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# IEC 63521

# MLMD – Performance

MLMD: Machine Learning-enabled Medical Device

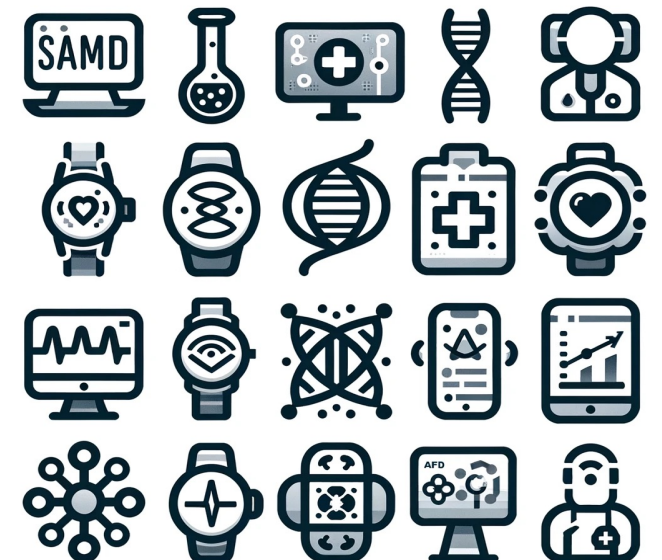
# Evaluation Process



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# Simple Curriculum Vitae

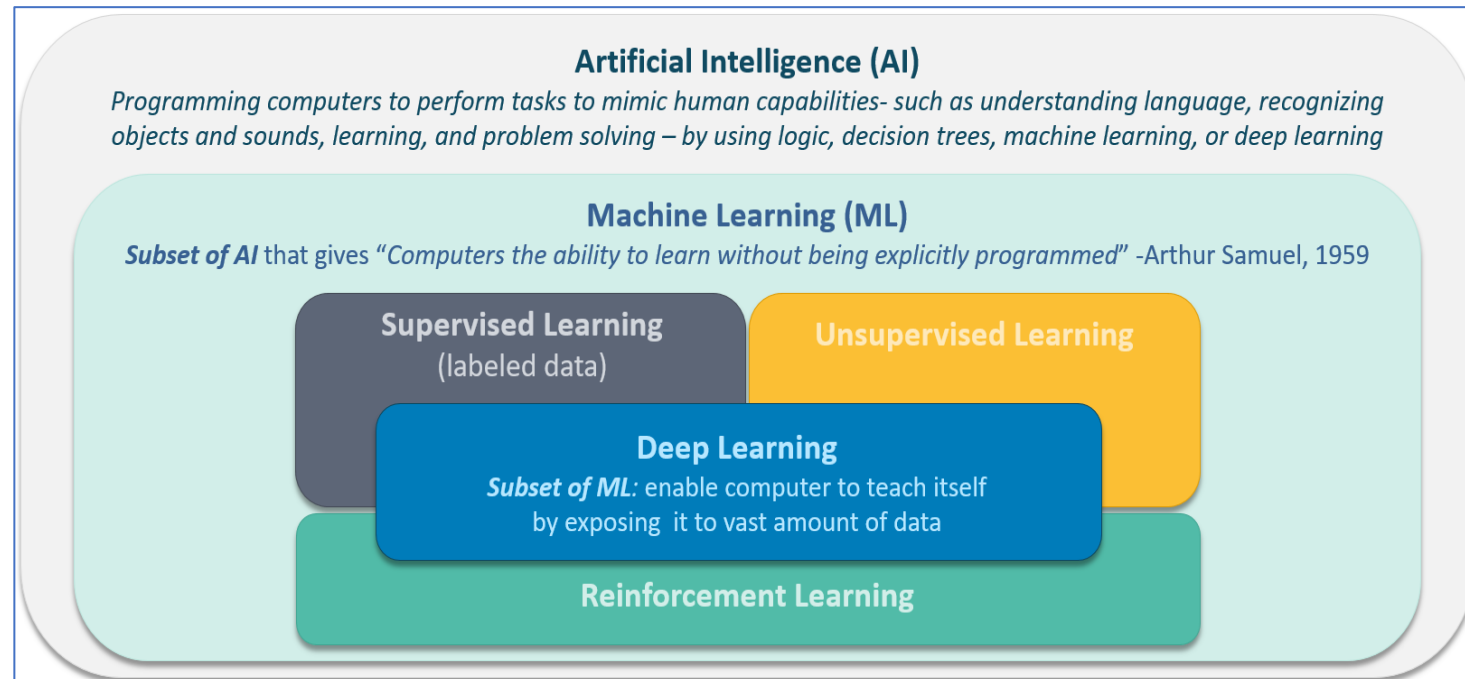
- **IEC TC62 A, D (Medical equipment, software and systems)**
  - (Convenor) PT 63521 (Project Team 63521) - AI/ML-MD performance evaluation
  - (Project leader) IEC 63521 Machine Learning-enabled Medical Device - Performance Evaluation Process
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  - (Project editor) ISO/IEC TS 29119-11 Testing for AI Systems
- **IEC TC124 (Wearable Electronics)**
  - (Convenor) ahG7 (Future Use Cases for Wearable)
  - (Project Leader) IEC 63203-402-2:2024 (Step counting)
- **ISO/IEC JTC 1/WG 12 (3D Printing & Scanning)**
  - (Project Editor) ISO/IEC 3532-2:2024 Medical image-based Modeling - Part2: Segmentation.
  - (Project Editor) ISO/IEC CD 8803 - accuracy and precision evaluation process for modeling from 3D scanned data
  - (Proposed NP) Phantom-based evaluation methods for 3D printing modelling software
- **IMDRF (International Medical Device Regulators Forum) AIMD WG**
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- KoSAIM Director of Standardization (1st term: 2018-2020, 2nd term: 2021-2023)
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# Definition of MLMD

## ■ IMRDF's MLMD Definition

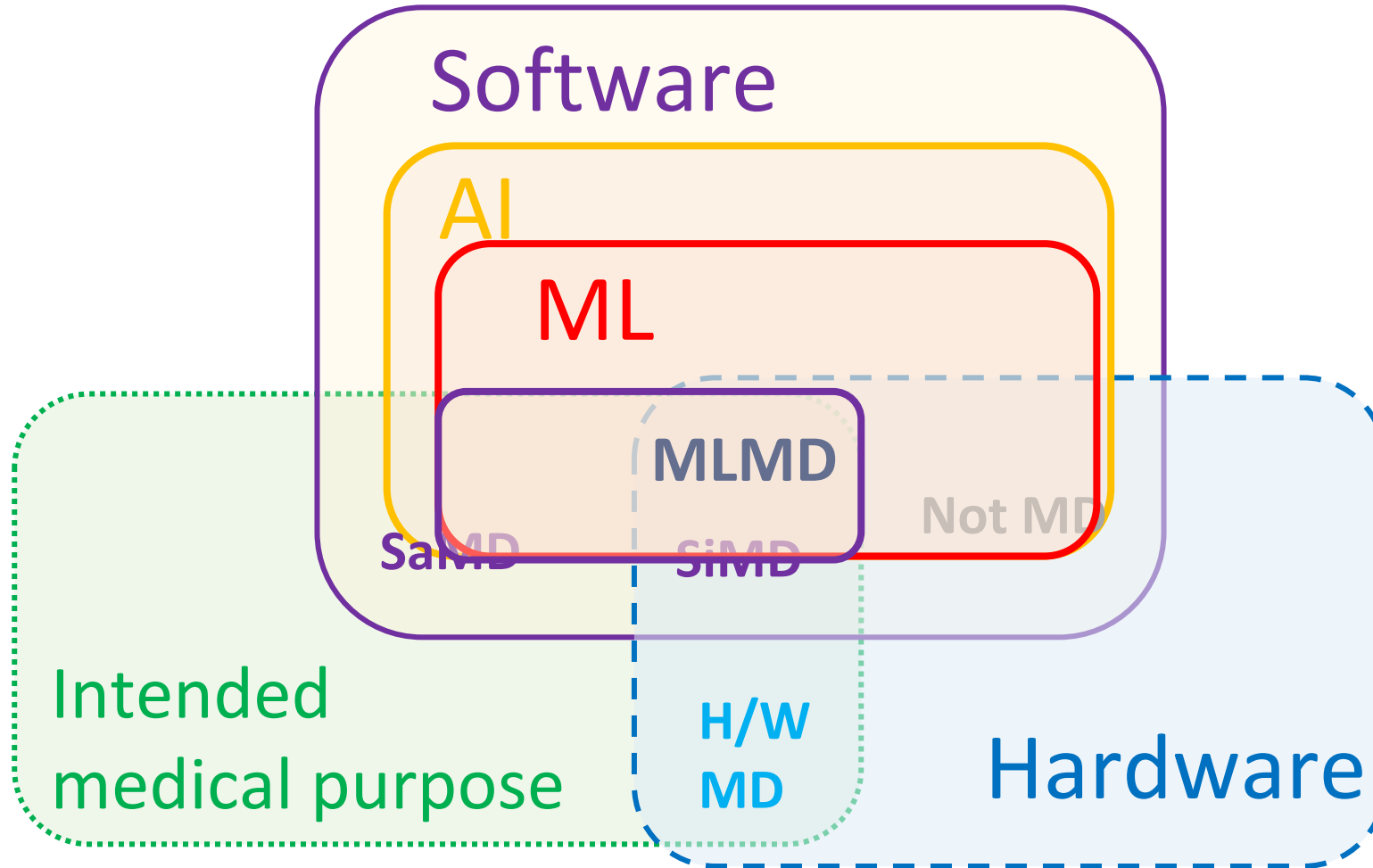
- MLMD (Machine Learning-enabled Medical Device )

- “A medical device that *uses machine learning*, **in part** or **in whole**, to achieve its intended medical purpose”



- “the ability to learn without being explicitly programmed” → learn from **DATA**

# Categorization of MLMD



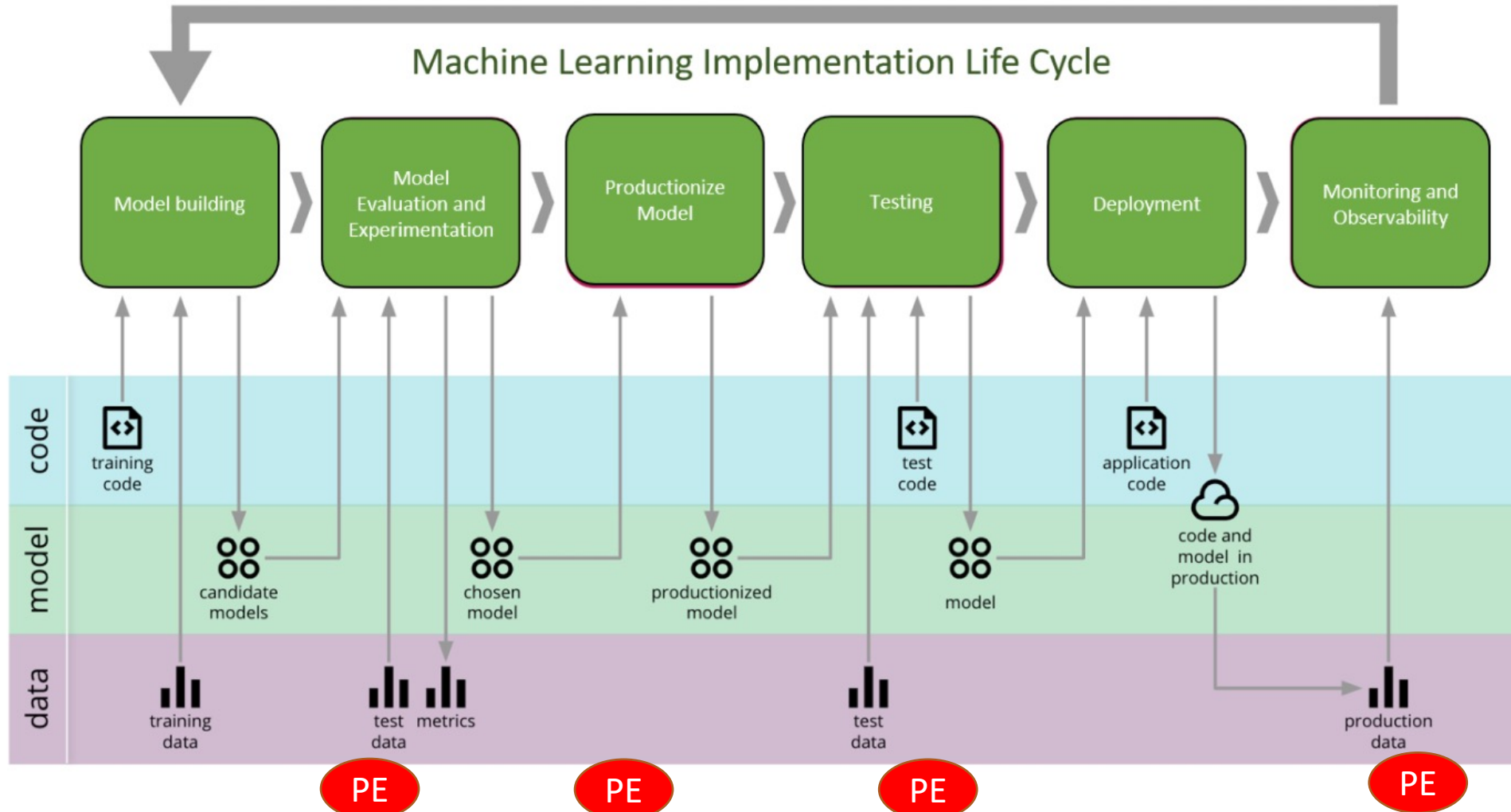
**SaMD:** Software As a Medical Devices

**SiMD:** Software In a Medical Devices (sometimes referred to as “embedded” or “part of”)

**MLMD :** Machine Learning-enabled Medical Devices

# Why Performance evaluation process ?

- ▶ **Performance Evaluating of a AI/ML-MD product is an essential part** of implementing an effective AI/ML model



# Why Performance evaluation process ?

Performance evaluation of a medical device is a continuous process by which data are assessed and analysed to demonstrate the scientific validity, technical(analytical) performance and clinical performance of that device for **its intended purpose as stated by the manufacturer.**

The Manufacturer used assessment and analysis of clinical data of a device to **verify the clinical safety, performance, and effectiveness** of the device.

Performance evaluation in machine learning is crucial for several reasons, which underscore its necessity:

## ▪ Task processing ability verification

- Performance evaluation allows us to verify how well a model can make task's goal(predictions or classifications). This helps determine if the model is ready for real-world data application.

## ▪ Model Comparison

- When multiple models have been developed, performance evaluation is necessary to compare which model performs better. This enables the selection of the best model.

## ▪ Detecting Overfitting

- It allows for the detection of overfitting, where a model is too closely fitted to the training data and performs poorly on new data. By comparing the performance of a model on training data versus validation or test data, overfitting can be identified.

## ▪ Hyperparameter Tuning

- Performance evaluation is essential during the process of tuning hyperparameters to optimize model performance. By experimenting with various hyperparameter settings and evaluating the outcomes, the optimal configuration can be discovered.

## ▪ Evaluating Generalization Ability

- It's important to ensure that a model not only performs well on training data but also on new, unseen data. Performance evaluation helps assess a model's generalization ability.

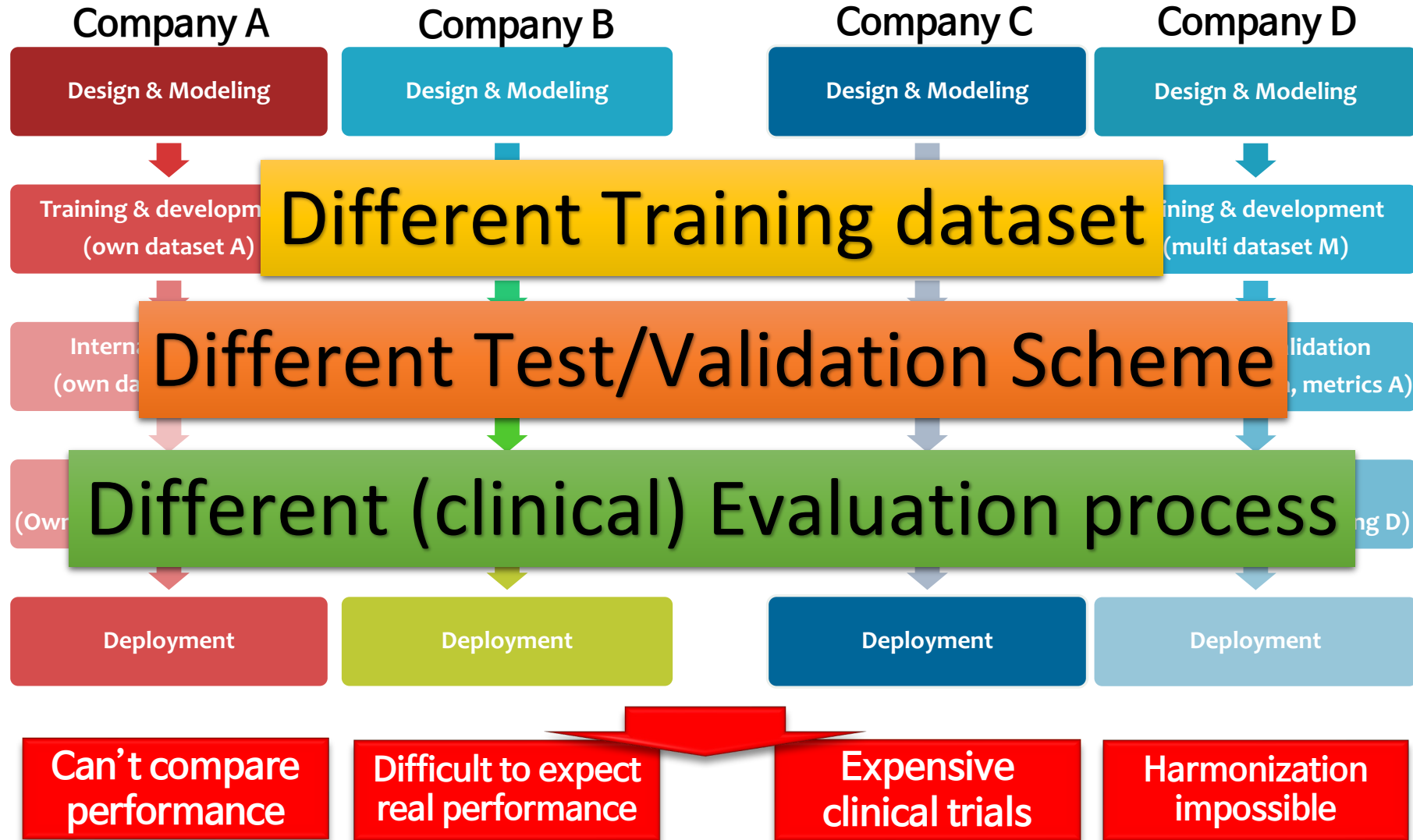
## ▪ Achieving Business Objectives

- Performance evaluation is needed to verify if a machine learning model meets business goals or requirements. For instance, specific accuracy or response time may be required, and its achievement needs to be evaluated.

## ▪ Providing Reliability and Transparency

- Systematically evaluating and documenting model performance enhances its reliability and provides transparency to users or stakeholders.

# Why Performance evaluation process ?



how can we evaluate by the standardized way?



# History of IEC TC62 PT8 (PT 63521)

- Oct 15, 2021 - TC62 CIB (62/399/Q, 6 week, by Nov 26)
- Dec 1, 2021 - Established PT8 and registered PWI62-3 (according to 62/409e/RQ)
  - Project Leader: Jonghong Jeon (KR)
- Dec 14, 2021 - Kickoff meeting of PT8
- Sep 8, 2022 - 18<sup>th</sup> meeting of PT8 (1<sup>st</sup> phase)
- Sep 15, 2022 - NP submit to TC62 plenary
- Nov 11, 2022 - CAG presentation and Resolution 62/2022/13
  - TC 62 appreciates the draft for a new work item proposal submitted by PT 8 and requests a further improvement of the document by the end of 2023, in particular by clarifying the terminology and the concepts used. TC 62 hopes to circulate the NP by early 2024.
- May 2, 2023 - kickoff meeting of PT8 (2<sup>nd</sup> phase)
- July 17, 2023 - 9<sup>th</sup> meeting of PT8 (2<sup>nd</sup> phase)
- July 25, 2023 - 2<sup>nd</sup> NP submit to TC62 plenary
- Aug 11, 2023 - Start 62/474/NP ballot (until 11/03)
- Nov 3, 2023 - Approved NP, Changed Project Team number to PT 63521
- 1<sup>st</sup> PT63521 meeting : Nov 29
- 2<sup>nd</sup> PT63521 meeting : Dec 13
- 3<sup>rd</sup> PT63521 meeting : Jan 9, 2024 ~ (bi-weekly)

# Current Member of PT63521

## ■ 13 nation

- BE, CH, CN, DE, FR, GB, IN, IT, JP, KR, NG, NL, US

## ■ 33 experts

- Medtronic, Phillips, Elekta, Varian, Siemens-healthineers, esaote, CFDA, deepeyevision, kakaohealth, ETRI ...

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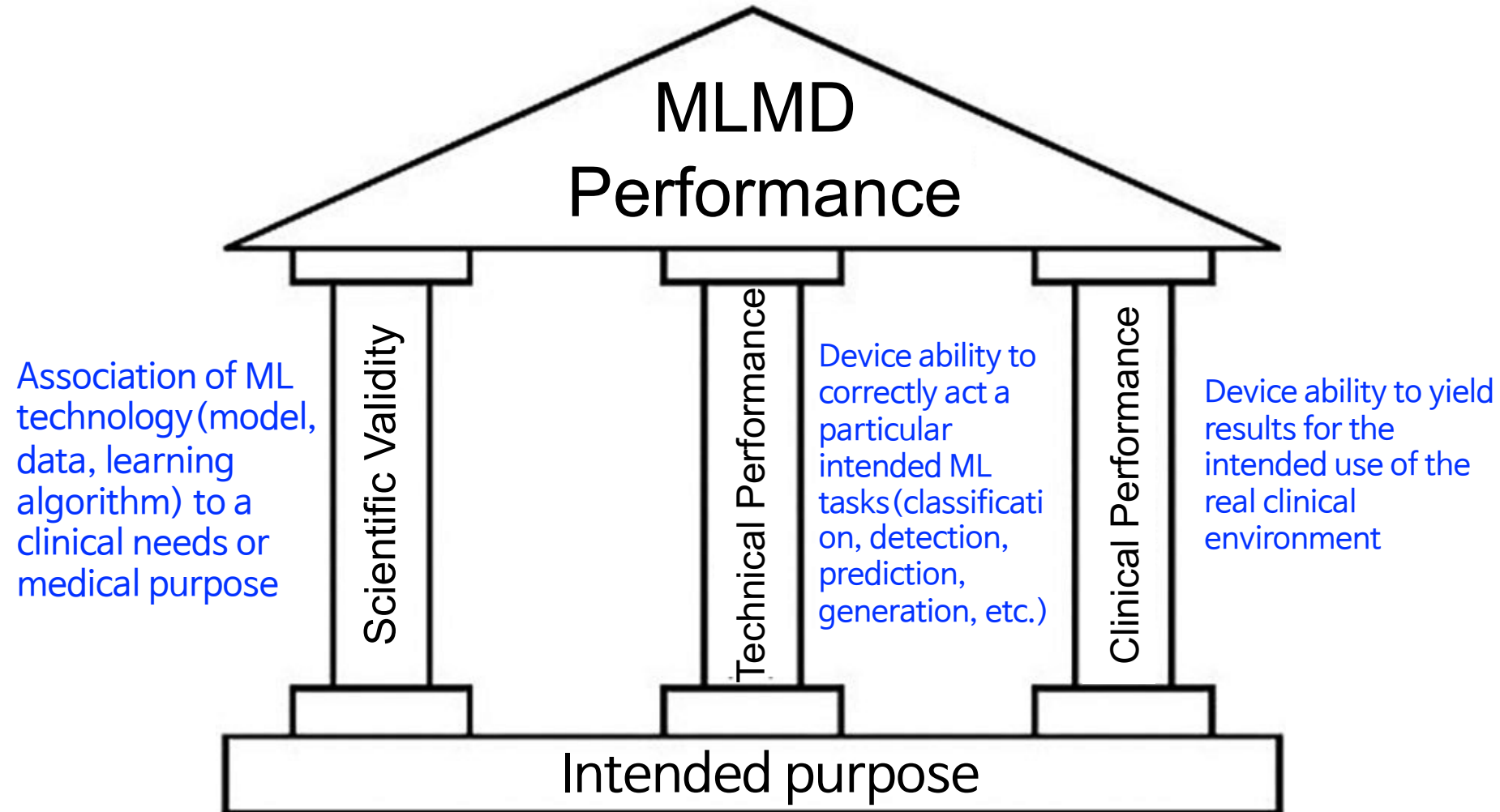
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1. It is **based on the existing standard systems of IEC TC62** and should be avoided as much as possible of redundancy.
2. It should **provide the process (or framework) for verifying the safety/efficacy of AI/ML-MD.**
3. Should be **applicable to various types of AI/ML-MD**
4. Should be able to **support various AI/ML tasks, models, data modalities, evaluation metrics, etc.**
5. It should be **applicable to various types of medical devices (PEMS, SaMD, IVD, Dentistry, Implantable, and medical robots, etc.) that utilize AI/ML technology**
6. Evaluation requirements, methods, standards, etc. should be **established through the process.**
7. The evaluation process should be **able to support conformity to global regulations**

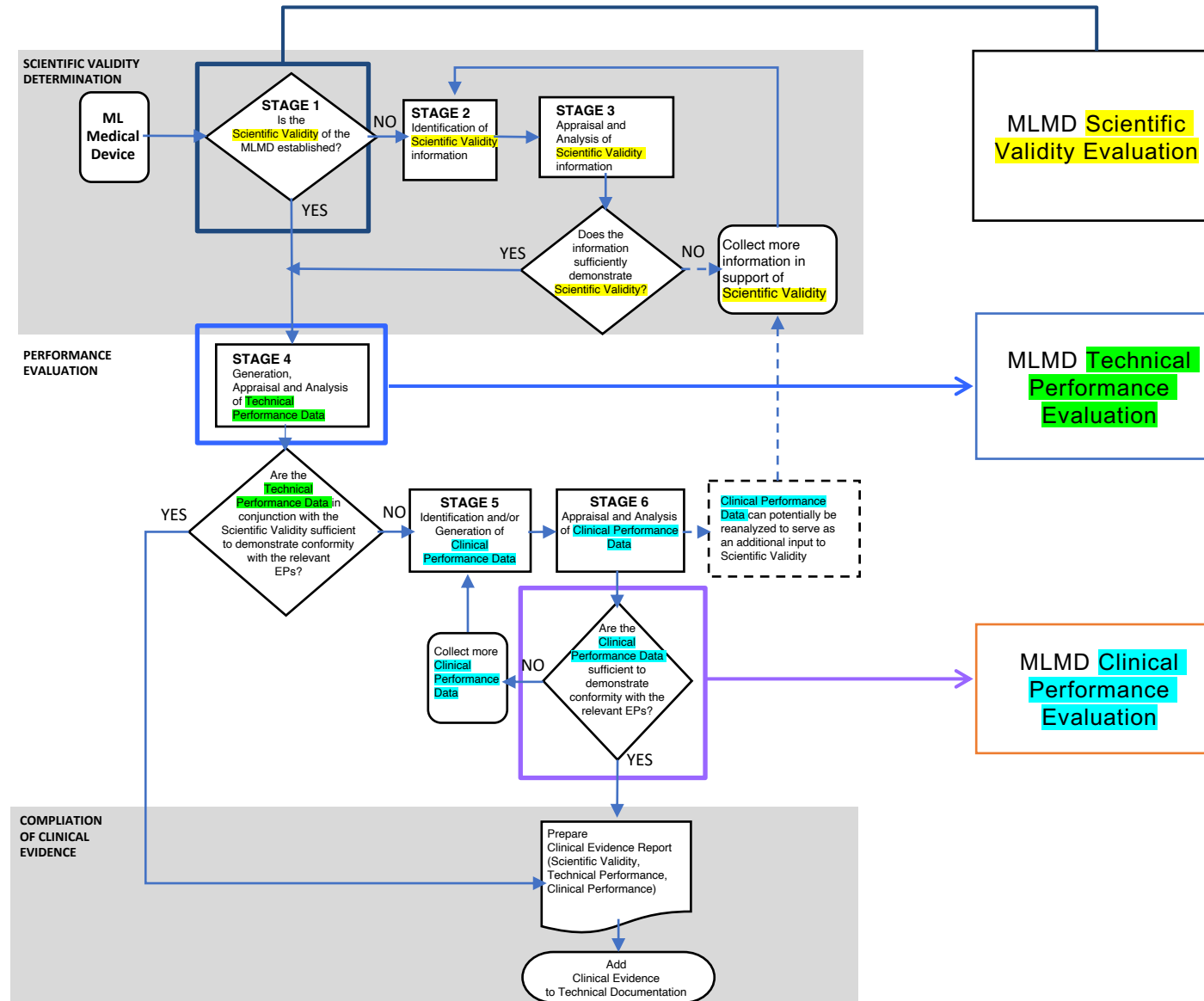
- This document **defines a standardized performance evaluation process** for Machine Learning-enabled Medical Devices. The **set of processes, activities, and tasks** described in this document establishes a common framework for MLMD performance evaluation processes.
- This process is to **assist manufacturers to evaluate** the ML suitability, the technical and clinical performance of the MLMD. It **may** be used for evaluation the performance to assure expected performance **during post-market monitoring**.
- This document is applicable to the **performance evaluation of all forms of MLMD**, comprising ML components and, where appropriate, **the integrated ML component with non-ML components**. The most important factor to consider performance evaluation of ML is whether it **affects the intended purpose and the safety and effectiveness of medical device**.

# Basic [1] - Three pillar model

## Three pillar model of Performance



# Basic [2] - Evaluation flow



# Basic [3] : Safety and Effectiveness of ML

1. **Data quality and management**
  - Data plays a crucial role in the performance of machine learning medical devices. Ensure accurate data collection, preprocessing, labeling, and annotation.
2. **Model validation and verification**
  - Ensure the machine learning model serves its intended purpose and provides accurate predictions.
3. **Algorithm transparency and explainability**
  - The decision-making process of the machine learning model should be understandable and transparent.
4. **Bias and fairness**
  - The machine learning model should provide unbiased predictions for different patient groups and clinical situations.
5. **Robustness and generalization**
  - The machine learning model should be able to adapt to different patient populations, clinical situations, and data quality changes.
6. **Personal data protection and data security**
  - Machine learning medical devices must protect patient privacy and ensure data is secure from external threats.
7. **Software and hardware stability**
  - The software and hardware components of machine learning medical devices must be safe from errors, defects, and failures.
8. **User interface and human factors consideration**
  - The user interface of machine learning medical devices should minimize user errors and enable effective device use.
9. **Clinical evaluation and validation**
  - The safety and effectiveness of machine learning medical devices must be validated in real clinical environments.
10. **Benefit and risk**
  - AI should never cause foreseeable or unintentional harm







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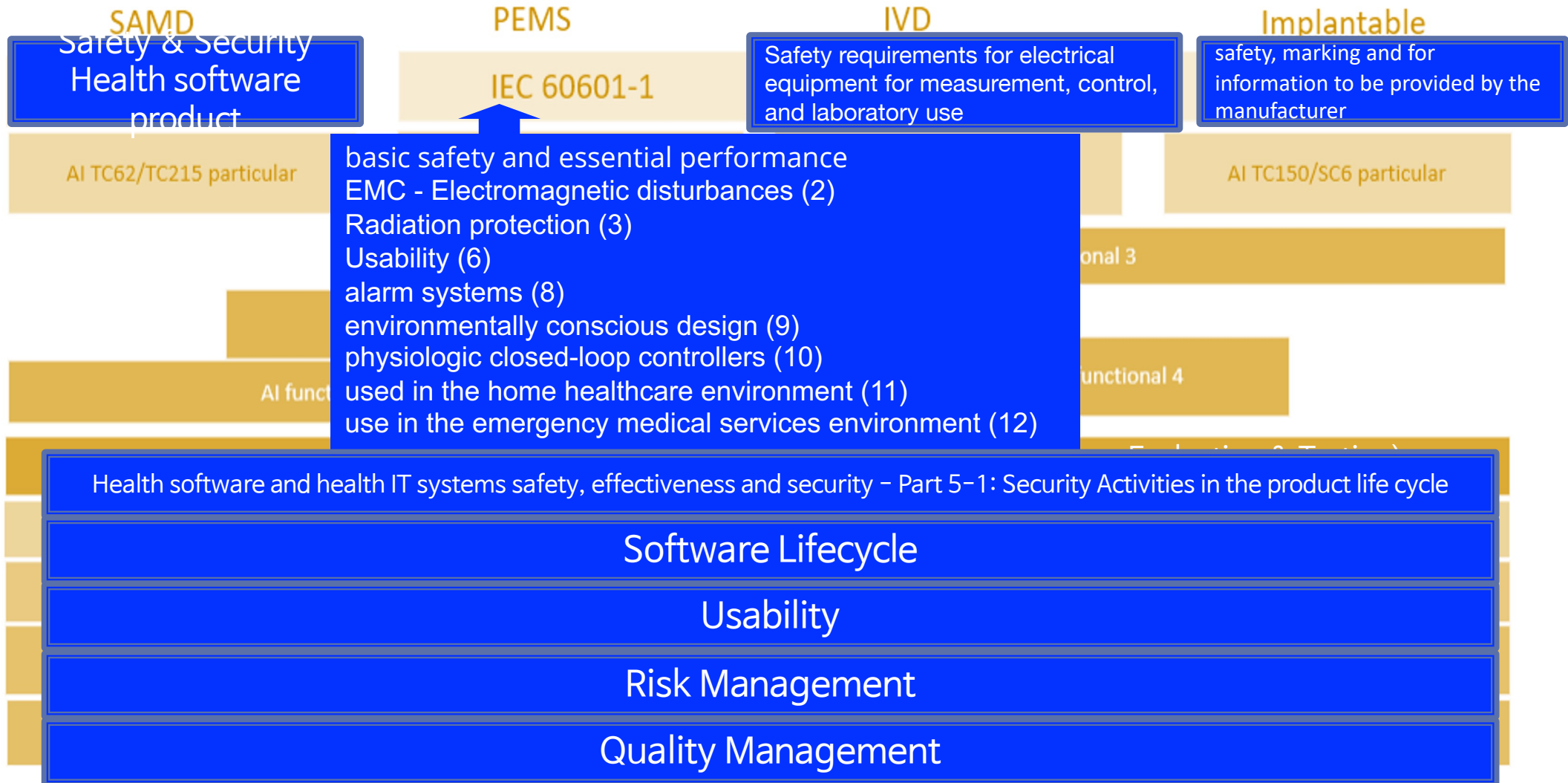


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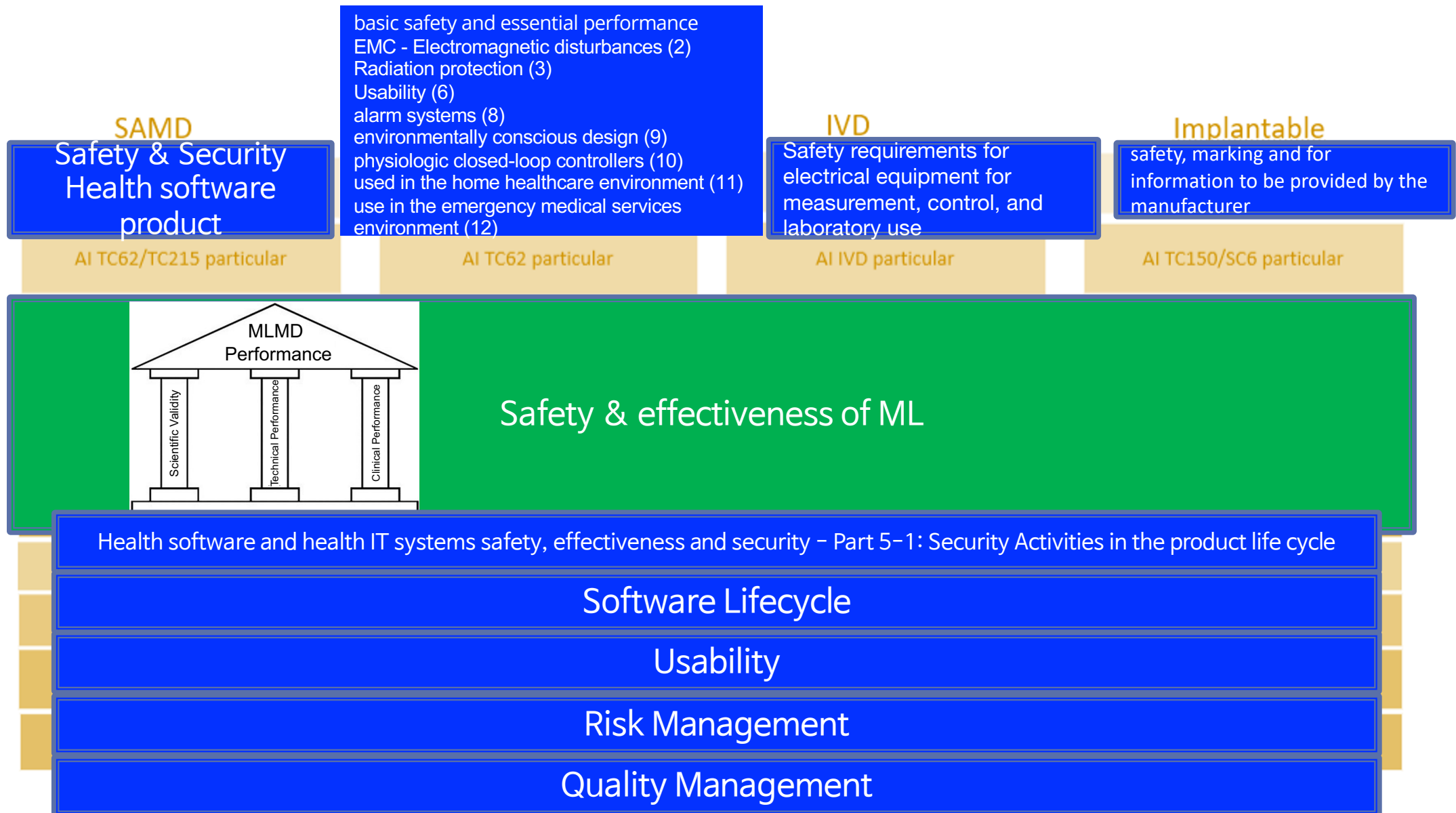
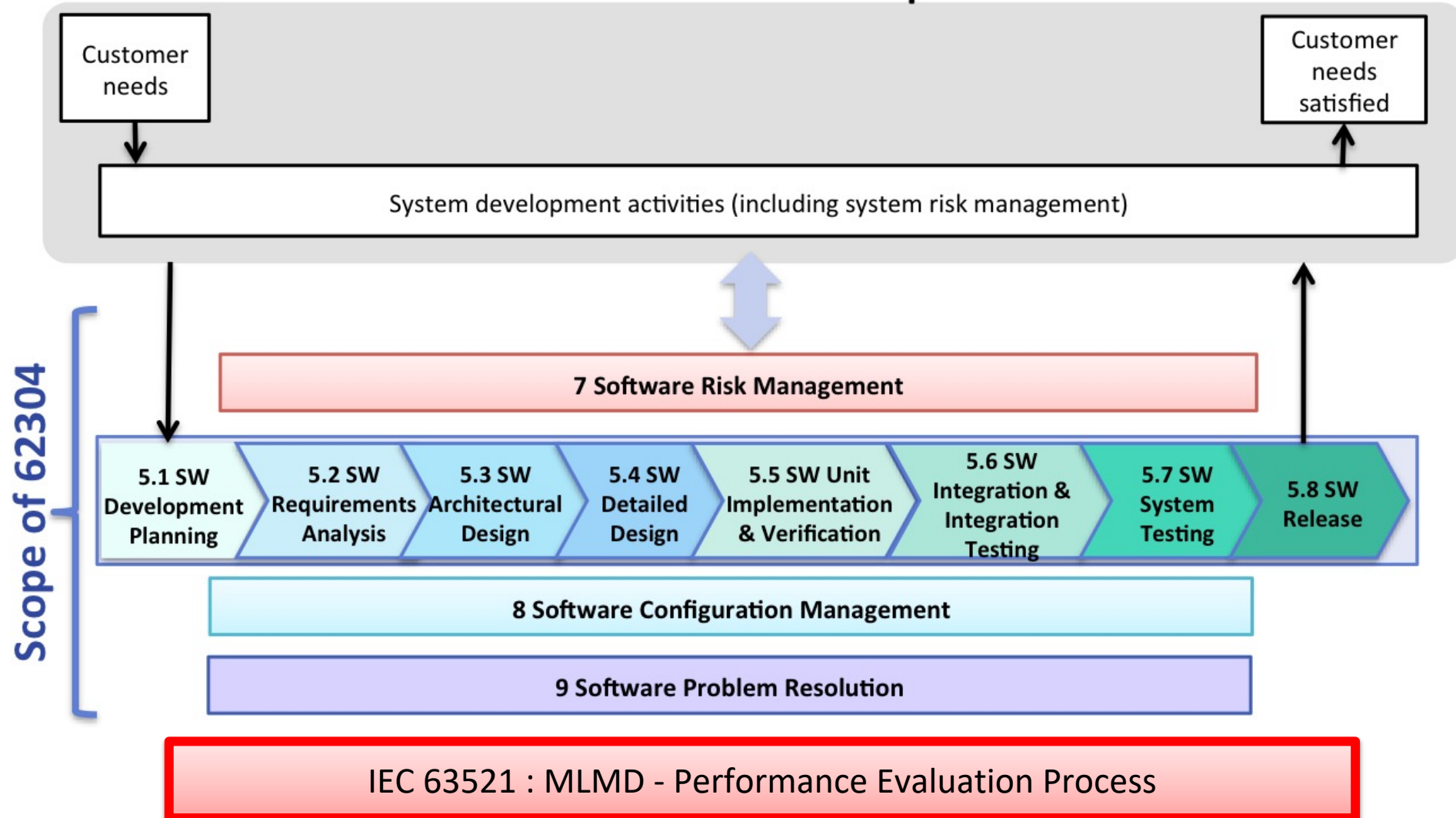


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# Considerations 1: Align with IEC 62304 process

## IEC 62304 Software Development Processes



# Considerations 2: IEC TC62's AI standardization roadmap

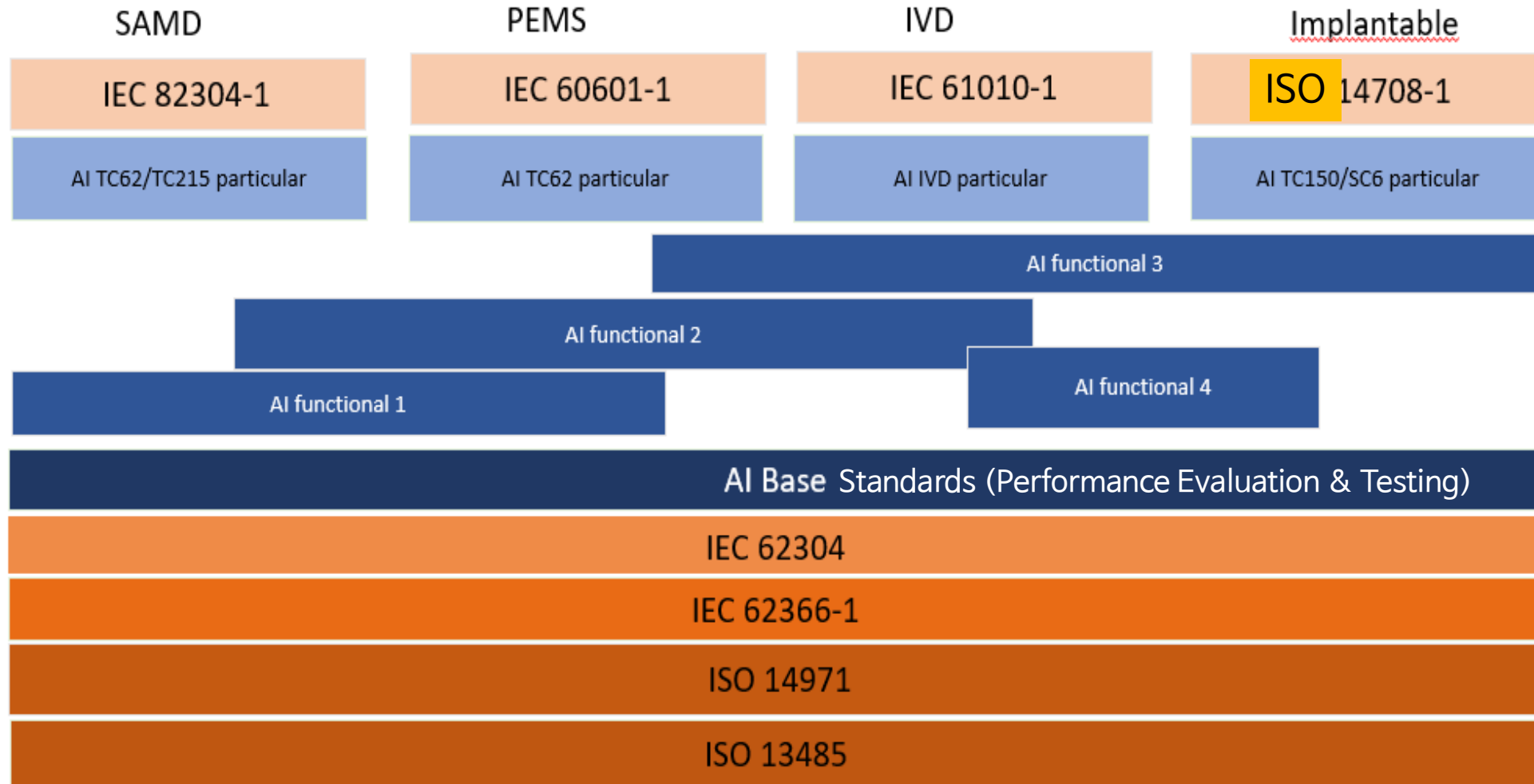


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# IEC TC62's AI standardization roadmap - extend

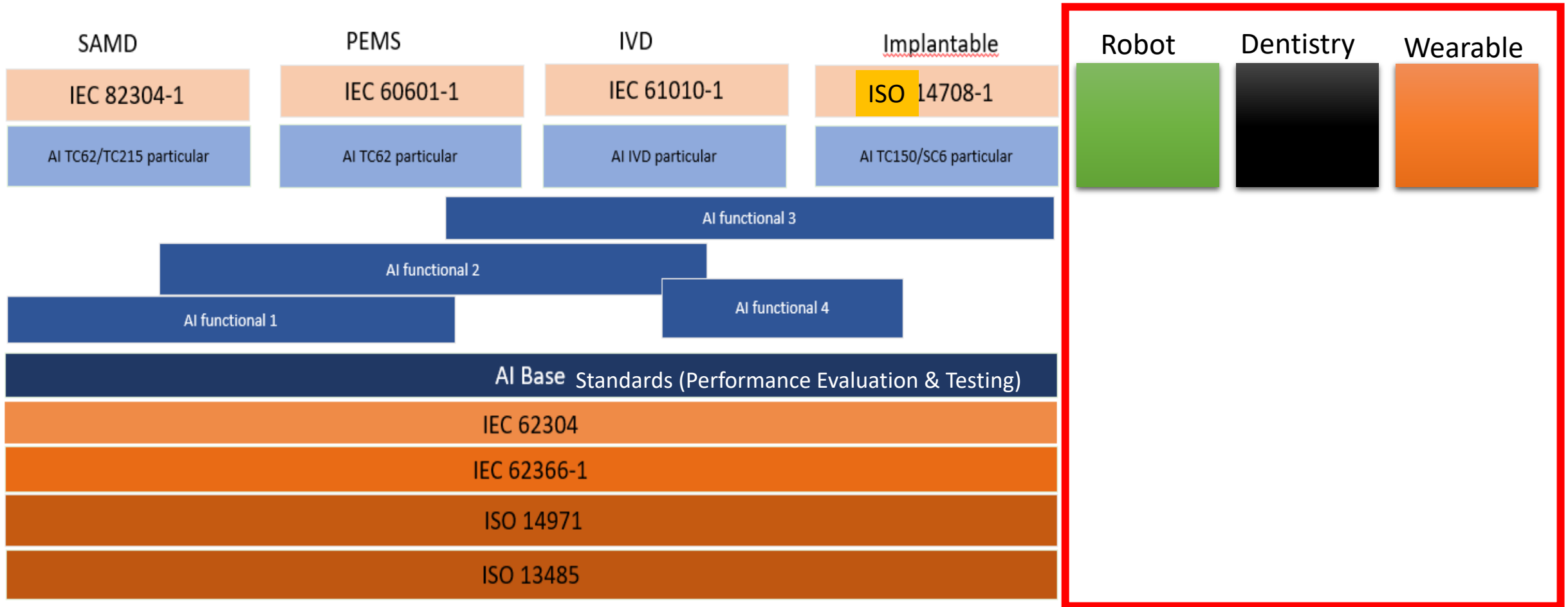
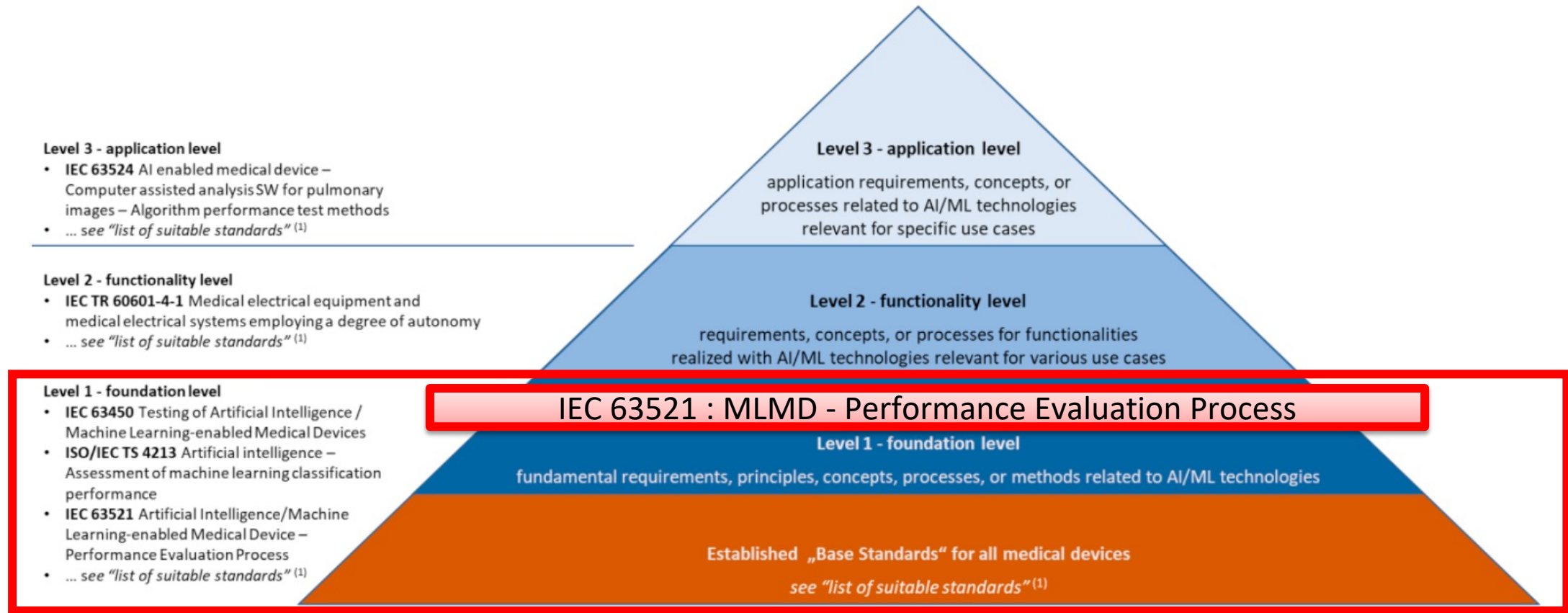


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# How to role as Foundational level standard



**Level 3 - application level**

- IEC 63524 AI enabled medical device – Computer assisted analysis SW for pulmonary images – Algorithm performance test methods
- ... see “list of suitable standards”<sup>(1)</sup>

**Level 2 - functionality level**

- IEC TR 60601-4-1 Medical electrical equipment and medical electrical systems employing a degree of autonomy
- ... see “list of suitable standards”<sup>(1)</sup>

**Level 1 - foundation level**

- IEC 63450 Testing of Artificial Intelligence / Machine Learning-enabled Medical Devices
- ISO/IEC TS 4213 Artificial intelligence – Assessment of machine learning classification performance
- IEC 63521 Artificial Intelligence/Machine Learning-enabled Medical Device – Performance Evaluation Process
- ... see “list of suitable standards”<sup>(1)</sup>

Established general safety standards for medical devices

IEC 82304-1 Health software – Part 1: General requirements for product safety

SaMD

IEC 60601-1 Medical electrical equipment – General requirements for basic safety and essential performance

PEMS

IEC 61010-1 Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control and laboratory use

IVD

ISO 14708-1 Implants for surgery – General requirements for safety, marking and for information to be provided by the manufacturer

Implantable devices

<sup>(1)</sup> IEC TC 62 supporting document “Standards suitable for use in the development of AI/ML standards in the medical area”

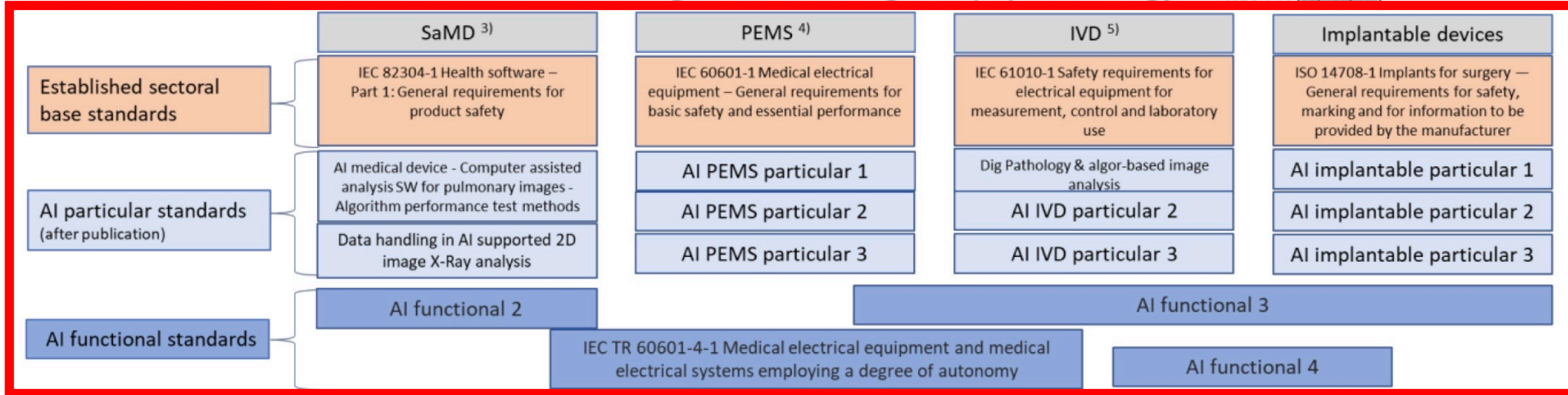


# Align with other standards

## Standards architecture for medical devices using artificial intelligence (AI) technology<sup>1)</sup>

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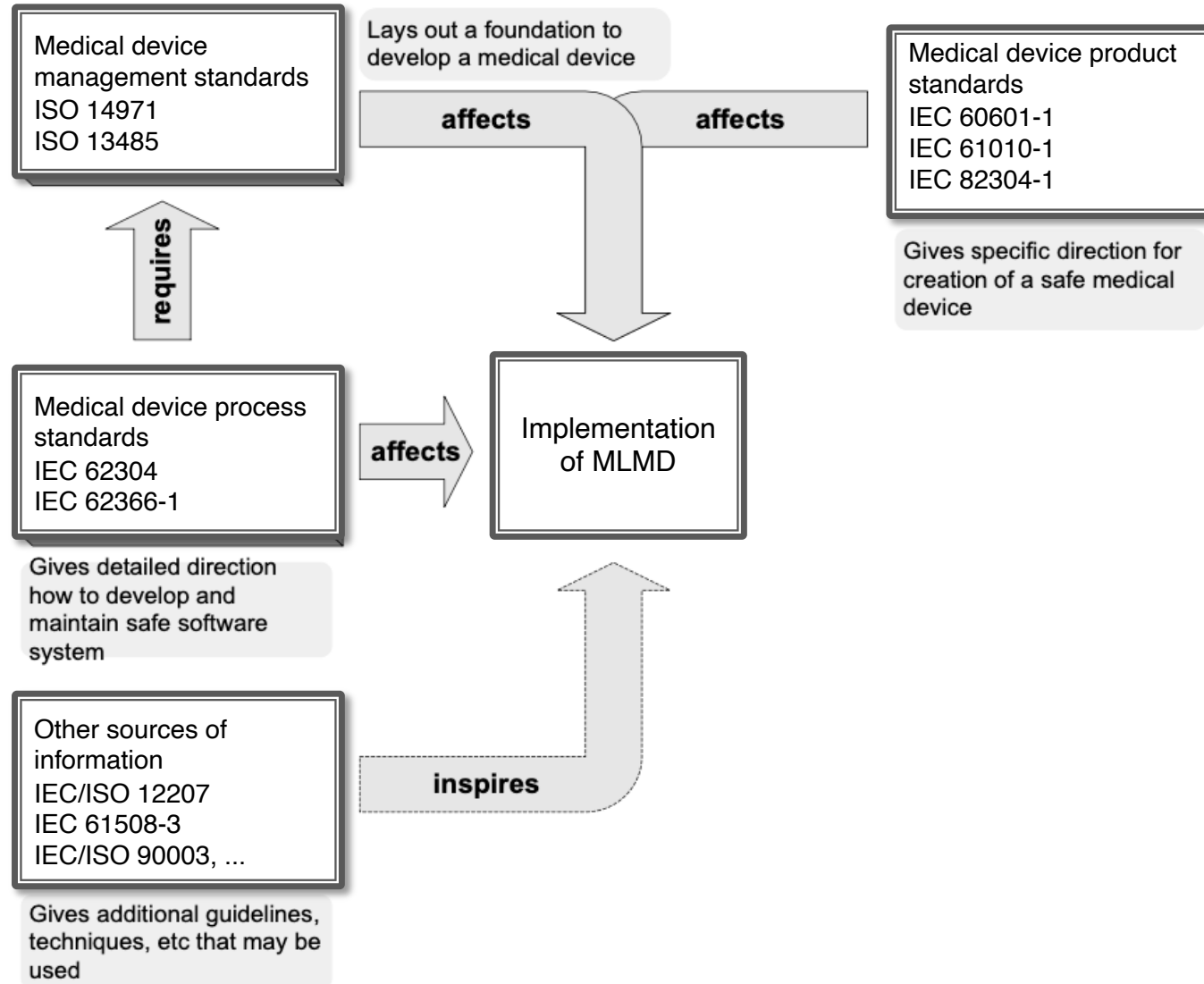


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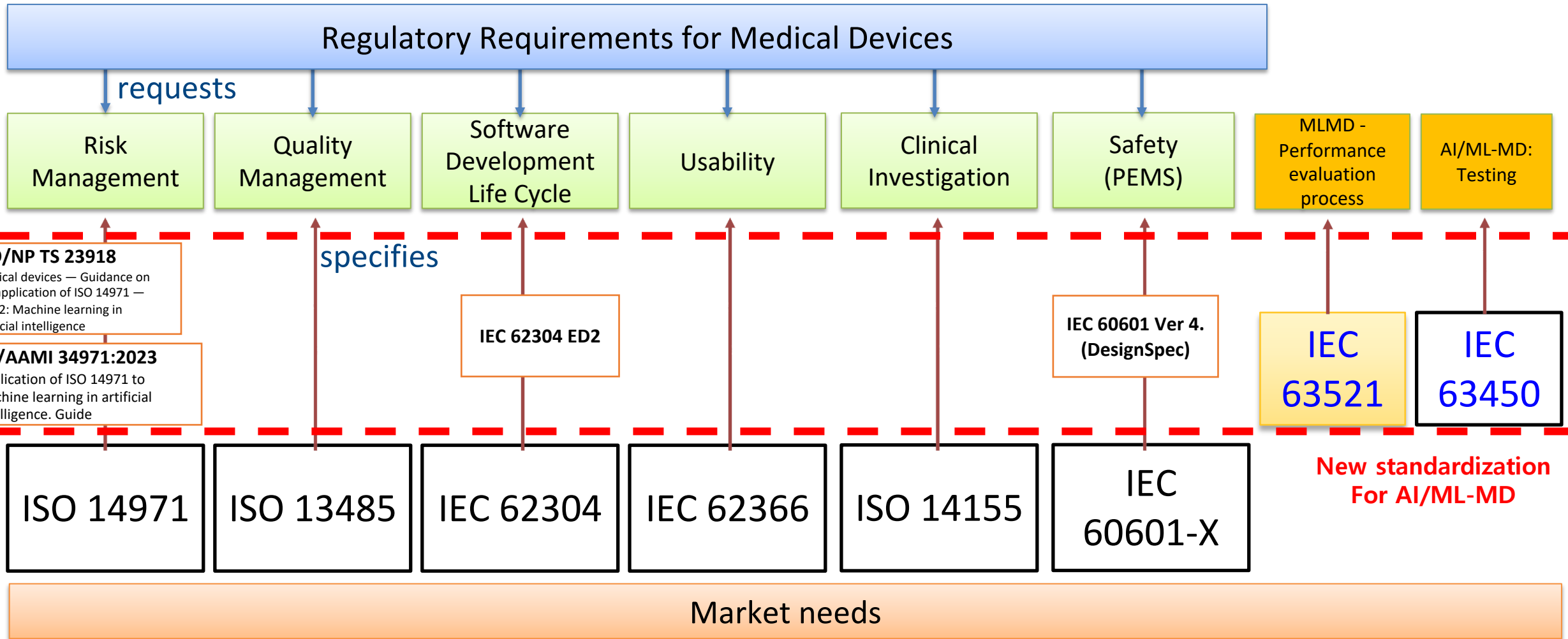
3) Software as a medical device  
4) Programmable electrical medical system  
5) In vitro diagnostic medical device

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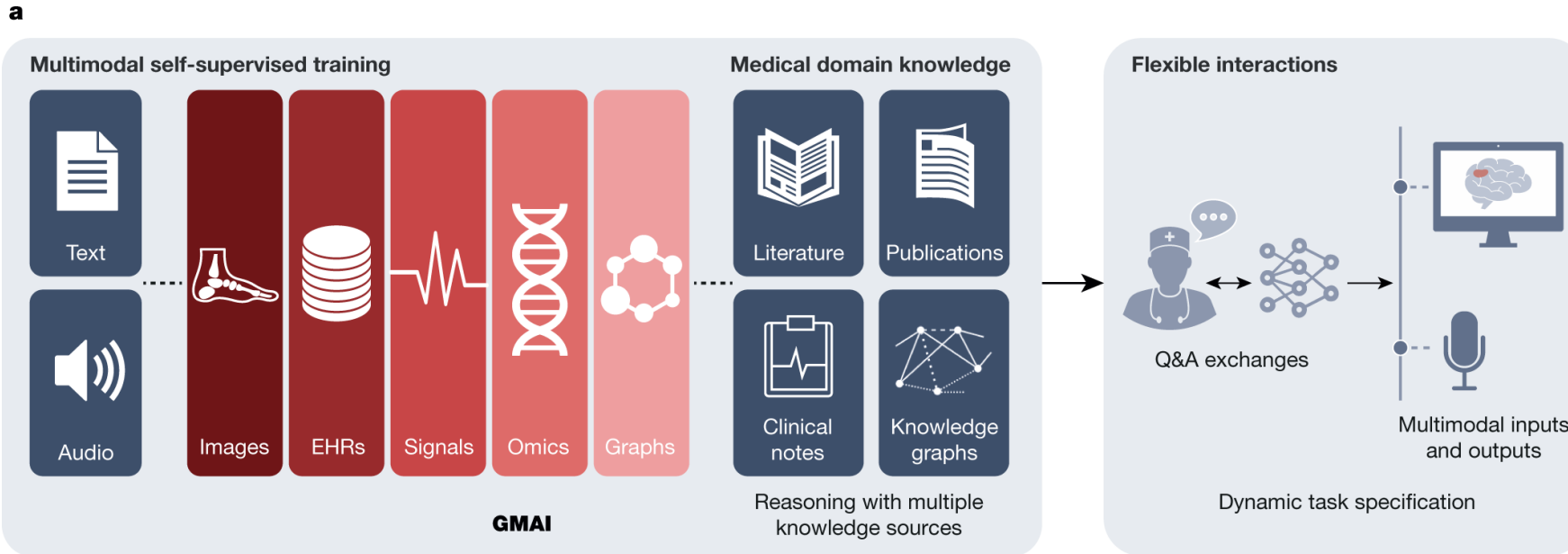




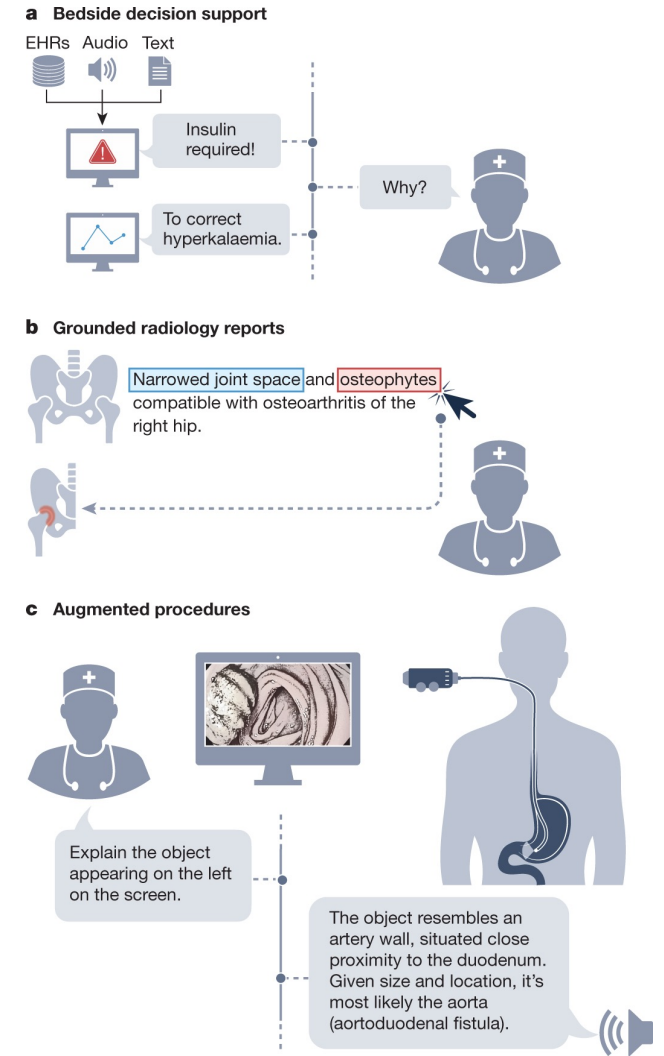
# Considerations 3: Regulation requirements and International standardization



# Considerations 4: GenAI, Foundation model, LLM



**Regulations:** Application approval; validation; audits; community-based challenges; analyses of biases, fairness and diversity

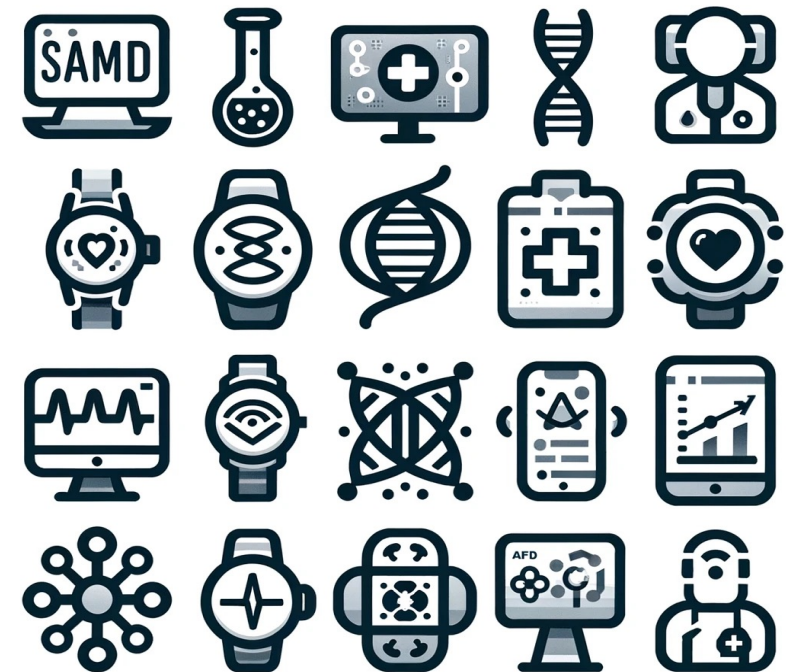


# Conclusions

- History, Goal, Member, Schedule of PT 63521
- Why Performance Evaluation ?
- Three pillar model of Performance
  - Scientific Validity requirements,
  - Technical (analytical) performance requirements
  - Clinical performance requirements
- Current major discussion topics of PT 63521
  - Safety and Effectiveness of ML
  - TPLC & MLLC & performance evaluation
  - V-model or W-model
  - Align with baseline standards - 62304, 13485, 14971, 62366 ...
  - TC 62's AI standardization roadmap & considerations
- Future considerations
  - Global harmonization & AI regulation/law

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