

Making Privacy Operational

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What is the ISTPA?



- The International Security, Trust and Privacy Alliance (ISTPA), founded in 1999, is a global alliance of companies, institutions and technology providers working together to clarify and resolve existing and evolving issues related to security, trust, and privacy
- ISTPA's focus is on the protection of personal information (PI)

ISTPA's Perspective on Privacy

- **Operational – Technical, Operational Focus**
 - ◆ ...“making Privacy Operational”
 - ◆ based on legal, policy and business process drivers
 - ◆ privacy management is multi-dimensional with extended lifecycle requirements

- **Privacy Framework v1.1** published in 2002
 - ◆ supports the full “Lifecycle” of Personal Information

- **“Analysis of Privacy Principles: An Operational Study”** published in 2007

- See www.istpa.org for downloads

Three Dimensions of Privacy Management

- **Principles/Legislation/Policies**
 - ◆ Requirements and constraints on the collection and use of personal information by government and private sector organizations

- **Business Processes**
 - ◆ Data collection, processing and storage systems and business applications which make use of PI

- **Operational Privacy Management and Compliance**
 - ◆ Architectures and applications which incorporate standardized privacy management services and controls

Principles/Legislation/Policies

“Analysis of Privacy Principles: An Operational Study”

Laws, Directives, Codes Analyzed

The Privacy Act of 1974 (U.S.)
OECD Privacy Guidelines
UN Guidelines
EU Data Protection Directive
Canadian Standards
Association Model Code
Health Insurance Portability and
Accountability Act (HIPAA)

US FTC Fair Information
Practice Principles
US-EU Safe Harbor Privacy
Principles
Australian Privacy Act
Japan Personal Information
Protection Act
APEC Privacy Framework
California Security Breach
Bill

Analysis Methodology

- **Select** representative international privacy laws and directives
- **Analyze** disparate language, definitions and expressed requirements
- **Parse** expressed requirements into working set of privacy categories and terms
- **Cross-map** common and unique requirements
- **Establish** basis for a *revised* operational privacy framework to ensure ISTPA Framework Services supports full suite of requirements

Comparative Analysis-Sample

■ OECD Guidelines – 1980

- ◆ Collection Limitation
- ◆ Data Quality
- ◆ Purpose Specification
- ◆ Use Limitation
- ◆ Security Safeguards
- ◆ Openness
- ◆ Individual Participation
- ◆ Accountability

■ Australian Privacy Principles – 2001

- ◆ Collection
- ◆ Use and Disclosure
- ◆ Data Quality
- ◆ Data Security
- ◆ Openness
- ◆ Access and Correction
- ◆ Identifiers
- ◆ Anonymity
- ◆ Transborder Data Flows
- ◆ Sensitive Information

Derived Privacy Requirements

- **Accountability**
 - **Notice**
 - **Consent**
 - **Collection Limitation**
 - **Use Limitation**
 - **Disclosure**
 - **Access & Correction**
 - **Security/Safeguards**
 - **Data Quality**
 - **Enforcement**
 - **Openness**
- **Less common:**
 - **Anonymity**
 - **Data Flow**
 - **Sensitivity**

What we Discovered

Example: Notice Principle

- **Notice:** Information regarding an entity's privacy policies and practices includes
 1. definition of the personal information collected
 2. its use (purpose specification)
 3. its disclosure to parties within or external to the entity
 4. practices associated with the maintenance and protection of the information
 5. options available to the data subject regarding the collector's privacy practices
 6. changes made to policies or practices
 7. information provided to data subject at designated times and under designated circumstances

PI Lifecycle Implications of “Notice”

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**PI
Collection**

Use, Linkage, Re-use, Aggregation

Destruction?



changes made to policies or practices

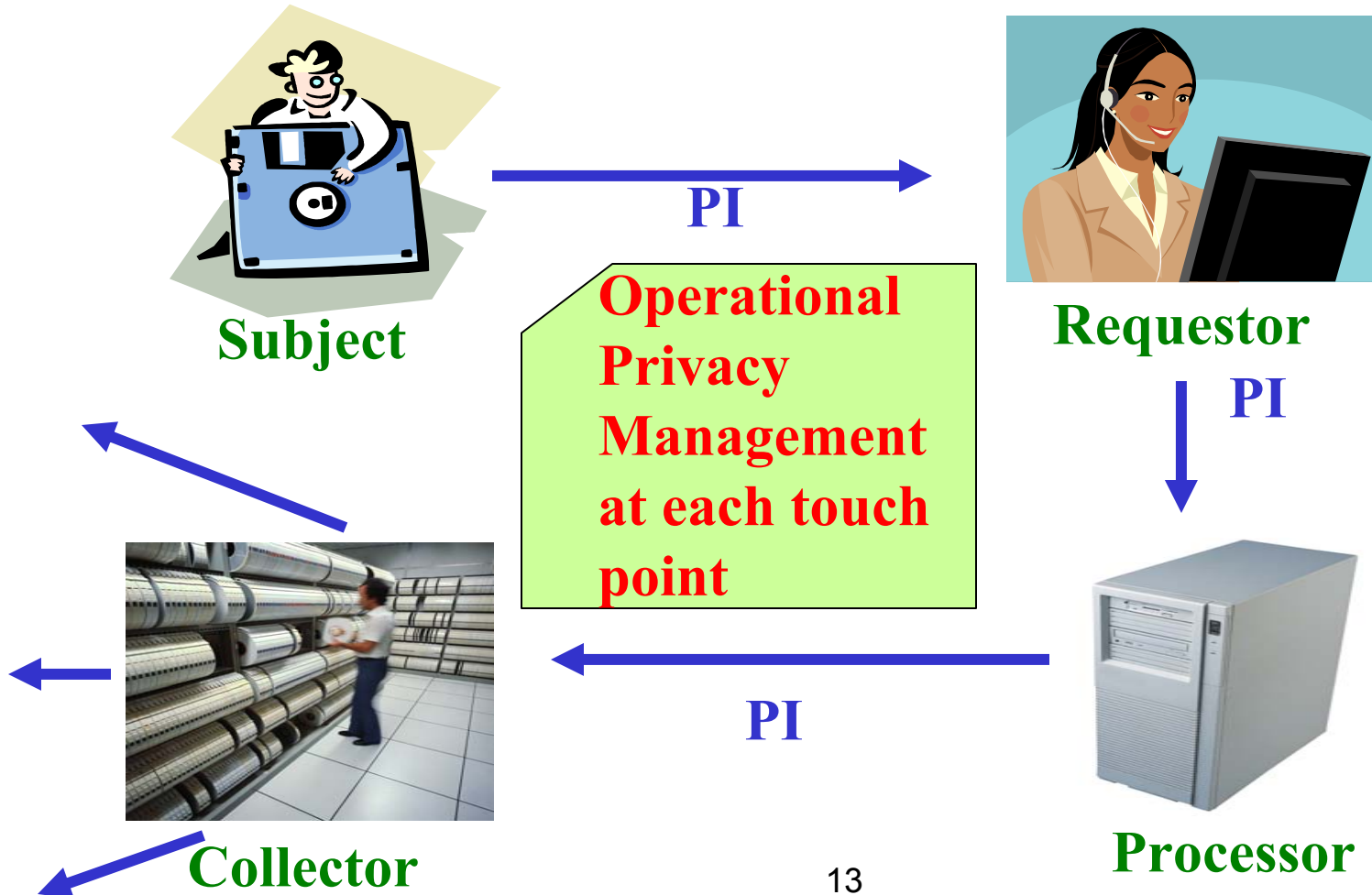
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Operational Privacy Management

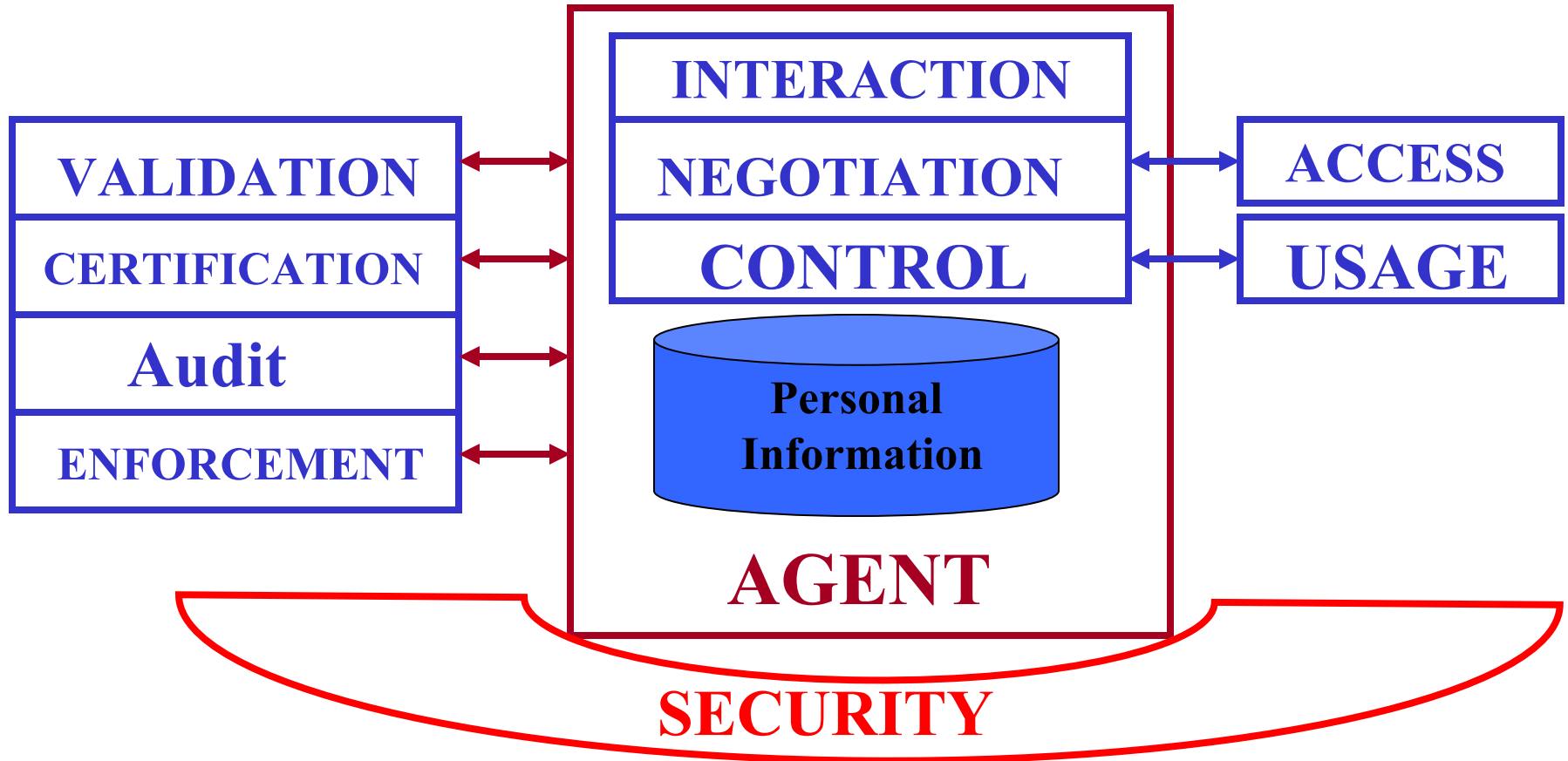
Revising the Framework

PI Life Cycle Perspective

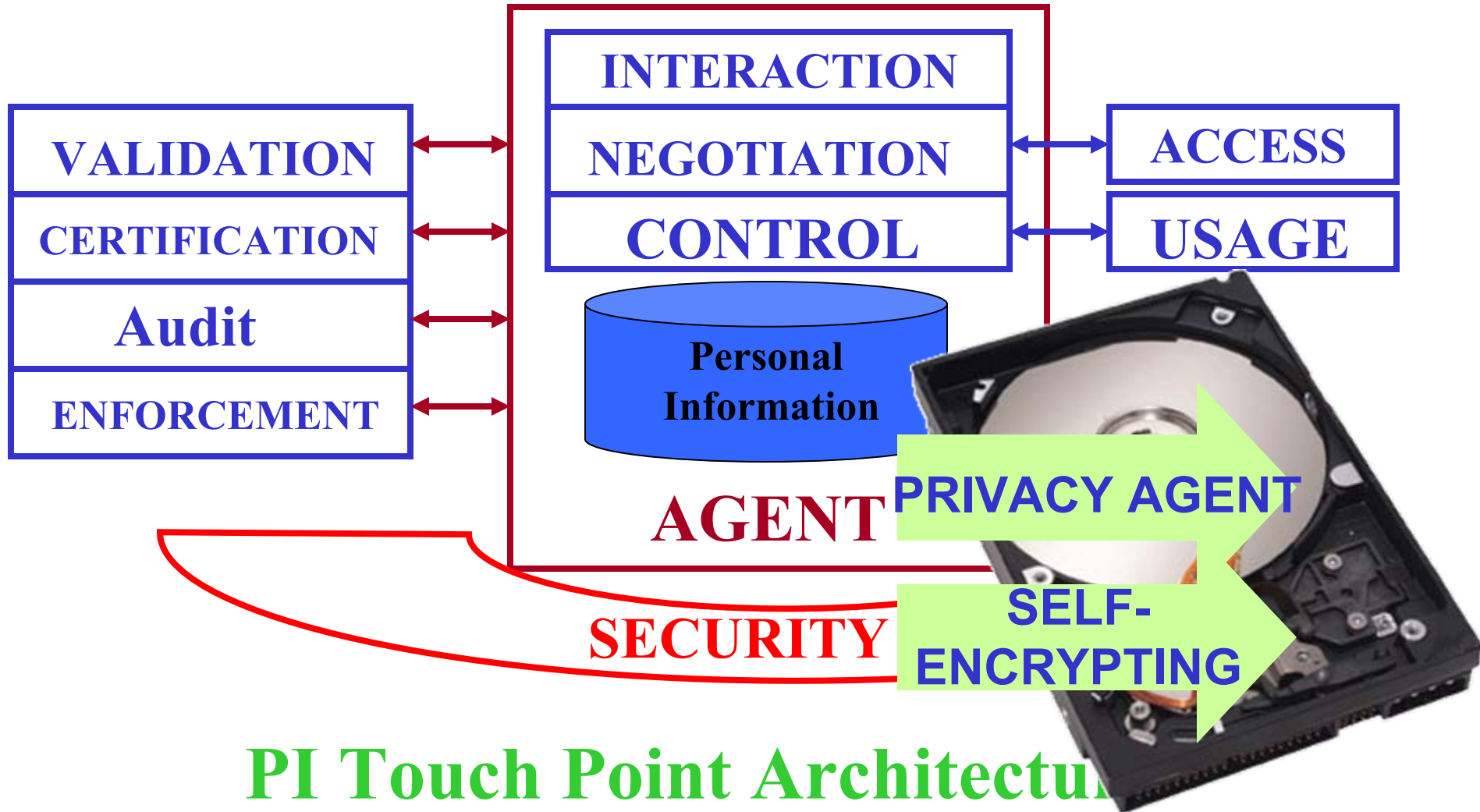


Designing a Privacy Management System

Step by Step



PI Touch Point Architecture



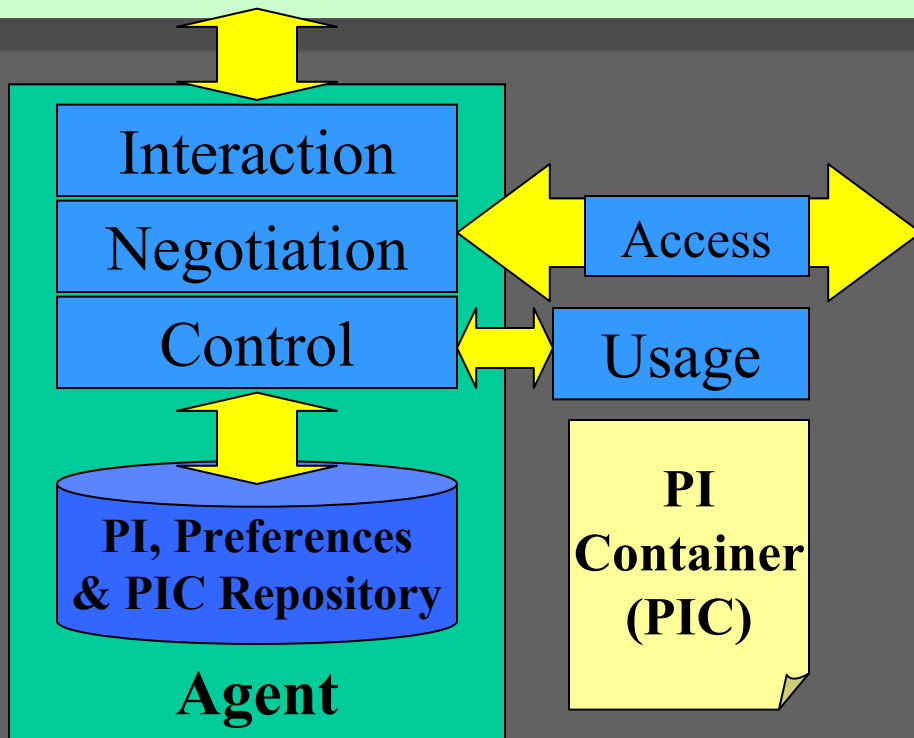
PI Touch Point Architecture

ISTPA Privacy Framework Services

- **Control** – policy – data management
- **Certification** – credentials, trusted processes
- **Interaction** - manages data/preferences/notice
- **Negotiation** – of agreements, rules, permissions
- **Agent** – software that carries out processes
- **Usage** – data use, aggregation, anonymization
- **Audit** – independent, verifiable accountability
- **Validation** - checks accuracy of PI
- **Enforcement** – including redress for violations
- **Access** - subject review/suggest updates to PI

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PI Touch Point



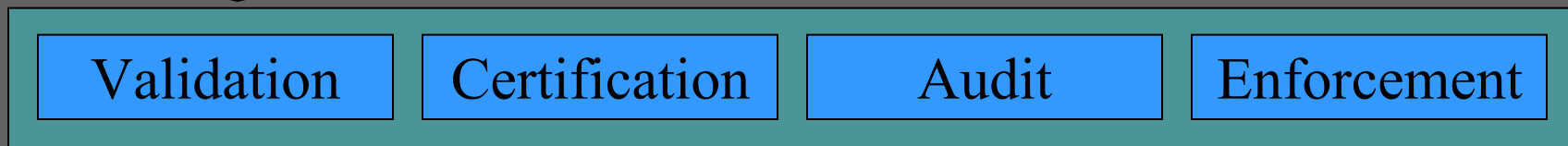
- Each Touch Point node configured with operational stack

- Privacy Policy is an input “parameter” to Control

- Agent is the Touch Point programming persona

-PIC contains PI and usage agreements

Assurance Services

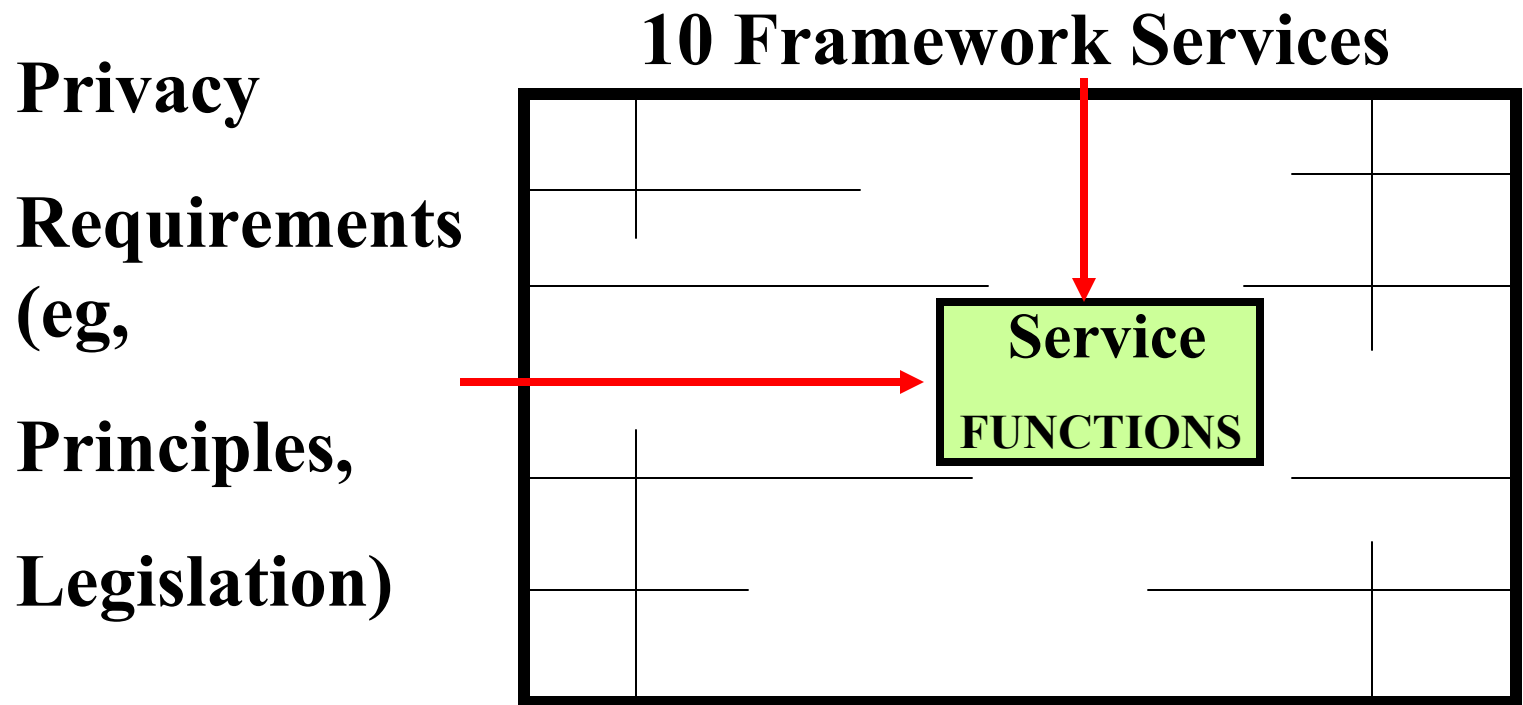


Security Foundation

Legal, Regulatory, and Policy Context

Converting Privacy Requirements to Privacy Management Operations

- **“Matrix” Conversion (ISTPA ToolKit Process):**



Next Steps for the ISTPA Privacy Framework

- Undergoing revision now
- Using the *Analysis* findings, major revisions to Service definitions and lifecycle issues for integrating services
- ISTPA has joined the OASIS standards organization as an institutional member to explore standards development
- *We welcome your input and support!*

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