



# Summary & Release Plans

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- 1. Key components exist, are very fast, and are used in large experiments. Common parsimonious "hourglass" SSF API over codesigned core classes is the key to success.  
Well designed models scale, with room for improvements.**
- 2. Current work:**
  - useful core extensions and tools for usability & performance management**
  - next generation core simulators (MegEnta, Conservative)**
  - load management experiments/guidelines**
    - => database of useful network modeling entities (TMF) and testbeds**
- 3. Beta release to sympathetic labs: early 1998**
- 4. Official release 1999**