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QMI IDL/QCCI/QCSI Overview

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A	Mar 2011	Initial release
B	Jun 2011	Updated to Qualcomm standards
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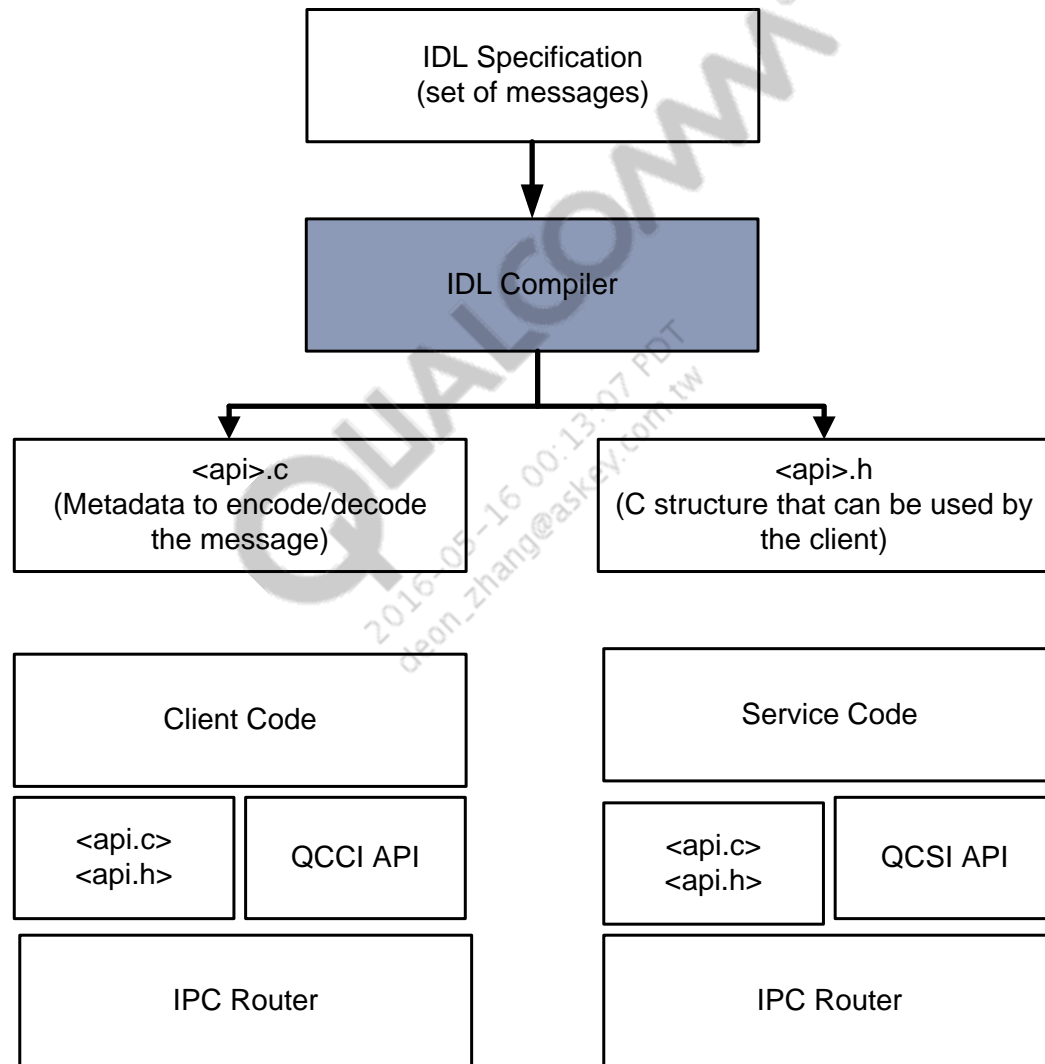
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Introduction

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Introduction of IDL/QCCI/QCSI



Note: This picture is for new services developed using the new tools.

Introduction of IDL/QCCI/QCSI (cont.)

- IDL language and IDL Compiler
 - The syntax of QCT IDL is similar to the C programming language; the IDL Compiler generates the source file and header file
- The QMI Common Client Interface (QCCI)
 - C library that includes interfaces for all QMI services autogenerated from IDL
 - Registers clients with a service
 - Performs encoding/decoding of QMI messages
 - Exchanges messages
 - Synchronous and asynchronous command/response
 - Asynchronous indications
 - Registers clients with a service
 - IPC Router used for new services

QMI Common Service Interface (QCSI)

- QCSI wraps the QMI framework and provides service interface analogous to QCCI
- Performs encoding/decoding of QMI messages
- Includes autogenerated files for all QMI service interfaces
- C language library with functions to:
 - Register a service
 - Inform the service of client registration/deregistration
 - Deliver a request from a client and send a response
 - Send asynchronous indications
- Pairs up the service response with the request transaction



IDL QMI

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- QMI interfaces are written in an Interface Definition Language (IDL)
- Autogenerated files
 - IDL Compiler generates the <api>.c and <api>.h
 - Header file containing data types for all QMI messages
 - Source file containing meta-data needed by the encode/decode library
 - Interface documentation
- Encode/decode library
 - C routines translate between the C data structures and the wire message format
 - Library is independent and decoupled from autogenerated files
 - Meta information to encode/decode the messages would be generated in <api>.c as Service_Object
 - During Service/Client initiation, the meta information would be registered to QCSI/QCCI for message encode/decode
 - Clients/Service can send/receive messages by using QCCI/QCSI API

IDL Example

■ Message definition

revision 1 ← Revision Statement

```
///  
// @MSG QMI_PING_REQ  
// @TYPE Request  
// @SENDER Control point  
//-----  
message {  
    ///  
    mandatory char ping[4];  
} ping_req_msg;  
  
///  
// @MSG QMI_PING_DATA_RESP  
// @TYPE Response  
// @SENDER Service  
//-----  
  
message {  
    ///  
    mandatory uint8 data<PING_MAX_DATA_SIZE>;  
    ///  
    mandatory qmi_response_type resp;  
    ///  
    < Standard response type.  
} ping_data_resp_msg;
```

■ Service definition

```
service ping {  
    ///  
    @ID QMI_PING  
    ping_req_msg  
    QMI_PING_REQ,  
    ping_resp_msg  
    QMI_PING_RESP,  
    ping_ind_msg  
    QMI_PING_IND;  
    ///  
    @ID QMI_PING_DATA  
    ping_data_req_msg  
    QMI_PING_DATA_REQ,  
    ping_data_resp_msg  
    QMI_PING_DATA_RESP;  
    ///  
    @QMI_PING_DATA_IND_REG  
    ping_data_ind_reg_req_msg  
    QMI_PING_DATA_IND_REG_REQ,  
    ping_data_ind_reg_resp_msg  
    QMI_PING_DATA_IND_REG_RESP;  
    ///  
    @QMI_PING_DATA_INDICATION  
    ping_data_ind_msg  
    QMI_PING_DATA_IND;  
} = 0x55;
```

← Service ID

.h Example

■ Message definition

```
typedef struct {  
    /* Mandatory */  
    /* Ping */  
    char ping[4];  
}ping_req_msg_v01; /* Message */  
  
typedef struct {  
    /* Mandatory */  
    /* Pong */  
    char pong[4];  
  
    /* Mandatory */  
    /* Result Code */  
    qmi_response_type_v01 resp; /* Standard  
response type. */  
}ping_resp_msg_v01; /* Message */
```

■ Service definition

```
/*Service Message Definition*/  
#define QMI_PING_REQ_V01 0x0001 ← Message ID  
#define QMI_PING_RESP_V01 0x0001  
#define QMI_PING_IND_V01 0x0001  
#define QMI_PING_DATA_REQ_V01 0x0002  
#define QMI_PING_DATA_RESP_V01 0x0002  
#define QMI_PING_DATA_IND_REG_REQ_V01 0x0003  
#define QMI_PING_DATA_IND_REG_RESP_V01 0x0003  
#define QMI_PING_DATA_IND_V01 0x0004  
  
/* Service Object Accessor */ ← Service Object  
qmi_idl_service_object_type  
ping_get_service_object_internal_v01  
( int32_t idl_maj_version, int32_t  
idl_min_version, int32_t library_version );  
  
#define ping_get_service_object_v01( ) \  
    ping_get_service_object_internal_v01(  
\  
        PING_V01_IDL_MAJOR_VERS,  
PING_V01_IDL_MINOR_VERS, \  
        PING_V01_IDL_TOOL_VERS )
```

.c Example

■ Message meta information

```
/*Type Definitions*/
/*Message Definitions*/
static const uint8_t ping_req_msg_data_v01[] =
{
    QMI_IDL_TLV_FLAGS_LAST_TLV | 0x01,
    QMI_IDL_FLAGS_IS_ARRAY |
QMI_IDL_GENERIC_1_BYTE,
    QMI_IDL_OFFSET8(ping_req_msg_v01, ping),
    4
};

static const uint8_t ping_resp_msg_data_v01[] =
{
    0x01,
    QMI_IDL_FLAGS_IS_ARRAY |
QMI_IDL_GENERIC_1_BYTE,
    QMI_IDL_OFFSET8(ping_resp_msg_v01, pong),
    4,

    QMI_IDL_TLV_FLAGS_LAST_TLV | 0x02,
    QMI_IDLAggregate,
    QMI_IDL_OFFSET8(ping_resp_msg_v01, resp),
    0, 1
};
```

■ Service object

```
/* Service Object Accessor */ ← Service Object
qmi_idl_service_object_type
ping_get_service_object_internal_v01
( int32_t idl_maj_version, int32_t
idl_min_version, int32_t library_version ){
    if ( PING_V01_IDL_MAJOR_VERS !=
idl_maj_version || PING_V01_IDL_MINOR_VERS !=
idl_min_version
        || PING_V01_IDL_TOOL_VERS !=
library_version)
    {
        return NULL;
    }
    return
(qmi_idl_service_object_type)&ping_qmi_idl_serv
ice_object_v01;
}
```

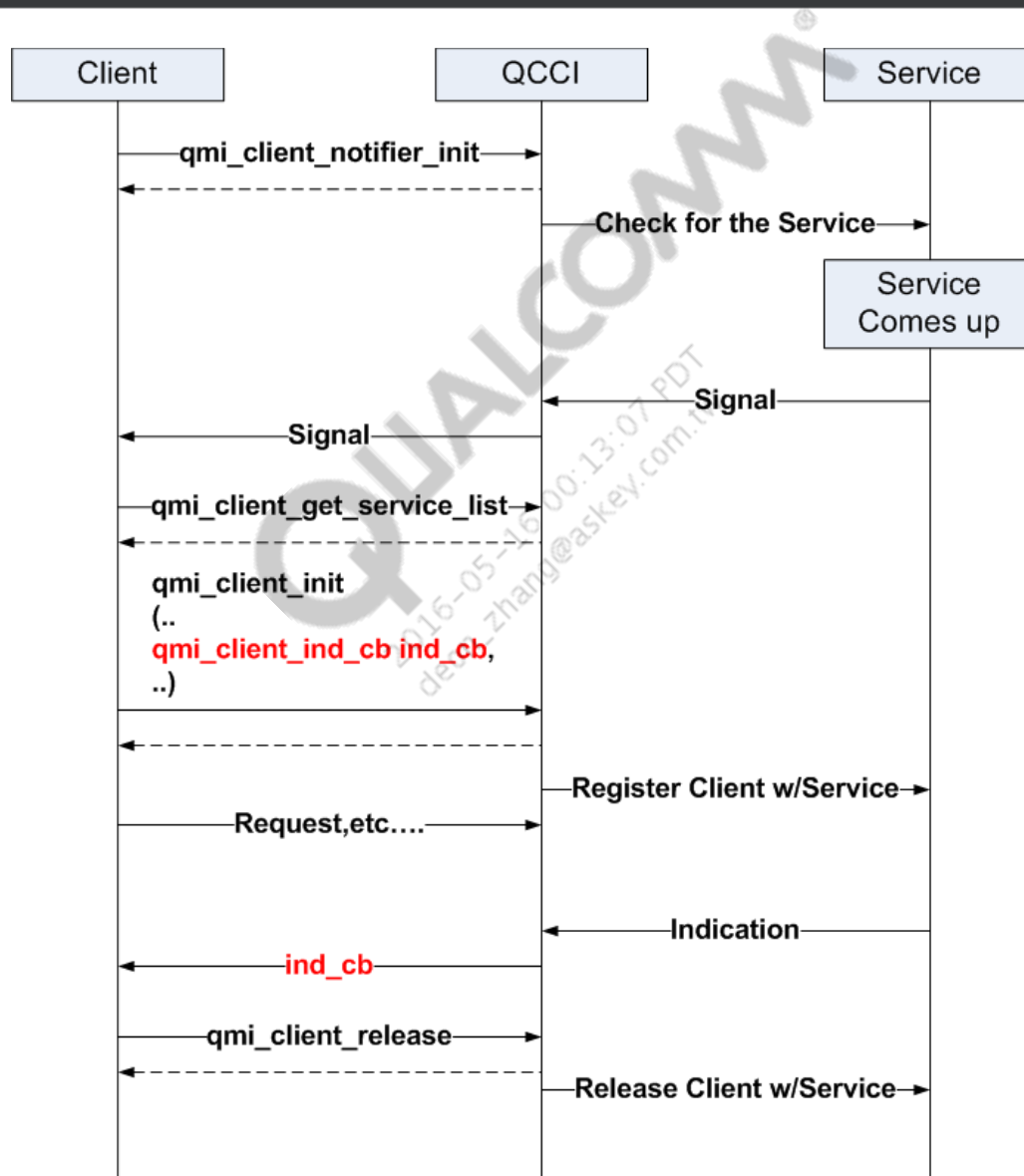


QCCI

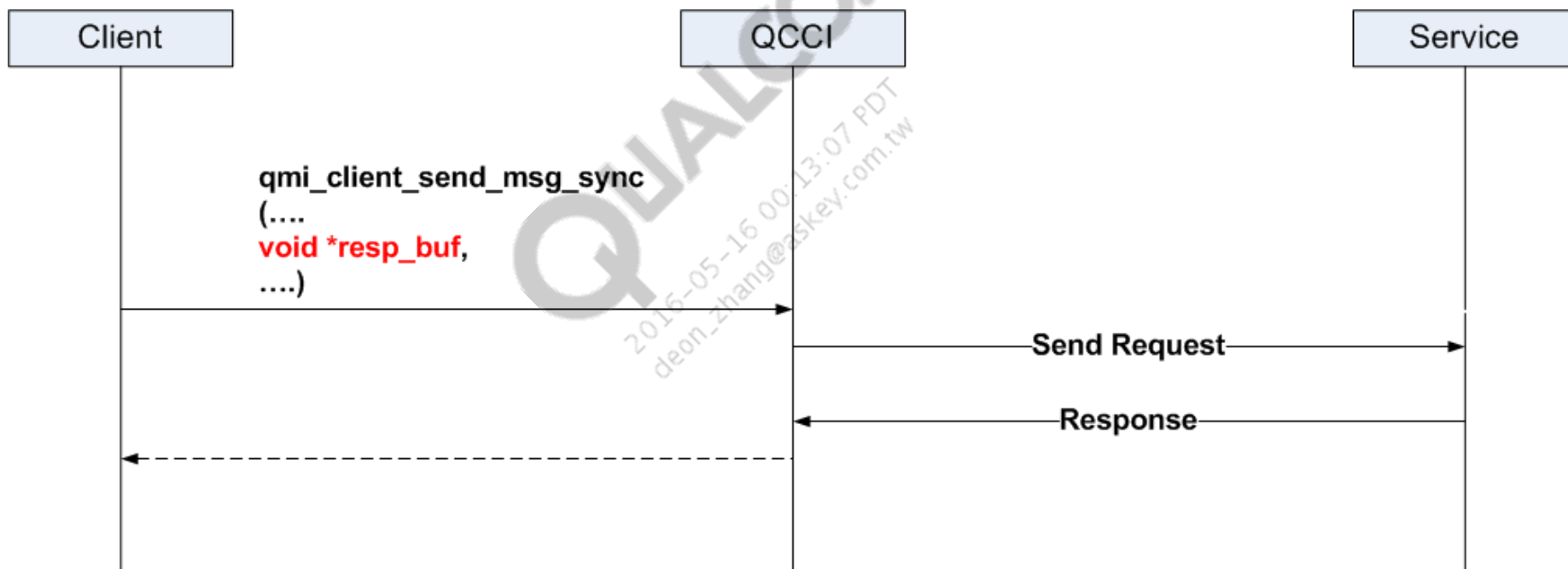
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- QCCI is a set of APIs that allow the client to send and receive QMI messages to and from the server.
- QCCI APIs
 - Callback function prototypes
 - qmi_client_rcv_raw_msg_async_cb
 - qmi_client_rcv_msg_async_cb
 - qmi_client_ind_cb
 - Connection APIs
 - qmi_client_notifier_init
 - qmi_client_init
 - qmi_client_get_service_list
 - Message sending APIs
 - qmi_client_send_raw_msg_async/qmi_client_send_raw_msg_sync
 - qmi_client_send_msg_async/qmi_client_send_msg_sync
 - qmi_client_delete_async_txn
 - Release connection APIs
 - qmi_client_release
 - Encode and decode APIs
 - qmi_client_message_encode
 - qmi_client_message_decode

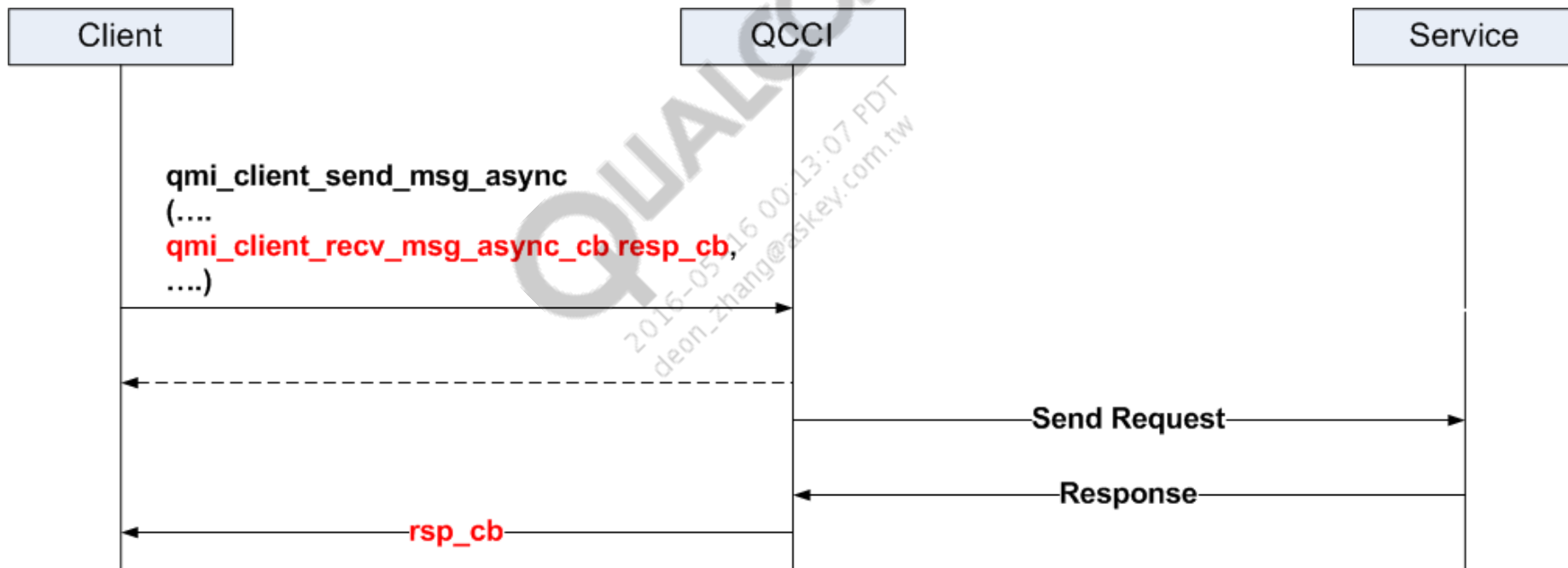
QCCI – Initializing a Client



QCCI – Sending a Message Synchronous



QCCI – Sending a Message Asynchronous





QCSI

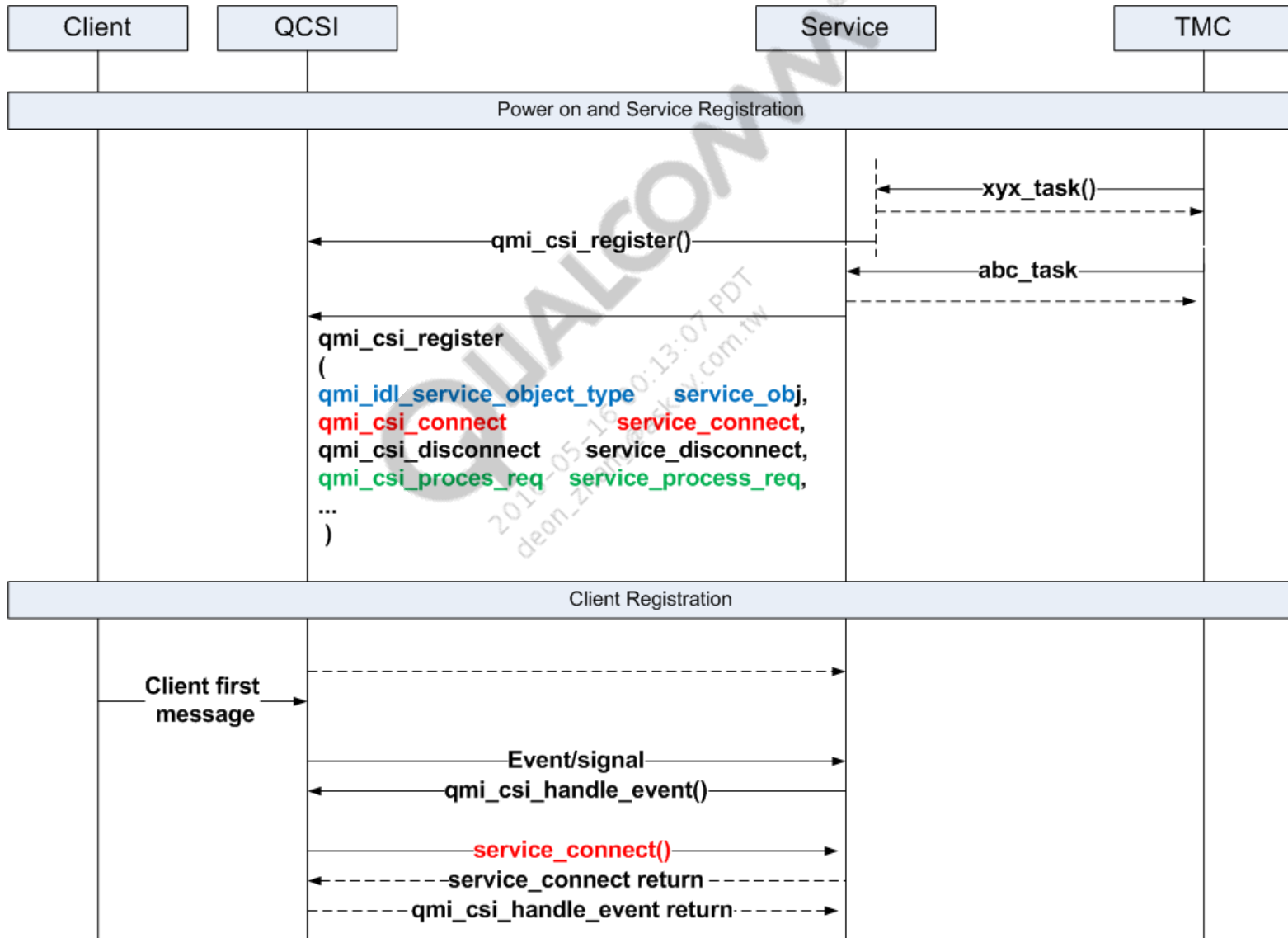
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QCSI – QMI Common Service Interface

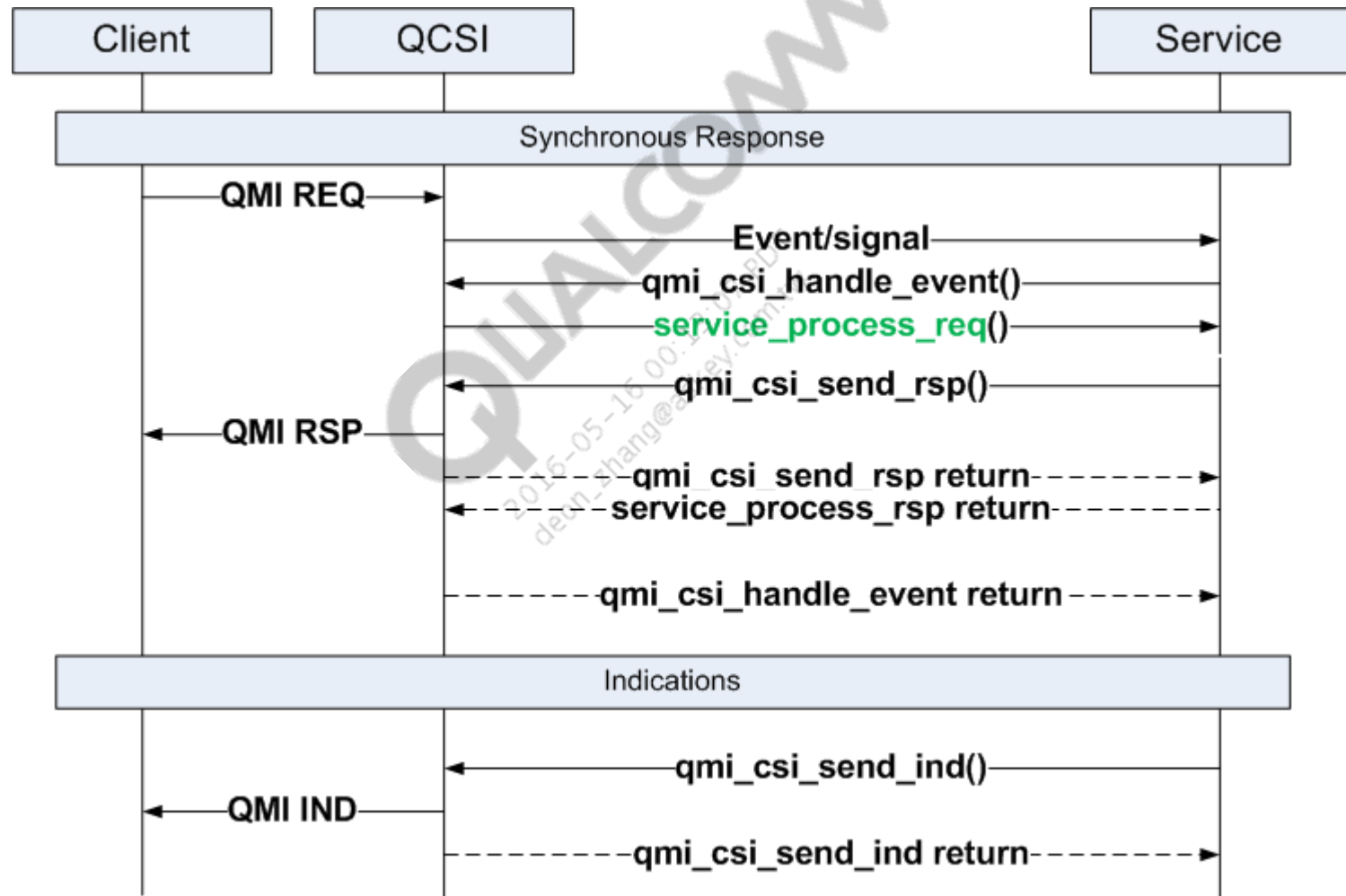
- Used with the autogenerated files from the QMI IDL compiler to write a service that can receive and respond to messages from a client, as well as send indication
- Simplifies the process of writing a QMI service by a set of APIs and callbacks for:
 - Handling requests
 - Sending responses and indications
 - Handling client connect and disconnect event
 - Encoding and decoding of messages

- Callback function prototypes
 - qmi_csi_connect
 - qmi_csi_disconnect
 - qmi_csi_process_req
- Registration APIs
 - qmi_csi_register
 - qmi_csi_unregister
- Message sending APIs
 - qmi_csi_send_resp
 - qmi_csi_send_ind
 - qmi_csi_send_broadcast_ind
- Event handling APIs
 - qmi_csi_handle_event

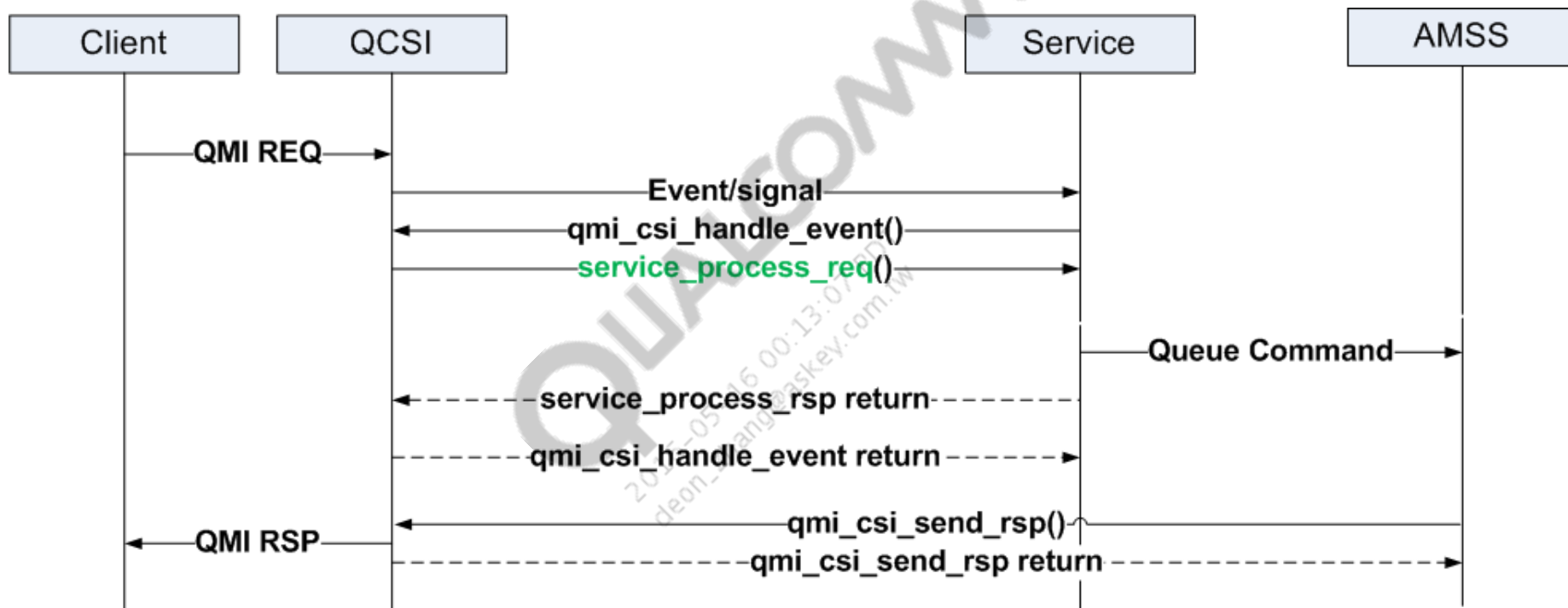
QCSI – Service Registration and Client Registration



QCCI – Synchronous Response and Indication



QCCI – Asynchronous Response

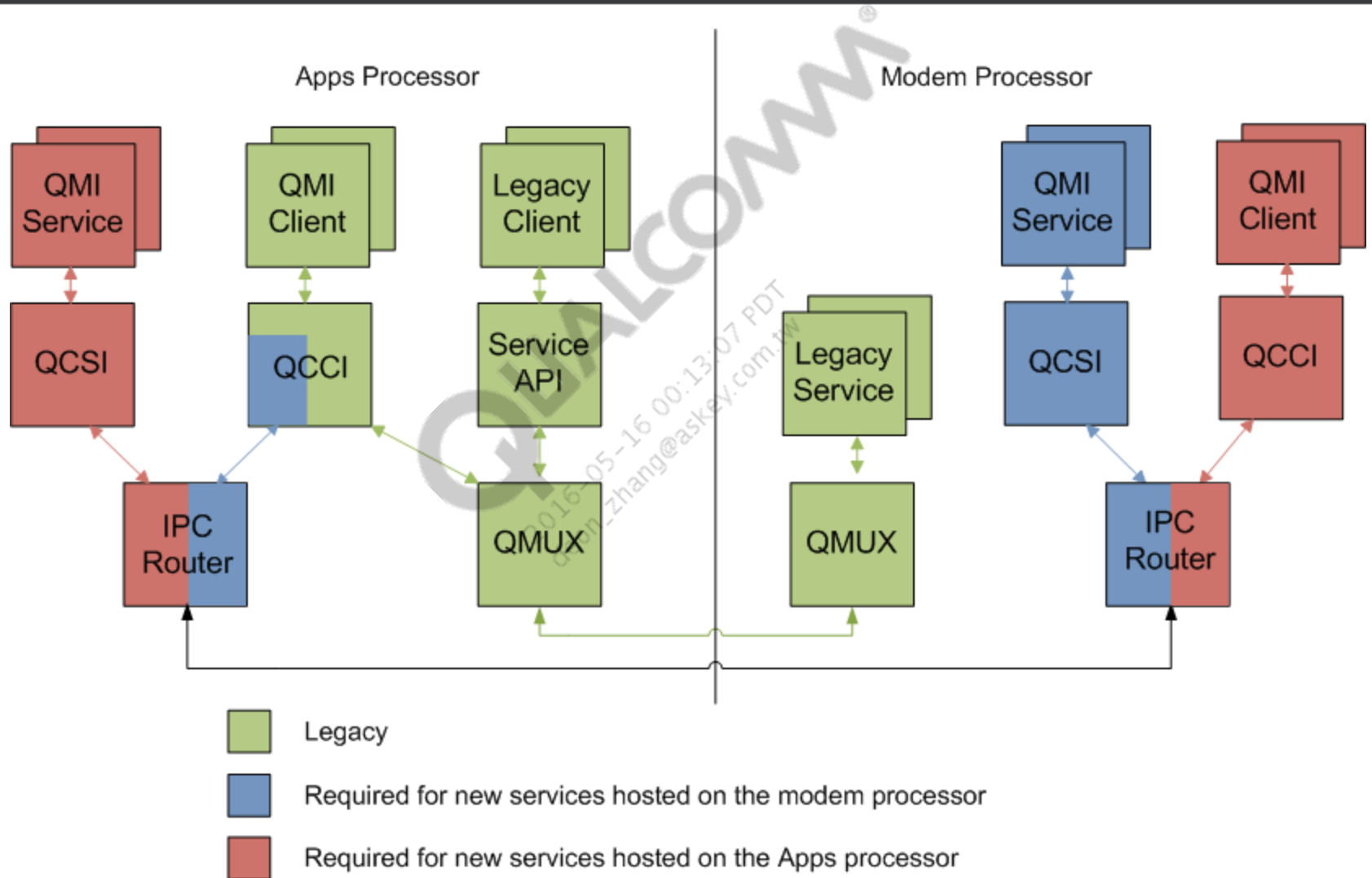




Backward Compatible with Legacy Services

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Backward Compatible with Legacy Services



Backward Compatible with Legacy Services (cont.)

- QMI Link Layer
 - QCCI/QCSI decides to use Qmux or IPC Router, based on Service ID
 - IPC Router used for new services
 - QCCI/QCSI interface is the same even though Qmux and IPC Router interfaces are different
- New QCSI/QCCI exists in both the modem side and app side.
 - Services located in the modem side use the QCSI in the modem side, e.g., Universal Location Provider (ULP) Service
 - Services located in the app side use the QCSI in the apps side, e.g., EFS Service



QMI Core Server Framework APIs

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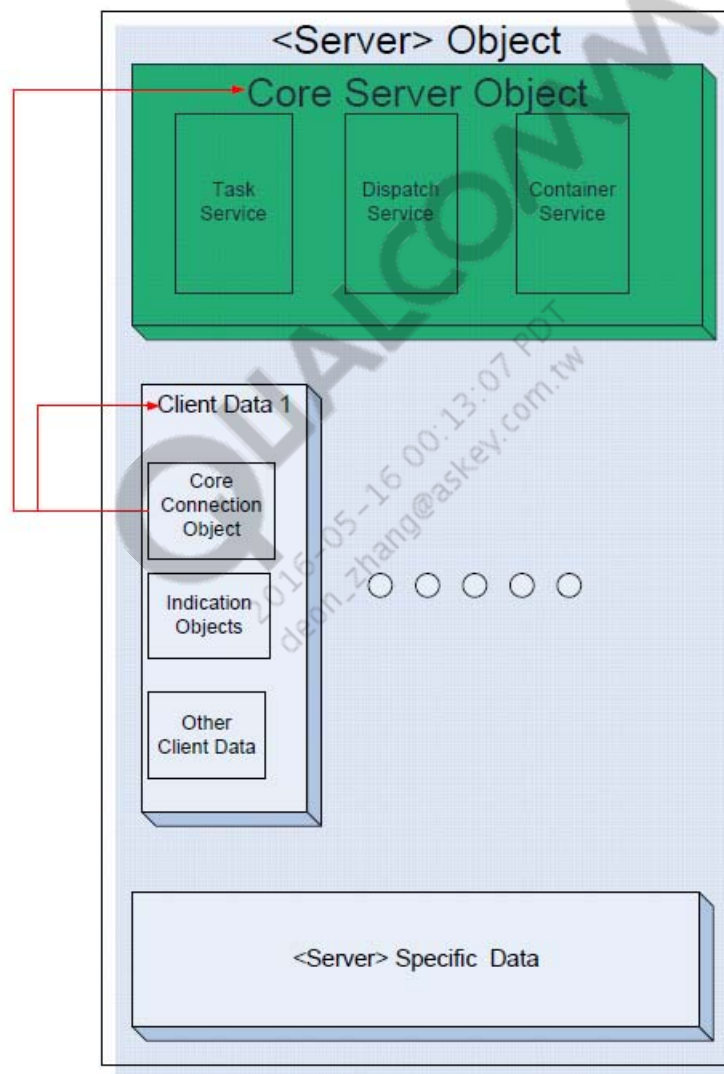
QMI Core Server Framework APIs

- These APIs are built on top of the QCSI framework
- The primary purpose is to facilitate the clients to implement a server with less effort
- The framework allows the users to write an object-based server that extends the core server object. The core server object provides generic functionality that every service needs

QMI Core Server Framework APIs

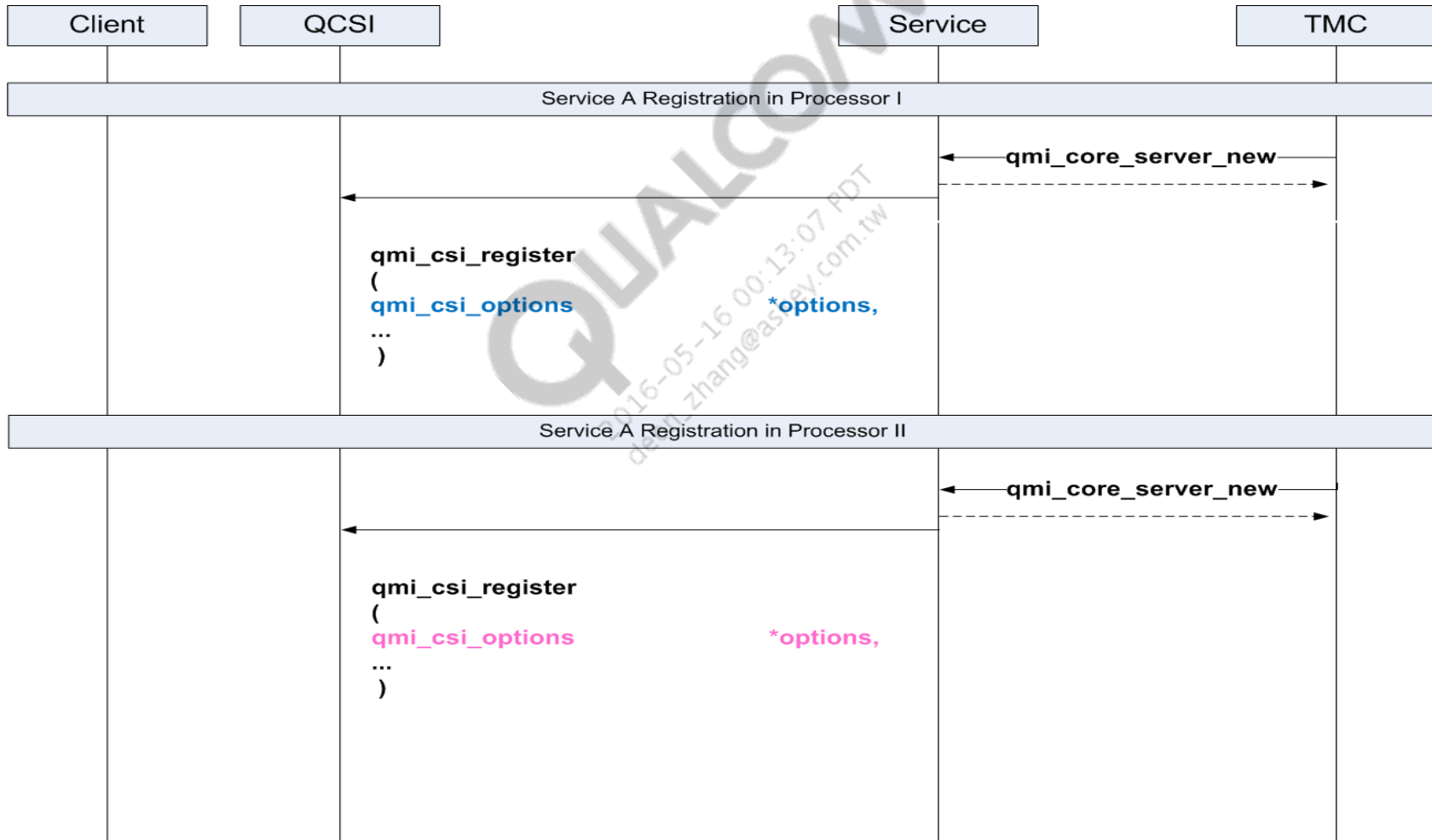
- Callback Function Prototypes
 - qmi_csi_connect
 - qmi_csi_disconnect
 - qmi_csi_process_req
- Constructor/Destructor APIs
 - qmi_core_server_new
 - qmi_core_server_delete
- Registration APIs
 - qmi_core_server_register
 - qmi_core_server_unregister
 - qmi_core_server_register_client
 - qmi_core_server_unregister_client
- Message Dispatch APIs
 - qmi_core_server_dispatch_msg
 - qmi_core_server_send_ind
 - qmi_core_server_send_resp
- Event Handling APIs
 - qmi_core_server_handle_event
- Utility APIs
 - qmi_core_server_start_server
 - qmi_core_server_check_valid_object
 - qmi_core_server_get_client_data
 - qmi_core_server_get_os_params

QMI Core Server Framework APIs – Service Object

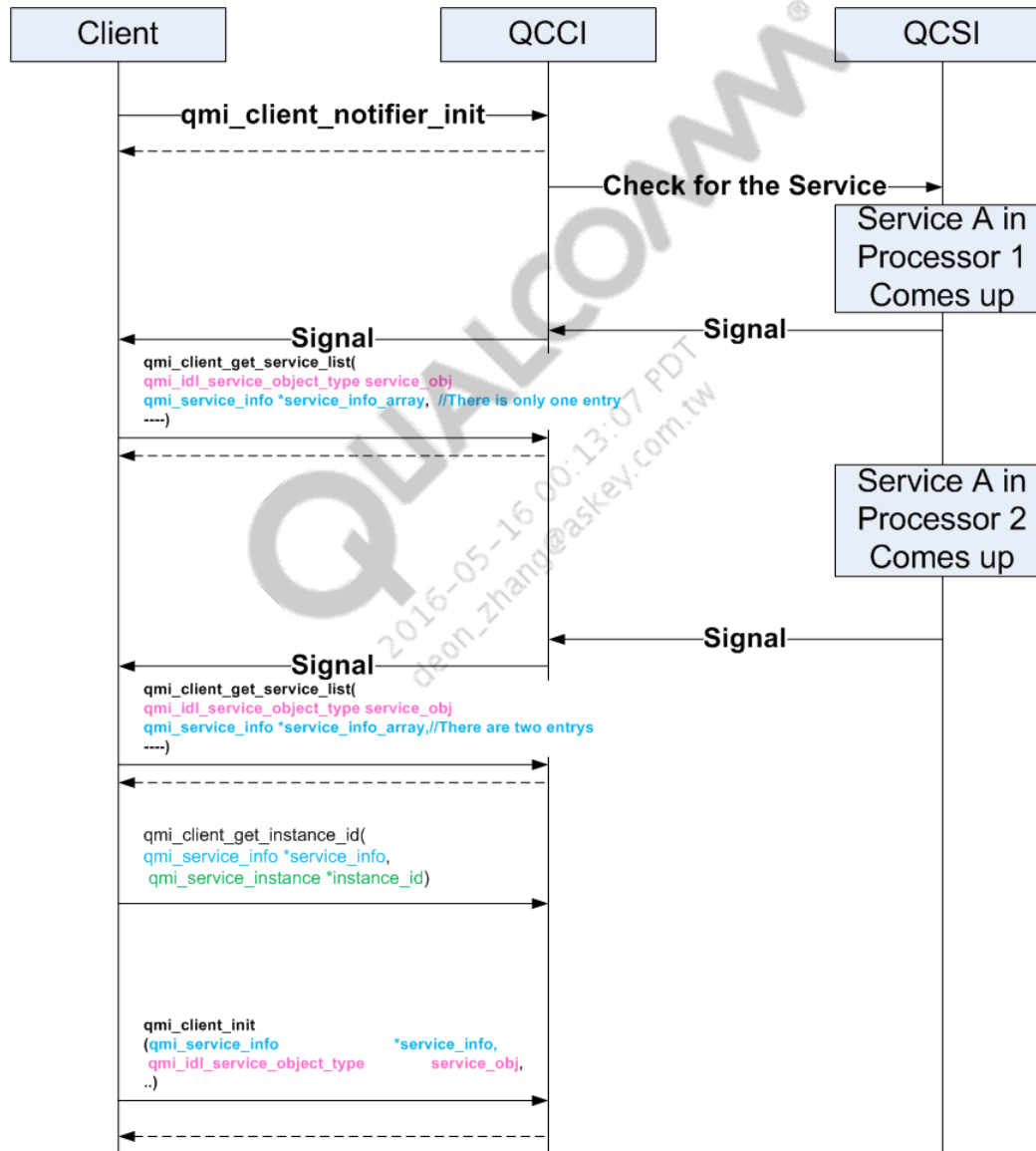


Example – Service A Running in Two Processors

- There is instance_id in qmi_csi_options
- <service id> : <version> : <instance> should be unique



Example – Client Initialization with Service A Running in Processors 1 and 2



References

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Q2	QMI Client API Reference Guide	80-N1123-1
Q3	QMI Common Service APIs Reference Guide	80-N1123-2
Q4	QCT API Guidelines and Tools	80-N0846-1



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