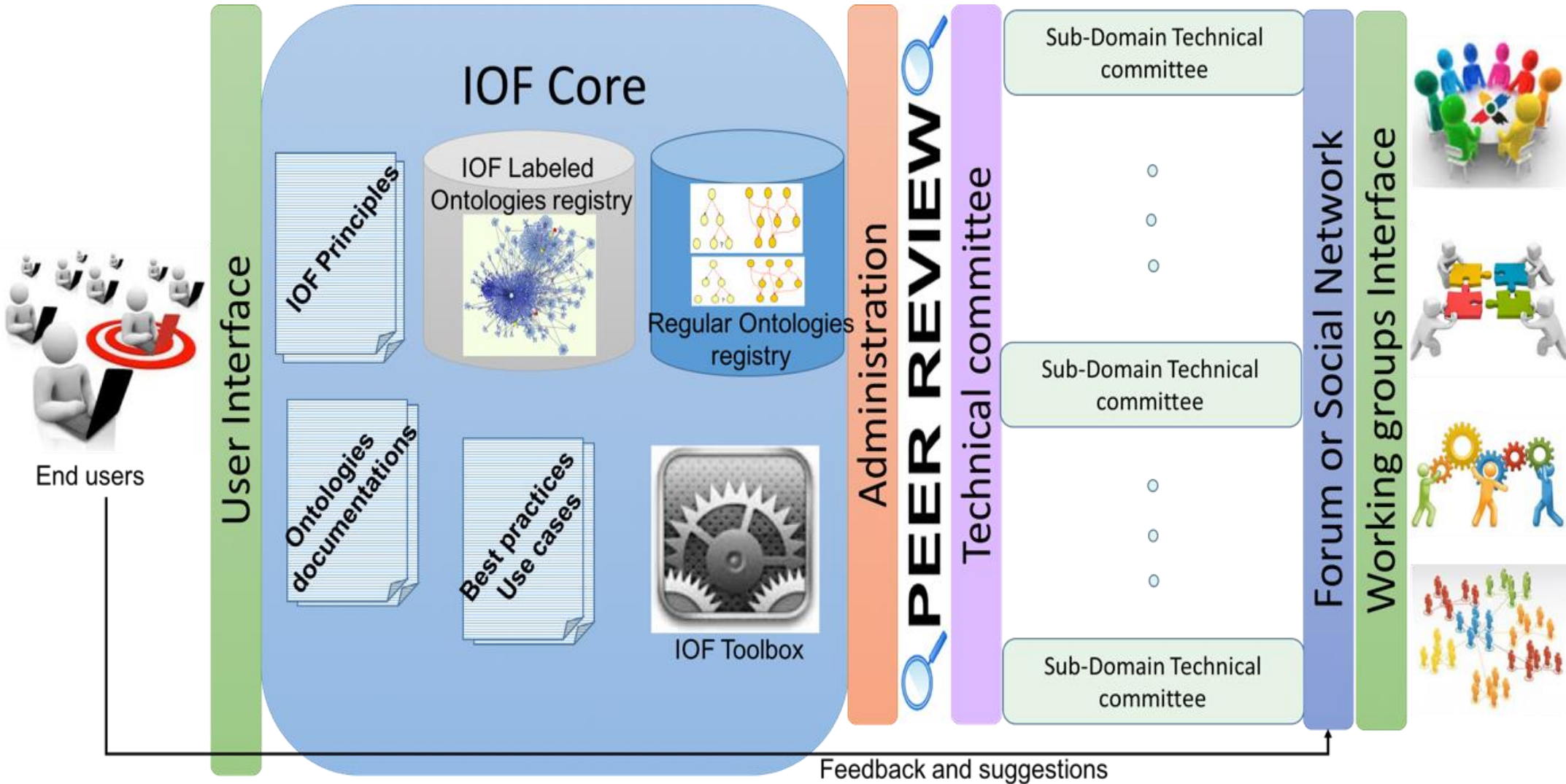
What algorithm to apply ?



[Taking the LEAP: The Methods and Tools of the Linked Engineering and Manufacturing Platform \(LEAP\)](https://www.elsevier.com/books/taking-the-leap/kiritsis/978-0-12-805263-1)

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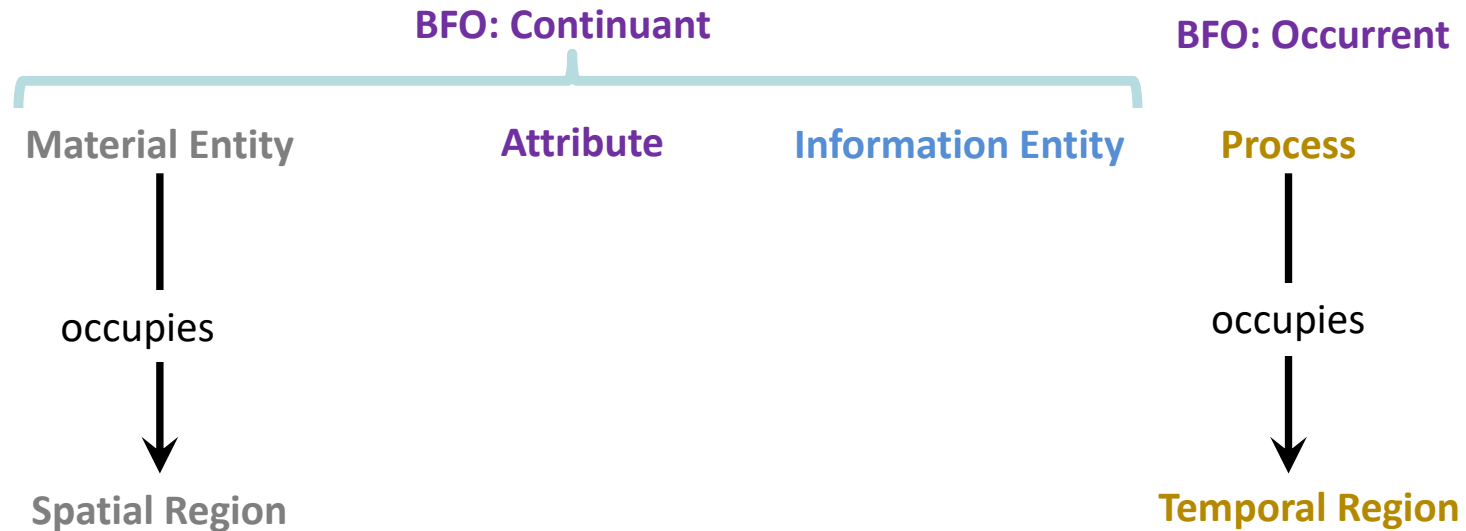
<http://ieportal.ncor.buffalo.edu/ontologies>

Draft of a generic **PLC** (Product Life Cycle) Ontology

based on

BFO (Basic Formal Ontology)

*With acknowledgments and thanks to **Barry Smith** (NCOR, Buffalo)
for his ontological engineering approach*



- For some processes we have also process boundaries (beginning of process, end of process) at determinate Temporal Intervals.
- For some processes beginnings or endings may be indeterminate

Material Entity

Information Entity

Process

Portion of
Material
Part/Component

Switch
Boiler
Furnace
Tank

Factory
Access road
Delivery vehicle

Material Entity

Information Entity

Process

Product Model
(output of CAD
system)

Requirement
Specification

Process Plan
Production Plan
Part/Component List

Maintenance Plan
Maintenance Report
Maintenance
History

Material Entity

Information Entity

Process

Design Process

Production Process

Production Plan Generation
Process

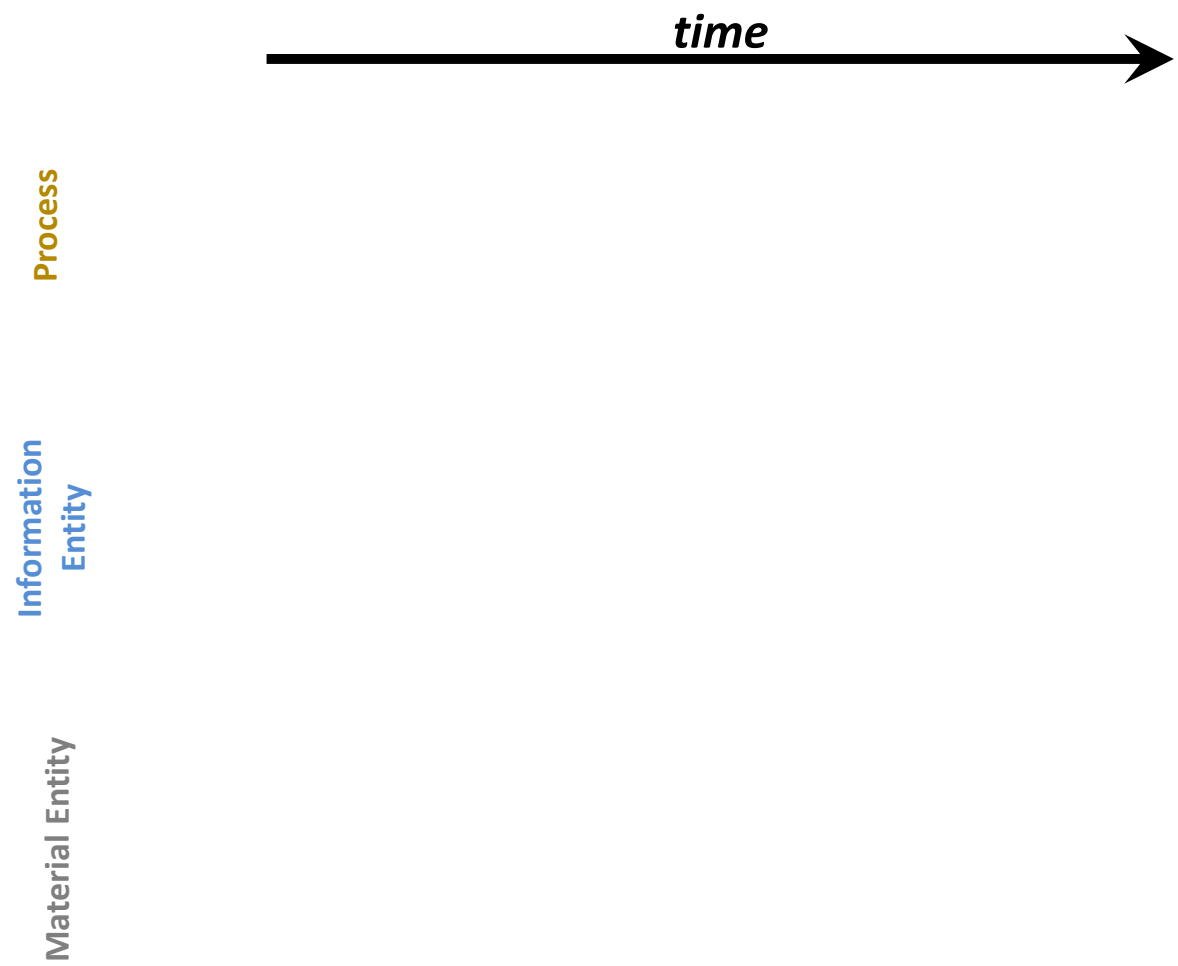
Product Use Process

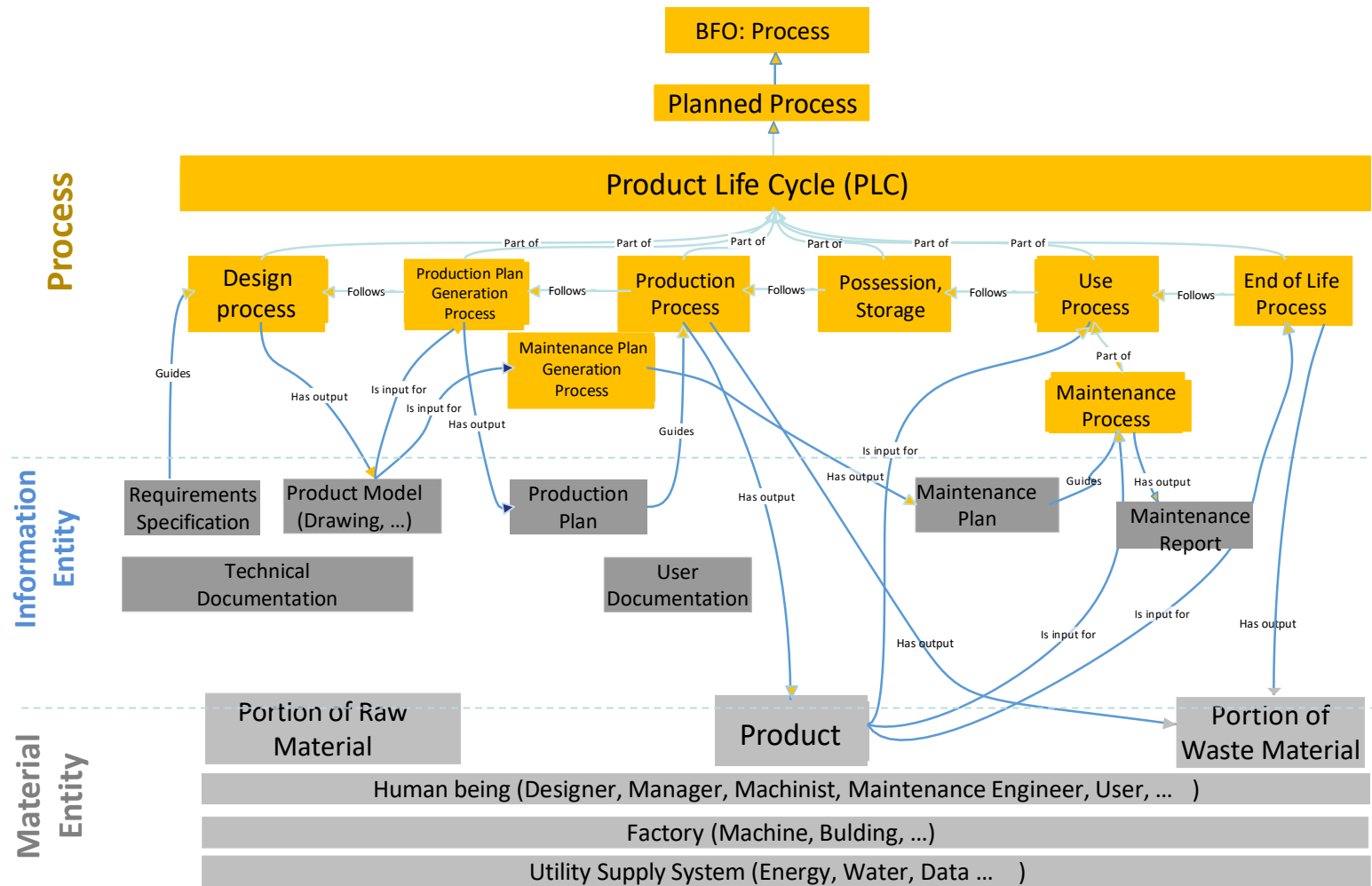
Product Maintenance
Process

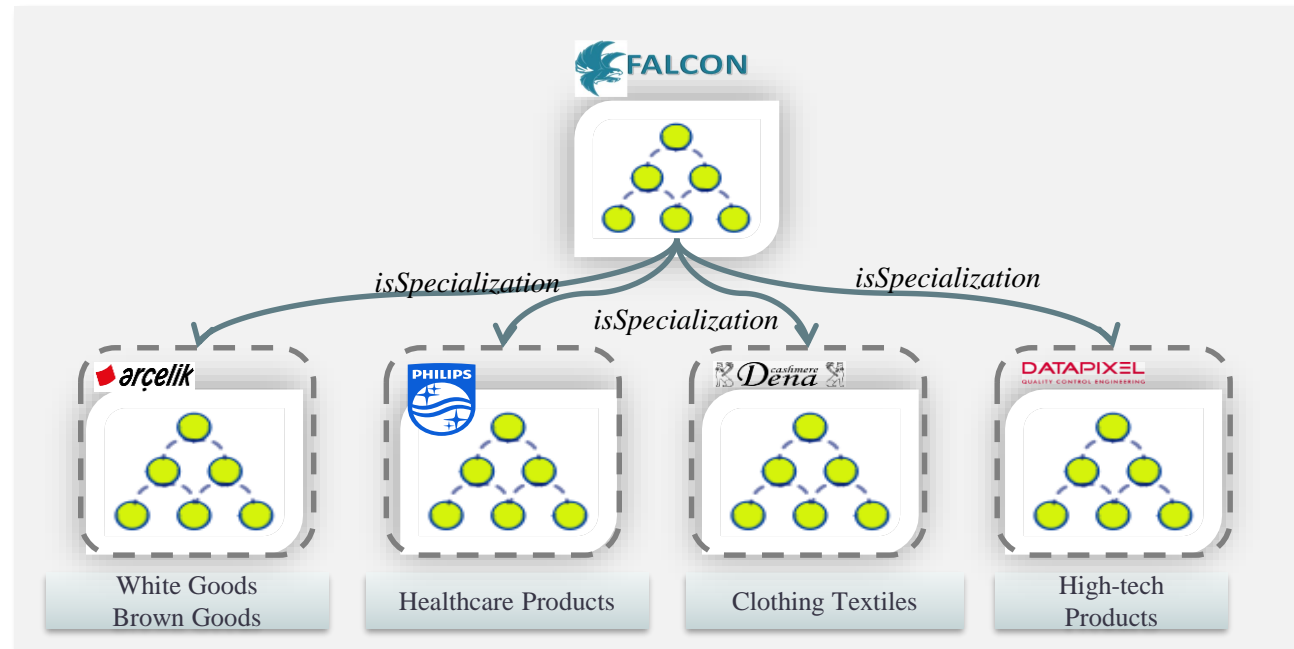
Product Inspection Process

End Of Life Process

Following the time





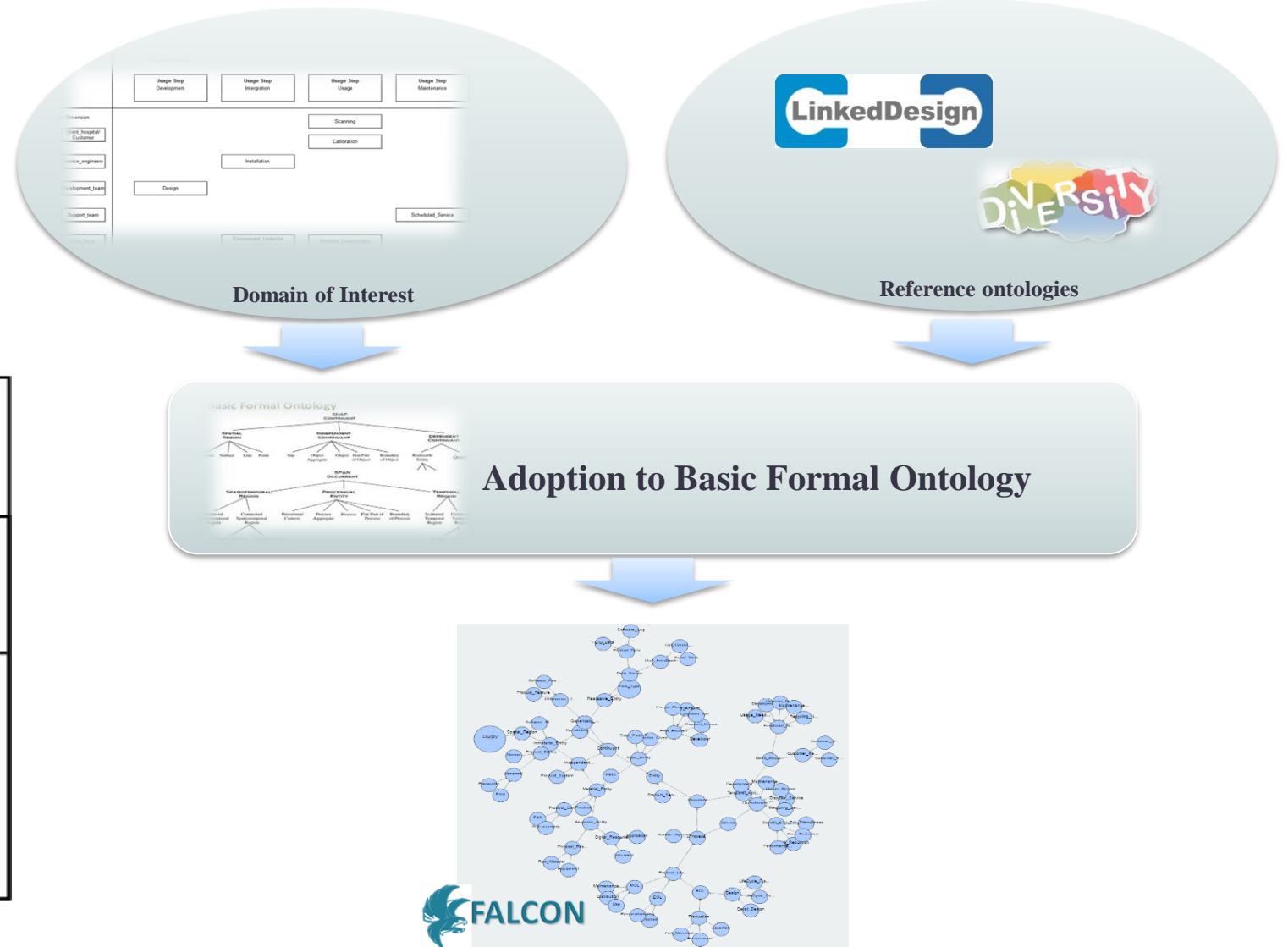
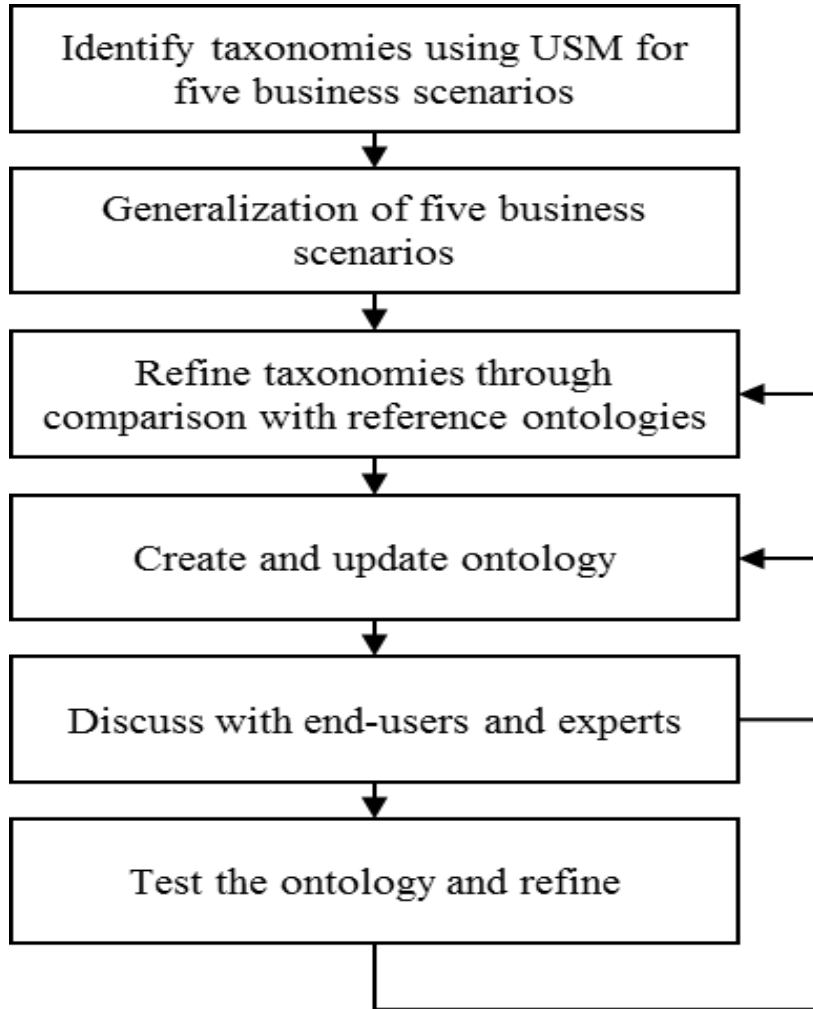


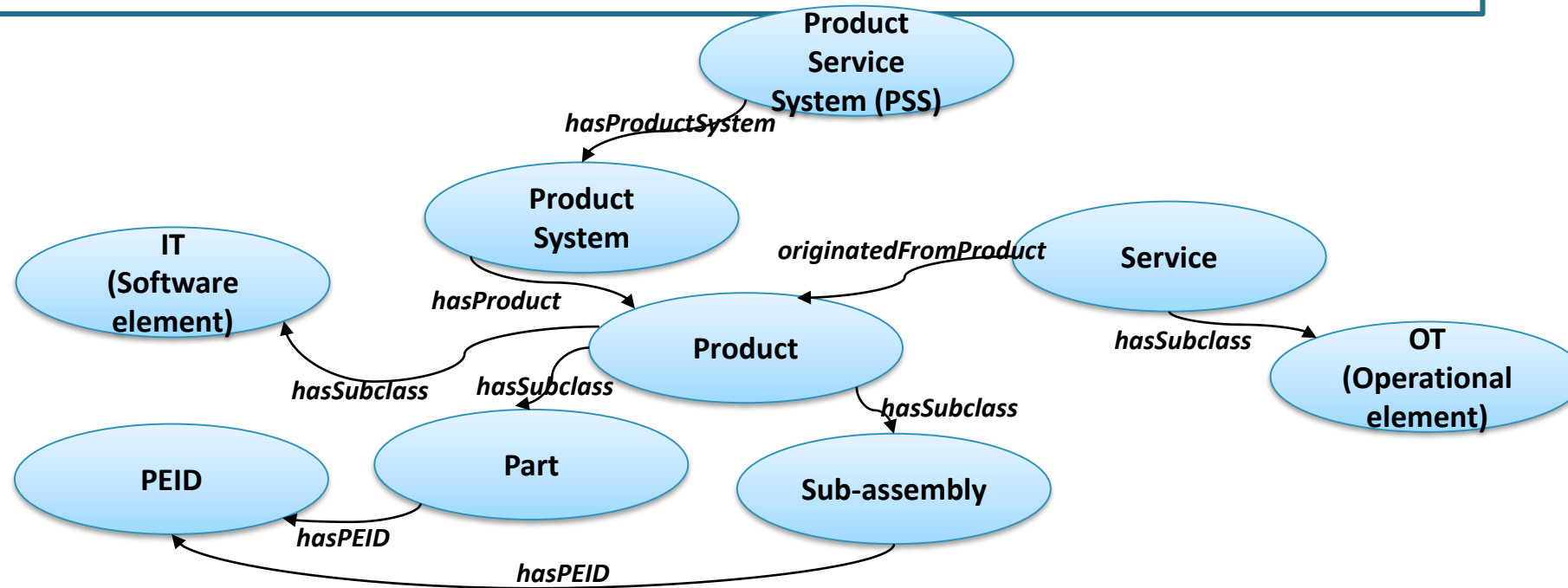
An FALCON upper ontology is a **generalization of the five business scenarios** of the FALCON project serving as an **upper template** for all FALCON business cases as well as future business cases in terms of **Product-Service System**.

The FALCON ontology plays the roles

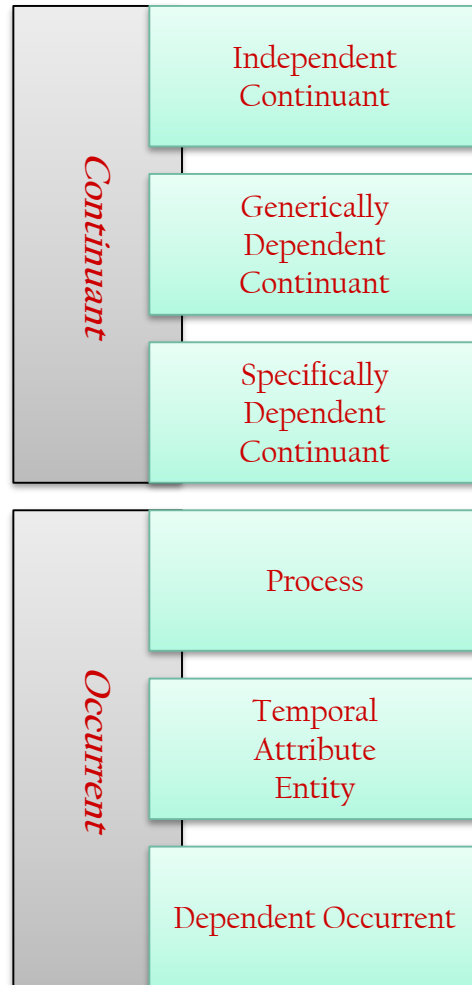
- To define the structure and content of the Triple Store
- To be used to define semantic search parameters for social media
- To be used to query PUI

Process to create ontology





- **Product Service System (PSS)** : a marketable set of products and services capable of jointly fulfilling a user's need
- **Product system** : a set of material products needed to jointly fulfil a user's needs
- **Product** : a tangible commodity manufactured to be sold
- **Service** : an activity (work) done for others with an economic value and on a commercial basis



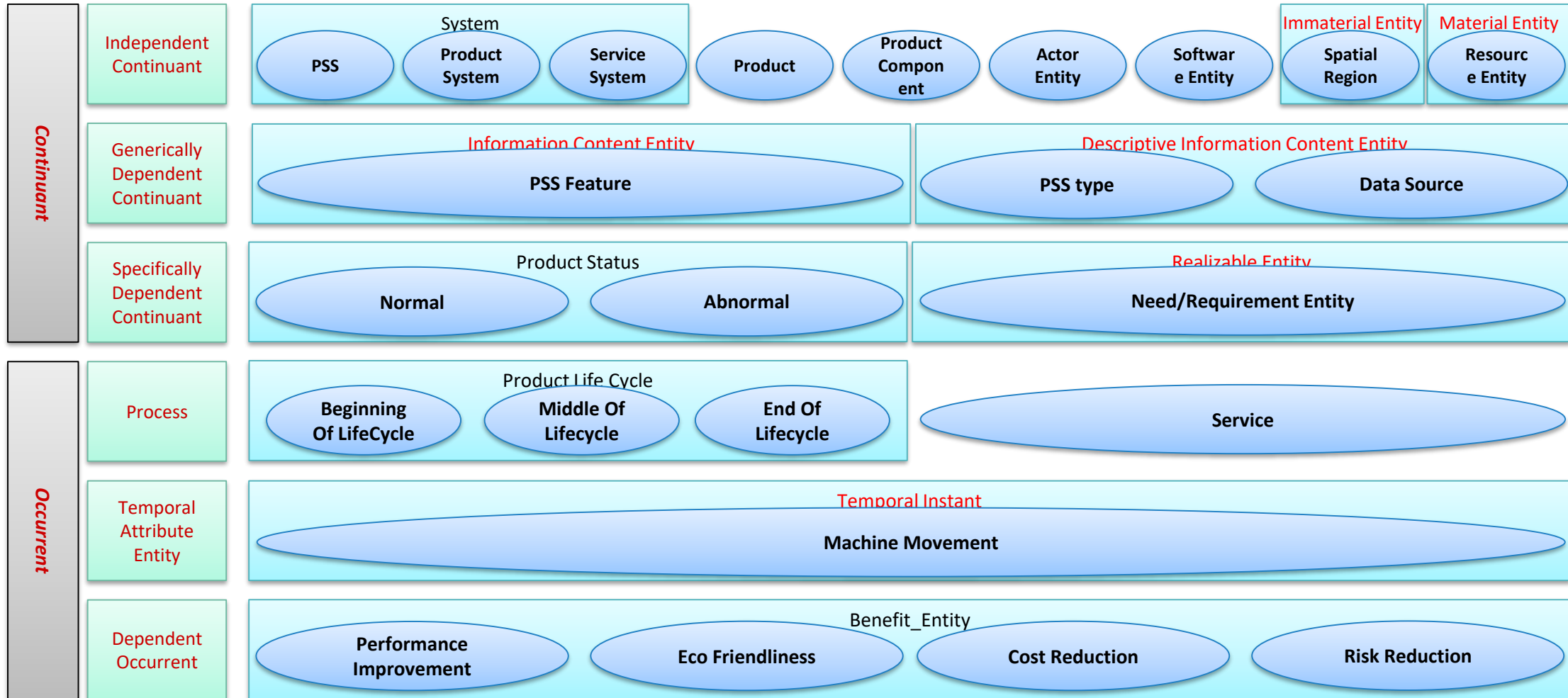
Basic Formal Ontology

- Formal ontology framework developed by Barry Smith and his associates (Smith et al., 2014).
- Entities in the FALCON semantic framework are arranged based on the Basic Formal Ontology (BFO) In BFO
- Two varieties
 - ✓ **Continuants** comprehending continuant entities such as three-dimensional enduring objects
 - ✓ **Occurrent** comprehending processes conceived as extended through (or as spanning) time

Red font : Entities from BFO

Black font : Entities originated from FALCON context

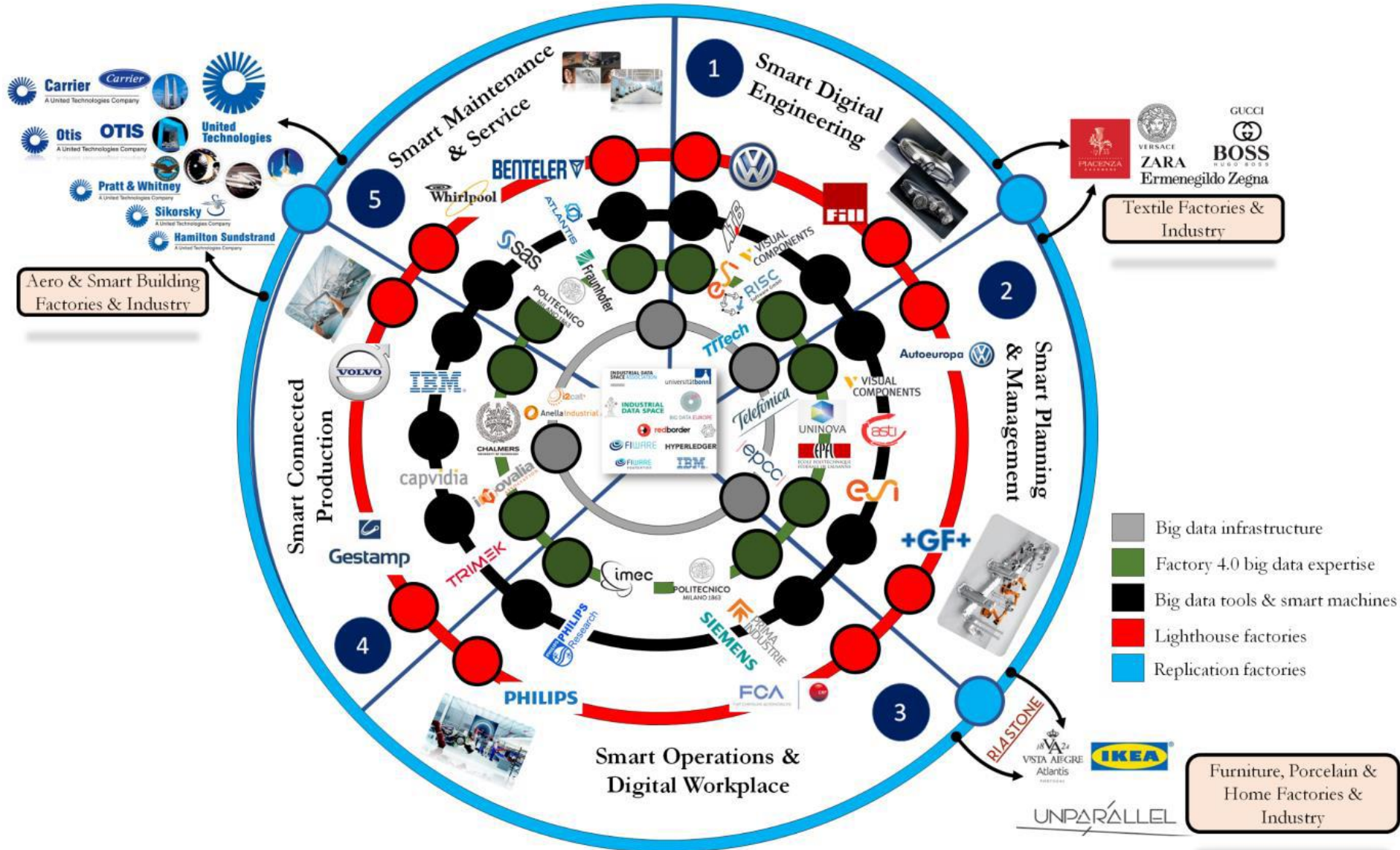
FALCON Ontology-Alignment to BFO



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