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1 Scope

The present document (together with the relevant requirements described in [2], [3] and [4]) specifies the requirements applicable to Lifecycle Management (LCM) for mobile networks that include virtualized network functions which can be part of EPC or IMS.

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