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DIGITAL IDENTITY IN AUSTRALIA

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The European networking & knowledge platform for digital identity

themes...

- Did we not see the digital era coming?
- Digital Government and digital identity
 - Historical perspective
- The Machinery of Government & the economy
 - Individuals Businesses -Things
- Proof of identity, payments...and politics
- $_{\odot}$ $\,$ The rise of the platforms of the 21^{st} Century $\,$
 - …and the obsolescence of silos



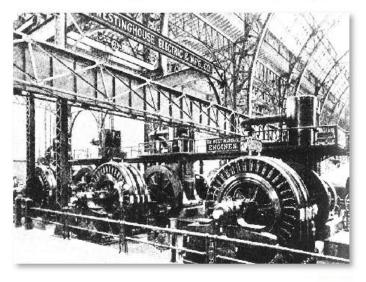




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Westinghouse's utility



THE BIG SWITCH

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Digital Identity in Australia....



Identity Crime Report



Financial Systems



...what's happened in the past 30 years?

...did we not see the digital era coming?

Financial System Inquiry Final Report		
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November 2014		Final Report
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- Economic impact \$1.6 billion every year.
- Limited use of the Document Verification Service by Government agencies
- Fraudulent identity credentials cheap and easy to obtain

- Australia does not have a single overarching technology strategy in place.
- Has not yet developed a detailed approach for the future of digital identities
- Recommended national strategy for federated-style model of trusted digital identities.





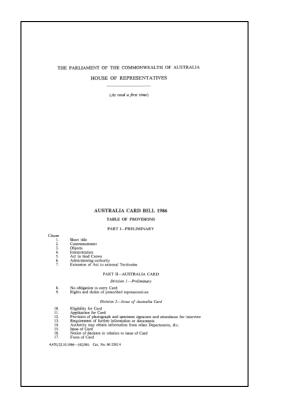
a history: Australian Government digital & identity strategies







1987 – the Australia Card



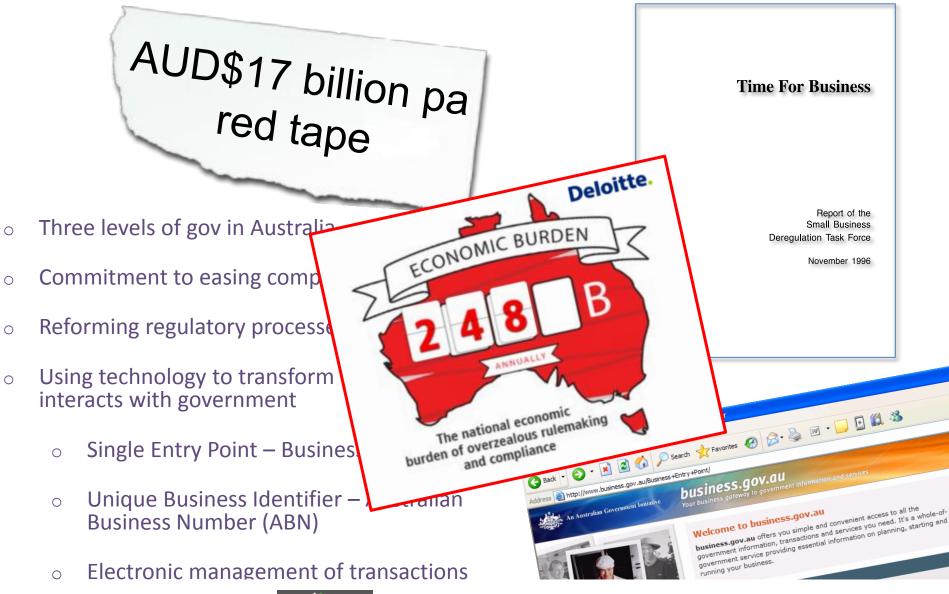


- A national system of identification.
- Main purpose: prevent losses to revenue through taxation system and through payment of Commonwealth Government benefits.
 - Estimated additional AUD\$800 million (1987) revenue collected within 3 years
- Thirteen Government agencies would use the Australia Card identity.
- Australia Card would assist in combating organised criminal activity illegal immigrants also a target.
- Card would carry a unique number and cardholder's name, address, photograph and signature.
- All Australian citizens and foreign nationals in prescribed categories - required to obtain a card.
- Initiative defeated in the Senate.





1997 Prime Ministerial Statement – "More Time for Business" Economic Impact – Dealing with Government

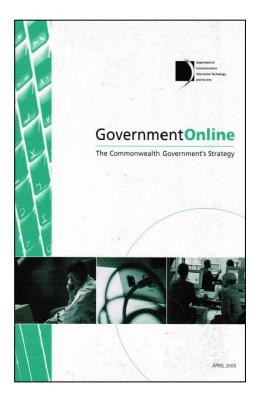






a long-held vision ...

Australia Government Online 2000



Objectives

"...to extend the <u>benefits of the</u> <u>information revolution</u> currently being experienced by individuals, and businesses in their dealings with each other to their dealings with government"

"...bringing government <u>closer</u> to people to encourage people to interact with government."

"...tailored services that are easy to use and allow people to interact with government in a way which is <u>natural</u> to them."





the past decade...

Year 2000 Year 2013 "...getting all of its major services and interactions with individuals online..." "...deliver all Department of Communications Internetion Technolog and the Jone appropriate "...Give people the option to Commonwealth elect to receive material Government Online services electronically The Coalition's Policy The Commonwealth Government's Strate from the government in on the Internet by for E-Government and digital form *or in hard-copy*, the Digital Economy 2001... depending on their circumstance. complementing – not <u>replacing</u> – existing We will aim to provide all <u>written</u>, telephone, <u>fax</u> correspondence, and counter services". documents and forms in digital form, as well as hard*copy*, by 2017."

- Agency by agency approach & perspective
- Increasing complexity
- Implications for identity and POI processes

missing components \rightarrow transformation & client experience





digital and paper worlds collide...

- 35 % government transactions still carried out manually (face-to-face, phone, correspondence)
- Of those are carried out 'digitally' unclear what percentage of these are actually completed end to end online.
- Agencies still manage over 105 million voice calls per year.
- Many of the 170 million face-to-face transactions were to prove identity.
- Only four agencies provide interviews and/or customer services by digital video
- 250 million letters still sent by Commonwealth Government each year.
- Only 17 federal government agencies provide 'smart forms' to assist engagement with clients/customers.



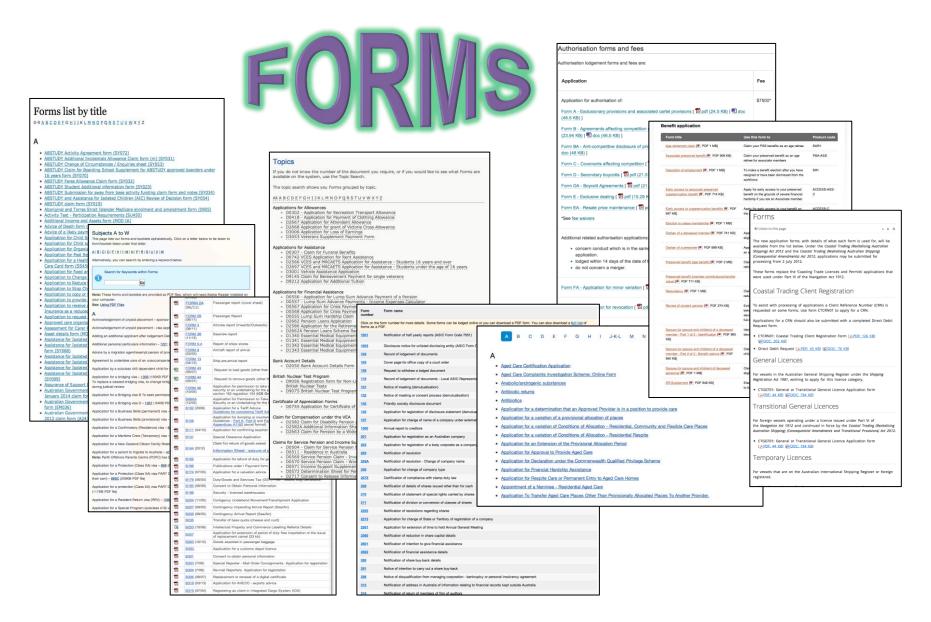








what's the *scariest* word on government websites?







BUSINESS: DIGITAL IDENTITY & AUTHENTICATION SERVICES





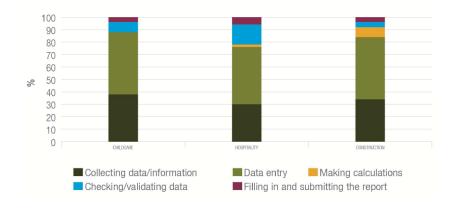
Starting a hairdressing business... ...a hair-raising experience

Approximately 27 different government agencies

- > ABN, GST, federal and state business registration
- local council licences, operating permits
- Work cover; OH&S plans; health regulations
- > Apprenticeship schemes
- Payroll tax and Superannuation
- > ABS Statistics
- Insurance and Medicare
- Approval to play music in a public place
- If serving coffee etc food safety plan
- Public Space Approval Signage etc
- Weights and Measure inspection for cash registers
- Environment Protection processes; storage and disposal of chemicals
- Conveyancing if new premise Building/Development application

90% time business providing data to government...

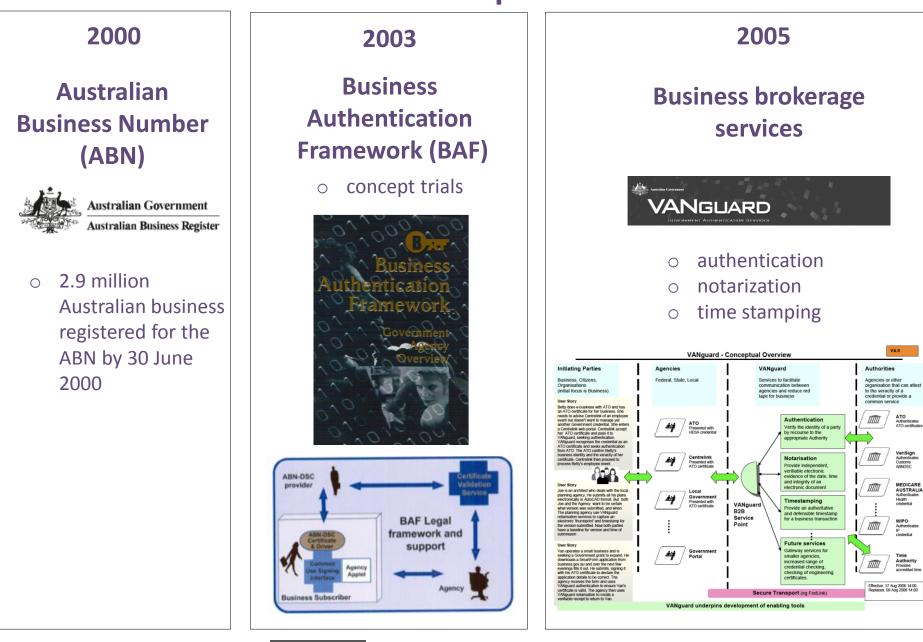
Feedback from business







business authentication platforms evolve...

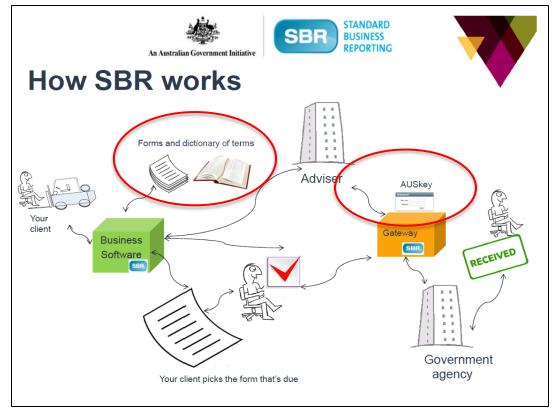






2010 - Standard Business Reporting (SBR)

data – authentication & the machinery of government



- Potential benefits of SBR (ref Productivity Commission) \$500 million pa
- Unlike paper and PDF forms data is machine readable / analysable.
- Taxonomy, standards and reference framework → enable digital engagement between business and government.





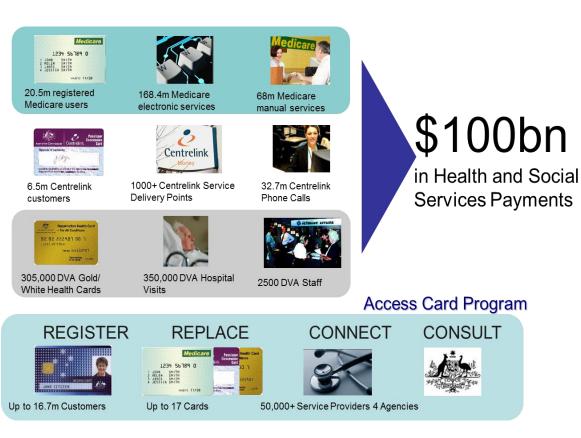
IDENTITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL & GOVERNMENT & ECONOMIC IMPACT







...imperative for reform...



- KPMG estimated Access Card would save AUD \$3b in health and human services fraud over 10 years
- 70% of serious or organised identity crime involve the Medicare Card.
 - 520 different Centrelink forms require a person to provide POI
- 100 million face to face transactions pa mostly for POI
- Man uses 40 false identities to commit Medicare fraud – 40 Medicare customers victims of ID fraud.
- Jodie Harris 'Catch Me If You Can' Thief – 25 false identities.





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2006 – Access Card ...smartcard technology

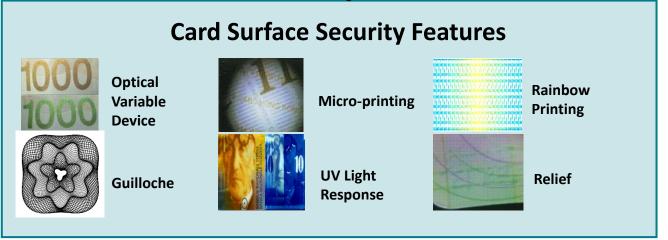
Front of card



Card number 9 036 XX NNNNNNNN C Signature 036 XX NNNNNNNN C Card expiry date Card orpiry date: XX/XX/XXXX Optional date of birth

Examples of card design only

Examples

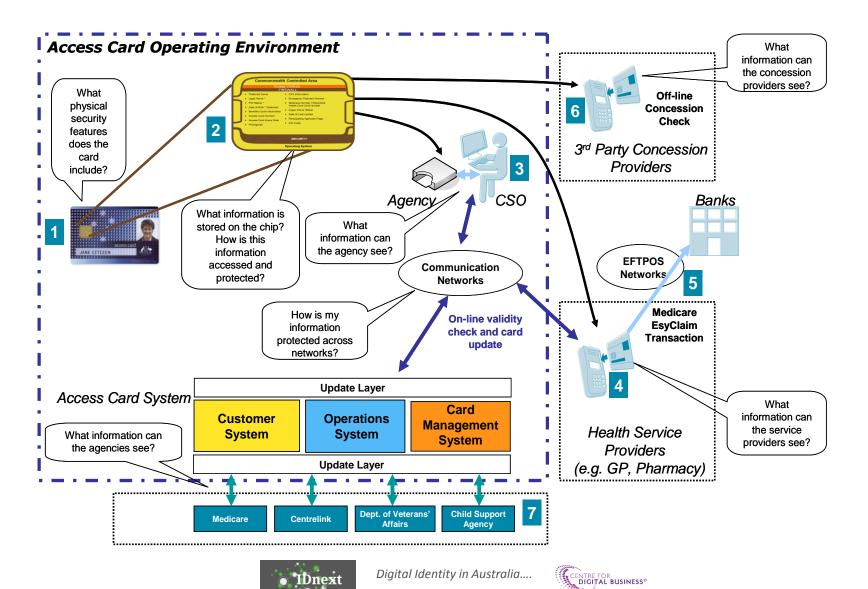






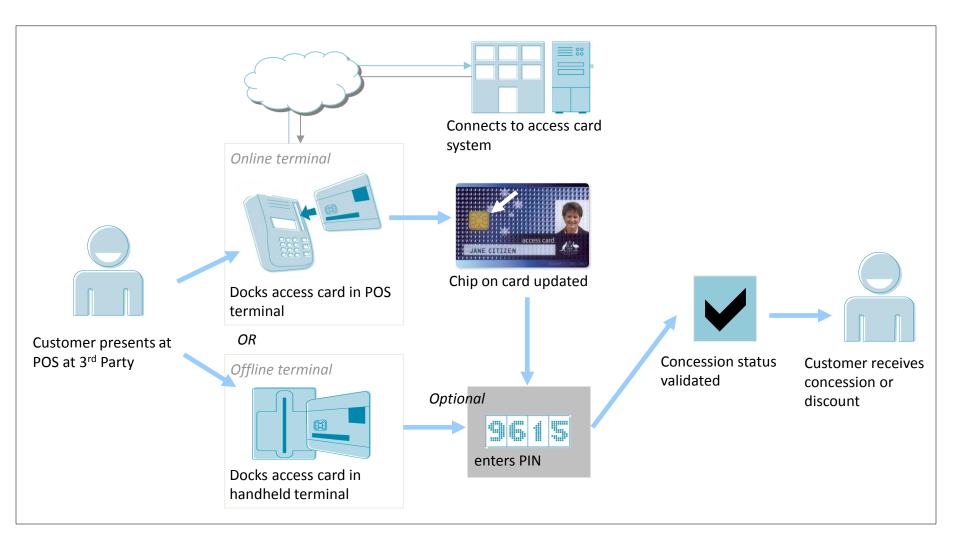


...national economic platform...





...3rd party and government concessions...



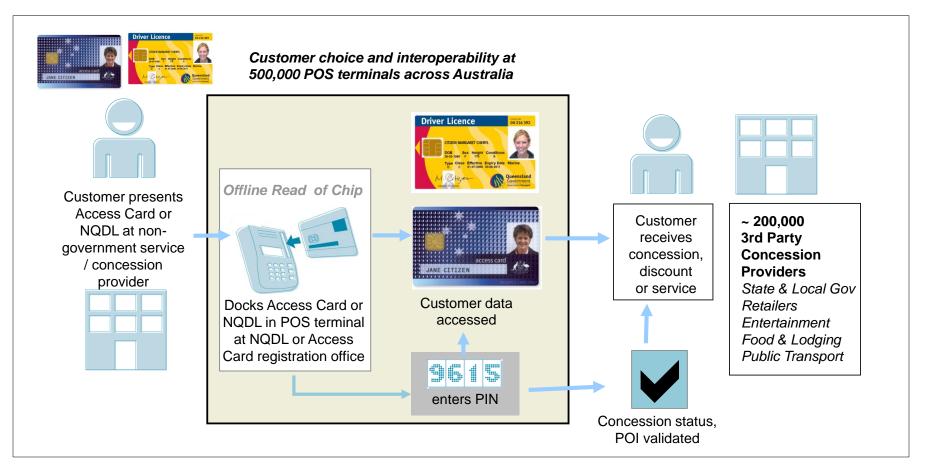






...smartcard infrastructure interoperability...

designed to be interoperable across payments system including remote locations and offline mode...



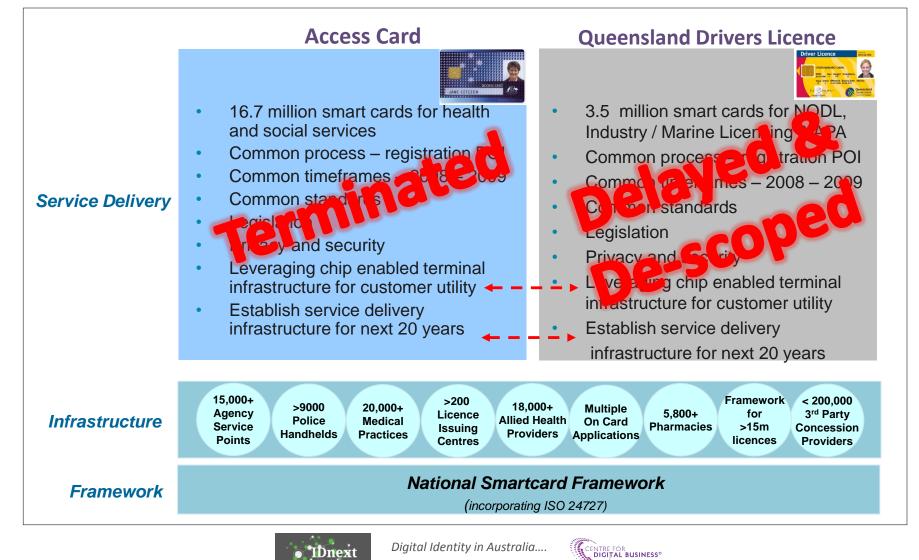




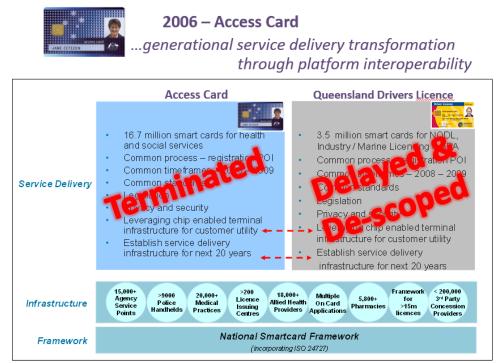


...generational service delivery transformation

through platform interoperability



...10 years later...





New South Wales

- 123 different license types
- 2.8 million plastic cards issued each year
- ...but what is the national strategy?
 - Costing tens millions dollars

...client choice and interoperability?





POLICY, PAYMENTS & PROOF OF IDENTITY



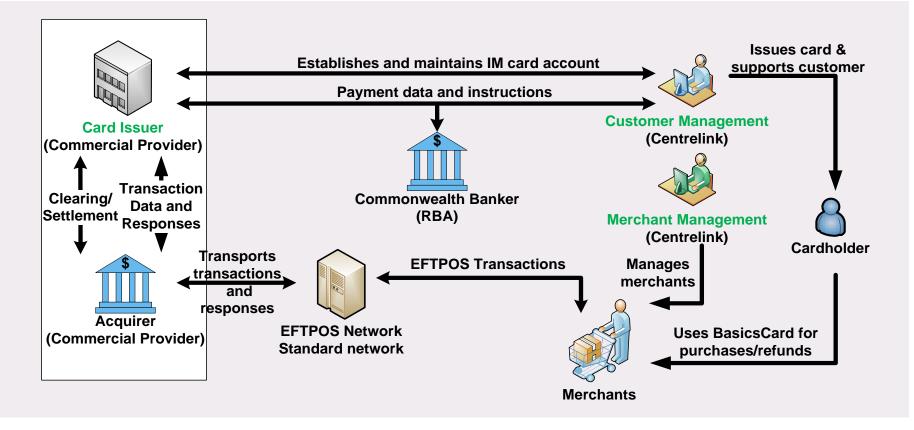




2008 - BasicsCard



...leveraging industry standards & platforms ...delivering quarantined welfare payments









is it a bank???

...identity, payments & information platforms...





Mobile

Manage your money your way.

onev

Amazon – "Pay with Amazon" service

T-Mobile – chequeing

service and ATM card



Commonwealth Bankproperty guide app









while the world moves to digital payments...

- Plastic cards, paper cards, paper forms...
- Fragment the client experience
- o Inhibit data and analytics
- Administrative and red tape cost escalate





2009

2009 Industry Paper

"Innovation in Payments and Information Services"





...how many online accounts...

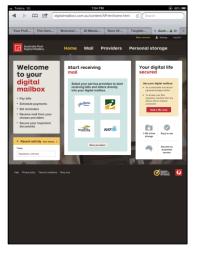
does a citizen / customer want or need?

Immigration Online Account

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Australia Business Account



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Commonwealth Bank Net Banking

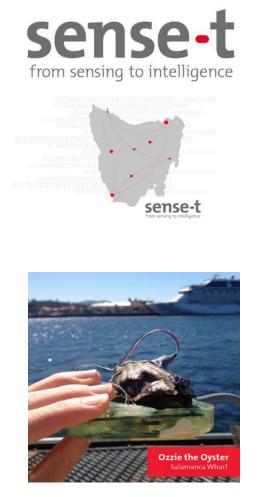


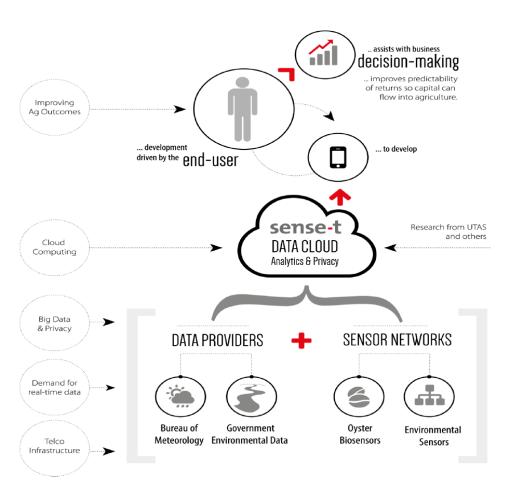
Digital Identity in Australia....



...identity and the Internet of Things...

... is government ready?





Oysters gathering data with sensors





THE RISE OF THE PLATFORMS & OBSOLESCENCE OF SILOS





...the client experience and the new platforms...

...greeting a new Pope







...after 30 years of silos...the rise of the "platform"...

1984 Medicare Card



- Issued to individuals or families
- Eligibility not based on Australian citizenship
- Primary purpose to prove eligibility
- Recognised form of ID in opening bank accounts or obtaining driver's license
- On '100 point POI scale' -Medicare card 30 points
- Technology 30 year old, plastic, no pin, no chip



- o Identity card
- All Australian citizens and foreign nationals
- Prevent losses to taxation revenue and payment of benefits
- Rejected by the Senate.

Access Cardeo

2006

- KPMG estimated introduction of Access Card would save \$3b in health and human services fraud over 10 years
- 70% of serious or organised identity crime involve Medicare Card
- 17 cardboard, paper & simple plastic cards
- 110 million face to face transactions for POI
- Terminated by gov

2015 Identity Crime & Financial Systems Inquiry

- "...complex federated network...20 gov agencies manage over 50 million core identity credentials"
- Many gov issued credentials few or no security features
- Fraudulent identity credentials
 cheap and easy to obtain
- 170 million face-to-face gov transactions – many to prove identity

Economic Platforms

Payment Platform – New Payment Platform

Identity Platforms – Infrastructure and Services

Reciprocity Frameworks

Data Architecture and Standards

Mobile Telecommunications Platforms

...after 30 years of silos...an urgent call to action...

...lack of digital identity and payments strategy

... driving systemic risk & inhibiting innovation...



"No Welfare Reform without Digital Payments Transformation and Digital Identity Strategy"

Centre for Digital Business 2014

Issues

- Fragmented identity infrastructure lack of strategy, lack of investment
- Fragmented, bespoke, siloed payments – lack of strategy
- Highly repetitive, manual processes
- Impact on cyber security
- o 35% gov transaction manual
- Only 17 out of 100's gov agencies have smart forms

Recommends

- Trusted digital identity framework business, citizens, non-citizens, things, biometrics
 - Reciprocity of identity credentials eg bank credentials for online authentication to gov
 - Contestability of identity services driven by standards and customer choice
 - Operate as national economic infrastructure
 - Document Verification Service a greater role
- Implement WoG "Strategic Payments Capability Architecture" – regulated
- o Establish "Digital Transformation Commission"

"Identity Crime Repor 2014"	rt "F	Financial System In 2014″	quiry	Announcement "Digital Transformation Office"
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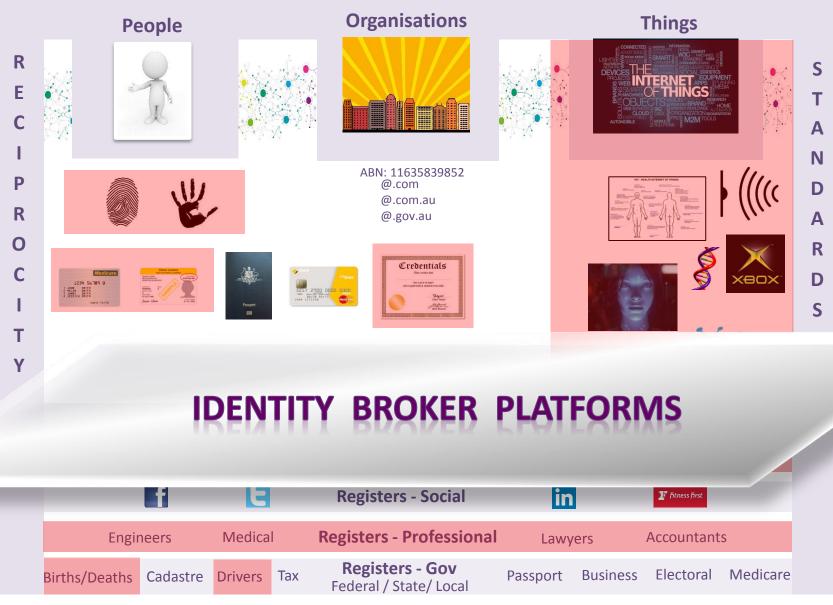
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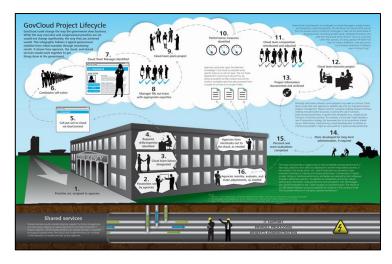






identity platforms and the digital age

"identity silos" v. "identity platforms"





19th Century & 20th Century

Authority of agencies

21st Century Architecture of platforms

- Agencies and systems
- Dominance of the silos
- Policy frameworks not coping
- Manual & repetitive processes
- Discretionary processes
- Discretionary investments in systems
- Duplicated investments
- \circ Not citizen centric

- Platforms not agencies
- Dominance of architecture & standards
- Proliferation & evolution of identity concepts
- Process automation & algorithms
- Can no longer be wild west of silos
- Investments & maintenance not subject to agency discretion
- Need to be managed like air traffic control systems
- o Citizen choice





Let's stay connected :-)

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