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Publish and subscribe to real time events from S/4HANA using BTP Event Mesh and BTP Advanced Event Mesh.

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What I will be covering

- What is an event and why are they important?
- S/4HANA event sources
- BTP Event Brokers Event Mesh and Advanced Event Mesh
- Demo S/4HANA purchase order change event published to Event Mesh
- Demo event consumption using an BTP Cloud Integration Integration Flow
- Demo S/4HANA purchase order change event publish to Advanced Event Mesh. Event consumed by the AEM Kafka Bridge and published to a Kafka broker
- Demo Custom event consumption in S/4HANA to create a Service Entry Sheet
- Latest improvements for data events in S/4HANA

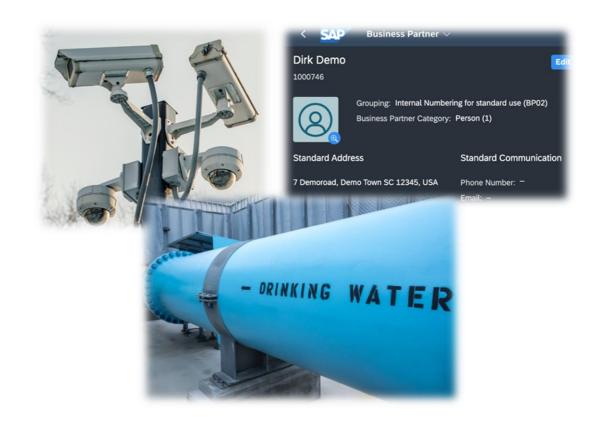
Events and real-world event-driven architecture

An event is a significant change in state.

Notification events or **data events** can be sent from the **event source** to inform of the change.

A message holding the event description in an encoded format is sent through an event broker.

Event consumers have registered with the event broker and are informed of the event.



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APIs vs. Events. We need both!

Application programming interfaces are a contract between client and server.

Synchronous and blocking.

Need to be called actively.





Events inform interested parties on significant changes.

Asynchronous and non-blocking.

Register once - no additional action needed.



S/4HANA & ERP Event sources

SAP ERP 6

- Custom events only using the event enablement add-on
- Can be notification events and data events
- Allows for inbound and outbound events
- CloudEvents format

Add-On

SAP S/4HANA Cloud

RAP Based Standard Events

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- Extensible standard notification events
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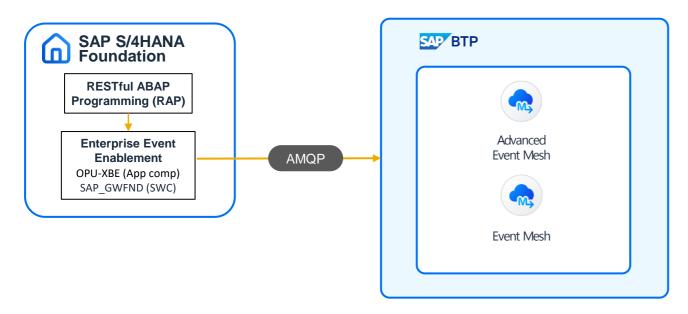
Custom Add-On Events

Notification and data events

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Event Mesh or Advanced event mesh

S/4HANA Events



S/4HANA Foundation

- Catalogue of <u>SAP Standard Events</u>
- Using the <u>Cloud Events specification</u> as the structure
- Likely to be notification events or key fields only
 - May require a call back to retrieve additional information on the object
- Transmitted via AMQP to Advanced Event Mesh or Event Mesh
- Topics pre-determined by SAP

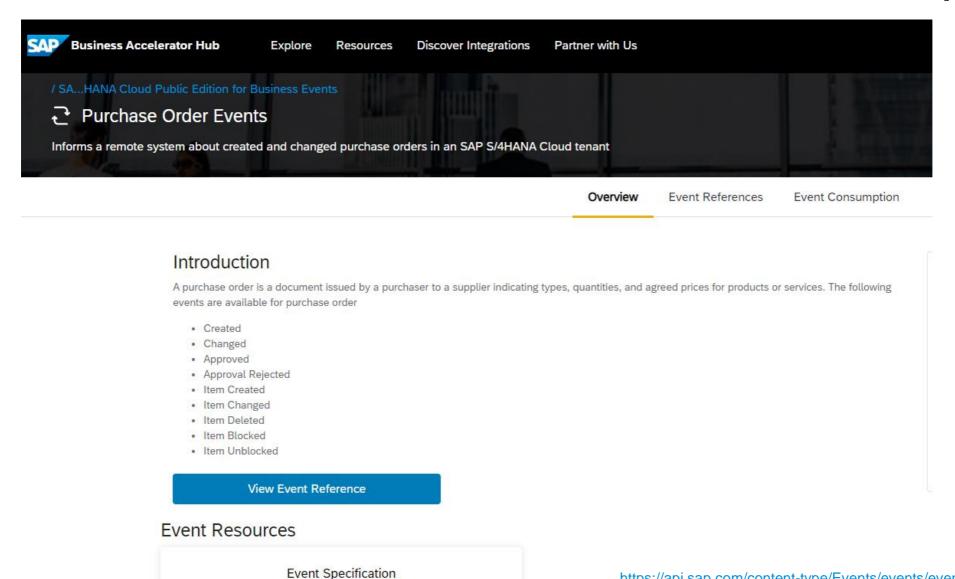
Sample Business Partner Event

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"type": "sap.s4.beh.businesspartner.vl.BusinessPartner.Created.vl",
    "specversion": "1.0",
    "source": "sap/em/s4hana",
    "id": "CouqKdpHHuyPvSSTVBOzcg==",
    "time": "2021-11-05T03:33:29Z",
    "datacontenttype": "application/json",
    "data": {
        "BusinessPartner": "USCU_S11"
    }
}
```

Sample Sales Order Event

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"type": "sap.s4.beh.salesorder.v1.SalesOrder.ApprovalStsChanged.v1"
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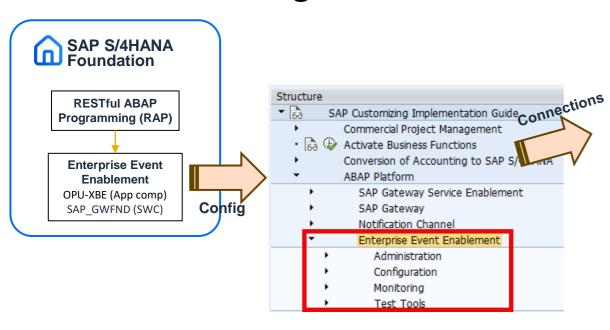
How to find what notification events are available in S/4HANA – api.sap.com

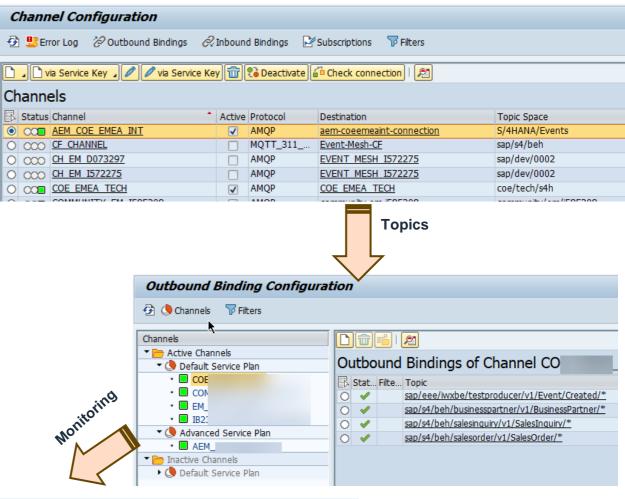


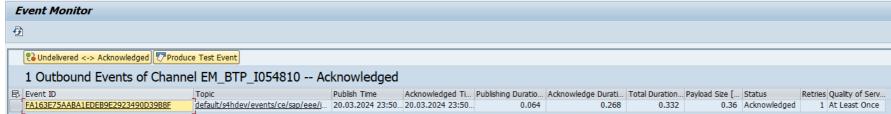
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https://api.sap.com/content-type/Events/events/events

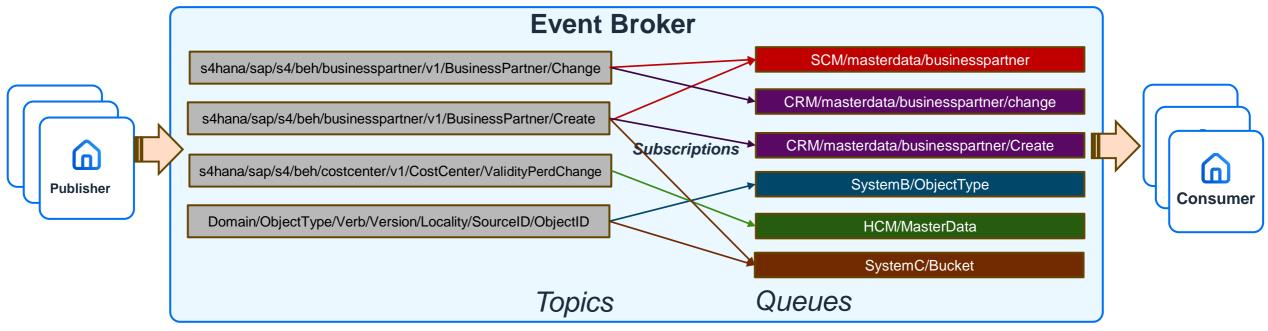
S/4HANA – configuration of channels and event brokers







Event Broker Concept (pub/sub)



Publishers

- Push data via a Topic reference (or direct to Queues)
- Topics should be as granular as possible (eg even down to region or state for example)
 - Publish to a topic once, the Event Broker manages 1:n subscribers/consumers

Consumers

- Retrieves or receives data from queues (push or pull)
- Additional consumers added without impacting the Publisher

Event Broker

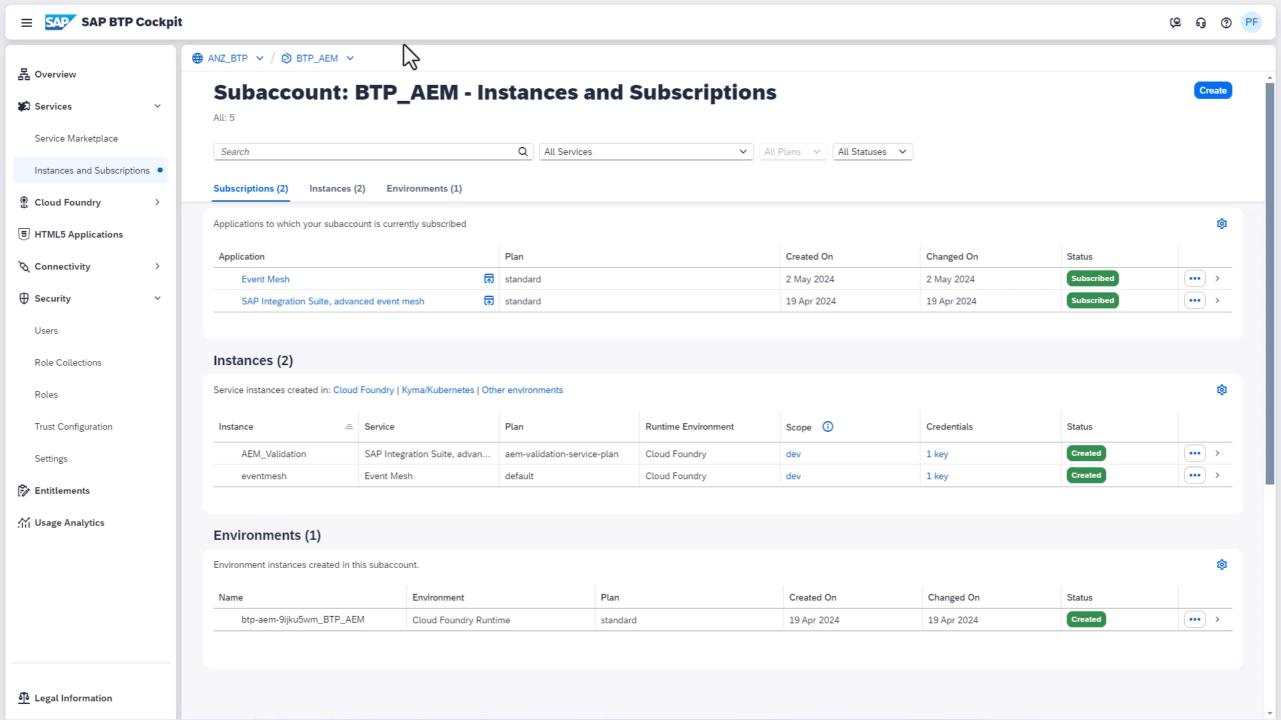
- Creates queues, manages subscriptions to 1:n topics
 - Subscriptions filtered/wildcarded (eg s4hana/customObject/*/Create) based on requirements

Generally payload unaware

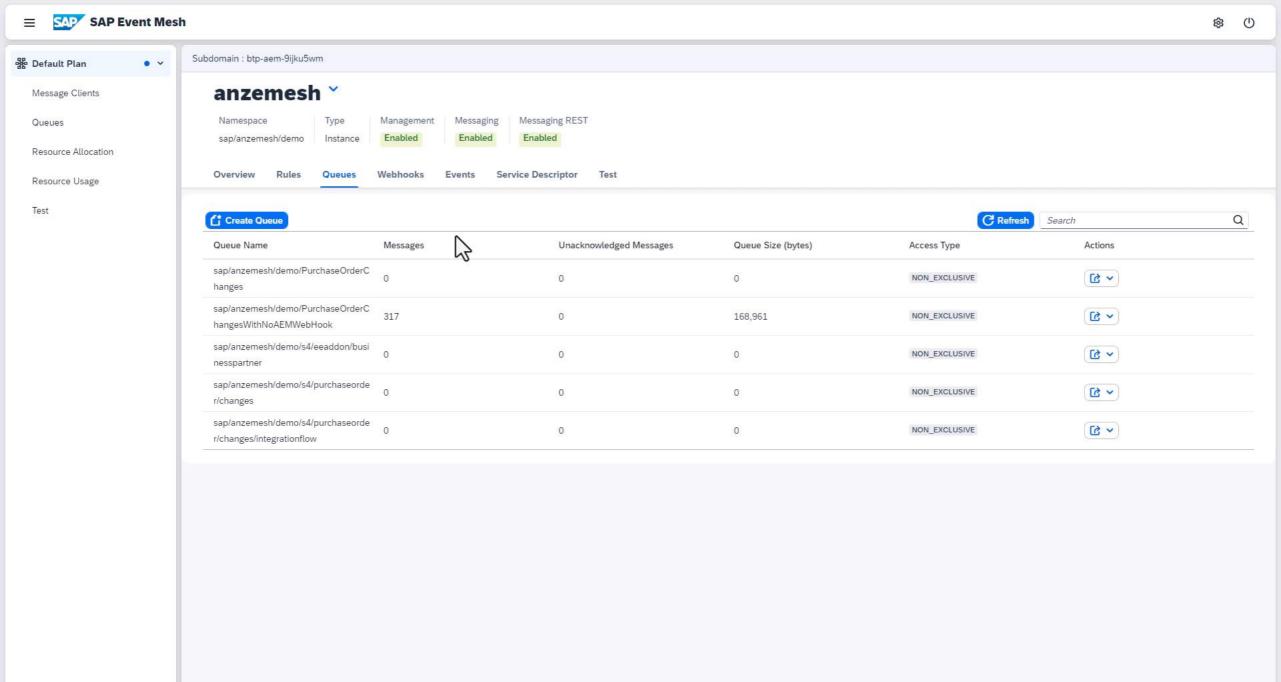
BTP Event Brokers

		SAP Event Mesh	SAP Integration Suite, advanced event mesh
Standard	Fully managed cloud service	✓	✓
	Infrastructure Model	Shared	Exclusive in T-Shirt Sizes
	Deployment Options	BTP Deployment	Private and Public Clouds
	Connecting SAP and non-SAP systems	✓	✓
	Out-of-the box support for SAP event sources	✓	✓
	Support of Standard Protocols	✓	✓
	Message size and storage	1MB / 10GB	Up to 30MB / Up to 6TB
	Typical use case size	Small to Medium	Small to Ultra Large
Advanced	Network of Event Brokers	-	✓
	Advanced Event Monitoring and Analysis	-	✓
	Dynamic Event Routing	-	✓
	Filtering	-	✓
	Event replay	-	✓
	Event Management	-	✓

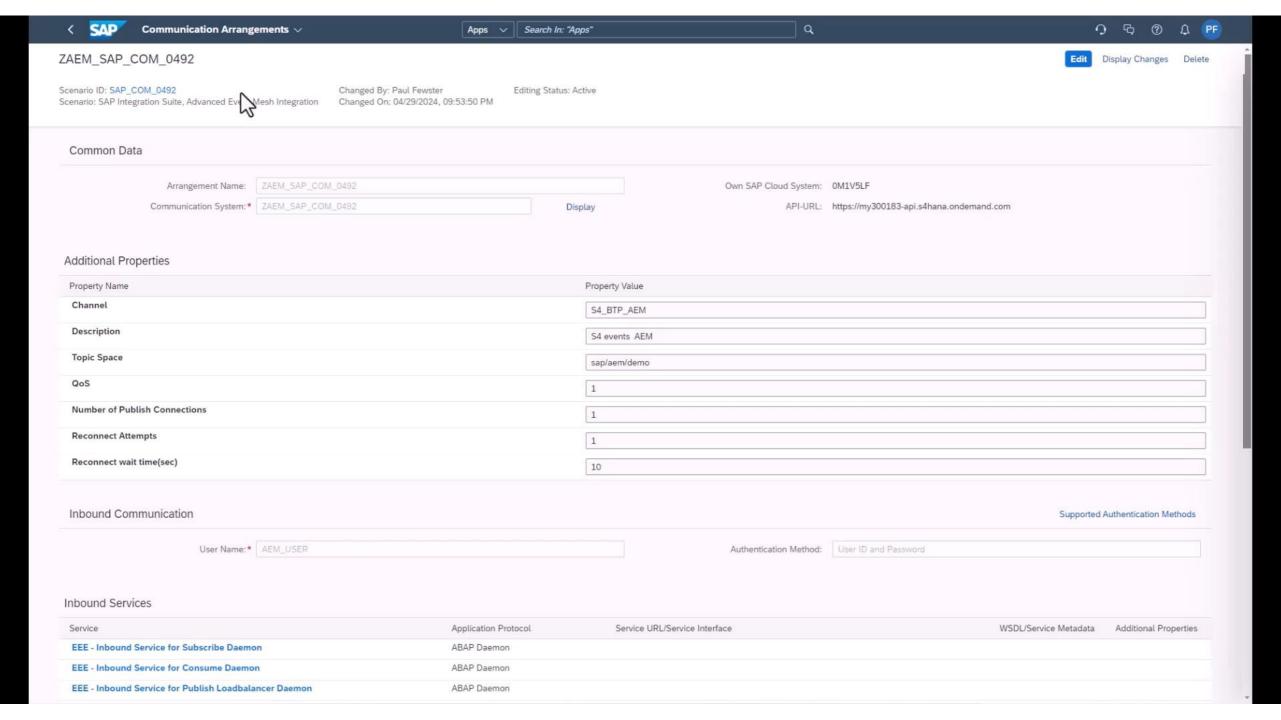
Demo – S/4HANA purchase order event published to Event Mesh



Demo - Event consumption using BTP Integration Flow



Demo – S/4HANA purchase order event publish to Advanced Event Mesh – publish event to Kafka using the AEM Kafka Bridge



Demo – Consume a custom event in S/4HANA

How to generate additional context for the event – data events

S/4HANA

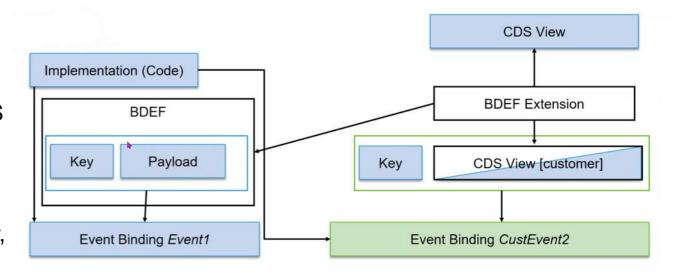
- Derived Events (as of 2023/2308)
- Local Event Handling (as of 2023/2308)
- NetWeaver Event Enablement Add On (Event Mesh as target only)

ERP 6

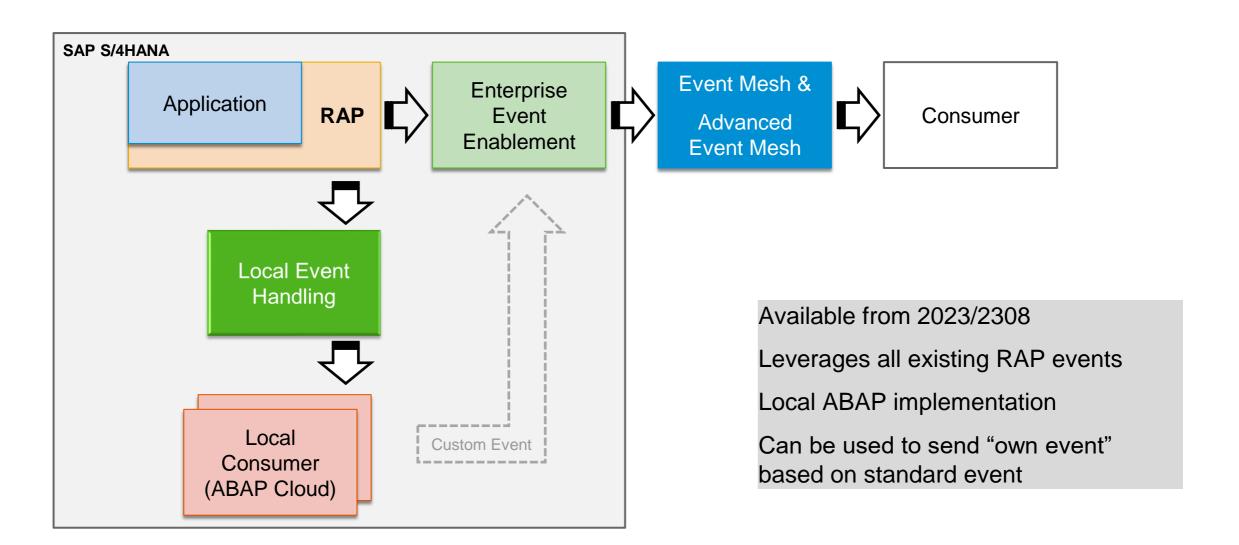
NetWeaver Event Enablement Add On

S/4HANA Business Events: Derived Events (2308)

- Create a **Derived Event** based on standard notification events
- The original event remains untouched
- Standard payload is replaced with a matching CDS view (key available in standard event as well)
- No programming, just configuration
- Internally, the notification event is used as a trigger, the configuration defines the "enrichment"



S/4HANA Business Events: Local Event Handling



Thanks for attending

Questions?