

# Community Generated OpenStack Roadmap

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# Roadmap creation process

# Our approach to generating the roadmap

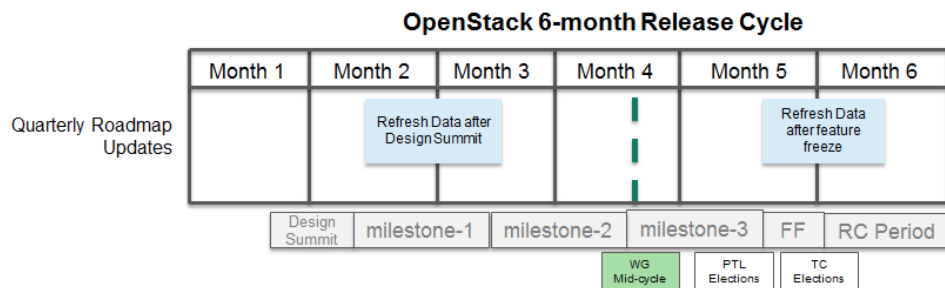
The community generated roadmap is refreshed twice per release cycle

## Inclusion Criteria

- Based on latest OpenStack user survey
- 10% or greater adoption
- Essential projects that do not register adoption data (i.e. Oslo, RefStack)
- Additional projects as time permit

## Information Gathering

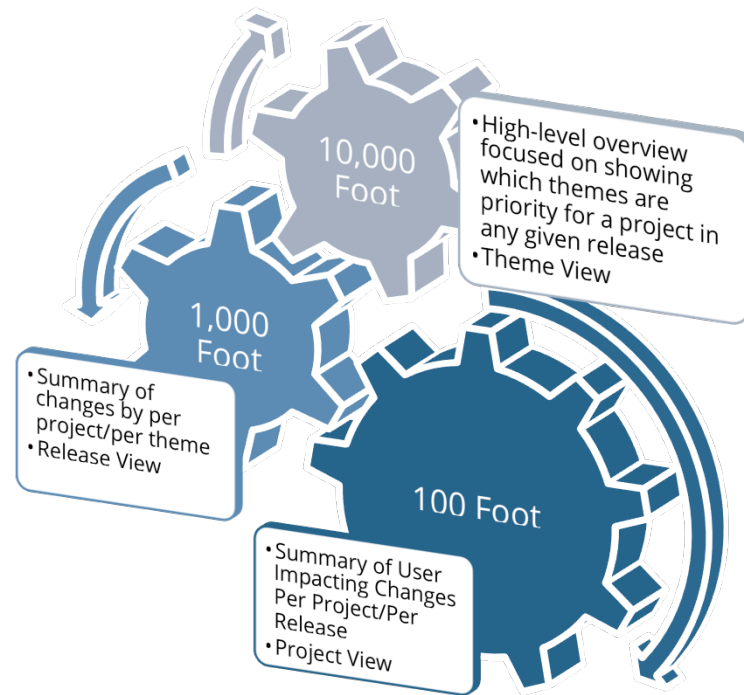
- Establish a baseline from past roadmaps and gathered source data
- **Gather insights** through interviews with PTLs or designated cores (Current & Forward Looking)
- **Develop Roadmap**
- **Validate draft** with PTLs or designated cores
- **Communicate** (Release package, summit session, publish on [openstack.org](https://openstack.org))



# Our approach to presenting the roadmap

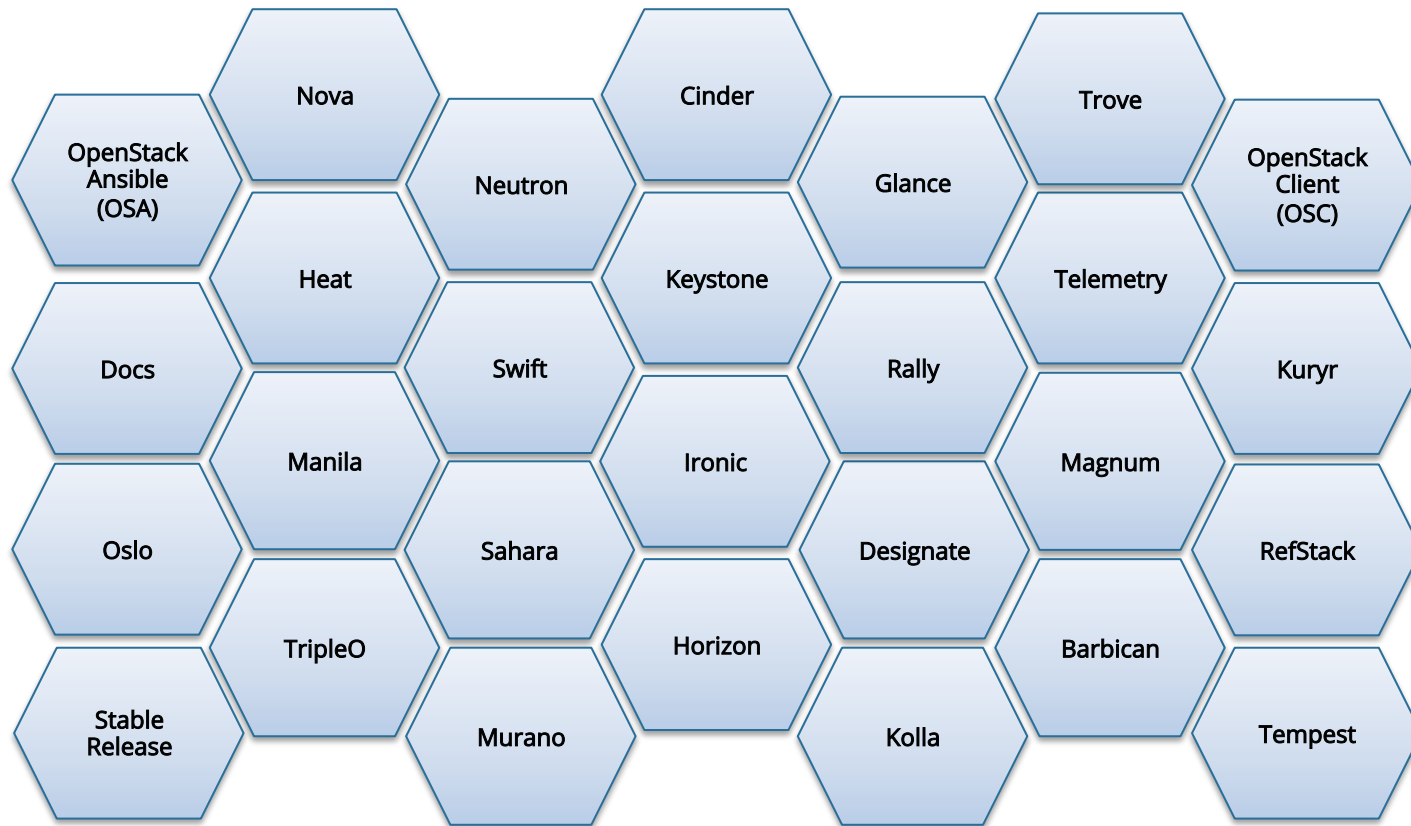
Multiple Views of a Multi-Release Roadmap

*100,000 foot: Focus only on themes and releases*



*Original Data Sources (Blueprints/Specs/Raw Data From PTL Conversations)*

# Project coverage: Newton roadmap update





# Definition of the themes

## *Scalability*

Items that will impact the scale at which the service can operate

## *Resiliency*

Items that will impact the high availability or ability to recover from failures for the service

## *Manageability*

Items that improve the User Experience (UX), promote operational ease-of-use, or enhance the capabilities of the service

## *Modularity*

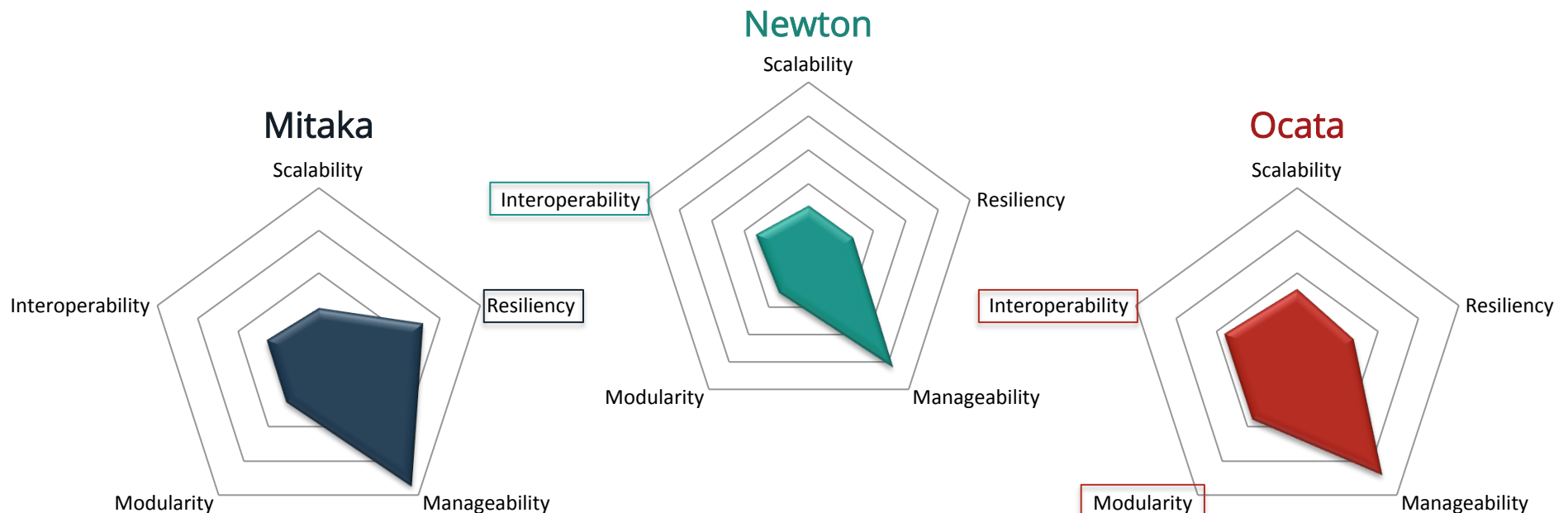
Changes that enhance the modularity of the service architecture and usually result in a more manageable code-base and/or remove duplicity of efforts

## *Interoperability*

Items that enable the service to operate across multiple OpenStack clouds [federation], promote a common experience across separate OpenStack-Powered clouds [interop], or add dependency on another OpenStack service [service dependency], and/or backwards compatibility [compatibility]

100,000 ft. and 10,000 ft. views  
(themes centric)

# 100,000 ft. view: release themes



Note: Manageability is a “focus” theme for almost all releases and, therefore, we chose to highlight the remaining themes. We will be breaking the manageability definition into multiple themes in the next release to gain better insight.

# 10,000 ft. view of the roadmap

	Scalability			Resiliency			Manageability			Modularity			Interoperability		
	Increases Scale			Availability or Durability			Operations and UX			Service/Component Modularity			Interop, Federation, Compatability		
	Mitaka	Newton	Ocata	Mitaka	Newton	Ocata	Mitaka	Newton	Ocata	Mitaka	Newton	Ocata	Mitaka	Newton	Ocata
Nova		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Keystone							✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			
Horizon		✓					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
Glance	✓		✓	✓			✓	✓					✓	✓	✓
Neutron	✓	✓	...	✓		...	✓	✓	...			...		✓	...
Cinder				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓					
Heat	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓							
Telemetry	✓	✓		✓			✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓
Swift	✓		✓	✓			✓	✓							
Trove					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	
Designate	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓				
Ironic	✓			✓			✓	✓	✓						✓
Sahara		✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓					✓	✓
Manila							✓	✓	✓						
Magnum				✓			✓	✓				✓			✓
Rally				✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Murano							✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	
Kolla			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	
TripleO				✓			✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			
Barbican				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓					
OS Ansible		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓		✓			✓
Kuryr			✓				✓	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓
Docs	✓	✓						✓	✓	✓	✓				
OS Client						✓	✓	✓					✓		✓
Oslo			...	✓		...	✓	✓	...	✓	✓	...		✓	...
Stable Rel.		✓	...			...	✓	✓	...			...	✓		...
RefStack			✓	✓			✓	✓	✓				✓		
QA	✓		...	✓	✓	...	✓	✓	...			...	✓		...

Key: ✓ Planned Work ... No Information Given

# 10,000 ft. view of the roadmap (with notes)

	Scalability			Resiliency			Manageability			Modularity			Interoperability		
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Nova		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Keystone							✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			
Horizon		✓					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
Glance	✓		✓	✓			✓	✓					✓	✓	✓
Neutron	✓	✓	...	✓		...	✓	✓	...			...		✓	...
Cinder				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓					
Heat	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓							
Telemetry	✓	✓		✓			✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓
Swift	✓		✓	✓			✓	✓							
Trove					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	
Designate	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓				
IroniC	✓			✓			✓	✓	✓						✓
Sahara		✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓					✓	✓
Manila				✓			✓	✓	✓						
Magnum				✓			✓	✓				✓			✓
Rally				✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Murano				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	
Kolla			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	
TripleO				✓			✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			
Barbican				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓					
OS Ansible		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓		✓			✓
Kuryr			✓				✓	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓
Docs	✓	✓					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
OS Client						✓	✓	✓			✓		✓		✓
Oslo			...	✓		...	✓	✓	...	✓	✓	...		✓	...
Stable Rel.		✓	...			...	✓	✓	...			...	✓		...
RefStack			✓	✓			✓	✓	✓				✓		
QA	✓		...	✓	✓	...	✓	✓	...			...	✓		...

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Work planned across all three releases; potential focus area for project

Most prevalent theme for current release

Note: Manageability is a "focus" theme for almost all projects and releases and, therefore, we chose to highlight the remaining themes.



1,000 ft. view  
(release centric)





# 1,000 ft. view (1/8)

Nova	Horizon
Keystone	Glance

	Scalability	Resiliency	Manageability	Modularity	Interoperability
Mitaka	<u>Glance</u> (DB purge)	<u>Nova</u> (live migration enhancements, simplified rolling upgrades)  <u>Glance</u> (keystone trusts)	<u>Keystone</u> (implied roles, time-based OTP) <u>Horizon</u> (fully customizable/theme-able, add UI for sahara and trove, auth. config support) <u>Glance</u> (improved security, auto upload/download to volumes, large image uploads)	<u>Horizon</u> (plug-in framework enhancements)	<u>Nova</u> (API Documentation) <u>Glance</u> (spec for V1 deprecation)
Newton	<i>Continuation of M+</i> <u>Nova</u> (continue Cells V2 work, continue scheduler efforts) <u>Horizon</u> (possible theme)	<i>Continuation of M+</i> <u>Nova</u> (stability improvements, )	<i>Continuation of M+</i> <u>Nova</u> (neutron routed networks) <u>Keystone</u> (start multi-factor auth. Work, common policy for all projects) <u>Horizon</u> (searchlight integration) <u>Glance</u> (harden security for V2 APIs, spec hierarchal project support)	<i>Continuation of M+</i> <u>Keystone</u> (start new service catalog) <u>Horizon</u> (angular-content enhancements)	<i>Continuation of M+</i> <u>Nova</u> (document API micro-versions) <u>Horizon</u> (start microversioned APIs) <u>Glance</u> (Image import APIs, V1 API deprecation, nova proxy image API compatibility)
Ocata	<i>Continuation of N+</i> <u>Nova</u> (possible theme) <u>Keystone</u> (possible theme) <u>Glance</u> (possible theme)	<i>Continuation of N+</i> <u>Nova</u> (possible theme)	<i>Continuation of N+</i> <u>Nova</u> (possible theme) <u>Keystone</u> (possible theme) <u>Horizon</u> (CLI parity w/ APIs, UX)	<i>Continuation of N+</i> <u>Nova</u> (possible theme) <u>Keystone</u> (continue service catalog) <u>Horizon</u> (angular-content enhancements)	<i>Continuation of N+</i> <u>Nova</u> (possible theme) <u>Horizon</u> (continue microversioned APIs) <u>Glance</u> (possible theme)



# 1,000 ft. view (2/8)

Neutron

Heat

Cinder

## Scalability

## Resiliency

## Manageability

## Modularity

## Interoperability

Mitaka

Neutron  
(external DNS, BGP dynamic routing, )  
Heat  
(convergence phase 1)

Neutron  
(add AZ support)  
Cinder  
(beta support for rolling upgrades)

Neutron  
(L2 API ext., LBaaS L7 rules, tenant delete, RBAC QoS, L2 neutron flavor framework)  
Cinder  
(updated replication)  
Heat  
(senlin support, OSC support)

Cinder  
(os-brick for majority of shared storage management)

Newton

*Continuation of M+*  
Neutron  
(DHCP options per subnet, )  
Heat  
(convergence engine finalization)

*Continuation of M+*  
Cinder  
(complete active/active cinder-volume support)  
Heat  
(convergence phase 2- healing)

*Continuation of M+*  
Neutron  
(FWaaS V2 API, multiple L3 backends, VM w/o IP address)  
Cinder  
(better error reporting, cinder w/o nova, API improvements)  
Heat  
(condition functions)

*Continuation of M+*

*Continuation of M+*  
Neutron  
(identity V3 support)

Ocata

*Continuation of N+*  
Heat  
(engine parallelization)

*Continuation of N+*  
Cinder  
(possible theme)  
Heat  
(possible theme)

*Continuation of N+*

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# 1,000 ft. view (3/8)

Ceilometer

Gnocchi

Aodh

## Scalability

## Resiliency

## Manageability

## Modularity

## Interoperability

Mitaka

Ceilometer  
(batch messaging)

Ceilometer  
(rolling upgrade support)

Ceilometer  
(Gnocchi integration improvements, LBaaS V2 polling)  
Aodh  
(composite alarm rules, aodhclient)  
Gnocchi  
(lz4 optimized storage, batch measures API, time-split aggregated time-series storage)

Ceilometer  
(identity V3 support)  
Aodh  
(identity V3 support)

Newton

*Continuation of M+*  
Ceilometer  
(reduced nova polling)  
Aodh  
(multiple workers for event alarms)  
Gnocchi  
(indexer sharding, dynamic resource creation)

*Continuation of M+*

*Continuation of M+*  
Ceilometer  
(track cinder capacity notifications, synchronization API, record periodicity of samples, custom instance discovery polling)

*Continuation of M+*  
Aodh  
(oslo.db pagination)

*Continuation of M+*  
Ceilometer  
(tempest plugins)  
Aodh  
(in-tree tempest plugins)

Ocata

*Continuation of N+*

*Continuation of N+*

*Continuation of N+*  
Ceilometer  
(DB migration to gnocchi)  
Aodh  
(mongo/hbase to SQL backend converter)

*Continuation of N+*

*Continuation of N+*  
Gnocchi  
(migrate tempest plugins)



# 1,000 ft. view (4/8)

Swift

Designate

Trove

Ironic

## Scalability

## Resiliency

## Manageability

## Modularity

## Interoperability

Mitaka

Swift  
(POST efficiency improvements)  
Designate  
(multiple pools for zones)  
Ironic  
(increased parallelism for long running tasks)

Swift  
(improved RING rebalancing)  
Ironic  
(RAID configuration)

Swift  
(container and account reverse listings, full IPv6 support)  
Trove  
(features for Cassandra data stores, grow/shrink Percona data stores)  
Designate  
(OSC support, refactor domain to zones)  
Ironic  
(manual cleaning)

Trove  
(module management for data stores)

*Continuation of M+*

*Continuation of M+*

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*Continuation of M+*

Newton

Trove  
(self healing for clusters)

Swift  
(*continue* data at rest encryption)  
Trove  
(security enhancements for instances)  
Designate  
(DNSec, new horizon panels)  
Ironic  
(multi-tenant net support)

Trove  
(module management for data stores)  
Designate  
(service consolidation)

Trove  
(additional distro support)  
Ironic  
(multi-compute-host support for nova, start boot from volume (BfV) for bare metal)

Ocata

*Continuation of N+*  
Swift  
(scalability improvements for large clusters)  
Designate  
(per tenant DNS servers)

*Continuation of N+*  
Trove  
(monitoring and healing of instances)

*Continuation of N+*  
Trove  
(possible theme)  
Designate  
(non-standard DNS record types, GeoIP support)  
Ironic  
(possible theme)

*Continuation of N+*

*Continuation of N+*  
Ironic  
(nova, multi-tenant, and BfV)



# 1,000 ft. view (5/8)

Sahara	Magnum
Manila	Rally

	Scalability	Resiliency	Manageability	Modularity	Interoperability
Mitaka		<u>Sahara</u> (cluster verification checks) <u>Rally</u> (cleanup after crash) <u>Magnum</u> (HA bay configuration)	<u>Sahara</u> (suspend/resume jobs, CDH 5.5, UX simplification) <u>Manila</u> (share replication, additional 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> party drivers) <u>Magnum</u> (enhanced docs, improved functional test coverage, CoreOS support for k8s bay) <u>Rally</u> (time series reporting, VM workloads framework)	<u>Rally</u> (tempest config. generator refactoring)	<u>Rally</u> (unit test coverage, API version coverage)
	<i>Continuation of M+</i>	<i>Continuation of M+</i>	<i>Continuation of M+</i>	<i>Continuation of M+</i>	<i>Continuation of M+</i>
Newton	<u>Sahara</u> (increase horizontal scalability)	<u>Sahara</u> (cluster health monitor via horizon)	<u>Sahara</u> (trusted cluster create/scale, EDP enhancements) <u>Manila</u> (expanded share replication, share migration, grouping concept) <u>Magnum</u> (neutron integration w/o additional overlay, cinder volume support, ops documentation) <u>Rally</u> (ramp up load generator, graceful shutdown, export task/verification results)	<u>Rally</u> (nested atomic operations)	<u>Sahara</u> (migrate tests to tempest)
	<i>Continuation of N+</i>	<i>Continuation of N+</i>	<i>Continuation of N+</i>	<i>Continuation of N+</i>	<i>Continuation of N+</i>
Ocata			<u>Sahara</u> (cinder snapshots for provisioned services) <u>Manila</u> (new APIs/functions) <u>Rally</u> (multi-scenario load generation, Rally as a Service)	<u>Rally</u> (persistent context, package management for plugins) <u>Magnum</u> (possible theme)	<u>Sahara</u> (python 3.x compatibility) <u>Magnum</u> (possible theme)



# 1,000 ft. view (6/8)

Murano

TripleO

Kolla

Barbican

Scalability

Resiliency

Manageability

Modularity

Interoperability

Mitaka

Kolla  
(minimally disruptive  
upgrades from Liberty,  
infrastructure services  
diagnostics, expanded service  
diagnostics)  
TripleO  
(better upgrades)

Murano  
(test-runner, PL improvements, TOSCA  
support, deploy agent via cloud-init)  
Kolla  
(plugin support: Manila, Mistral,,  
security enhancements)  
TripleO  
(initial IPv6 support, SSL support)  
Barbican  
(user meta-data, stability/polish)

Kolla  
(testing enhancements)

Murano  
(i18n support)

*Continuation of M+*

*Continuation of M+*

*Continuation of M+*

*Continuation of M+*

*Continuation of M+*

Newton

Kolla  
(less disruptive upgrades,  
expanded service diagnostics)

Murano  
(policy definitions for hybrid cloud  
apps, reusable class library, supply  
params via Horizon)  
Kolla  
(plugins: Horizon, Neutron, Nova, Cinder,  
BiFrost integration)  
TripleO  
(composable service roles, workflow API,  
enhance CLI tooling)  
Barbican  
(cryptographic capabilities, documentation)

Kolla  
(testing enhancements)  
TripleO  
(ability to use TripleO for  
provisioning or config. Only,  
investigate containerized  
deploy)

Murano  
(integrate auth support via  
Keystone)  
Kolla  
(obtain vulnerability mgmt tag,  
documentation)  
Barbican  
(integration with Designate for  
DNSSec)

*Continuation of N+*

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*Continuation of N+*

Ocata

Kolla  
(data caching)

Kolla  
(backup/restore OpenStack  
data)

Murano  
(app-centric dashboard, extend  
policy definitions)  
Kolla  
(plugins: big tent, preview k8s,  
docker enhancements)  
TripleO  
(usability improvements, auto-compute node upgrade)

TripleO  
(a la carte services, CI coverage  
of upgrades)



# 1,000 ft. view (7/8)

OSA

Docs

Kuryr

OSC

## Scalability

## Resiliency

## Manageability

## Modularity

## Interoperability

Mitaka

Documentation  
(improved information architecture)

OpenStack Ansible  
(increased test coverage with full, multi-node, gate)

OpenStack Ansible  
(LBaaS V2, ironic roles)  
Kuryr  
(full integration with docker and docker swarm, integration with k8s, official packaging, start integration with magnum)  
OpenStack Client  
(neutron API)

OpenStack Ansible  
(roles in independent repo, deploy from source)  
Documentation  
(majority of DocBook to RST conversion completed, procedural change to reduce technical debt)

OpenStack Client  
(nova-network to neutron command mappings)

Newton

*Continuation of M+*  
OpenStack Ansible  
(multi-region support)  
Documentation  
(complete information architecture changes)

*Continuation of M+*

*Continuation of M+*  
OpenStack Ansible  
(Magnum, Barbican, Designate, Searchlight, Gnocchi, Zaqar roles, MultiOS support)  
Kuryr  
(complete integration with Magnum, enhance k8s integration)  
Documentation  
(big tent projects)  
OpenStack Client  
(continue neutron API, compute/bare-metal micro-version support)

*Continuation of M+*  
Documentation  
(complete DocBook to RST conversion, improved organization of docs)

*Continuation of M+*  
Kuryr  
(start discussions on OpenStack storage and application backup integration)

Ocata

*Continuation of N+*  
OpenStack Ansible  
(possible theme)  
Kuryr  
(possible theme)

*Continuation of N+*  
OpenStack Client  
(possible theme)

*Continuation of N+*  
OpenStack Ansible  
(possible theme)  
Kuryr  
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Documentation  
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OpenStack Ansible  
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OpenStack Ansible  
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Kuryr  
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OpenStack Client  
(possible theme)



# 1,000 ft. view (8/8)

Oslo	Stable Rel.
RefStack	QA

	Scalability	Resiliency	Manageability	Modularity	Interoperability
Mitaka	<u>QA</u> (multi-node grenade)	<u>Oslo</u> (taskflow) <u>RefStack</u> (improved stability) <u>QA</u> (alpha: gate health tracking, partial upgrade beyond Nova)	<u>Oslo</u> (mutable config options runtime config., futuristic periodics, fasteners improvements) <u>RefStack</u> (improved usability, <u>start</u> vendor registration) <u>Stable Release</u> (investigate longer maintenance windows) <u>QA</u> ( <u>start</u> testr arch., service client plugin)	<u>Oslo</u> (privsep, 3 new drivers for messaging, py3 helpers, config generator) <u>Oslo</u> (neutron support rewrite, reintegrate tempest-lib)	<u>RefStack</u> (updated to work with tempest plugin) <u>Stable Release</u> (stable:follows-policy tag) <u>QA</u> (microversion support)
Newton	<i>Continuation of M+</i> <u>Stable Release</u> (tooling to enable team to scale)	<i>Continuation of M+</i> <u>QA</u> (gate health tracking)	<i>Continuation of M+</i> <u>Oslo</u> (oslo config generator improvements) <u>RefStack</u> ( <u>complete</u> vendor registration, <u>complete</u> product registration, finalize design for centralized testing by RefStack server) <u>Stable Release</u> (default 24 mo. maintenance) <u>QA</u> ( <u>complete</u> testr arch., tempest run CLI, multiple resource config)	<i>Continuation of M+</i> <u>Oslo</u> (move projects/libs to futuristic periodics)	<i>Continuation of M+</i> <u>Oslo</u> (oslo config generator adoption push, promote lib capabilities)
Ocata	<i>Continuation of N+</i> <u>RefStack</u> (possible theme)	<i>Continuation of N+</i>	<i>Continuation of N+</i> <u>RefStack</u> (POC for aggregated data analysis, additional functionality)	<i>Continuation of N+</i>	<i>Continuation of N+</i>

100 ft. view  
(project centric)



# Nova

## Project Snapshot

Compute service

# of Contributors (Mitaka):

292

# of Companies  
(Mitaka)

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## Mitaka ([82 specs](#), [63 blueprints](#))

- [Mitaka Design Series: Nova PTL Interview](#)
- Numerous Live Migration related enhancements
- Simplified rolling upgrades
- Improved API documentation

## Newton

- Stability improvements
- Documenting API microversions
- Continued efforts on Scheduler and Cells v2
- Neutron routed networks

## Ocata

- Likely to continue to be a mix across all the themes of Modularity, Manageability, Scalability, Resiliency and Interoperability



# Keystone

## Project Snapshot

OpenStack identity  
management and service  
catalog

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## Mitaka ([16](#) blueprints, [17](#) specs)

- Implied roles provide a first step in addressing policy and authorization issues that have plagued users. It will allow for more fine grained control for policy and authorization.
- Time Based One Time Password (TOTP) authentication is important because it creates a stepping stone to full multi-factor authentication in keystone. Multi-factor authentication and TOTP are essential to provide a more secure experience.

## Newton

- Continuing to work on features that enhance security, policy, and improve user experience. Specifically, looking into adding multi-factor authentication; creating a common policy scenario for all projects; and potentially creating a new version of the service catalog.

## Ocata

- Important Themes: scalability, security and user experience. Scalability and security are vital for keystone since they are the lynchpin for the rest of OpenStack. Improving the user experience by moving other services and deployments to v3 of our APIs, improving policy, and creating a new version of the service catalog.

# Horizon

## Project Snapshot

OpenStack Dashboard, which provides an extensible web based user interface to OpenStack services

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## Mitaka ([30](#) blueprints)

- Plug-in Framework Enhancements (testing, settings support) and Additions (Trove, Sahara)
- Customizable and Fully Theme-able User Interface (Bootstrap complaint, on-the-fly theme changes)
- Angular Content Extensions (Angular View, Swift Interface UX, Image View Performance)
- Authentication Configuration Support (Authentication authorities, User attribute mapping)

## Newton

- [Blueprints](#)
- Micro-versioned API
- Angular Content Enhancements (abstract commonalities, view conversion)
- Searchlight integration
- Increased API Coverage
- UX Enhancements (Scalability, Performance)

## Ocata

- Micro-versioned API
- Angular Content Enhancements (performance, data accessibility, proactive monitoring with realtime updates)
- Achieve CLI parity for API coverage and support
- UX Enhancements

## Project Snapshot

Image service

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## Mitaka ([10](#) specs, [5](#) blueprints)

- Image Signing and Verification (improved security at image upload and image boot)
- Simplified image storage (automatic upload/download to cinder volumes)
- Support large image uploads without token expiration (Support for Keystone Trusts)
- Spec agreement with Nova – prep for V1 depreciation (V2 API compatibility with Nova Proxy Image API)
- Themes: Interop, Manageability, Resiliency, Scalability

## Newton ([5](#) specs)

- Much improved image import APIs (Interop)
- V1 depreciation with Nova usage of V2 APIs
- Further security hardening of V2 APIs
- Spec work on hierarchical project support
- Themes: Interop and Manageability

## Ocata

- Interoperability theme
- Scalability theme

# Neutron

## Project Snapshot

To implement services and associated libraries to provide on-demand, scalable, and technology-agnostic network abstraction

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(\*) Stadium projects excluded

## Mitaka ([20](#) specs, [22](#) blueprints)

- [Mitaka Design Series: Neutron PTL Interview](#)
- External DNS Resolution
- Tenant Delete
- L2 API Extensions
- Neutron Flavor Framework
- Add Availability Zone
- BGP Dynamic Routing
- LBaaS L7 Rules
- Network IP Usage API
- RBAC QoS

## Newton

- [Blueprints](#) (9)
- FWaaS API 2.0
- Multiple L3 Backends
- DHCP Options Per Subnet
- Keystone v3
- VM without IP Address

## Ocata

- Blueprints TBD

# Cinder

## Project Snapshot

### Persistent volumes

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## Mitaka ([18](#) Specs, [28](#) implemented BPs)

- [Mitaka Design Series: Cinder PTL Interview](#)
- Updated replication support
- Support for versioned objects (beta support for rolling upgrades)
- Cinder/Nova now leverage os-brick for majority of shared storage management

## Newton

- Complete work for active/active cinder-volume support
- Better error reporting
- Support for using cinder without Nova (e.g. bare-metal)
- Leverage API micro-versioning to make API improvements while preserving backwards compatibility

## Ocata

- Most likely will focus on resiliency enhancements

# Heat

## Project Snapshot

OpenStack orchestration

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## Mitaka ([28](#) specs, [9](#) blueprints)

- Initial Convergence Phase 1
- Support for Senlin Resources
- OpenStack Client Support

## Newton

- Convergence Engine Finalization
- Convergence Engine Phase 2 - Healing
- Condition Functions

## Ocata

- Scalability - Parallelization from Convergence Engine
- Reliability - Improved Stack Resiliency via Healing

# Telemetry (including Ceilometer, Aodh and Gnocchi)

## Project Snapshot

Telemetry (monitoring and alerting) services for OpenStack clouds

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## Mitaka ([6](#) blueprints, [10](#) specs)

- [Mitaka Design Series: Telemetry PTL Interview](#)
- **Ceilometer:** Rolling upgrade, batch messaging, Gnocchi integration improvement, Keystone v3 API, LBaaS v2 polling
- **Aodh:** Composite alarm rules, Keystone v3 support, aodhclient
- **Gnocchi:** lz4 optimized storage format, time-split aggregated time series storage, batch measures REST support

## Newton

- **Ceilometer:** Track Cinder capacity notifications, Synchronization API, record periodicity of sample data, custom instance discovery polling, polling schema, Tempest plug-ins, Nova polling reduction
- **Aodh:** Event alarm - multiple workers, oslo.db pagination, In-tree Tempest plug-ins
- **Gnocchi:** Indexer sharding, Dynamic resource creation

## Ocata

- **Ceilometer:** DB migration to Gnocchi
- **Aodh:** Mongo/Hbase to SQL backend converter
- **Gnocchi:** Migrate Tempest plug-in

# Swift

## Project Snapshot

Object storage

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## Mitaka ([7 Specs](#))

- [Mitaka Design Series: Swift PTL Interview](#)
- Improved RING rebalancing
- Container and Account Reverse Listings
- Full IPv6 Support - memcache and statsd
- POST efficiency Improvements - Update all metadata without read/write of object on disk

## Newton

- Data-at-Rest Encryption

## Ocata

- Scalability Improvements for larger clusters



# Trove

## Project Snapshot

**Trove** is database as a service in OpenStack. The mission is to provide scalable and reliable cloud database as a service provisioning functionality for relational and non-relational database engines, and to improve its full-featured and extensible open source framework

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## Mitaka ([21](#) specs, [20](#) blueprints)

- 21 blueprints, 21 specs
- Filling out the support matrix for Cassandra datastore. (user/database/root/config groups/backup/restore/clustering)
- Percona cluster datastore grow and shrink ability
- Module Management for datastores.

## Newton

- Self healing systems around clusters
- Extra security of instances
- Wider support of trove across distros including Redhat.

## Ocata

- Better manageability
- Better resiliency
- Help move forward the monitoring and healing of instances in the future

# Designate

## Project Snapshot

OpenStack DNS as a Service

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## Mitaka (2 specs, 1 blueprint)

- [Mitaka Design Series: Designate PTL Interview](#)
- OpenStack Client support
- Refactoring of domains -> zones
- Multiple pool support for zones

## Newton

- Service consolidation
- DNSec
- New panels in Horizon

## Ocata

- Per tenant DNS servers
- Non standard DNS record types
- GeoIP support

# IroniC

## Project Snapshot

### Bare-Metal Provisioning

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## Mitaka

- [Mitaka Design Series: IroniC PTL Interview](#)
- Manual cleaning (assists in server maintenance etc)
- RAID Configuration
- Increased parallelism for long running tasks

## Newton

- Multi-Tenant Network support
- Multi-Compute-Host support for Nova
- Starting work on Boot from Volume (BfV) for Bare Metal

## Ocata

- Interoperability - Nova in particular, multi-tenant and BfV support
- Manageability - Simplify the complexity of IroniC

## Project Snapshot

Provides a simple means to provision a data-intensive application cluster on top of OpenStack.

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## Mitaka ([17](#) blueprints)

- Add ability of suspending and resuming Elastic Data Processing (EDP) jobs
- Add plugin support for Cloudera Distribution of Hadoop 5.5 and Cloudera Manager
- Implement cluster verification checks
- Improved secret storage utilizing Castellan
- UX Simplification (Reduce number of Dashboard Panels)
- Remove: Direct Infrastructure Engine support, Vanilla v2.6.0 plugin, MapR plugin (except for v500, 501)

## Newton ([14](#) blueprints)

- SPI Method to Validate Image
- V2 API enhancements to existing api and improved developer experience
- Elastic Data Processing (EDP) Enhancements: Logging, Simplified UX, add support for multiple EDP workflow
- Increase horizontal scalability
- Trusted cluster creation and scaling
- Cluster Health monitoring via Horizon
- Migration of tests to Tempest

## Ocata

- Python 3.X Compatibility
- Support cinder volume snapshot for provisioned Hadoop services to decrease time for cluster provisioning

## Project Snapshot

### Shared File Service

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## Mitaka (26 blueprints)

- Share Replication
- Additional driver support
  - First party driver with simpler setup
    - ZFS
    - LVM
    - LXD
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> party drivers including CephFS

## Newton

- Expanded Share replication
- Share migration (complete work started in Liberty)
- New generic grouping concept to replace consistency groups
  - Add group migration and replication

## Ocata

- Manageability
  - New APIs and functions
  - Functional integrations

# Magnum

## Project Snapshot

### Containers service

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## Mitaka ([specs](#), [53](#) blueprints)

- CoreOS support introduced for K8S bay type
- Highly available bay configuration
- Improved functional test coverage

## Newton ([specs](#), [12](#) blueprints)

- Neutron integration without additional overlay
- Cinder volumes as Magnum data volumes
- Operational (Install/User/Troubleshooting) documentation

## Ocata

- Enhanced interoperability with other OpenStack services, e.g. Keystone
- Modular, pluggable, architecture for custom k8s/swarm/mesos bays or entirely new bay types

# Rally

## Project Snapshot

OpenStack verification and  
benchmarking

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## Mitaka (3 specs)

- Unit test coverage increase
- Tempest config generator refactoring
- Cleanup after crash
- VM workloads framework
- API version coverage
- Time Series reporting

## Newton (8 specs)

- Export task and verification results
- Ramp up load generator
- Unified task validation
- Graceful shutdown
- Nested Atomic Operations

## Ocata

- Multi Scenario load generation
- Persistent context
- Package management for plugins
- Rally as a service

# Murano

## Project Snapshot

A browsable, categorized  
Application catalog to  
compose reliable application  
environments with the push  
of a button

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## Mitaka ([13](#) specs, [15](#) blueprints)

- Implemented Murano test-runner: unit-testing framework for application, Multi-Region Support
- Significant improvements to MuranoPL for describing how an application is deployed and scaled
- Support for TOSCA in Murano (IBM Heat Translator and Cloudify plugins)
- Murano agent is now installable through cloud-init (no need to prebuild custom images)
- I18n support (translation)

## Newton ([1](#) spec, [0](#) blueprints)

- Support for Policy definition to govern deployment of applications in hybrid cloud environments, starting with AWS and VMware.
- Improve ease of developing applications through the availability of a reusable class library.
- Tooling to ease packaging of applications in Murano
- Integrate Authentication support for Actions via Keystone
- Enable specifying parameters from Horizon UI

## Ocata

- Create an Application-centric dashboard (not cloud resource oriented)
- Extend Policy definitions for applications



# Kolla

## Project Snapshot

Provide production-ready containers and deployment tools for operating OpenStack clouds.

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## Mitaka (8 specs, 58 blueprints)

- Upgrade support from Liberty to Mitaka with minimal downtime
- Infrastructure Service Diagnostics: Heka, Elasticsearch, Kibana integration
- On-demand, automated Services reconfiguration with limited downtime
- Security Enhancements: Drop Root privilege separation for Applications; TLS encrypted credential exchange
- Plug-in support: Manila, Mistral
- Software Testing Enhancements

## Newton (22 blueprints)

- Security: Obtain VulInterability management tag , SE Linux Support
- Plug-in support for: Horizon, Neutron, Nova, Cinder (source or binary)
- Upgrades: Downtime improvements
- BiFrost Integration
- Documentation: Operators Guide, Network Isolation, Bi Frost
- Software Testing enhancements
- Expanded System Diagnostics

## Ocata

- Plug-in support: Cover the Big Tent
- Integrate Docker Enhancements
- Kubernetes – Tech Preview
- Data Caching
- Backup and restore of OpenStack data

## Project Snapshot

Installing, upgrading and  
operating OpenStack clouds  
using OpenStack's own cloud  
facilities

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## Mitaka (6 specs, 41 blueprints)

- Upgrade: Controller & Cinder are upgraded synchronously via Heat. Nova, Swift and Ceph are upgraded one-by-one.
- SSL: SSL termination of all public overcloud and undercloud endpoints.
- IPv6: Initial support for IPv6

## Newton

- Composable service roles: allowing operator to configure which services go into each role.
- Split stack: Use TripleO for provisioning only, and other tools for configuration or vice versa.
- Workflow API: Moving workflow and business logic into workflow API
- Usability enhancement: Enhance CLI tooling
- Containerized deployment: Investigating the use of container for deployment.

## Ocata

- A la carte: The ability to choose pieces of TripleO that work for you.
- Improve usability, modularity, CI coverage of upgrade, automated compute node upgrade

# Barbican

## Project Snapshot

Secret storage and generation  
system capable of providing  
key management for services  
wishing to enable encryption  
features

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## Mitaka (5 specs, 1 blueprints)

- User Meta Data
- Stabilization and polish

## Newton

- Cryptographic capabilities
- Integration with Designate for DNSSec
- Documentation

## Ocata

- TBD

# OpenStack Ansible (OSA)

## Project Snapshot

Deploying OpenStack from source in a way that makes it scalable while also being simple to operate, upgrade, and grow.

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## Mitaka ([29 specs](#), [24 blueprints](#))

- [Mitaka Design Series: OSA PTL Interview](#)
- Modularity - Roles into new independent repositories, deploy from source
- Reliability - Increased test coverage, with full multi-node gate test
- Additional Services - LBaaSv2, Ironic

## Newton ([6 specs](#), [2 blueprints](#))

- Multi-region Support
- Additional Services - Magnum, Barbican, Designate, Searchlight, Gnocchi, Zaqar
- MultiOS Support - Ubuntu 16.04LTS

## Ocata

- Interoperability with other projects
- Continued increases in modularity, manageability and scalability

## Project Snapshot

Bridge between container framework networking and storage models to OpenStack networking and storage abstractions.

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## Mitaka (2 specs, 16 blueprints)

- [Mitaka Design Series: Kuryr PTL Interview](#)
- Full integration with Docker and Docker Swarm
- Integration with Kubernetes
- Official packaging including Kuryr containers for lib network driver
- Started integration with Magnum (for nested container networking)

## Newton (1 spec)

- Finalize integration with Magnum and provide Kuryr as default driver
- Enhance Kubernetes integration with policy constructs, and n-tier application needs, by leveraging OpenStack networking ecosystem (e.g. LBaaS replacement for Kube-Proxy, DNS integration w/ Neutron/Nova/Designate, etc.)
- Start discussions on integration of OpenStack storage and application backup projects

## Ocata

- Modularity (since numerous container orchestration engines and standards need to be integrated)
- Manageability/Scalability (deliver mixed containers & OpenStack environments that are scalable and performant)
- Interoperability (need seamless UX between VM, containers, and bare-metal networking)

# Documentation

## Project Snapshot

Provide documentation for core OpenStack projects to promote OpenStack.

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## Mitaka

- [Mitaka Design Series: Docs PTL Interview](#)
- Migration from DocBook XML to RST all but completed
- Improved information architecture
- Procedural changes to assist in reducing technical debt

## Newton

- Completion of DocBook to RST migration and Information Architecture changes
- Improved organisation of overall documentation suite
- Bringing in new BigTent projects to Docs team

## Ocata

- Manageability - focus on working more effectively and efficiently as well as ongoing cross-OpenStack collaboration

# OpenStack Client (OSC)

## Project Snapshot

Provide a single command-line interface for OpenStack services with a uniform command set and format.

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## Mitaka ([46](#) blueprints)

- [Mitaka Design Series: OSC PTL Interview](#)
- The major user-visible change is the addition of Network API commands (Neutron). We are making the transition from Nova-net to Neutron as transparent as possible (i.e. the same commands will work in either environment when possible).

## Newton

- Continued Network commands, and solidification of micro-version support for Compute and Baremetal.

## Ocata

- Consistency and backward compatibility.

# Oslo

## Project Snapshot

To produce a set of python libraries containing code shared by OpenStack projects.

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## Mitaka (6 specs)

- [Mitaka Design Series: Oslo PTL Interview](#)
- New Library: oslo.privsep -- replacement for oslo.rootwrap
- Three new drivers for oslo.messaging
- New python 3 helpers
- Oslo-config-generator, Futurist periodics, Taskflow, Fasteners improvements
- Mutable configuration options now runtime reconfigurable

## Newton (1 spec)

- Oslo-config-generator adoption push plus more improvements
- More better distributed locks
- Move projects and libraries to futurist periodics
- Evangelize the Library capabilities and how to take advantage of them

## Ocata

- More
- Better
- Faster



## Project Snapshot

RefStack is a test result collection and reporting service to support the DefCore interoperability testing process.

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## Mitaka (6 specs, 2 blueprints)

- Improved Stability
- Improved User functionality/Usability
- Updated to work with Tempest Plugin
- Vendor Registration coding started

## Newton

- Vendor Registration completed
- Product Registration completed
- Finalize Design for Centralized Testing run by the Refstack server

## Ocata

- Scalability
- Added User functionality
- POC for Aggregated Data Analysis

# Stable Release

## Project Snapshot

Maintains stable releases and stable release policies, enforces stable release policies, maintains tools for stable release management

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## Mitaka

- Creation of Stable Release Project with PTL and cores
- Improvements in Dependency caps and pip install resolution
- Stable:follows-policy tags to identify projects that meet requirements
- Investigation of how to achieve longer maintenance windows

## Newton

- Extend maintenance window to default to 24 months (with option to shorten based on resources and other impacts)
- Grow Stable team size and diversity
- Tooling to enable the team to scale

## Ocata

- To be defined during Newton

# Quality Assurance

## Project Snapshot

Develop, maintain, and initiate tools and plans to ensure the upstream stability and quality of OpenStack, and its release readiness at any point during the release cycle.

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## Mitaka (14 specs )

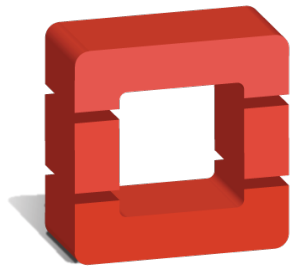
- Gate health tracking board (alpha)
- Microversion support
- Testr datastore layering and architecture - start
- Service client plug-in
- Neutron support rewrite
- Reintegrate tempest-lib
- Multi-node Grenade
- Partial upgrade (beyond Nova)

## Newton

- Gate health tracking board
- Testr datastore layering and architecture - complete
- Tempest run CLI
- Multiple resource configuration

## Ocata

- TBD



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