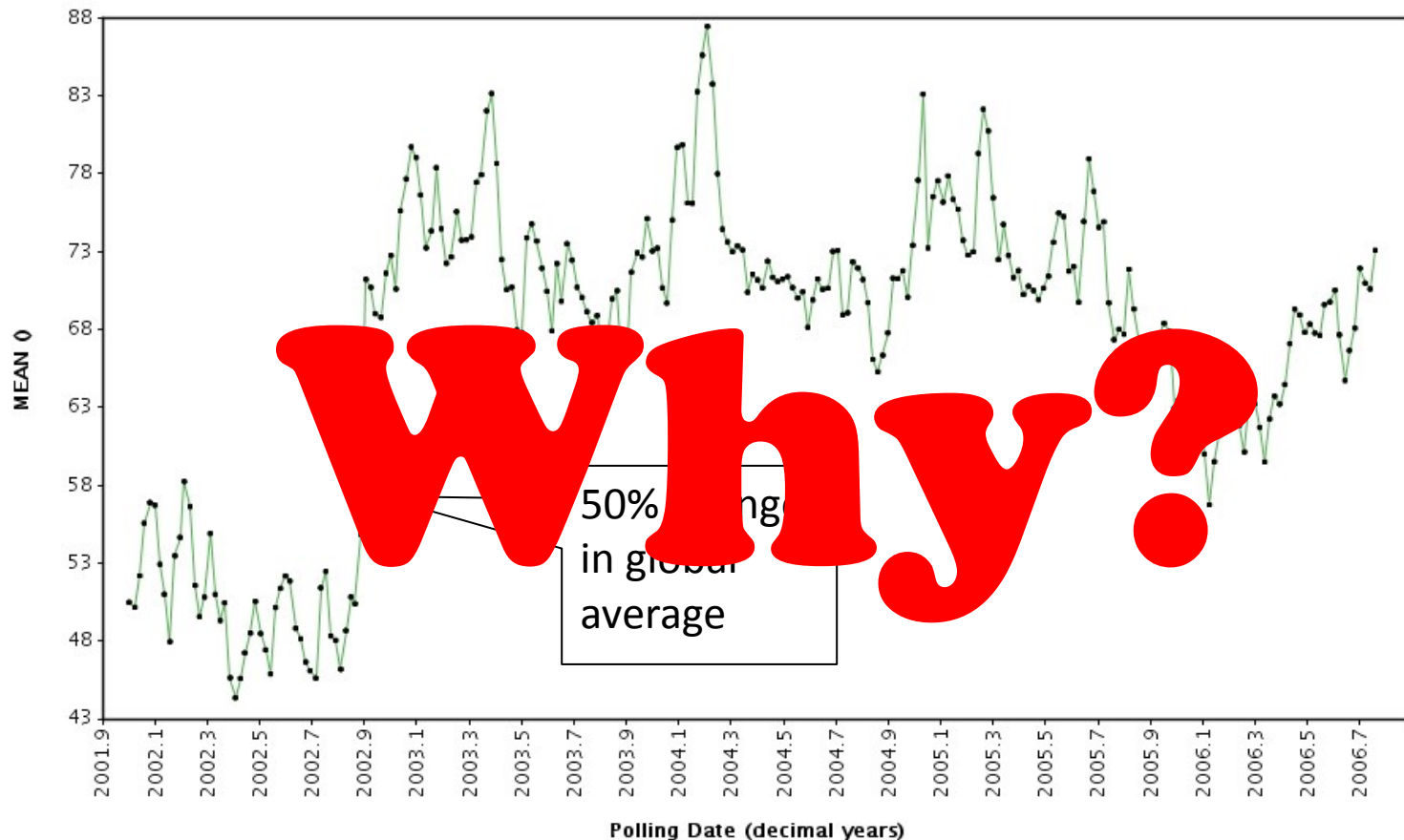


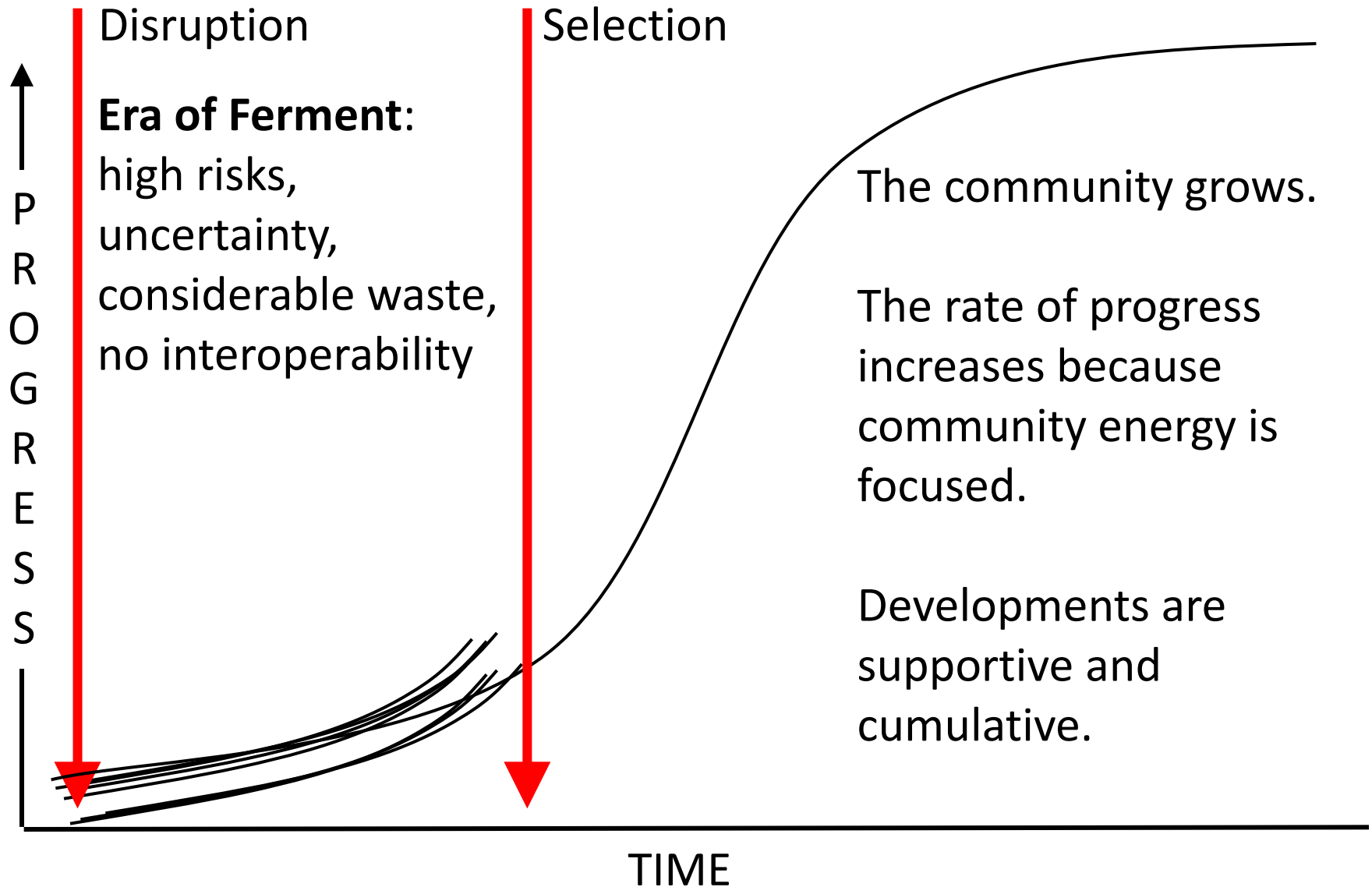
Convergence and Tools

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AMS Metadata Policy Working Group Recommendations:

The AMS should adopt ISO 19115-2 and SensorML as the metadata standards for the Nationwide Network of Networks.

In coordination with other organizations within the broader atmospheric and oceanic sciences community, the AMS should provide opportunities for its members to become better educated on the nomenclature, structure, and implementation of metadata and the standards recommended above.

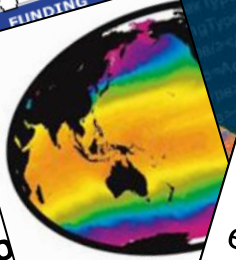
The AMS should establish a permanent committee to serve as a body of experts ... to provide advice to organizations working to implement a Nationwide Network of Networks and to coordinate with the Federal Committee for Integrated Observing Systems (CIOS).

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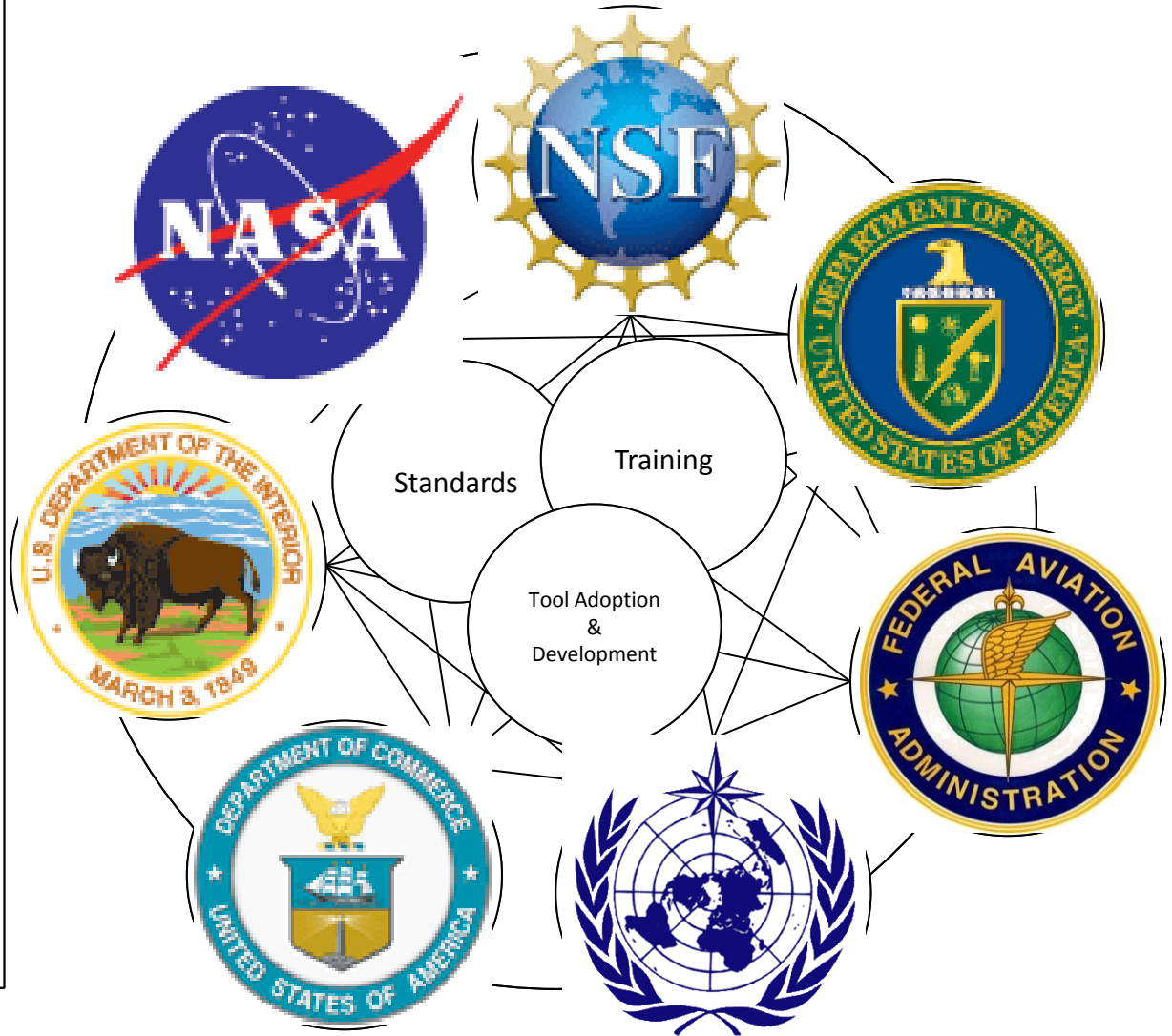
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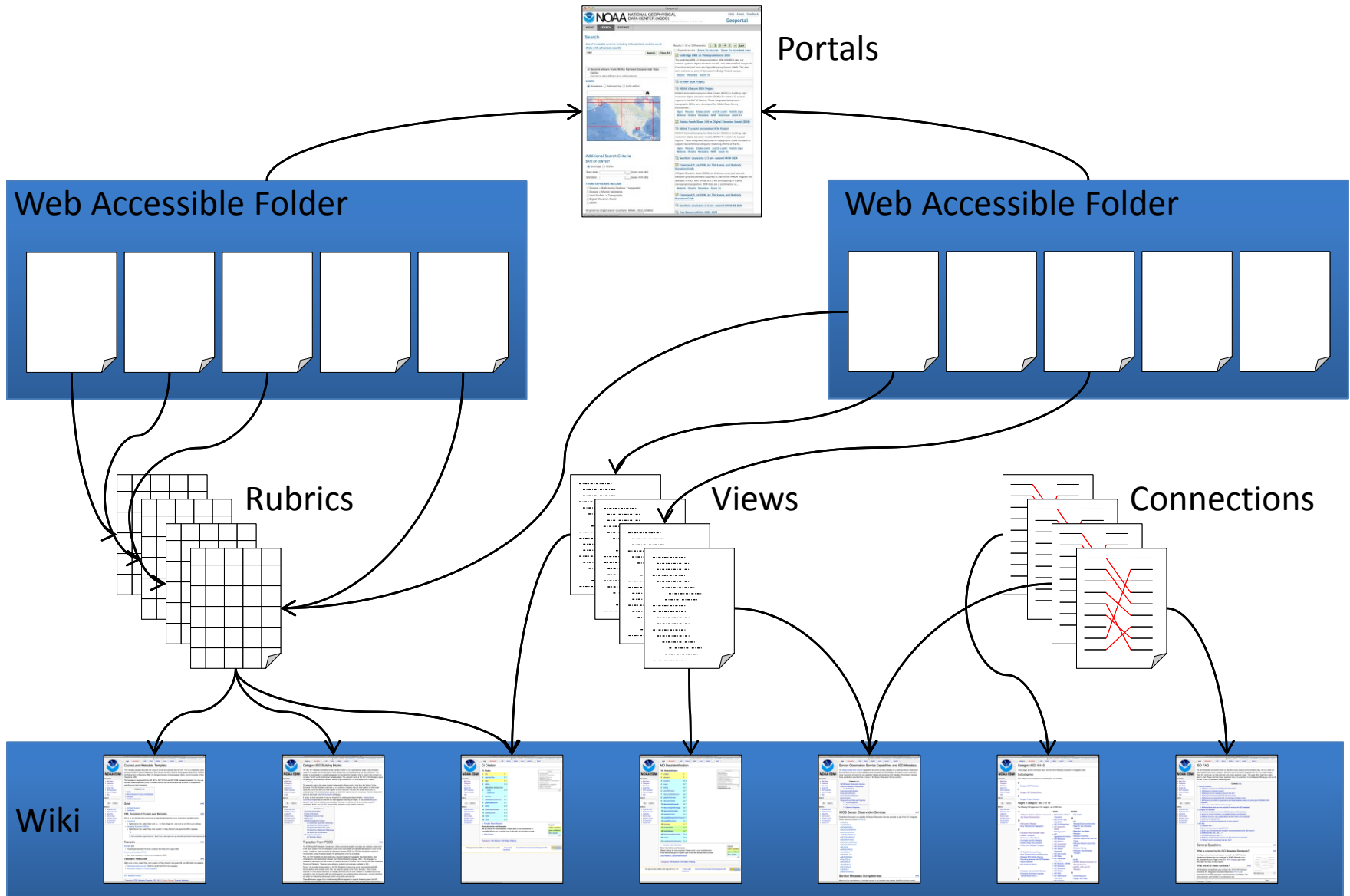
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Spirals and Rubrics

Spiral	None	0-33%	34-66%	67-99%	All
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Metadata Evaluation for Dataset X
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Each record has a score that can be calculated using a consistent, standard tool

Designated Communities - Users



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