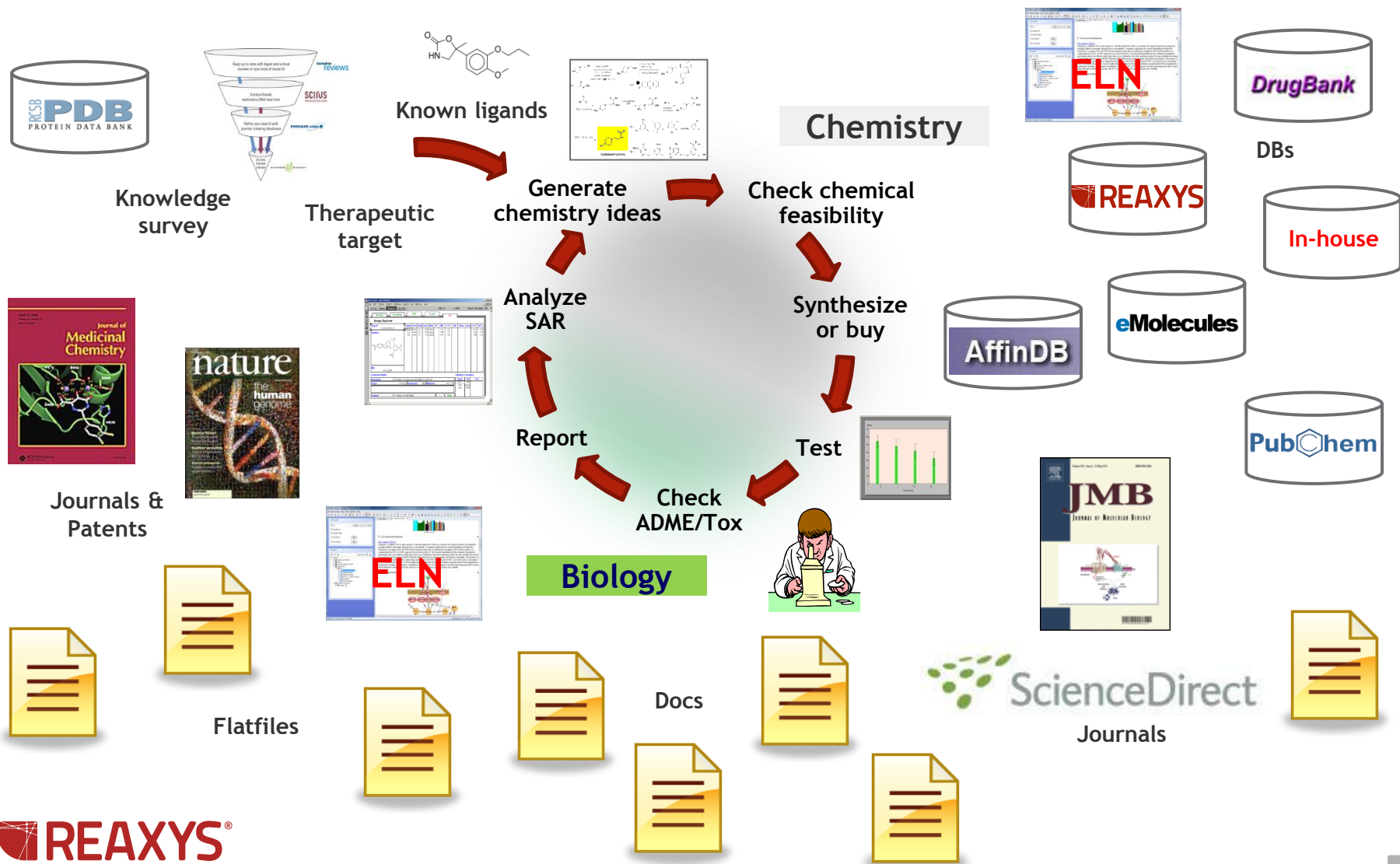


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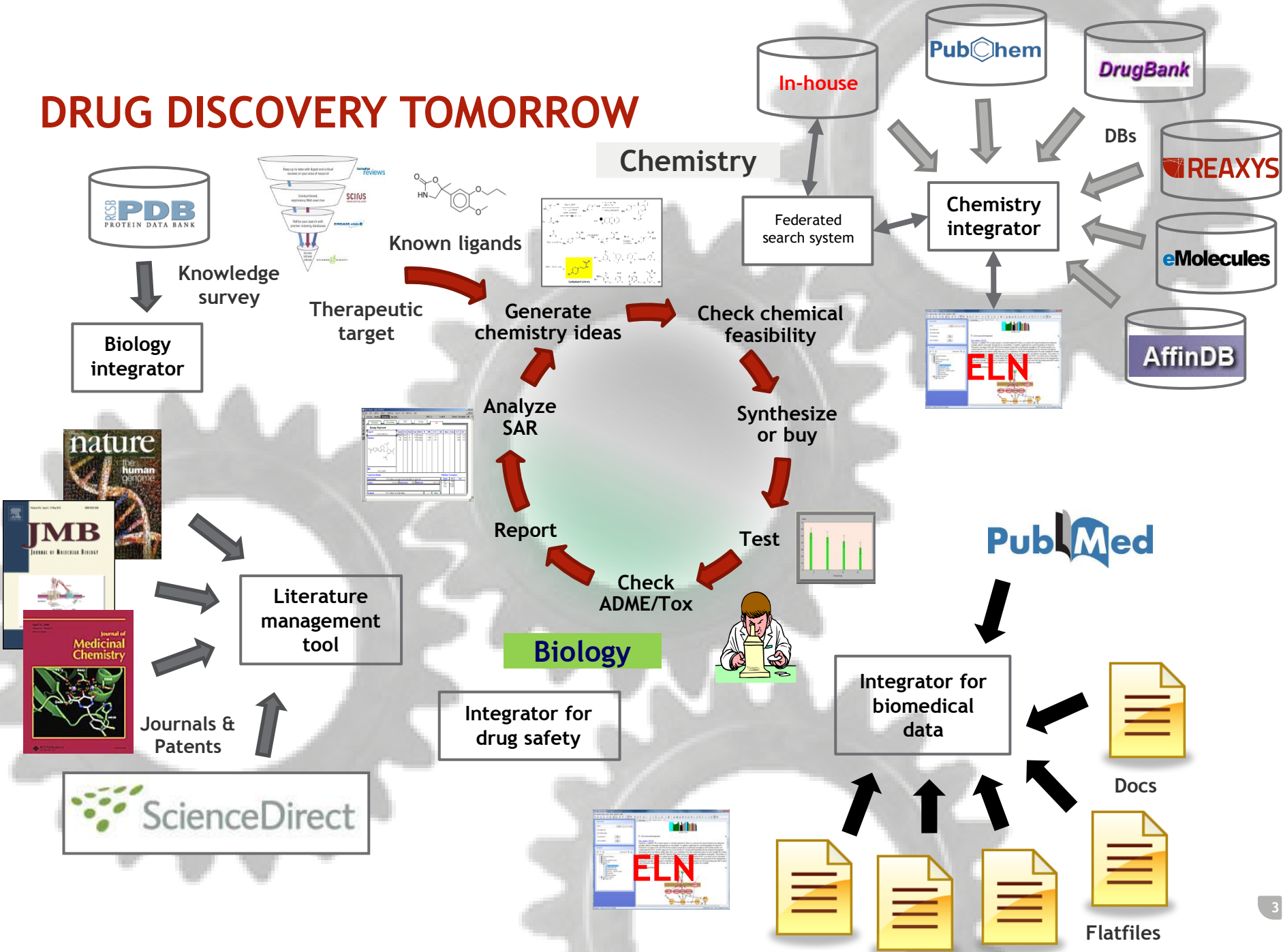
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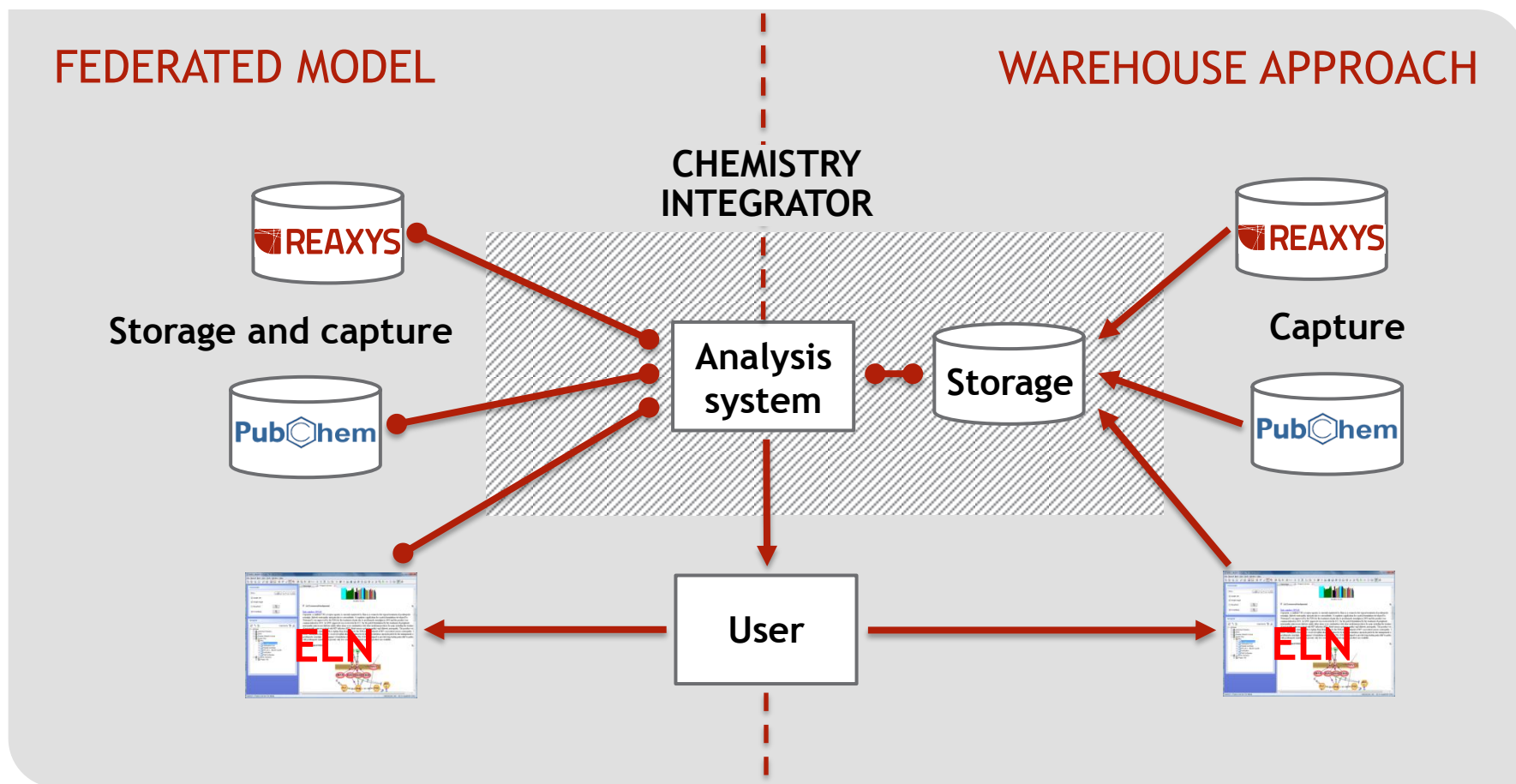
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HOW TO BUILD  
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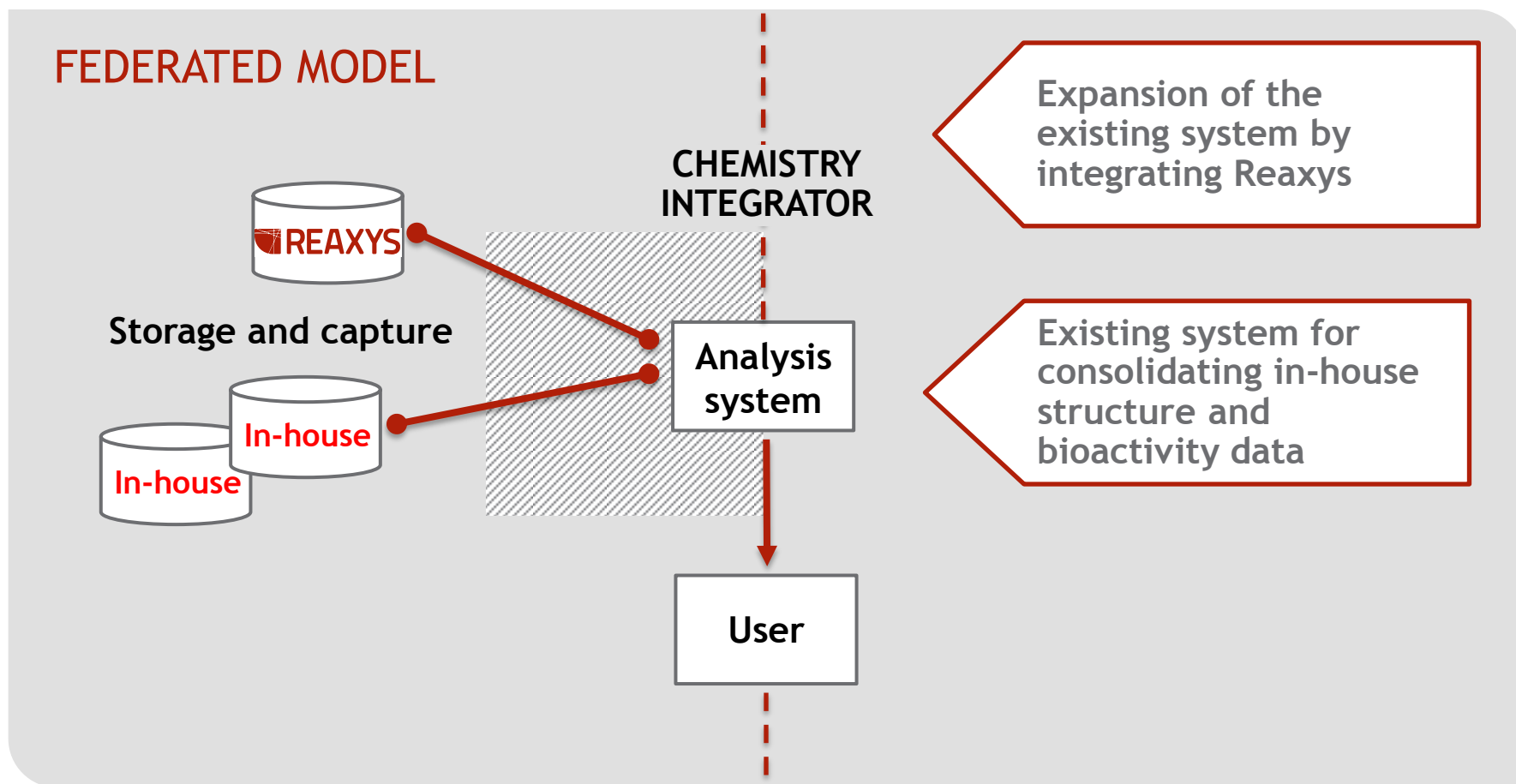


# DRUG DISCOVERY TOMORROW

TWO APPROACHES TO SOLVING THE CHALLENGE OF DATA ACCESS



# EXAMPLE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FEDERATED MODEL



# THE REAXYS DATA BASE

CONTAINS ALL PUBLISHED AND HISTORICAL CHEMISTRY DATA

- Compounds, substance property data, preparations, reactions, and bibliographic information...  
...from 400 core chemistry journals  
...from relevant chemistry patents
- Manual extraction of all the data
- Coverage of 500 property data fields, from basics like boiling point or melting point, via crystal data and magnetic properties, to spectra
- All together 750 million data points
- Historical chemistry data...  
...dating back to 1771

## Aromatic Amination/Imination Approach to Chiral Benzimidazoles

Felix M. Rivas, Anthony J. Giessert, and Steven T. Diver\*

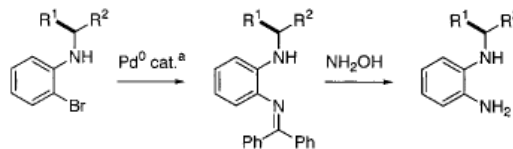
Department of Chemistry, University at Buffalo, the State University of New York, Buffalo, New York 14260-3000

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**Abstract:** The powerful Buchwald–Hartwig amination was utilized for the construction of the benzimidazole nucleus with the substituted nitrogen atom bearing a chiral substituent. A successive amination/imation was followed by an acid-catalyzed ring closure step to give the benzimidazole ring. The products were deprotonated and acylated at the C2 position and could be alkylated on nitrogen to give chiral benzimidazolium salts.

### Scheme 1. Imination/Transimination



mp 185–186 °C. Analytical TLC (5% MeOH in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>) *R<sub>f</sub>* 0.29. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 11.18 (s, 1H), 7.82 (m, 2H), 7.69 (m, 2H), 4.78 (app t, *J*<sub>app</sub> = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 4.70 (quin, 1H), 2.13–2.02 (m, 3H), 1.90–1.79 (m, 5H), 1.66 (m, 2H), 1.47 (app sex, *J*<sub>app</sub> = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 1.34–1.02 (m, 6H), 1.00 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 140.9, 131.2, 130.9, 127.2, 127.1, 113.9, 113.2, 61.0, 47.3, 42.6, 31.4, 29.7, 29.1, 25.5, 25.4, 25.3, 19.6, 18.2, 13.5; FT-IR (KBr) 1556 cm<sup>-1</sup>; Low resolution FAB-MS molecular ion calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>2</sub>(-I) 285.2, found 285.2.

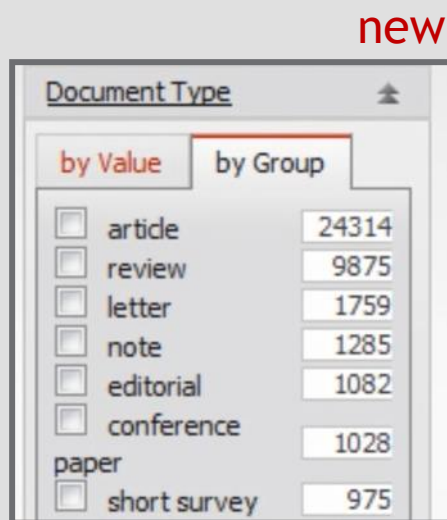
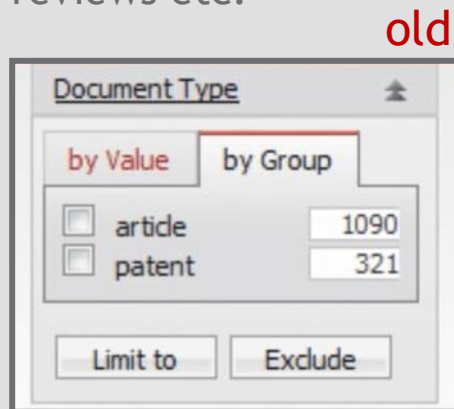
Scientific data model



# EXPANDED BIBLIOGRAPHIC CONTENT IN REAXYS

## SUPPORTING MULTI-DISCIPLINARY RESEARCH

- Bibliographic data from 16.000 periodicals covering chemistry and related sciences have been loaded into Reaxys
- This goes beyond journals and patents, it includes conference proceedings, business articles, reviews etc.



AGRICULTURAL AND  
 BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES  
 BIOCHEMISTRY, GENETICS  
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 MATERIALS SCIENCE  
 MEDICINE  
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 AND PHARMACEUTICS  
 PHYSICS AND ASTRONOMY  
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 ETC.

# REAXYS-TREE AND AUTOMATIC INDEXING

THE NEXT STEP... COMING 2014

- Classes
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      - chemical reaction product
      - chemical reaction reagent
      - chemical reaction starting material
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      - mechanical property
      - molecular property
      - optical property
      - phase property
      - phase transition
      - safety property
      - solution behavior
      - sound property
      - structure analysis
      - substance spectroscopy
      - thermal behavior
      - thermodynamic property
      - transport phenomene
    - procedure
      - calculation method
      - crystal structure determination
      - electro-analytical method
      - separation method
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Step 1

Index for  
chemistry terms

Step 2

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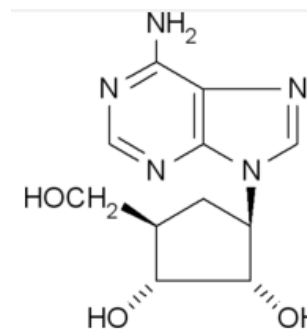
The **Biosynthesis** of **Aristeromycin**. Conversion of **Neplanocin A** to **Aristeromycin** by a Novel **Enzymatic Reduction**

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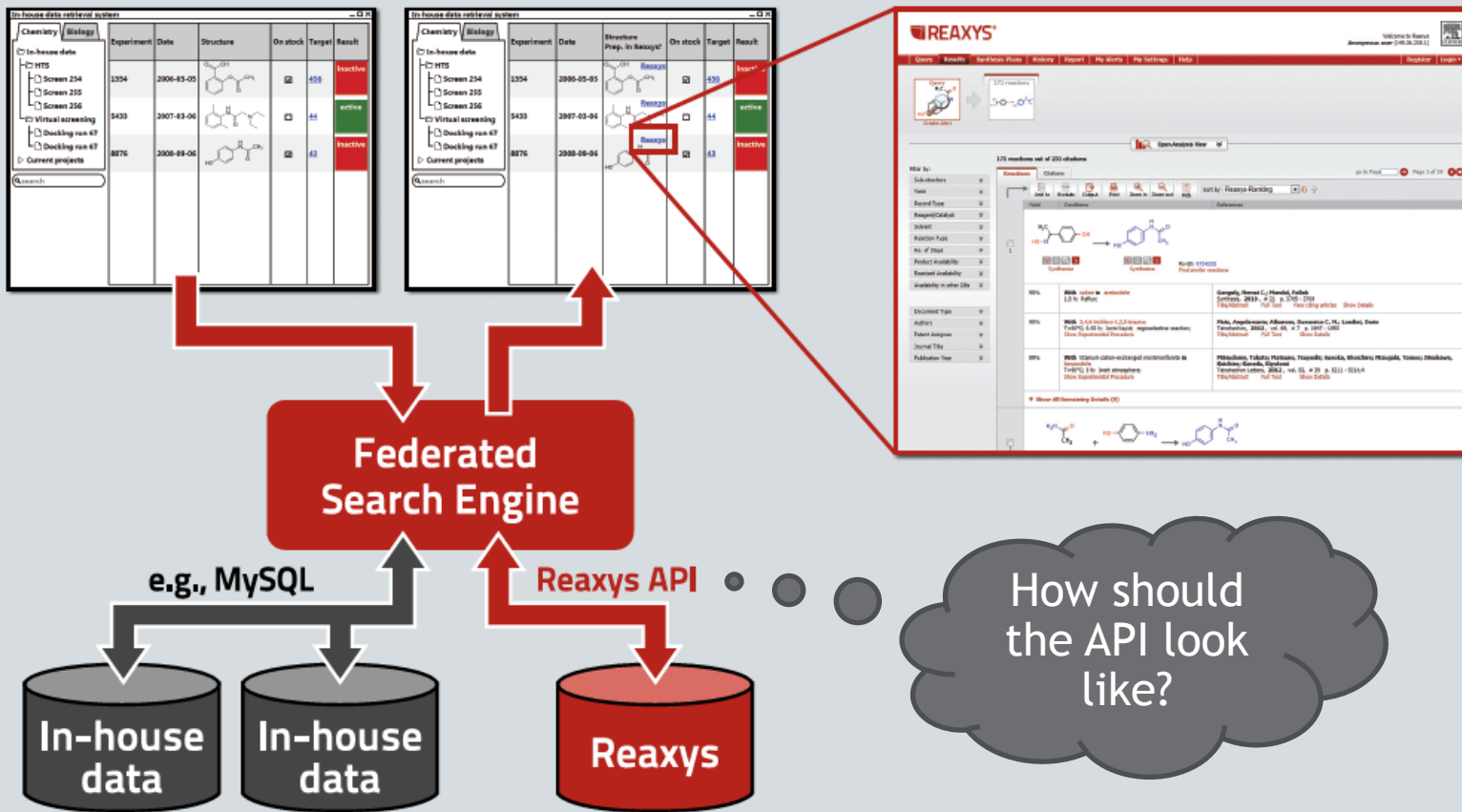
Translate chemical  
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# FEDERATED SEARCH SYSTEM WITH REAXYS LOOK-UP

ACCESS TO REAXYS IS VIA THE REAXYS APPLICATION PROGRAMMING INTERFACE (API)



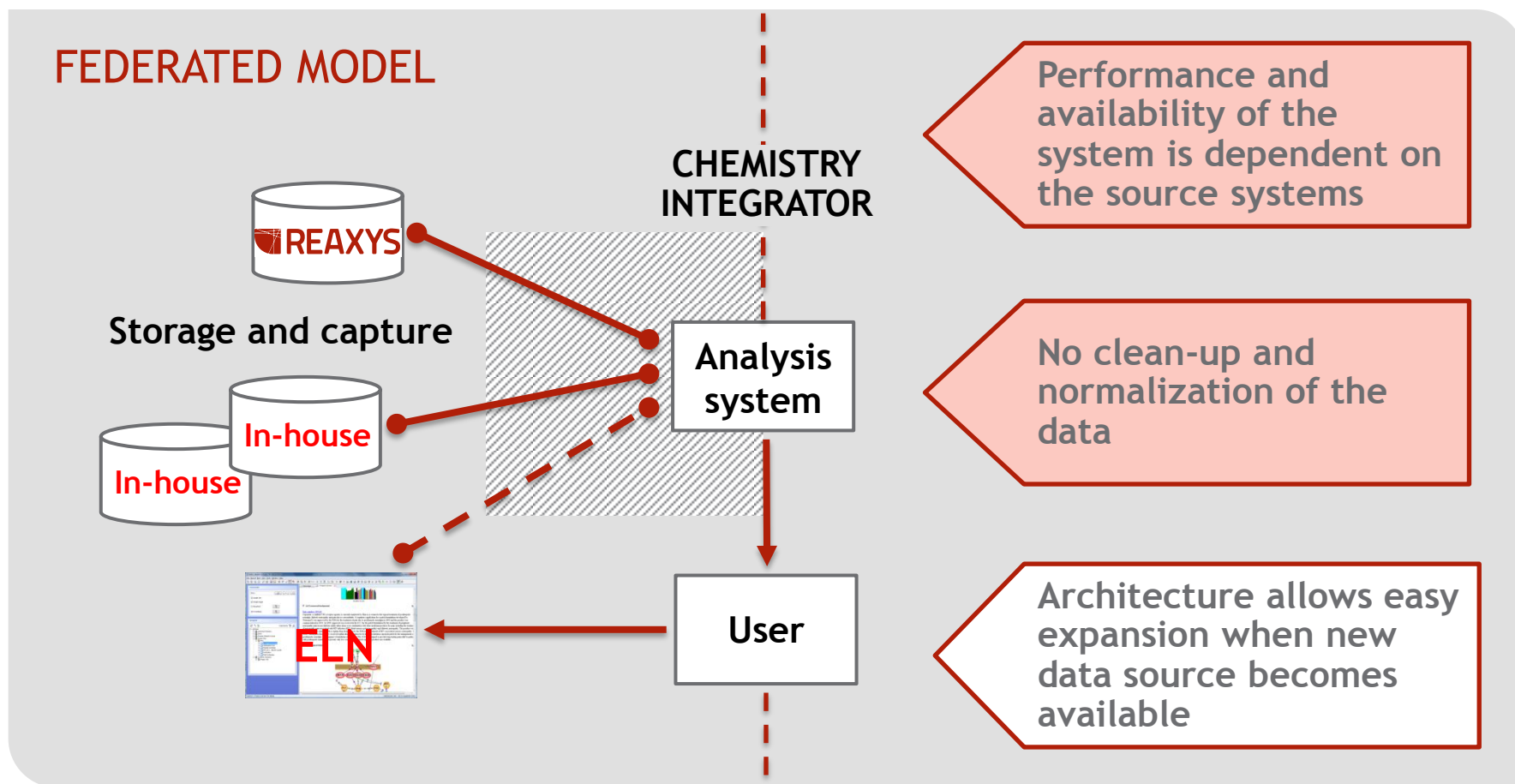
# THE REAXYS APPLICATION PROGRAMMING INTERFACE (API)

## LESSONS LEARNED

- Customers want to have access to all data in Reaxys
  - Substances and substance property data
  - Reactions and reaction details
  - Citations
- Customers want to have access to all functionality of Reaxys
  - Exact structure and reaction searching, similarity and substructure searching
  - Factual queries
  - Further processing of hitsets
- The Reaxys API was designed to be based on exchanging XML code between the user and the Reaxys server via HTML POST requests
- Security and usage tracking is an issue
  - Secure communication via HTTPS POST is supported
  - The Reaxys API is stateful, and login is required

# LIMITATIONS OF THE FEDERATED MODEL

SOME DISADVANTAGES TO CONSIDER

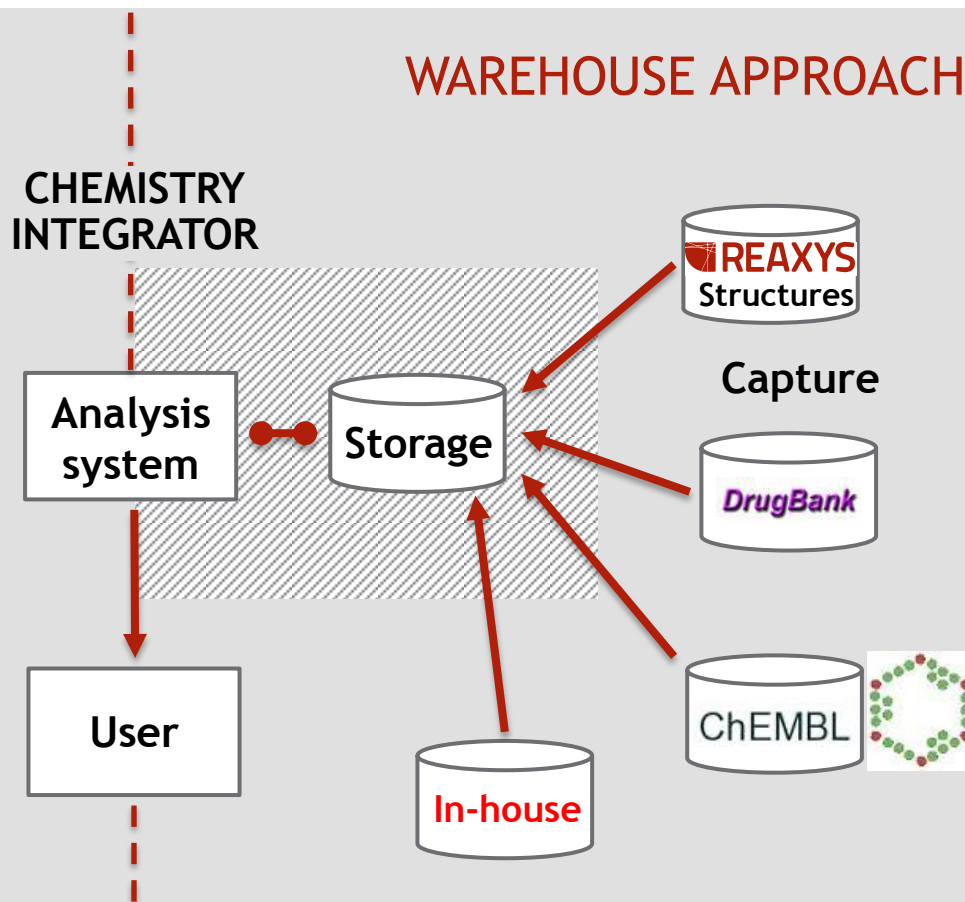


# EXAMPLE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WAREHOUSE APPROACH

Bioactivity data was normalized, and structures were de-duplicated

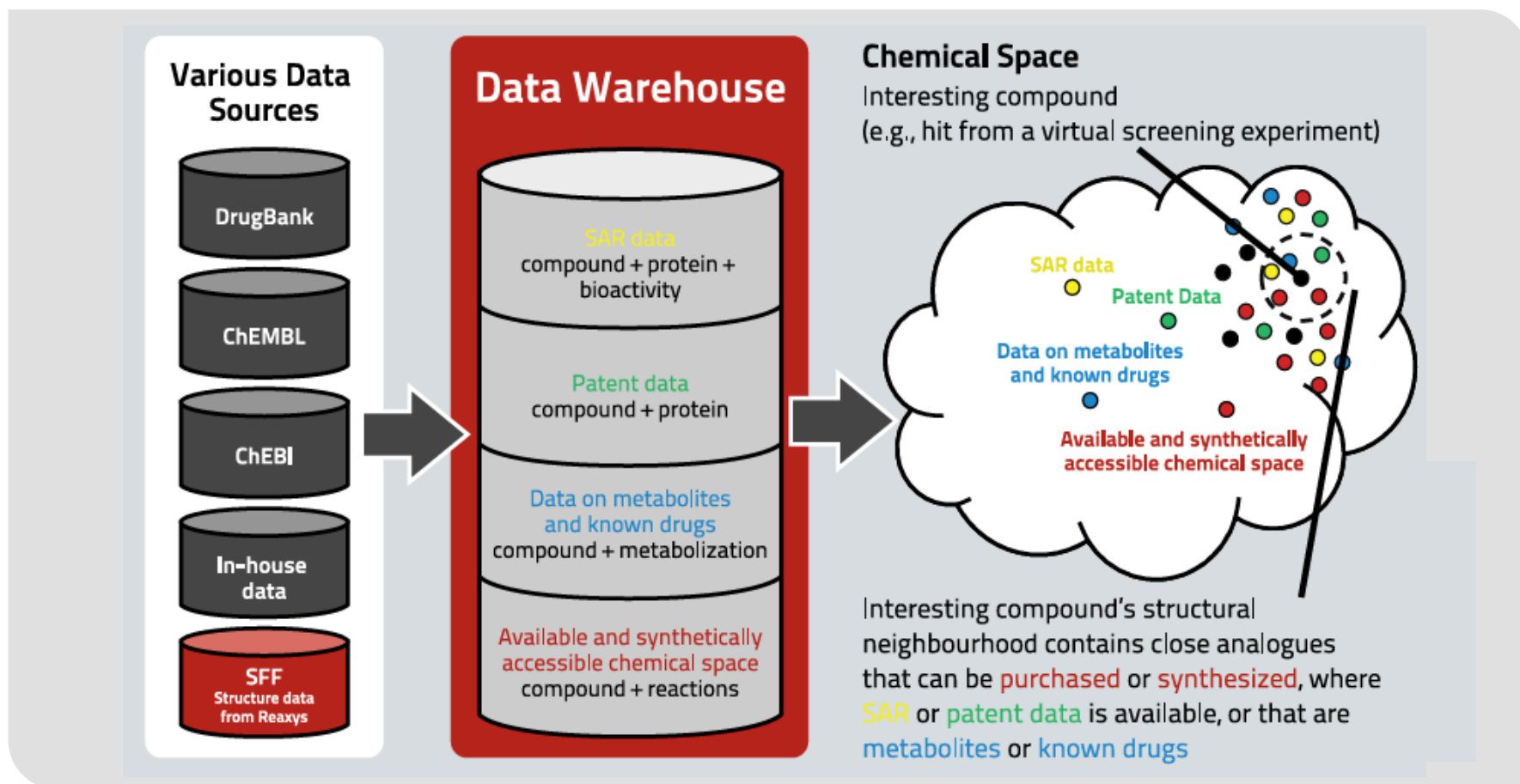
A customer set up a system that contains structure and bioactivity data, and IP information

All data was extracted, translated and loaded to fit into one unified data model (UDM)



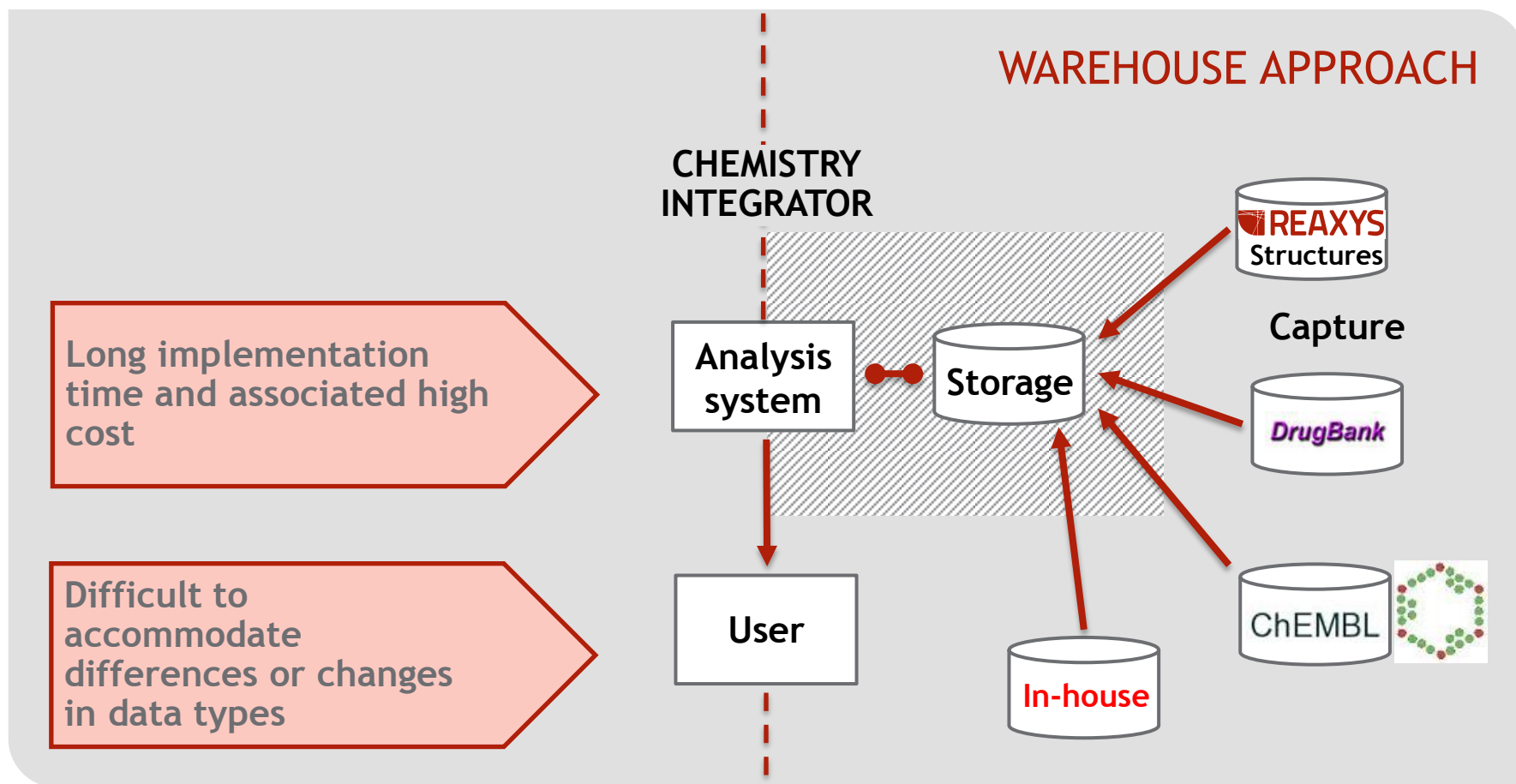
# PLATFORM FOR STRUCTURE AND BIOACTIVITY DATA

STRUCTURE DATA FROM REAXYS COMES FROM THE REAXYS STRUCTURE FLAT FILE



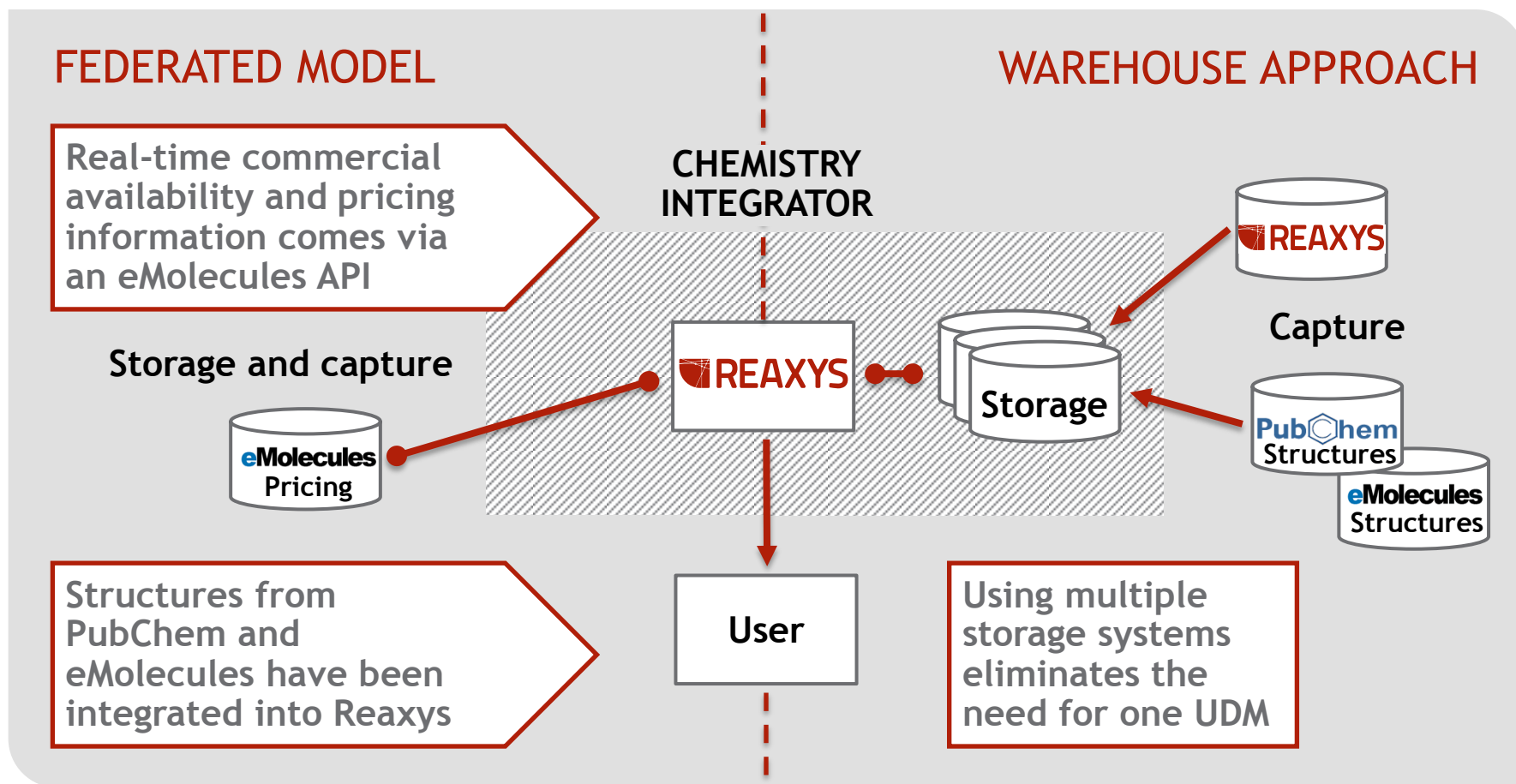
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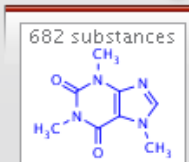
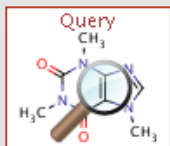
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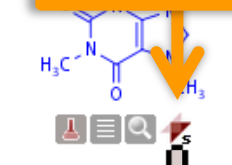
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The substance crosslinking icon allows to switch to corresponding substances in other data sources



Synthesize | Show details

- Show corresponding substances in...
- Reaxys
- PubChem
- eMolecules

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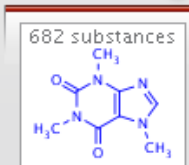
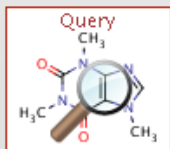
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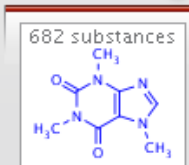
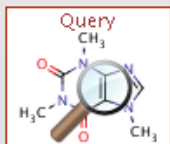
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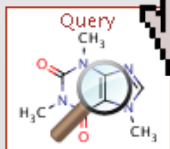
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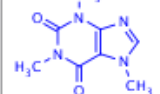


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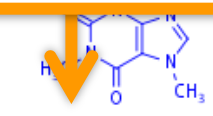
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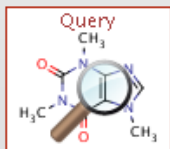
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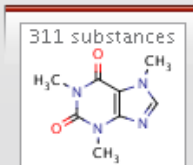
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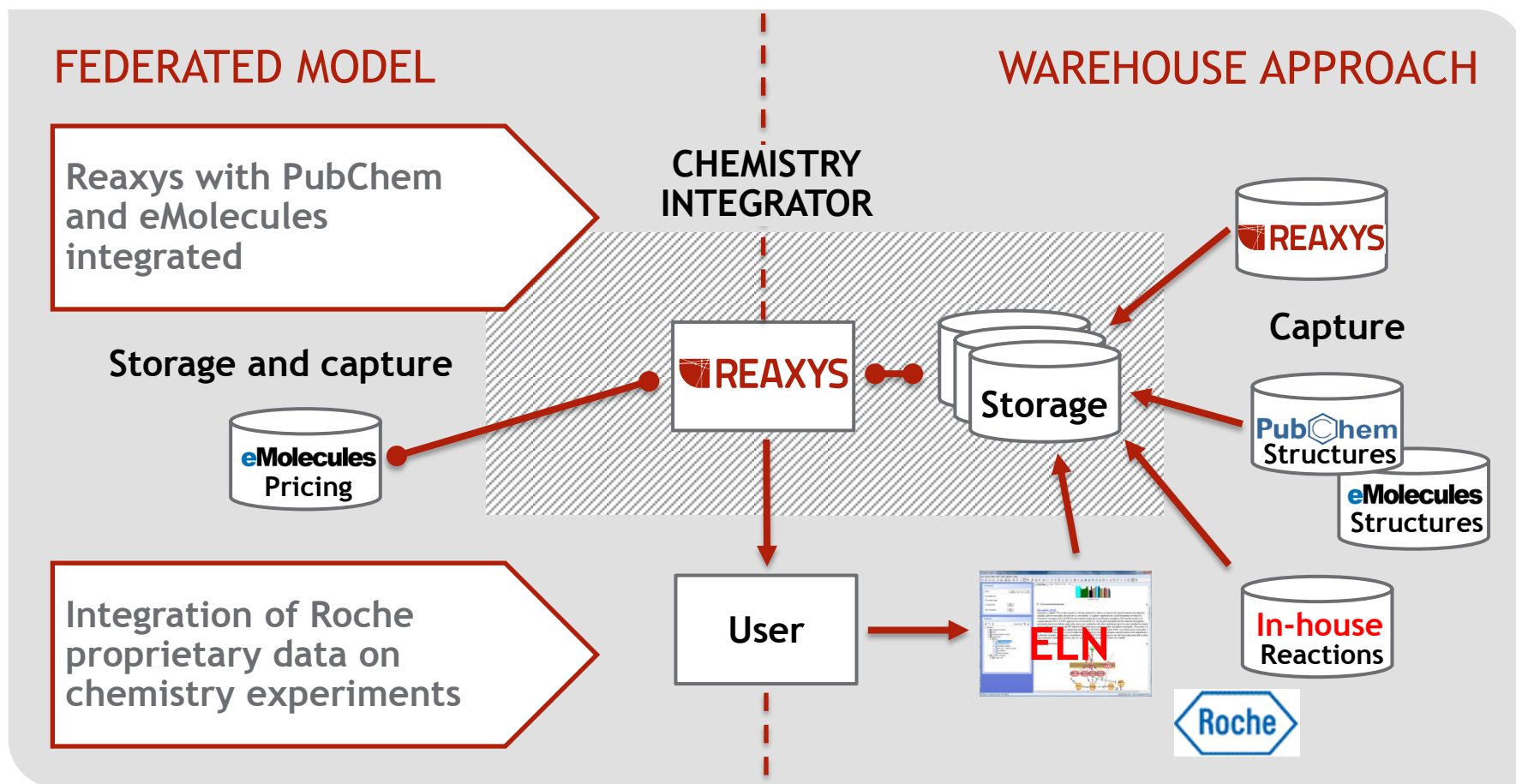
# FLEXIBLE APPROACH FOR INTEGRATION

## LESSONS LEARNED

- Reaxys has proven to be extremely powerful as analysis and database system
- Separation of the data from different data sources into multiple storage systems is the way to go...
  - ... if a powerful crosslinking mechanism is in place
- Some pieces of information that are subject to frequent updates should be integrated using the federated model

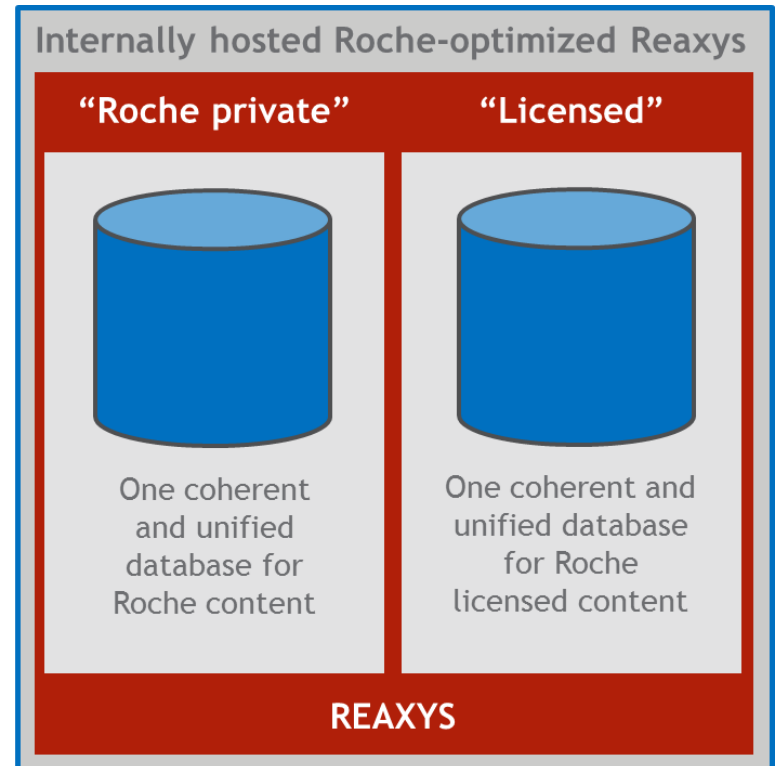
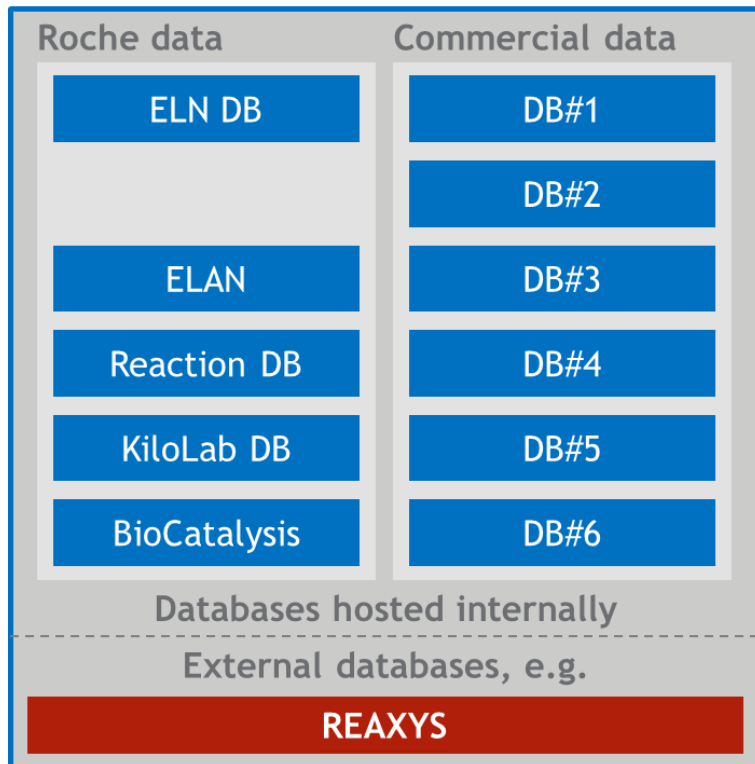
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A CONTENT INTEGRATION SOLUTION THAT ELSEVIER BUILT FOR ROCHE



# INTEGRATION OF ROCHE IN-HOUSE DATA

THE SITUATION AT ROCHE YESTERDAY... AND TODAY



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Up to four Roche reaction data sources are supported

Roche-specific data is included in the Output (PDF, MS-Word etc.)

Filters on Roche-specific data fields

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Data on references and/or experiments, including PDF links

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Experiment: E  
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in water; acetonitrile

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Start building a synthesis tree by clicking on the synthesize link

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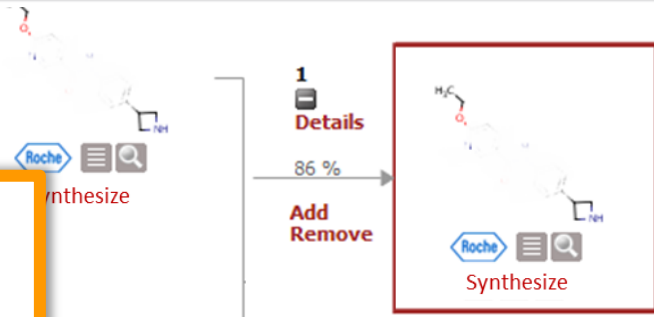
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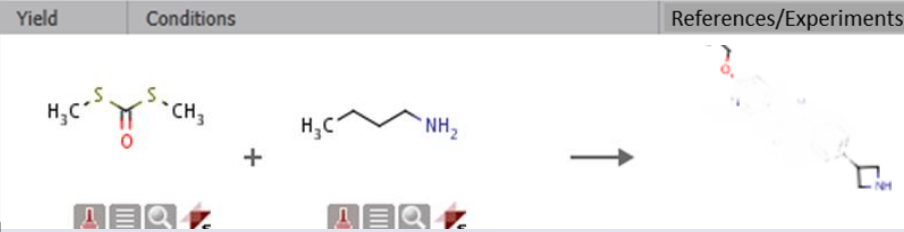
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New reactions are loaded



Synthesis 1

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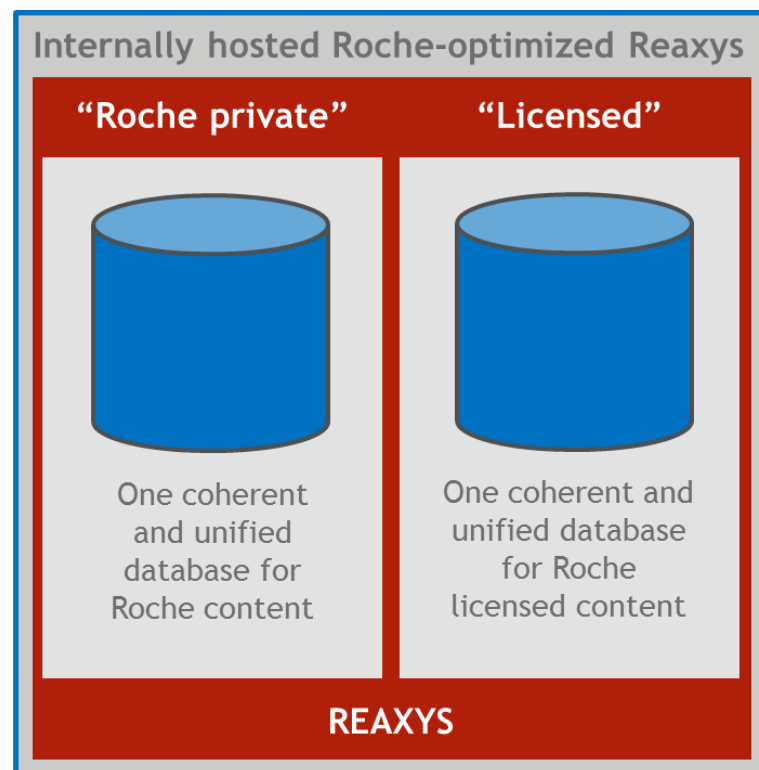
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Experimental details of the "mixed" synthesis plan are summarized in a table.

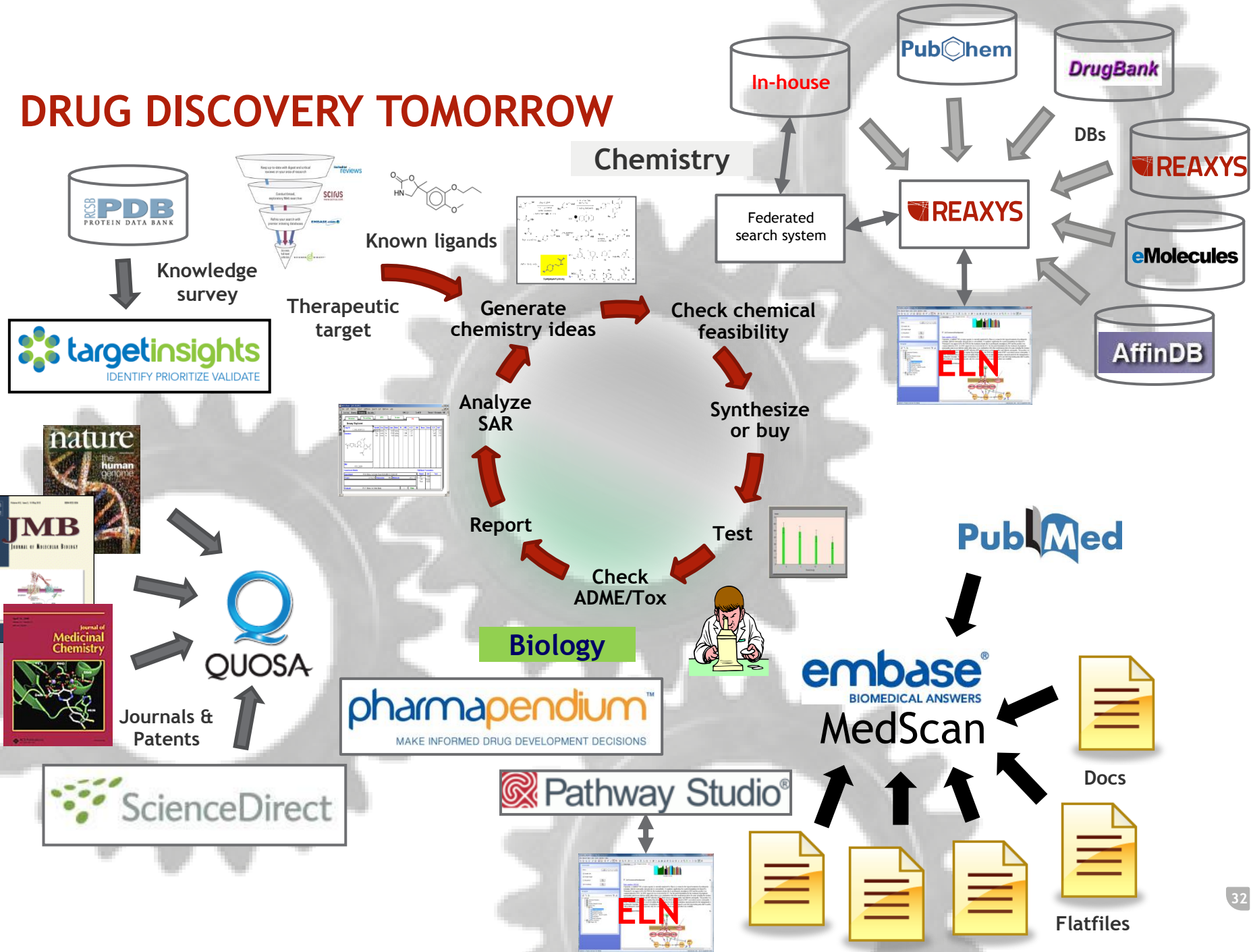
# INTEGRATION OF ROCHE IN-HOUSE DATA

## CUSTOMER FEEDBACK

- Usability and acceptance tests by Roche showed:
  - Increased productivity of researchers at Roche
  - Increased discoverability of the Roche reaction content
- Reduced maintenance effort for Roche:
  - Legacy systems were decommissioned
  - Roche gets on-going maintenance and functionality improvements by Elsevier
- Not compromise in security
- Flexible approach:
  - Additional data sources have been added



# DRUG DISCOVERY TOMORROW





# THANK YOU - QUESTIONS?

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