

Modern Toll Roads – A New Chapter in Social Responsibility

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"GRITS – GReek Interoperable Tolling Systems"

Real Time Interoperability in Greece via SOA (Service Oriented Architecture)

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Current situation regarding EFC

Roads with EFC implemented

- Attiki Odos
- Moreas Highway
- Olympia Odos (Impementation on-going)
- Aegean Motorway (Implementation on-going)

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Tag Issuers

- Attiki Odos (A1-compliant, but with a reduced number of Authentication keys)
- Olympia Odos (A1-compliant)
- Aegean Motorway (A1-compliant)



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Interoperability definition

Only one Tag in each vehicle and this Tag can be used in the EFC systems on all participating roads.

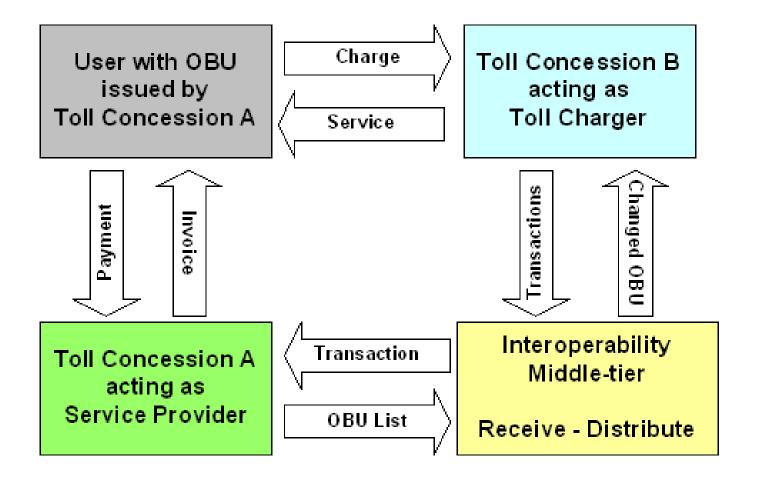


Basis for interoperability

- One Contract (Tag) can be used at all road Operators
- Contract based on a central account at the Issuer of the Contract (Tag)
- Transaction model based on the Cardme-3,4 specification (A1-application)
- Lists of tags statuses (white, grey, black) are distributed by Issuer
- Usage of issued Tags are restricted to participating Operators
- Possibility of secure check of Contract origin at time of Tag transaction (OBU Authentication)
- Possibility of secure check of Claim before settlement between Service Provider and Toll Charger (Contract Authentication)

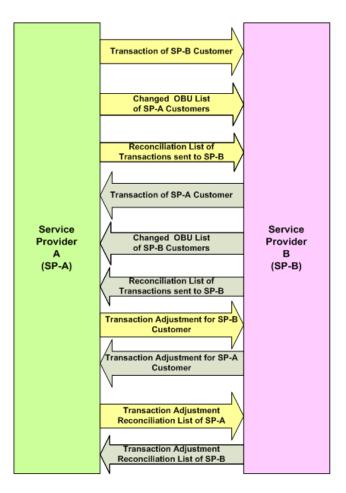


Interoperable Concession Info exchange



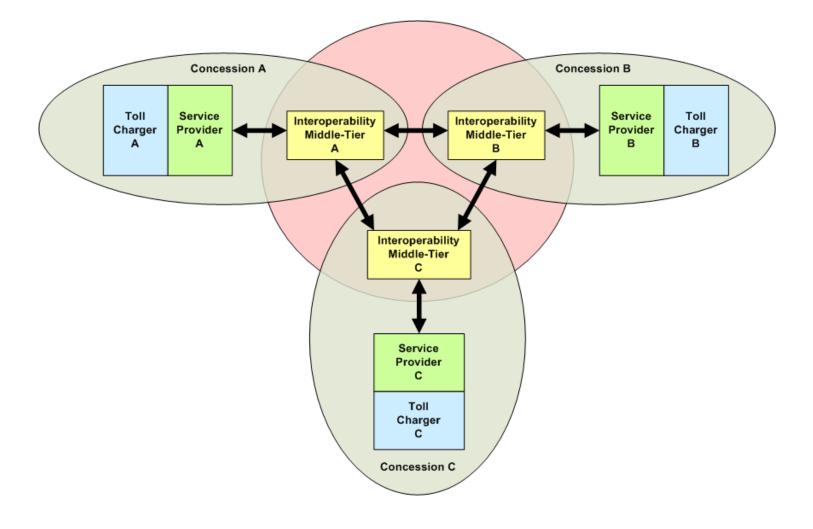


Interoperable Concessions detailed data lists exchange





GRITS Architecture Overview

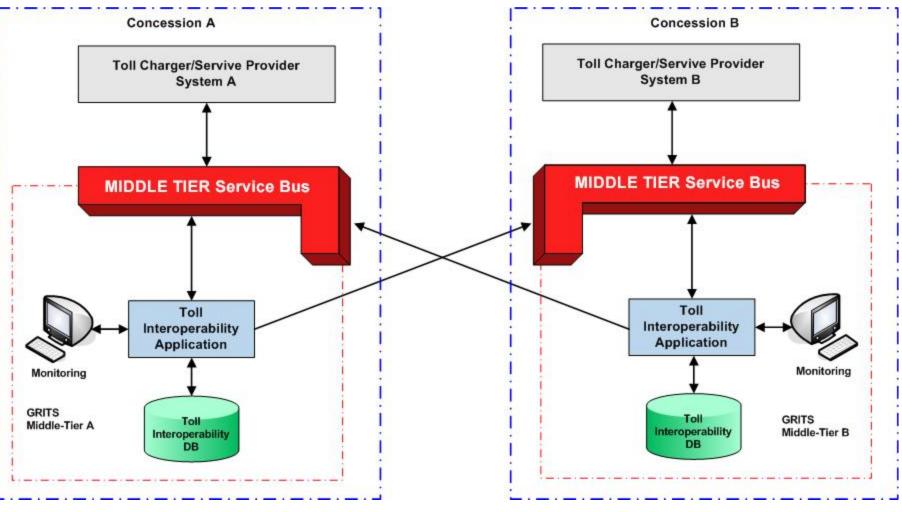




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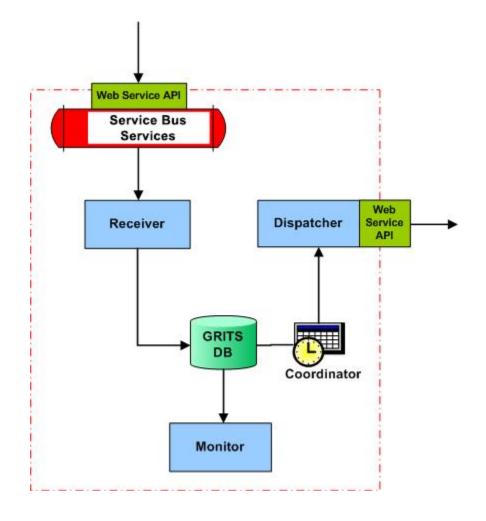
Technical Representation of GRITS Architecture





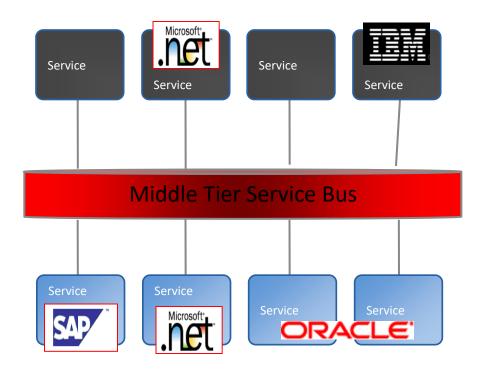
GRITS Middle-Tier Architecture

- ESB Services
- Modules:
 - Receiver
 - Dispatcher
 - Coordinator
 - Monitor





Dealing with heterogeneous back office systems via Web Services





Benefits

Standards based solution

- -Web Services
- SOA Enterprise Service Bus (ESB Service Bus)
- Easy Integration of 3rd Party Toll Systems (WEB SVCS,ESB)
- Easy Installation & Configuration
- Real Time Monitoring



Road to GRITS - Major Obstacles

- a) To obtain a commonly accepted agreement for a common organizational, commercial, operational, technical, legal and certification framework.
- b) The status of each European Community Member, legal framework, concerning personal data treatment, and enforcement methods permitted to insure proper and prompt collection of toll charges.
- c) The prevailing in GREECE Prepaid model which imposes great demands for performance of interoperability systems
- d) Different suppliers of Toll systems and related back offices, create the need for standardized and centrally controlled solutions that are able to deal with heterogeneous systems.