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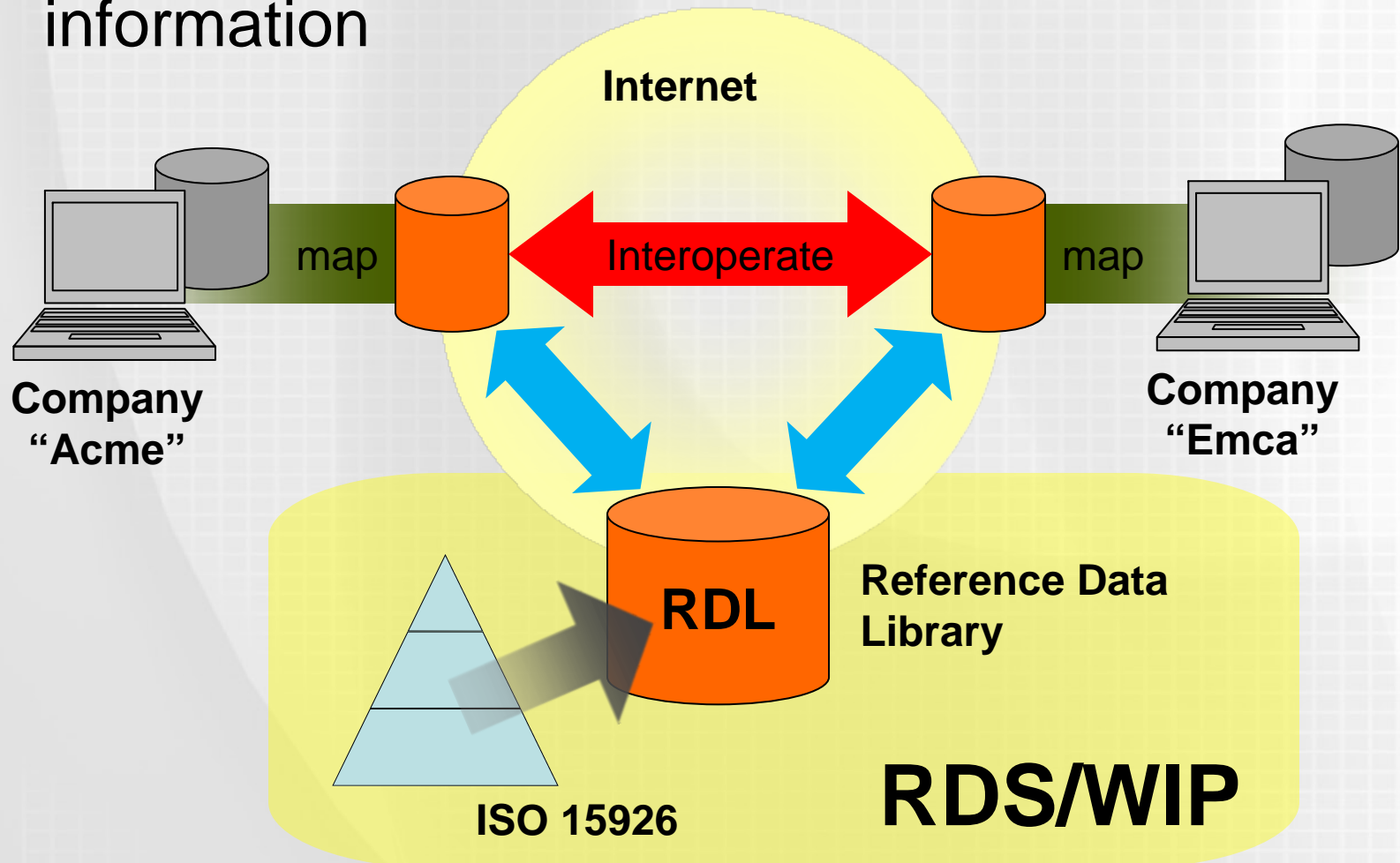
## The iRING

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# What is ISO 15926?

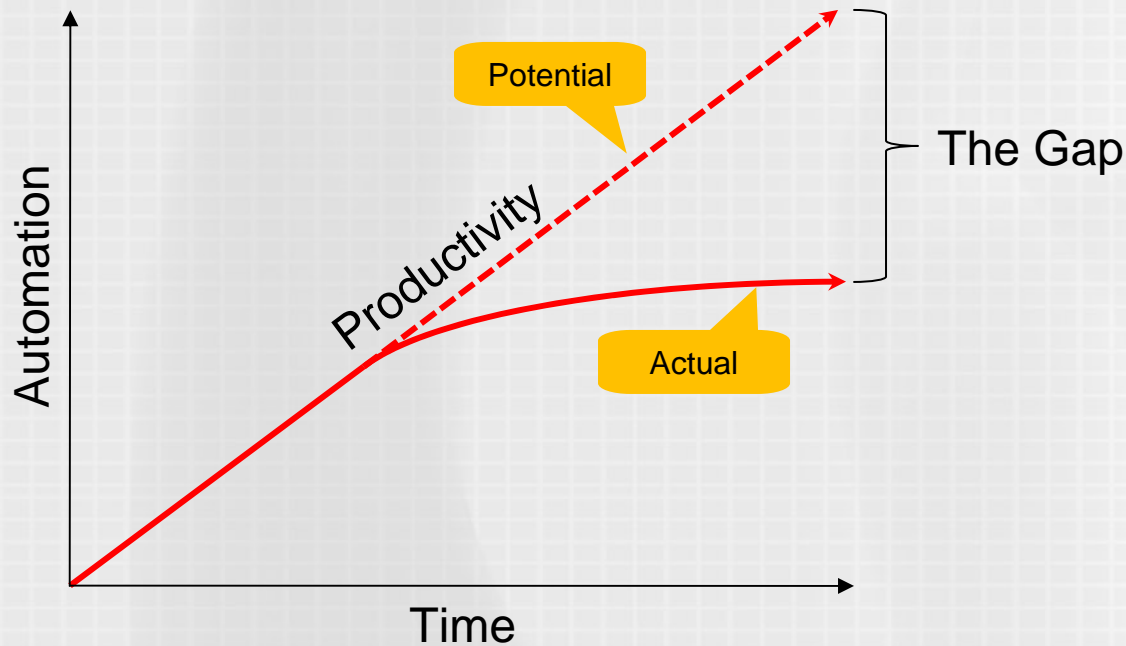
- Simple answer: ISO 15926 is a standard for interoperability and the integration of lifecycle information



# Questions?

- Is ISO 15926 something you would use between companies?
- Is ISO 15926 something you would use inside your company?
- What is your interest in ISO 15926
  - Data exchange?
  - Integration?
  - Reporting?
  - Analysis?
  - Visualization?
  - Knowledge search?

# Productivity

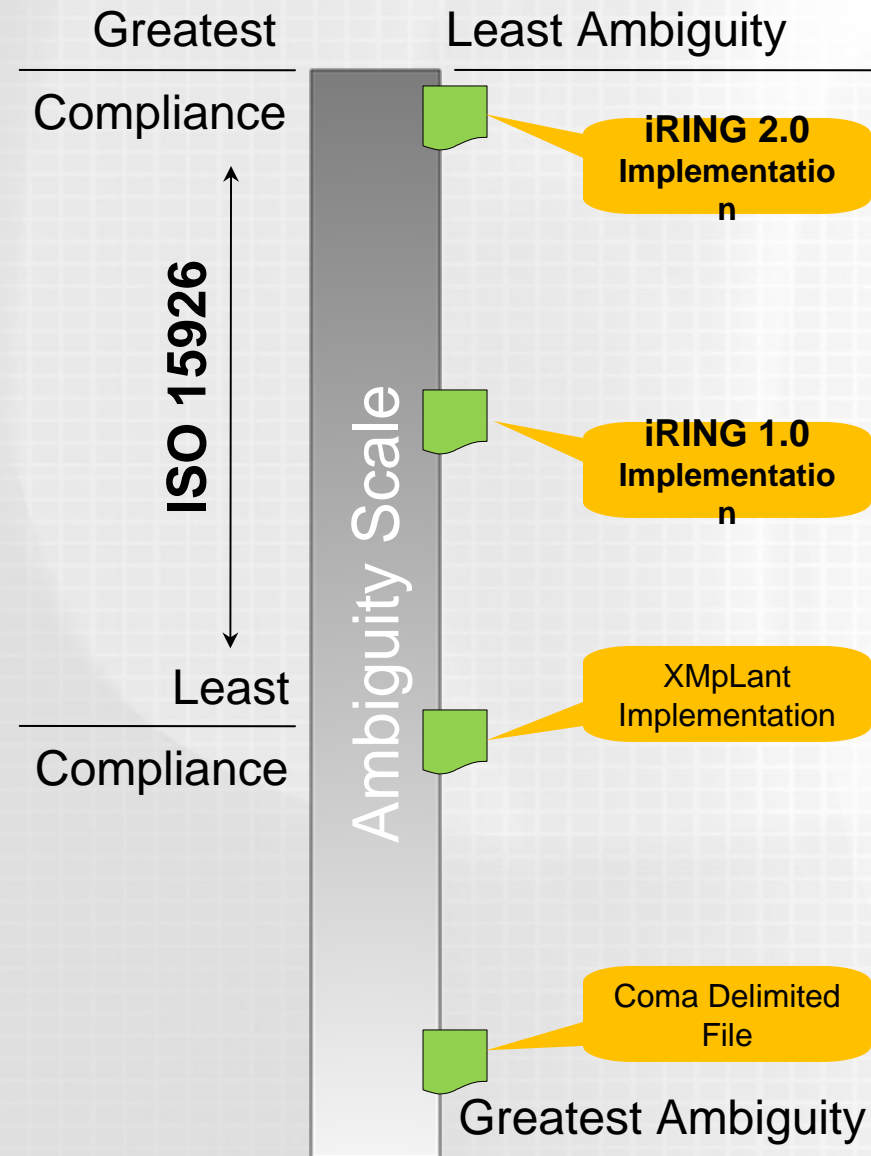


- Use of automation has resulted in productivity improvement but gains are not keeping pace with investment and expectations
- How can we break through the “Gap”?

# Information Ambiguity

- Data exchanges operate most successfully when ambiguity is eliminated
- Ambiguity between exchanging partners can require significant effort (labor) to remove
- The higher the ambiguity, the higher the cost to implement effective and efficient data exchanges

**Ambiguity = Cost**



# Information Modeling

- When we apply automation, we focus on our processes
- Our information tends to be implied or is assumed
- Our current approach to information modeling results in a certain amount of ambiguity
- To gain productivity and close the “Gap” we need to rethink how we model our information
- *Information Modeling is at the core of ISO 15926*
- *ISO 15926 Information Modeling is the key to removing ambiguity*



# Top Down versus Bottom Up Modeling

Top Down: The best get together to make the ultimate industry models

An illustration on a green background depicting a 'Business Driven' approach. It shows a person in a suit talking on a mobile phone, a laptop, a keyboard, and a hand holding a credit card. In the background, there are icons of an industrial plant and a city skyline. The text 'Business Driven' is written in large, blue, bold letters with a white outline.

**Business Driven**

Bottom Up: You are on a project and you need the model now!

# You need a Data Exchange Solution



**Step right up!**

**We got your  
data exchange  
solution!**



**Information  
Modeling inside**

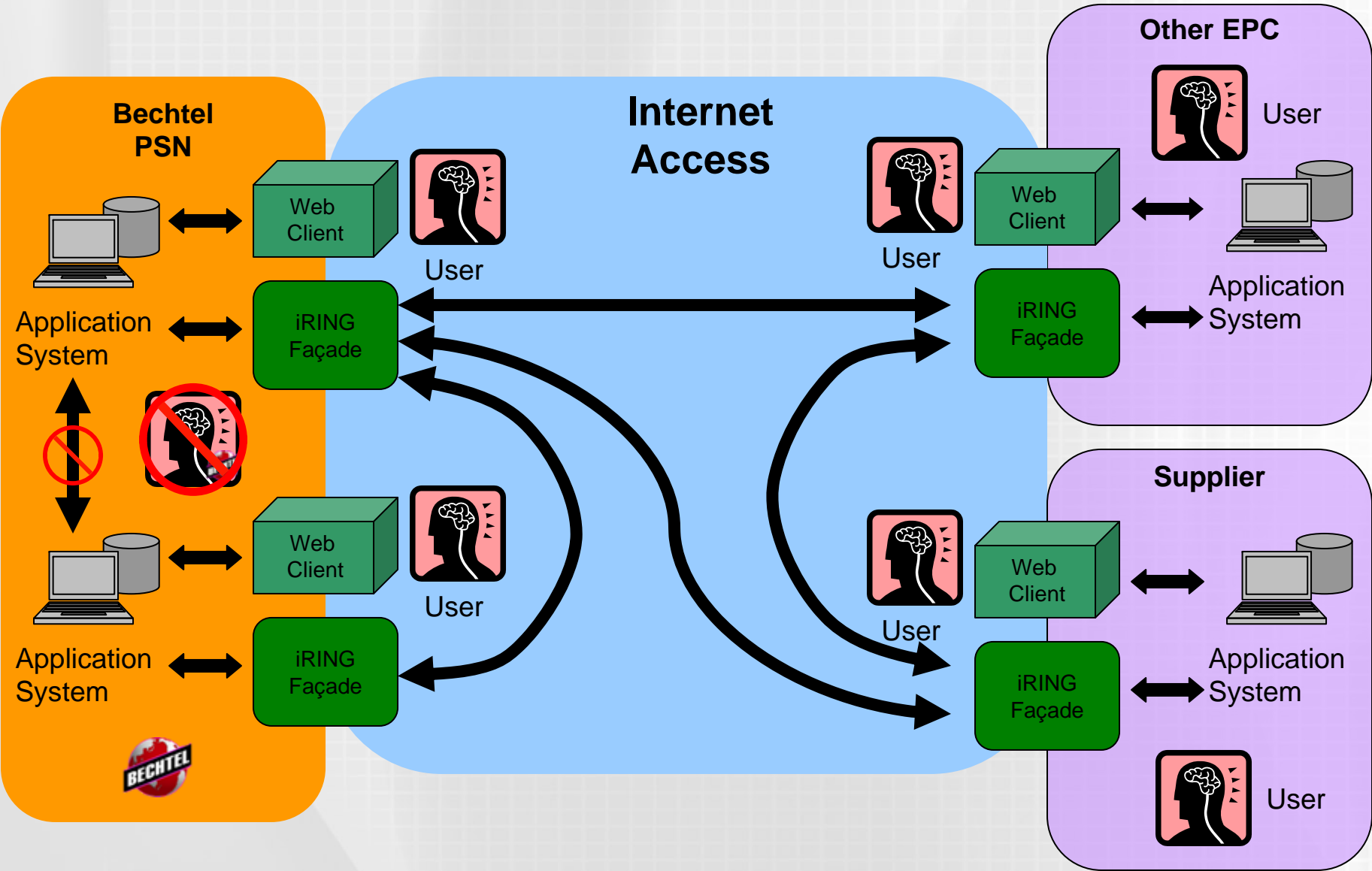


# Extending Beyond Data Exchange

- Lifecycle information integration
- Cross-application reporting
- Analysis
- Visualization
- Knowledge search
- Other...



# Internal versus External



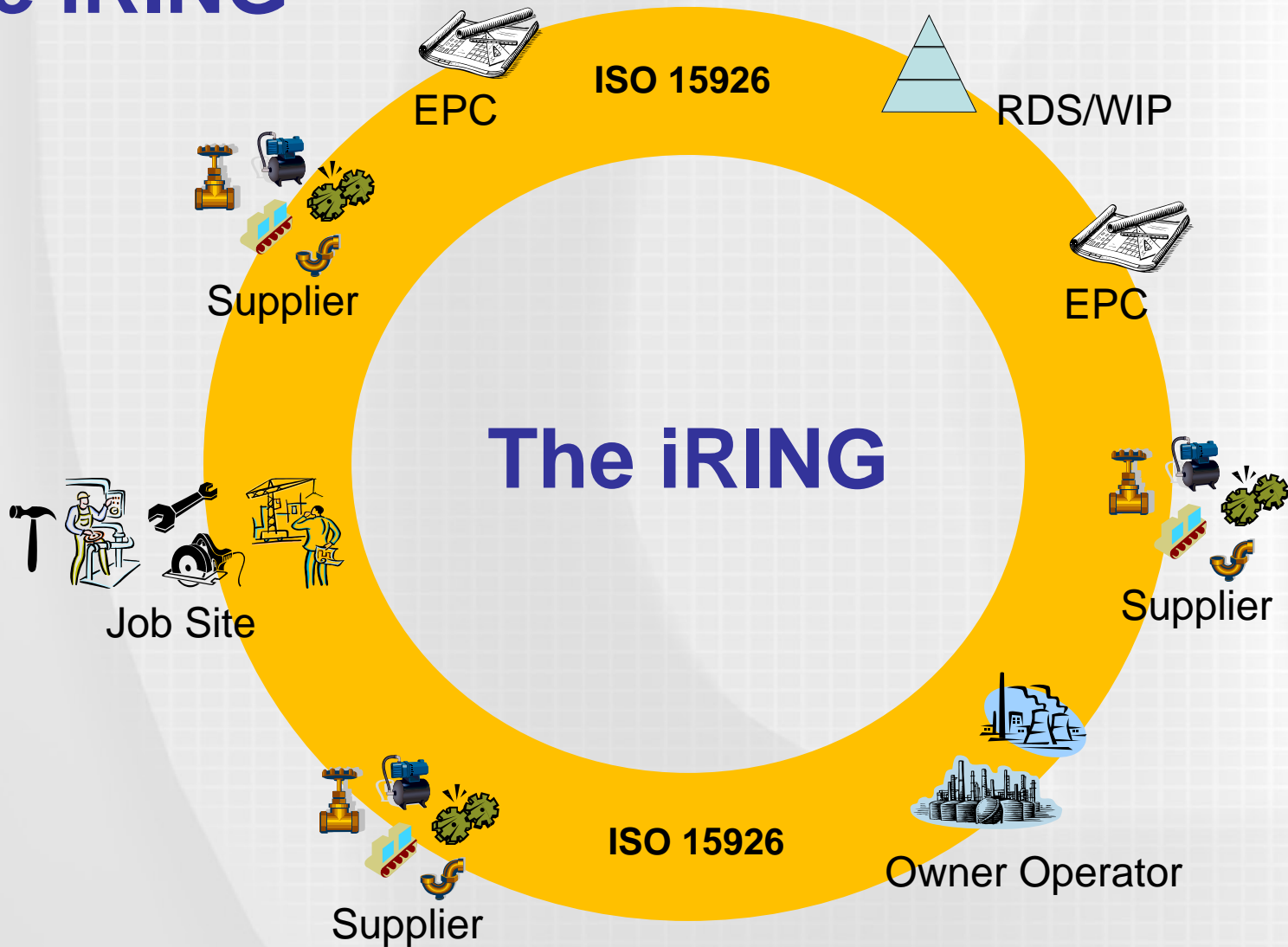
# Camelot and the iRING

- Camelot is an industry collaboration project (POSC Caesar/FIATECH, IDS-ADI)
- Companies participating in Camelot:
  - Bechtel
  - Bentley
  - Chevron
  - Consolidated Contractors Company (CCC)
  - DNV
  - Emerson Process Management
  - Fluor
  - Hatch
  - NRX Global
  - Tata Consultancy Services (TCS)

# Camelot Objectives

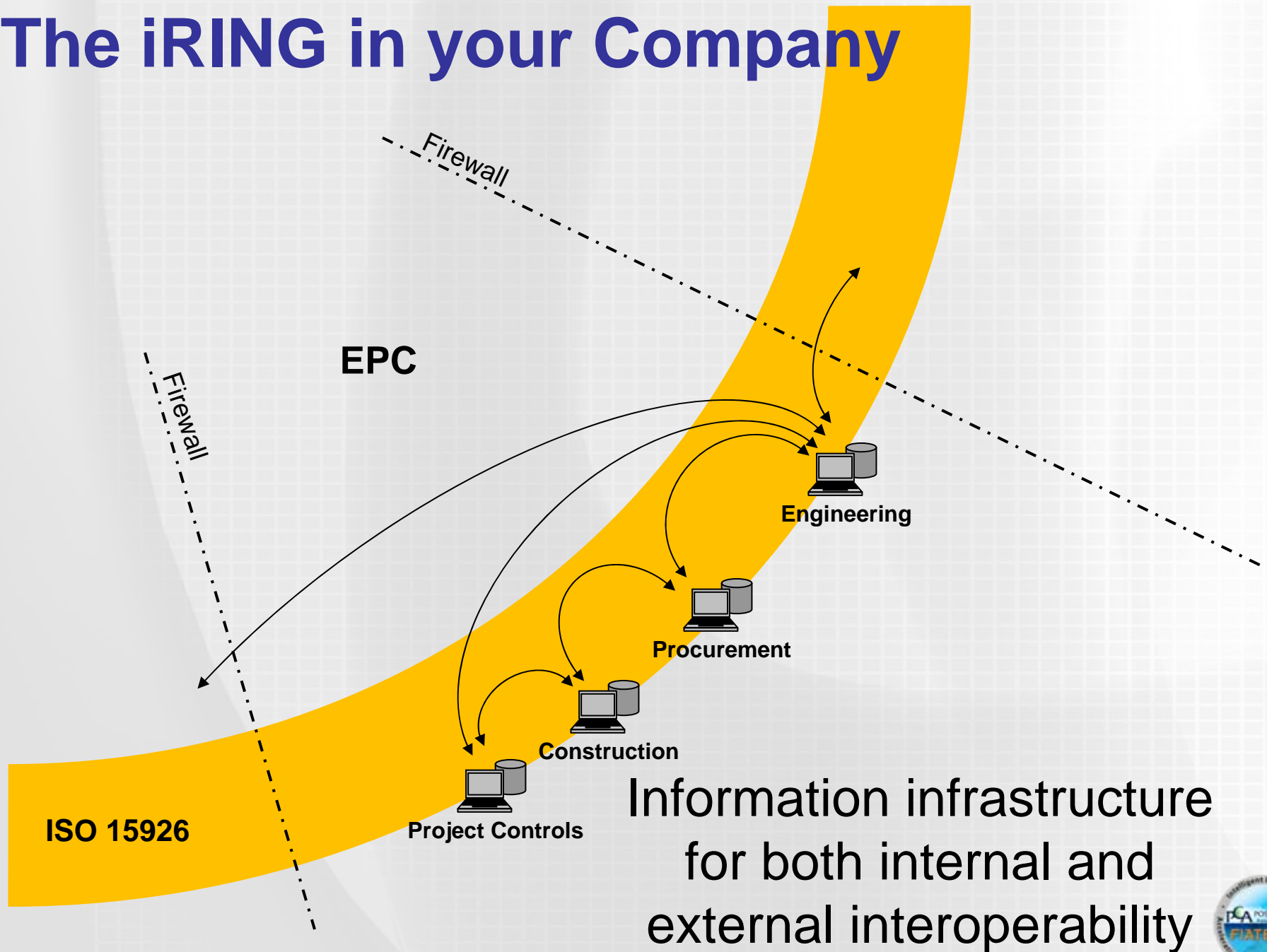
- To build and deploy an ISO 15926, open source infrastructure on the internet and to show the following capabilities:
    - The use of ISO 15926 in modeling business information
    - The setup, configuration, and use of publicly available tools to map legacy systems to ISO 15926
    - The demonstration of several data exchange scenarios between several companies using ISO 15926 over the internet
- ... and make all of the deliverables available in the public domain, ready for business use by May 28<sup>th</sup> 2009*

# The iRING



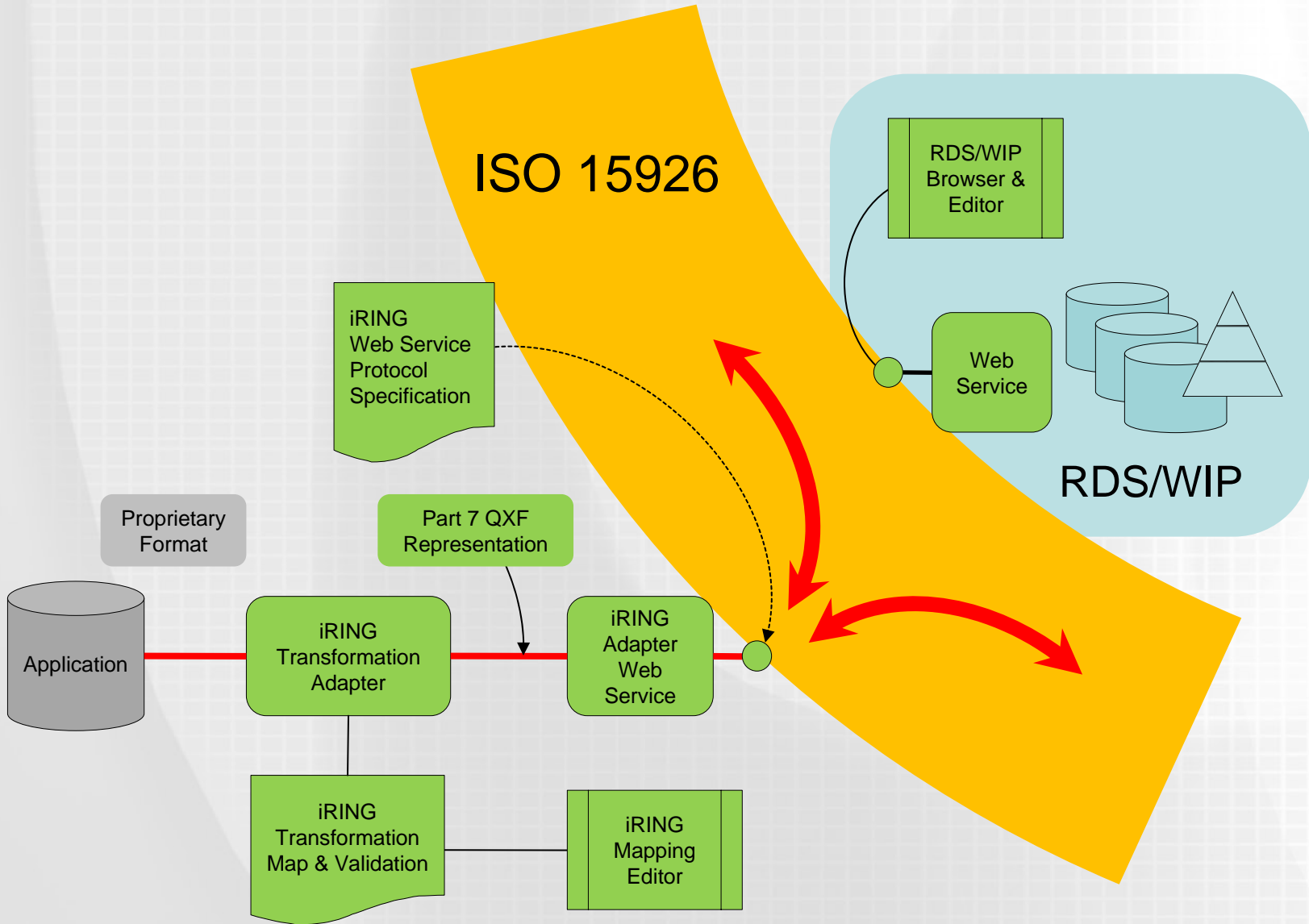
## ISO 15926 Realtime Interoperability Network Grid

# The iRING in your Company





# iRING v1.0 Deliverable



Note: Components shown in green are included in the May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2009 delivery

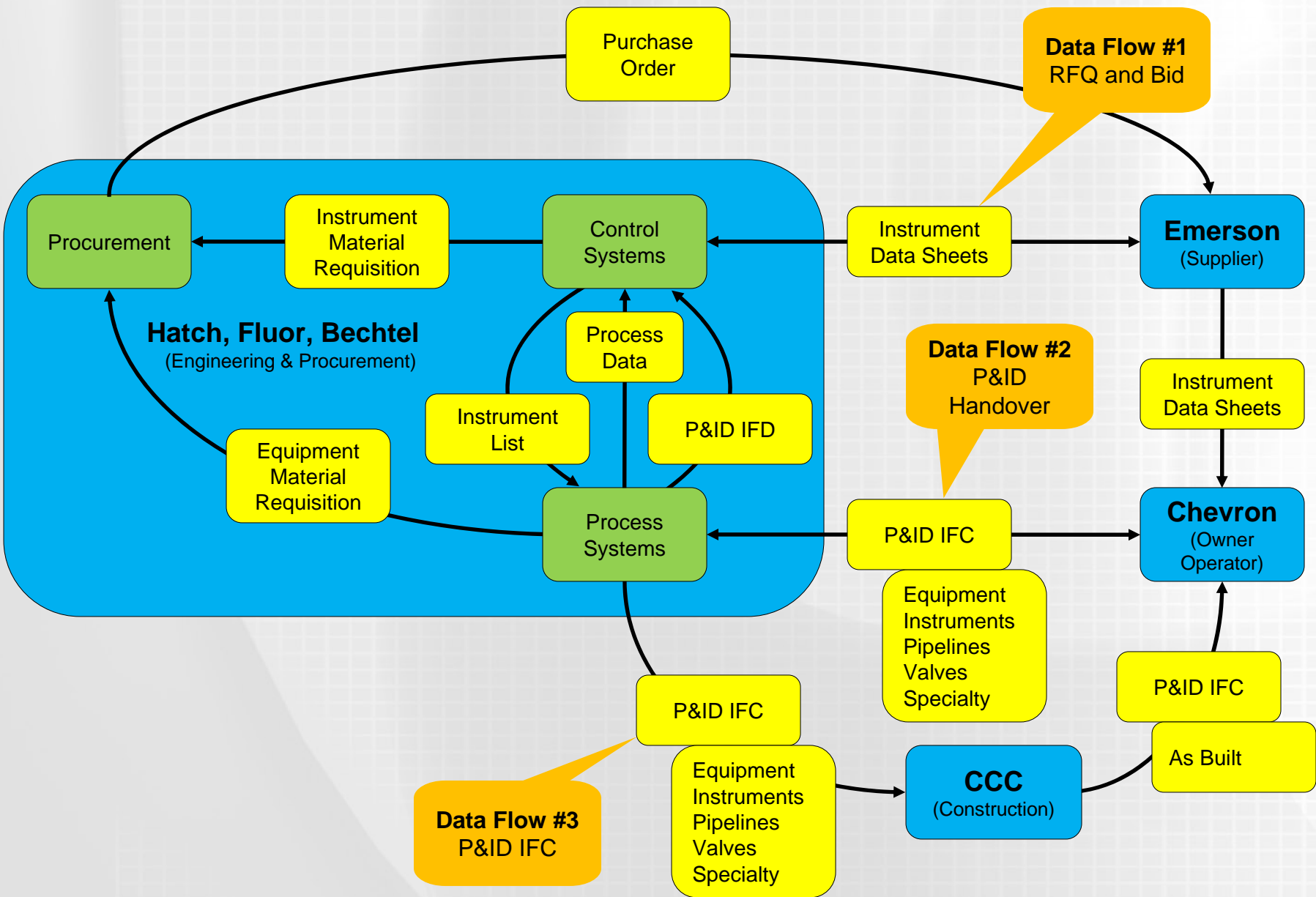


# iRING – The Demonstration

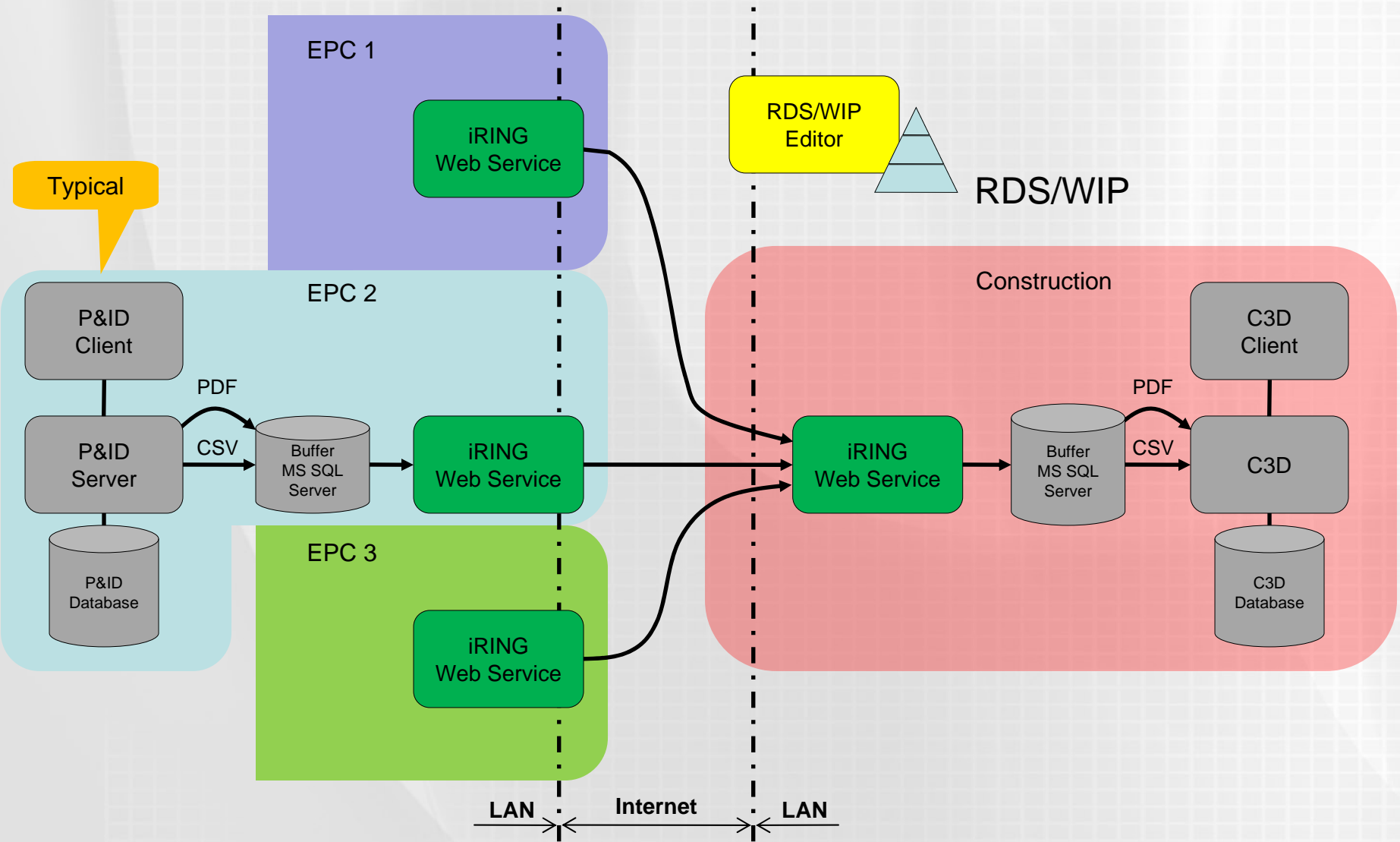
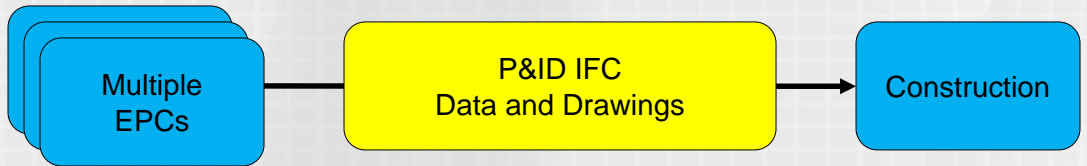


- Camelot project will demonstrate the iRING and Information Modeling at the FIATECH Conference in Las Vegas, April 6-7, 2009

# Camelot Demonstration Storyboard



# EPC to Construction – Data Flow #3



# The Takeaways...

- Demonstration at FIATECH, April 6 – 7<sup>th</sup>  
[www.fiatech.org](http://www.fiatech.org)
- iRING available May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2009  
<https://secure.ids-adi.org/repository/org/ids-adi/camelot>
- IDS-ADI Project – <http://ids-adi.org>

## Get the iRING!

# Your Questions?