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# *Information Security – The Third Wave?*

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## *"The First Wave - Technical"*

"[...] characterized by a very technical approach to information security [...]"

## *"The Second Wave - Management"*

"[...] characterized by a growing management realization of and involvement with the importance of information security [...]"

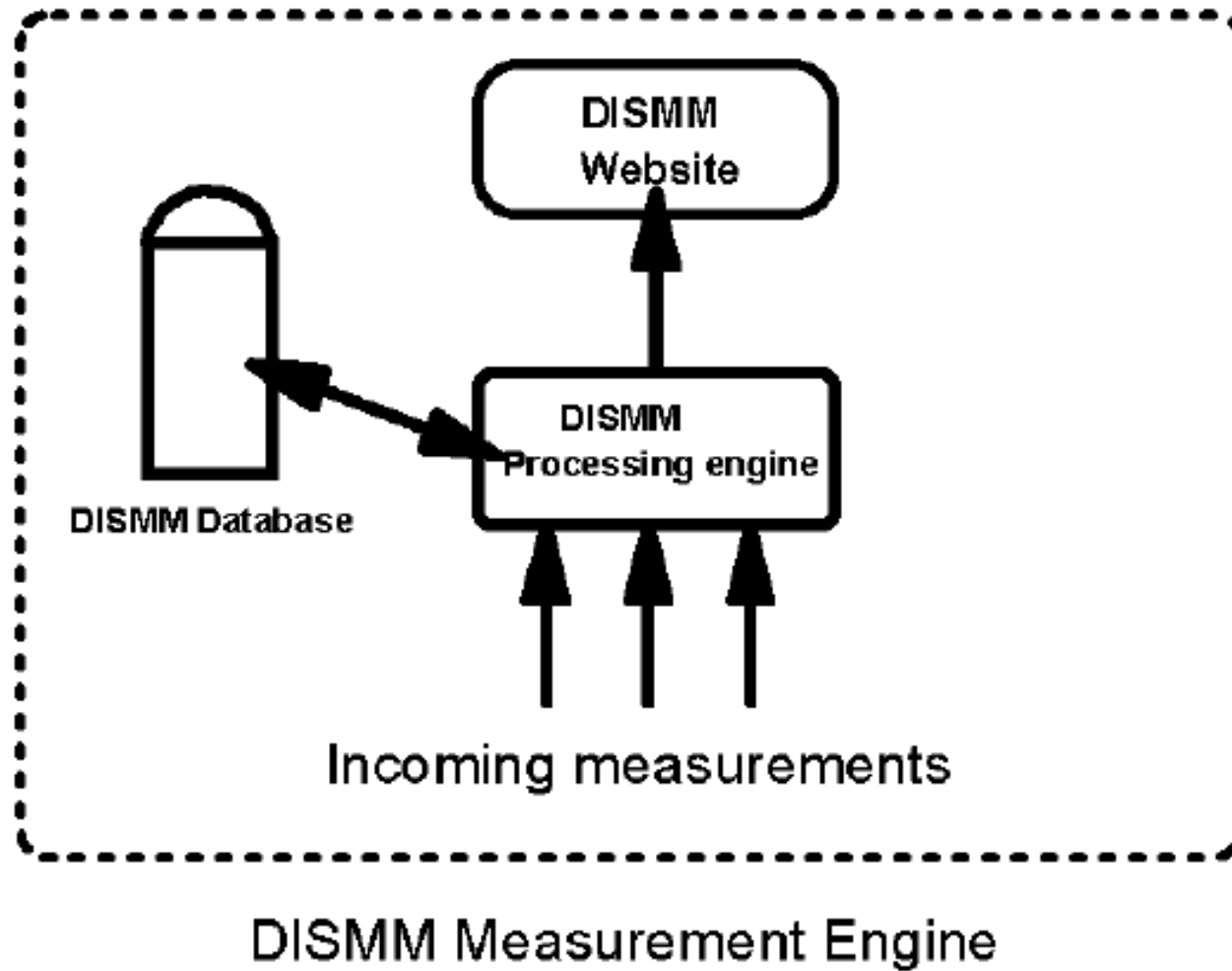
# *"The Second Wave - Management"*

"[...] information security practitioners got what they wanted - management's attention [...]"

## *"The Third Wave – Institutionalization"*

- "Information Security Standardization"
- "International Information Security Certification"
- "Cultivating an information security culture"
- "Implementing metrics to continuously and dynamically measure information security aspects"

# *Dynamic Information Security Management through Measurement (DISSM)*



## *"People Leaving the Company"*

"However, even with the parts that are presently implemented and operational, a level of information security management is possible which was *impossible* before implementation."

## *Fazit*

"Information Security can only be managed properly if, on a macro level, an internationally accepted reference framework (code of practice) is used, and if on a micro level, physical measurements can be made."