e-Infrastructure Commons

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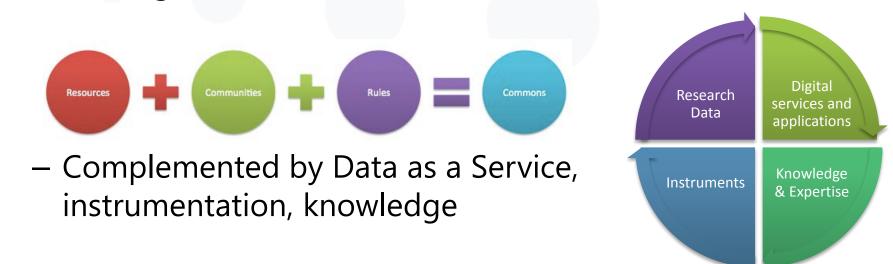


EGI view

 The e-Infrastructure Commons are a necessary component of the



 Not only "ICT services" but also policies and rules, e.g. for access and funding





Status of e-IRG Recommendations

- "Outreach to and involvement of user communities"
 - 🙂 Progress in 2015
- "Services registry, discovery and provisioning"
 - ^(C) Planned for 2016
- "Financial, legal, business development and procurement issues" ☺
 - Lack of policy for e-Infrastructure Commons at a national level in many countries. The e-Infrastructure Commons need strong national pillars
 - Lack of national investments: how will ICT services be funded, procured and sustained? The priority of national e-Infrastructures needs to be raised. The national funding coordination in place for network infrastructures needs to be extended to other ICT services
 - What are the service access mechanisms at a European level? European research projects could receive service grants to be spent on the e-Infrastructure Commons



e-Infrastructure Commons: Challenges/1

Bridge data preservation infrastructures and computing

From "computing with storage" to a network of service hubs, offering storage, computing, software, thematic tools, georeplication of relevant research data



e-Infrastructure Commons: Challenges/2

Open Science platforms: sharing of open tools, applications, scientific software, research data

A marketplace where community platforms can be discovered, offered, supported and accessed through grants



e-Infrastructure Commons: Challenges/3

From "services" to "solutions" involving multiple providers (e-Infras, RIs, research communities, data providers...) **Co-design, harmonized access policies,** federated service management processes, support, training, service discoverability

