

INTRODUCTION TO CIM FOR THE NAESB COMMUNITY

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STABLE GRIDS. FLEXIBLE THINKING.

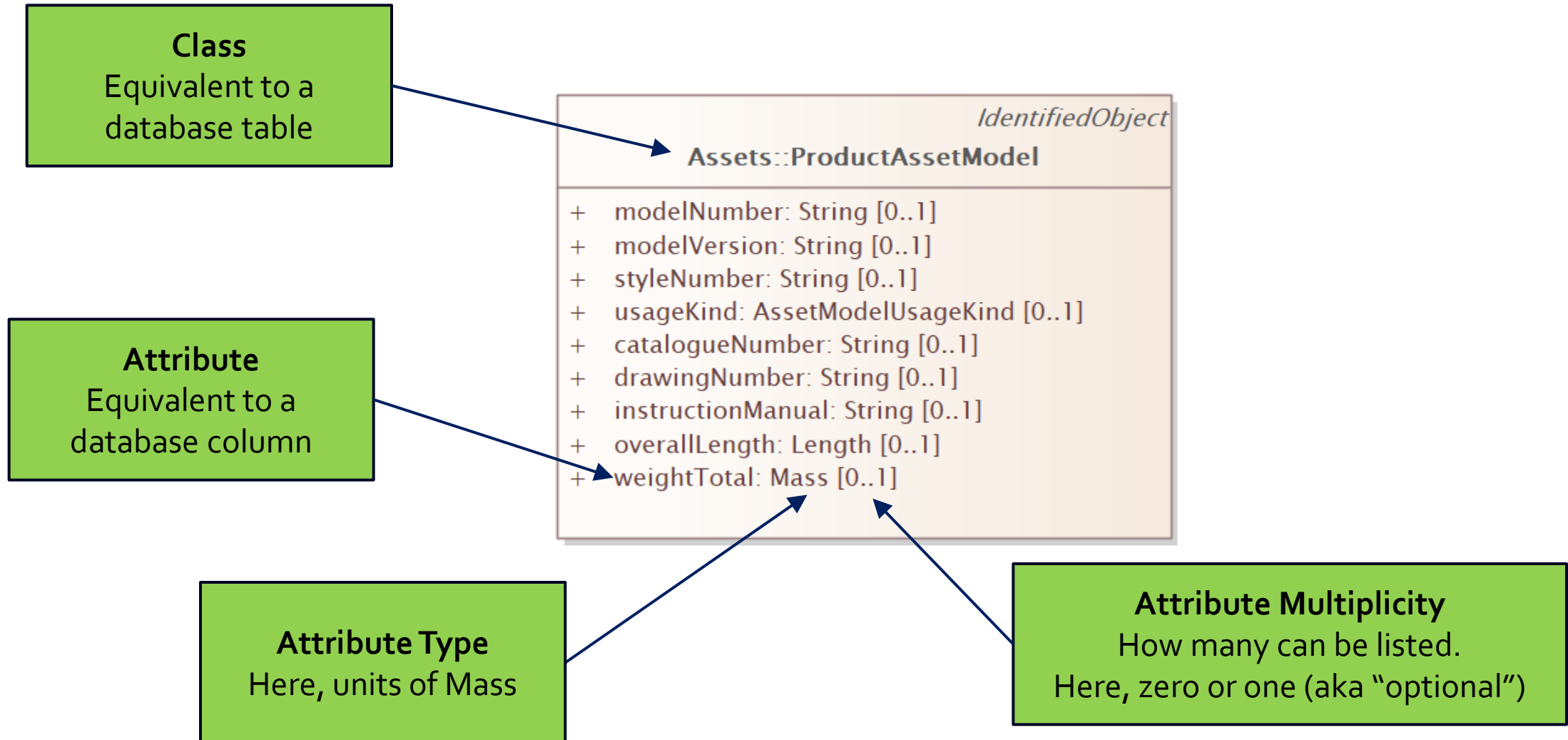
Before We Start...

The CIM was developed by electricity industry experts for use by the **electricity industry**

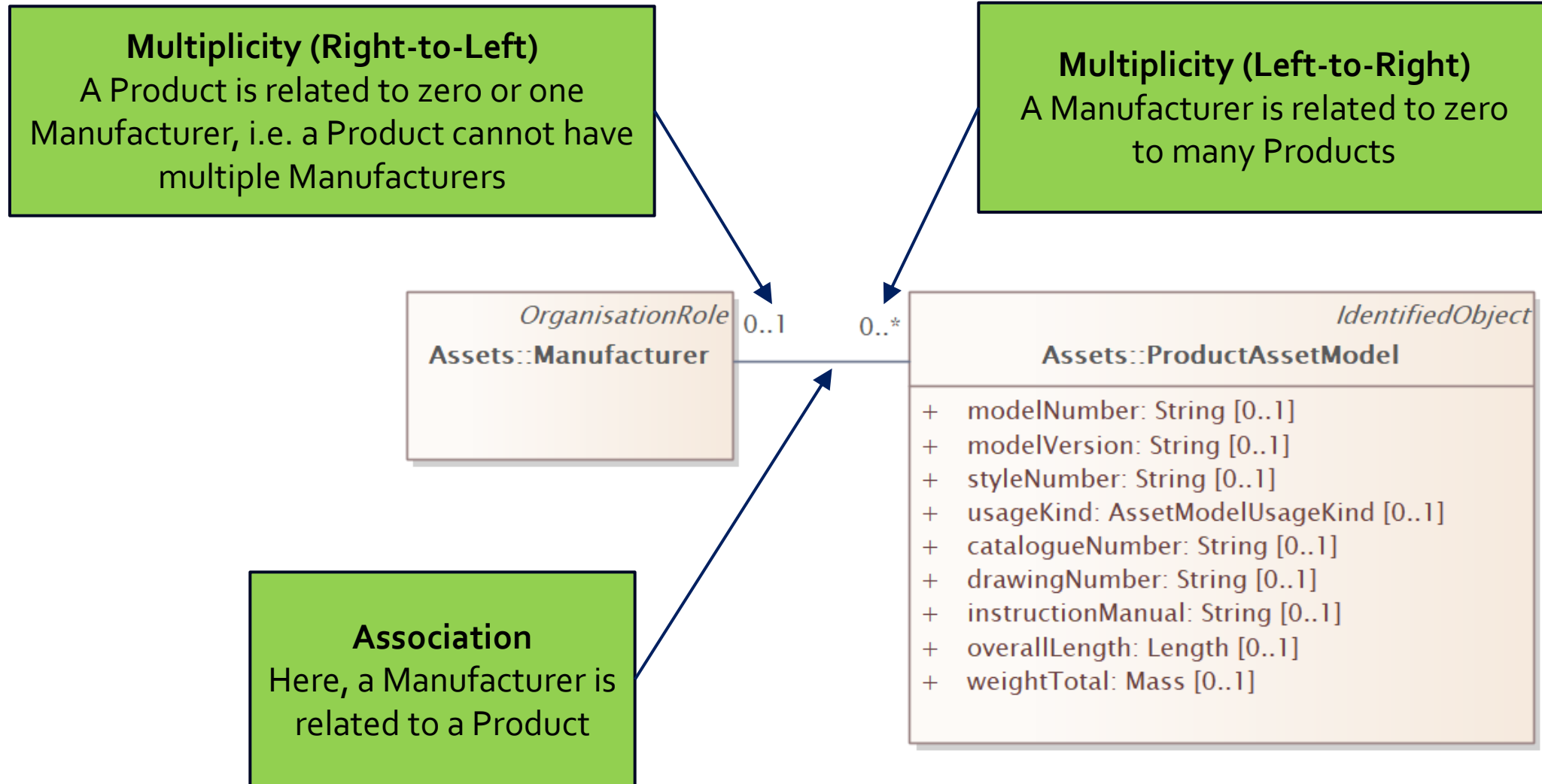
The CIM is a collection of 2,0000+ classes documented using **Unified Modeling Language (UML)**

Our first few slides provide a brief introduction to the UML

UML Basics: Classes & Attributes



UML Basics: Associations

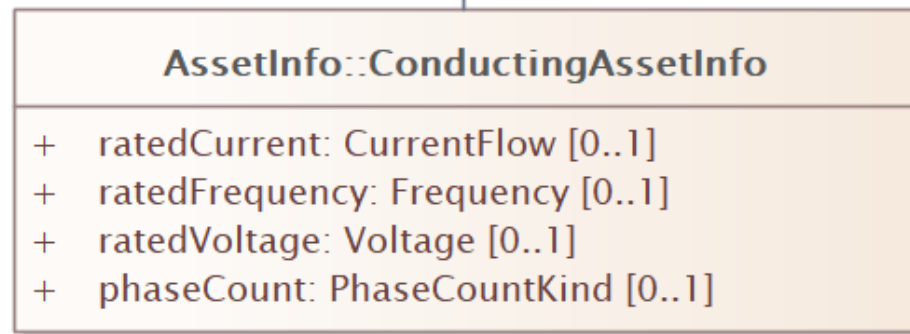


UML Basics: Inheritance

Inheritance
A parent class not shown on the diagram.
Here, AssetInfo inherits from IdentifiedObject

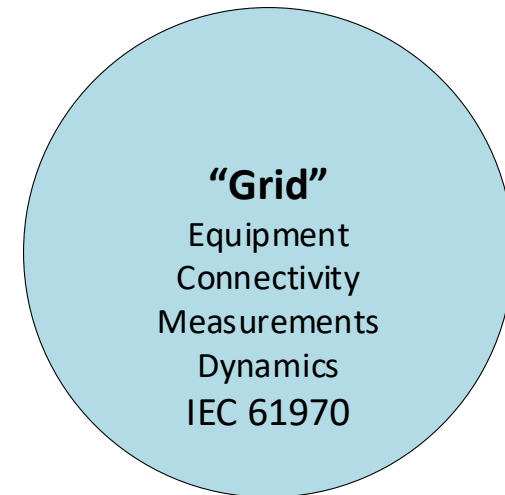
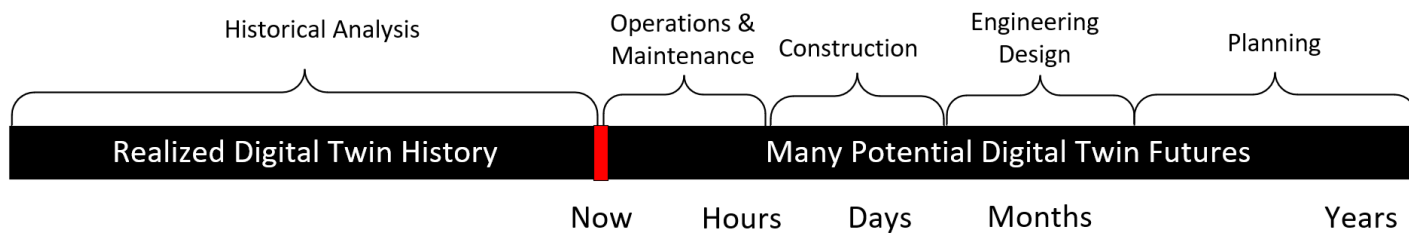


Inheritance
The “pointed to” class is the parent class and the child class inherits all Attributes and Associations of the parent.
Here, ConductingAssetInfo inherits from AssetInfo



The “Grid” Package

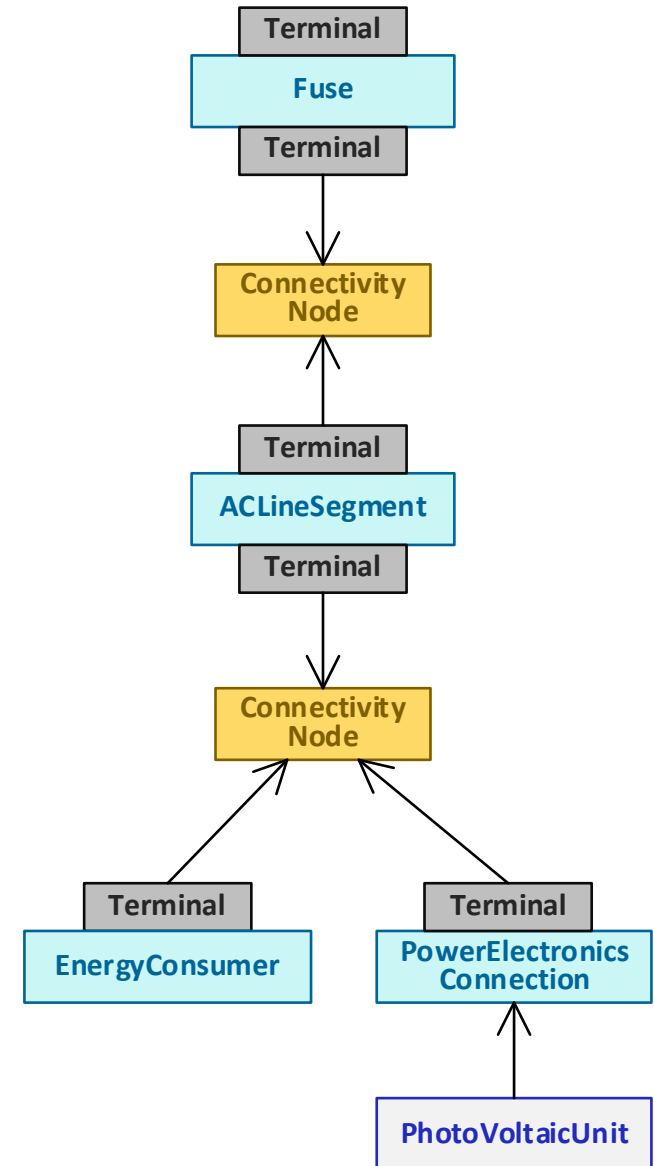
- Any power grid can be described and used as the basis for utility software solutions, such as planning analysis simulators and real-time grid management tools
- The ability to create a representation of the power grid was the motivation behind the original CIM development work and the core of many interoperability successes around the world
- The representations of a particular grid is not static, the CIM tracks current, past, and many potential future grid configurations.



Grid Profiles

Data exchanges for “digital twins” of T & D Grids are performed using “chunks” of the CIM called profiles:

- **Connectivity (CN)** maps each piece of Equipment though one or more Terminals to Connectivity Nodes; a true network representation
- **Electrical (EL)** adds the relevant data needed for planning and operations to use these models, such as impedances, tap changer settings, and voltage limits
- **Asset (AA)** provides Asset data for the specific devices deployed in the field. CN and EL profiles simulate potential future grid configurations; the Assets “plug into” the Equipment roles.



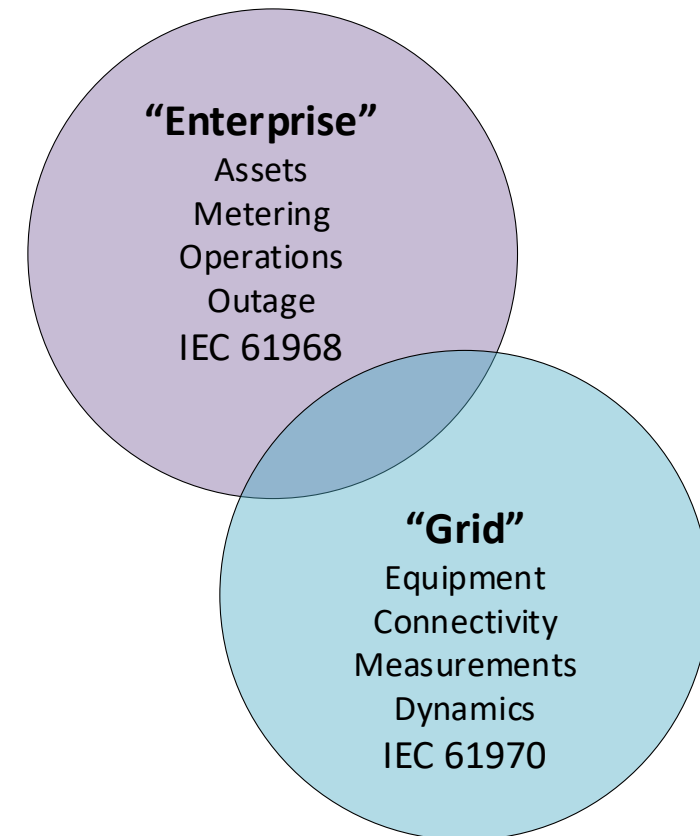
Grid Profiles (Continued)

Additional profile “layers”:

- **Geographic Location (GL)** adds the geospatial location of the equipment.
- **Diagram Layout (DL)** adds a schematic layout for display in tools and wallboards
- **Dynamics (DY)** add additional details to simulate dynamic response
- **Measurement Configuration (MC)** tracks how field devices report information
- **Topology (TP)** collapses the representation and identifies islands
- **Steady-State Hypothesis (SSH)** documents the inputs to a power flow analysis
- **State Variables (SV)** documents the outputs of a power flow analysis.

The “Enterprise” Package

- The “Enterprise” Package tracks the transaction information across the power system.
- covers many functions to support the various utility systems including a meter data management system (MDMS), an customer information systems (CIS), an outage management system (OMS), a work management systems (WMS), an asset management systems (AMS), etc.
- Tracking individual transactions among utility systems, all with unique identifiers, allows for data correlation and orchestration.



Enterprise Profiles

IEC 61968-3: Network Operations (NO)

- Measurements & Controls
- Switching Plans, Actions, & Events
- Planned & Unplanned Outages
- Incidents, Faults, and Trouble Tickets

IEC 61968-4: Records And Asset Management (AM)

- Catalogue Management
- Asset Record Management
- Asset Monitoring & Decision Support
- Maintenance & Inspection

IEC 61968-6: Maintenance & Construction (MC)

- Service & Work Requests
- Maintenance, Service, Switching, and Trouble Orders

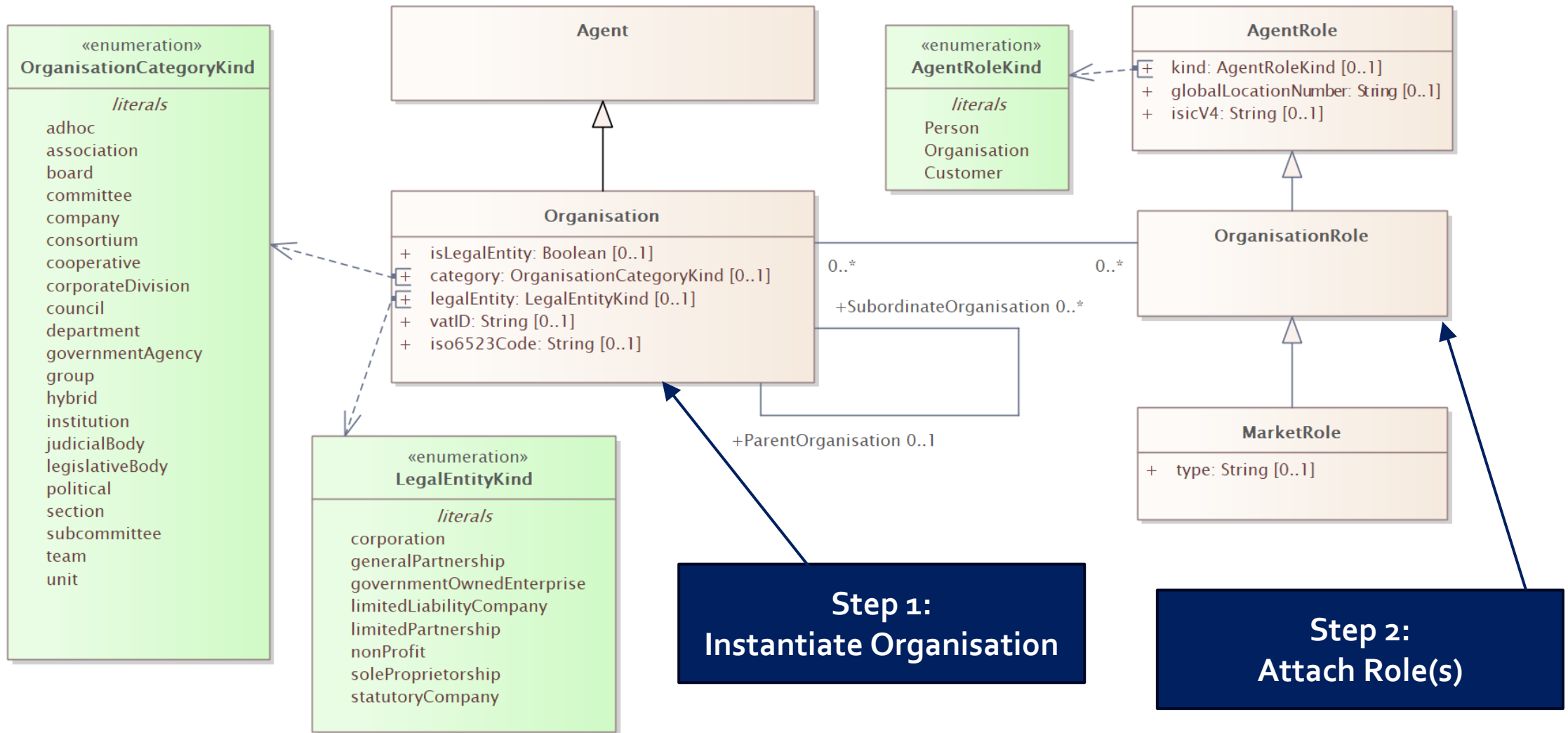
IEC 61968-8: Customer Support (CS)

- Customers & Service Locations
- Accounts & Agreements
- Pricing Structures
- Transactions & Payments

IEC 61968-9: Meter Reading & Control (MR)

- Locations & Communications Configuration
- Usage Readings
- Events & Controls

CIM: Organasation & Organisation Role

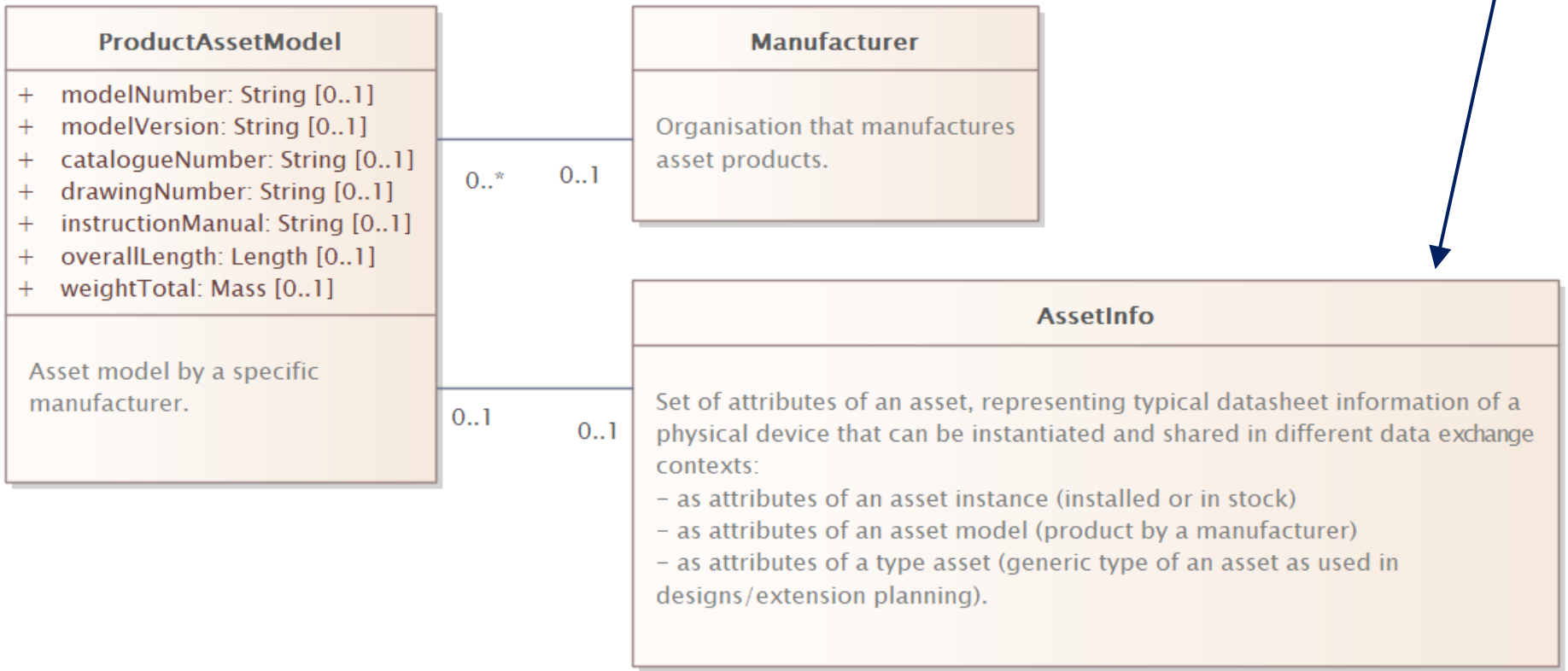


UML: Asset Catalog

**Step 1:
Instantiate Product**

**Step 2:
Link To Manufacturer**

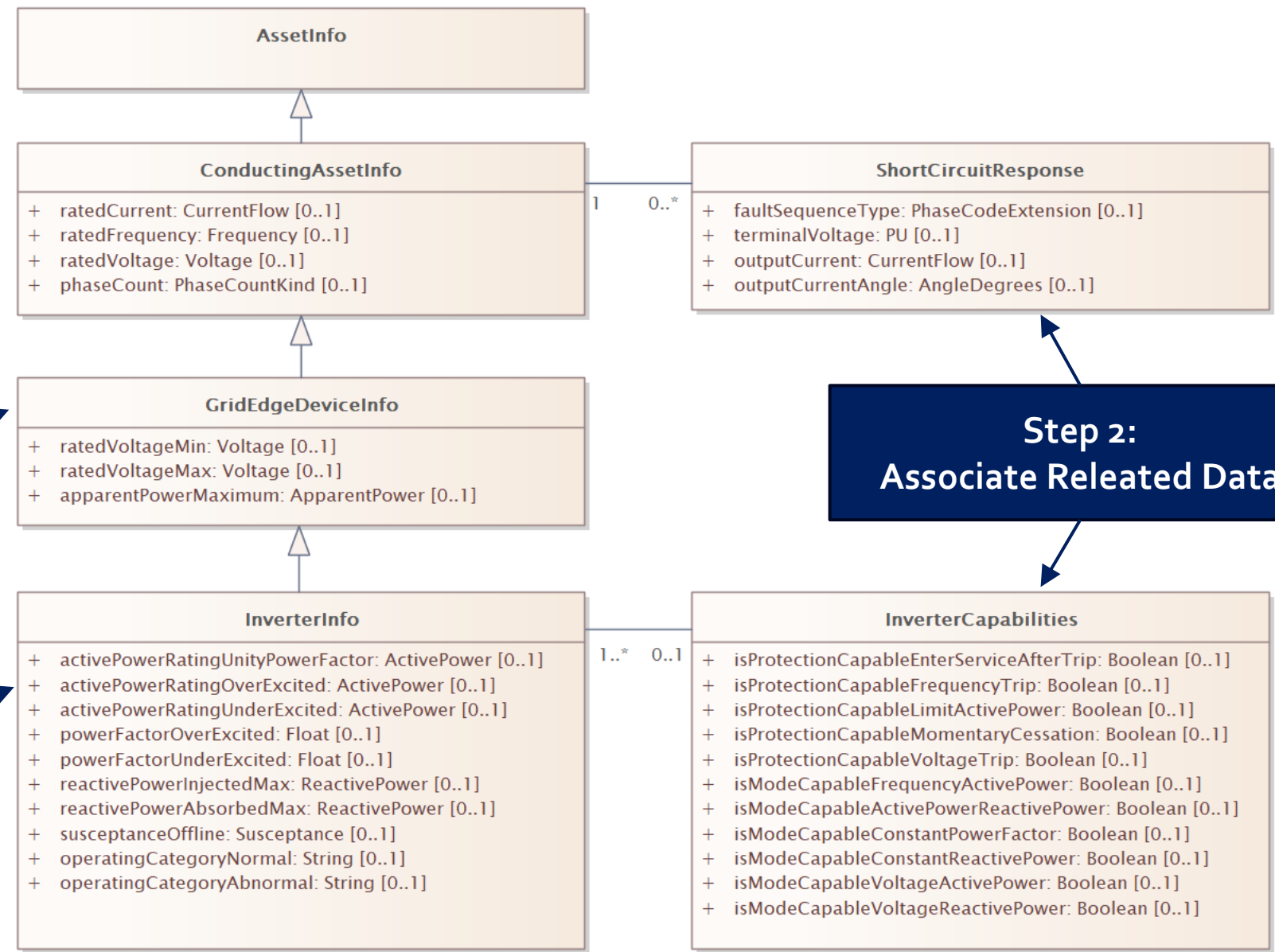
**Step 3:
Instantiate/Link
To Asset Info**



UML: Grid-Edge Device Asset Info

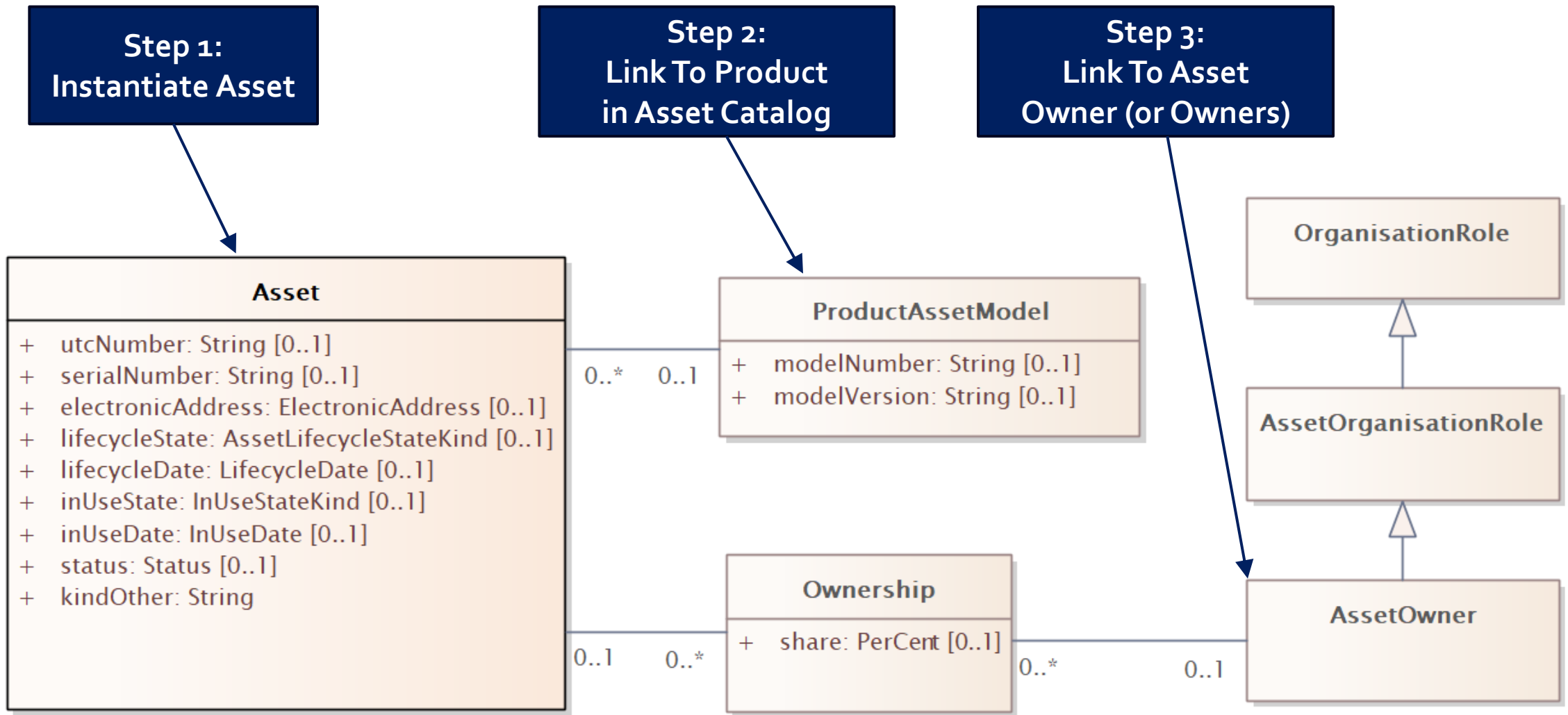
**Step 1:
Instantiate
Grid-Edge Device**

*Here, Specialized
as an Inverter*



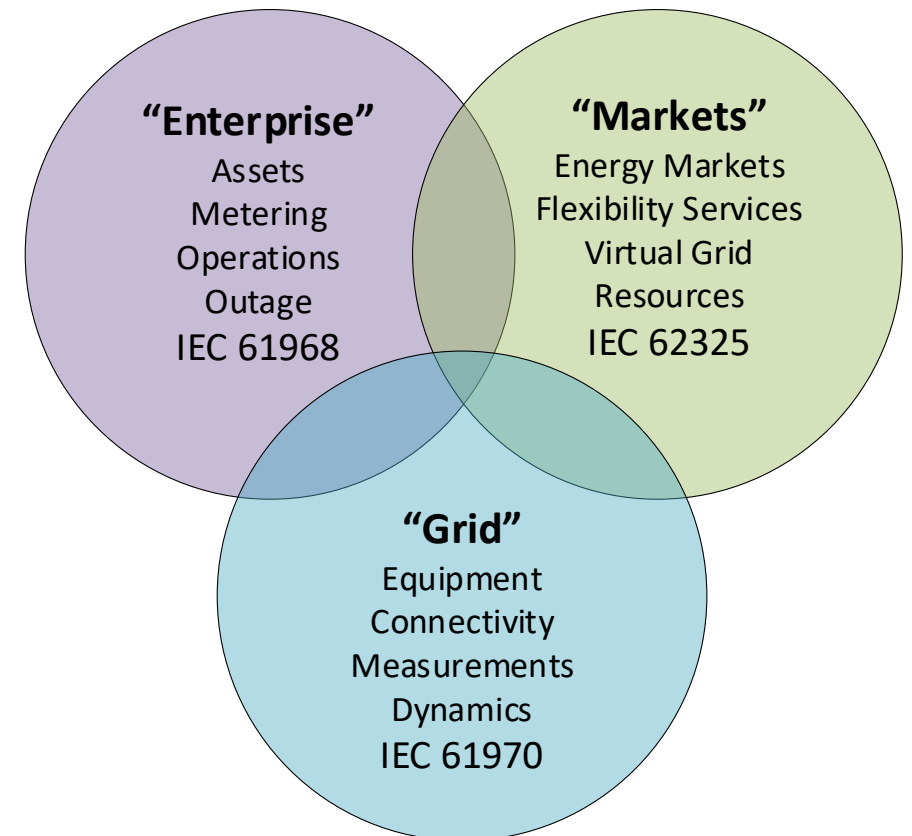
**Step 2:
Associate Related Data**

UML: Asset



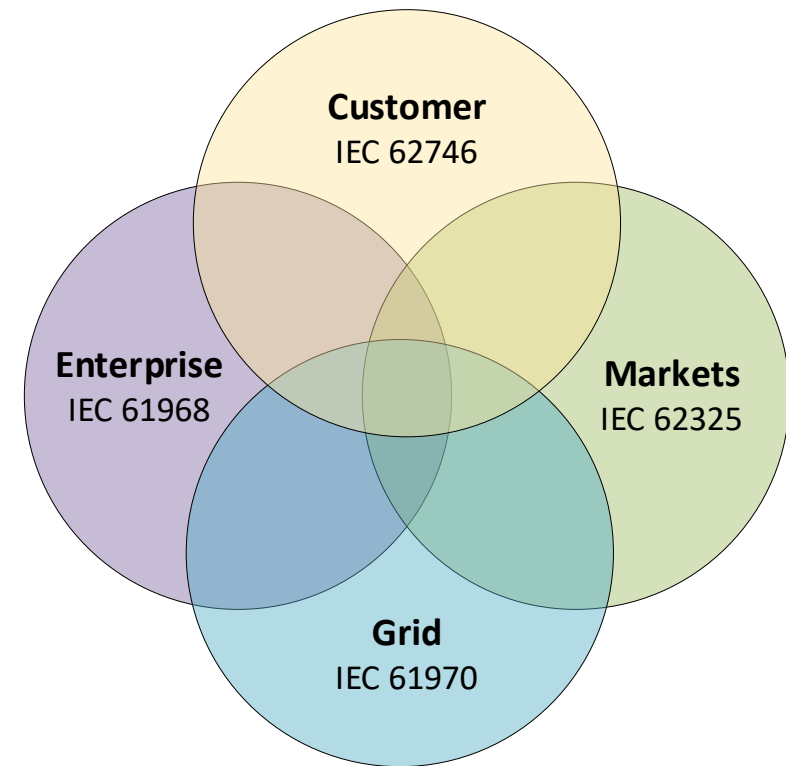
The “Markets” Package

- Transactions like bids and offers, clearing results, dispatches, and settlement information are all modeled to support energy, capacity, and Essential Reliability Service markets.
- Includes the concept of locational marginal pricing and, not surprisingly, ties directly to the “Grid Package” so that financial transactions can be aligned with the physics of the power system.

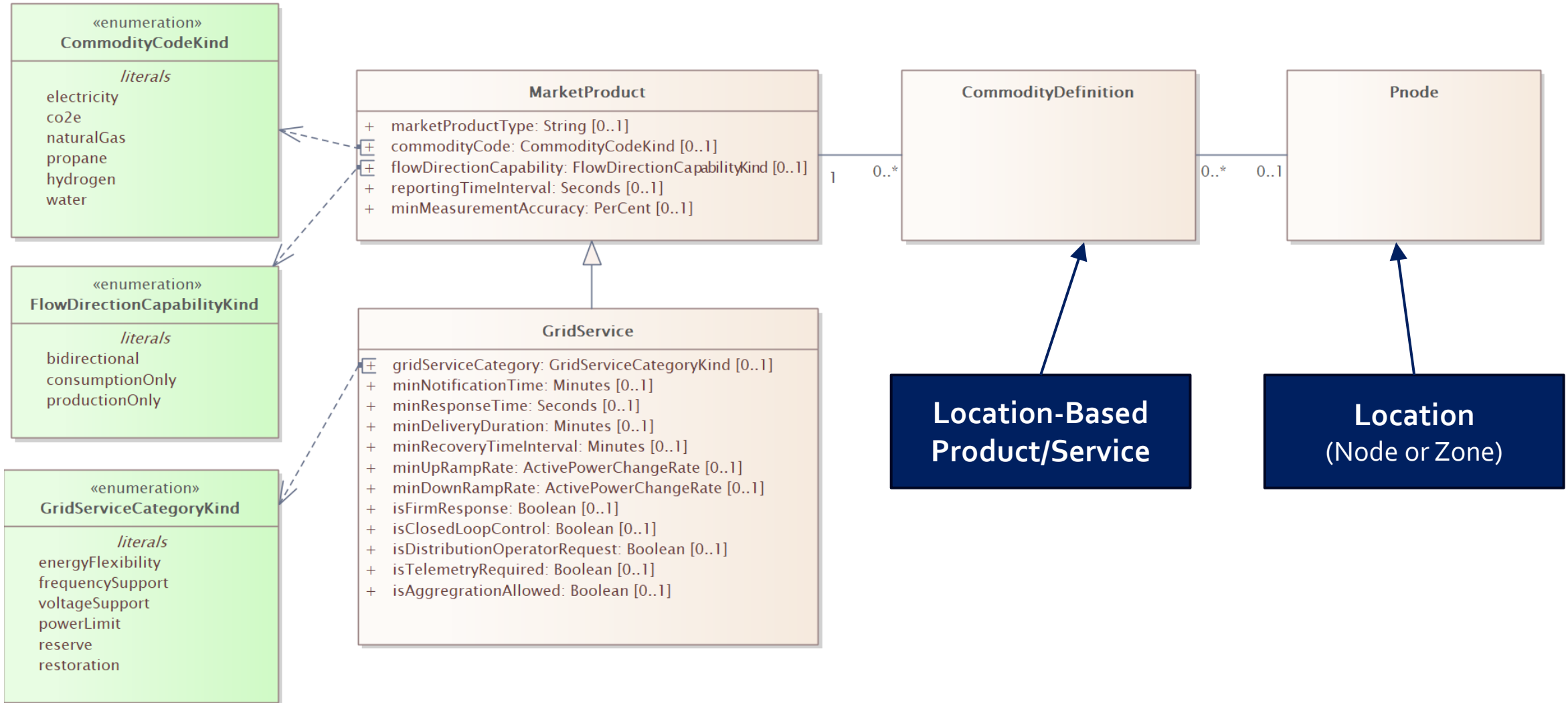


IEC 62746: The Customer Interface

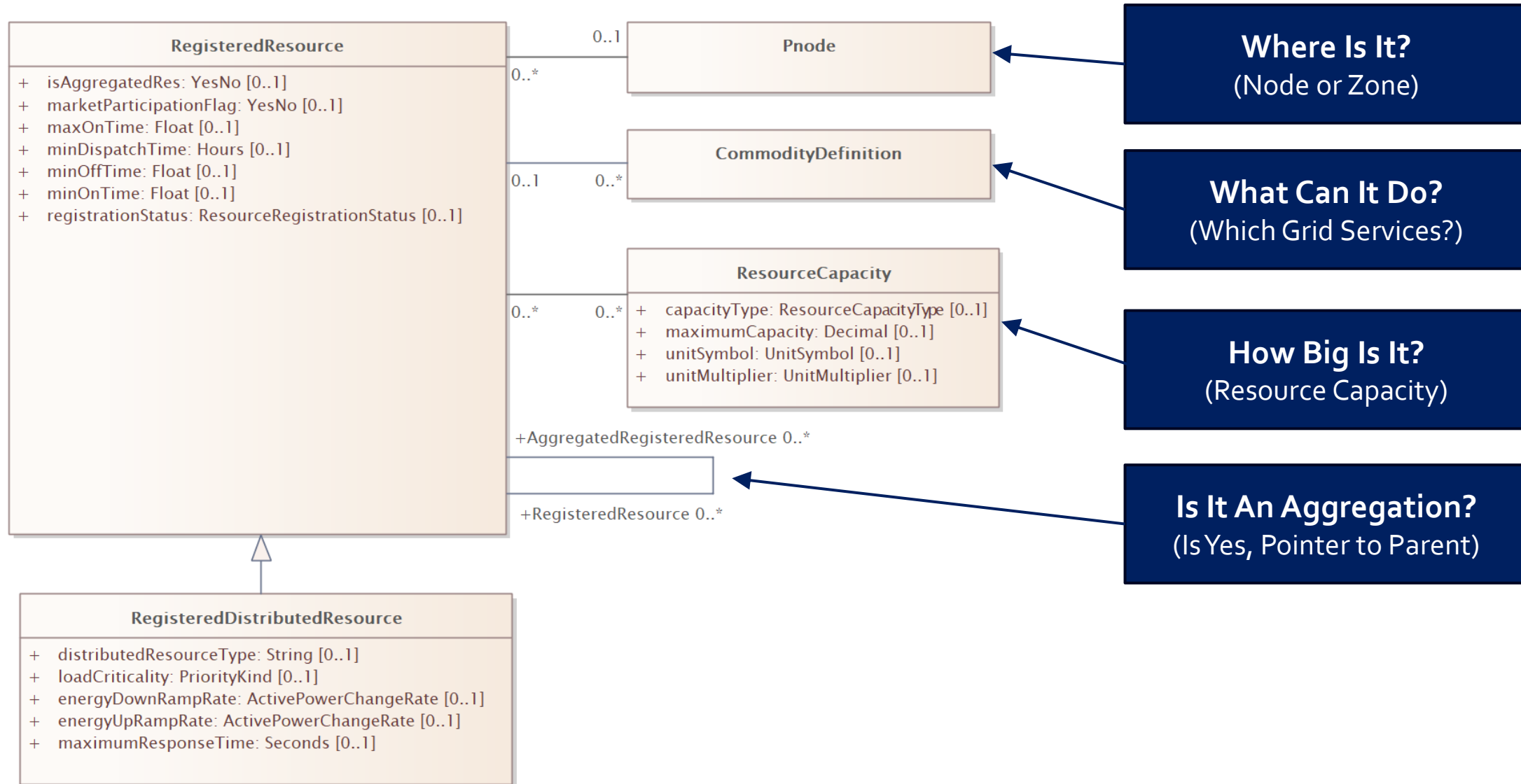
- IEC 62746 is the newest CIM series which manages information exchanges between utility systems and customer systems
- First release covers:
 - **Resource Definitions**
 - **Offers & Schedules**
 - **Clearing Awards & Instructions**
 - **Time-Series Data Submission**
 - **Price-Based Service/Dispatch**



CIM: Market Product & Grid Service



CIM: Virtual Power Plants



Thank You

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