

Meeting of the Group of Experts on Business Registers

Session IV

Transforming the ABS Business Register

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ABS Transformation

- 5 year program
- Outcomes
 - Improved efficiency and timeliness
 - Expanded range of activity
 - Reduced risk of errors
 - Reduction in red tape
- Move from collection focus to solutions focus
- Covers environment, strategy, governance, infrastructure, people and culture.

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- Expanded and more outwardly focussed capability
 - Integrating spine for all firm level data
 - Infrastructure for unit and regional analysis
 - Data source in own right

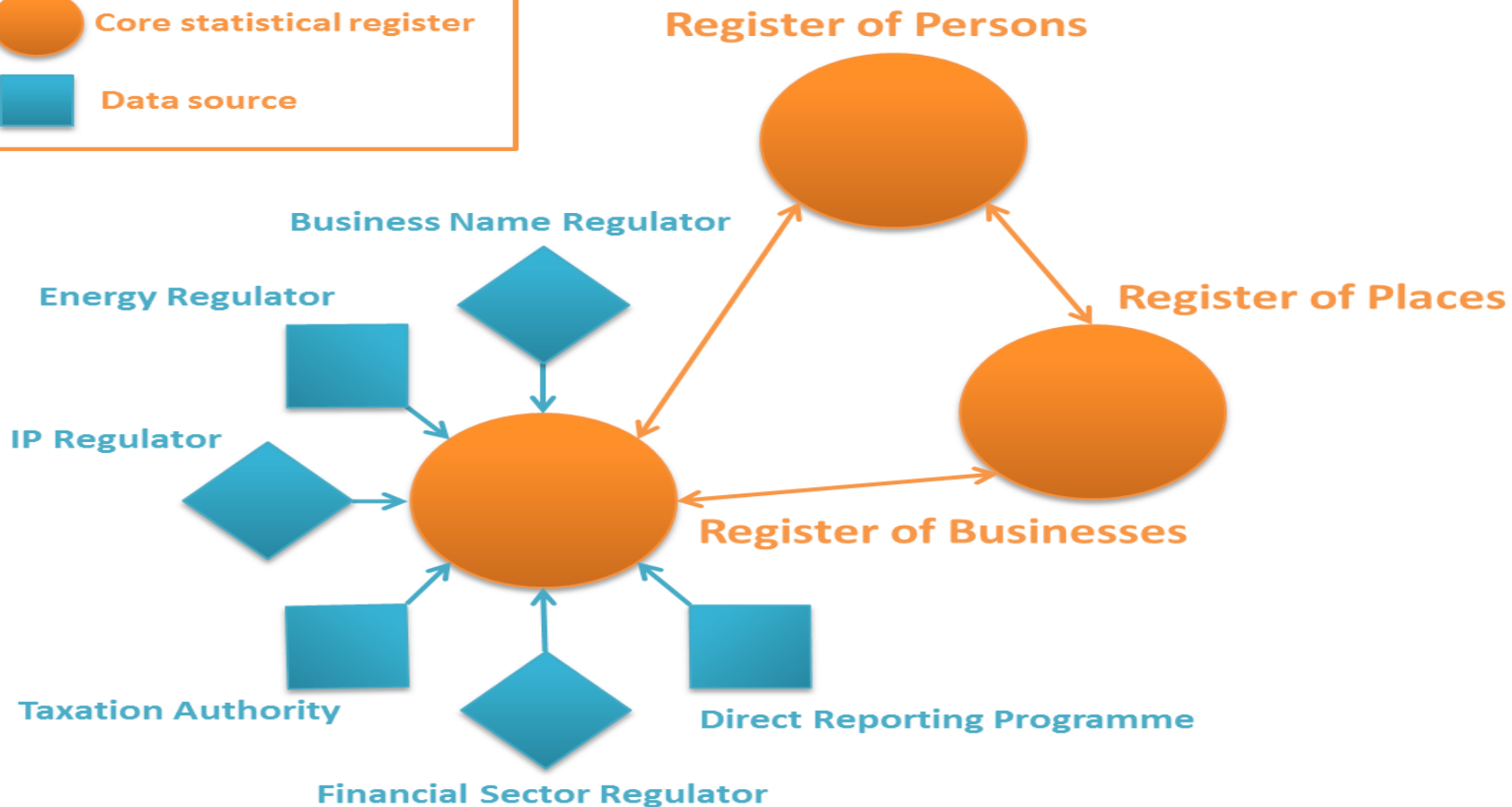
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- Key features
 - Alternate design
 - Small number of structural variables
 - Linking variable to integrate other data items
 - Will facilitate
 - Production and institutional unit views
 - Expanded use of the ABS Business Register via data linking of new and existing variables
 - Output in its own right
 - More surveys to migrate to the ABS Business Register
 - Profiling and editing activities will be consolidated into industry based team

Joint activities with admin data providers

- Transformation objective: open and engaged partnerships driven by mutual benefit and respect.
- Joint activities
 - Point of Contact Coding
 - Geospatial data

Semantic techniques



Relations between registers and possible business register sources

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