Solution Conformance Certification Report

Business Process Framework (eTOM) & Information Framework (SID)

For:

Jio Platforms Limited

JIO B2C System - ODA-C JIO Consent Gateway (JioCG)

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1 Introduction

1.1 Executive Summary

This document provides details of JIO B2C System for JIO Consent Gateway, against the following ODA Core Frameworks:

- Business Process Framework (eTOM) version 24.0
- Information Framework (SID) version 24.0

The assessment included a review of the methodology approach to process and information modeling, respectively against the TM Forum's Business Process Framework (eTOM) and the Information Framework (SID) according to the specific processes and entities submitted in scope for the Assessment.

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2 Solution Overview

2.1 About JIO

Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited (Jio) is India's largest telecom operator with over 470 Mn subscribers. Jio's advanced 4G network is future ready and can be easily upgraded to support advanced technologies of 5G, 6G and beyond.

Jio has revolutionized the telecommunication sector by democratizing access to high-speed internet and digital services. This empowered millions of people across India and bridged the digital divide and fostered inclusive growth. Jio has brought transformational changes in the Indian digital services space to enable the vision of Digital India for 1.3 billion Indians and propel India into gloSEI leadership in the digital economy.

Jio has been focused on developing in-house applications spanning various technology domains to support all industry verticals from education to healthcare, are designed to streamline processes, enhance efficiency, and improve accessibility. These carefully crafted strategic plans to leverage digital transformation for the benefit of the Indian population at large have been, alongside company growth, proactively addressing societal needs.

Jio has created an eco-system comprising of network, devices, applications and content, service experience and affordable tariffs for everyone to live the Jio Digital Life. Since launch of its commercial operations in 2016, it has been redefining benchmarks, setting new milestones, inspiring unprecedented adoption, usage, and service metrics that are among the best in the industry.

For more information on our products and services, visit our website at: www.jio.com

2.2 Solution Functionality / Capability

The Jio Consent Gateway is a consent management application and can be defined as a crucial part of Jio's Value-Added Services (VAS) system, specifically for managing Jiotunes subscriptions. It handles the customer's consent through three defined channels.

The Consent Gateway manages customer interactions for obtaining consent to activate Jiotune services, tracking consents across all channels and ensuring compliance with customizable timeframes. It supports timely interactions, monitors customer responses, and evaluates key performance indicators (KPIs) to improve efficiency, optimizing the consent process for Jiotune services.

2.2.1 Key Features:

Key Features of Jio Consent Gateway as a product:

- 1. **Consent Management**: The gateway captures customer consent through three primary channels:
 - **Green Channel**: Customers can directly provide consent via the Jiotunes webpage.
 - **SMS Channel**: Customers can send a confirmation SMS from their registered mobile number to activate the service.
 - **IVR Channel**: Customers can use an Interactive Voice Response (IVR) system to give consent through their registered mobile number.
- 2. **Time Tracking**: The gateway logs the timestamps of when consent messages are sent to customers and when responses are received. Customers must respond within a specified timeframe to confirm their consent.
- 3. **Consent Log Storage**: All consent logs are securely stored, allowing the VAS system to effectively track customer interactions, ensuring compliance, reporting, and enhancing customer engagement.
- 4. **Authentication**: The gateway authenticates internal customers through their registered mobile numbers, ensuring only authorized users can access services.
- 5. **Detailed Consent Storage**: The Jio Consent Gateway captures and securely stores detailed customer consent information, including customer ID, plan offering ID, plan specifications, service details, and timestamps for creation, updates, and responses. This data is used to monitor both the customer's status and the service provided. It can also be analyzed and customized to generate management reports, offering insights into the efficiency and effectiveness of the customer interaction process.



2.2.2 Architecture

The Jio Consent Gateway acts as the backbone to facilitate customer interactions to obtain consents for activating Jiotune services, efficiently tracking consents across multiple channels while ensuring adherence to customizable timeframes. It enables timely interactions, monitors customer responses, and ultimately optimizing the consent process for Jiotune services.



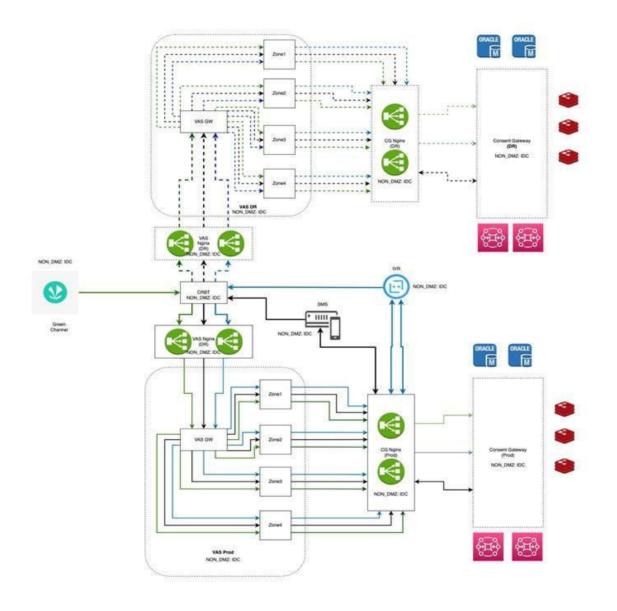


Figure 1 – JIO B2C System for JIO Consent Gateway –Architecture Diagram

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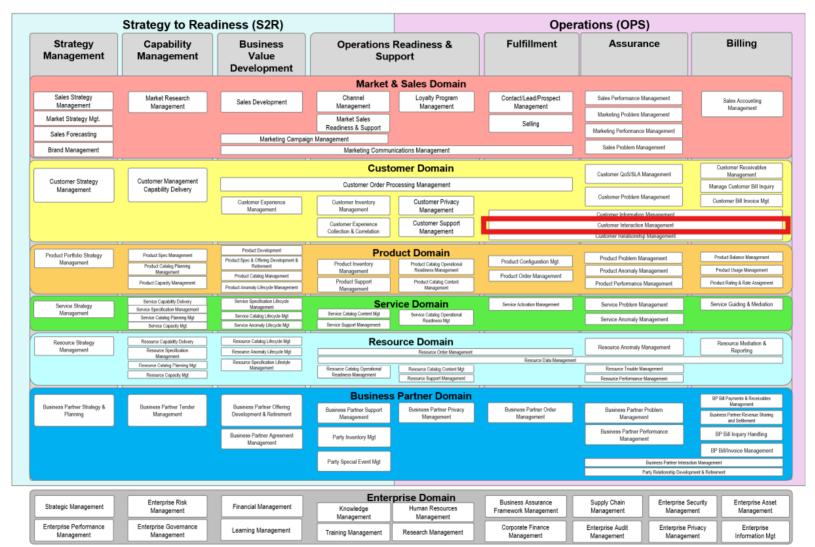
2.3 JIO B2C System for Consent Gateway – Benefits

JioCG Architecture

- 1. **Open-Source Framework:** JioCG is built on an open-source architecture, allowing independent development and deployment of its various features. The use of open-source tools ensures flexibility and promotes continuous improvement through community-driven enhancements. The platform supports seamless integration with scheduling and monitoring utilities, providing a unified system for managing operations and facilitating smooth oversight.
- 2. Zero Downtime for Updates: The platform's architecture separates the business logic from technical operations, allowing the deployment of updates without any service interruptions. This modular structure ensures that audits or changes can be implemented instantly, without affecting the system's availability. The version control mechanism supports the management of audit objects, enabling users to revert to previous versions if required.
- **3. Scalability and Resilience:** JioCG is engineered to scale efficiently and remain resilient under heavy loads. The system's design ensures elasticity as demand grows, ensuring consistent performance regardless of customer volume. Its resilient infrastructure minimizes downtime and service disruptions through redundant data centers, backup systems, and robust failover mechanisms.
- 4. Data Management and Reporting: The platform features powerful data import and export capabilities, supporting essential business functions such as regulatory compliance and performance analytics. The data aggregation module consolidates information from various sources, enabling detailed analysis, reporting, and regulatory submissions.
- **5. Operational Efficiency:** JioCG's architecture is enhanced by a dedicated operational process that streamlines the workflow for managing consents, its billing and reporting. It facilitates real-time monitoring and oversight of system processes, offering tools to manage operations, schedule tasks, and generate comprehensive reports on subscription activities.

Overall, the Jio Consent Gateway is a modern, robust, and highly scalable platform that caters to the consent management needs of millions of customers across various services, ensuring flexibility, scalability, and efficiency.





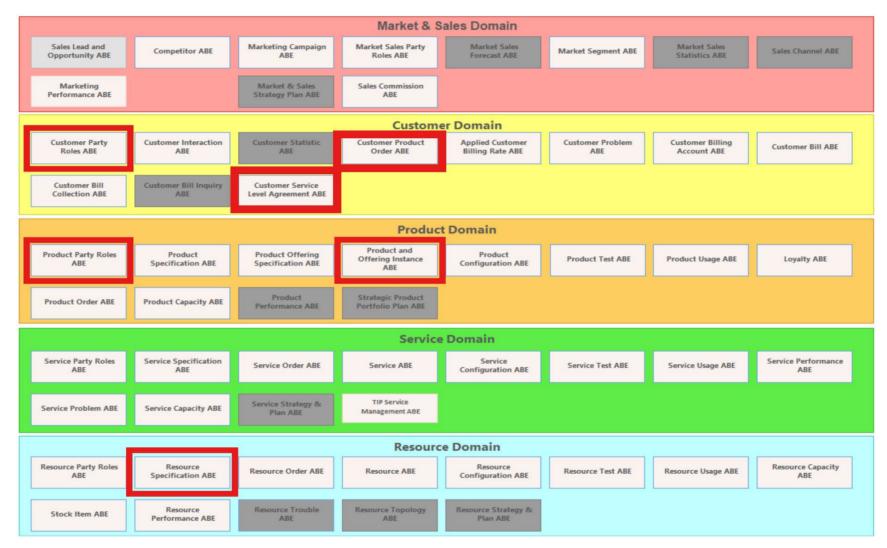
Business Process Framework v24.0 – JIO B2C System for Consent Gateway – Conformance Scope

Figure 2 - Process coverage for JIO B2C System for Consent Gateway - Conformance Certification

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Information Framework (SID) - v24.0 – JIO B2C System for Consent Gateway – Conformance Scope

Figure 3 - ABEs coverage for JIO B2C System for Consent Gateway - Conformance Certification

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3 Business Process Framework Assessment Overview

3.1 Mapping Technique Employed

Business Process Framework Level 3 descriptions are analyzed by focusing on implied tasks also referred to as implied functional requirements. (This is similar to how process decomposition can use Semantic Analysis). Each Business Process Framework process is supported by descriptive text. In many cases, each process is aligned and mapped to appropriate company documentation references solution, methodology or modeling material.

Color coded text as highlighted below is used as part of the process mapping whereby highlighted text indicates the level of support for a Level 3 or a Level 4 implied task within a process element:

- **GREEN** is used to highlight key words or key statements that are fully supported
- YELLOW is used to highlight key words/key statements that are partially supported
- GREY is used to highlight key words/key statements that are not supported
- No highlighting is used for words/statements that are irrelevant, just for reference or needed to complete the sentence.

Manual and Automated Support

It is important to determine whether the implied task is supported by manual steps, automated steps, or a combination of both. In this document, "A", "M", or "AM" is used for each task to indicate that the step or steps is/are automated (A), manual (M), or both (AM).

TM Forum Note 1:

When process mappings are presented against Level 3 processes, such mappings are provided against the process' extended description. If an Extended Description is not defined, then the mapping is provided against the Brief Description.



3.2 Scope of Conformance Certification Graph (eTOM)

This document conveys information about the Business Processes implemented by for JIO B2C System for Consent Gateway in accordance to the TM Forum Business Process Framework. It also maps the processes with the Level 2 and Level 3 frameworks' business activities. The document covers the following L3 Processes in scope for certification.

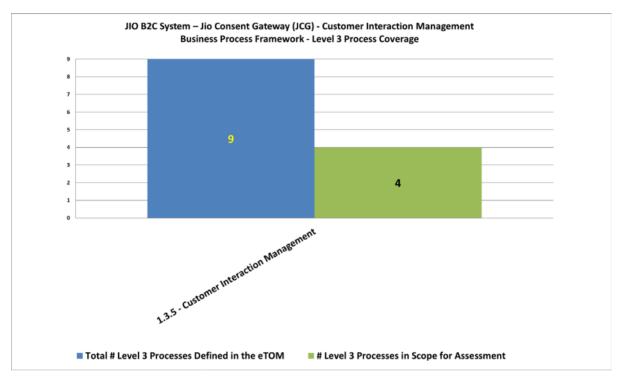


Figure 4- JIO Consent Gateway – Customer Interaction Management - Level 3 processes in scope for certification

3.3 Scope of Conformance Certification – Chart (eTOM)

	TM Forum Assessment Scoping Document - Business Process Framework (eTOM) v24.0			
Member:		JIO		
Solution:		JIO B2C System – Jio Consent Gateway (JCG)		
	Assessment Type	Solution		
#	of L3 Processes in Scope:	4		
Level 1	Level 2	Level 3		
1.3 - Custo	.3 - Customer Domain			
	1.3.5 - Customer Interaction Management			
		1.3.5.4 - Log Customer Interaction		
		1.3.5.5 - Notify Customer		
		1.3.5.6 - Track and Manage Customer Interaction		
		1.3.5.7 - Report Customer interaction		

Figure 5- Level 3 process scope for certification – Customer Interaction Management





3.4 Business Process Framework – Scoring Guidelines

This section provides the Process Mapping output from the self-assessment carried out by TM Forum Subject Matter Experts alongside supporting documentation made available for this purpose.

Business Process Framework (eTOM) - Conformance Scoring Methodology				
Process Level	Conformance Score	Qualifier		
Level 1 Process	Not applicable	Conformance Assessment shall not be carried out at this process level.		
Level 2 ProcessNot applicableA conformance level is not awarded to Level 2 pro Frameworx Certification. The Certification Report shall highlight the coverage a Level 2 process submitted in scope for an Assess terms of number of Level 3 processes submitted for assessment out of the total number defined in the Process Framework for the Level 2 process.				
Level 3 Process	Conformance Score is awarded between 3.1 & 5.0	The Conformance Score is awarded for each Level 3 process submitted in scope for Assessment. The Conformance Score awarded can be a value between 3.1* & 5 depending on the level of coverage & conformance to the Level 3 process based on the alignment to the level 3 Implied Tasks definitions.		
* In earlier Conformance Assessments, scores were awarded to Level 1 & Level 2 processes using values 1 through to 3. For this reason, the Level 3 scores start from > 3.				
	Additional Notes			
Note 1 - Level 1 processes shall be presented to define the assessment scope only. i.e. they shall not be assessed as self-contained processes since the level of detail is not considered sufficient. A conformance level shall not be awarded for Level 1 processes.				
Note 2 - Level 2 processes shall be presented to define the assessment scope only. i.e. they shall not be assessed as self-contained processes since the level of detail is not considered sufficient. A conformance level shall not be awarded for Level 2 processes. However, the Certification Report shall provide good indication of the coverage of the Level 2 process in terms of number of contained Level 3 processes submitted in scope for the Assessment.				
Note 3 - The Conformance Assessment shall be carried out at process level 3. For each Level 3 process, conformance shall be deduced according to the support for the process implied tasks, as decomposed and described in the underlying process descriptions. The score awarded for a Level 3 process, is deduced according to the Level 3 processes/Implied Tasks.				
Note 4 - In evaluating conformance to the standards, manual intervention shall not impact the conformance score granted. However, any level of manual support shall be noted in the Conformance Report and Detailed Results Report. <u>This note specifically applies to Product & Solution Assessments.</u>				
Note 5 - Processes that are supported via manual implementation <u>only</u> , are not considered in scope for the Assessment. <u>This note specifically applies to Product & Solution Assessments.</u>				
Figure 6- TM Forum Business Process Framework: Conformance Scoring Rules				





3.5 **Business Process Framework – Process Mapping Descriptions**

This section provides the mapping of Business Process Framework against the processes supported by JIO B2C System - ODA-C – Jio Consent Gateway.

The self-assessment was reviewed by TM Forum Subject Matter Experts alongside supporting documentation provided.

3.5.1 Mapping Details & Supporting Evidence

The documented mapping information for all Level 3 business processes in scope is available from the following link:

https://www.tmforum.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/11/eTOM-24.0 Conformance Mapping Template-JIO-B2C-System-JCG-VFRF.pdf

3.6 Conformance Results - Chart (eTOM)

This Section details the Scores awarded to reflect Conformance to the Business Process Framework (eTOM).

	TM Forum Assessment Scoping Document - Business Process Framework (eTOM) v24.0				
Member:		JIO			
	Solution:	JIO B2C System – Jio Consent Gateway (JCG)	Level 3 Process		
Assessment Type		Solution	Elements		
# of L3 Processes in Scope:		4	Scores achieved		
Level 1	Level 2	Level 3			
1.3 - Custo	1.3 - Customer Domain				
	1.3.5 - Customer Interaction Management				
	1.3.5.4 - Log Customer Interaction		5/5		
	1.3.5.5 - Notify Customer		5/5		
	1.3.5.6 - Track and Manage Customer Interaction		5/5		
	1.3.5.7 - Report Customer interaction				

Figure 7- - eTOM Conformance Scores Summary – Customer Interaction Management

3.7 Conformance Results – Graph (eTOM)

This Section provides a summary graph of the scores awarded to reflect Conformance to the Business Process Framework (eTOM).

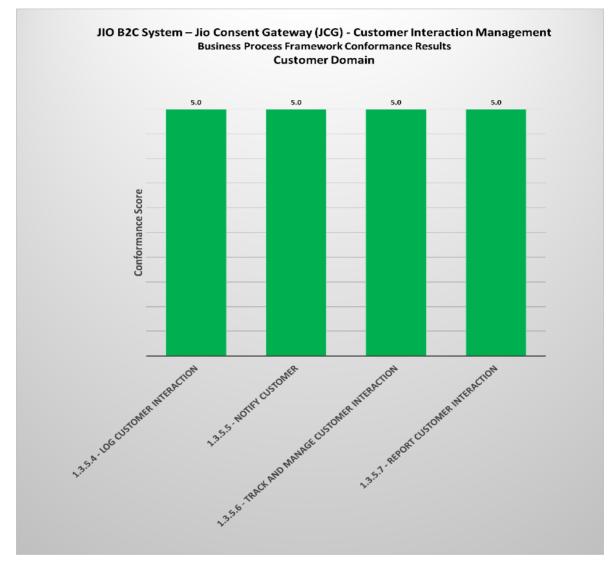


Figure 8- - eTOM Conformance Scores Summary Graph – Customer Interaction Management



4 Information Framework Assessment Overview

4.1 Mapping Technique Employed

The certification scope defines the list of Information Framework (SID) ABEs (Aggregate Business Entities) for which mapping support is reviewed during the assessment. For each of the ABEs defined in scope for the assessment, the organization undergoing the assessment must map their information model to the core entities and dependent entities and the required and optional attributes for each entity, as defined in the SID model, according to what is supported for the product/solution under assessment.

4.2 Scope of Conformance Certification (SID)

This following list conveys information about the ABEs implemented by JIO's Consent Gateway (JioCG) in accordance to the TM Forum Information Framework (SID). The scope for certification includes the following ABEs.

SID Certification Scope JIO's Consent Gateway (JioCG) = 6 ABEs				
Level 1 ABEs	Level 2 & Level 3 ABEs			
Customer, Product & Resource Domains				
Customer Party Roles ABE				
Customer Product Order ABE				
Customer Service Level Agreement ABE				
Product Party Roles ABE				
Product and Offering Instance ABE	Product ABE			
Resource Specification ABE				

Figure 9- - SID Conformance Scope Summary

4.3 Information Frameworx Conformance Result

This Section details the Scores awarded to reflect Conformance of JIO's Consent Gateway (JioCG) to the Information Framework.

4.3.1 Information Framework – Scoring Rules

Between 2013 (Frameworx 14.0) and the end of 2017, TM Forum applied a combined scoring method based on two different categories of conformance scoring:

- 1. Information Framework Maturity
- 2. Information Framework Adoption



Starting on the 1st of January 2018, only one method has been retained instead of these two scoring methods (Maturity + Adoption). The use of two different methods made interpretation and understanding difficult and ambiguous for many of our members, on the ground of such experience, the TM Forum decided to keep only the "Adoption" scoring method and discard the "Maturity" scoring method.

Adoption scoring ensures a good balance between qualitative and quantitative criteria on SID conformance criteria. The adoption scoring method consists of a range of scores from 1 to 10 which makes it intuitive and fair, it is also based on weighted criteria e.g. core element, dependent, required, optional, etc.

This section provides further details about the Adoption scoring method.

4.3.2 Information Framework Adoption Conformance Scoring Methodology

As of Frameworx 14.0 based Conformance Assessments, to recognize the overall adoption of the Information Framework SID Information model, the Information Framework Adoption Scoring system was introduced to complement the Maturity Levels that have been used since the launch of the Frameworx Conformance Program.

Information Framework Adoption scores are granted based on the detailed scoring guidelines outlined in Table 2 below.

Adoption conformance is based on an accumulative scoring system - i.e. scores are awarded for each element of an ABE to give an overall total Adoption score for the ABE – with elements in this context defined by core & dependent entities and required and optional attributes for both category of entity.

The scores for each element are calibrated according to relative weightings, according to the significance of each element e.g. core entity having higher weighting than dependent entities and required attributes having higher weight than optional attributes. The relative weightings for each ABE 'element' are indicated in Table 1 - TM Forum Information Framework Adoption Conformance - Scoring Rules Table 1 below.

SID Component			Weighted Scoring Calculation			
Lowest Level	ABE		Equivalent – 1 score point			
Core Entity			Equivalent – 2 score points			
Core Entity R	equired Att <mark>r</mark> ibute	e	% equivalent	% equivalent * 2 [Must support min 50% of Required Attributes]		
Dependent Entity		% equivalent	% equivalent * 1.5			
Dependent Entities – Required Attributes		% equivalent * 1.5				
Core Entity – Optional Attributes			% equivalent * 1.2			
Dependent Entity – Optional Attributes			% equivalent * 0.8			
Adoption Conformance Score Graduation						
Non Conformance [Score = 1 to 3]	Very Low Conformance [3.0 < Score <= 4.0]	Low Conformance [4.0 < Score <= 5.0]	Medium Conformance [5.0 < Score <= 6.0]	High Conformance [6.0 < Score <= 8.0]	Very High Conformance [8.0 < Score < 10.0]	Full Conformance [Score = 10.0]

NOTES:

1. The score values for each SID component are added together to get the overall Adoption Conformance score.

2. If 50% of of the required attributes of Core entities are not supported, scores for following components are not applied as Adoption Conformance requires conformance to 50% of the required attributes of Core entities.

3. Adoption Score versus Maturity Level: Using the scoring category to recognise SID adoption, an assessed ABE for which there is equivalence to 2/3 required core attributes and 8/10 dependent entities would be awarded Maturity Level Score = 2.5 (Very Low Conformance) & Adoption Conformance score = 5.2 (Medium Conformance).

Figure 10- - TM Forum Information Framework Adoption Conformance - Scoring Rules



4.3.3 Additional Notes on Information Framework Conformance Adoption scoring:

- 1. For each level, according to what is required, a value is calculated based on the percentage of entities/attributes supported as appropriate. This will result in a decimal figure (rounded to one decimal place).
- 2. Adoption Scoring is based on the progressive scoring schema from the former "Maturity" scoring, however it provides additional flexibility in-so-far as it allows to score all attributes and entities in an assessed ABE. In the former "Maturity" scoring, when not all required attributes of the Core Entity were supported, the Maturity Level score would not progress to the next level, regardless of conformance to other "subordinate" components of the ABE (e.g. dependent entities, optional attributes). "Adoption" scoring fixes this constraint as it provides a weighting mechanism to score all elements supported, regardless of the absence of the core entity or/and required attributes.
- 3. A **core business entity** is an entity upon which other entities within the ABE are dependent. For example, Service in the Service ABE. A model should strive to attain as high a level of Information Framework (SID) conformance as possible. A core entity is also an entity whose absence in the ABE would make the ABE incomplete.
- 4. A **dependent entity** is one whose instances are dependent on an instance of a core entity. For example, a ServiceCharacteristic instance within the Service ABE is dependent upon an instance of the Service entity.
- 5. The score values for each SID component are added together to get the overall Adoption Conformance score.
- 6. If 50% of the required attributes of Core entities are not supported, scores for following categories are not applied as Adoption Conformance requires conformance to 50% of the required attributes of Core entities.

4.4 Information Framework – Conformance Result Summary

The following sections provide the summary results of the Information Framework Adoption scores granted to the ABEs presented in scope for the assessment of JIO's Consent Gateway (JioCG).

Each ABE was measured using the Information Framework (SID) conformance scoring guidelines as described in section 4.3.2 above.



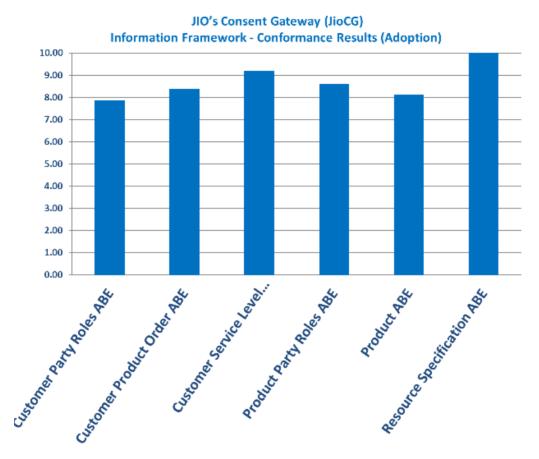


Figure 11- - SID Conformance Results Summary

ABE name	ABE Conformance Score Adoption	
Customer Domain.Customer Party Roles ABE	7.87	High Conformance
Customer Domain.Customer Product Order ABE	8.40	Very High Conformance
Customer Domain.Customer Service Level Agreement ABE	9.20	Very High Conformance
Product Domain.Product Party Roles ABE	8.60	Very High Conformance
Product and Offering Instance ABE.Product ABE	8.13	Very High Conformance
Resource Domain.Resource Specification ABE	10.00	Full Conformance

Figure 12- - Final SID Conformance Scores