

FENIX- A European Federated Network of Information exchange in Future Logistics ECE/ITC: Group of Experts on the Operationalization of eCMR

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OUTLINE



Activity - Objectives



Positioning

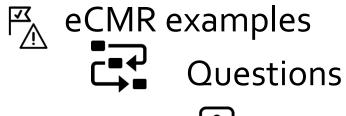


Timeline



Activity structure and tasks

Methodology

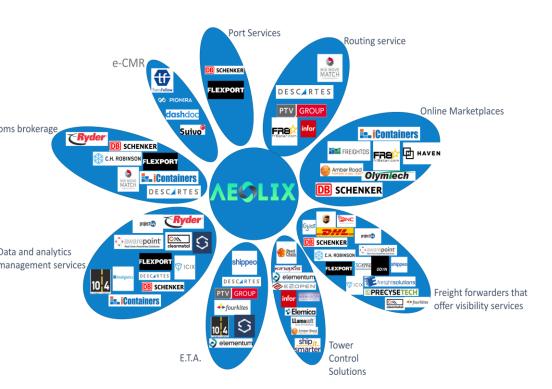






AEOLIX goals

- provide technological solutions to enhance and simplify collaboration among actors along the supply chain
- adopt core functionalities to improve, optimize and automate transport and logistics operations within supply chain collaborations
- simplify information exchange within an integrated management services security framework.



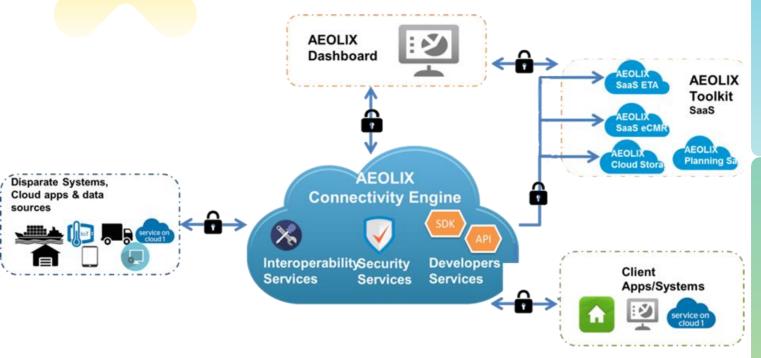


AEOLIX approach

- Publish/Subscribe pattern
- Authentication and accreditation
- Toolkit accessible through the platform (eCMR, Estimation Time of Arrival, performance evaluation, CO2 monitoring)
- Coding/deconding of messages in an Internal standard messages structure



Architecture overview



AEOLIX Connectivity Engine



Responsible for providing the connectivity interoperability services and supporting seamless data exchanges between organisations and services. These technical services provide the architectural setup; (1) connecting the end-user with its many business partners and systems in their networks; (2) allows for interoperability and governance services; the information exchange between different systems; partner/ system interactions and data sharing management rules.





 CO_2

AEOLIX Toolkit

Core logistics services to support and implement the business needs of AEOLIX end-users. Examples of services offered in the toolkit are: E-CMR, routing, planning services for road and intermodal service, ETA service, CO2 monitoring, dangerous goods transport management, and more. Toolkit services can be used via the AEOLIX connectivity engine by applications, services and +N1, N2, N3 sensors or interplay with other toolkit elements.

AEOLIX Dashboard

An intelligent, user configurable web application, which serves as a dedicated portal to the AEOLIX Platform. It manages and enables access to end-toend logistics visibility by sharing data of the logistics partners via the Connectivity Engine (CE). It enables intelligence to be added to the data from within the dashboard and enables access and mobilises applications from the toolkit.

Platform Added-Value services & APPs

Platform

Intelligent Dashboard

End-User interface, configuration manager

Stakeholder Systems

Data feed / consumption

3rd
Party
New
Apps

Logistics Services

Process & Services interplay
Services: eCMR, ETA, Planning, CO₂ footprint, Port services...



Business collaboration, data sharing management, rules, visibility

Interoperability

Data transformation, type repository, data integration, events, workflow

Connectivity

Communication platform - cloud messaging



Connectivity Engine

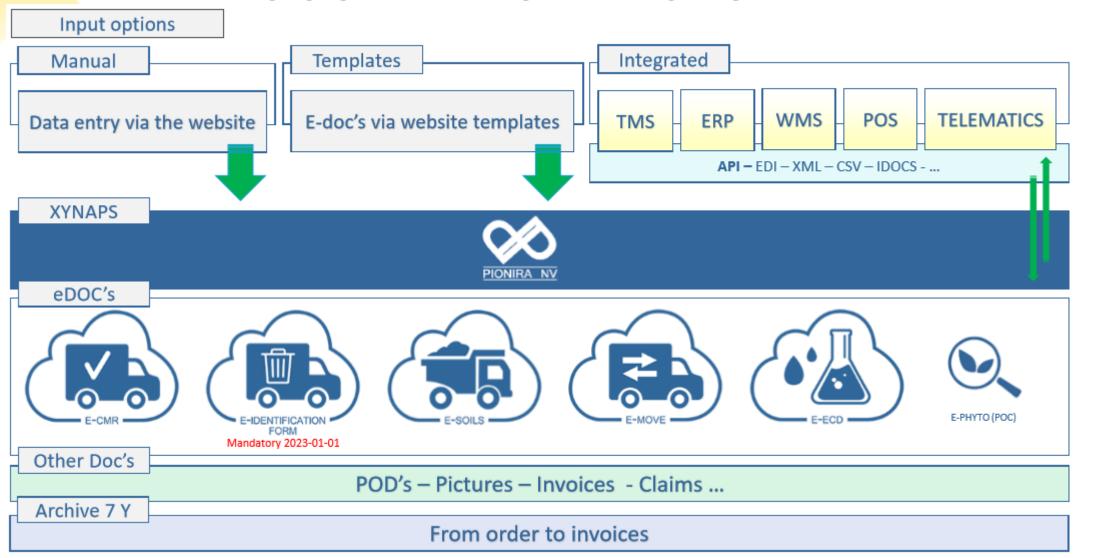


Identity
Management,
Authentication
Authorization
Accounting &
Billing
Housekeeping

SDK API

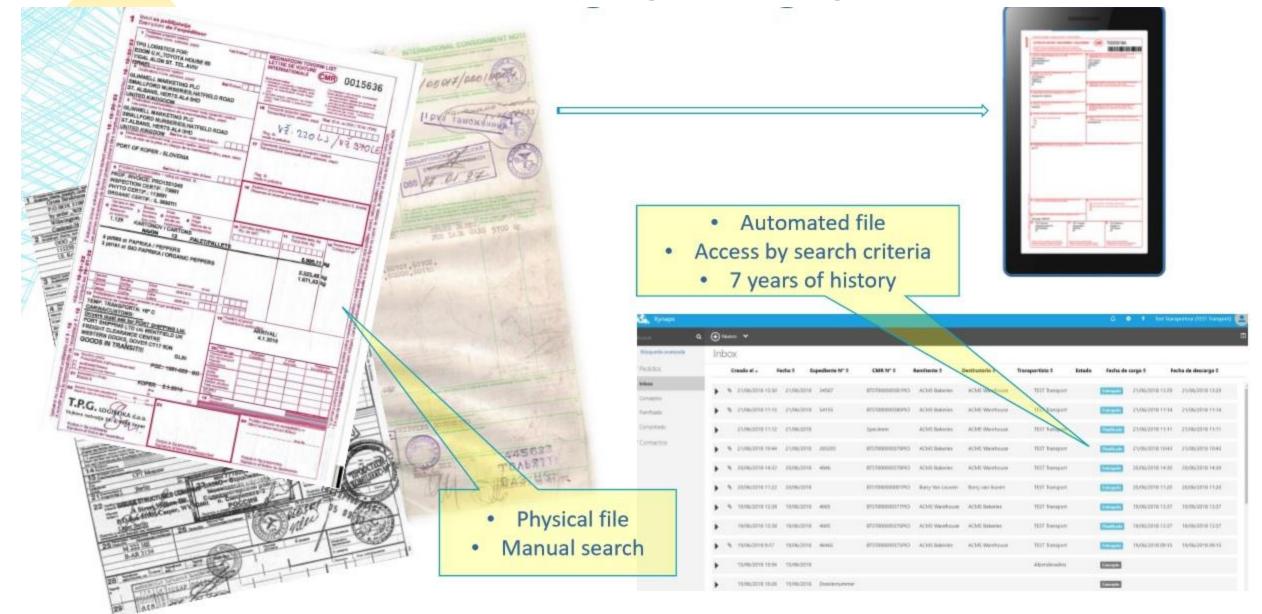


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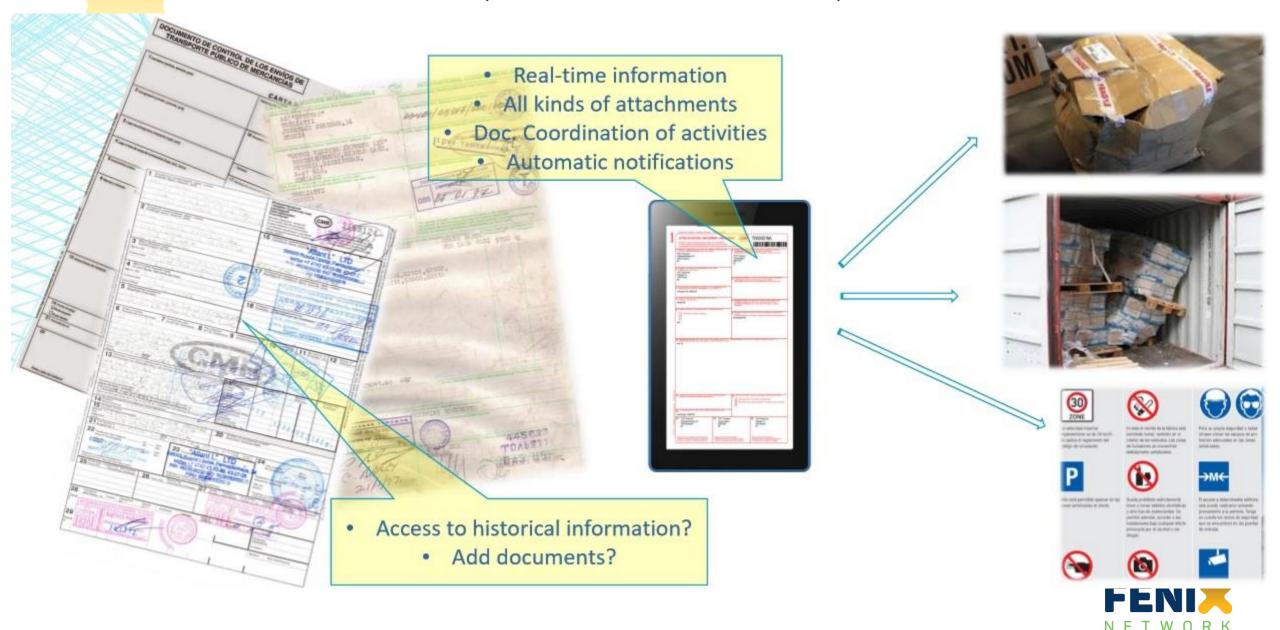




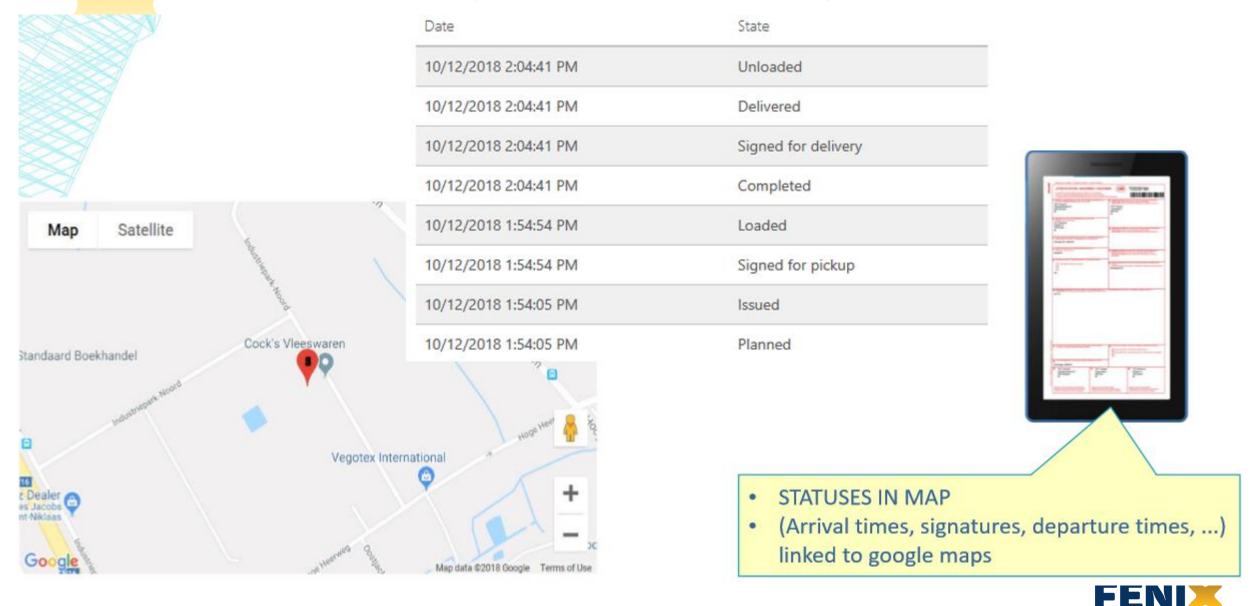
AVAILABILITY INFORMATION



TRANSPARENCY, ATTACHMENTS, FOLLOW-UP

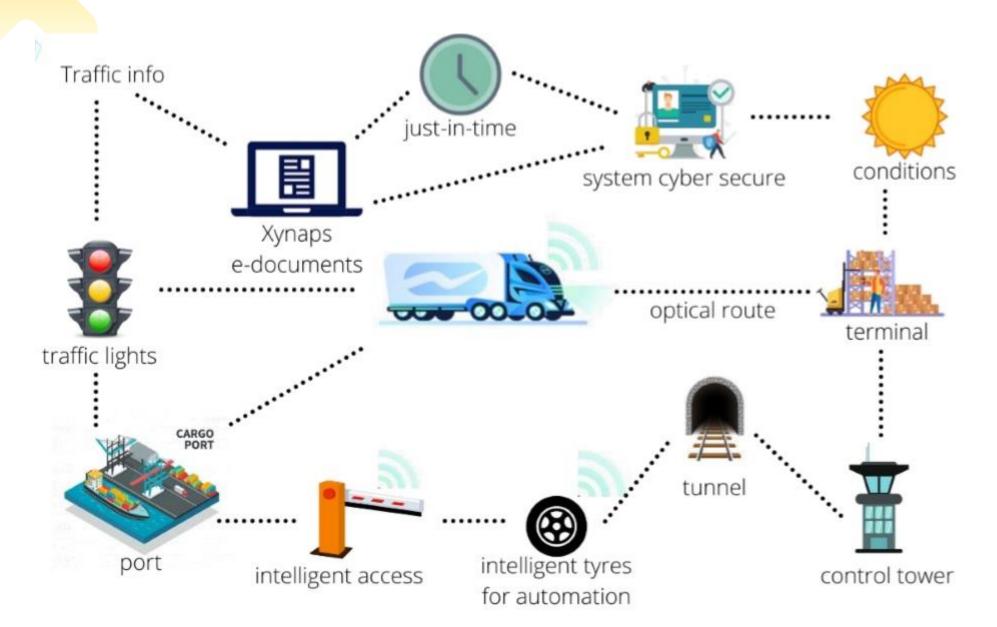


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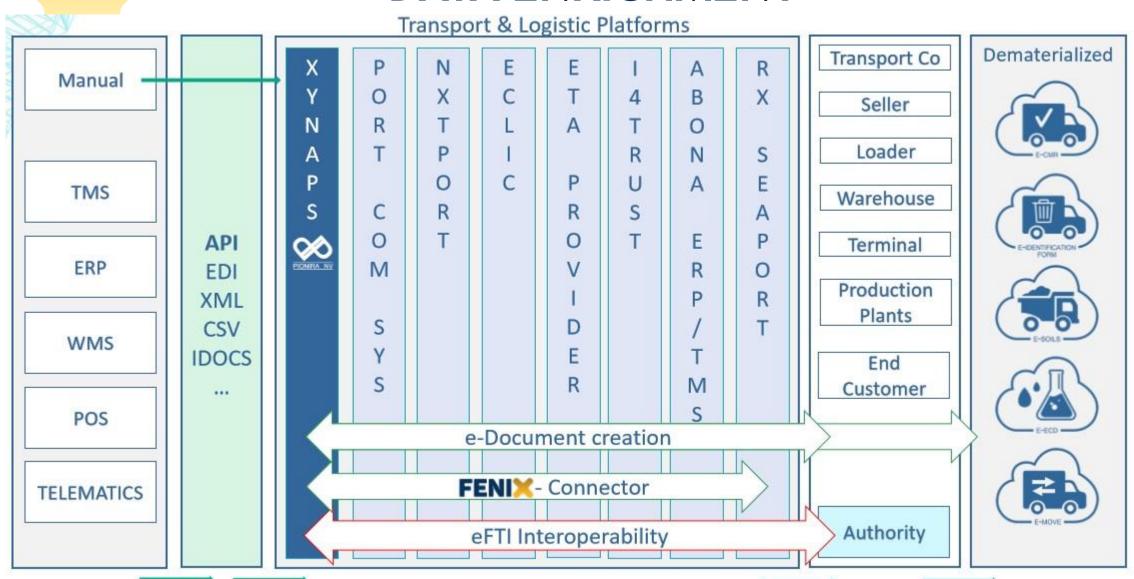
NETWORK

IOT INTEGRATION





DATA ENRICHMENT





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Trailer: 1-QDL-234

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Delivery

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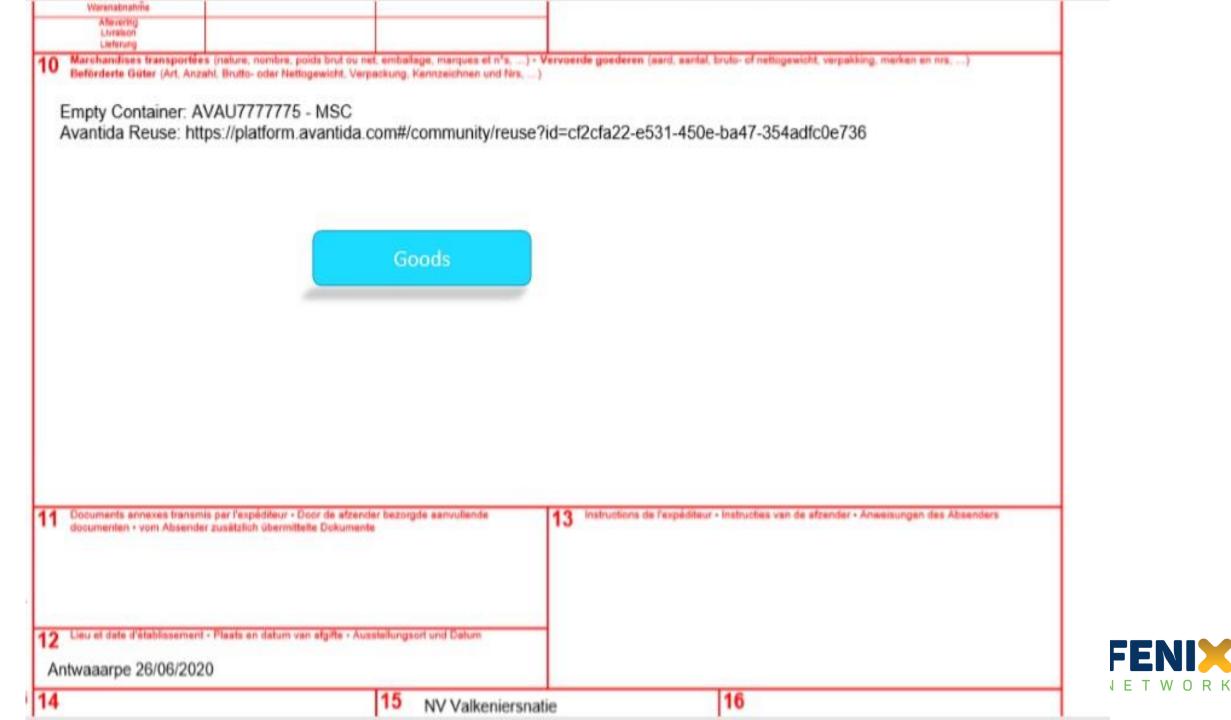
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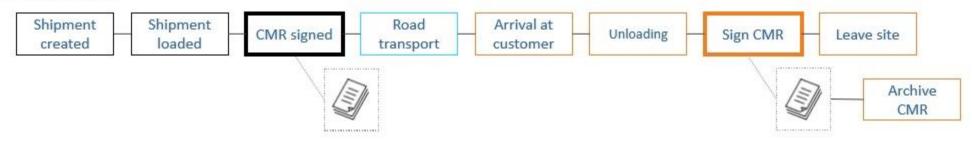
Consignee

Signature

Unterschrift. Datum und Stempel des Empfängers

WHAT WILL CHANGE?

Before eCMR







CONTACTLESS DELIVERIES



Driver scans QR code phone-to-phone

Driver scans printed QR label on wall / gate

Option 1

Customer chooses to sign by QR code



Option 2

Customer chooses to sign behind desk

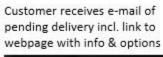
Driver completes delivery (incl. photos & geotag) & waits in truck



Customer checks machine(s) and confirms delivery or adds remarks from behind his desk



Customer selects preferred delivery option







Geotag



Sign on glass, as per today's paper procedure

Default

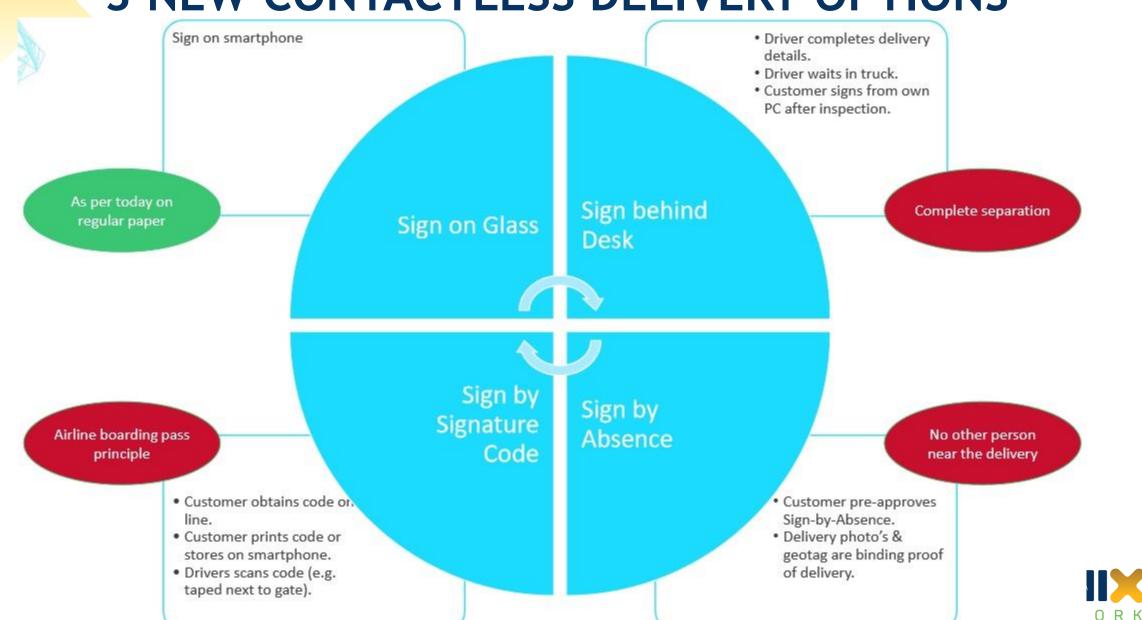
Option 3

2 photo's of the delivered machines showing machine + accessories

Customer chooses to sign by absence



3 NEW CONTACTLESS DELIVERY OPTIONS





ADVANTAGES-who gets what?

Shipper

- Faster dispute resolution
- Automated document creation
- System integration
- Efficiency increase
- Faster logistic process
- Paperless flow



Carrier

- Linked with GPS
- Adding attachments
- Real time info
- Electronic archive
- System integration
- Paperless flow



Customer

- Paperless flow
- E-Archive, 7 years of history
- Efficiency increase
- TraceShipperlity of actions
- Data correctness
- Adding attachments
- System integration
- Faster invoicing + credit notes



Why FENIX?

FENIX - A European Federated Network of Information exchange in Future Logistics-

based on the work and recommendation of the Digital Transport and Logistic Forum (DTLF) sub-group 2 (corridor information systems) to create a viable and valid <u>federative network of platforms</u> as enabler for <u>Business to Administration</u> (B2A) and <u>Business to Business</u> (B2B) data exchange and sharing by transport and logistics operators.



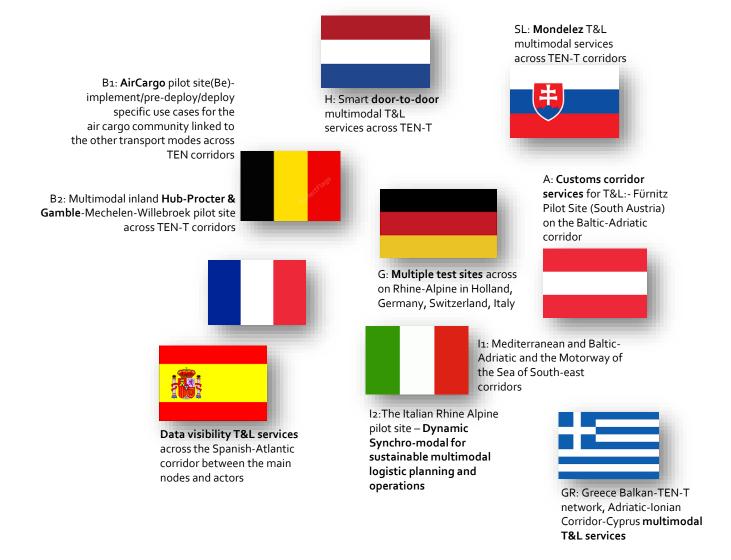
OVERVIEW

Overall project overview:

- aims to interconnect the different digital platforms and harmonise the services they offer
- interoperability: common protocols for supporting data sharing services
- data sharing in the form of digital corridor information systems serving the European logistics community
- cloud-based will facilitate horizontal collaboration within the LSC
- overcome today's fragmentation and lack of connectivity around ICT-based systems for logistics decision making
- open-solution and not "privately owned" and technological neutral



FENIX Test sites





AT GLANCE

Test site Austria: Customs corridor -Fürnitz (South Austria) on the Baltic-Adriatic corridor <u>Test Site Belgium: PS BE 1</u>- AirCcargo (Be) PS BE2- Multimodal inland Hub-Procter & Gamble-Mechelen-Willebroek (Be) Test site France: French Mediteranean – North Sea <u>Test Site Germany:</u> Multiple test sites across on Rhine-Alpine in Holland, Germany, Switzerland, Italy Test site Greece: Greece Balkan-TEN-T network, Adriatic-Ionian corridor-Cyprus multimodal Test Site Holland (South Holland): Smart multimodal Test Site Italy: PS IT1- Mediterranean and Baltic-Adriatic and the Motorway of the Sea of South-east - Trieste PS IT2: The Italian Rhine Alpine – Dynamic Synchromodal Logistic Test Site Slovakia: All TEN-T corridors and multimodal <u>Test site Spain:</u> The Spanish-Atlantic Corridor

- Multi/syncromodalTransport
- Intelligent bubs
- Network Optimisation





Technology Integration







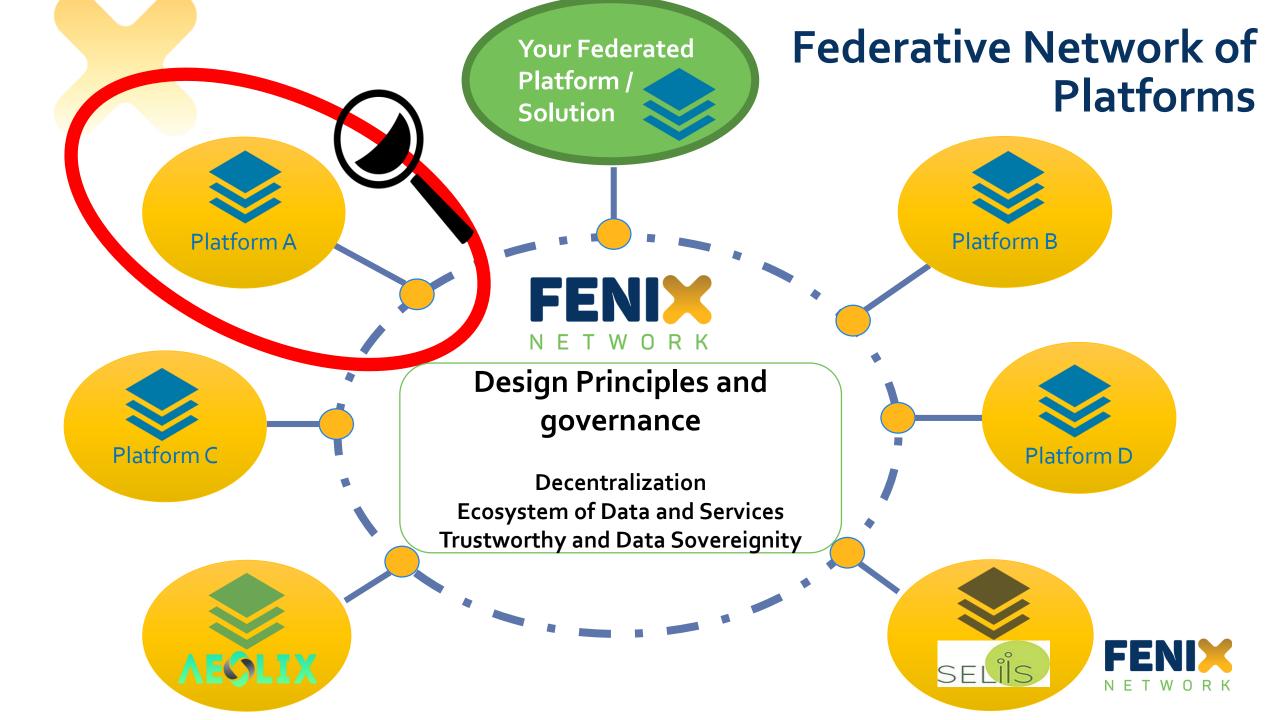




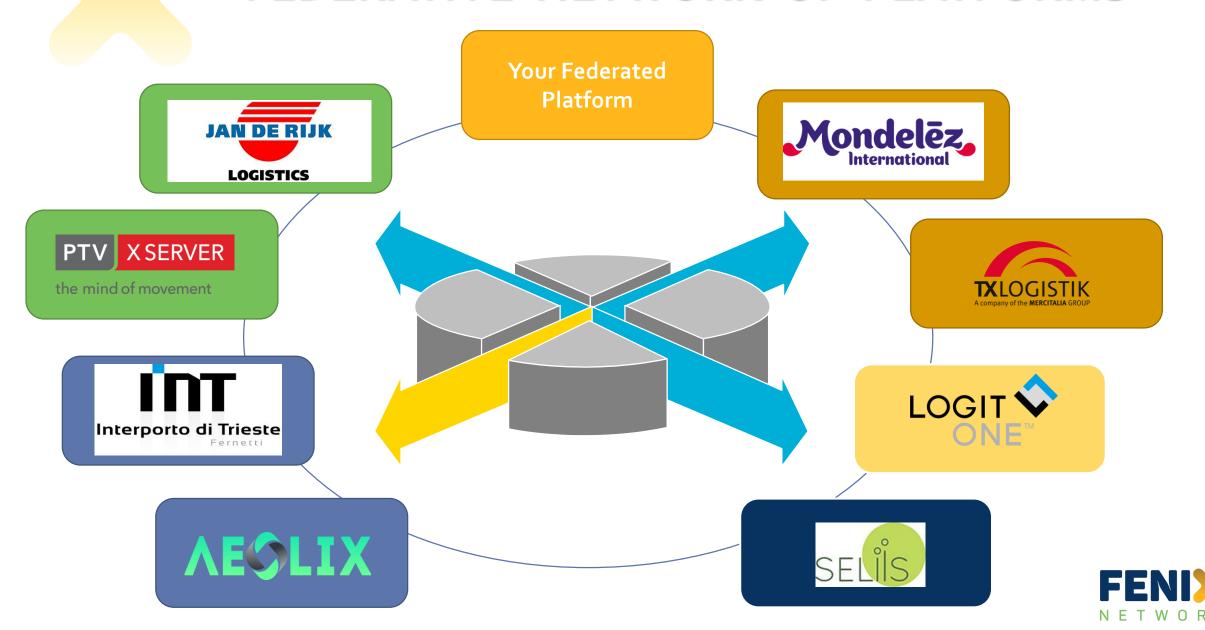




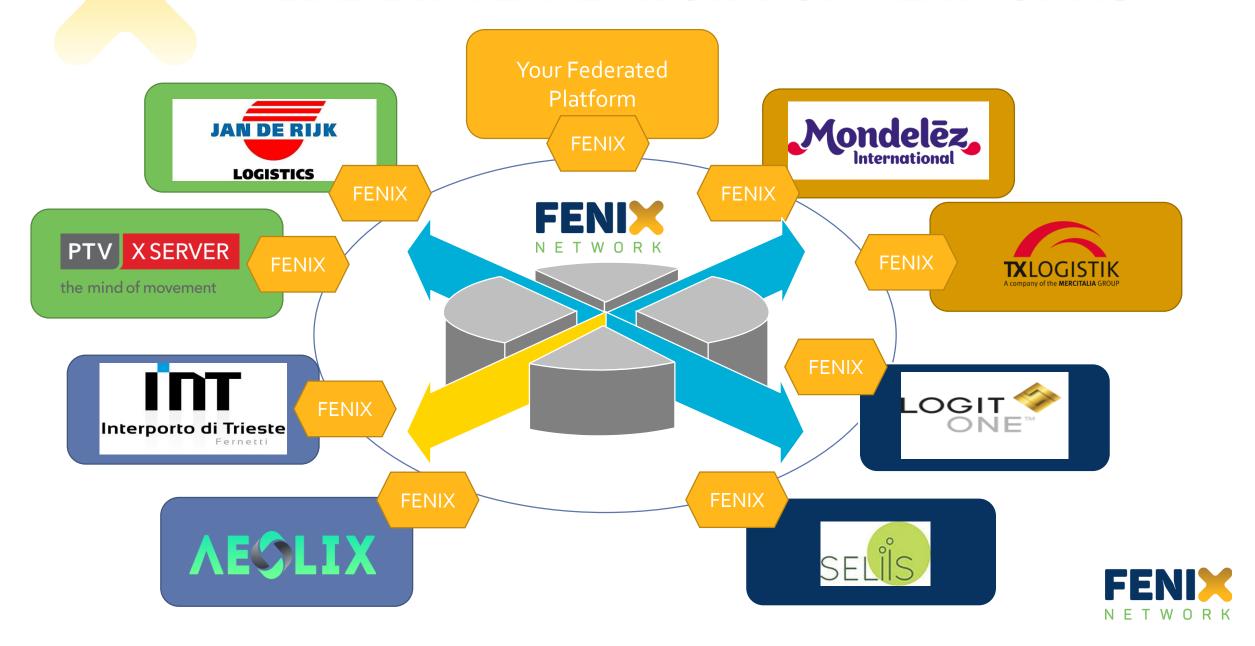




FEDERATIVE NETWORK OF PLATFORMS



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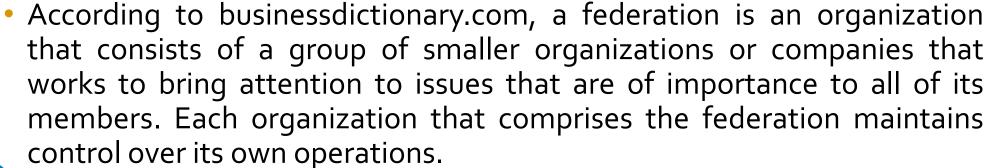


FENIX IT Framework - Design Principles and governance

- **Decentralization**: FENIX does not strive to develop a new centralized solution with its own specific functionalities and does not create another platform. *In federation the different nodes of the network retain their internal control*. **Decentralized access control to data or services** should be put in place.
- Ecosystem of Data and Services: FENIX is composed of platforms, data assets and services. The data and services are made available for secured consumption or sharing via the federated network.
- Trustworthy and Data Sovereignty: Trust is the basis of the FENIX IT Framework, which should provide guidelines to ensure the trustworthy between the federated platforms and support data sovereignty. As well, the communication between the nodes of the federation must be secure.



Federation





- At strategic level, FENIX addressing the vision of a federated network of platforms concept, data sharing, trust and data access control
- At tactical level, FENIX focus is on the governance model and the regulation (rules, guidelines, standards...)
- At delivery level, FENIX provides the technological architecture specification for the federation of platforms and a technological demonstration together with project member's platforms



Decentralized approach



- FENIX architecture does not rely on a centralized platform or software approach
- All trusted and certified platforms that are part of the federation are considered nodes of the network and always retain their internal control.
- Is not a single, central system that mandates one way of operating for everything. Instead, it is a framework. It is a networked collection of platforms that join together and understand each other, based on common rules



Ecosystem of Data and Services



- FENIX is composed of platforms, data assets and services. The data and services are made available for secured consumption or sharing via the federated network.
- FENIX federation enables data sharing between individual platforms, which will be created by means of common protocols for supporting data sharing services (platforms interoperability)
- Stakeholders can communicate with their platform provider of choice, who are held to relevant trust, security, and performance standards by the authorities and FENIX specifications and coordinate with the rest of the network



Trustworthy and Data Sovereignty

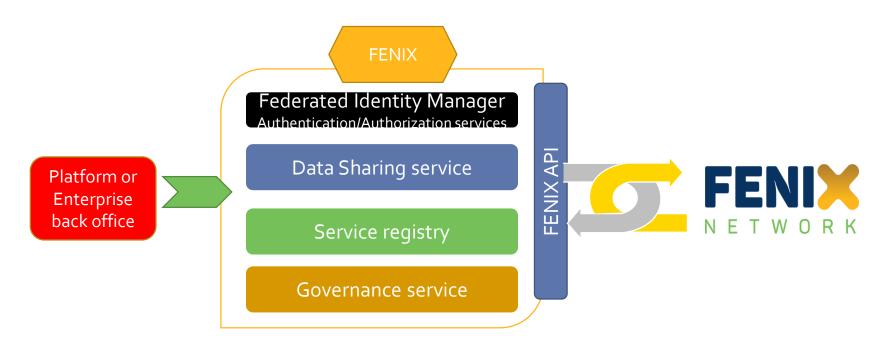


- Trust is essential for digital services, logistics actors will not embrace digital services if they don't trust their data will be protected. FENIX provides guidelines to ensure the trustworthy between the federated platforms and support data sovereignty.
- Data sovereignty means maintaining authority and control of data within jurisdictional boundaries. Together with other security aspects, such as secure communication between nodes of the network, data sovereignty is essential for data security.
- FENIX is federating platforms, is not granting Access to each of the fedplatforms.



FENIX – A federated ecosystem

- Federated services will be implemented with 3 main pillars:
 - Federated Identity Registry
 - Governance and Data Sharing Federated Services
 - Corridor Service Registry
- A new "Gateway/AP/protocol" specification which fits in the business processes based on:
 - Federated identity systems and management: common recognition of credentials, single authentication, common privacy and security policy
 - Building block specification for sharing of logistics-related data governance, services and data sharing (API): Data sharing service, Service (registry) offering, Data / Service discovery







More technical detail > ongoing work User Stories + scenarios + use cases

- Federation members agrees on governance model and rules of the ecosystem.
- Each node of the federated network maintains their own internal control, but share the fedfunctionalities with the rest of the federated platforms
 - The federation will have a special node in the network, acting as 'Certification Node' which its main technical functionality at operational level is to keep an updated registry of the certified and trusted federation nodes that are participants of the network
- Each node of the network must enable data exchange functionalities and communication among the different nodes to allow members of the federation the ability of collaboration between them and share data assets or access to services. Access policies for data and services
- Each node of the federation provides a broker functionality composed by a service catalog and discovery service, > lookup of the available members, data assets or services available in each of the fed-nodes + a distributed catalog of services and data
 - harmonized data and service description
- Data privacy and user pseudonymization must be respected.
- To use the data, the data consumer must fully accept the data owner's usage policy



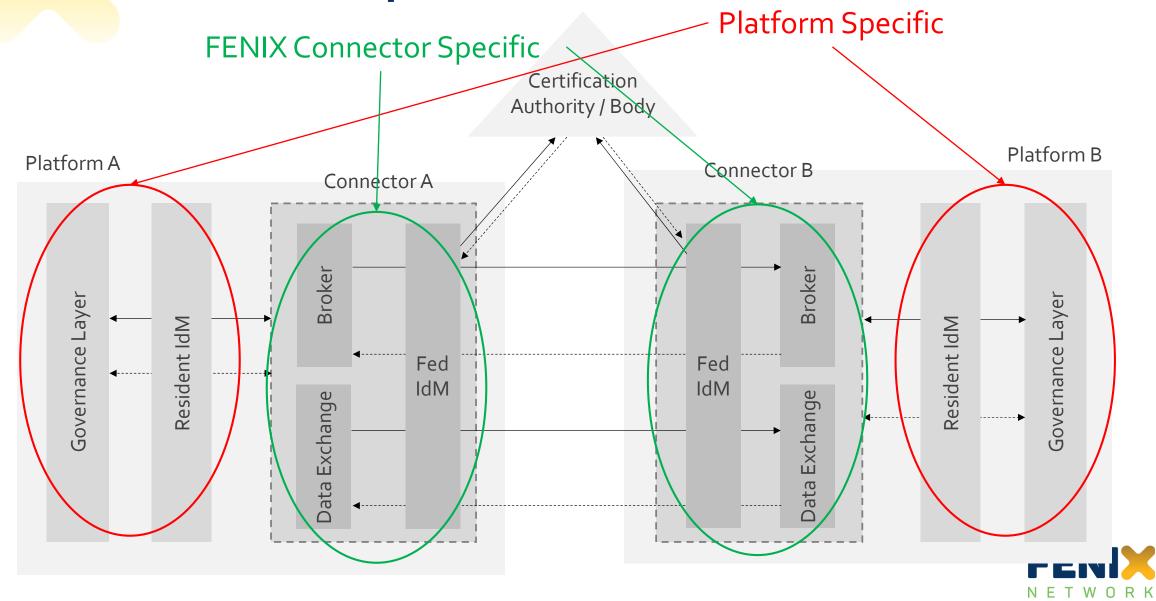
FENIX Connector Specifics

• Identified User Stories & Use Cases

User Story ID	User Story
F-US-001	Become a member of the FENIX federation
F-US-002	Get available resources from other FENIX members
F-US-003	Request Access to make use of any available resource
F-US-004	Authorize to make use of a resource
F-US-005	Send/Receive Data through the FENIX connector



FENIX Connector Specifics



The FENIX Connector Specification

- Security
 - Certificates -> Machine to Machine Communication
 - o TLS v1.3 and mTLS
- Identification & Authorization Access Token, Oauth 2.0
- Catalogue of Resources
- Data Exchange
 - Communication Patterns
- FENIX message Structure



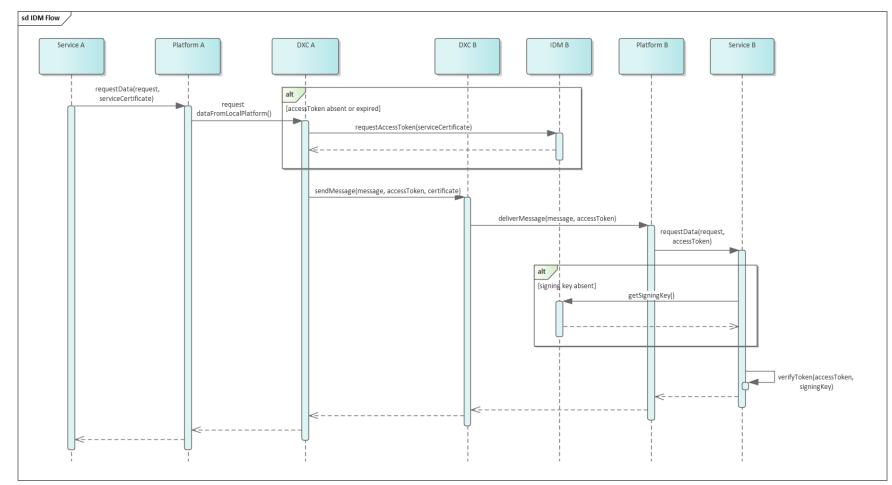
The FENIX Connector Specification - Security

- FENIX provides a Machine to Machine Communication through the FENIX connectors
 - The data platforms remain their operation in the same way
 - No need to identify users between connectors, only platform/services certificates
- Usage of Certificates
- TLS v1.3 and mTLS to provide a secure environment using HTTPS connections and data encryption using RSA ciphers



The FENIX Connector Specification – Identification & Authorization

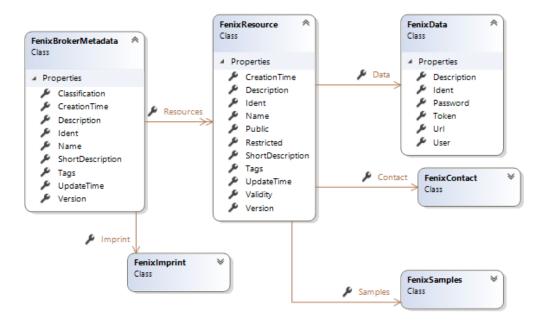
- FENIX Connectors must perform a negotiation to start exchanging information
- Generation of access token between connectors to execute operations
- Oauth 2.0 protocol based on JWT

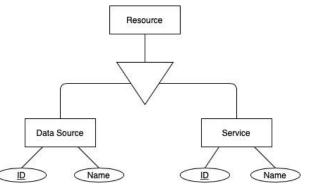




The FENIX Connector Specification – Catalogue of Resources

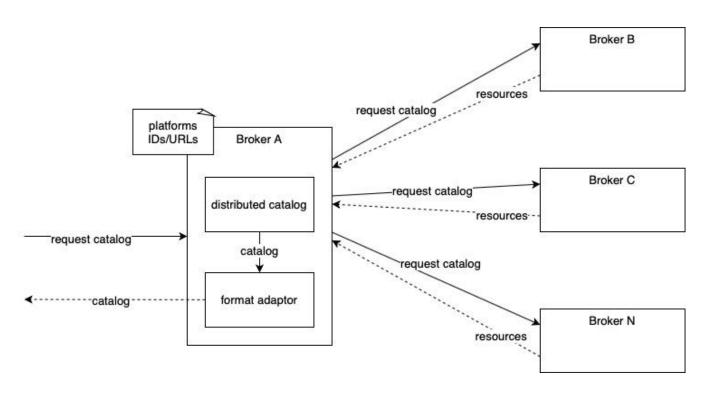
- Any member of the FENIX federation can share or consume Resources
- Every platform must generate its catalogue of resources following an schema containing different kinds of information about the resource:
 - Identifier
 - Resource name
 - Fenix Classification
 - Description
 - Tags
 - Contact for the resource & Imprint
 - Data, Documentation & Samples
 - Scope: Public or Resticted







The FENIX Connector Specification – Catalogue of Resources & Access to Resource



- Any member can check the available resources in the FENIX federation.
- The FENIX connector must obtain every catalogue of resources from every member. This operation will be done using the Broker component.
- To access one resource, the data user must request access to the resource owner
- The request is done via the FENIX connector, but it is up to the resource owner to grant access to it



The FENIX Connector Specification – Data Exchange

- To exchange data between FENIX connectors, it has been specified 3 different communication patterns:
 - Request/Response Pattern
 - Publish/Subscription Pattern
 - EDI Pattern
- Definition of the data exchange process for each of them (sequence diagrams)
- Definition of the API needed for the Request/Response Pattern (first version)
- Design of the Publish/Subscription pattern using a common Queueing System



The FENIX Connector Specification – Data Exchange

- Every message transferred between connectors must follow the same structure
- It contains context information and can be provided in different formats: json, xml, ...
- The FENIX Connector does NOT deal with the original content. It is encapsulated within the FENIX message structure
- It is up to each platform to understand the original message format

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     "message_id" : 'Unique FENIX message identifier',
     "conn_origin_id" : 'ID from the FENIX Connector at origin',
     "conn origin url" : 'URL from the FENIX Connector at origin'
     "usr origin": 'User that sends the message from platform A',
     "usr_dest" : 'User, from platoform B, that must receive the message',
     "sent_at" : 'Timestamp at the message is sent, expressed in UTC',
     "msq_type" : [ //Defines the type of message that is being sent
        "access_request": 'Access request',
        "data record" : 'The message is a data record',
        "service_request" : 'The message is a service request',
        "service_response" : 'The message is a service response',
        "resource_catalogue" : 'The message is to retreive the catalogue of resource',
        "resource_grant_response" : 'The message is a response to a resource_grant_request',
            "ds name" : 'If the Resource type is a dataSource, the data source name is needed'
           "srvc_id" : 'If the Resource_type is a service, the service ID is needed',
           "srvc name" : 'If the Resource type is a service, the service ID is needed
     "mic" : 'Message Integrity Code'
   "original_msg" : { //Contains the message in its format at origin
      "msq_standard" : 'Specifies if the message follows an specific standard: EDIFACT, UBL...',
      "msg_body" : 'Original body of the message'
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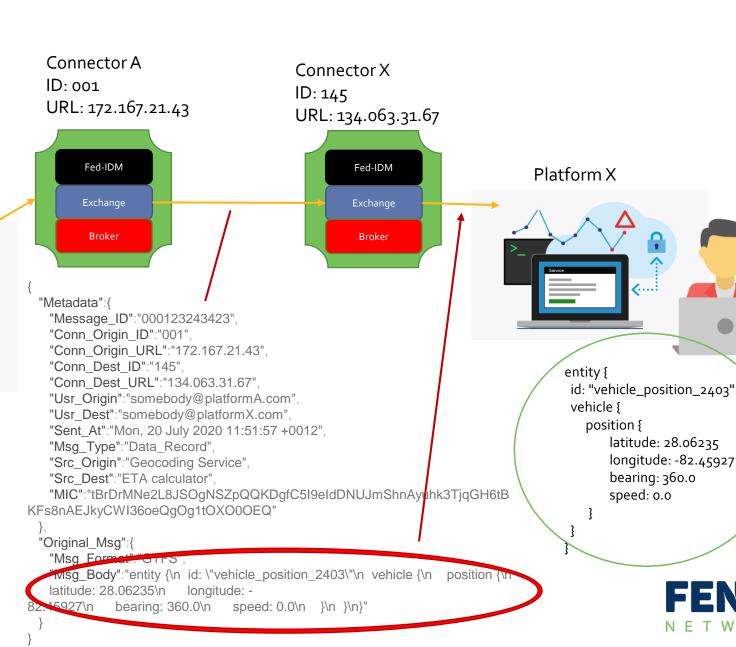
FENIX message example

Latitude,

Platform A



entity { id: "vehicle_position_2403" vehicle { position { latitude: 28.06235 longitude: -82.45927 bearing: 360.0 speed: o.o



position {

latitude: 28.06235

bearing: 360.0

speed: o.o

longitude: -82.45927

FENIX -> Future of Logistics

- TRUST: Trust is the basis of the FENIX. To use the data, the data consumer must fully accept the data owner's usage policy.
- **ECOSYSTEM OF DATA**: pursues the idea of decentralization of data storage, which means that data physically remains with the respective data owner until it is transferred to a trusted party.
- STANDARDIZED INTEROPERABILITY: is implemented in different variants and can be acquired from different vendors.
- VALUE ADDING APPS: includes also services for data processing, data format alignment, and data exchange protocols.
- **DATA MARKETS**: FENIX enables the creation of novel, data-driven services that make use of data apps.
- PI: FENIX enables the creation of new ICT infrastructure to support operations in future PI logistics networks









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