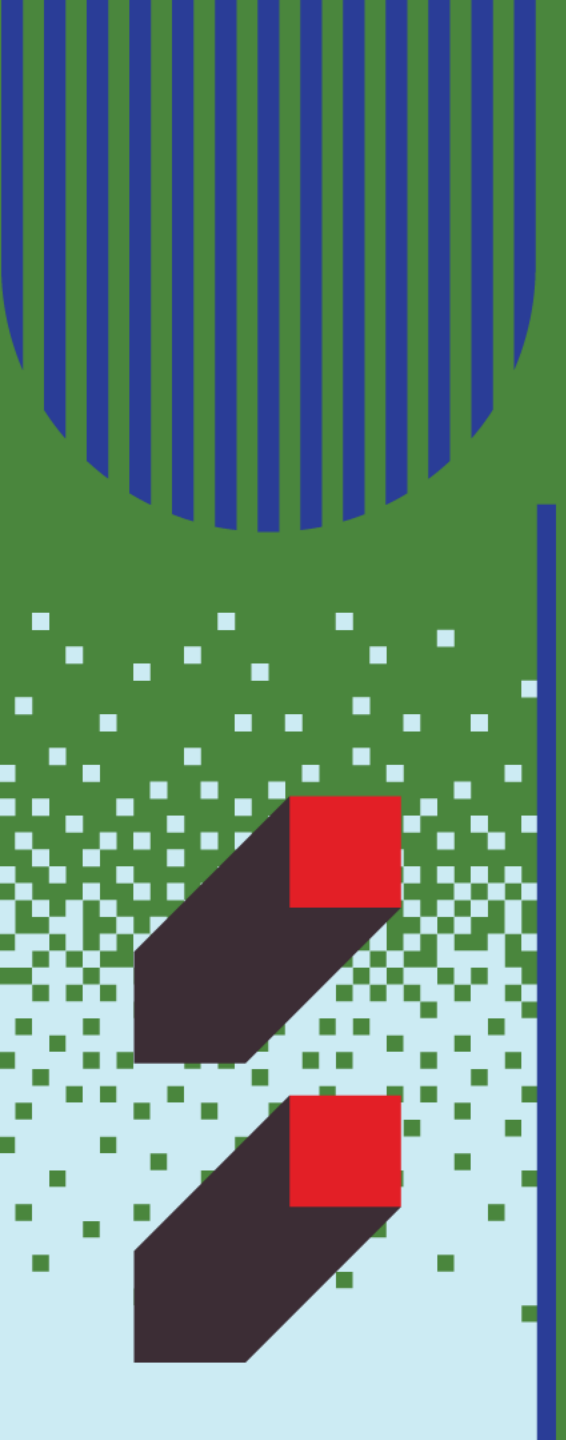

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# Welcome and Introductions

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# Session Overview

I. Organizational Obligations and the Digital Omnibus
II. Compliance Strategies and Simplification
III. Looking Ahead to 2027
IV. Q&A

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## EU Digital Laws

Across the EU's digital rulebook, figuring out who the rules apply to and what they mean for organizations is no small feat. Providing a high-level overview of the EU Digital Laws Report, this infographic summarizes key details around the Data Governance Act, Data Act, Digital Markets Act, Digital Services Act, Artificial Intelligence Act and NIS2 Directive.

| | Data Governance Act | Data Act | Digital Markets Act | Digital Services Act | Artificial Intelligence Act | NIS2 Directive |
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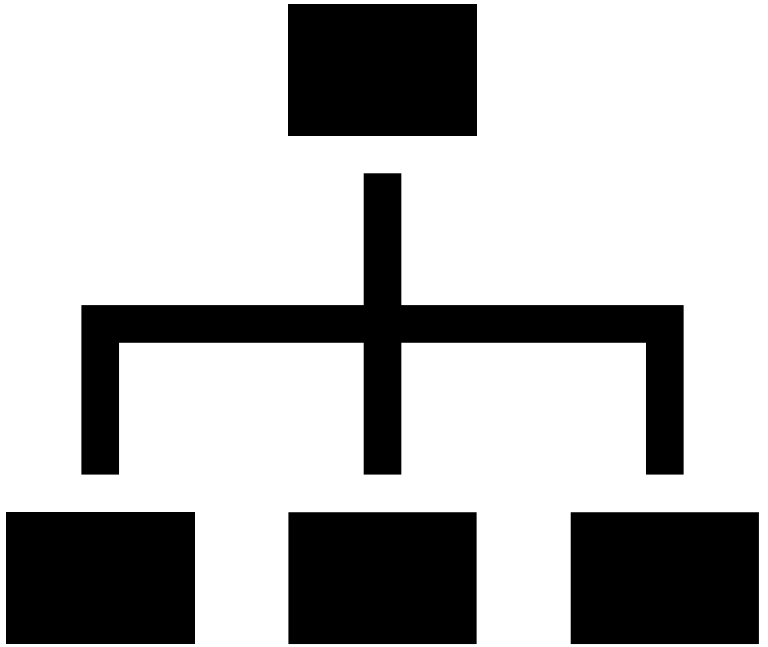
| Scope | Data intermediation services providers, data altruism organizations and public sector-bodies | Holders of connected device data, providers of data processing services and device users | Designated gatekeepers and core platform services | Online platforms and designated very large online platforms, online search engines and designated very large online search engines, online marketplaces, hosting services, caching services and mere conduits | Operators, e.g., providers, deployers of high-risk AI systems, AI systems and general-purpose AI models | Essential or important entities, e.g., those in energy, banking, health care, digital infrastructure, etc. |
| Purpose | To facilitate trustworthy mechanisms for data sharing across sectors and member states | To encourage fair access to and use of data across the internal market with a focus on enabling access to data generated by connected devices and related services | To ensure fair competition and contestability in the digital goods and services sector | To ensure a safe, transparent online environment and prevent illegal and harmful online activities and the spread of disinformation | To manage risks around the use of artificial intelligence | To further improve the resilience of public and private entities against cybersecurity threats and disruptions of IT systems and networks |

# Organizational Obligations

- How should organizations strategically integrate emerging obligations with their existing compliance programs?

- What are the most effective approaches?



# Organizational Obligations & Cybersecurity

- Which specific obligations or emerging threats are driving the greatest need to recalibrate legal and compliance strategies?

- Where is the struggle for operational readiness?

# Organizational Obligations & Digital Omnibus

- What should organizations understand about Digital Omnibus?
- Whis issues are the most consequential?

# Compliance Strategies & Simplification:

## The Optimal Strategy in Cybersecurity

- When does it make strategic sense for companies to pursue…

Integrated Approach

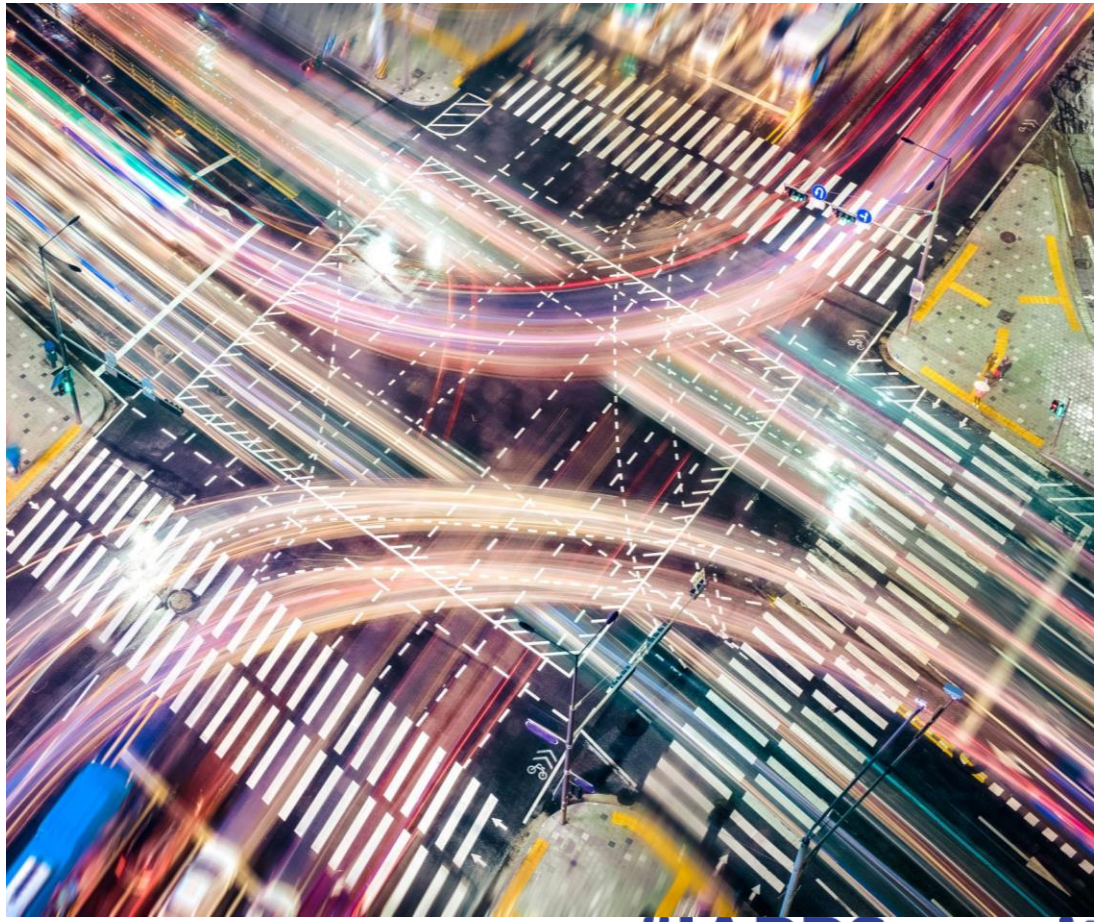
Tailored Approach

# Compliance Strategies & Simplification

- How are EU lawmakers and regulators approaching the challenge of simplification across the growing body of digital legislation?
- What are the primary sources of complexity? And how are policymakers attempting to strategically address them?
- Whis issues are the most consequential?

# Compliance Strategies & Simplification:
## Intersections

- How should organizations approach the EU's digital regulatory landscape?
- How does compliance play out at the intersection of these digital laws?



# Looking Ahead

- What emerging areas or strategic priorities are shaping the work of EU data protection authorities and the EDPB?

- Which regulatory themes, enforcement trends, or cross-border coordination challenges should organizations be preparing for?

# Looking Ahead

Where will the most significant pressure points for organizations emerge over the next year?

Which laws, intersections, or specific provisions deserve more time and attention?

# Looking Ahead

- Which obligations are lawmakers and regulators giving the most sustained attention to within the cybersecurity landscape?

- Within the digital omnibus discussions, are there any key points of debate or controversy?

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