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IoTivity Introduction

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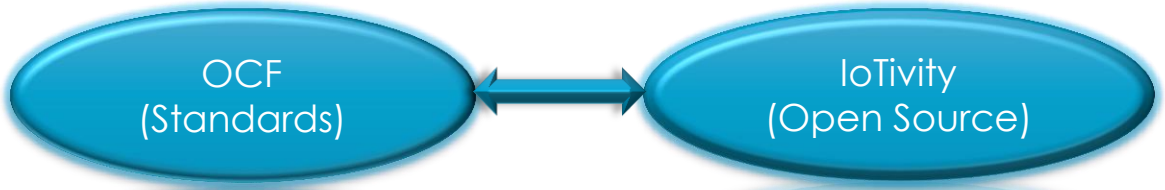
Agenda

- Overview
- Architecture
- Base Layer & APIs
- Primitive Services & APIs

IoTivity Overview

- An open source software framework implementing OCF Standards
- Ensures seamless device-to-device and device-to-cloud connectivity to address emerging needs of IoT
- Licensed under Apache License Version 2.0
- Available on TIZEN, Android, Arduino, Linux(Ubuntu) Platforms



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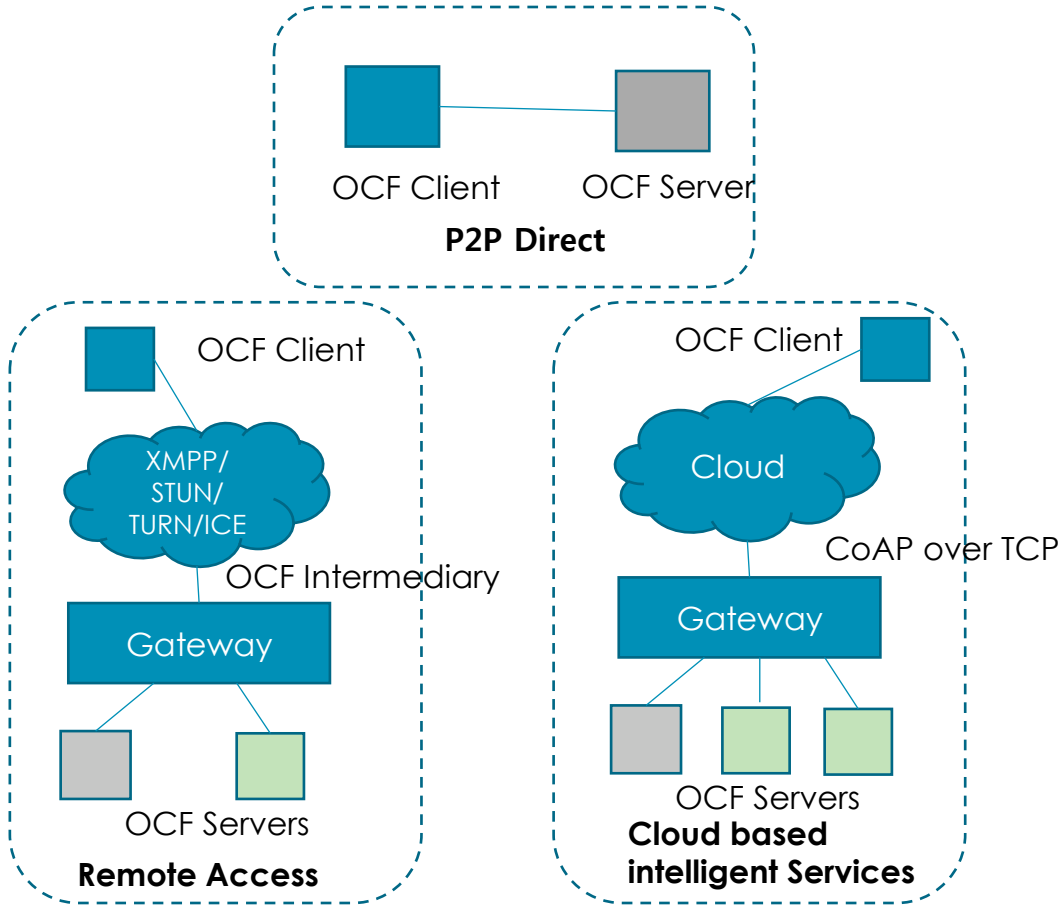

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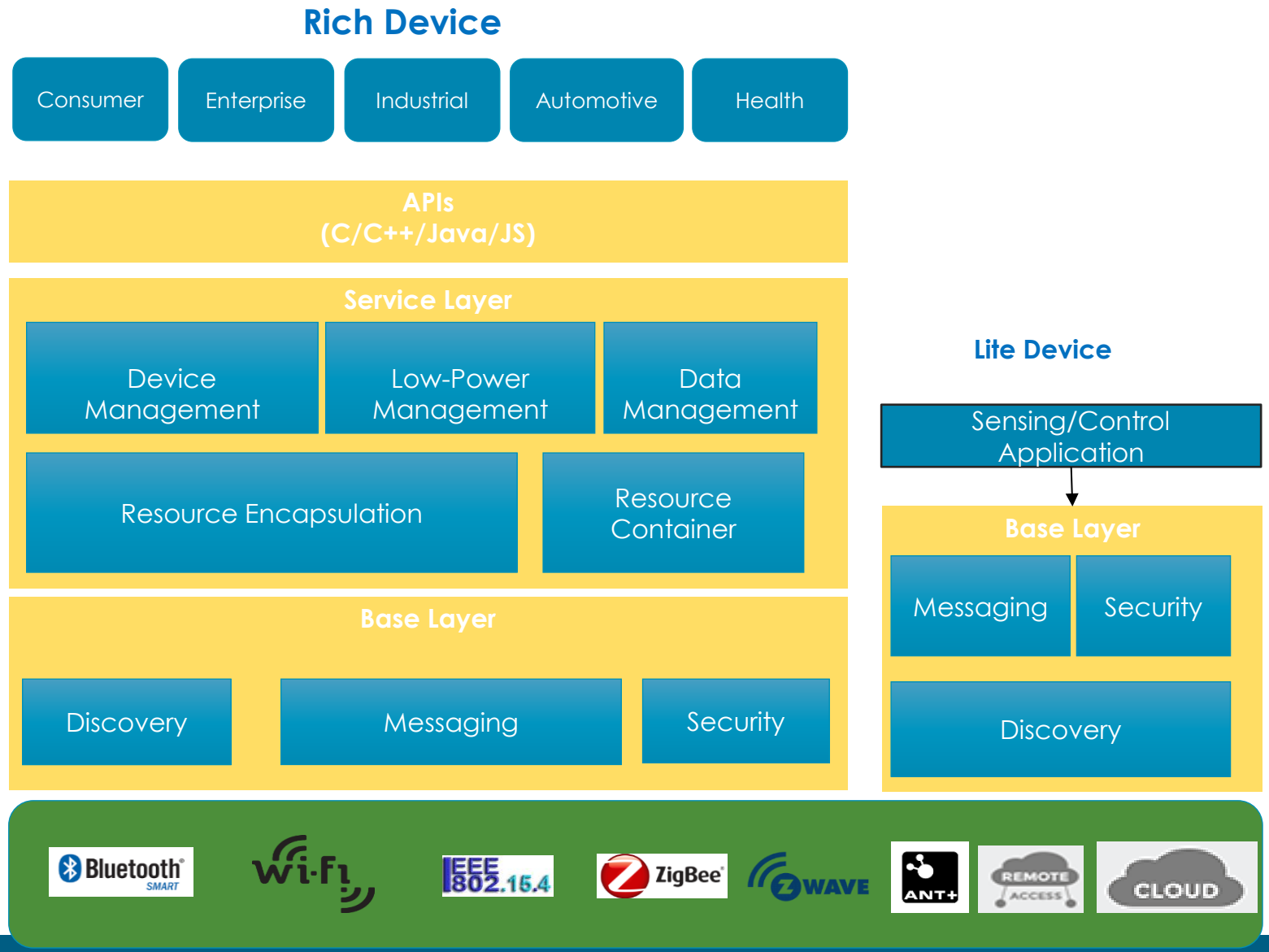

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- Common Solution
- Established Protocols
- Security & Identity
- Standardized Profiles
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IoTivity Base Layer & APIs

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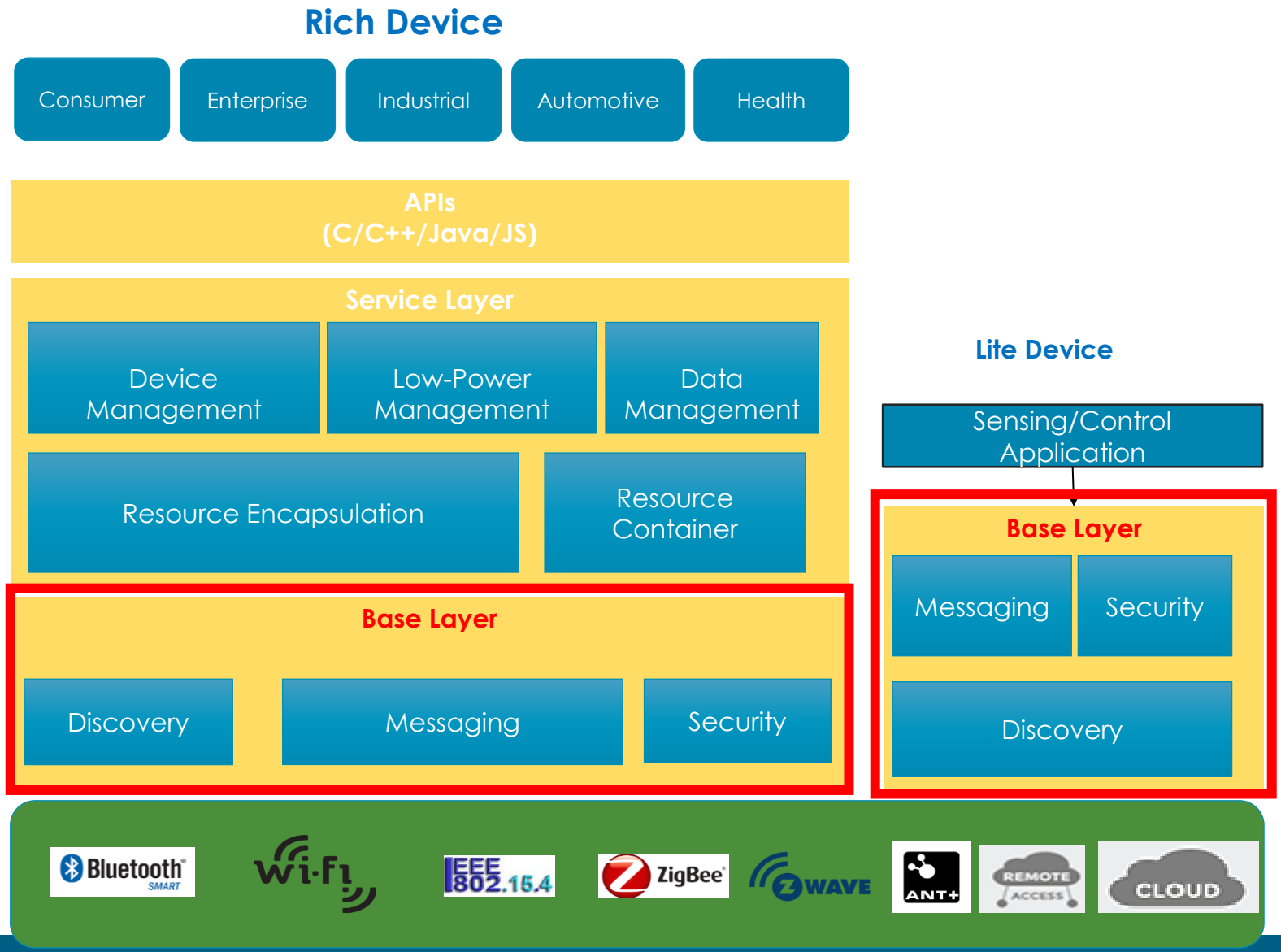

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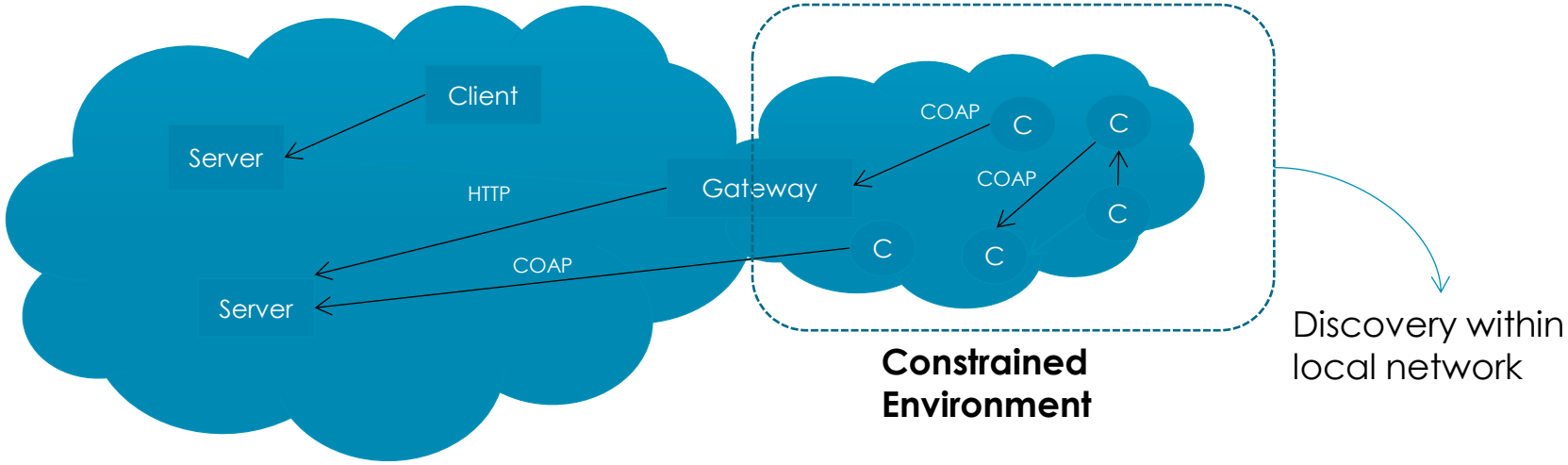
Discovery Subsystem



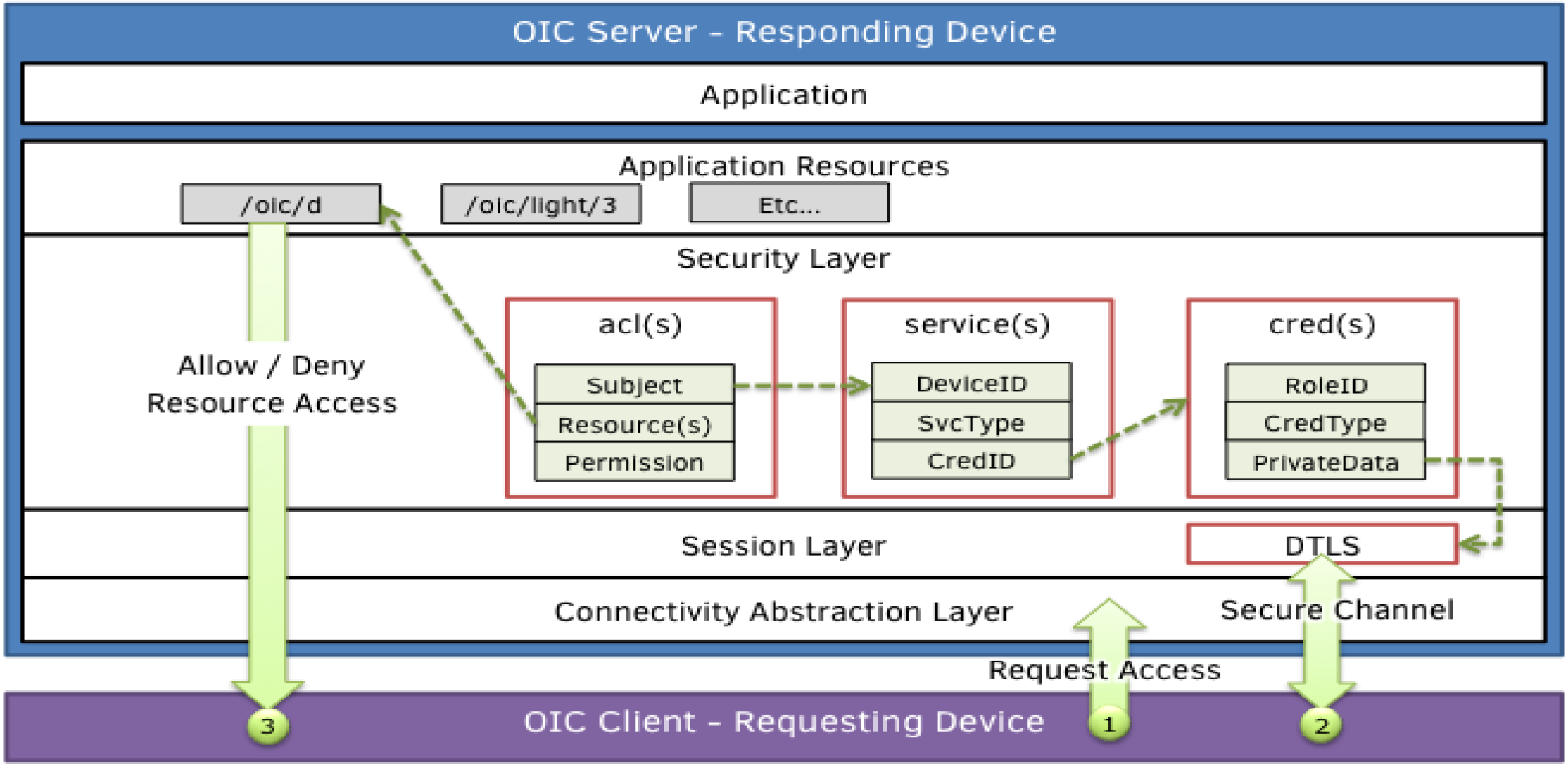
Connectivity	Discovery Mechanism	Description
WiFi & Ethernet (over IP)	IP Multicast	CoAP Multicast Port: 5683 (Assigned by IANA) CoAP Secure Port: 5684
	IP Unicast over UDP	Precondition: OIC Server Address & Port are known
Bluetooth (EDR & BLE)	Using Scan & Advertise	OCF Specific Service UUID

CoAP

- Open IETF Standard (RFC 7252)
- Compact 4 Byte Header
- UDP (Default), SMS, TCP Support
- Strong DTLS Security
- Asynchronous Subscription
- Built-In Discovery

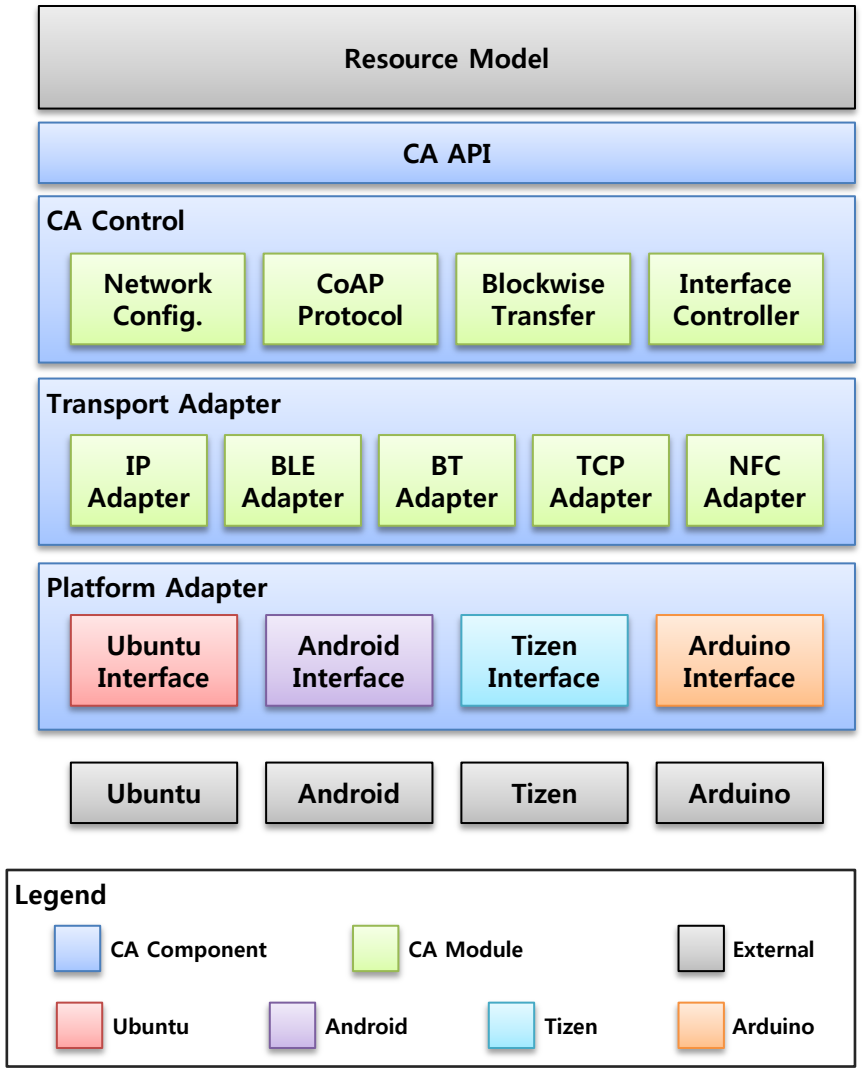
CoAP: Constrained Application Protocol
IANA: Internet Assigned Numbers Authority

Security Features & Architecture



Note platform hardening not part of the OCF Specs & IoTivity implementation.

Messaging - Connectivity Abstraction



CA Control Component

- Target network selection, interface control & monitoring
- CoAP message serialization & parsing
- Block-wise messaging flow control

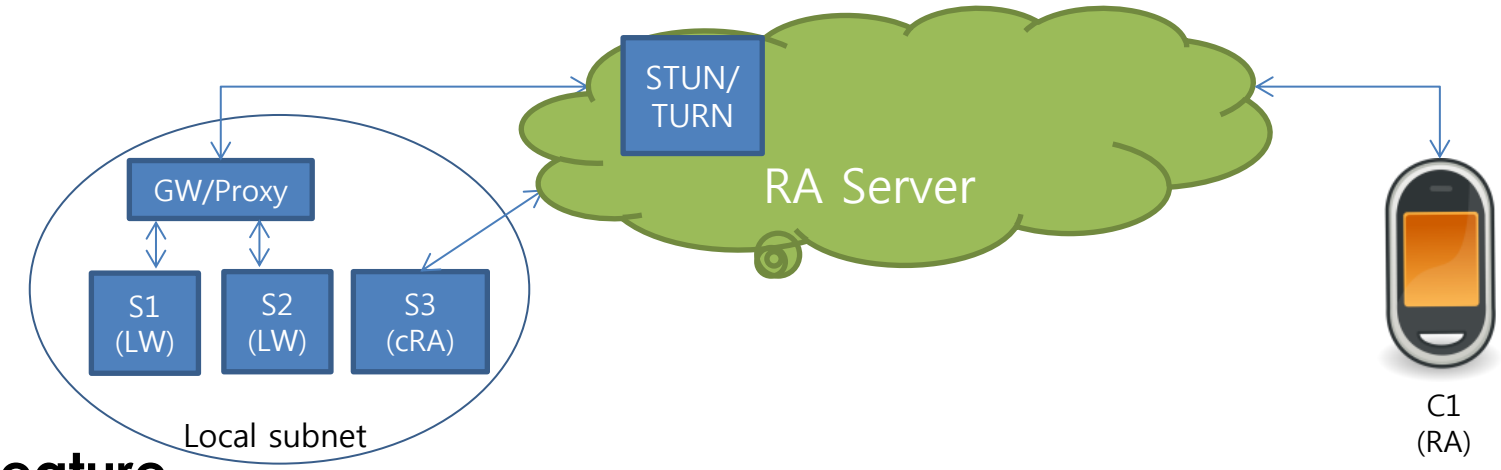
Transport Adapter Component

- Data transmission over UDP, TCP, BLE(GATT), BT(SPP) & NFC
- Secure data exchanging using DTLS

Platform Adapter Component

- Ubuntu, Wi-Fi, Ethernet and BLE
- Android Wi-Fi, BLE and BT
- Tizen Wi-Fi, BLE and BT
- Arduino Wi-Fi, Ethernet and BLE

Messaging - Remote Access over XMPP



Feature

- Remote client discover & securely interface with resource servers when not on same subnet
- Adheres to access control policies
- End-to-End Secure

Device Type	Use Case
Light weight (LW) Device	Accessible within subnet. No RA, require GW/proxy device for access
Constrained RA (cRA) Endpoint	RA access for non latency-sensitive, low BW applications
RA Endpoint (RA)	Full RA access

IoTivity Primitive Services & APIs

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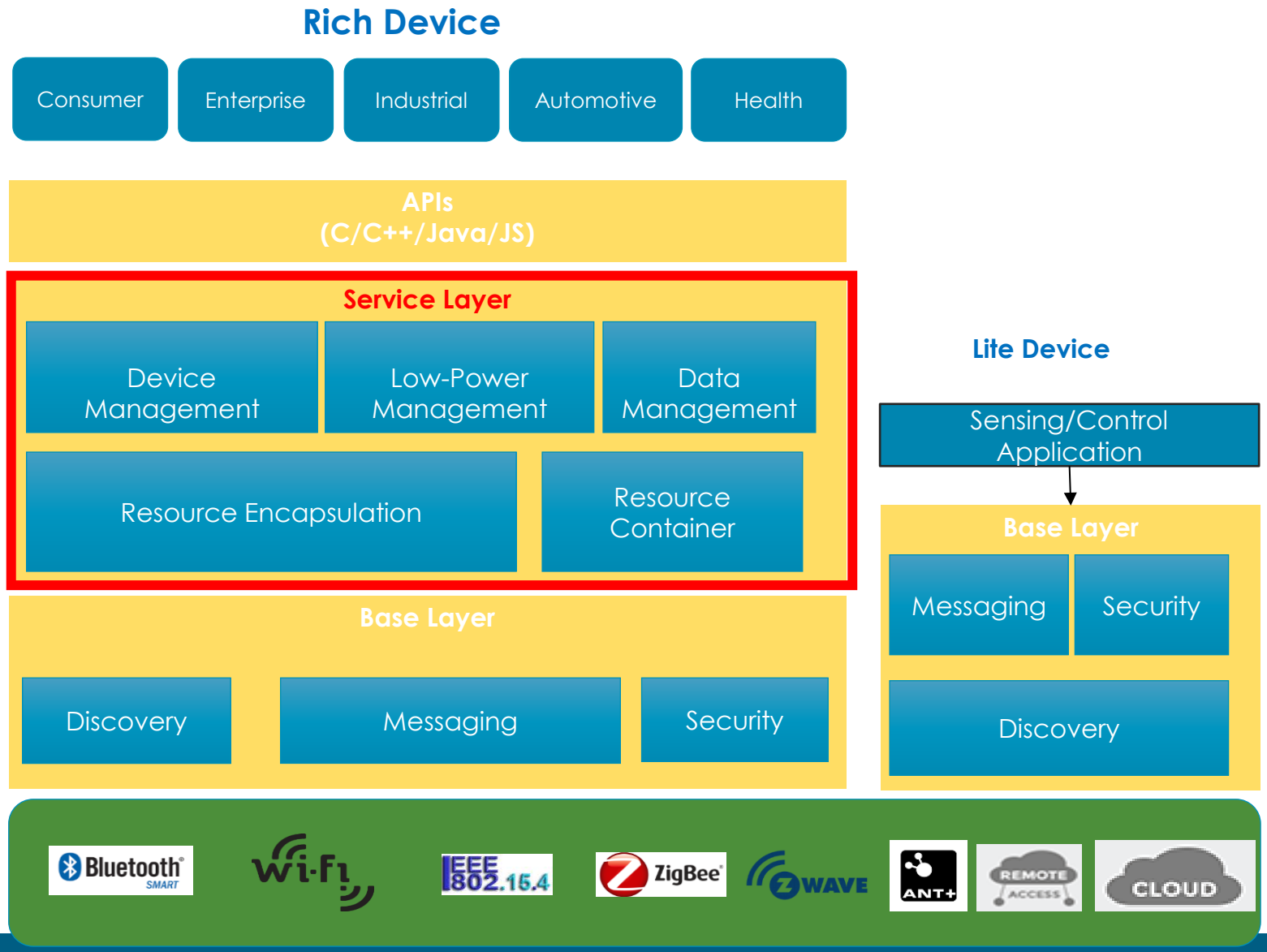

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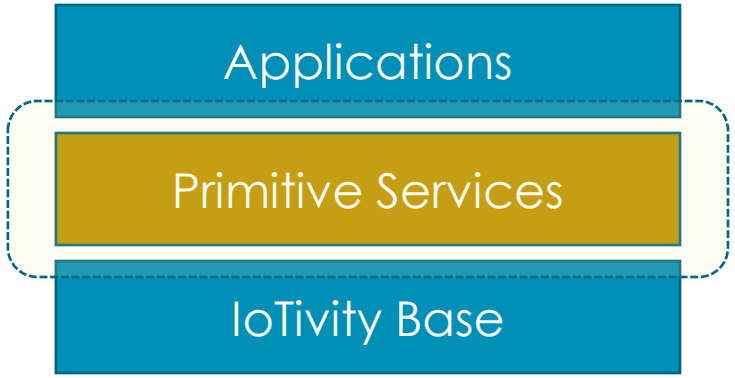
Purpose of Primitive Services

- Provides easier and simpler APIs for App developers (Heavy Lifting done by Framework)
- Mostly designed to run on Smart or Controller devices
- Uses the Iotivity Base APIs



Scene Manager

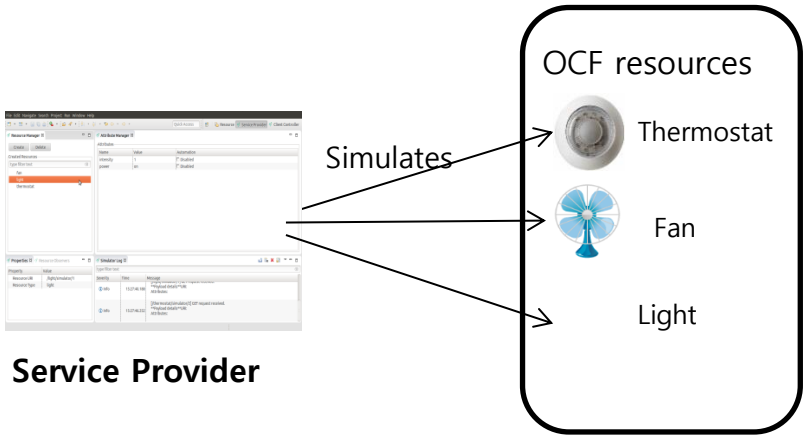
Helps Users to create a Scenario or Scene for controlling
Multiple IoT devices & their functionality

e.g.

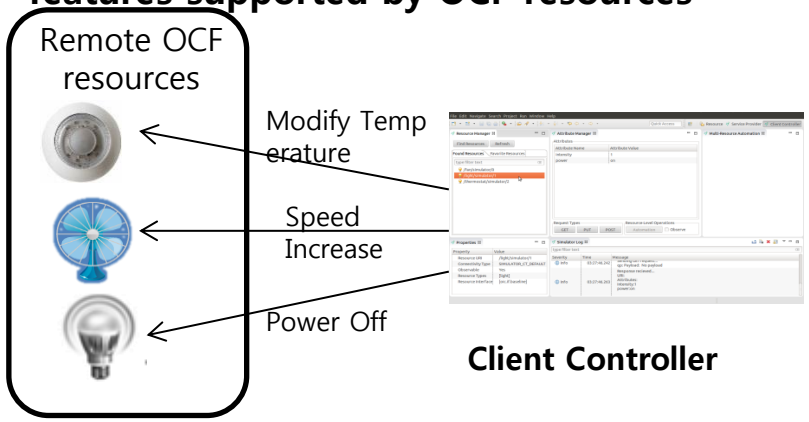
- Away Home – All Lights turned off, Doors locked
- Watching Movie – Living Room lights off, TV On, Speaker On

Simulator Service

Simulating different OCF resources



Sending different requests to verify features supported by OCF resources

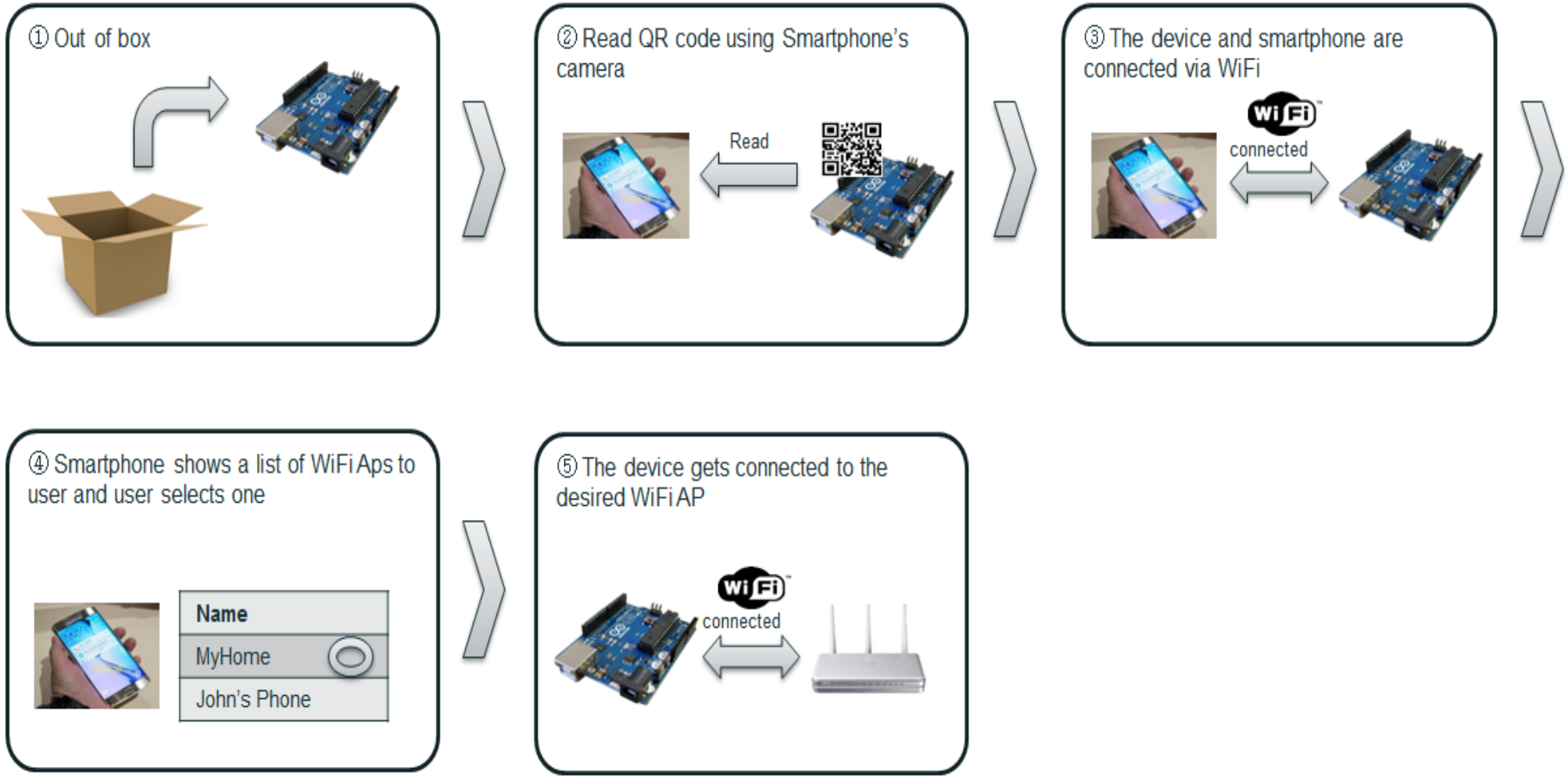


Feature

- **Server**
  - OCF resources can be simulated, Using resource model definition (RAML) files.
  - Manages creation, deletion, request handling and notifications for OCF resources.
- **Client**
  - Searching for different types of resources available in the network.
  - Sending different types of requests both manual and automatically and displays the response payload received.

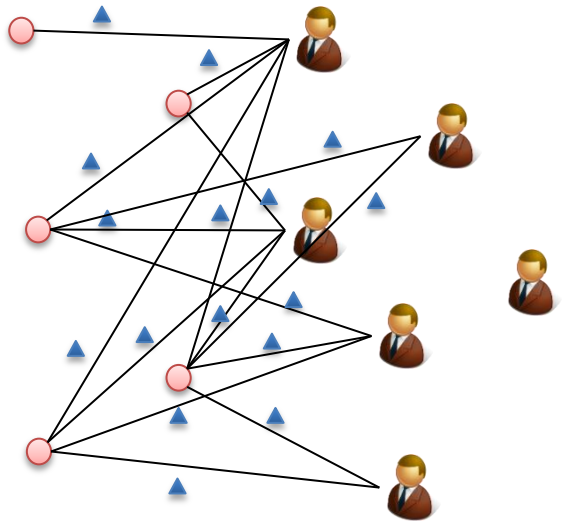
MultiPhy Easy Setup

- Schematic illustrations



Low Power Management – Resource Hosting

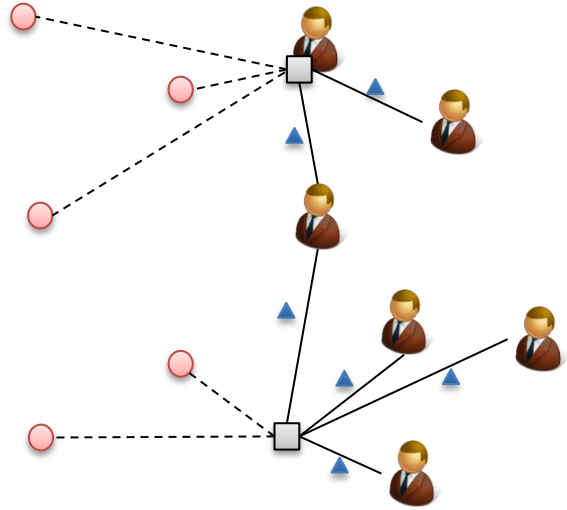
Problem



How many subscriptions thin device could support with its constrained system resource?

Thin(Light) device Subscription User/Consumer

Solution



Thin Device enhances its lifetime delegating its resource subscriber to richer hosting device

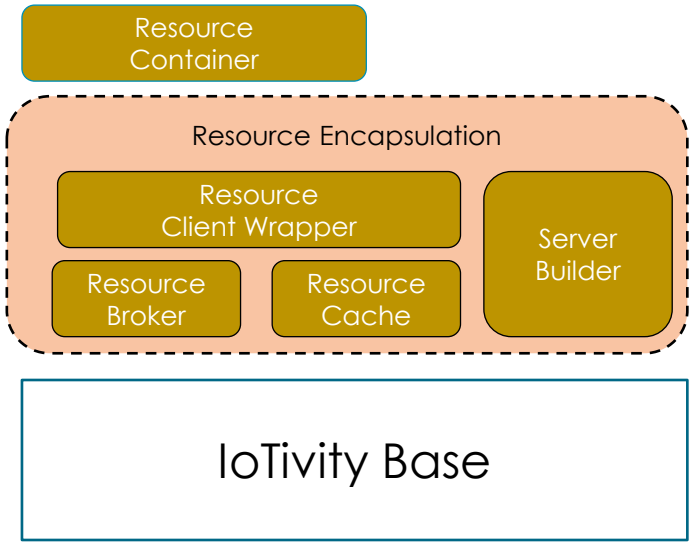
Hosting(Rich) device
Thin(Light) device
Subscription User/Consumer

❖Offloads request/data handling from remote clients

❖Reduces the power consumption of resource constraint device

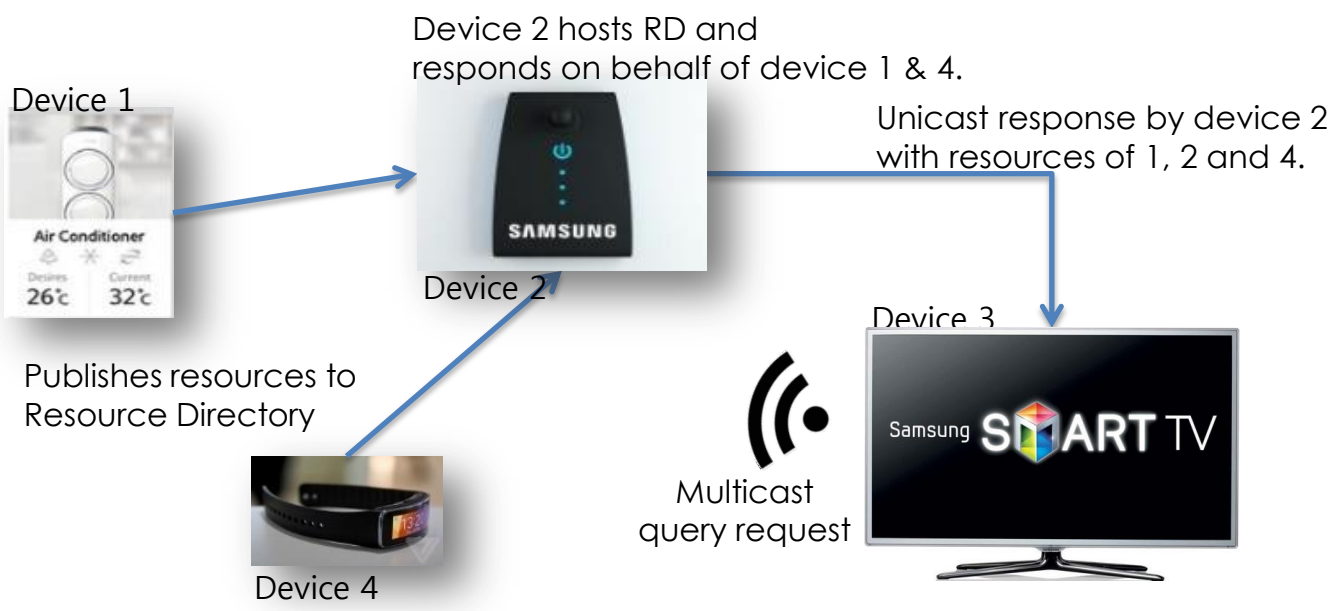
Supporting Material

Resource Encapsulation



Module	Description
Resource Broker	• Remote Resource Presence check (regardless of Remote Server supporting presence feature) • Provide consistent reachability management for discovered resource of interest
Resource Cache	• Maintains last information of Remote Resource (regardless of Remote Server is observable) • Data Centric API (Send/Recv Message Getter/Setter, Data Cache)
Server Builder	• Att. setter to provide easy way to create resource • Changes “msg Handling” to “Data Setting” for users • Monitors value of attributes so that notify-back for observation whenever attribute has changed

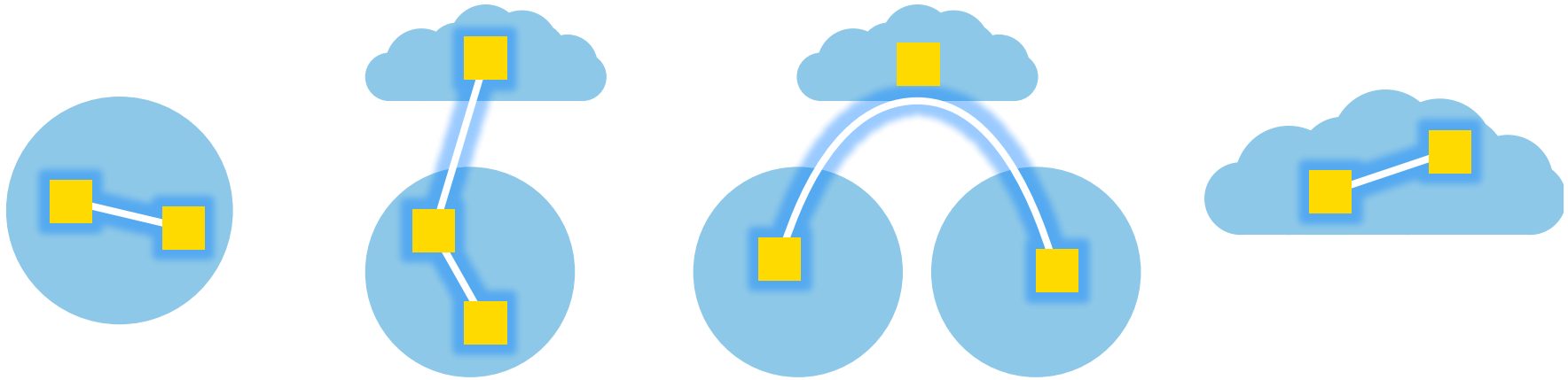
Low Power Management – Resource Directory



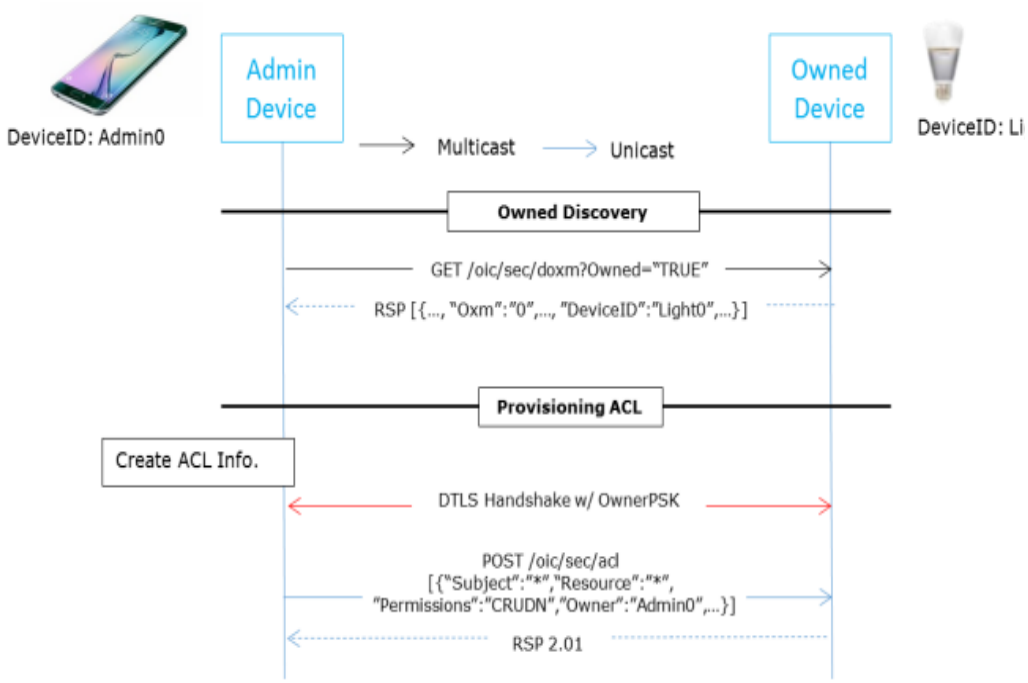
- Constrained device that needs to sleep and can not respond to multicast discovery queries
  - Discovery of RD server
  - Publish Resource to RD
  - Update / Delete Resource

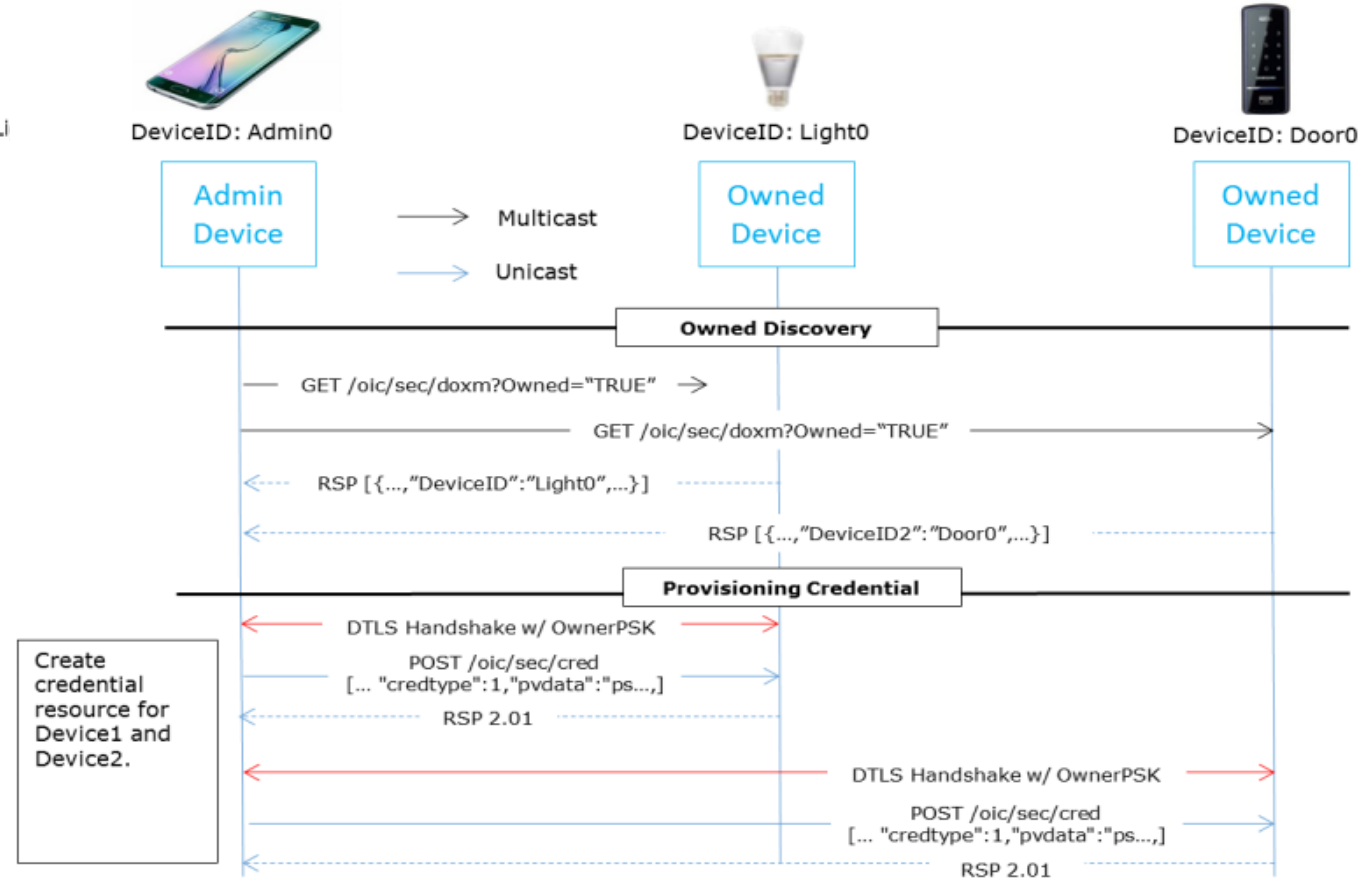
Cloud-Native Architecture for IoT

- Devices can reach the cloud directly.
  - Devices can self-organize if the cloud is not accessible.
- Architecture and protocols don't have to be replaced when device deployment changes from local-only to cloud-connected.
- Encourages end-to-end micro-services.

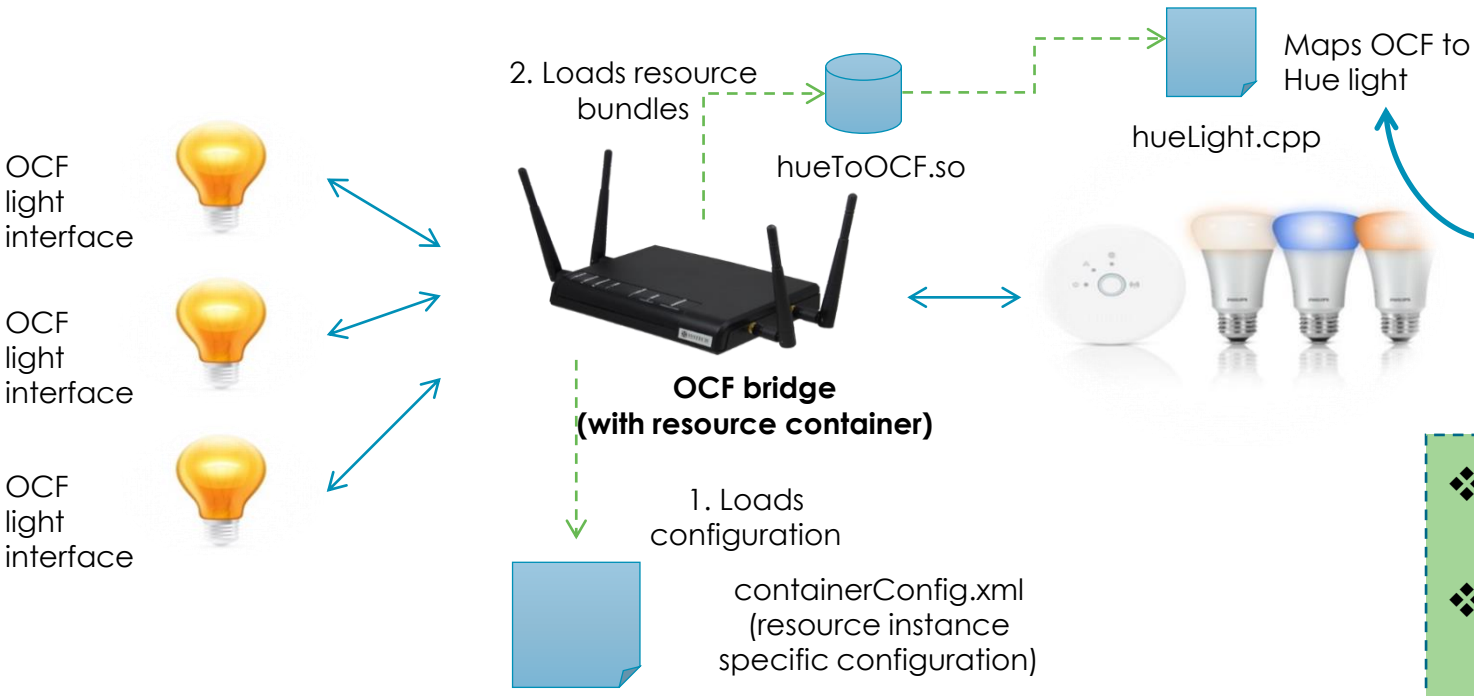


Onboarding & Provisioning Call Flow





Protocol Bridge using Resource Container

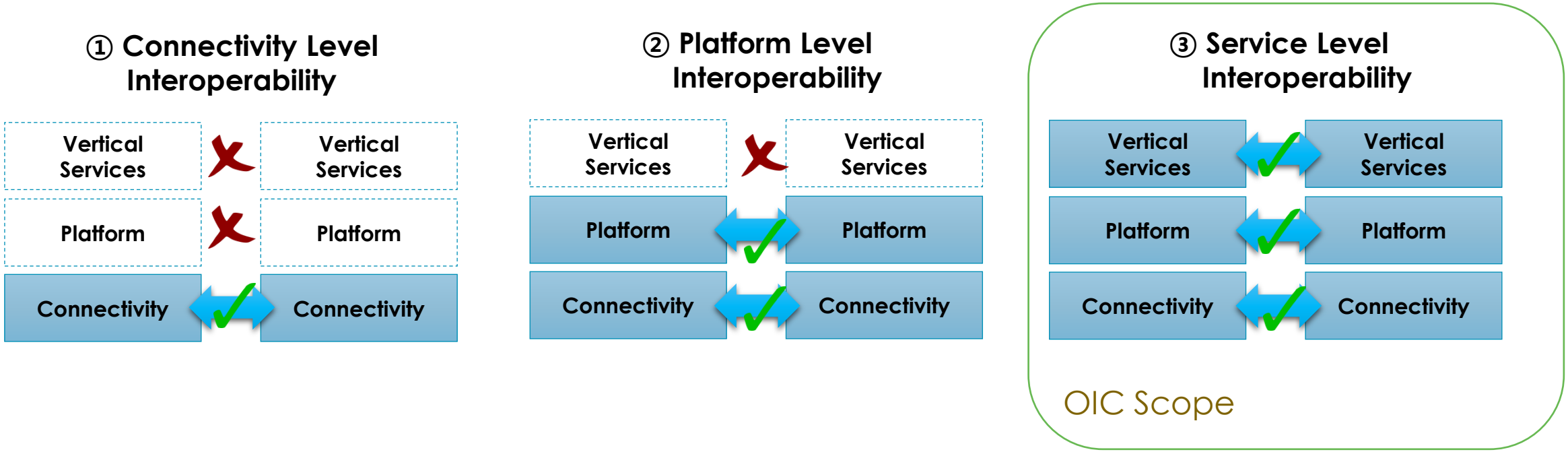


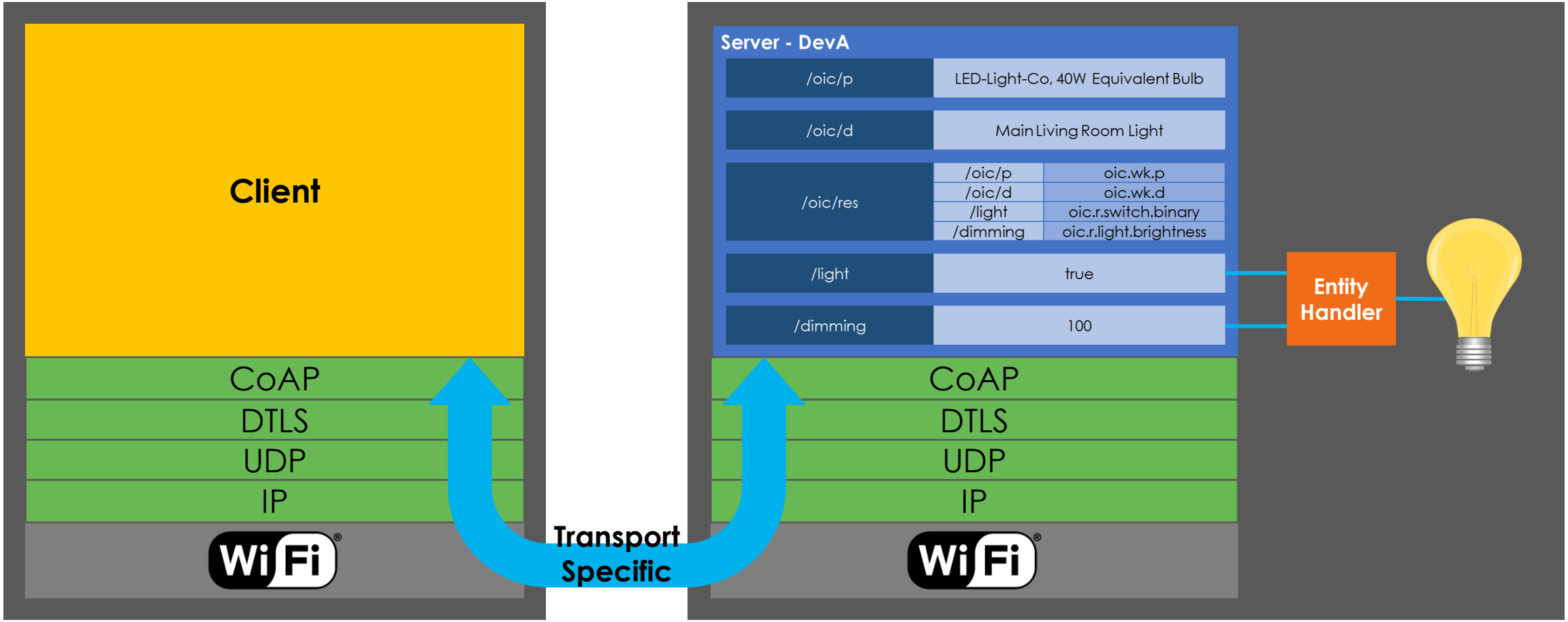
- Integrates non-OCF resources (Bundle)
- Handles dynamic loading of resource bundles & dynamic creation of resources
- Supports C++ .so files & Java .jar files
- Common configuration for bundles and configured resources

- Designed to work devices with non OCF devices
- Enables control of legacy devices which are already in market with existing APIs using a OIC complaint device

Interoperability …

- **Full interoperability** from the connectivity layer up to the service layer is the only way to truly guarantee a satisfactory UX
- Interoperability at the Connectivity and/or Platform layer only provides partial interoperability which can ultimately lead to fragmentation

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CoAP
DTLS
UDP
IP
Wi Fi
Transport Specific
Server - DevA
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LED-Light-Co, 40W Equivalent Bulb
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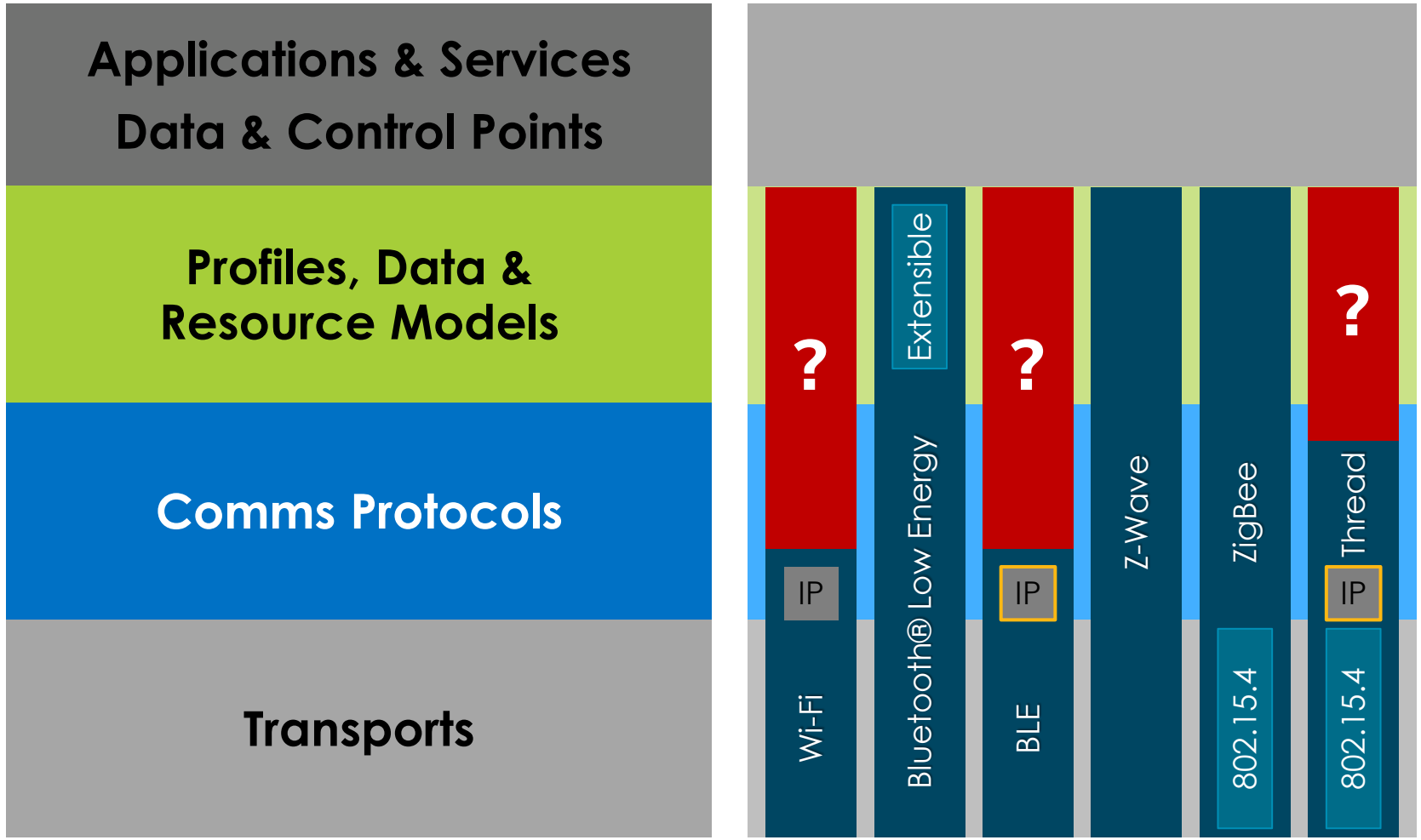
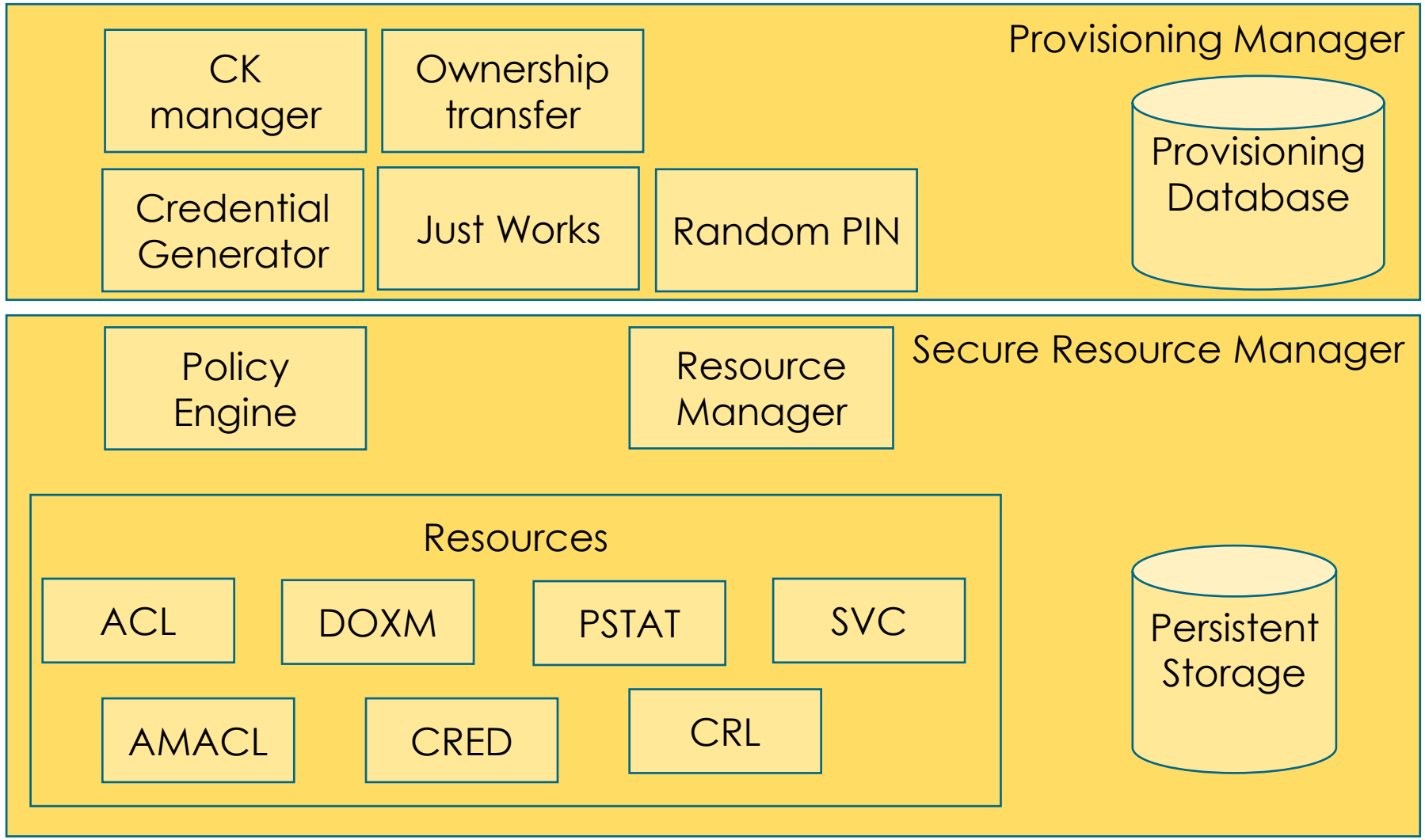


Security Building Blocks



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