



Overview

Founded: 2018

Founders: Jeyappragash (JJ) Jeyakeerthi and Varun Talwar

Number of employees: 100-200

Headquarters: Milpitas, CA; globally distributed

Funding to date: \$52.5 m

\$40m (Series B 2021)

\$12.5m (Series A 2019)

Investors: [Sapphire Ventures](#), with [Scale Venture Partners](#), [NTTVC](#), [Dell Technologies Capital](#), [Intel Capital](#), [8VC](#), and [Samsung NEXT](#).

Portfolio: Open source and commercial enterprise software, including Tetrade Service Bridge; Tetrade Istio Subscription

Customers & key industries: Fortune 500 companies and governmental agencies; financial services, infrastructure, retail, tech services

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About Tetrade

Established by key founders of Istio, Tetrade was founded in 2018 with a vision to transform application networking for enterprises.

A service mesh decouples operations from development by addressing networking, security, and observability issues across applications with an independent networking layer, or a “mesh” that controls communications between services.

Its flagship product, Tetrade Service Bridge, is a service mesh platform that bridges traditional and modern workloads, helping organizations accelerate cloud adoption and smoothly modernize applications. It is the only mesh management platform on the market built for hybrid and multi-cloud environments. Providing a compute-agnostic, extensible, zero-trust mesh fabric built to fit any enterprise architecture, customers get runtime security and traffic management with consistent, baked-in observability across all their workloads, in any environment.

Tetrade is committed to simplifying the adoption of Istio and Envoy, not only for modern containerized applications running on Kubernetes, but also for traditional applications running

on virtual machines and bare-metal servers. Tetrade is the creator of open source func-e, a CLI that makes it easy to try out and adopt Envoy.

The company was founded by Varun Talwar, who previously served as the founding product manager on the Istio and gRPC projects at Google, and Jeyapragash Jeyakeerthi, who previously led Twitter's Cloud Infrastructure Management Platform.

Tetrade is committed to open source and is a top contributor to the Istio and Envoy projects. Our team includes founders and maintainers of Istio, Envoy, and Apache SkyWalking, the observability analysis and application performance management platform.

Tetrade has partnered with NIST to define security standards for service mesh architectures and collaborated to implement NIST's authorization framework, Next Generation Access Control, to enable a zero-trust architecture.

With a world-class and worldwide team, Tetrade maintains core values around openness in technology and culture.