

Data Spaces Symposium

Data Interoperability in Data Spaces & The Forestry Data Space

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Who are we and for whom do we work?

- Based in Darmstadt, Germany
- Mission: Building Green Data Ecosystems
- More than 130 customers, over 5,500 users
- hale»studio: OS software for data transformation
- hale»connect: Integrated & automated (INSPIRE) data platform



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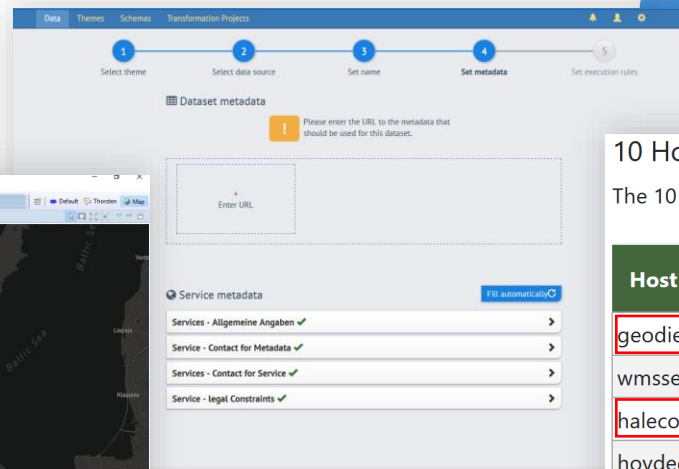
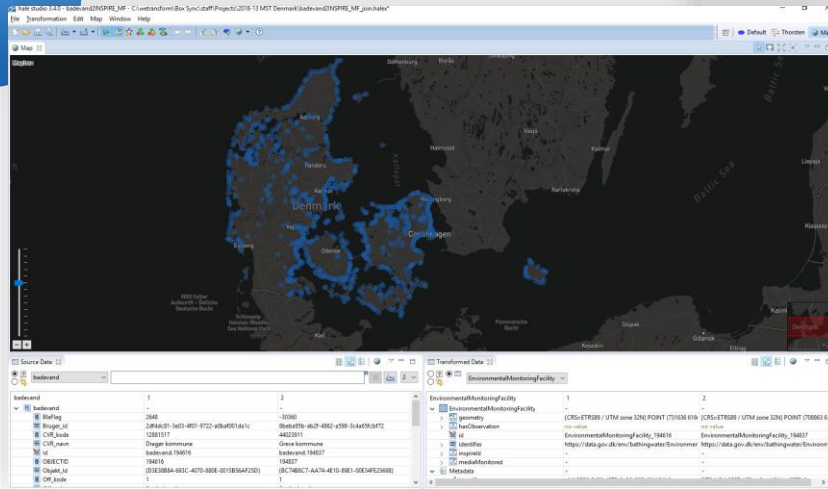
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MINERVA INTELLIGENCE

INSPIRE as a Service – Since 2015

1.200+ Organisations, 150.000+ Assets/APIs



10 Hosts with the most Datasets

The 10 hosts that have the most data. Or 'Who has the most data?'

Host Domain	Number of Datasets
geodienste.komm.one	842,876
wmserver.snap4city.org	247,234
haleconnect.com	134,067
hoydedata.no	90,910
xplanung.freiburg.de	86,309
api.salo.ai	72,606
espacialg.geoperu.gob.pe	59,604
buergergis.pforzheim.de	41,308
geoservicos.ibge.gov.br	38,312
geoserver.d4science.org	30,026

Key Advantages



Fully automated publication and effective harmonisation reduces effort by 80 to 95%



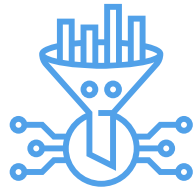
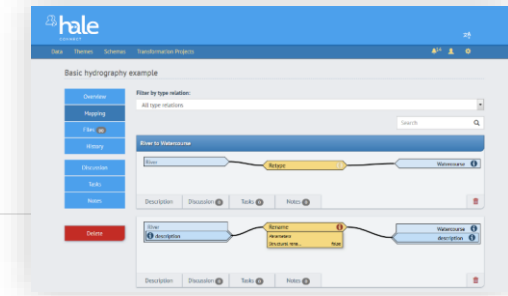
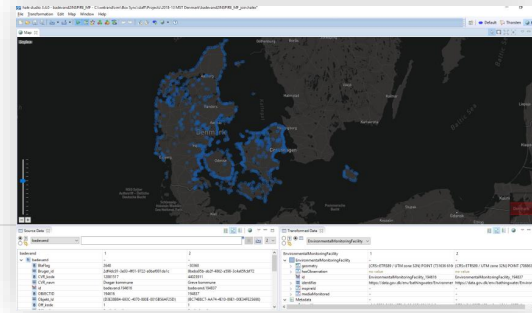
Continuous maintenance and high robustness ensures compliance



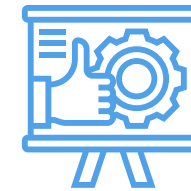
New APIs, Models and Formats can easily be added

Building Green Data Spaces

Capabilities



Simplified data onboarding and interoperability through (automated) data harmonization



Fully automated workflows, publishing and updating metadata, data sets and services

Competencies



Use cases, data gap identification, Risks



Data Integration and Standardisation

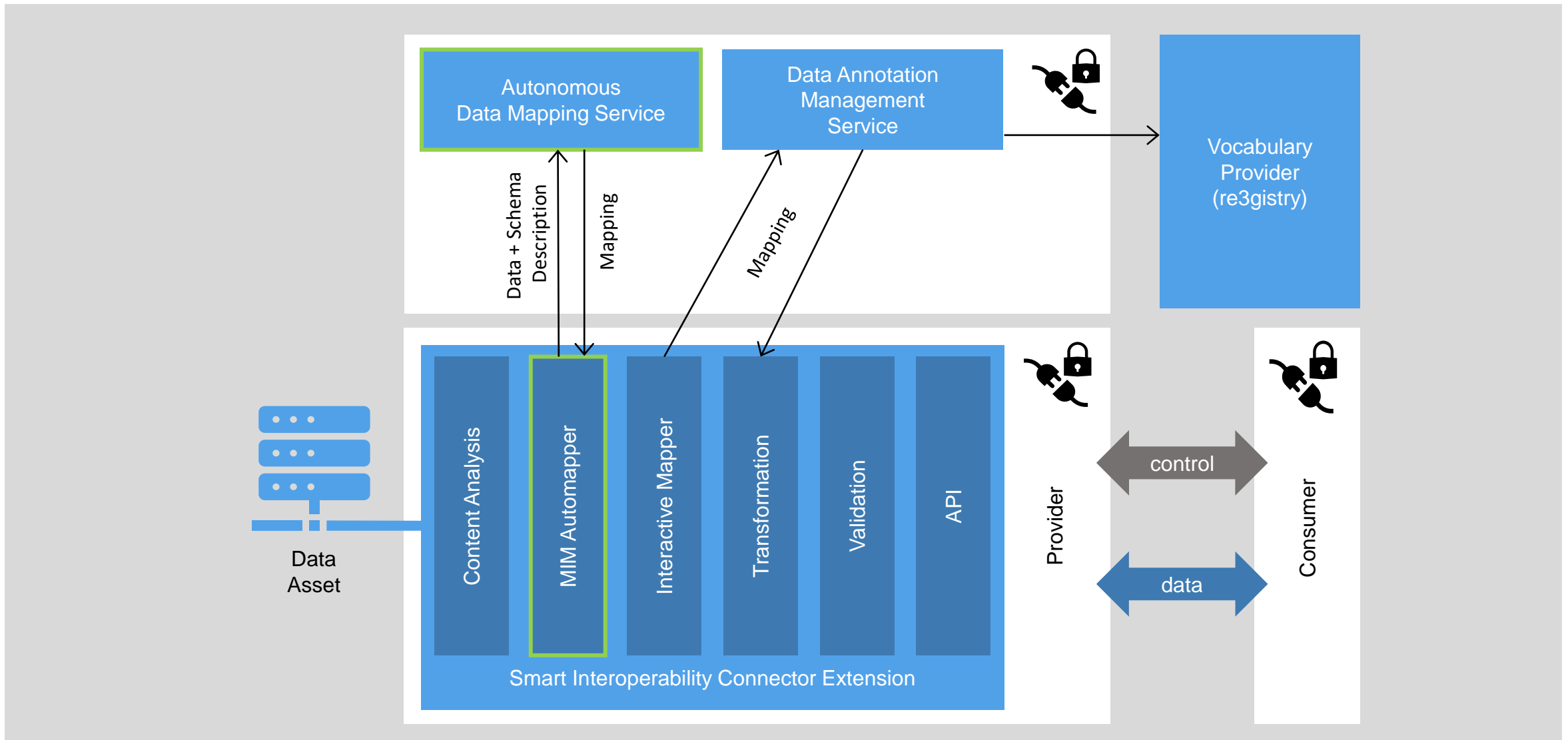


Governance and Sharing Policies



Operation of Software-as-a-Service and Private Cloud

Data Interoperability in Data Spaces



Green Data Spaces

Forestry

Forest Transformation



- DEM
- Land Cover
- Hydrography
- Protected Sites
- Area Management



- Species Distribution
- Economic data
- Owner data
- Management plans

InGeoDTM

Sensitive Geodata



- Noise Exposure
- Noise Contours
- Noise Sources
- Noise action plans



- Commercial Data
- Personal data in parcels/records
- Sensitive location data

Soilwise

Soil Health / Compliance



- Soil maps
- Surface geology



- Detailed profiles
- Detailed yield
- Detailed moisture content

Planning

Digital Building Permit



- Spatial plans
- Related reference data (Annex I)



- Comments
- Economic data
- Cadastral data

Objectives of the Forest Data Space

ZUG AI Lighthouse project, Phase II

Which stands are most at risk?

Which species are suitable for a location in different scenarios?

How can the forest be transformed to reach goals in terms of biodiversity, climate change, and economic factors?



Perceptive: Understand current tree health



Predictive: Understand impact of climate and pathogens



Cognitive: Support decision making and implementation



Connect: Forest owners, consultants, seed vendors, machine rental, ...

Core goals



Hyper-local recommendations



Multiple scenarios with explanations and drill-down



Continuously updated data from in-situ and remote sensing sources

Identifying Stakeholders, Benefits and Needs

Forest Transformation: Dealing with Climate Change



Data Providers

Surveying Agencies
Forest Research Orgs
Remote Sensing companies

Facilitators

20+ Forest Research Orgs
(e.g. Thünen, state-level agencies)
Environmental agencies

Users

2M Private Forest Owners
(Large to Small)
16 State Forests
5k+ Municipal Forests
4k Forest Management Orgs

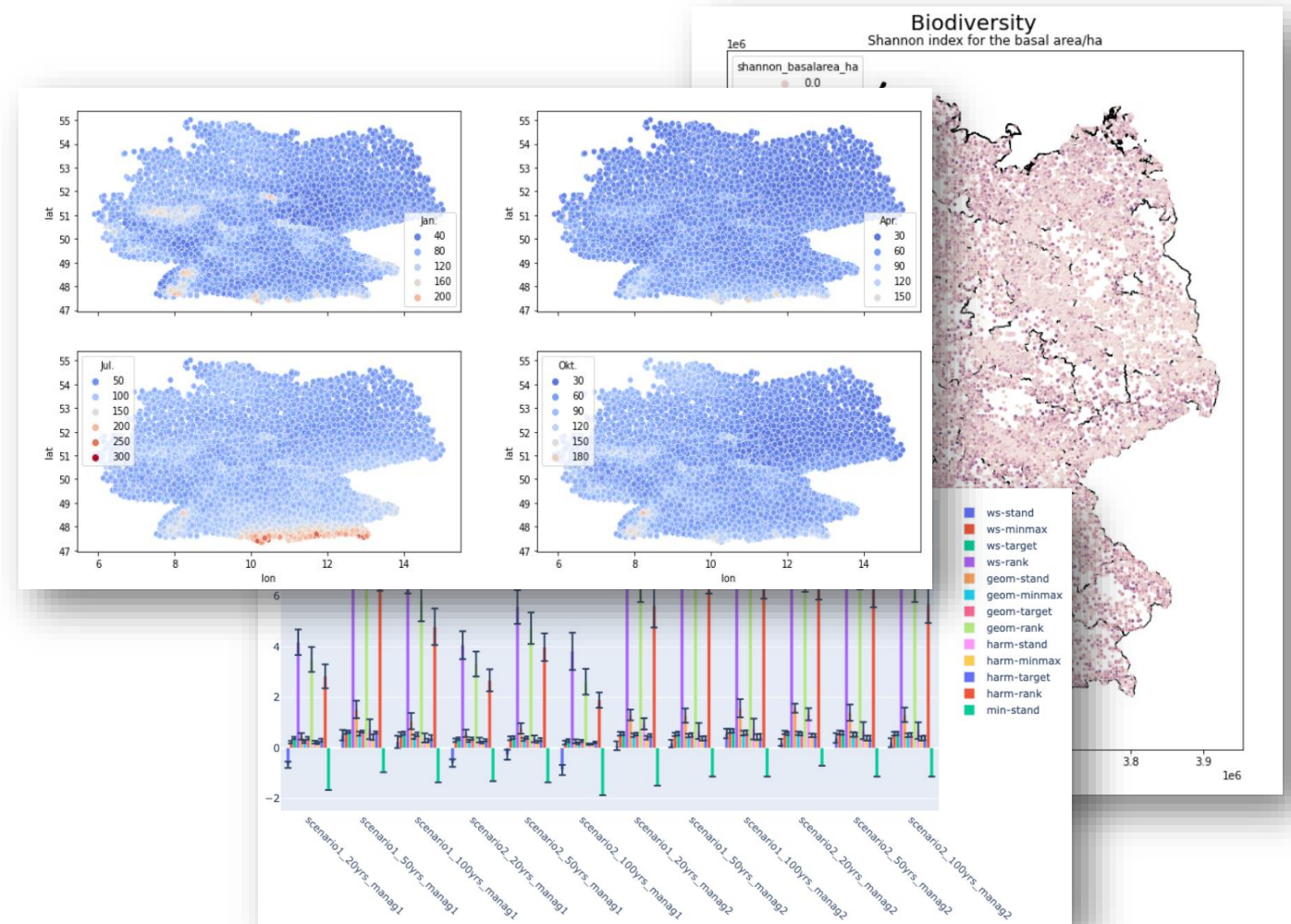
Added Value Services

Tree Seed providers
Field logging tools
UAV operators
Machine Renters

Data in the FDS

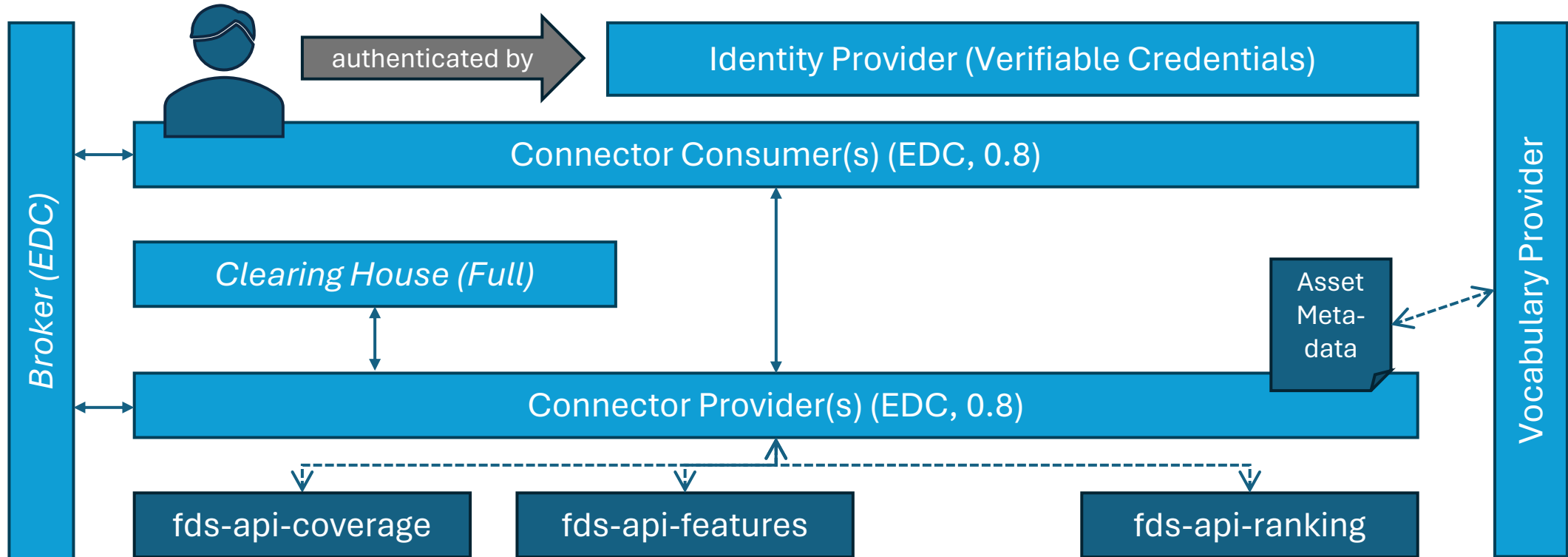
End of 2024: all of Germany, 100x100m² resolution

- **Base Data**
 - Forest Inventory
 - Forest Vitality/Calamities
 - Soil
 - Terrain
- **Forest Transformation Scenarios**
 - Per Climate Scenario
 - Management Scenarios
 - Tree Species
- **Climate & Weather variables coverage**
 - Historical Data
 - Climate Scenarios (RCP 2.6/4.5/8.5)
- **Additional data**
 - All original vector and relational data
 - Personal data/management data
 - Sensor Data



Architecture of the FDS

Full operation in Q2/2025



More about the FDS

... at our **booth** or at forestdata.space!

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Forest Data Space

The Digital Ecosystem for the Forest

The Forest Data Space (FDS) enables forest owners, practitioners, and researchers to find and apply the best approaches to make their forests climate resilient. It is a solution for the effective and secure exchange of forestry data.

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