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## API Based SIP Routing

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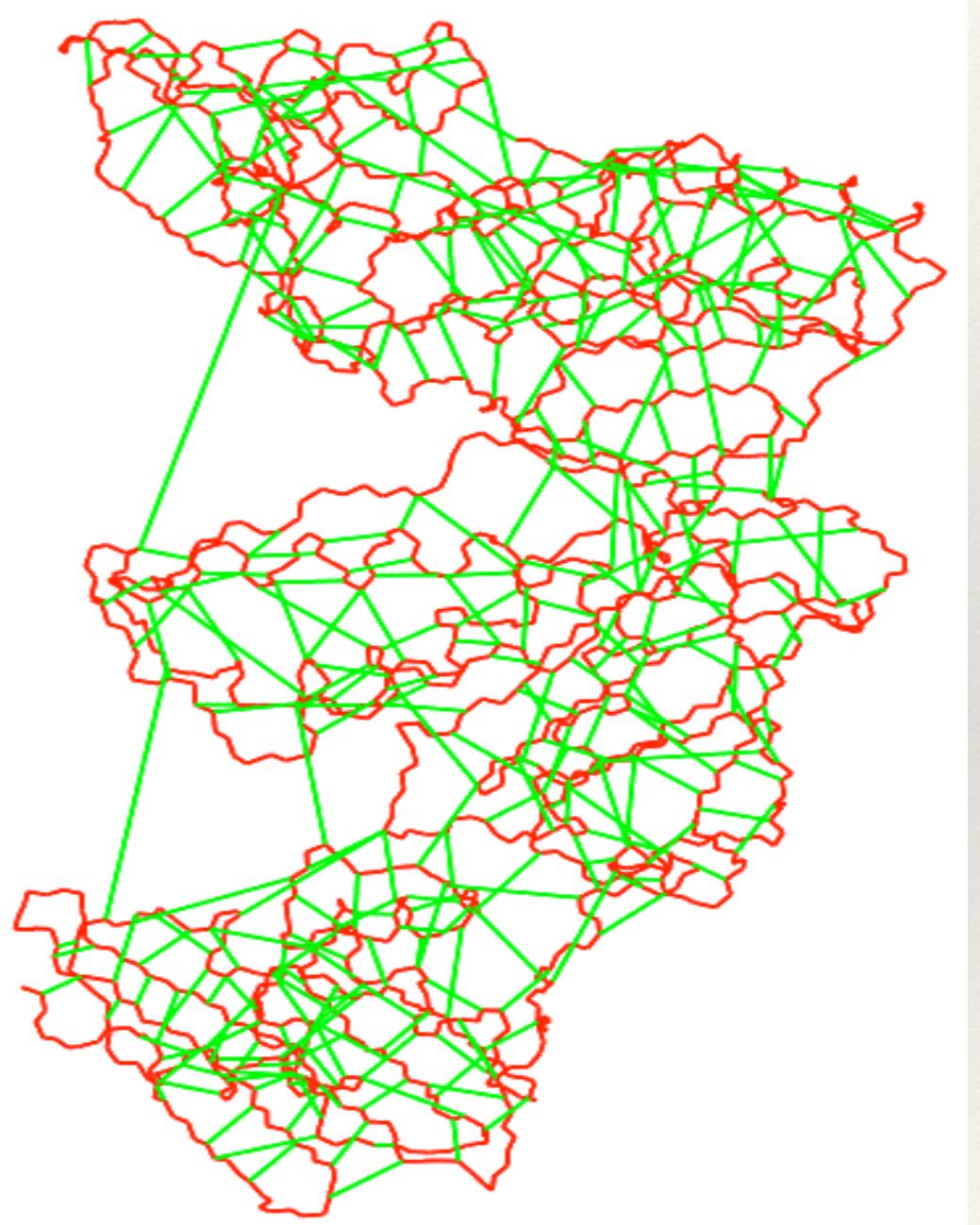


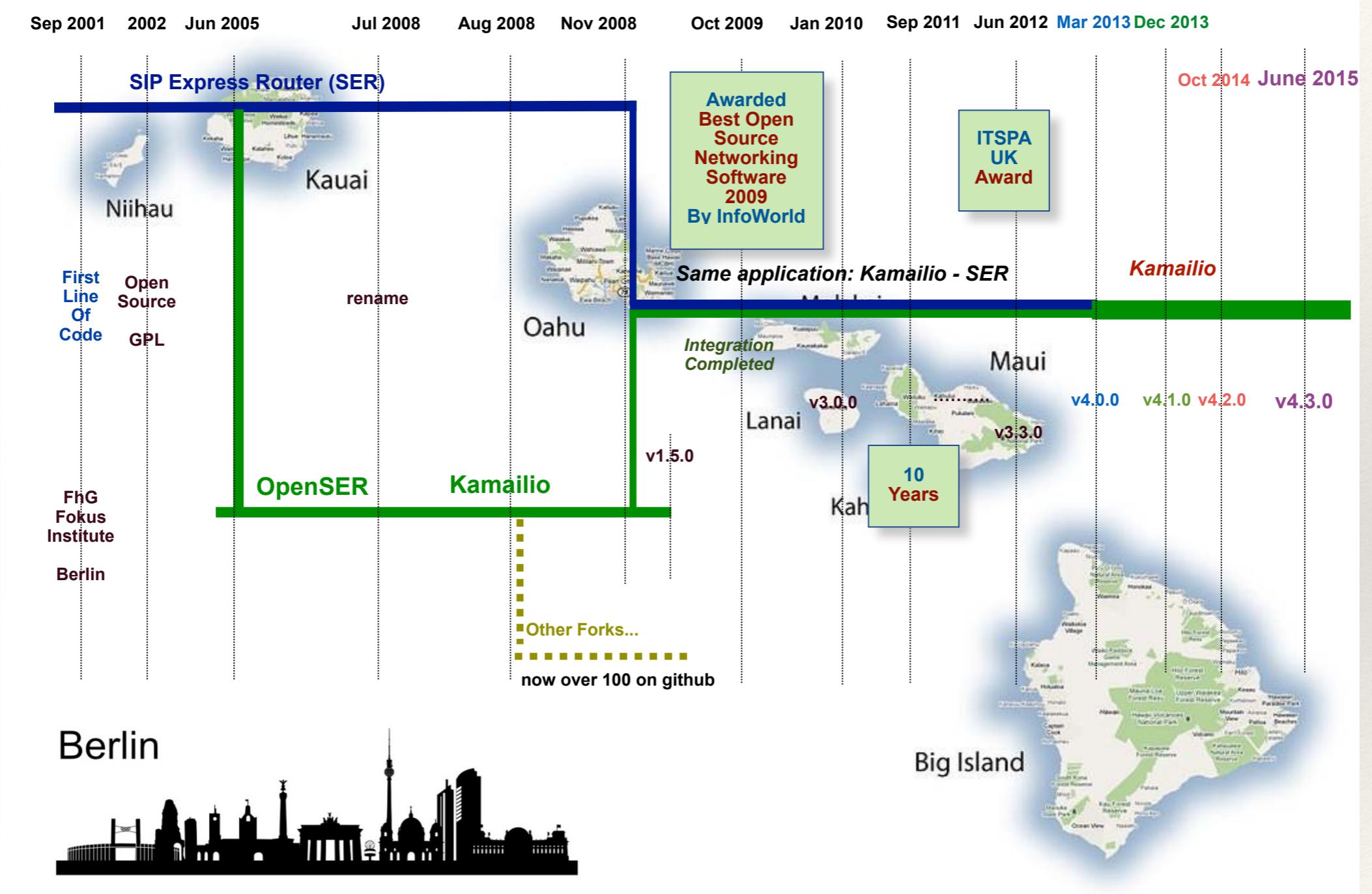
# About Kamailio

bits about the project

# Ground Zero

- SIP signalling routing
  - fast
  - reliable
  - flexible
- In other words
  - not initiating calls
  - not answering calls
  - no audio-video processing







<http://www.kamailioworld.com>

*YouTube Kamailio World Channel*

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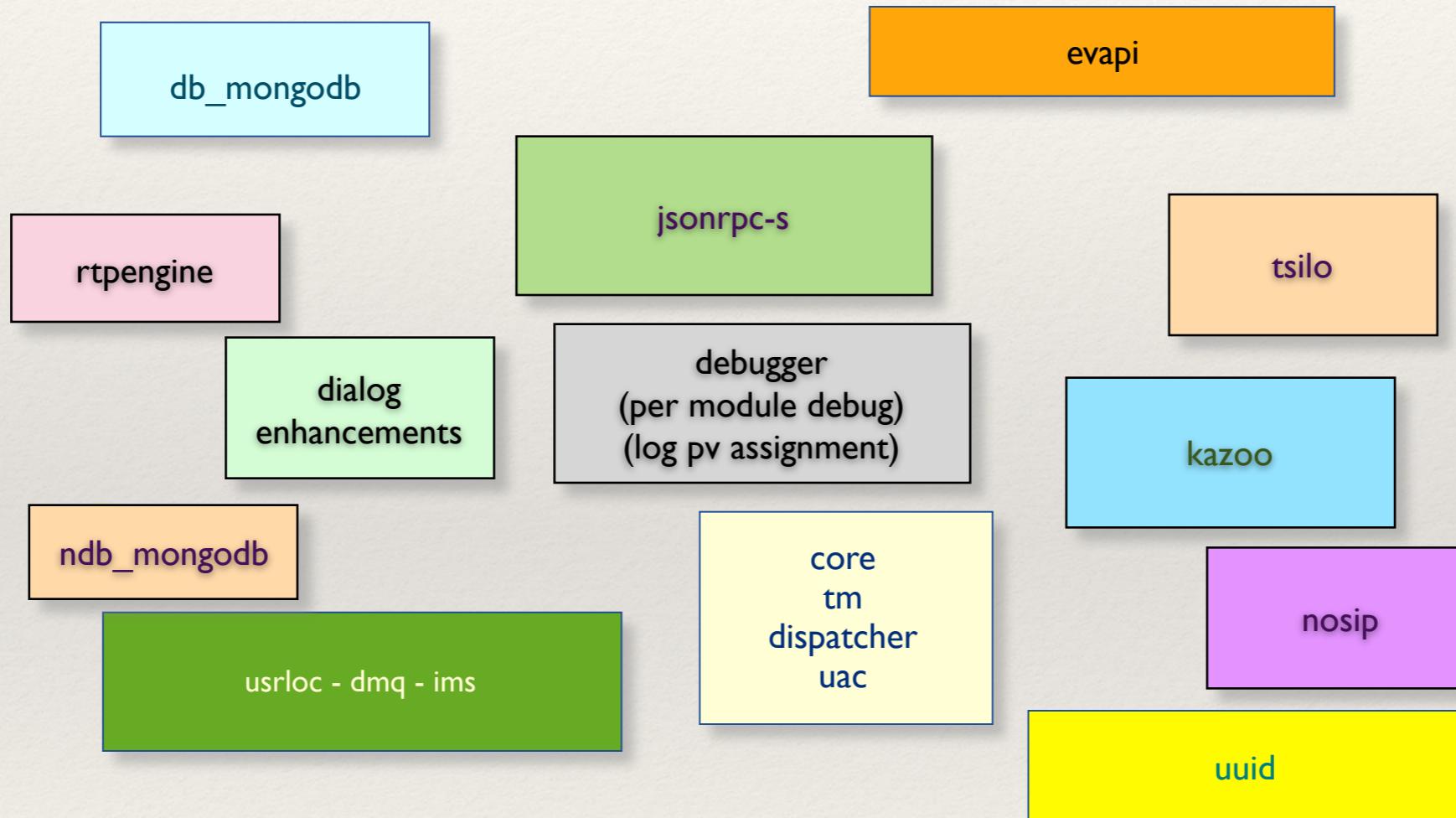
## 15 YEARS OF DEVELOPMENT

2001-2016  
*from SER to Kamailio*

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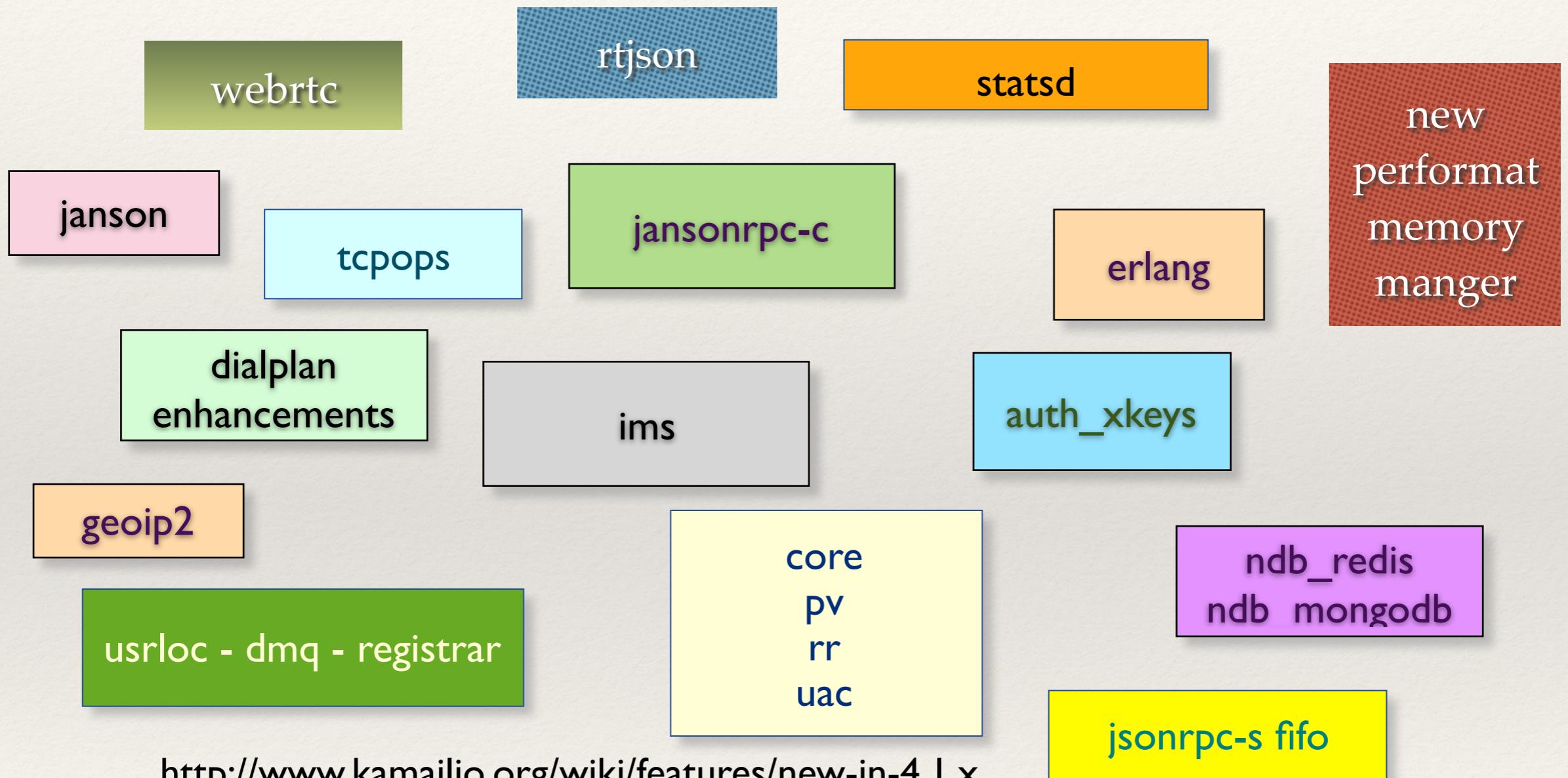


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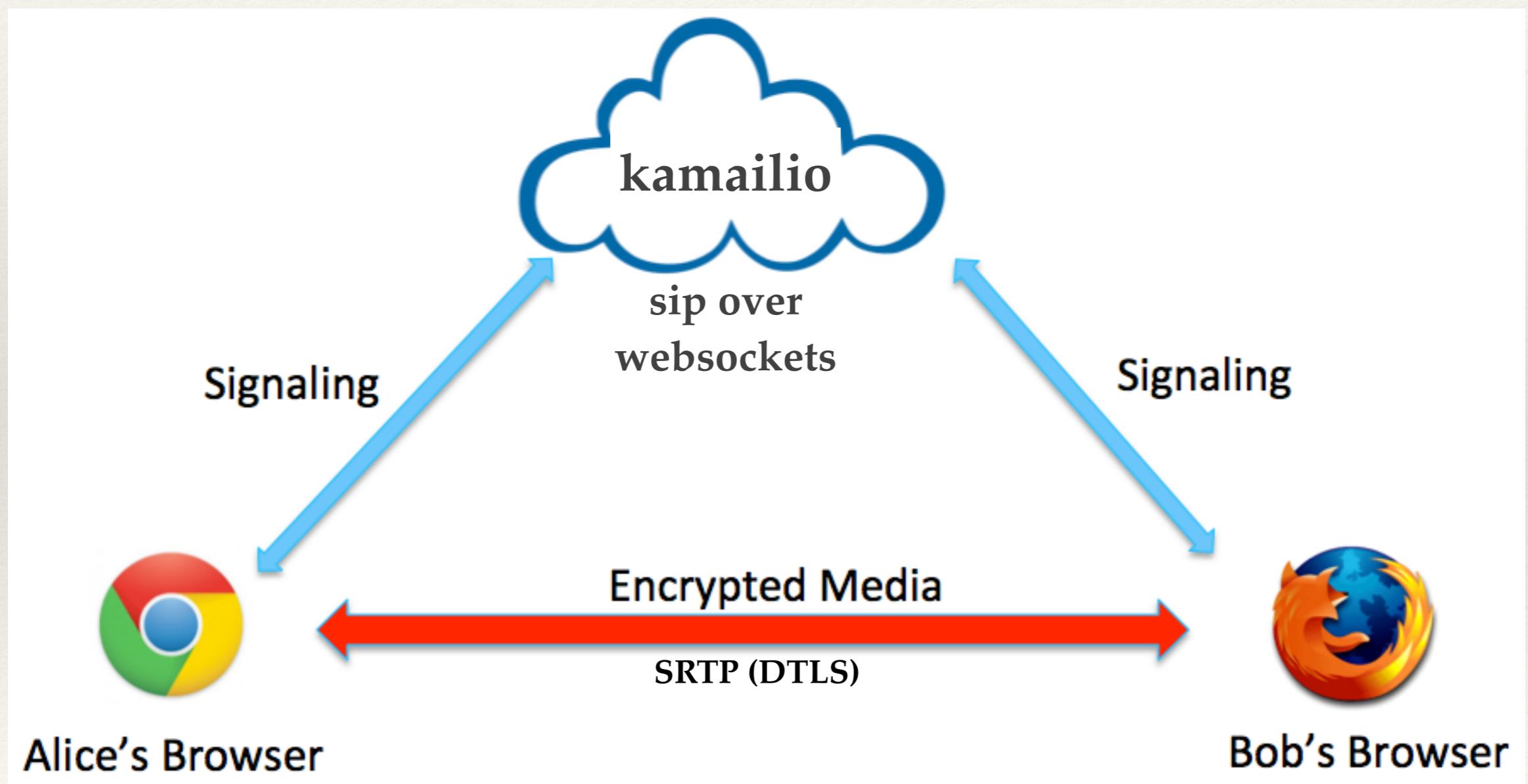
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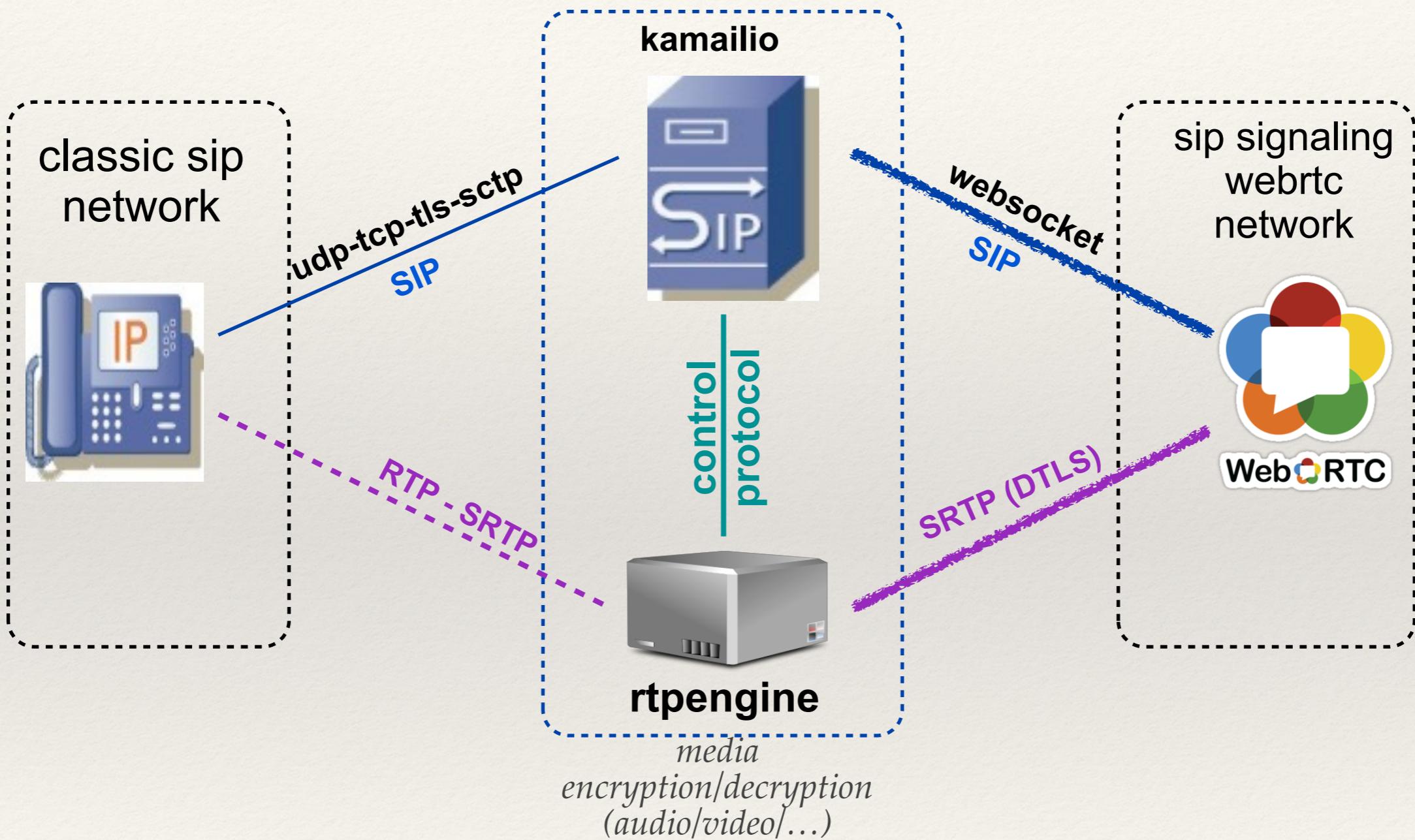
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# WebRTC

*websocket support since 2012*



# WebRTC SIP Gateway



<https://github.com/sipwise/rtpengine>  
- the Sipwise media proxy for Kamailio -

# Kamcli

- ❖ new Kamailio command line interface tool
  - ❖ written in Python
  - ❖ extensible via modules
  - ❖ easier to handle input values and format output
  - ❖ targets using RPC (e.g., JSONRPC) control interface
- ❖ <https://github.com/asipto/kamcli>

```
$ kamcli --help
$ kamcli <command> --help
$ kamcli <command> <subcommand> --help
```

# Siremis Web Interface

The image shows three screenshots of the Siremis 3.2 Web Interface, each with red arrows pointing to specific features:

- SER Admin Module:** Shows a sidebar with "SER Admin" and "Routing Services" sections. Red arrows point to "Subscriber Services", "Server Services", and "Dispatcher List".
- Ser Module:** Shows a sidebar with "Ser Module" and "Routing Services" sections. Red arrows point to "Subscriber Services" and "Dispatcher List".
- Load Charts Module:** Shows two line charts: "Rcv Reqs - From 2011-12-13 14:16:22 To 2011-12-14 10:06:23" (red line) and "Fwd Reqs - From 2011-12-13 14:16:22 To 2011-12-14 10:06:23" (green line). Red arrows point to the chart titles and the "Rcv Reqs Load" data series.

# Code Repository on Github

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**Code**

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# Kamailio Business Directory

Anyone offering services related to Kamailio can get listed there with:

- *name and contact coordinates*
- *short description*

The screenshot shows a website layout. At the top is a green navigation bar with white text containing links for Home, Features, Download, Business Directory (which is bolded), Management, and Contact Us. Below the navigation bar is a large white area. In the center of this area, the text "Business Directory" is displayed in a large, bold, dark font. Below this title, there is a paragraph of text explaining the purpose and rules of the directory. At the bottom of the white area, there is a "Disclaimer" section with smaller text.

**Business Directory**

This is a list of companies and individuals offering commercial products or services based on [Kamailio](#) or [SIP Express Router \(SER\)](#). The list is managed by Kamailio project, if you want to apply to be listed check first the [Business Directory Rules](#). Also, check our [Business web page](#) for other details regarding business environment related to this project.

**Disclaimer:** whilst we do the best to select serious applications, Kamailio and SER projects, along

# Kamailio Used-By Directory

Anyone using Kamailio can get listed there with:

- *name and contact coordinates*
- *short description*
- *logo*

The screenshot shows a website with a green navigation bar at the top containing links for Home, Features, Download, Business Directory, Management, and Contact Us. Below the navigation bar, the page title 'Used By' is displayed in bold black text. A descriptive text follows: 'A randomized listing with companies, products or services using Kamailio. You are welcome to add new entries via submission form (click here).'. Below this text, there is a box containing information about 'Open IMS Core'. It includes a green double-headed arrow icon, the text 'Open IMS Core', a brief description 'Open source IMS core prototype implementation.', the name 'FhG Fokus', and a URL 'http://www.openimscore.org/'. To the right of this box is a logo for 'OPEN SOURCEIMS core'.

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➡ Open IMS Core

Open source IMS core prototype implementation.

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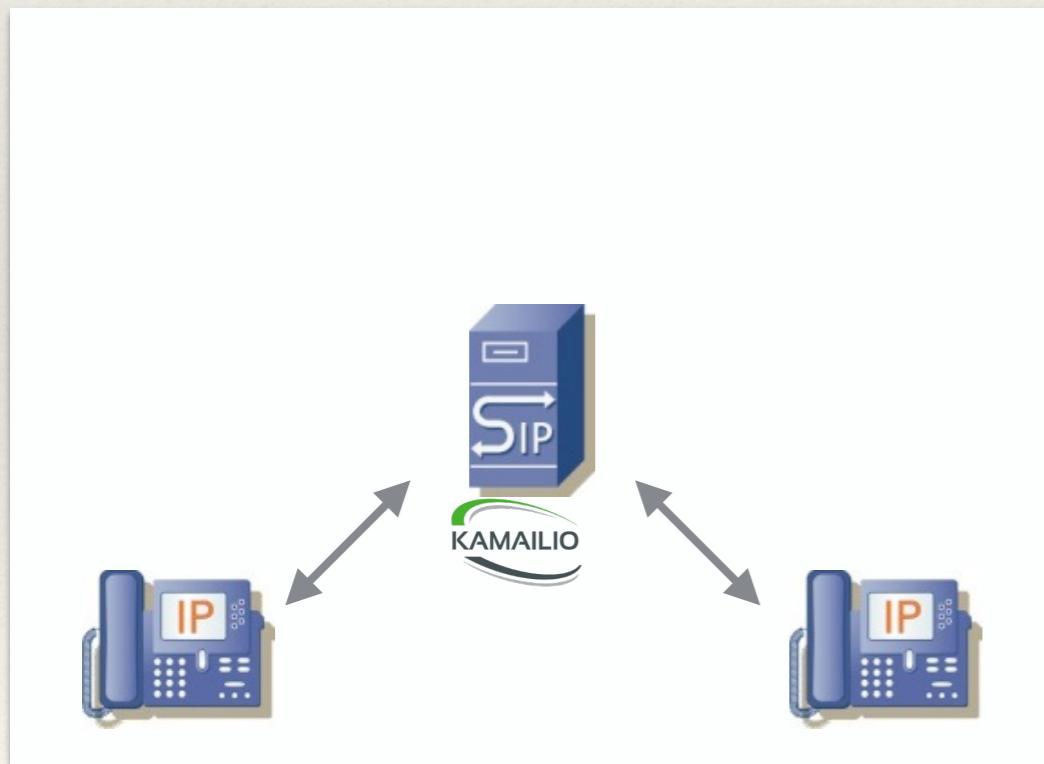
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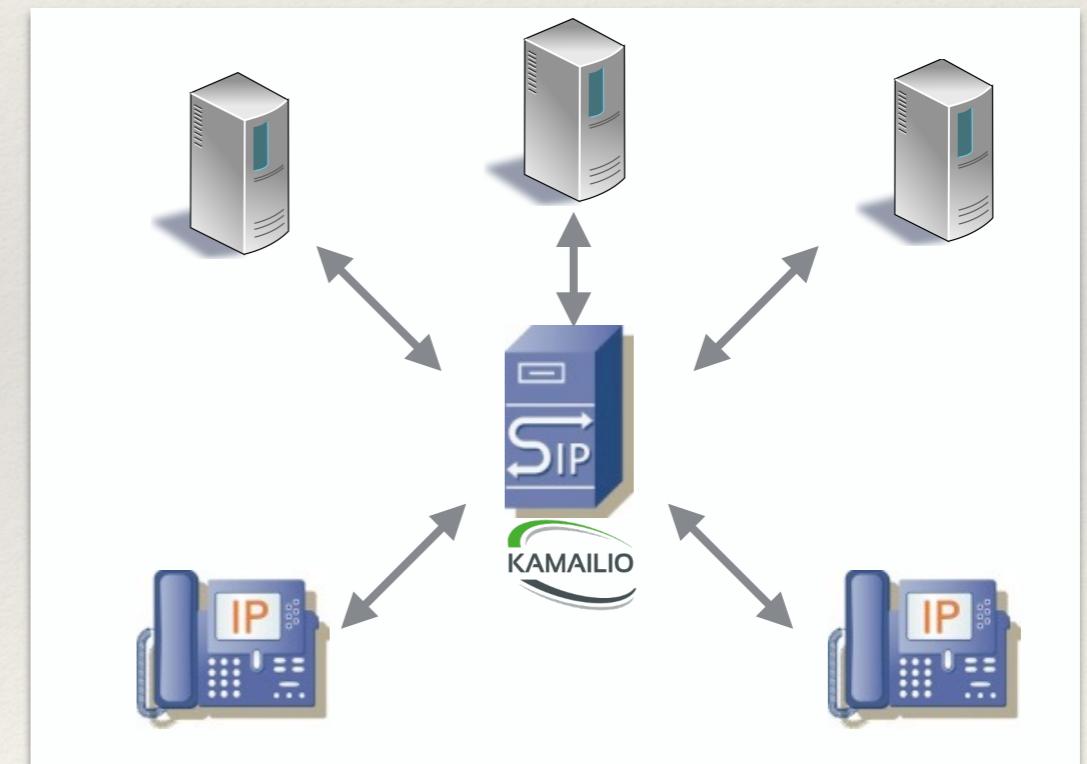
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# Two Common Architectures

main signalling server



edge signalling server  
(sbc)



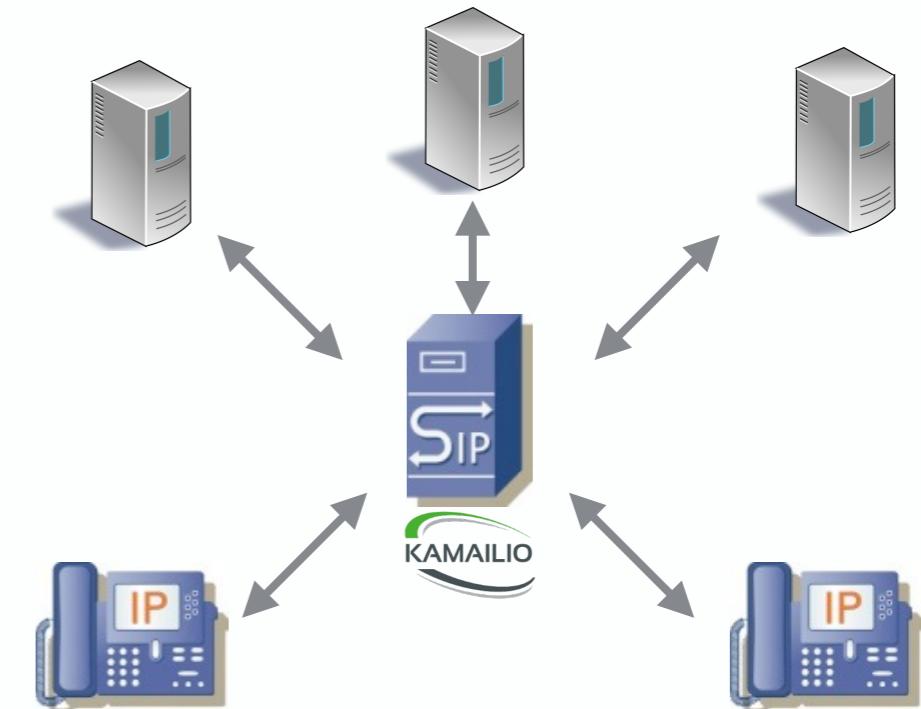
# Load Balancer - LCR - ...

## *dispatcher module*

- list of balancing nodes from file or database
- monitoring of nodes (activate/inactivate automatically)
- re-route in case of failure
- various algorithms: hashing, weight distribution, round robin, call load distribution, priority routing
- reload list of nodes without restart

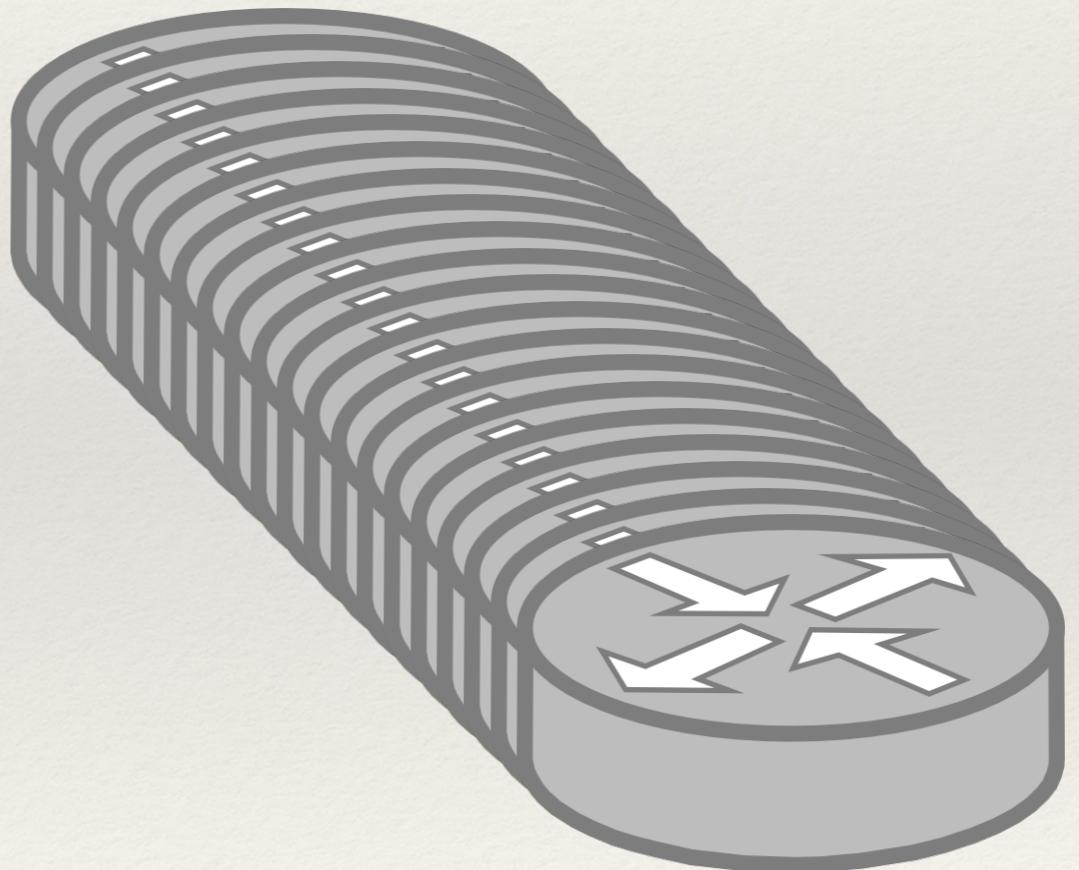
```
# Dispatch requests
route[DISPATCH] {
    # round robin dispatching on gateways group '1'
    if(!ds_select_dst("1","4")) {
        send_reply("404", "No destination");
        exit;
    }
    xdbg("--- SCRIPT: going to <$ru> via <$du>\n");
    t_on_failure("RTF_DISPATCH");
    route(RELAY);
    exit;
}

# Re-route in case of failure
failure_route[RTF_DISPATCH] {
    if (t_is_canceled()) {
        exit;
    }
    # next node - only for 500 or local timeout
    if (t_check_status("500") || (t_branch_timeout() && !t_branch_replied())) {
        if(ds_next_dst()) {
            t_on_failure("RTF_DISPATCH");
            route(RELAY);
            exit;
        }
    }
}
```

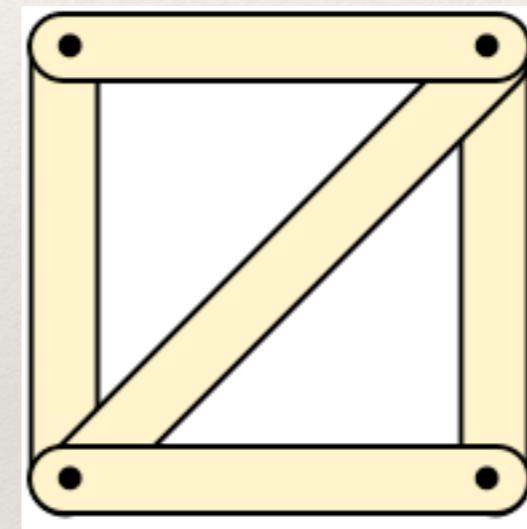


# Routing Extensions

- ❖ over 200 modules, plenty of them for routing
  - ❖ dispatcher
  - ❖ lcr
  - ❖ carrieroute
  - ❖ pdt
  - ❖ mtree
  - ❖ dialplan
  - ❖ prefix route
  - ❖ speeddial
  - ❖ aliases
  - ❖ location
  - ❖ ...



fast, native implementation



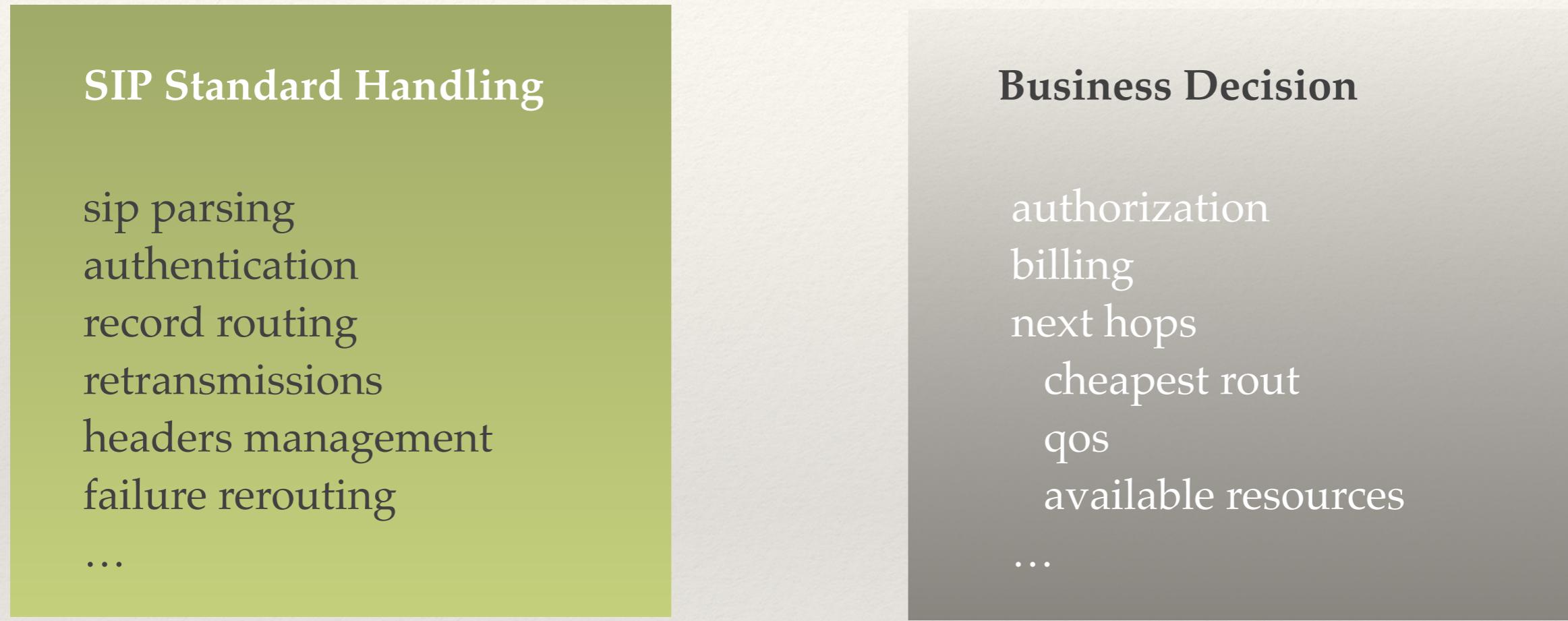
route selection and data model rigidity

# Generic Tools

- ❖ blending for a better taste
  - ❖ configuration script expressions
  - ❖ xavp (avp) - per transaction storing data
  - ❖ hashtable, mtree - global in memory storage systems
  - ❖ sql - nosql connectors
  - ❖ http - jsonrpc clients
  - ❖ embedded interpreters (lua, perl, python, ...)
  - ❖ json - xml tools
  - ❖ message queues & event api



# The Logic Schism



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# Basic Concepts

## Parallel Forking

```
request_route {  
...  
    append_branch("sip:103@kamailio.org");  
    append_branch("sip:104@kamailio.org");  
  
    $var(newdst) = "sip:105@kamailio.org";  
    append_branch("$var(newdst)");  
  
    t_relay();  
}
```

## Serial Forking

```
request_route {  
...  
  
    $ru = "sip:102@kamailio.org";  
    $xavp(newdst) = "sip:103@kamailio.org";  
    $xavp(newdst) = "sip:104@kamailio.org";  
  
    t_on_failure("RETRY");  
    t_relay();  
}  
  
failure_route[RETRY] {  
    if (t_is_canceled()) {  
        exit;  
    }  
    if($xavp(newdst) != $null) {  
        $ru = $xavp(newdst);  
        $xavp(newdst) = $null;  
        t_on_failure("RETRY");  
        t_relay();  
        exit;  
    }  
}
```

# Building Blocks

- ❖ fetching the next routing hops
  - ❖ raw data
    - ❖ http/rpc results + parsing
  - ❖ structured data
    - ❖ rtjson
- ❖ processing
  - ❖ synchronous
    - ❖ config wait & act
  - ❖ asynchronous
    - ❖ evapi, mqueue & rtimer



# HTTP & You

## the http\_query() from utils module

[http://kamailio.org/docs/modules/stable/modules/utils.html#utils.f.http\\_query](http://kamailio.org/docs/modules/stable/modules/utils.html#utils.f.http_query)

```
http_query("http://myapi.local/sip.php?src=$(ru{s.escape.param})&dst=$(fu{s.escape.param})",  
"$var(result)")
```

```
<?php  
echo "sip:" . $_GET["dst"] . "@1.2.3.4;transport=tls"  
. " | "  
. "sip:" . $_GET["dst"] . "@2.3.4.5;transport=sctp";  
?>
```

# Kamailio Config

## Serial Forking

```
request_route {  
    ...  
  
    http_query("http://myapi.local/sip.php?src=$(ru{s.escape.param})&dst=$(fu{s.escape.param})",  
               "$var(result)");  
    $ru = $(var(result){s.select,0,|});  
    $xavp(newdst) = $(var(result){s.select,1,|});  
  
    t_on_failure("RETRY");  
    t_relay();  
}  
  
failure_route[RETRY] {  
    if (t_is_canceled()) {  
        exit;  
    }  
    if($xavp(newdst) != $null) {  
        $ru = $xavp(newdst);  
        $xavp(newdst) = $null;  
        t_on_failure("RETRY");  
        t_relay();  
        exit;  
    }  
}
```



# Your Response Structure

xmllops module to parse the response

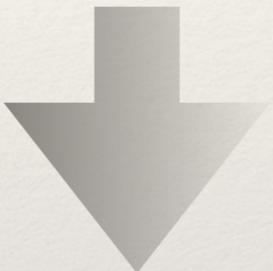
```
<?php
echo "<route><uri>sip:" . $_GET["dst"] . "@1.2.3.4;transport=tls"
    . "</uri><uri>"
    . "sip:" . $_GET["dst"] . "@2.3.4.5;transport=sctp"
    . "</uri></route>;
?>
```

json or jansson module to parse the response

```
<?php
echo "{ 'routes': [ 'sip:" . $_GET["dst"] . "@1.2.3.4;transport=tls"
    . '",'
    . "'sip:" . $_GET["dst"] . "@2.3.4.5;transport=sctp'"
    . "'] }";
?>
```

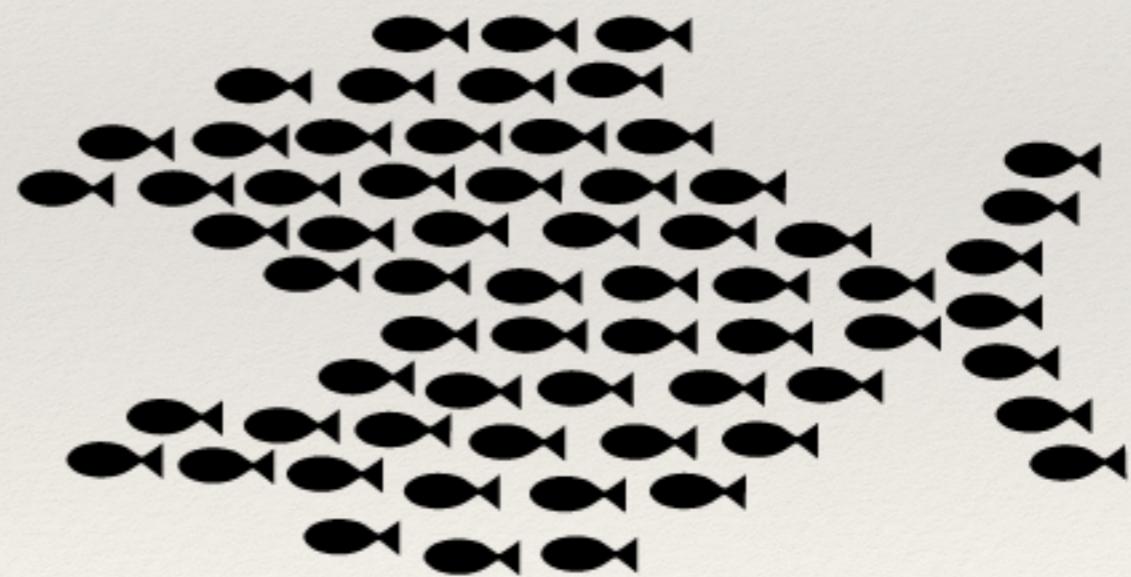
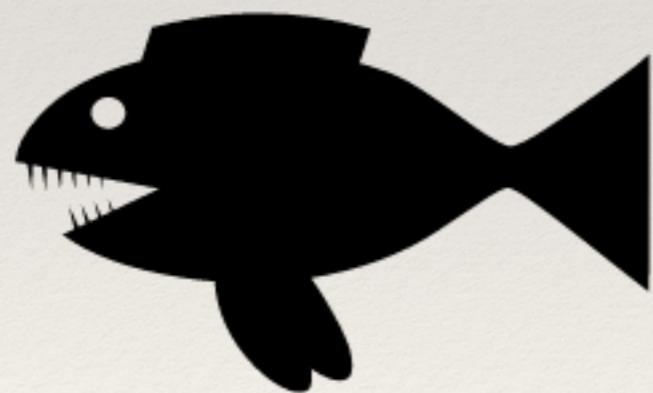
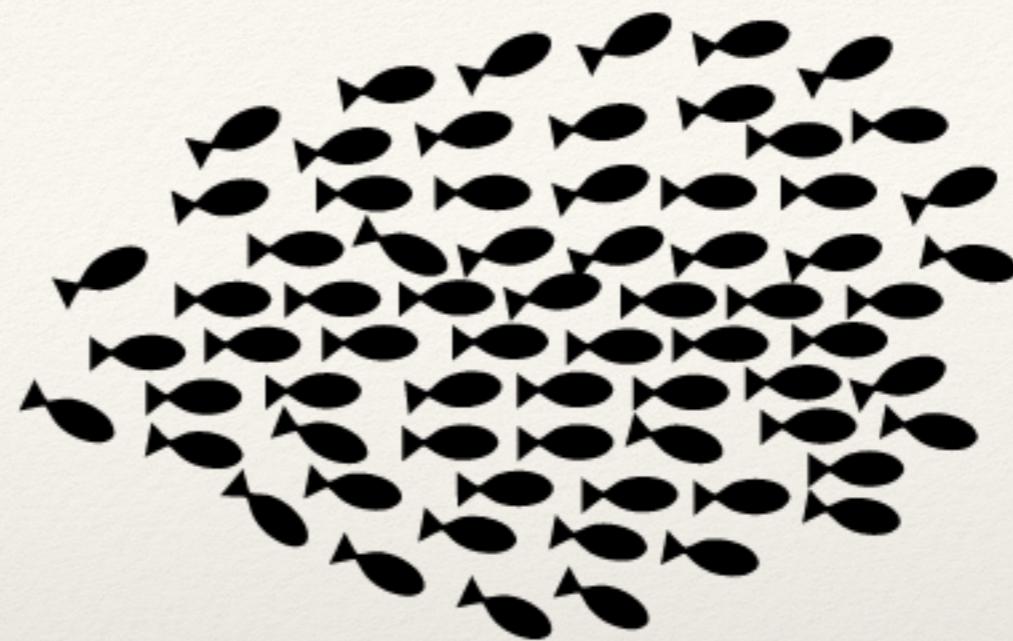
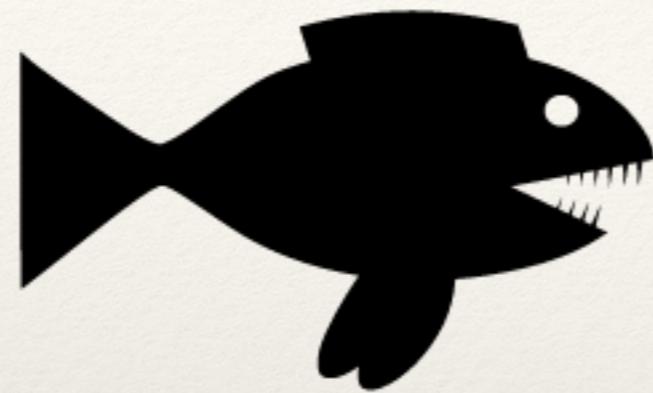
too many options

too much config scripting



many like structured, well defined data

“one good option”



# Predefined Routing Response

- ❖ kamailio config - combine:
  - ❖ evapi
  - ❖ jansson
  - ❖ **rtjson**
- ❖ external application
  - ❖ node.js
  - ❖ json data response
  - ❖ predefined structure



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# evapi

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- ❖ event based API
- ❖ bare data or netstrings serialization
- ❖ data format up to you
- ❖ asynchronous processing
  - ❖ park invite request
  - ❖ send event data
  - ❖ resuming handling the invite when receiving response on the event



*<http://kamailio.org/docs/modules/stable/modules/evapi.html>*

# rtjson

- ❖ use json input to fill routing attributes
  - ❖ request uri
  - ❖ outbound proxy
  - ❖ intermediary hops
  - ❖ local socket
  - ❖ caller/callee addresses
  - ❖ extra headers
  - ❖ ringing timeout
  - ❖ flags



# rtjson

```
{  
    "version": "1.0",  
    "routing": "serial",  
    "routes": [  
        {  
            "uri": "sip:127.0.0.1:5080",  
            "dst_uri": "sip:127.0.0.1:5082",  
            "path": "<sip:127.0.0.1:5084>, <sip:127.0.0.1:5086>",  
            "socket": "udp:127.0.0.1:5060",  
            "headers": {  
                "from": {  
                    "display": "Alice",  
                    "uri": "sip:alice@127.0.0.1"  
                },  
                "to": {  
                    "display": "Alice",  
                    "uri": "sip:alice@127.0.0.1"  
                },  
                "extra": "X-Hdr-A: abc\r\nX-Hdr-B: bcd\r\n"  
            },  
            "branch_flags": 8,  
            "fr_timer": 5000,  
            "fr_inv_timer": 30000  
        },  
        ...  
    ]  
}
```

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# kamailio.cfg

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```
...
route[TOEVAPI] {
    evapi_async_relay("{\n \"event\": \"sip-routing\",\n"
        " \"tindex\": $T(id_index), \"tlabel\": $T(id_label),\"
        " \"caller\": \"$fU\", \"callee\": \"$rU\"\n}");
    xlog("L_INFO", "suspended transaction: $T(id_index) / $T(id_label)\n");
    exit;
}
...
```

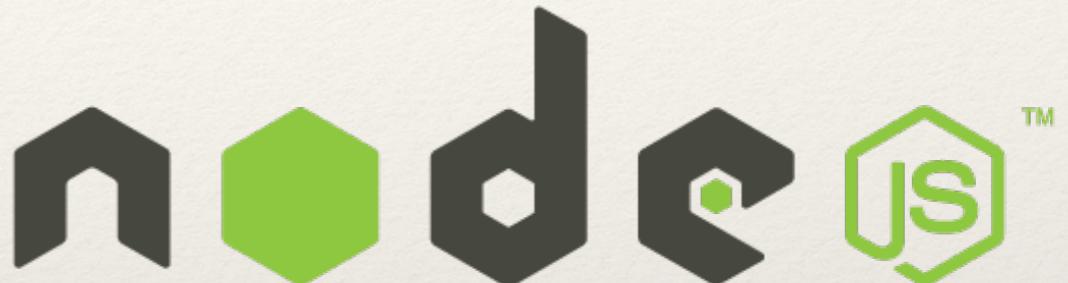


# node.js

...

```
var response = {};  
  
response.version="1.0";  
response.xtra = {};  
response.xtra.tindex=jdoc.tindex;  
response.xtra.tlabel=jdoc.tlabel;  
  
response.routing = "serial";  
response.routes = [];  
response.routes[0] = {};  
response.routes[0].uri = "sip:127.0.0.1:5080";  
response.routes[0].headers = {};  
response.routes[0].headers.extra = "X-Hdr-A: abc\r\nX-Hdr-B: bcd\r\n";  
response.routes[1] = {};  
response.routes[1].uri = "sip:127.0.0.1:5090";  
response.routes[1].headers = {};  
response.routes[1].headers.extra = "X-Hdr-C: cde\r\nX-Hdr-D: def\r\n";  
  
return kanapi_send_response(JSON.stringify(response));
```

...



*http://kb.asipto.com/kamailio:k43-async-sip-routing-nodejs*

# node.js

```
...
function kanapi_send_response(data) {
  var buffer;

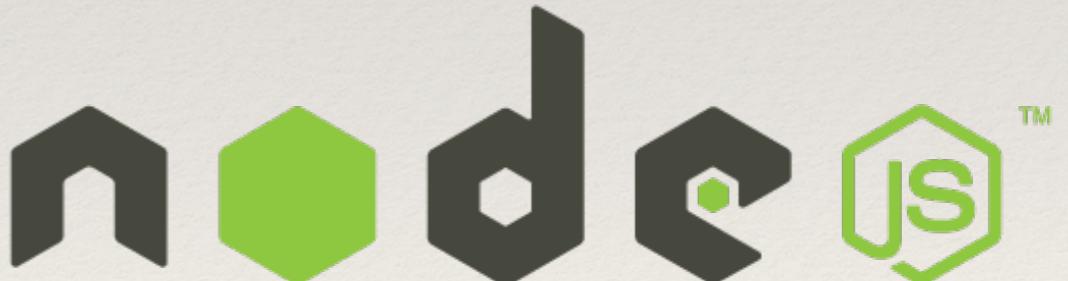
  data = new Buffer(data || "", null);

  buffer = Buffer.concat([new Buffer(data.length + ':', null), data, new Buffer(',', null)]);

  // console.log('[' + data + '] :----> [' + buffer + ']');

  client.write(buffer.toString('ascii'));

  return buffer;
}
...
```



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# kamailio.cfg

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```
...
event_route[evapi:message-received] {
    xlog("received [$evapi(msg)] from $evapi(srcaddr):$evapi(srcport)\n");
    if($evapi(msg)=~"routing" && $evapi(msg)=~"tindex") {
        jansson_get("xtra.tindex", "$evapi(msg)", "$var(tindex)");
        jansson_get("xtra.tlabel", "$evapi(msg)", "$var(tlabel)");
        $var(evmsg) = $evapi(msg);
        xlog("L_INFO", "preparing to resume transaction for processing: $var(tindex) / $var(tlabel)\n");
        t_continue("$var(tindex)", "$var(tlabel)", "EVAPIRESPONSE");
    }
}
...
```



# kamailio.cfg

```
...
route[EVAPIRESPONSE] {
    xlog("L_INFO", "resumed transaction for processing: $T(id_index) / $T(id_label)\n");

    rtjson_init_routes("$var(evmsg)");
    rtjson_push_routes();

    t_on_branch("MANAGE_BRANCH");
    t_on_failure("MANAGE_FAILURE");
    route(RELAY);
    exit;
}

...
failure_route[MANAGE_FAILURE] {
    route(NATMANAGE);
    if (t_is_canceled()) {
        exit;
    }
    if(rtjson_next_route()) {
        t_on_branch("MANAGE_BRANCH");
        t_on_failure("MANAGE_FAILURE");
        route(RELAY);
        exit;
    }
}
...
```



*In summary*

# it's all about you

*or sip, kamailio and you*

- pick your desired format: json, xml, custom
- pick your desired transport: http, rpc, evapi, or even sip
- pick handling style: sync or async
- pick your external call routing controller: node+js, http+php, standalone app, ...



# Thank you!

Questions?!?

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