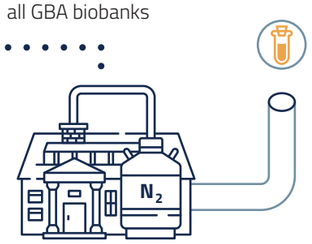
Key Figures in 2017

1 **European Research Infrastructure** for biobanking with GBN as the national hub in Germany

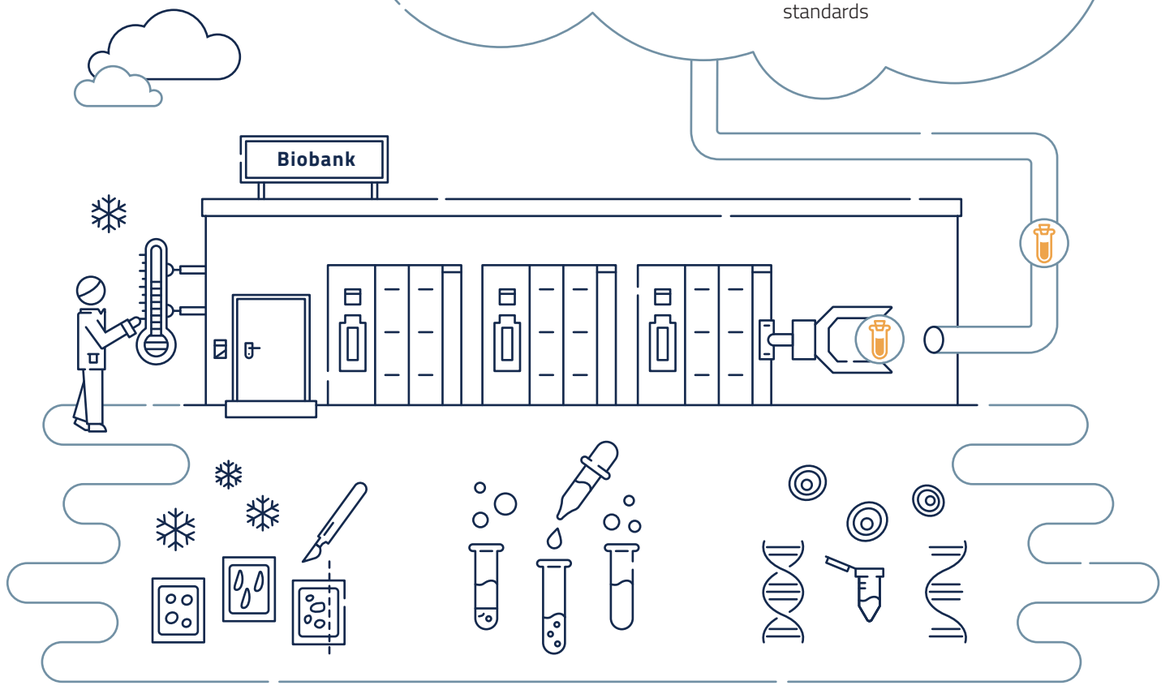
1 **Central Office** of the German Biobank Node (GBN) coordinates all national activities

2 **IT Sites** develop an IT framework for sample and data requests across all GBA biobanks



11 **Biobank Sites** are part of the German Biobank Alliance (GBA) and build the network

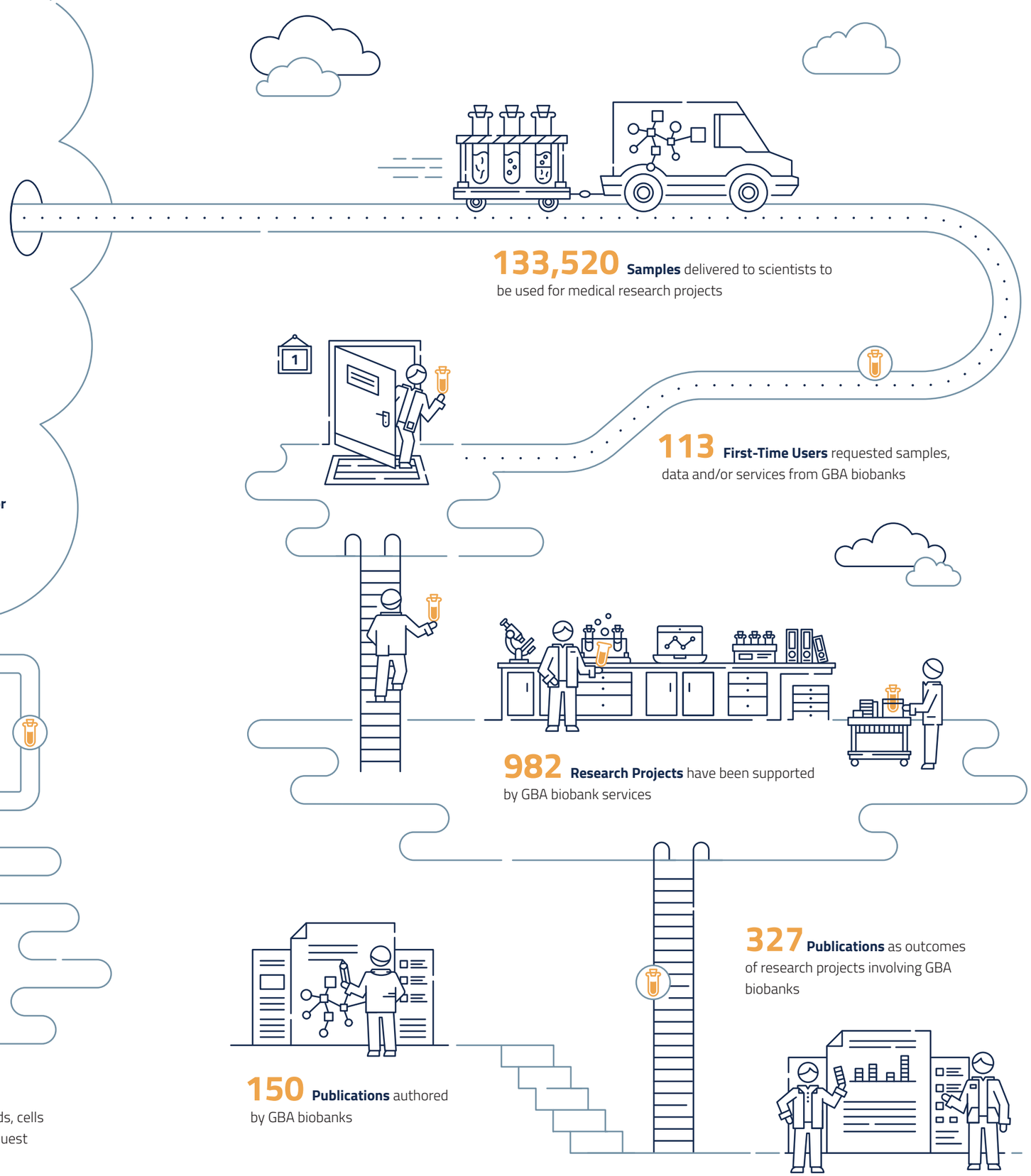
10 **Quality-certified or accredited** biobank sites according to official standards



10,741,579
Tissue Samples are available on request from 11 biobank sites

5,321,219
Liquid Samples are stored in GBA biobanks and obtainable

705,974
Derivates such as nucleic acids, cells and more are available on request



133,520 **Samples** delivered to scientists to be used for medical research projects

113 **First-Time Users** requested samples, data and/or services from GBA biobanks

982 **Research Projects** have been supported by GBA biobank services

327 **Publications** as outcomes of research projects involving GBA biobanks

150 **Publications** authored by GBA biobanks

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