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## Introduction

The present document is part 1 of a multi-part TS covering the 3<sup>rd</sup> Generation Partnership Project: Technical Specification Group Core Network and Terminals; Open Service Access (OSA); Application Programming Interface (API), as identified below. The **API specification** (3GPP TS 29.198) is structured in the following Parts:

<b>Part 1:</b>	<b>"Overview";</b>	
Part 2:	"Common Data Definitions";	
Part 3:	"Framework";	
Part 4:	"Call Control";	
	Sub-part 1: "Call Control Common Definitions";	
	Sub-part 2: "Generic Call Control SCF";	
	Sub-part 3: "Multi-Party Call Control SCF";	
	Sub-part 4: "Multi-Media Call Control SCF";	
	Sub-part 5: "Conference Call Control SCF";	
Part 5:	"User Interaction SCF";	
Part 6:	"Mobility SCF";	
Part 7:	"Terminal Capabilities SCF";	
Part 8:	"Data Session Control SCF";	
Part 9:	"Generic Messaging SCF";	(not part of 3GPP Release 8)
Part 10:	"Connectivity Manager SCF";	(new in 3GPP Release 8)
Part 11:	"Account Management SCF";	
Part 12:	"Charging SCF".	
Part 13:	"Policy Management SCF";	
Part 14:	"Presence and Availability Management SCF";	
Part 15:	"Multi Media Messaging SCF";	
Part 16:	"Service Broker SCF".	

The **Mapping specification of the OSA APIs and network protocols** (3GPP TR 29.998) is also structured as above. A mapping to network protocols is however not applicable for all Parts, but the numbering of Parts is kept. Also in case a Part is not supported in a Release, the numbering of the parts is maintained.

**Table: Overview of the OSA APIs & Protocol Mappings 29.198 & 29.998-family**

OSA API specifications 29.198-family						OSA API Mapping - 29.998-family	
<b>29.198-01</b>	<b>Overview</b>					29.998-01	Overview
29.198-02	Common Data Definitions					29.998-02	<i>Not Applicable</i>
29.198-03	Framework					29.998-03	<i>Not Applicable</i>
Call Control (CC) SCF	29.198-04-1	29.198-04-2	29.198-04-3	29.198-04-4	29.198-04-5	29.998-04-1	Generic Call Control – CAP mapping
	Common CC data definitions	Generic CC SCF	Multi-Party CC SCF	Multi-media CC SCF	Conf CC SCF	29.998-04-2	<i>Generic Call Control – INAP mapping</i>
						29.998-04-3	<i>Generic Call Control – Megaco mapping</i>
						29.998-04-4	Multiparty Call Control – ISC mapping
29.198-05	User Interaction SCF					29.998-05-1	User Interaction – CAP mapping
						29.998-05-2	<i>User Interaction – INAP mapping</i>
						29.998-05-3	<i>User Interaction – Megaco mapping</i>
						29.998-05-4	User Interaction – SMS mapping
29.198-06	Mobility SCF					29.998-06-1	User Status and User Location – MAP mapping
						29.998-06-2	User Status and User Location – SIP mapping
29.198-07	Terminal Capabilities SCF					29.998-07	<i>Not Applicable</i>
29.198-08	Data Session Control SCF					29.998-08	Data Session Control – CAP mapping
29.198-09	<i>Generic Messaging SCF</i>					29.998-09	<i>Not Applicable</i>
29.198-10	Connectivity Manager SCF					29.998-10	<i>Not Applicable</i>
29.198-11	Account Management SCF					29.998-11	<i>Not Applicable</i>
29.198-12	Charging SCF					29.998-12	<i>Not Applicable</i>
29.198-13	Policy Management SCF					29.998-13	<i>Not Applicable</i>
29.198-14	Presence & Availability Management SCF					29.998-14	<i>Not Applicable</i>
29.198-15	Multi-media Messaging SCF					29.998-15	<i>Not Applicable</i>
29.198-16	Service Broker SCF					29.998-16	<i>Not Applicable</i>

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#### ETSI ES 201 915 / Parlay 3 / 3GPP TS 29.198 Release 4 (version 4.x.x)

ETSI OSA Specification Set	Parlay Phase	3GPP TS 29.198 version
-	-	Release 4, March 2001 Plenary
-	-	Release 4, June 2001 Plenary
ES 201 915 v.1.1.1 (complete release)	Parlay 3.0	Release 4, September 2001 Plenary
-	-	Release 4, December 2001 Plenary
ES 201 915 v.1.2.1 (complete release)	Parlay 3.1	Release 4, March 2002 Plenary
ES 201 915 v.1.3.1 (complete release)	Parlay 3.2	Release 4, June 2002 Plenary
-	-	Release 4, September 2002 Plenary
ES 201 915 v.1.4.1 (complete release)	Parlay 3.3	Release 4, March 2003 Plenary
-	-	Release 4, June 2003 Plenary
-	-	Release 4, December 2003 Plenary
-	-	Release 4, June 2004 Plenary
ES 201 915 v1.5.1 (Partial Release)	Parlay 3.4	Release 4, September 2004 Plenary
-	-	Release 4, December 2004 Plenary
-	-	Release 4, December 2005 Plenary
ES 201 915 v1.6.1 (Partial Release)	Parlay 3.5	Release 4, June 2006 Plenary



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ETSI OSA Specification Set	Parlay Phase	3GPP TS 29.198 version
-	-	Release 5, March 2002 Plenary
ES 202 915 v.1.1.1.1 (complete release)	Parlay 4.0	Release 5, September 2002 Plenary
ES 202 915 v.1.2.1 (not parts 9, 13, 14)	Parlay 4.1	Release 5, March 2003 Plenary
-	-	Release 5, June 2003 Plenary
-	-	Release 5, September 2003 Plenary
-	-	Release 5, December 2003 Plenary
-	-	Release 5, March 2004 Plenary
-	-	Release 5, June 2004 Plenary
ES 202 915 v1.3.1, (v1.2.1 for parts 9, 13, 14)	Parlay 4.2	Release 5, September 2004 Plenary
-	-	Release 5, December 2004 Plenary
-	-	Release 5, June 2005 Plenary
-	-	Release 5, December 2005 Plenary
ES 202 915 v1.4.1, (v1.3.1 for parts 9, 13)	Parlay 4.3	Release 5, June 2006 Plenary

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ETSI OSA Specification Set	Parlay Phase	3GPP TS 29.198 version
-	-	Release 6, June 2003 Plenary
-	-	Release 6, December 2003 Plenary
-	-	Release 6, June 2004 Plenary
ES 203 915 v1.1.1	Parlay 5.0	Release 6, September 2004 Plenary
-	-	Release 6, December 2004 Plenary
-	-	Release 6, March 2005 Plenary
-	-	Release 6, June 2005 Plenary
-	-	Release 6, December 2005 Plenary
ES 203 915 v1.2.1	Parlay 5.1	Release 6, June 2006 Plenary
-	-	Release 6, December 2006 Plenary
-	-	Release 6, March 2007 Plenary

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ETSI OSA Specification Set	Parlay Phase	3GPP TS 29.198 version
-	-	Release 7, June 2006 Plenary
-	-	Release 7, December 2006 Plenary
-	-	Release 7, March 2007 Plenary

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# 1 Scope

The present document is the first part of the 3GPP Specification defining the Application Programming Interface (API) for Open Service Access (OSA), and provides an overview of the content and structure of the various parts of this specification, and of the relation to other standards documents.

The OSA-specifications define an architecture that enables service application developers to make use of network functionality through an open standardised interface, i.e. the OSA APIs. The concepts and the functional architecture for the OSA are contained in 3GPP TS 23.198 [3]. The requirements for OSA are contained in 3GPP TS 22.127 [2].

This specification has been defined jointly between 3GPP TSG CT WG5, ETSI TISPAN and The Parlay Group, in co-operation with a number of JAIN™ Community member companies.

Maintenance of up to 3GPP Rel-8 and new OSA Stage 1, 2 and 3 work beyond Rel-9 was moved to OMA in June 2008.

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- [1] 3GPP TR 21.905: "Vocabulary for 3GPP Specifications".
- [2] 3GPP TS 22.127: "Service Requirement for the Open Service Access (OSA); Stage 1".
- [3] 3GPP TS 23.198: "Open Service Access (OSA); Stage 2".
- [4] Void.
- [5] 3GPP TS 22.101: "Service Aspects; Service Principles".
- [6] Void.
- [7] 3GPP TS 29.002: "Mobile Application Part (MAP) specification".
- [8] 3GPP TS 29.078: "Customised Applications for Mobile network Enhanced Logic (CAMEL); CAMEL Application Part (CAP) specification".

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# 3 Definitions and abbreviations

## 3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of the present document, the terms and definitions given in 3GPP TS 22.101 [5] and the following apply.

**Applications:** Services, which are designed using Service Capability Features (SCFs).

**Gateway:** Synonym for Service Capability Server (SCS). From the viewpoint of applications, an SCS can be seen as a gateway to the core network.