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Get to know our RegTech platform

Bridge the gap between policy and execution

Be Informed RegTech Platform

Be Informed helps organizations deal with the increasing complexity and frequency of new regulations. Using our software platform, regulations and other business rules are transformed into machine-readable models. These models are used to automate dynamic, complex processes. Organizations thus improve the control and efficiency of knowledge-intensive processes while simultaneously embedding compliance to relevant regulations. The regulations used in the applications are fully traceable to their sources.

The key functionalities of our platform

The desired intelligent automation and orchestration is realized by combining several activities essential for complex, knowledge-intensive work.

Norm engineering to enable automated business compliance. This means the capture of the explicit interpretations of relevant policies and legislative sources in models. These modelled rules become part of the business design. This direct connection between source and implementation ensures inherent compliance, transparency and traceability.

Decision management to automate knowledge-based work. The necessary business knowledge is captured in models and used to optimize (automated) decision-making in interactions with customers, employees and suppliers.

Dynamic case management to handle complex processes in a dynamic and intelligent manner. Each case or customer is handled according to their uniquely specific needs and context.

Information integration aimed at speed and simplicity. Integration between various systems with differing conceptual, contextual and technical representations. Semantic mapping is considered separately from technical mapping, ensuring a business-oriented (instead of a mere technical) approach to integration.

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How we drive digital transformation
The Be Informed platform combines the following capabilities to enable and automate complex knowledge-intensive work on any scale.

Interpret laws and regulations
We offer the ability to annotate and interpret relevant sources of norms (like regulations). The resulting explicit interpretations are captured in a formalized language, i.e. a model that is machine-readable. These are employed to deliver fully traceable, transparent and compliant systems.

Context-driven and goal-oriented decision-making
We use declarative models and goal-oriented inference engines to automate decisions and support decision-makers.

Our models are based on the capture of pre- and postconditions. We specify under which conditions activities must/may/cannot(yet) be performed. This means we do not require a description of all possible sequences of activities. This enables the platform to deal fluidly with real-world complexity and avoids rigid or vast amounts of workflows. The relevant flow will emerge automatically.

Direct model-driven development
Our models (and the processes they represent) are instantly operable, without additional programming or conversion into code. Business rules are captured in semantic models and can be tested and adjusted at any time.

One business language
We use a client's existing business language to describe the products, services, processes, and policies.

One open platform
Our platform connects and orchestrates the entire end-to-end business process, with each step, role, and system accounted for. To this end, all relevant or desired (exterior) relations, dependencies, and deliverables are captured within our models.

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Complex knowledge work in heavily regulated domains requires an approach to business processes and decisions that ensures compliance with regulation by design. An approach which maximizes automation of activities and tasks but also enables knowledge workers to deal with exceptions. To this end, we support the entire flow from rules and regulations to applications and services.

Sources
It starts with proper support for organizations to efficiently understand the regulatory requirements and comply to these requirements. To this end, we enable the study and analysis of relevant sources of norms.

Interpret
From these regulatory sources the explicit interpretations relevant to the organization are determined. These interpretations are captured in a normative model. This is done through formalized open standards relevant to the client's domain. Open standards regarding the format of sources of norms, like Cen Metalex, USLM and BwB, but also regarding their explicit interpretations.
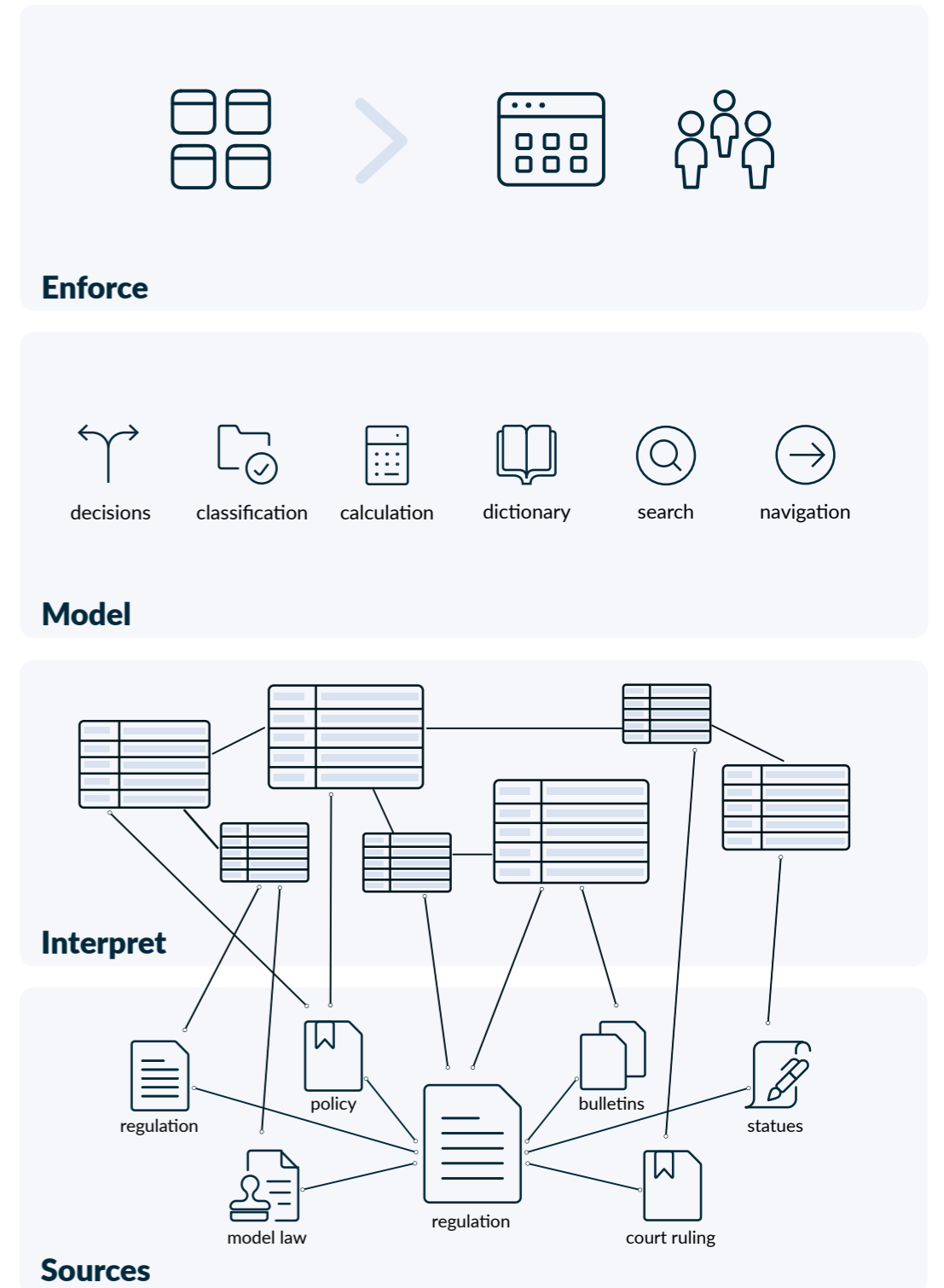
The resulting models can be reused across applications and even organizations. This approach captures the usually hidden stage between the publication of new regulations and their encoded interpretation in implementations. The stage where knowledge workers study, discuss and corroborate on the explicit interpretations of relevant sources of norms.

Model
Together with other modeled business rules, these normative models are embedded in the business design.

Enforce
The inference engines of our platform subsequently turn these business models into model driven services and applications. Compliant by design, with dynamically emerging workflows and support for knowledge workers when and where needed.

Enforce

decisions **classification** **calculation** **dictionary** **search** **navigation**

Model

Interpret

regulation   policy   bulletins   statues

model law   regulation   court ruling

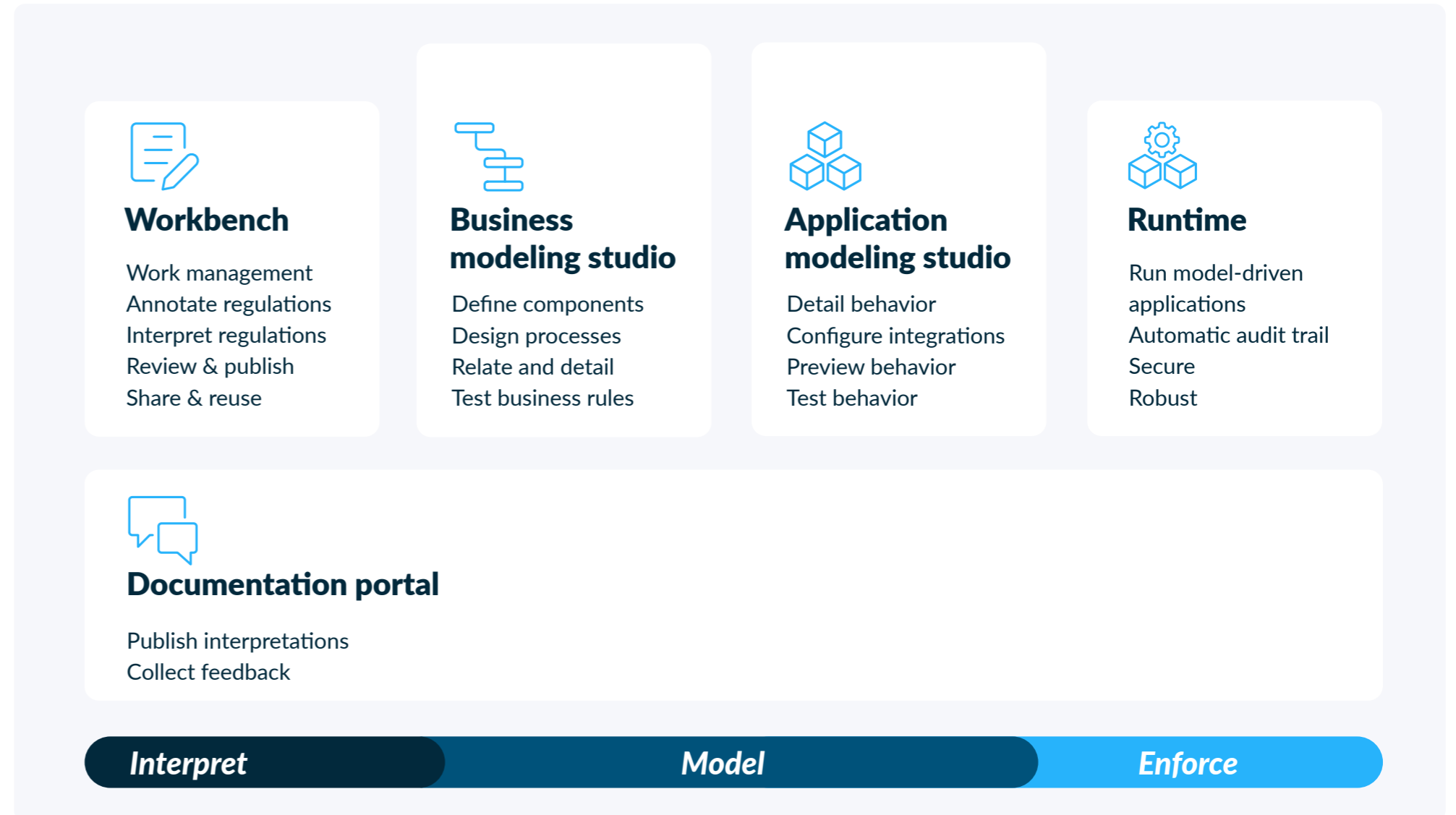**Sources**

Be Informed Products

The products of our platform work together in an integrated and iterative manner.

The Workbench is a SaaS (Software as a Service) product that helps organizations capture, discuss and share explicit interpretations of sources of norms.

The Studios take the normative models from the workbench and incorporate them into the business design and add application behavior.

The Runtime application is deployed in your environment and enables you to enforce your compliance requirements automatically.

The Documentation Portal enables all stakeholders to review, validate and maintain the quality of your interpretations and other business models.

Workbench

Work management
Annotate regulations
Interpret regulations
Review & publish
Share & reuse

Business modeling studio

Define components
Design processes
Relate and detail
Test business rules

Application modeling studio

Detail behavior
Configure integrations
Preview behavior
Test behavior

Runtime

Run model-driven applications
Automatic audit trail
Secure
Robust

Documentation portal

Publish interpretations
Collect feedback

Interpret   *Model*   *Enforce*

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Interpret with the Workbench

The Workbench is your starting point for ensuring complete traceability to, and compliance with, relevant regulations. Regulations are not just collected, documented and interpreted; they are transformed into models and exported as a machine-readable bundle.

Manage sources
Efficiently organize and manage diverse regulatory sources, streamlining access and updates for compliance initiatives.

Manage work
We enable you to import existing sources and interpretations, allocate tasks, manage the flow of work, and monitor timelines.

Interpret with the Workbench

The Workbench aims to capture and model regulatory requirements which will become embedded in your business design, allowing both traceability and direct compliance.
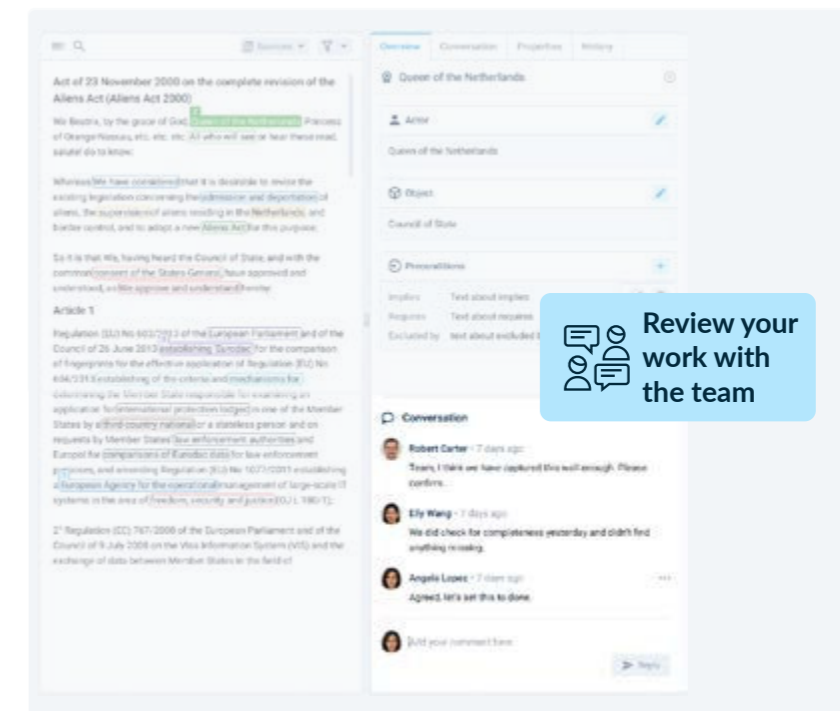

Capture the relevant concepts and relations in a model

Review your work with the team
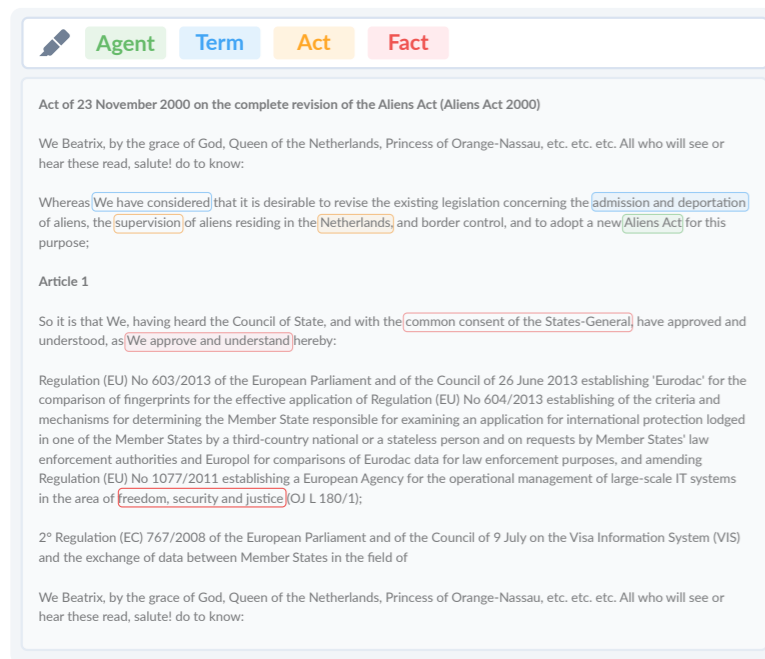
Annotate regulations
After importing a source, you may annotate and highlight what is important.
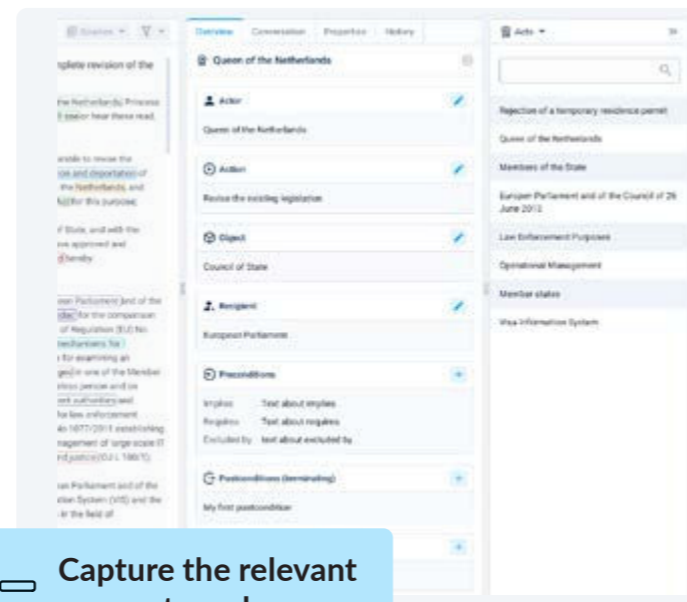
Interpret regulations
You study and interpret the regulation and capture the relevant concepts and relations in a model. The Workbench facilitates conversations and conflict resolution with your team.

Review and publish
Review your interpretation model. When all the comments have been processed and consensus has been reached, a new version of the model can be published.

Model with the Studios

The Studios take the normative models from the Workbench and incorporate them into the business design and add application behavior. Specifically, "the Studios" refers to both the Business Modeling Studio and the Application Modeling Studio.
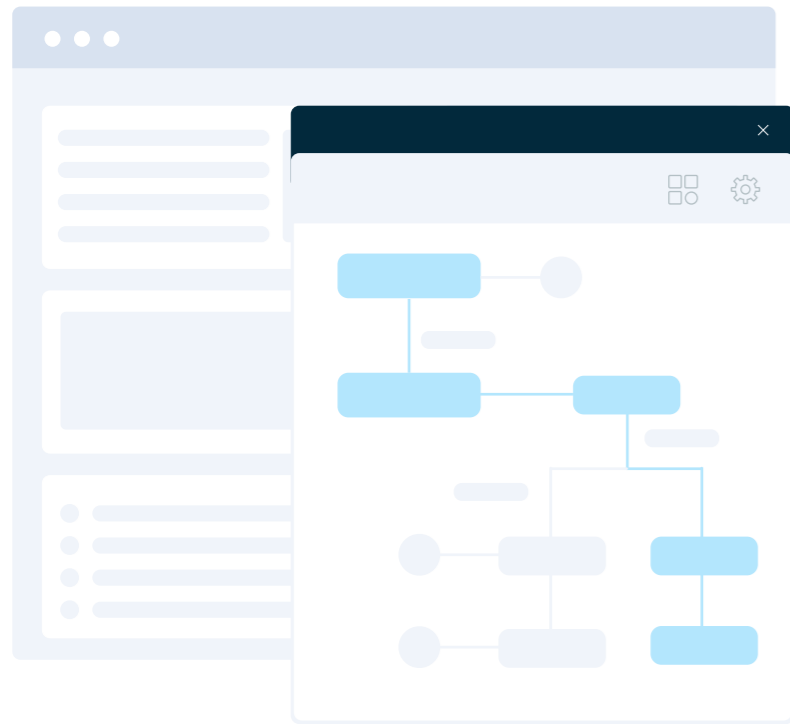
Business Modeling Studio (BMS) is where you design, connect and integrate the knowledge models that describe your business.
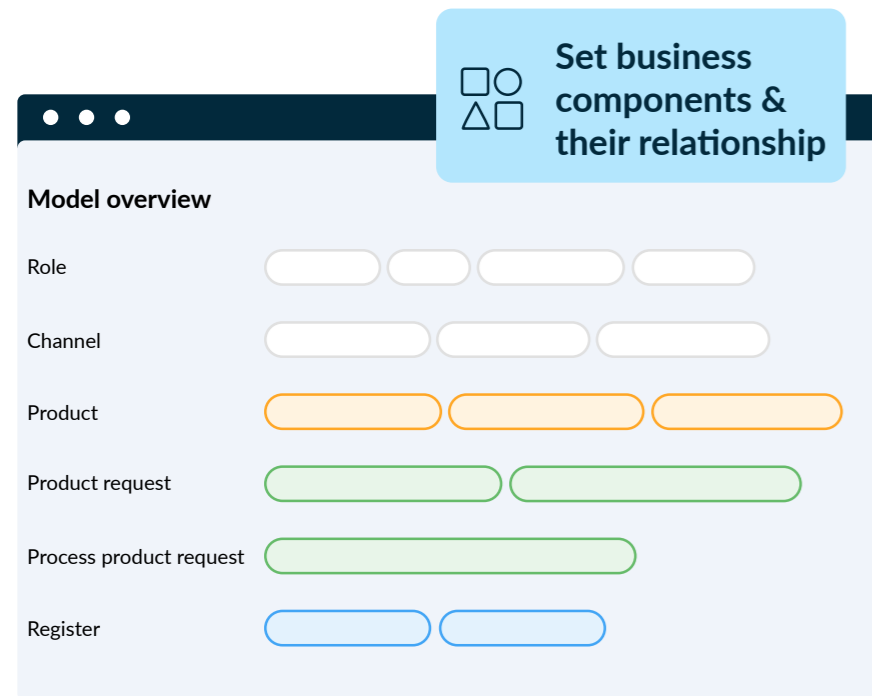
Application Modeling Studio (AMS) is where you add more details to the knowledge models, add specific behavior, develop integrations and implement the user interface(s).

Model with the Studios

With the Studios, you transform your goals, their underlying business rules, and regulatory context into interconnected models.

Set business components & their relationship

Model overview

Role

Channel

Product

Product request

Process product request

Register

performs

decides

calculates

Defines constraints and adds details

Capture your business design
The primary goal of capturing the business design in the Studios is to create a single, shared vision of the solution, a unified set of requirements, and a structured set of business components and their relationships.
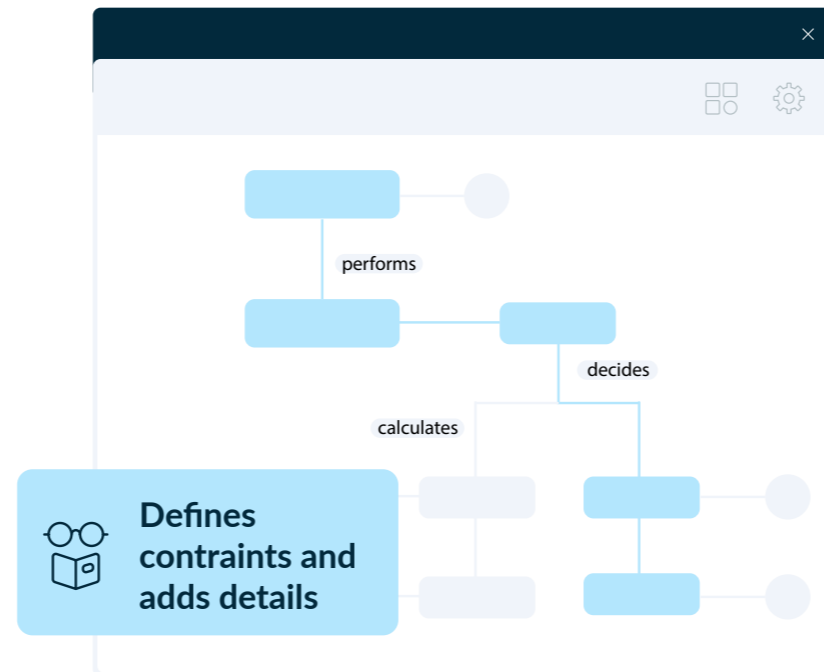
Model constraints and define processes
The detailed business rules of all the decisions supported by the application or service are reflected in their modeled pre- and postconditions. The same is done for all the business processes. Taken together they form an executable solution design where the relevant flow will emerge automatically. A direct connection between the sources of knowledge and their eventual implementation ensures inherent compliance, transparency, explainability and traceability.

Detail application behavior
To complete the transformation of the requirements into a compliant application with great user experience, the out-of-the-box behavior of the models can be fine-tuned. In this last step, the detailed application-level requirements are configured, integrations are added, and the application gets its final look-and-feel.

Enforce compliance with the Runtime

With Be Informed Runtime, your application and its inherent compliance comes to life. Here we combine the interpretations from the Workbench, the design from the BMS Studio and the configured behavior from the AMS Studio to create end-to-end compliant applications and services.

These services and applications provide both freedom and empowerment to end-users in their daily activities. They also ensure fully traceable and explainable compliance within the defined regulatory and rule-based boundaries.

Run model-driven applications
The main objective of Runtime is delivering the compliant application to the end user. The declarative nature of our models and our inference engines ensure that every action is compliant by design while maintaining maximum flexibility for the knowledge worker.

Automatic audit trail
The Be Informed Runtime also creates an automatic audit trail of all actions performed by the application. This creates a complete and explicit log of how the cases evolve and which data and reasoning is used in the decisions.

Secure
Be Informed application implementations are compliant with the strict security requirements of many risk-averse, high-profile financial and government organizations of the world. Our platform follows a 'security by design' paradigm: the platform enforces the security rules defined by the application.
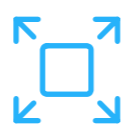
Robust
Our Runtime is known for its robust operation. Although Be Informed applications serve complex business functions, its simple but effective deployment model gives organizations a robust, reliable and easy to operate execution engine.
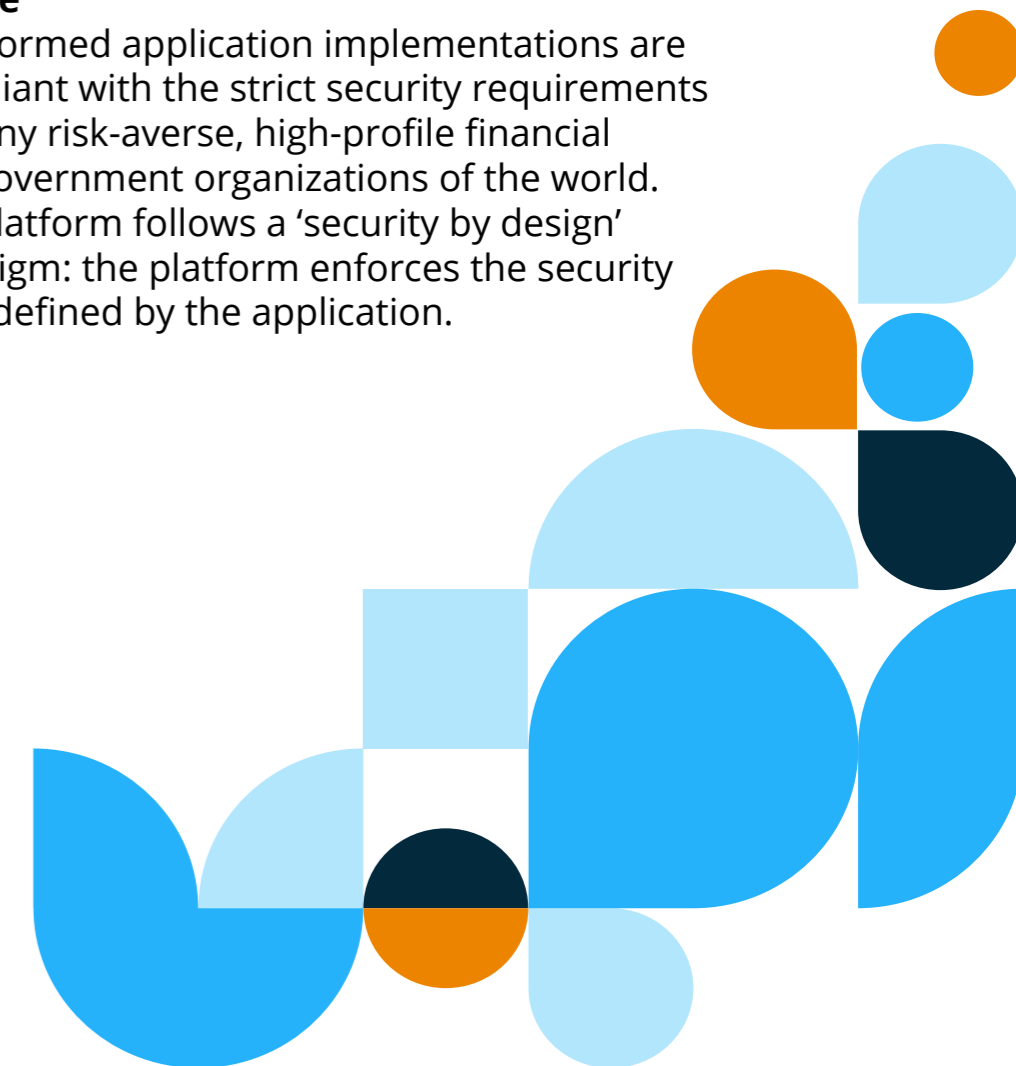
Horizontally scalable
The Be Informed runtime is completely stateless and has a low infrastructure footprint per individual user. This makes it easy to scale Be Informed applications horizontally and match the performance requirements you need.

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Curate in the Documentation portal

The Documentation portal is an online catalog that enables publishing the interpretations of regulations to a broader audience and to collect their feedback. Its main goal is ensuring the accuracy, completeness, reliability and therefore usefulness of knowledge captured in bundles through the Workbench. The modeled interpretations are presented in the context of their sources (and vice versa) to support their evaluation. Users can also provide feedback by creating issue tickets.

Overview
It provides a practical overview of all the imported Workbench models (interpretations) and how they relate to each other and to their sources.
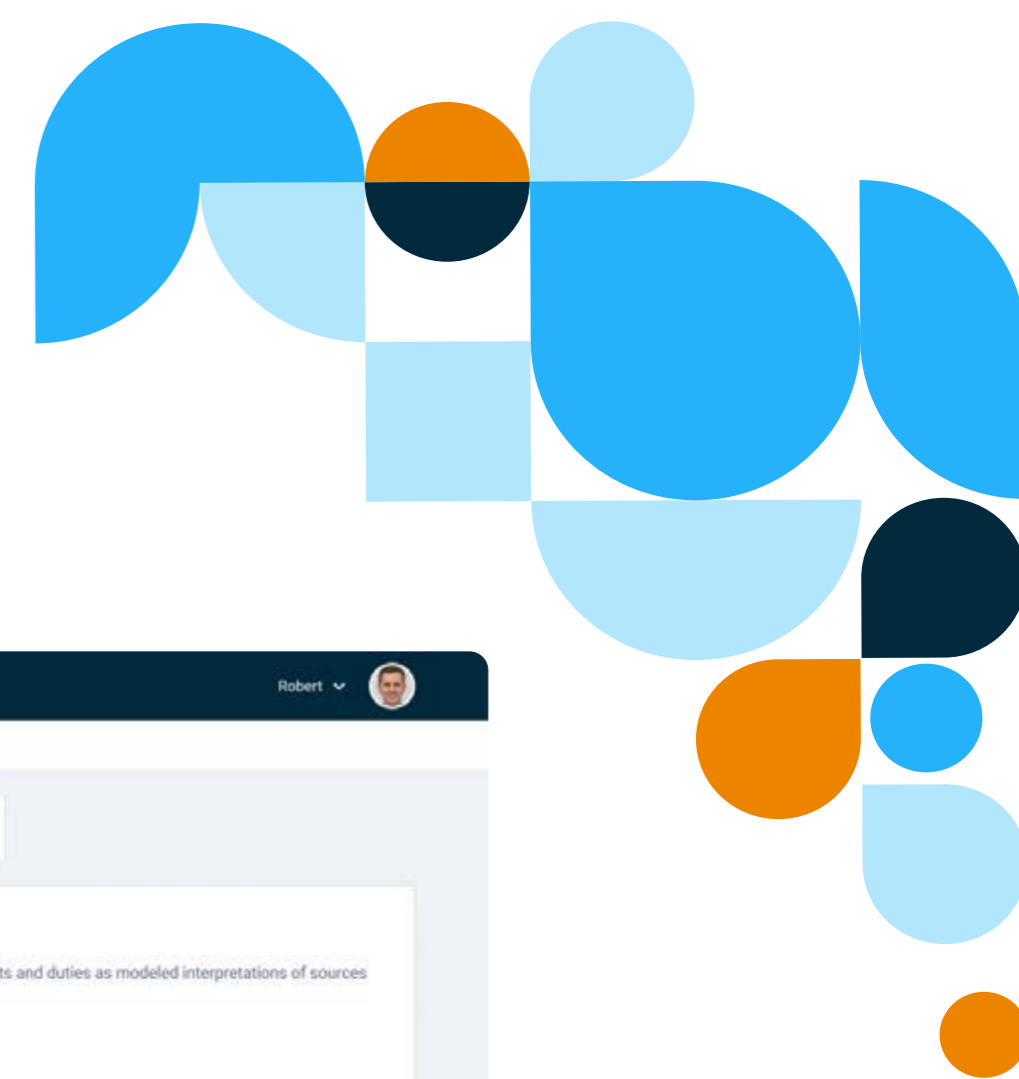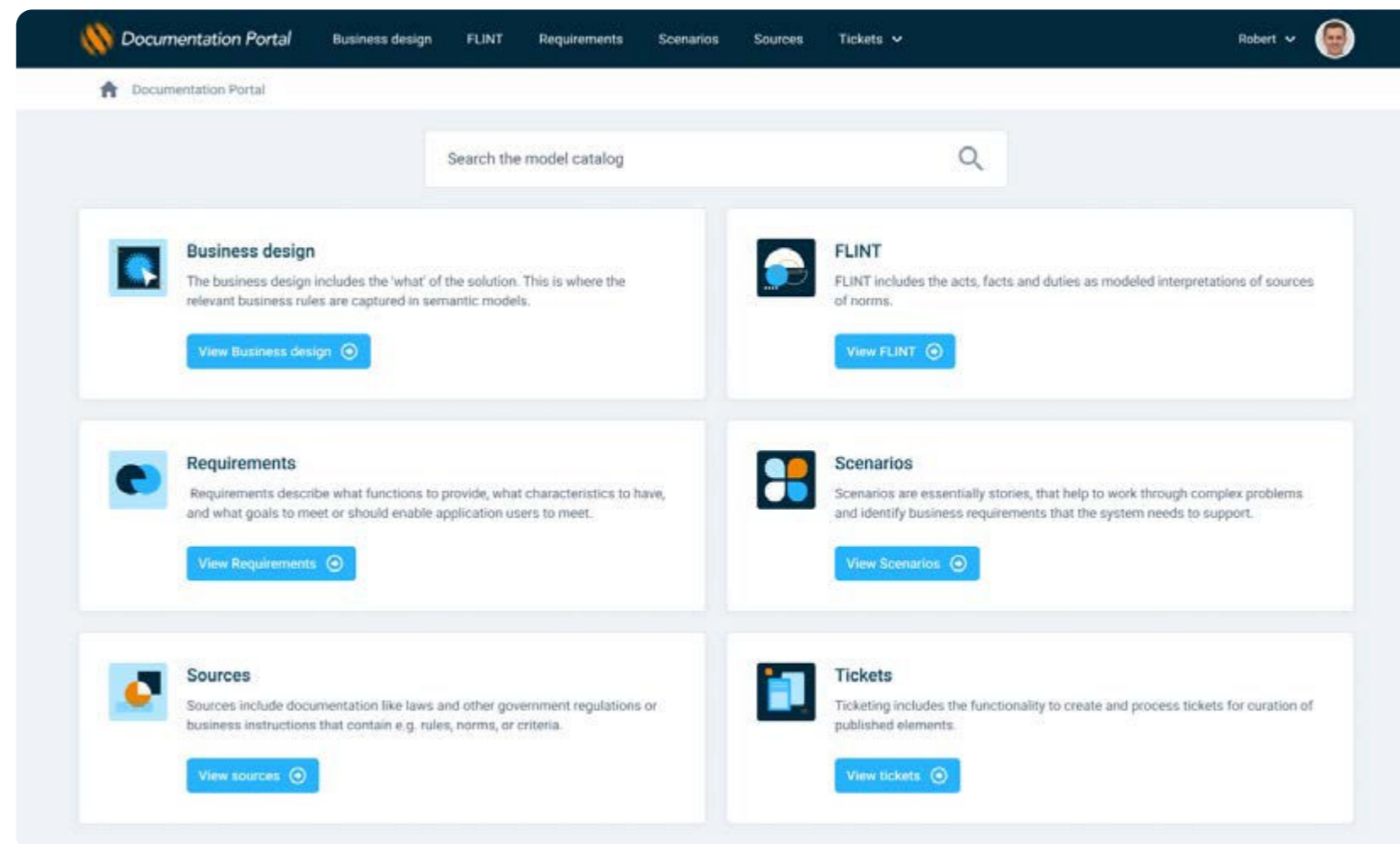
Analyze
It enables you to analyze regulations, interpretations, policies and their implementation.

Curate
It allows you to give feedback on the published models through a ticketing system.

Share with other stakeholders
It allows you to share and validate your Workbench models with other stakeholders that do not have access to the Workbench.

Ready to establish your compliant applications' foundation?

With years of expertise, we're equipped to support your digital development needs effectively. We help clients from various sectors to transform their business processes, including:

- ✓ **Public sector**
- ✓ **Human resources services**
- ✓ **International trade & transport**
- ✓ **Financial services**

Explore the **success stories of our clients**, and learn how we helped them to accelerate their business processes.

Useful resources

Explore these additional resources

Video

Interpreting regulations with the Be Informed Workbench

Explore how our groundbreaking regulatory technology tool simplifies the interpretation and management of regulations.

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Blog

Insights from an Expert: Machine-Readable Regulations

Dive into what machine-readable regulations entail, why they are becoming the preferred choice in regulatory practices, and how they are revolutionizing the way laws are interpreted and enforced.

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What is Norm Engineering in RegTech?

Norm engineering is a relatively new term in RegTech and is quickly gaining traction and recognition. But what is norm engineering? What role can it play in RegTech?

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At Be Informed we specialize in transforming regulations, laws, and rules into automated day-to-day compliant systems, providing you with full control, scalability, traceability, and organizational agility.

We would like to help you further with your journey navigating through complex regulatory landscape. Contact us today:

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