

# REACH-IT

## Overview

***Important note:*** This presentation has been developed in April 2008 for training purposes. It covers the complete scope of REACH-IT.

***For latest information*** on REACH-IT and availability of its different functionalities, please consult the REACH-IT section on the ECHA website.

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## 1. REACH-IT in brief

REACH-IT is:

- *For the REACH Authorities*
  - The software system for supporting the work of the European Chemicals Agency and the Member State Competent Authorities in their implementation of the REACH regulation
- *For Industry*
  - The medium for the secure submission of information to the Agency
- *For the general public and other interested third parties*
  - The source for the non-confidential information that is made available to the general public

# 1. REACH-IT in brief – Key Features



REACH-IT provides specific support:

- **Authorities**
  - Integrated support for the REACH procedures/workflows
  - Search and report mechanisms
- **Industry**
  - Secure submission of data
  - Support for the REACH requirements such as joint submission
  - Consultation of dossier status
- **General public**
  - Easy access to publicly available data
  - Search mechanisms
  - Download of public data

## 2. Functionality for Industry

- Company identification - account creation
  - Sign-up
  - User account management
- Data sharing
  - Inquiry
  - Pre-registration and pre-SIEF
- Data submission
  - Joint submission
  - Online data entry, e.g. PPORD, Inquiry
  - Submission of notifications and registration dossiers
- Dossier consultation
- Message box for communication with the Agency

## 3. Relationship with IUCLID 5

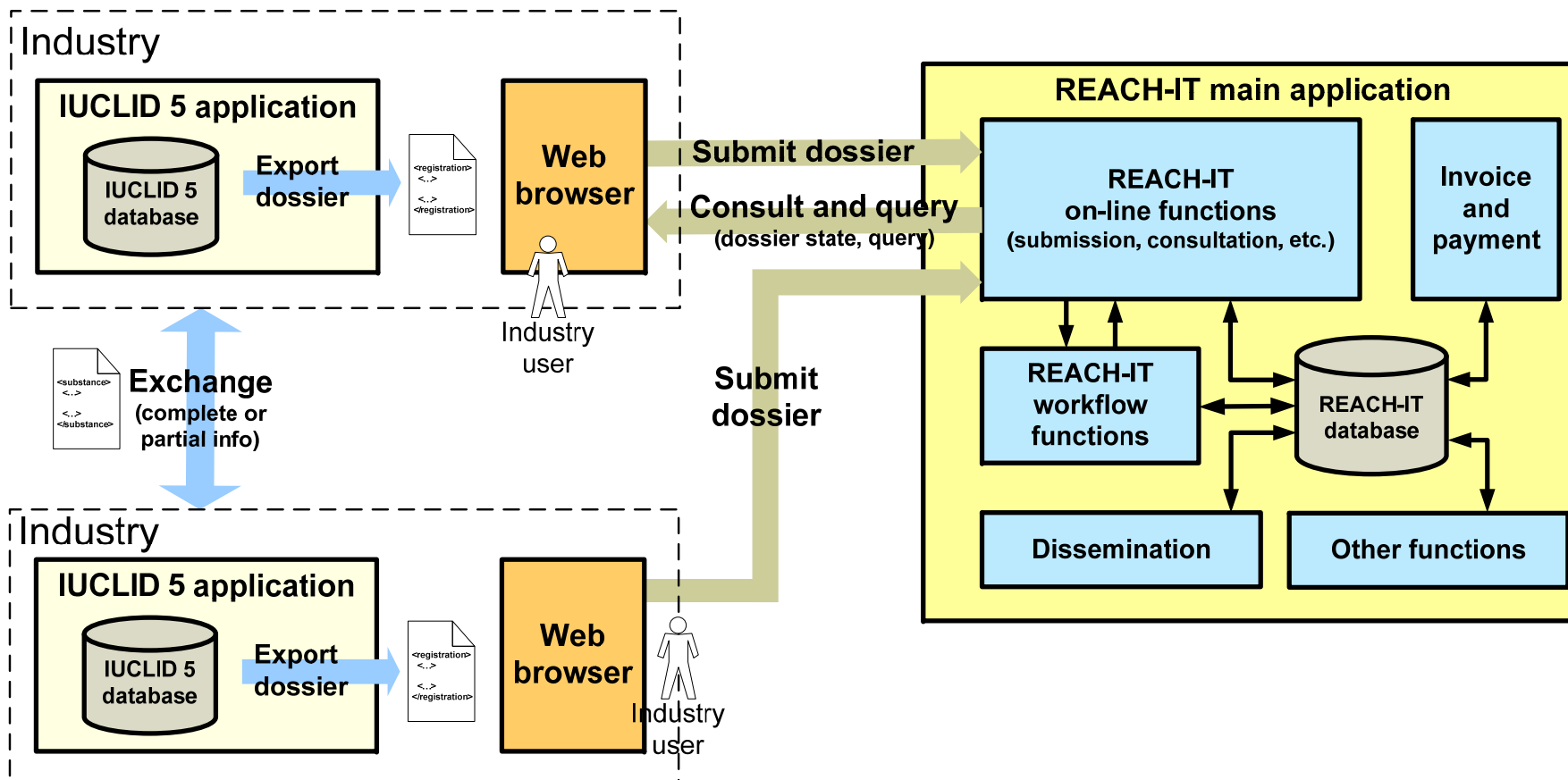
### REACH-IT

- Is a unique central system installed at ECHA
- Is a multi-party system where Industry and Authority parties co-exist
- Is a web-based application
- Is the application where dossiers are submitted by registrants

### IUCLID 5

- Is a decentralised system installed at Industry as well as at MSCAs and ECHA
- Is essentially a single-party system
- Is a client-server application
- Is the application where substance information is encoded and compiled into dossiers

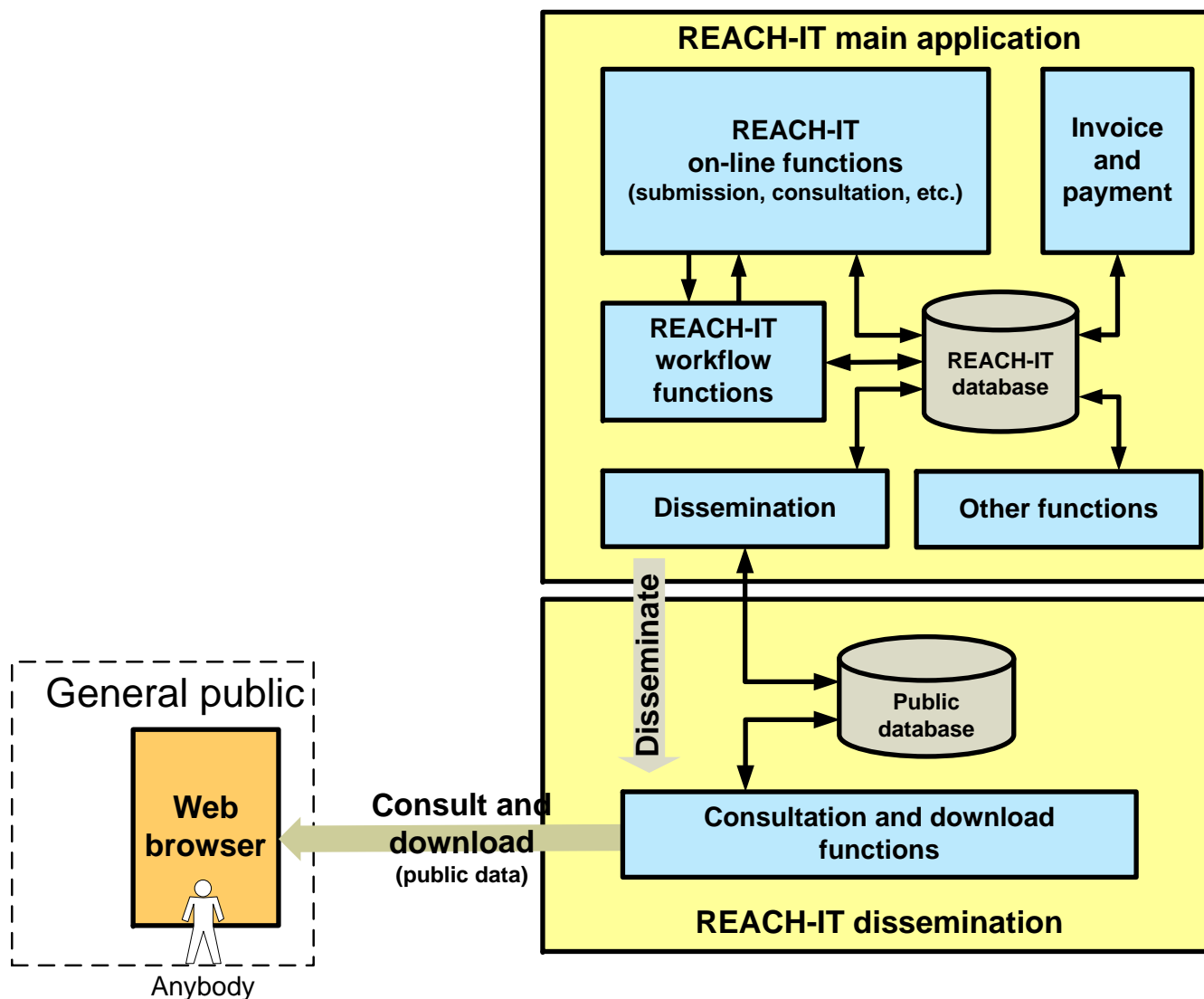
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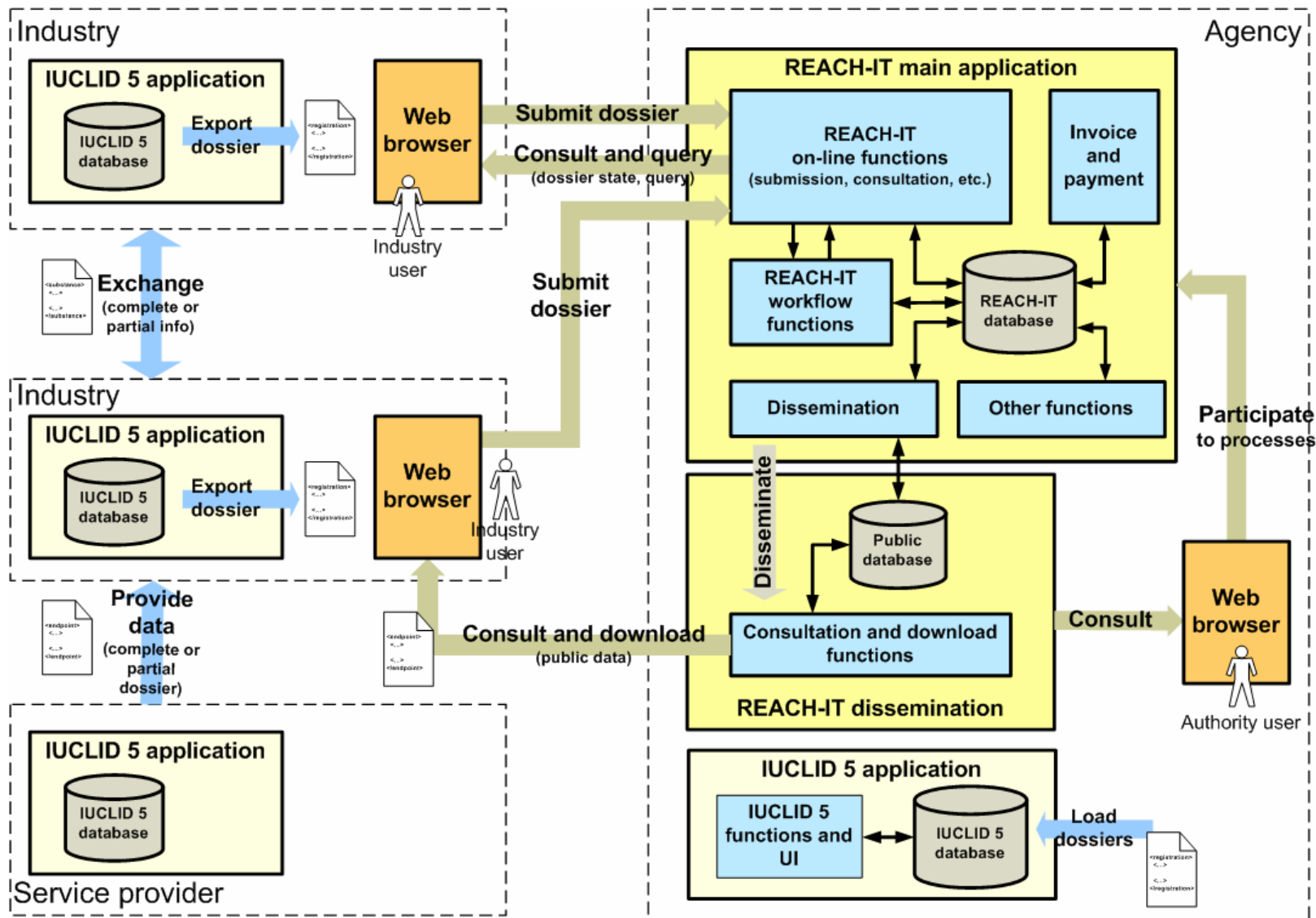
## 4. Dissemination

- REACH-IT is composed of two applications
  - The **main application**
    - Authenticated parties
      - Agency and Member State Competent Authorities
      - Industry
    - Support for core REACH business functions
    - Filtering of confidential information prior to dissemination
  - The **dissemination application**
    - Non-authenticated parties
      - General public and other interested third parties
    - Consultation and download of publicly available data

# 4. Dissemination



# 5. The Complete Picture



## 6. Software/Hardware Requirements



- A PC with Internet connection, preferably broadband to support the submission of large dossier files
- A standard browser
  - Internet Explorer 6.x or higher
  - Firefox 2.0 or higher

The application has been tested with IE 6.0, IE 7.0 and Firefox 2.0