



CAMARA
THE TELCO GLOBAL API ALLIANCE

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APIs enabling seamless access to Telco network capabilities



Telco network capabilities exposed through APIs provide a large benefit for customers. By simplifying telco network complexity with APIs and making the APIs available across telco networks and countries, CAMARA enables easy and seamless access.



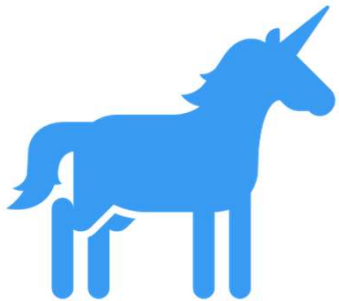
CAMARA Mission

What is the CAMARA Project?

Key problems we try to solve



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Scale

Developers dream of being the next unicorn...
If apps, products, or services are built on our APIs they want them in all relevant markets and networks globally.



Consistency

Multi-nationals want consistency across all markets they operate in... they do not want APIs that only work in a single network in a single country. They do not want to try and build for the differences of each network.



Simplicity

Telco networks are complex, and every network is different.... Developers want simple, intent-based APIs.



Accessibility

We go to the developers where they are so the project is open sourced in the Linux Foundation. Allowing API users to work directly with CSPs creating the service.



Demand Driven

We develop the APIs and design it in the way our customers need it. The demand is collected from organizations like GSMA OPAG but also from customers directly.

Key problems we try to solve

Consistency Benefit



Availability across telco networks and countries is necessary:

- To ensure seamless customer experience
- To accelerate technology development and commercial adoption (minimize implementation effort)
- To accelerate education and promotion
- To support application portability

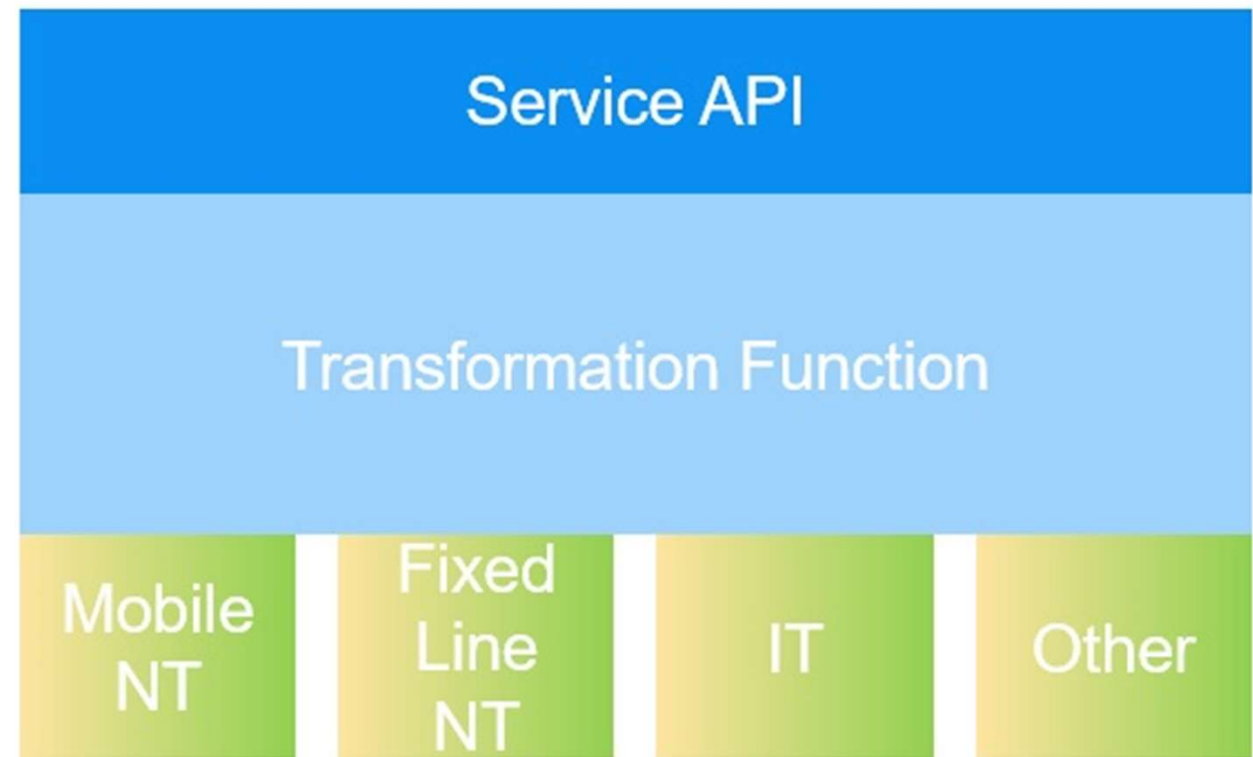
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Simplicity Benefit



Abstraction from Network APIs to Service APIs is necessary:

- To simplify telco complexity making APIs easy to consume for customers with no telco expertise (user-friendly APIs)
- To satisfy data privacy and regulatory requirements
- To facilitate application to network integration



Southbound capabilities

CAMARA Open Source



CAMARA is an open source project within Linux Foundation to define, develop and test the APIs. CAMARA works in close collaboration with the GSMA Operator Platform Group to align API requirements and publish API definitions and APIs. Harmonization of APIs is achieved through fast and agile created working code with developer-friendly documentation. API definitions and reference implementations are free to use (Apache2.0 license).

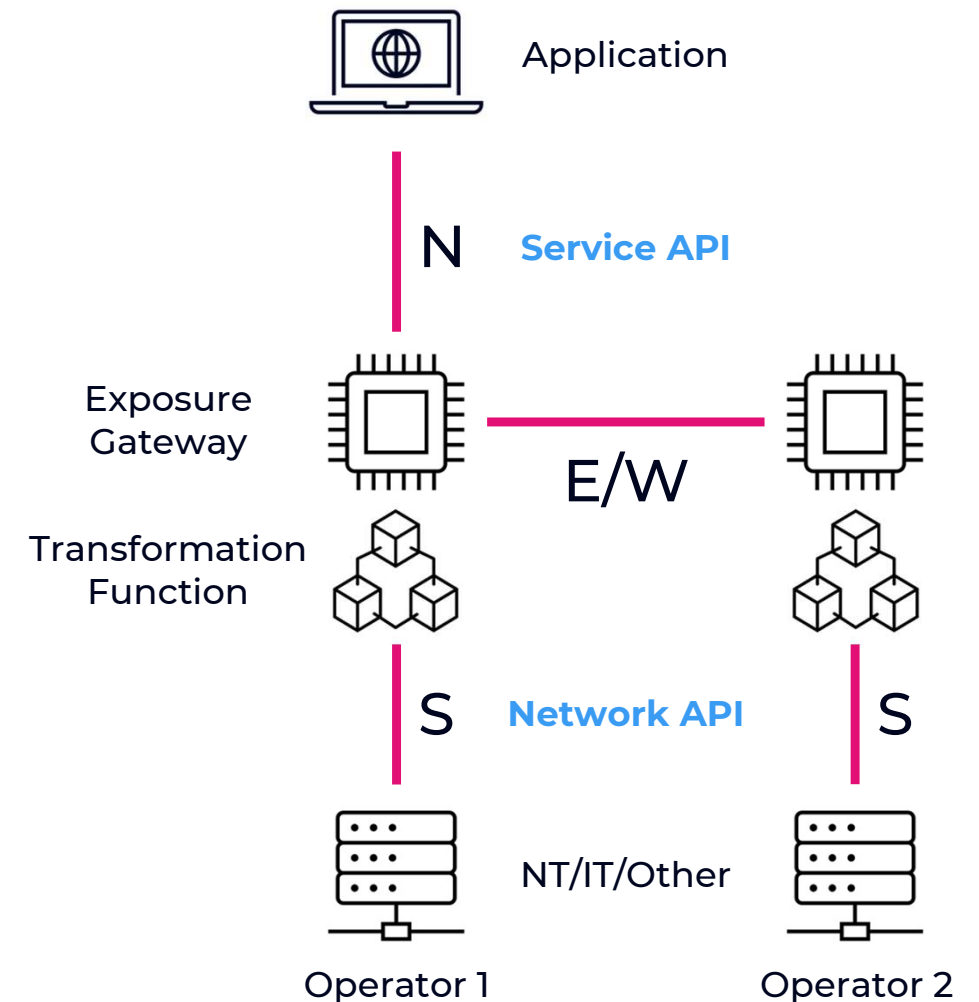


CAMARA Scope



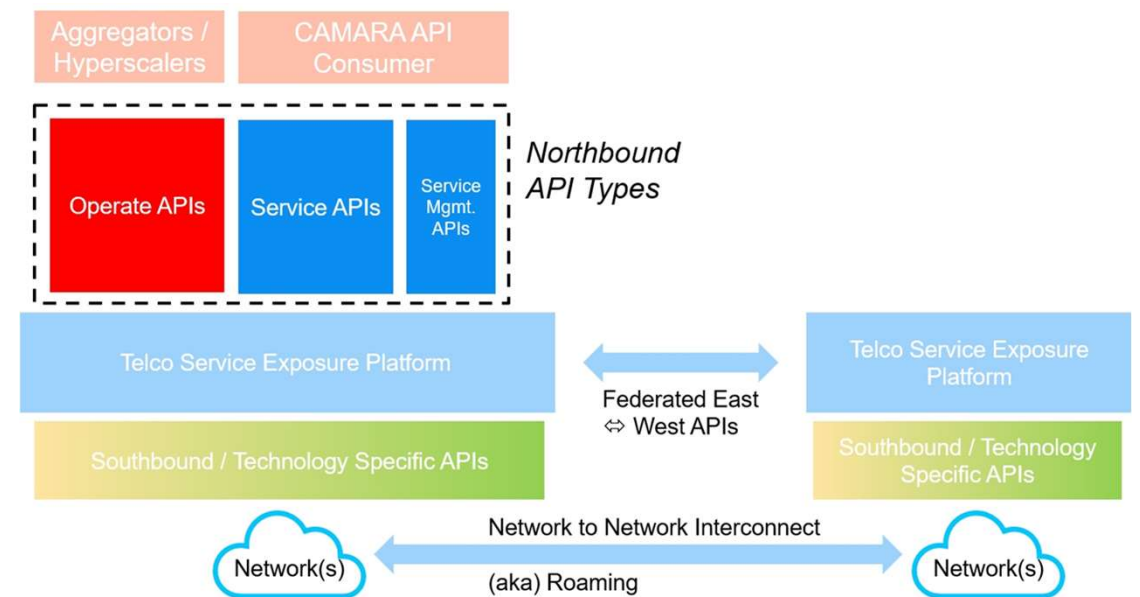
From functional perspective the scope is limited to **telco APIs**, that means APIs in the domain of telco mobile networks, telco fixed line networks, telco edge cloud, etc. or supporting these.

Thereby the focus is on the **northbound interface** (between telco operator and aggregator or capability consumer). East-/westbound interface APIs are out of scope for CAMARA.



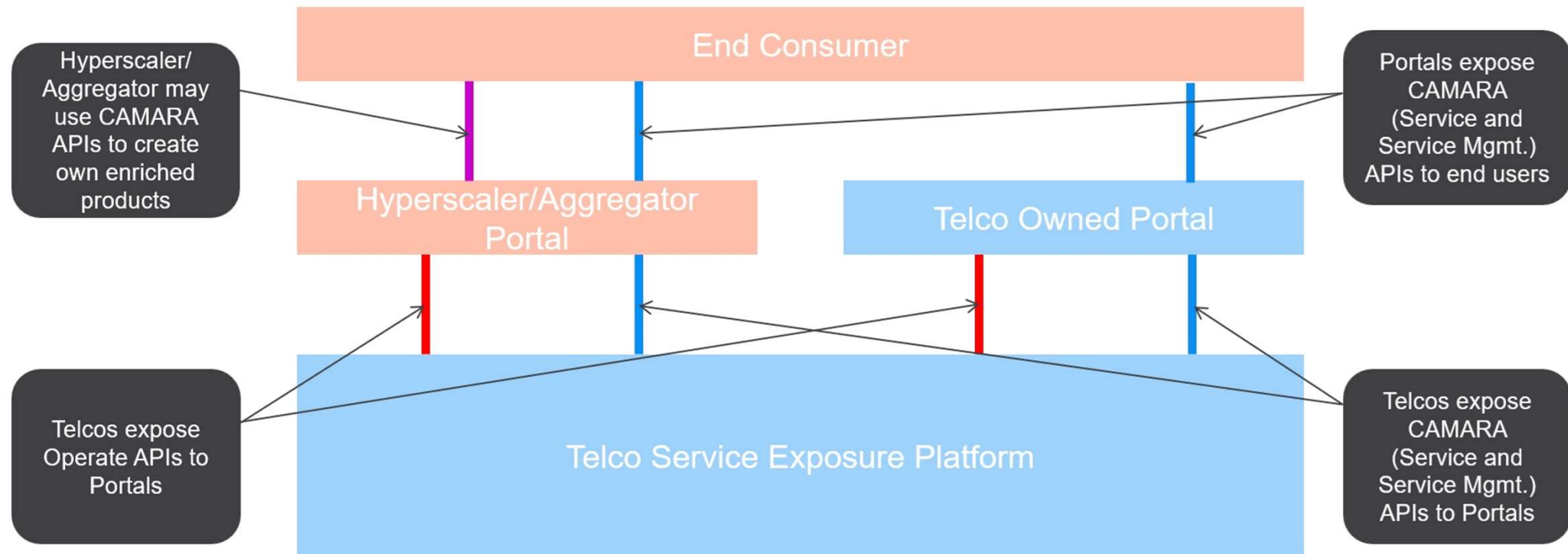
We differentiate between 3 types of Northbound APIs:

- **Service APIs:** APIs intended for end consumers and integrated by developers to invoke a certain telco capability.
- **Service Management APIs:** APIs intended for end consumers to manage or get data about offered Service APIs in application runtime, e.g., check service availability or performance information.
- **Operate APIs:** Operational and maintenance APIs provided by a telco to channel partners for the purpose of service fulfillment and assurance to their [channel partner] customers. This may include service provisioning for a mobile user, technical API performance monitoring, fault ticketing, information exchange such as product catalog, pricing, settlement, etc.



Service APIs and Service Management APIs are in scope of CAMARA. **Operate APIs** are out of scope of CAMARA (these are already covered by other SDOs = Standards Development Organizations like TM Forum).

CAMARA – Scope / Collaboration with Open Gateway and TM Forum

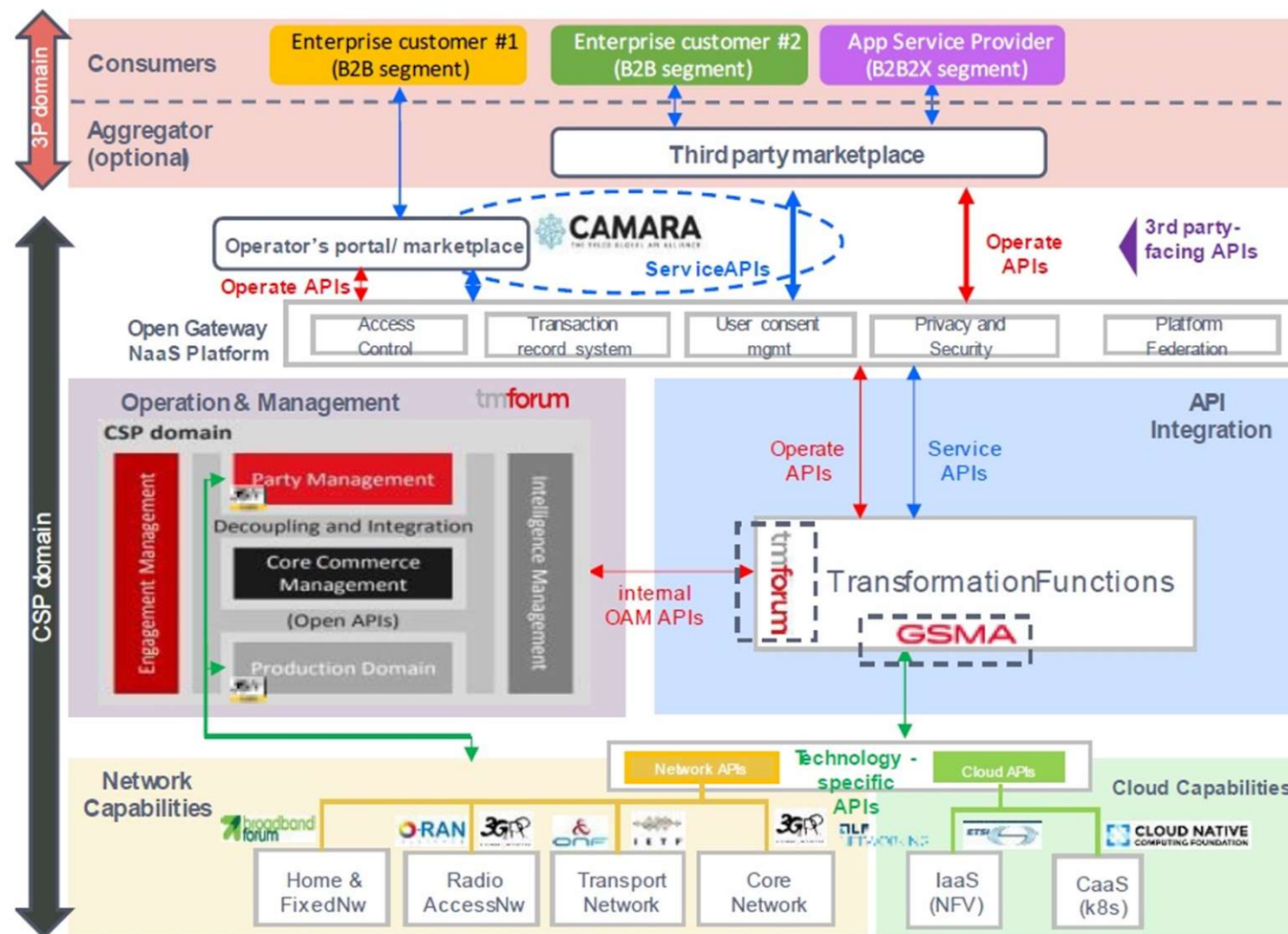


Hyperscalers and aggregators have the possibility to create own enriched products based on the CAMARA APIs and expose that in addition to the CAMARA APIs.

CAMARA – Scope / Collaboration with Open Gateway and TM Forum



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3rd Party-facing APIs

Service APIs

App-centric, developer-oriented
Apache2.0 lic, user -friendly, easy-to-use
Example: QoD, verify location, device status, Sim Swap, ...
Includes some management functionality used from the apps (in-app OAM APIs)

Hosted by **CAMARA**

Contributed by OpenGateway partners, directly or supported by bodies like



Operate APIs

Management oriented
Easy-to-implement, easy-to-use, simple
Example: register, account, monitor, issue mgmt, order/purchase, pay...
Provides an easy integration of the NaaS Platform with marketplaces / portals

Contributed by OpenGateway partners, hosted by **tmmforum**

Technology -specific APIs

Technical capability oriented, standard, (FRAND) deterministic
Example: policy setting parameter setting information check..

Contributed by specific domain SDOs



CAMARA project defines CAMARA APIs.

TMForum develops the Operate APIs.

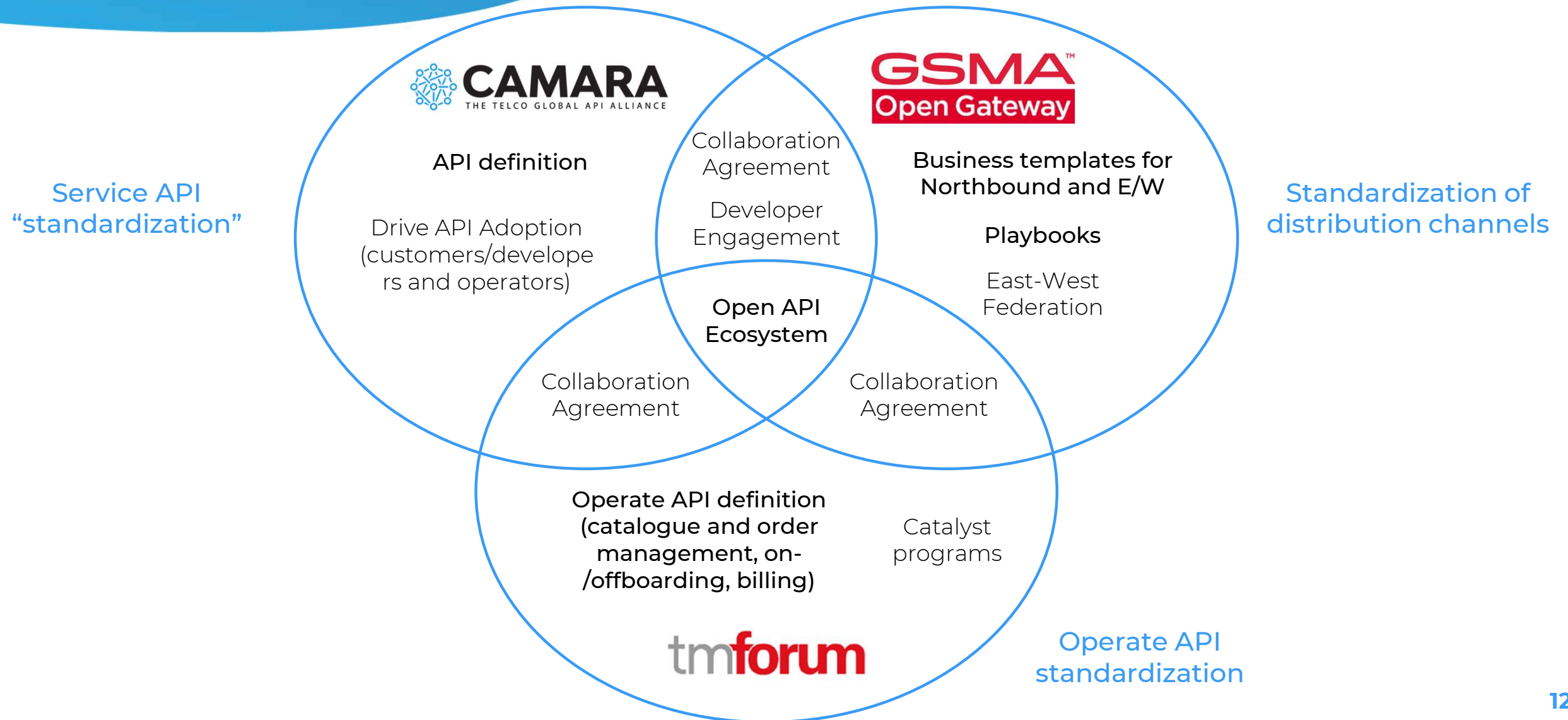
Several SDOs cover the different technology domains that provide the telco capabilities.

More details can be found in the whitepaper "The Ecosystem for Open Gateway NaaS API Development" (jointly published by GSMA, CAMARA, Linux Foundation and TMForum) available [here](#).

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CAMARA Scope



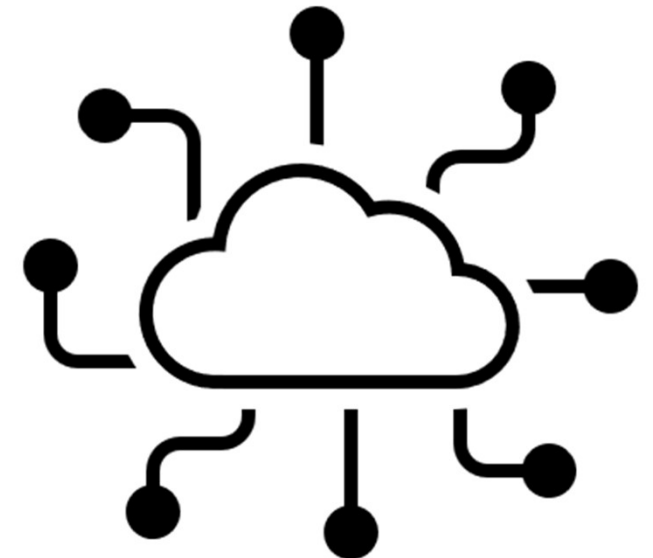
The scope of the CAMARA Project is:

- **Collect API requirements** from GSMA Operator Platform Group and other sources
- **Define Service APIs and Service Management APIs**
- Create test plans / cases / tools from an API consumer perspective
- **Develop and test Service APIs and Service Management APIs**
- Create developer friendly **documentation**

The following deliverables are provided by the CAMARA Project:

- **Service API and Service Management API definitions and documentation**
- Optionally Service API and Service Management API code and
- Test plans, cases and tools for the APIs all contained in deployment packages.

Project resources can be found in the **GitHub repository**: <https://github.com/camaraproject>.

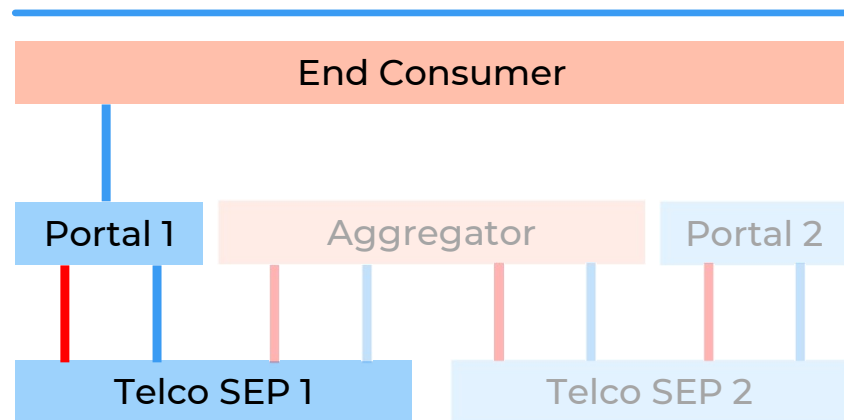


CAMARA API Distribution Options



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Single-Operator Relationship

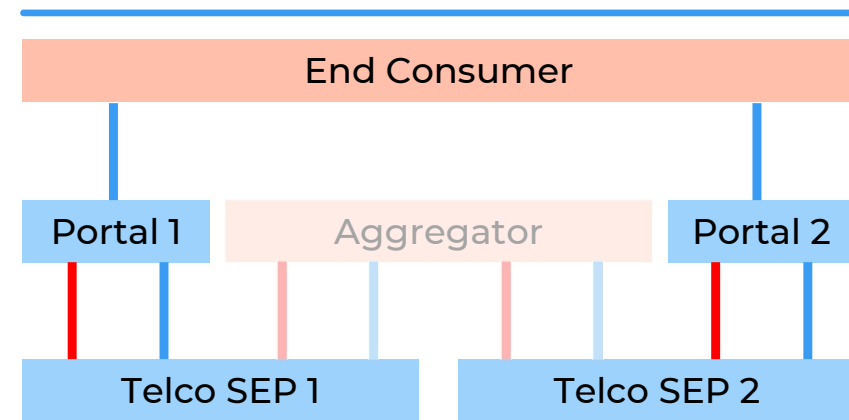


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CAMARA APIs

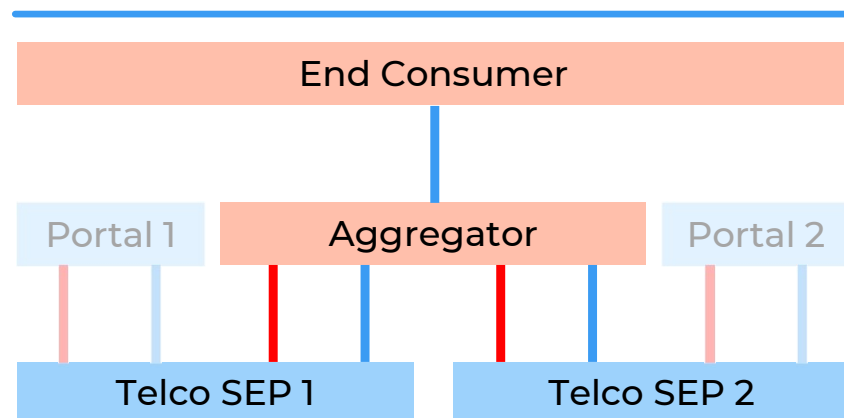
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Service
Exposure
Platform

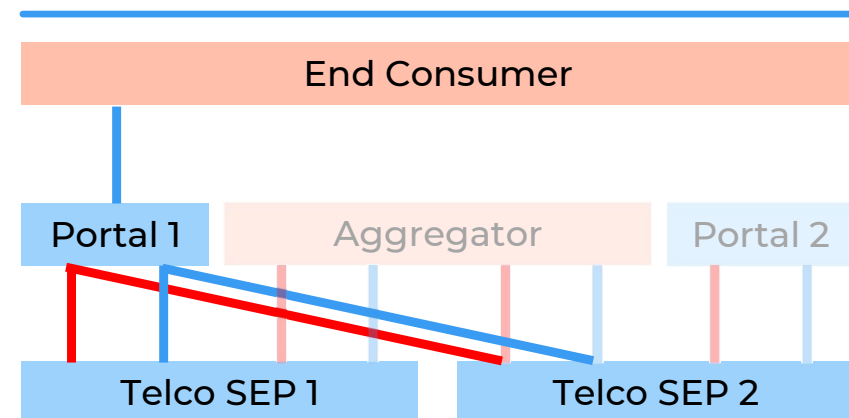
Multi-Operator Relationship



Operator Aggregation



Single-Operator "API Roaming"



What is different now in comparison to former API exposure trials?



- **Simplicity** – Telco complexity is hidden behind simple, easy to use APIs
- **Demand driven** - Listening to customer's voice and demand
- **Availability** – Open APIs with great support of many operators on many platforms
- **Alignment** - With standardization bodies like TM Forum or ETSI-MEC
- **Sustainability** – We have the CEOs behind (e.g. Open Gateway MoU, API Venture)
- **Telco maturity** – Telcos are now more digital and cloud oriented
- **Privacy** – Well defined

CAMARA

Where we started...



Launched at MWC
Barcelona 2022

22 Launch Partners

Supported by GSMA and
Linux Foundation

Simple idea to “standardize”
developer facing APIs



CAMARA

... and where we are now



Members

Premier

accenture

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ERICSSON

Microsoft

NOKIA

orange

T-Mobile

T-Mobile - vivo

verizon

vodafone

General

ALEPH ZERO

CableLabs

CENTILLION

Charter

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Associate Membership

Participating Organizations

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TINCE

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apis training

ARGELA

AT&T

aws

axiata

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bridge alliance

BT Group

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REPLAY

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SEKURA

Simptel

sinch

Singtel

SK Telecom

SPRY FOX

STARHUB

startlogic

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SUMMIT

- 147 Named Partners
- 423 (+525*) companies participating in CAMARA
- 11 API family Sub Projects
21 Sandbox Projects
59 APIs
5 Working Groups
- 1255 (+2197*) people joined CAMARA
- Development "home" for GSMA Open Gateway

















































































































* Number in brackets indicates companies and people who are in contact but haven't joined

CAMARA Logos



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Release Management Motivation and Benefits



- A **CAMARA meta-release** combines a set of CAMARA API versions into a **consistent** release.
- There will be **two meta-releases per year** (in spring and fall).
 - Network operator can plan their implementations and deployments in production.
 - API consumers can plan the integration in their platform and applications.
- All API versions in a meta-release **fulfill defined quality criteria** and are **compliant to current CAMARA guidelines** like from CAMARA Commonalities and Identity and Consent Management.
- **CAMARA meta-releases** ensure the
 - Availability of consistent API definitions (by use of guidelines, templates, and linting),
 - Quality of API definitions (by use of checklists, test definitions, and release management),
 - Stability of API definitions (clear criteria for stable versus initial API versions) and
 - Reliability of schedule and deliverables (with defined milestones and release candidates).
- **CAMARA meta-releases** provide the foundation for API version management in production.

Release Management Release Cycle

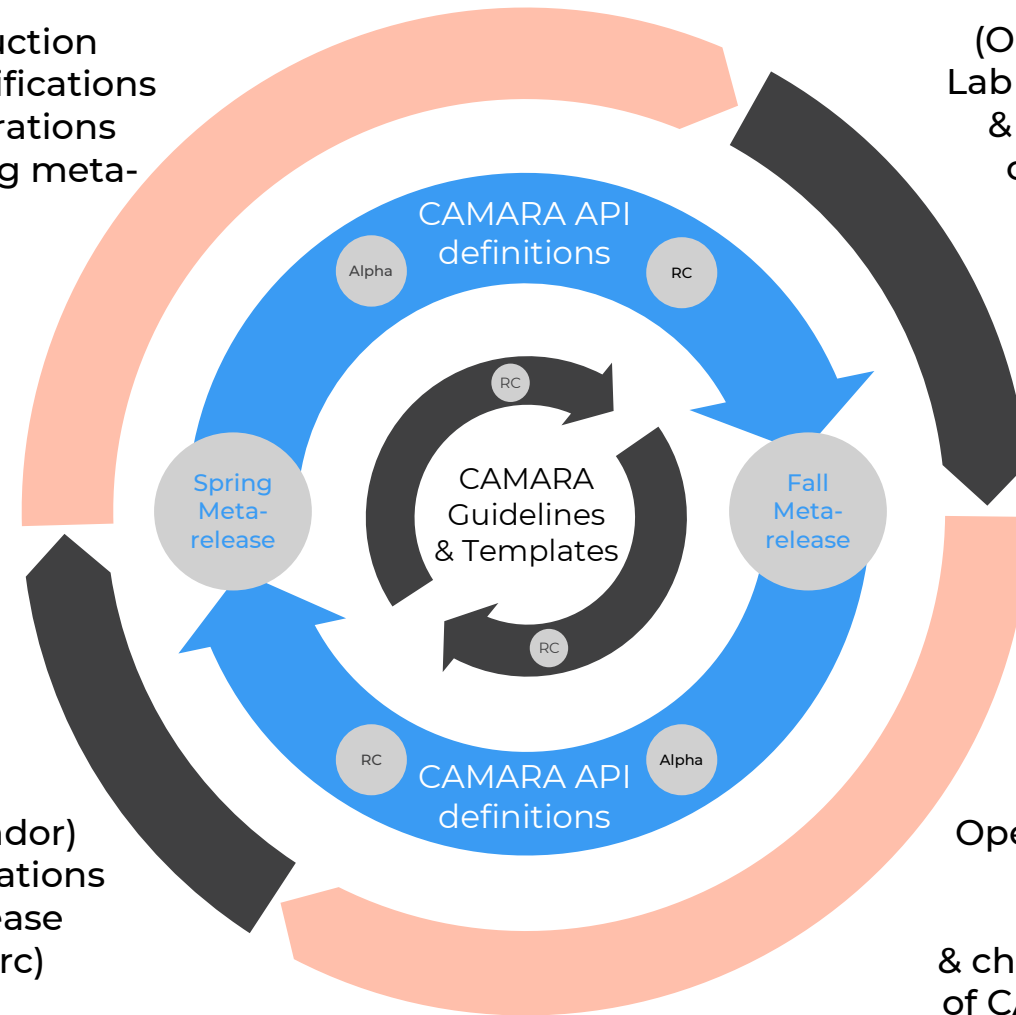


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- 2 releases each year
 - Fall (in September)
 - Spring (in March)
- Continuous and overlapping cycles
 - Update of CAMARA guidelines
 - Development and updates of API definitions in CAMARA
 - Lab implementations and production deployments at network operators
- Tests of API release candidates
 - Within operator (lab) implementations
 - Based on CAMARA test definitions
- Feedback in all phases
 - From(lab) implementations and deployments to CAMARA API definitions and guidelines
 - From API definition work to CAMARA guidelines

Operator production deployments, certifications & channel integrations of CAMARA Spring meta-release

(Operator/Vendor) Lab implementations & tests of release candidates (rc)



(Operator/Vendor) Lab implementations & tests of release candidates (rc)

Operator production deployments, certifications & channel integrations of CAMARA Fall meta-release


For details see: <https://wiki.camaraproject.org/display/CAM/Meta-release+Process>

Stable and Initial APIs




Stable CAMARA APIs (v1.0.0)

Previous versions launched in at least one market¹




0.6.0

Device Reachability Status
(Device Status)




0.6.0

Device Roaming Status
(Device Status)




1.0.0

Location Verification
(Device Location)




1.0.0

Number Verification




1.0.0

One Time Password SMS
(Number Verification)




0.11.0

QoS Profiles
(Quality on Demand)




0.11.0

Quality on Demand



1.0.0

Sim Swap
(Number Verification)




1.0.0

Simple Edge Discovery
(Edge Cloud)


Updated initial CAMARA APIs (v0.y.z)

Previous versions launched in at least one market¹




0.2.0

Call Forwarding Signal




0.3.0

Carrier Billing




0.1.0

Carrier Billing Refund




0.2.1

KYC¹ Match




0.2.0

KYC¹ Fill-In




0.3.0

Location Retrieval
(Device Location)




0.3.0

Application Profiles
(Connectivity Insights)




0.4.0

Connectivity Insights




0.4.0

Connectivity Insights Subscriptions




0.6.0

Device Reachability Status Subscriptions
(Device Status)




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Device Roaming Status Subscriptions
(Device Status)




0.3.0

Geofencing Subscriptions
(Device Location)




0.4.0

Home Devices QoD




0.1.1

Population Density Data




0.1.0

QoD Provisioning
(Quality On Demand)




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SCAM Signal
(GSMA)



0.1.0

Session Insights
(Connectivity Insights)



0.1.0

SIM Swap Subscriptions
(Number Verification)

New initial APIs (v0.y.z)


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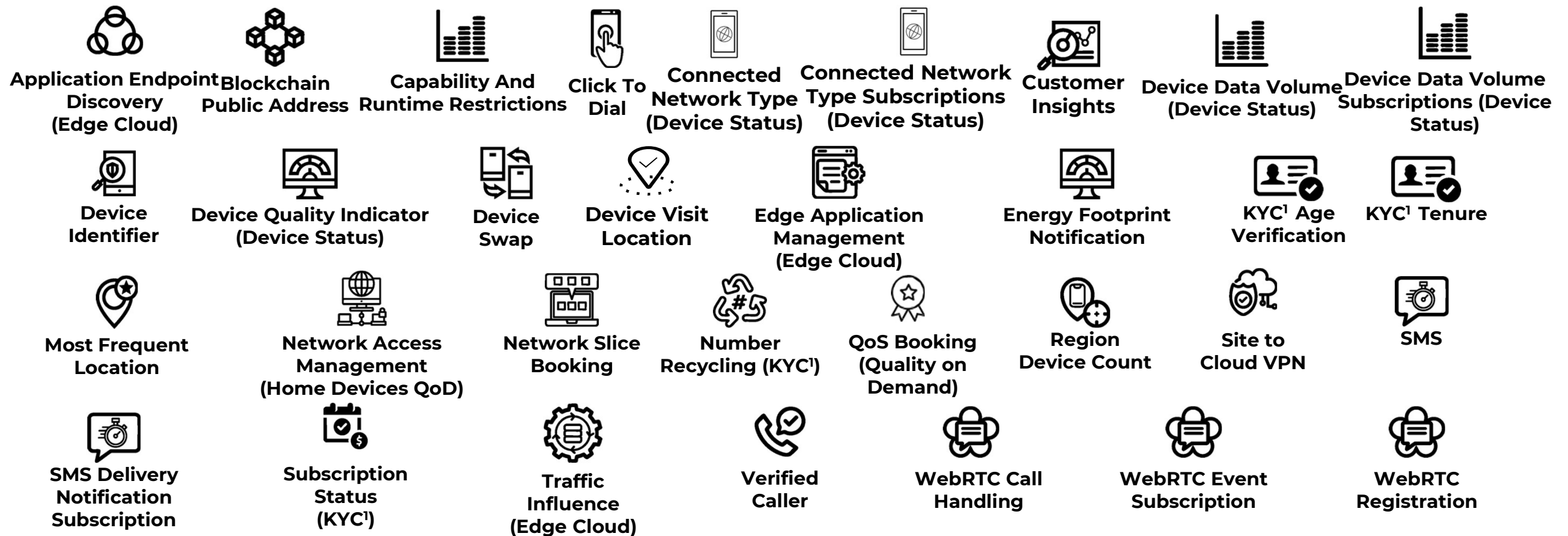
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Upcoming APIs



Upcoming APIs

Work in progress or newly started



Current CAMARA Sub Projects / Sandbox Projects



Blockchain Public Address

Manage a blockchain public address associated to a phone number

Call Forwarding Signal

Determine if a “call forwarding” service is enabled

Capabilities And Runtime Restrictions

Provide capabilities and runtime restrictions

Carrier Billing CheckOut

Purchase, pay, and follow up on fulfilment of products

Click to Dial

Establish web-based communication by clicking an object

Connectivity Insights

Alerts the consumers if and when the QoS threshold has breached

Customer Insights

Provides an index or scoring related to the user's credit profile

Dedicated Networks

Requests / modifies / deletes a (logical) dedicated network

Device Identifier

Check the identity of the subscribers' device

Device Location

Check the location of a device

Device Status

Check the network connection and roaming status of a device

Device Swap

Check if the MSISDN has had a change of device in the last 30 days

Edge Cloud

Provide and manage network and compute resources for an application

Energy Footprint Notification

Provide information about the E2E energy consumption and carbon footprint

High Throughput Elastic Netw.

Calculates load-balancing paths with given duration, data and bandwidth

Home Devices QoD

Request prioritization of traffic on a specific device on the home network

Know Your Customer

Allows service providers to validate user information with operators

Location Insights

Give insights to the home area and latest location of a device

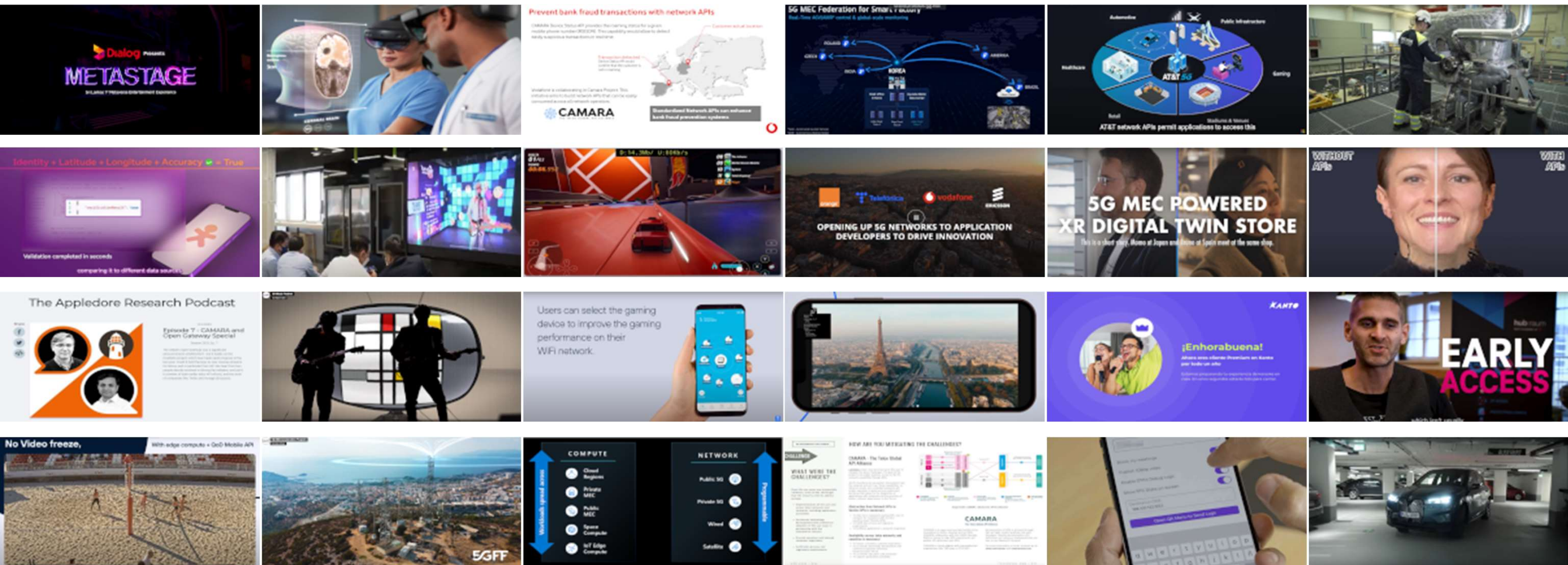
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CAMARA Working Groups

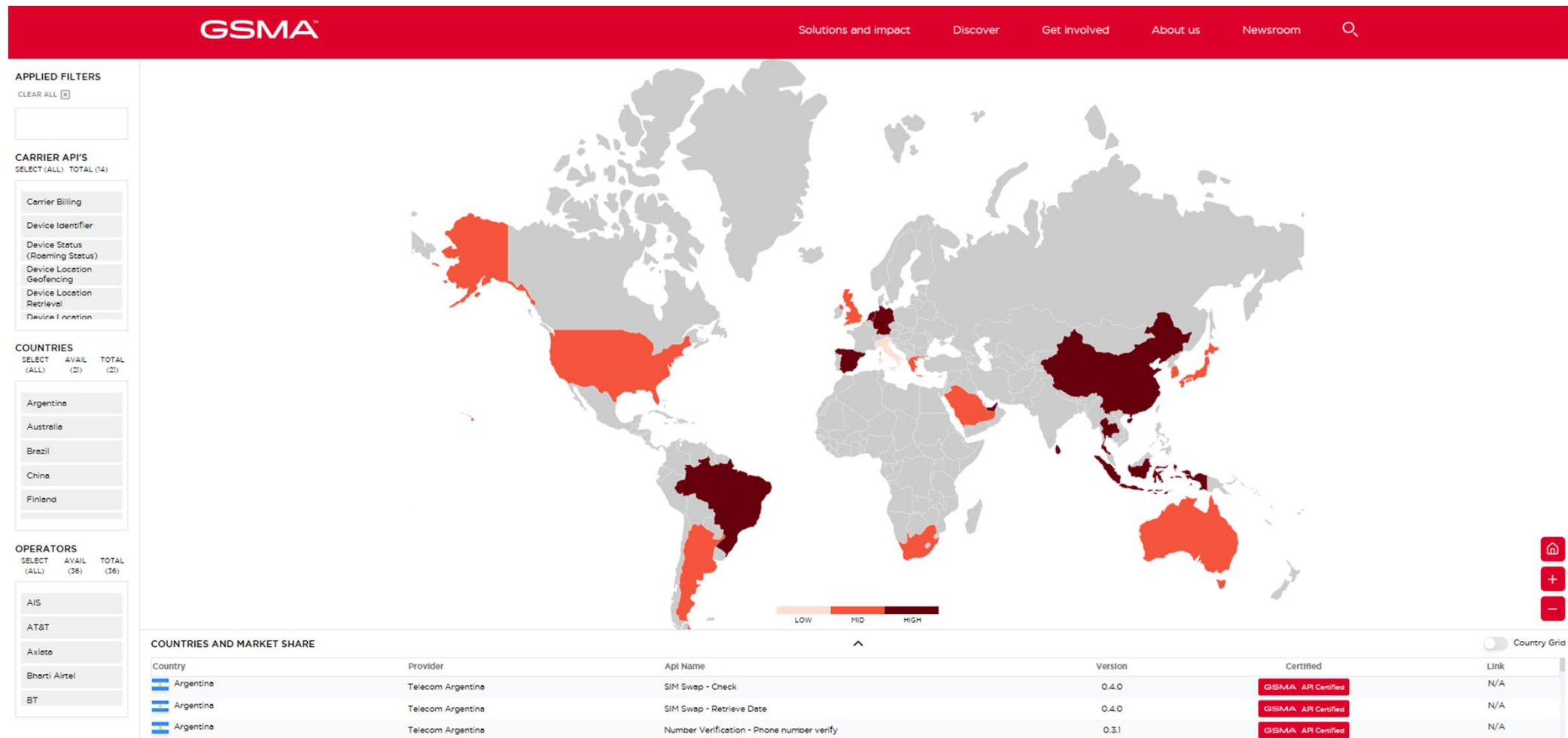
Model as a Service Build, deploy, monitor, and invoke LLM	Network Slice Booking Reserve, dynamically provision, query, dynamically delete a slice	API Backlog Maintains the API Backlog for CAMARA	Commonalities Guidelines and assets mandatory for all CAMARA Sub Projects	Identity and Consent Management Provides solutions to capture, store and manage user consent
Number Verification Allows users to verify the phone number of the connected device	Population Density Data Get dynamic population density data in a specific area for a future date & time	Quality on Demand Allows users to set mobile connection quality and get notifications	Marketing / Outreach Plans and performs marketing activities for CAMARA	Release Management Guidelines and assets for Release Management in CAMARA
Region Device Count Query the number of active devices in the specified area	Short Message Service Send SMS to the destination address(es)	Site to Cloud VPN Create and configure site to cloud network service by one click	Verified Caller Show certified information on the phone before a call is answered	WebRTC Add real-time communication capabilities to applications

CAMARA / Open Gateway API Showcases



<https://camaraproject.org/resources/>

CAMARA / Open Gateway API public launch status




<https://open-gateway.gsma.com/>

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Commitment	99 69 operator groups and 30 Channel Partners supporting the Open Gateway MOU	280 operator networks represented	>75% of mobile connections represented
Assets	37 APIs published in  CAMARA 54 APIs in Development	Technical Standardization through certification Certified APIs	Commercial Open Service Agreement, Channel Partner On-Boarding and E-W Federation Agreement Templates
Impact	189 Tracked commercial API launches across 58 networks in 27 markets	11 market champion launches with align GTM services, engaged with 28 Markets	>22,973 media mentions in 2024, 8K in 2023

5G network capabilities Introduction



Telco network capabilities are functions partly available already in 4G but new and much more powerful in the 5G network. These functions enable to get information out of the network but also to configure the network.

The on-demand, secure and controlled exposure of these capabilities pave the way for transforming operator networks into service enablement platforms, facilitating the application-to-network integration, which will be key to deliver enhanced and service-tailored customer experience in the 5G era.

5G network capabilities

Introduction



Reachability and Location of UEs
Identify (last known) location of drone



of UEs in geographic region
Traffic jam or Corona warning



of UEs in slice, network congestion
Adapt resolution for video transmission



Quality on Demand / Traffic influence
Enable augmented reality



Wake up UEs
Support low energy IoT devices



Block UEs in geographic region
Crisis management



Potential Business Use Cases



Authentication and Fraud Prevention



Secure Auth

Fraud Prevention

Number Verify,
Sim Swap, etc.

Location Services



Location Verification

Location Retrieval
Location Geofencing

Location APIs

Communication Quality



Safeguarding of Transactions

Remote Control
AR/VR/XR
Gaming

Quality on Demand

Device Information



Proactive User Information

Device Data Volume

Computing Services



Edge Application hosting
Latency optimization

Simple Edge Discovery

Network APIs offer the opportunity

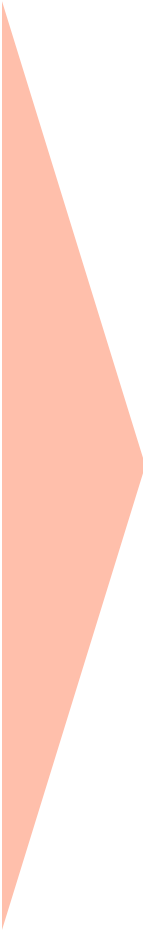
- For customers to optimize their use cases and applications
- For operators to monetize their invest in 5G infrastructure

It's a win-win!

Benefit for developers to use CAMARA APIs



- 1 Reduces friction for developers to access network information across telcos globally.
- 2 Increases usage and value of telco networks by providing easy access to network capabilities.
- 3 Enables developers to create new applications or improve existing ones with access to these capabilities.



Additional
revenue on
existing assets,
leveraging SDN
and NFV
capabilities

Developers Getting Started with CAMARA APIs

A screenshot of the CAMARA website. The top navigation bar includes "THE LINUX FOUNDATION PROJECTS" on the left and a series of links: "Home", "About", "Sub Projects A-H", "Sub Projects I-Z", "Working Groups", "Events", "Resources", and "Contact". The "Sub Projects A-H" link is highlighted with a red underline. A red arrow points down from this link to a dropdown menu. The dropdown menu lists the following sub-projects: "Blockchain Public Address", "Call Forwarding Signal", "Carrier Billing Check Out", "ClickToDial", "Connectivity Insights", "Device Identifier", "Device Location", "Device Status", "Device Swap", "Edge Cloud", and "Home Devices QoD". The background of the website features a blue geometric pattern and the text "APIs enable seamless access to Telco network capabilities".

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- Home Devices QoD

Developers Getting Started with CAMARA APIs



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Quality on Demand

Scope

- Service APIs for “Quality on Demand” (see APIBacklog.md)
- It provides the customer with the ability to:
 - set quality for access network connections (e.g. mobile device connection or fixed access between a home gateway and the service providers gateway router)
 - get notification if network cannot fulfill
- Describe, develop, document and test the APIs (with 1-2 Service Providers)
- Started: October 2021
- Location: virtually

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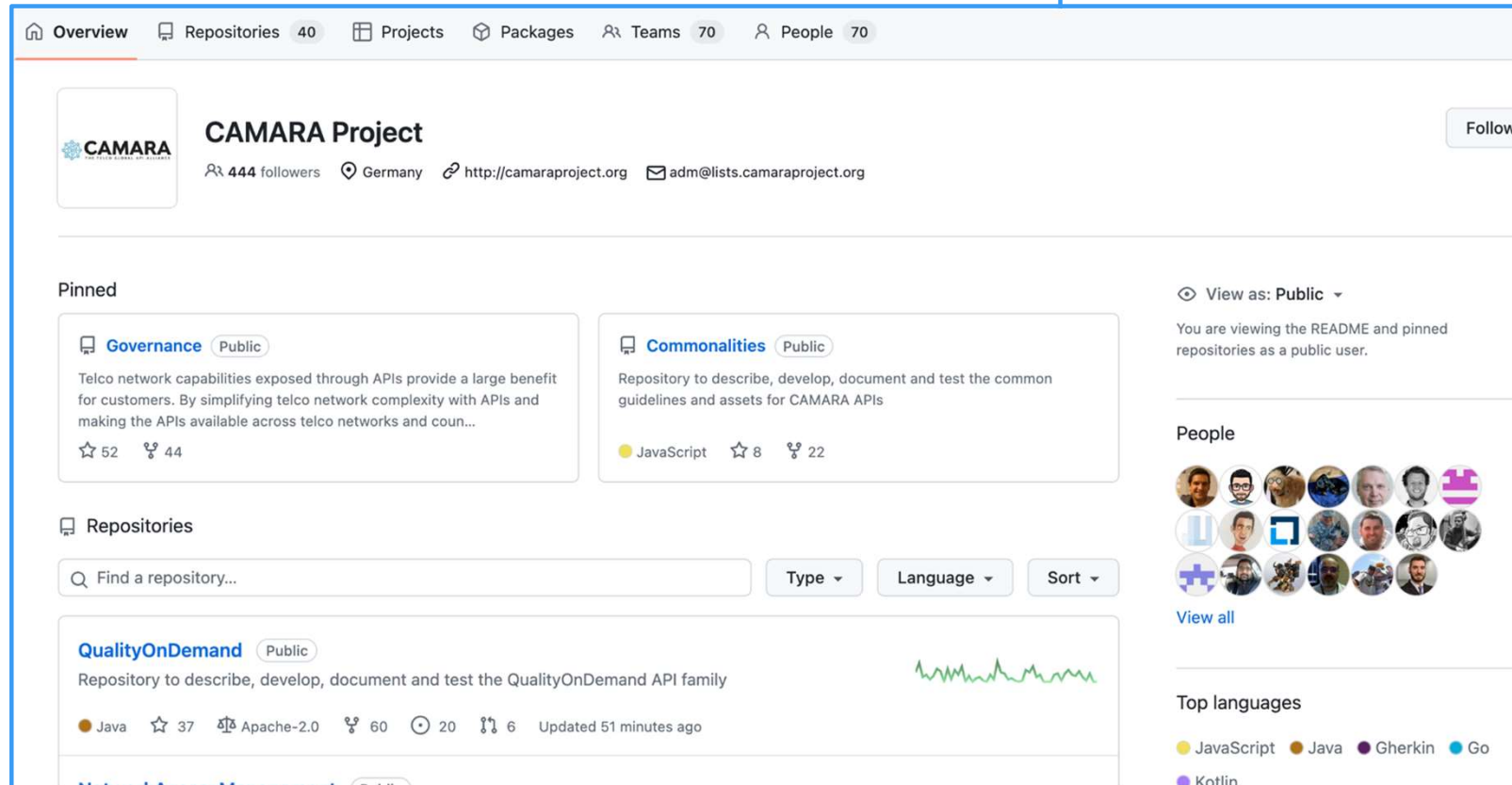
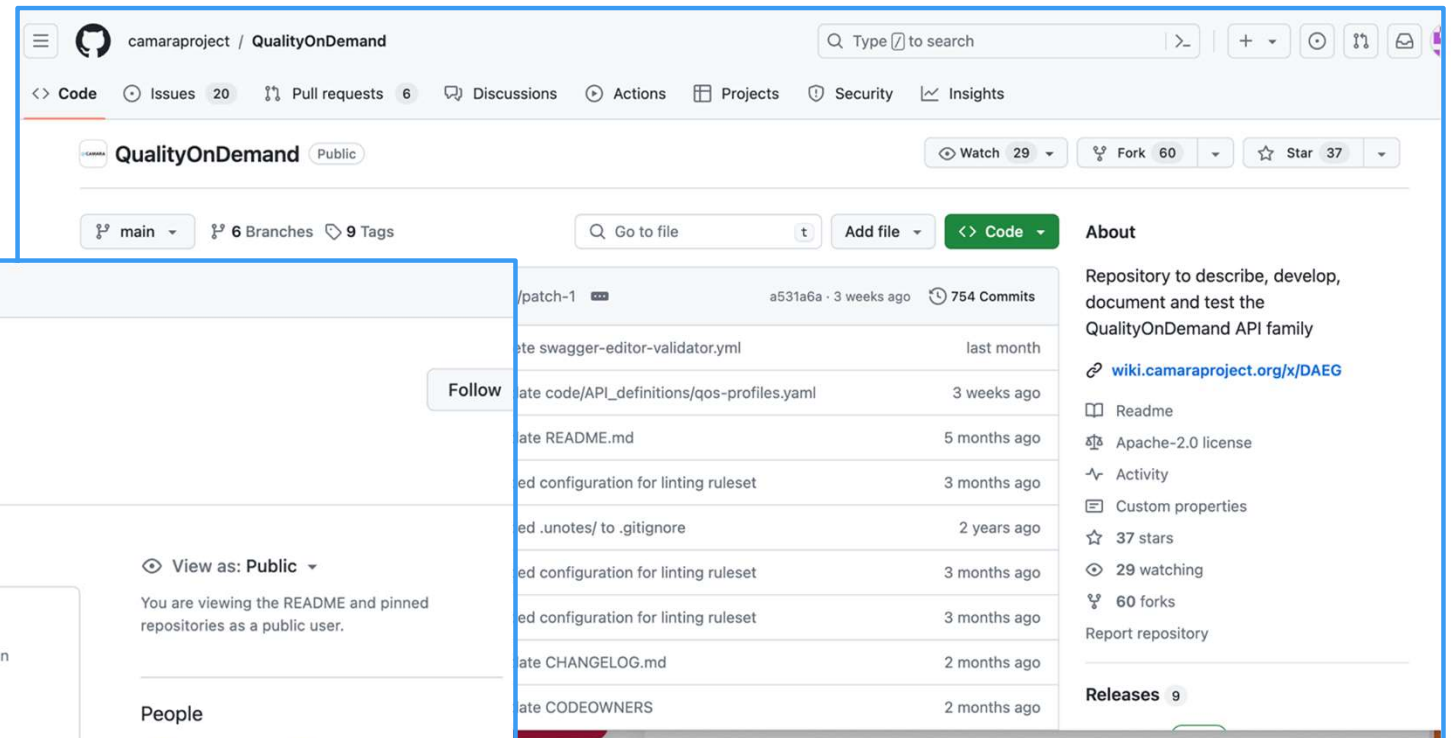
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Benefit for developers to work in CAMARA



As a typical Open Source Project **CAMARA is driven by contribution!**

People who contribute define priorities and drive the direction.

Working in CAMARA on API definitions, API documentations and API code (transformation functions) enables to

- **Bring in own demand** and contribute a solution
- **Influence the definition** of new APIs and API versions
- Ensure that own requirements are considered
- **Provide code which can be used globally**
- **Learn** about CAMARA, Open Gateway and the Network API ecosystem
- **Get deep knowledge about the APIs**
- **Become maintainer and TSC member** to influence technical decisions in CAMARA

Joining CAMARA as Developer



To join the CAMARA mailing list send an (empty) email to all+subscribe@lists.camaraproject.org.

The screenshot shows the CAMARA web interface. The top navigation bar includes the CAMARA logo and a 'Your Groups' dropdown. The left sidebar contains navigation links: Home (Owner), Subscription, Admin, Pending, Members (highlighted), and Activity. The main content area shows a breadcrumb trail: All / Members / Q markus / markus.kuemmerle@telekom.de (Mod). Below this is a 'Membership' dropdown. The 'User Details' section is visible, with a sub-section 'Email Address' containing the email 'markus.kuemmerle@telekom.de'. A note at the bottom states: 'Note: Changing this email address changes the email address for this person's account, affecting all of their other subscriptions.'

The CAMARA GitHub <https://github.com/camaraproject> can be accessed without any prerequisite. To create issues and start contributing to CAMARA you need a free GitHub account.

Joining CAMARA as Developer



Each API family / working group in CAMARA is organized as a separate Sub Project with (example QoD):

- A dedicated lead repository (containing API definition and API documentation)
- 0...n provider implementation repositories (containing API code)
- A dedicated mailing list

QualityOnDemand Public
Repository to describe, develop, document and test the QualityOnDemand API family
Java 37 Apache-2.0 60 19 5 Updated 3 days ago

QualityOnDemand_PI1 Public
Provider Implementation of QualityOnDemand by Deutsche Telekom
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QualityOnDemand_PI2 Public
Provider Implementation of QualityOnDemand by Orange
Kotlin 0 Apache-2.0 1 1 0 Updated on Nov 9, 2023

QualityOnDemand_PI3 Public
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Go 0 Apache-2.0 2 0 0 Updated on Apr 24, 2023

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Sub Project "Quality on Demand"

Group Information

95 Members

27 Topics , Last Post: May 17

Started on 07/05/22

[RSS Feed](#)

Group Email Addresses

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Joining a Sub Project as Developer



To join a Sub Project please have a look into its Readme.md (example Quality on Demand):

last commit **may** issues **20 open** pull requests **5 open** contributors **27** repo size **11.4 MB** License **Apache 2.0**

QualityOnDemand

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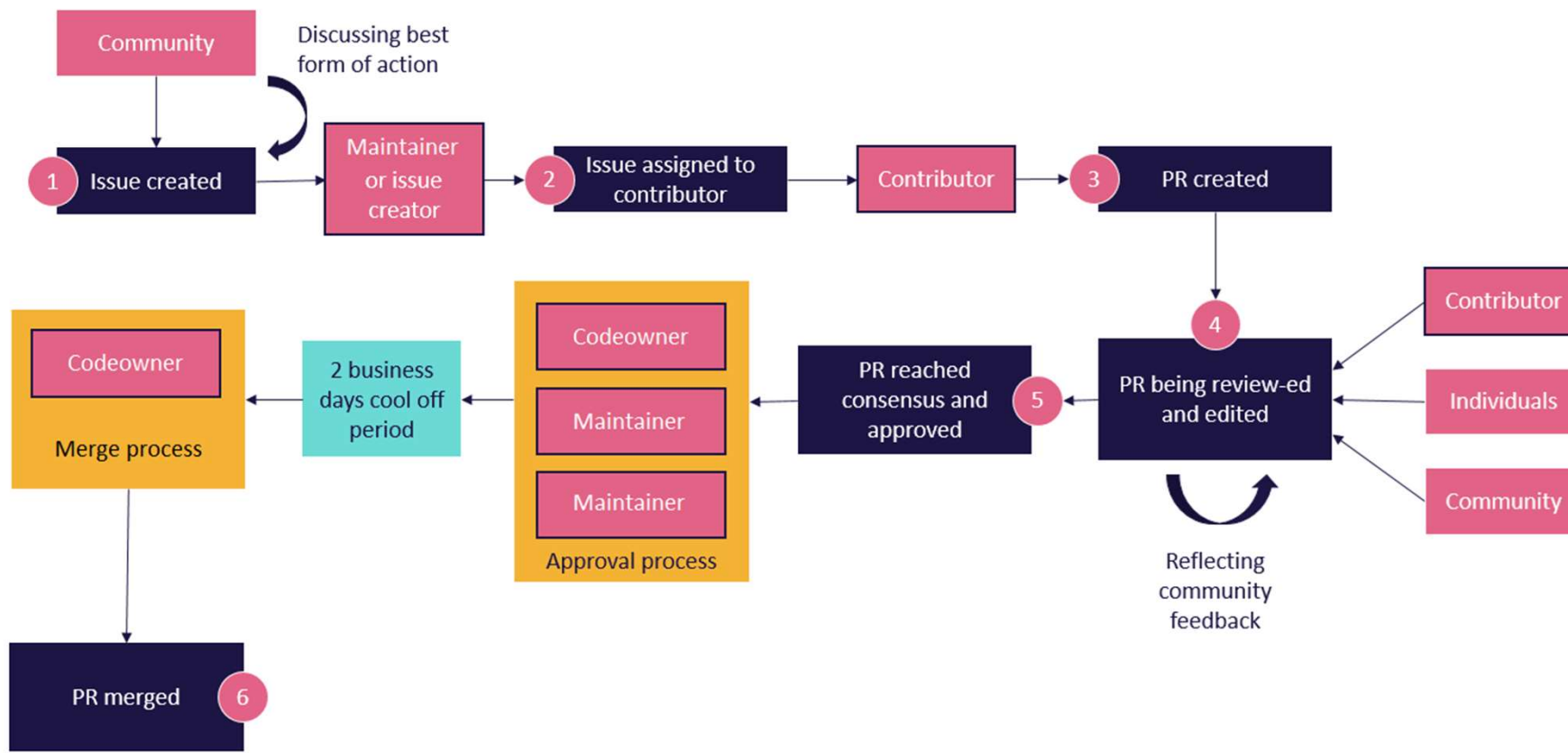
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Contributing to CAMARA



In the Project the “Fork and pull model” is used. Changes and contributions to CAMARA shall follow this process:



<https://github.com/camaraproject/Governance/blob/main/ProjectStructureAndRoles.md>

Benefit for operators to implement CAMARA APIs in their networks



Operators have made high investments in

- Spectrum licences
- Infrastructure (cell towers, fibre)

Operators haven't been successful in

- Increasing prices for connectivity contracts

CAMARA APIs open a possibility

- To monetize the high investments
- To improve customer experience
- For market positioning



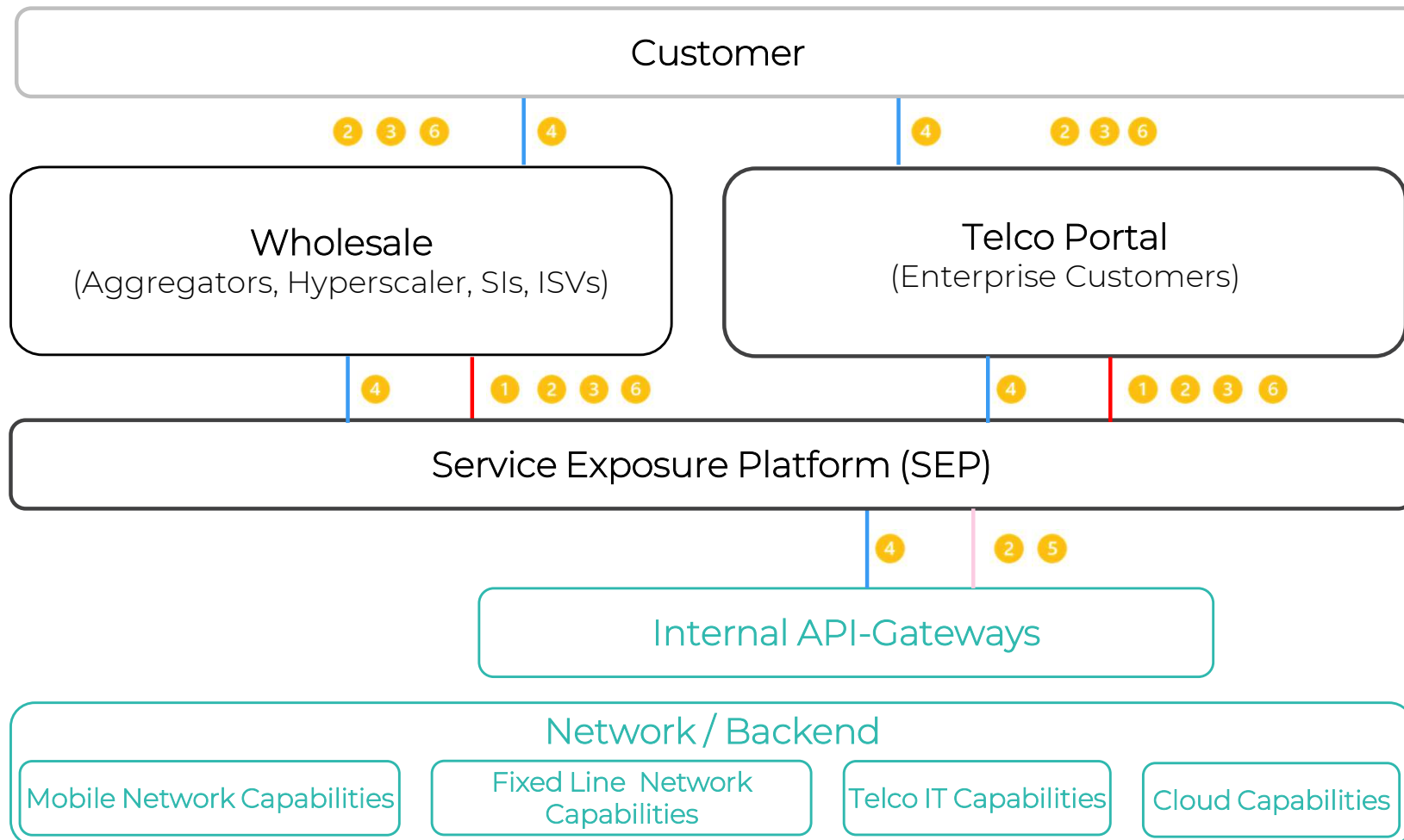
What have operators to do to implement Network APIs?



- Develop APIs and products based on the network capabilities
- Implement an exposure infrastructure
- Define commercial products
- Sell it



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Possible API workflows

1. Catalog published from SEP to portals
2. Customer onboarding to SEP
3. Customer orders API, SEP sends credentials to access API
4. If necessary SEP requests user consent for API. Capacity management is done. Customer uses API. SEP performs metering and rating.
5. SEP initiates billing for wholesale and retail
6. Customer offboarding

Service API | IT API | Operate API

Benefit for operators to work in CAMARA



Collaborative Innovation

- Industry Collaboration
- Standardization: contribute to development of industry standards, ensuring interoperability and consistency across networks and services
- Bring in your requirements!

Networking and Partnerships

- Access to a growing global network of industry leaders
- Technological Advancements
- Knowledge Exchange

Shared Resources

- Collaborative projects often lead to cost savings through shared resources and reduced duplication of efforts
- Benefit from the collective research efforts

Benefit for operators to work in CAMARA



Why Join CAMARA as a sponsor /member?

Seat on the Governing
Board to influence
CAMARA strategy

Elevate your Brand

Signal Support &
Commitment to open API
development

Discounts on Linux
Foundation events &
programs

Help ensure the Project
continues to provide
needed governance &
infrastructure

Platform to showcase
thought leadership

Operators Getting Started with CAMARA



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Where are we going next...



1

Additional APIs and roadmap sync across CSPs, Aggregators and Hyperscalers

2

API lifecycle management consistency, Documentation of API versioning and availability globally

3

Drive API Adoption (customers/developers and operators)

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