

# Session III: Data Sharing

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# What is a data commons

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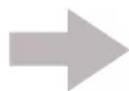
Scientific data commons enable **wide sharing of information**

-- data, software, and methods.

**CIMAC-CIDC:** Why do some patients respond to immunotherapy and others do not?

# Overview of the CIMACs/CIDC Immunotherapy Network

Clinical Trials



CIMAC1

CIMAC2

CIMAC3

CIMAC4

Molecular Assays



## Cancer Immunologic Data Commons (CIDC)

Data Standards

Central Data Repository

Standard Data Workflows

Integrative Analysis 

Data Access and APIs 

Data Visualization

Cloud Infrastructure



Identify molecular signatures that define immune response

# Thoughts on sharing

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## **Availability**

Get data and tools into the hands of researchers fast, remove roadblocks

## **Community**

Build a community around our software and bioinformatics tools (emulate TCGA model)

## **Innovation**

Focus on software and visualization unique to immune biomarker space

# Genomics data

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**Level 1:** High priority data types which will likely be generated in year 1

- Whole exome DNA-seq
- Bulk RNA-seq / Nanostring
- CyTOF
- Singleplex IHC
- Protein array (Olink)
- \*\* Multiplex IF
- \*\* TCR sequencing

**Future:** Other genomics data types under consideration

- Multiplexed Ion Beam Imaging (MIBI)
- Single cell RNA/TCR/BCR...
- 16S sequencing (microbiome)
- RNA-FISH
- HiDim Flow cytometry
- etc...

# Genomic data harmonization: The easy

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**Source**

**Post processing**

**Biomarkers**

Nanostring  
Protein array (Olink)

**None or minimal**



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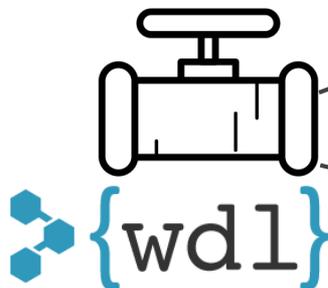
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## Post processing

Automated  
pipelines

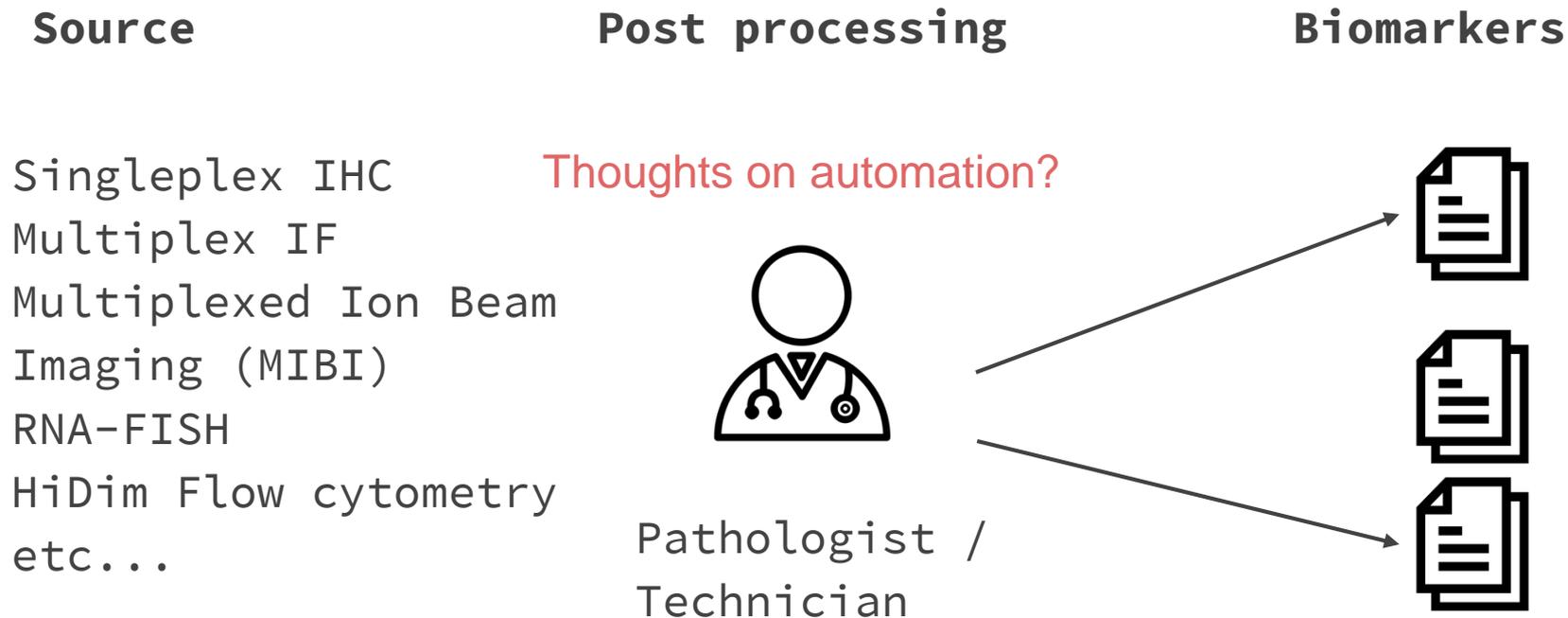


## Biomarkers



# Genomic data harmonization: The challenging

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# Clinical data

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## **Long-term vision**

Defined by NCI, using existing standards such as **CDISC**

## **Problem**

Participating trials use many different standards and systems

## **Current status**

Develop ad hoc model using ETCTN #10021 replace this ASAP

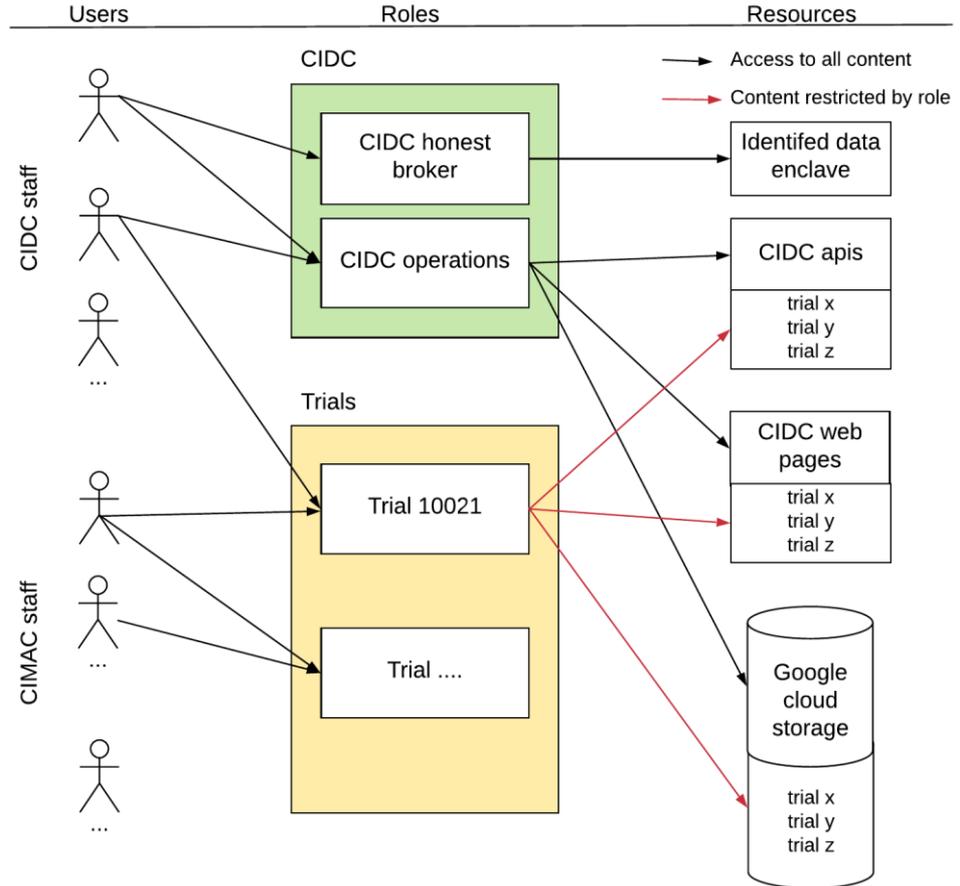
**Sharing**

# Note on security

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All content will be secured using industry standard practices

System will be FISMA moderate compliant (eventually)

Role based access control on all resources



# FAIR data

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**F**indable

CIDC-CIMAC network is  
committed to these guiding  
principles

**A**ccessible

**I**nteroperable

**R**eusable

# Data sharing modalities

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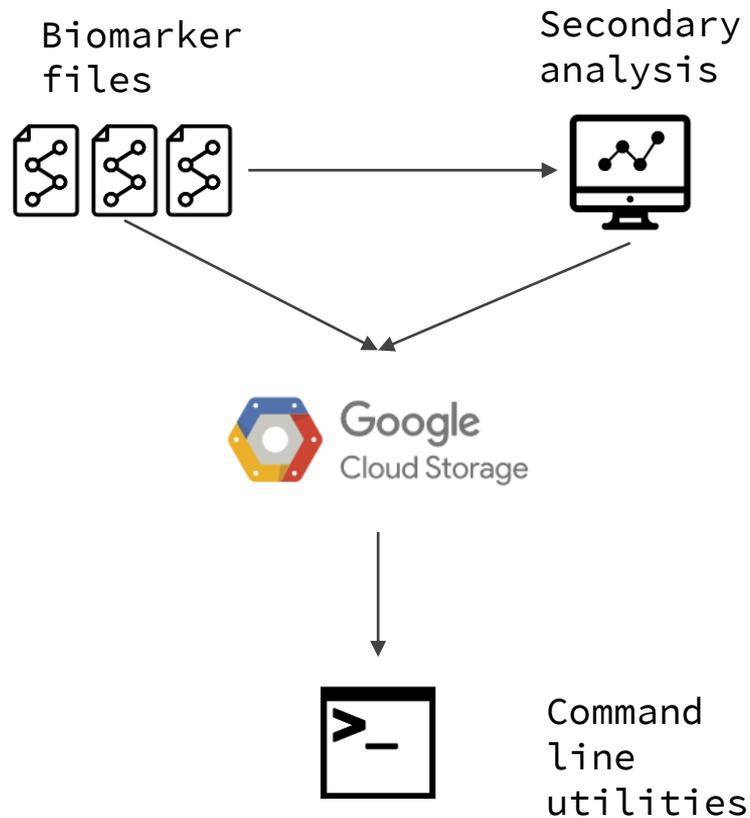
1. Primary and derived files
2. Standardized biomarker calls via API
3. Integration with FireCloud [bring compute to data]
4. Data science interfaces

# Primary and derived files

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All files generated by  
bioinformatics also stored  
in google cloud

There will likely be tiered  
access to files similar to  
TCGA

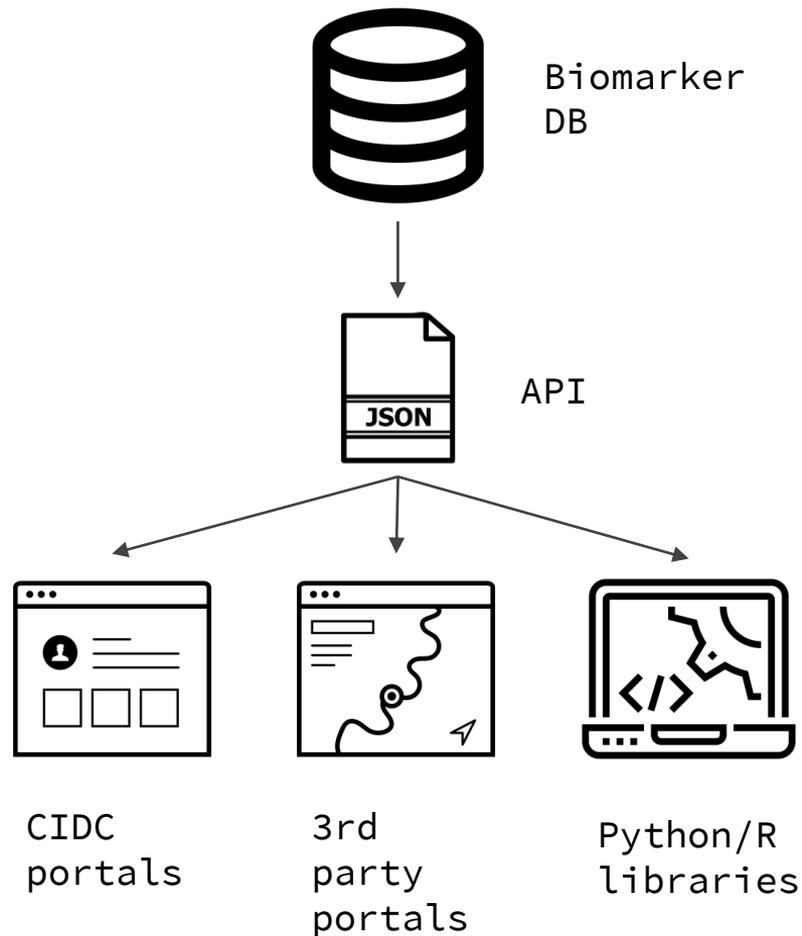


# Standardized biomarker API

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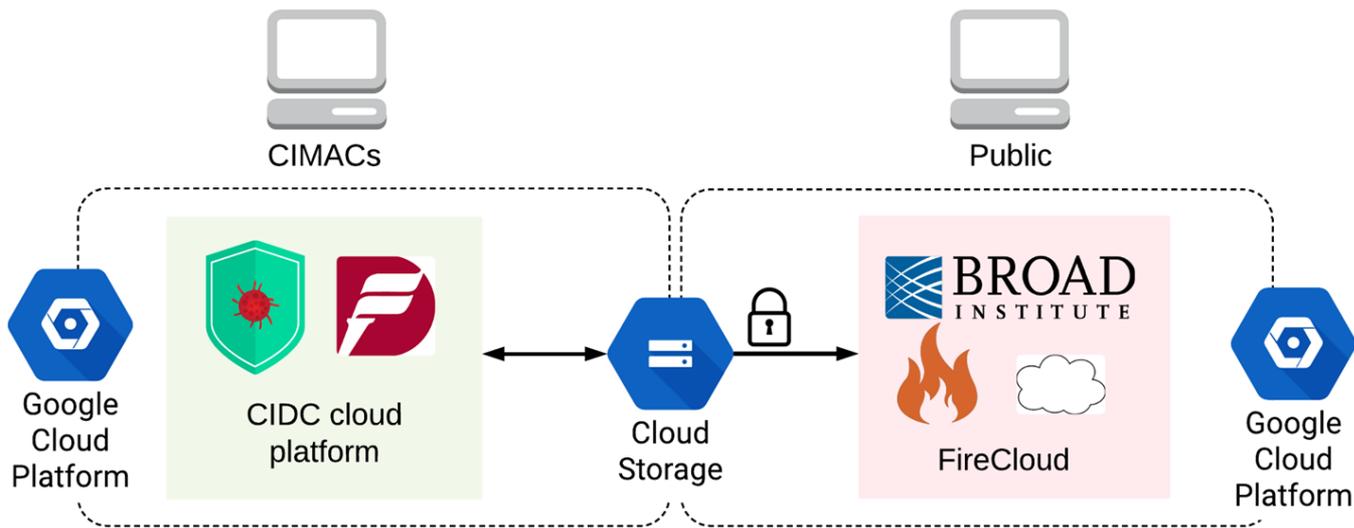
Biomarker + clinical data  
are stored in a database

Programmatic access to  
biomarkers via web API



# FireCloud

“Bring compute to the data”



# Data science interfaces

The ecosystem

## CIDC data browser

Find data of  
interest

Browse results of  
standardized  
analysis



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