



OPENCHAIN

Great Open Source Compliance For Everyone

OpenChain Project - The Linux Foundation

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16B USD

Estimated development cost of the
100+ world's leading projects
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Technologists attend our events
annually, from more than 4,500
companies and 85 countries



1 Million

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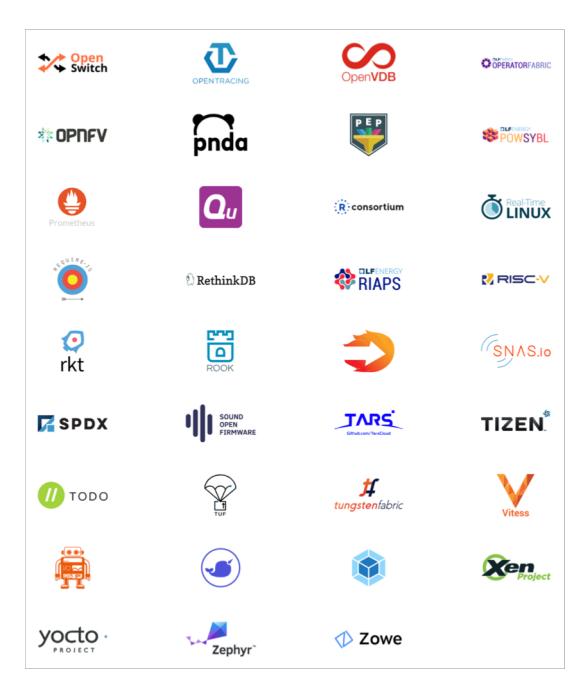
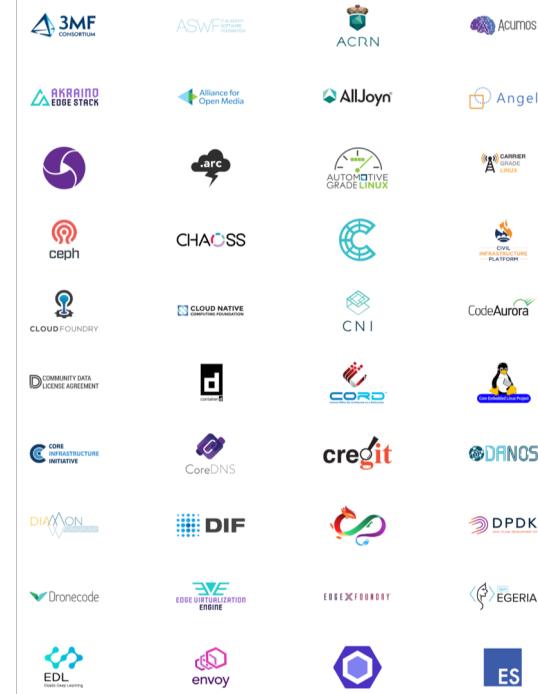
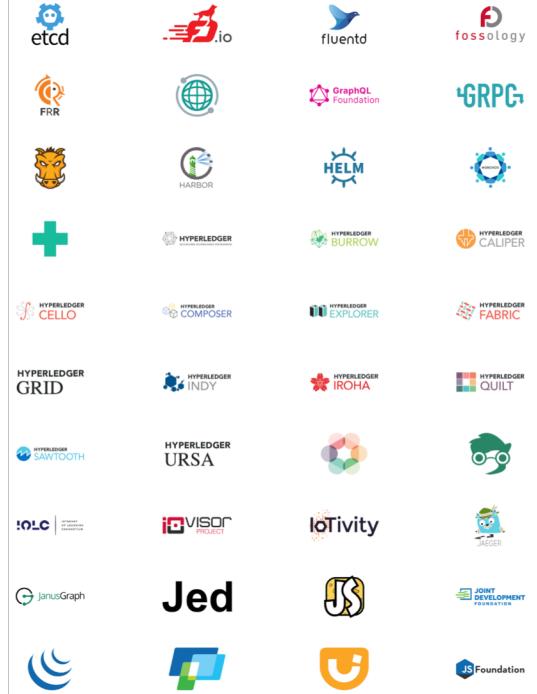
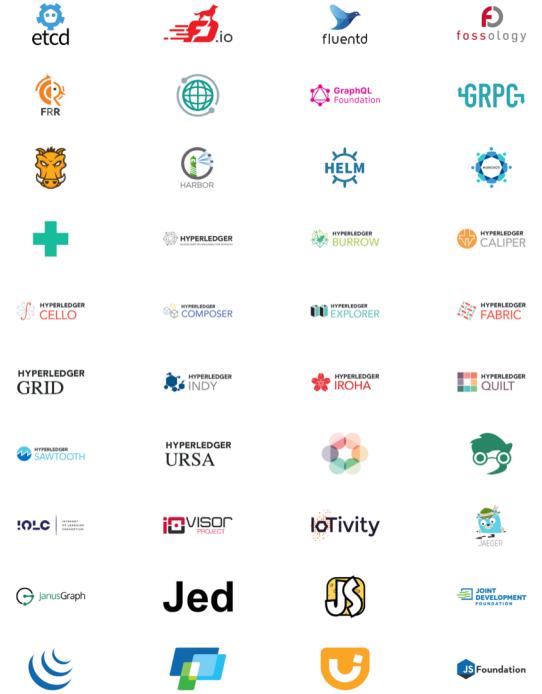


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Largest cloud service providers are
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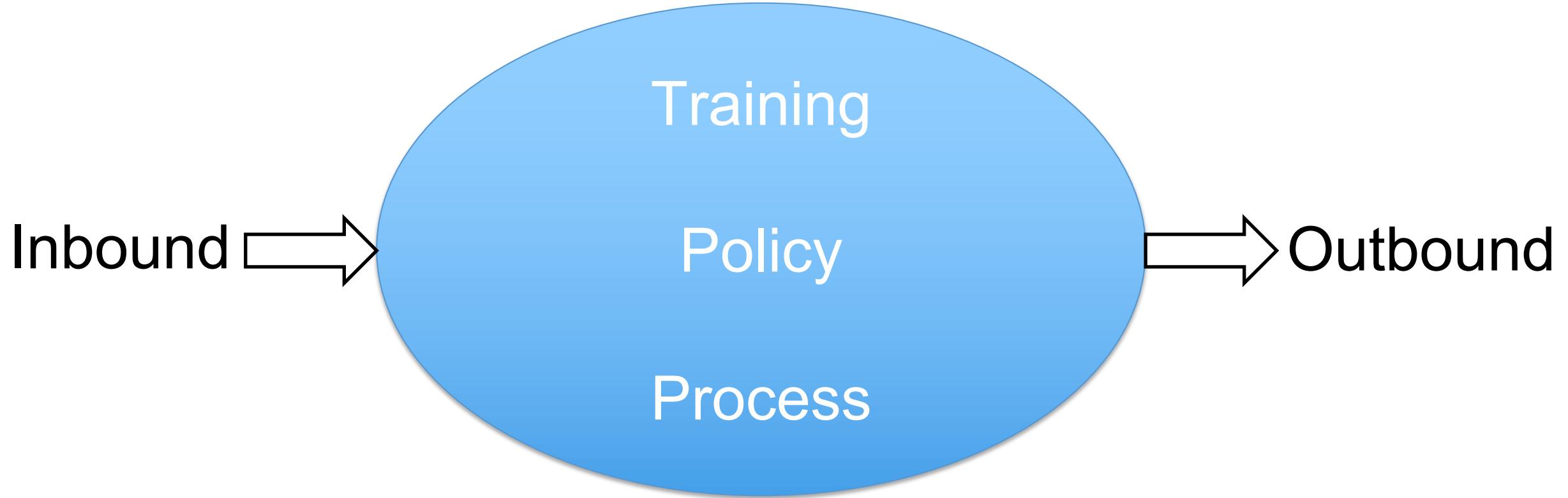


Compliance – A gateway to access

How do I trust my open source supply chain?

The OpenChain Project defines the key requirements for a quality compliance program.

OpenChain is a simple, effective standard for all sizes organizations in all markets.



Companies have the flexibility to decide the content of each specific process, policies and training.

OpenChain Self Certification Questionnaire

Specification Version 1.3

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► G1: Know Your FOSS Responsibilities	8 answered out of 13
► G2: Assign Responsibility for Achieving Compliance	0 answered out of 7
► G3: Review and Approve FOSS Content	0 answered out of 8
▼ G4: Deliver FOSS Content Documentation and Artifacts	3 answered out of 4
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► G5: Understand FOSS Community Engagement	0 answered out of 4

If a company can answer “Yes” to each question they are OpenChain Conformant.



Organizations with a publicly announced OpenChain Conformant Program

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Source Code Control
Open Source Risk Management Specialists



the Center for Research and
Development Hong Kong



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The OpenChain Project provides reference material to help with conformance.

Contents

1. What is Intellectual Property?
2. Introduction to FOSS Licenses
3. Introduction to FOSS Compliance
4. Key Software Concepts for FOSS Review
5. Running a FOSS Review
6. End to End Compliance Management (Example Process)
7. Avoiding Compliance Pitfalls
8. Developer Guidelines

Check Your Understanding

- What type of material does copyright law protect?
- What copyright rights are most important for software?
- Can software be subject to a patent?
- What rights does a patent give to the patent owner?
- If you independently develop your own software, is it possible that you might need a copyright license from a third party for that software?
A patent license?



Reference Training Program
(PDF Format)



Reference Training Program
(PowerPoint Format)



Reference Training Program
(OpenDocument Format)



Compliance Best Practices



Engineering Best Practices



Reuse Best Practices



Basic Compliance Checklist



Conformance Checklist



Reference Tooling Overview
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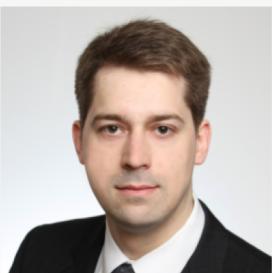


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3. Curriculum - Chaired by Alexios Zavros (Intel)
4. Onboarding - Chaired by Nathan Kumagai (Qualcomm)

Join Our Conference Calls

We have a call on the first Monday of each month at 4pm UTC to allow participation for American and European community members.
We have a call on the third Monday of each month at 12am UTC to allow participation for American and Asian community members.



UberConference



US Call



International Call
(Code #855 889 3011)

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Main Project Mailing List

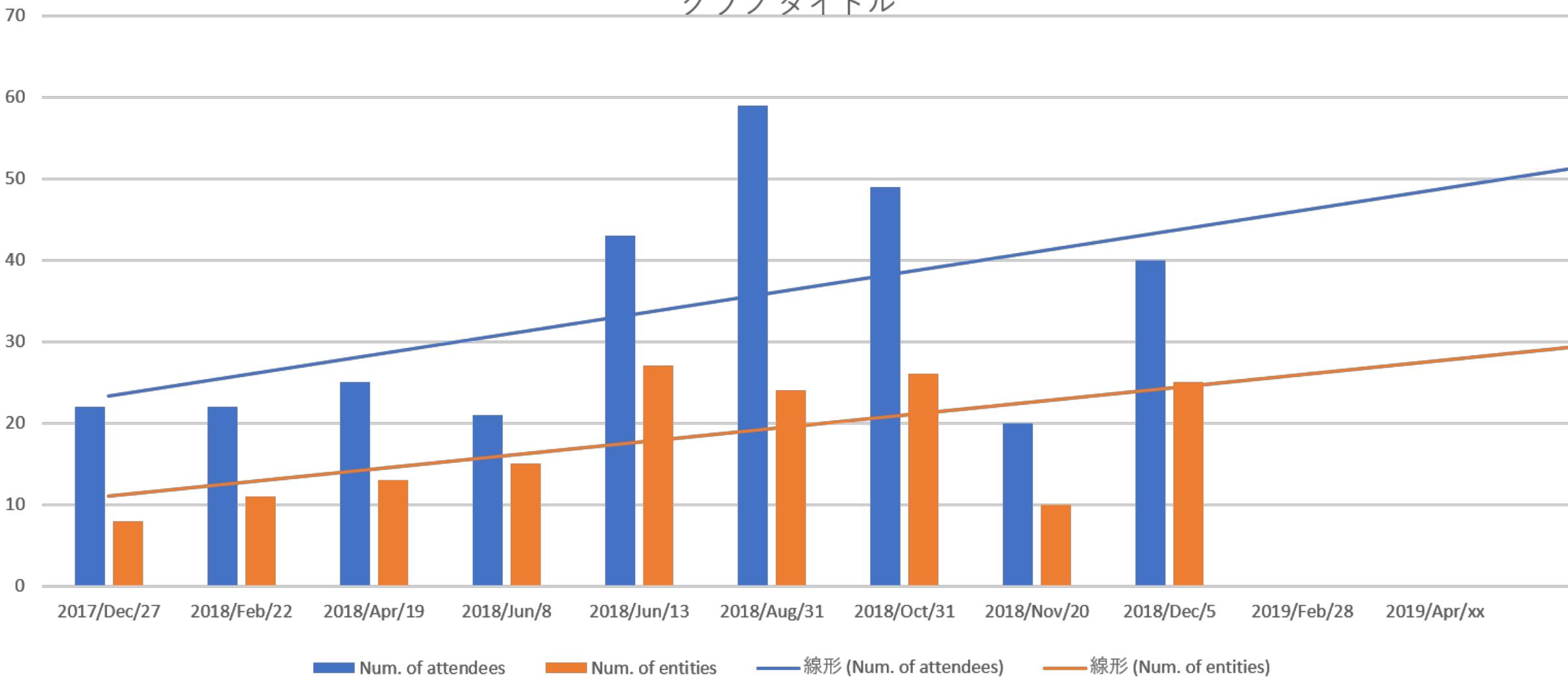


Specification Mailing List

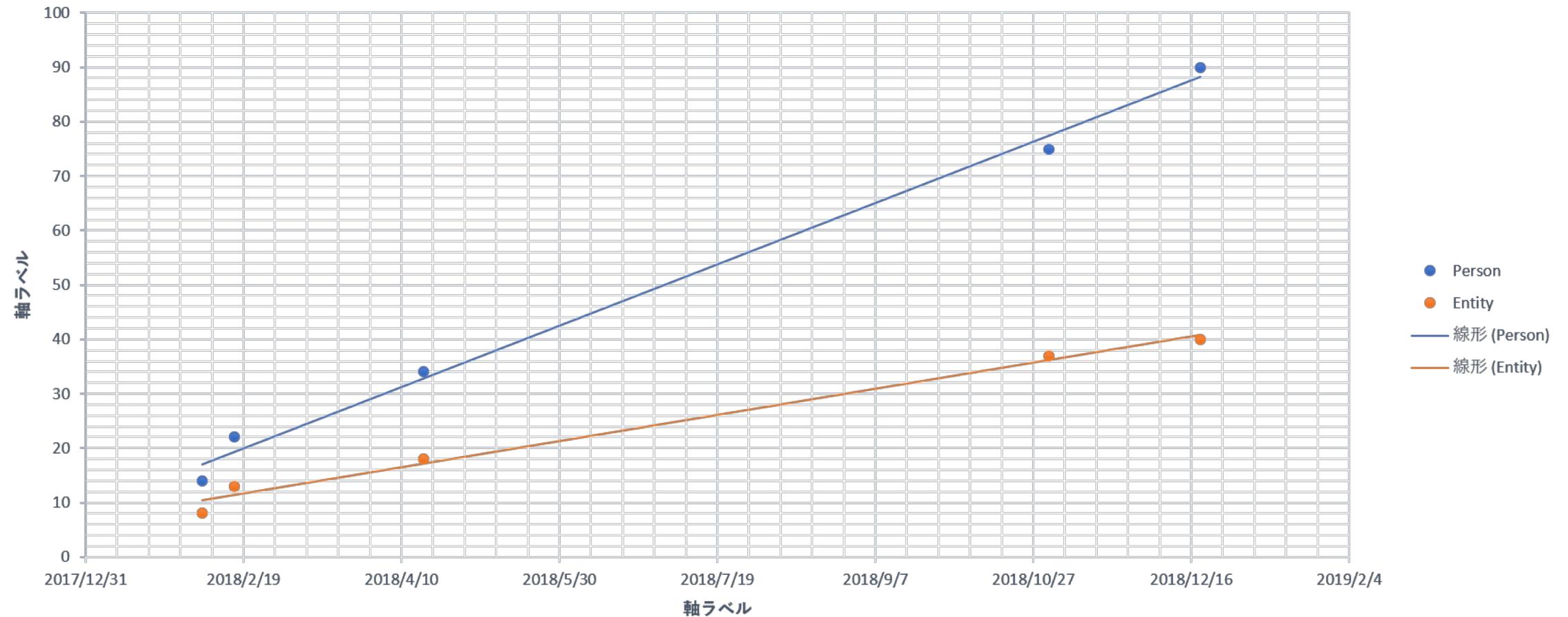
Recent Progress

1. International Partners - from law firms to certification authorities in Europe, Asia and the Americas
2. Significant new board members like Toshiba, Facebook, Google, Uber and Microsoft
3. A move towards formal standardization via the PAS process for ISO with ETA Q1 2020

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Meetings in Japan



Japanese Mailing List

Audited Certification



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