

# Understanding the data model

Use case integrated audit IAS

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#### **Internal Audit Service**

- Internal auditor of the Commission, agencies and other bodies.
- 10 audit units, 1 specialized in IT audit
- Increase in demand integrated audit, data analytics, IT expertise.



## Consultancy engagement data analytics

- Topic: Accounting for invoices technical interventions
- Integrated team : accountancy and IT expertise required



## **Challenges faced**

- Understanding accountancy principles (provisions)
- Understanding data flow , data model, data integrity

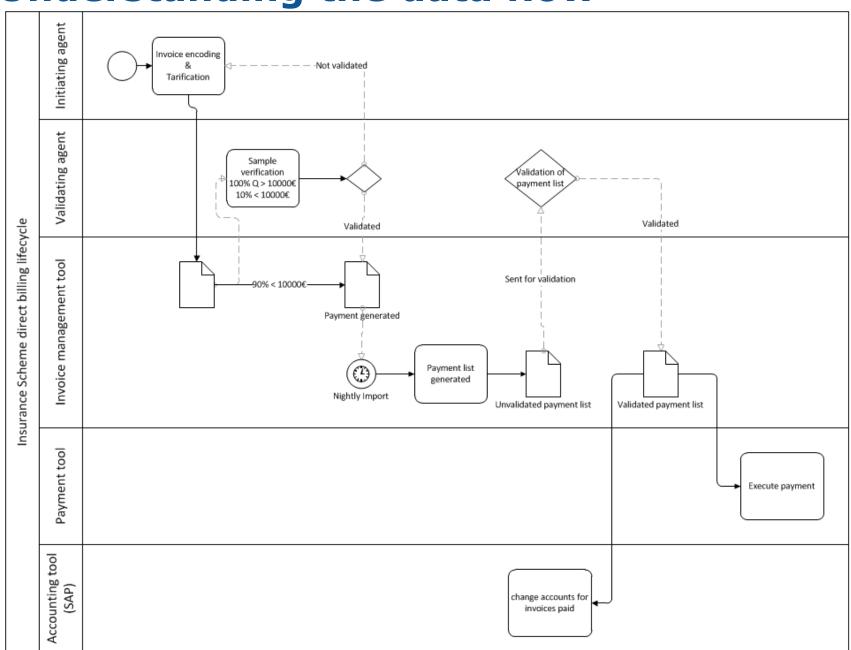


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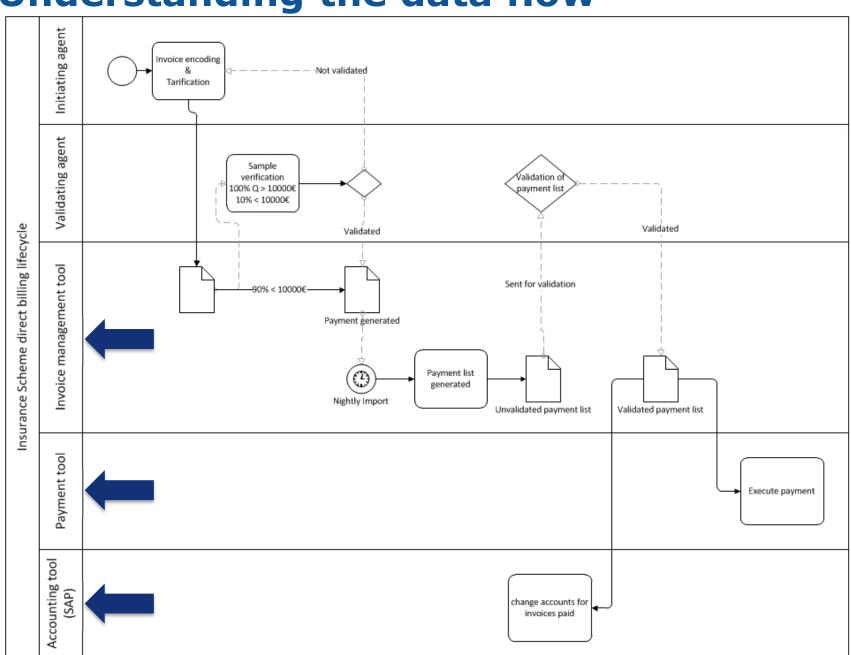
- Use case developed based on consultancy engagement
- 2<sup>nd</sup> pilot course given in June



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#### **Understanding the data model**

INVOICES		
PK <sup>†</sup>	INVOICE_ID	
FK1	INVOICE_SCANNR INVOICE_TYPE PERSON_ID PERSON_ID_OBTAINED_FROM INVOICE_DATE DATE_START DATE_END LAST_EXAM_DATE TOTAL_AMOUNT_CURRENCY TOTAL_AMOUNT_IN_EURO AMOUNT_TO_BPAID INVOICE_COMMENT INVOICE_REFERENCE SYSADMIN_DATE_MODIFY SYSADMIN_REASON_MODIFY TARIFICATION_BYPASSED_FLAG PAYMENT_DATE	

INVOICE INJECTIONS	
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FK1	INVOICE_SCANNR INVOICE_TYPE DATE_CREATE USER_CREATE DATE_PAYMENT

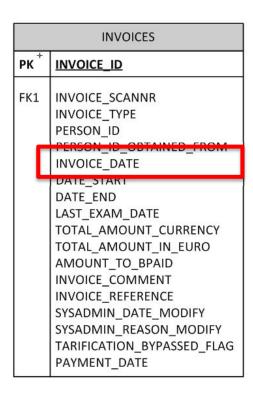
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	PAYMENT DATE		
	PAYMENT_AFFILIATE		
	AMOUNT_TO_BPAID		
	AFFILIATE_BANK_NUMBER		
	AFFILIATE_COUNTRY		
	AFFILIATE_BANK		
	PAYMENT_ORDER_EXECUTED_FLAG		

TARIFICATION COMMENTS		
PK	COMMENT_ID	
	OBJ_CD OBJ_ID OST_CD PER_ID_DEFINER PER_ID_CLOSER CMT_CONTENT DATE_CREATE USER_CREATE DATE_MODIFY USER_MODIFY SYSADMIN_DATE_MODIFY SYSADMIN_REASON_MODIFY	

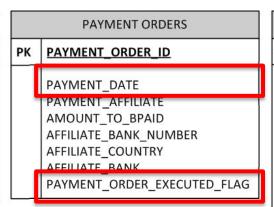
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	USER_CREATE	
	DATE_MODIFY	
	USER_MODIFY	
	SYSADMIN_DATE_MODIFY	
	SYSADMIN_REASON_MODIFY	

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#### **Conclusion**

- Design of tests prone to error when not understanding the business process
- Crucial to understand IT tools and processes behind
- Unexpected recommendations stemming from business analytics efforts

