



Think-it - The Data Space Pioneers: enabling sovereign data exchange for a sustainable future.

We are pioneers in the operationalization of data space connectors (DSC & EDC) to make sovereign data exchange a reality - customized to the size and needs of your organization.

1. We offer the following services from the Trusted Partner portfolio:

| Selection | Category |
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| | a) Ideation and business development |
| x | b) Hosting and operation |
| x | c) Integration and data management |
| x | d) Software development |

2. Why are we the ideal Trusted Partner for you? How do we stand out from the competition?

- **Expert-level knowledge** around international data spaces, data space connectors, and the Eclipse Data Space Open-Source project enables us to give the right advice and implement data spaces and connectors in a way that's customized to your needs.
- **Step-by-step guidance:** Our very early-stage involvement within GAIA-X and the Mobility Data Space (MDS) as well as Catena-X enables us to help you ask the right questions and define requirements for the implementation phase.
- **Holistic approach.** Expert-level knowledge around cloud data ecosystems allows us to also support you on implementing the right data lake strategy to ensure data consumption and supply.
- **Insight + foresight.** Our continued deep involvement with the EDC open-source project gives us first-hand insight and expertise to guide you on questions and challenges that arise in the future.



3. What experience and references do we present in the offered service?

- **Implementation & Operationalization of GAIA-X Connectors:**

We've successfully enabled a large German OEM to be the first organization within the Mobility Data Space Consortium to leverage the DSC in production, test first use cases, and gain early user feedback on additional needs and required functionalities to get the full value. Our early involvement allowed us to have close feedback loops and inform technical decision making for the development roadmap of both the DSC as well as the EDC.

- **Data Portal Integration of GAIA-X Connectors:**

We integrated the Data Space Connector within an OEM's data portal, allowing our customer's employees and users of the connector to leverage the Mobility Data Space without having to learn anything new and continue with their familiar user interface while exchanging data with external companies. We developed a micro frontend within the Data Portal Platform and a backend as middleware that is compatible with both the International Data Space Connector (DSC) and the Eclipse Data Space Connector (EDC), proving to be future-proof and versatile. This allows users to seamlessly exchange data with other organizations within their familiar cloud data portal, while new DSC or EDC features can be easily implemented as they become available.

- **Core Committer to the new Eclipse Data Space Connector (EDC):**

As one of the main committers and most prolific contributors to the Eclipse Data Space Connector open-source project, we have unique expertise about how the data space connectors and the EDC in particular works - and the necessary steps to fully operationalize it within your environment.

"Think-it has been an essential partner for us on the Eclipse Dataspace Connector project in support of Catena-X and the Mobility Dataspace (MDS). We were able to deliver what we promised to our initiative partners like Daimler, ZF and Microsoft - and this was quite challenging!"

- **Expert Consulting for EDC Operationalization:**

We helped a large German Tier 1 supplier in the automotive industry to successfully operationalize the EDC in their cloud environment in order to test different Catena-X use cases for data sharing. We consulted the client to ask the right questions as well as provided relevant expertise around connector setup and configuration on the cloud to solve roadblocks and speed up the implementation phase.



- **Customizable Connector for Rapid Deployment:**

We have developed a Terraform module on top of AWS that allows you to deploy a serverless connector in your environment, significantly reducing the time, complexity, and effort required to connect to the Mobility Data Space and Data Spaces in general and successfully leverage them for your needs. This gives you a head start in rapidly deploying and customizing Data Space Connectors in your environment to achieve your strategic goals.

4. Service Description

- **Consulting services** and expert-level knowledge around international data spaces and data space connectors during planning, implementation, operationalization and customization.
- **Strategic advisory** for the implementation phase of dataspace connectors and tangible use cases.
- **Integration** and **configuration** of dataspace connectors in the cloud.
- **Operationalization** of dataspace connectors in a production environment
- **Monitoring** and **optimization** of a customized integration of the dataspace connector.
- **Managed Service** of dataspace connectors on behalf of your organization

5. Scope of Services

We promise an in depth-analysis of your specific situation and a solution that is customized to your unique needs to enable you to leverage the power of the Mobility Dataspace. Since the nature of our service, results and deliverables are driven by your needs, we have chosen to not put a generic result, deliverable or duration here. We'd be happy to prepare this based on your input.

6. Pricing

Since the time frame and intensity will vary greatly depending on your current situation, we offer a free initial consultation to provide you with an estimate and time frame for each of our services. We're looking forward to hearing from you and will be on our toes to get started.



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