

# Repository services: How can we help you?

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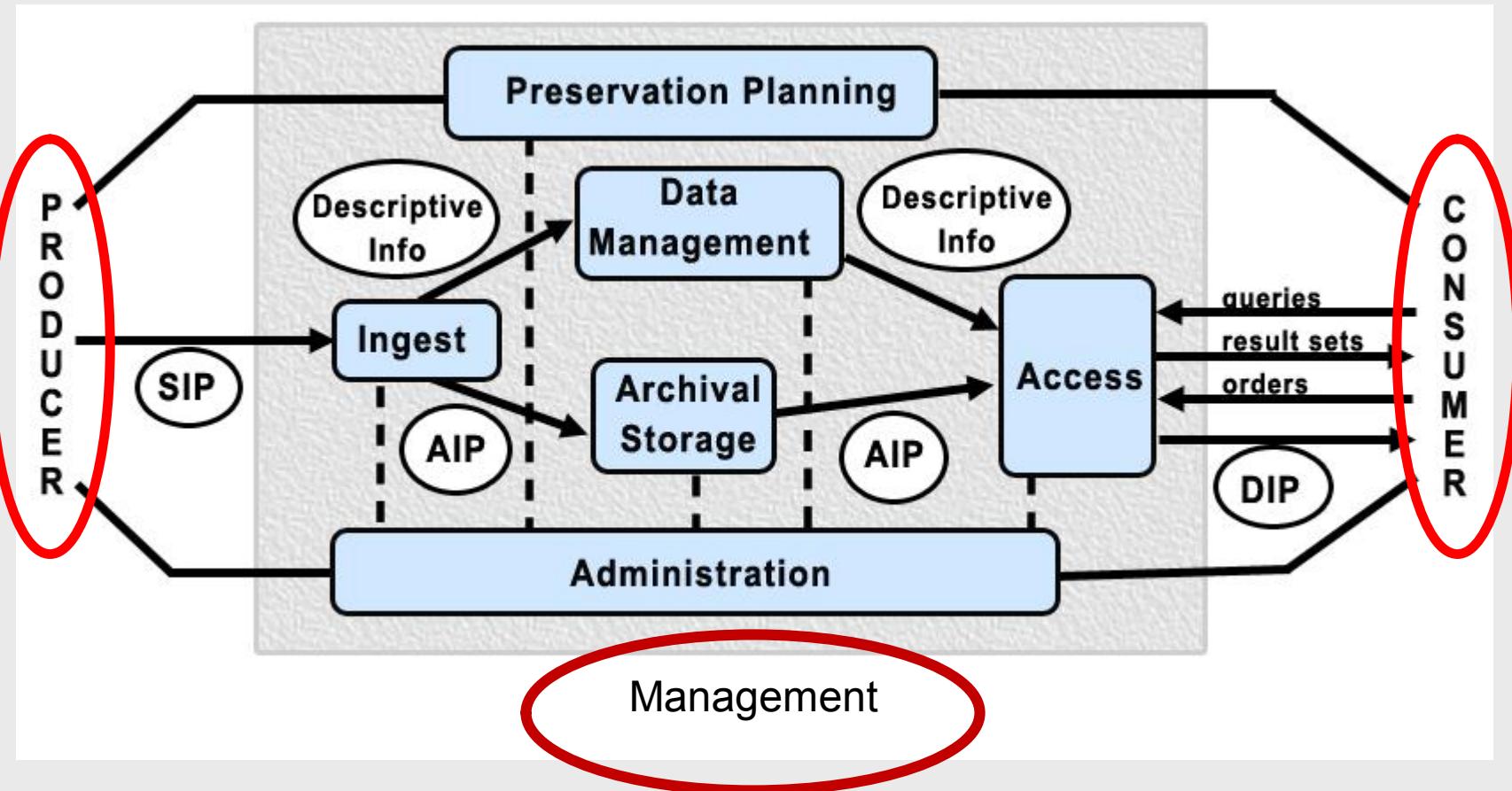
# What drives outsourcing?

- Lack of resource: skills, infrastructure, space, money
- Need for customised solutions
- Wishing to play to your strengths: partnership
- Help in scoping the problem: what do we acquire, for who, for how long ?
- Need for customised solutions
- Looks better in the accounts

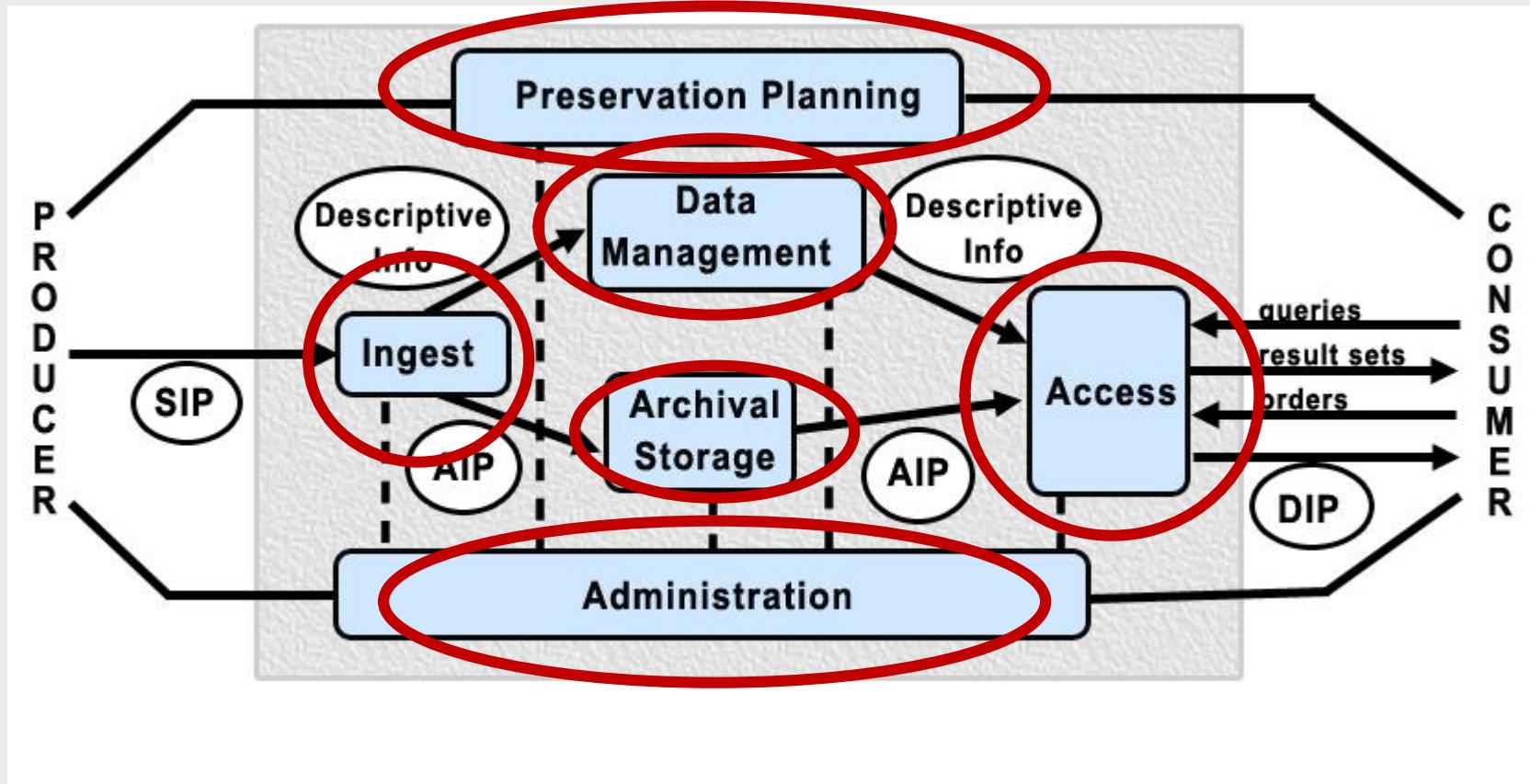
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**We're cheap!!!**

# Using external models: actors in OAIS



# Actions – the functions



## Range of solutions

- Preservation storage + characterisation
- Repository hosting
- Customisation: media, functionality, access, security
- Depositor and/or user liaison
- Development partnership or ‘intelligent hands’
- Digitisation; difficult ingest



1273-32

flavescens licheni  
*(Graeffe)*; flavo-virescens  
Lichenes info-lactice Huds.  
Aug. 32° 25° verte.  
Habitat in saprophytic mosses prolixo  
sim calcaris.

<b>Genus:</b>	<i>Lichen</i>	
<b>Species:</b>	<i>flavescens</i>	
<b>Genus number:</b>	1273	
<b>Sheet number:</b>	32	
<b>Smith script:</b>	[Lichen] elegans Ach. Prod. 102	
<b>script:</b>	[Swartz:] Lichen flavescens [illegible] flavo [?virescens] suctellis nefo lutei Huds. Angl. 527 25 verte. Habitat in nipibus [illegible] [on verso of ticket] Ex Gotlandia Lightfoot host 871 [partially illegible]	
<b>Geography:</b>	Gotlandia	
<b>Author:</b>	Swartz, Olof	
<b>Exherb:</b>	Swartz, Olof and Linnaeus, Carl	
<b>Collection history:</b>	Swartz, O. > Linnaeus, C.	

#### Derived Data

Annotations:	Name	Ref	Annotated by	Date	
	1	Lichen elegans Ach. Prod. 102	Smith, Sir James Edward	UNSPECIFIED	
Locality:	Sweden > Gotland				
Country:	Sweden				
Country code:	SE				
Region code:	10				
Level 4 code:	SWE-OO				

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My interpretation of Swartz's text is: Lichen flavescens, Crustaceus, flavo virescens, - scutellis rufo-luteis. Huds. Angl. 527 25. verte. Habitat in rupibus ad muris, proferlim[?] calcareis.

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# Three aspects of obsolescence

- Managing the past: dealing with legacy material
- Managing the present: stabilising current material
- Managing the future:
  - Developing processes for long-term viability
  - Establishing good practice
  - Monitoring technological and organisational change

# Customers past and present

- British Library
- The National Archives
- The Linnaen Society
- Birkbeck College
- AIM25 consortium
- Institute of Musical Research
- School of Advanced Studies, University of London

# Summary

- We have the expertise and the practical experience to:
  - help you plan any or all of these aspects
  - carry out some or all of these functions
  - Identify other partners where appropriate
- A multi-disciplinary team: bridging the gap of understanding

# Consider Us!

We may be cost-effective!!!