

2018 Goals

[NOTE: These goals are a summary of community discussions at <https://etherpad.opnfv.org/p/TSC-backlog>]

1. **Address new use cases and hardware deployments (e.g. cloud native, Edge, C-RAN/vCO)**
 - a. Support cloud native apps in the reference platform (integrate and test Kubernetes & related components)
 - b. Create/integrate Edge-specific stacks (e.g. Akraino, OpenStack Edge) and define & obtain appropriate hardware environments for testing them in Pharos and LaaS
 - c. Create/integrate C-RAN and vCO specific stacks and test them on appropriate hardware environments in Pharos and LaaS
2. **Re-evaluate, and if needed update & communicate, OPNFV's mission, deliverables and ways of working/processes**
 - a. Update our understanding of key user groups and their needs
 - b. Identify which artifacts and deliverables OPNFV should produce
 - a. Define a release process that addresses the needs of our key user groups
 - b. Use lab resources more efficiently through dynamic resource allocation for CI pipeline
3. **Refine OPNFV output/artifacts so that OPNFV is more use-case driven and easier to consume**
 - a. Scenario consolidation
 - b. LaaS evolution
 - c. Better packaging/consumability of test tools
4. **Closer collaboration with other LFN projects through e.g. XCI, Lab-as-a-Service**
5. **Evolve the OPNFV Verified Program and support creation of LFN-level umbrella program**
6. **Maintain and grow our healthy community**
 - a. Continuing to have venues/events (both face-to-face and virtual) for OPNFV community members to collaborate effectively
 - b. Growing the contributor community

High-level budget needs:

- Two Plugfests/Hackfests
- Two developer summits (not counting ONS North America)
- Running cost of LF-hosted hardware (LF CI pods and servers for general IT)
- Software licenses for currently used IT services (git/Gerrit, Confluence/Jira, Bitergia, etc.)
- Project and IT support staff as current