

Finnish adaptation of BIBFRAME adheres closely to RDA

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Linked Library Data Project

- Preparing the adoption of linked data for bibliographic cataloguing for the National Library and in part for the whole Finnish library sector
 - BIBFRAME data model
 - Deep integration with RDA
 - Agent data model
 - Conversions
- 2022-2024
- Additional info on the project in English:
<https://www.kiwi.fi/pages/viewpage.action?pagId=298647995>

Platform change of our union catalogue Melinda

- Most of the libraries in Finland are a part of Melinda
 - Cataloguing done mostly into Melinda
 - Replication to local library systems which contain the holdings info
- Currently Aleph with a bunch of custom services on top
- Next one should be a Linked Data capable system
- We looked closely into LibrisXL and Folio
 - Decided to wait a bit
- Originally planned the change for ~2025, now looking like ~2028
- Data model still needed as some local library systems are changing to linked data capable systems

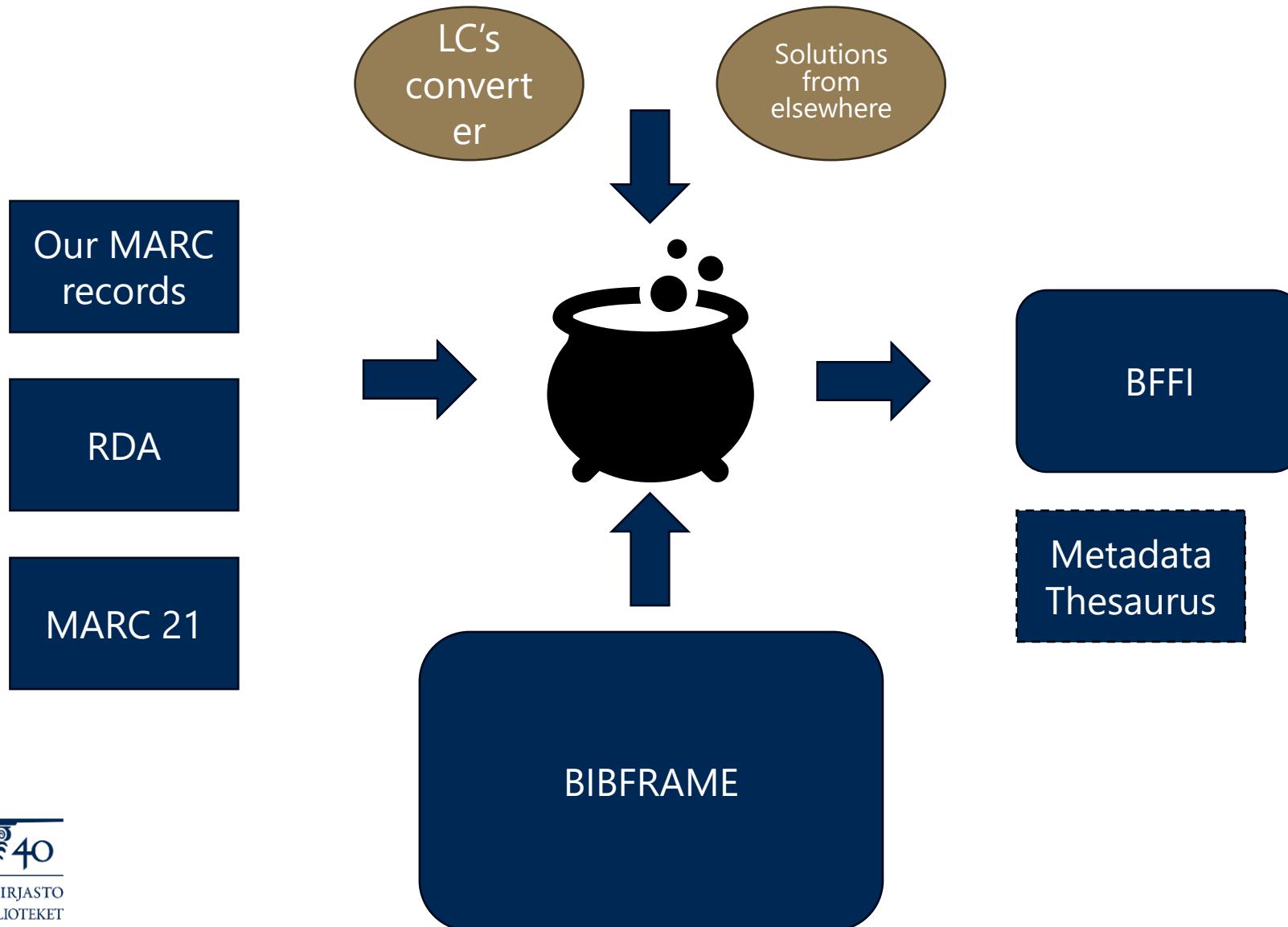
Adapting BIBFRAME

- Adapting BIBFRAME to our data and cataloguing conventions
 - Adopting official RDA at the end of this year
 - Extensive use of aggregates
 - Especially with music
 - Extensive use of our Finnish Metadata Thesaurus
 - Some miscellaneous additions
 - E.g. age restrictions
- Latest version can be found here
 - <https://schema.finto.fi/bffi/>

Metadata Thesaurus (aka Metadata Registry)

- A controlled vocabulary of values for use in cataloguing
 - Includes many of the RDA value vocabularies (including some national additions)
- Published in the Finto Thesaurus and Ontology Service
 - <https://finto.fi/mts/en/>
 - In Finnish and Swedish, partly in English
- URLs as opposed to strings

Data model work



BIBFRAME and RDA differ in some respects

- Mostly adhere to RDA
 - Going with WEMI
 - Splitting some BIBFRAME properties in accordance with RDA
 - Adding some new properties
 - e.g. variant access point
 - Also using existing additions from bflc
- Some exceptions
 - No nomens
 - Use of AdminMetadata

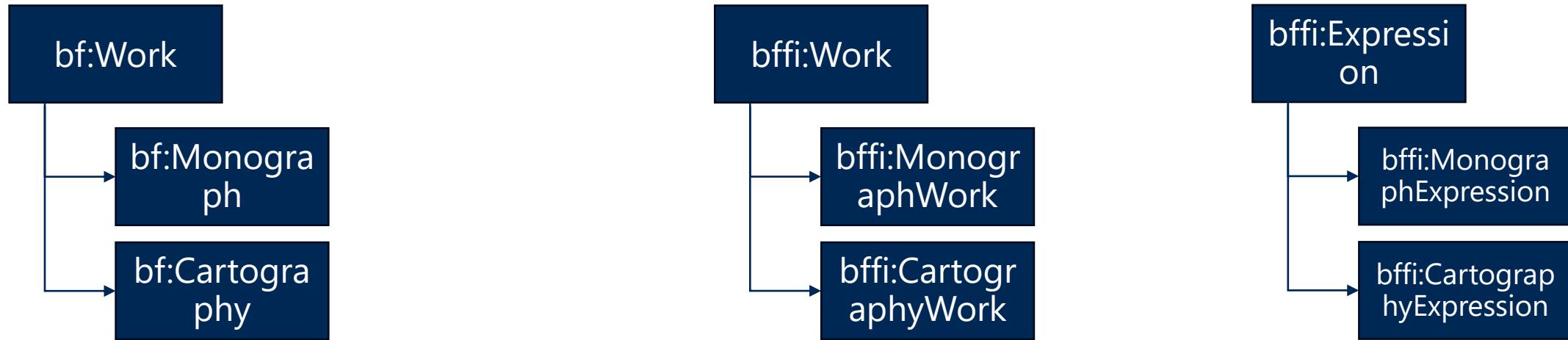
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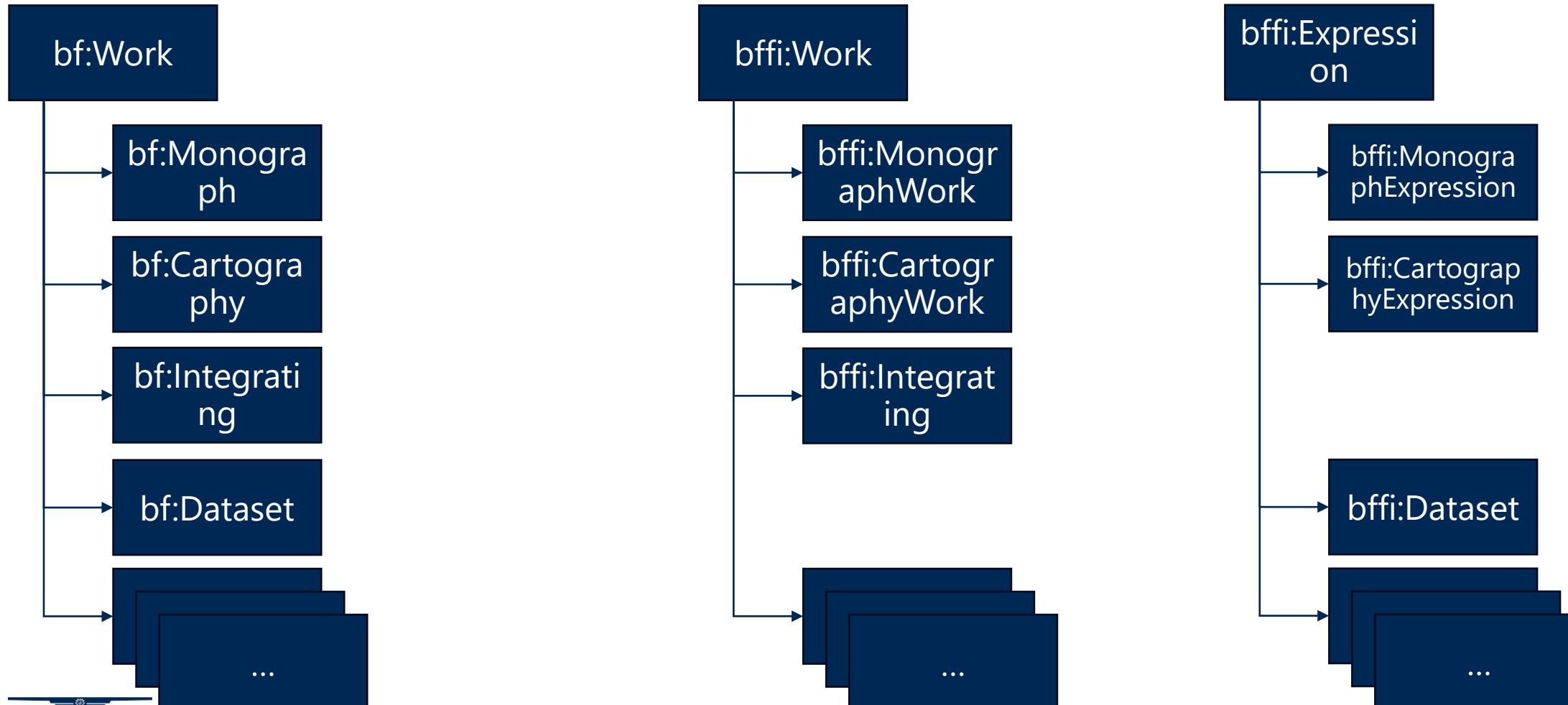
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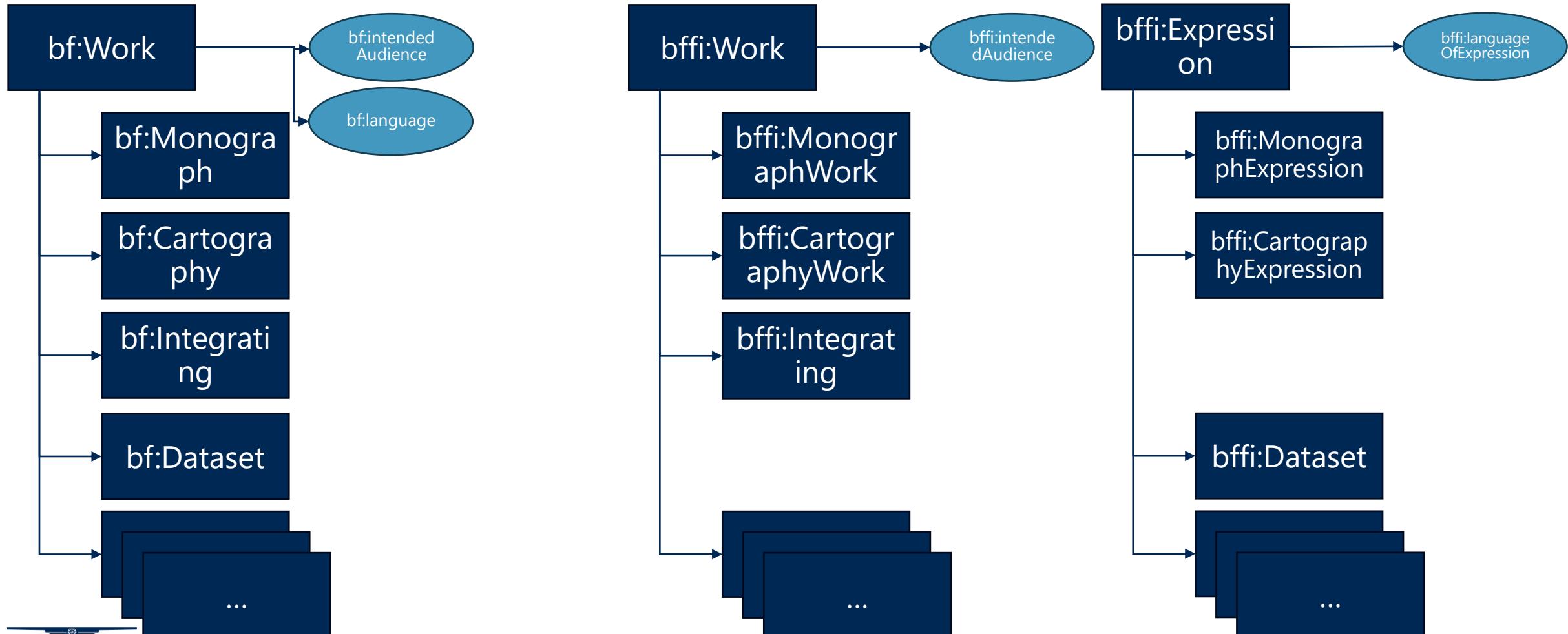
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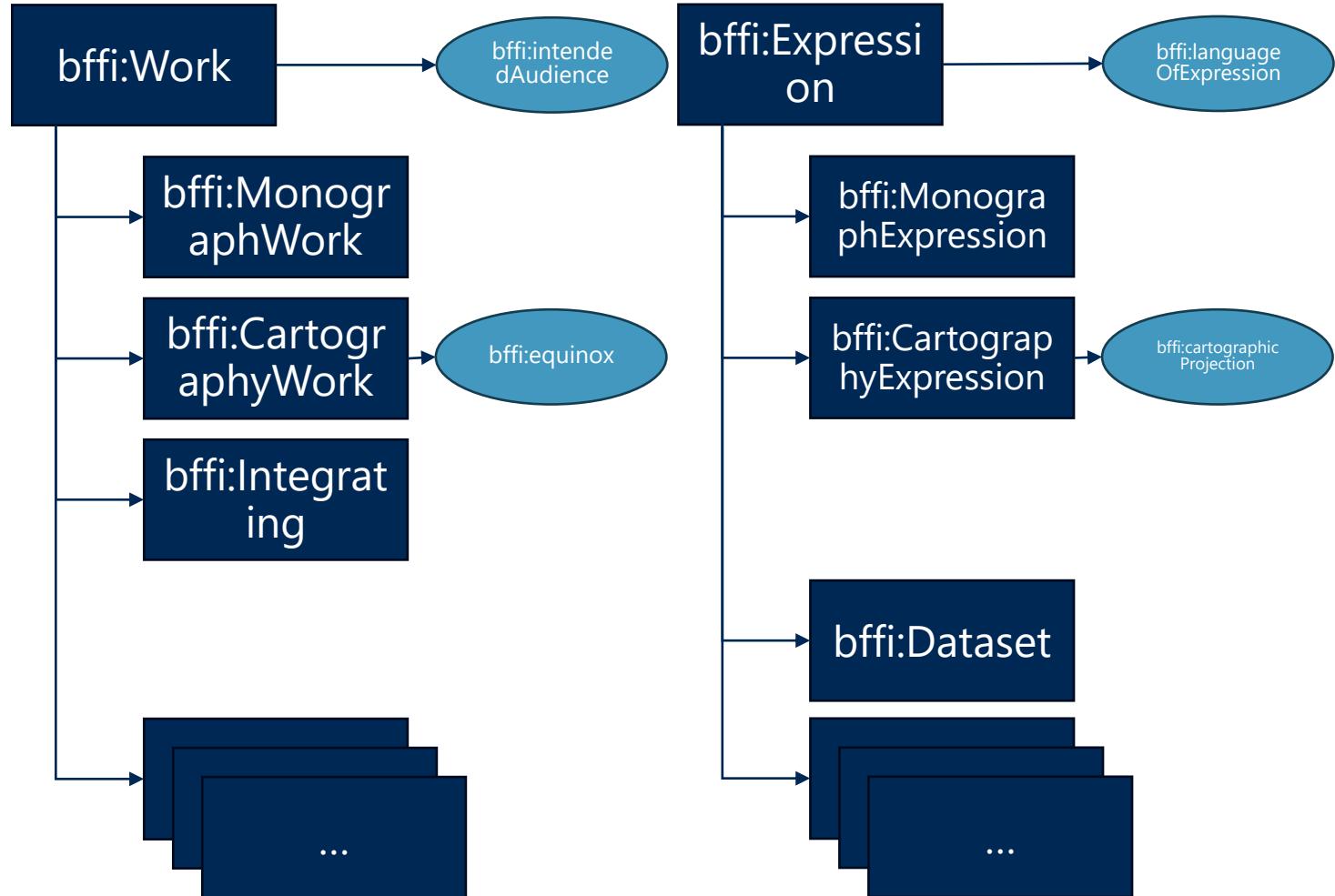
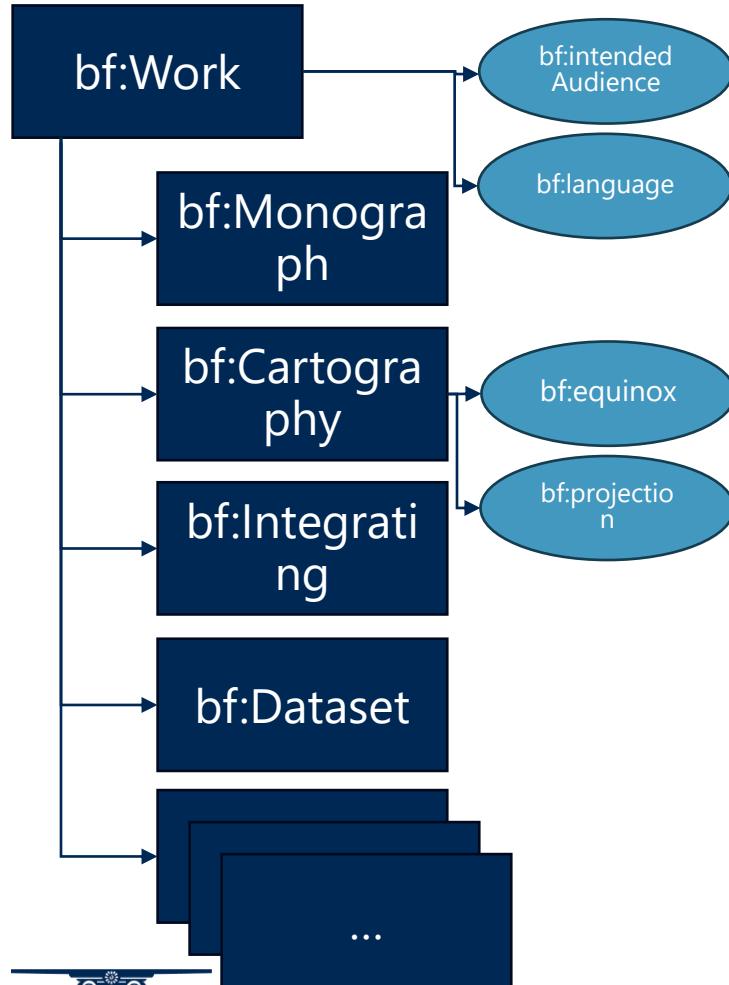
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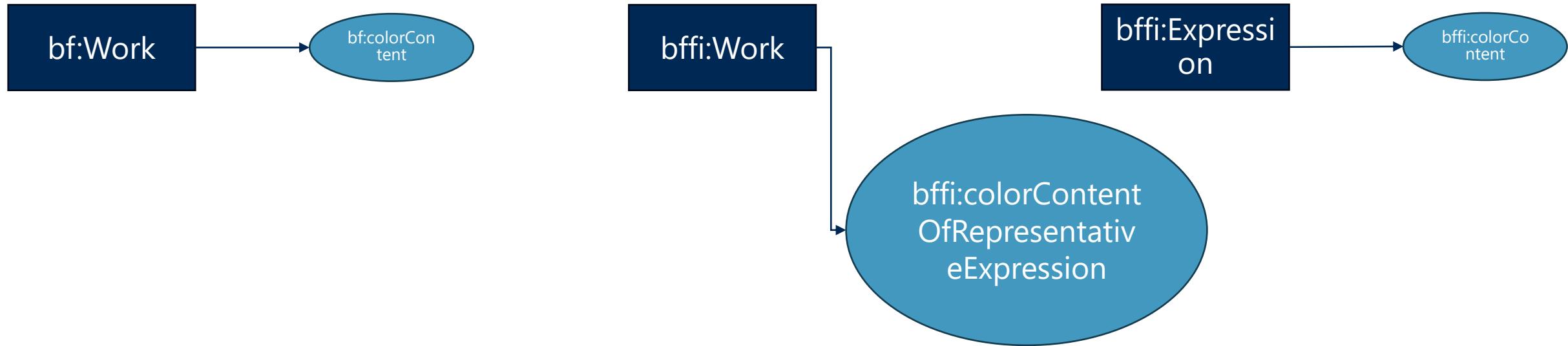
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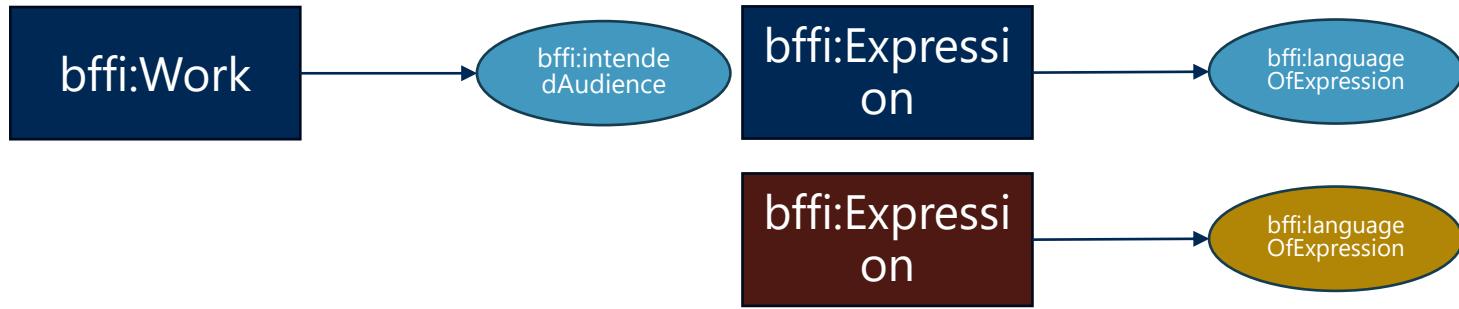
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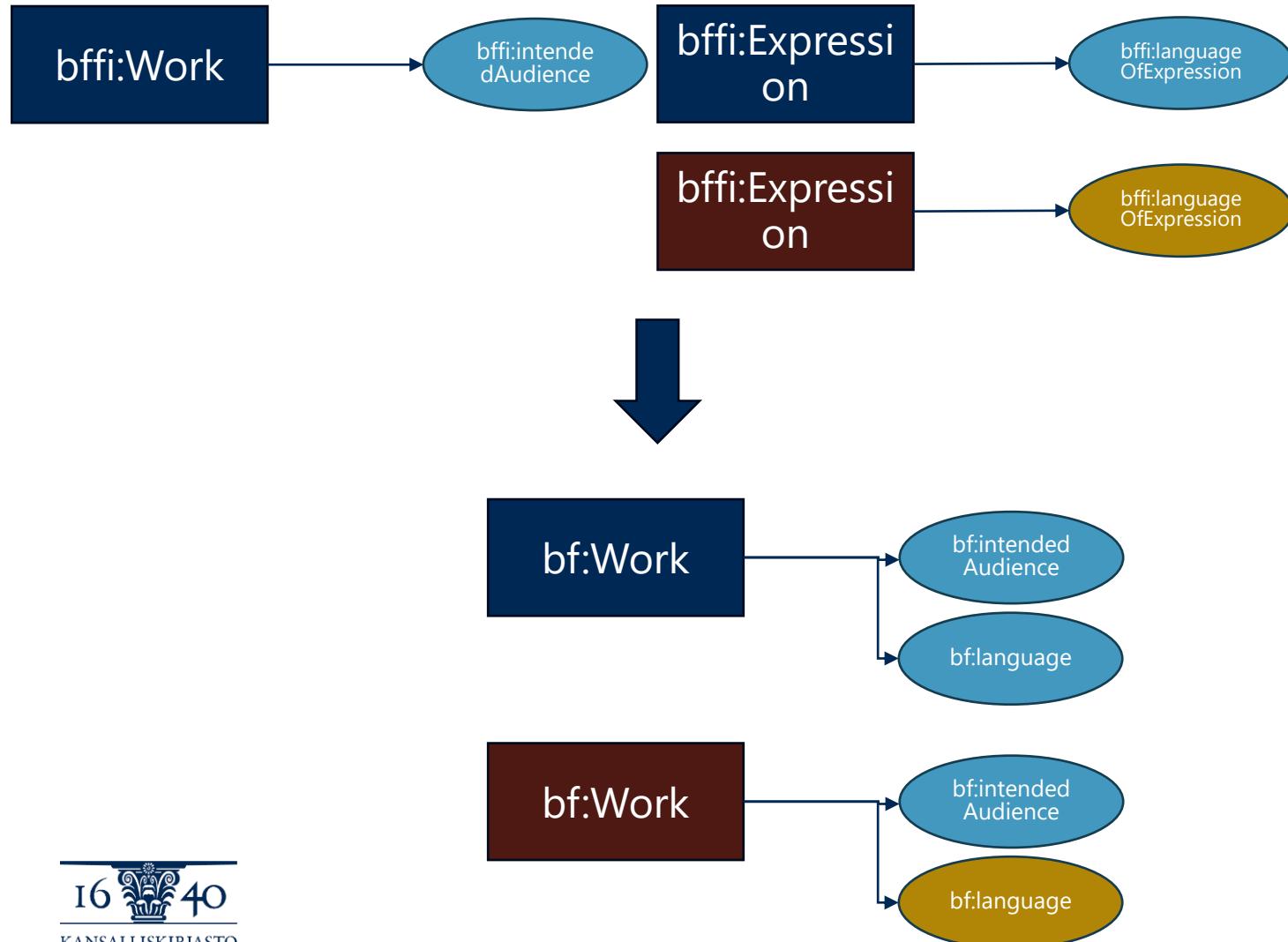
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Do we break interoperability?



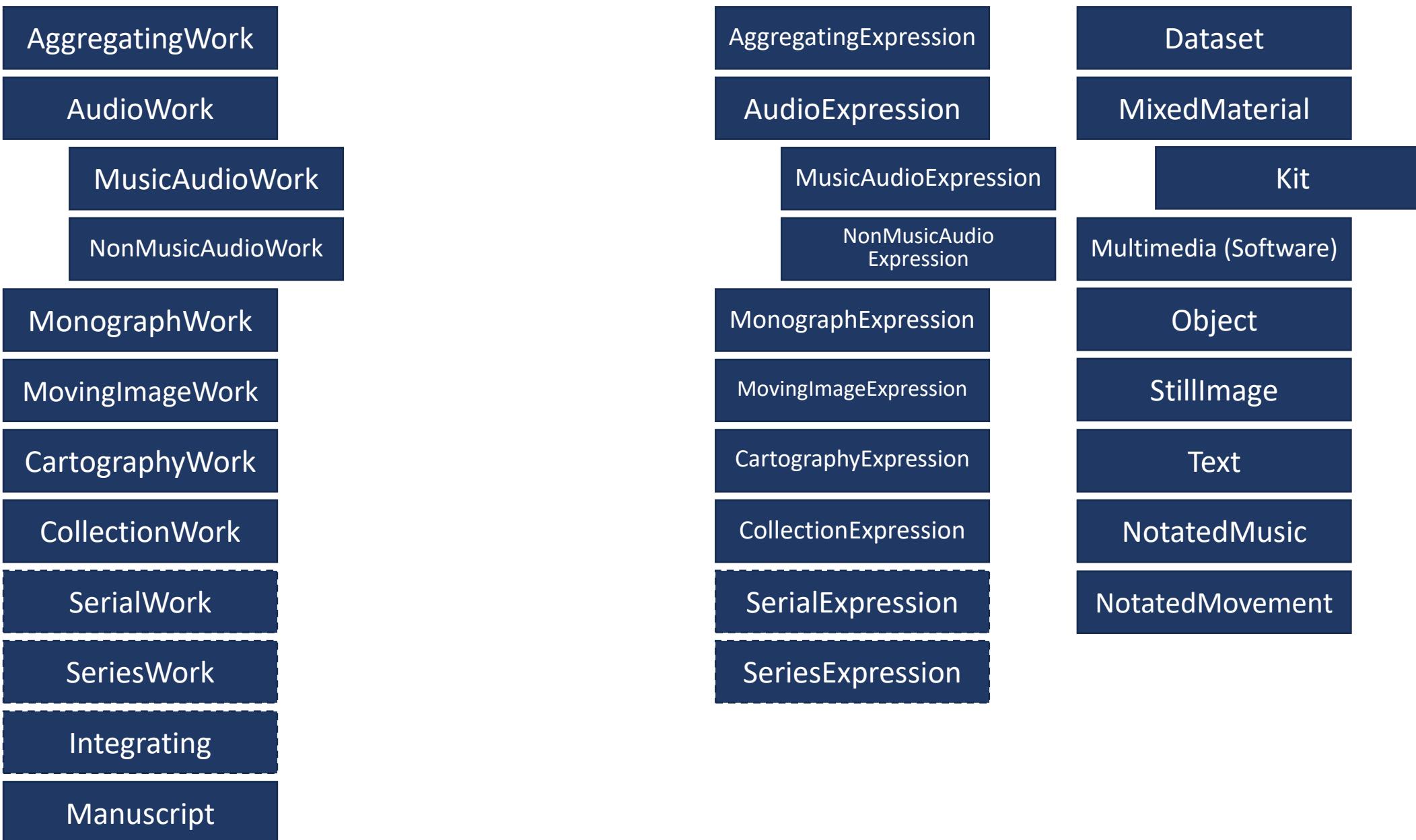
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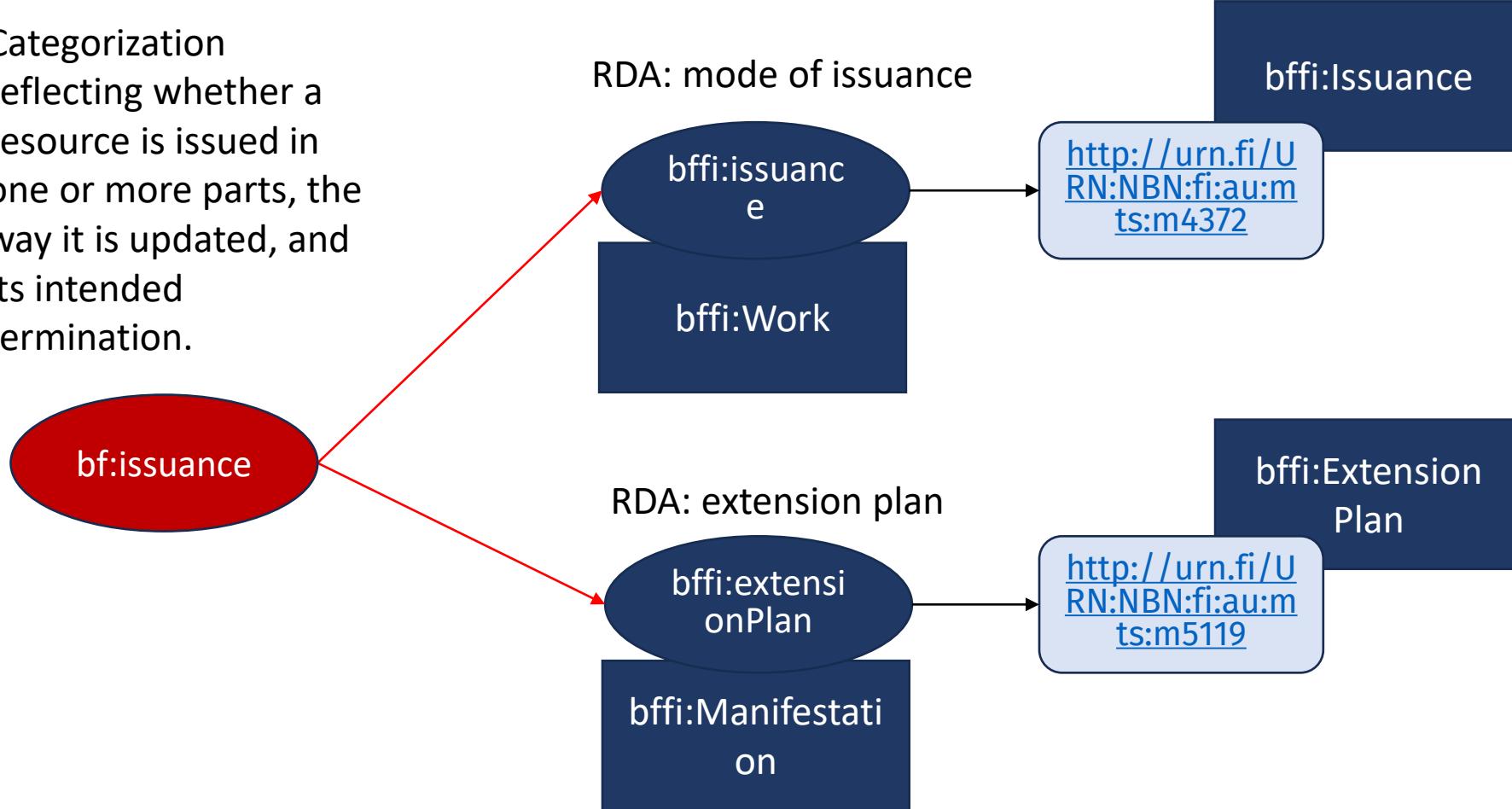
- We have been striving to maintain interoperability with standard BIBFRAME
- Conversions to the interlingua version that is being developed by the BIBFRAME Interoperability Group

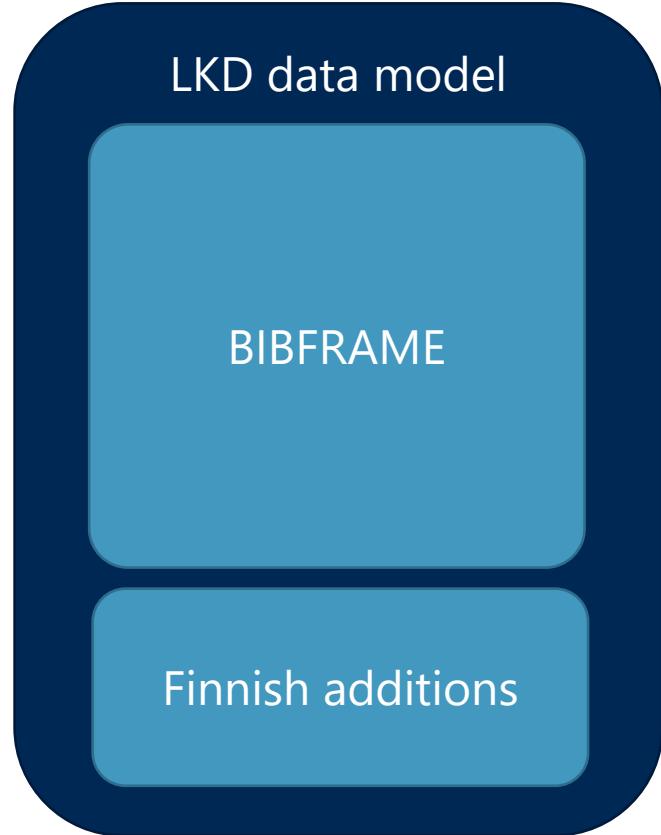
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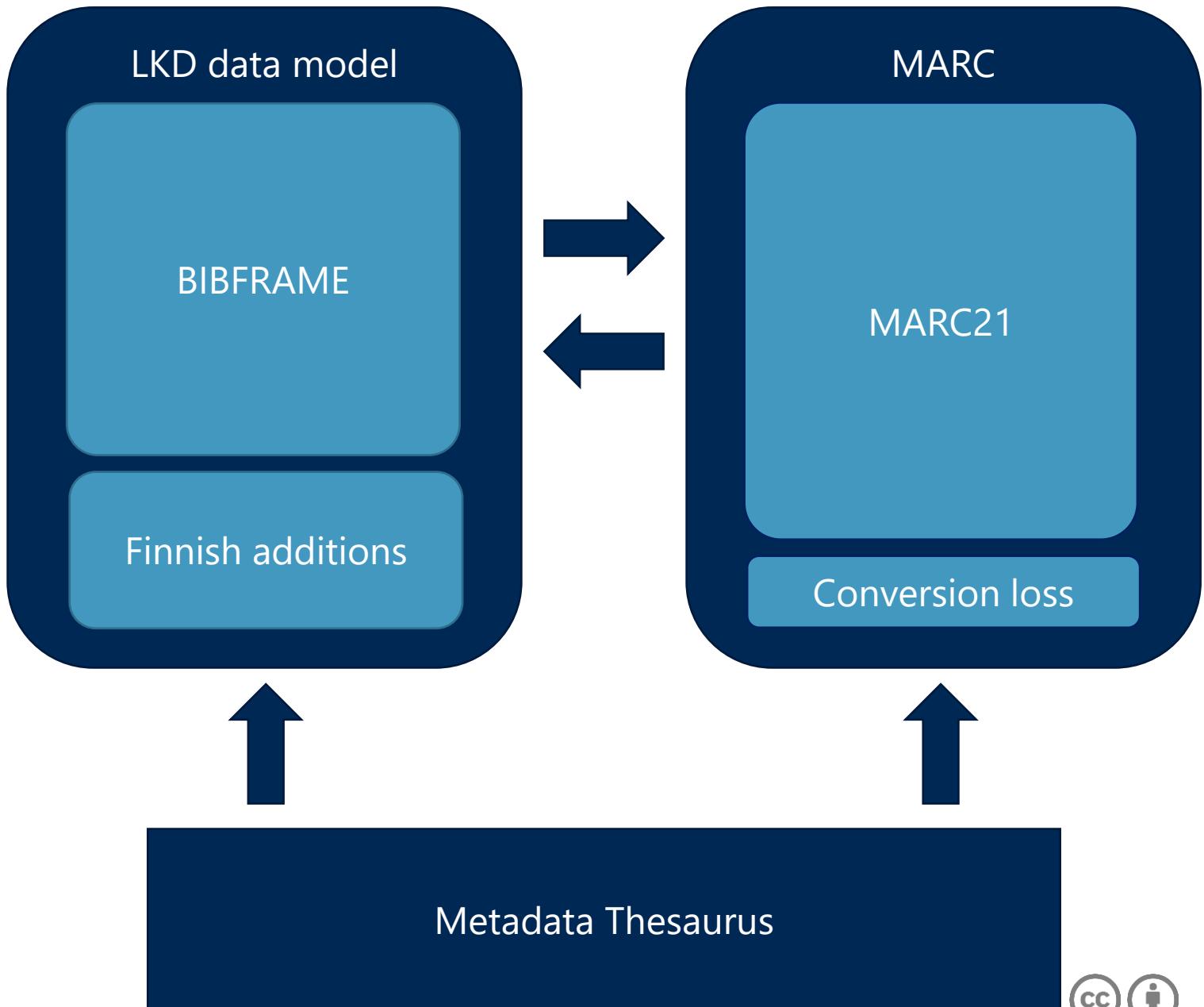


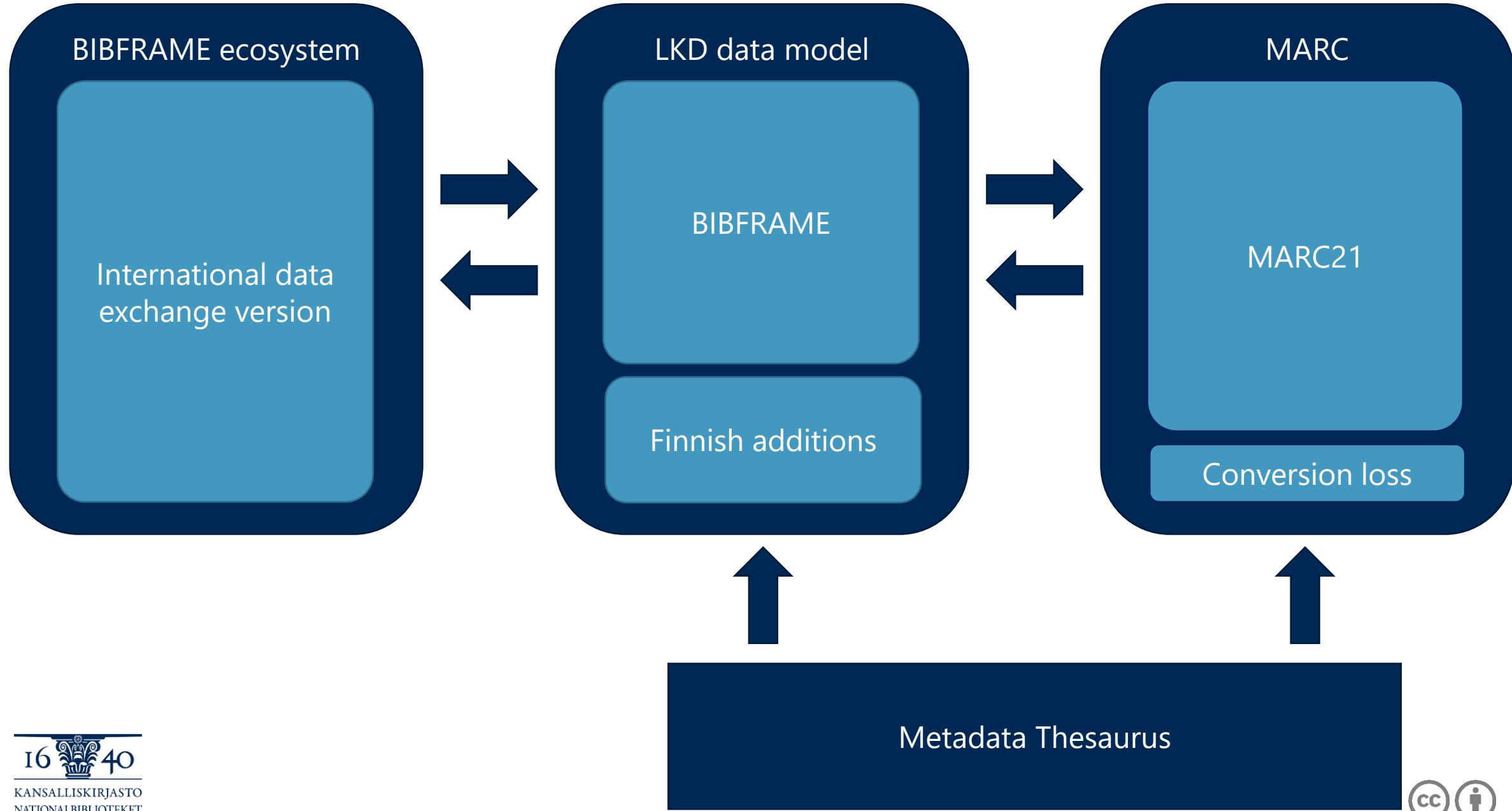
An example of a BIBFRAME property divided

Categorization reflecting whether a resource is issued in one or more parts, the way it is updated, and its intended termination.

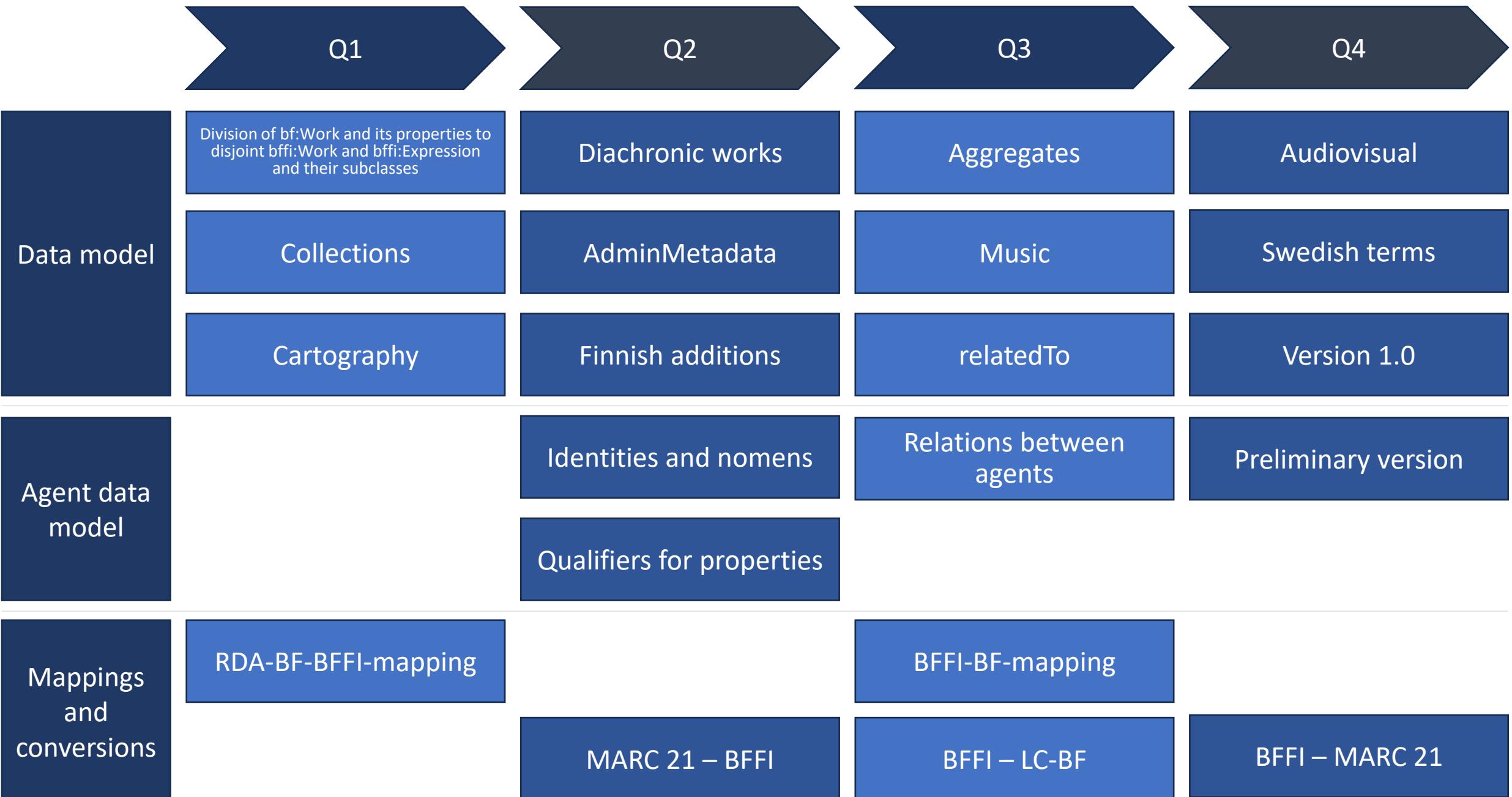








Roadmap of the LKD project for 2024: Focus areas by quarters





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