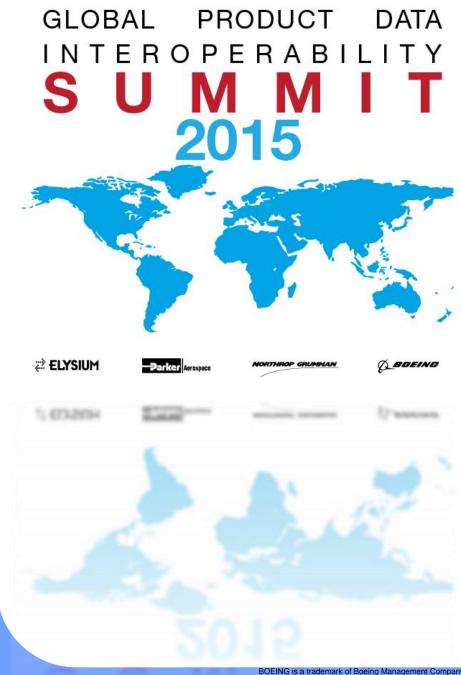
Intellectual Property

**Protection Practices** 

when Exchanging

Data

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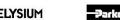


### Intellectual Property Protection Practices when Exchanging Data

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## Take Away Topics

- An awareness of various ways that data may be leaking form your organization
- Simple and affordable steps to increase the utilization of secure data exchange
- Options for deeper supplier integration scenarios



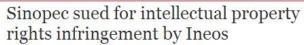






### **Data Exchange / IP Protection**

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Switzerland-based chemicals company sues China's state-owned oil refinery over technology relating to acrylonitrile

## Intellectual Property Theft: Get Real

#### Facts and Figures

The Research: Facts and Figures Illustrate the Extent of Intellectual

Reuters The Guardian, Friday 21 March 2014 08.5 Jump to comments (3)



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# Protecting trade secrets is a challenge in a global economy

Commentary: Governments have a role to play through national laws and international treaties.

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WASHINGTON DC-The emergence of the global economy has given rise to a persistent struggle to protect intellectual property against theft, leading over time to a framework for the protection of trademarks, copyrights and patents.

US Attorney General Eric Holder speaks during an event at the Eisenhower Executive Office Building in Washington, DC, November 29, 2011, announcing the Obama Administration's progress in cracking down on intellectual property theft crimes. (JIM WATSON/AFP/Getty Images)

However, these laws and norms do little to safeguard company trade secrets, those increasingly valuable intellectual property assets that include market data, formulas, research, strategic plans and customer lists.

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### **Data Exchange / Collaboration**

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Getting the Right Information

- Correct Version / Iteration
- Appropriate IP exposure
- Correct Configuration
- To the Right Person
  - Controlled Access
  - Audit Reports
- At the Right Time
  - Minimal Lag Time
  - In the Field Updates
- In the Right Format
  - Purpose Driven
- Globally Accessible
  - Via Internet, OFTP, or other standards based protocols



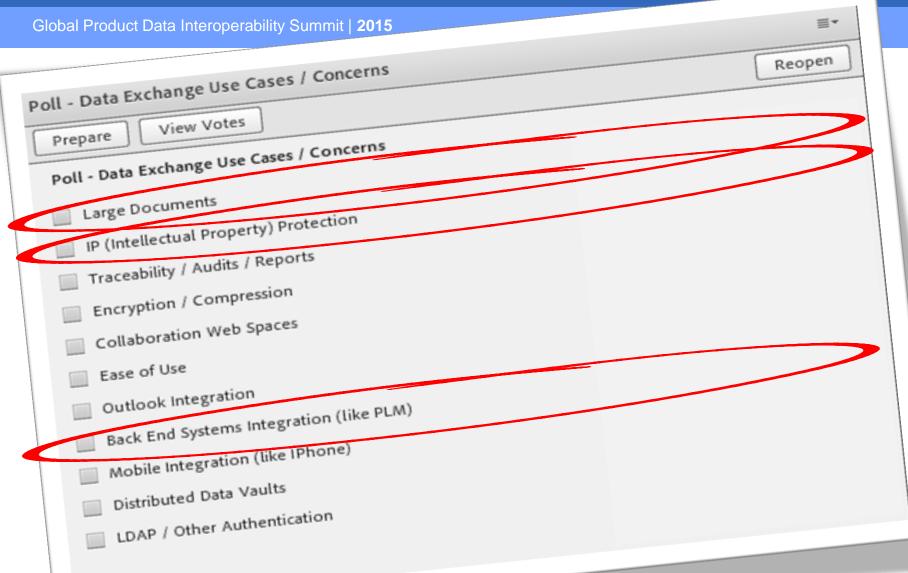








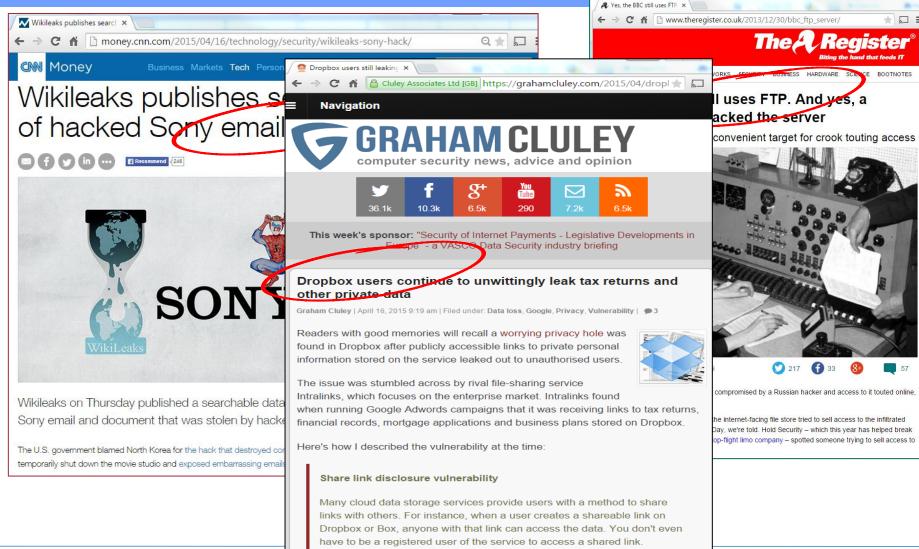
## Typical Challenges Typical Concerns



## Today's Methods Audience Survey

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Prepare View Votes  Prepare View Votes  Poll - What Data Exchange Methods are used Today  Poll - What Data Exchange Methods are used Today  Email  Email  CD/DVD  Tape  External Drive / USB  File Shares (VPN)  External Application (eg Dropbox)  Industry Portals (eg Government)  HomeGrown Portal  Odette OFTP  Modems  Smoke Signals / Morse Code	Close

## **Data Exchange / IP Protection**













#### Email & FTP - Really? How old are your protocals?

- Simple Mail Transfer Protocol (SMTP) is an Internet standard for electronic mail (e-mail) transmission across Internet Protocol (IP) networks. SMTP was first defined by RFC 821 in 1982 and grew out of standards developed during the 1970s.
- File Transfer Protocol (FTP) is a standard network protocol used to transfer files from one host to another host over a TCP-based network, such as the Internet. FTP is built on a client-server architecture and uses separate control and data connections between the client and the server typically with clear text authentication and published as RFC 114 in 1971







## Why do we keep doing it?

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breaches - Target, Neiman Marcus and several others unnamed at this writing are only the latest - there is another factor, largely ignored but of equal importance and perhaps even greater intractability.

That factor is convenience and our romance with it in virtually every part

of our lives

While the news media has yet to discover the story, more than one respected industry commentator has opined that "increasing convenience almost always reduces security." Even without complex technical analysis, it only makes sense that when you make things easier and simpler for your intended users, you inadvertently do the same for the "users" you want to keep out.

In the business world, although a significant challenge, this convenience-security confrontation is more easily addressed because business planners are in a position to balance security and convenience at a level sufficient to protect their information assets from compromise — not to say that all do, of course — by directing internal users to simply deal with the security requirements as a condition of employment.

"increasing convenience almost always reduces security"

.... but does it really have to be that way?









## Standalone "Simple" Portal Solutions

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# **Supplier / Consumer**



#### **Standalone Portal Solutions**

- ✓ Quick / Easy to Deploy
- ✓ Simple Administration
- ✓ Affordable (sometimes free)
- ✓ Good Basic Security (outside of email)
- Often Hosted outside of company \*

Not Integrated (Swivel Chair) Solution -

Less Convenience (must be logged in and online) -

Can be hard to customize -

\*Monthly Fees for users / volume add up quickly













## "Advanced" Portal Concepts

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**Automated Processes** 

Location 3

Data are temporar

in a batch mode

**Batch Mode** 

Upload and download with Agent, installed at the user's desktop

- Manual Processes
- User sign on over WEB-Browser and up- or download data manually, interactively

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#### **Advanced Portal Solutions**

- ✓ Deeply integrated into systems and processes
- ✓ Fully automated and work behind the scenes
- ✓ Installed in the enterprise or the cloud
- ✓ Centralized or Distributed.
- Designed for customization in local network drive

Location

- Encrypted data storage

- Processing control

Internet

Upfront Infrastructure Costs— Jpfront Planning Requirement,...

Internet

Administrative Overhead -

- Advanced Functionality
- **Encryption**
- Local File Vaults
- Local conversion of data

Remote Data Vaults

Location 4

- Supplier signs in over WEB-Browser
- Data is uploaded from a data vault close to the end user





- System to System
- Automated / Integrated



#### **Convenient and Secure?**

- Secure exchange needs to start as close possible to the end users daily working environment
  - **Desktop Integration**
  - **Email Integration**
  - PLM Integration
  - Purchasing / Bid Systems
- If users have to leave their default working environment to send secure information, they are less likely to use the approved solution.

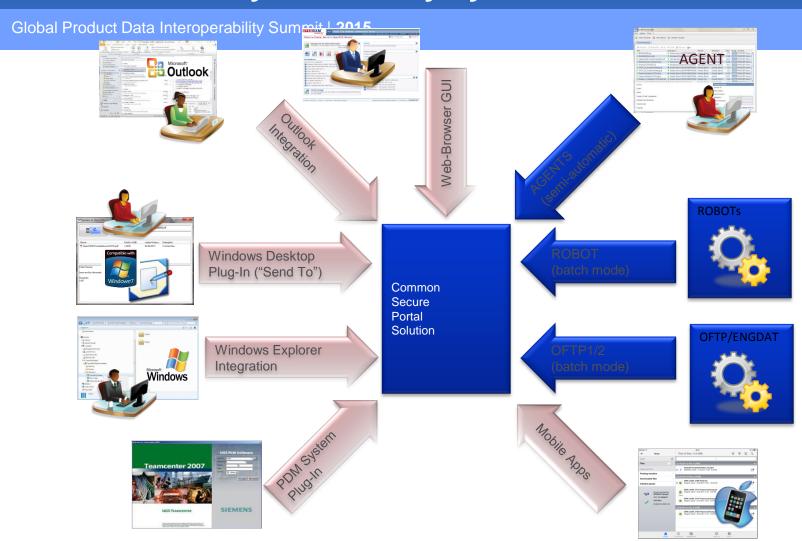








## Access from anywhere / any system







#### **Email Secure Send Demo**

- Email (Outlook) Secure DX Integration Demo

  Internal User Initiates an email in Outlook

  - Size / Type of Data trips a switch this is secure / large data
  - Data is sent to Secure DX Server (not the exchange server)
- THE END USER HAS NOT CHANGED ANY **PRACTICES** 
  - ZERO TRAINING
  - POLICIES ARE 100% ENFORCED WITH POLICIES
  - STOPS EMAIL IP LEAKAGE!
- Audit Logs are kept separate from Clients and Mail Servers
- Data is always encrypted before transport outside of enterprise
- No data Load on Mail Server













#### **Email Secure Receive**

- Email (Outlook) Secure DX **Integration Demo** 
  - External user Receives an Outlook **Fmail**
  - User Clicks on Download Data
- Secure DX Link is invoked
  - Data is downloaded from the DX Portal (not Exchange)
  - and decrypted for the recipient all from with in Outlook
- The end user has only one minor obvious change
  - Zero (0.01%) self training





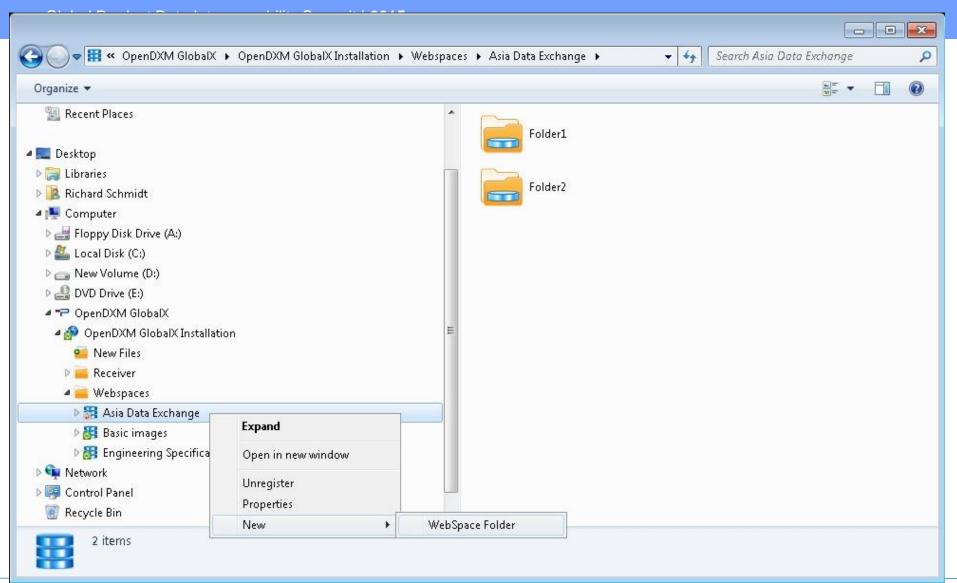








## **Desktop Integration (Drop Zones)**













## Scaling up Complexity with back end systems integration and automation

- Dealing with Engineering Data (of course) plus
  - ERP Data
  - MRP Data
  - Bids
  - Financials
  - More
- Centralized Reporting on all confidential Information

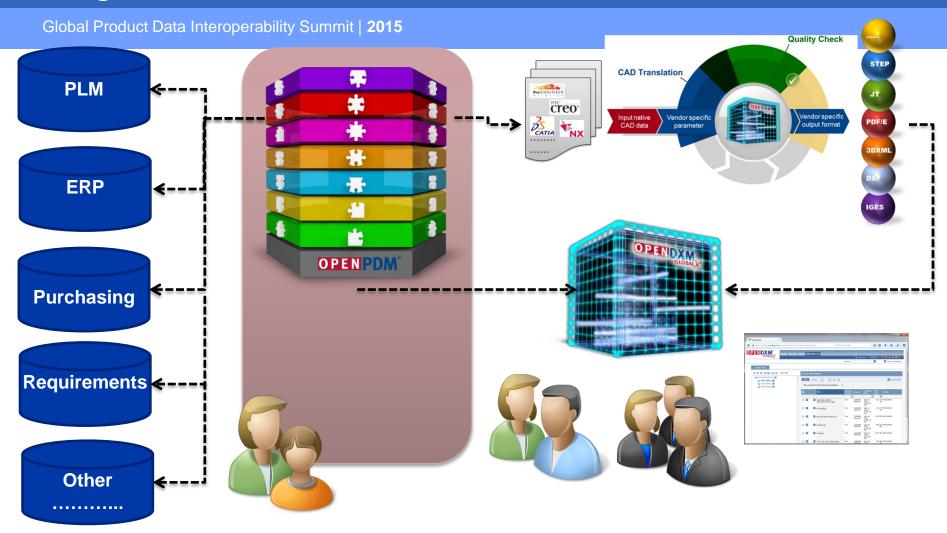








## **Integrated Solutions**











## **Purpose Driven DX**

- You don't have to give away the corporate jewels
  - Systematic and Automatic processes can transform you data prior to data exchange to allow only the minimal information required for the recipient to do their job.
  - Data can be "dumbed down" with history, features and other IP related elements removed.
  - Each recipient can have a "data profile" that determines what they can receive
  - Neutral formats can be created, on the fly
    - NX
    - JT
    - STEP
    - 3DPDF
    - Etc





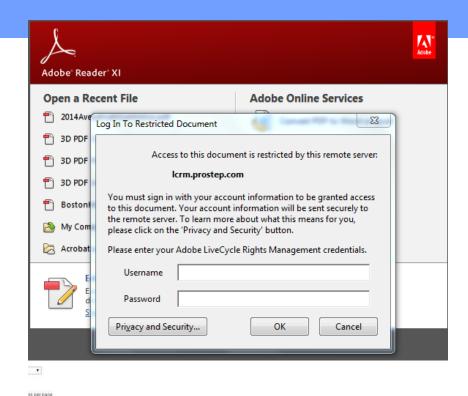


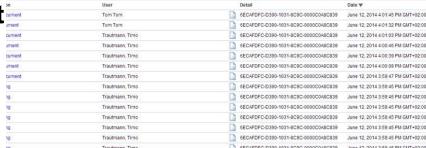




#### **DRM Controlled Documents**

- DRM Protected Documents
  - Limit Access to named users
  - Revoke Rights in the field
  - Force Updates to Latest Document Versions
  - Authentic via PKI, AD, LDAP, RSA, Others
- Limit Document Features
  - Read Only
  - Save
  - Print
  - Copy
  - Measure
  - Cross Sections
  - Etc
- Traceability Logs by Document







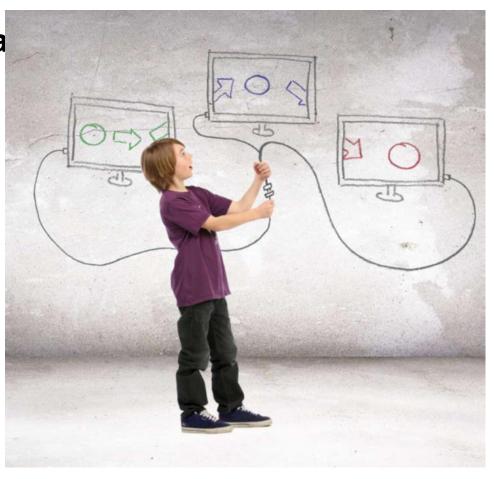




#### Windchill – External Demo

- Windchill Demo Externa
  - Starts in Windchill
  - 3D PDF / Design Review **Template Created**
  - PDF uploaded to secure encrypted portalPDF is Modified

  - PDF is Uploaded back to Secure Portal
  - File is uploaded to Windchill and **Attributes populated**





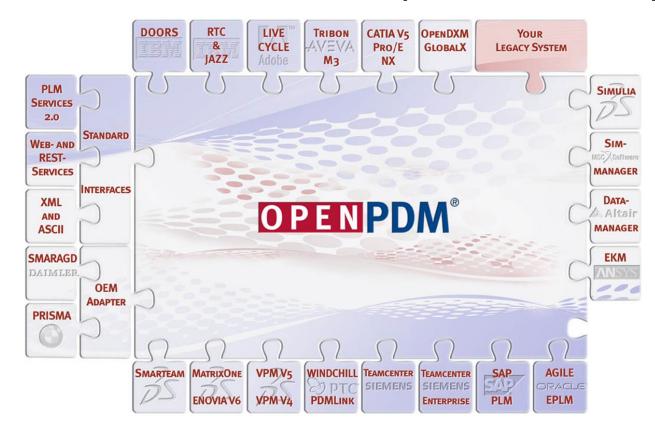




#### **SmarTeam to Windchill**

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SmarTeam to Windchill Demo (PDM to PDM DX)











#### Final Advice From the Field

- Start Today
- Use Free Trials to get a feeling for what does and does not work for your enterprise
- Look for a mix of Hosted or Self Installed Options
- Look for technology that integrates not only front end applications Outlook, Desktop, Mobile) but back end applications like PLM, ERP, Etc
- Low Hanging Fruit to go after for DX Security
  - Outlook
  - Desktop
  - Web Based
- Don't forget about protecting your data once it leaves your enterprise. Getting it there is only part of the equation.
  - Strip unneeded IP
  - Consider DRM solutions for when your data is in the wild.
- CONSIDER PRESENTATION 3173 at 11:40am Room 3, for a detailed use case example from The Nordam Group (Aerospace Supplier).









## **Company Overview**



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A vendor neutral / independent engineering services and software company since 1993













Over 22 years experience

with engineering interoperability, migration, intelligent documents, benchmarking, more Approximately 250 employees and consultants

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#### **Engineering. Plant Construction**



























#### **Electrical/Electronics**

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#### **Other Sectors**





















## **Questions:**









# Thank you!









