

ODPi IP Policy

ODPi seeks to integrate and contribute back to other open source projects within the scope of the Purpose set forth in the ODPi Bylaws. Based on this design goal for ODPi, the development community will:

- conform to all license requirements of the open source projects leveraged within the Platform; and
- operate to maximize opportunities for compatibility with other projects that might be leveraged in the Platform.

Except as may be approved by the Board:

- Pre-existing open source projects to be leveraged by ODPi:
 - Will be limited to projects made available under the following licenses: Apache License version 2.0 (Apache-2.0) <http://opensource.org/licenses/Apache-2.0>, Eclipse Public License (EPL-1.0) <http://opensource.org/licenses/EPL-1.0> or Mozilla Public License 2.0 (MPL-2.0) <http://opensource.org/licenses/MPL-2.0>; and
 - Will be deemed to be contributed to the project in unmodified form by ODPi under the outbound license applicable to the project and made available for modification by ODPi contributors.
- To facilitate upstreaming of modifications and coordination with relevant Apache and other projects, all contributions of source code to ODPi will be made pursuant to a contributor license agreement that is the same as the appropriate Apache contributor license agreement, altered only as necessary to identify ODP as the recipient of the contributions. See Apache Corporate Contributor License Agreement (<https://www.apache.org/licenses/cla-corporate.txt>) or Apache Individual Contributor License Agreement (<https://www.apache.org/licenses/icla.txt>). The process for managing contributions in accordance with this policy shall be subject to Board approval.
- All ODPi outbound code will be made available under the Apache License, Version 2.0, or, where necessary to accommodate a leveraged open source project, under EPL-2.0 or MPL-2.0. If an inbound or outbound license other than Apache-2.0, EPL-2.0 or MPL-2.0 is required for compliance with the license for a leveraged open source project, or is otherwise required to achieve ODPi's objectives, the Board may approve the use of an alternative license for inbound or outbound contributions on an exception basis.

- All documentation will be received and made available by ODPi under the Creative Commons Attribution 4.0 International License.

Except for commitments made with respect to contributions to ODPi under a Contributor License Agreement, no license is granted by the member to its intellectual property, and none shall be implied by general membership in ODPi.

With the Board's approval, ODPi will register and own various trademarks that are useful in furthering the project's Purpose and will develop trademark guidelines and policies to govern the appropriate use of such marks. The members will only use such marks in conformance with such guidelines and policies.