

Incumbent Informing Capability

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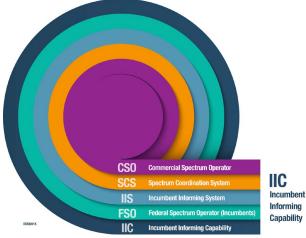


Incumbent Informing Capability (IIC): A Key To Efficient **Spectrum Sharing**



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Incumbent Informing Capability



- IIC is a mechanism for efficiently managing shared use of the spectrum between "incumbent" federal users and "new entrants" (non-federal and federal users)
- IIC enables dynamic spectrum sharing in a given band
 - Frequency domain
 - Geographic domain
 - **Temporal domain**

IIC for Time-Based Sharing – an innovative method to collaboratively, securely, and dynamically increase opportunistic spectrum access within spectrum allocations



User Needs/IIC Functions

Incumbent Needs	IIC/IIS Function	Secondary User Needs
Unencumbered, Primary Access	Spectrum Management	Reliable Access
Positive Control of Spectrum Use by Secondary User	System Conformance MonitoringCollection and Auditing of Use Data	Integrity of Primary User Scheduling of Spectrum (No over- scheduling)
Security of Operational Info & Technical Data	 Information Security/Protection 	Authenticity/Integrity of Spectrum Use Authorization
System Security (Firewall)	System Security/AccreditationNetwork/System Fail Safe	System Availability
Real-time identification of Interference	 EMC Analysis Interference Monitoring, Identification, Reporting and Resolution 	Protection from False Claims of causing Interference
Immediate Cessation of Secondary Access upon Detection of Interference		Quick Resolution of Interference issues
Changing Use over Time	Adaptable/Responsive Sharing Policy Engine	Technical Changes over Time



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IIC Evolution

	2028	2033	Vision
Who	 Non-Federal Shared use of Federal Spectrum Non-Federal Use is Secondary to Primary Federal Use 	 Add Federal-to-Federal Sharing 	Everyone InformsAdd Co-primary Use Cases
What/ How	 Pre-Coordination of Protection Requirements Federal User Manual Input of Obfuscated Planned Use Info Non-federal Use Controlled by SCS 	 Machine (CSO)-to-Machine (IIS)- to Machine (SCS) Real-time Detailed Use Info Dynamically calculates protection areas given inputs at the federal system level Automation Obfuscates Sensitive Data 	 Machine (end device)-to- Machine (end device) Real-time Detailed Use Info Dynamically calculates and authorizes use based on Rules
Where	Locations Pre-defined in Rules	 Determined Dynamically at Areas defined by Rules 	 Everywhere by Permitted by Rules

IIC is envisioned as an NTIA administered "common" sharing platform NTIA will provide federal interface functionality (*i.e.,* IIS)



NTIA IIC 6-year Timeline





Discussion/Questions

