

How Advancing the Materials Management Process through Standards and Technology can contribute to common Emissions reporting"

**CLEAN DATA IS  
GREEN DATA**

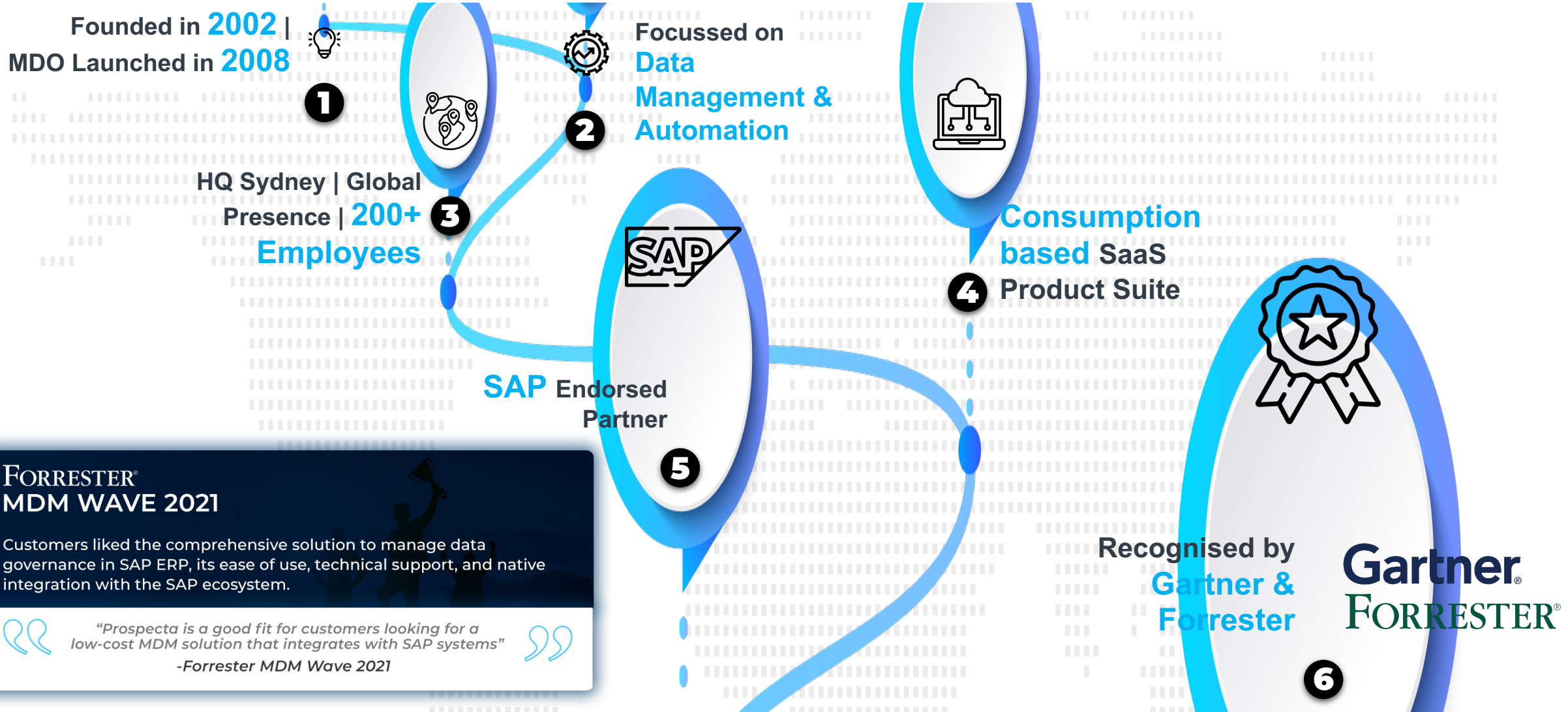


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# So who is Tom Cave?

- My first introduction to O&G E&P – North Sea, February 1979...
- Founding in Maintenance Repair and Operations working in the aerospace industry
- First data management project was with Shell in the 90s working with POSC Caesar
- From Noughties to Now in Master Data Management
- Overseen many millions of lines/Tens of \$M data optimisation projects
- Chaired the PIDX Catalog & Classification Workgroup
- Been honoured to have been asked to act as event facilitator for PiDX events
- And also available for Bar Mitzvahs and Weddings...

# And who are Prospecta? Builders of Data Culture



**FORRESTER<sup>®</sup> MDM WAVE 2021**

Customers liked the comprehensive solution to manage data governance in SAP ERP, its ease of use, technical support, and native integration with the SAP ecosystem.

*"Prospecta is a good fit for customers looking for a low-cost MDM solution that integrates with SAP systems"*

-Forrester MDM Wave 2021

# The issue we face

*“To reach net zero emissions before 2050, we need all business to measure, account for and disclose carbon emissions as a first step to reducing them.  
We cannot solve what we cannot measure.”*



**“But measuring carbon and other greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions across product value chains today is almost impossible.”**

*World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD) May 2021*

# Difficult Questions



What is your department doing to reduce the company's carbon footprint;



How will you get to net-zero if you have no control over materials procurement or stock;



Are your assets fully utilized, as efficiently as possible;



How will you go about flat-lining (then reducing) the constant rise in warehouse volume required;

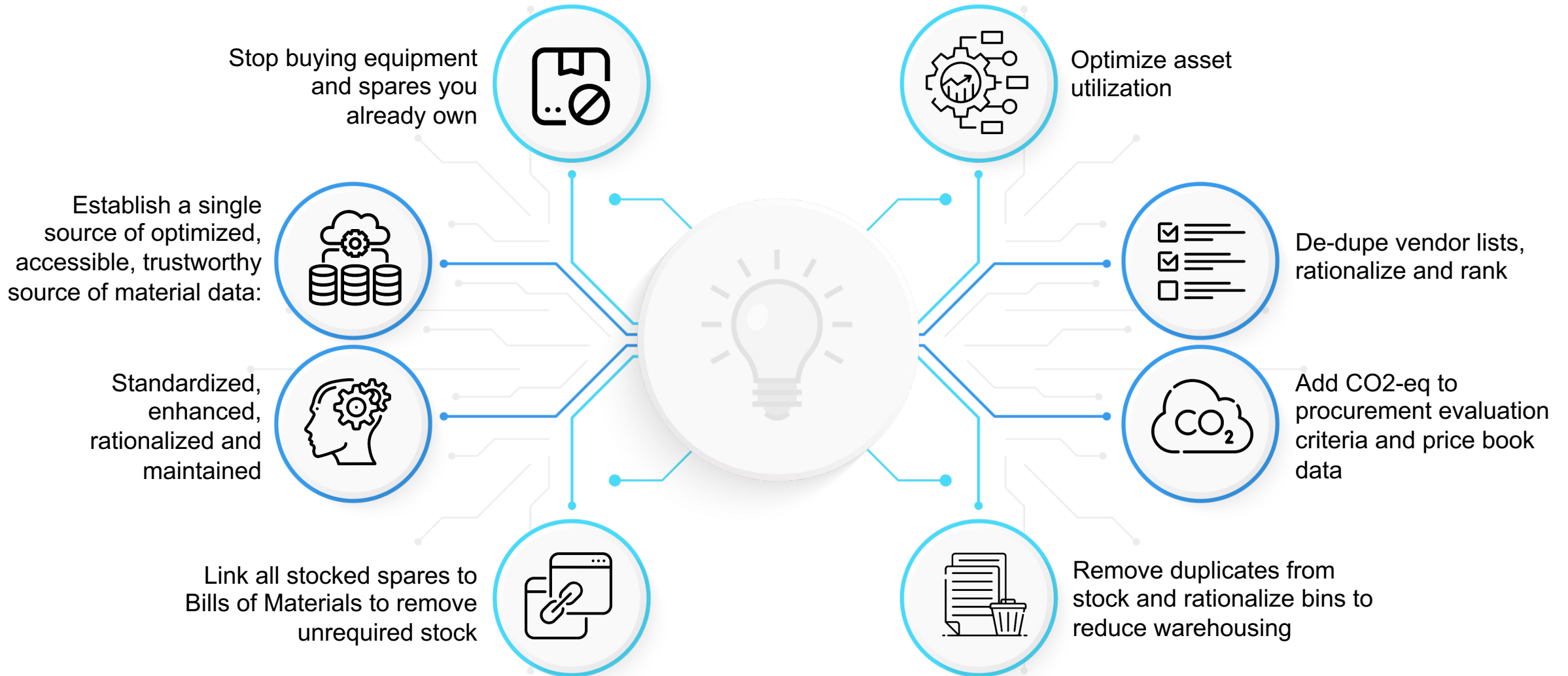


Do you have the information you need and can trust to help you reduce the carbon tied up in materials, without hitting your pick-rates/production targets;



And where does digitization play a role in reducing your Scope 3 emissions?

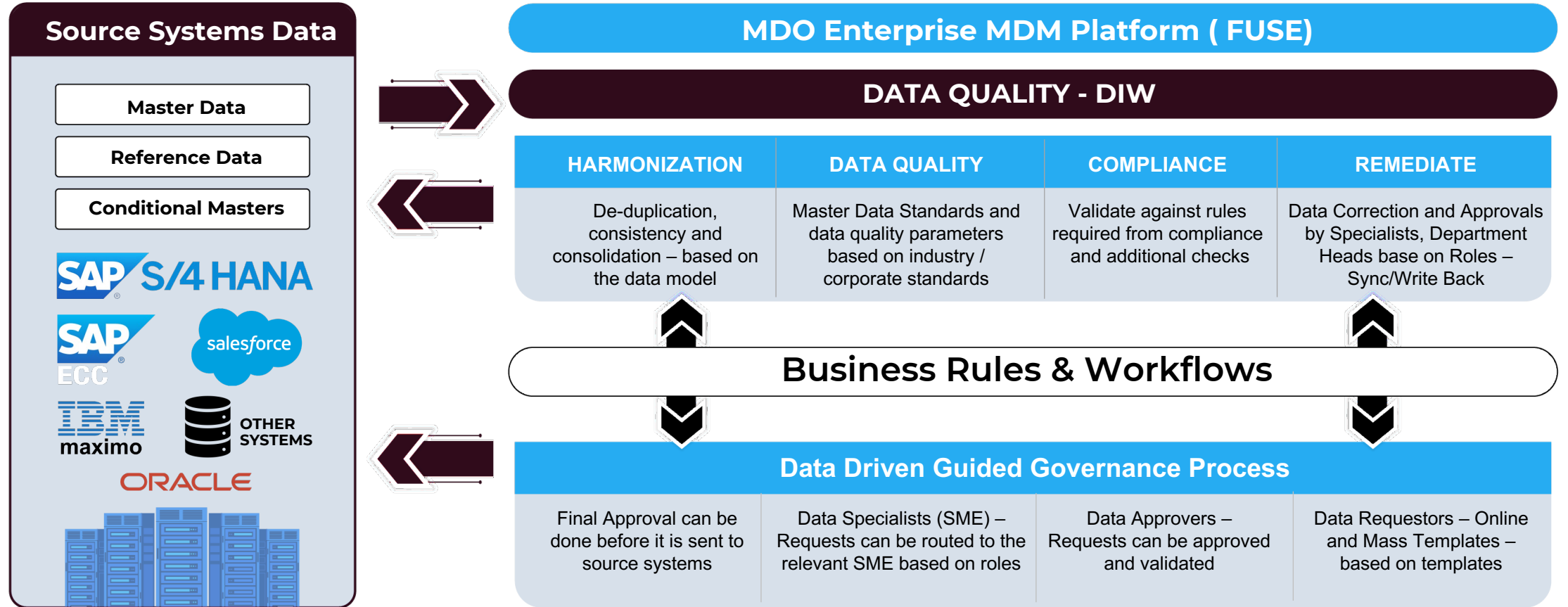
# Solution – Turn Data Into Information



# Case Study Background

- ◆ The operator recognized the need for a data standard and technology to manage their materials master data.
- ◆ Through participation in the PIDX Catalog & Classification workgroup, settled on two standards and one technology:
  - ◆ PIDX's Petroleum Industry Data Dictionary (PIDD) – open standard, designed and maintained by the industry to cover Up and Downstream
  - ◆ United Nations Standard Products and Services Code (UNSPSC) – also open standard, designed to enable the grouping of families of items for catalogue management and spend analysis
  - ◆ Conscious that 75% of manual data improvement projects fail, they selected Prospecta as a specialist software and services company to leverage these standards and their corporate master data governance rules

# What does specialist technology look like?



1 Easy to Deploy and Maintain

2 Adapt to Changes – Business & Technology Low Code

3 Pre-Defined Data Models /Accelerators & Integration Lean Deployment – In weeks

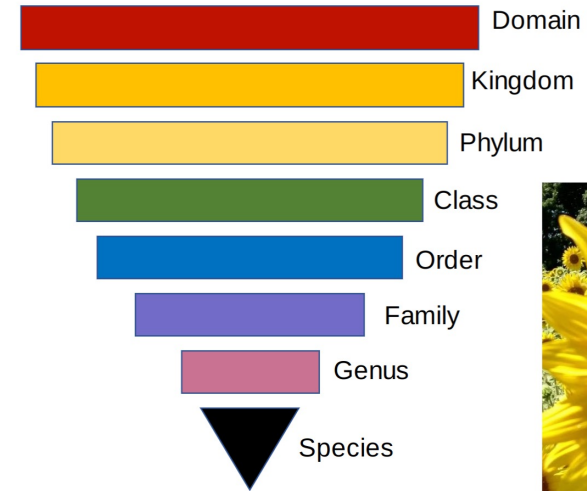
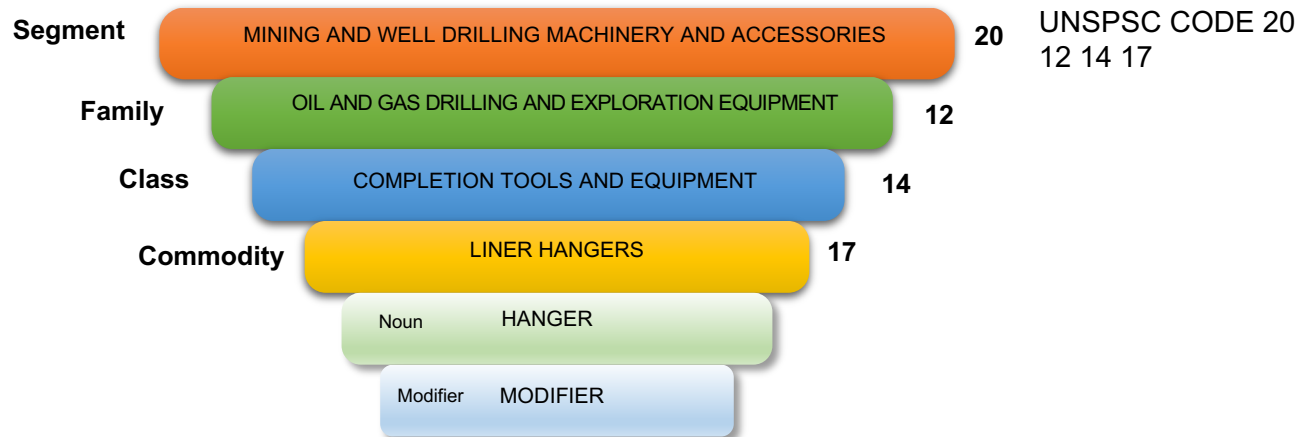
4 Cloud Based – Faster ROI

5 One Solution – Data Quality & Governance



# Data Standards - UNSPSC

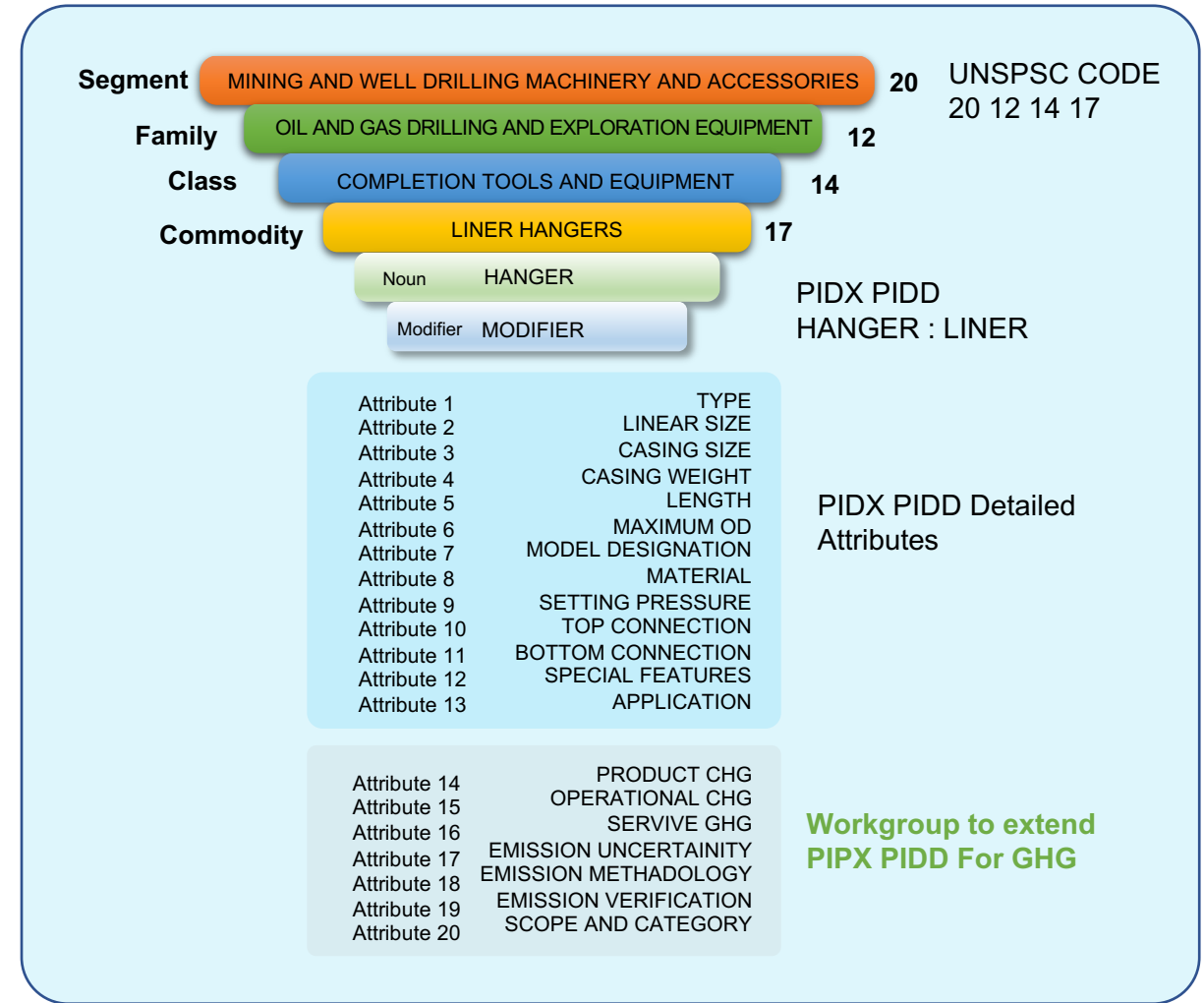
- A binomial nomenclature system – A what!?
- Resolves down to two words, a Noun and Modifier, to group items into families; think Linnaeus and kingdoms to species...
- Allows grouping of ‘families’ of items from Segments to Commodity level
- Importantly – it’s NOT a data dictionary/taxonomy



Sunflower: *Helianthus annuus*  
Honey bee: *Apis mellifera*

# Data Standards - Petroleum Industry Data Dictionary

- Structured descriptive templates based on NOUN;MODIFIER:ATTRIBUTE 1 to n
- Includes Universal Standard Products and Service Classification (UNSPSC) to commodity level – i.e., Liner Hanger
- Adding GHG attributes for data collection
- GHG data captured here can be used in ERP systems, like SAP Sustainability Control Tower and for vendor and item selection and use.



# Case Study

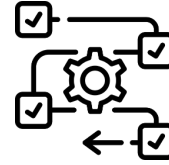
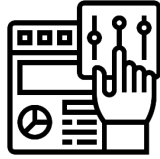
Fortune 500 American global E&P independent, they recognized the issue they had with ungoverned asset and spares master data. Their aims were to:

- Create cost and time benefits across inventory management procurement, maintenance & reliability, and IT
- Establish “plans for every part”,
- Improve user experience,

**Their next step was applying these capabilities to emission and sustainability goals.**



# Key Benefits & Expected Results



## Much friendlier user experience (People)

## MM workflow allowing for a “Plan for every part” (Process)

## Advanced platform functionality (Systems / Tools)

### Key Benefits

- Broader user base, elimination (MM) request spreadsheets
- Superior search functionality
- Connections to external master data cloud to help enrich MM characteristics
- Reduced duplicate materials

- Ensure BoM connection
- Connect MM's to the procurement process to increase contract reference
- Ensure MM supply strategies resulting in optimized inventory levels

- Tools to govern taxonomy, descriptions, duplicate prevention and business rules.
- Self-service supplier portal
- Supplier RFI functionality
- Mobile functionality

### Results Achieved

- Improved Efficiency
- Decreased MM creation time
- Reduction of MM duplicates
- Increased PO accuracy leading to improved P2P efficiency

- Improved Minimized down time, aiding in safe / reliable operations
- Faster, more accurate part ID leading to lower WO cycle time
- More automated procurement
- Optimized stock and pick rates

- Higher use of analytical insights
- Vendor managed data
- Easier MM catalog and business rule stewardship
- Track emission goals/sustainability

# Clean data is green data

Optimizing materials and asset data is one of the very few areas where “going green” does not incur a net cost:-

- Reduced working capital tied up in MRO
- Simplified and improved user experience
- Reduced waste diverted from landfill through reuse programs
- Reduced Scope 3 emissions by purchasing only what is needed
- Reduced demand for warehousing
- Improved pick rates, even with lower inventory levels
- Improved procurement efficiencies
- More able to calculate impact on asset utilization and optimisation
- Better ‘wrench time’
- Aggregated purchasing to achieve volume discounts
- Staff morale and retention



A 3D-rendered microchip with a dark surface and a glowing blue border. The text 'mdo Master Data Online' is printed on the chip in white. The chip is set against a background of glowing blue circuit traces and nodes.

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# ANY QUESTIONS?

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