

# Identity the New Perimeter

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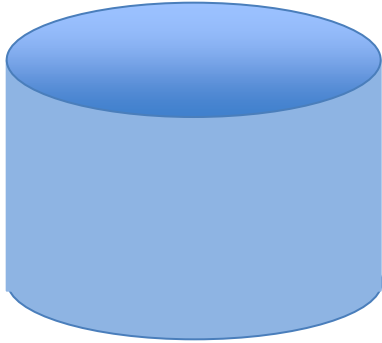
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# Key questions this session will answer

- Which are the key attributes of Cloud Types
- What are some of the key cloud choice drivers?
- Identify primary transformational **SHIFTS** required to enable a secure but collaborative clouds?
- Why does Identity and Access Management have to **SHIFT?**

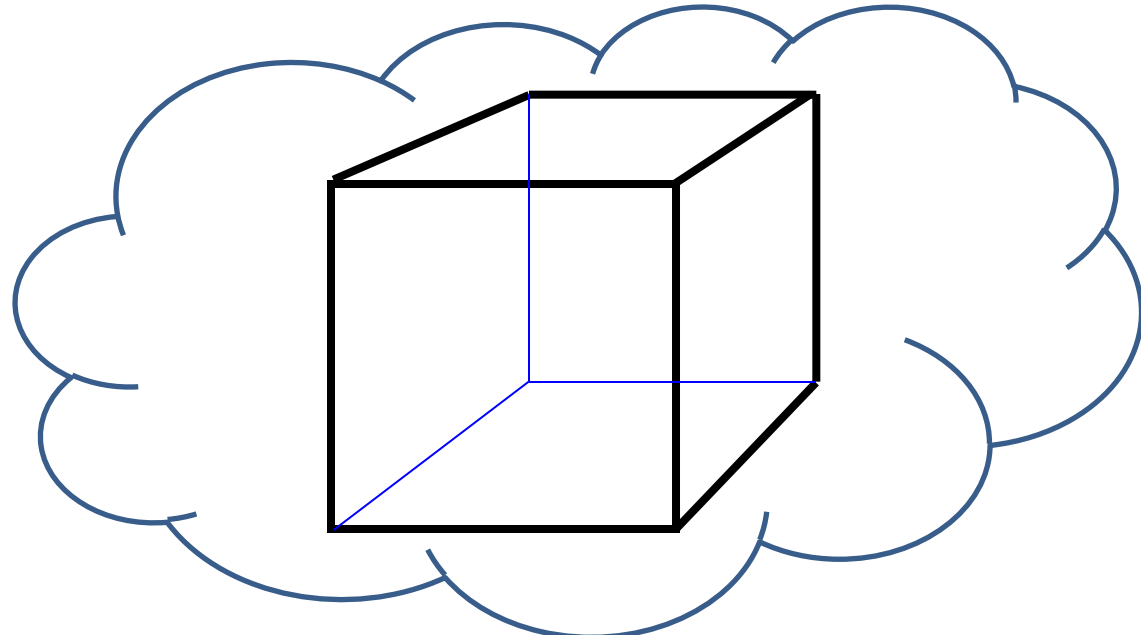
# To Cloud or Not to Cloud?



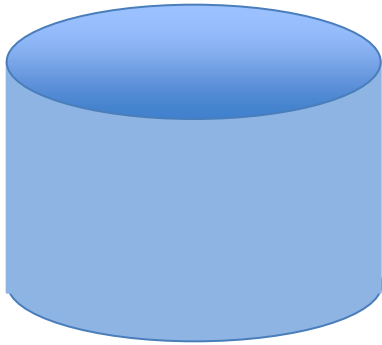
Traditional

“or”

Cloud



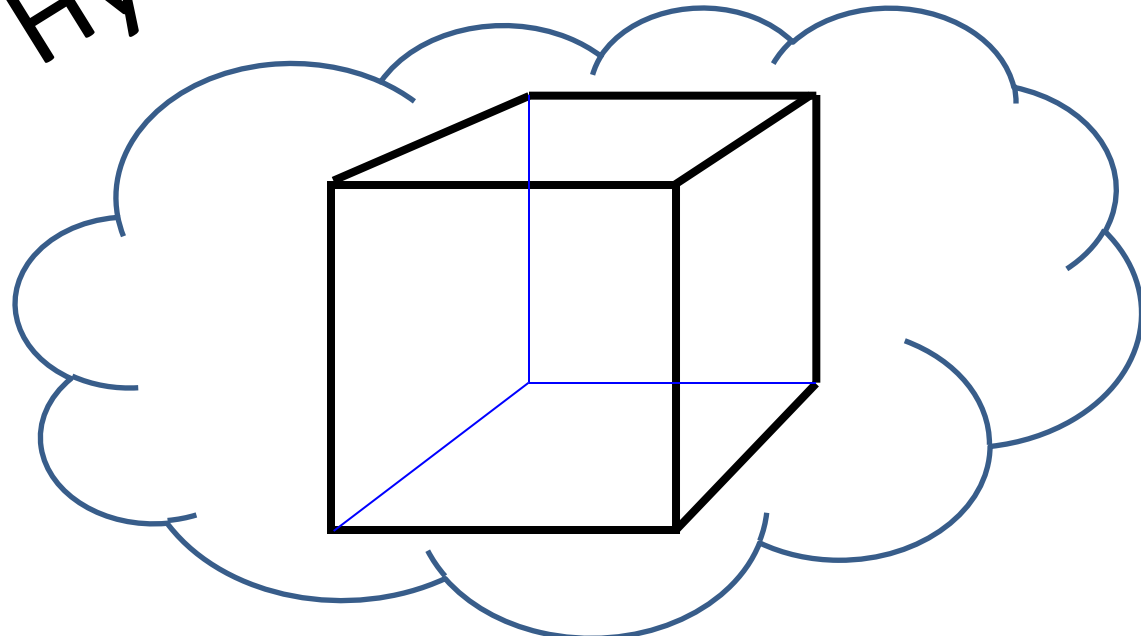
# Let's get real!



Traditional

**We are all "Hybrid" already!**

Cloud



# Unfortunately...

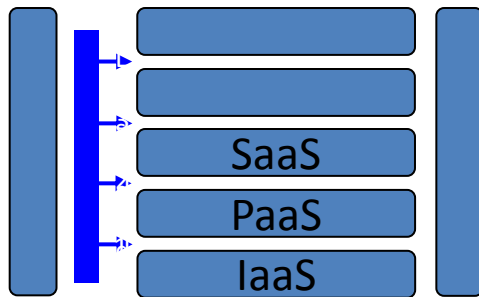
- Our Business Partners are pressing ahead into the clouds, often unaware that they are!
- We are NOT architecting our way into the Clouds
- Seems like we've been here before...  
... remember the early PCs?
- This is where the Jericho Forum Self Assessment Scheme will be able to help you...



# Some Definitions

- **NIST and the Jericho Forum** have it wrapped!

## “NNN as a Service”



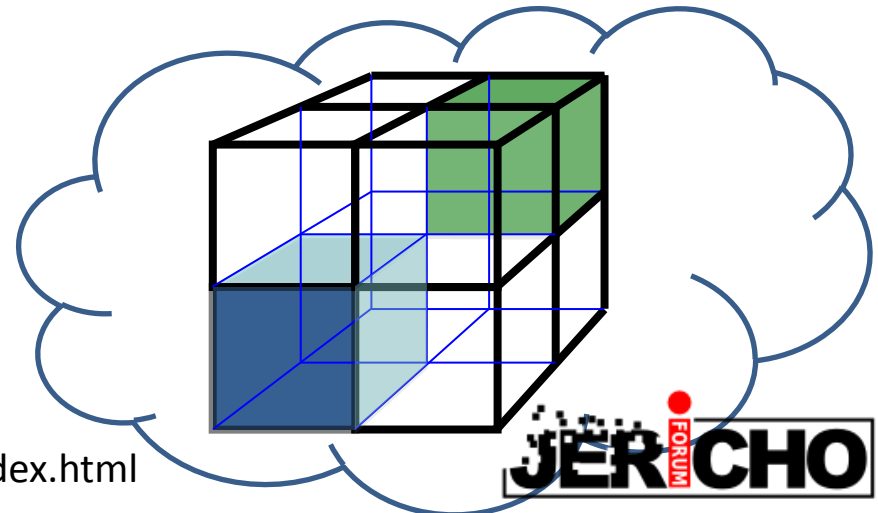
## “Deployment Models”

Public	Private
Community	Hybrid

## Essential Characteristics:

- *On-demand self-service.*
- *Broad network access.*
- *Resource pooling.*
- *Rapid elasticity.*
- *Measured Service.*

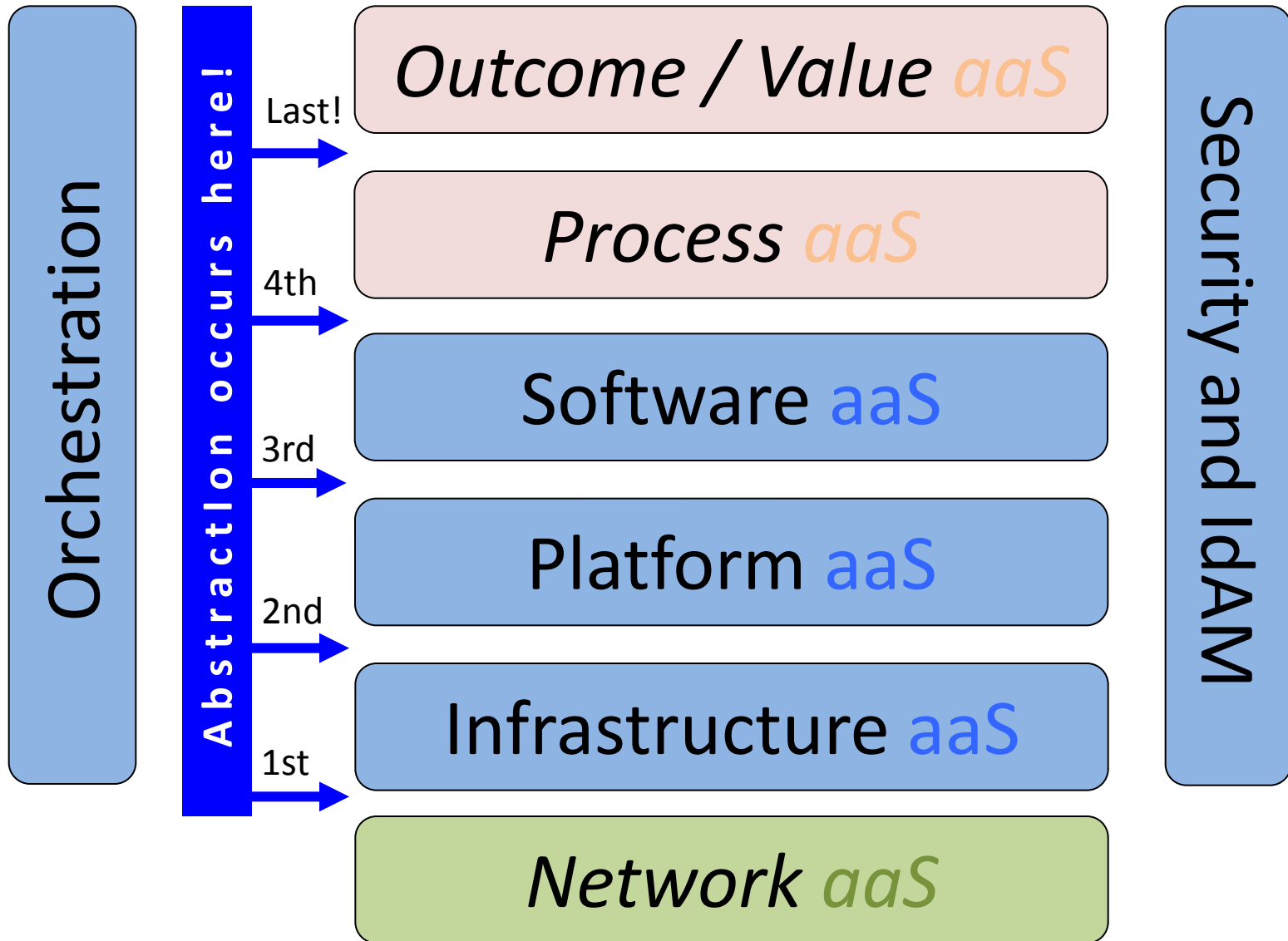
## “Cloud Cube”



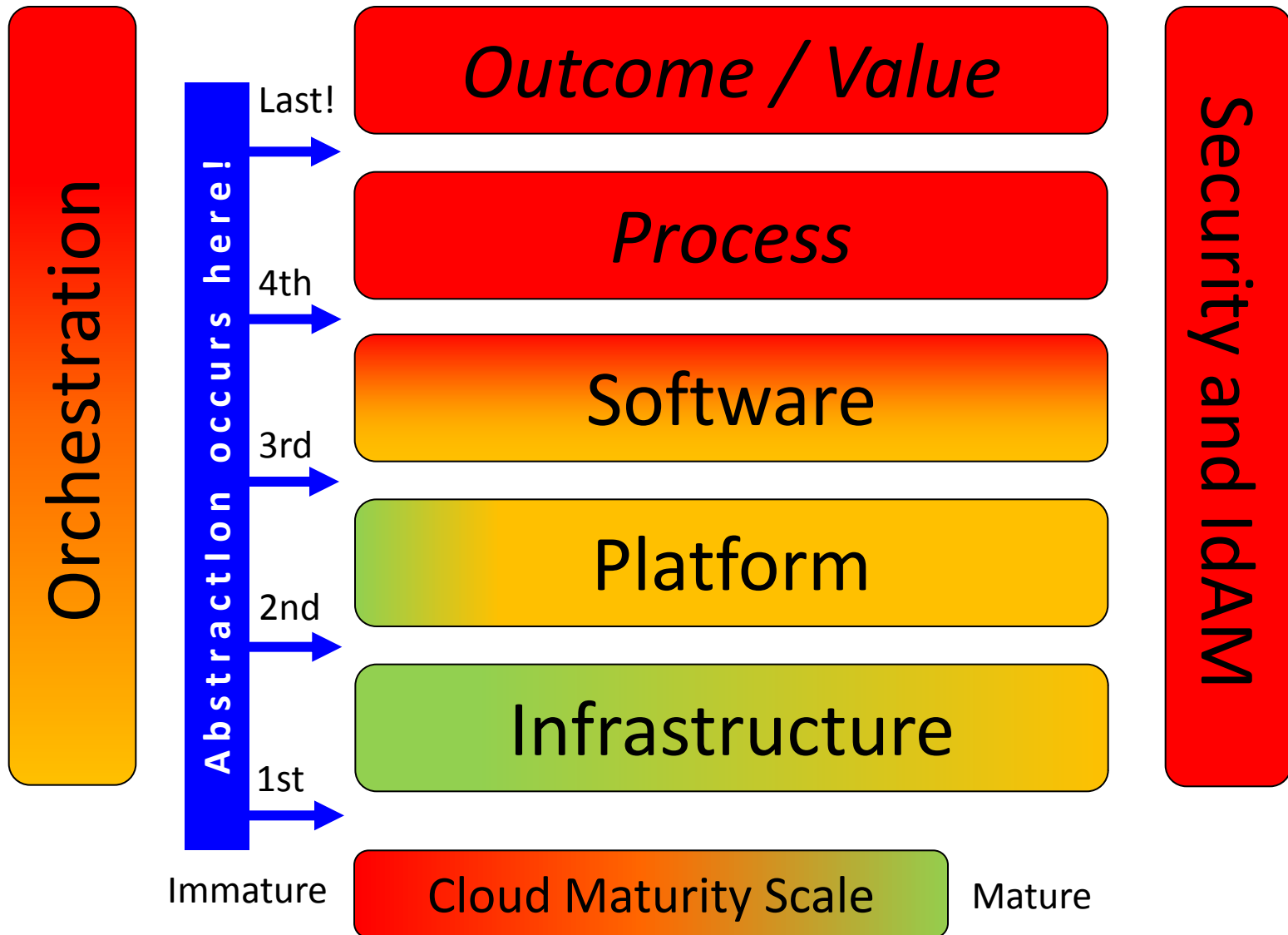
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# “NNNNN as a Service”

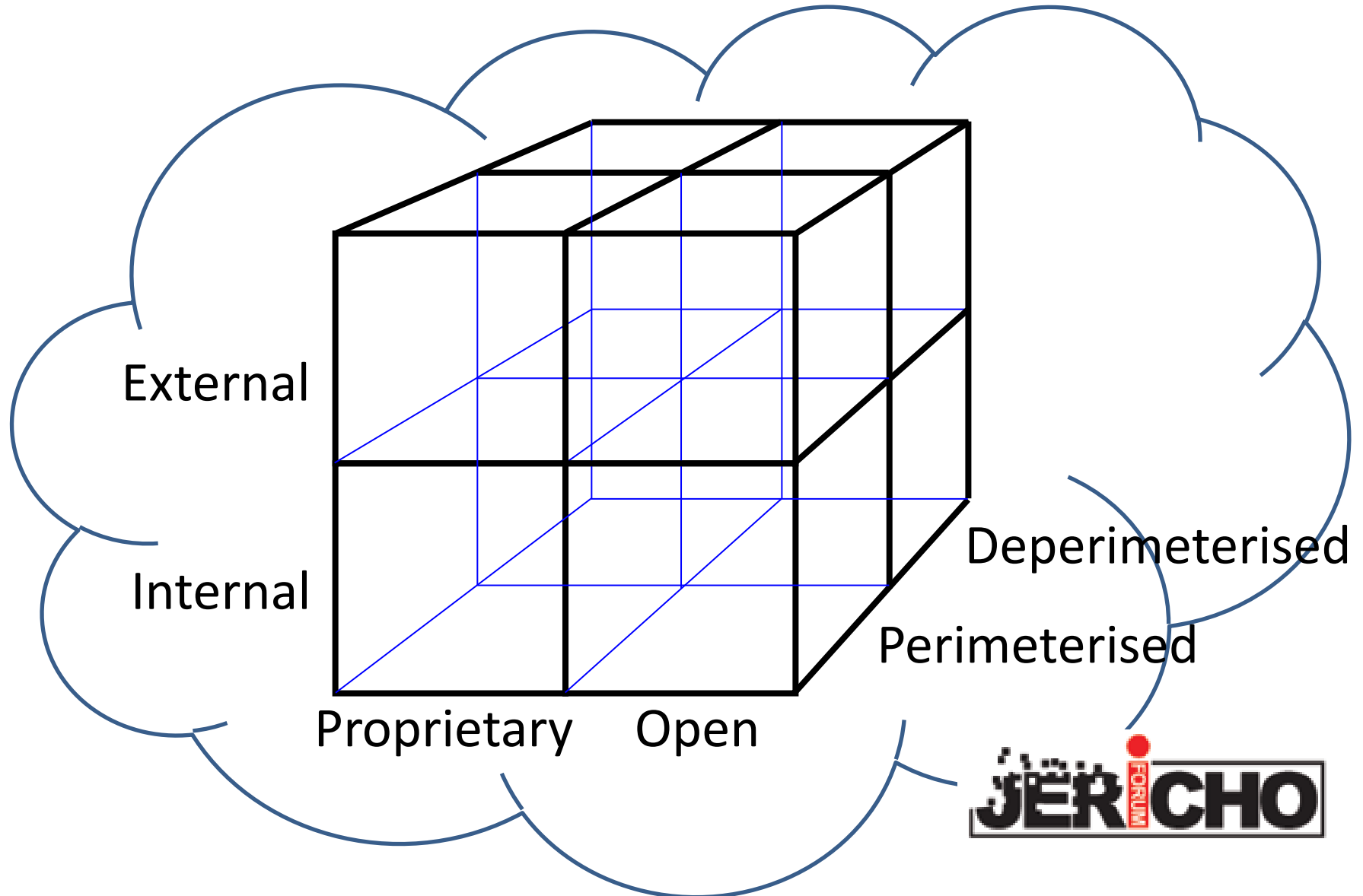


# Maturity of the Cloud Layers

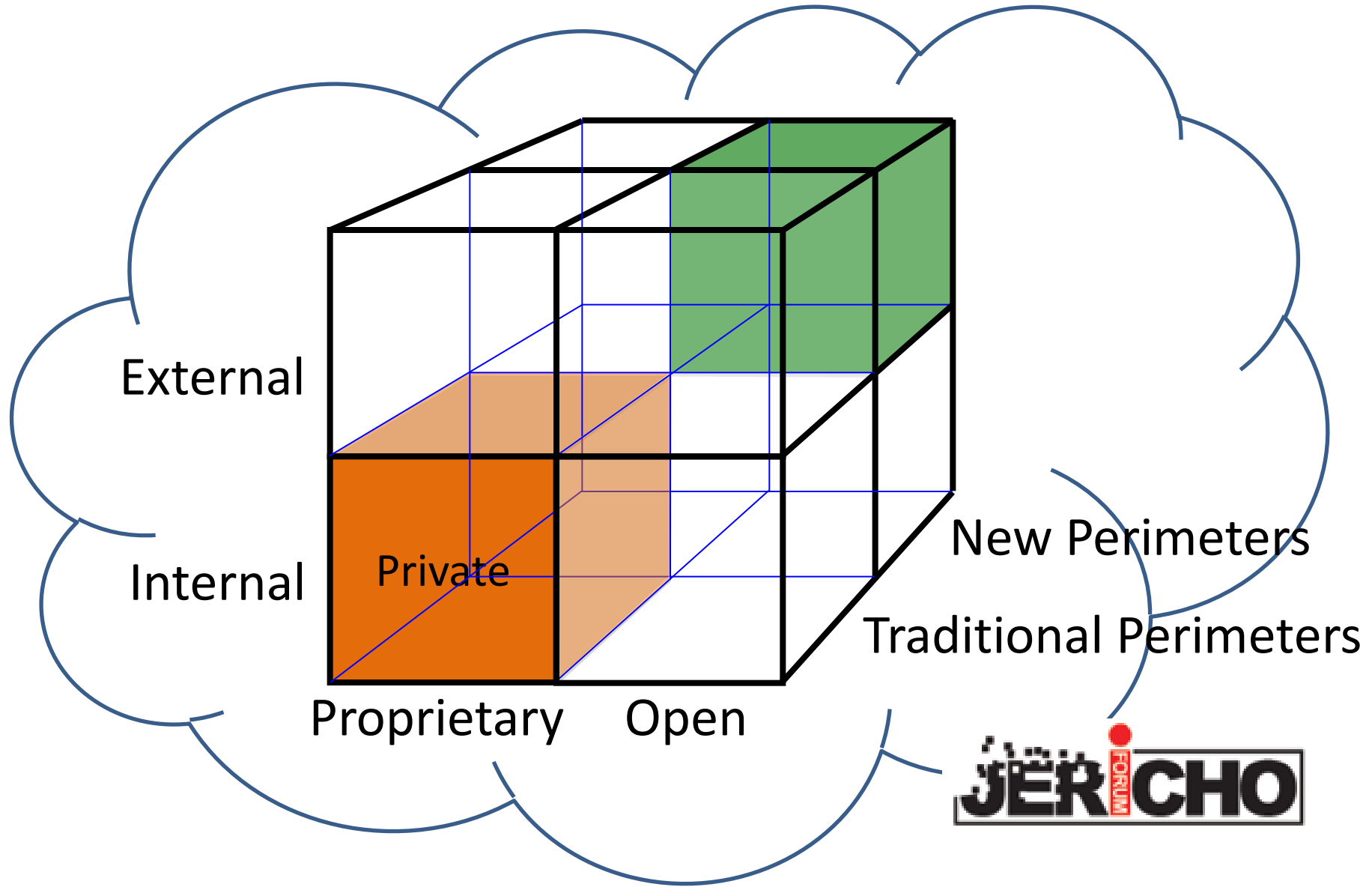




# The Cloud Cube revisited



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# Choose the Clouds with care!

- Private Clouds are Silos  
(Sometimes you need Silos)
- Proprietary Clouds Can Lock You In
- Internal Clouds are a Stop Gap
- Clouds with the Old Perimeters do not enable external collaboration

The key shifts

The Identity Shifts

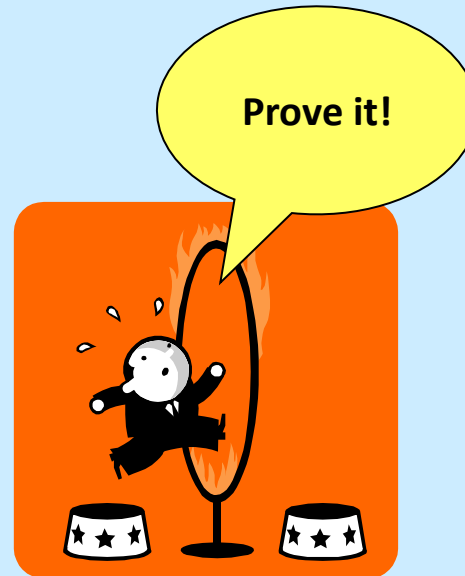
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# Privilege Management in Ten Words

## Identification



## Authentication



## Authorization



- **Identification:** The presentation of an identifier so that the system can recognize and distinguish the presenter from other principals

- **Authentication:** The exchange of information in order to verify the claimed identity of a principal

- **Authorization:** The granting of rights, including access, to a principal, by the proper authority

**Principal:** An entity (people, devices, applications, etc.) whose identity can be authenticated

Reference: Open Group XDSF (X/Open Distributed Security Framework), ISO 10181-3

# Did you spot the gap?

## Inside the Old Perimeter

- Identify: Who are you?
- Authenticate: You are you

- Authorise: Have this!

## Outside the Old Perimeter

- Principal declares Identity
- Identity Authenticated
- Resource Requested
- Resource Identified
- Resource declares Rules
- Rules verified
- User claims capabilities / attributes
- Claims verified
- Access Control Decision

Entitlement

Magic Occurs here!

# Identity Shift #1 Resource Centric

# “Identity” Lifecycle of a Resource

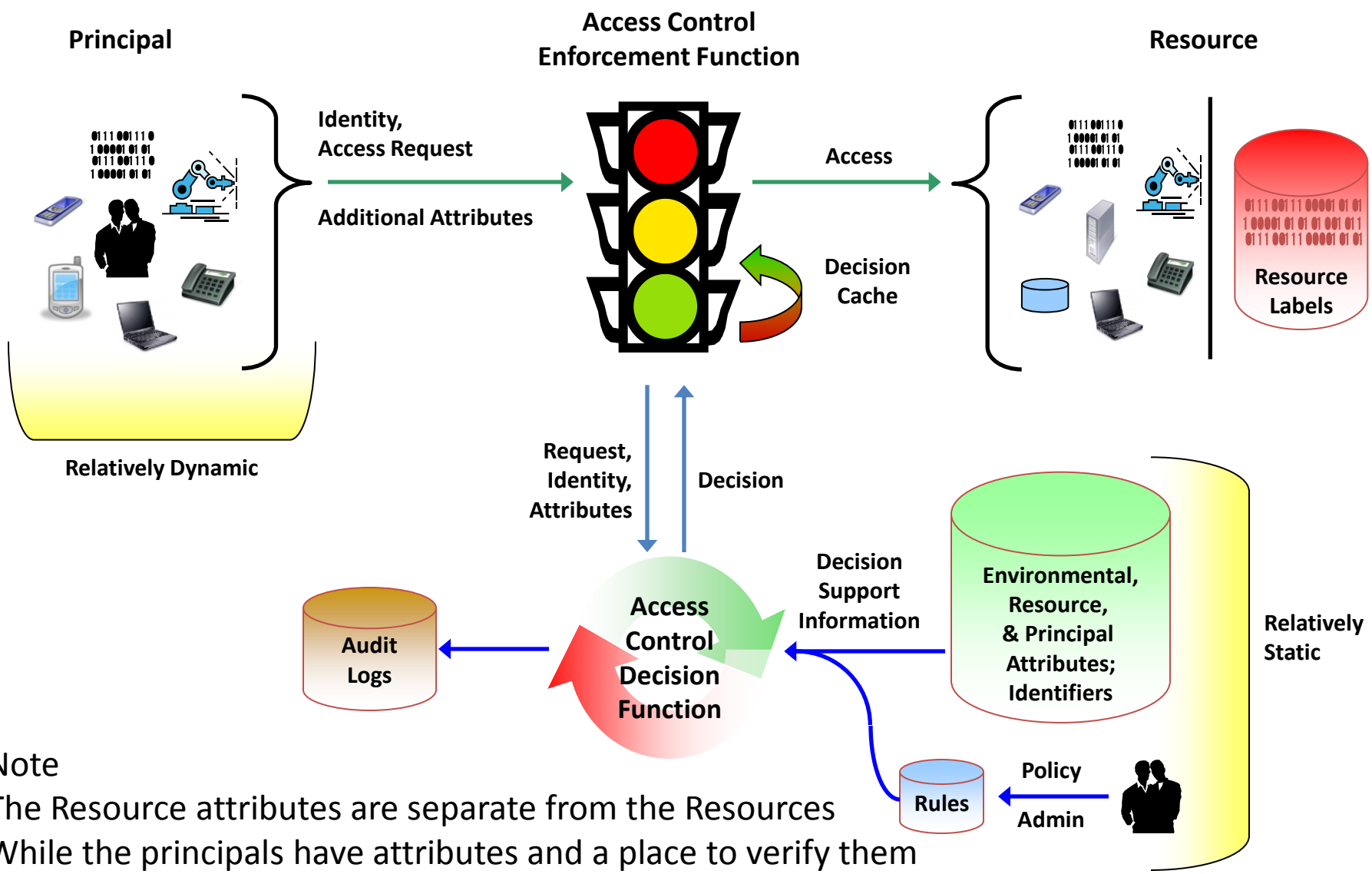
- Create Resource Identity
- Verify Resource Identity
- Set the Access Rules (eg Must be Over 18)
- Enable Rule Authentication
- Entitlement Check (Are you Over 18?)
- Verify Claim
- Evaluate
- Allow Access to Resource

Resource: Service, System, Code, Information

Diagram Courtesy  
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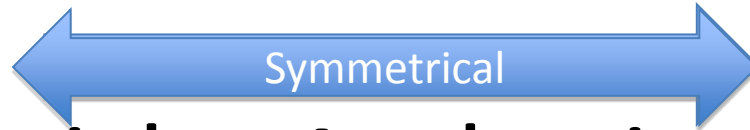
Asymmetrical

# ISO Authorization Model

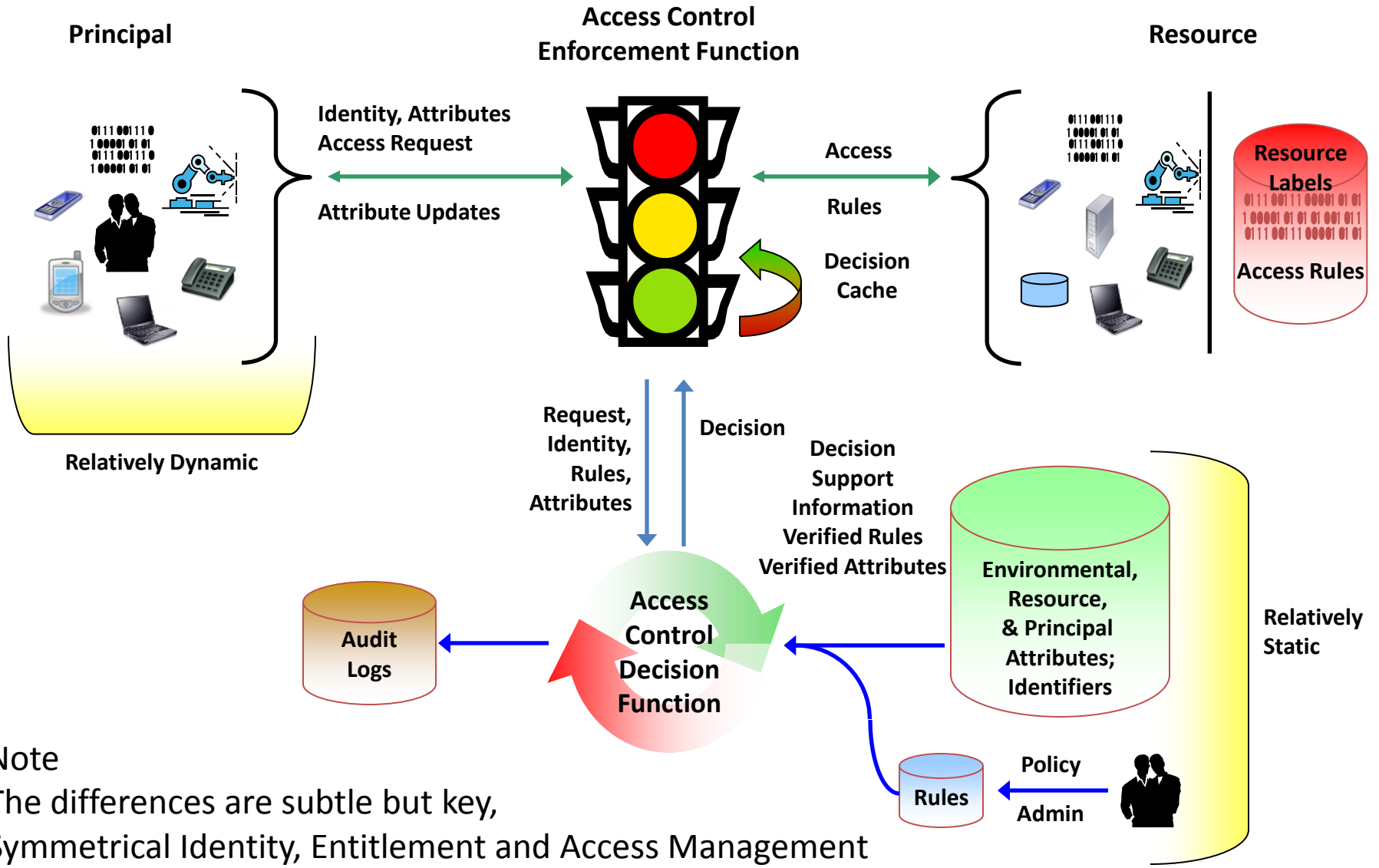


Note  
The Resource attributes are separate from the Resources  
While the principals have attributes and a place to verify them

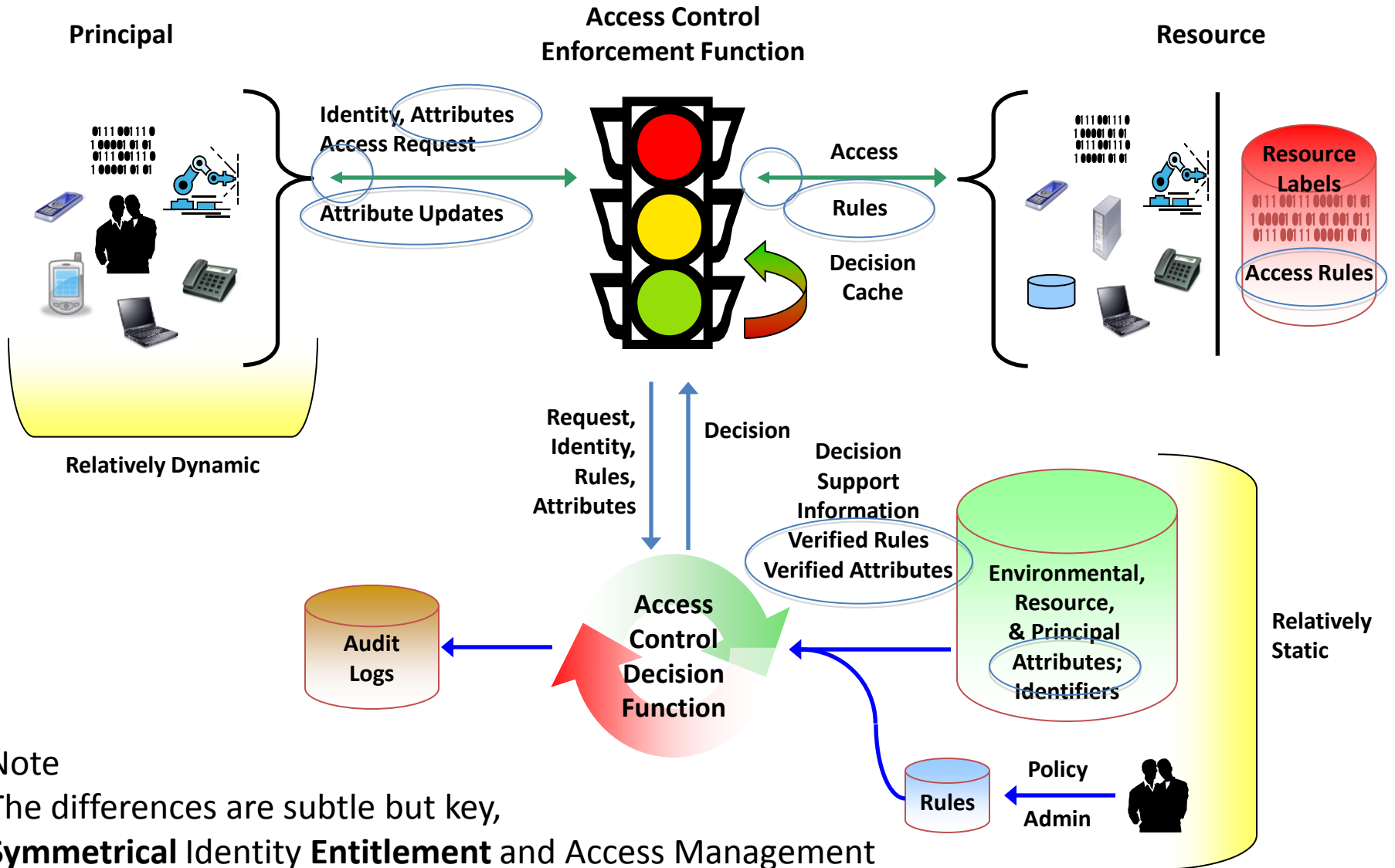
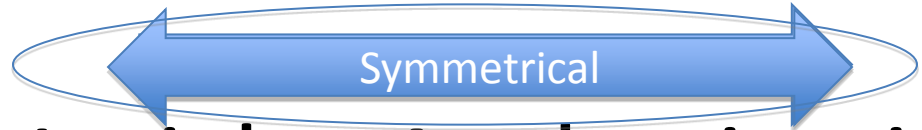




# Evolving Jericho Authorization Model

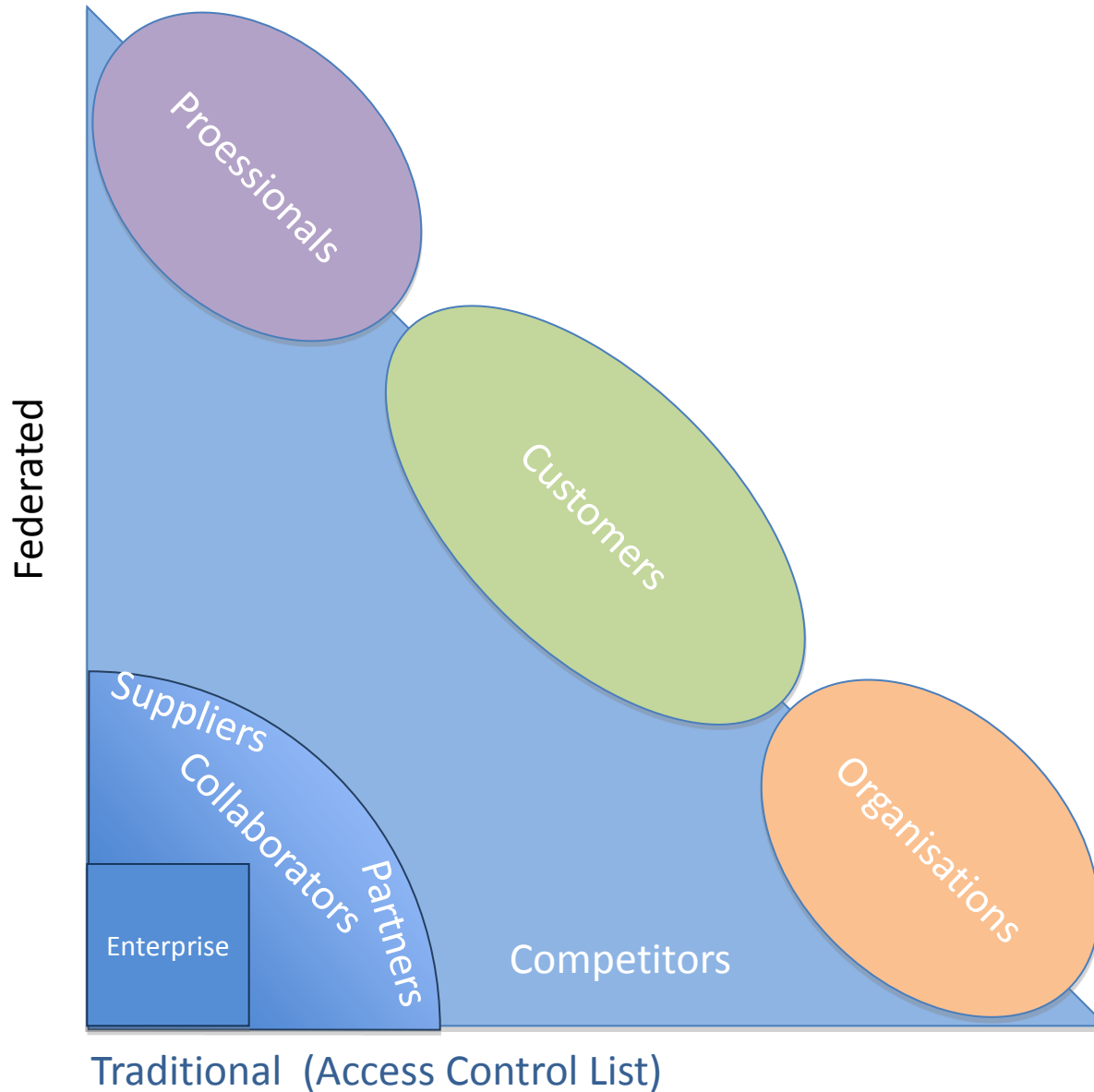


# Evolving Jericho Authorization Model



Note  
 The differences are subtle but key,  
**Symmetrical Identity Entitlement** and Access Management

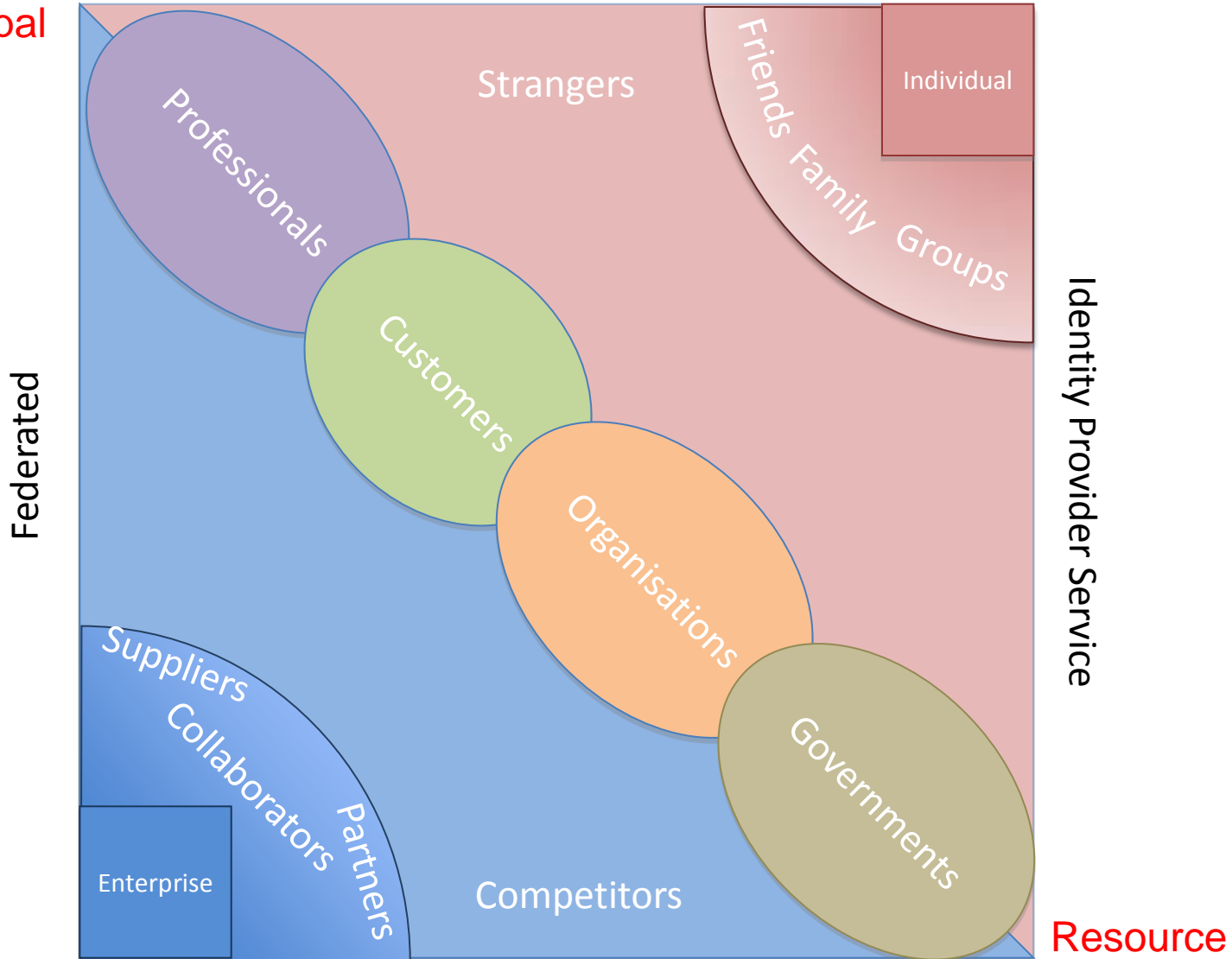
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Identity, Entitlement & Access Management **User Centric**

**Principal**



**Federated**

**Identity Provider Service**

**Resource**

**Traditional (Access Control Lists)**

# “Identity” Lifecycle of a Principal

- Create Identity
- Verify Identity
- Stake Claims (Set Identity Capabilities / Attributes)
- Verify Claims
- Use / Present Identity
- Authenticate Identity
- Request Resource
- State required Capability or Attribute (Claims)
- Authenticate Claims

# Identity is the key to the Clouds

## Old Frame

- Enterprise Centric
- Access Control List
- Directory Server
- Authentication Svcs

## New Frame

- Principal Centric
- Resource Centric
- Rules Based Access
- Authentication Routing

An ACTION for you ,to enable your **SHIFT**:

Get your architects defining and / or divining the Access Rules that apply to YOUR resources.

Hint: Keep them Simple!

# And finally

- It's really all about the new perimeter.....
- ....the Identity Perimeter
- What are we Human's or Ostriches?
- We have been complacent for too long!
- We need to bolster our defences at the same time as redesigning them.
- How best can we do that?







**“I see no Clouds”**