

COMMUNICATION METHOD AND COMMUNICATION APPARATUS

ABSTRACT

This application provides a communication method and a communication apparatus. The
5 communication method includes: receiving a request message from a service request network
element, where the request message is used to request information about a target data analytics
network element, the request message includes a first analytics identifier and information about a
first service, and the target data analytics network element supports an analytics type
corresponding to the first analytics identifier and the first service; then determining the target data
10 analytics network element based on the first analytics identifier, the information about the first
service, and association information between the first analytics identifier and the first service that
corresponds to the target data analytics network element; and sending information about the target
data analytics network element to the service request network element. A data analytics network
element determined by using the method in embodiments of this application can completely match
15 the target data analytics network element actually requested by the service request network element,
thereby avoiding a waste of resources and ensuring a service of the service request network
element.

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