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1 Scope

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2 References

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- [1] ETSI GS NFV 003: "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV); Terminology for Main Concepts in NFV".

2.2 Informative references

The following referenced documents are not necessary for the application of the present document but they assist the user with regard to a particular subject area.

- [i.1] NFV White paper: "Network Functions Virtualisation, An Introduction, Benefits, Enablers, Challenges & Call for Action. Issue 1".

NOTE: Available at http://portal.etsi.org/NFV/NFV_White_Paper.pdf.

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- [i.4] Recommendation ITU-T Y.3501 (05-2013): "Cloud computing framework and high level requirements".

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