



## e-Invoicing in Public Procurement: Why PEPPOL?

# Data Requirements: The four corner model



# PEPPOL-specific Benefits



Provides a common, interoperable business transaction standard across EU public sector bodies and their supply chain



Prevents the mandated use of any single provider



Significantly improves the on-boarding process to any organisation within the network

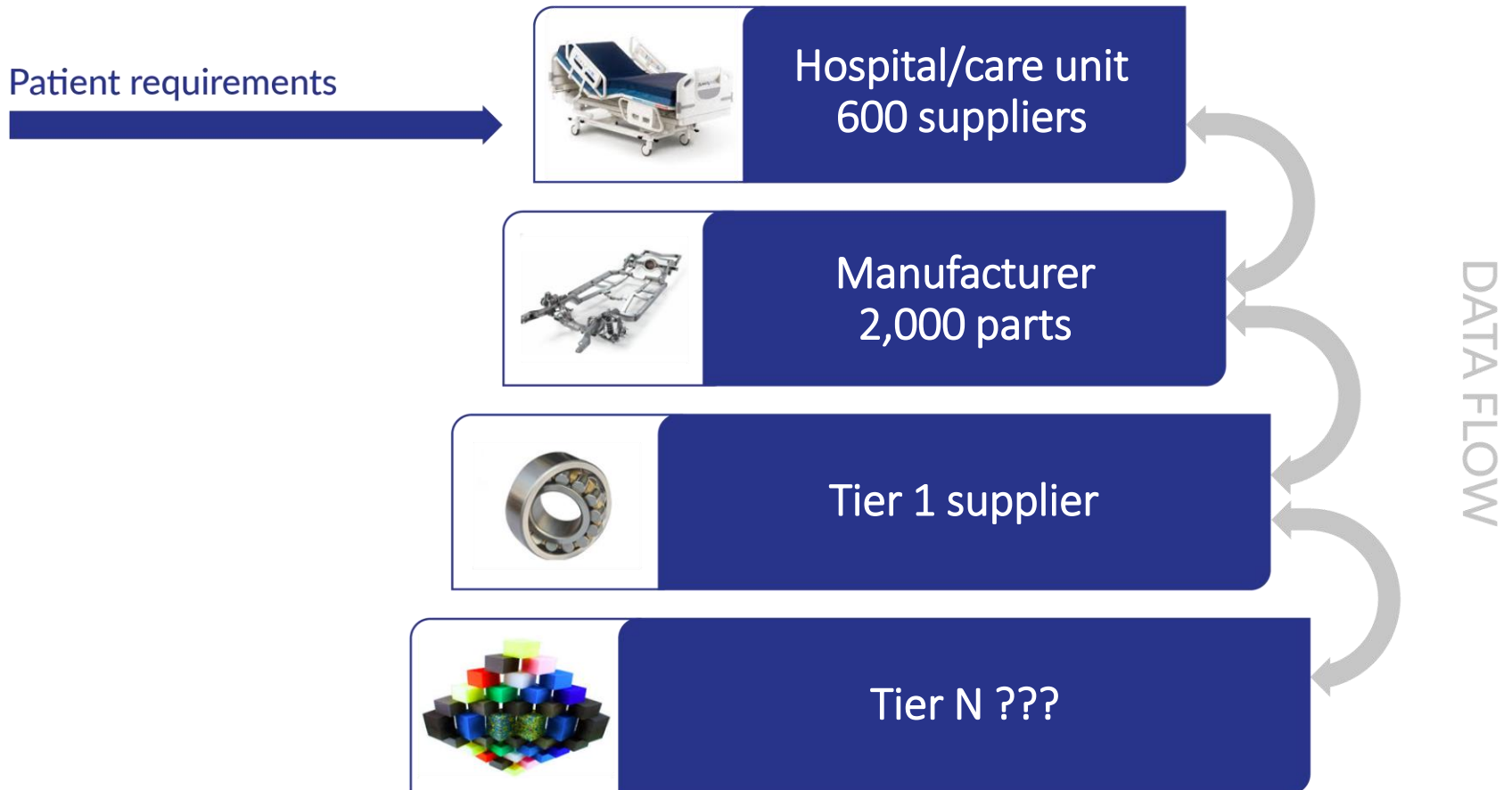


Mandates the free transfer of data between the Access Points



Ensures that all Access Point providers are certified to meet the standards and operating rules

# Why is public sector supply chain integration important?

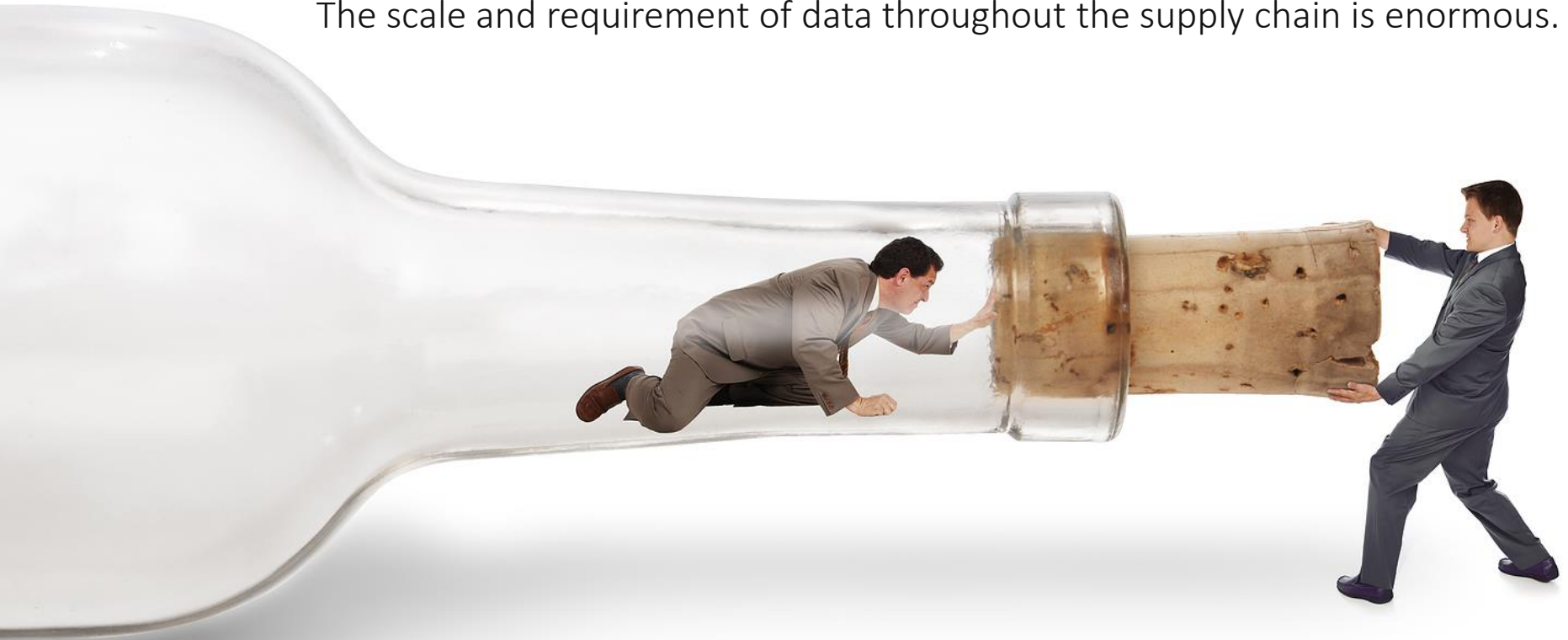


The PEPPOL standard empowers any organisation to create an efficient and accurate business process across their tiered supply chain, from requirements through to finance.

# Supply Chain Data: Bottleneck



The scale and requirement of data throughout the supply chain is enormous.



How can we create a transformation process from data chaos to data alignment throughout the supply chain's tiers?

## Tier 1 supply chain

### Public Body

To quickly understand the wider challenges in the supply chain and create positive, proactive action to achieve results

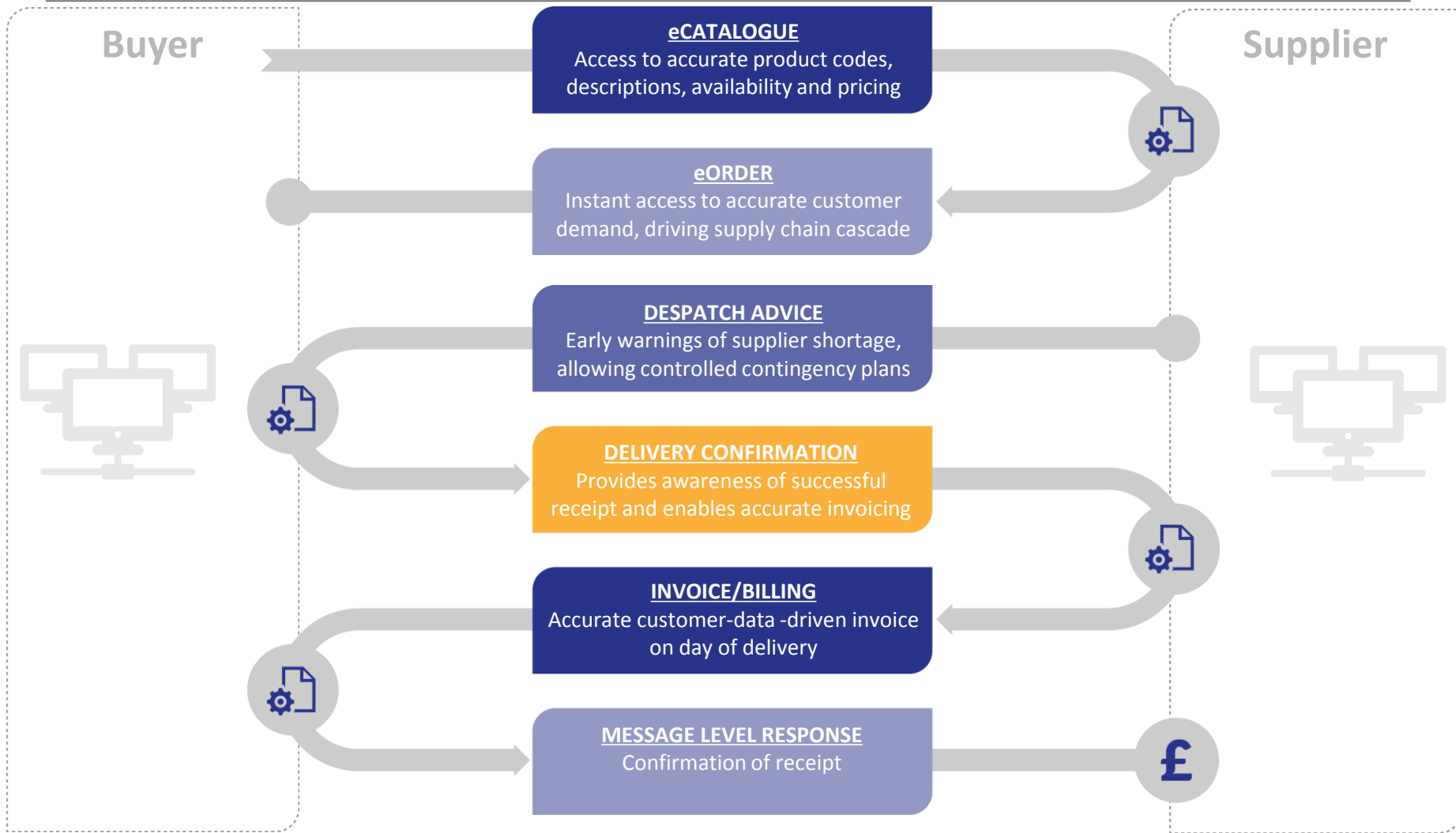
To provide the customer with an honest and accurate picture and work with Tier 2 suppliers on adopting global best practices

### Tier 2+

Enable greater access to accurate demand information to allow best practice supply chain and finance processes



# Electronic Integration: Best Practice





## Organisations typically report that integration brings the following benefits:



Gain control of and align supply chain, procurement and finance processes



Reduced supply chain risk



Reduced inventory carrying costs, premium freight, lead times



Increased inventory visibility



Reduction in the number of Invoice queries



Increased invoice accuracy and turnaround



Improved visibility and control of working capital



Quicker payment cycles



Increased competitiveness



For more information...

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