

GENIVI goes Open Source

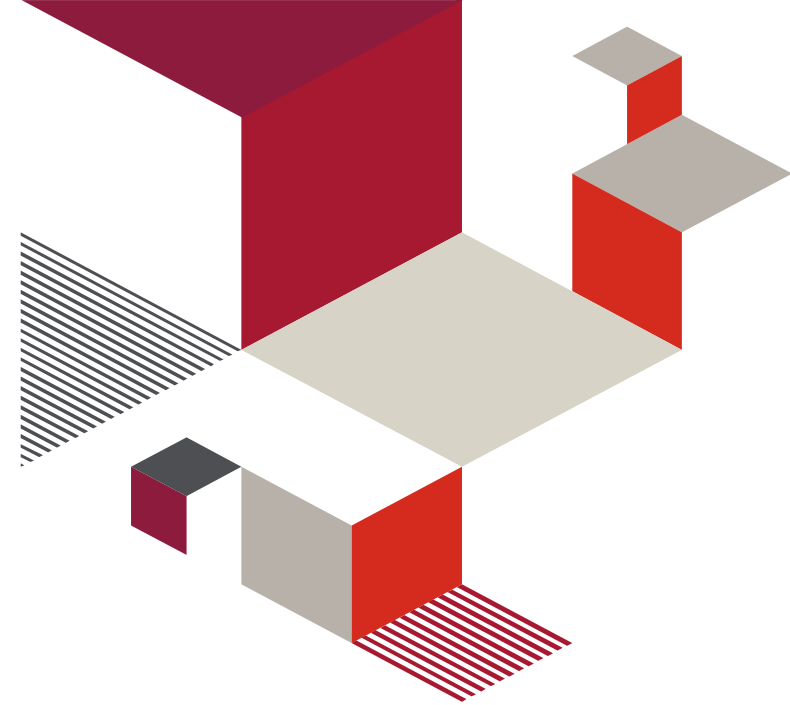
Motivation and Challenges

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- **Introduction to GENIVI**
- **GENIVI's Journey**
- **Going Open Source: Some Drivers**
- **Going Open Source: Some Challenges**
- **Summary**



THE ROAD AHEAD **Open Source IVI**



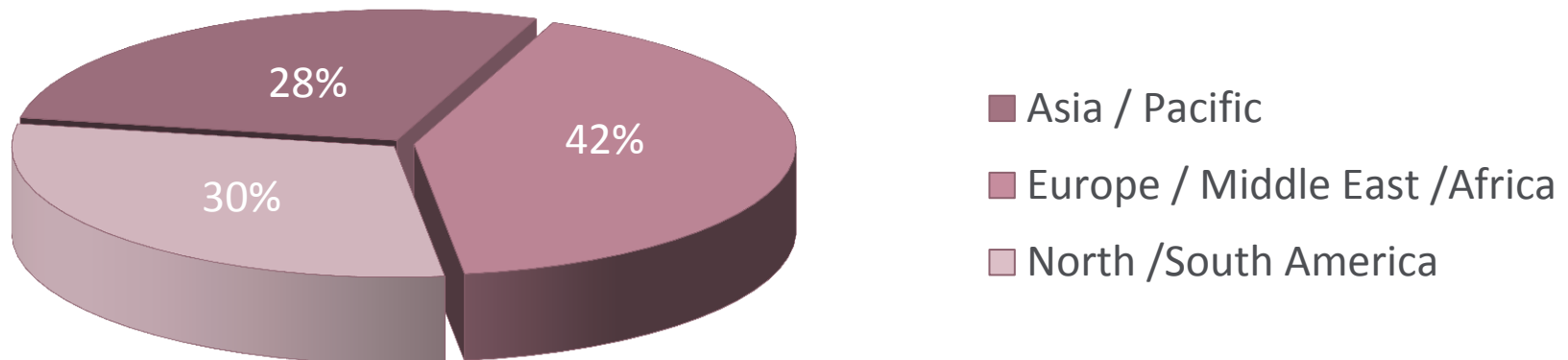
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GENIVI Alliance: Mission

- **GENIVI is a non-profit industry alliance:**
 - committed to driving the broad adoption of an In-Vehicle Infotainment (IVI) reference platform
 - aiming to align requirements, deliver reference implementations, offer certification programs, and foster a vibrant open-source IVI community.
 - delivering reference implementations, offering compliant registration programs and fostering a vibrant open source IVI community
 - educating members on FOSS license compliance and successful deployment of FOSS in their products
 - helping organizations new to FOSS become educated and equipped to leverage FOSS in their automotive software

GENIVI Membership

| Region | Oct 31, 2013 |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Asia/ Pacific | 49 (28%) |
| Europe/ Middle East/ Africa | 73 (42%) |
| North/ South America | 52 (30%) |
| Total Member Companies | 174 |



OEMs



First Tiers



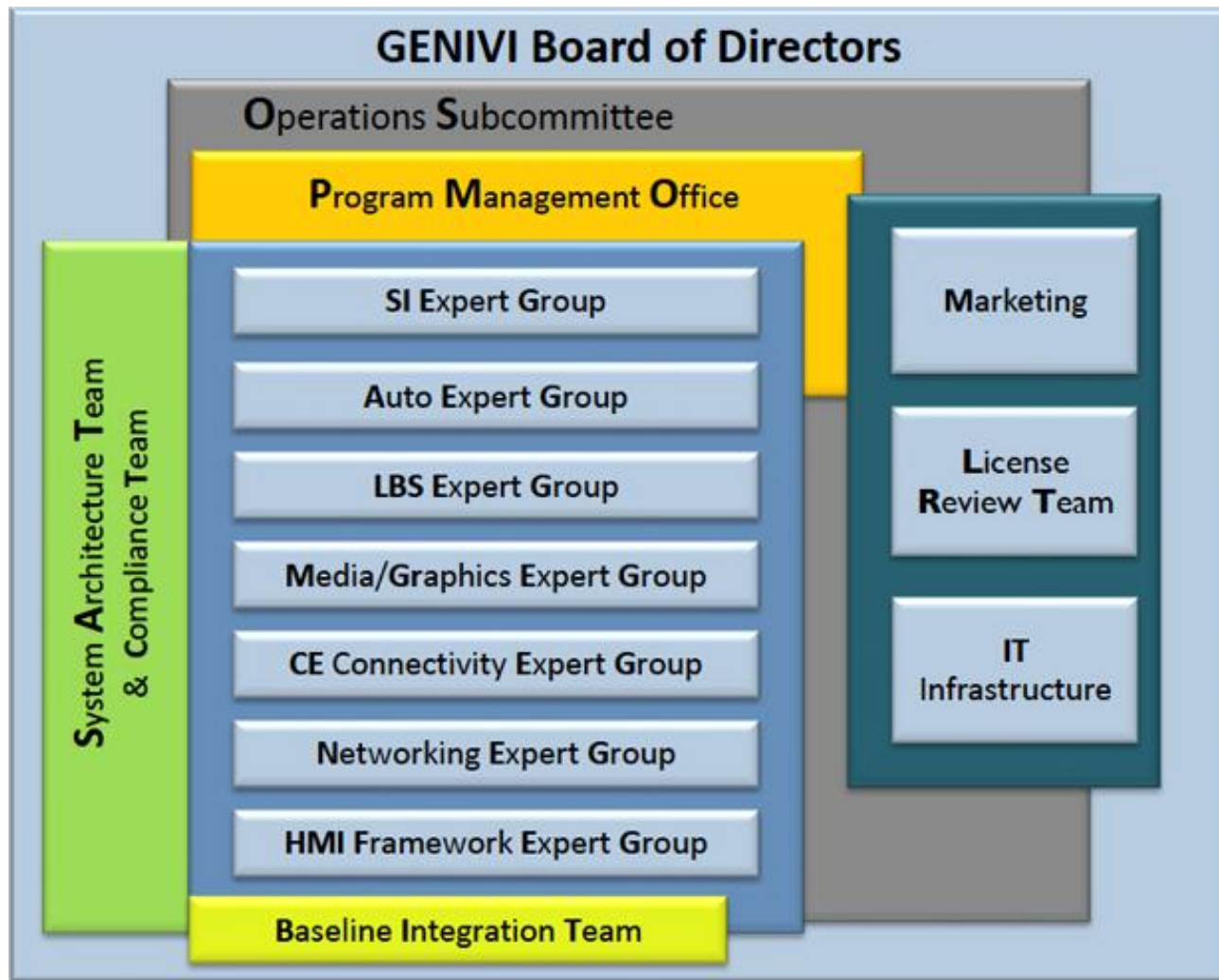
OSV, Middleware, Hardware, and Services Suppliers



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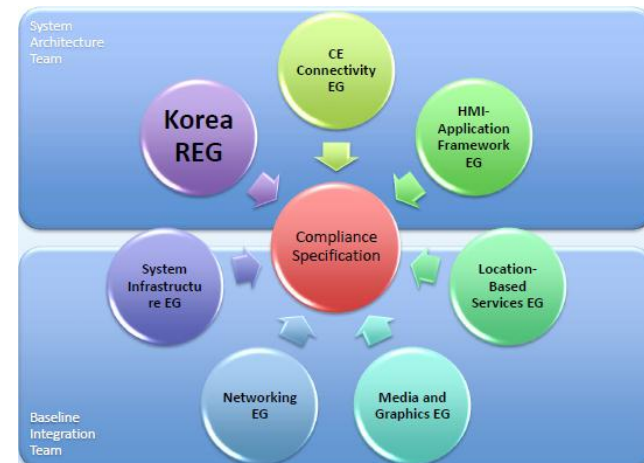


GENIVI Alliance: Organization



GENIVI Alliance: Korean Regional Expert Group

- **Founded in 2011**
- **Collaboration of Korean GENIVI Members**
 - Regional requirements
 - Region specific contributions
- **Current Projects**
 - Car Data Logging
 - Vehicle Web API
- **Current Focus Topics**
 - Multiple profile for Clustertainment
 - Extensions to Vehicle Web API (radio tuner, navigation)
- **Members**

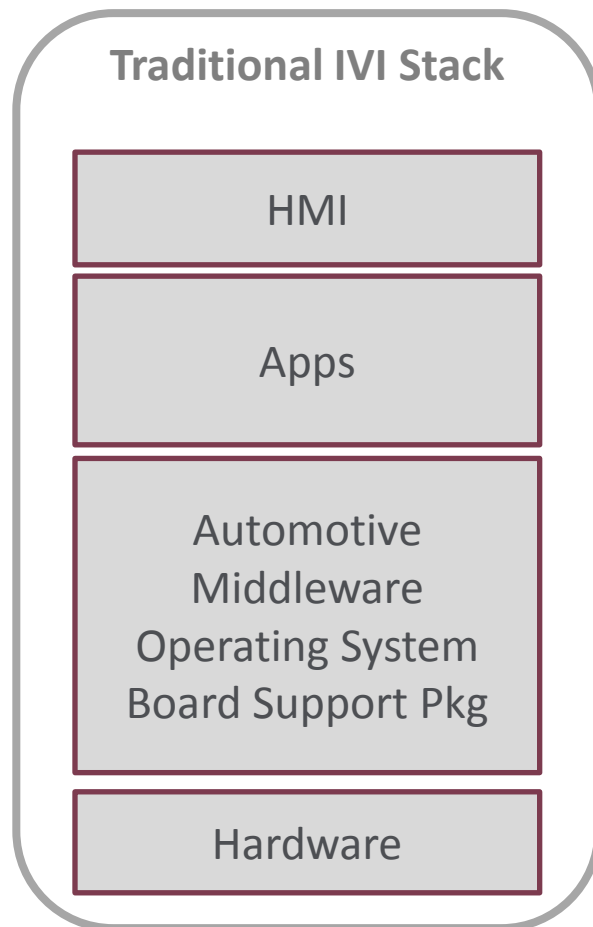
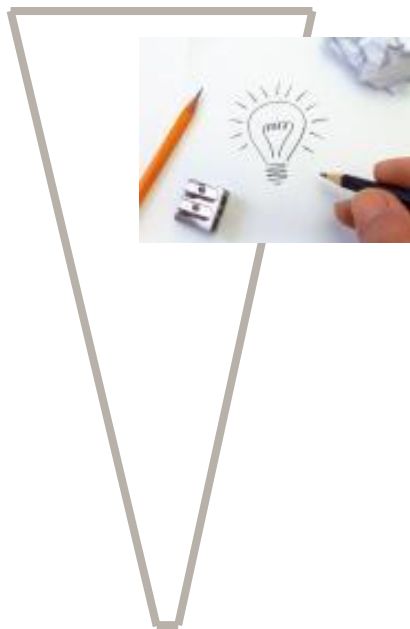


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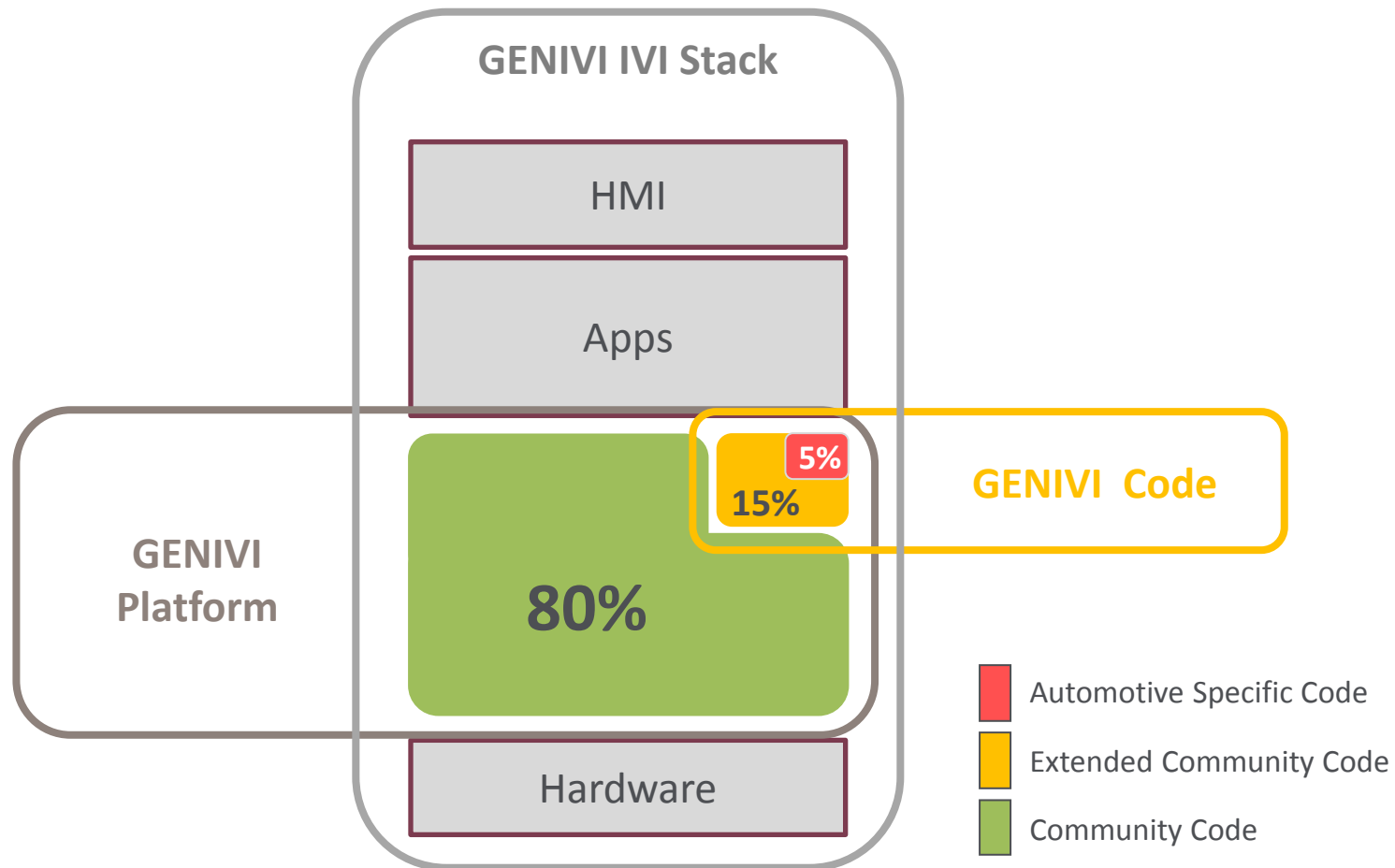
- **GENIVI delivers**
 - Aligned IVI requirements across a broad base of OEMs
 - Code that “satisfies” the requirements and “demonstrates” the compliance statements
 - A compliance program against which commercial offerings can be certified and ISVs can develop

Traditional IVI Stack: Non-Differentiating Functionality Eats Up Most of the Money

Differentiation



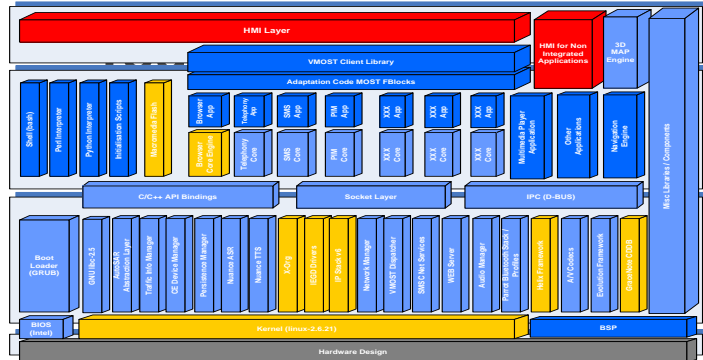
GENIVI Solution Stack: Adopt – Adapt – Create Model



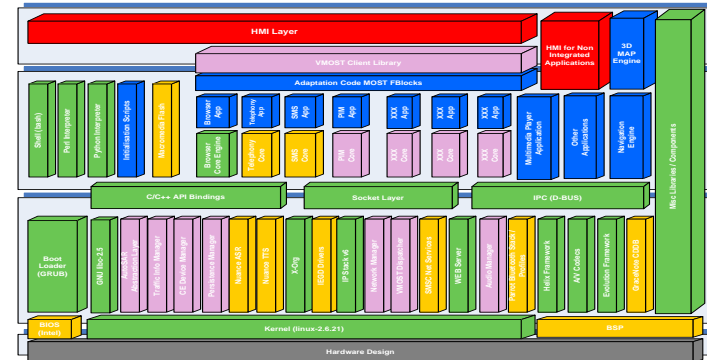
Implementation Models Change for IVI

- Code created by the 1st tier.
- Licensed code from eco-system partners pre-integrated in the platform.
- User interface logic and graphics (HMI)

- Open Source Kernel / Open Source Packages
- Code created to make the platform automotive compliant.

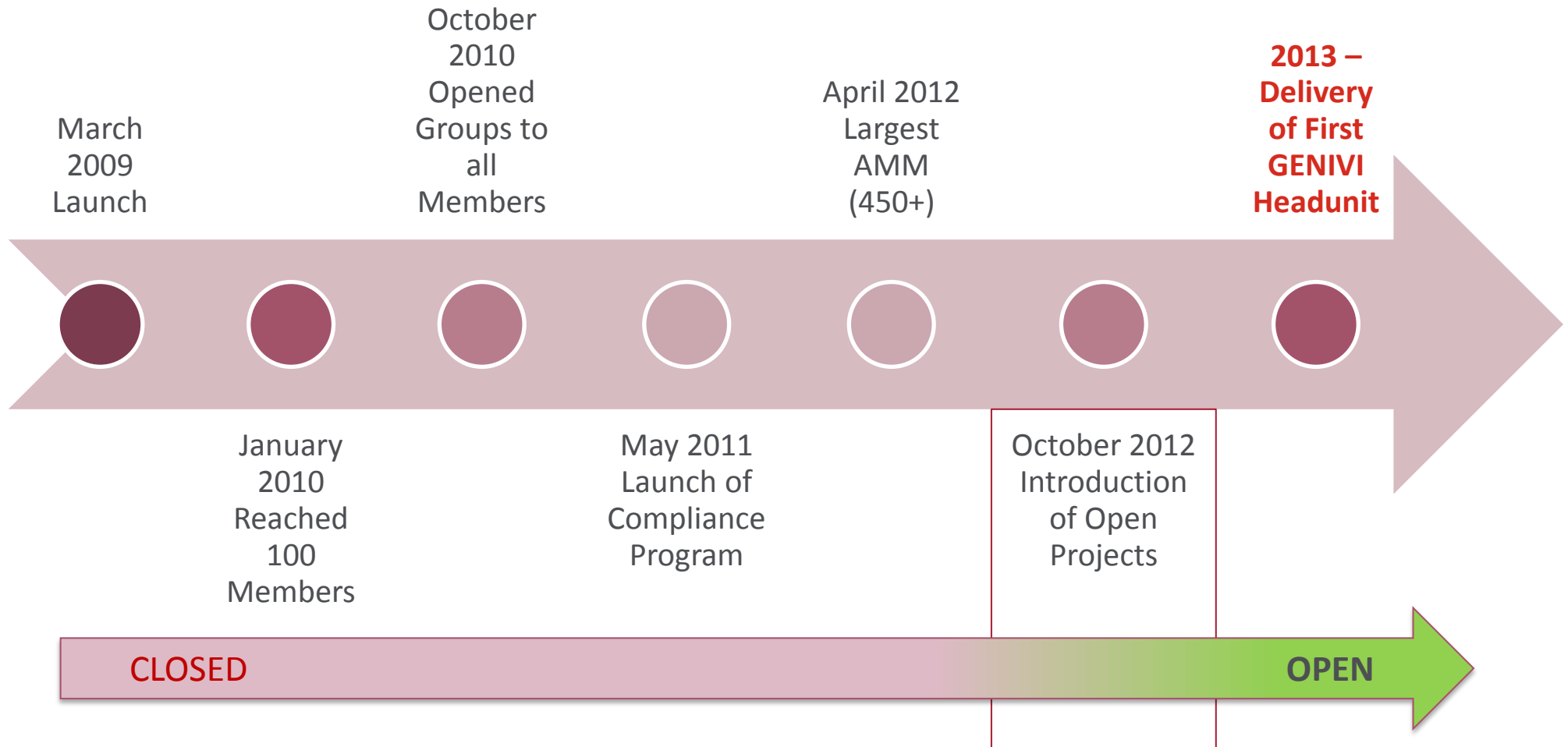


Classic implementation model



GENIVI based model

GENIVI's Journey

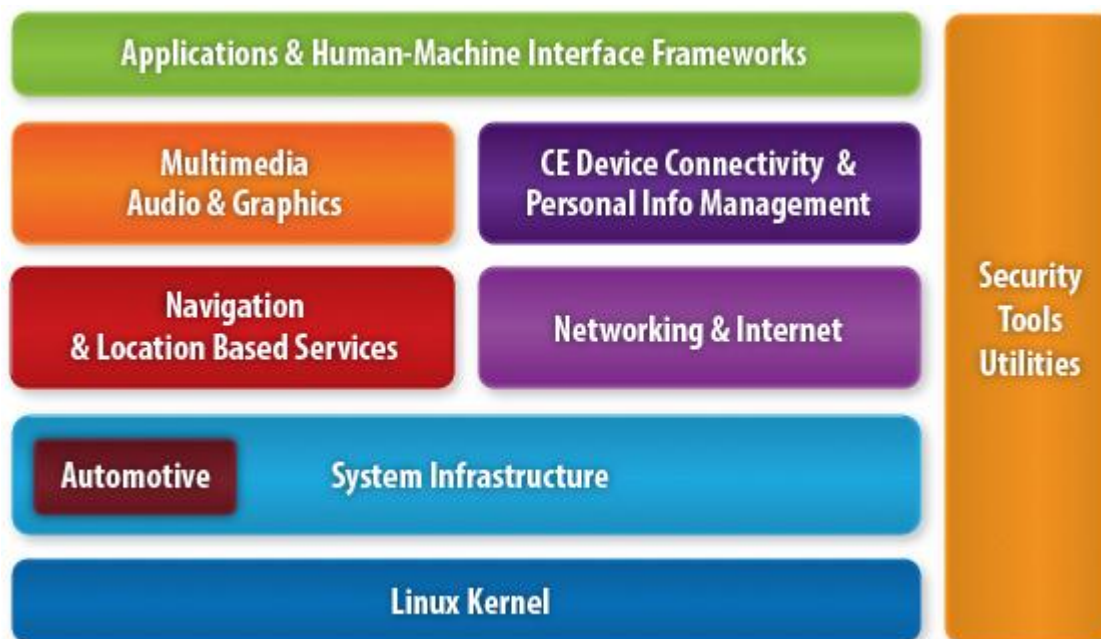


Going Open Source: Some Drivers

- Ignite a vibrant ecosystem for IVI related functionality
- Drive adoption of open source in IVI
- Create and facilitate an active communities of world-class developers to develop IVI related functionality in an open and collaborative manner
- Be consistent with the best practices of other successful FOSS communities and projects
- Evolve the development methodology of automotive software delivery

All GENIVI development is now in the Open Source Community

- AF_BUS D-Bus Optimization
- Audio Manager
- Browser Proof of Concept
- Diagnostic Log and Trace
- IVI Layer Management
- IPC CommonAPI C++
- IVI Radio
- LXCBench
- Node Startup Controller (NSC)
- Node State Manager (NSM)
- Persistence Client Library
- Point Of Interest POC
- SmartDeviceLink
- WebAPI Vehicle
- Yamaica Toolset



<http://genivi.org/projects>

Going Open Source: Some Challenges

- How to make it easy to contribute?
- How to manage license compliance efficiently?
- How to develop software “the Open Source way” and address cultural concerns^?

GENIVI Contribution Options

1) Entity Contributors License Agreement

- License agreement between contributor and GENIVI
 - Patent and Copyright license
 - Right to relicense
- Based on the Harmony Agreement (<http://harmonyagreements.org/>)

2) Open Source License + Certificate of Origin (COO)

- License must be compatible to project license and in-line with License Policy
- COO similar to that of the Linux Kernel
 - Track the “Source of the Source”

Preferred

GENIVI Licensing Policy

- **Green Light Licenses**

- MPL V2.0 (default project license)
- BSD 2-/3-Clause
- MIT/X11
- Apache V1.1/V2.0
- Artistic License V1.0/V2.0

- **Orange Light Licenses**

- (L)GPL V2(.1)
- Academic Free License
- Open Software License
- Public Domain
- OpenSSL

- **Red Light Licenses**

- (L)GPL V3
- LGPL V2.0

Public Policy for GENIVI Licensing and Copyright Version 1.0

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http://docs.projects.genivi.org/License/Public_Policy_for_GENIVI_Licensing_and_Copyright_v_1.0.pdf

Is it practical to just say “no GPLv3”?



at least for the mid term

- The GENIVI platform has been kept GPL V3-free without problems
- Recent GENIVI based IVI systems have successfully been built without using any GPL V3 licensed components
- No overhead (e.g. re-implementation) or workarounds (e.g. use older versions) were required to avoid GPL V3
- GPL V3 licensed components are used for development but they do not end up on the head unit

GENIVI’s “No-GPL V3” policy is sustainable

How to deal with GPL V3 in the long term?

Under Discussion

- One possibility is: treat the software in the car in the same way as the hardware:
free to change but under regulatory control
- This might work as follows (depending on the jurisdiction):
 - All software is free to modify for everyone
 - Approval required by certification authority for all safety relevant software (same as for rims, tires, light bulbs,...).
 - If uncertified software is used, the car is no longer allowed to be operated on public streets and insurance coverage is void.
 - If uncertified software is detected during the mandatory safety inspection or a Police stop, the driver may have to pay a fine, lose the license, or even face criminal charges.
- Many details will have to be worked out
 - How to define safety relevant?
 - Who can certify software
 - How can uncertified software be detected reliably?
 - How would manufacturer updates work
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License Compliance in the Automotive Supply Chain

- Different formats for license information
- Unpredictable quality
- Duplicate efforts
- No trust



The Fantec Case

Landgericht Hamburg

Az.: 308 O 10/13

Verkündet am 14.06.2013

Sannmann, JHS'in
als Urkundsbeamter/in der Geschäftsstelle



- **GPL violation discovered**
 - Source code was made available, but not the “corresponding” version
- **Fantec argues**
 - Chinese supplier asserted that delivered source code was complete
 - Effective verification of completeness only possible by copyright holder
 - Source code assessments are costly but no warranty that results are complete and correct
- **The Court says**
 - Fantec was required to ensure the GPL obligations are fulfilled for their delivery
 - Fantec acted negligently by relying on its suppliers
 - Fantec was required to assess, the software by themselves or by a competent 3rd party, even if this meant additional cost

License Compliance Management must change fundamentally

- **Standardized format for license data (e.g. SPDX)**
 - File based license data
 - Information about how the data was created
- **Quality standards for the license data**
 - Defined creation process and rules
 - Verification requirements
- **Standardization of license obligations fulfillment**
 - Who does what when and how
- **Collaboration**
 - Qualified FOSS management experts work together beyond company boundaries
 - License data is jointly developed

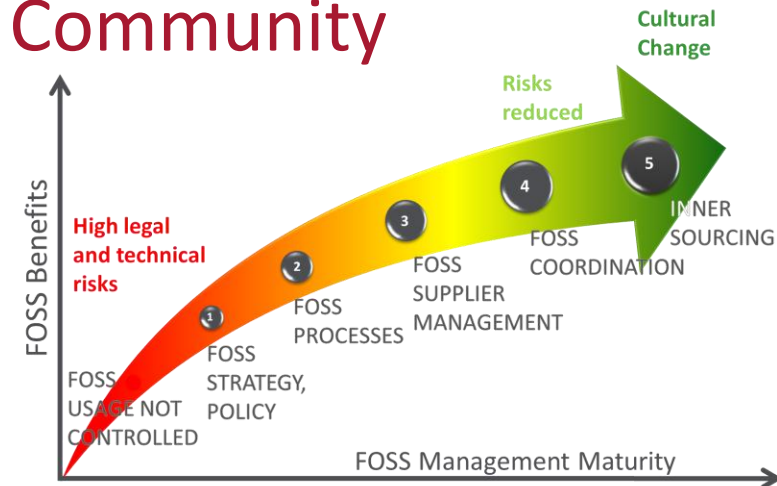


What works for code can also work for license data...

License Compliance maintained by a Community

- **Members maintain FOSS management maturity**

- Adequate policies, processes, tools
- Active FOSS supplier management



- **Members jointly create a growing pool of reliable and reusable license data**

- Members share the license data they have created for their deliveries (source or binary, components or complete works) by uploading it to a repository
 - License data provided AS-IS, no warranty, liability
- Whenever code delivered by a member is reused in the supply chain, the associated license data can be retrieved from the repository and reused, too
 - Duplicate efforts can be avoided

License compliance becomes built into the supply chain

So ...

FOSS licensing is the biggest challenge?

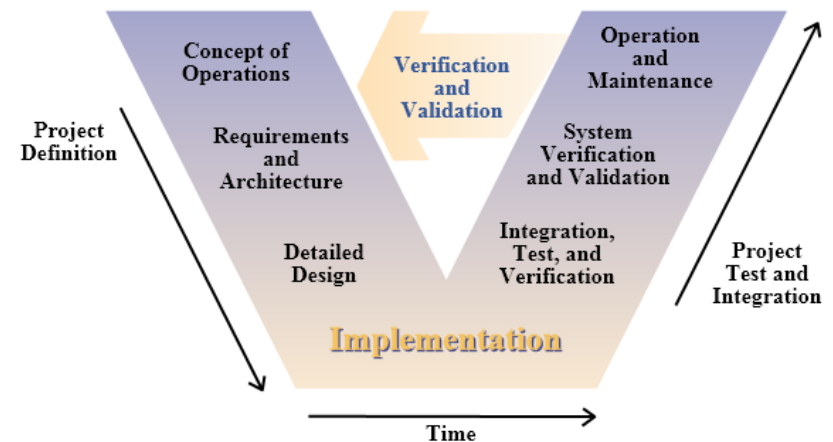
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The Biggest Challenge is

... fundamentally changing the way
how software is being developed in
the automotive industry

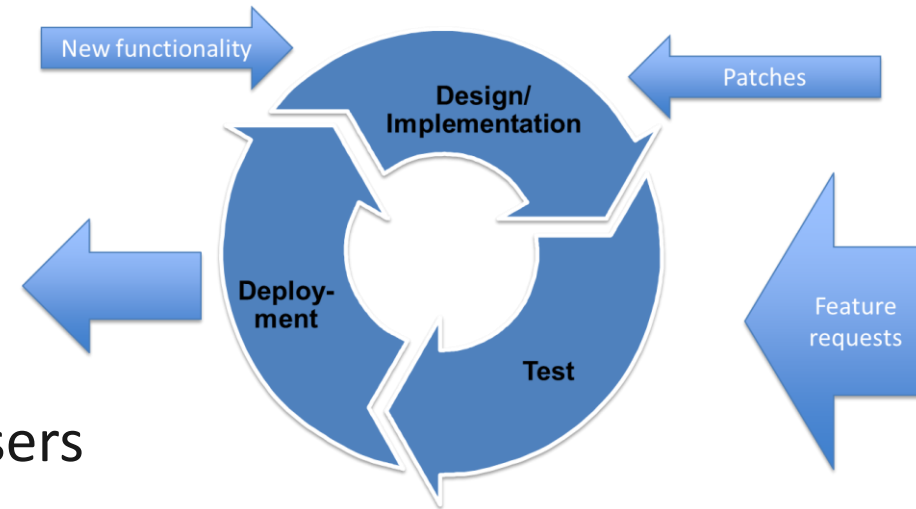
Traditional Automotive Software Development

- Defined process with milestones
- Design, code freeze
- Agile implementation (sometimes)
- External requirements on development, e.g. safety
- Planning, planning, planning,...
 - Development following a fixed plan (well, sort of)
- Managed top-down by the corporate hierarchy

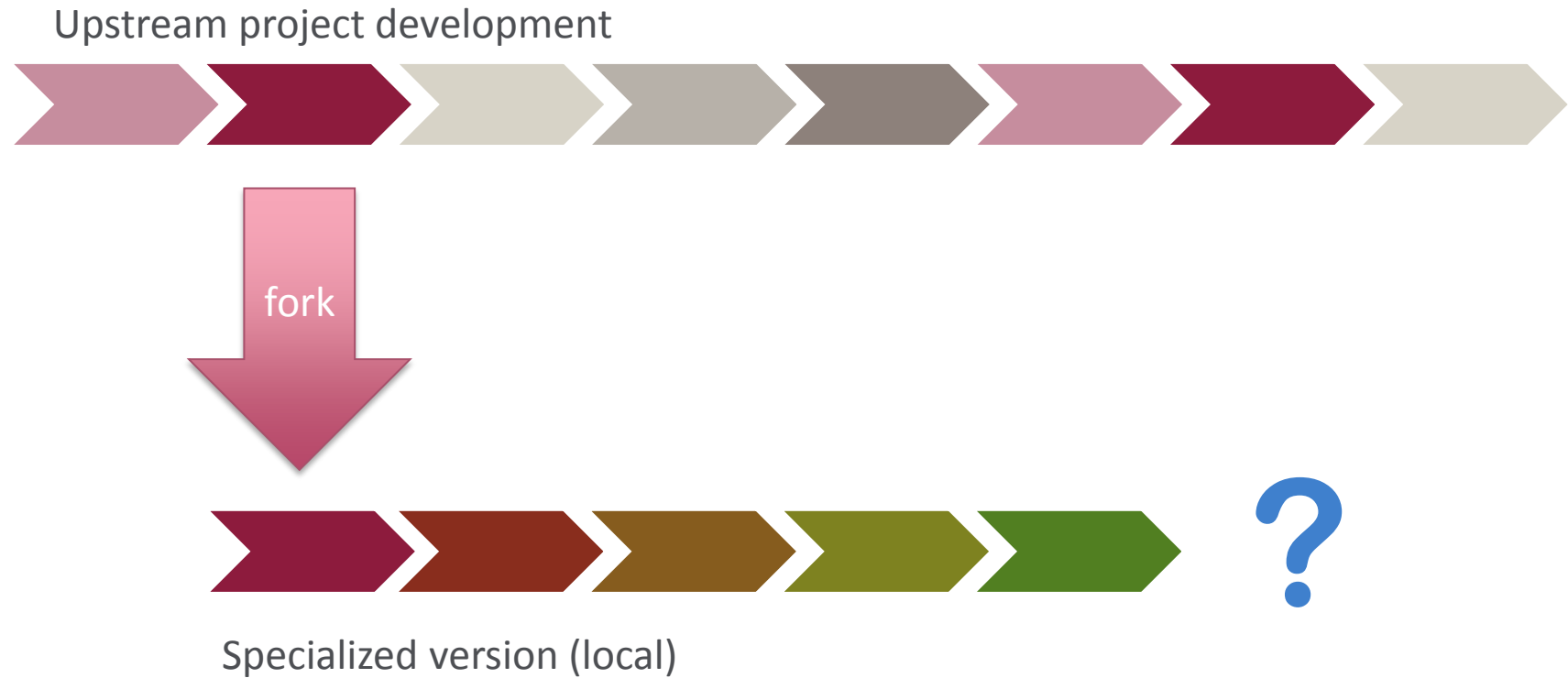


Open Source Software Development

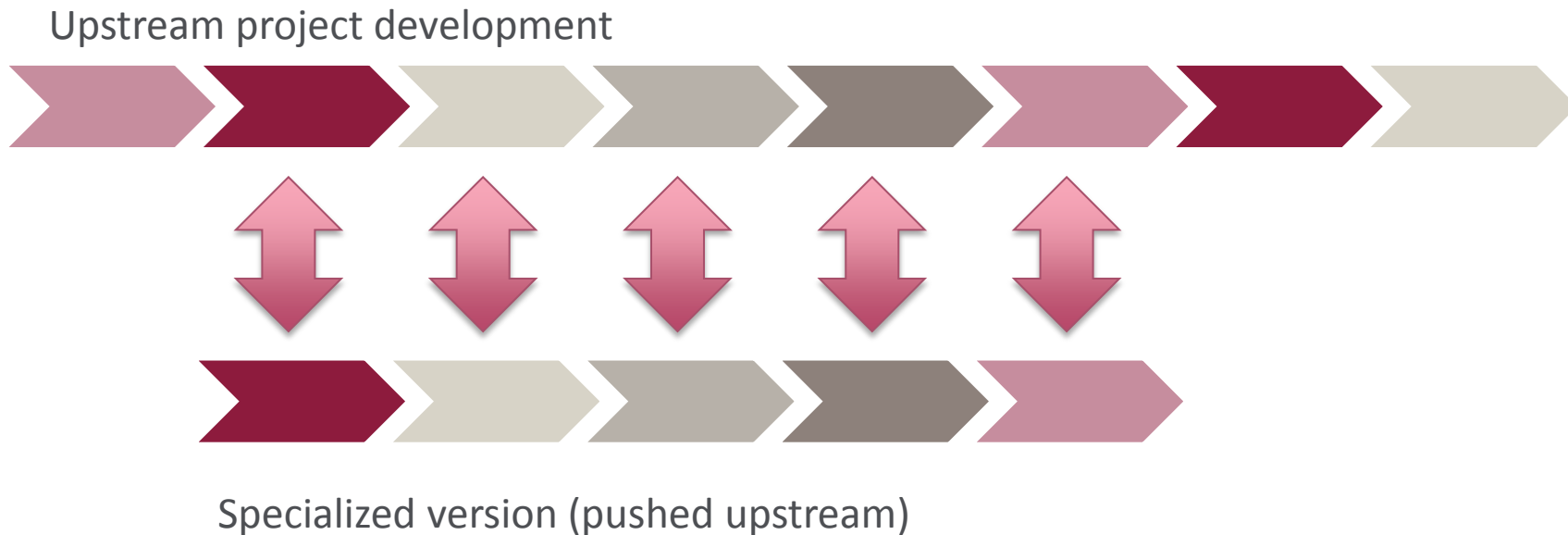
- Release early, release often
- Tests done partially by community or users
- Unwritten rules, no formal requirement for joining a project
- No dedicated nor controlled resources
- No F2F meetings or discussions, everything happens on the mailing list
- Self organizing teams
- Meritocracy



Old Style: Use FOSS



New Style: Work with the FOSS Community



- Don't keep code by yourself, “open source” it and push it upstream
- Develop the code in the upstream project, then pull it back down

Summary

- GENIVI is fueling a vibrant FOSS community of world-class developers to develop IVI related functionality in an open and collaborative manner
- GENIVI is fundamentally changing the way software is being developed in the Automotive ecosystem
- GENIVI is fundamentally changing the way license compliance is managed across the Automotive supply chain

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