

Intro to DCAM v2 and the New Knowledge Portal

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Can you compare definitions of PII data across regulations?

You could use the DCAM Powered by Solidatus modeling tool to create comparisons of data privacy regulations and the PII data that is in scope to those regulations. This is not something that the EDM Council currently has beyond the single GDPR regulation.

Can you highlight or superimpose Data Protection by Design and by default onto this framework?

You could define the requirements for data management inherent in Data Protection by Design and then align those requirements to the sub-capabilities in DCAM.

Is your Industry benchmark for only the finance industry or others as well?

The most recent industry benchmark was published in March 2020. This is the first benchmark that included non-financial Service industries. Approximately 30% of the respondents were from non-financial service industries.

How do I access the GDPR part again?

You must log-in to the DCAM Knowledge Portal. The Knowledge Base is organized by the seven components of DCAM. The GDPR knowledge is stored in component 6.0 Data Governance.

Can DCAM be used in the Energy Industry and Oil and Gas?

Yes, it would operate in the energy sector - DCAM v2 was designed to operate cross-industry.

Is the DCAM portal only in English?

Yes, the portal is only in English. We do, however, have a workgroup that is translating DCAM into Spanish and we should publish that in print form in 4Q20. No decision has been made if that version would be added to the portal.

Is there a possibility to download the business glossary to integrate with other data governance tools such as Enterprise Data Catalog?

Yes, we are able to provide a CSV file of the DCAM Business Glossary. You can find it on the DCAM Tools page of the DCAM User Group.

Is there any level of integration into EA-frameworks such as COBIT or TOGAF?

Those integrations have not been developed.

Is this an appropriate time that DCAM should be considered as an ISO Standard at least the overarching Framework?

There have been some considerations of pursuing ISO Standard but no definite plans.

The DCAM model was not focused on financial entities?

The DCAM Framework is industry agnostic. Data Management is Data Management and describes the capabilities required to control your data regardless of industry.

What / where is the linkage between the existing "AS IS" production systems & DCAM "To Be" state?

The DACM Framework used as an assessment tool can apply a score to the level of Data Management capability you have achieved in an organization. The target state would be that you had achieved the top-level scores of 5-6 across all the capabilities.

What is the knowledge management tool that you're using? Did you create it?

It is a WordPress theme called Flatbase.

What is the life cycle of implementation time (SLA) for each phase mentioned as per DCAM to mature till Data Governance?

There is no standard lifecycle for achieving full adoption of DCAM.

Where does analytics and ethics fit into this wheel?

There is a DCAM Knowledge Model that identifies a set of Advanced Analytics and Data Ethics concepts and where those concepts align into DCAM v2. The model is available to EDMConnect registered members [HERE](#).

Where is data lineage covered?

There are a number of references to data lineage throughout the DCAM Framework, however, the sub-capabilities that are specific to data lineage are in component 3.0 Business and Data Architecture. The Knowledge Portal has a Data Lineage Forum which you could ask questions and post your best thinking on the topic where other members could engage in the discussion.

Will you be providing standardized glossary terms for industry groups i.e. banking?

The glossary of terms that were developed by the EDMC was intended to harmonize “data management” terms. As data management became more and more ubiquitous across different industries, it was clear that a common set of terms to describe the data management capabilities was required.

Regarding the building of terms for specific industry groups, the EDMC has developed FIBO, the Financial Industry Business Ontology. FIBO is built using standardized “financial” business terms. FIBO is open-source and available to everyone.

Building a glossary of business terms for other industry groups is currently not being considered, but if our membership feels this would be a benefit to other industries, we could definitely consider initiating these tasks.

Is this a paid model for the organization using the models?

Members are able to use the DCAM Framework at no cost.

Are you also planning something similar to GDPR for CCPA also?

The work that has been done for GDPR could be leveraged to expand and include any unique data privacy requirements imposed by CCPA. There is not currently a planned timeframe to complete this work.

However, if a member organization or group of organizations wanted to sponsor the logistical costs of facilitating the workgroup we would support the effort.

Can DCAM v2 be applied to Pharma/Life Sciences domain?

Yes, DCAM v2 is designed to operate cross-industry.

Is there a legacy systems understanding user group?

There is not a legacy systems understanding user group, but you could create a forum in EDMConnect on the topic and see whether you attract other members to engage with you on the topic.



Can you please address the difference with this and DAMA?

A primary difference is that DAMA does not have an assessment tool aligned with the framework.

Can this be used for my client or do they have to subscribe separately?

Consulting firms must be an EDM Council member and have associates trained on DCAM and can then apply to become a DCAM Authorized Partner. The partner status allows you to use the IP with your clients.

How is DCAM different to Data Management Maturity Model from CMMI?

There are many differences. The primary difference between a capability and a maturity model is that a capability model is binary. You either have the capability or you don't. A maturity model is the degree to which you have applied your capability across all your data.