



# Liability-Aware Service Management for 5G\*

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# Introduction



- ▶ 5G is a technological revolution
  - flexible & dynamic network
  - enriched business cases with multiple layers & multiple parties
  - opening 5G infrastructure to third parties (e.g. IoT devices, VNF providers)
  - Slicing is an important technology enabler for 5G provided services
  
- ▶ Slice Provider is legally bound by contract to provide a QoS
  - financial & legal impact in case of fraud or mischief
  - security issues can have impacts on safety issues
  
- ▶ Managing liabilities and responsibilities in autonomous 5G infrastructure is key for its development and practical use

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- ▶ Example : operator offer enriched by partner<sup>1</sup>

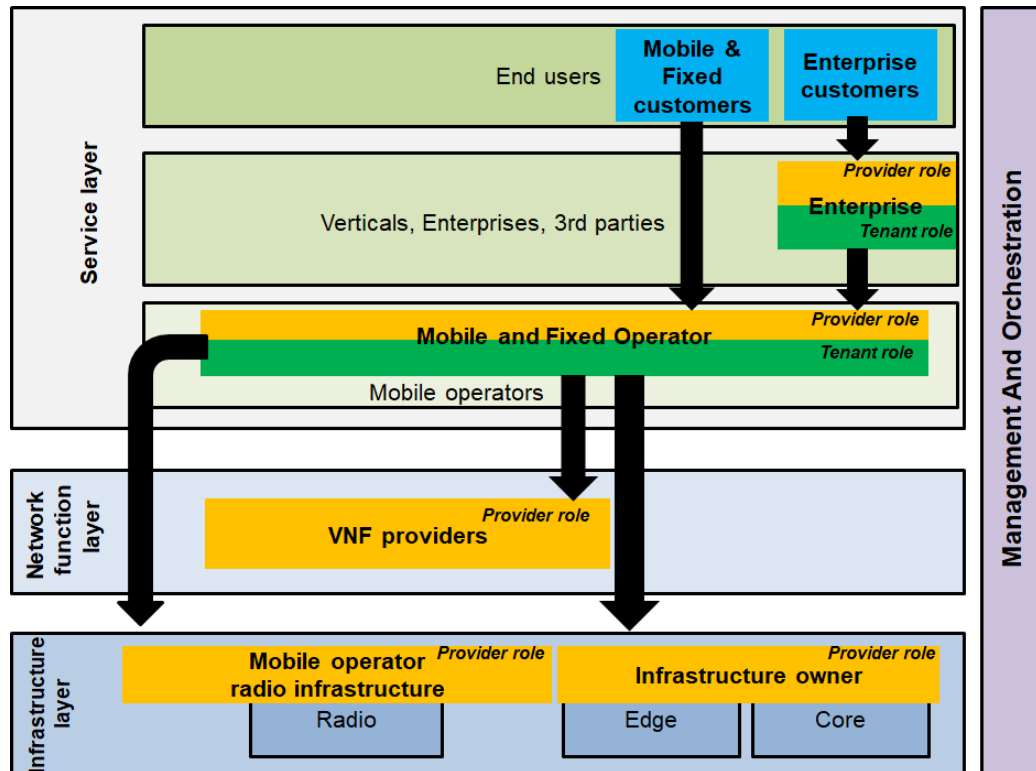


Fig. 1. Multi-party & multi-layer 5G infrastructure for service delivery

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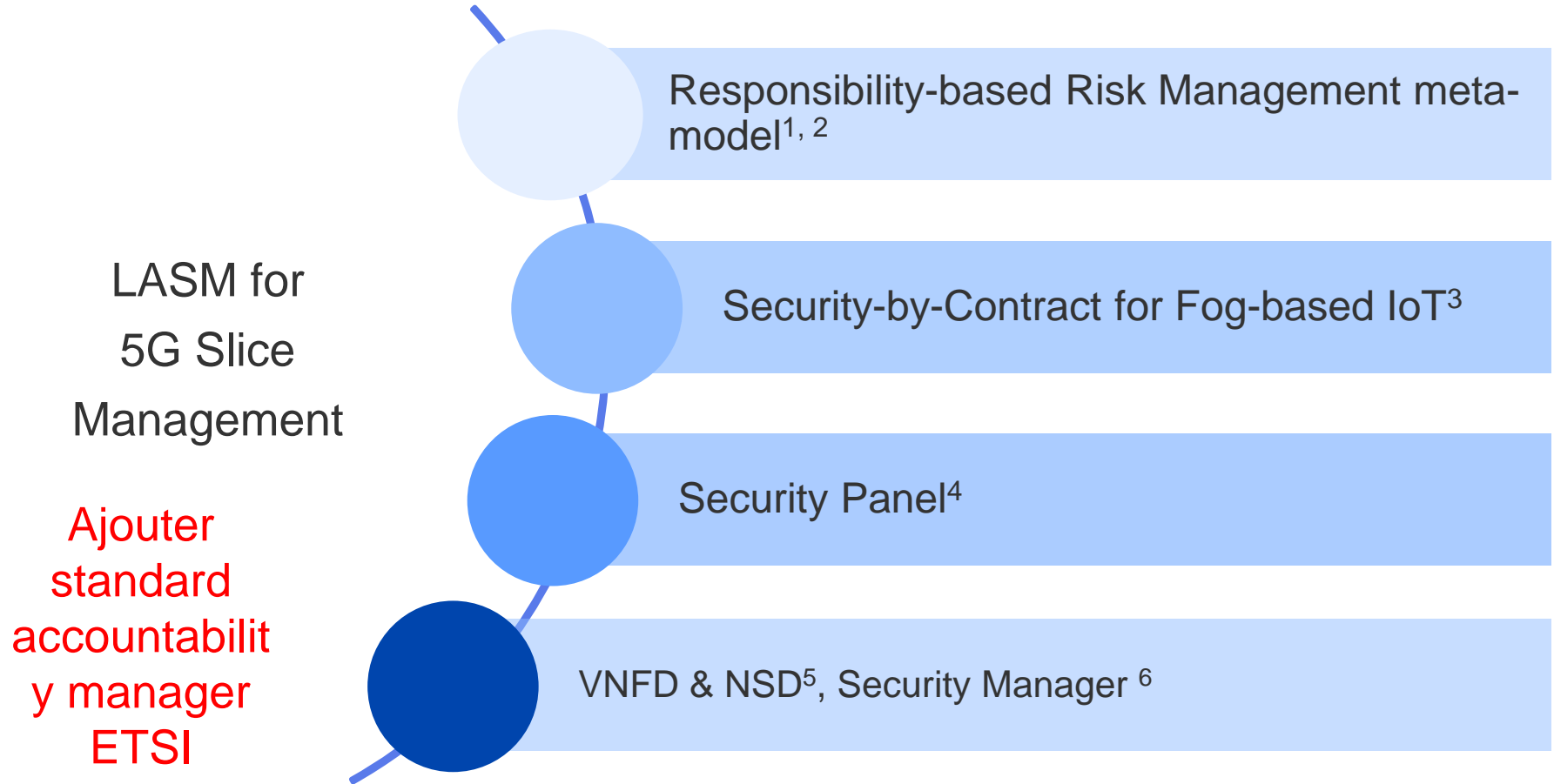
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- ▶ **Challenges**
  - worldwide deployment
  - multiple stakeholders
  - complex interconnections of hardware and software at different levels
  - orchestration across layers
  
- ▶ **Our proposal : integration of liability as foundational element into the security management framework of 5G networks**
  - **Liability-Aware Security Manager**



# Related works



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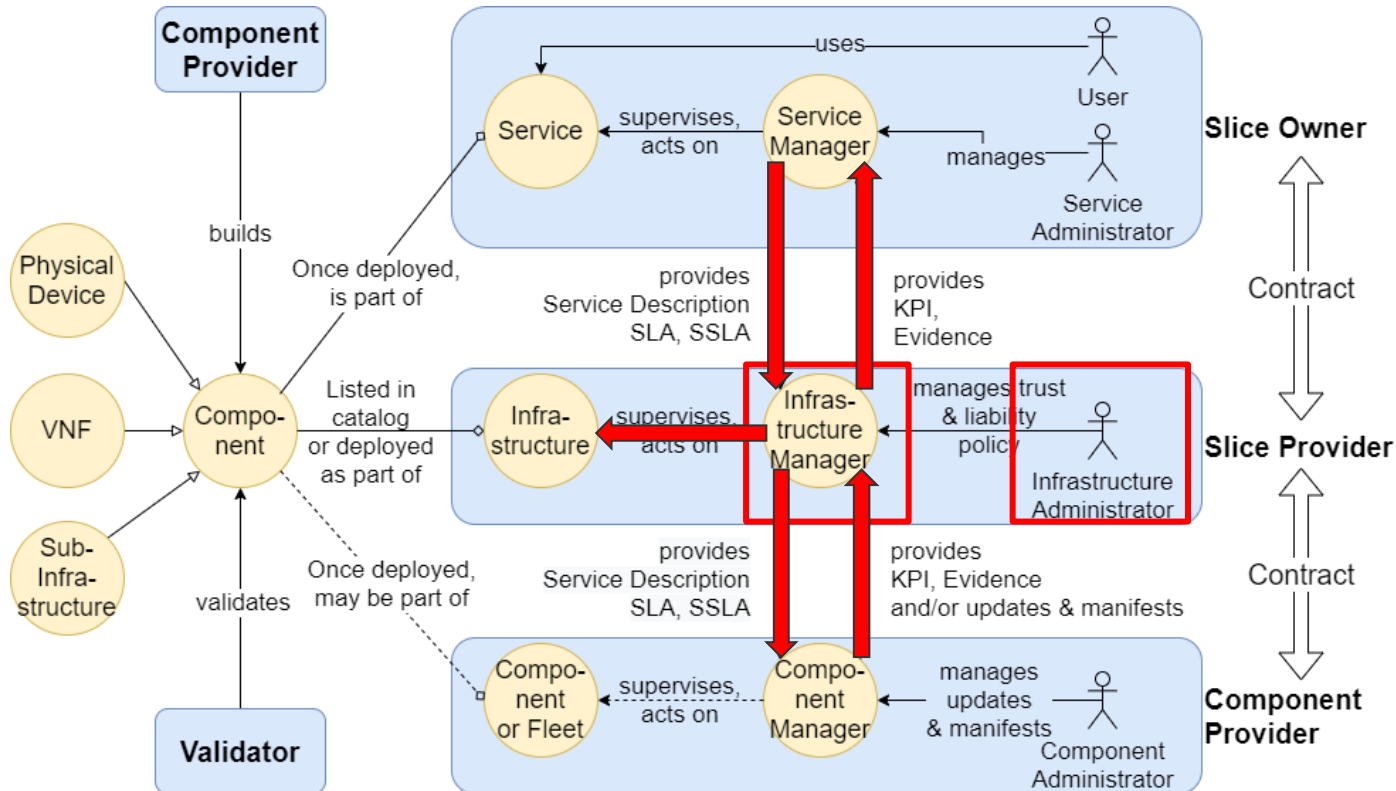
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6- ETSI NFV SEC 024

# Liability-Aware Security Management

## ► Requirements for a LASM Infrastructure Manager

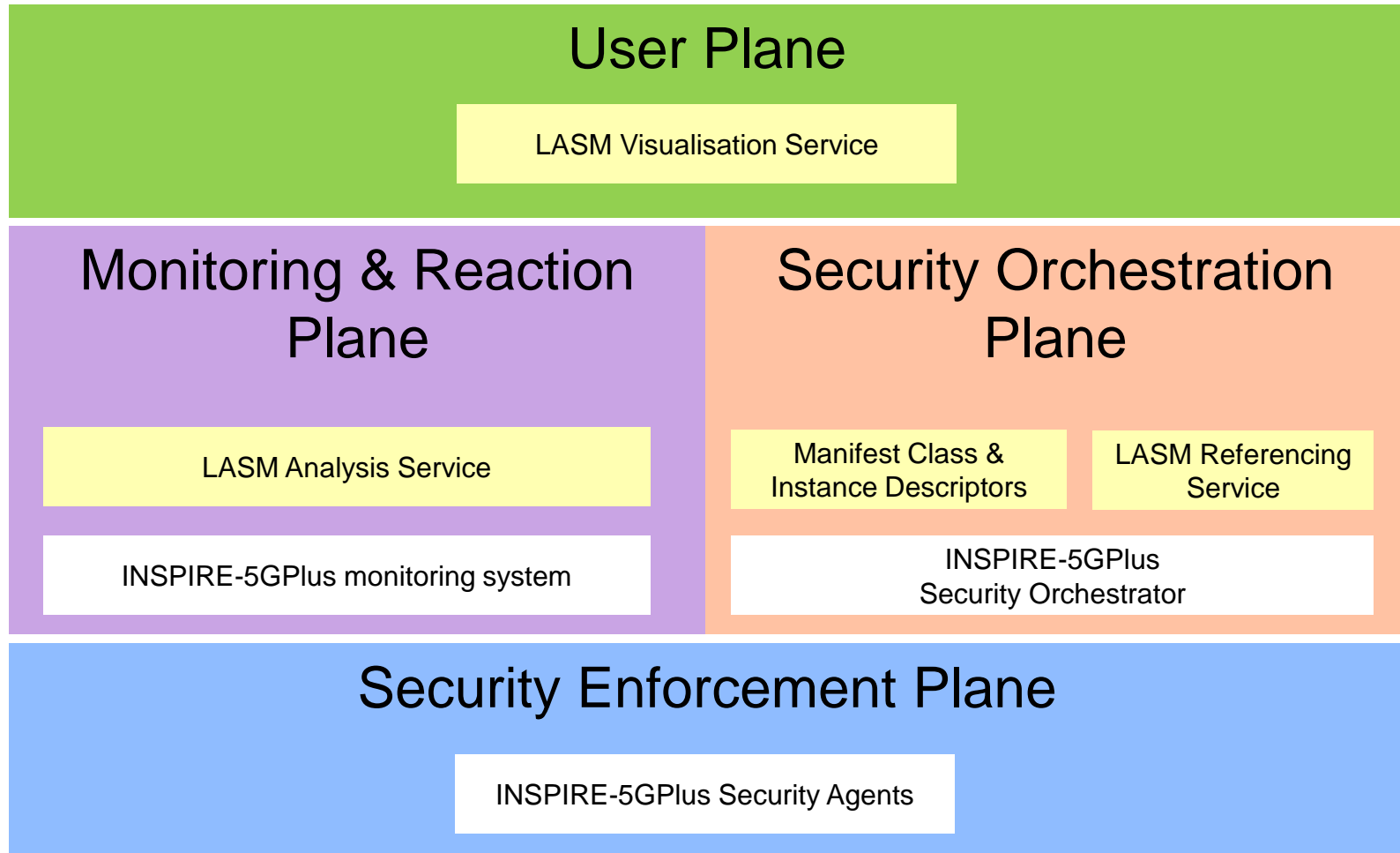


# Liability-Aware Security Management

- ▶ Strategic alliance between independent partners<sup>1</sup>
  - each entity is independent
  - interaction of heterogeneous orchestration of each domain
  - unpredictable & uncertain impact on end-to-end service quality level
  
- ▶ Liability perspective
  - Identify domains or partners responsible for fault or outage
  - Encourage cooperation with penalties or incentives

<sup>1</sup>- Final publish summary report, May 2013, Online, Available:  
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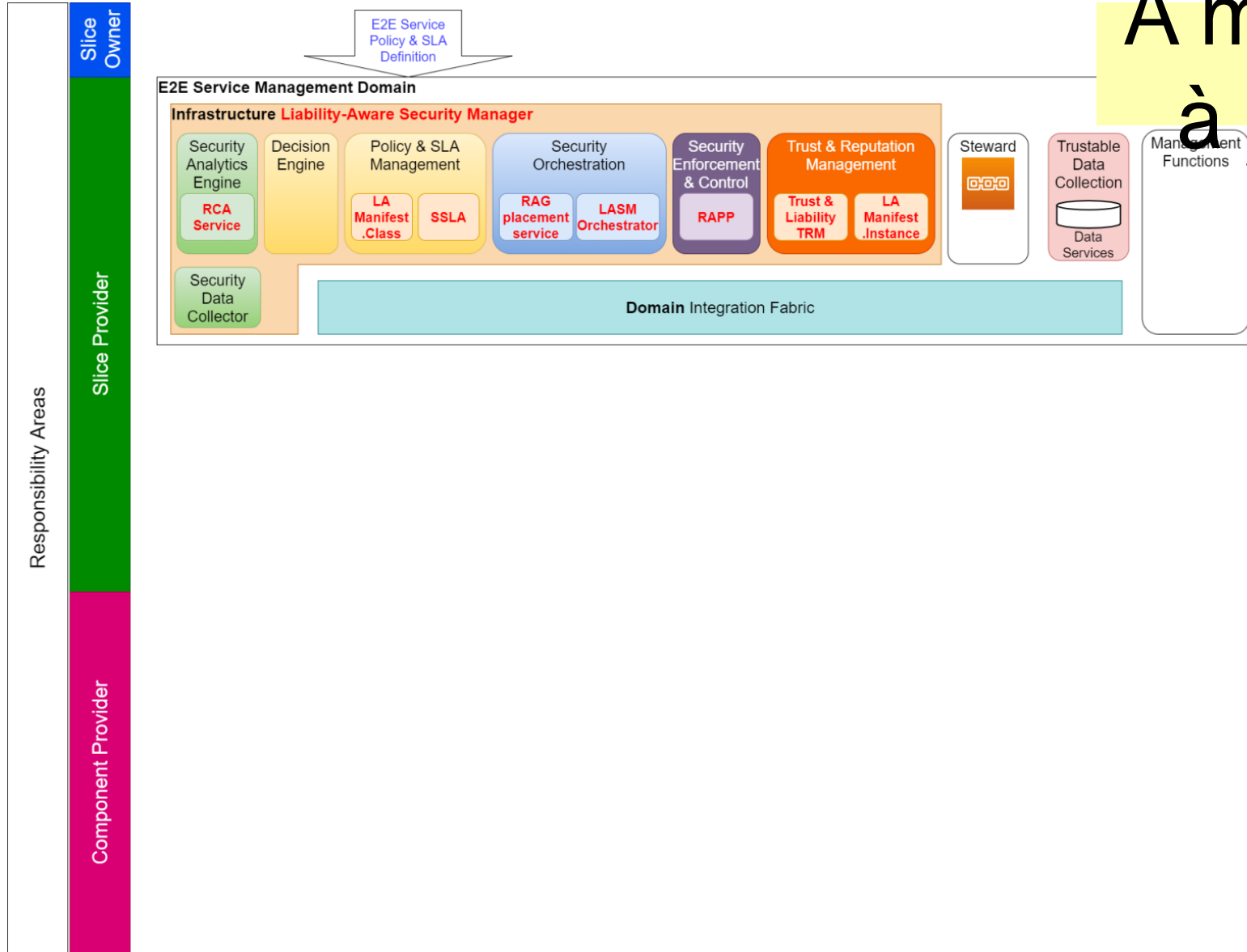




# Liability-Aware Security Management



A mettre à jour





# Quelques captures d'écran de la démo

# Challenges to achieve vision

- ▶ Accountability-related metrics
  
- ▶ Manifests
  - Distinguish levels of responsibilities : properties vs recommendations
  - Modular structure endorsed by multiple authors (Component Provider, Validators, Slice Provider)
  - *Manifest.Class vs Manifest.Instance*
  
- ▶ SLAs
  - Security SLAs for Slicing
  - Publicly-verifiable proofs of compliance
  - Automated incentives and penalties

# Conclusion & future works

## ▶ Current work

- Concept of Liability-Aware Security Management
- Proposal Architecture for 5G slicing context

## ▶ Next steps:

- Investigate identified challenges for each module
- LASM Proof of Concept
- Proposals related to manifests & security manager functional blocks to relevant IETF specification (IETF NFV-SEC 024, ETSI GS NFV-IFA 011 & 14) )



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