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# **IOS-MCN** Overview

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# Why are we doing this project?

TODAY in 5G:

- Available Open-Source code is buggy. Components often from different sources and do not work together.
- Companies spend excessive effort on undifferentiated development just to reach parity
- Smaller product companies are locked out even if they have innovative ideas



#### EFFORT SPENT IN TYPICAL PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT

#### WITH IOS-MCN:

- A reliable, end-end integrated and tested Open Source stack that works "out-of-the-box"
- Smaller companies can build on IOS-MCN and focus on differentiated value
- Researchers have an open platform for innovation

EFFORT SPENT IN TYPICAL PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT



What are we building?



# What are we building in the first release?



- --- O-RAN Hierarchical RU M-Plane
- ---- ORAN-01 M Plane
- ---- M Plane for 5GC

**CORE:** ~1 Gbps Core, Xn HO, 10 CUs, 500 Active UEs & 1000 Configured UEs per core, 24 hrs stability

SMO: Basic OAM for RU, CU, DU, 5GC, non-RT RIC PoC

# When can you expect it?





## How are we doing it?



# Loss Adaptive Fair Scheduling in 5G with Minimum Rate Guarantees

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## Rate Guarantee with an Arbitrarily Moving UE



- *UE*<sub>1</sub>throughput remains at 200 Mbps
  - Except where the rate region cannot accommodate 200 Mbps
- $UE_0$  throughput varies depending on whatever the rate region boundary accommodates



# **Xn-Handover**



Xn-Handover (Xn-HO):

- Handover from Source gNB to Target gNB depending upon BW, Power, etc.
- Complete profile of a UE is transferred

# **Non-RT RIC Architecture**

- Sample RIC to demo infrastructure for config and controls
- Implement an SMO framework (provision for AI/ML integration)
  - R1 Interface
  - $\circ$  A1 interface
  - $\circ$  O1 interface
- R1 services:
  - •one-one, one-many, pubsub, routed etc.,





# Value Proposition with IOS-MCN SW



# **IOS-MCN** License Strategy

- Apache V2.0 License for IOS-MCN own developed source code
- Select upstream base code compatible with Apache V2.0, where possible
- Follow original license terms for added and modified code within the base code
- IOS MCN Release level license files and comprehensive license listing will be provided
- Not all projects will require a CLA, but it is required to contribute to a project, one needs to sign as an Individual Contributors License Agreement or as an Corporate Contributor License. These will be prepared when IOS-MCN is made public for contributors

## Key Value Proposition for Partners:

Partner organizations will participate in the governance of the IOS MCN Project



#### **IOS MCN Governance**

The overall governance of the project is handled through various committees constituted by the representatives from partner organizations.

## **Governing Board (GB)**

Overall charter, byelaws, strategy, budget, oversees committee management, and ecosystem engagement

#### **Operating Committee**

Operations and decisions on behalf of governing board

#### Technical Oversight Committee (TOC)

Technology Strategy, System Engineering Process, Architecture, Sub Project Management Strategy

#### **Project Management Committee (PMC)**

Sub Project Management, Quality, Documentation, Release and Sub Project Reporting, Sub Project Trials

Sub Project 1 Ownership & delivery

Sub Project 2 Ownership & delivery Sub Project 3 Ownership & delivery

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Ecosystem Engagement Committee (EEC)

Growth of Partnerships/membership, Publicity, Collaborations, Financial sustainability

## IOS MCN Structure Details (Page 1 of 2)

#### **Governing Board (GB)**

Collaborators	Indergopal, IISc	Chandra Murthy, IISc	Krishna Sirohi, IITD	Swades De', IITD	K. Selvan, CDAC-T
Partners	Simnovus	CDOT			
Convener	Pamela, FSID		Observer / Presenter	Usha Padmini, FSID	

#### **Operating Committee (OC)**

Members	Indergopal, IISc	Chandra Murthy, IISc	Krishna Sirohi, IITD	Rajasree, CDAC-T	
Convener	Pamela, FSID		Observer / Presenters	Usha Padmini, FSID	Sanil, Caze Labs

#### **Technical Oversight Committee (TOC)**

Collaborators	Rajiv, IITD Release Rqmts	Aneesh, CDAC-T Core & OAM Arch	Vinay Kulkarni, IISc RAN Dist	Ravindra,IITD, RAN UNI System Architect	Bhaskar, CDOT, Validation	
Members	Sanil, Caze Labs Engg Process, CICD	Abhijit, Niral Networks Market Rqmts, Pilots	Deepanjan, Rebaca Core Test Strategy	Rajani, Lekha Wireless RU Support	Ajit Singh, W4S System Architect	Sridhar, CIT SMO
	Shyam Kaluve, OpenNets	Naveen Khanna, Coral Telecom, IMS	Ritesh, TechPhosis, RAN & Ecosystem	Neeraj, INVAS RF Compliance and Safety	Subbaih, Resonous Flexran DU	
Conveners	Usha Padmini, FSID	Sanil, Caze Labs	Observer	Pamela, FSID		

## IOS MCN Structure Details (Page 2 of 2)

#### Program Management Committee (PMC)

Sub Project Leads	Vinay, FSID RAN Distributed	Ravindra, IIT-D RAN Unified	Sibi, CDAC-T SMO Co-Lead	Aneesh/Saji, CDAC- CORE	T Murali CDOT, Validation	
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	Uday, Simnovus RAN-DIST Test & Automation	Mangal, Techphosis RAN, Debug	XX INVAS, RF Compliance and Safety	XX, Resonous, y DU L2		
Conveners	Usha, FSID	Sanil, Caze Labs				
Observers	Pamela, FSID	Prof Vijaya Kumar, MSRIT	Reddy, OpenNets	Navnath, Space Pulse		
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Convener	Pamela, FSID	Ritesh, Techphosis			18

# Join us today! Together We WILL!

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# **Thank You!**