# Meet the Maintainers Service Mesh Interface



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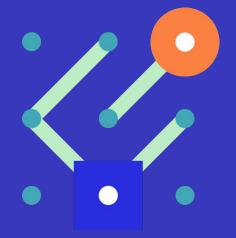


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## Service Mesh Interface

Introduction

## Service Mesh Interface





#### SMI aims to provide:

- A standard interface for service meshes on Kubernetes
- Basic Feature set for most common service mesh use cases
- Flexibility to support new service mesh capabilities over time
- Space for the ecosystem to innovate with service mesh technology

## Service Mesh Interface

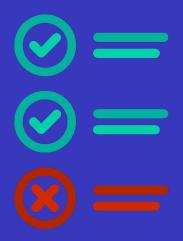


#### **GOAL**

SMI Specs are to provide a common, portable set of Service Mesh APIs which a Kubernetes user can use in a provider agnostic manner.

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

- 1. Traffic Access Control
- 2. Traffic Metrics
- 3. Traffic Specs
- 4. Traffic Split



## **SMI Conformance**

Deep-Dive



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## **Conformance Testing**

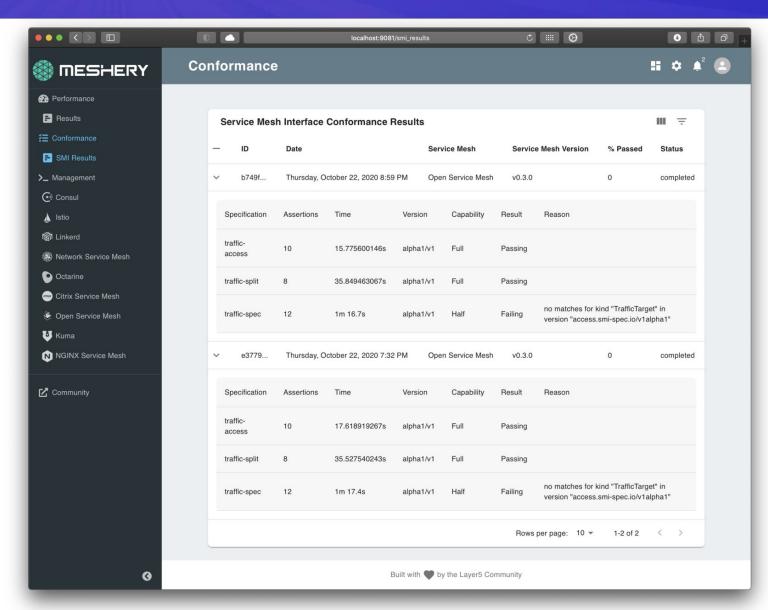
Validating compliance with Meshery



# Operate and upgrade with confirmation of SMI compatibility.

- Meshery as the service mesh manager to orchestrate conformance testing.
- ✓ Defines compliant behavior.
- Produces compatibility matrix.
- ✓ Ensures provenance of results.
- ✓ Runs a set of conformance tests.
- ✓ <u>Learn Layer5</u> sample application used for validating test assertions.
- ✓ To be built into participating service mesh's release pipeline.

Project Overview | Issue #70 | Design spec



## **Conformance Results**

Provenance and Publishing



#### **Detailed Compliance Reports**

a compatibility matrix identifying the SMI specs that are supported per service mesh per version

Service Mesh	Mesh Version	Traffic Access	Traffic Split	Traffic Spec	% Passed
₩.	v0.3	$\otimes$	$\otimes$	$\otimes$	100%
<b>A</b>	v1.7	⊗	0	0	100%
简	v2.9	8	<b>⊘</b>	0	66%
*	v1.4	⊗	<b>⊘</b>	8	66%
<b>Q</b>	v0.7	8	8	8	0%
<b>C</b> ‡	v1.8	8	8	8	0%
\$	n/a	8	8	8	0%

- Currently 24 Assertions Overall.
  - Many more to be defined
- Assertions preconfigured to define expectations if needed from other sources than the response
  - Assertions connects to prometheus instance for Matrics Specs validation
- <u>Learn Layer5</u> used as the sample service mesh workload.



## Call for Participation

- <u>Meet</u> on every other Wednesday at 10-10:30AM PT
- Read the <u>meeting minutes</u>.
- Connect us on the Slack Channel (<u>#smi</u>).
- Join the <u>SMI-MAINTAINERS</u> mailer at <u>lists.cncf.io</u>

