

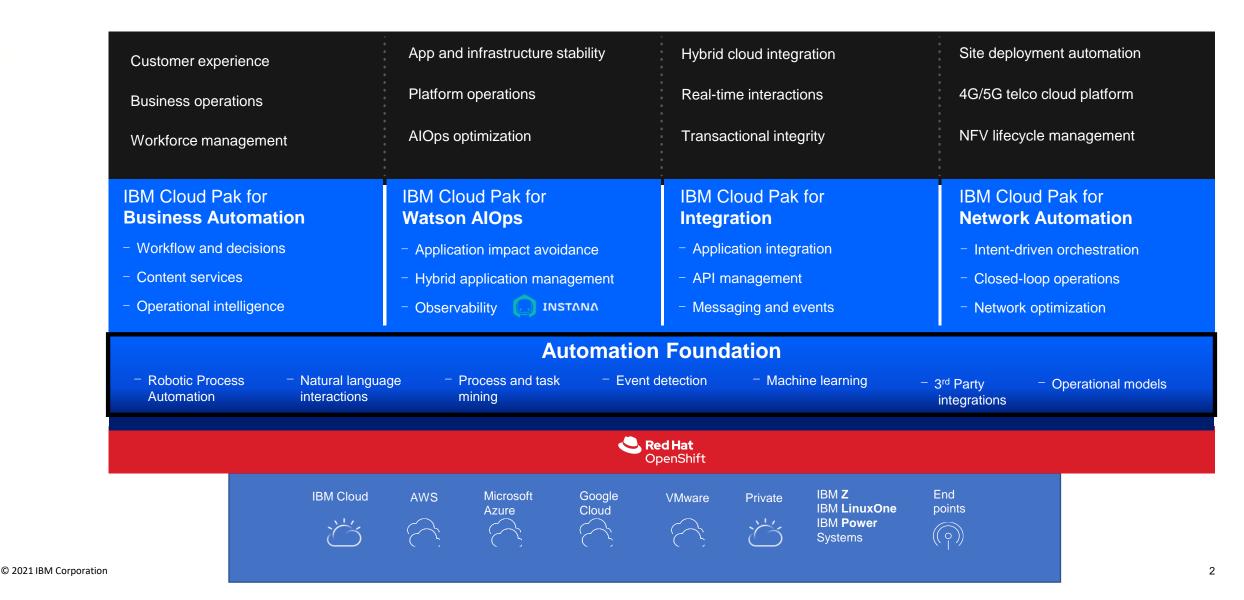
IBM Cloud Pak for Integration

What's new in CP4I 2021.1.1

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IBM Automation platform

The most complete set of business and IT Automation services, powered by AI



Organizations need to rethink their integration strategy

Every integration must be:

Automated

- Closed-loop
- Multi-style

With AI, informed by real world operational data, to continuously improve integrations

To integrate faster and **better**



Successful enterprises integrate faster and *better*Intelligently automating every interaction



Manual tasks requiring expert integration skills



Automated integration lifecycle with AI, bestpractices and built-in reuse to eliminate the skills barrier



Lack of operational visibility to improve integrations



Closed-loop integration lifecycle that uses realworld, company specific, operational data to identify issues and recommend best practices



Traditional approach of using only one integration style



Multi-style integration streamlines using different styles of integration together to deliver faster and better than a one-style-fits-all approach

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CP4I 2021.1.1 – What's in the release?

✓ Builds on IBM Automation Foundation

- ✓ Deprecation of IBM Event Streams
- ✓ Includes new Robotic Process Automation (RPA) capabilities
- ✓ Includes Process Mining
- ✓ New API Test generation features
- ✓ Manage Kafka endpoints as part of API lifecycle.
- ✓ Enhanced capabilities included with DataPower Gateway Virtual Edition
- ✓ Additional support for storage options available in Storage Suite for Cloud Paks
- ✓ Deployable isolated in a Kubernetes namespace
- ✓ Early access, for evaluation use only, to a new IBM MQ native HA option
- ✓ Inclusion of IBM Aspera Enterprise add-on component
- ✓ Inclusion of Cloud Pak for Integration API Calls add-on

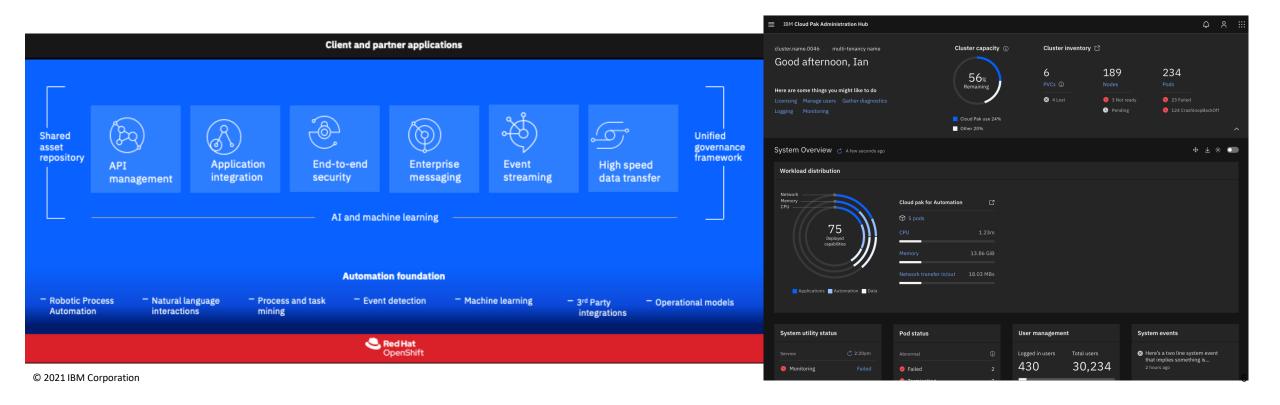
Now also available

- Quick Start for Cloud Pak for Integration on AWS
- Confluent Platform now a deployment choice for Kafka

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Built on IBM Automation Foundation Additional values

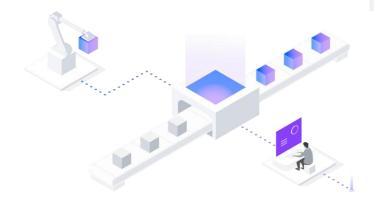
- ✓ Seamless update from prior Cloud Pak for Integration instances onto new IBM Automation Platform
- ✓ Automation Foundation includes core technologies to enable existing and future automation features
 - ✓ Only deployed if used
- ✓ Includes dashboard to show status of deployments

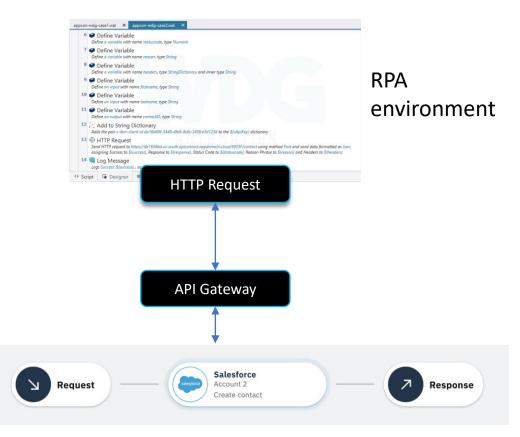


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IBM Robotic Process Automation Optional CP4I chargeable component

- ✓ Legacy applications create and hold valuable data
- ✓ Robotic Process Automation (RPA) enables that data to be accessed and used without changing the application
 - ✓ Uses screen-scraping and metadata inference
- ✓ RPA is a component of the Automation Foundation that can be purchased in Cloud Pak for Integration
 - ✓ RPA solution requires an environment and unattended bots
- ✓ In this release RPA will send data to Cloud Pak for Integration through HTTP calls





Cloud Pak for Integration Designer

DIGITAL TWIN

IBM Process Mining Optional CP4I chargeable component

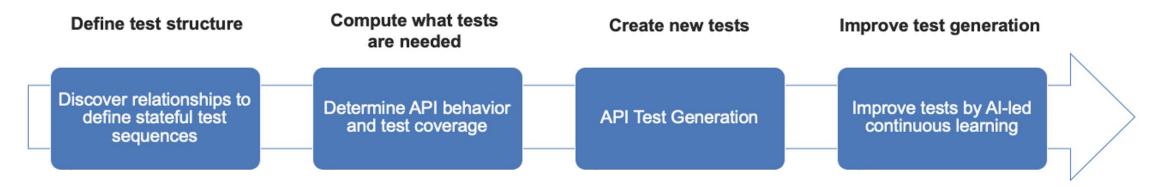
- Process Mining allows clients to discover review and decide where there are bottlenecks in their environments
 - ✓ Inputs include logs from existing integration deployments
 - ✓ Output of Process Mining can determine where automation can make improvements



- ✓ Discovery includes automated algorithms for:
 - ✓ Process Discovery; Task Mining; Business Rules Mining; Multi-level Process Mining
- ✓ Analytics includes dashboards and event flows for:
 - ✓ KPI and Cost Checking; Compliance Checking; Automation Outcomes; Root Cause Analysis
- ✓ Digital Twin is used to:
 - ✓ Study what-if scenarios; Simulate improvements; Calculate ROI

API Test Generation Creating tests based on integ

Creating tests based on integration definition



- ✓ Customers struggle to build large enough test suites to provide coverage of their API solutions
 - ✓ Generate new API tests through awareness of API resource definitions using an OpenAPI analyzer
 - ✓ Expands number and range of tests to cover more potential API call combinations.
- ✓ Provides basis for additional test generation approaches

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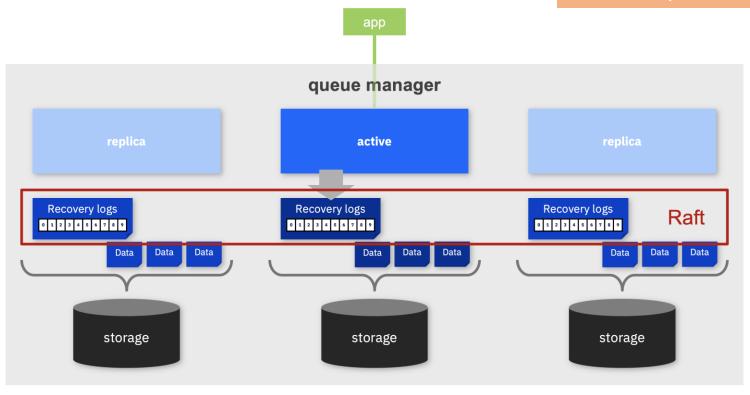
Currently in beta

A new option for MQ High Availability Early access to new container-native HA feature

Provides a truly container-based solution for individual MQ queue managers for IBM Cloud Pak for Integration (CP4I) customers running IBM MQ Advanced.

Only available in beta/preview in 2021.1.1

- ✓ Achieve high availability through secure replication and reconciliation of log data
 - ✓ Cloud native specifically designed for container deployment:
 - ✓ No dependency on shared filesystem
 - ✓ No dependency on 3rd party libraries or kernel modules



- Secure Replication traffic can be configured to use TLS
- Effortless Single click deployment through the MQ Operator in CP4I

Aspera Enterprise add-on Higher throughput and additional features

Why Aspera Enterprise?

- ✓ For CP4I customers who are looking for enhanced Aspera functionality and additional throughput beyond that included in CP4I
- ✓ Aspera Enterprise add-on includes High Speed Transfer Server 10Gpbs, as well as additional Aspera tools and capabilities
- ✓ Pricing/licensing
 - Aspera Enterprise add-on is subscription only part
 - ✓ Only the 10Gbps part is available
- ✓ Includes OCP entitlement for the deployment of the Aspera High Speed Transfer Server component



Aspera Orchestrator – part of Aspera Enterprise

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API Calls add-on Optional metric for API deployment and licensing

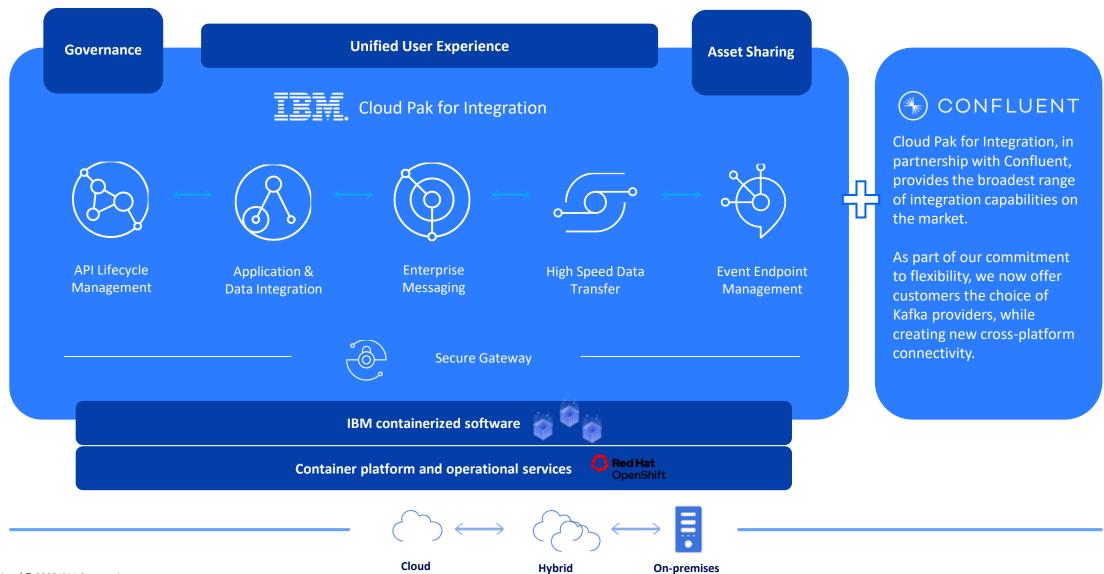
Why API Calls add-on metric?

- ✓ Aligns with expectation for customers looking to buy a specific number of API Calls
- ✓ Licensing not dependent on number of cores with API Management capabilities deployed
- ✓ Deployments in a cluster should be either CP4I VPCs or API Calls
- ✓ Pricing/licensing
 - ✓ API Calls is subscription only part
 - ✓ Buy a number of RVUs which map, through tiering to API Calls (minimum 50RVUs - 5M API Calls per month)
- ✓ Includes OCP entitlement based on a base entitlement plus more per RVU

			Unit = 100K	API calls	
	Monthly			Cumulative RVU	
Tier	Min Units (per 100k)	Max Units (per 100k)	Ratio / Factor	Min	Max
1	1	500	1.0000	1	500
2	501	1,500	0.8455	501	1,346
3	1,501	3,000	0.6137	1,347	2,267
4	3,001	5,000	0.4639	2,267	3,194
5	5,001	12,000	0.2783	3,195	5,142
6	12,001	50,000	0.1531	5,143	10,960
7	50,001	100,000	0.0765	10,960	14,785
8	100,001	175,000	0.0344	14,785	17,365
9	175,001	275,000	0.0121	17,365	18,575
10	275,001	-	0.0030	18,575	

# OCP cores (min)	# OCP cores (max)
22	47
47	89
89	135
135	181
181	279
279	569
570	761
761	890
890	950
950	

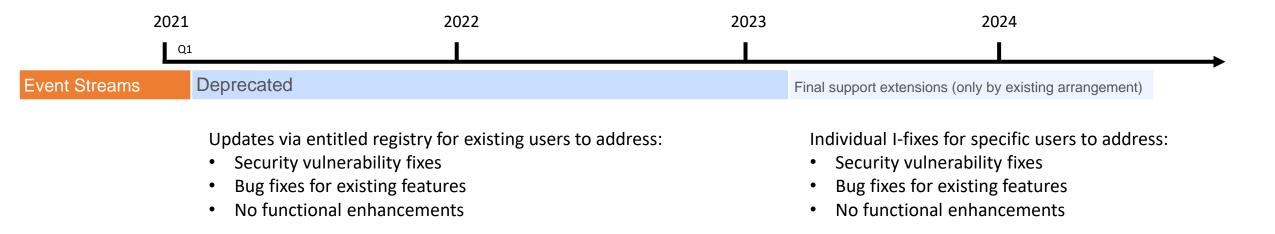
IBM Cloud Pak for Integration with Confluent



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Deprecation of IBM Event Streams Support continues for existing deployments



Why?

- ✓ Confluent platform has proven the popular choice for running Apache Kafka with many valuable and unique features to help deploy, run and build Kafka applications
- ✓ Confluent has the largest investment in the Apache Kafka technology and will become more integrated with IBM CP4I platform over the coming releases
- ✓ IBM will focus on bringing consistency and automation to event-driven integrations alongside all other integration styles supported by CP4I

Event Endpoint Management



Delivered in time to be useful

- Latency measured in seconds not minutes
- Delivered rather than polled



Consumed reliably

- Consumption options suitable for many application types
- Replay history, durable subs, horizontal scale



Easily found, quickly consumed

- Described
- Catalogued and discoverable
- Policy controlled access



Completely

De-coupled

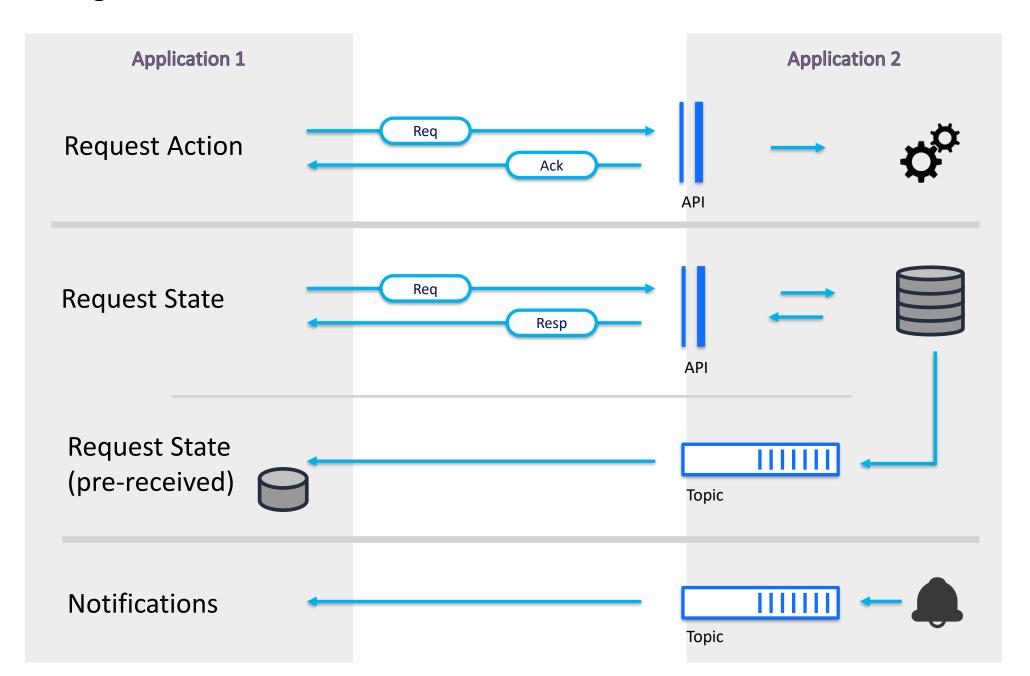
- Self-service consumption
- No technology ties between provider and consumers
- No operational ties

Transport: Event Distribution

Event Endpoint Management

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API and Event Integration Patterns



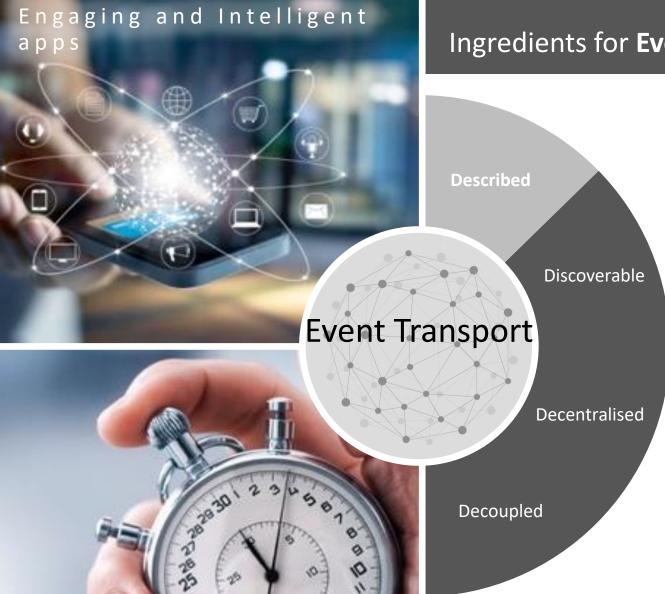
Ingredients for **Event Endpoint Management**



Responsive

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Describing Events

Events need to be described so developers can quickly understand what they are and how to consume them

- Understood by people
- Supported by tooling
- Consistent with API definitions





IBM already contributing into the Async API specification

https://github.com/asyncapi/bindings/tree/master/ibmmq

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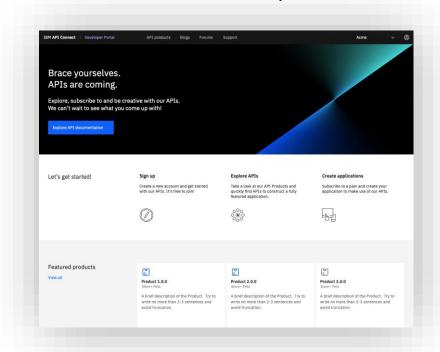
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Discovering events exists

An interface that cannot be found is no use to anyone

- Catalogued in one place
- Searchable
- Understandable and ready to consume



Event Endpoint Management Demo

http://ibm.biz/eem-demo

BACKUP