

# THE PRIVACY REQUIREMENTS DILEMMA - NOW THE END-USER CAN SPECIFY PRIVACY REQUIREMENTS - BUT DOES (S)HE REALLY WANT TO?

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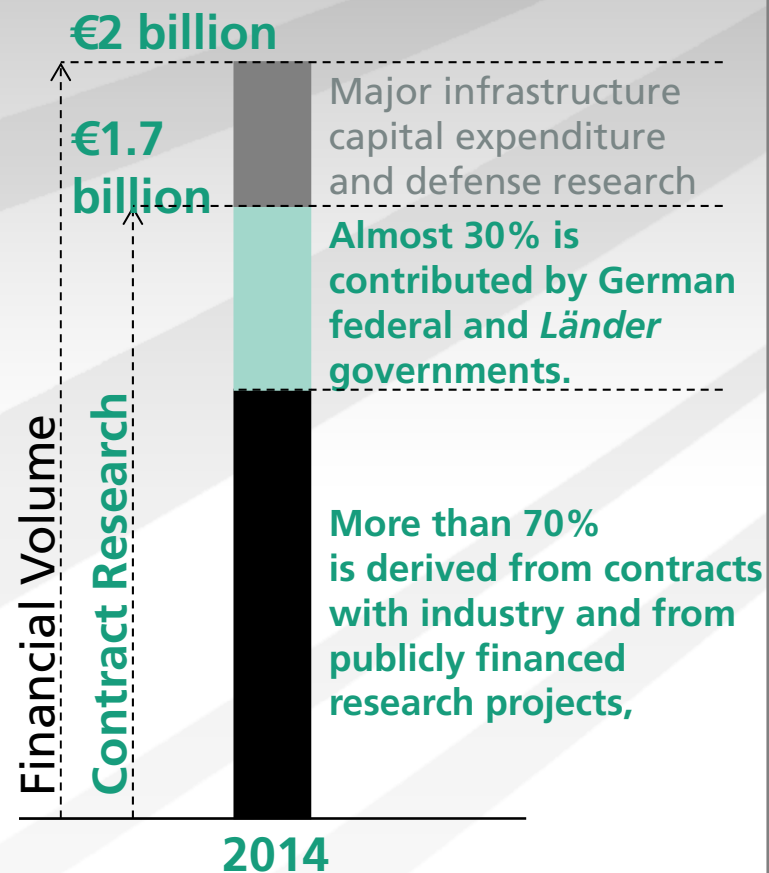
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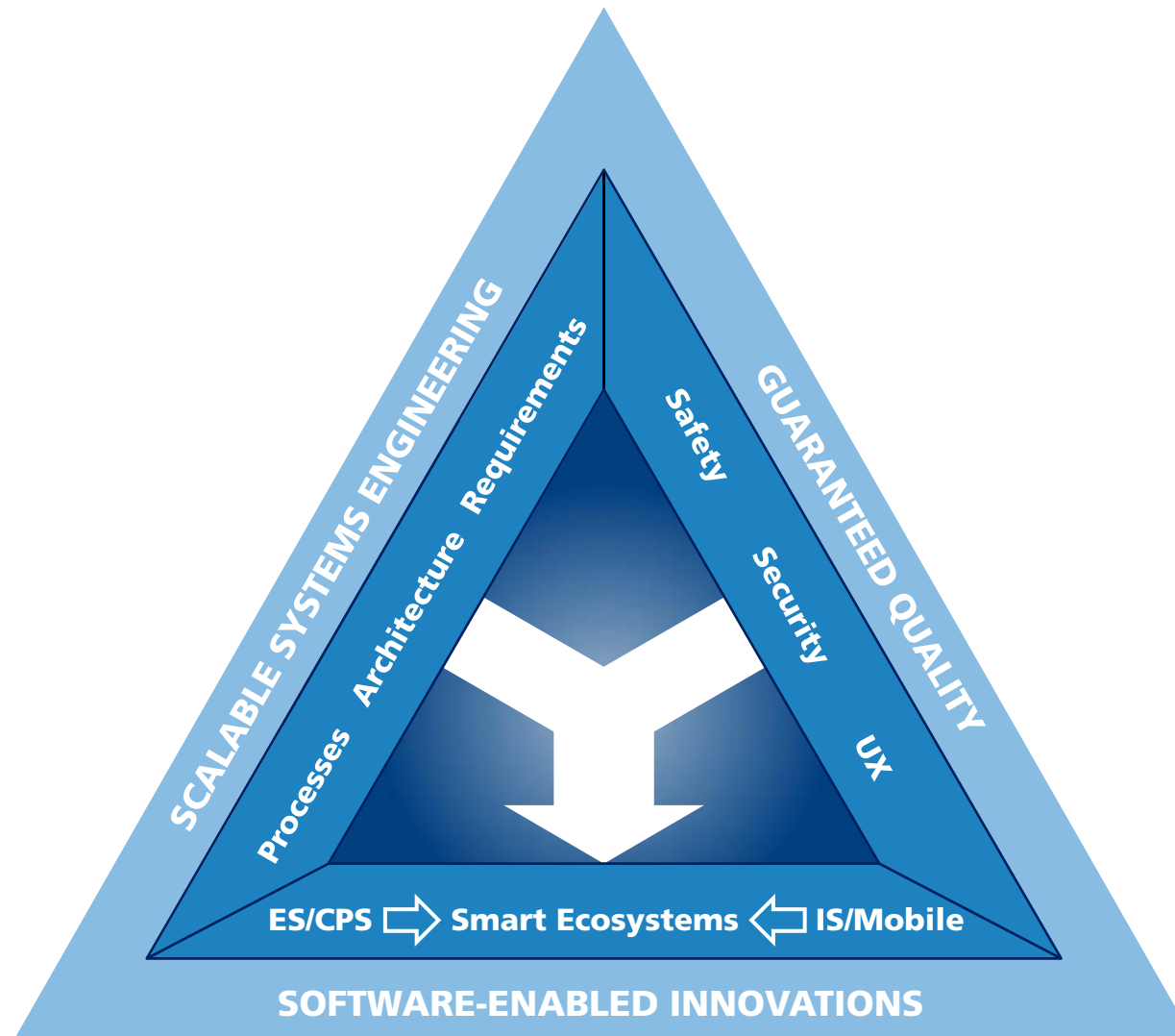
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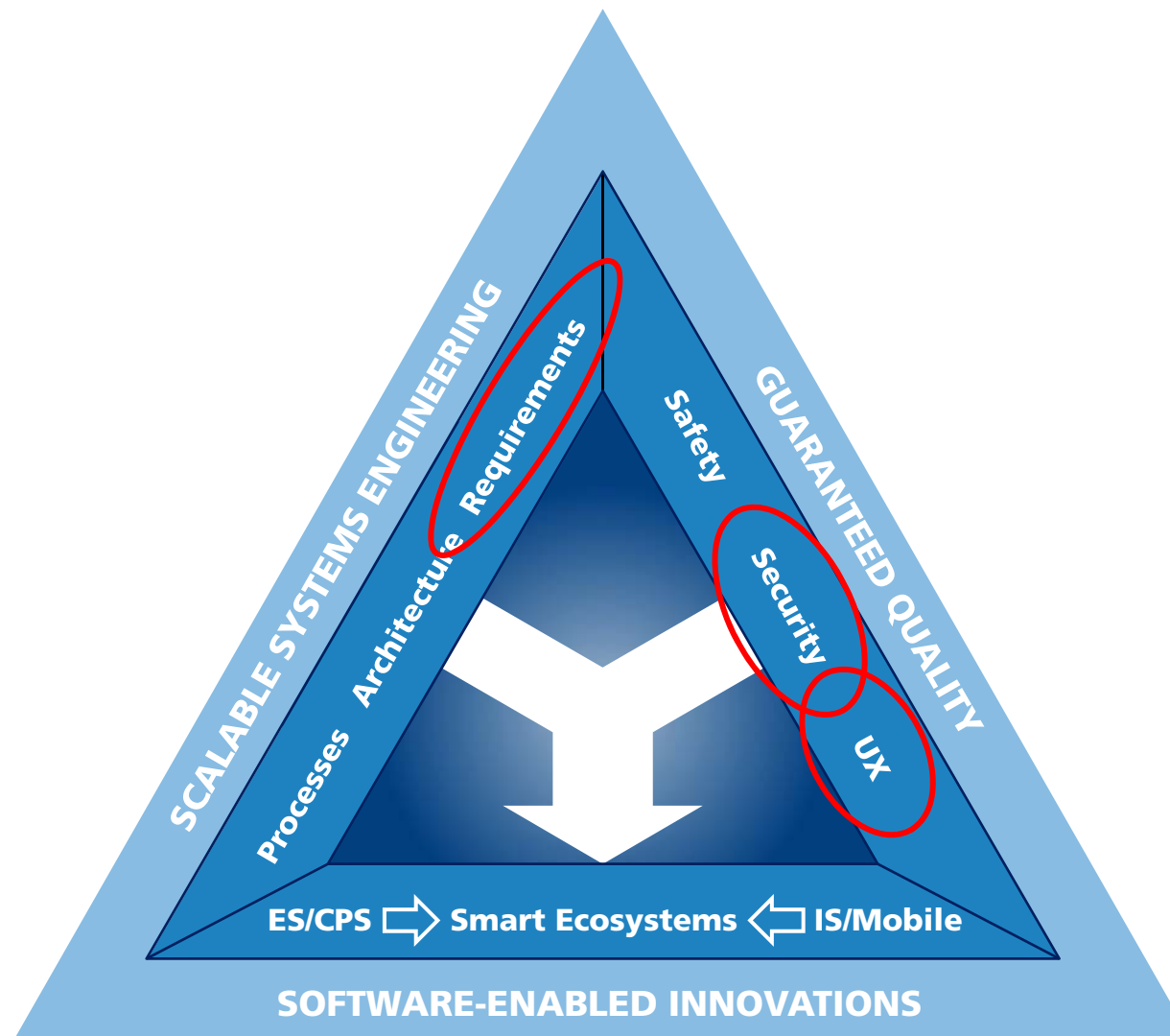
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- Information Systems
- Energy Management
- E-Government

# Our Competencies / Research Areas



# Research Areas of Today's Talk



# BUSINESS TODAY IS ALL ABOUT DATA

SENSITIVE DATA – FROM PRIVATE PERSON AND THE COMPANIES



**Business** data  
**Process** data  
**Product** data



**Intellectual** property



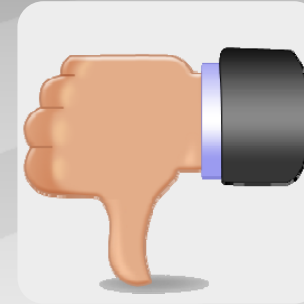
**Private** data  
**Employee** data  
**Contractor** data  
**Personal** data

# USAGE CONTROL

## DATA LEAKAGE AND MISUSE



**Legal** Consequences



**Reputation** damage



**Financial** Losses

### What happens after data is released?

# CONSEQUENCES: GO BIG OR GO HOME!

- Option 1: Companies respond with strong data protection mechanisms
  - infrastructure protection,
  - data leakage prevention,
  - organizational regulations (no USB sticks, no cloud storage)
- ➔ „Fort Knox” Solution (black thinking)
  
- Option 2: Companies share their data and believe: shared data = lost data
  - nearly no data protection,
  - open data exchange,
  - careless data use
- ➔ „Open Data” Solution (white thinking)

# WHY NOT GOING A MIDDLE WAY?

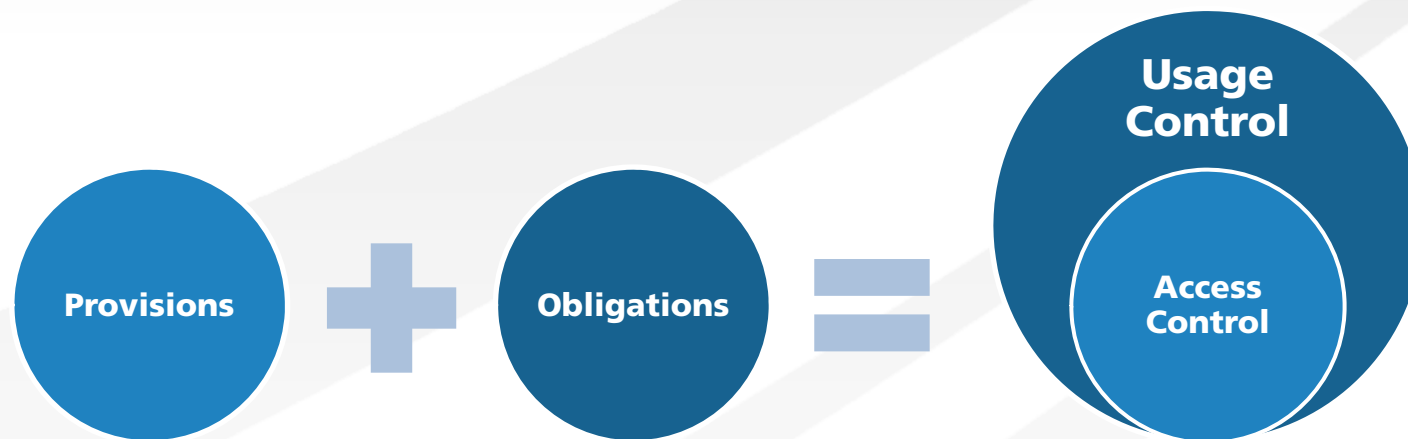
- If companies want to use data as production factor, they have to ...
  - control data usage,
  - protect data value, and
  - prevent data misuse.
- Sharing of data does not exclude the protection of the data value
- Conceptual Solution (supported by technology): **Data Usage Control**

**Share data, but keep control!**

# USAGE CONTROL

## ACCESS CONTROL VS. USAGE CONTROL

- **Access control is not enough!**
- **Usage control** – a generalization of access control
  - Fine-grained policies specify how data is handled **after access has been granted**
  - Allows the user to **keep control over his/her data**



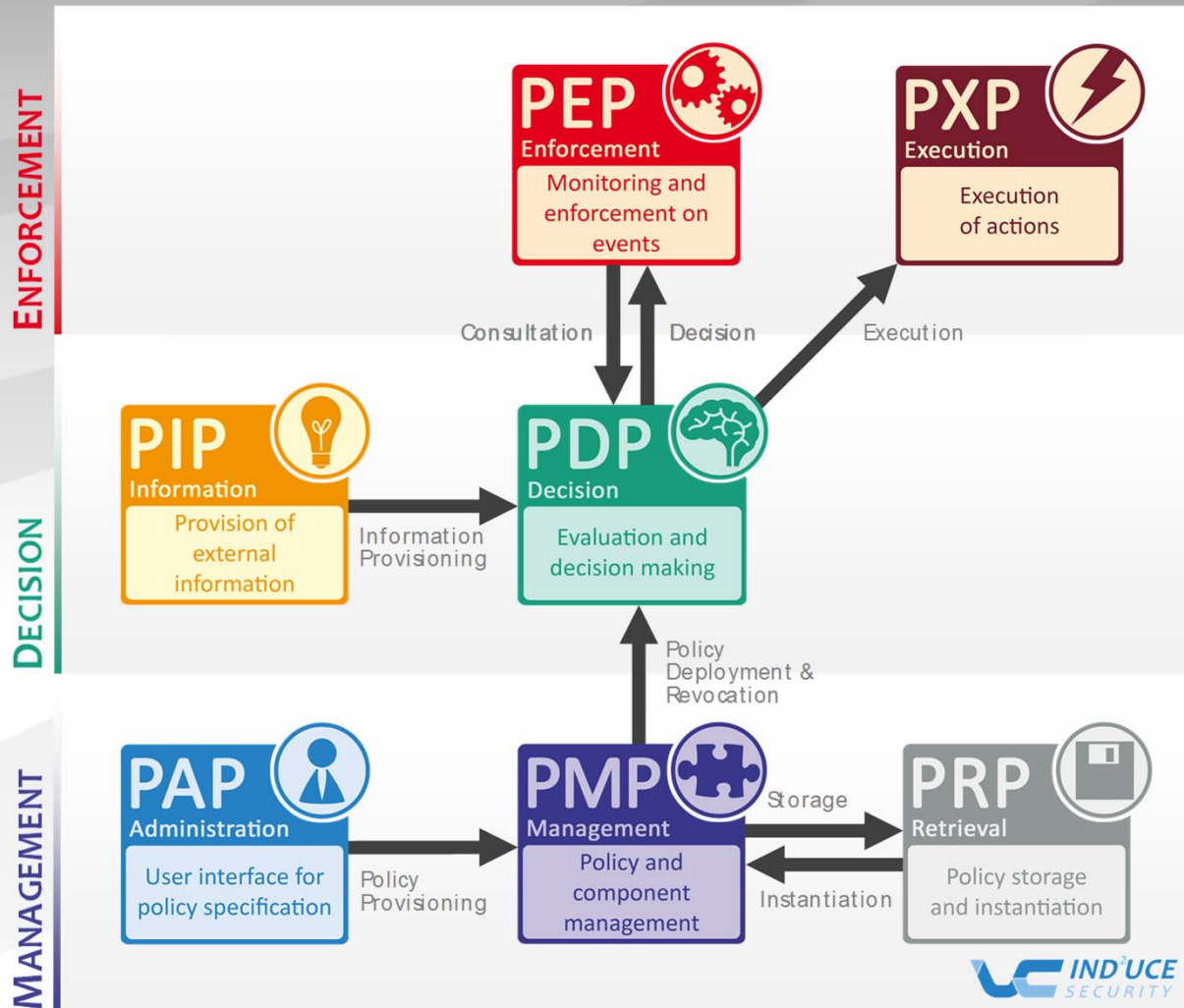
# IND<sup>2</sup>UCE FRAMEWORK

## INTEGRATED DISTRIBUTED DATA USAGE CONTROL ENFORCEMENT

- IND<sup>2</sup>UCE provides **theoretical concepts and technological components** for implementing data usage control
- EARTO innovation prize winner 2014



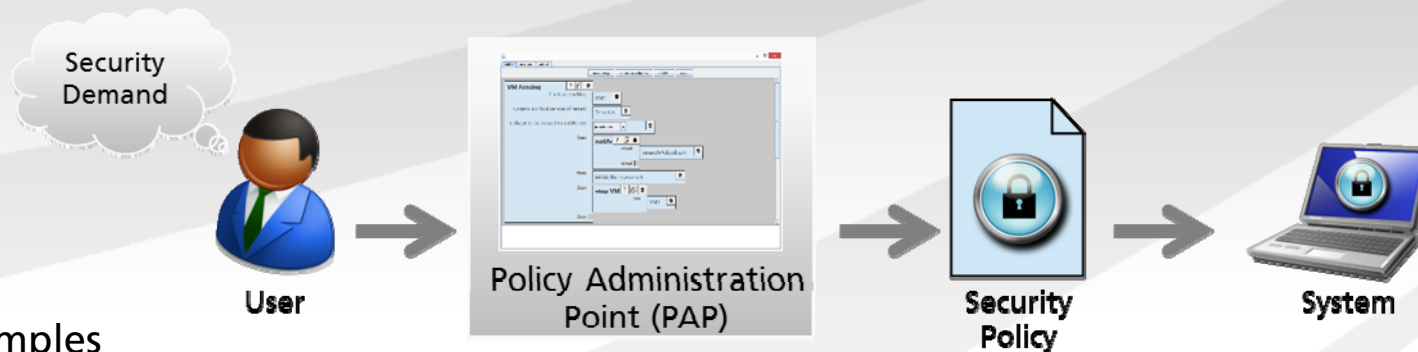
**2014 Innovation Prize Winner**



# POLICY SPECIFICATION

## ■ Security policies ...

- describe **security behavior** of a software system demanded by a stakeholder
- can be specified flexibly changed during operation of system or software
- are specified by various stakeholders depending on the scenario

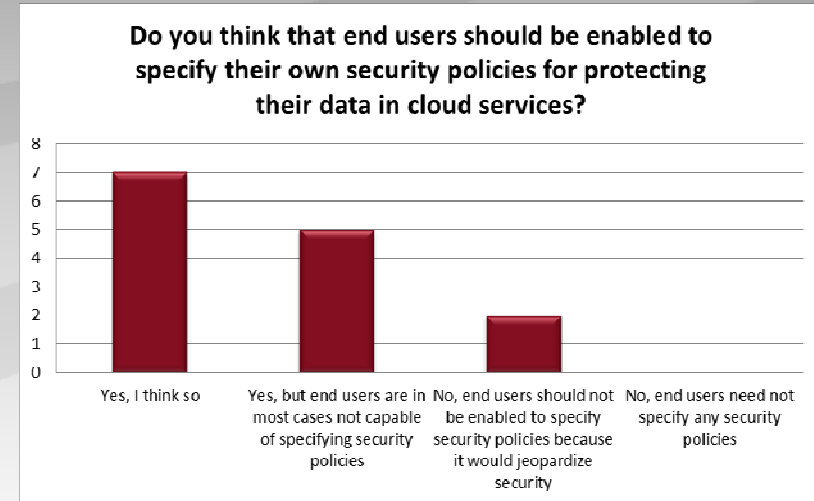


## ■ Examples

- Privacy – Facebook Privacy Settings: **“Only friends may see my profile”**
- Data Usage Control – Business to Customer: **“When business documents are sent to customers, they must be deleted after opening them 3 times or latest after 14 days”**
- Policy Administration Points (**PAPs**) are specification tools for security policies

# DEMAND FOR END USER SPECIFICATION

- Companies want their end users to specify their own security demands
- EU-GDPR demands that users give consent to data usage (data sovereignty)
- But companies don't know how to enable non-experts to specify own security policies



from SECCRIT User and Advisory Board survey

- User does not understand policies
- Policies become too complex to be handled by the end user
- Effects of policies on the target system are not transparent to the end user

(Customer statements from e.g., Bosch, Finanz Informatik, camLine, TMF e.V.)

→ Users need appropriate security policy specification interfaces (PAP)

# POLICY AUTHOR TYPES → SPECIFICATION PARADIGMS

- **Assumption:** Different specification paradigms are suitable for different policy author types
- Policy author types differ in their level of security and domain knowledge
- Assumption:
  - Suitable specification paradigm
  - Higher **acceptance** and higher **correctness** rate of specified policies
- **Research question: How can policy author types be characterized?**

Predefined Security Policies: No specification

Predefined Security Policies: On-off Button

Selection from List of Predefined Policies

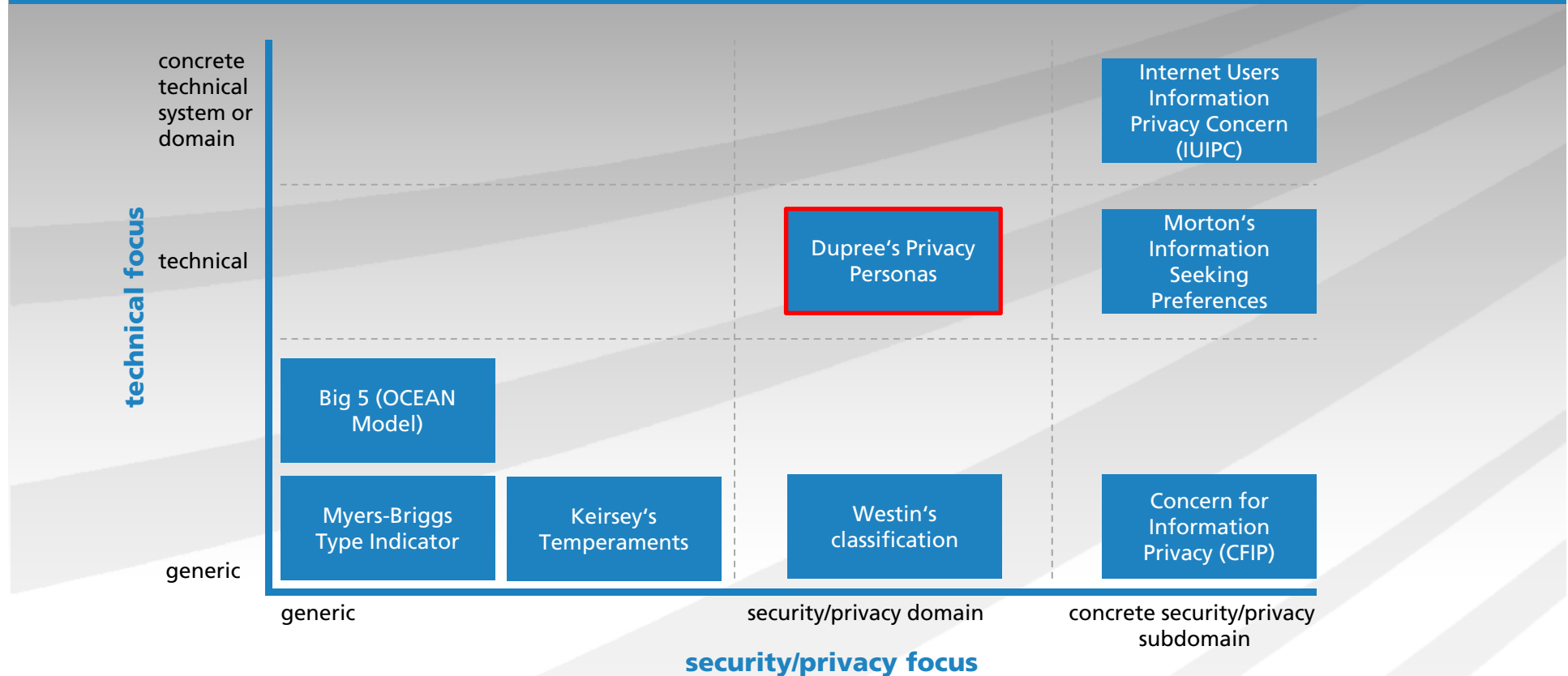
Specification Wizard

Security Policy Templates

IND<sup>2</sup>UCE Policy Editor

Goal: Acceptance by policy author and correctness of specified policies

# PERSONALITY TYPE MODELS – EARLY WORK

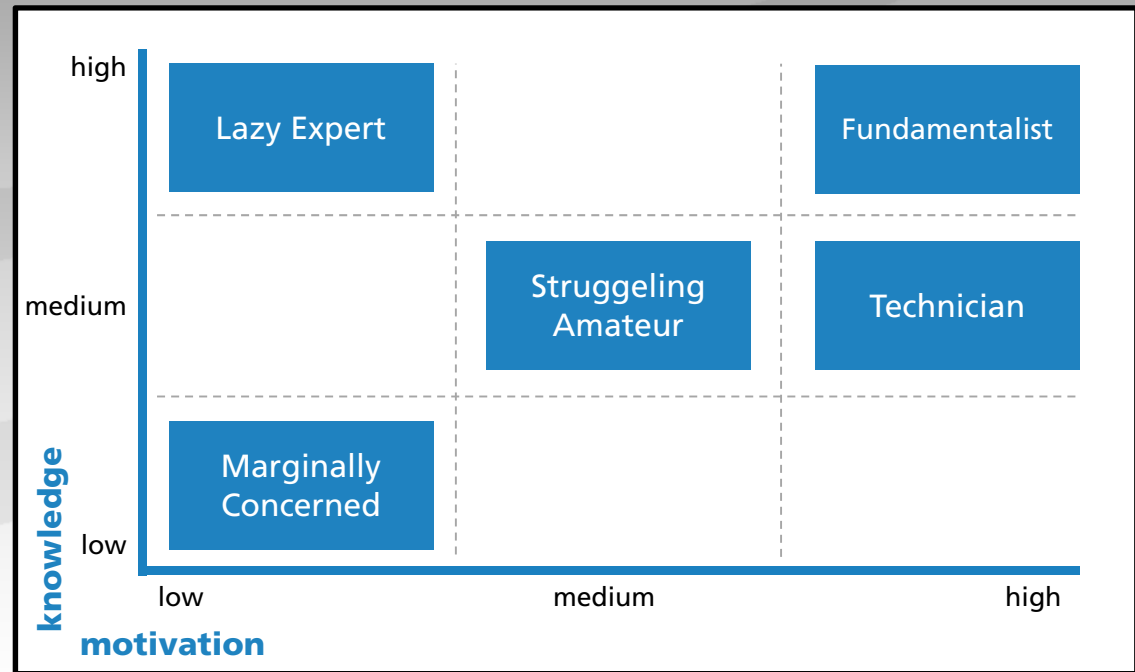


- Security policies are technical and affect various elements in the security and privacy domain

➔ Current Focus on Dupree's Privacy Personas (seem to match best)

# DUPREE'S PRIVACY PERSONAS

- Dupree identified five personas that behave differently when it comes to security practices
- Key distinction factors
  - Knowledge of privacy and security
  - Motivation



- Each persona has between 9 and 13 characteristic traits
  - e.g., Lazy Expert: „Chooses convenience over security“, „Chooses being social over privacy“ and „Write down passwords securely“
- Policy author to persona matching using persona descriptions with traits

# SUMMARY

- Now **end-users are able (in principle) to specify** their security and privacy policies (requirements) at runtime
- An open question is **how to provide the best interface** (policy authoring point) to the different types of end-users
- We are open to a controversial discussion and hearing your opinion: **what are the key influencing factors** from your point of view?
  - Domain Knowledge
  - Security/Privacy Knowledge
  - Bad Experience
  - Personality
  - Business / Private Setting
  - ...