



Battery Passport for  
Transparency and Circularity

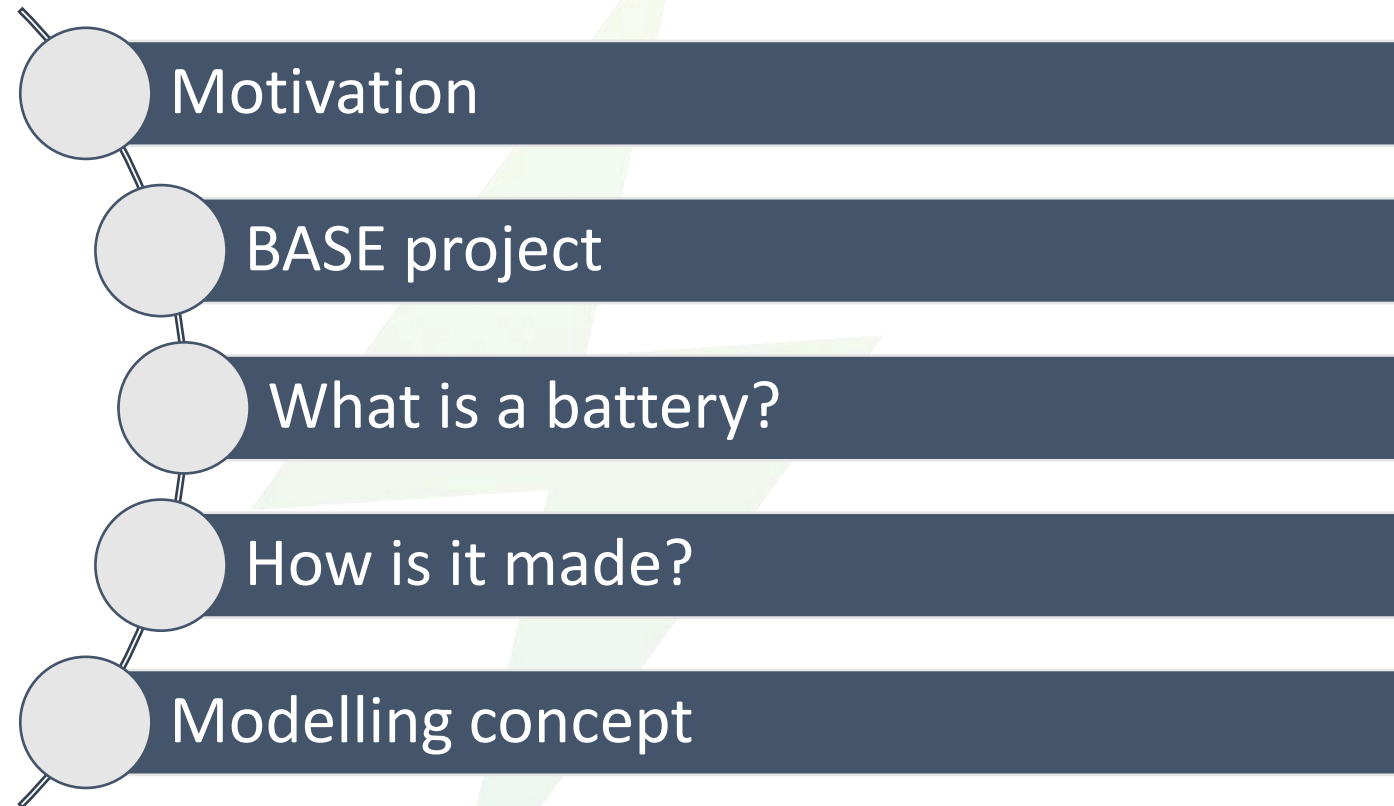
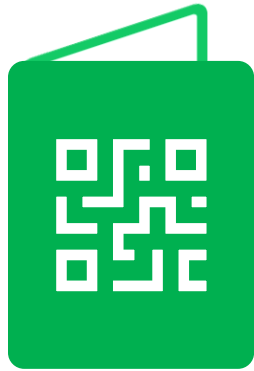
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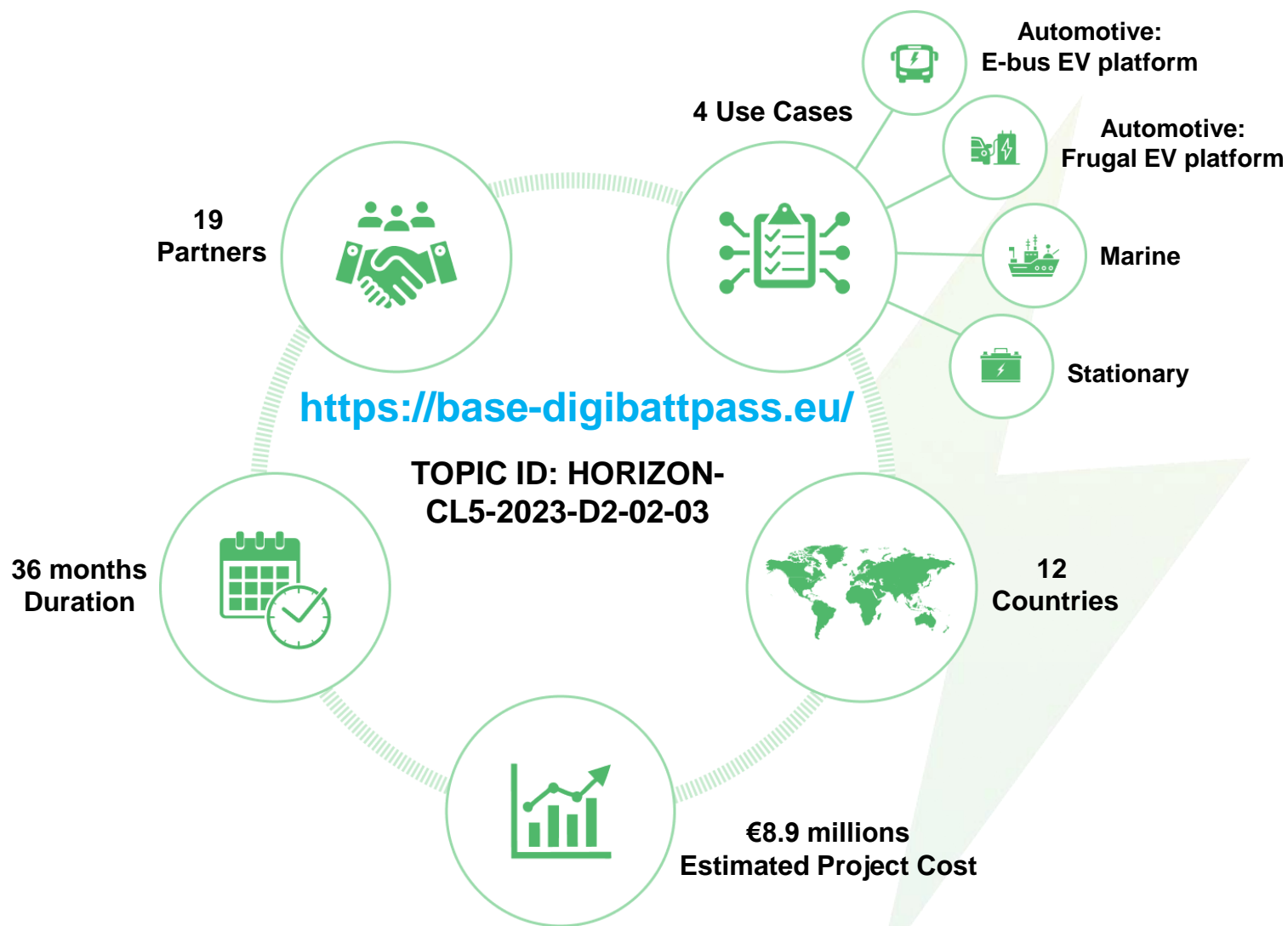
# Motivation

Regulation 2023/1542 concerning batteries and waste batteries:

**“From Feb 2027, all batteries ... must have a Battery Passport in EU”**

- → transform the Union into a fair and prosperous society,
  - with a modern, **resource-efficient and competitive economy**
  - where there are **no net greenhouse gas emissions** in 2050 and
- → ensure that products marketed and sold in the Union are **sourced and manufactured in a sustainable manner.**

# Project information



## Consortium Partners



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# Use Cases and Demonstration

## General Objectives for each Pilot

- ✓ Secure and reliable access to federated DBP infrastructure
- ✓ Systematic immutable data inputs to DBP
- ✓ Transparency, accuracy, and reliability of battery indicators
- ✓ DBP data provisions with a realistic product development lifecycle
- ✓ Interoperable data sharing among value network members
- ✓ Real physical data for circularity index tuning, ESGE analysis and business impact analysis

Use-Case-1



Automotive: E-bus EV platform production pilot for MERCEDES-BENZ

Use-Case-2



Automotive: frugal EV platform production pilot for FORD Motors

Use-Case-3



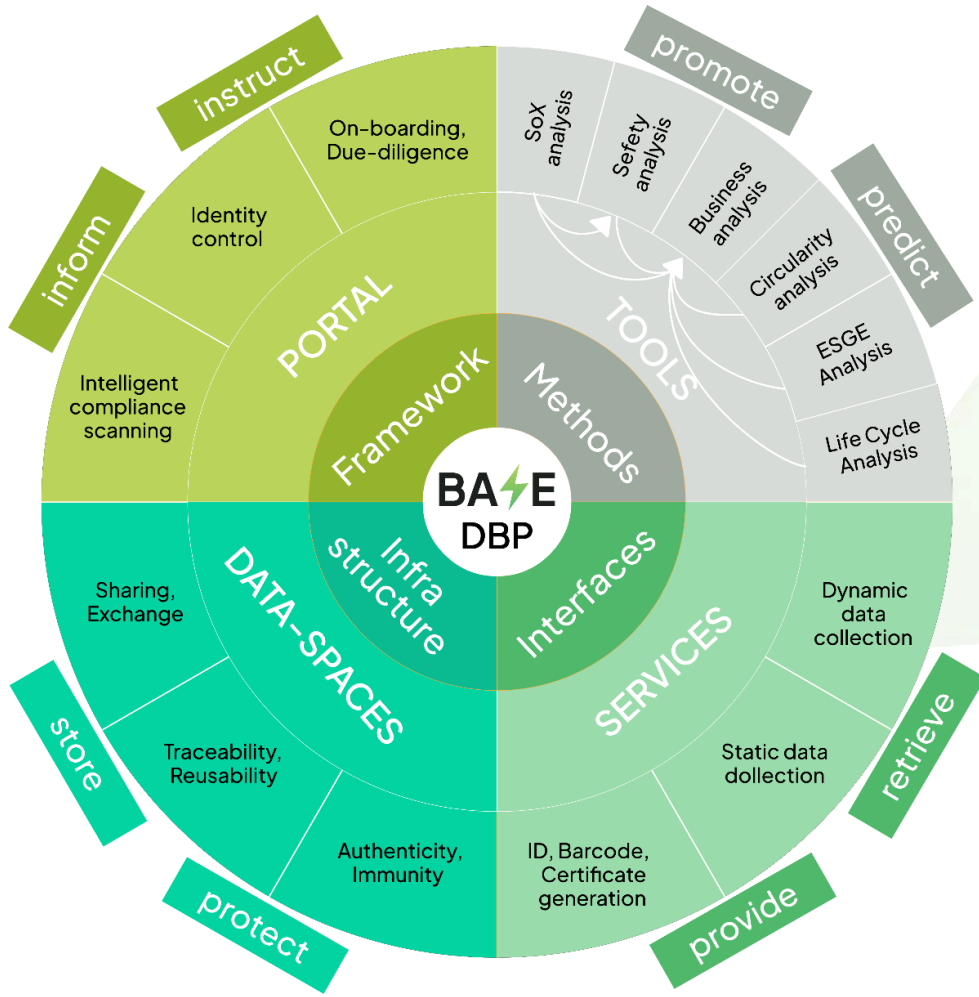
Marine: electric tugboat production pilot

Use-Case-4

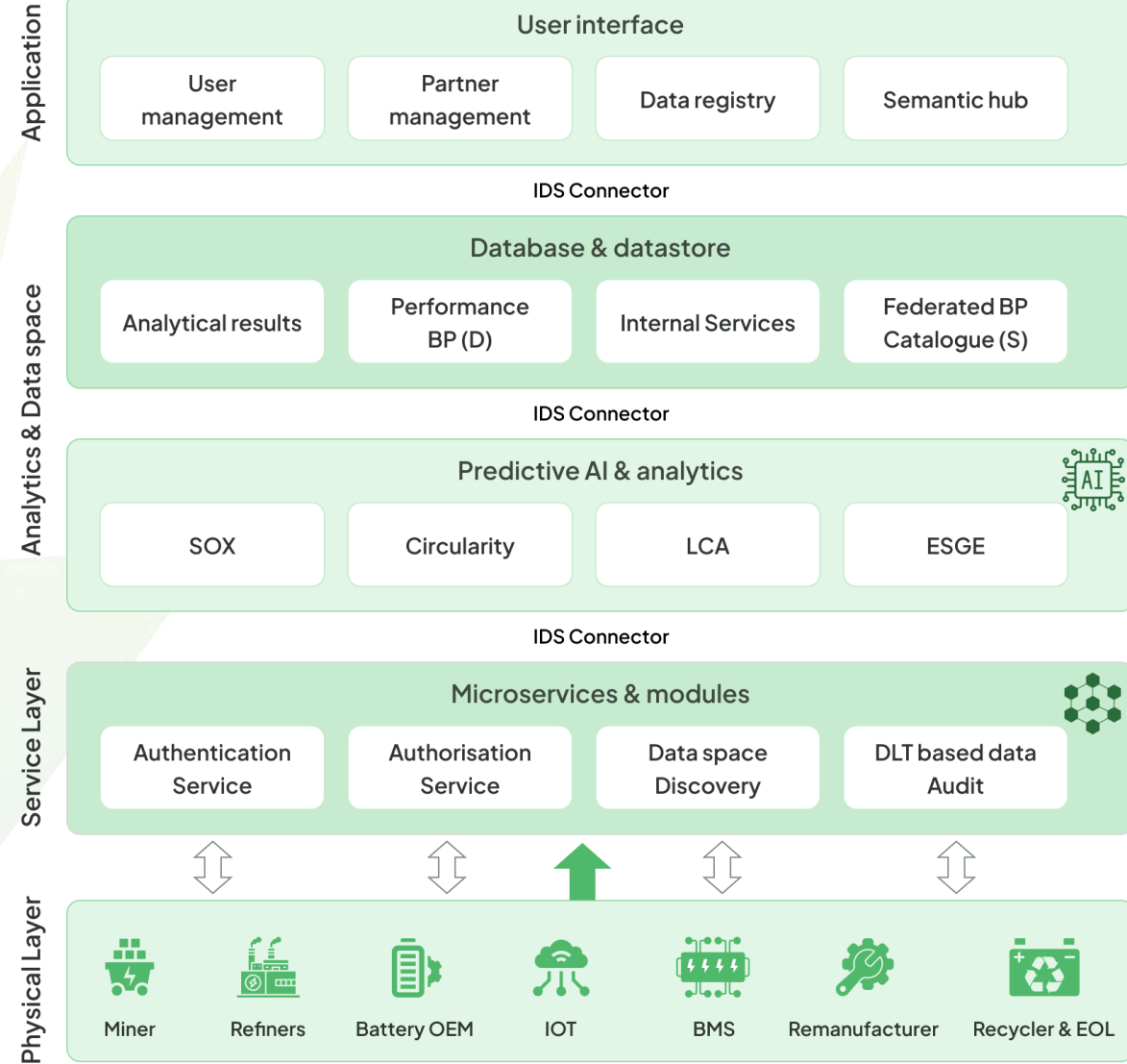


Stationary: 2nd-life electric energy storage production pilot

# Concept & Architecture



<https://base-digibattpass.eu/>



# Digital Battery Passport

Batteries for LMT, EV and industria storage  $\geq 2$  kWh

- QR code links to DBP service
- Information about
  - General Product & Manufacturer Info
  - Materials & Composition
  - Value Chain Traceability
  - Environmental & Social Impact
  - Circularity & EOL Management
  - Compliance, Labels & Certifications
  - Performance & durability

The screenshot shows the DigiProd Pass website interface. The header includes the logo and navigation links: Home, Passports, Resource, News, Contact, and a 'Book a demo' button. The main content area displays a 'Crane' battery passport. It features a red circular logo with a white 'G' and a red 'C'. The passport details include:

- Battery Passport Identification: c61609ba-ce33-4080-a095-74b8e510678f
- Battery Identification: Saepe itaque excepte
- Blockchain status: Verifying...

Below the details is a horizontal menu with tabs: General Product & Manufacturer Info (selected), Materials & Composition, Value Chain Traceability, Environmental & Social Impact, Circularity & EOL Management, Compliance, Labels & Certifications, and Performance & durability. To the right of the menu is an image of a car with a battery pack. Below the menu is a table of key information:

Responsible economic operator identification		Battery category	EV
Manufacturer's identification	Ullam quo odio aut s	Battery weight	82 kg
Manufacturing date	31/10/2024	Battery status	ORIGINAL
Manufacturing Place	Korea, Republic of		

# Regulation 2023/1542 concerning batteries and waste batteries

## Legal text = guideline we must adhere to

- text available in 24 languages
- *take meaning* from this text to develop legally compliant service
- challenges:
  - hard to read
    - long, repetitive sequences
    - grammatical errors
    - **mistranslations**
  - subject to changes
  - possibly incomplete/incorrect
    - (minor) logical gaps
    - legal definitions in conflict with scientific/real world definitions

## ANNEX IV

### ELECTROCHEMICAL PERFORMANCE AND DURABILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR BATTERIES WITH A CAPACITY GREATER THAN 2 KWH AND ELECTRIC VEHICLE BATTERIES

For the purposes of this Annex the following definitions apply:

- (1) 'Rated capacity' means the total number of ampere-hours (Ah) that can be withdrawn from a battery under specified conditions.
- (2) 'Capacity fade' means the decrease over time and upon usage in the amount of charge that a battery can deliver to the original rated capacity.
- (3) 'Power' means the amount of energy that a battery is capable of providing over a given period of time.
- (4) 'Power fade' means the decrease over time and upon usage in the amount of power that a battery can deliver to the original rated power.
- (5) 'Internal resistance' means the **opposition** to the flow of current within a cell or a battery unit, including the contribution of electronic resistance and ionic resistance to the contribution to total effective resistance including inductance.
- (6) 'Energy round trip efficiency' means the ratio of the net energy delivered by a battery over its useful life to the energy used to restore the initial state of charge by a standard charge.

#### Part A

#### Parameters related to electrochemical performance and durability

1. Rated capacity (in Ah) and capacity fade (in %).



# Mission of BASE

## → provide a legally compliant service

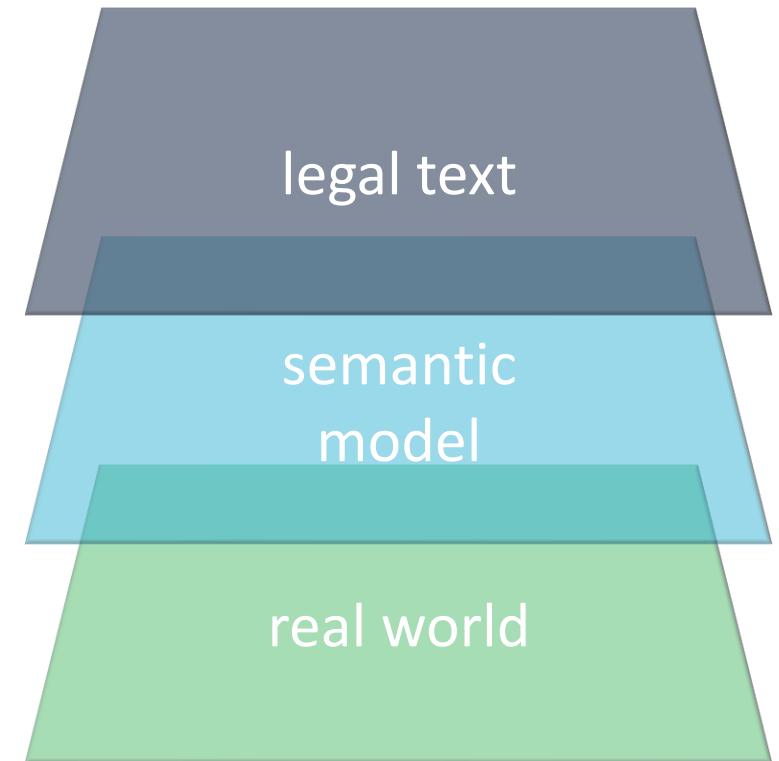
- safety of data (DLT)
- role specific access

## → special features

- SOX analysis (safety indicators)
- RUL prediction (improve life cycle management)
- ESGE toolkit/score (guide sustainable decision-making)
- LCA tool (environmental/circularity indicator)

## → model needs to be

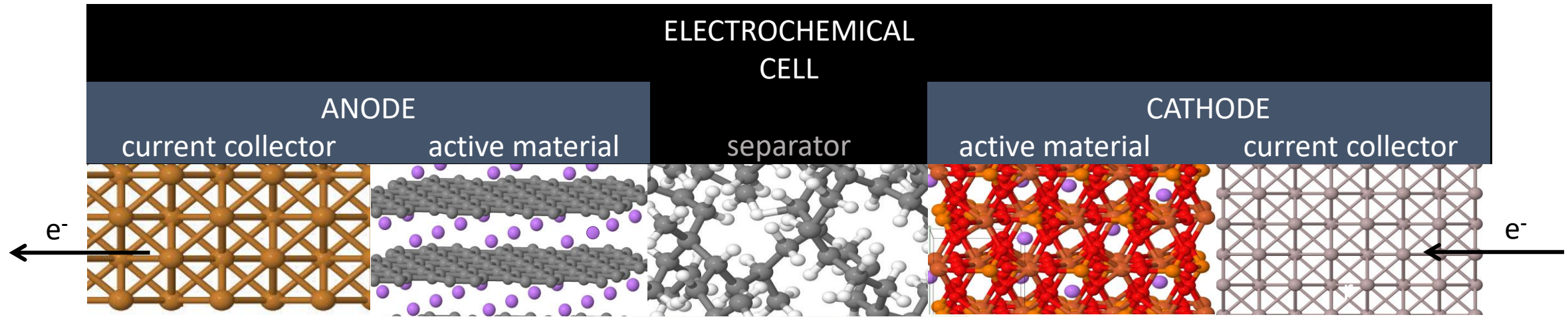
- understandable (verifiable)
- adaptable (updates)
- transferable (chemistry agnostic)



# Lithium ion batteries

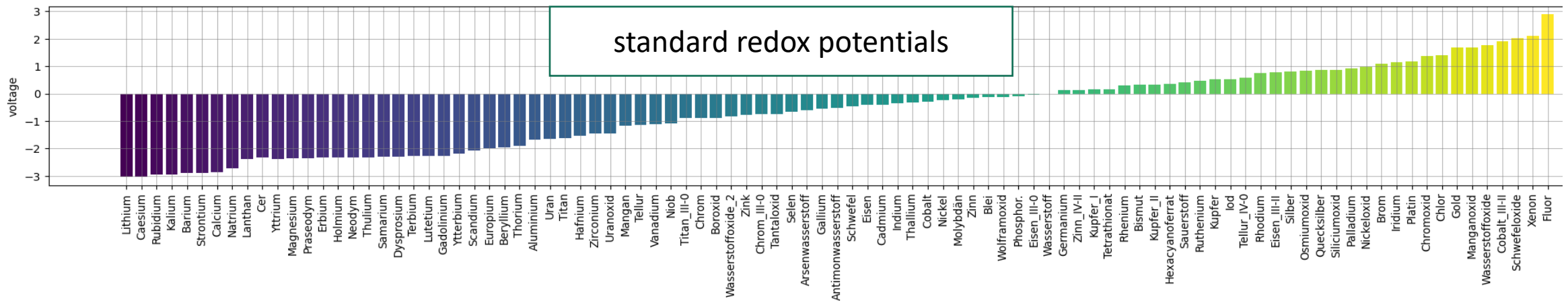
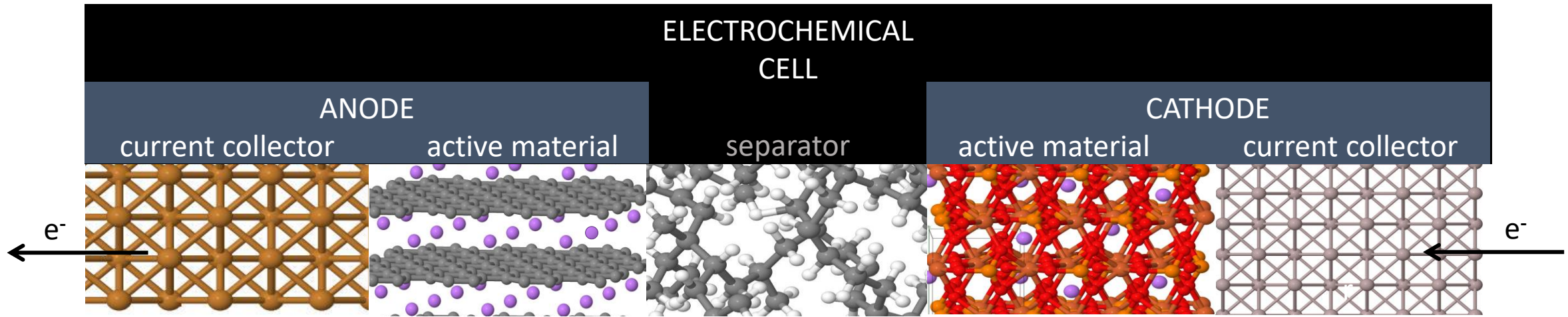


# Lithium ion batteries



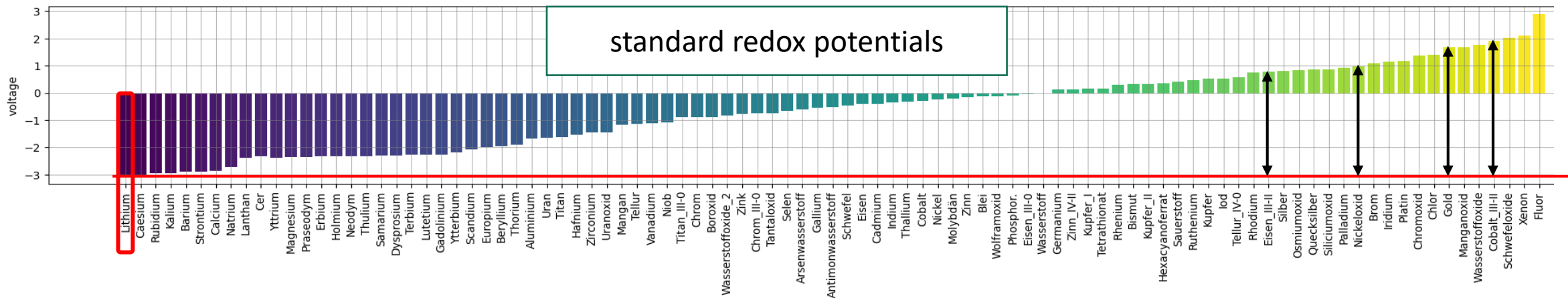
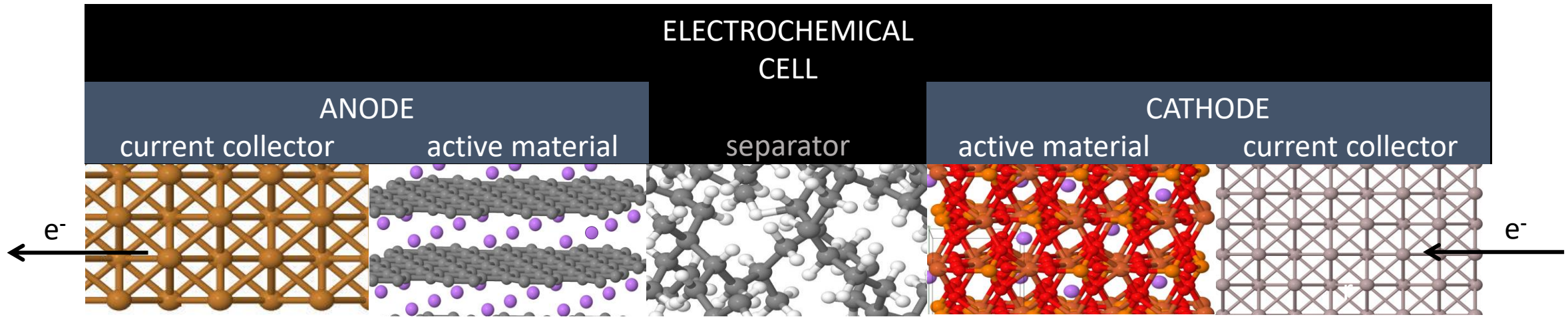
# Lithium ion batteries

## ELECTROCHEMICAL CELL



# Lithium ion batteries

## ELECTROCHEMICAL CELL



chemistry → specific voltage

ionic mobility → amperage

amount of material → capacity

# Morphologies



cylindrical



pouch



prismatic  
(coin)

# Battery systems

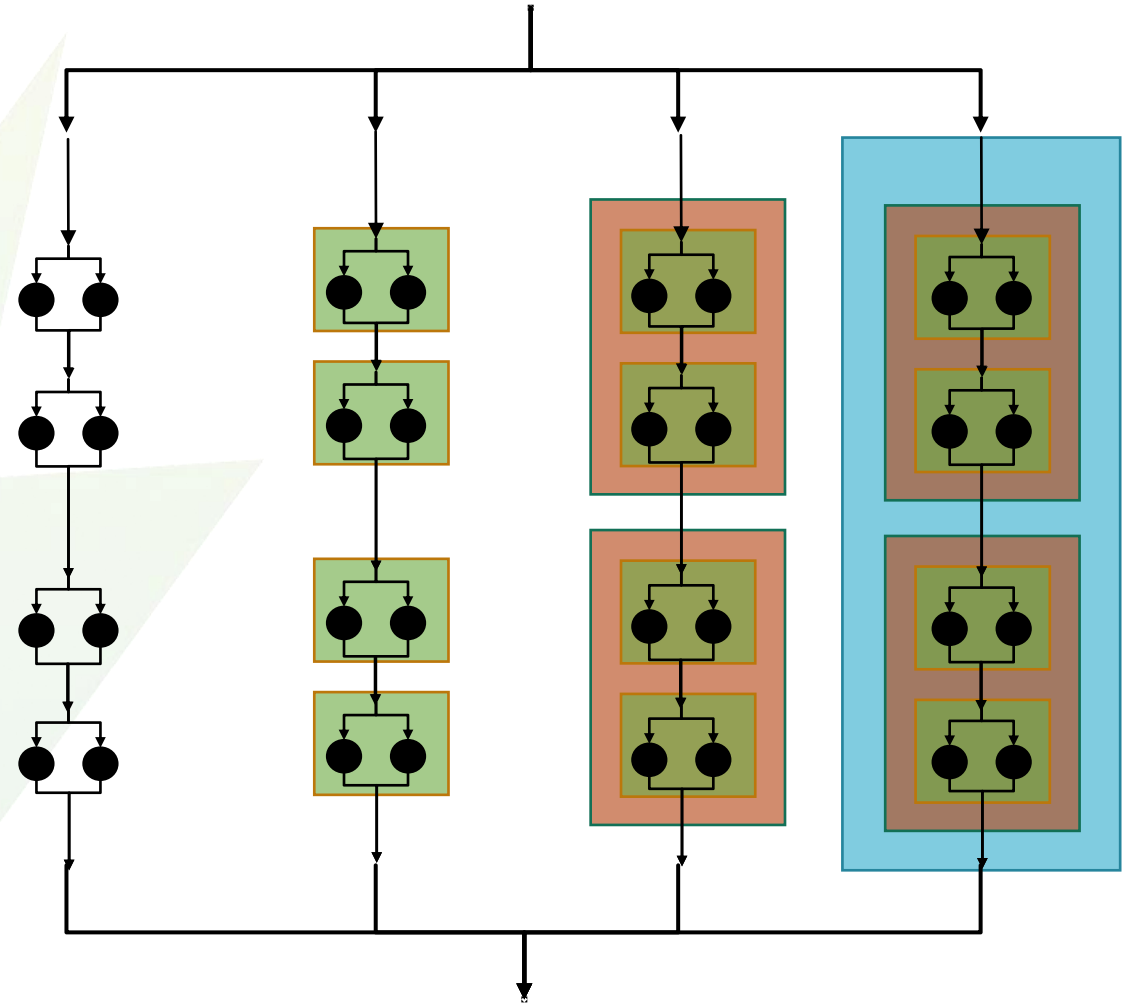
electrochemicalCell = smallest functional unit

- serial connection → target voltage
  - parallel connection → target power
- application specific electrical diagrams

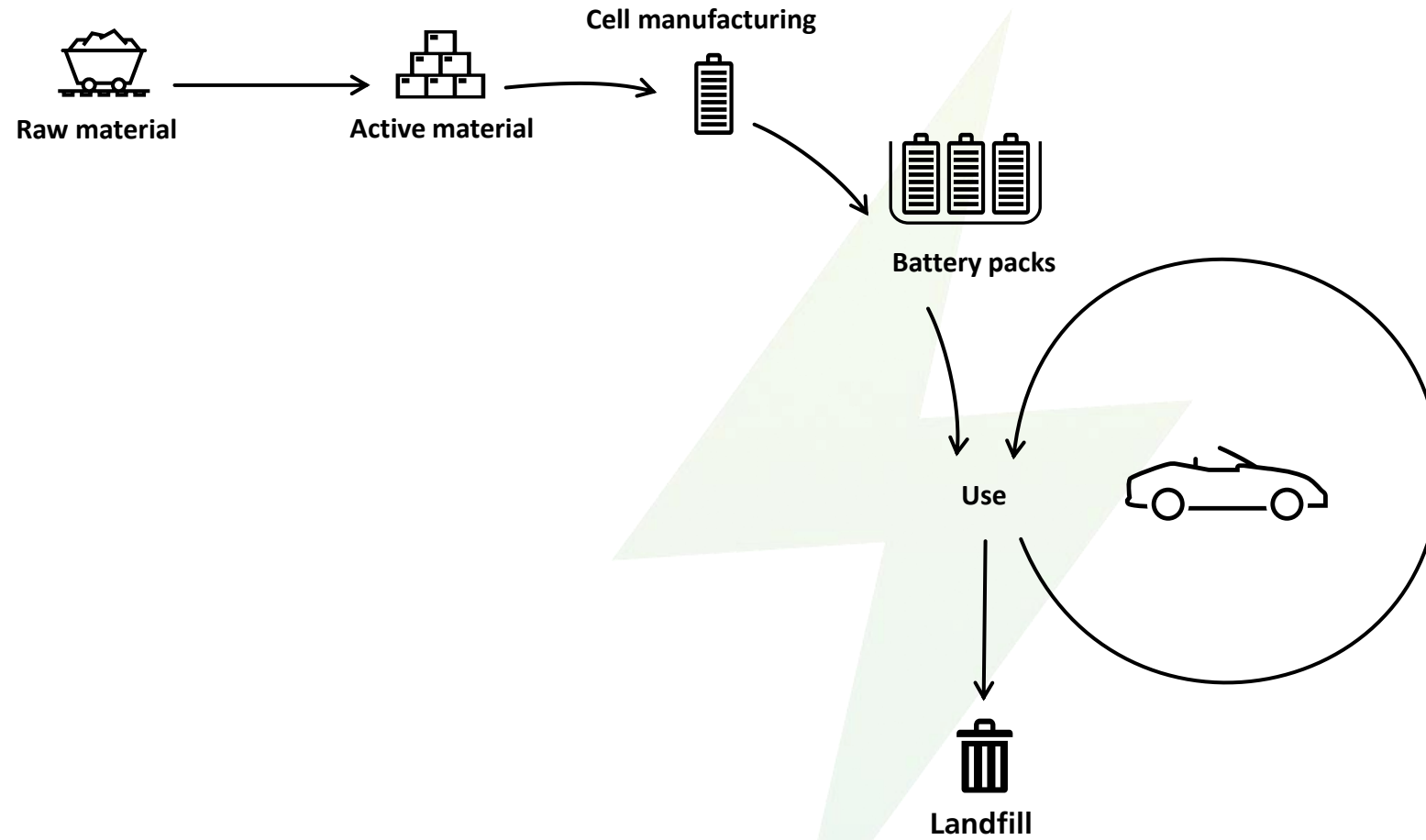
• for better contact, cell connections welded

→ fixed units:

- nested, encapsulated subunits, arbitrary names
- other components
  - battery management system
  - sensors
  - thermal management
  - ...

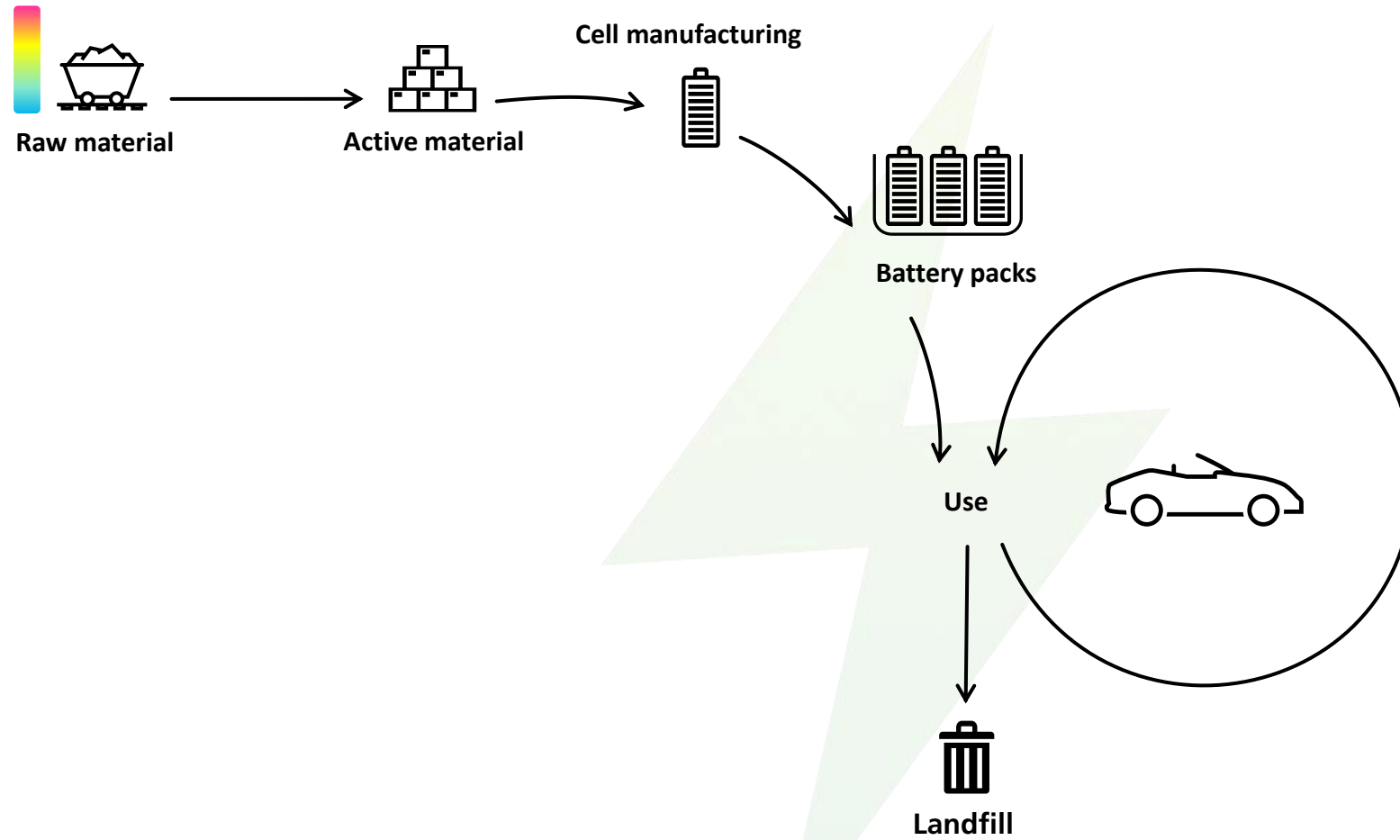


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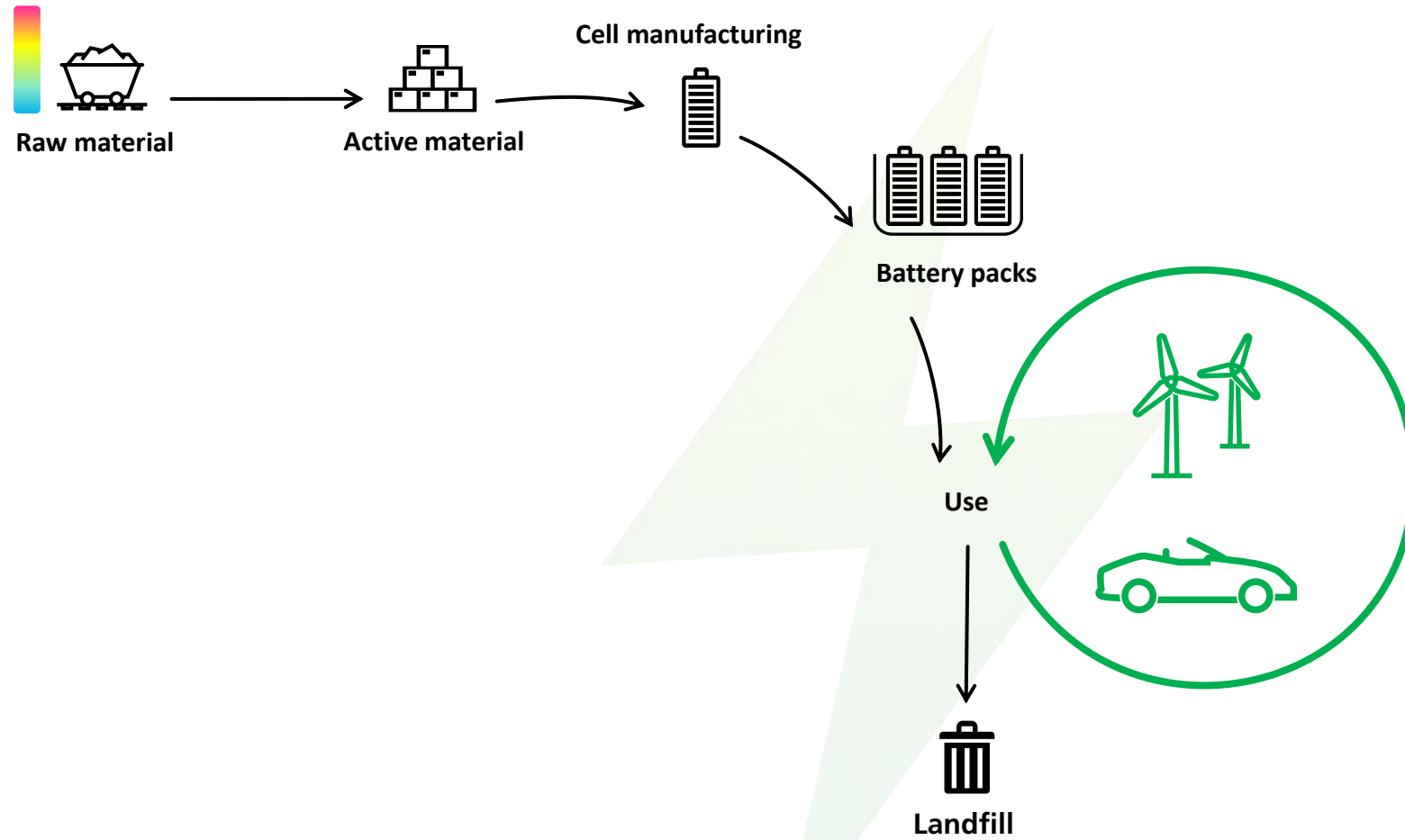




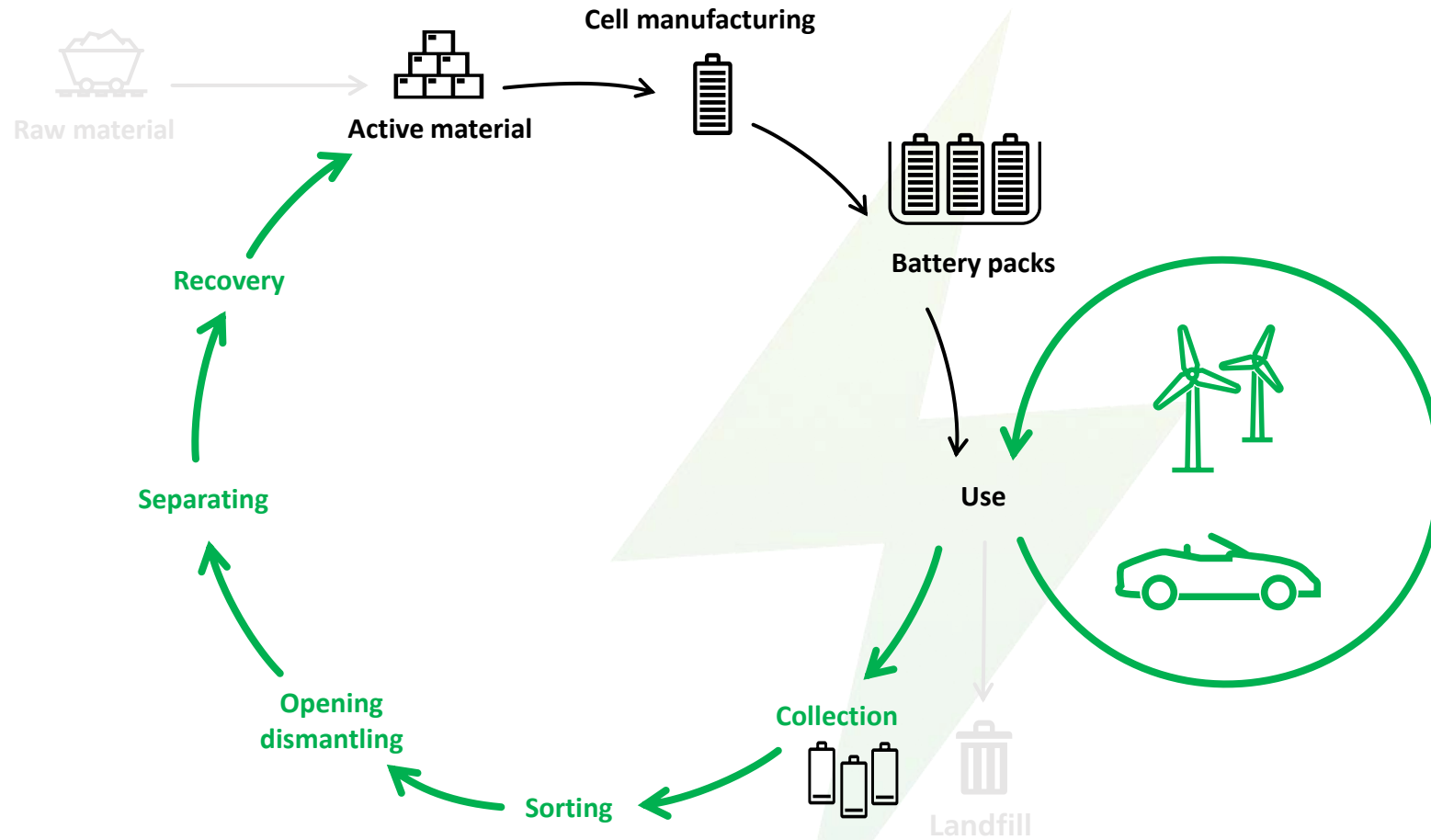
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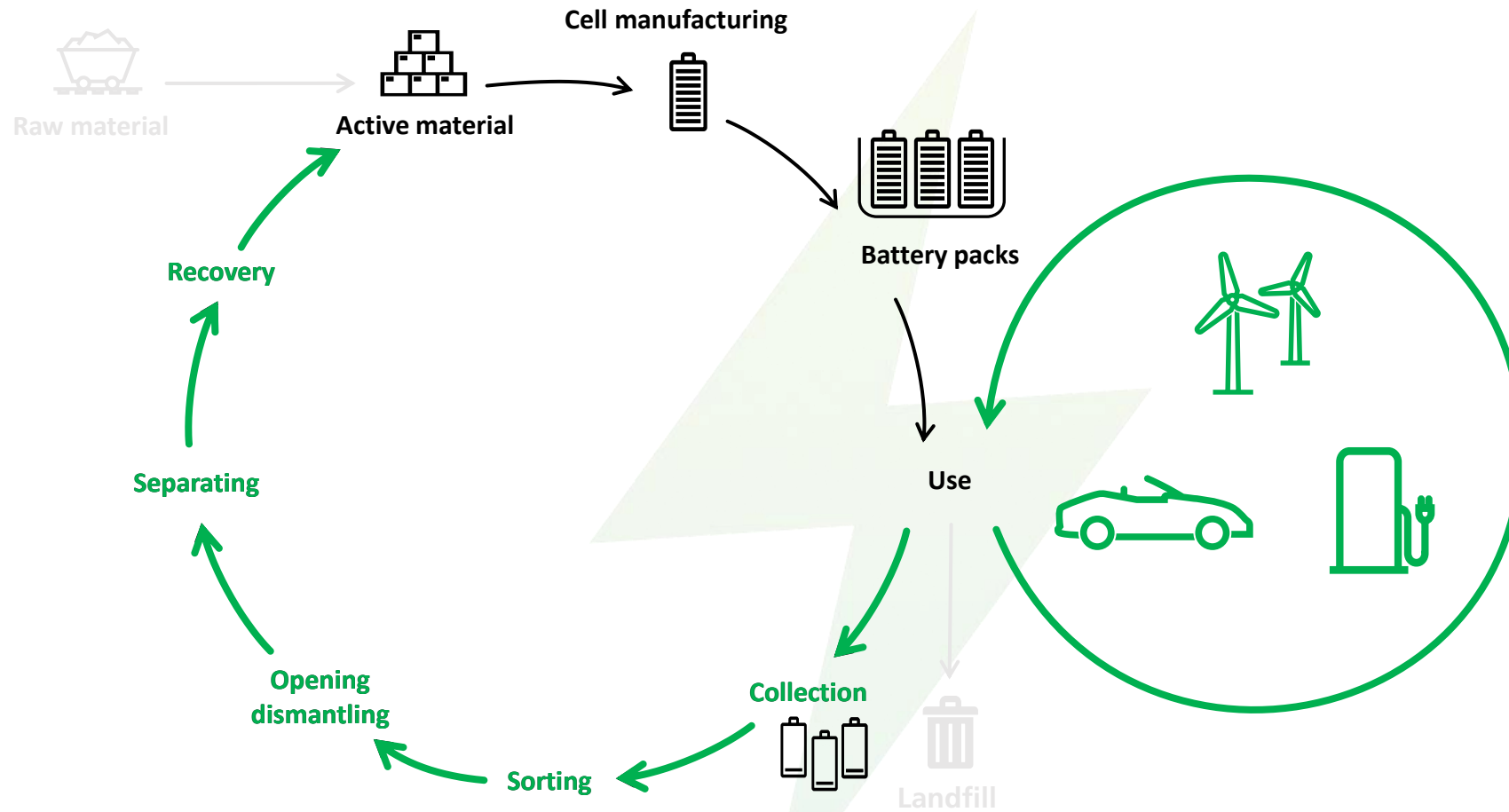
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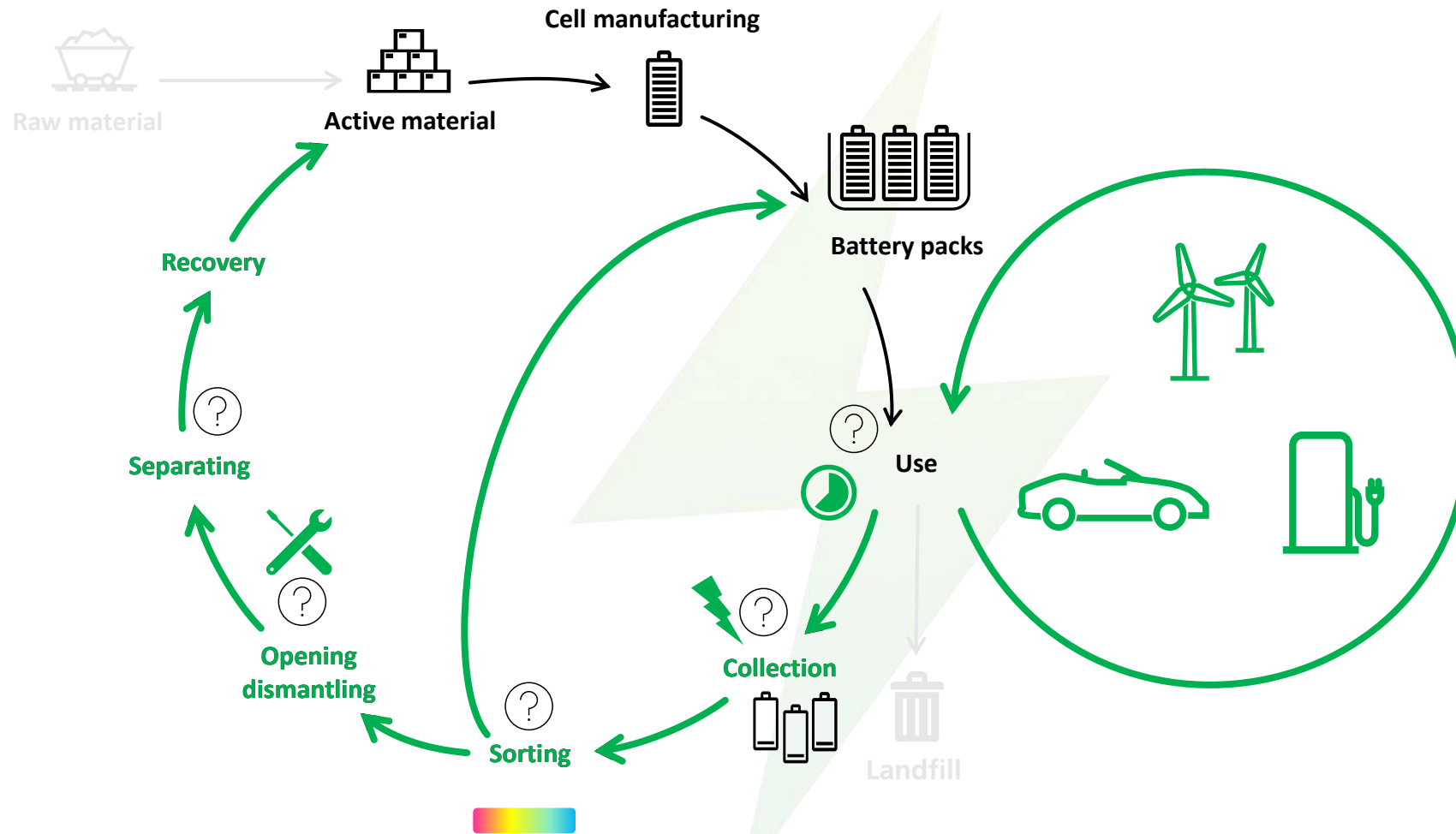
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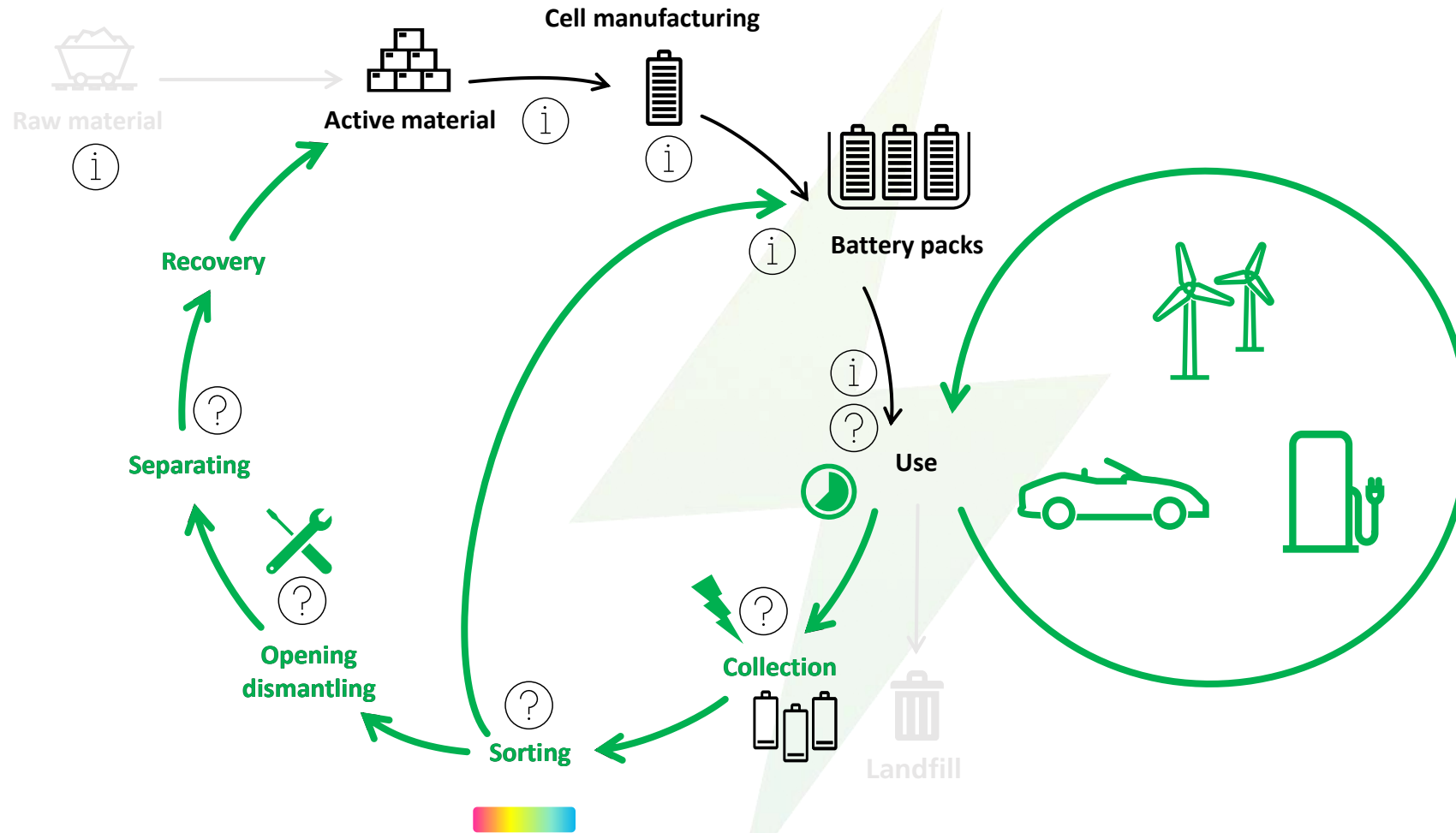
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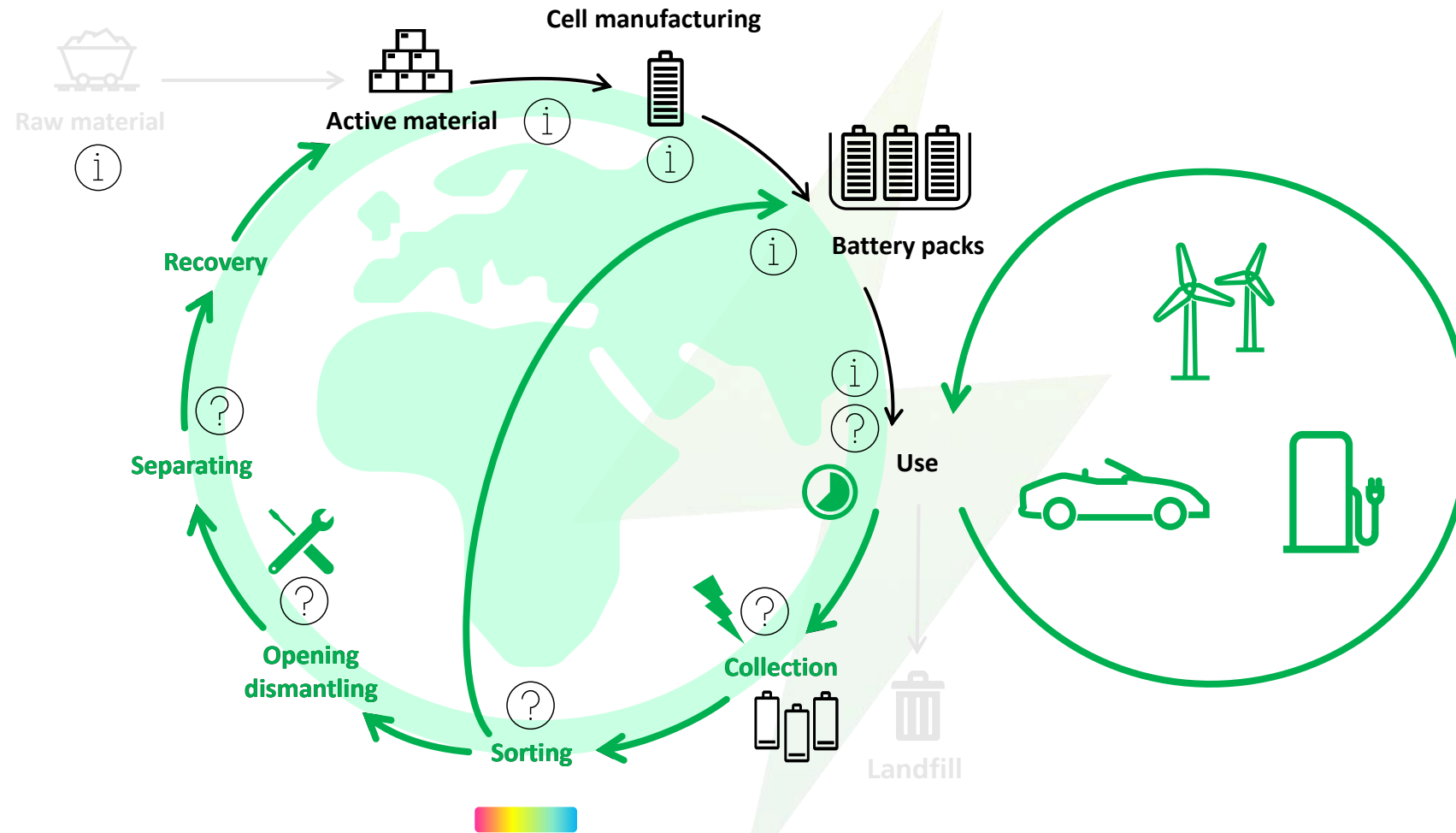
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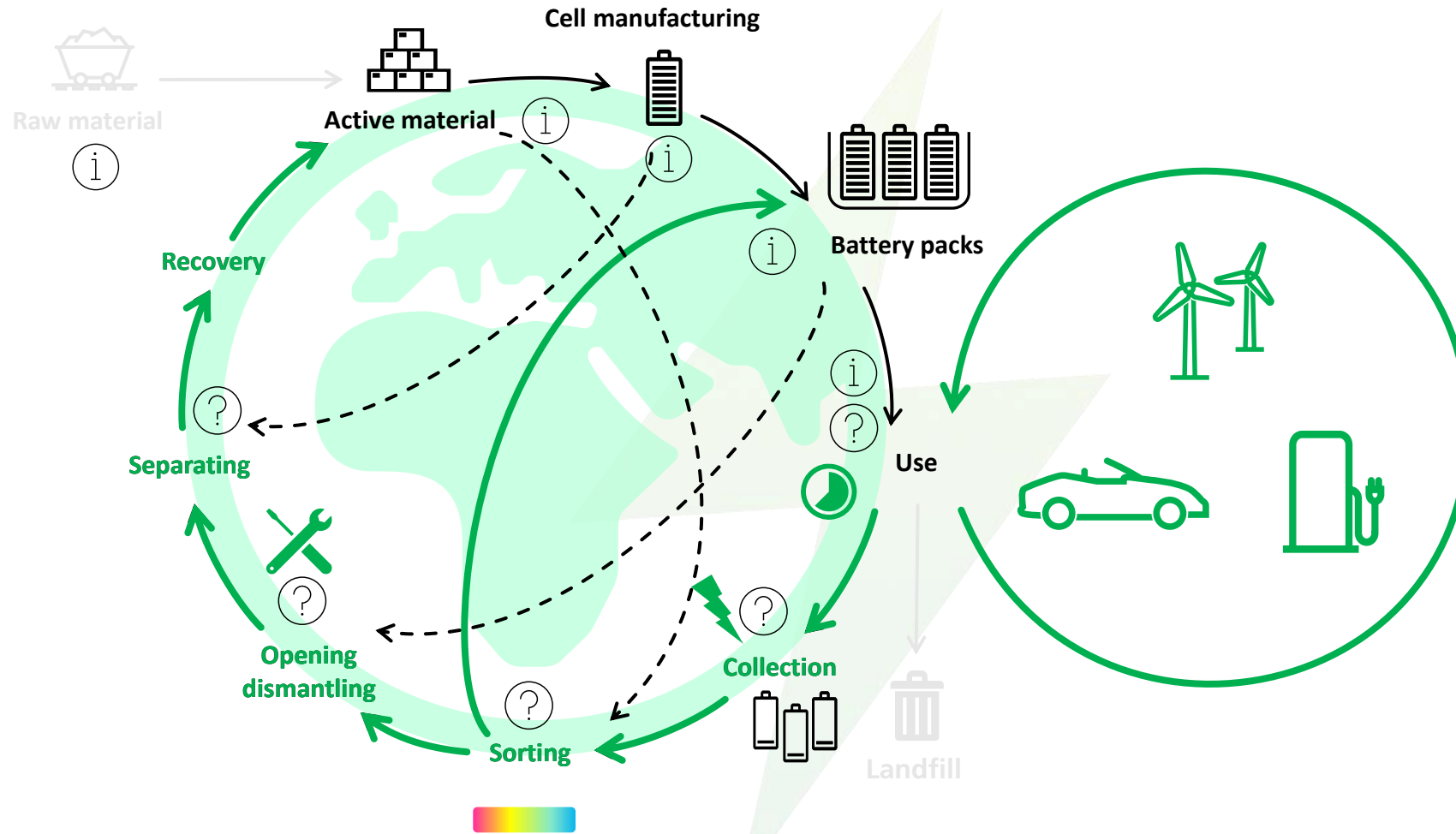
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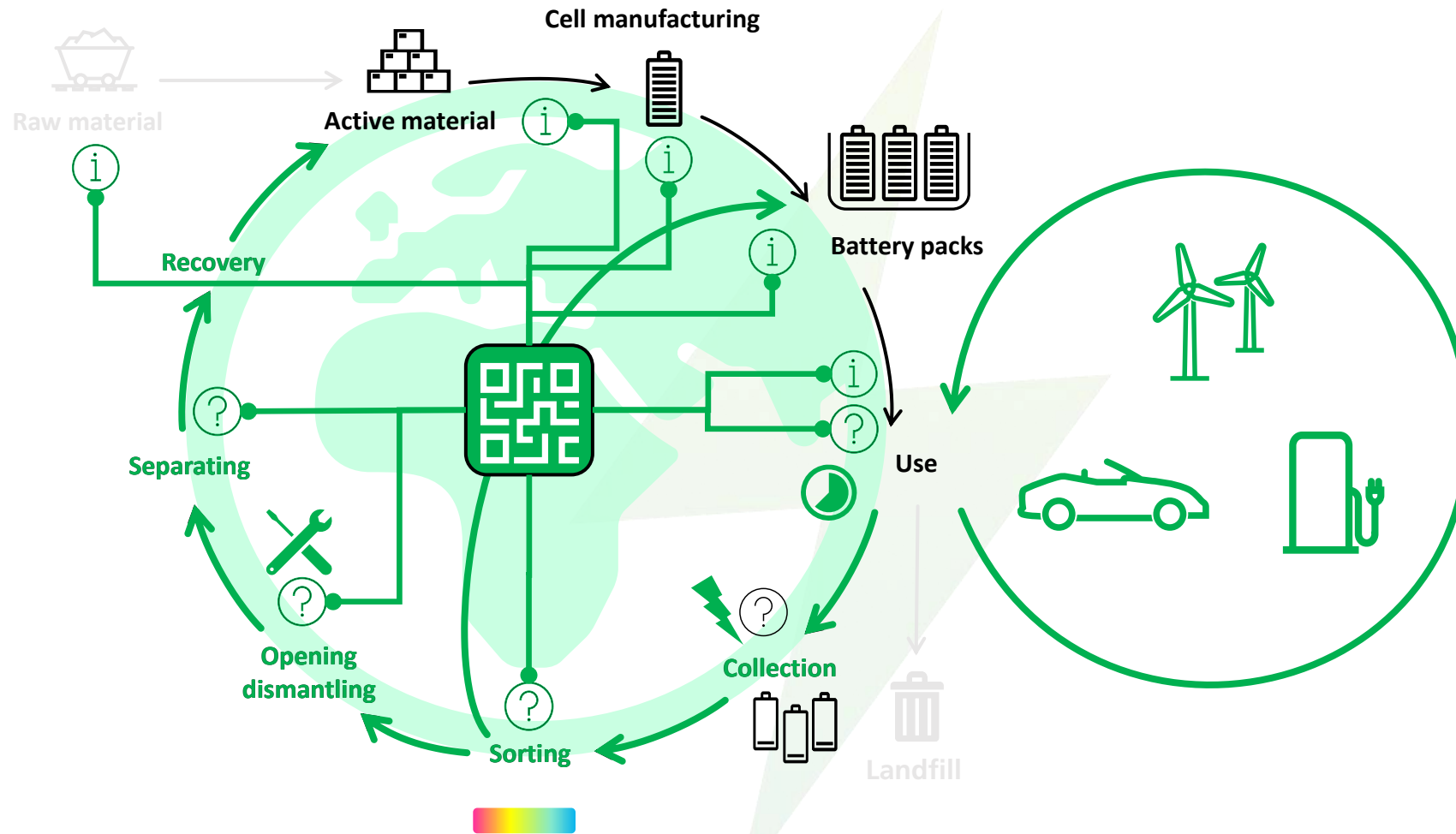


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Representational ontology framework based on current materials modeling and characterization knowledge, relying on recognized authorities.

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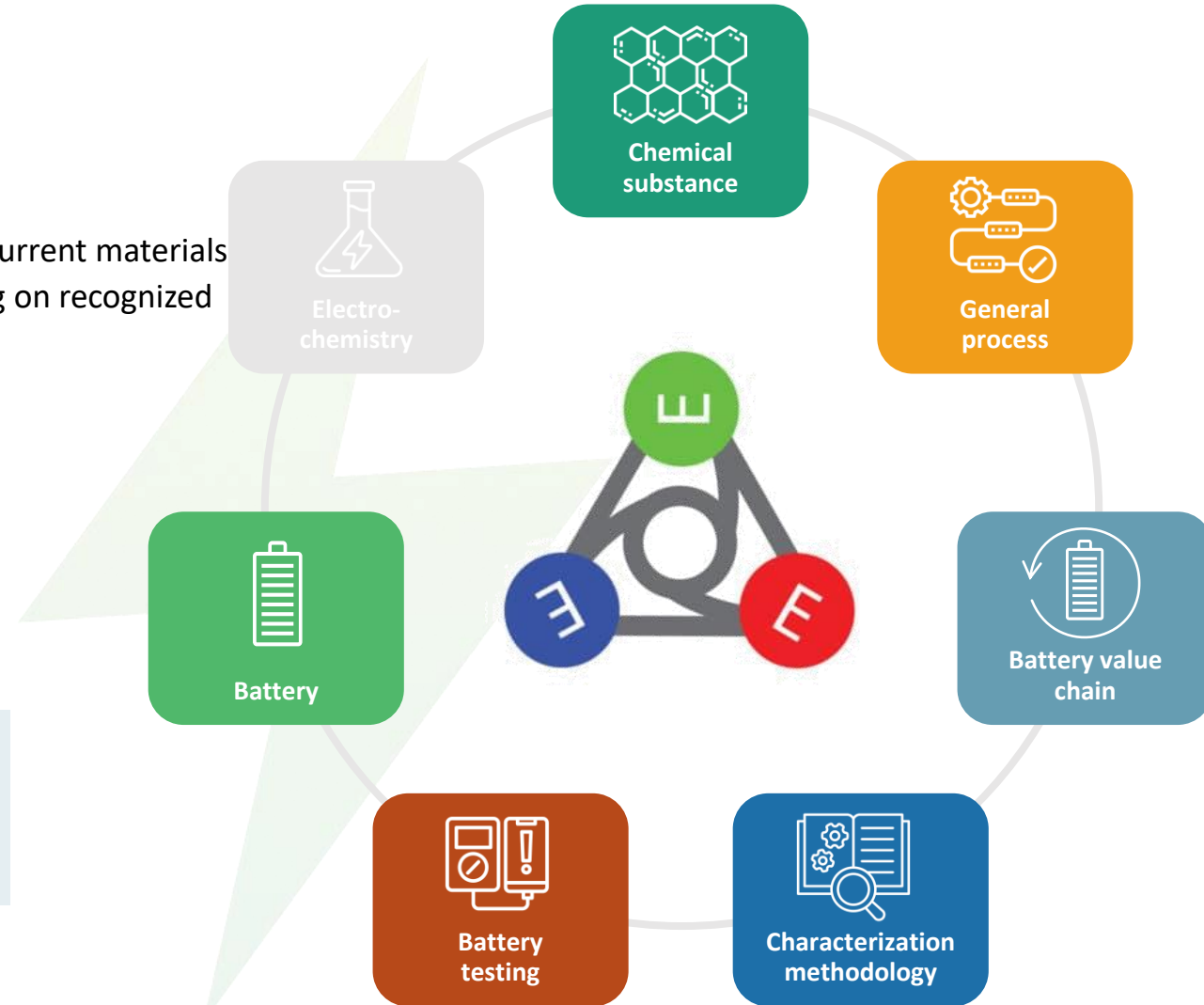


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## Extensions

- integrated with the EMMO universe
- focus on representing physical world

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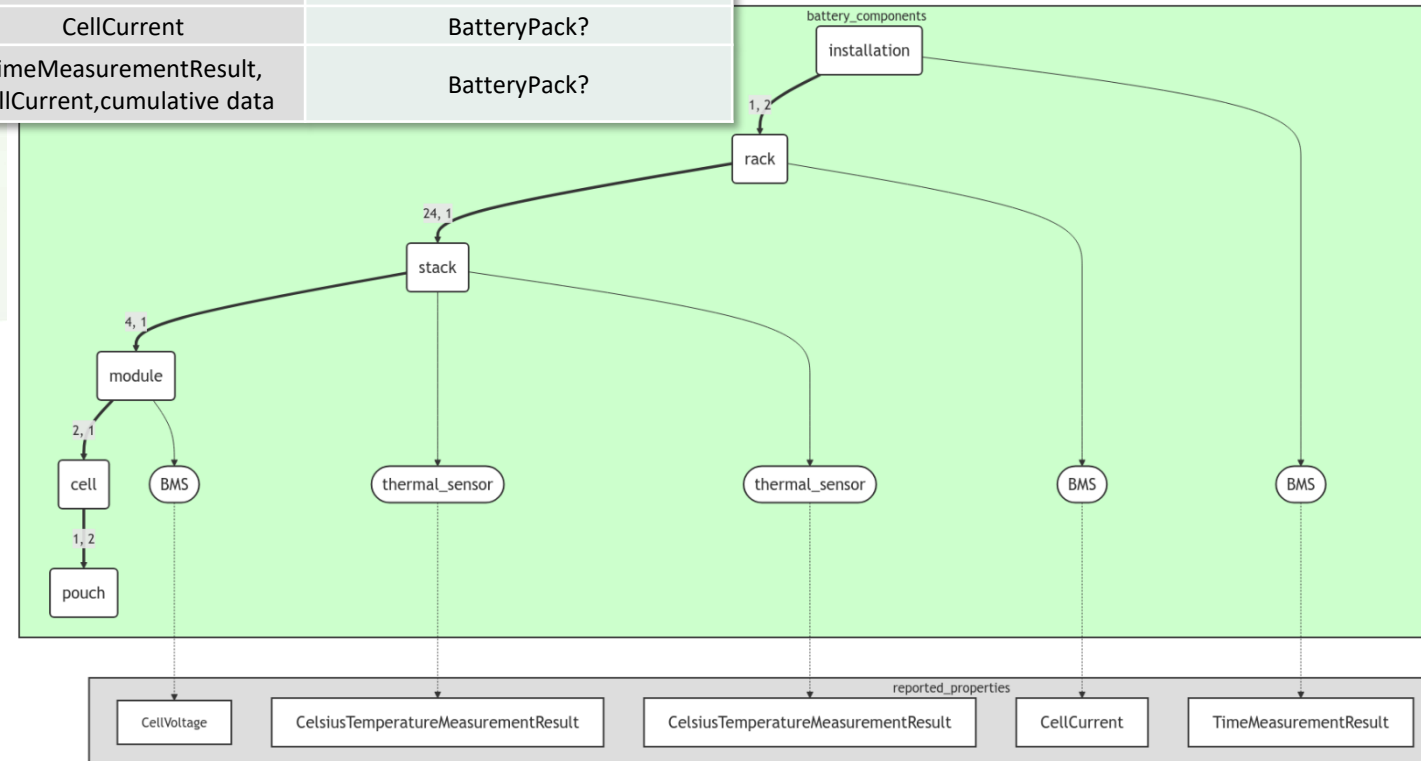
(pattern of) original column names	PrefLabel of property	unit	comment	scope
time	TimeMeasurementResult	YYYY-MM-DDTHH:MM:SSZ	ISO 8601	installation wide
mean_system_current	CellCurrent	Ampere		installation wide
mean_current{rack_index}	CellCurrent	Ampere	rack_index: single digit	rack wide
voltage{rack_index}_c{cell_index:03}	CellVoltage	Volt	cell_index: three digits, leading zeros	cell specific
temperature{rack_index}_t{sensor_index:03}	CelsiusTemperatureMeasurementResult	degCelsius	sensor_index: three digits, leading zeros	sensor specific, stack wide
balancing{rack_index}_c{cell_index:03}		boolean	on(1),off(0)	cell specific
mean_SoC	StateOfCharge, average	%		installation wide
mean_max_cell_temperature_value	CelsiusTemperature, maximum, average	degCelsius	processed property	installation wide
mean_min_cell_temperature_value	CelsiusTemperature, minimum, average	degCelsius	processed property	installation wide
mean_avg_cell_temperature_value	CelsiusTemperature, average, average	degCelsius	processed property	installation wide

## Observation Description File

- Original column patterns
- Proposal for unified definitions (prefLabels)

# Taking stock: batteries & data

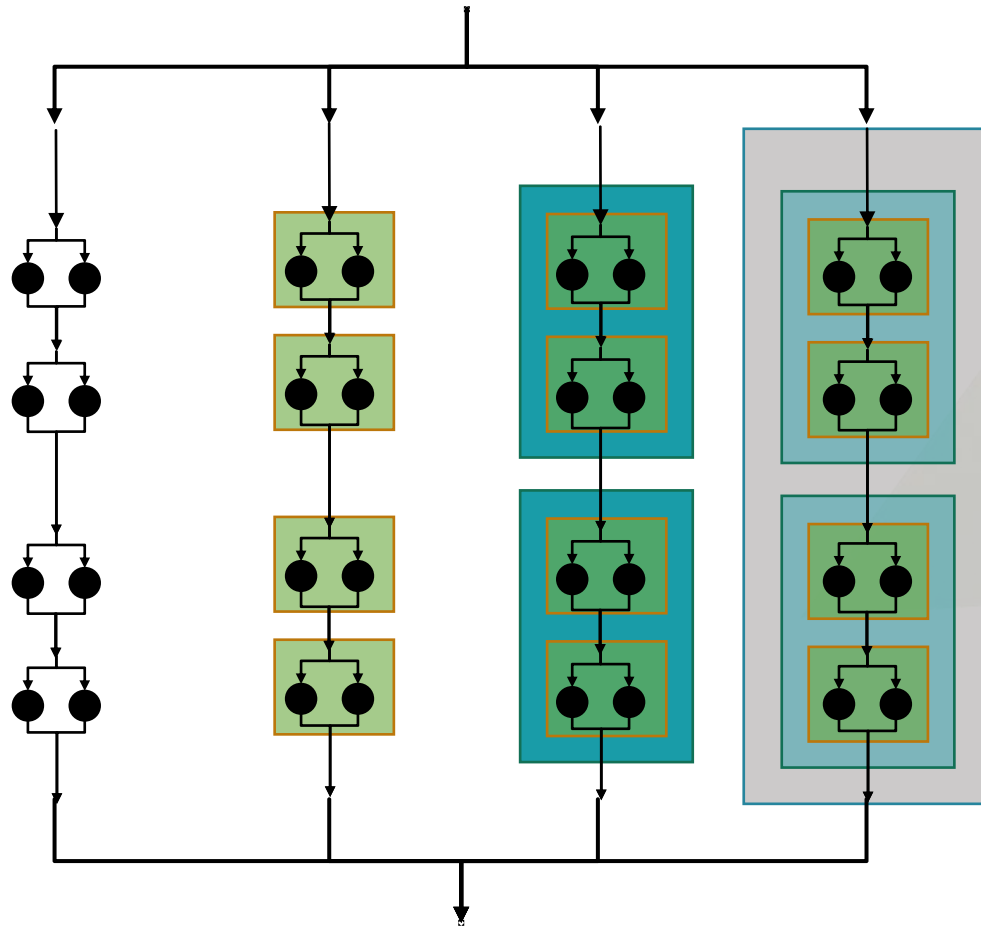
name of building block	name of electrical component	configuration	other component(s)	number of other component(s)	reported data	BB prefLabel
pouch		1s1p		0		PouchCell,LithiumManganeseDioxideBattery
cell	pouch	1s2p		0		BatteryModule?
module	cell	2s1p	BMS	1	CellVoltage, balancing	BatteryModule?
stack	module	4s1p	thermal sensor	3	CelsiusTemperatureMeasurementResult	BatteryPack?
rack	stack	24s1p	BMS	1	CellCurrent	BatteryPack?
installation	rack	1s2p	BMS	1	TimeMeasurementResult, CellCurrent,cumulative data	BatteryPack?



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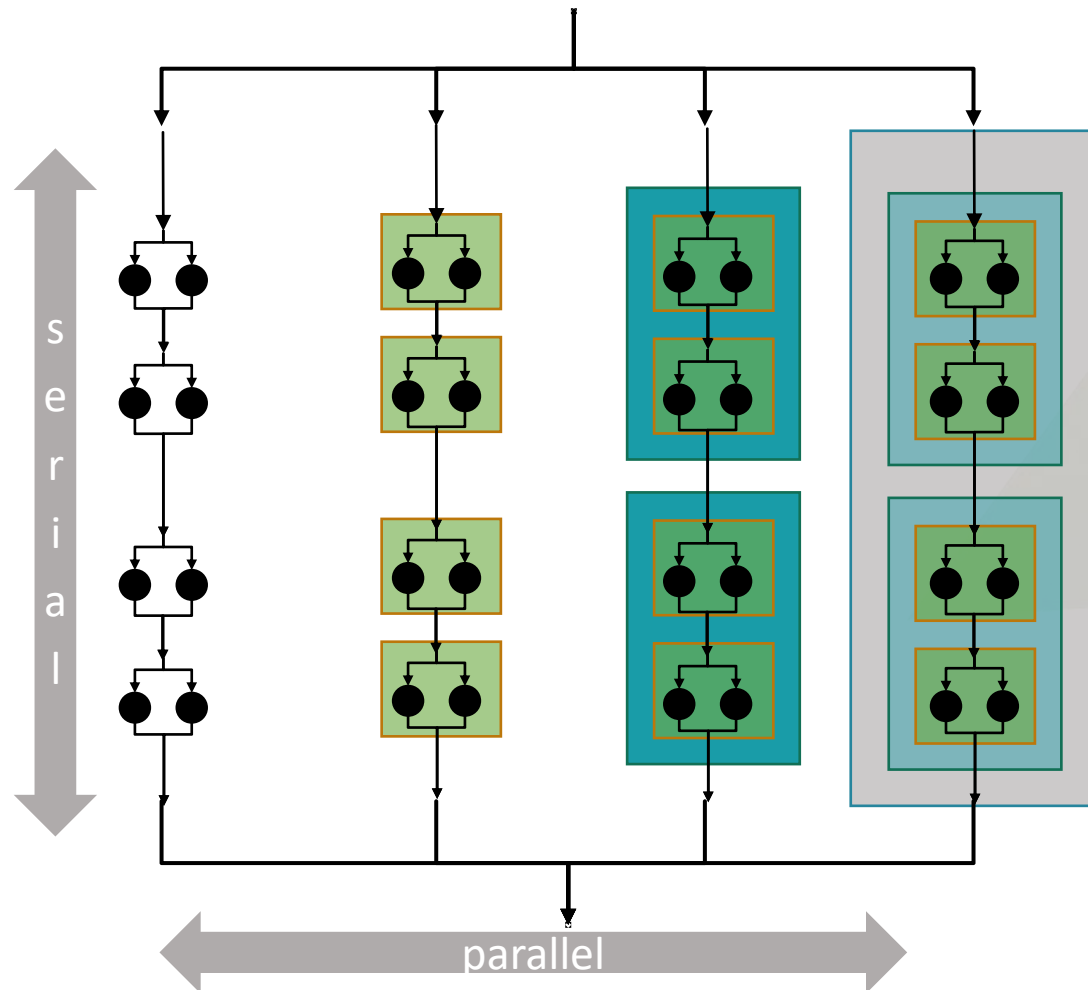
- Building hierarchy
- Level names differ between providers/users

# Breaking down batteries



- individual naming conventions
  - cell, pair, block, module, cell module, pack, stack, rack, array, string....

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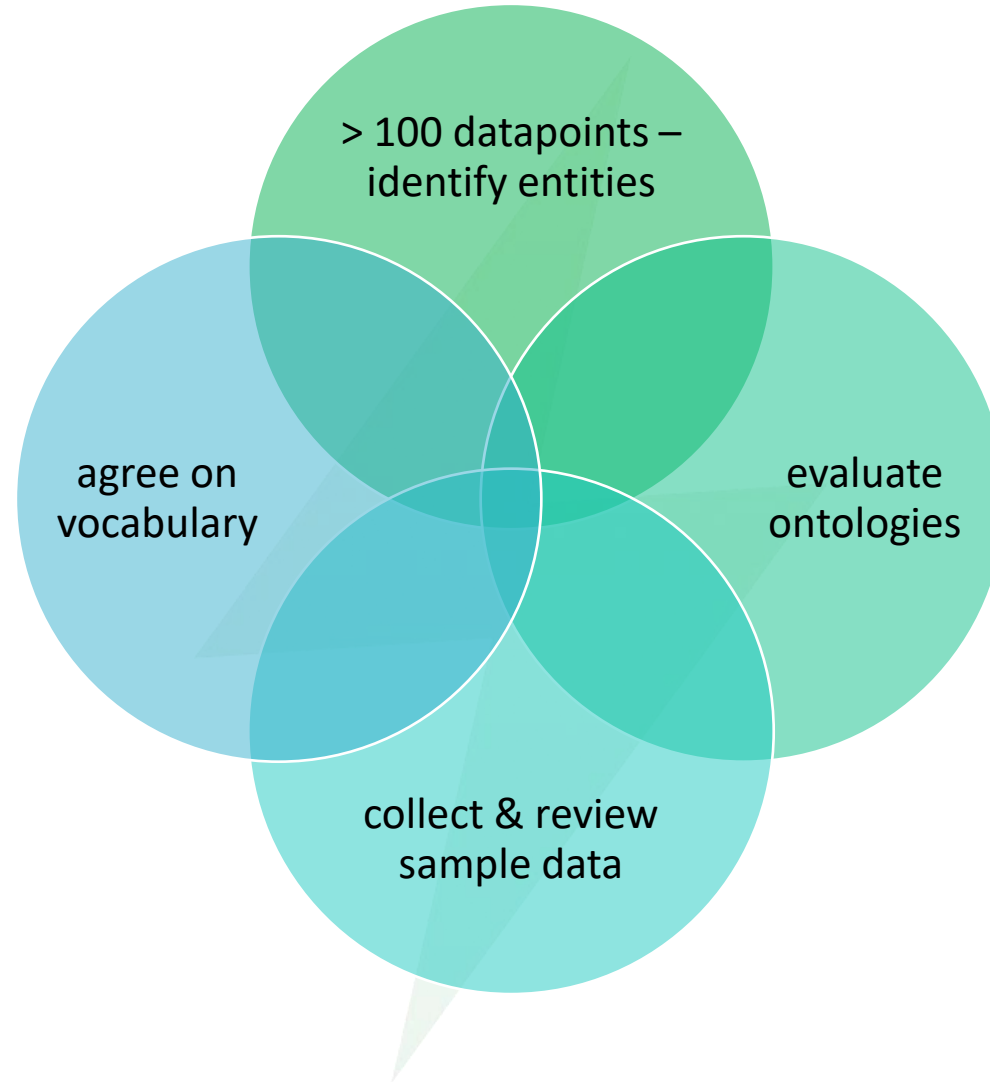
- so far: individual naming conventions
  - cell, pair, group, block, module, cell module, pack, stack, rack, array, string....

- develop common, concise notation

**LFP**<**1s2p**<**2s1p**<**2s1p** (bottom up)  
and/or  
**2s1p**>**2s1p**>**1s2p**>**LFP** (top down)

- nested arrays/json
- linked json
  - pointers

# current state & next steps





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