


WEBINAR



Collaborative Standards Software License (CSSL):
The OpenAirInterface move to a generic license

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OAI Public License V1.1: a reminder

A "3GPP compatible" license

Royalty-free Grant of Patent License for study, testing and research purposes

FRAND based Grant of Patent License for purposes other than study and research





OAI Public License V1.1 after a decade of existence

Hard-wired to OPENAIR 5G

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{The OpenAirInterface Software Alliance (OSA) OAI Public License  
LICENSE TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR USE, REPRODUCTION, AND DISTRIBUTION OF  
OPENAIR 5G SOFTWARE.}
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{"Licensor" shall mean the OpenAirInterface Software Alliance.}
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Governing Law

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{The present license shall be governed by the laws of France.}
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Need for a generic version of OAI PL V1.1





Collaborative Standards Software License (CSSL)

- A brushed up version of the OAI PL V1.1 suppressing the hard-wiring and governing law
- Available in the [duranta repo](#)

The screenshot shows the GitHub interface for the repository 'duranta-project/duranta'. The navigation bar includes links for Platform, Solutions, Resources, Open Source, Enterprise, and Pricing. Below the repository name, there are tabs for Code, Issues, Pull requests, Actions, Projects, Security, and Insights. The commit history section shows a merge pull request by 'rannyh' from 'rannyh/main' 4 days ago. The commit message is 'Merge pull request #3 from rannyh/main'. The commit hash is 'fa181a6' and it has 9 commits. The file list shows 'CONTRIBUTING.md' updated 3 months ago and 'Collaborative_Standards_Software_License_v.1...' added 4 days ago. The file name is circled in yellow.

File	Commit Message	Time
CONTRIBUTING.md	Updated CONTRIBUTING.md	3 months ago
Collaborative_Standards_Software_License_v.1...	Add files via upload	4 days ago



OAI launches duranta with LFN provides the opportunity to switch to a generic license



Duranta

**Duranta - An open, research-grade
RAN + UE reference stack**

**Built on OpenAirInterface software and hosted by LF
Networking to accelerate Open RAN innovation.**

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Steps ahead

At OAI,

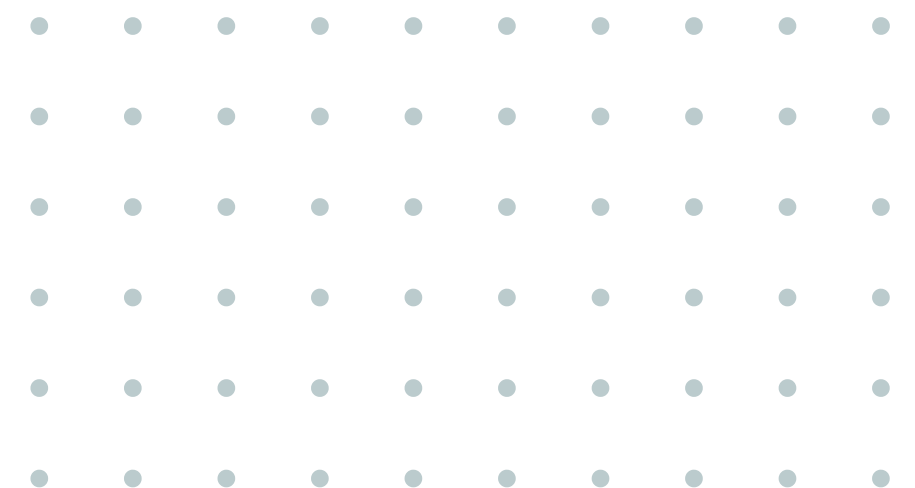
early December, in preps to move OAI devs to duranta, we shall operate the license move from OAI PL 1.1 to the **CCSL in the OAI codebase**

At duranta,

future OAI devs at duranta: the OAI code will seed duranta and the inbound license there will be CSSL with a corresponding CLA

Heads up and Call for Action to OAI Community

OAI maintainer team will reach out to the entire OAI community to sign the new CLA for contributions in the OAI repo in early December





Webinar recording will shortly be up at
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