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Open Payments: "The Good, the Bad and the Unknown"

Transport Ticketing North America



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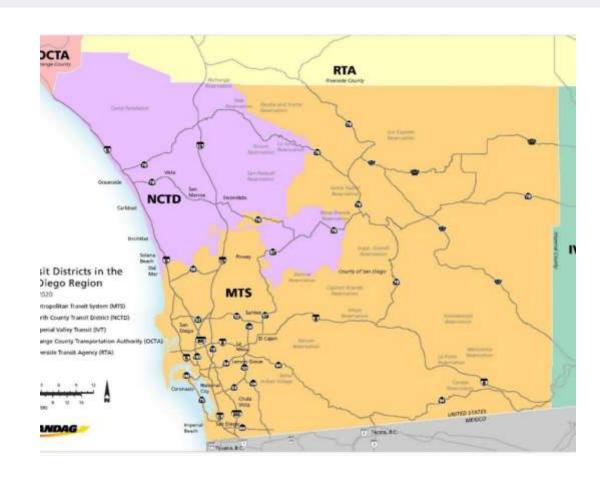
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- PRONTO fare system
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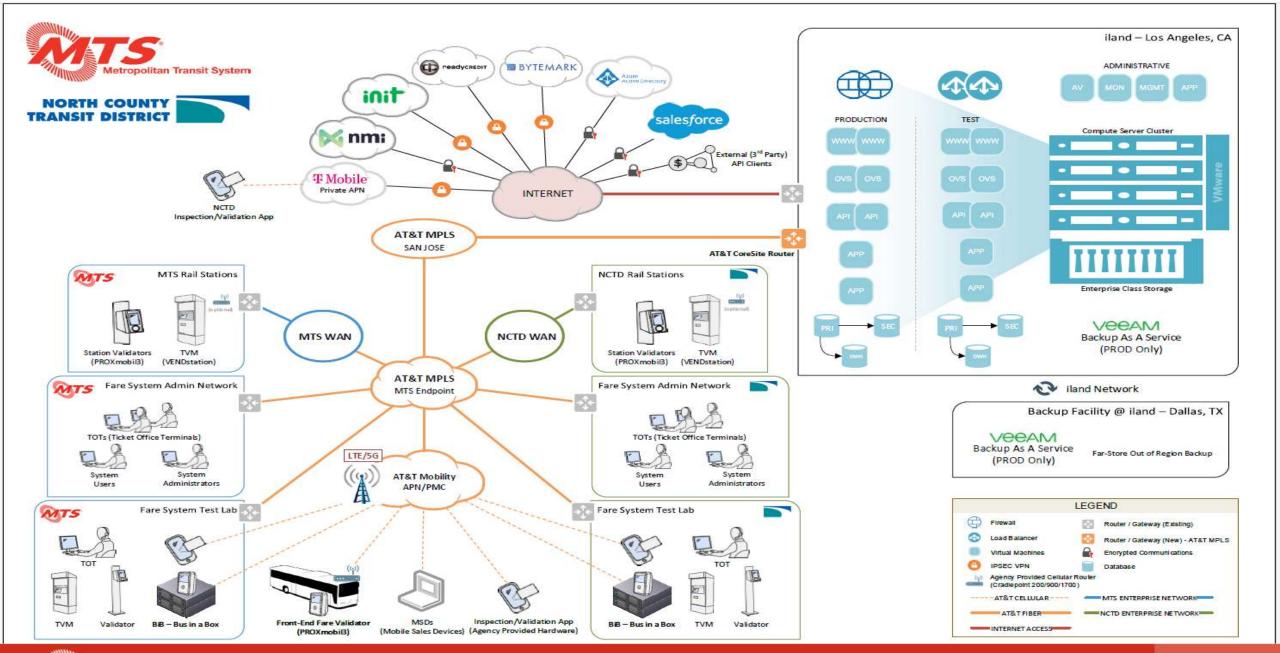


San Diego Metropolitan Transit System (MTS)

- Operator for the San Diego region
 - Bus
 - Light Rail
 - Combined-over 240K weekday trips for FY24
 - Serves 3 million residents within San Diego County









Open Payments: The Good

- Customer Experience
 - Fast and Easy
 - No Kiosk needed
 - No agency app needed
 - No need to reload
 - Help bridge gap with unbanked communities







Open Payments: The Bad

- Lack of standards for the administrative modules
- Murky fare inspection solution for open payments
- Leads to challenges in administering reduced fares and open payment
- Big Factor: bespoke fare systems and varying approach by agencies
- Factors create apprehension in adoption







Open Payments: The Unknown

- What will the rate of open payment adoption be over the next 5 years in public transit?
- Will there be a more standardized polished solution for administering reduced fares?
- How will the interchange fees change over the next 5 years?
- What technological advancements may help disrupt this space?





Questions?

