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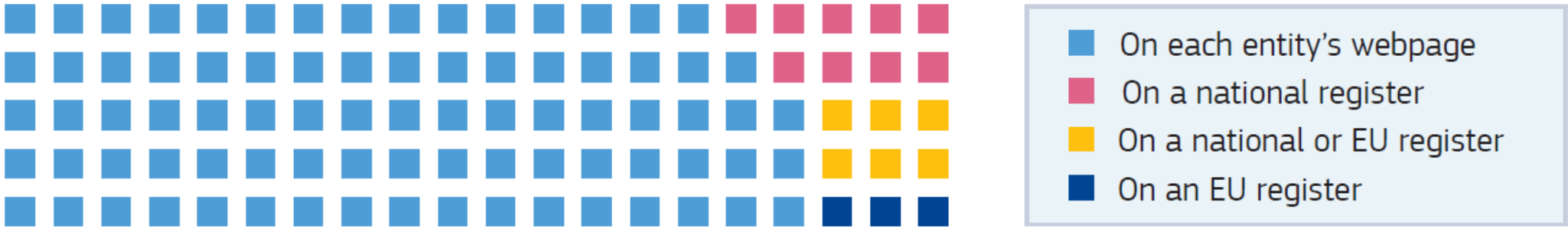
What are thee problems?

As an investor, where do I find information today?



- **Today: no centralised search system** on all public information on entities or financial products
- **Digital use and re-use of information hampered** by inadequate formats, language barriers, restrictive terms of use, inability to bulk download, paid access, questionable quality, integrity and credibility of data.

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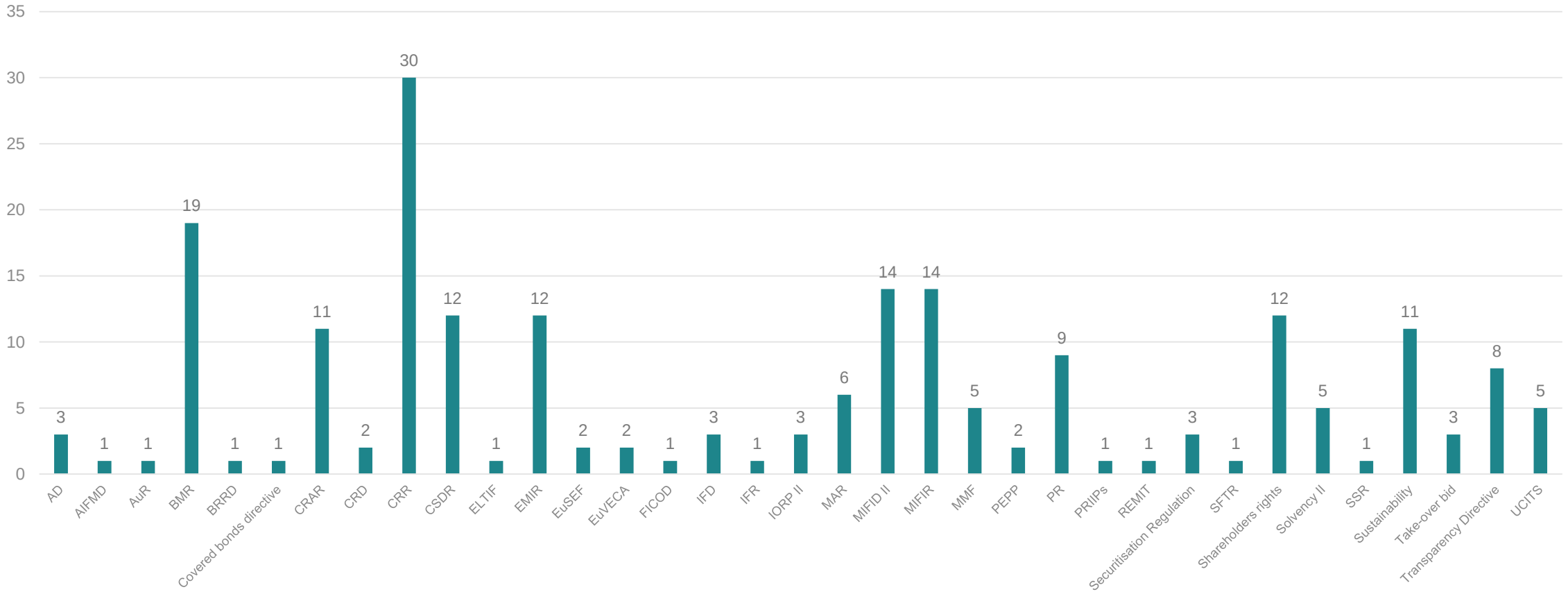
Number of public reporting requirements



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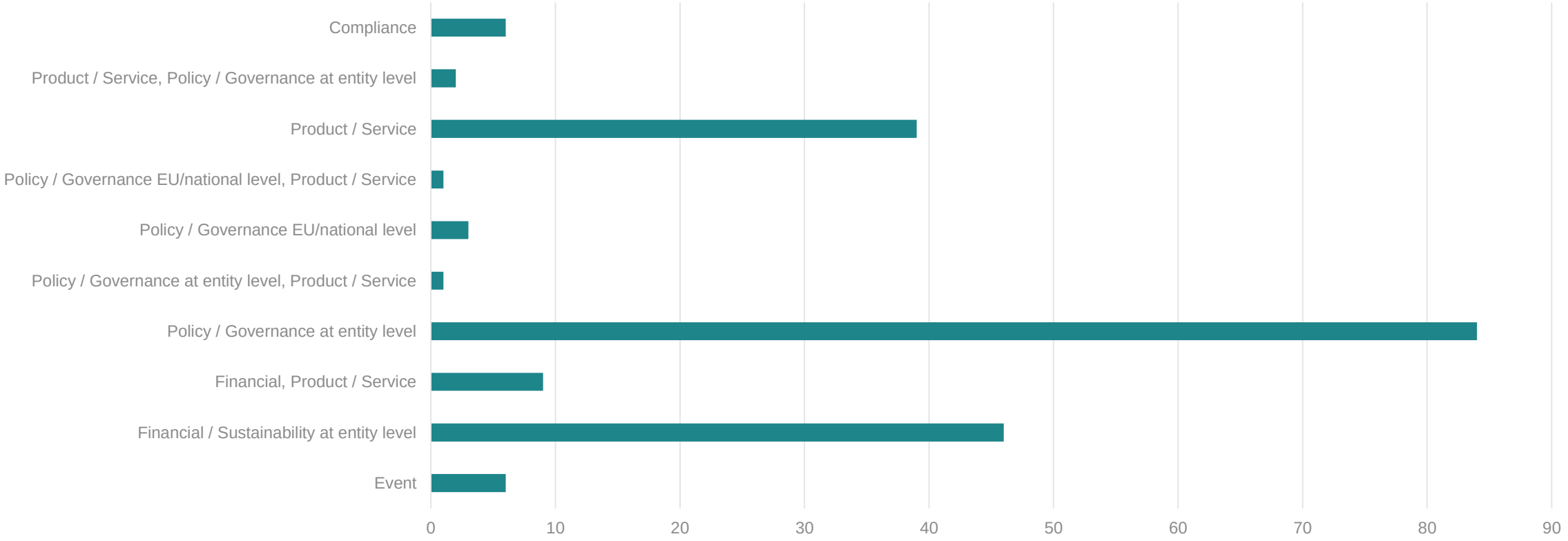
Type of reporting requirements



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What is the solution ?

Scope of information	• 200+ existing reporting obligations published by over 150 000 reporting entities • In addition, voluntary information submitted by any entity in the Union
Formats	• Any open and widely used IT formats allowing data extraction (not only human readable) • Common minimum metadata for all information • Commission powers to develop machine readable formats (case-by-case approach)

Collection of information	• Collection bodies include:
	  • National Officially Appointed Mechanisms (OAMs)
	  • National Competent Authorities (NCAs)
	  • European Supervisory Authorities – (ESAs
	• Collection bodies make information available to ESAP (via API)

Digital use and re-use	• Information easily accessible by end users from ESAP:
	  • Free of charge with open terms of use
	  • Bulk download, machine accessible (API)
	• Friendly interface, translation of content, notifications, secure and traceable data

Governance	• European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA) in charge (in cooperation with EBA, EIOPA)

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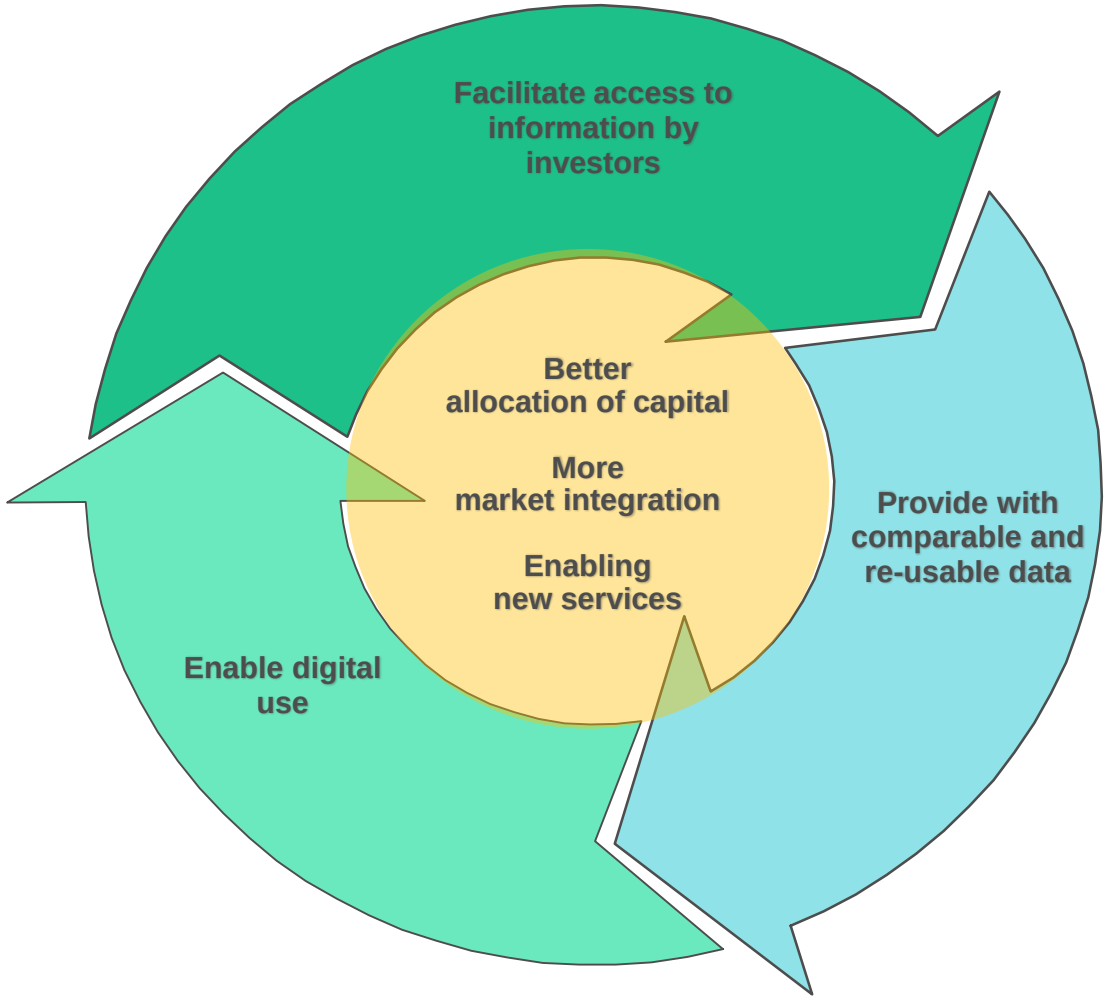
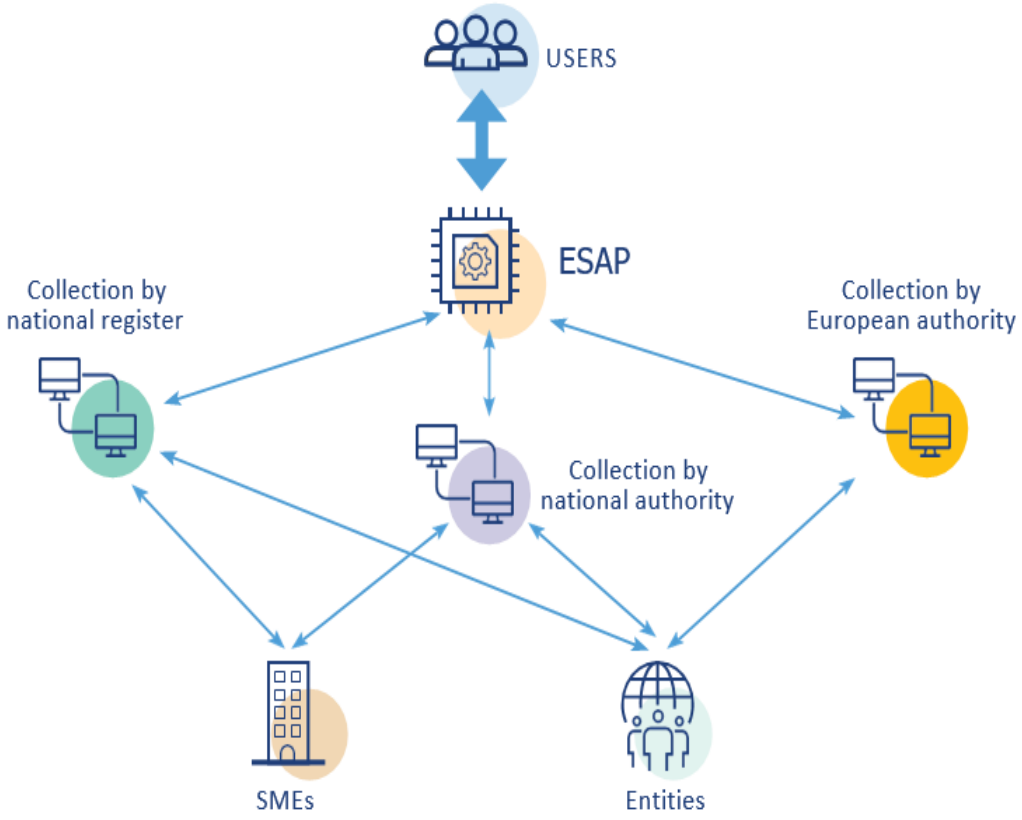
What will be achieved?





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