

Infradata and BroadForward deliver Multi-IMSI solution for sponsored roaming to Vodafone

Infradata has deployed BroadForward's Multi-IMSI solution, enabling sponsored roaming access to 700+ Vodafone roaming partners in over 230 global destinations

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Infradata, a leading provider of Cyber Security and Cloud Networking solutions across Europe, announced today they have delivered and implemented the BroadForward Multi-IMSI solution at Vodafone. Sponsored roaming is Vodafone's managed roaming service which provides partners access to their worldwide roaming network against reduced roaming costs. Using this service, partners do not need to sign individual roaming agreements with operators around the world. They can enjoy the same coverage and quality service as Vodafone customers, without having to swap the SIM card or requiring a new phone number.

The BroadForward Multi-IMSI solution enables Vodafone to configure sponsored roaming scenarios across 2G, 3G and 4G networks. The software designed solution provides easy-to-use GUI based configuration and integration of advanced signaling scenarios, without the need for scripting or coding. The Multi-IMSI solution is part of a suite of BroadForward's next generation signaling products for routing, interworking, security and number portability.

Infradata is the leading expert and certified reseller of the entire BroadForward product portfolio. Infradata was selected based on their extensive experience in design, implementation and support of BroadForward products.

Infradata Managing Director BeLux, Nico Van Buitenen added: "Roaming is an important revenue source for the telco industry at large, as international mobile data roaming revenues are forecasted to reach \$31 billion by 2022. We are very proud that Infradata and BroadForward are selected because of our signaling expertise and ability to deliver the multi-protocol routing intelligence and flexibility that a leading Sponsored Roaming Hub requires."

About Infradata

Infradata is the worldwide provider of Cyber Security, Cloud Networking solutions and Managed Services. Infradata refines networking and security to meet the business needs of Telecom Operators, Service Providers and enterprises with Mission Critical Networks. With many years of experience, extensive knowledge about the Service Provider networks combined with Infradata's innovative approach to deliver highly complex technical infrastructure projects, Infradata helps customers to accelerate their success.

Infradata is located in Belgium, the Netherlands, UK, France, Germany, Poland and the United States of America with a global 24/7 Direct Expert Access support organization.

About BroadForward

BroadForward is leader in intelligent signaling software for 2G/3G, 4G/LTE, 5G, IMS, Fixed, Wi-Fi, IPX and M2M networks. BroadForward delivers core network products for routing, interworking, security and number portability, designed for convergence across legacy and next generation networks.

BroadForward's active 5G roadmap supports service providers with their network transition to Next Generation Core, and includes the Service Framework Support Function (SFSF) with HTTP/2 Proxy and Binding Support Function (BSF), Security Edge Protection Proxy (SEPP), 4G-5G interworking and multi-protocol signaling orchestration. All BroadForward products are hardware-agnostic and support network virtualization, OpenStack and cloud deployment. BroadForward's software development is entirely done in The Netherlands. BroadForward is four-time GSMA nominee for Best Mobile Technology.

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