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ELEC-E7830 Value Network Design for Internet

Value Network Configuration

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Scenarios

Deployment of WiFi LANs?

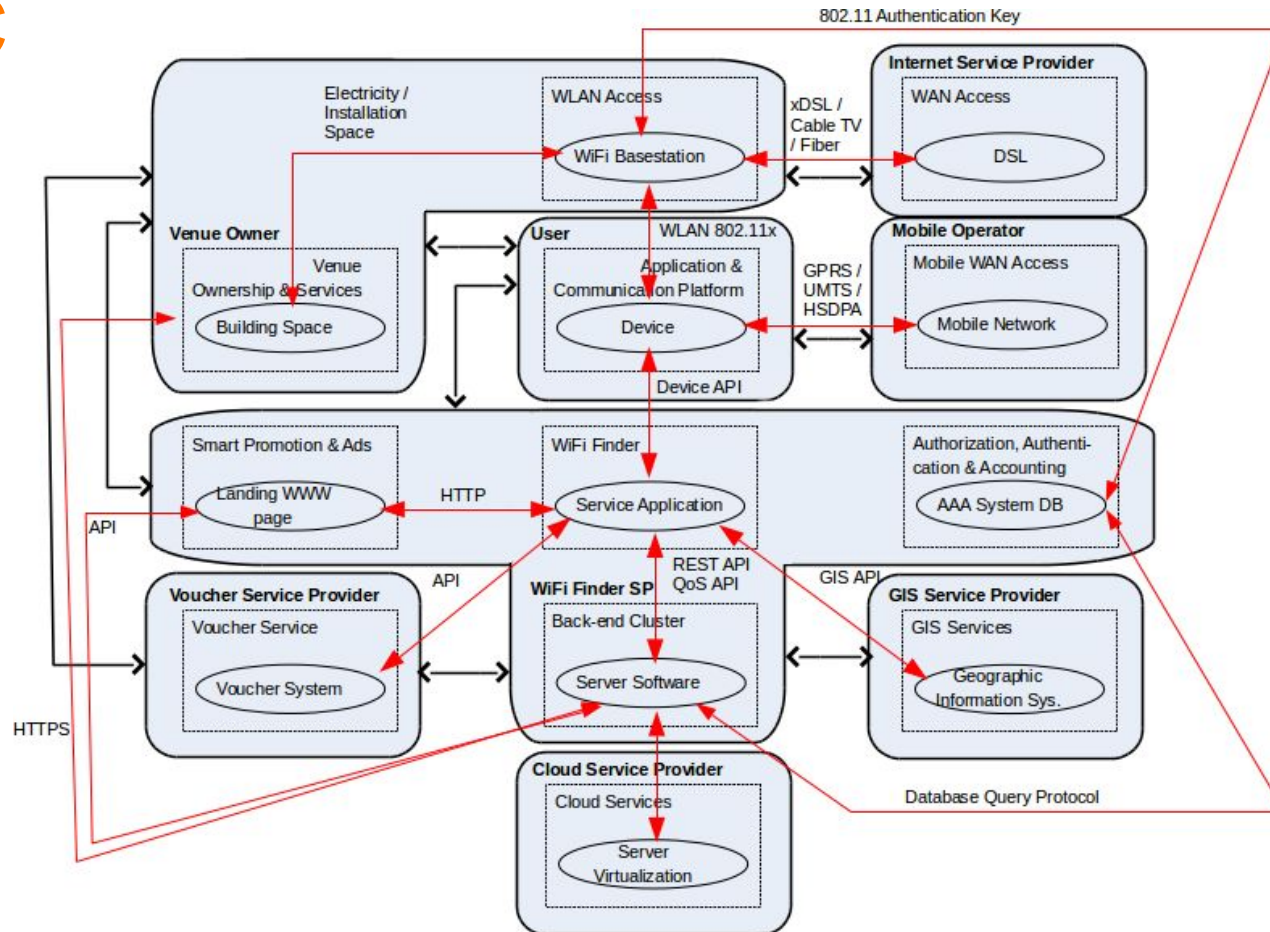
		Venue Owner Driven	ISP Driven
How to get users?	WiFi QoS	<p>Role as last-mile ISP</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A lot of WLANs available• Quality varies a lot• App users create most of value• Users need last-mile connection	<p>No Future</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Very challenging• ISPs dominate VNCs
	Smart Promotion	<p>Rule the market</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Both app users and venues create value• Max amount of VNCs available• Both last-mile connection and venues attract users	<p>Role as promoter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ISPs capture larger part of value network (last-mile)• Venues create some value and attract users

Value Distribution in Scenarios

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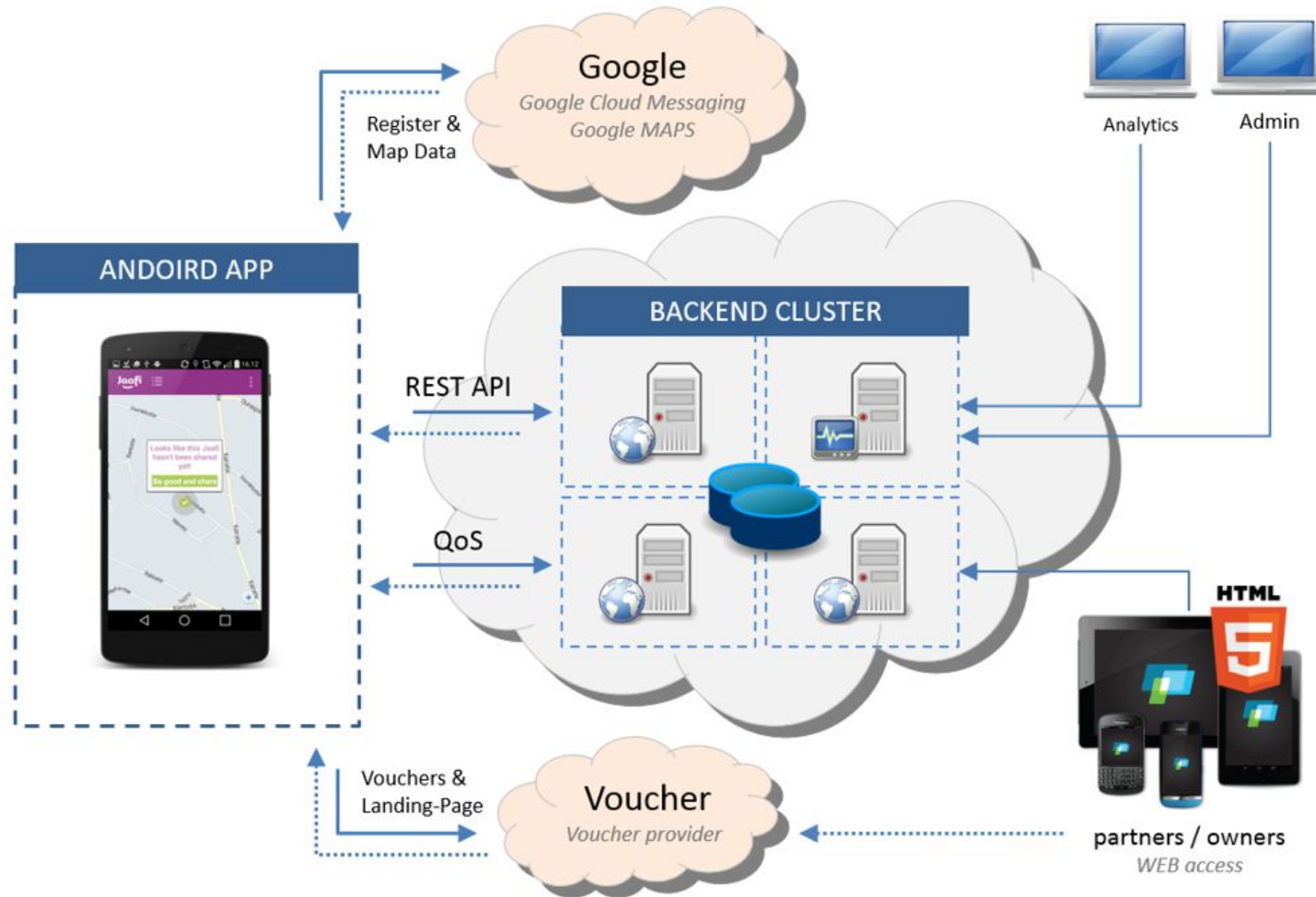
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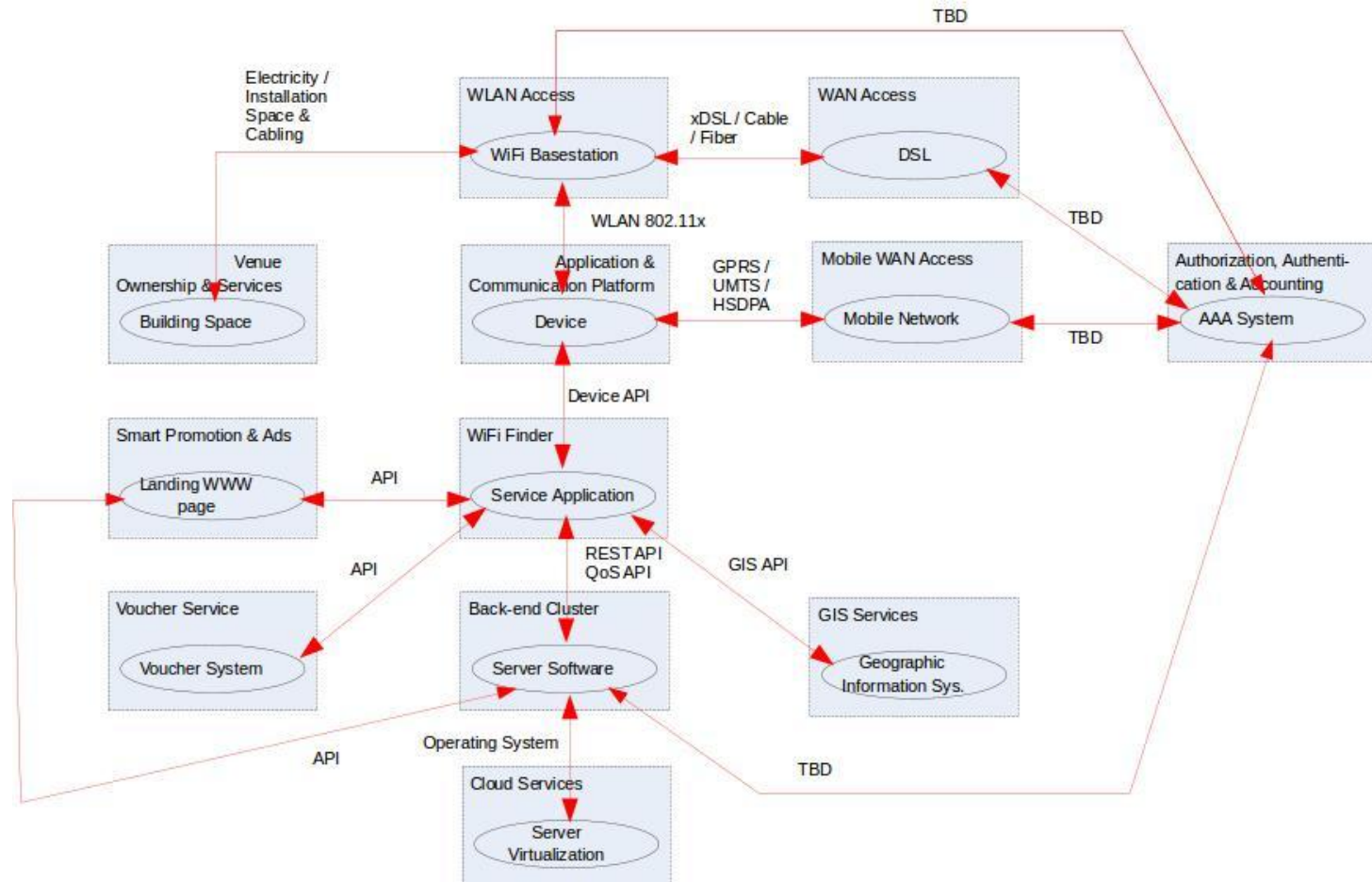
Service Domain

- Company is known for earlier applications
 - Branding and trust
- Share knowledge of Wifi's on a map and connect
- Target group
 - Android users
 - Venue owners

Technology Domain



Technology Domain



Technology Domain

- Application
 - WiFi
 - Location
- Map is the center of the technology domain
- Download only relevant data
- Technology to measure the quality of the WiFi
- Analyzed data can be used

Organization Domain

- Core team
- Business development people needed
- Google maps
- Servers

Financial Domain

Investments

- Own capital
- Ask for venture capital
- Business angel
- Still looking for money

Revenues

- Break-point within a year
- Should become very fast after launch
- Different revenue models

Costs

- Online maps
- Data
- Offline maps costs more

Pricing

- Knowledge already

Critical Success Factors

- Software is easy to use and information provided by service is accurate

AND

- User base is big enough to finance operations via ad-clicks

OR

- **Venue owners** (e.g. Smart Promotion) and **device owners** are willing to pay (e.g. better QoS or lower cost compared to mobile internet service)

Questions?



Value network configurations

Venue driven

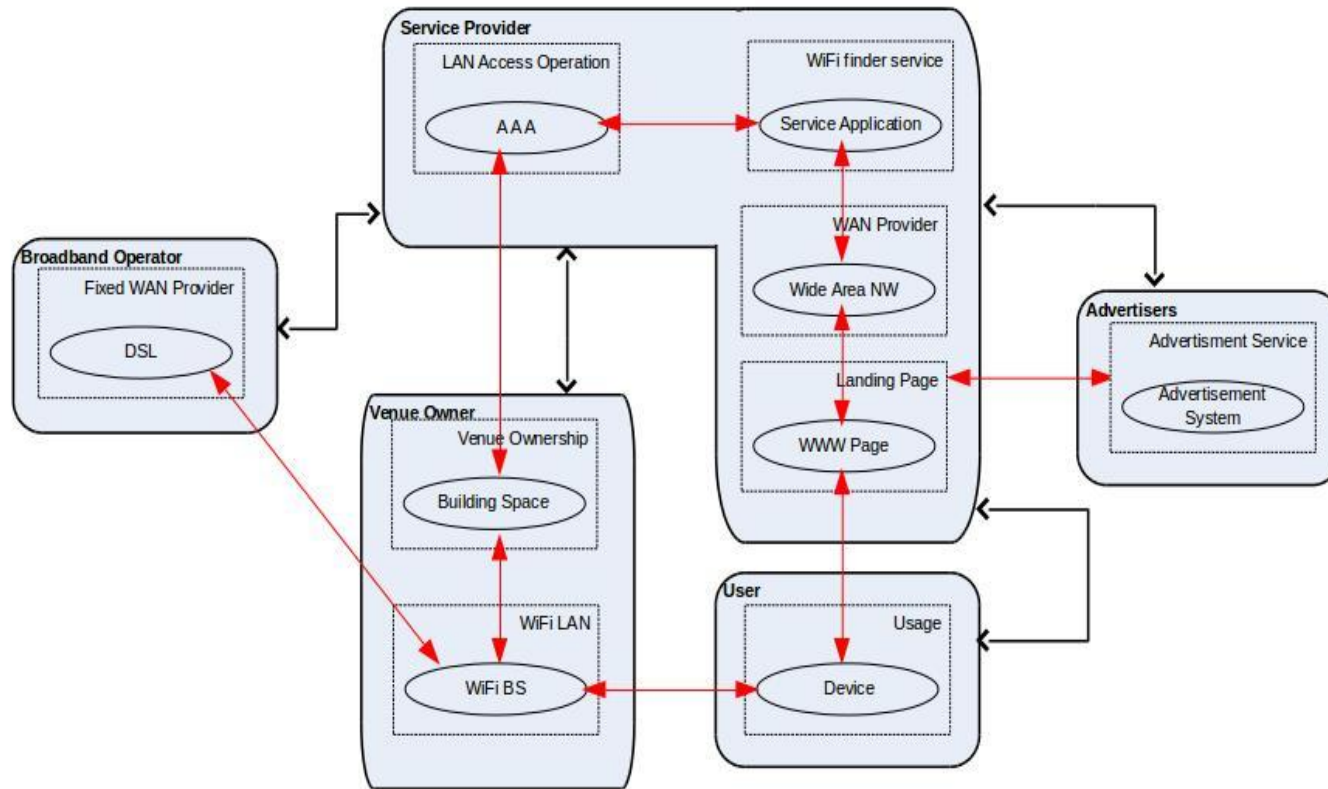
- WiFi owner can collect value
- Smart promotion
- Venue landing page
- Data collection, Big data

Device driven

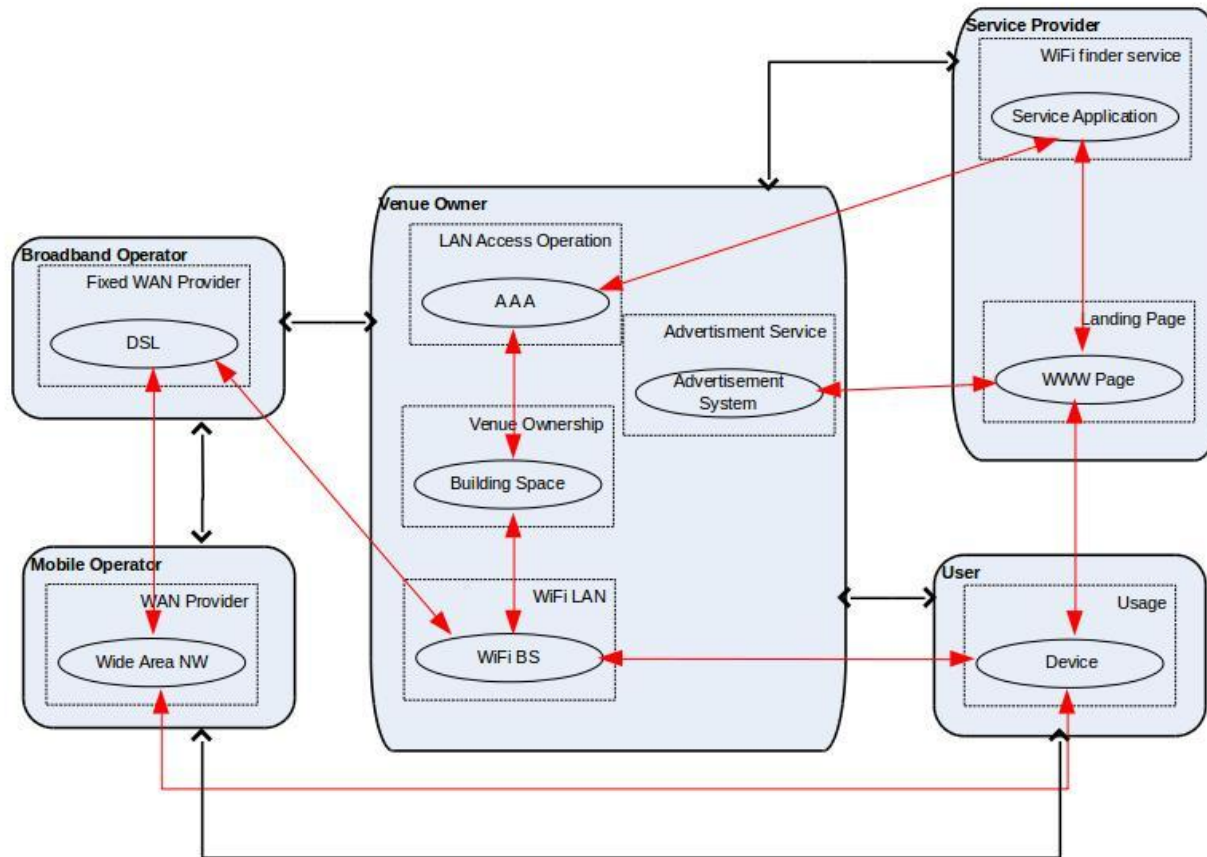
- User needs
- Freemium or Premium
- Security
- Joiku landing page

Both can be used at the same time

Device Owner Driven VNC



Venue Owner Driven VNC



Conclusions

- Trends will define the Joiku's future (as we have seen)
- Big players affects future?
- Different possibilities to earn value
 - Venue and Device

Scenarios

What will big players do?

Passive

Active

Yes

Scenario 1:

- Best case
- Offering good WiFi QoS
- Increasing use base
- Potential for profit

Scenario 2:

- Challenges ahead
- Trends of WiFi deployment key question
- Smart promotion has to be main differentiating feature

Differentiation?

No

Scenario 3:

- Challenging
- Much competition
- Less profit
- Less users

Scenario 4:

- Worst case
- Is there room for promotion or revenue?
- Patents?

Scenarios

Deployment of WiFi LANs?

Venue Owner Driven

ISP Driven

WiFi
QoS

Deal with venue owner with
monthly contract

Phone connects
automatically to the best WiFi

Differentiation?

Smart
Promotion

People find WiFi on the map
and Joiku collects value from
launch page.

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A business model describes:

Service domain: service offering, value proposition and target group

Technology domain: technical functionality required to realize the service offering

Organization domain: structure of the multi-actor value network and organizational arrangements

Financial domain: how revenues, costs and benefits are generated and divided over partners