



Advancing eHealth
Interoperability

Labelling and certification in Europe

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What do we want ? What do we need?



- As **patient**, we want the best possible care.
- As **physician** (and care giver), we want to provide that best possible care.
- As **community** we want to enable / to enforce that best possible care.
- We need therefore resources and tools, eHealth is one of these tools.
- eHealth tools need to be of appropriate quality and used adequately
- **How do we know eHealth facilities to be of appropriate quality?**



- ANTILOPE
 - Focuses on interoperability / data exchange
 - More precisely on the quality of the quality assessment
 - Addressing:
 - Quality issues related to the organisations involved in quality assessment
 - The use case based approach
 - The tools used during the quality assessment process
 - The quality issues related to the quality assessment processes
- ANTILOPE MISSION

design a European quality label or certification process that supports eHealth interoperability in Europe



- Two Thematic Network projects studied the possibilities
 - HITCH (Healthcare Interoperability Testing and Conformance Harmonisation)
 - EHR-Q^{TN} (Electronic Healthcare Record Quality)
- They addressed different / complementary domains
 - Interoperability between systems (starting with exchange)
 - Functionality of the applications at both end (sender / receiver)
- They identified two tracks and two methods
 - Public / accredited versus private market driven
 - Third party versus self-assessment



1

Develop an European ecosystem by promoting recognized profiles, test plans and test tools

2

Define flexible testing processes

3

Provide a European Interoperability Assessment Scheme



1

Apply generic criteria of quality to the initiatives

(independence, openness, impartiality, transparency and confidentiality)

2

Involve stakeholders to the definition of the priorities in defining feasible goals

3

Structure the Quality label and Certification processes in line with ISO standards



1

Recognise that each health care system is different

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Build upon local status, developments and initiatives

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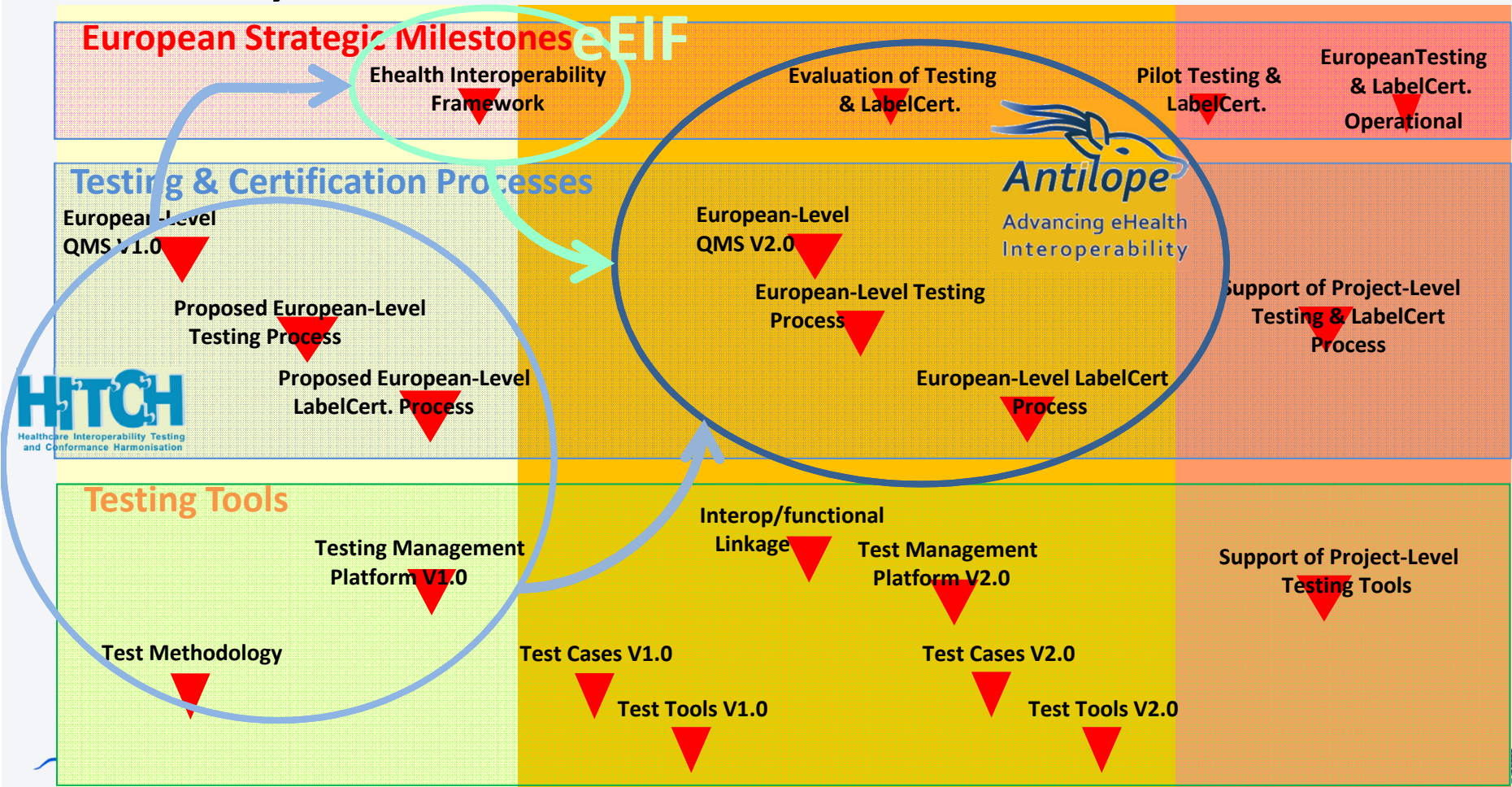
Antilope aims to foster collaboration not impose an EC wide standard



Get ready 2012-2013

Operationalize 2013-2014

Deploy 2015-20XX



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Testing, Quality labelling and Certification processes

Functional Model



QL & C processes

- Requirements, activities and tasks to support high quality interoperability assurance or certification

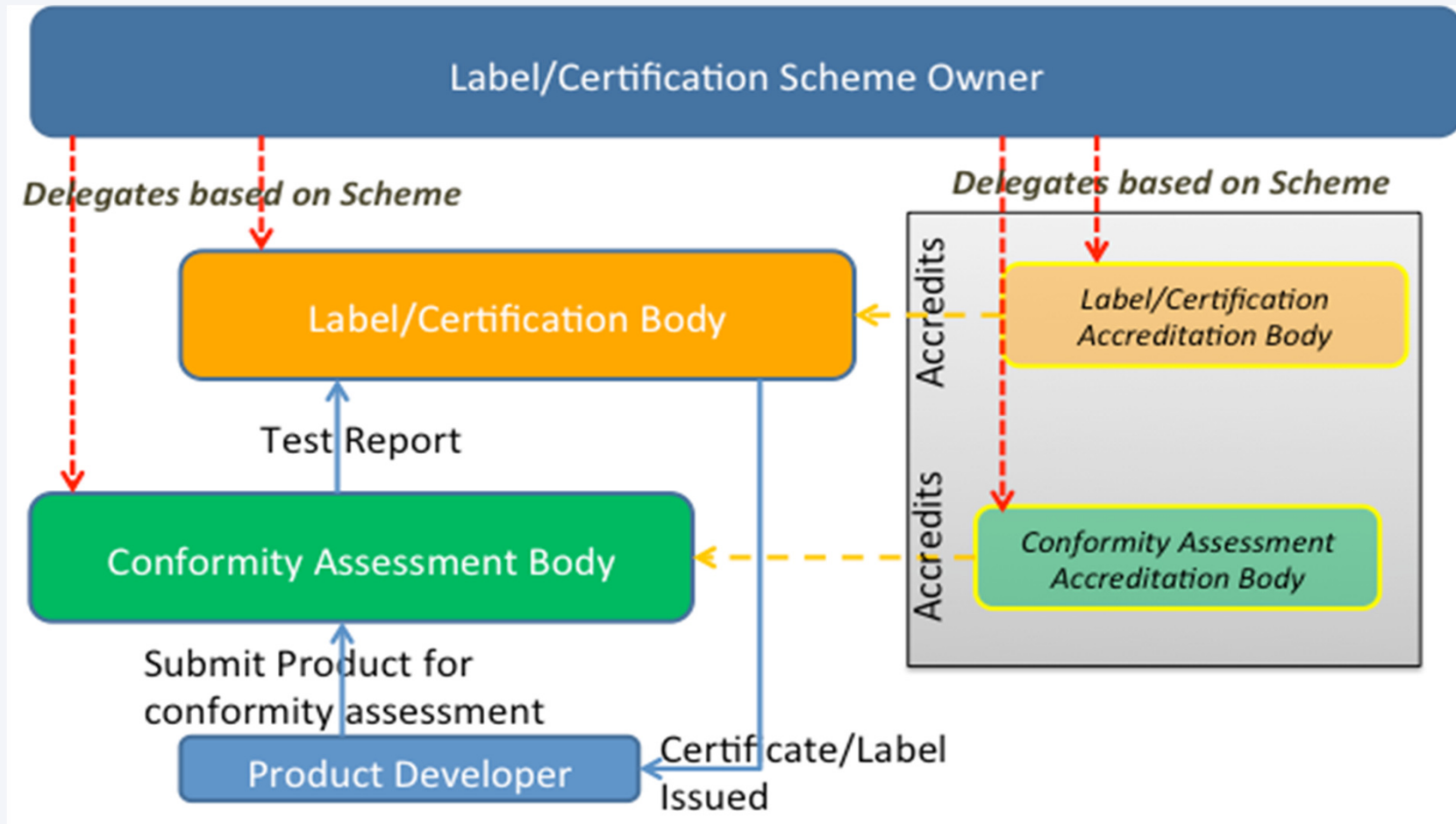
Conformity assessment

- demonstration that specified requirements relating to a product, process, system, person or body are fulfilled (ISO/IEC 17000)



A certification or quality label process requires:

- A Certification/Label Scheme Owner: a party that sets the Certification or a quality label program or system;
- A label/Certification Body: a party that issues the quality label or certificate on the basis of the conformity assessment performed by a conformity assessment body;
- A Conformity Assessment Body: a party that assesses the conformity of products, services and/or suppliers (often called a testing laboratory)





Case Studies



Step 1 Registration of the Vendor to the process (ASIP Santé)
Registration and published candidates for DMP compatibility

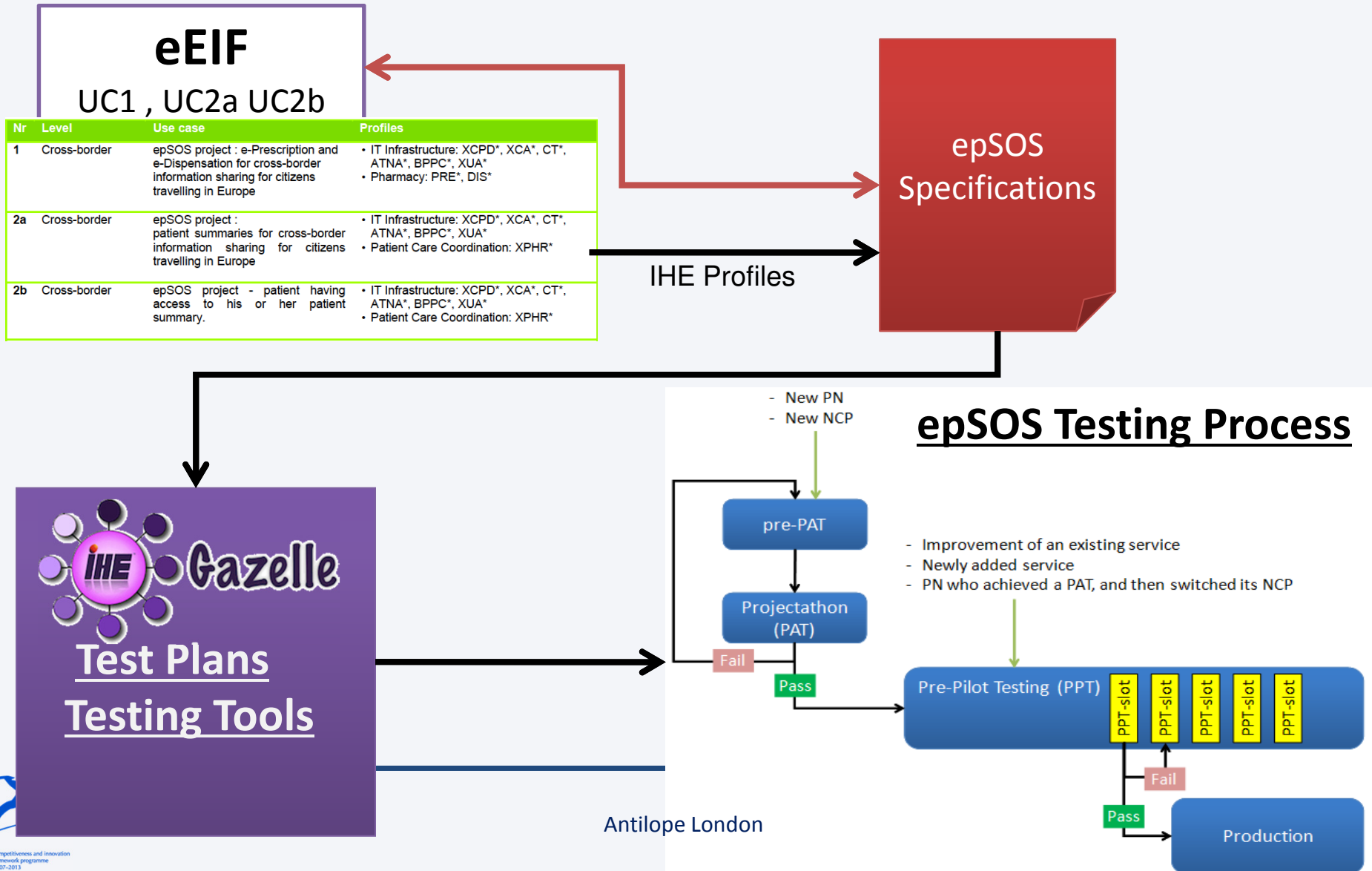
Step 2 Access to the test environment
Access to the support
Pre-Homologation: upload files and validation of the tests

Step 3 Homologation and testing validation
Update and bugs resolution
Final decision by the committee and publication of the results

| | | Technique |
|--|--|---------------------------------|
| Transactions DMP pour LPS | | Standards ou protocole utilisés |
| ACCES SECURISE AU DOSSIER | | |
| TD0.1 | Authentification sur le DMP | SAML / TLS |
| | Connexion DMP et vérification de l'autorisation | HL7-V3 |
| | Prise en compte de l'autorisation | (ws) |
| | Prise en compte des autorisations | (ws) |
| | Prise en compte du contexte | -- |
| ADMINISTRATIVE DU DOSSIER D'UN PATIENT | | |
| TD1.1 | Création d'un DMP | HL7-V3 |
| | Mise à jour d'un DMP | |
| | Suppression d'un DMP | |
| | Prise en compte de l'identité du patient | (ws) |
| | Prise en compte des DMP créés/bloqués sur un DMP | (ws) |
| CONSULTATION | | |
| TD3.1 | Recherche de documents sur un DMP | IHE XDS-b |
| TD3.2 | Consultation d'un document sur un DMP | |
| TD3.3 | Gestion des attributs d'un document | |
| AUTRES SERVICES DU DMP | | |
| TD4.1 | Notifications | (ws) |
| TD4.2 | Correspondance entre PS et Patient | (ws) |
| TD4.3 | Traces d'un DMP | (ws) |
| TD4.4 | Traces d'un PS sur le DMP | (ws) |
| TD4.5 | Recherche de patient sur le DMP sans INS | IHE-PDQ |
| TD4.9 | Paramètres fonctionnels du SI-DMP | (ws) |

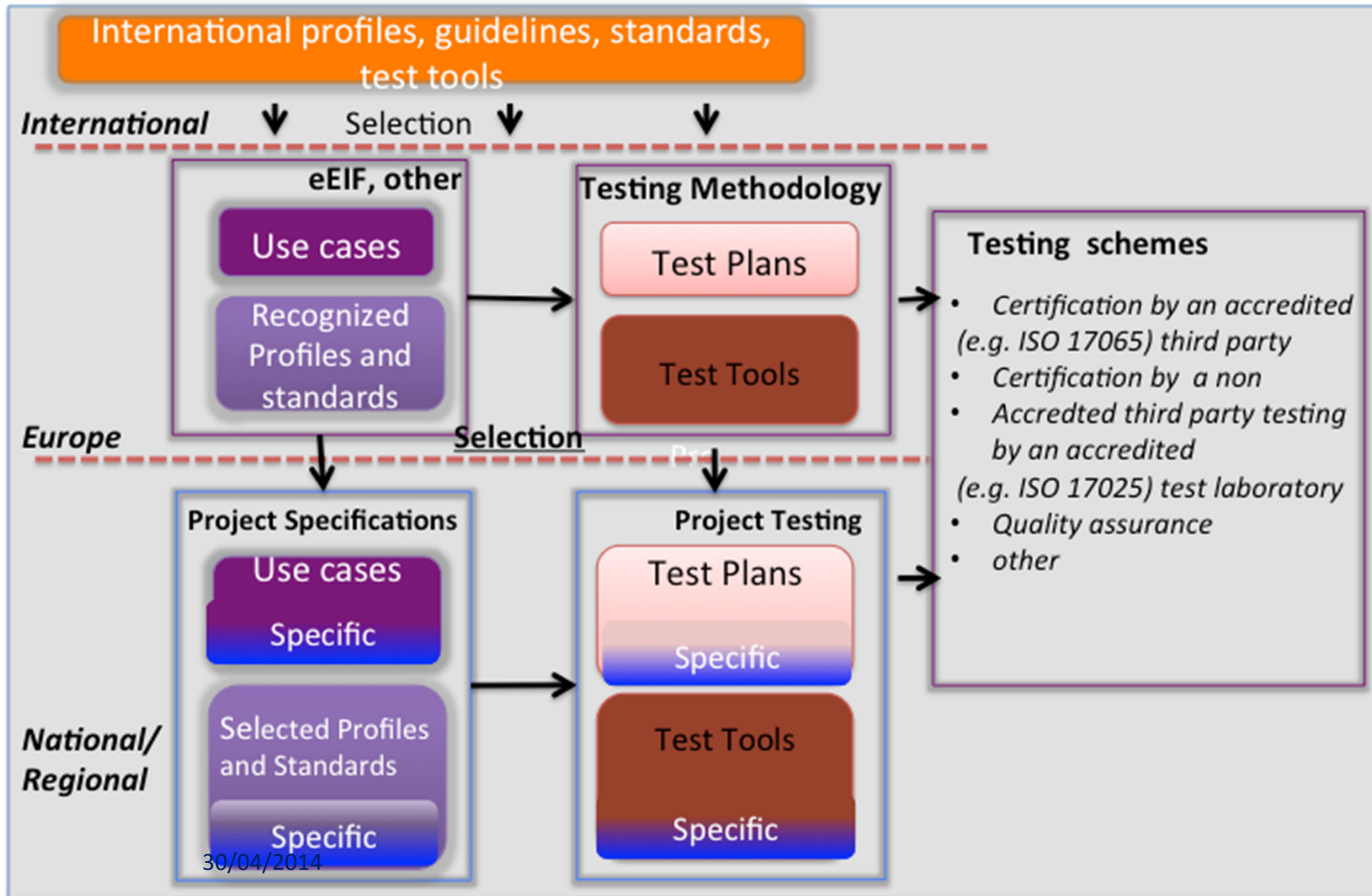
Label (Homologation) Process

Mapping Services/Standards and Profiles





Harmonisation of the quality label or certification processes in Europe





Guidelines and recommendations



1

Define the Interoperability Conformance Assessment Scheme closely related with the eEIF

2

Promote creation of accredited Conformance Assessment Bodies in Europe

3

Develop Suitable Organisation for the QL&C process



1

National and Regional Project leverage profiles recognized by eEIF and use flexibility with needed national extensions

2

Ensure that the European level certification may be used as an entry criteria at the national level

3

Organise acceptance and the recognition of profiles candidates in the eEIF based on local use cases



- An ANTILOPE cross-border model, focusing on
 - Interoperability
 - Use case implementation
 - Considering eEIF
- A (complementary) model, focusing on
 - Functionality
 - Primarily national requirements



For more information,
please refer to document D4.1.
available on the Antilope website
<http://www.antilope-project.eu/>



- **Next steps:**
 - Collecting all the feedbacks from the summits and other conferences: January to June 2014
 - New version to be submitted to the SEPs (experts)
 - Validation by the Core Group in November
 - Final drafts of the deliverables on January 2015
- Few feedbacks received due to the complexity of the topic where expertise is needed
- Benefit:
 - Align with ISO standards
 - Mutualisation and harmonisation in Europe
 - One QL&C processes at the EU level where derivation is described