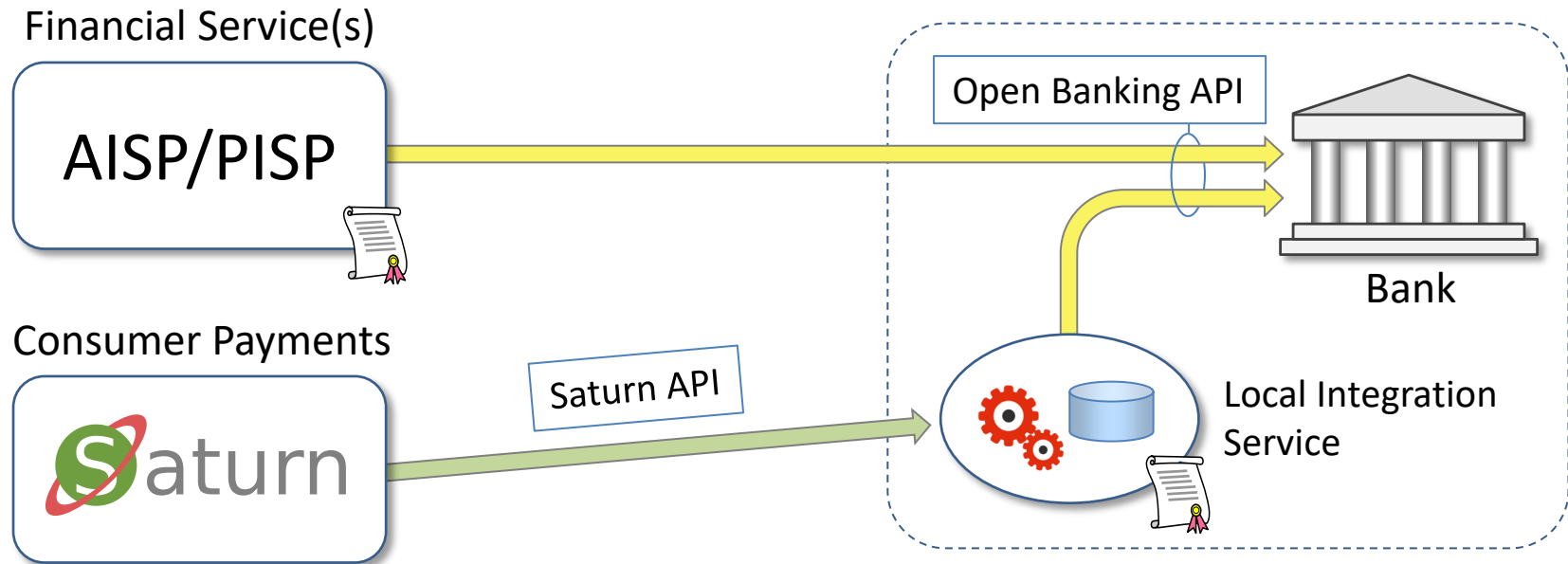


# Extending the reach of Open Banking APIs



In theory Open Banking APIs can support *Consumer Payments*. However, due to expensive TTP certification schemes as well as to an entirely undefined client environment ("Wallet"), it would effectively require a new VISA to scale which probably were not the PSD2 regulators' intentions.

Saturn is an *open, light-weight scheme* (including "Wallet"), *dedicated for Consumer Payments* which though requires its own API. Since APIs for external consumption come with considerable development and maintenance costs this represents a major hurdle to adoption.

By rather reusing Open Banking APIs in a novel way integration costs can be kept reasonable as well as spread over multiple banks having the same flavor of Open Banking API.