Metadata and the physical storage

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The Datum 100 measures Net Income for Company 1.

Depending on how the Datum is stored, the documentation becomes different. It becomes more difficult to coordinate and compare when you do not directly see that it is the same variable.

It should be the same documentation regardless of storage, this could be the same survey, but different steps in the process. Ideally, we should avoid documenting based on the technical implementation.

*Example A:*

Variable: Net Income

Represented variable: Net Income Tkr

Datastructure component: Net Income Tkr Measure

*Example B:*

Variable: Type

Represented variable: Type Value Domain X

Datastructure component: Type Value Domain X Attribute