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OpenStack Deployment in the Enterprise

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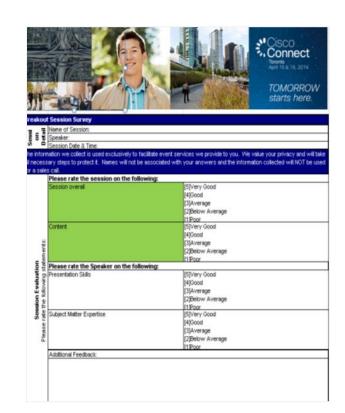


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Agenda

- Intro to OpenStack (30 minutes)
- Networking in OpenStack (30 minutes)
- OpenStack integration with ACI
- Demo (30 Minutes)
- final thoughts Openstack user group

Agenda – Intro to OpenStack

- Review: Amazon AWS
- OpenStack Intro
- OpenStack Community and Distributions
- OpenStack Architecture
- OpenStack Terminology
- OpenStack Projects
- OpenStack and Cisco



Review - Amazon AWS



Web service that provides resizable compute capacity in the cloud.



Amazon S3 » Highly-scalable, reliable, and low-latency data

storage.



Amazon RDS »

Managed MySQL, Oracle and SQL Server databases.



resources and applications.

AWS Data Pipeline »

Orchestration for datadriven workflows.



Amazon DynamoDB »

Fully managed NoSQL database service with seamless scalability.



Amazon EBS »

Highly available, highly reliable, predictable storage volumes.



Amazon ELB »

Web service that provides scalability and high availability.



Amazon ElastiCache »

Managed scale-out caching.



Amazon SNS »

Web service to set up. operate, and send notifications from the cloud.

Amazon SWF »

Workflow service for

applications.

building scalable, resilient

Amazon Elastic Transcoder »

Convert your media files easily, at low cost and at scale.



AWS Marketplace » Partner software preconfigured to run on AWS.



Scalable queue for storing messages as they travel between computers.



Amazon AWS

AWS is Amazon's umbrella description of all of their web-based technology services

- Mainly infrastructure services:
 - Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud (EC2)
 - Amazon Simple Storage Service (S3)
 - Amazon Simple Queue Service (SQS)
 - Amazon CloudFront
 - Amazon SimpleDB



Amazon EC2 Is...



- A Web service that provides resizable compute capacity in the cloud.
- Designed to make Web-scale computing easier for developers.
- A simple Web service interface that provides complete control of your computing resources

Amazon EC2 Benefits You Because It

- Reduces the time required to obtain and boot new server instances to minutes
- Quickly scales capacity, both up and down, as your computing requirements change
- Changes the economics of computing:
 - Pay only for capacity that you actually use
 - a + bc becomes just bc



- \$0.10 per CPU hour
- \$0.20 per GB transferred across Net
- No cost to transfer data between Amazon S3 and Amazon EC2



Amazon Storage



- EC2 Instance Store : disappears with the instance (transient)
- S3 is independent of an instance: for archival purposes: vault: store it now and retrieve it at a later date
- Elastic Block Storage: SAN-like, persists across time
- SimpleDB: Relational database better than MySQL or Oracle for reliability.

Amazon S3 API: Web/Object Storage

Amazon web services S3 API supports the ability to:

- Find buckets and objects
- Discover their meta data
- Create new buckets
- Upload new objects
- Delete existing buckets and objects
- When manipulating the buckets you can optionally specify where they should be stored.
- Use REST API preferably something that abstracts out even that: Jets3t;
 s3cmd (command line)
- BitTorrent access to S3 is also available

Intro



- "OpenStack is a collection of open source technologies delivering a massively scalable cloud operating system" - openstack.org
- OpenStack is a cloud operating system that controls large pools of compute, storage, and networking resources throughout a data center, all managed through a dashboard that gives administrators control while empowering users to provision resources through a web interface.
- OpenStack is an Open Source software for building private and public clouds.
- OpenStack is backed up by a global of community technologists, developers, researchers, corporations and computing experts.
- OpenStack enables developers to build cloud-aware applications via APIs

OpenStack Community





OpenStack Distributions



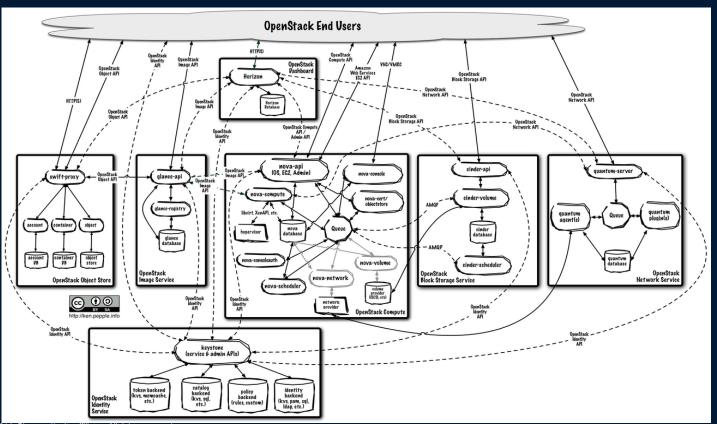
- RedHat Based on the same model of Fedora and Red Hat Enterprise Linux, OpenStack from Red Hat is available in two flavors
 - Red Hat Distribution of OpenStack (RDO)
 - Red Hat Enterprise Linux OpenStack Platform.
- Mirantis provides OpenStack software, training and consulting
- RackSpace provides OpenStack software, hosting, training and consulting
- Canonical bundles OpenStack with their server (Ubuntu based) including fully scriptable API
- Cloudscaling provides customized OpenStack to meet enterprise needs
- Piston OpenStack -includes a number of proprietary technologies that automate the configuration, deployment and management of OpenStack

OpenStack Conceptual Architecture



OpenStack Logical Architecture





OpenStack Terminology



- Instance- Running virtual machine
- Image- Non-running virtual machine, multiple formats (AMI, OVF, etc.)
- Application Programming Interface (API)- Interface for computer programs
- Message Queue- Acts as a hub for passing messages between daemons
- Volume- Provides persistent block storage to instances
- Project- aka Tenants, provides logical separation among cloud users
- Flavors- Pre-created bundles of compute resources
- Fixed IP- Associated to an instance on start-up, internal only
- Floating IP- Public facing IP address

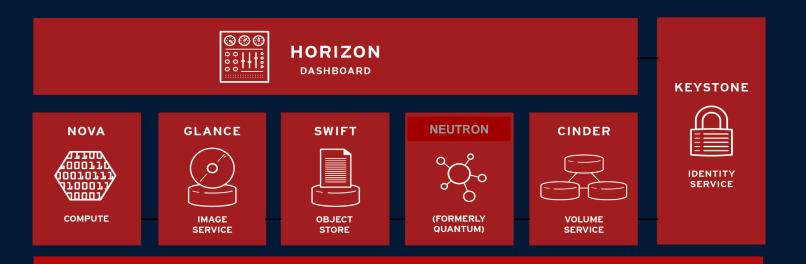
OpenStack Releases



Release Name	Release Date	Included Components
Austin	21 Oct 2010	Nova, Swift
Bexar	3 Feb 2011	Nova, Glance, Swift
Cactus	15 Apr 2011	Nova, Glance, Swift
Diablo	22 Sept 2011	Nova, Glance, Swift
Essex	5 Apr 2012	Nova, Glance, Swift, Horizon, Keystone
Folsom	27 Sept 2012	Nova, Glance, Swift, Horizon, Keystone, Quantum, Cinder
Grizzly	4 Apr 2013	Nova, Glance, Swift, Horizon, Keystone, Quantum, Cinder
Havana	17 Oct 2013	Nova, Glance, Swift, Horizon, Keystone, Neutron, Cinder
Icehouse	Apr 2014	Nova, Glance, Swift, Horizon, Keystone, Neutron, Cinder

OpenStack Projects





RED HAT ENTERPRISE LINUX / UBUNTU / OTHER LINUX DISTROS

OpenStack Projects - HORIZON





OpenStack Dashboard (HORIZON)

- Dashboard
- Provides simple self service UI for end-users
- Basic cloud administrator functions
 - Define users, tenants and quotas
 - No infrastructure management

OpenStack Projects - KEYSTONE



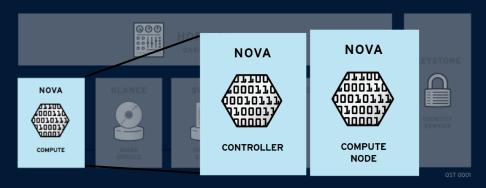


OpenStack Identity (KEYSTONE)

- Identity Service
- Common authorization framework
- Manages users, tenants and roles
- Pluggable backends (SQL, PAM, LDAP, etc)

OpenStack Projects - NOVA





OpenStack Compute (NOVA)

- Core compute service comprised of
 - Compute Nodes hypervisors that run virtual machines
 - Supports multiple hypervisors KVM, Xen, LXC, Hyper-V and ESX
 - Distributed controllers that handle scheduling, API calls, etc.
 - Native OpenStack API and Amazon EC2 compatible API

OpenStack Projects - GLANCE





OpenStack Image (GLANCE)

- Image service
- Stores and retrieves disk images (virtual machine templates)
- Supports Raw, QCOW, VMDK, VHD, ISO, OVF & AMI/AKI
- Backend storage : Filesystem, Swift, Amazon S3

OpenStack Projects - SWIFT





OpenStack Object Storage (SWIFT)

- Object Storage service
- Modeled after Amazon's S3 service
- Provides simple service for storing and retrieving arbitrary data
- Native API and S3 compatible API

OpenStack Projects - NEUTRON





OpenStack Networking (NEUTRON formerly QUANTUM)

- Network Service
- Provides framework for Software Defined Network (SDN)
- Plugin architecture
 - Allows integration of hardware and software based network solutions

OpenStack Projects - CINDER





OpenStack Block Storage (CINDER)

- Block Storage (Volume) Service
- Provides block storage for virtual machines (persistent disks)
- Similar to Amazon EBS service
- Plugin architecture for vendor extensions
 - eg. NetApp driver for Cinder

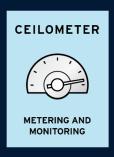
OpenStack Incubating Projects





OpenStack Orchestration (HEAT)

- Goal: Provides AWS CloudFormation implementation for OpenStack
- Deploys composite cloud applications to OpenStack



OpenStack Monitoring and Metering (CEILOMETER)

- Goal: To provide a single infrastructure to collect measurements from an entire OpenStack infrastructure; eliminate need for multiple agents attaching to multiple OpenStack projects
- Primary targets metering and monitoring; provides extensibility

OpenStack at Cisco

Community Participation

- OpenStack Foundation Board member
- Code Contributions across
 Core services
- Second most prolific contributor for Completed Blueprints
- One of the leading contributors of code to the Neutron project
- Expanding beyond Neutron

Cisco Engineering

- Neutron Plug-ins for Cisco Nexus
 - ACI APIC plug-ins
 - VLAN Programing
 - N1KV portfolio for KVM
- Cisco OpenStack Tools
 - Cisco UCS OpenStack Installer
 - UCS One-touch provisioning tool
- Cisco UCS OpenStack CVD
- Cisco UCS Accelerator Paks
- Adoption in Products (VIRL)

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Customers and Partners

- Cisco OpenStack Advanced Services
- Drive innovation through real-world use cases
- Comcast, WebEx, Paypal, Best Buy, large SPs, Photobucket



OpenStack Deployment Models

All-in-One

Controller, Compute, Storage and Networking Nodes all rolled up in one physical host/vm

OpenStack

Multi-Node Compute

One Controller, Local/NAS/SAN Storage and Multiple Compute Node Cluster

Multi Node Compute/Storage

Separate clusters of Controller, Compute and Storage Nodes

OpenStack – Scripted Install on UCS



Pre-configure UCS

Hostname / IP address

Logical credentials

Resource allocation preferences

Only Point of User Touch

Provision UCS Servers

Chassis/Server Discovery

Service Profile Association

PXE boot devices deployed

Register Nodes

Cobbler database update

Event Listener

Updates the newly added node info in puppet

Puppet apply

Add hosts/system in **OpenStack**

Host OS Install

PXE boot for initial OS install

RHEL 6.4 installation on bare-metal servers

Puppet Master

OpenStack Handover

Inventory of nova nodes on controller

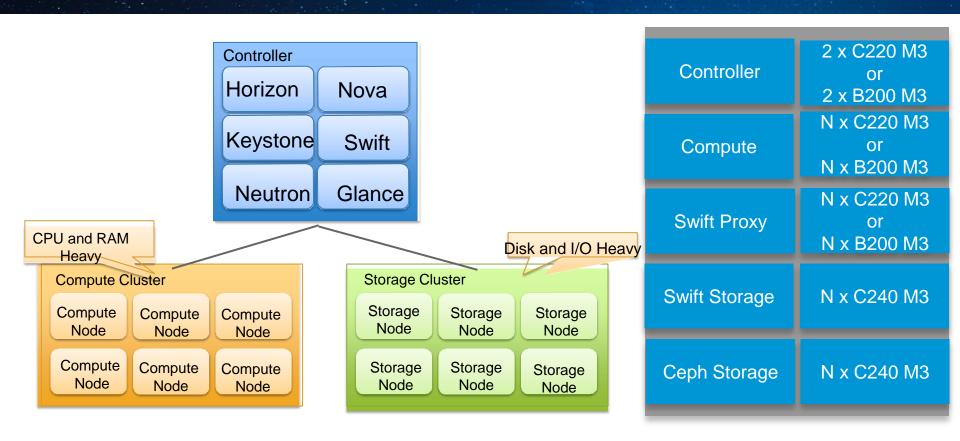
VM Provisioning

OpenStack Services Deployment





Typical OpenStack Deployment



Real Life OpenStack Deployment Looks Like This!

Controller Node

Intel E5-2660, ≤ 256 Gb, ≤ 2 TB HDD

B200 M3; C220 M3

Compute Nodes

Intel E5-2660, 768 Gb – 1 TB RAM, 2 TB HDD

B200 M3, B250 M2; B440 M2; C220 M3

Storage Nodes

Intel E5-2660, 32 Gb RAM, ≤ 24 TB HDD

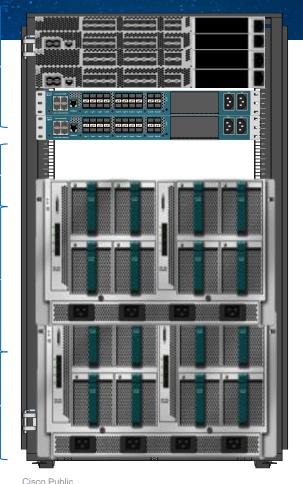
C240 M3

Network
Access
Jnified Fabric

Build Server Controllers

Compute
Nodes
Mission critical
Interprise Class

Storage
Proxy
Cinder (Block
storage)
Swift (Object



Getting Started

- Try/Dev/Demo:
 - http://devstack.org/
 - http://www.stackops.com/
 - http://trystack.org/
- Many, many, many blogs on setting up OpenStack on every virtual platform imaginable
- Grizzly:
 - http://docwiki.cisco.com/wiki/OpenStack:Grizzly:All-In-One
 - http://docwiki.cisco.com/wiki/OpenStack:Grizzly-Multinode
- Havana:
 - http://docwiki.cisco.com/wiki/Openstack:Havana-Openstack-Installer
 - http://docwiki.cisco.com/wiki/OpenStack_Havana_Release:_High-Availability_Manual_Deployment_Guide

OpenStack - Resources



OpenStack at Cisco:

http://www.cisco.com/web/solutions/openstack/index.html

OpenStack Cisco Validated Designs:

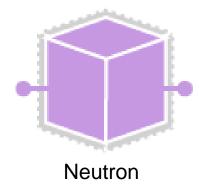
http://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/unified_computing/ucs/UCS_CVDs/ucs_rhos.html

Cisco Nexus Plug-in for OpenStack

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OpenStack Networking

Neutron Introduction

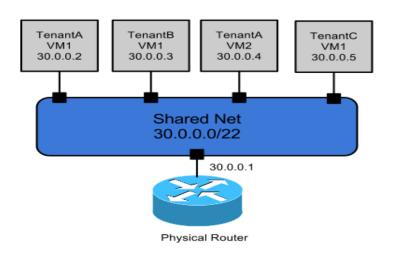


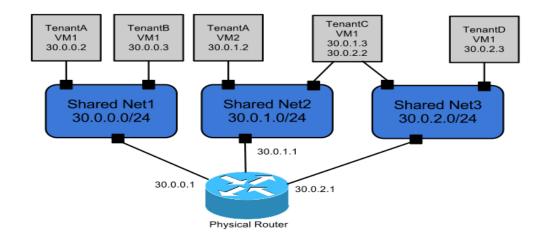
OpenStack Network Service (Neutron)

Provides "network connectivity as a service" between devices managed by other OpenStack services

- Provides abstractions and functionality needed for cloud networking
- Why Neutron?
 - Current networking under Nova is limited
 - Provide tenants an API to build rich networking topologies
 - Foster innovation through plug-ins

OpenStack Network Topologies

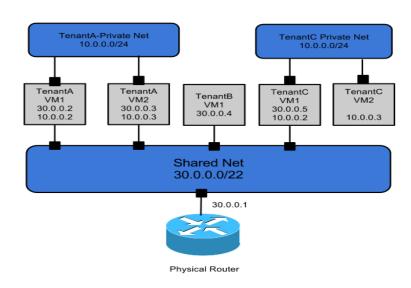




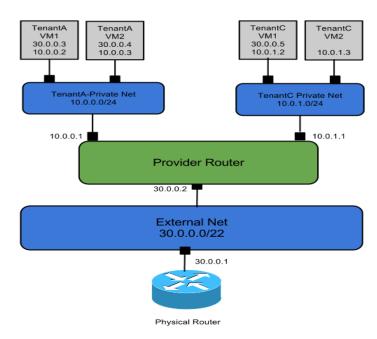
Single Flat Network

Multiple Flat Networks

OpenStack Network Topologies

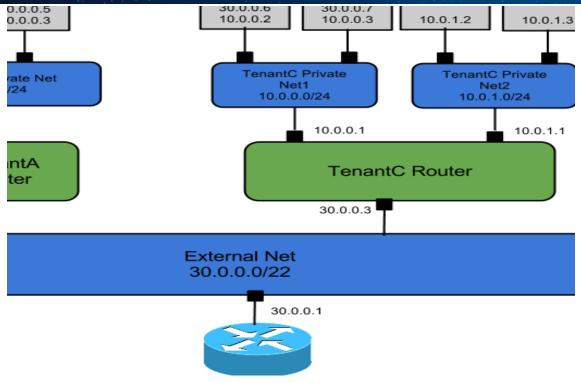


Mixed Flat and Private Network



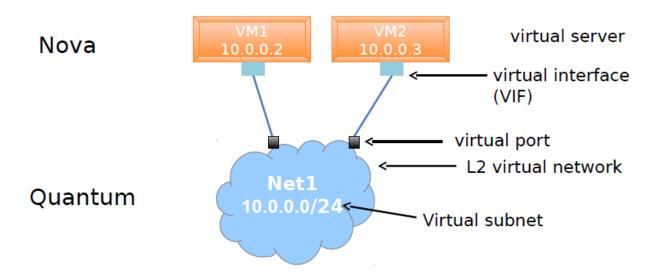
Provider and Tenant Networks

OpenStack Network Topologies



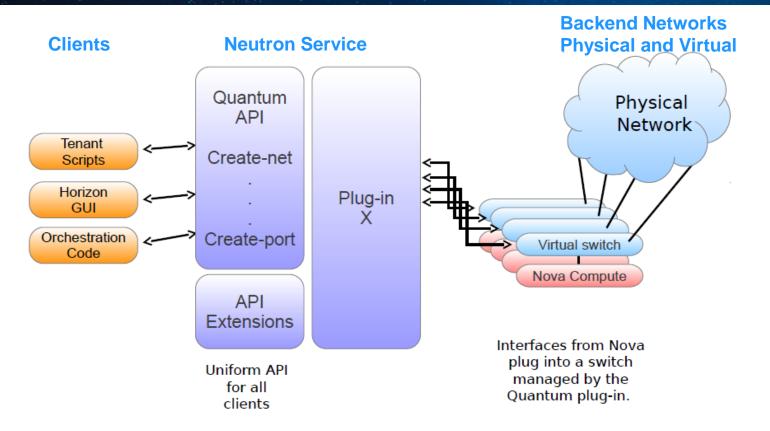
Tenant Routers and Private Networks

Basic Neutron API Abstractions (Quantum Derived)



"virtual networks" and virtual subnets are fundamentally multitenant, just like virtual servers (e.g., overlapping IP's can be used on different networks)

Neutron Architecture



Neutron API Extensions

Neutron Base API v2.0

- Networks
 - Create, Delete, Update
 - List, Show
- Subnets
 - Create, Delete, Update
 - List, Show
- Ports
 - Create, Delete, Update
 - List, Show

Neutron API Extensions

Routers

Create, Delete, Update, List, Show

FloatingIP

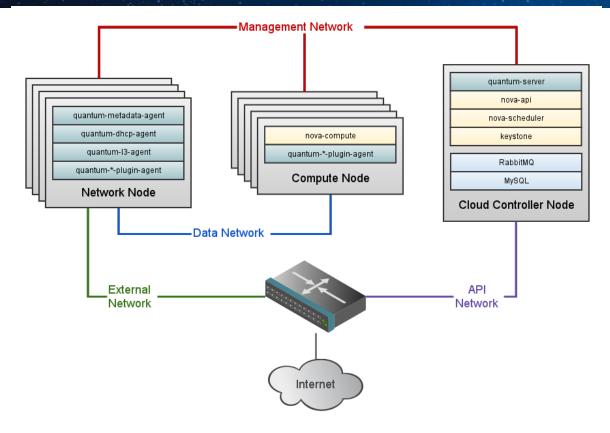
Create, Delete, Update, List, Show

- QoS, ACLs, LBaaS
- Security Filter Policies
- Netflow
- Port Profiles/Statistics

OpenStack Neutron Grizzly Additions

- Multiple network nodes running L3-agents and DHCP-agents
- Allows L3-L4 packet filtering for security policies
- Load-balancing-as-a-Service (LBaaS)
- Metadata improvements, allow overlapping IP address ranges
- Horizon GUI support for Routers + Loadbalancers
- Support for XML API
- New vendor plugins and improvements to existing plugins
- Seamless upgrade from Folsom to Grizzly

Network Connectivity for Physical Hosts



What is Modular Layer 2?

A new Neutron core plugin in Havana

- Modular
 - Drivers for layer 2 network types and mechanisms interface with agents, hardware, controllers, ...
 - Service plugins and their drivers for layer 3+
- Works with existing L2 agents
 - openvswitch
 - linuxbridge
 - hyperv
- Deprecates existing monolithic plugins
 - o openvswitch
 - linuxbridge

Before Modular Layer 2 ...

Neutron Server

Open vSwitch Plugin

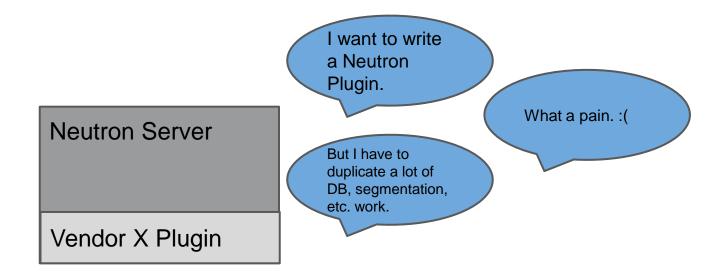
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Neutron Server

Linuxbridge Plugin

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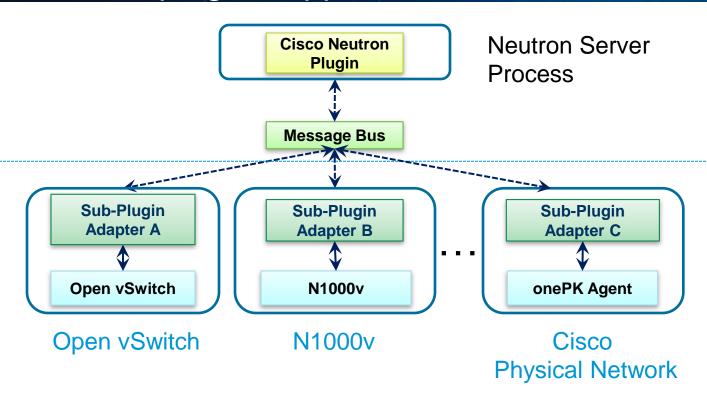
Before Modular Layer 2 ...



Modular Layer 2 (ML2) Plugin

The Modular Layer 2 (ML2) Plugin is a framework allowing OpenStack Neutron to simultaneously utilize the variety of layer 2 networking technologies found in complex real-world data centers.

Neutron Multi-plugin Support



ML2 Use Cases

- Replace existing monolithic plugins
 - Eliminate redundant code
 - Reduce development & maintenance effort
- New features
 - Top-of-Rack switch control
 - Avoid tunnel flooding via L2 population
 - Many more to come...
- Heterogeneous deployments
 - Specialized hypervisor nodes with distinct network mechanisms
 - Integrate *aaS appliances
 - Roll new technologies into existing deployments

What's Similar?

ML2 is functionally a superset of the monolithic openvswitch, linuxbridge, and hyperv plugins:

- Based on NeutronDBPluginV2
- Models networks in terms of provider attributes
- RPC interface to L2 agents
- Extension APIs

What's Different?

ML2 introduces several innovations to achieve its goals:

- Cleanly separates management of network types from the mechanisms for accessing those networks
 - Makes types and mechanisms pluggable via drivers
 - Allows multiple mechanism drivers to access same network simultaneously
 - Optional features packaged as mechanism drivers
- Supports multi-segment networks
- Flexible port binding
- L3 router extension integrated as a service plugin

ML2 Architecture Diagram

Neutron Server ML2 Plugin **API Extensions** Type Manager Mechanism Manager GRE TypeDriver VLAN TypeDriver VXLAN TypeDriver L2 Population Linuxbridge Tail-F NCS Hyper-V Cisco Nexus Arista

Type Drivers in Havana

The following are supported segmentation types in ML2 for the Havana release:

- local
- flat
- VLAN
- GRE
- VXLAN

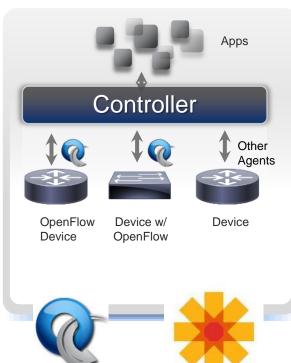
Mechanism Drivers in Havana

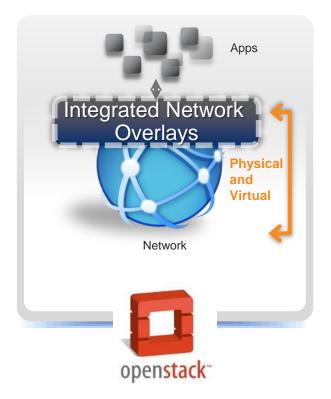
The following ML2 Mechanism Drivers exist in Havana:

- Arista
- Cisco Nexus
- Hyper-V Agent
- L2 Population
- Linuxbridge Agent
- Open vSwitch Agent
- Tail-f NCS

SDN & Cisco Open Network Environment (ONE)



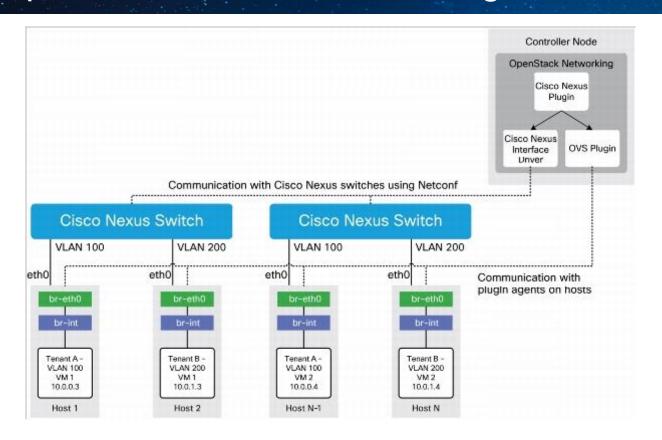




Cisco OpenStack Plugins & Initiatives (More to Come!)

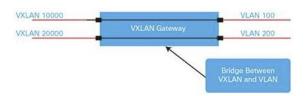
- Nexus 1000V Neutron Plugin
- Nexus 1000V VXLAN Gateway Neutron Plugin
- Nexus 1000V Cloud Services Router Neutron Plugin
- Nexus Dynamic Fabric Automation (DFA) Neutron Plugin
- Nexus L3 Neutron Plugin
- OpenDaylight Neutron Plugin
- Cisco Validated Design
- OpenStack UCS Installer

Cisco OpenStack Nexus 1000V Plugin



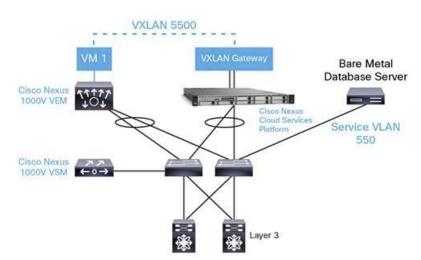
Nexus 1000V VXLAN Gateway





VXLAN is a Layer 2 network isolation technology that uses a 24-bit segment identifier to scale beyond the 4000-address limitations of VLANs. VXLAN technology creates LAN segments by using an overlay approach with MAC-in-IP encapsulation. The Cisco Nexus 1000V VEM encapsulates the original Layer 2 frame leaving the virtual machine.

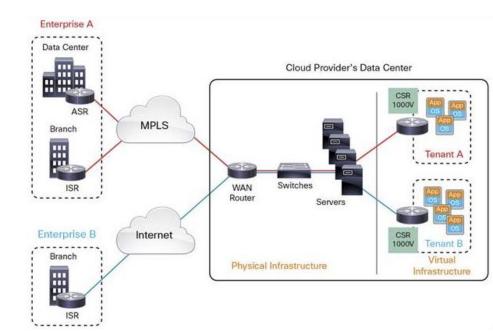
The initial support for VXLAN extended to virtual switches that run in a hypervisor environment, and the only endpoints that could be on VXLANs were virtual machinesrespectively. Physical servers and traditional service nodes will continue to be used on traditional VLAN interfaces. To connect workloads with some components on a VXLAN interface and others on a VLAN interface, or to apply hardware-based services to a VXLAN network, an interconnection such as VXLAN gateway is employed.



Nexus 1000V Cloud Services Router

The Cisco® Cloud Services Router 1000V (CSR 1000V) is a single-tenant router in virtual form-factor that delivers comprehensive WAN gateway functions to multitenant provider-hosted clouds. Using familiar, industry-leading Cisco IOS® Software networking capabilities, the CSR 1000V enables enterprises to extend their WANs transparently into external provider-hosted clouds and cloud providers to offer their tenants enterprise-class networking services.

The Cisco CSR 1000V contains the same operating system, Cisco IOS XE Software, which runs inside the Cisco ASR 1000 product line. Providing control- and data-plane separation, multicore forwarding, and a modular architecture that allows for smooth insertion of networking features, Cisco IOS XE Software is well-suited for dynamic cloud environments. The software is based on the stable, robust, and feature-rich Cisco IOS Software that has powered Cisco ISRs and other hardware routers in demanding enterprise, service provider, and government networks for more than two decades.



APPLICATION CENTRIC INFRASTRUCTURE



Physical Networking



Hypervisors and Virtual Networking



Compute



L4–L7 Services



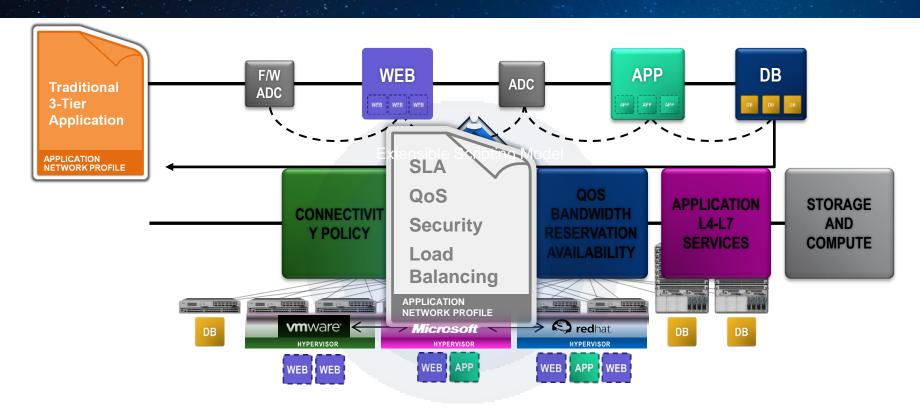
Storage



Multi DC WAN and Cloud



AGILITY: ANY APPLICATION, ANYWHERE—PHYSICAL AND VIRTUAL COMMON APPLICATION NETWORK PROFILE



Solution: Integrating Cisco ACI fabric with Red Hat OpenStack

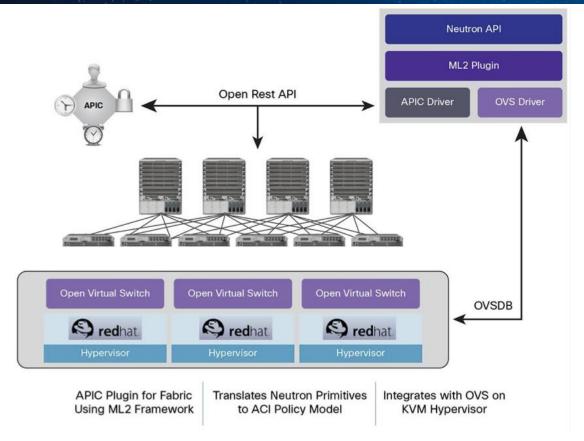
Cisco's ACI Fabric combines ACI-ready Nexus 9000 switches with application policy, enabling applications to drive networking behavior, not the other way around. Pre-defined application requirements and descriptions automate the provisioning of the network, application services, security policies, tenant subnets and workload placement. Automating the provisioning of the complete application network reduces IT costs, reduces errors, accelerates deployment and makes the business more agile.



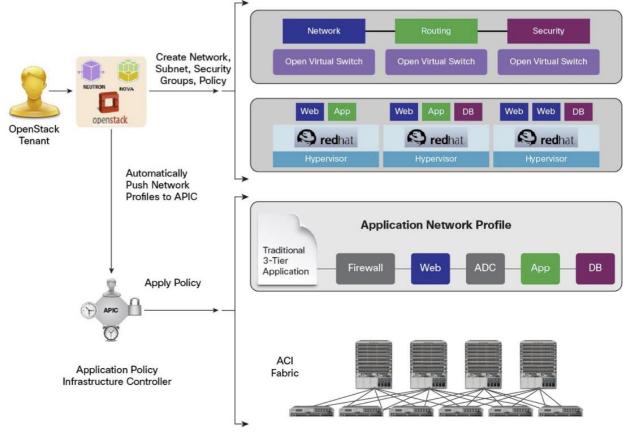
Cisco and Red Hat have collaborated to build a joint solution on RHEL OpenStack Platform through integration with existing OpenStack Neutron APIs, Open vSwitch, and the Cisco Application Policy Infrastructure Controller (APIC).



Cisco APIC Integration with RHEL OpenStack Platform



Cisco ACI Integration with RHEL OpenStack Platform



Cisco ACI Integration with RHEL OpenStack Platform Solution Benefits:

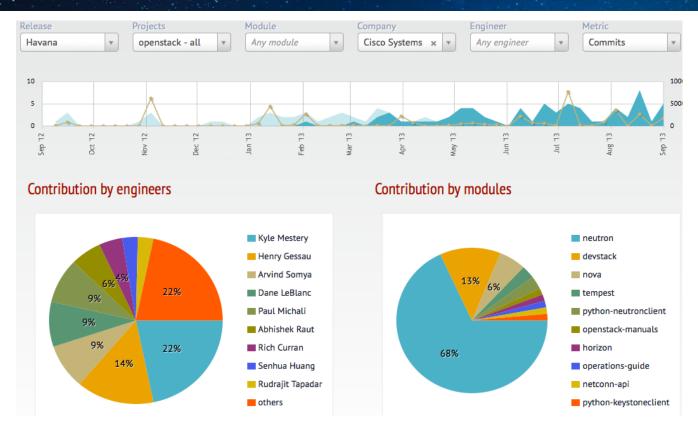
 Provides certified, supported, integrated, and deployable solution for running RHEL OpenStack Platform on application centric networking infrastructure **red**hat

Cisco Public

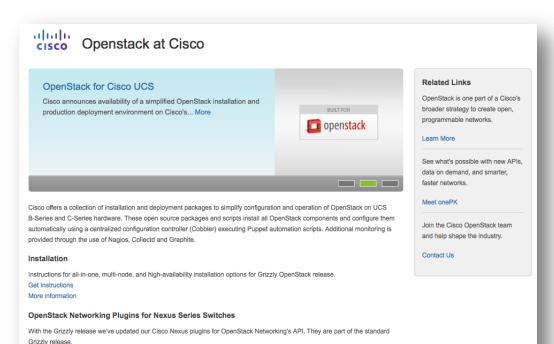
- Simplifies and accelerates deployment and management of applications and infrastructure in private, public, and hybrid clouds using OpenStack
- Enables scalability, performance, and agility in cloud environments by combining the flexibility of software (RHEL OpenStack Platform and Cisco ACI) with the performance of hardware (Cisco ACI)
- Provides the capability to build comprehensive application-based network policies in the cloud
- Benefits the open source community through the evolution of network concepts using extensions to the
- OpenStack Neutron model to achieve a more application centric infrastructure
- Provides enhanced automation and programmability capabilities through open APIs to enable a broader ecosystem



Cisco OpenStack Code Contributions



Cisco Openstack Installer - Opening The Cloud



Simplified installer for the suite of Openstack modules

Works with UCS C-Series and Nexus switches

http://docwiki.cisco.com/wiki/OpenStack#Introduction

Download Datasheet

How to get started with OpenStack?



A documented shell script to build complete OpenStack development environments.

Created by <u>Rackspace Cloud Builders</u>, Maintained by the OpenStack developer community.



Setup a fresh supported Linux installation.



Clone devstack from devstack.

git clone https://github.com/openstack-dev/de
vstack.git



Deploy your OpenStack Cloud

cd devstack && ./stack.sh

OpenStack – Devstack Install (stable/havana)

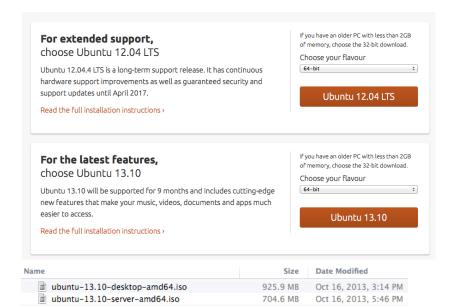
Download > Overview Cloud Server Desktop Ubuntu 桌面版

Download Ubuntu:

- 13.10 Desktop (GUI)
- 13.10 Server (Console/SSH)

Download Ubuntu Desktop

You can choose between two options when you download Ubuntu for a desktop PC. Ubuntu 13.10 gives you all the latest features, while Ubuntu 12.04 LTS comes with extended support.



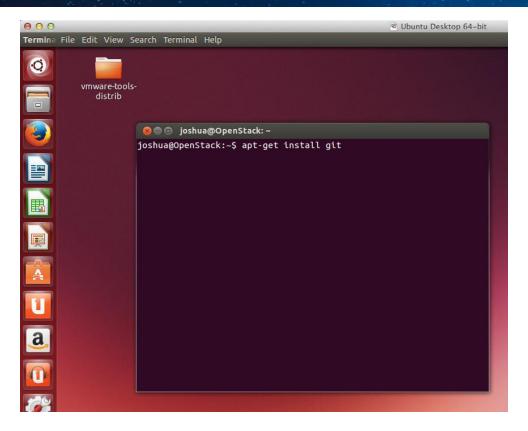
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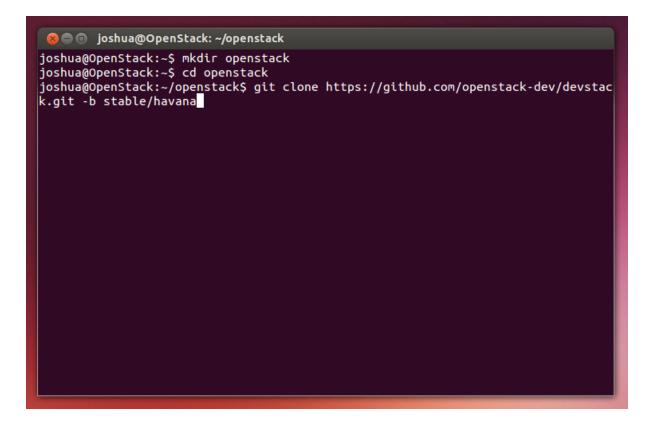
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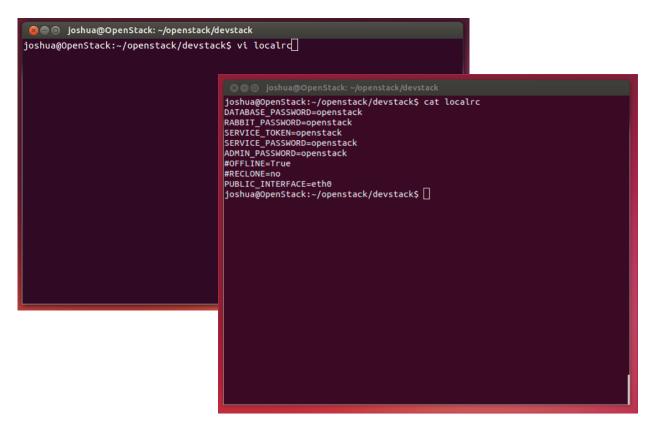
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joshua@OpenStack:~/openstack$ git clone https://github.com/openstack-dev/devstac
k.git -b stable/h<u>avana</u>
Cloning into 'devstack'...
remote: Reusing existing pack: 17508, done.
remote: Total 17508 (delta 0), reused 0 (delta 0)
Receiving objects: 100% (17508/17508), 4.55 MiB | 1.56 MiB/s, done.
Resolving deltas: 100% (12011/12011), done.
Checking connectivity... done
joshua@OpenStack:~/openstack$ ls -al
total 12
drwxr-xr-x 3 joshua joshua 4096 Apr 16 00:39 .
drwxr-xr-x 18 joshua joshua 4096 Apr 16 00:36 ...
drwxr-xr-x 10 joshua joshua 4096 Apr 16 00:39 devstack
joshua@OpenStack:~/openstack$
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Create installrc file:

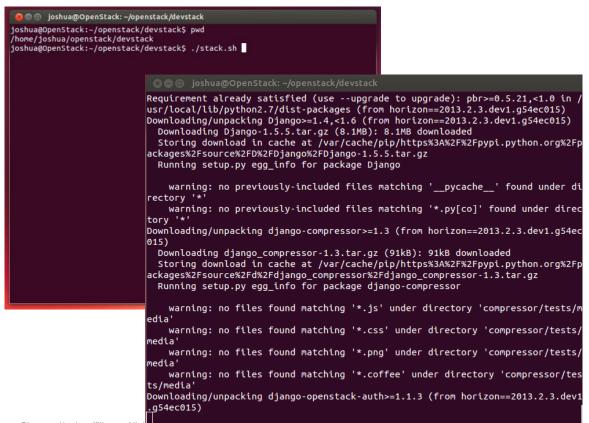
- OFFLINE and RECLONE can be uncommented after install as needed
- Note: In this example the password for user "admin" is being set to "openstack"



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Wait...

 Install time will vary by VM resources and WAN bandwidth (>5min typically)

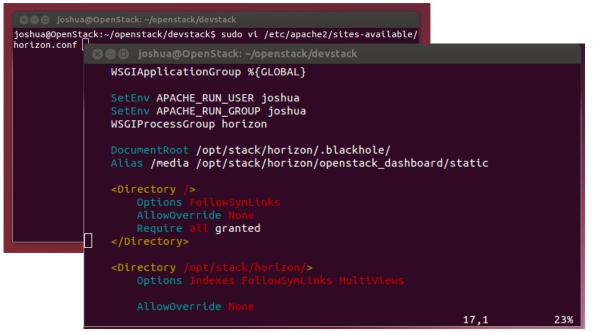


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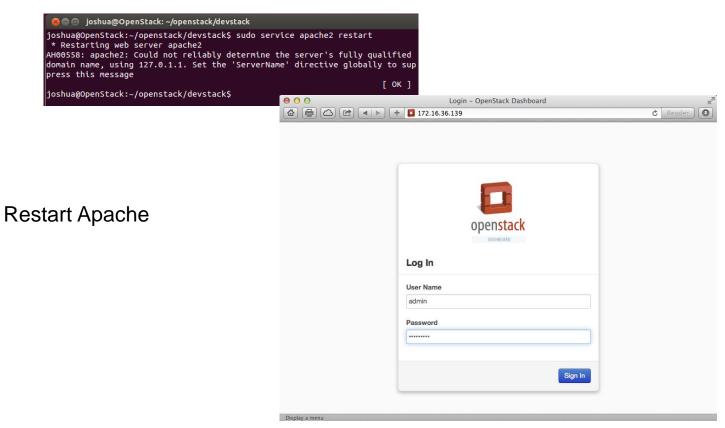
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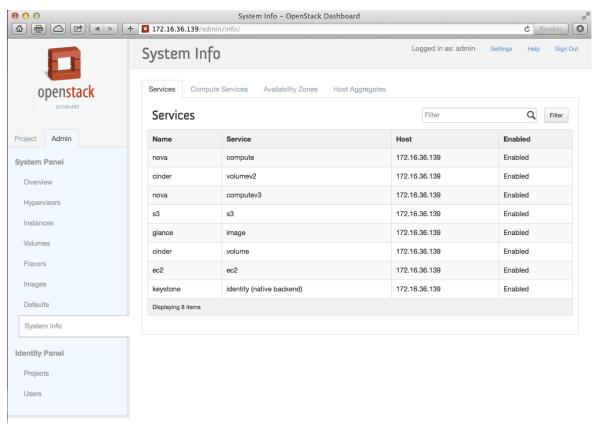
Patch:

 Add "Require all granted" to the root directory config

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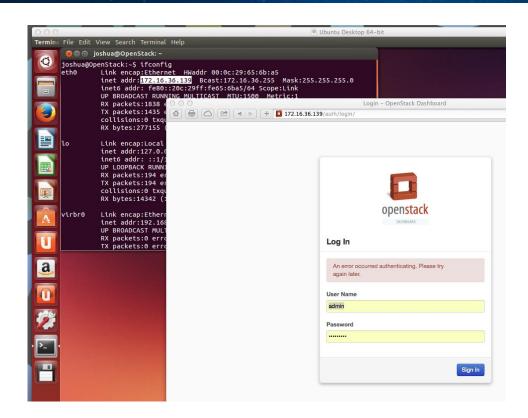
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After rebooting:

 Devstack does not start all services automatically!



OpenStack References

OpenStack Architecture

http://wiki.openstack.org/

https://github.com/CiscoSystems/cisco-openstack-docs

http://wiki.openstack.org/Neutron

http://devstack.org/

http://cisco.com/go/openstack

Final Thoughts/OpenStack Toronto User's Group

Mission Statement:

OpenTech Toronto is comprised of individuals who are interested in exploring the Open Technology platforms being developed today (Storage, Computer, Network and Dev/Ops).

Our goal is to educate and provide a open forum for IT Professionals in Toronto to explore Openstack, Open Daylights and the concepts of SDN as core concepts.

We are meeting during the business day within the Downtown Toronto core to provide access for all interested individuals.

The group has conducted two meeting shave been held thus far in February and April of this year.

Contact details:

Please contact Nicholas Laine at nlaine@esitechnologies.com to be added to our Group mailing list for our next meeting scheduled for late May.

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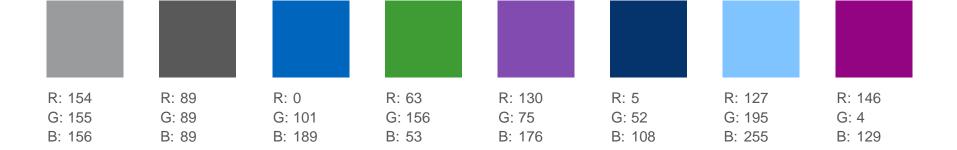
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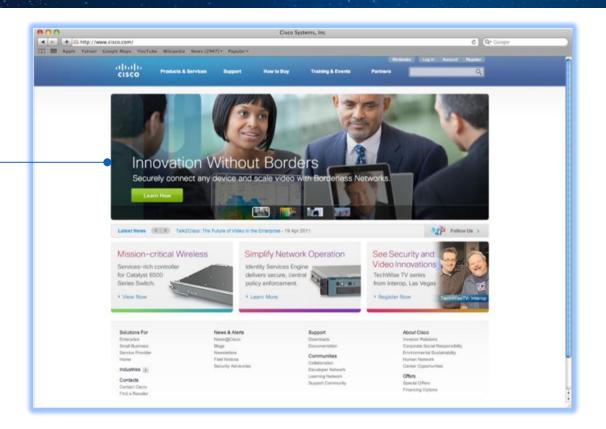
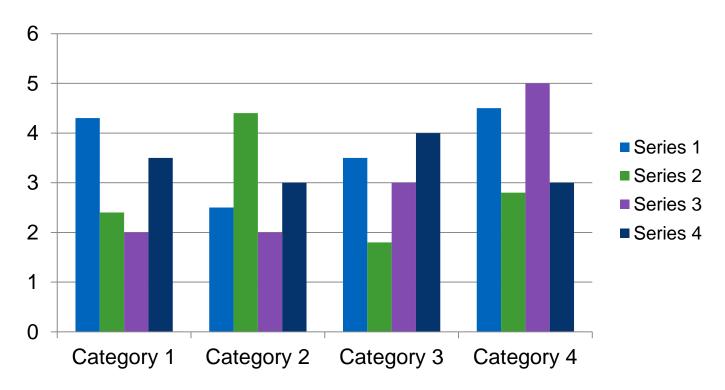


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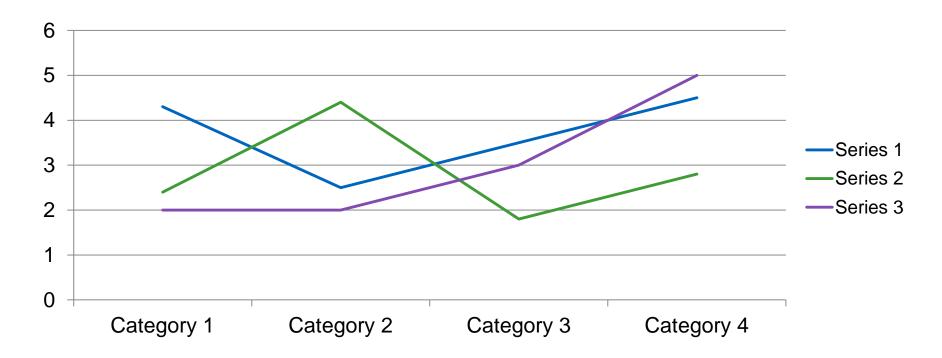
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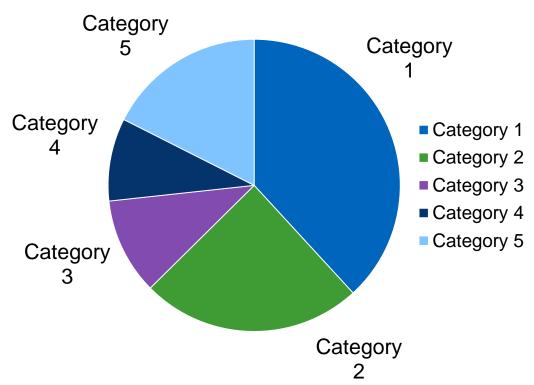
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