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The Privacy Management Reference Model and Methodology (PMRM, pronounced “pim-rim”) provides a model and a methodology ~~for:~~[to](#)

- ~~understanding~~[understand](#) and ~~analyzing~~[analyze](#) privacy policies and their privacy management requirements in defined ~~use-cases~~[Use Cases](#); and
- ~~selecting~~[select](#) the technical ~~services which~~[Services, Functions and Mechanisms that](#) must be implemented to support ~~privacy controls~~[requisite Privacy Controls](#).

It is particularly ~~relevant~~[valuable](#) for ~~use-cases~~[Use Cases](#) in which ~~personal information~~[Personal Information](#) (PI) flows across regulatory, policy, jurisdictional, and system boundaries.

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# 1 Introduction

## 1.1 General Introduction to the PMRM

The Privacy Management Reference Model and Methodology (PMRM) addresses the reality of today's networked, interoperable ~~capabilities~~ systems, applications and devices ~~and~~ coupled with the complexity of managing ~~personal information~~ Personal Information (PI)<sup>1</sup> across legal, regulatory and policy environments in these interconnected ~~domains~~. ~~In some jurisdictions, there is a distinction between 'personal information' (PI) Domains. It can be of great value both to business and program managers who need to understand the implications of Privacy Policies for specific business systems and 'personally identifiable information' (PII) to assess privacy management risks as well as to developers and this is addressed in the Glossary. For clarity in the document, however, the term 'PI' is generally used engineers who are tasked with building privacy into Systems and assumed to cover both. Specific contexts may, however, require that the distinction be made explicit Business Processes.~~

~~The~~ Additionally, the PMRM is a valuable tool ~~that helps to achieve Privacy by Design, particularly for those seeking to improve privacy management and, compliance and accountability in cloud computing, complex, integrated information systems and solutions - such as health IT, smart grid, social networking financial services, federated identity and similarly complex environments, social networks, smart grid, mobile apps, cloud computing, Big Data, Internet of Things (IoT), etc. Achieving Privacy by Design is challenging enough in relatively simple systems, but can present insurmountable challenges in the complex systems we see today, where the use of personal information PI across the entire ecosystem is governed by a web of laws, regulations, business contracts and, operational policies, but where traditional enterprise-focused models are inadequate. It can be of value to business and program managers who need to understand the implications of privacy policies for specific business systems and to help assess privacy management risks. and technologies.~~

The PMRM is neither a static model nor a purely prescriptive set of rules (although it includes characteristics of both ~~);~~). It utilizes the development of a Use Case that is clearly bounded, and implementers which forms the basis for a Privacy Management Analysis (PMA). Implementers have flexibility in determining the level and granularity of analysis required by a for their particular use case. The PMRM can be used by systems architects to inform the development of a privacy management architecture. Appropriate compliance and conformance criteria will be established after the specification has been exercised and has matured and stabilized. This would include, for example, verifiable criteria that the services outlined in Section 4 would need to follow if they are to be considered trustworthy. Use Case.

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<sup>1</sup> Note: We understand the important distinction between 'Personal Information' (PI) and 'Personally-Identifiable Information' (PII) and that in specific contexts a clear distinction must be made explicitly between the two, which should be reflected as necessary by users of the PMRM. However, for the purposes of this document, the term 'PI' will be used as an umbrella term to simplify the specification. Section 9.2 Glossary addresses the distinctions between PI and PII.



~~The~~ A Use Case can be scoped narrowly or broadly. Although its granular-applicability is perhaps most useful to practitioners, it can also be employed at a broader level, encompassing an entire enterprise, product line or common set of functions within a company or government agency. From such a comprehensive level, the privacy office could establish broad Privacy Controls, implemented by Services and their underlying Functionality in manual and technical Mechanisms – and these, in turn, would produce a high level PMA and could also inform a high-level Privacy Architecture. Both the PMA and a Privacy Architecture could then be used to incorporate these reusable Services, Functions and Mechanisms in future initiatives, enabling improved risk assessment, compliance and accountability.

In order to ensure Privacy by Design at the granular level, a Use Case will more likely be scoped for a specific design initiative. However, the benefit of having used the PMRM ~~may also~~ at the broadest level first is to inform more-granular initiatives with guidance from an enterprise perspective, potentially reducing the amount of work for the privacy office and engineers.

Even if the development of an overarching PMA is not appropriate for an organization, the PMRM will be useful in fostering interoperable policies and policy management standards and solutions. In ~~many ways this way~~, the PMRM further enables “~~privacy~~ Privacy by ~~design~~ Design” because of its analytic structure and primarily operational focus. A PMRM-generated PMA, because of its clear structure and defined components, can be valuable as a tool to inform the development of similar applications or systems that use PI.

As noted in Section 8, the PMRM as a “model” is abstract. However, as a Methodology it is through the process of developing a detailed Use Case and a PMA that important levels of detail emerge, enabling a complete picture of how privacy risks and privacy requirements are being managed. As a Methodology the PMRM – richly detailed and having multiple, iterative task levels - is intentionally open-ended and can help users build PMAs at whatever level of complexity they require.

*Note: It is strongly recommended that Section 9 Operational Definitions for Privacy Principles and Glossary is read before proceeding. The Operational Privacy Principles and the Glossary are key to a solid understanding of Sections 2 through 8.*

## 1.2 Major Changes from PMRM V1.0 CS01

This version of the PMRM incorporates a number of changes that are intended to clarify the PMRM methodology, resolve inconsistencies in the text, address the increased focus on accountability by privacy regulators, improve definitions of terms, expand the Glossary, improve the graphical figures used to illustrate the PMRM, and add references to the OASIS Privacy by Design Documentation for Software Engineers committee specification. Although the PMRM specification has not fundamentally changed, the PMRM technical committee believes the changes in this version will increase the clarity of the PMRM and improve its usability and adoption by stakeholders who are concerned about operational privacy, compliance and accountability.

### 1.1.1.3 Context

Predictable and trusted privacy management must function within a complex, inter-connected set of networks, ~~systems~~ Business Processes, Systems, applications, devices, data, and associated governing policies. Such a privacy management capability is needed ~~both in traditional computing and in~~, Business Process engineering, in cloud computing capability delivery environments. ~~A useful and in emerging IoT environments.~~

An effective privacy management capability must be able to ~~establish~~ instantiate the relationship between personal information (“PI”) and associated privacy policies. ~~Although there may be others according to particular use cases,~~ The PMRM supports this by producing a PMA, mapping Policy to Privacy Controls to Services and Functions, which in turn are implemented via Mechanisms, both technical and procedural. The PMA becomes the input to the next iteration of the Use Case and informs other initiatives so that the



privacy office and engineers are able to apply the output of the PMRM analysis to other applications to shorten their design cycles.

The main types of ~~policy~~Policy covered in this ~~document~~specification are expressed as classes of Privacy ControlControls: Inherited, Internal or Exported. ~~They in turn~~The Privacy Controls must be expressed ~~in with~~ sufficient granularity as to enable the ~~assignment of privacy management functionality and compliance controls~~design of Services consisting of Functions, instantiated through implementing Mechanisms throughout the lifecycle of the PI~~and~~. Services must accommodate a changing mix of PI and policies, whether inherited or communicated to and from external ~~domains~~Domains, or imposed internally. ~~It must also include a~~The PMRM methodology ~~to carry out~~makes possible a detailed, structured analysis of the ~~business or~~ application environment~~and create, creating~~ a custom ~~privacy management analysis (PMA)~~ for the particular ~~use case~~.Use Case.

## 1.2 Objectives

The ~~A clear strength of the~~ PMRM is ~~used to analyze complex use cases, to understand and implement appropriate operational privacy management functionality and supporting mechanisms, and to achieve compliance across policy, system, and ownership boundaries. It may also be useful as a tool to inform policy development.~~

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~~While serving as an analytic tool, the PMRM can also aid the design of a privacy management architecture in response to use cases and as appropriate for a particular operational environment. It can also be used to help in the selection of integrated mechanisms capable of executing privacy controls in line with privacy policies, with predictability and assurance. Such an architectural view is important, because business and policy drivers are now both more global and more complex and must thus interact with many loosely coupled~~its recognition that today's systems:

~~In addition, multiple and applications span jurisdictions, that have inconsistent and often conflicting laws, regulations, business practices, and consumer preferences, together create. This creates huge barrierschallenges to online privacy management and compliance. It is unlikely that these barrierschallenges will diminish in any significant way, especially in the face of rapid technological change and innovation and differing social and national values, norms and policy interests.~~

It is ~~also~~ important to note that ~~in this environment~~ agreements may not be enforceable in certain jurisdictions. And a dispute over jurisdiction may have significant bearing over what rights and duties the ~~Participants~~participants have regarding use and protection of PI. Even the definition of PI will vary. The PMRM ~~attempts to address~~may be useful in addressing these issues.- Because data can in ~~so~~ many cases easily migrate across jurisdictional boundaries, rights cannot necessarily be protected without explicit specification of what boundaries apply. Proper use of the PMRM will however expose the realities of such environments together with any rules, policies and solutions in place to address them.

## 1.4 The Privacy Management Reference Model and Methodology ~~therefore provides policymakers~~Objectives and Benefits

The PMRM's primary objectives are to enable the analysis of complex Use Cases, to understand and design appropriate operational privacy management Services and their underlying Functionality, to implement this Functionality in Mechanisms and to achieve compliance across Domains, systems, and ownership and policy boundaries. A PMRM-derived PMA may also be useful as a tool to inform policy development applicable to multiple Domains, resulting in Privacy Controls, Services and Functions, implementing Mechanisms and – potentially - a Privacy Architecture.

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While serving as an analytic tool, the PMRM also supports the design of a Privacy Architecture (PA) in response to Use Cases and, as appropriate, for a particular operational environment. It also supports the selection of integrated Services, their underlying Functionality and implementation Mechanisms that are capable of executing Privacy Controls with predictability and assurance. Such an integrated view is important, because business and policy drivers are now both more global and more complex and must thus interact with many loosely coupled systems.

The PMRM therefore provides policymakers, the privacy office, privacy engineers, program and business managers, system architects and developers with a tool to improve privacy management and compliance in multiple jurisdictional contexts while also supporting ~~capability~~ delivery and business objectives. In this Model, the ~~controls~~Services associated with privacy (including ~~security~~Security) will be flexible, configurable and scalable and make use of technical ~~mechanisms, business process~~Functionality, Business Process and policy components. These characteristics require a specification that is policy-configurable, since there is no uniform, internationally-adopted privacy terminology and taxonomy.

Analysis and documentation produced using the PMRM will result in a ~~Privacy Management Analysis (PMA)~~PMA that serves multiple Stakeholders, including privacy officers and managers, general compliance managers, ~~and~~ system developers, ~~and even regulators in a detailed, comprehensive and integrated manner.~~ The PMRM creates an audit trail from Policy to Privacy Controls to Services and Functions to Mechanisms. This is a key difference between the PMRM and a PIA.

There is an additional benefit. While other privacy instruments, such as ~~privacy impact assessments~~ (“PIAs”), also serve multiple Stakeholders, the PMRM does so in a way that is ~~somewhat~~ different from these others. Such instruments, while nominally of interest to multiple Stakeholders, tend to serve particular groups. For example, PIAs are often of most direct concern to privacy officers and managers, even though developers are often tasked with contributing to them. Such privacy instruments also tend to change hands on a regular basis. As an example, a PIA may start out in the hands of the development or project team, move to the privacy or general compliance function for review and comment, go back to the project for revision, move back to the privacy function for review, and so on. This iterative process of successive handoffs is valuable, but can easily devolve into a challenge and response dynamic that can itself lead to miscommunication and misunderstandings. Typically PIA's do not trace compliance from Policies to Privacy Controls to Services and Functions on to Mechanisms. Nor are they performed at a granular level.

~~The~~In contrast, the resulting output ~~from~~of using the PMRM, ~~in contrast, should - the PMA - will~~ have direct and ongoing relevance for all Stakeholders and is less likely to suffer the above dynamic. This is because ~~it should be considered as a “boundary object,” a construct that~~the PMA supports productive interaction and collaboration among multiple communities. Although ~~a boundary object~~the PMA is fully and continuously a part of each relevant community, each community draws ~~from its own~~ meanings ~~that are grounded in the group's own~~from it, based on their needs and perspectives. As long as these meanings are not inconsistent across communities, ~~a boundary object acts~~the PMA can act as a shared, yet heterogeneous, understanding. ~~The PMRM process output, if properly generated, constitutes just such a boundary object. It~~Thus, the PMA is accessible and relevant to all Stakeholders, ~~but each group takes from it and attributes to it what they specifically need. As such, the PMRM can facilitate~~facilitating collaboration across relevant communities in a way that other privacy instruments often cannot.

This multiple stakeholder capability is especially important today, given the growing recognition that Privacy by Design principles and practices cannot be adopted effectively without a common, structured protocol that enables the linkage of business requirements, policies, and technical implementations.

Finally, the PMA can also serve as an important artifact of accountability, in two ways. First, a rigorously developed and documented PMA itself reveals all aspects of privacy management within a Domain or Use Case, making clear the relationship between the Privacy Services, Functionality and Mechanisms in place and their associated Privacy Controls and Policies. Second, in addition to proactively demonstrating that Privacy Controls are in place and implemented via the PMA, the Services may also include functionality that demonstrates accountability at a granular level. Such Functionality implemented in Mechanisms confirms and reports that the Privacy Controls are correctly operating. Thus the privacy office can demonstrate compliance on demand for both design and operational stages.

### 4.31.5 Target Audiences

The intended audiences of this document and expected benefits to be realized [by each](#) include:

- **Privacy and Risk Officers and Engineers** will gain a better understanding of the specific privacy management environment for which they have compliance responsibilities as well as detailed policy and operational processes and technical systems that are needed to achieve their organization's privacy compliance [objectives](#).
- **Systems/Business Architects** will have a series of templates for the rapid development of core systems functionality, developed using the PMRM as a tool.
- **Software and Service Developers** will be able to identify what processes and methods are required to ensure that [personal data PI](#) is [created and managed](#) [collected, stored, used, shared, transmitted, transferred across borders, retained or disposed](#) in accordance with requisite privacy [provisions](#) [control requirements](#).
- **Public policy makers and business owners** will be able to identify any weaknesses or shortcomings of current policies and use the PMRM to establish best practice guidelines where needed. [They will also have stronger assurance that the design of business systems and applications, as well as their operational implementations, comply with privacy control requirements.](#)

### 4.41.6 Specification Summary

The PMRM consists of:

- A conceptual model of privacy management, including definitions of terms;
- A methodology; and
- ~~A set of operational services;~~
- [Services and Functions](#), together with the inter-relationships among these three elements.

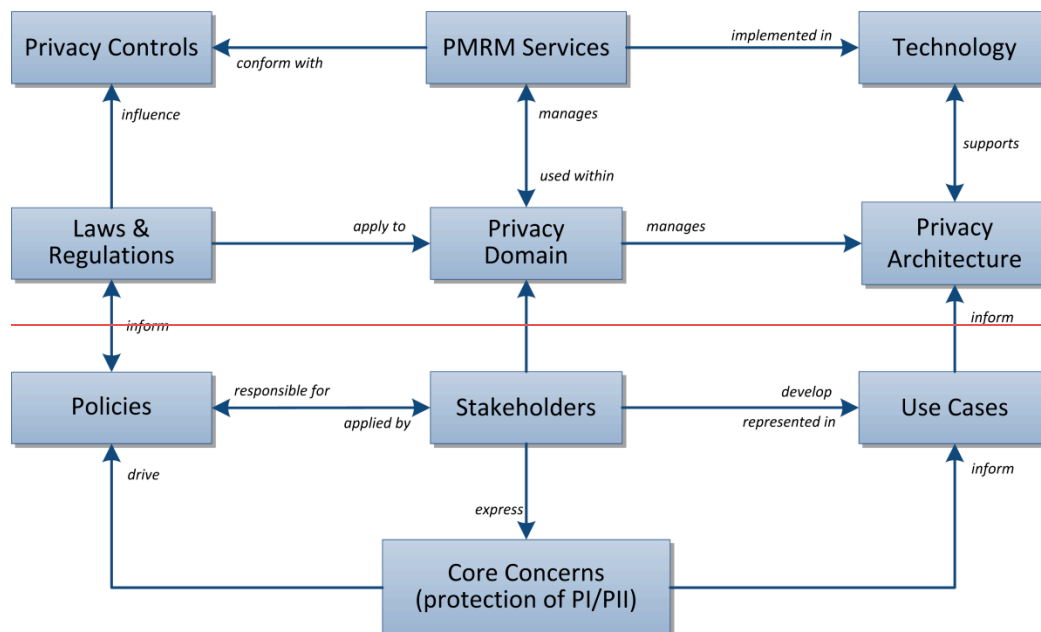


Figure 1—

### The PMRM Conceptual Model

In Figure 1, we see that the core concern of privacy protection, is expressed by Stakeholders (including data subjects, policy makers, solution providers, etc.) who help, on the one hand, drive policies (which both reflect and influence actual regulation and lawmaking); and on the other hand, inform the use cases that are developed to address the specific architecture and solutions required by the Stakeholders in a particular domain.

Legislation in its turn is a major influence on privacy controls—indeed, privacy controls are often expressed, as policy objectives rather than as specific technology solutions—and these form the basis of the PMRM Services that are created to conform to those controls when implemented.

The PMRM conceptual model, addresses all Stakeholder-generated requirements, and is anchored in the principles of Service-Oriented Architecture (and particularly, it recognizes the principle value of services operating across ownership departments, systems and Domain boundaries). Given the general reliance by the privacy policy community on (often because of regulatory mandates in different jurisdictions) on what on inconsistent, non-uniform standardized definitions of so-called “Fair Information Practices/fundamental Privacy Principles” (FIPPs), the PMRM includes a non-normative, working set of operational privacy Operational Privacy Principle definitions (see section 9.1) is used 9.1). These definitions may be useful to provide a foundation for insight into the Model. With their operational focus, these working definitions are not intended to supplant or to in any way suggest a bias for or against any specific policy or policy set. However, they may prove valuable as a tool to help deal with the inherent biases built into current terminology associated with privacy and to abstract their by abstracting specific operational features and assisting in their categorization.

The PMRM In Figure 1 below we see that the core concern of privacy protection and management, is expressed by Stakeholders (including data subjects, policy makers, solution providers, etc.) who help, on the one hand, drive policies (which both reflect and influence actual regulation and lawmaking), and on the other hand, inform the Use Cases that are developed to expose and document specific Privacy Control requirements and the Services and Functions necessary to implement them in Mechanisms.

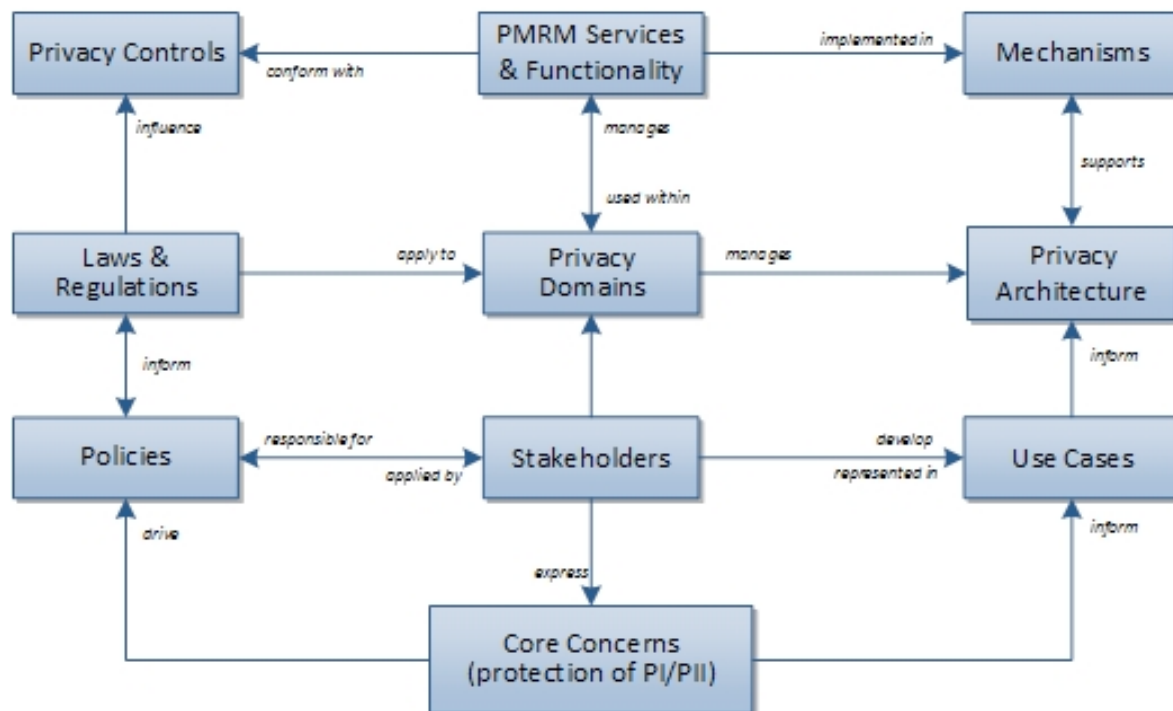


Figure 1 – The PMRM Model - Achieving Comprehensive Operational Privacy

**The PMRM, as a methodology** covers a series of tasks, outlined in the following sections of the document, concerned with:

- defining and describing ~~use-cases~~the scope of the Use Cases, either broad or narrow;
- identifying particular business ~~domains~~Domains and understanding the roles played by all ~~Participants~~participants and systems within ~~that domain~~the Domains in relation to privacy ~~issues~~policies;
- identifying the data flows and ~~touch-points~~Touch Points for all personal information within a ~~privacy domain~~Domain or Domains;
- specifying various ~~privacy-controls~~Privacy Controls;
- ~~identifying the Domains through which PI flows and which require the implementation of Privacy Controls;~~
- mapping ~~Domains to the Services and Functions and then to~~ technical and ~~process-mechanisms-to operational-services~~procedural Mechanisms;
- performing risk and compliance assessments;
- ~~documenting the PMA for future iterations of this application of the PMRM, for reuse in other applications of the PMRM, and, potentially, to inform a Privacy Architecture.~~

The specification ~~also~~ defines a set of Services ~~and Functions~~ deemed necessary to implement the management and compliance of detailed privacy ~~requirements~~policies and Privacy Controls within a particular ~~use-case~~Use Case. The Services are sets of ~~functions~~Functions, which form an organizing foundation to facilitate the application of the model and to support the identification of the specific ~~mechanisms which will be incorporated in the privacy management architecture appropriate for that use case. The set of operational services (Agreement, Usage, Validation-Certification, Enforcement, Security, Interaction, and Access)-is described in Section 4 below.~~Mechanisms, which will implement them. They may optionally be incorporated in a broader Privacy Architecture.

~~The set of operational Services (Agreement, Usage, Validation, Certification, Enforcement, Security, Interaction, and Access) is described in Section 4 below and in the Glossary in section 9.2.~~

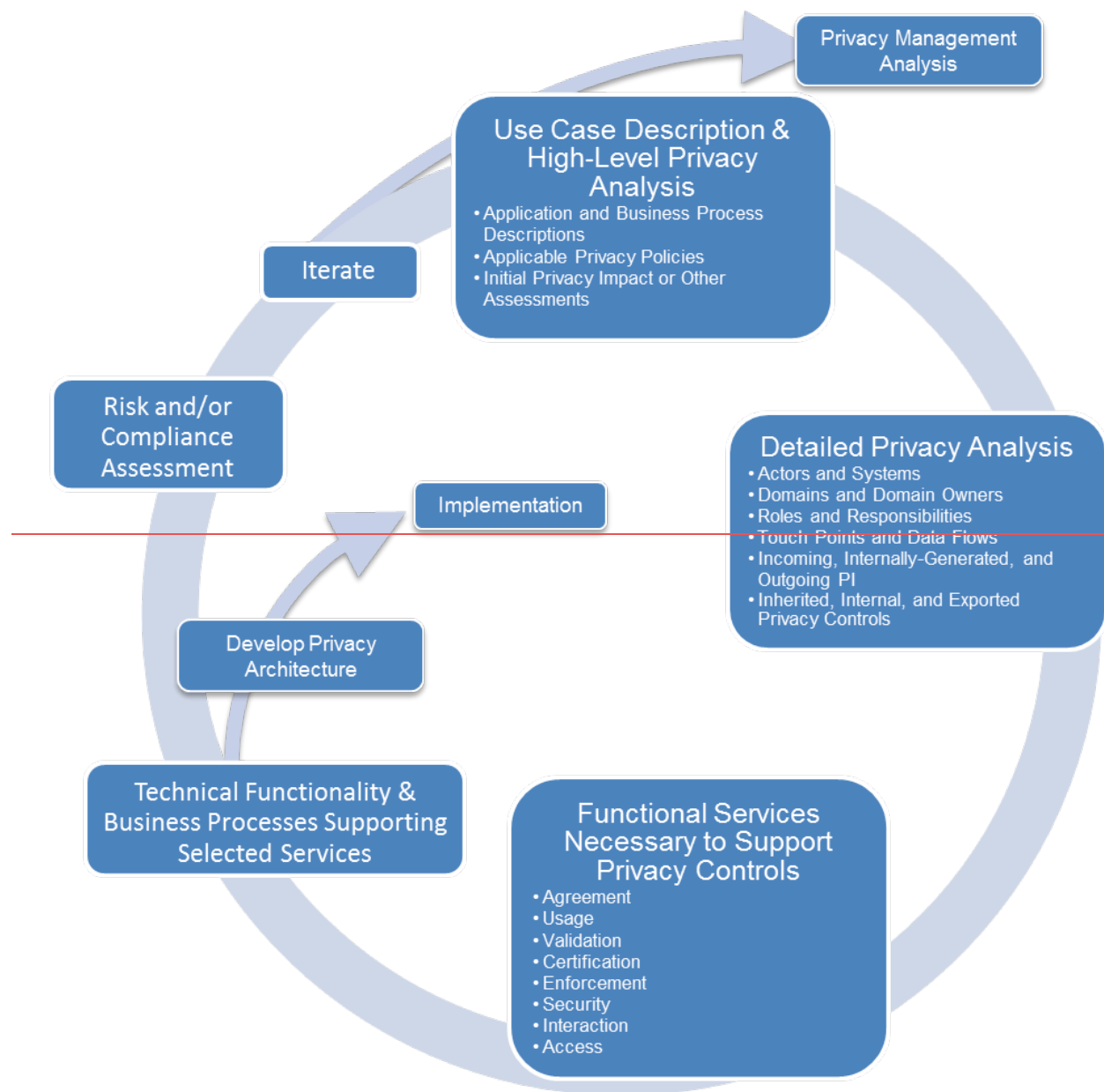
The core of ~~the~~this specification is expressed in ~~two-normative~~three major sections: ~~the~~Section 2, “Develop Use Case Description and High-Level Privacy Analysis-and the,” Section 3, “Develop Detailed Privacy Management Reference Model Description. The Detailed PMRM Description-section Analysis,” and Section 4, “Identify Services and Functions Necessary to Support Privacy Controls.” The detailed analysis is informed by the general findings associated with the ~~High-Level Analysis~~high level analysis. However, it is much more ~~detail-focused~~granular and requires ~~documentation and~~ development of a ~~use-case~~Use Case which clearly expresses the complete application and/or business environment within which personal information is collected, ~~communicated, processed, stored, and~~stored, used, shared, transmitted, transferred across-borders, retained or disposed.

It is ~~also~~ important to point out that the model is not generally prescriptive and that users of the PMRM may choose to adopt some parts of the model and not others. They may also address the ~~Tasks~~tasks in a different order, appropriate to the context or to allow iteration and discovery of further requirements as work proceeds. ~~However~~Obviously, a complete use of the model will contribute to a more comprehensive ~~privacy management architecture for a given capability or application~~PMA. As such, the PMRM may serve as the basis for the development of privacy-focused capability maturity models and improved compliance frameworks. ~~The~~As mentioned above, the PMRM ~~provides~~may also provide a ~~model~~ foundation on which to build ~~privacy architectures~~Privacy Architectures.

~~Use~~Again, the use of the PMRM ~~by and within, for~~ a particular business ~~domain and context (with a suitable Use Case);~~ will lead to the production of a Privacy Management Analysis (PMA). An organization may have one or more PMAs, particularly across different business units, or it may have a unified PMA. Theoretically, a PMA may apply across organizations, states, and even countries or other geo-political ~~regions~~boundaries.

Figure 2 below shows the high-level view of the PMRM methodology that is used to create a PMA. Although the stages are ~~numbered~~sequenced for clarity, no step is an absolute pre-requisite for starting work on another step and the overall process will usually be iterative. Equally, the process of ~~establishing~~conducting an appropriate ~~privacy architecture~~PMA, and determining ~~how and~~ when ~~and how~~ technology implementation will be carried out, ~~can both~~may be started at any stage during the overall process.





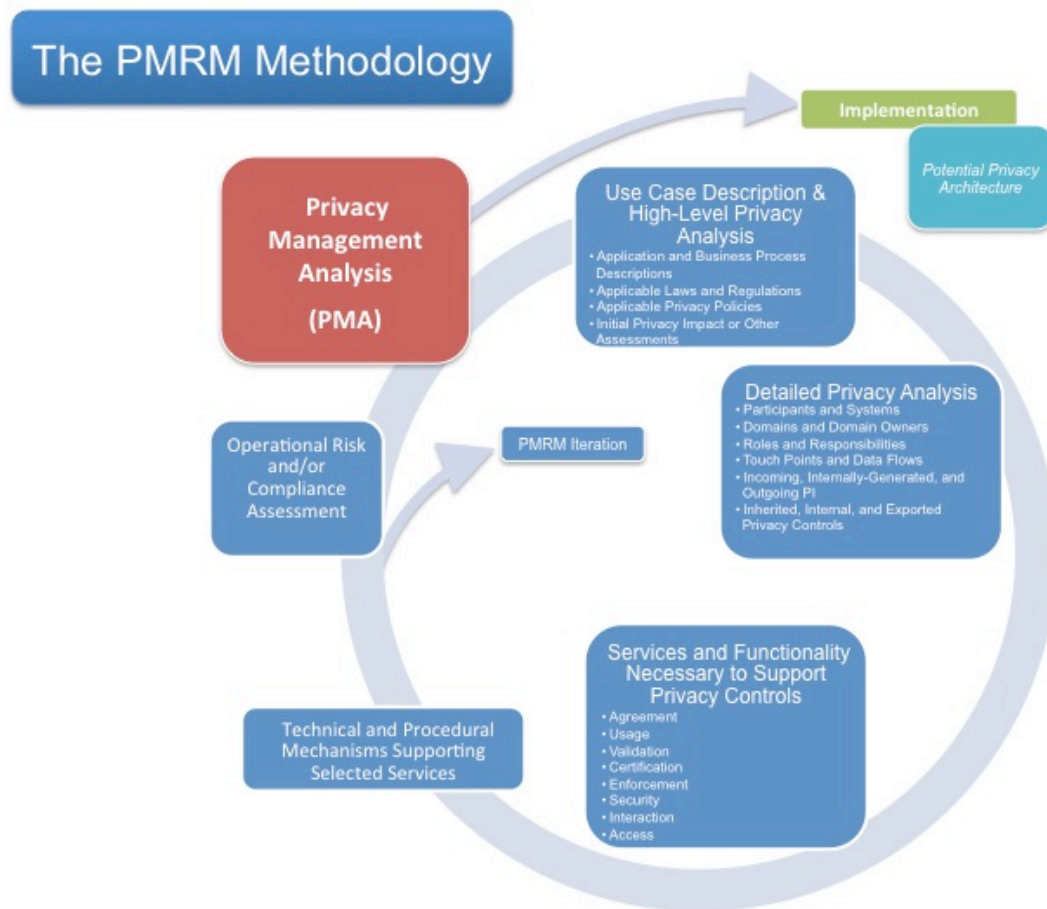


Figure 2 - The -PMRM Methodology

### 4.51.7 Terminology

References are surrounded with [square brackets] and are in **bold** text.

The key words “MUST”, “MUST NOT”, “REQUIRED”, “SHALL”, “SHALL NOT”, “SHOULD”, “SHOULD NOT”, “RECOMMENDED”, “MAY”, and “OPTIONAL” in this document are to be interpreted as described in **[RFC2119]**.

A glossary of key terms used in this specification as well as ~~operational~~~~non-normative~~ definitions for ~~sample Fair Information Practices~~~~Operational Privacy~~ Principles (“FIPPs”) are included in Section 89 of the document.

We note that words and terms used in the discipline of data privacy in many cases have meanings and inferences associated with specific laws, regulatory language, and common usage within privacy communities. The use of such well-established terms in this specification is unavoidable. However, we urge readers to consult the definitions in the ~~glossary~~~~Glossary~~ and clarifications in the text to reduce confusion about the use of such terms within this specification. Readers should also be aware that terms used in the different examples are sometimes more “conversational” than in the formal, normative sections of the text and may not necessarily be defined in the ~~glossary of terms~~~~Glossary~~.

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## 2 Develop Use Case Description and High-Level Privacy Analysis

The first phase in applying the PMRM methodology requires the scoping of the ~~application or business service~~ Use Case in which ~~personal information~~ (PI) is associated - in effect, identifying the complete ~~environment~~ description in which the ~~environment~~, application or capabilities where privacy and data protection requirements are applicable. The extent of the scoping analysis and the definitions of “~~business environment~~” or “application” or “~~business capability~~” are set by the Stakeholders using the PMRM within a particular ~~domain~~ Use Case. These may be defined broadly or narrowly, and may include lifecycle (time) elements.

The high level analysis may also make use of ~~privacy impact assessments~~ Privacy Impact Assessments, previous risk assessments, privacy maturity assessments, compliance reviews, and accountability model assessments as determined by ~~domain~~ Domain Stakeholders. However, the scope of the high level privacy analysis (including all aspects of the ~~capability~~ business environment or application under review and all relevant privacy policies) must correspond with the scope of ~~the second phase, analysis~~ covered in Section 3, “3, “Develop Detailed Privacy Use Case Analysis”,” below.

Note, that the examples below refer to a detailed Use Case. The same methodology and model can be used at more abstract levels. Using the PMRM to study an entire business environment to develop Policies, Privacy Controls, Services and Functions, Mechanisms, a PMA and perhaps a Privacy Architecture allows an entity to establish broad guidance for use in future application of the PMRM in another, more-detailed Use Case.

### 2.1 Application and Business Process Descriptions

#### Task #1: Use Case Description

**Objective** Provide a general description of the Use Case-

##### Task 1 Example<sup>2</sup>

A California ~~utility~~ electricity supplier (Utility), with a residential customer base with smart meters installed, ~~wants to promote the increased use of electric vehicles in its service area by offering significantly homes, offers~~ reduced electricity rates for ~~nighttime~~ evening recharging of ~~vehicle battery vehicles' batteries~~. The ~~system~~ utility also permits the customer to use the charging station at another customer's site [such as at a friend's house] and have the system bill the vehicle owner instead of the customer whose charging station is used.

~~This Use Case involves utility~~ Utility customers ~~who have registered~~ register with the utility to enable ~~electric vehicle~~ (EV) charging ~~(EV customer)~~. An EV ~~customer~~ Customer (Customer One) plugs in the

<sup>2</sup> ~~Note:~~ The boxed examples are not to be considered as part of the normative text of this document.

car at her residence, and ~~requests “charge at cheapest rates”~~ the system detects the connection. The utility system is ~~notified~~ aware of the car's ~~presence~~ location, its registered ID number and the approximate charge required (~~provided~~ estimated by the car's ~~on-board~~ onboard computer). ~~The~~ Based on Customer One's preferences, the utility schedules the recharge to take place during the evening hours and at times determined by the utility (~~thus putting diversity into the~~ for load balancing).

The billing department system calculates the amount of money to charge ~~the EV customer~~ Customer One, based on EV rates ~~and for the measured~~ time period of charging, and duration of the charge.

The ~~same EV customer~~ following week, Customer One drives to a friend's home (~~also a registered EV customer~~ Customer Two) and ~~requests~~ needs a quick charge ~~to make sure that she can get back home~~ of her vehicle's battery. When she plugs her EV into ~~her friend's~~ Customer Two's EV charger, the utility ~~identifies the~~ system detects Customer Two's location, vehicle ID number, the fact that the EV is ~~linked to a different customer account than that of the site resident~~, using Customer Two's system, the date and ~~places the charging bill on the correct customer's invoice~~ time, Customer One's preferences and other operational information...

The billing department ~~now~~ system calculates the invoice amount of money to ~~invoice the customer who owns~~ bill the EV Customer One, based on EV rates ~~and for the measured time period~~. Customer One's account information and preferences.

The utility has a privacy policy that includes selectable options for customers relating to the use of PI and PII associated with location and billing information, and has implemented systems to enforce those policies.

## Task #2: Use Case Inventory

**Objective** Provide an inventory of the business environment, capabilities, applications and policy environment under review at the level of granularity appropriate for the analysis covered by the PMRM and define a High Level Use Case, which will guide subsequent analysis. In order to facilitate the analysis described in the Detailed Privacy Use Case Analysis in Section 4.3, the components of ~~the this~~ Use Case ~~Inventory~~ inventory should align as closely as possible with the components that will be analyzed in the corresponding ~~detailed use case analysis~~. Detailed Privacy Use Case Analysis in Section 4.

**Context Note** The inventory can include ~~organizational structures~~, applications and ~~business processes~~ Business Processes; products; policy environment; legal and regulatory jurisdictions; ~~systems~~ Systems supporting the capabilities and applications; ~~data~~ PI; time; and other factors ~~Impacting~~ impacting the collection, ~~communication~~, ~~processing~~, storage and ~~disposition~~, usage, sharing, transmitting, transferred across borders, retained or disposed of PI. The inventory should also include the types of data subjects covered by the ~~use case~~ Use Case together with specific privacy options (such as policy preferences, privacy settings, etc. if these are formally expressed) for each type of data subject.

### Task 2 Example

Systems: Utility Communications Network, Customer Billing System, EV On Board System...

Legal and Regulatory Jurisdictions:

California Constitution, Article 1, section 1 gives each citizen an "inalienable right" to pursue and obtain "privacy."

Office of Privacy Protection - California Government Code section 11549.5.

Automobile "Black Boxes" - Vehicle Code section 9951.

...

Personal Information Collected on Internet:

Government Code section 11015.5. This law applies to state government agencies...

The California Public Utilities Commission, which "serves the public interest by protecting consumers and ensuring the provision of safe, reliable utility service and infrastructure at reasonable rates, with a commitment to environmental enhancement and a healthy California economy"...

Utility Policy: The Utility has a published Privacy Policy covering the EV recharging/billing application

Customer: The ~~Customer's~~customer's selected settings for policy options presented via customer-facing interfaces.

## 2.2 Applicable Privacy Policies

### Task #3: Privacy Policy Conformance Criteria

**Objective** Define and describe the criteria for conformance of ~~a system~~the organization or ~~business process~~a System or Business Process (identified in the ~~use case~~Use Case and inventory) with an applicable ~~privacy policy~~Privacy Policy or policies. As with the ~~Use Case Inventory~~inventory described in Task #2 above, the conformance criteria should align with the equivalent elements in the Detailed ~~Privacy~~Use Case Analysis described in Section 3. Wherever possible, they should be grouped by the relevant ~~FIPPs and expressed as privacy constraints~~Operational Privacy Principles and required Privacy Controls.

**Note** ~~that whereas~~ *Whereas* Task #2 itemizes the environmental elements relevant to the Use Case, Task # 3 focuses on the privacy requirements specifically.

### Task 3 Example

Privacy Policy Conformance Criteria:

- (1) Ensure that the utility does not share ~~data~~PI with third parties without the ~~consumer's~~customer's consent...etc. For example a customer may choose to not share their charging location patterns
- (2) Ensure that the utility supports strong levels of:
  - (a) Identity authentication
  - (b) Security of transmission between the charging stations and the utility information systems...etc.
- (3) Ensure that ~~personal data~~PI is deleted on expiration of retention periods...
- ...

## 2.3 Initial Privacy Impact (or other) Assessment(s) [optional]

### Task #4: **Assessment Preparation**

**Objective** ~~Prepare~~Include, or prepare, an initial ~~privacy impact assessment~~Privacy Impact Assessment, or as appropriate, a risk assessment, privacy maturity assessment, compliance review, or accountability model assessment applicable ~~within~~to the ~~scope of analysis carried out in sections 2.1 and 2.2 above.~~Use Case. Such an assessment can be deferred until a later iteration step (see Section ~~4.3~~7) or inherited from a previous exercise.

### Task 4 Example

Since the ~~Electric Vehicle (EV)~~ has a unique ID, it can be linked to a specific customer. As such, customer's whereabouts may be revealed and tracked through utility ~~transaction visibility...~~transaction's systems.

The EV charging and vehicle management ~~system~~systems may retain data, which can be used to identify ~~patterns of~~charging time and location information that can constitute PI. (including driving patterns).

Unless safeguards are in place and (where appropriate) under the ~~customer~~customer's control, there is a danger that intentionally anonymized PI nonetheless ~~become~~becomes PII....

The utility ~~wishes~~may build systems to capture behavioral and movement patterns and sell this information to potential advertisers or other information brokers to generate additional revenue. ~~This information constitutes PII.~~ The collection and use of thissuch information ~~should only be done with~~requires the explicit, informed consent of the customer.

### 3 Develop Detailed Privacy Analysis

- Goal** Prepare and document a detailed ~~Privacy Management Analysis~~PMA of the Use Case, which corresponds with the High Level Privacy Analysis and the High Level Use Case Description.
- Constraint** The Detailed Use Case must be clearly bounded and must include the [components in the following ~~components~~sections](#).

#### 3.1 Identify Participants and Systems, Domains and Domain Owners, Roles and Responsibilities, Touch Points and Data Flows [\(Tasks # 5-10\)](#)

##### Task #5: Identify Participants

- Objective** Identify Participants having operational privacy responsibilities.
- Definition** A "Participant" is any Stakeholder ~~creating, managing, interacting with,~~responsible for [collecting, storing, using, sharing, transmitting, transferring across-borders, retaining](#) or ~~otherwise subject to,~~disposing PI, or is involved in the lifecycle of PI managed by a [Domain, or a System or Business Process](#) within a ~~Privacy~~Domain.

##### [Task 5 Example](#)

*Participants Located at the Customer Site:*

Registered ~~Customer~~[Customers \(Customers One and Two\)](#)

*Participants Located at the EV's Location:*

Registered Customer Host ([Customer Two](#) - Temporary host for EV charging), [Customer One](#) - Registered Customer Guest

*Participants Located within the Utility's ~~domain~~[Domain](#):*

Service Provider (Utility)

Contractors and Suppliers to the Utility

##### Task #6: Identify Systems and Business Processes

- Objective** Identify the Systems [and Business Processes](#) where PI is collected, ~~communicated, processed,~~stored, [used, shared, transmitted, transferred across-borders, retained](#) or disposed within a ~~Privacy~~Domain.
- Definition** For purposes of this specification, a System [or Business Process](#) is a collection of components organized to accomplish a specific function or set of functions having a relationship to operational privacy management.

### Task 6 Example

*System Located at the Customer Site(s):*

- Customer Communication Portal
- EV Physical Re-Charging and Metering System

*System Located in the EV(s):*

- EV: Device
- EV On-Board System: ~~System~~

*System Located within the EV ~~manufacturer's domain~~ Manufacturer's Domain:*

- EV Charging Data Storage and Analysis System

*System Located within the Utility's ~~domain~~ Domain:*

- EV Program Information System (includes Rates, Customer Charge Orders, Customers enrolled in the program, Usage Info etc.)
- EV Load Scheduler System
- Utility Billing System
- Remote Charge Monitoring System
- ~~Partner marketing system~~ Selection System for selecting and transferring usage pattern and location information PI to the third party

### Task #7: Identify ~~Privacy~~ Domains and Owners

<b>Objective</b>	Identify the <del>Privacy</del> Domains included in the <del>use case</del> <u>Use Case definition</u> together with the respective Domain Owners.
<b>Definition</b>	<p>A "Domain" <del>covers</del> <u>includes</u> both physical areas (such as a customer site or home, <u>a customer service center, a third party service provider</u>) and logical areas (such as a wide-area network or cloud computing environment) that are subject to the control of a particular <del>domain</del> <u>Domain</u> owner.</p> <p>A "Domain Owner" is the Participant responsible for ensuring that <del>privacy controls and PMRM services</del> <u>Privacy Controls</u> are <del>managed</del> <u>implemented</u> in <del>business processes</del> <u>Services</u> and <del>technical systems</del> <u>Functions</u> within a given Domain.</p>
<b>Context</b>	<p><del>Privacy Note</del> Domains may be under the control of <del>data subjects</del> <u>Data Subjects</u> or Participants with a specific responsibility <u>for privacy management</u> within a <del>Privacy</del> Domain, such as data controllers; capability providers; data processors; and other distinct entities having defined operational privacy management responsibilities. Domains can be "nested" within wider, hierarchically-structured, <del>domains</del> <u>Domains</u>, which may have their own defined ownership, roles and responsibilities. <u>Individual data subjects may also have Doman Owner characteristics and obligations depending on the specific Use Case.</u></p>
<b>Rationale</b>	Domain Owner identification is important for purposes of establishing accountability.



### Task 7 Example

#### Utility Domain:

The physical premises, located at... which includes the Utility's program information system, load scheduling system, billing system, ~~and~~ remote monitoring system and the selection system

This physical location is part of a larger logical privacy ~~domain~~ Domain, owned by the Utility and extends to the Customer Portal Communication system at the Customer's site, and the EV On-Board Metering software application System installed in the EV by the Utility, together with cloud-based services hosted by....

#### Customer Domain:

The physical extent of the customer's home and ~~adjacent land~~ associated property as well as the EV, wherever located, together with the logical area covered by devices under the ownership and control of the customer (such as mobile devices).

### Example

#### Vehicle Domain:

The Vehicle Management System, installed in the EV ~~On-Board~~ by the manufacturer.

#### Ownership

The Systems listed above as part of the Utility's Systems belong to the Utility Domain Owner

The EV Vehicle Management System belongs to the ~~utility-Privacy~~ Customer Domain Owner, but is controlled by the Vehicle Manufacturer

The EV (with its ID Number) belongs to the Customer Domain Owner and the Vehicle Manufacturer Domain Owners, but the EV ID may be accessed by the Utility.

## Task #8: Identify Roles and Responsibilities within a Domain

**Objective** For any given ~~use-case~~ Use Case, identify the roles and responsibilities assigned to specific Participants, Business Processes and Systems within a specific ~~privacy~~ domain Domain

**Rationale** Note Any Participant may carry multiple roles and responsibilities and these need to be distinguishable, particularly as many functions involved in processing of PI are assigned to functional roles, with explicit authority to act, rather than to a specific ~~participant~~ Participant.

### Task 8 Example

Role: EV Manufacturer Privacy Officer

Responsibilities: Ensure that all PI data flows from EV On-Board System ~~that communicate with or utilize the Vehicle Management System~~ conform with contractual obligations associated with the Utility and vehicle owner as well as the Collection Limitation and Information Minimization ~~FIPP in its~~ privacy policies.

Role: Utility Privacy Officer

Responsibilities: Ensure that the PI data flows shared with the Third Party Marketing Domain are done so according to the customer's permissions and that the Third Party demonstrates the capability to enforce agreed upon privacy management obligations

## Task #9: Identify Touch Points

**Objective** Identify the ~~touch-points~~Touch Points at which the data flows intersect with ~~Privacy~~ Domains or Systems ~~or Business Processes~~ within ~~Privacy~~ Domains.

**Definition** Touch Points are the intersections of data flows ~~with Privacy~~across Domains or Systems ~~or Processes~~ within ~~Privacy~~ Domains.

**Rationale***Note The main purpose for identifying ~~touch-points~~Touch Points in the ~~use-case~~Use Case is to clarify the data flows and ensure a complete picture of all ~~Privacy~~ Domains and Systems ~~and Business Processes~~ in which PI is used.*

### Task 9 Example

The Customer Communication Portal provides an interface through which the Customer communicates a charge order to the Utility. This interface is a touch point.

When ~~the customer~~Customer One plugs ~~her~~ EV into the charging station, the EV On-Board System embeds communication functionality to send EV ID and EV Charge Requirements to the Customer Communication Portal. This functionality provides a further touch point.

## Task #10: Identify Data Flows

**Objective** Identify the data flows carrying PI and ~~privacy constraints~~Privacy Controls among Domains ~~in~~within the Use Case.

**Constraint** Data flows may be multidirectional or unidirectional.

### Task 10 Example

When a charging request event occurs, the Customer Communication Portal sends Customer information, EV identification, and Customer Communication Portal location information to the EV Program Information System managed by the Utility.

This [Program Information System](#) application uses metadata tags to indicate whether or not ~~customer~~customer's identification and location data may be shared with authorized third parties, and to prohibit the sharing of data that provides customers' movement history, if derived from an aggregation of transactions.

## 3.2 Identify PI in Use Case ~~Privacy~~ Domains and Systems

**Objective** Specify the PI collected, ~~created, communicated, processed or~~stored, [used, shared, transmitted, transferred across-borders, retained or disposed](#) within ~~Privacy~~ Domains or Systems [or Business Processes](#) in three categories: ~~-, (Incoming, Internally-Generated and Outgoing)~~

### Task #11: Identify Incoming PI

**Definition** Incoming PI is PI flowing into a ~~Privacy~~ Domain, or a ~~system~~[System or Business Process](#) within a ~~Privacy~~ Domain.

**~~Constraint~~Note** *Incoming PI may be defined at whatever level of granularity appropriate for the scope of analysis of the Use Case and ~~the~~[its](#) Privacy Policies ~~established in Section 2-~~[and requirements.](#)*

### Task #12: Identify Internally Generated PI

**Definition** Internally Generated PI is PI created within the ~~Privacy~~ Domain or System [or Business Process](#) itself.

**~~Constraint~~Note** *Internally Generated PI may be defined at whatever level of granularity appropriate for the scope of analysis of the Use Case and ~~the~~[its](#) Privacy Policies ~~established in Section 2-~~[and requirements.](#)*

**Example** *Examples include device information, time-stamps, location information, and other system-generated data that may be linked to an identity.*

### Task #13: Identify Outgoing PI

**Definition** Outgoing PI is PI flowing ~~out of from~~ one ~~system~~[System](#) to another ~~system, or from one Business Process to another, either~~ within a ~~Privacy~~ Domain or to another ~~Privacy~~ Domain.

**~~Constraint~~ — ~~Note~~** *Outgoing PI may be defined at whatever level of granularity appropriate for the scope of analysis of the Use Case and ~~the~~[its](#) Privacy Policies ~~established in Section 2-~~[and requirements.](#)*

### Tasks 11, 12, 13 Example

#### Incoming PI:

Customer ID received by Customer Communications Portal

#### Internally Generated PI:

Current EV location associated with customer information, and time/location information logged by EV On-Board system

#### Outgoing PI:

Current EV ID and location information transmitted to Utility Load Scheduler System

## 3.3 Specify Required Privacy Controls Associated with PI

<b>Goal</b>	For Incoming, Internally Generated and Outgoing PI, specify the <del>privacy controls</del> <b>Privacy Controls</b> required to enforce the privacy policy associated with the PI. Privacy controls may be pre-defined or may be derived. <del>In either case, privacy controls are typically associated with specific Fair Information Practices Principles (FIPPs) that apply to the PI.</del>
<b>Definition</b>	Control is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the achievement of stated objectives.
<b>Definition</b>	Privacy Controls are administrative, technical and physical <del>safeguards</del> <b>requirements</b> employed within an organization or <del>Privacy</del> Domain in order to protect <del>and manage</del> PI. They <del>are the means by which</del> <b>express how</b> privacy policies <del>are</del> <b>must be</b> satisfied in an operational setting.

### Task #14: Specify Inherited Privacy Controls

<b>Objective</b>	Specify the required Privacy Controls <del>which that</del> are inherited from <del>Privacy</del> Domains or Systems <del>within Privacy Domains</del> <b>or Processes</b> .
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#### Task 14 Example:

The utility inherits a Privacy Control associated with the Electric Vehicle's ID (EVID) from the vehicle manufacturer's privacy policies.

The utility inherits ~~the consumer's~~ **Customer One's** Operational Privacy Control Requirements, expressed as privacy preferences, via a link with the customer communications portal when she plugs her EV into ~~friend Rick's~~ **Customer Two's** charging station.

The utility must apply ~~Jane's~~ **Customer One's** privacy preferences to the current transaction. The Utility accesses ~~Jane's~~ **Customer One's** privacy preferences and learns that ~~Jane~~ **Customer One** does not want her association with ~~Rick~~ **Customer Two** exported to the Utility's third party partners. Even though ~~Rick's~~ **Customer Two's** privacy settings differ ~~around~~ **regarding** his ~~own~~ PI, ~~Jane's~~ **Customer One's** non-consent to the association being transmitted out of the Utility's privacy ~~domain~~ **Domain** is sufficient to prevent commutative association. ~~Thus~~ **Similarly**, if ~~Rick~~ **Customer Two** were to charge his car's batteries at ~~Jane's~~ **Customer One's location**, the association between them would also not be shared with third parties.

### Task #15: Specify Internal Privacy Controls

<b>Objective</b>	Specify the Privacy Controls <del>which that</del> are mandated by internal <del>Privacy</del> Domain <del>policies</del> <b>Policies</b> .
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### Task 15 Example

#### Use Limitation Internal Privacy Controls

The Utility has adopted and complies with California Code SB 1476 of 2010 (Public Utilities Code §§ 8380-8381 Use Limitation).

It also implements the 2011 California Public Utility Commission (CPUC) privacy rules, recognizing the CPUC's regulatory privacy jurisdiction over it and third parties with which it shares customer data.

Further, it adopts NIST 800-53 Appendix J's "Control Family" on Use Limitation – e.g. it evaluates any proposed new instances of sharing ~~PI~~PI with third parties to assess whether they are authorized and whether additional or new public notice is required.

## Task #16: Specify Exported Privacy Controls

**Objective** Specify the Privacy Controls ~~which~~that must be exported to other ~~Privacy~~ Domains or to Systems or Business Processes within ~~Privacy~~ Domains.

### Task 16 Example

The Utility exports ~~Jane's~~Customer One's privacy preferences associated with her PI to its third party partner, whose systems are capable of understanding and enforcing these preferences. One of her ~~privacy-control~~Privacy Control requirements is to *not* share her EVID and any PI associated with the use of the Utility's vehicle charging system with marketing aggregators or advertisers.

## 4 Identify ~~Functional~~ Services and Functions Necessary to Support Privacy Controls

Privacy ~~controls~~ Controls are usually stated in the form of a policy declaration or requirement and not in a way that is immediately actionable or implementable. Until now, we have been concerned with the real-world, human side of privacy but we need now to turn attention to the ~~digital world~~ procedures, business processes and “technical system-level” ~~concerns~~—, components that actually enable privacy. Services—and their associated Functions provide the bridge between ~~those requirements~~ Privacy Controls and a privacy management implementation by ~~providing privacy constraints on~~ instantiating business and system-level actions governing ~~the flow of PI between touch points~~ PI.

*Note: The PMRM provides only a high level description of the functionality associated with each Service. A well-developed PMA will provide the detailed functional requirements associated with Services within a specific Use Case.*

### 4.1 Services and Functions Needed to Implement the Privacy Controls

A set of operational Services ~~is~~ and associated Functionality ~~comprise~~ the organizing structure ~~which that~~ will be used to ~~link~~ establish the linkage between the required Privacy Controls ~~specified in Section 4.3~~ ~~to~~ and the operational ~~mechanisms~~ Mechanisms (both manual and automated) that are necessary to implement those requirements.

~~Eight~~ PMRM identifies eight Privacy Services ~~have been identified, based on the mandate,~~ necessary to support ~~an arbitrary~~ any set of privacy policies, ~~but~~ and Controls, at a functional level. The eight Services can be logically grouped into three categories:

- **Core Policy:** Agreement, Usage
- **Privacy Assurance:** ~~Security~~, Validation, Certification, Enforcement, ~~Security~~
- **Presentation and Lifecycle:** Interaction, Access

These groupings, illustrated in Table 1 below, are meant to clarify the “architectural” relationship of the Services in an operational design. However, the functions provided by all Services are available for mutual interaction without restriction.

Core Policy Services	Privacy Assurance Services	Presentation & Lifecycle Services	
Agreement	Agreement	Validation	Certification
Interaction			

Usage	<del>Security</del> <u>Enforc</u> <u>ement</u>	<u>Enforcement</u> <del>Sec</del> <u>urity</u>	Access
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Table 1

A ~~AA~~ privacy engineer, system architect or technical manager ~~should~~must be able to ~~integrate~~define these privacy Services ~~into a functional architecture, with specific mechanisms selected to implement these functions and Functions, and deliver them via procedural and technical Mechanisms.~~ In fact, ~~a key purpose of an important benefit of using~~ the PMRM is to stimulate design and analysis of the specific ~~functions~~Mechanisms - both manual and automated - that are needed to implement any set of privacy policies: and Controls and their associated Services and Functions. In that sense, the PMRM ~~is an~~ analytic ~~can be a valuable~~ tool for fostering privacy innovation.

The PMRM ~~identifies various system~~Services and Functions include important System and Business Process capabilities that are not ~~typically~~ described in privacy practices and principles. For example, ~~a policy functionality enabling the management (or "usage and control") function is essential to manage the PI usage constraints established by a data subject information processor or by regulation, of Privacy Policies and their associated Privacy Controls across integrated Systems is implied~~ but ~~such a function is~~ not explicitly ~~named~~addressed in privacy principles/practices. Likewise, interfaces ~~(and agents)~~agency are not explicit in the privacy principles/practices, but are necessary to ~~represent other~~make possible essential operational privacy capabilities.

Such inferred capabilities are necessary if information ~~systems~~Systems and associated Business Processes are to be made "privacy-configurable and compliant."" and to ensure accountability. Without them, enforcing privacy policies in a distributed, fully automated environment will not be possible, ~~and;~~ businesses, data subjects, and regulators will be burdened with inefficient and error-prone manual processing, inadequate privacy governance ~~and,~~ compliance controls, ~~and inadequate compliance~~ reporting.

As used here,

- A ~~"Service"~~ is defined as a collection of related ~~functions and mechanisms~~Functions that operate for a specified purpose;
- An ~~"Actor"~~ is defined as a human or a system-level, digital 'proxy' for either a (human) Participant ~~or an, a~~ (non-human) system-level process or other agent.

The eight privacy Services defined are **Agreement, Usage, ~~Security~~, Validation, Certification, Enforcement, Security, Interaction, and Access.** ~~Specific operational behavior of these~~ These Services is governed by represent collections of functionality which make possible the ~~privacy policy and constraints that are configured in a particular implementation and jurisdictional context. These will be~~ delivery of Privacy Control requirements. The Services are identified as part of the Use Case analysis. Practice with ~~use cases~~Use Cases has shown that the Services ~~listed above~~ can, together, operationally encompass any arbitrary set of ~~privacy~~Privacy Control requirements.

~~The functions of one~~ One Service and its Functions may ~~invoke another Service~~ interact with one or more other Services and their Functions. In other words, ~~functions~~Functions under one Service may "call" those under another Service (for example, "pass information to a new ~~function~~Function for subsequent action~~).~~). In line with principles of Service-Oriented Architecture (SOA)<sup>3</sup>, the Services can ~~thus~~ interact in

<sup>3</sup> See for example the [SOA-RM] and the [SOA-RAF]



an arbitrary, interconnected sequence to accomplish a privacy management task or set of privacy lifecycle [policy and Control](#) requirements. Use ~~eases~~[Cases](#) will illustrate such interactions and their sequencing as the PMRM is used to ~~solve a particular privacy problem. By examining and by solving multiple use cases, the PMRM can be tested for applicability and robustness.~~[instantiate a particular Privacy Control.](#)

Table 2 below provides a description of each Service's functionality and an informal definition of each Service:

SERVICE	FUNCTIONALITY	PURPOSE
AGREEMENT	<del>Define</del> <u>Defines</u> and <del>document</del> <u>documents</u> permissions and rules for the handling of PI based on applicable policies, data subject preferences, and other relevant factors; <del>provide</del> <u>provides</u> relevant Actors with a mechanism to negotiate, <u>change</u> or establish new permissions and rules; <del>express</del> <u>expresses</u> the agreements <del>for uses</del> <u>such that they can be used</u> by other Services	Manage and negotiate permissions and rules
USAGE	<del>Ensure</del> <u>Ensures</u> that the use of PI complies with the terms of <del>any applicable permission, policy, law or regulation,</del> <u>permissions, policies, laws, and regulations</u> , including PI subjected to information minimization, linking, integration, inference, transfer, derivation, aggregation, <del>and</del> anonymization <u>and disposal</u> over the lifecycle of the <del>use case</del> <u>PI</u>	Control PI use
VALIDATION	<del>Evaluate</del> <u>Evaluates</u> and <del>ensure</del> <u>ensures</u> the information quality of PI in terms of <del>Accuracy, Completeness, Relevance, Timeliness</del> <u>accuracy, completeness, relevance, timeliness, provenance, appropriateness for use</u> and other relevant qualitative factors	<del>Check</del> <u>Ensure</u> PI <u>quality</u>
CERTIFICATION	<del>Ensure</del> <u>Ensures</u> that the credentials of any Actor, Domain, System-, or system component are compatible with their assigned roles in processing PI; and <del>verify</del> <u>verifies</u> their <u>capability to support required Privacy Controls in</u> compliance <del>and trustworthiness against</del> <u>with</u> defined policies and assigned roles.	<del>Check</del> <u>Ensure</u> <u>appropriate privacy management</u> credentials
ENFORCEMENT	<del>Initiate</del> <u>Initiates</u> <u>monitoring capabilities to ensure the effective operation of all Services.</u> <u>Initiates</u> response actions, policy execution, and recourse when audit controls and monitoring indicate <del>that an Actor operational faults and failures. Records and reports evidence of compliance to Stakeholders and/or System does not conform to defined policies or the terms of a permission (agreement)</del> <u>regulators. Provides evidence necessary for Accountability.</u>	Monitor <del>and proper operation,</del> <u>respond to audited exception conditions and report on demand evidence of compliance where required for accountability</u>
SECURITY	<del>Provide</del> <u>Provides</u> the procedural and technical mechanisms necessary to ensure the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of <del>personal information; make</del> <u>PI; makes</u> possible the trustworthy processing, communication, storage and disposition of <u>PI; safeguards</u> privacy operations	Safeguard privacy information and operations
INTERACTION	<del>Provide</del> <u>Provides</u> generalized interfaces necessary for presentation, communication, and interaction of PI and relevant information associated with PI; <del>encompasses,</del> <u>encompassing</u> functionality such as user interfaces, system-to-system information exchanges, and agents	Information presentation and communication
ACCESS	<del>Enable data subjects</del> <u>Enables Data Subjects</u> , as required and/or allowed by permission, policy, or regulation, to review their PI that is held within a Domain and propose changes <del>and/or,</del> <u>corrections</u> <del>to or deletion for</del> their PI	View and propose changes to <del>stored</del> PI

Table 2

## 4.2 Service Details and Function Descriptions

### 4.2.1.1 Core Policy Services

#### 1. Agreement Service

- ~~Define~~Defines and ~~document~~documents permissions and rules for the handling of PI based on applicable policies, individual preferences, and other relevant factors. Provides relevant Actors with a mechanism to negotiate or establish new permissions and rules
- ~~Provide relevant Actors with a mechanism to negotiate or establish new permissions and rules.~~
- ~~Express~~Expresses the ~~agreements~~Agreements for use by other Services.

##### Agreement Service Example

As part of its standard customer service agreement, ~~a bank~~the Utility requests selected customer PI, with associated permissions for use. Customer negotiates with the ~~bank (whether~~Utility (in this case via an electronic interface, by telephone or in person providing opt-in choices) to modify the permissions. The Customer provides the PI to the ~~bank~~Utility, with the modified and agreed-to permissions. This agreement is ~~signed by both parties~~recorded, stored in an appropriate representation, and the customer ~~is~~ provided a copy.

#### 2. Usage Service

- ~~Ensure~~Ensures that the use of PI complies with the terms of any applicable permission, policy, law or regulation,
  - ~~o~~ Including PI subjected to information minimization, linking, integration, inference, transfer, derivation, aggregation, and anonymization,
  - ~~o~~ Over the lifecycle of the ~~use case~~PI

##### Usage Service Example

A third party has acquired specific PI from the Utility, consistent with contractually agreed permissions for use. ~~Before using the PI, the~~The third party has implemented technical functionality capable of enforcing the agreement ensuring that the usage of the PI is consistent with these permissions.

### 4.2.1.2 Privacy Assurance Services

#### 3. Validation Service

- ~~Evaluate~~Evaluates and ~~ensure~~ensures the information quality of PI in terms of ~~Accuracy, Completeness, Relevance, Timeliness~~accuracy, completeness, relevance, timeliness and other relevant qualitative factors.

#### Validation Service Example

~~PI is received from an authorized third party for a particular purpose. Specific characteristics of the PI, such as date the information was originally provided, are checked to ensure the PI meets specified use requirements.~~

The Utility has implemented a system to validate the vehicle's VIN and onboard EV ID to ensure accuracy.

#### 4. Certification Service

- ~~Ensure~~Ensures that the credentials of any Actor, Domain, System, or system component are compatible with their assigned roles in processing PI;
- ~~Verify~~Verifies that an Actor, Domain, System, or system component supports defined policies and conforms with assigned roles.

### Certification Service Example

~~A patient enters an emergency room, presenting identifying credentials. Functionality has been implemented which enables hospital personnel to check those credentials against a patient database information exchange. Additionally, the certification service's authentication processes ensures that the information exchange is authorized to receive the request.~~

The Utility operates a data linkage communicating PI and associated policies with the vehicle manufacturer business partner. The Privacy Officers of both companies ensure that their practices and technical implementations are consistent with their agreed privacy management obligations. Additionally, functionality has been implemented which enables the Utility's and the manufacturer's systems to communicate confirmation that updated software versions have been registered and support their agreed upon policies.

## 5. Enforcement Service

- ~~Initiate~~Initiates monitoring capabilities to ensure the effective operation of all Services
- Initiates response actions, policy execution, and recourse when audit controls and monitoring indicate ~~that an Actor operational faults and failures~~
- Records and report evidence of compliance to Stakeholders and/or ~~System does not conform to defined laws, regulations, policies or the terms of a permission (agreement).~~regulators
- Provides data needed to demonstrate accountability

### Enforcement Service Example

~~A magazine's subscription service provider~~The Utility's maintenance department forwards customer PI to a third party not authorized to receive the information. A routine audit ~~of by the service provider's system~~Utility's privacy auditor reveals this unauthorized disclosure practice, alerting the ~~appropriate responsible official (the organization's privacy officer).~~Privacy Officer, who takes appropriate action. This action includes preparation of a Privacy Violation report ~~submitted to the subscription service provider,~~ together with ~~a series of recommendations~~requirements for remedial action, as well as an assessment of the privacy risk following the unauthorized disclosure. The Utility's maintenance department keeps records that demonstrate that it only has forwarded customer PI to a third party based upon the agreements with its customers. Such a report may be produced on demand for Stakeholders and regulators.

## 6. Security Service

- ~~Make~~Makes possible the trustworthy processing, communication, storage and disposition of privacy operations;
- ~~Provide~~Provides the procedural and technical mechanisms necessary to ensure the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of ~~personal information.~~PI

### Security Service Example

~~PI is transferred between authorized recipients, using transmission encryption.~~PI is encrypted when communicated between the EV, the Utility's systems and when transmitting PI to its third party to ensure confidentiality.

Strong standards-based, identity, authentication and authorization management systems are implemented to conform to [the Utility's](#) data security policies.

## 4.2.34.1.3 Presentation and Lifecycle Services

### 7. Interaction Service

- ~~Provide~~[Provides](#) generalized interfaces necessary for presentation, communication, and interaction of PI and relevant information associated with PI;
- Encompasses functionality such as user interfaces, system-to-system information exchanges, and agents;

#### Interaction Service Example:

~~Your home banking application~~The Utility uses a ~~graphical user interface~~[Graphical User Interface](#) (GUI) to communicate with ~~you~~[customers](#), including presenting ~~any relevant~~ privacy notices, ~~associated with the EV Charging application~~, enabling access to PI disclosures, and providing ~~customer~~[them](#) with options to modify privacy preferences.

The ~~banking application~~[Utility](#) utilizes email alerts to notify customers when policies ~~have~~[will be](#) changed and uses postal mail to confirm customer-requested changes.

### 8. Access Service

- ~~Enable~~[Enables](#) data-subjects, as required and/or allowed by permission, policy, or regulation, to review their PI held within a Domain and ~~propose~~[proposes](#) changes ~~and/or~~, corrections [and/or](#) [deletions](#) to it;

#### Access Service Example:

~~A national credit bureau~~The Utility has implemented an online service enabling customers to ~~request view the Utility systems that collect and use their credit score details~~[PI](#) and to ~~report discrepancies in~~[interactively manage their credit histories](#) privacy preferences for those systems (such as EV Charging) that they have opted to use. For each system, customers are provided the option to [view summaries of the PI collected by the Utility and to dispute and correct questionable information.](#)

## 4.34.2 Identify Services satisfying the ~~privacy controls~~[Privacy Controls](#)

The Services defined in Section 4.1 encompass detailed Functions ~~and~~[that are ultimately delivered via Mechanisms needed to \(e.g. code, applications, or specific business processes\).](#) Such Mechanisms transform the ~~privacy controls~~[Privacy Controls](#) of section 3.3 into an operational ~~system design for the use case~~[System](#). Since the detailed ~~use case~~[Use Case](#) analysis focused on the data flows ~~incoming, internally-generated, outgoing (Incoming, Internally-Generated, Outgoing)~~ between Systems (and/or Actors), the Service selections should be on the same granular basis.

### Task #17: **Identify the Services [and Functions](#) necessary to support operation of identified ~~privacy controls~~[Privacy Controls](#)**

Perform this task for each data flow exchange of PI between ~~systems~~[Systems and Domains](#).

This detailed ~~conversion into Service operations can mapping~~ of Privacy Controls with Services can then be synthesized into consolidated sets of Service ~~actions and Functions~~ per ~~System involved in Domain, System or business environment as appropriate for~~ the Use Case.

On further iteration and refinement, the ~~engaged identified~~ Services ~~and Functions~~ can be further delineated by the appropriate ~~Functions and Mechanisms for the relevant privacy controls.~~

#### Task 17 Examples:

~~Based~~

##### 1- “Log EV location” based upon

a) **Internally Generated PI** (Current EV location logged by EV On-Board system), ~~and~~

b) **Outgoing PI** (Current EV location transmitted to Utility Load Scheduler System), ~~and~~

~~convert~~

~~Convert~~ to operational Services as follows:

##### ~~“Log EV location”:~~

#### Usage

**Validation** EV On-Board System checks that the reporting of a particular charging location has been opted-in by EV owner ~~per existing Agreement~~

**Interaction** Communication of EV Location Information to Utility Metering System

**Enforcement** ~~If~~ Check that location data has ~~not~~ been authorized by EV Owner for reporting and ~~log~~ the location data has been transmitted, then ~~notify~~ action. ~~Notify~~ the Owner ~~and/or the~~ Utility ~~for each transaction.~~

~~Interaction~~ Communicate EV Location to EV On-Board System

**Usage** EV On-Board System records EV Location in secure storage; EV location data is linked to ~~agreements~~ Agreements

##### 2 - “Transmit EV Location to Utility Load Scheduler System-~~(ULSS)”:~~”

**Interaction** Communication established between EV Location and ULSS

**Security** Authenticate the ULSS site; ~~secure~~ authorize the communication; encrypt the transmission

**Certification** ULSS checks the ~~credentials~~ software version of the EV On-Board System to ensure its most recent firmware update maintains compliance with negotiated information storage privacy controls

**Validation** ~~Check the location code and~~ Validate the EV Location against ~~customer-~~ accepted locations

~~Usage~~ ULSS records the EV Location, together with agreements



## 5 Define the Technical ~~Functionality and Business Processes~~ and Procedural Mechanisms Supporting the Selected Services and Functions

Each Service is composed of a set of ~~operational~~ Functions, ~~reflected in defined business processes~~ which are delivered operationally by manual and technical ~~solutions~~. Mechanisms

The ~~Functions~~ Mechanism step is critical because it ~~necessitates either designating~~ requires the particular business process or identification of specific procedures, applications, technical ~~mechanism~~ being implemented to support and vendor solutions, code and other concrete tools that will actually make possible the ~~Services~~ delivery of required in the use case or the absence of such a business process or technical mechanism. Privacy Controls.

### 5.1 Identify ~~Functions~~ Mechanisms Satisfying the Selected Services and Functions

Up to this point in the PMRM methodology, the primary focus of the ~~use case~~ Use Case analysis has been on the “what—.” PI, policies, ~~control requirements, the~~ Privacy Controls, Services ~~needed to manage privacy. Here~~ and their associated Functions. However, the PMRM ~~requires a statement of the “how”—~~ what business processes and technical mechanisms are identified as providing expected methodology also focuses on the “how” – the Mechanisms necessary to deliver the required functionality.

Task #18: Identify the ~~Functions~~ Mechanisms that ~~satisfy~~ Implement the selected Identified Services and Functions

#### Examples

“Log EV Location” (~~uses services~~ Validation, Enforcement, Interaction

Mechanism: Software Vendor’s DBMS is used as the logging mechanism, and Usage Services); ~~includes active data encryption and key management for security.~~

Function: ~~Encrypt the EV Location and Agreements and store in on-board solid-state drive~~

“Securely Transmit EV Location to Utility Load Scheduler System (ULSS)” (~~uses~~ Interaction, Security, Certification, Validation, and Usage Services):

Function: ~~Establish a TLS/SSL communication between EV Location and ULSS, which includes mechanisms~~ including Mechanisms for authentication of the source/destination and authorization of the access.

## 6 Perform Operational Risk and/or Compliance Assessment

### Task #19: Conduct Risk Assessment

**Objective** Once the requirements in the Use Case have been converted into operational Services, Functions and Mechanisms, an overall risk assessment should be performed from ~~that~~an operational perspective.

**Constraint**Note *This risk assessment is operational – distinct from other risk assessments, such as the initial assessments leading to choice of privacy policies and selection of privacy controls*  
*Additional controls may be necessary to mitigate risks within and across Services. The level of granularity is determined by the Use Case scope. ~~Provide~~ and should generally include operational risk assessments for the selected Services within the ~~use-case~~Use Case.*

#### Examples

##### “Log EV location”:

**Validation** EV On-Board System checks that location is not previously rejected by EV owner  
**Risk:** On-board System has been corrupted

**Enforcement** If location is previously rejected, then notify the Owner and/or the Utility  
**Risk:** On-board System not current

EV On-Board System logs the occurrence of the Validation for later reporting on request.  
**Risk:** On-board System has inadequate storage for recording the data

**Interaction** Communicate EV Location to EV On-Board System  
**Risk:** Communication link not available

**Usage** EV On-Board System records EV Location in secure storage, together with agreements  
**Risk:** Security controls for On-Board System are compromised

##### “Transmit EV Location to Utility Load Scheduler System (ULSS)”:

**Interaction** Communication established between EV Location and ULSS  
**Risk:** Communication link down

**Security** Authenticate the ULSS site; secure the transmission  
**Risk:** ULSS site credentials are not current

**Certification** ULSS checks the credentials of the EV On-Board System  
**Risk:** EV On-Board System credentials do not check

**Validation** Validate the EV Location against accepted locations  
**Risk:** ~~Aaccepted~~System cannot access accepted locations ~~are back level~~

**Usage** ULSS records the EV Location, together with agreements  
**Risk:** Security controls for the ULSS are compromised

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## 7 Initiate Iterative Process

**Goal** A ‘first pass’ through the Tasks above can be used to identify the scope of the Use Case and the underlying privacy policies ~~and constraints.~~ Additional iterative passes would serve to refine the ~~Use Case~~[Privacy Controls, Services and Functions](#), and ~~to add detail~~[Mechanisms](#). Later passes could serve to resolve “TBD” sections that are important, but were not previously developed.

**Note** ~~that a ‘single pass’ analysis might mislead the PMRM user into thinking the Use Case was fully developed and understood.~~ *Iterative passes through the analysis will almost certainly reveal ~~further~~[additional, finer-grain](#) details. Keep in mind that the ultimate objective is to develop [sufficient](#) insight into the Use Case ~~sufficient~~ to provide ~~a reference model for an operational, Service-based, solution.~~*

### Task #20: **Iterate the analysis and refine.**

Iterate the analysis in the previous sections, seeking further refinement and detail. [Continually-iterate the process, as desired, to further refine and detail.](#)

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## 8 Conformance

### 8.1 Introduction

The PMRM as a “model” is abstract. ~~However, as a Methodology it is through the process of developing a detailed Use Case and appropriately so because use cases will open up the needed~~ a PMA that ~~important~~ levels of detail. ~~It is also a very~~ emerge, enabling a complete picture of how privacy risks and privacy requirements are being managed. As a Methodology the PMRM – richly detailed, ~~multi-step but~~ and having multiple, iterative task levels - is intentionally open-ended ~~methodology~~ and can help users build PMAs at whatever level of complexity they require.

~~The emergence over time of~~ Using the PMRM, detailed privacy service profiles, sector-specific implementation criteria, and interoperability testing, implemented through explicit, executable, and verifiable methods, ~~will~~ can emerge and may lead to the development of detailed compliance and conformance criteria ~~and may be included as part of a separate implementation guide.~~

In the meantime, the following statements indicate whether, and if so to what extent, each of the Tasks outlined in Sections ~~3~~ 2 to 7 above, are to be used in a target work product (such as a privacy analysis, privacy impact assessment, privacy management framework, etc.) ~~that can~~ in order to claim conformance ~~with~~ to the PMRM, as currently ~~documented~~.

### 8.2 Conformance Statement

The terms “**MUST**”, “**REQUIRED**”, “**RECOMMENDED**”, and “**OPTIONAL**” are used below in conformance with [RFC 2119].

Any work product claiming conformance with PMRM ~~v1~~ v2.0

1. **MUST** result from the documented performance of the Tasks outlined in Sections 2 to 7 above;  
and where,
2. Tasks #1-3, 5-18 are **REQUIRED**;
3. Tasks # 19 and 20 are **RECOMMENDED**;
4. Task #4 is **OPTIONAL**.

## 9 Operational Definitions for ~~Fair Information Practices~~/Privacy Principles (“FIPPs”) and Glossary

**Note:** ~~This section-8 is for information and reference only. It is not part of the normative text of the document~~

As explained in the introduction, every specialized ~~domain~~Domain is likely to create and use a ~~domain~~Domain-specific vocabulary of concepts and terms that should be used and understood in the specific context of that ~~domain~~Domain. PMRM is no different and this section contains such terms.

In addition, a number of “operational definitions” are ~~intended to be used~~included in the PMRM ~~as an aid~~ to support development of the “Detailed Privacy Use Case Analysis” described in Section 4. Their use is completely optional, but may be helpful in organizing privacy policies and controls where there are inconsistencies in definitions across policy boundaries or where existing definitions do not adequately express the operational characteristics associated with ~~Fair Information Practices~~the Privacy Principles below.

### 9.1 Operational FIPPs

These Operational Privacy Principles are intended support the Principles in the OASIS PbD-SE Specification and may be useful in understanding the operational implications of Privacy Principles embodied in international laws and regulations and adopted by international organizations

### 9.1 Operational Privacy Principles

The following 14 ~~Fair Information Practices~~/Operational Privacy Principles are composite definitions, intended to illustrate the operational and technical implications of commonly accepted Privacy Principles. They were derived from a review of ~~a number of relevant~~international legislative and regulatory instruments. ~~These operational FIPPs~~ (such as the U.S. Privacy Act of 1974 and the EU Data Protection Directive) in the ISTPA document, “Analysis of Privacy Principles: Making Privacy Operational,” v2.0 (2007). They have been updated slightly for use in the PMRM. These operational Privacy Principles can serve as a sample set, ~~as needed. Note however that~~ to assist privacy practitioners. They are “composite” definitions because there is no single and globally accepted set of ~~FIPPs and the PMRM does not require use of these composite definitions.~~Privacy Principles and so each definition includes the policy expressions associated with each term as found in all 14 instruments.

#### Accountability

Functionality enabling ~~reporting by the~~the ability to ensure and demonstrate compliance with privacy policies to the various Domain Owners, Stakeholders, regulators and data subjects by the privacy program, business ~~process~~processes and technical systems ~~which implement privacy policies, to the data subject or Participant accountable for ensuring compliance with those policies, with optional linkages to redress and sanctions.~~

#### Notice

Functionality providing Information, in the context of a specified use and in an open and transparent manner, regarding policies and practices exercised within a ~~Privacy~~ Domain including: definition of the Personal Information collected; its use (purpose specification); its disclosure to parties within or external to the ~~domain~~Domain; practices associated with the maintenance and protection of the information; options available to the data subject regarding the processor’s privacy practices; retention and deletion; changes made to policies or practices; and other information provided to the data subject at designated times and under designated circumstances.

#### Consent and Choice

Functionality, ~~including support for Sensitive Information, Informed Consent, Change of Use Consent, and Consequences of Consent Denial~~, enabling data subjects to agree to the collection and/or

specific uses of some or all of their ~~Personal Information~~PI either through an ~~opt-in~~ affirmative process ~~(, opt-in)out~~, or implied (not choosing to opt-out when this option is provided). [Such functionality may include the capability to support sensitive Information, informed consent, choices and options, change of use consent, and consequences of consent denial.](#)

### **Collection Limitation and Information Minimization**

Functionality, exercised by the information processor, that limits the [personal](#) information collected, processed, communicated and stored to the minimum necessary to achieve a stated purpose and, when required, demonstrably collected by fair and lawful means.

### **Use Limitation**

Functionality, exercised by the information processor, that ensures that Personal Information will not be used for purposes other than those specified and accepted by the data subject or provided by law, and not maintained longer than necessary for the stated purposes.

### **Disclosure**

Functionality that enables the transfer, provision of access to, use for new purposes, or release in any manner, of Personal Information managed within a ~~Privacy~~ Domain in accordance with notice and consent permissions and/or applicable laws and functionality making known the information processor's policies to external parties receiving the information.

### **Access ~~and~~, Correction and Deletion**

Functionality that allows an adequately identified data subject to discover, correct or delete, Personal Information managed within a Privacy Domain; functionality providing notice of denial of access; ~~and~~ options for challenging denial when specified; [and "right to be forgotten" implementation.](#)

### **Security/Safeguards**

Functionality that ensures the confidentiality, availability and integrity of Personal Information collected, used, communicated, maintained, and stored; and that ensures specified Personal Information will be de-identified and/or destroyed as required.

### **Information Quality**

Functionality that ensures that information collected and used is adequate for purpose, relevant for purpose, accurate at time of use, and, where specified, kept up to date, corrected or destroyed.

### **Enforcement**

Functionality that ensures compliance with privacy policies, agreements and legal requirements and to give data subjects a means of filing complaints of compliance violations and having them addressed, including recourse for violations of law, agreements and policies, [with optional linkages to redress and sanctions. Such Functionality includes alerts, audits and security breach management.](#)

### **Openness**

Functionality, available to data subjects, that allows access to an information ~~processors~~ [policiesprocessor's notice](#) and practices relating to the management of their Personal Information and that establishes the existence, nature, and purpose of use of Personal Information held about the data subject.

### **Anonymity**

Functionality that prevents data being collected or used in a manner that can identify a specific natural person.

### **Information Flow**

Functionality that enables the communication of personal information across geo-political jurisdictions by private or public entities involved in governmental, economic, social or other activities [in accordance with privacy policies, agreements and legal requirements.](#)

### **Sensitivity**

Functionality that provides special handling, processing, security treatment or other treatment of specified information, as defined by law, regulation or policy.

## 9.2 Glossary

*Note: This Glossary does not include the Operational Privacy Principles listed in Section 9.1 above. They are defined separately given their composite formulation from disparate privacy laws and regulations*

### Access Service

Enables Data Subjects, as required and/or allowed by permission, policy, or regulation, to review their PI that is held within a Domain and propose changes, corrections or deletion for their PI

### Accountability

Privacy principle intended to ensure that controllers and processors are more generally in control and in the position to **ensure and demonstrate** compliance with privacy principles in practice. This may require the inclusion of business processes and/or technical controls in order to ensure compliance and provide evidence (such as audit reports) to demonstrate compliance to the various Domain Owners, Stakeholders, regulators and data subjects.

### Agreement Service

Defines and documents permissions and rules for the handling of PI based on applicable policies, individual preferences, and other relevant factors Provide relevant Actors with a mechanism to negotiate or establish new permissions and rules. Expresses the Agreements for use by other Services.

### **Actor**

A human or a system-level, digital 'proxy' for either a (human) Participant (or their delegate) interacting with a system or a (non-human) in-system process or other agent.

### **Audit Controls**

Processes designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the effectiveness and efficiency of operations and compliance with applicable policies, laws, and regulations-..

### ~~Boundary Object~~

~~A sociological construct that supports productive interaction and collaboration among multiple communities.~~

### Business Process

A business process is a collection of related, structured activities or tasks that produce a specific service or product (serve a particular goal) for a particular customer or customers within a Use Case. It may often be visualized as a flowchart of a sequence of activities with interleaving decision points or as a process matrix of a sequence of activities with relevance rules based on data in the process.

### Certification Service

Ensures that the credentials of any Actor, Domain, System, or system component are compatible with their assigned roles in processing PI and verify their capability to support required Privacy Controls in compliance with defined policies and assigned roles.

### **Control**

A process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the achievement of stated policies, requirements or objectives.

### Data Subject

An identified or identifiable person to who the personal data relate.

### Domain

A physical or logical area within the business environment or the Use Case that is subject to the control of a Domain Owner(s).



## Domain Owner

A Participant having responsibility for ensuring that ~~privacy controls and privacy constraints~~[Privacy Controls](#) are implemented and managed in business processes and technical systems in accordance with policy and requirements.

## Enforcement Service

[Initiates monitoring capabilities to ensure the effective operation of all Services. Initiates response actions, policy execution, and recourse when audit controls and monitoring indicate operational faults and failures. Records and reports evidence of compliance to Stakeholders and/or regulators. Provides evidence necessary for Accountability.](#)

## Exported Privacy Controls

[Privacy Controls which must be exported to other Domains or to Systems or Processes within Domains](#)

## Function

[Activities or processes within each Service intended to satisfy the Privacy Control](#)

## Incoming PI

PI flowing into a ~~Privacy~~ Domain, or a ~~system~~[System or Business Process](#) within a [Domain](#).

## Inherited Privacy Controls

Privacy ~~Domain~~[Controls](#) which are inherited from Domains, or Systems or Business Processes.

## Interaction Service

[Provides generalized interfaces necessary for presentation, communication, and interaction of PI and relevant information associated with PI, encompassing functionality such as user interfaces, system-to-system information exchanges, and agents.](#)

## Internally-Generated PI

PI created within the ~~Privacy~~ Domain, [Business Process](#) or System itself.

## Internal Privacy Controls

[Privacy Controls which are created within the Domain, Business Process or System itself.](#)

## Mechanism

[The packaging and implementation of Services and Functions into manual or automated solutions called Mechanisms.](#)

## Monitor

To observe the operation of processes and to indicate when exception conditions occur.

## Operational Privacy Principles

[A non-normative composite set of Privacy Principle definitions derived from a review of a number of relevant international legislative and regulatory instruments. They are intended to illustrate the operational and technical implications of the principles.](#)

## Outgoing PI

PI flowing out of one system [or business process](#) to another system [or business process](#) within a ~~Privacy~~ Domain or to another ~~Privacy~~ Domain.

## Participant

A Stakeholder creating, managing, interacting with, or otherwise subject to, PI managed by a System [or business process](#) within a ~~Privacy~~ Domain [or Domains](#).

## PI

Personal Information – any data ~~which~~[that](#) describes some attribute of, or that is uniquely associated with, a natural person.

## **PII**

**Personally identifiable information***Note: The PMRM uses this term throughout the document as a proxy for other terminology, such as PII, personal data, non-public personal financial information, protected health information, sensitive personal information*

## **PII**

Personally-Identifiable Information – any (set of) data that can be used to uniquely identify a natural person.

## **Policy**

Laws, regulations, contractual terms and conditions, or operational rules or guidance associated with the collection, use, transmission, storage or destruction of personal information or personally identifiable information

## **Privacy Architecture (PA)**

~~A collection~~An integrated set of ~~proposed~~ policies, Controls, Services and ~~practices~~Functions implemented in Mechanisms appropriate not only for a given ~~domain~~Use Case resulting from use of the PMRM but applicable more broadly for future Use Cases

## **Privacy ~~Constraint~~by Design (PbD)**

~~An operational mechanism that controls the extent to which PII may flow between touch points.~~

Privacy by Design is an approach to systems engineering which takes privacy into account throughout the whole engineering process. The concept is an example of value sensitive design, i.e., to take human values into account in a well-defined matter throughout the whole process and may have been derived from this. The concept originates in a joint report on “Privacy-enhancing technologies” by a joint team of the Information and Privacy Commissioner of Ontario, Canada, the Dutch Data Protection Authority and the Netherlands Organisation for Applied Scientific Research in 1995. (Wikipedia)

## **Privacy Control**

An administrative, technical or physical safeguard employed within an organization or ~~Privacy~~-Domain in order to protect ~~PII~~and manage PI.

## **Privacy ~~Domain~~Impact Assessment (PIA)**

~~A physical or logical area within the use case that is subject to the control of a Domain Owner(s)~~

A Privacy Impact Assessment is a tool for identifying and assessing privacy risks throughout the development life cycle of a program or System.

## **Privacy Management**

The collection of policies, processes and methods used to protect and manage PI.

## **Privacy Management Analysis (PMA)**

Documentation resulting from use of the PMRM and that serves multiple Stakeholders, including privacy officers, engineers and managers, general compliance managers, and system developers

## **Privacy Management Reference Model and Methodology (PMRM)**

A model and methodology for understanding and analyzing privacy policies and their management requirements in defined ~~use cases~~Use Cases; and for selecting the ~~technical services~~Services and Functions and packaging them into Mechanisms which must be implemented to support ~~privacy controls~~Privacy Controls.

## **~~(PMRM)~~Privacy Policy**

Laws, regulations, contractual terms and conditions, or operational rules or guidance associated with the collection, use, transmission, trans-border flows, storage, retention or destruction of Personal Information or personally identifiable information.

## Privacy Principles

Foundational terms which represent expectations, or high level requirements, for protecting personal information and privacy, and which are organized and defined in multiple laws and regulations, and in publications by audit and advocacy organizations, and in the work of standards organizations.

## Service

A defined collection of related ~~functions and mechanisms~~ Functions that operate for a specified purpose. For the PMRM, the eight Services and their Functions, when selected, satisfy Privacy Controls.

## Requirement

A requirement is some quality or performance demanded of an entity in accordance with certain fixed regulations, policies, controls or specified Services, Functions, Mechanisms or Architecture.

## Security Service

Provides the procedural and technical mechanisms necessary to ensure the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of PI; makes possible the trustworthy processing, communication, storage and disposition of PI; safeguards privacy operations.

## Stakeholder

An individual or organization having an interest in the privacy policies, privacy controls, or operational privacy implementation of a particular Use Case.

## System

A collection of components organized to accomplish a specific function or set of functions having a relationship to operational privacy management.

## Touch Point

The intersection of data flows with ~~Privacy Domains or~~ Actors, Systems or Processes within Domains.

## Use Case

In software and systems engineering, a use case is a list of actions or event steps, typically defining the interactions between a role (known in the Unified Modeling Language as an *actor*) and a system, to achieve a goal. The actor can be a human, an external system, or time.

## Usage Service

Ensures that the use of PI complies with the terms of permissions, policies, laws, and regulations, including PI subjected to information minimization, linking, integration, inference, transfer, derivation, aggregation, anonymization and disposal over the lifecycle of the PI.

## Validation Service

Evaluates and ensures the information quality of PI in terms of accuracy, completeness, relevance, timeliness, provenance, appropriateness for use and other relevant qualitative factors.

## 9.3 PMRM Acronyms

CPUC      California Public Utility Commission

DBMS      Data Base Management System

EU          European Union

EV          Electric Vehicle

GUI        Graphical User Interface

IoT        Internet of Things

NIST      National Institute of Standards and Technology

OASIS     Organization for the Advancement of Structured Information Standards

PA         Privacy Architecture

<b>PbD</b>	<a href="#">Privacy <del>Domains</del>-by Design</a>
<b>PbD-SE</b>	<a href="#">Privacy by Design Documentation for Software Engineers</a>
<b>PI</b>	<a href="#">Personal Information</a>
<b>PII</b>	<a href="#">Personally Identifiable Information</a>
<b>PIA</b>	<a href="#">Privacy Impact Assessment</a>
<b>PMA</b>	<a href="#">Privacy Management Analysis</a>
<b>PMRM</b>	<a href="#">Privacy Management Reference Model and Methodology</a>
<b>PMRM TC</b>	<a href="#">Privacy Management Reference Model Technical Committee</a>
<b>RFC</b>	<a href="#">Request for Comment</a>
<b>SOA</b>	<a href="#">Service Oriented Architecture</a>
<b>TC</b>	<a href="#">Technical Committee</a>
<b>ULSS</b>	<a href="#">Utility Load Scheduler System</a>

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