



# Value of The Cloud Select Industry Group (C-SIG)

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# Cloud Select Industry Group – Subgroups



The European Commission facilitated the work of the industry to finalise a code of conduct for cloud computing providers – supporting a uniform application of data protection rules by cloud service providers.



The goal of this subgroup was to work towards the development of standardisation guidelines.



The 2012 European Cloud Strategy committed the European Commission to delivering a European Cloud Initiative, including certification.

# Cloud Select Industry Group on Certification Schemes (CSIG – Cert)



Together CSIG-Cert and the European Union Agency for Network and Information Security (ENISA) delivered a list of (voluntary) certification schemes for the cloud (CCSL) to give potential cloud customers more transparency about certification schemes and how they relate to the cloud.



As an extension of the CCSL, CSIG-Cert and ENISA also delivered the Cloud Certification Schemes Metaframework (CCSM) in order to facilitate the use of existing certification schemes during procurement of cloud services. It provides a neutral, high-level mapping of potential customers' security requirements to security objectives in existing cloud certification schemes.

# Certified Security & Quality



# Cloud Select Industry Group on Service Level Agreements (CSIG – SLA)

- The Cloud Select Industry Group on Service Level Agreements Subgroup (CSIG-SLA) worked towards the development of standardisation guidelines for cloud computing SLAs between cloud providers and cloud service customers. In June 2014 the CSIG-SLA Subgroup finalized its work and prepared the SLA standardisation guidelines.

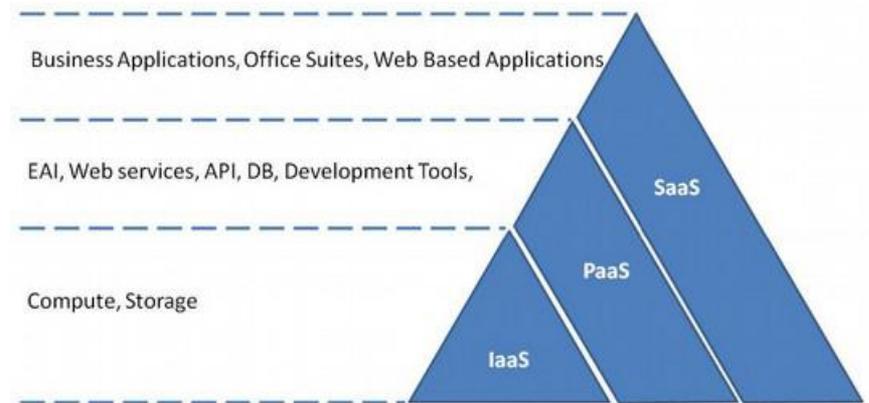
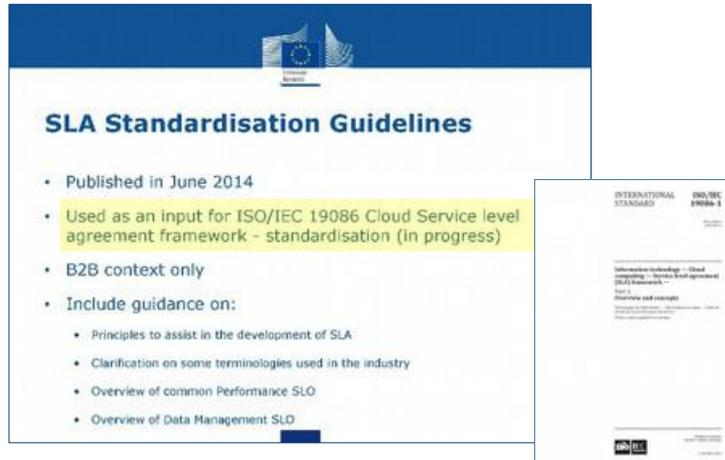


Figure: Cloud Services Considered for SLAs

# Cloud Select Industry Group on Code of Conduct (CSIG – CoC)

- The Communication "Unleashing the Potential of Cloud Computing in Europe" states that the Commission will facilitate the work of the industry to agree on a code of conduct for cloud computing providers.



**Easier and more transparent analysis**  
of cloud services

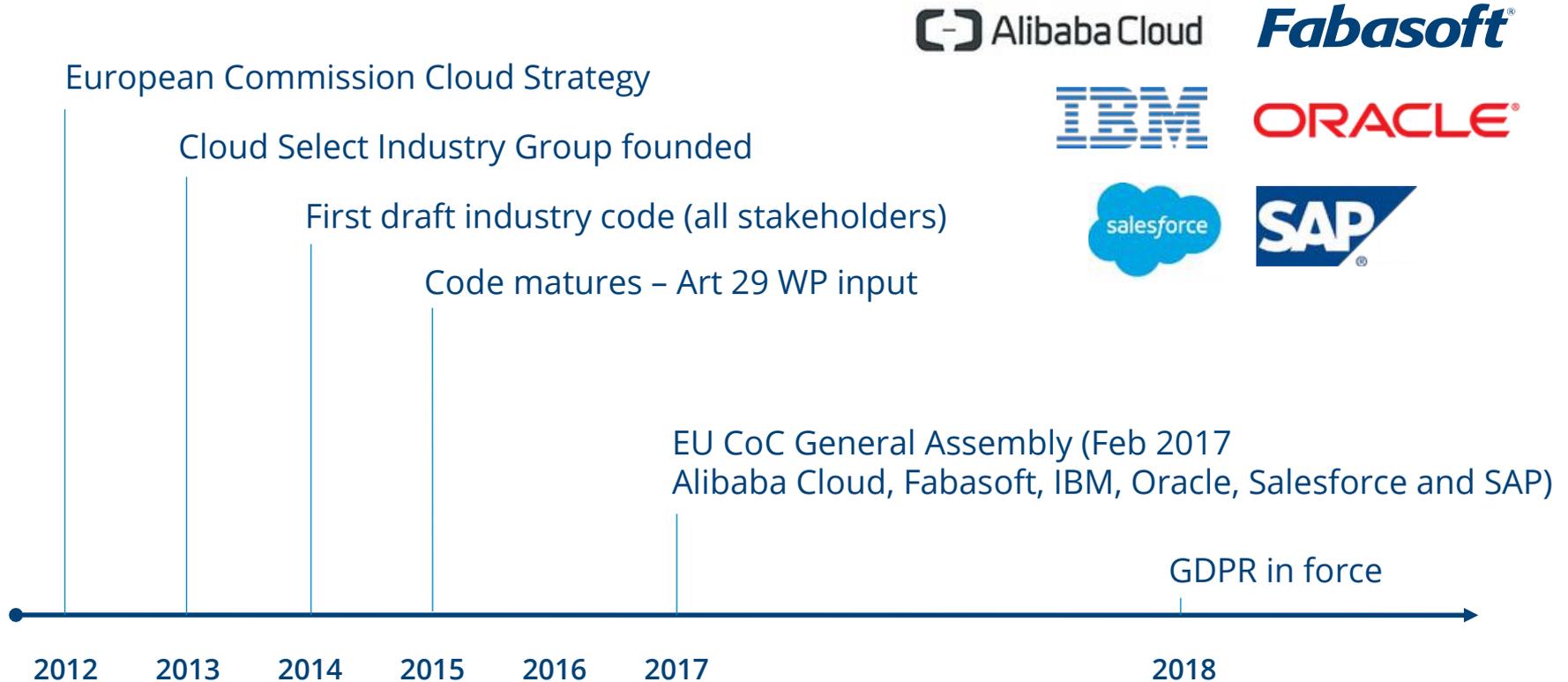


**High default level of data protection** in European  
cloud computing market



**No room for opt-outs or exceptions** for signed in  
cloud service providers

# Provenance and Timeline CSIG-CoC



# Why the Digital Single Market ?

- Growth & Jobs the highest priority
- Global economy rapidly becoming digital
- Changes happening rapidly; need European solutions
- Improve cross-border opportunities
- Break down national silos; avoid fragmentation
- Keep EU on an equal footing with other major economies



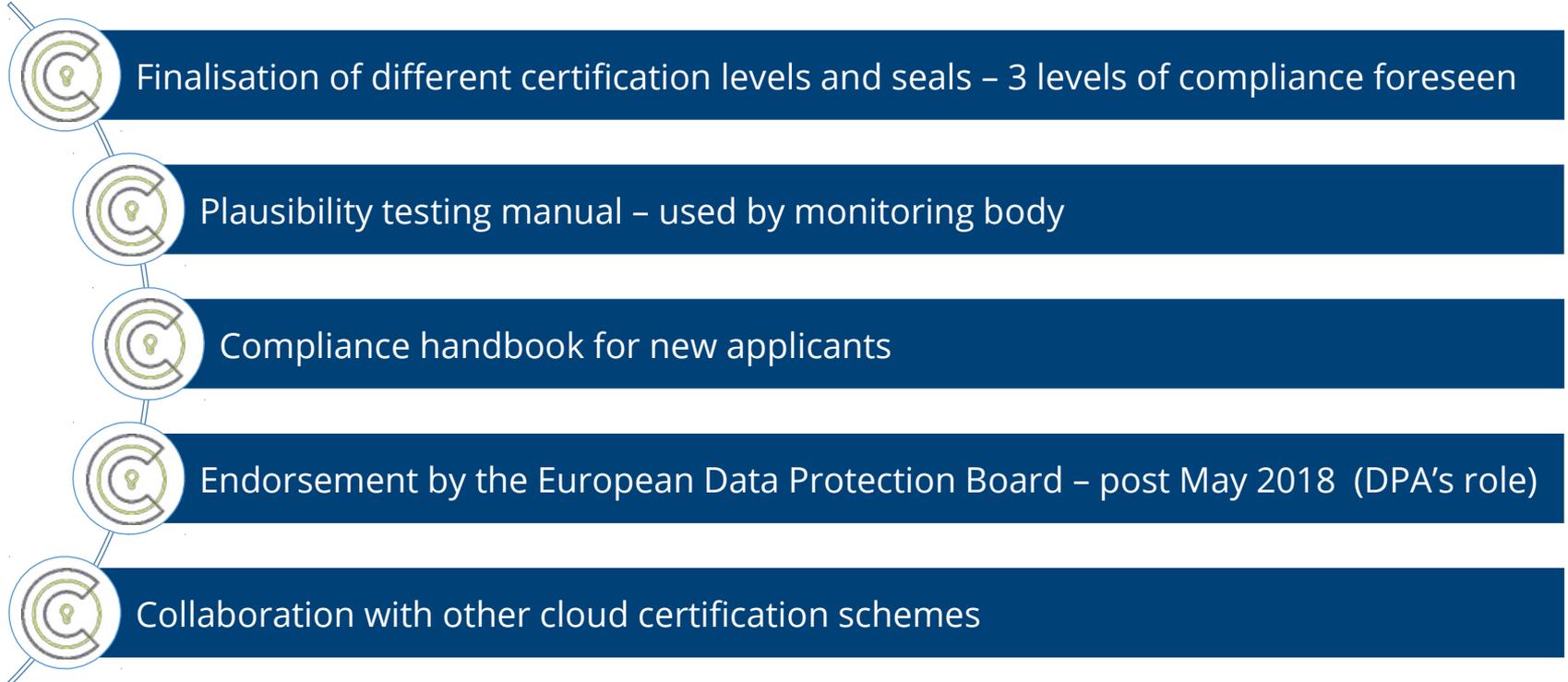
**Focus on limited number of coherent, high-impact initiatives**

# The new General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)



**The majority of US and EU companies are not ready for the new privacy requirements of the GDPR.**

# Next Steps for the EU Code of Conduct for CSPs



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