

# Open Interconnect Consortium:

An overview to connecting devices everywhere

### The Challenges of IoT Communications

Market: The opportunity of the Internet of Things can't be realized with devices communicating in "isolated islands" or "walled gardens."

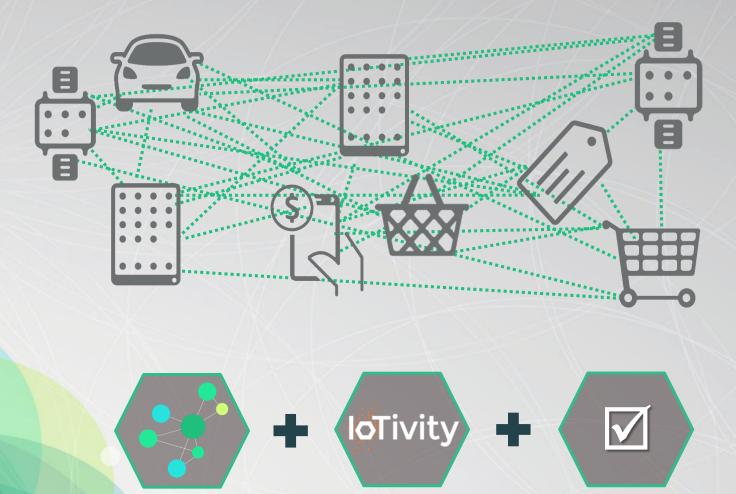
**Users:** Users refuse to buy all their devices from one manufacturer, operating system, hardware, etc. and require a common connectivity method.

Manufacturers: Device manufacturers require a standard that addresses interconnectivity and security to maximize their products' market potential.





### Addressing the Challenge of Communications



**Open Source** 

Project

Certification

**Standards** 

OIC is breaking the barriers and enabling devices to connect securely and interoperate - regardless of vendor, OS, hardware, or market.

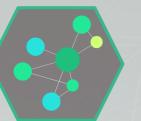




# The Strategy for Building Device Interoperability

### IoT Device Interoperability

### Specification



- Broad spectrum of industry leaders providing guidance
- Common communications protocols, approaches for security and identity, and service-level protocols, object models & developer APIs
- Open specification that anyone can implement

### **Open Source Project**



- Provides a fast path to market for developers and manufacturers
- Open source development promotes faster innovation via community driven development
- Connectivity framework
  that abstracts complexity

### Certification

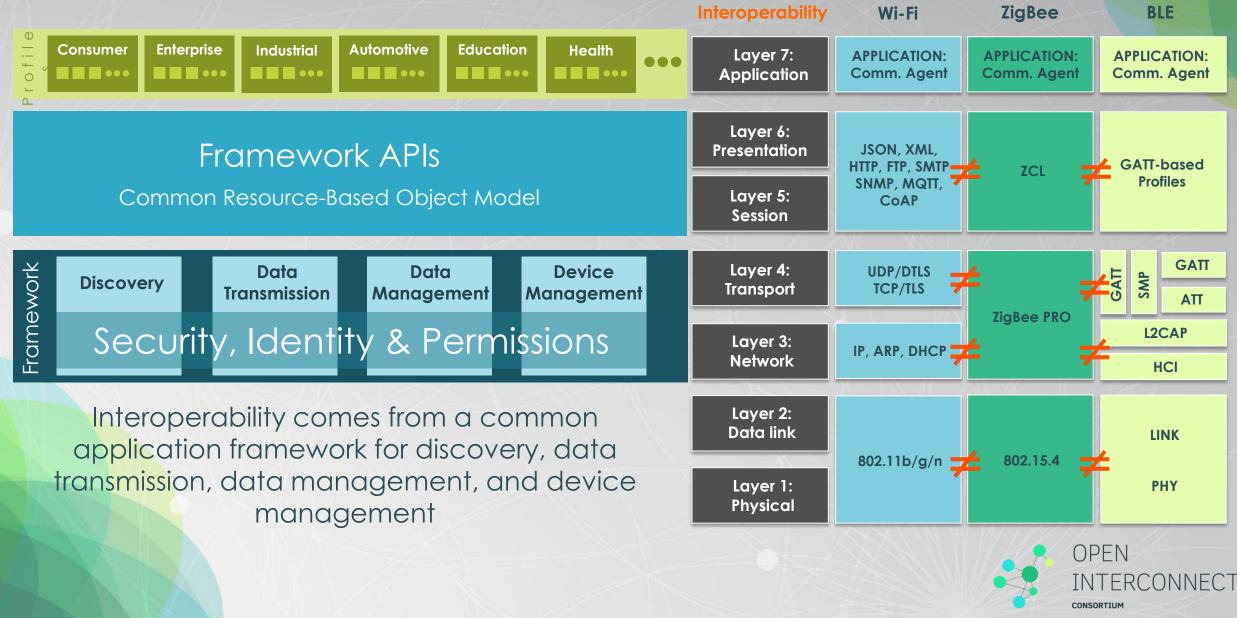


- IP protection & branding for certified devices
- Certification = a device implementation as defined in the specification and released into the open source

OIC is a global alliance to deliver "just-works" interoperability for developers, manufactures and end-users through a specification and an open source project.



## **IoTivity Architecture**

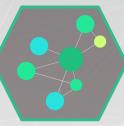


### Sample of Current Members



### Participate!

### Become A Member!



#### Membership includes: Gold Membership and above:

- Certify spec compliant apps and devices
- Use OIC branding
- Benefit from patent cross-licensing
  protection
- Provide input in the standard development

Platinum and above:

- Participate in working groups Diamond and above:
- One director appointed to the board

#### http://openinterconnect.org/join/

#### Join the Open Source Project



- Download the code and get started
- Code is available under the Apache v2.0 license
- Contribute code!

#### Get Educated on the Standard



 Go to the website to find out more and sign up to get updates <u>http://openinterconnect.org/n</u> <u>ewsletter/</u>

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Device interoperability will change IoT as we know it today!