## Requirements - Requirement #385

# (Requirement) Support arbitrary unique identifiers

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## **Description**

<u>DataONE</u> cyber-infrastructure will need to support a wide ranger of identifiers including, but not limited to: unique strings, LSIDs, Handles, DOIs, URIs.

#### Rationale

<u>DataONE</u> will be integrated with many types of data provider which utilize a variety of identifier schemes. It is not feasible to expect all data providers to be able to handle arbitrary object identifiers when replicating content between member nodes. Hence, the <u>DataONE</u> core cyber-infrastructure should be identifier agnostic.

### Fit Criteria

- Any type of unique identifier can be supported by Coordinating Nodes
- Some Member Nodes can be adapted to support any type of identifier

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