Kamailio: 20 years of Open Source SIP

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"I think, fundamentally, open source does tend to be more stable software. It's the right way to do things."

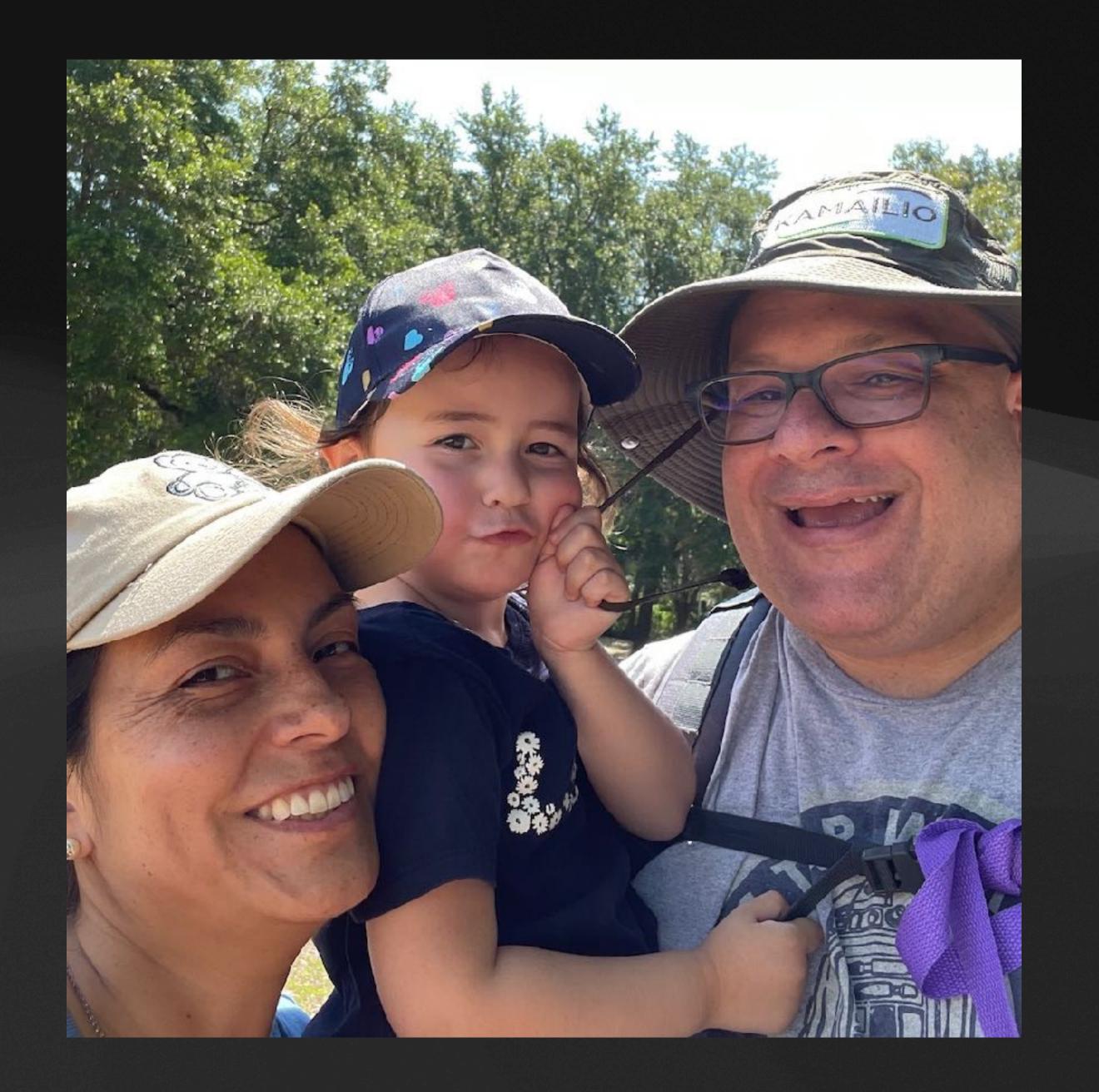
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What is Kamailio?

Kamailio Open Source SIP Server

- successor of former OpenSER and SER
- TCP/UDP/SCTP
- Secure communication via TLS
- WebSocket support
- IPv4/IPv6
- IMS extensions for VoLTE
- And much, much more...



Kamailio can be...

- SIP proxy server
- SIP registrar server
- SIP location server
- SIP application server
- SIP dispatcher server
- SIP Websocket server



Modules

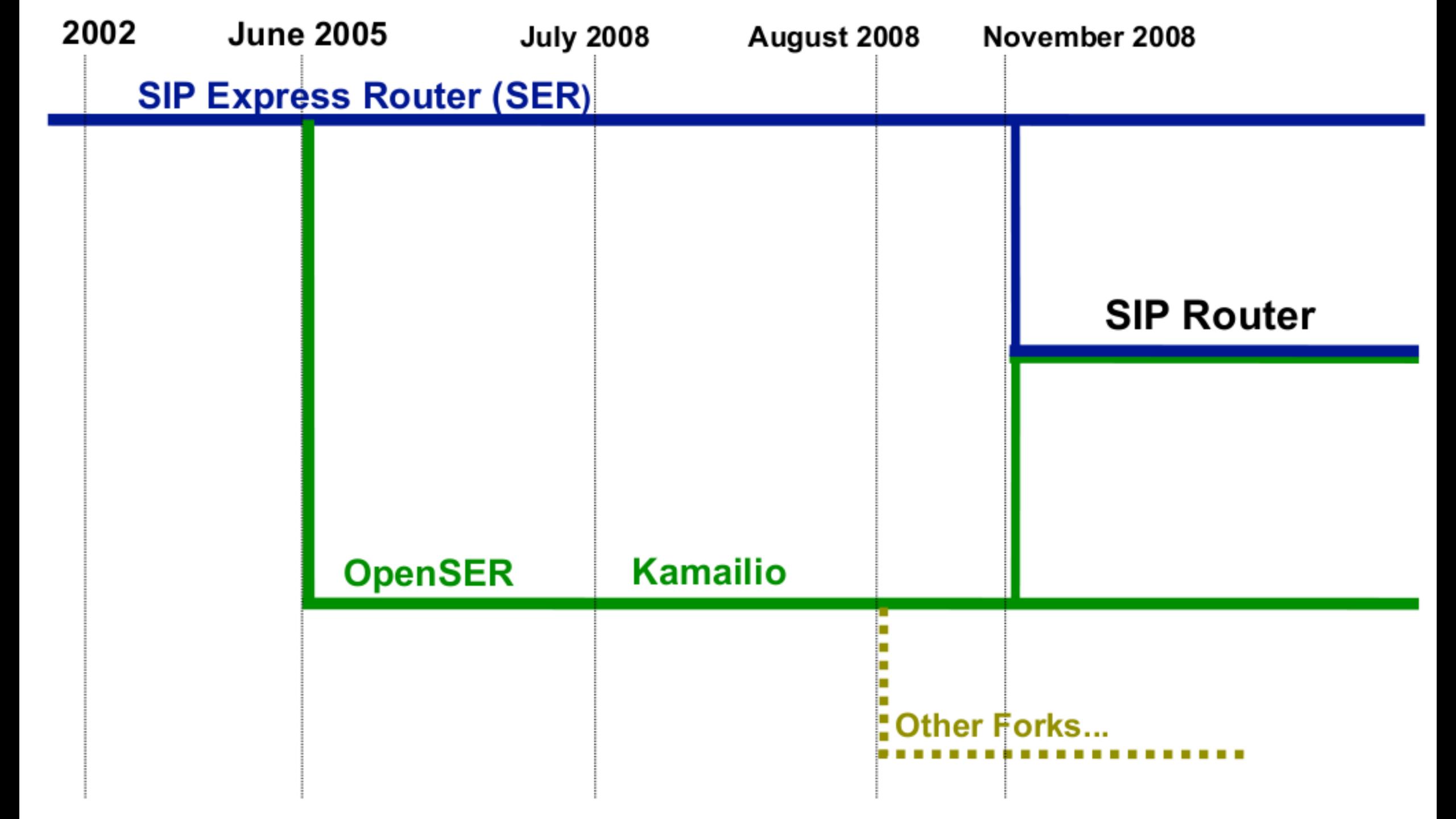
CPS on single node

300,000+

Registrations on single node (4GB Ram)

20 years of history...

First Line of Code Written



Kamailio History

- 2001
 - First line of code
 - Development boosted by newcomers/students from FOKUS
- 2002
 - SER (SIP Express Router) released (GPL)
- 2004
 - SER in use by many ISPs. Commercial services begin.

- 2005
 - OpenSER forked by Daniel Mierla, Ramona Modroiu, Bogdan lancu
- 2006
 - Next Generation SER
- 2008
 - Trademark issues, OpenSER renamed Kamailio
 - Another fork: OpenSIPS

- SIP Router Project started
- 2010
 - Kamailio/OpenSER released 3.0.0
 - First version based on SIP Router Project
- 2012
 - SER integration process complete

Today

Released 2022

With WebRTC?

Kamailio with WebRTC? We play well with others

- Websockets support incredible stable
- Great bridge to PSTN or SIP
- Bridge IPv6 to IPv4
- NAT Handling
- Bridge SRTP to RTP/SRTP;)
- STIR / Shaken
- Load Balancing / High Availability

KEMI

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- JavaScript
- Lua
- Python
- Python3
- Ruby
- Squirrel

KEMI Benefits

- Documentation of the scripting language
- More data types and operations, coherence in behaviour
- Knowledge base and examples to learn the scripting language
- Extensive testing of the scripting language
- Development of the scripting language
- Large set of extensions
- Debugging tools
- Specialized editors
- Additional scalability mechanisms (threads, coroutines, ...)
- Reloading without restart

Questions?

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