Gaps and Challenges for Advancing the Global Identity Ecosystem

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All Identity Systems Require Rules

Business and Technical Rules

- Content
 - Business and Technical specifications, process standards, policies, operational procedures, performance rules and requirements, assessment criteria, etc.
- Goals
 - Make it work from a functional perspective
 - Make it trustworthy willingness to participate
- Legal Rules (Contractual)
 - Content
 - Contractual obligations, including agreement to follow Business & Technical Rules
 - Goals
 - Define and govern the legal rights and responsibilities of the participants
 - Address liability and risk allocation
 - Provide mechanism for enforcement of rights / Address dispute resolution

Make it trustworthy – willingness to participate

Those Rules Go By Various Names

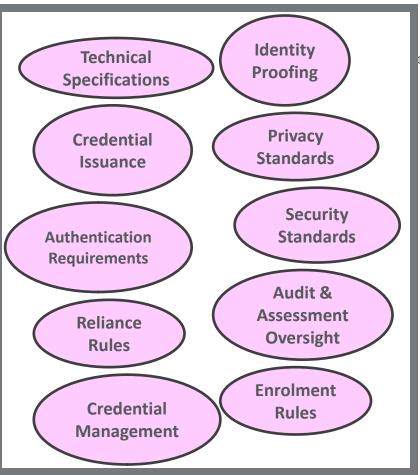
- ◆ Trust Framework NSTIC / Kantara / OIX
- Operating Policies SAFE-BioPharma / InCommon
- Operating Rules FIXs / CAHQ (health info exchange)
- Operating Rules and System Documentation IdenTrust
- Common Operating Rules CertiPath
- Guidelines CAB Forum
- System Rules ABA (draft)
- Operating Regulations Visa (credit)
- Operating Rules ACH (electronic payments)
- Operating Procedures Bolero

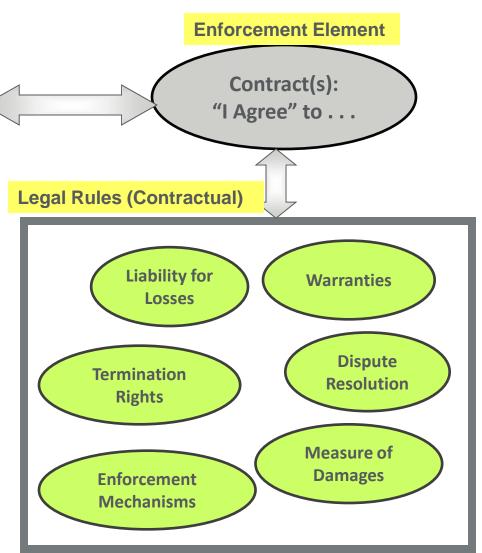


Each Identity System Builds its Own System Rules / (Trust Framework)

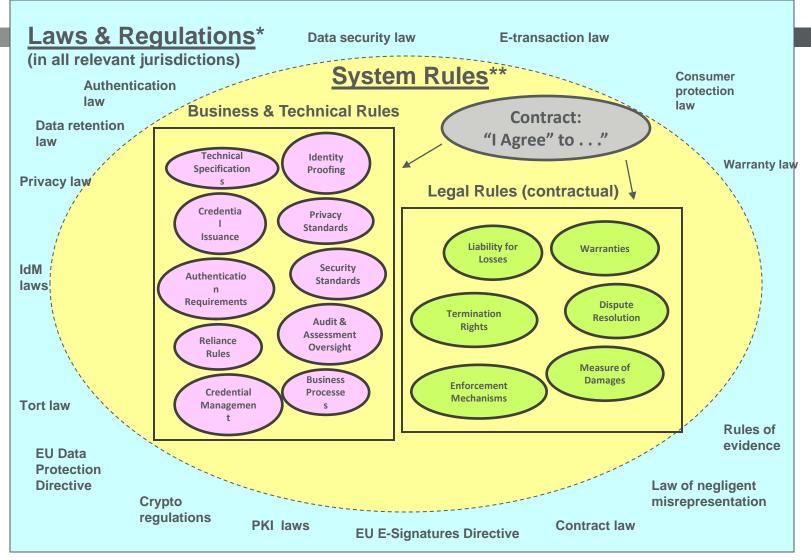
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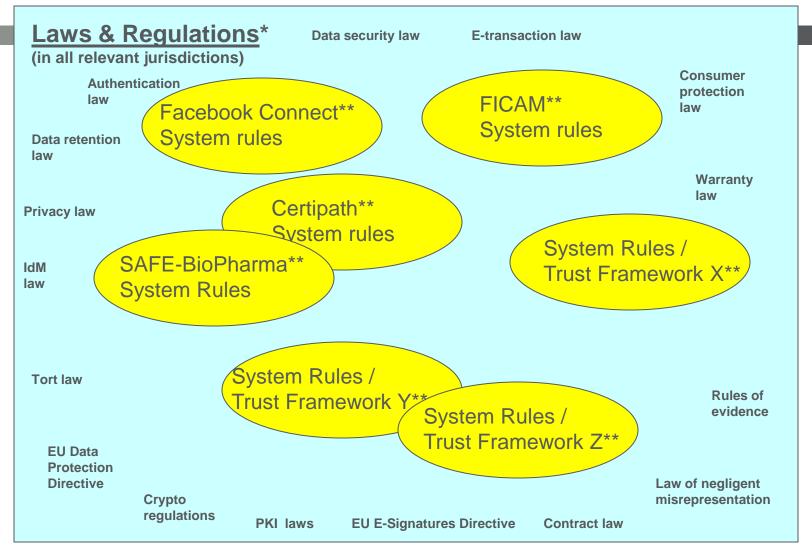
System Rules Operate Within Existing Laws





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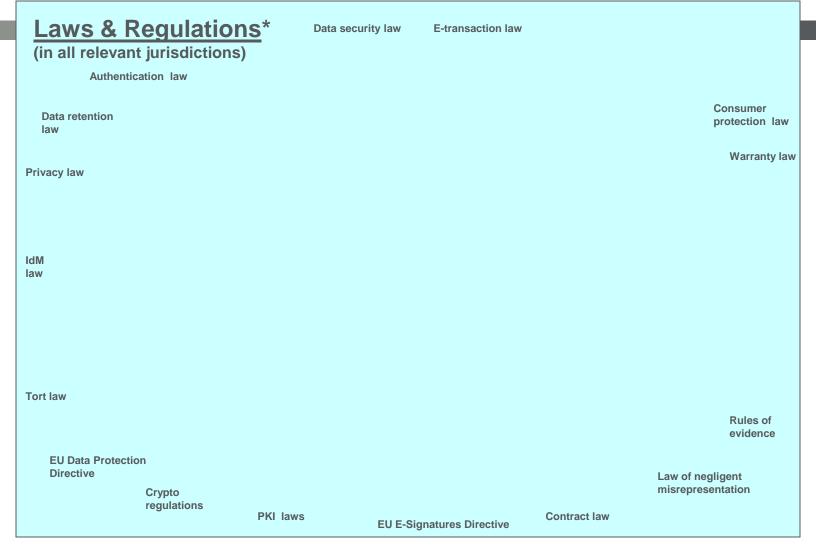
All Identity Systems Use Private System Rules that Operate Within a Public Legal System





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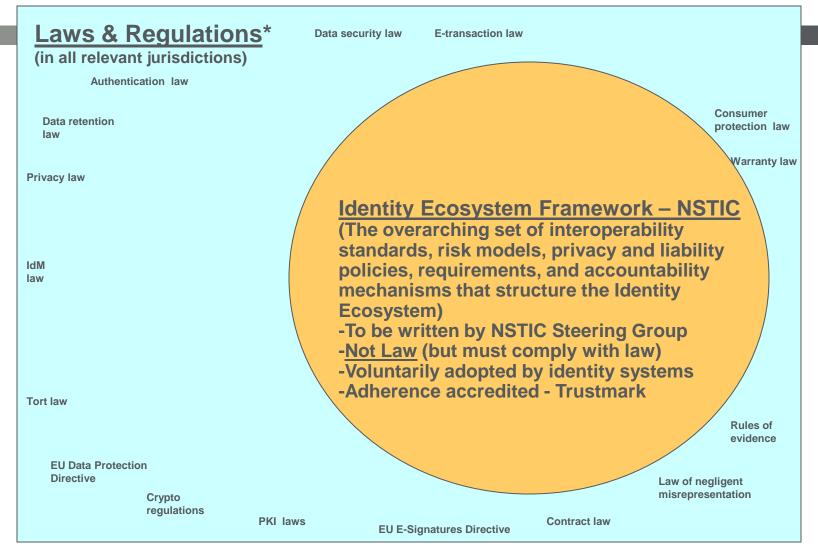
Building It Internationally From the Top Down Start with Layer 1 – Existing Laws and Regulations



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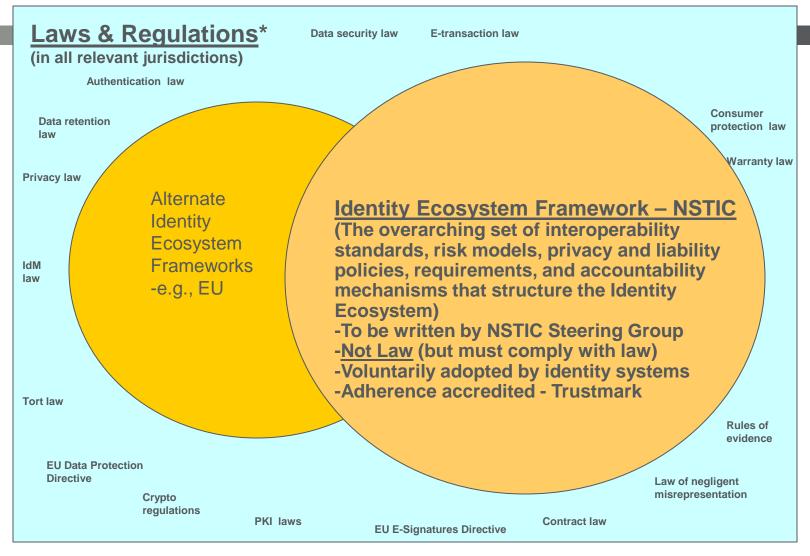
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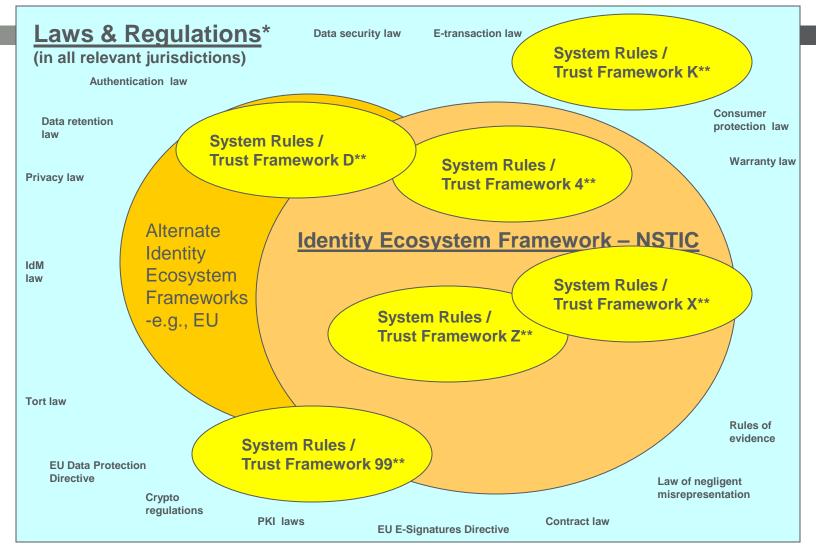
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Add Layer 3 – Individual System Rules / Trust Frameworks (May or May Not Conform to Ecosystem Framework)





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Gaps and Challenges

- Public Laws and Regulations
 - Incomplete/ambiguous
 - Don't meet NSTIC goals/requirements
 - Vary by jurisdiction may be incompatible
- Ecosystem Framework
 - Risk of creating competing/incompatible identity ecosystem frameworks
 - Will identity systems adopt it?
 - Do we need internationally agreed-upon ecosystem framework?
 - At the standards level?? (Voluntary)
 - At the treaty level? (Law)
- System rules
 - Vary by identity system may be incompatible