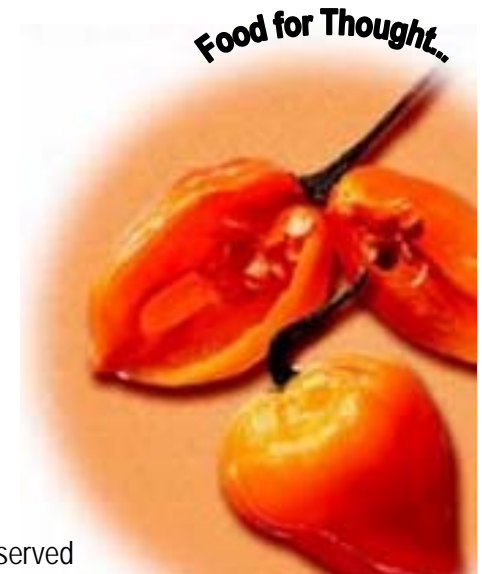


Registries – why bother?

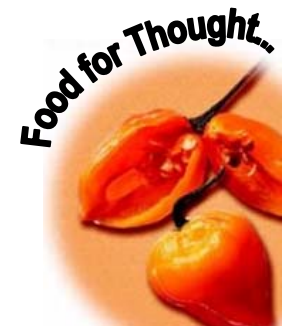
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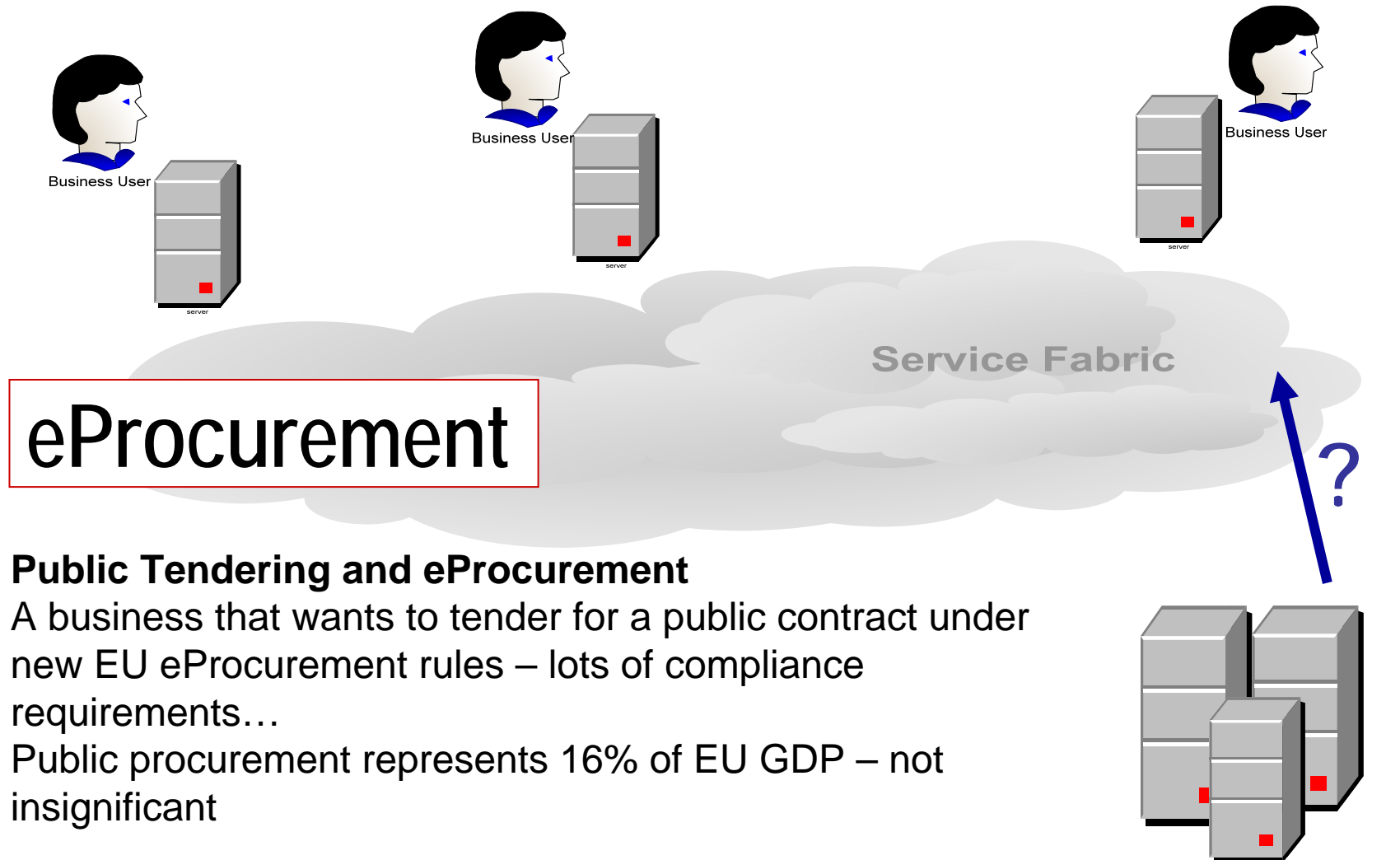
Introduction

■ Personal Background

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- Co-Editor, OASIS Reference Model for SOA



A typical eBusiness scenario

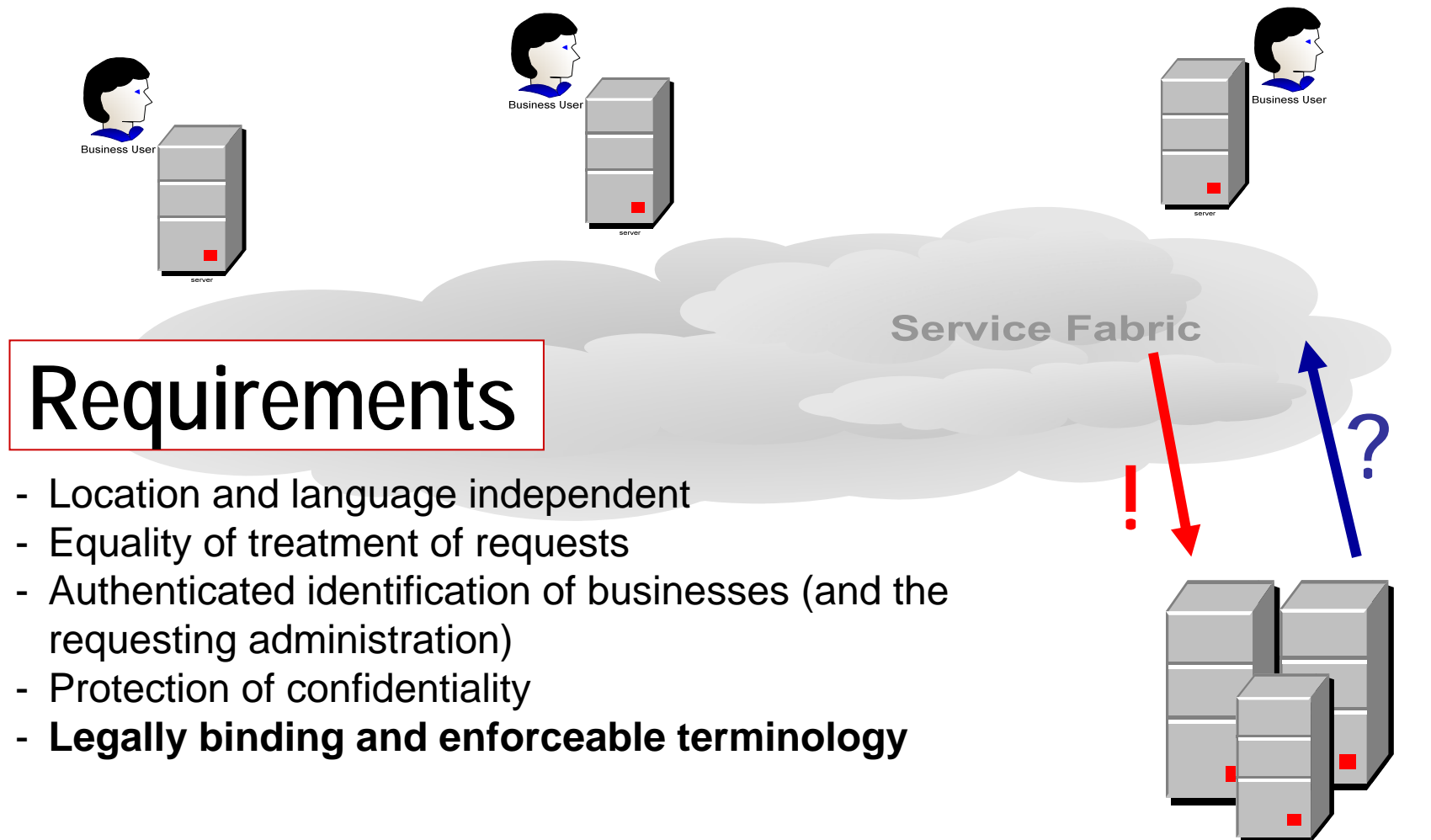


Public Tendering and eProcurement

A business that wants to tender for a public contract under new EU eProcurement rules – lots of compliance requirements...

Public procurement represents 16% of EU GDP – not insignificant

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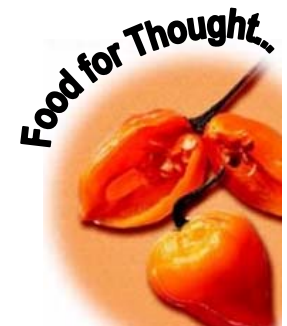


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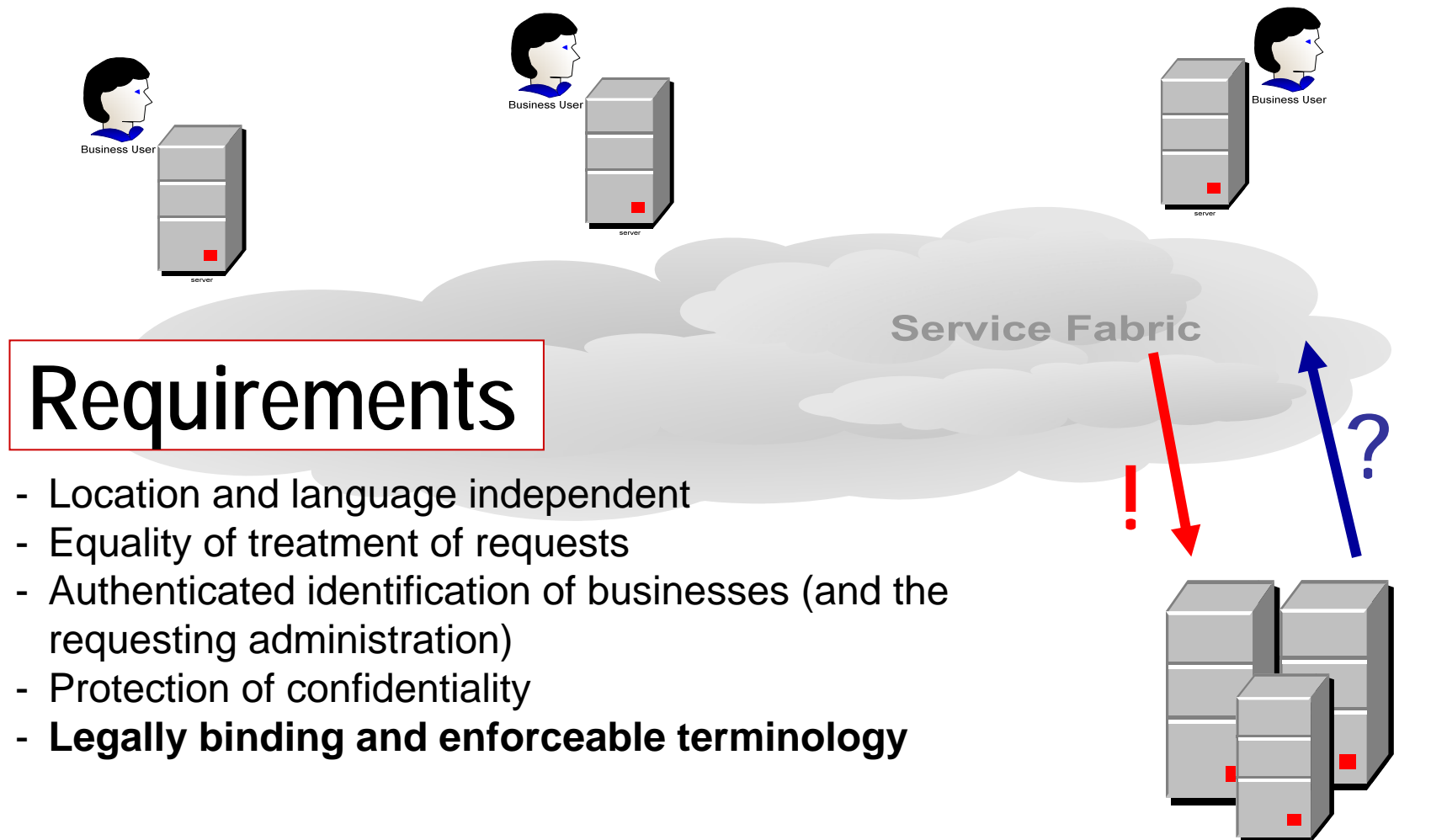
- Location and language independent
- Equality of treatment of requests
- Authenticated identification of businesses (and the requesting administration)
- Protection of confidentiality
- **Legally binding and enforceable terminology**

The value of Registries

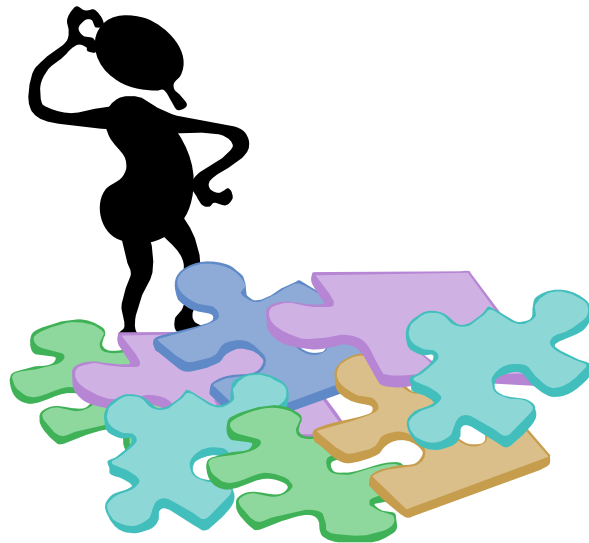
- “You can only manage what you can measure”
- Knowing your assets – including data
 - think about food labelling and stock control...
- Valuing your information assets
 - They cost you money, so give them value
- Managing your information assets
 - Need for a governance model – many registries have this
 - Systems come and go, but data – content – should persist
- Leveraging your assets
 - Maximising re-use & Developing new opportunities



A typical eBusiness scenario



Comments and questions



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