



Carrier Ethernet Aggregation Architecture

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The Connected Life

Morning—Commute

Use Phone as a Wallet
and Ticket



Watch TV on Train, Program
DVR for Tonight



Day—Office

Conduct Telepresence
Meeting



Evening—Home and About Town

Child's Game and Update
Virtual Community Pages
en Route Home



Find Child's GPS
Location on TV

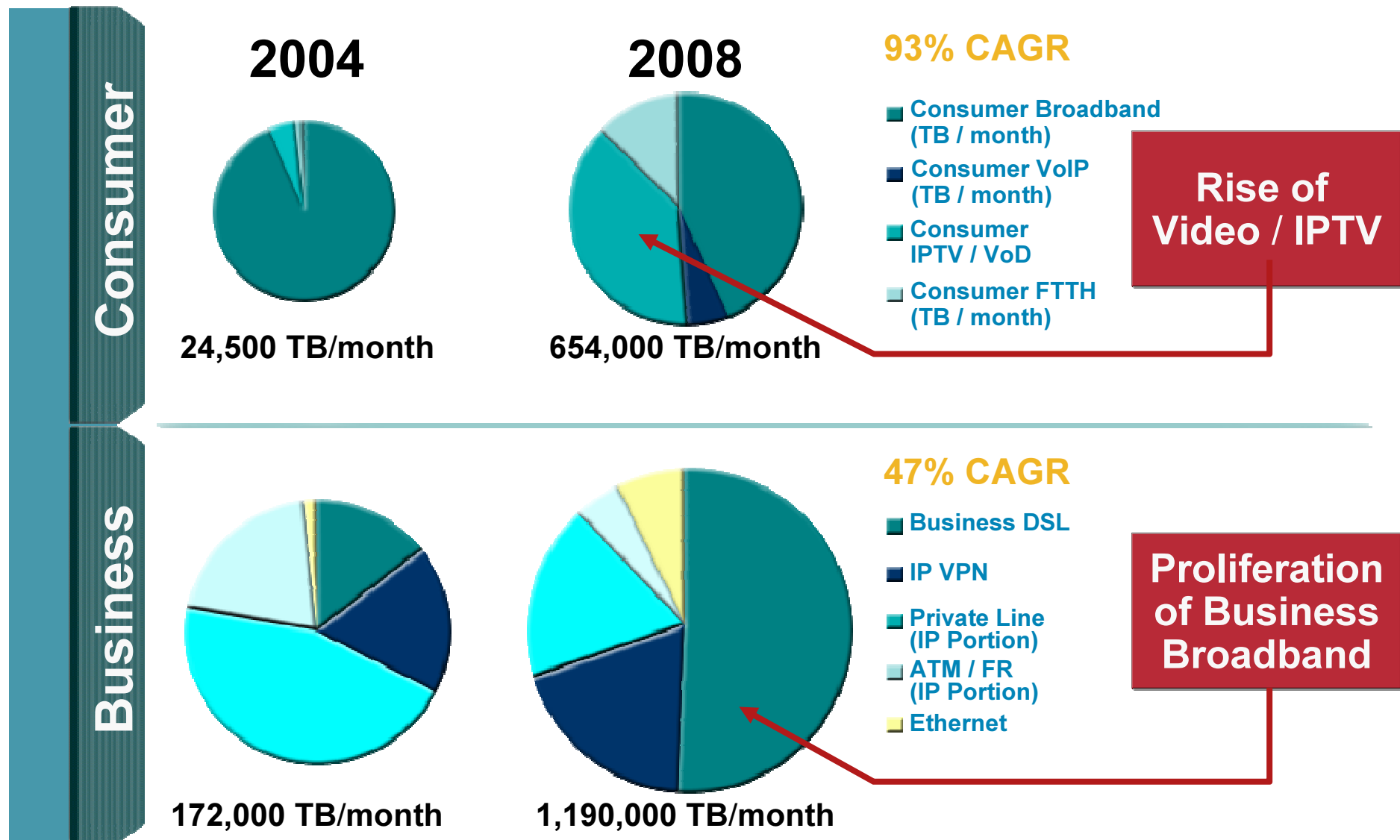


Watch Shows on Demand,
Answer Video Call on TV



Customer Profiles & Traffic Mix is Changing

New Demands, New Opportunities



Agenda

- IP NGN Carrier Ethernet Design – Introduction
- System Architecture Overview
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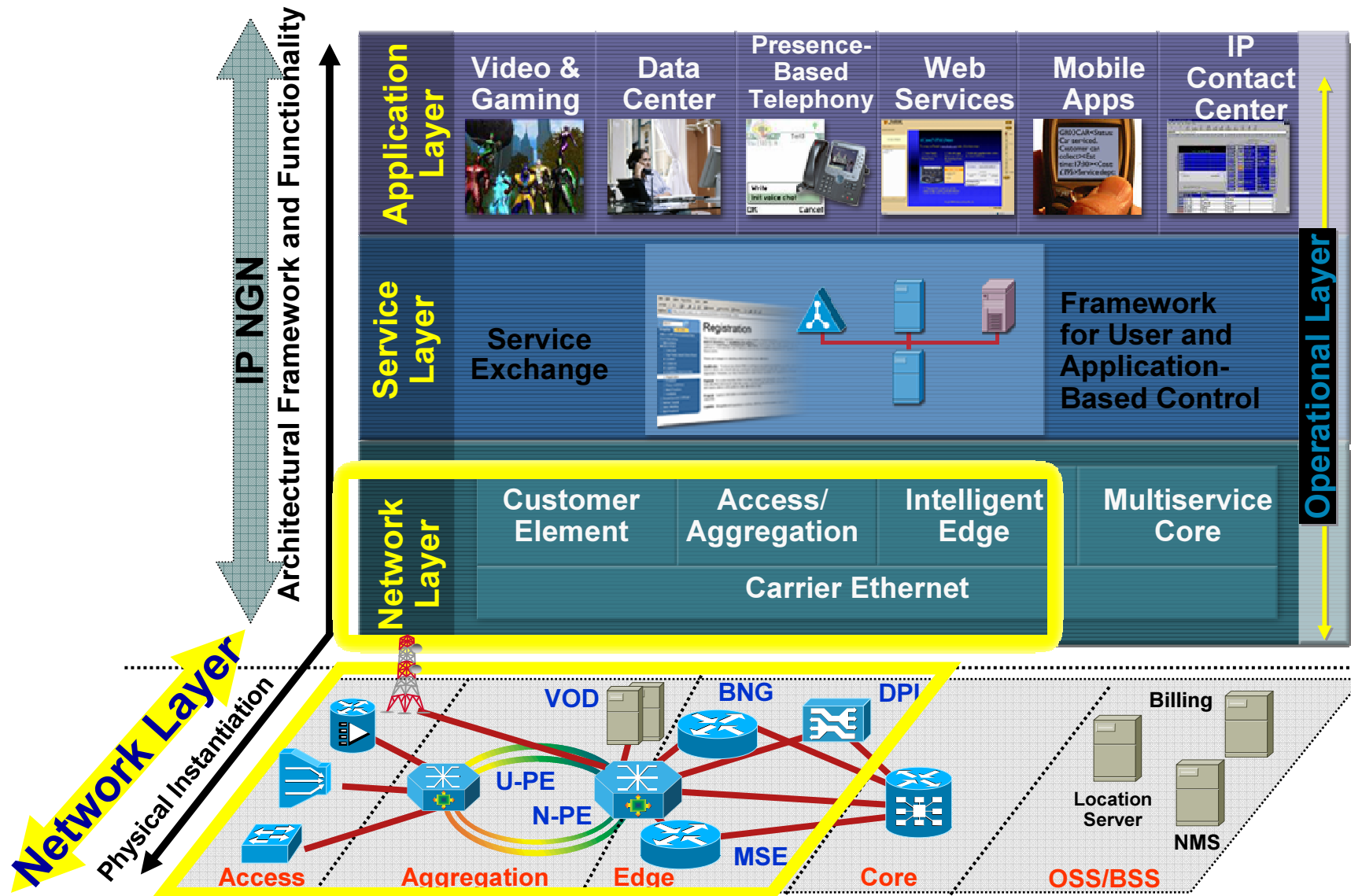
IP NGN Carrier Ethernet Design - Introduction



What is Carrier Ethernet about ?

- Provide end-to-end system context, architecture and set of hardware and software elements for Ethernet-based aggregation networks..
- It is based on MEF, IEEE, IETF and DSL Forum standards
- Support converged residential, business and wholesale services over a single Carrier Ethernet infrastructure
- Leverage MPLS-based aggregation, Ethernet Virtual Circuit (EVC), Intelligent Subscriber Gateway (ISG) and service optimized transport technologies to provide scalability and resiliency.
- Deliver system level guidance aligned closely with FCS of component hardware and software that includes management system capabilities.
- Continuous development for higher scalability and other service models (like Equal Access Networks)

IP NGN Carrier Ethernet Design



Key Carrier Ethernet System Enhancements

- **Support for DSL Forum and MEF with a flexible UNI and connectivity models, delivering flexible VLAN translation, push and pop operations.**
- **Greater scalability by leveraging Ethernet Virtual Circuit service instances, rather than existing IDB approaches that extend the number access interfaces up to 32000 and beyond per system.**
- **Supports DSL, Fiber, hub/spoke and ring based ethernet access, as well as WiMax access options**
- **Converged residential, business, and wholesale services on same infrastructure**
- **50 msec service restoration target for services on link failures**
- **Full validation of all models and selected access options desired by the customers.**
- **Support of E-OAM protocols like 802.1ag, 802.3ah, E-LMI, Y.1731**

IP NGN Carrier Ethernet System Design

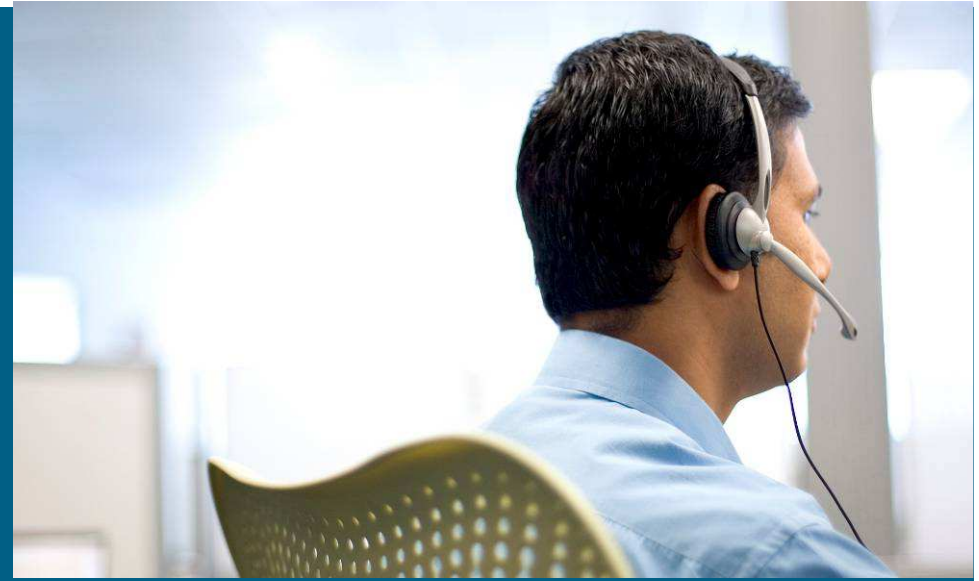
Market and Service Mapping

| Market | Services | Access | QoE Type | SLA Example |
|---|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---|
| Residential | Internet Access | Ethernet, PON, DSL, WIMAX | Transport | Dynamic access bandwidth, session/idle timeout, advertisements, post paid/prepaid (time and volume) |
| | VoIP Telephony | Ethernet, PON, DSL, WIMAX | Application | The number of VoIP appliances, SIP URLs/PST Phone numbers, active calls, VoIP call quality |
| <div> <p>Cisco Passes IPTV test:</p> <p>http://www.lightreading.com/document.asp?doc_id=126475&site=nxtcomm</p> </div> | | | | |
| Business | L3 VPN MPLS/Multicast | Ethernet, PON, DSL, WIMAX | Transport | Access bandwidth, differentiated services support, L3 VPN topology, managed services (MPLS/Multicast VPN) |
| | E-Line | Ethernet, PON, DSL, WIMAX* | Transport | Access bandwidth, differentiated services support, transparency |
| | E-LAN | Ethernet, PON, DSL, WIMAX* | Transport | Access bandwidth, differentiated services support, multipoint transport, transparency |
| Wholesale | L3 (P2P, MP) | DSL | Transport | Aggregated bandwidth on ISP level, differentiated services support, with subscriber management at ISP |
| | L2 (P2P, MP) | DSL | Transport | Aggregated bandwidth on ISP level, differentiated services support, transparent Ethernet transport P2P and MP (multicast optimized) |

*** Ethernet Relay Point to Point and Multipoint only**

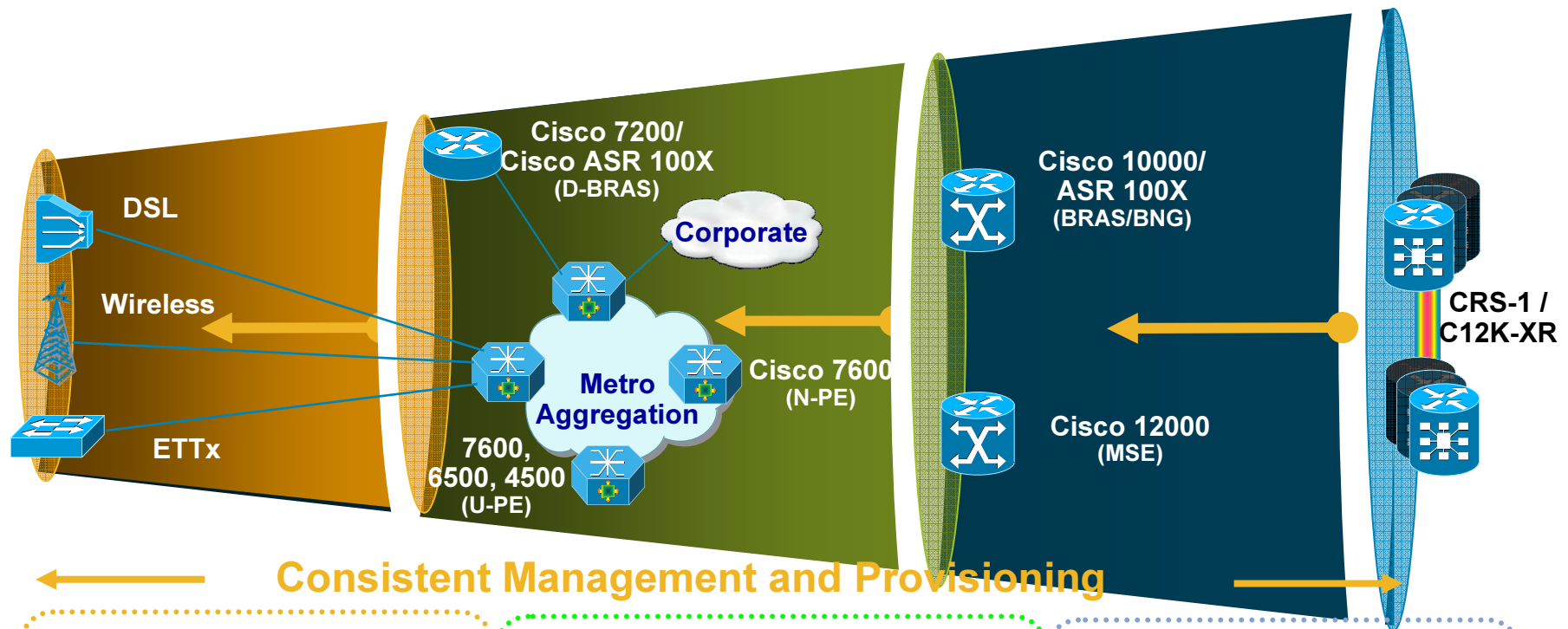


IP NGN Carrier Ethernet Design – System Architecture Overview



Cisco IP NGN Architecture

What is Cisco Carrier Ethernet?



Access

- Media and Access Technology Agnostic
- Ethernet over Anything
- Consistent Service Level Agreements
- Rapid Deployment Velocity

Aggregation

Convergence :

- Business & Consumer
- Wireline & Mobile
- Personalized Service Distribution
- Policy Enforcement

Service Edge

Centralized Services

- Business VPNs
- Policy Management
- Flexible Business Models

Slide 11

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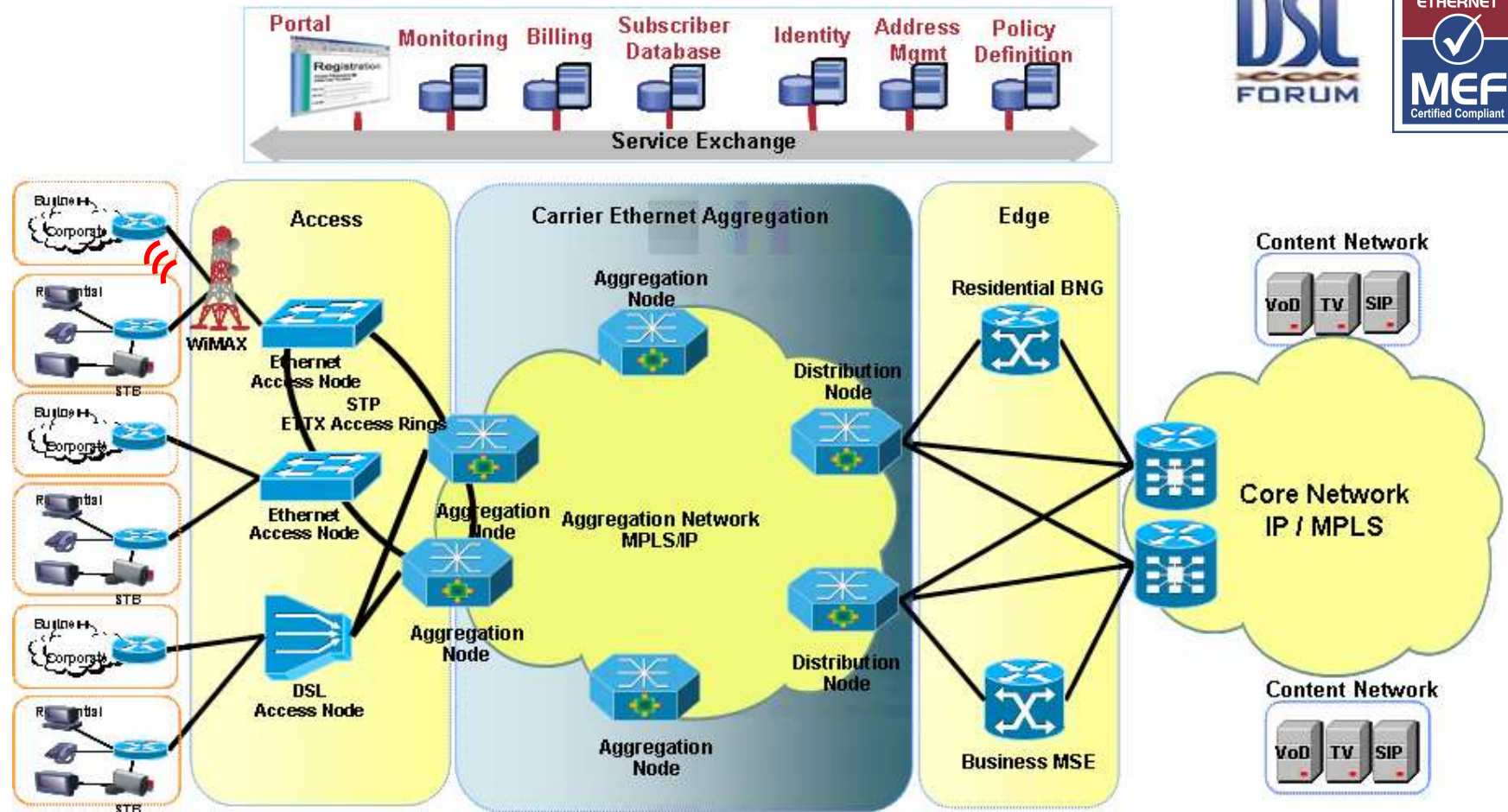
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Why is the uBR shown both in the access and aggregation area? I would just put Cisco uBR

Why are the arrows in the center of the graphic only pointing in the downstream direction?

Cisco Systems, Inc., 6/6/2007

Carrier Ethernet Aggregation System

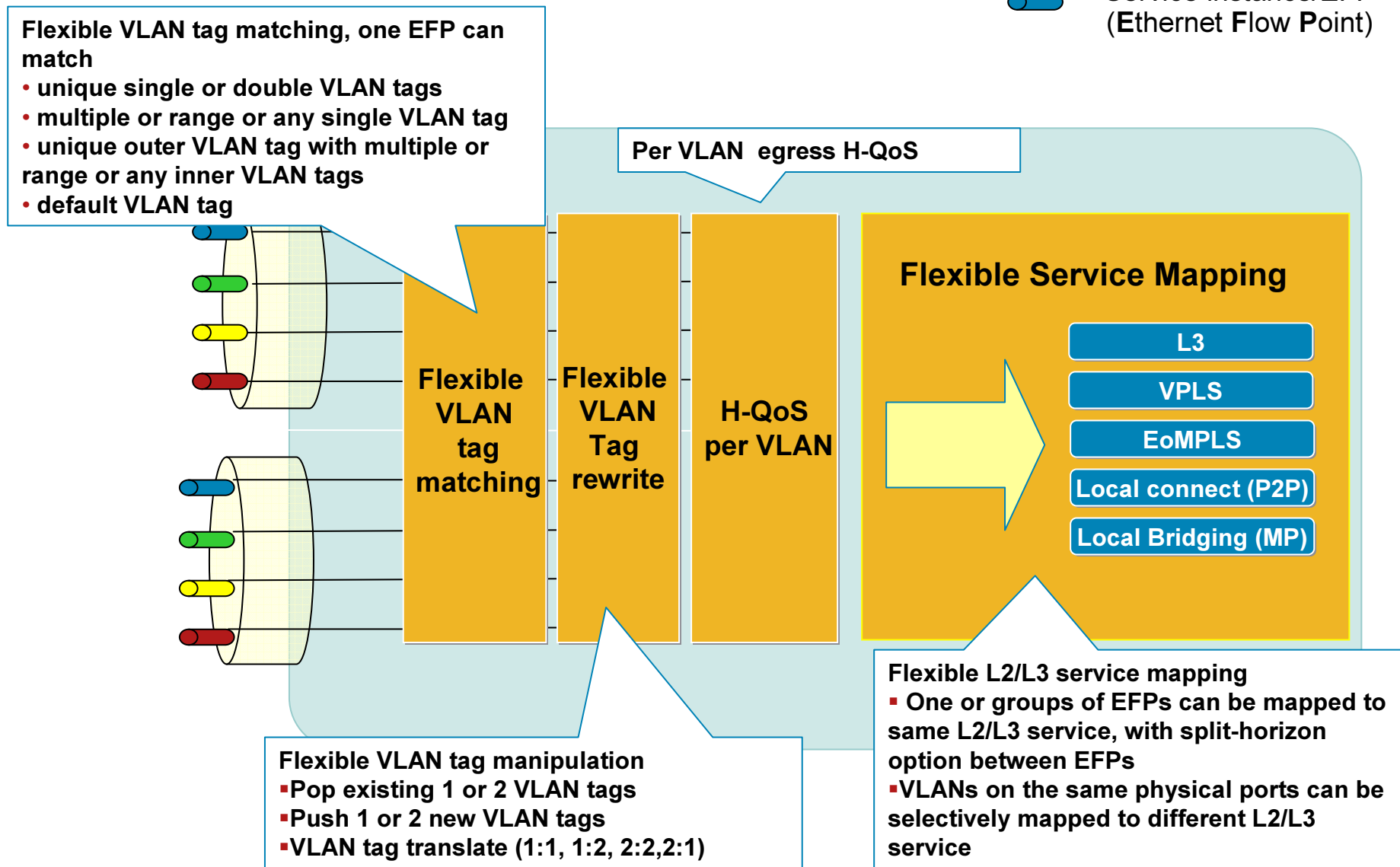


- Residential SLAs Enforced at BNG. BNG can be centralized / distributed
- Business Services Centralized at MSE / distributed on Agg. Nodes
- Video Services Bypass BRAS/BNG
- Access Agnostic Ethernet UNI Models

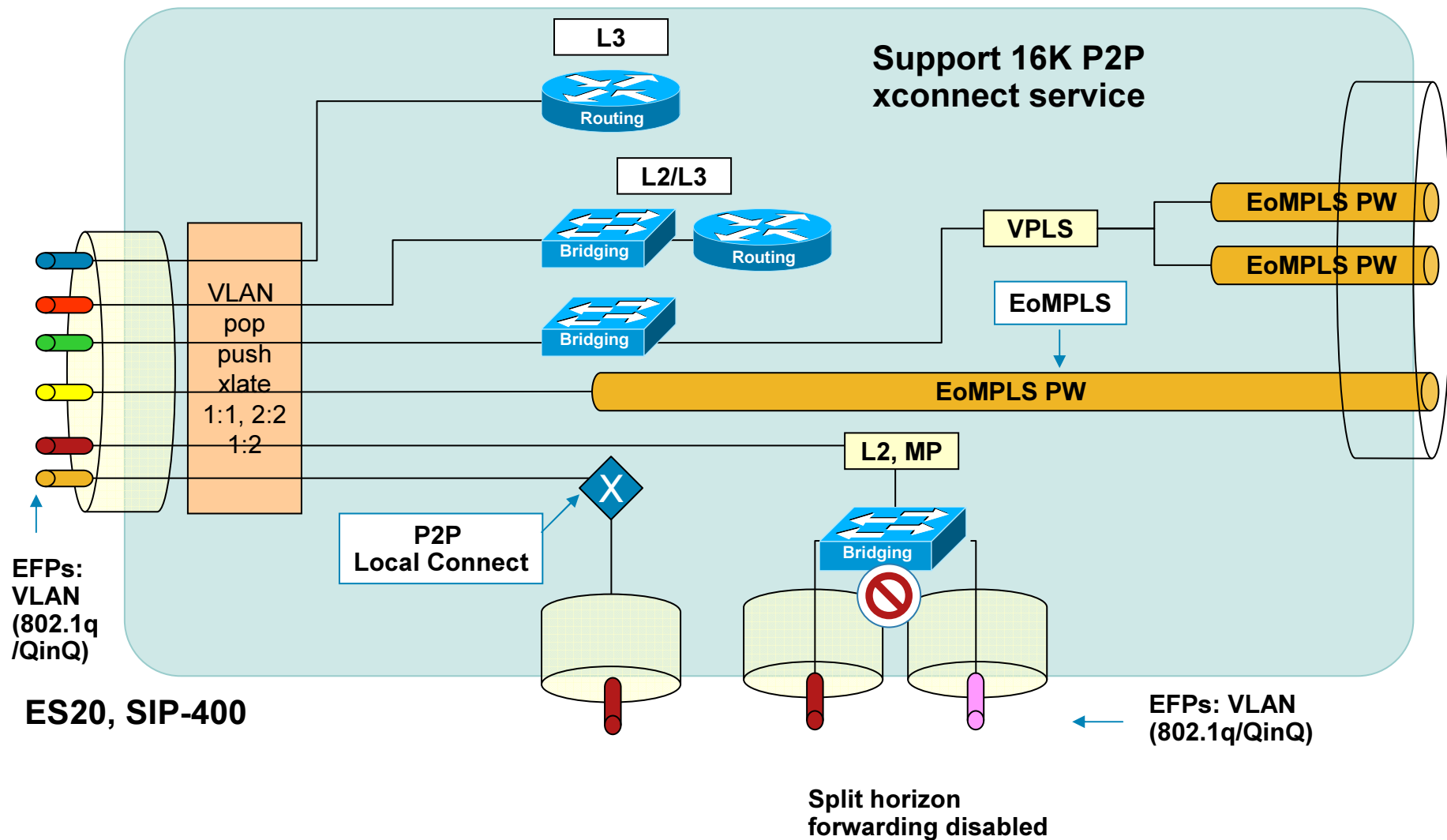
Flexible Ethernet UNI - EVC

Technology enabler of Carrier Ethernet Aggregation

Service instance/EFP
(Ethernet Flow Point)



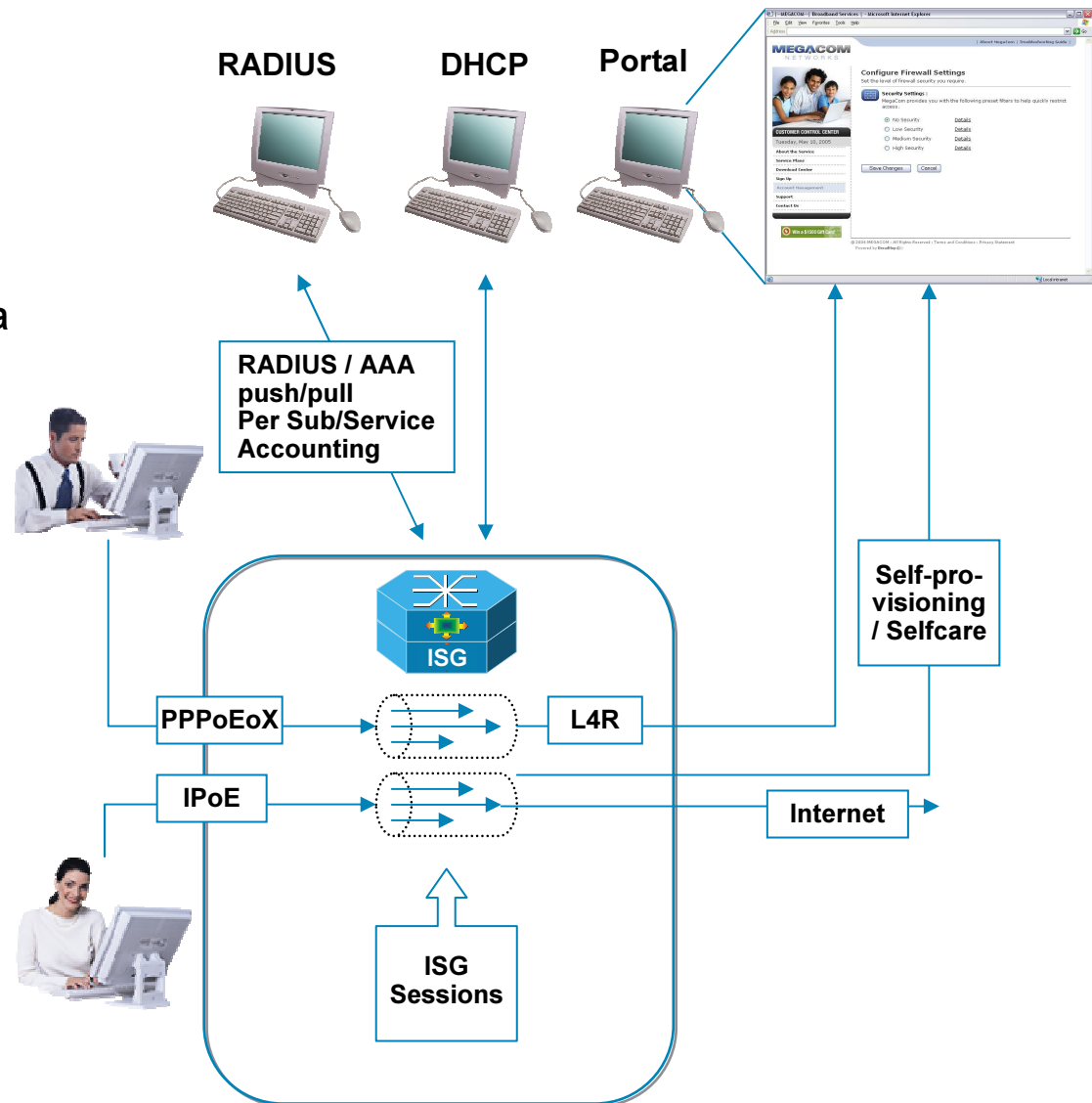
EVC – Flexible Forwarding Model



Intelligent Services Gateway

Technology enabler of Carrier Ethernet Aggregation

- Identifies sessions and service flows
 - Traffic classification for all access architectures
 - Session and flow provides per user granularity
- Dynamically assigns the session to a configured QOS policy (MQC) via Radius
- Establishes Virtual Route per Session
- Provides Policing, Access Control, Accounting, via Radius Push/Pull
 - Authentication
 - Logon
 - Change of Authorization (Policy Push)
 - L4 re-direction
 - Accounting details
- Limitations of SSG are removed
 - E.g. mapping traffic to VRF, various routing tables

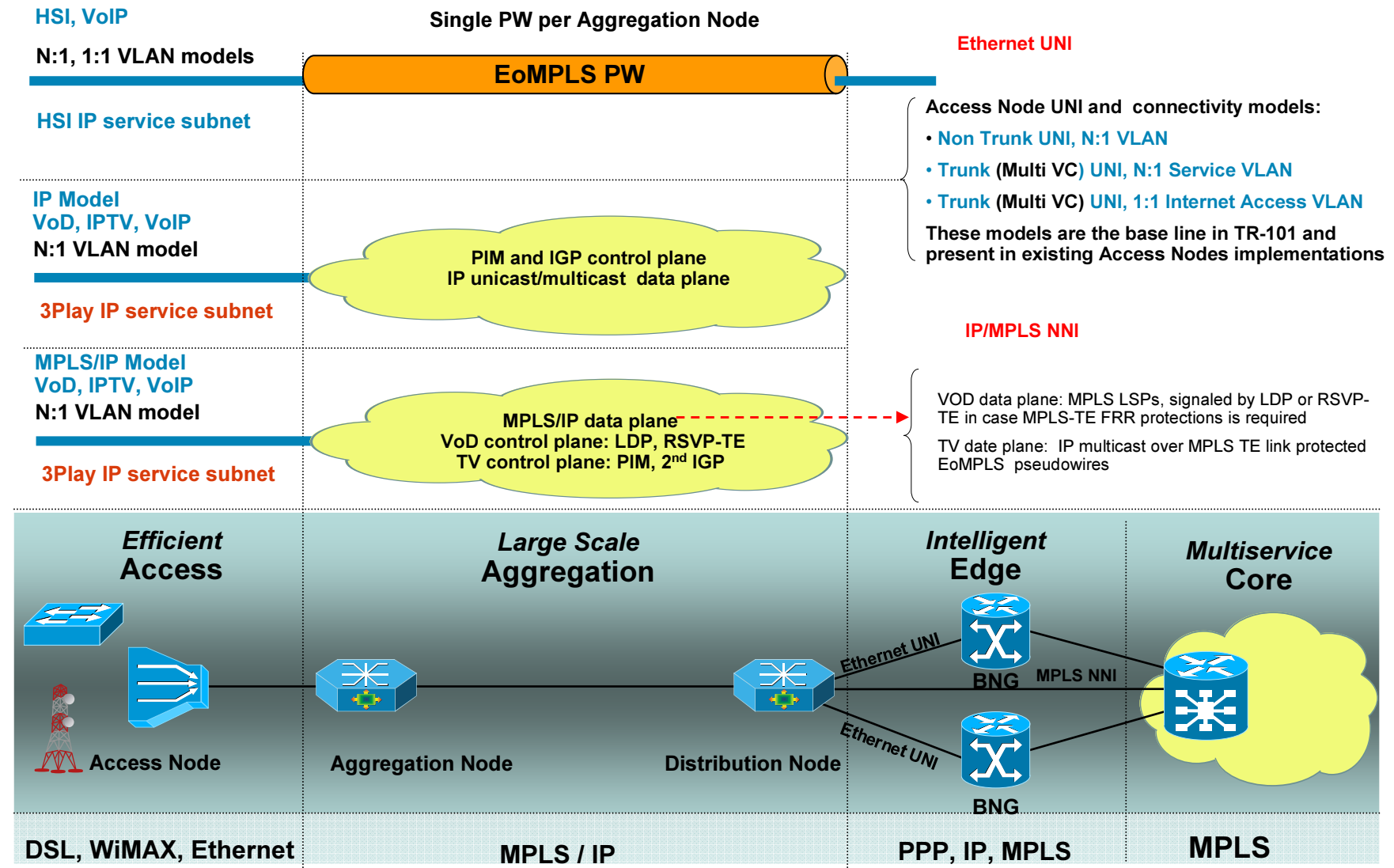




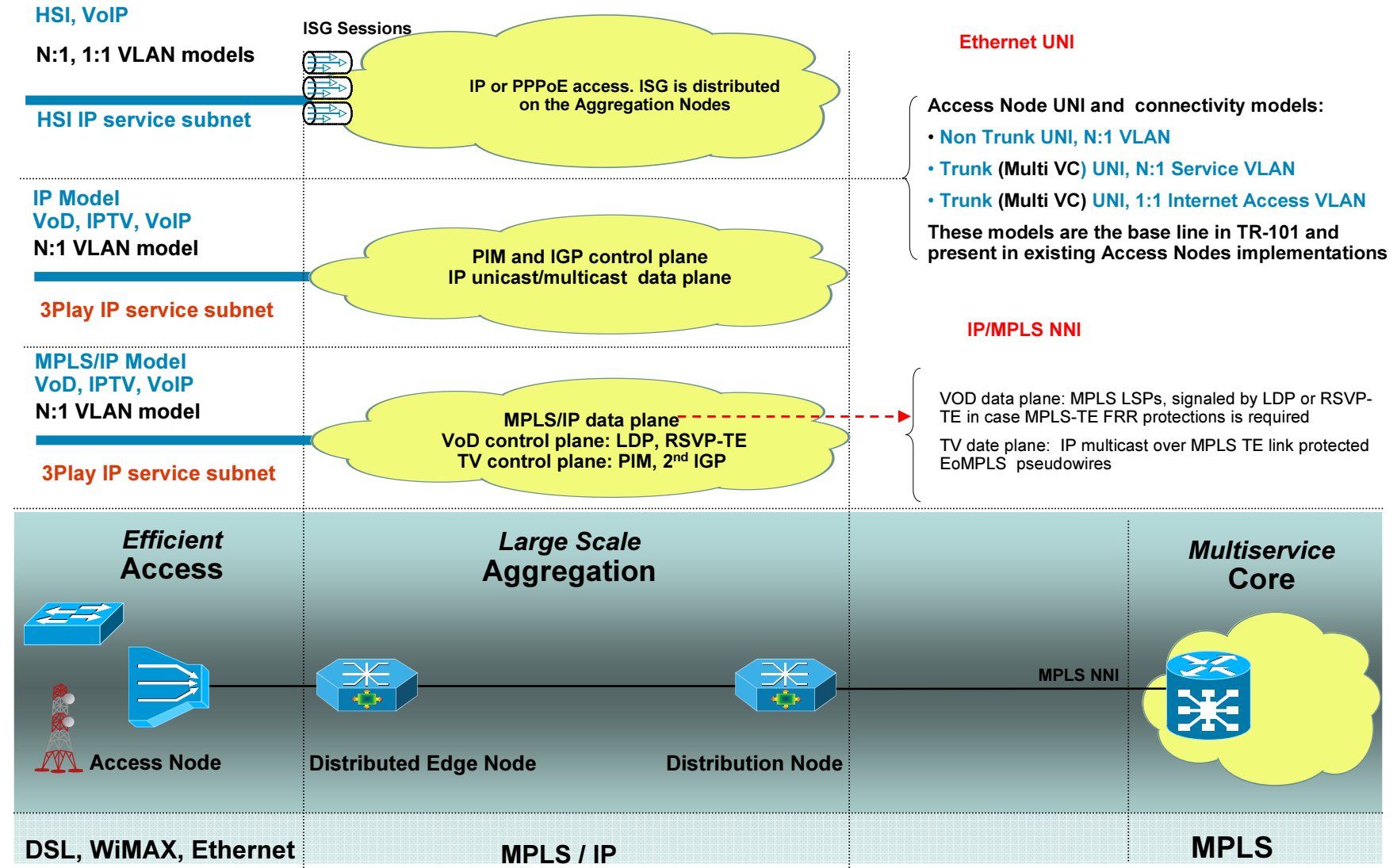
Consumer / Residential Services



Retail Residential Services (Centralized BNG)



Retail Residential Services (Distributed BNG)

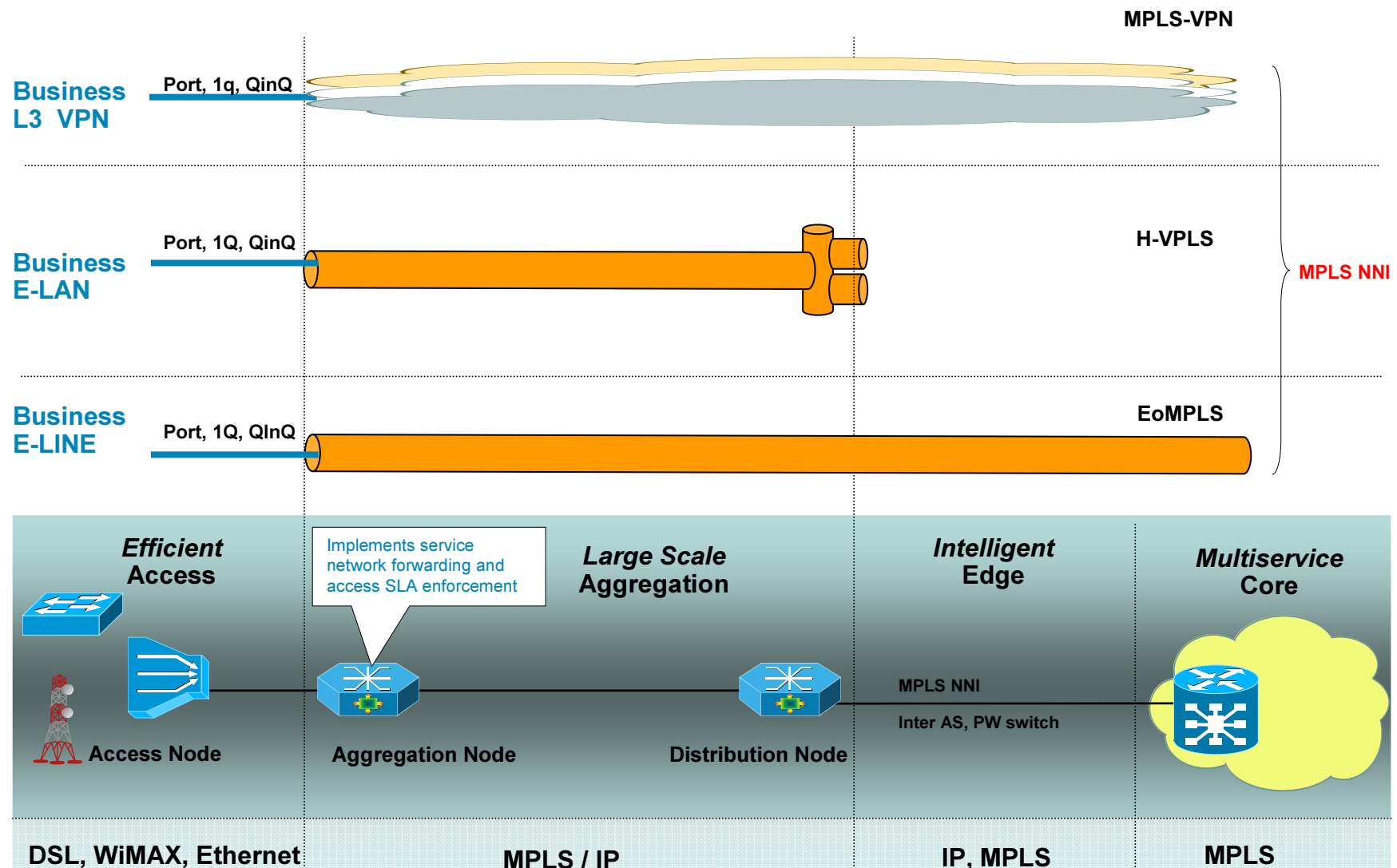




Business Services

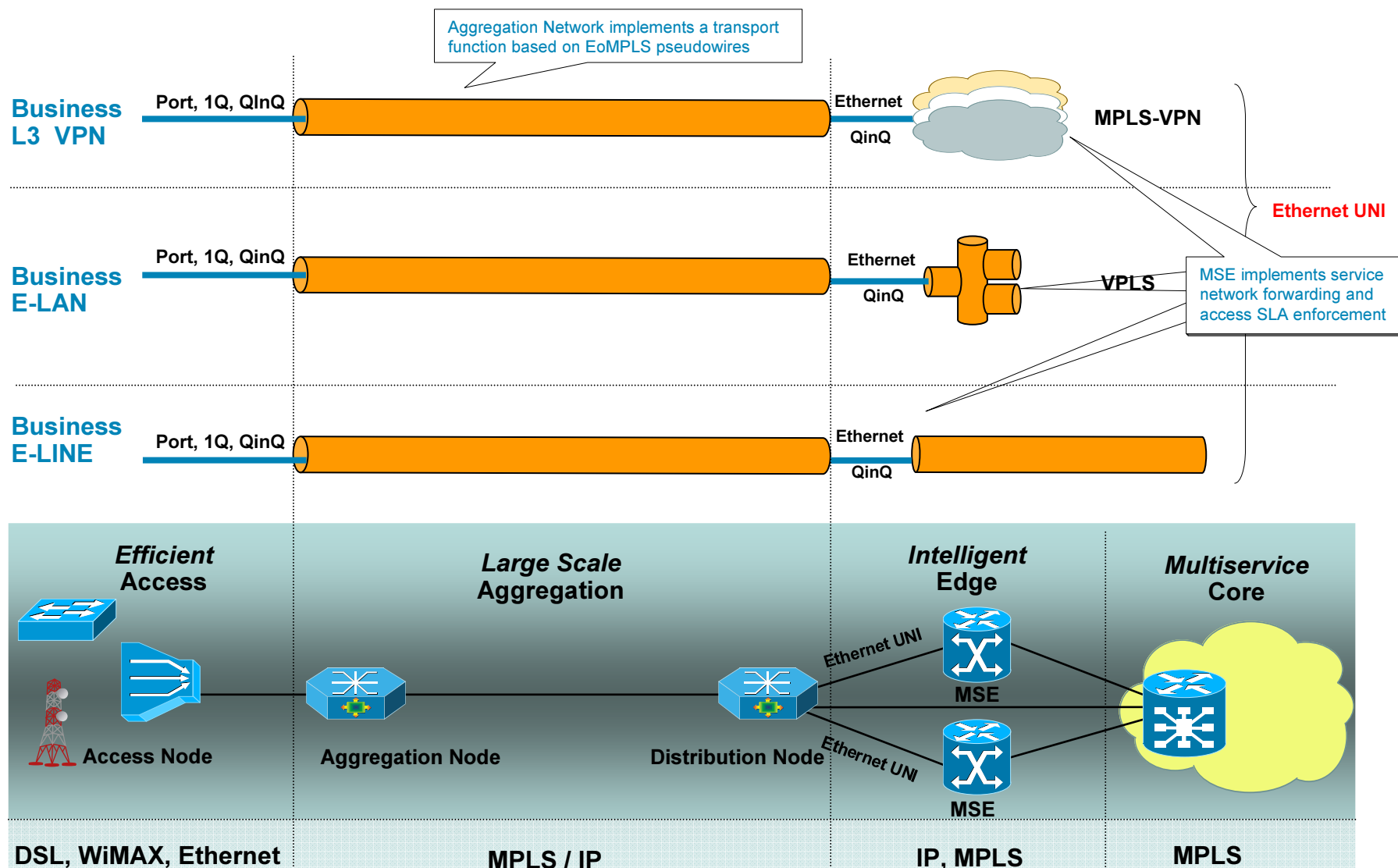


Aggregation Network Service Edge Business Ethernet Services Architecture



MSE Service Edge

Business Ethernet Services

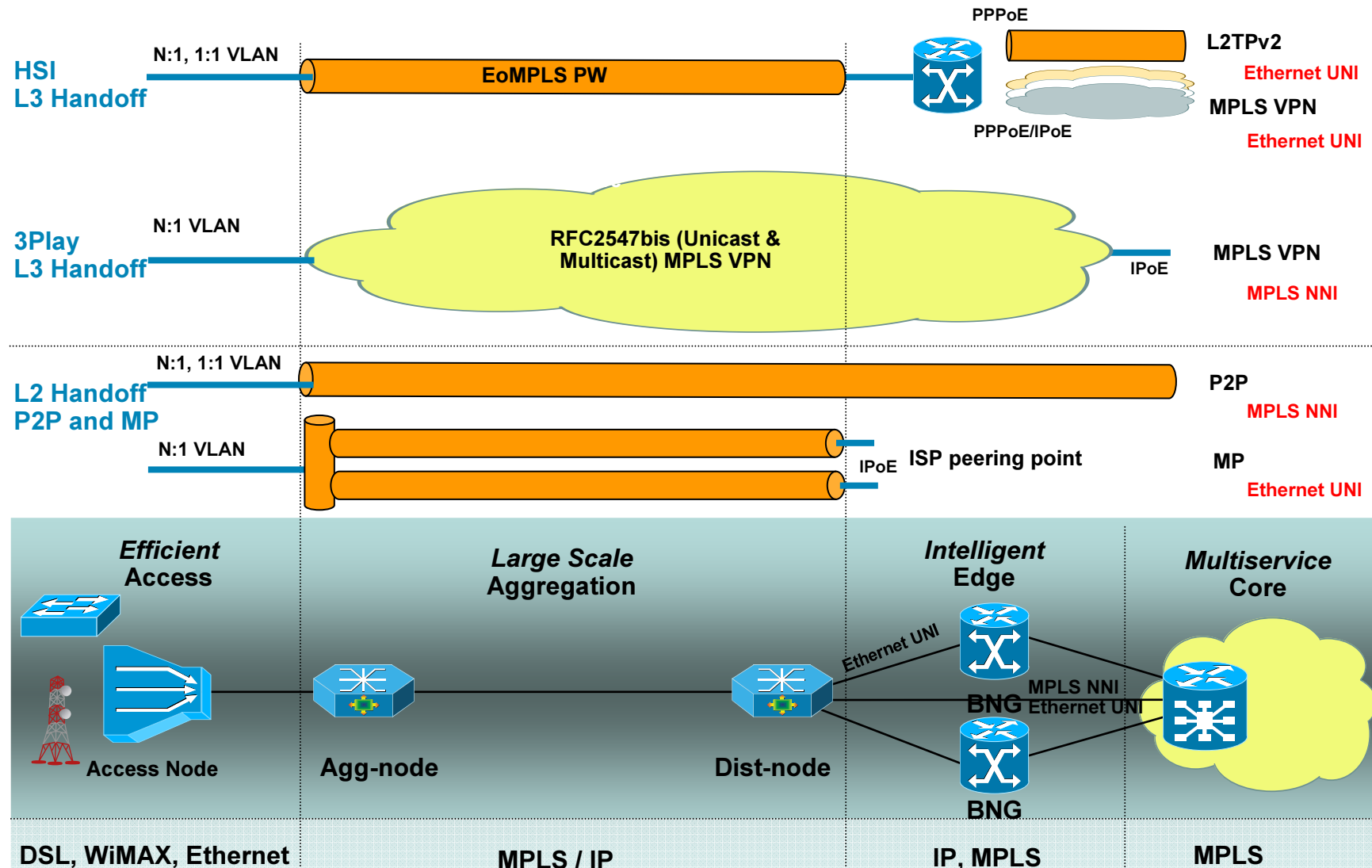




Wholesale Services



Wholesale Services Deployments





High Availability



Baseline Network Availability Mechanism

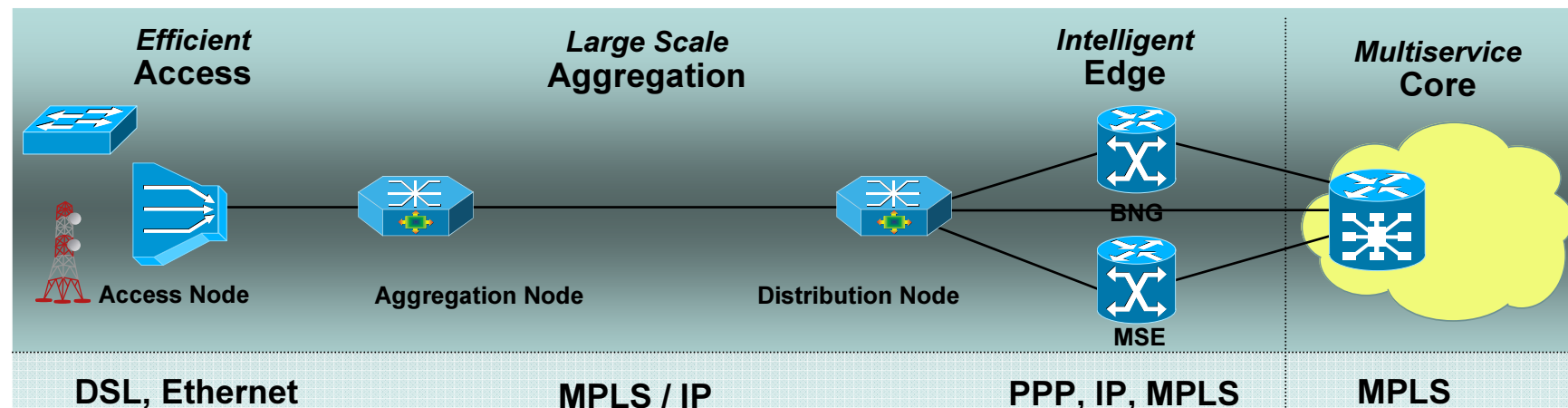
IP Services:

- Fast IGP/BFD convergence
- Multicast Fast Convergence

MPLS Services:

- Pseudowire redundancy
- MPLS TE-FRR Link and Node protection with IP services, PW/VPLS PW tunnel selection

MPLS/IP Services use a combination of MPLS TE-FRR and fast IGP/PIM convergence

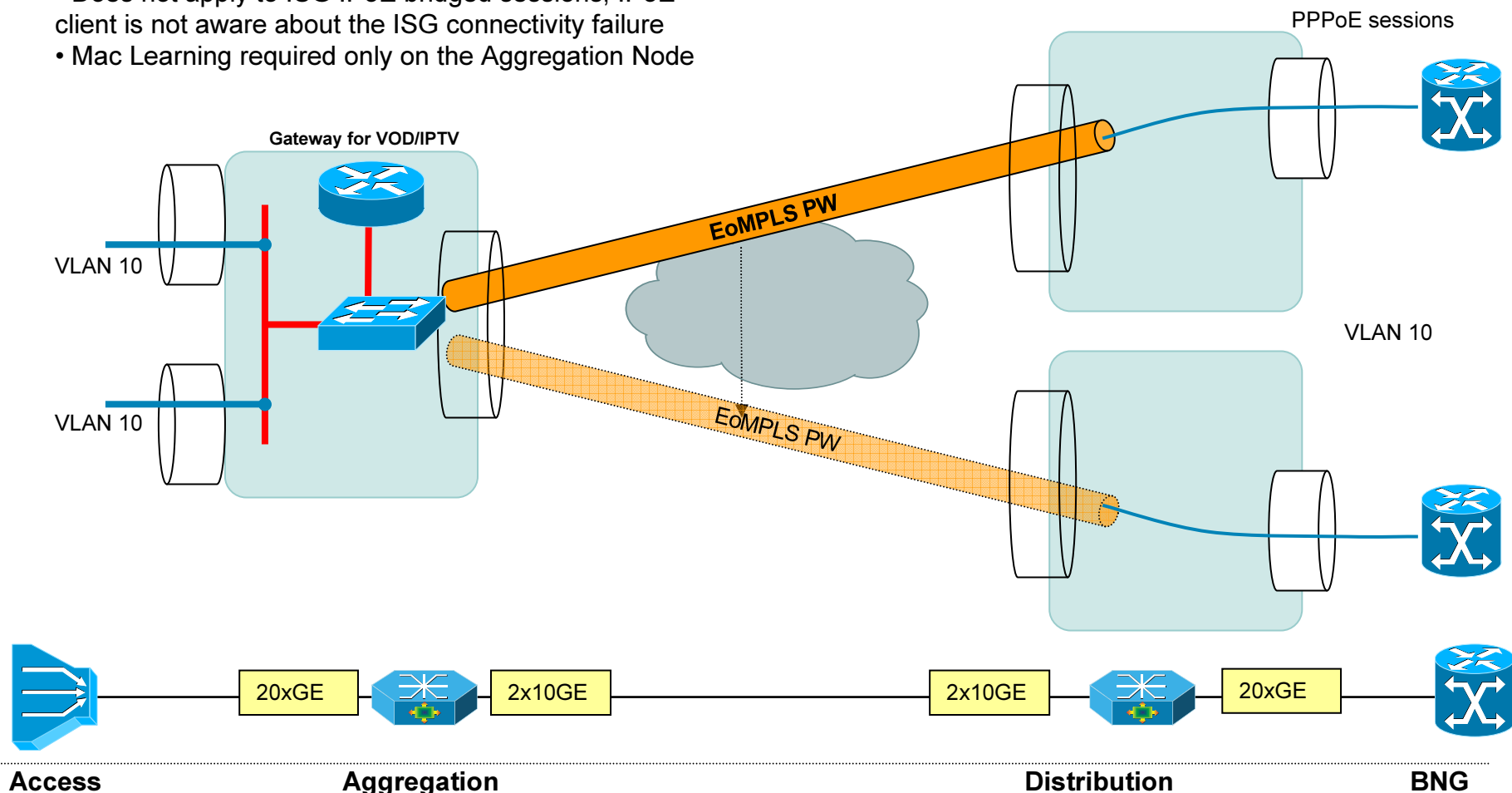


Residential Services

Active/Backup Aggregation Node Redundancy

- Active/Standby redundancy
- Uses EoMPLS PW redundancy
- PPPoE sessions will re-establish on backup BNG
- Does not apply to ISG IPoE bridged sessions; IPoE client is not aware about the ISG connectivity failure
- Mac Learning required only on the Aggregation Node

This network availability model does not apply to the business L3 VPN, E-Line/E-LAN and wholesale service aggregation models



Residential Services

Active/Backup Access Node Redundancy

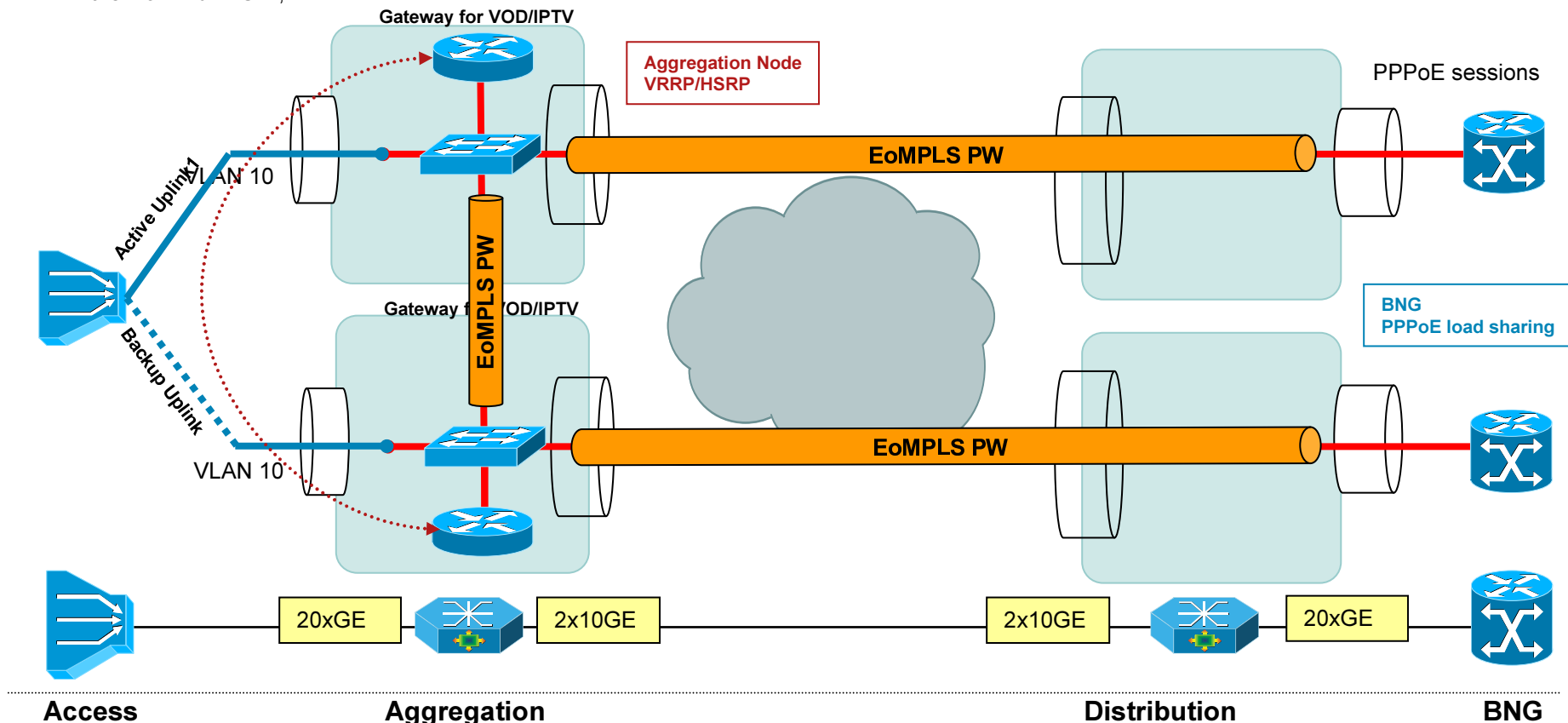
Aggregation Node

- Active/Backup Access Node redundancy
- This network availability model applies to all Residential service aggregation models proposed by the system with two restrictions:
 - One pseudowire required per Access Node
 - IP numbered used for TV/VOD SVIs in the Aggregation Nodes
- Aggregation Nodes TV/VOD SVIs run VRRP/HSRP; The example shows the Non Trunk UNI, N:1 VLAN

BNG

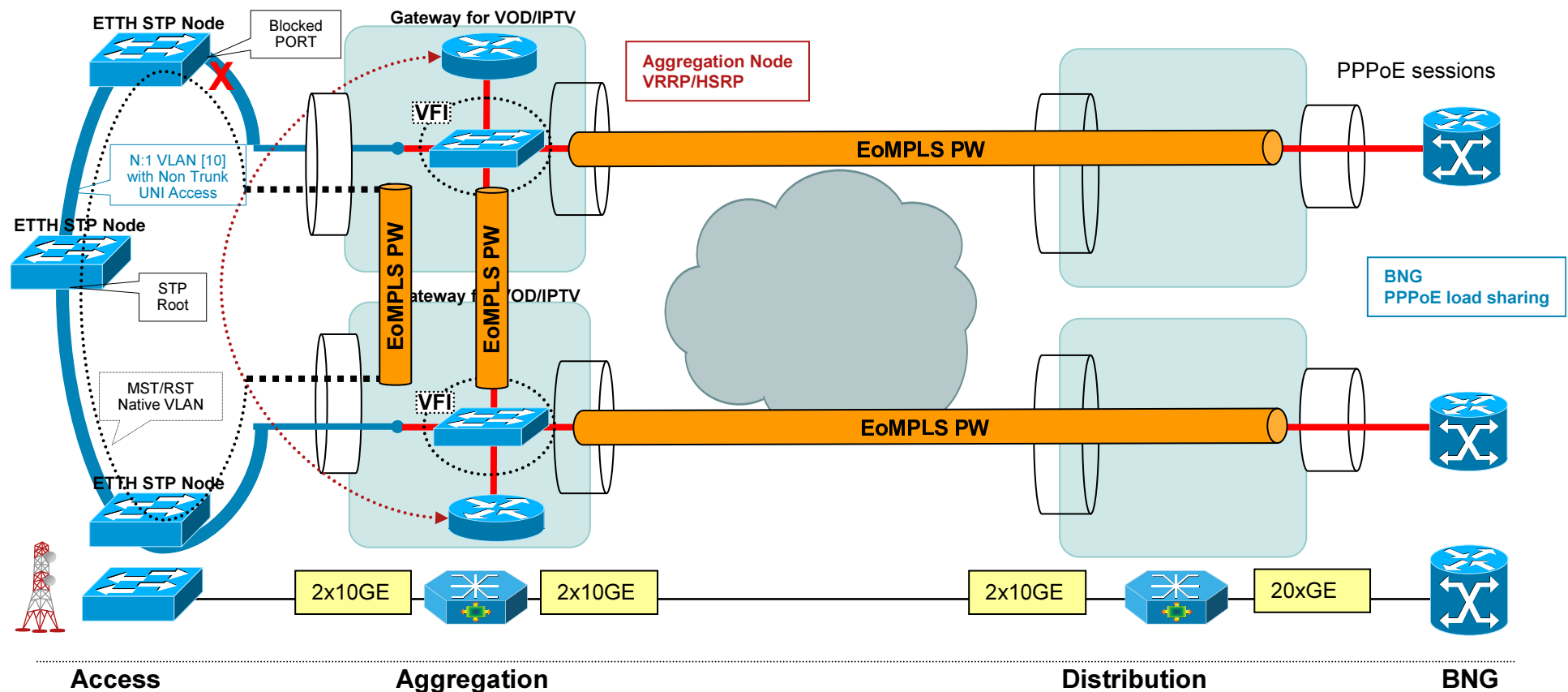
- ISG PPPoE sessions are load shared across BNGs
 - PPPoE sessions affected will reestablish
- The model does not apply to ISG IPE sessions.

This network availability model does not apply to the business L3 VPN, E-Line/E-LAN and wholesale service aggregation models



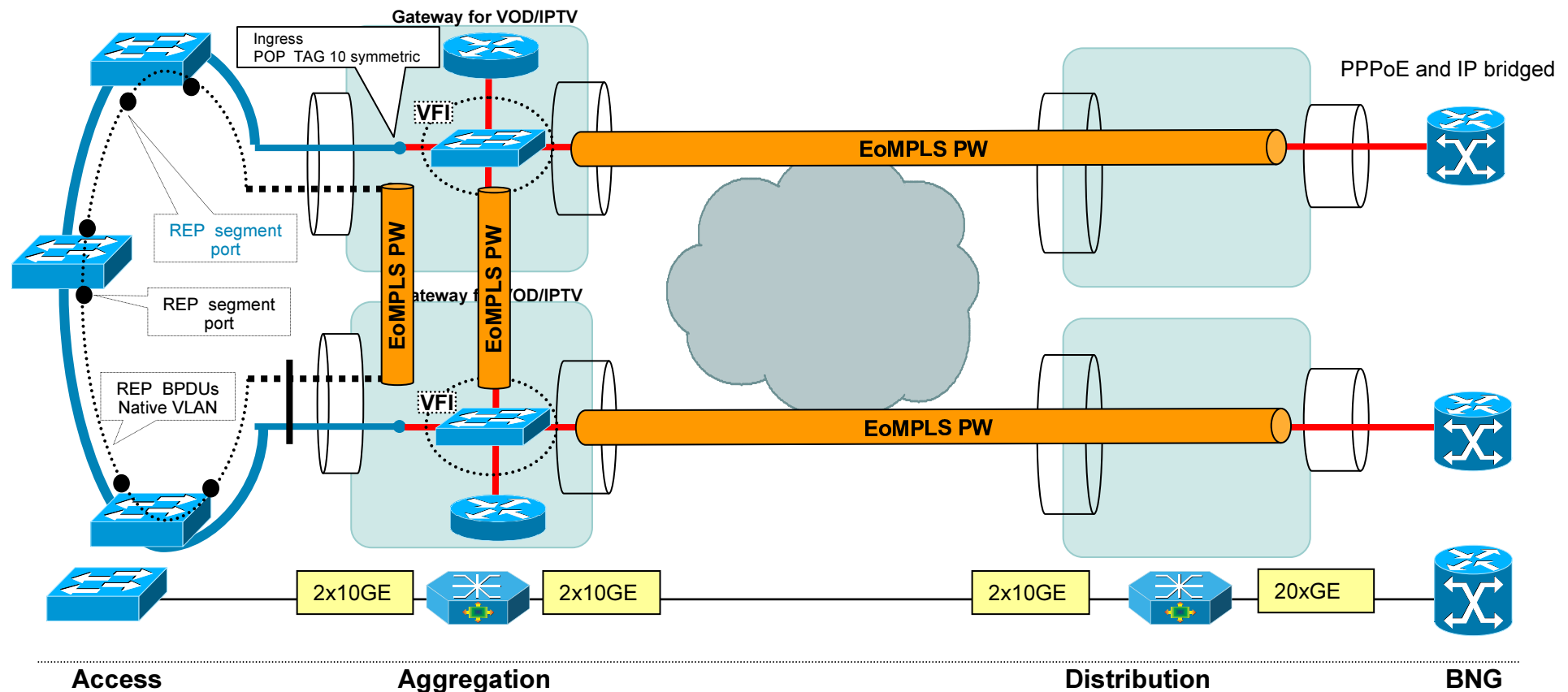
Residential Services – Ethernet Access Ring Redundancy with MST

- MST Protocol is running in the Ethernet access ring
- An extra EoMPLS PW is set up between aggregation nodes for BPDU traffic



Residential Services – Ethernet Access Ring Redundancy with REP

- MST Protocol is running in the Ethernet access ring
- An extra EoMPLS PW is set up between aggregation nodes for REP traffic
- REP / Aggregation Node integration will be supported in 2009



Residential Services

MPLS/IP TV Broadcast Service High Availability



2nd IGP, PIM-SSM routing



EoMPLS pseudowire (following the physical topology) for each physical link., MPLS TE-FRR for link protection



SVI with EoMPLS PW x connect + PIM SSM



Core MPLS/IP Interface



Access Node SVI, Interface with IP unicast and multicast configuration for TV/VOD Edge



Access

20xGE

Aggregation

2x10GE

2x10GE

Distribution

20xGE

Core

Two routing topologies based on MTR (or two IGP processes)

- UNICAST topology, configured over the physical topology interfaces
 - MULTICAST topology, configured over the pseudowire topology interfaces (SVIs)
 - The Distribution Nodes have to redistribute the multicast source networks from the UNICAST topology to the MULTICAST topology and the RED SVIs networks in the opposite direction.
- The Aggregation Network Unicast topology (IGP) has to be a stubby area

MPLS/IP Aggregation Network
any physical topology
EoMPLS PWs with TE-FRR link protection

- EoMPLS pseudowires are protected from link failure with MPLS TE-FRR with no impact on the PIM control plane and fast re-convergence (<50ms) on the IP multicast data plane

• Should converge in less than 50 ms

- Aggregation Node failures are addressed by PIM fast convergence

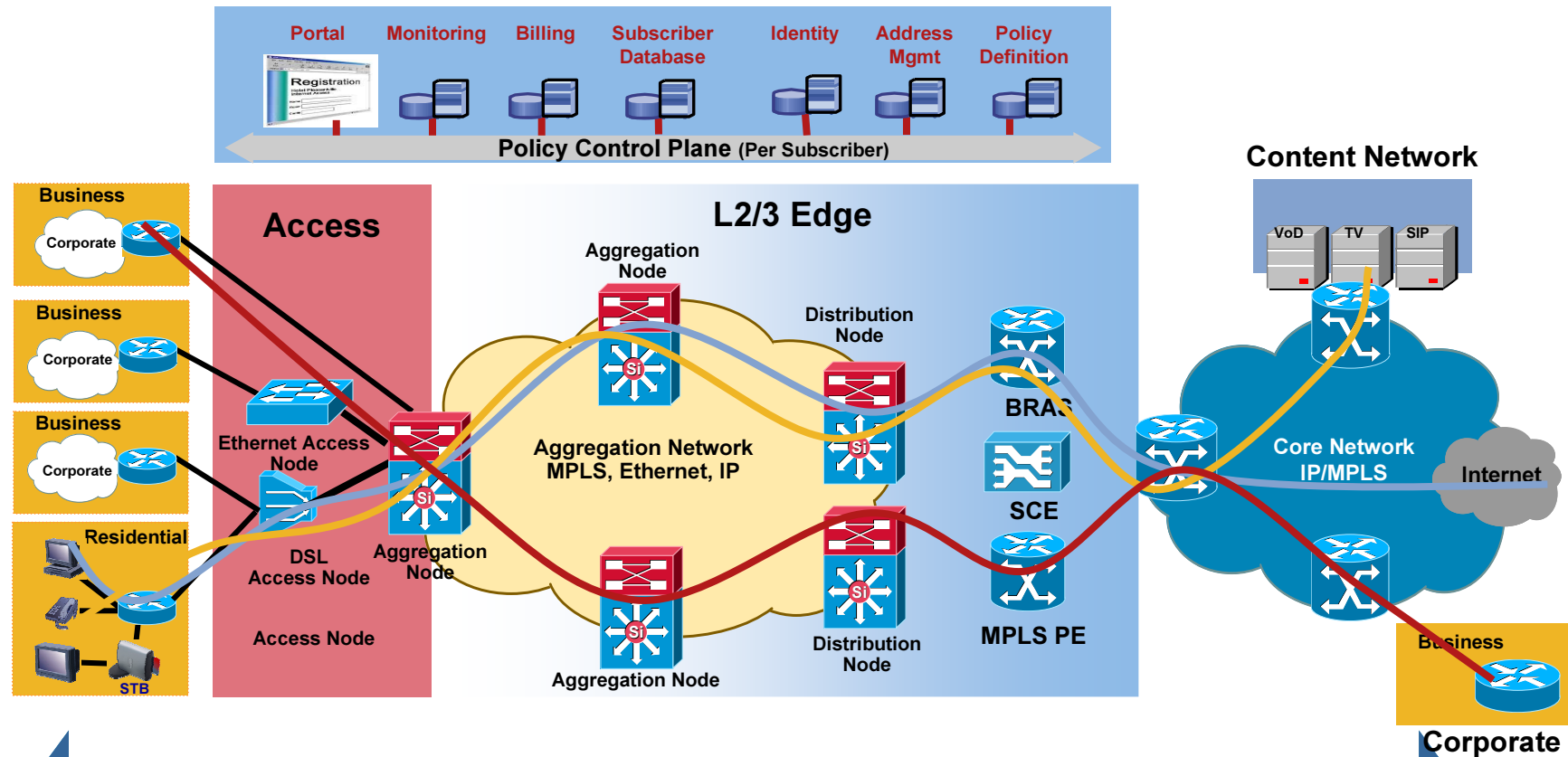
• Should converge is less than 300 ms with 500 groups



Quality of Service



QoS Architecture Direction



Consumer and Business Traffic Utilize Per-Subscriber or Per Service QoS Model in Access, Aggregation and Core

Differentiated Services QOS Domain

| Traffic Class | Core /Edge/ Aggregation | | | Access | UNI | | |
|---|-------------------------|------|----------|----------|--------------|---------|-------------|
| | MPLS/IP | | | Ethernet | DSL, ETTX | DSL | WIMAX |
| | PHB | DSCP | MPLS EXP | 802.1P | 802.1P | ATM | 802.16 |
| Control Protocols Network Management | AF | 48 | 6 | (6) | (6) | VBR-nrt | nrtPS |
| Residential Voice | EF | 46 | 5 | 5 and 7 | 5 or 7 | VBR-rt | rtPS |
| Business Real-time | EF | 56 | 7 | | | | |
| Residential TV and VoD | AF | 32 | 4 | 4 and 3 | 4 | VBR-nrt | NA |
| Residential D-Server Video | AF | 24 | 3 | | | | |
| Business Critical In Contract | AF | 16 | 2 | 2 and 1 | 2 | VBR-nrt | nrtPS |
| Business Critical Out of Contract | | 8 | 1 | | 1 | | |
| Residential HSI Business Best Effort | BE | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | UBR | Best Effort |



Video Transport over IP



High Speed Internet (HSI) & Video are different

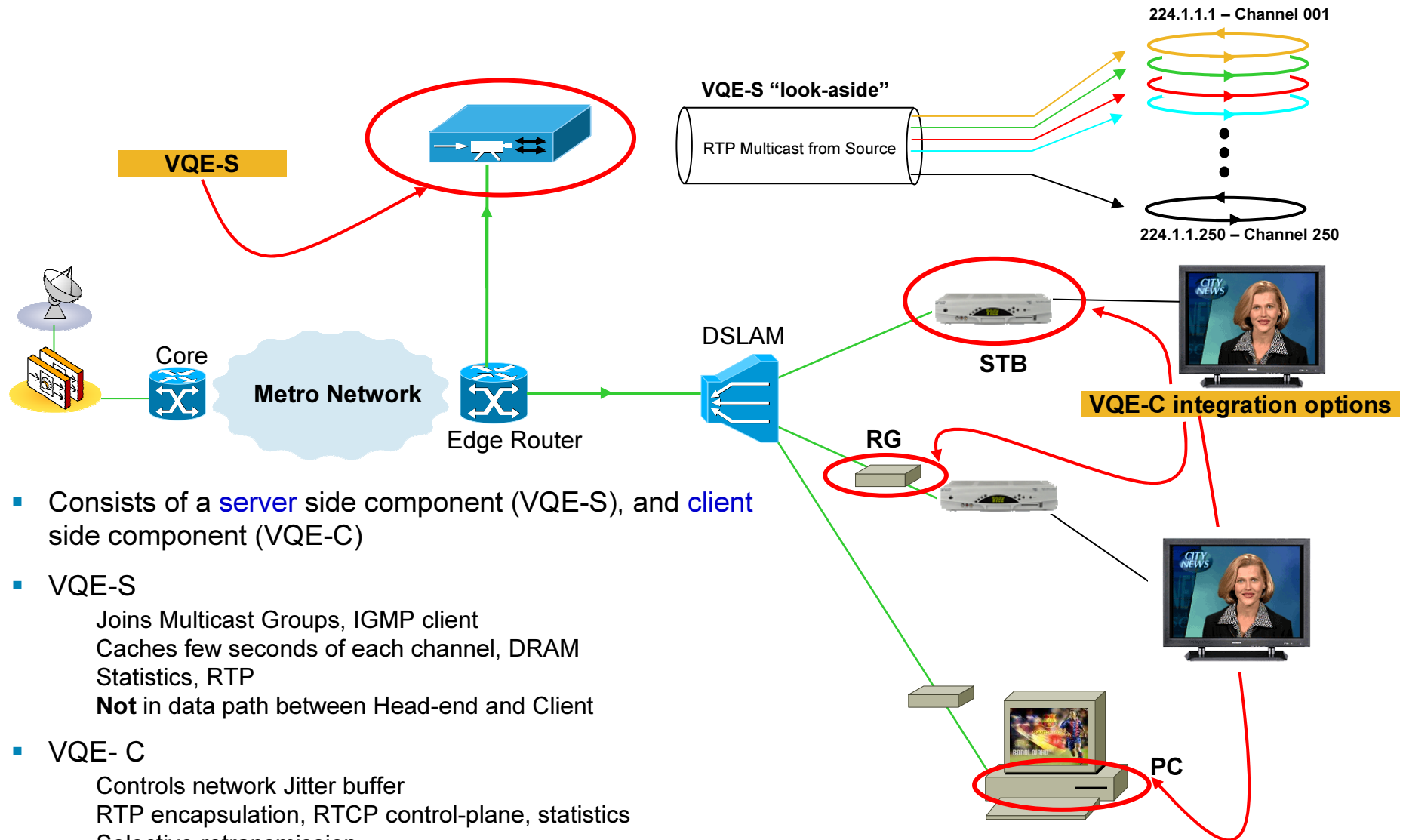
Transport Services vs. Managed Application Services

| Transport Service | Managed Application Service |
|--|--|
| <p>Service = CIR/PIR pipe with applications hosted by third parties</p> <p>SLA defined by transport parameters</p> <p>Residential HSI = 5Mbps down, 1Mbps up, no guarantee for streaming quality</p> <p>Business VPN = CIR & PIR, jitter, delay, loss guarantees, no app. guarantees</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application hosted by provider SLA is defined by Quality of Experience (QoE) expectation Video = 1 artifact per 2 hour movie Voice = no sound quality impairments, blocked calls rare |
| <p>Network QoS Requirements</p> <p>Shape & drop packets over CIR, leverage TCP back-off</p> <p>QoS can change dynamically per sub (turbo button, bandwidth on demand)</p> <p>Transport SLA must be enforced per subscriber</p> | <p>Network QoS Requirements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> QoE mapped to network QoS requirements Video (1 artifact per 2 hour movie) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10^{-6} loss, cannot shape/drop video packets VOD CAC so 1001st stream doesn't force drops for all users QoS same for all subs of a particular app No need to enforce transport SLA per sub, |
| HSI & Business VPNS | Residential VoIP & Video |

VQE Appliance

- **Fast Channel Change:** Improves channel change experience via directed UDP streaming during IGMP leave / join (similar approach like Microsoft A / D server, but integrated into the aggregation network)
- **Error Repair:** Improves Packet Loss Ratio via the selective resending of lost video frames (based on analyzing RTCP signaling between STB and VQE appliance)
- **Video Quality Monitoring:** Generates per-STB statistics based on the analysis of RTP data

Visual Quality Experience - Network Diagram



VoD CAC

Aggregation Network Diffserv RSVP

Aggregation Node

```
Interface VLAN 10
!DSLAM trunk, 250Mb allocated for VoD; stream 4Mb
ip rsvp bandwidth 250000 4000
ip rsvp listener outbound reply
ip rsvp data-packet classification none
```

Distribution Node

```
Interface GigabitEthernet 1/0/1.1
!Aggregation Trunk, 10Gb allocated for VoD;
stream 4Mb
ip rsvp bandwidth 10000000 4000
ip rsvp data-packet classification none
```

1. STB HTTP GET(URL) requests VoD stream

2. RSVP PATH, VoD stream BW

3. RSVP PATH, VoD stream BW

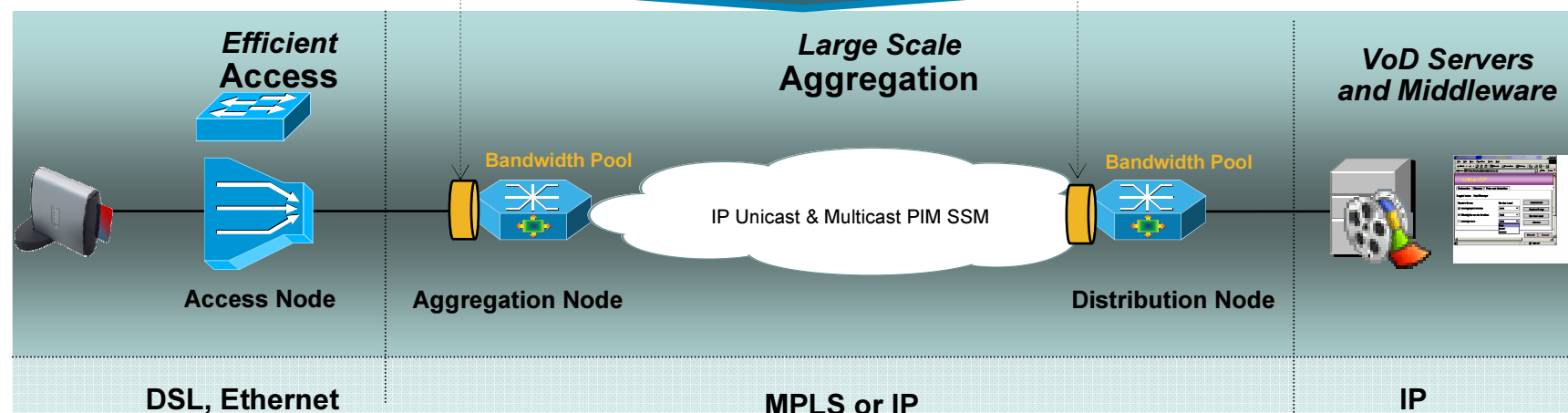
RSVP Receiver Proxy CAC

4. RSVP RESV, VoD stream BW

5. RSVP RESV, VoD stream BW

RSVP Receiver CAC

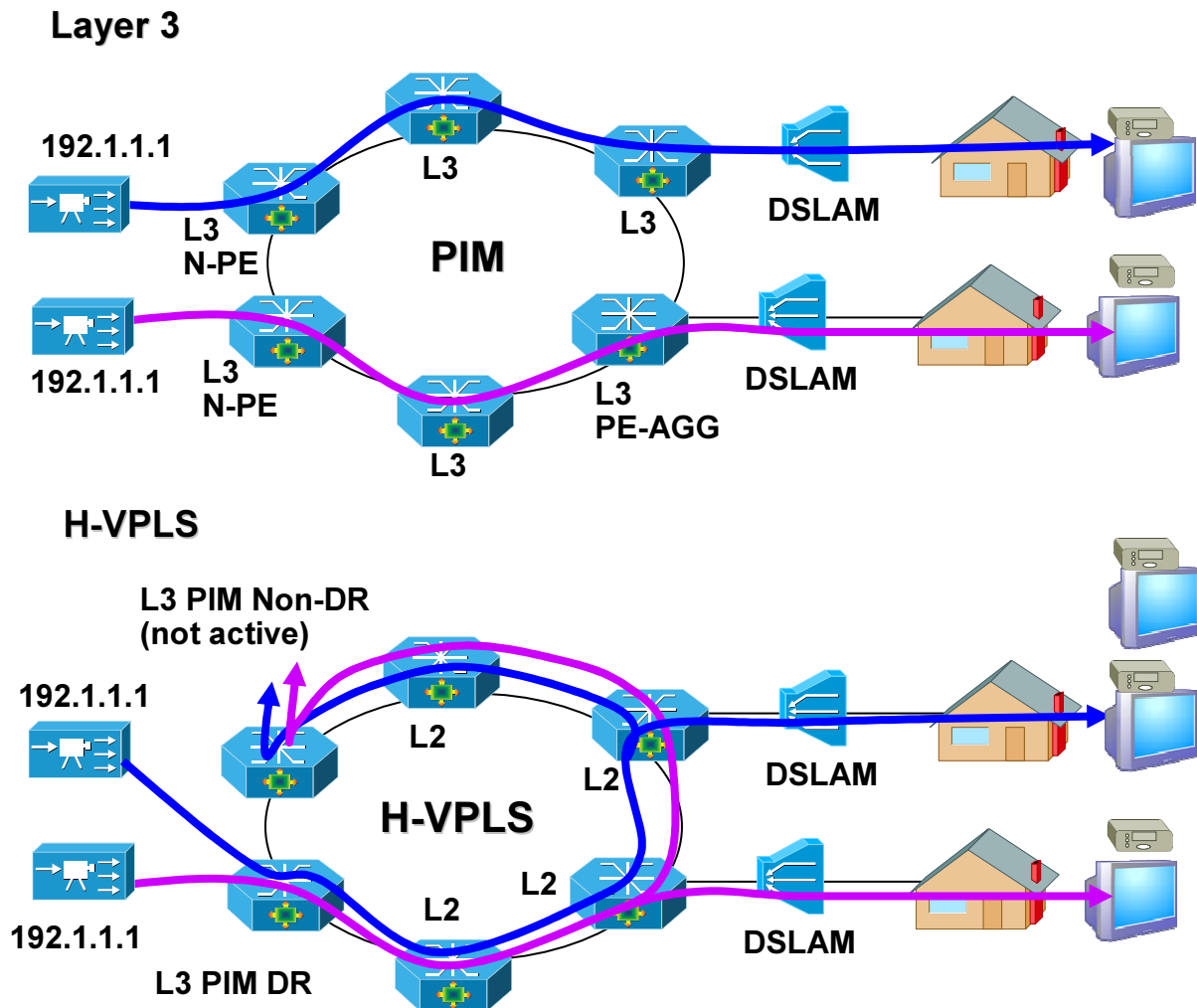
6. HTTP 200 OK (Response to SETUP (URL))



Benefits of Distributed L3 Edge for Multicast:

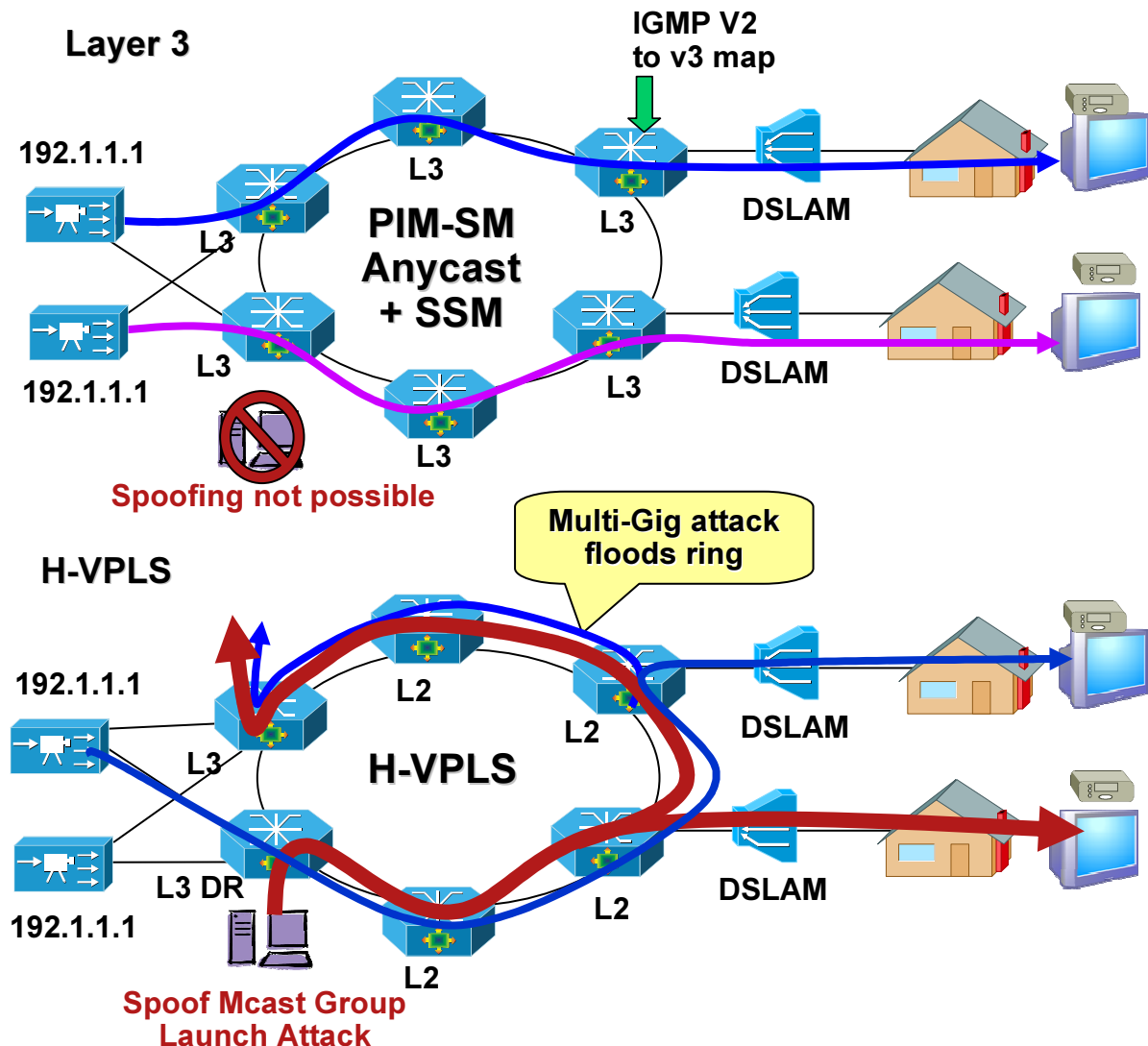
Enables Efficient & Flexible Anycast for Broadcast Reliability

- Cisco has implemented PIM Anycast -- redundant sources get same address
- L3 in agg uses ring efficiently with set top selecting closest source
- Failure of link, source, N-PE, PE-AGG will result in fast PIM convergence for outage <1s
- H-VPLS can support Anycast at the L3 edge if vendors have implemented
- But uses ring very inefficiently, all m'cast traffic traverses ring
- Set top cannot connect to closest source because mcast traffic only enters through Designated Router
- If DR failure, non-DR waits for time out to take over & entire PIM tree must be rebuilt – many seconds
- H-VPLS **link** failure uses FRR for 50ms failover, but **node** failure is in seconds



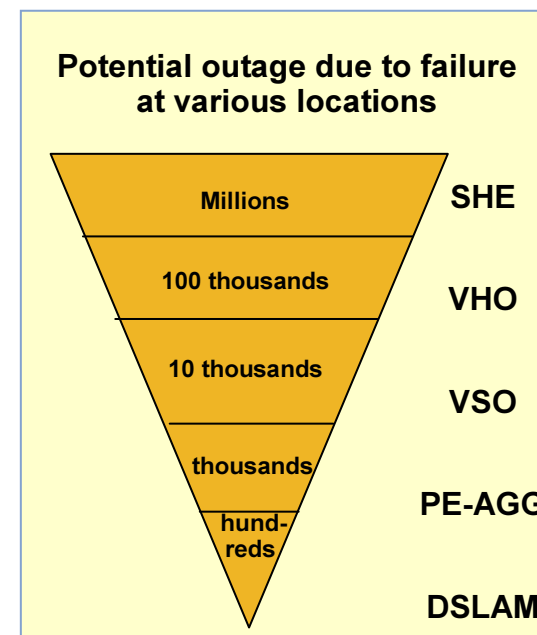
Benefits of Distributed L3 Edge for Multicast: *Source Specific Multicast (SSM) Enhances Security*

- Attack launched from spoofed multicast group can create outage on ring
- L3 at PE-AGG enables Source Specific Multicast
- SSM inserts a specific IP source address into IGMPv3 join request
- Leverages fact that broadcast sources have predetermine IP address
- Minimizes ability to spoof
- Many STB only support IGMPv2 so Cisco provides SSM mapping of v2 to IGMPv3 at PE-AGG
- With Ciscos implementation Anycast works with SSM!



Convergence Issues

- **L3 Multicast with Cisco's fast IGP**
Provides consistent convergence <1s in all scenarios
- **Broadcast Source Redundancy**
Broadcast reliability is critical due to
L3 solution supports Anycast for dual redundant headends
B'cast headend failure could affect millions of users
- **H-VPLS transport of video**
MPLS FRR for link failures for <50ms
Failure of Agg Node, Designated Router, Source, or Headend result in slow STP or IGP based convergence
Many outages can be in the seconds



If less than 1s calls to customer service will be avoided.

| | Link | Node | Source |
|---------------|------|------|--------|
| VPLS solution | <1s | 2-3s | 2-3s |
| Cisco | <1s | <1s | <1s |

Ethernet OAM Protocol Overview



Drivers for Ethernet OAM

- **OAM benchmarks**

 - Set by TDM and existing WAN technologies

- **Operational Efficiency**

 - Reduce OPEX, avoid truck-rolls

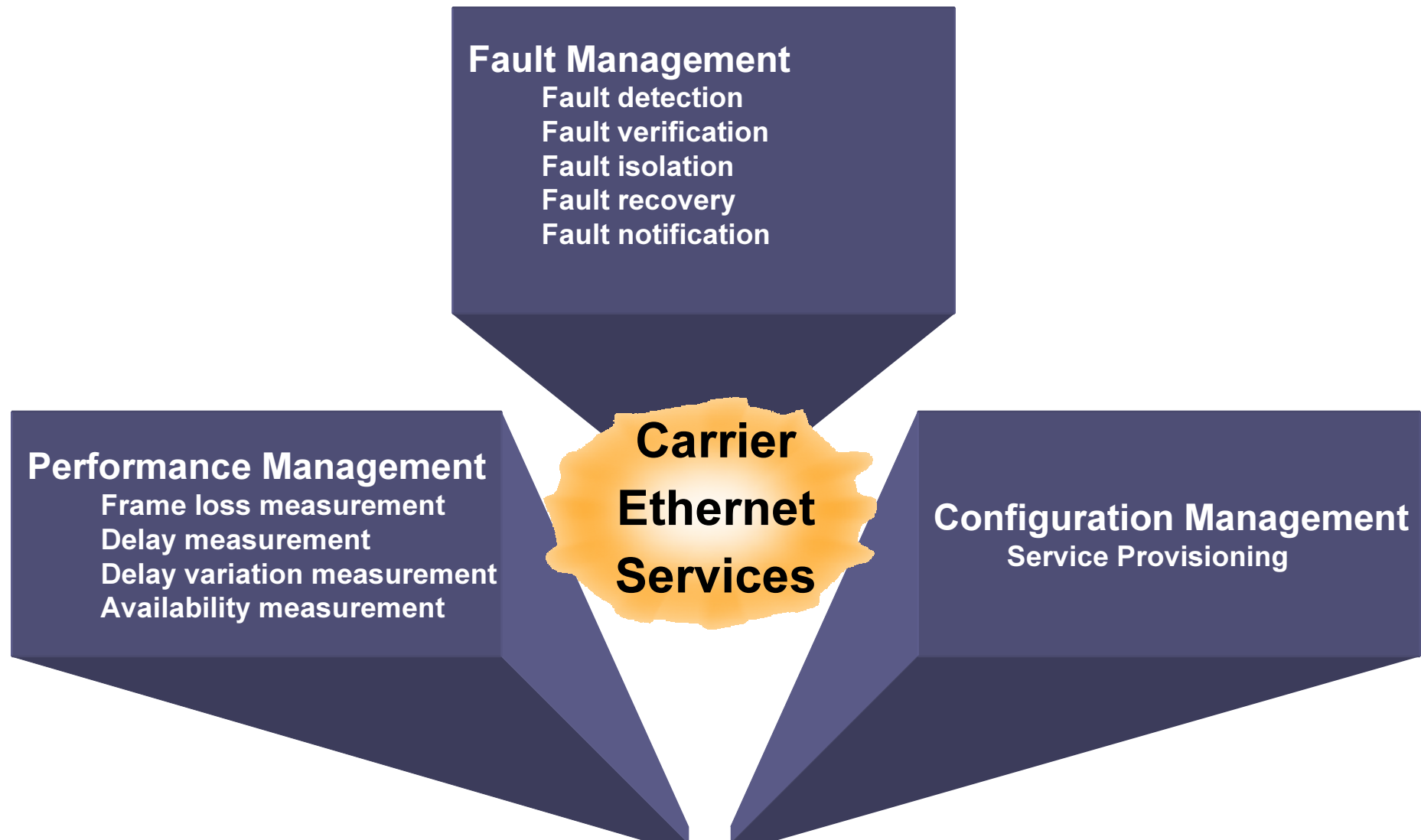
 - Downtime cost

- **Management Complexity**

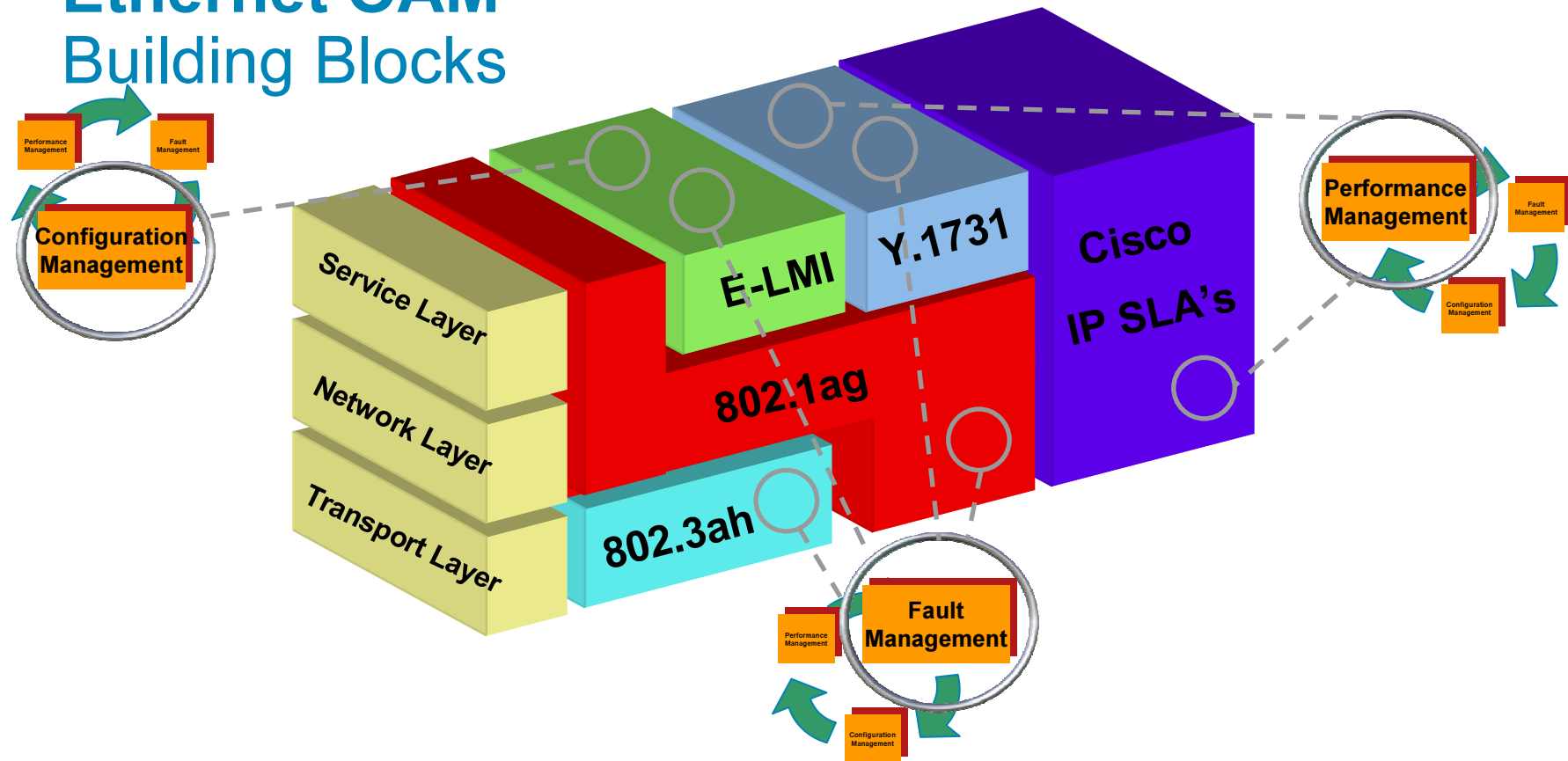
 - Large Span Networks

 - Multiple constituent networks belong to disparate organizations/companies

Application of Ethernet OAM



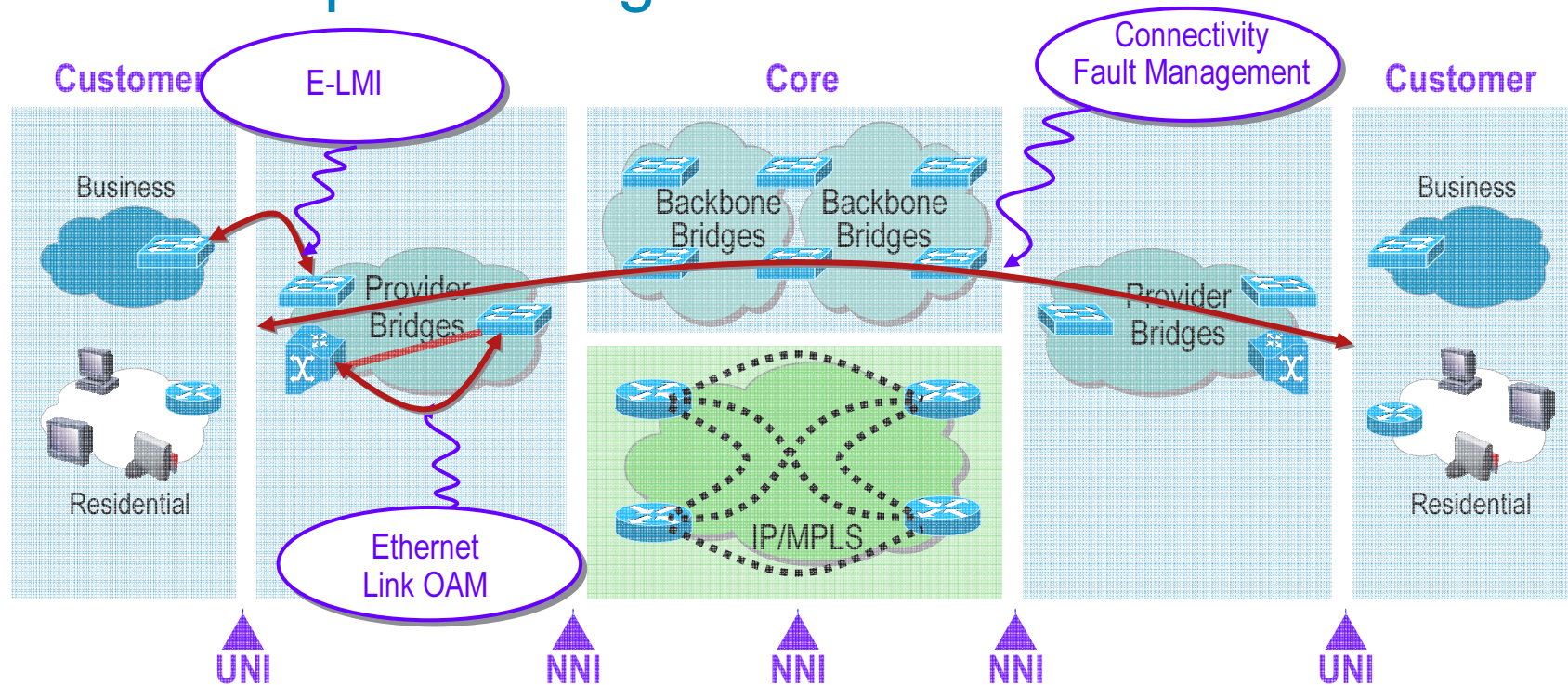
Ethernet OAM Building Blocks



- IEEE 802.1ag: Connectivity Fault Management (CFM)
- ITU-T Y.1731: OAM functions and mechanisms for Ethernet based networks
- IEEE 802.3ah: Ethernet Link OAM (EFM OAM)
- MEF E-LMI: Ethernet Local Management Interface
- Cisco IP SLA's: Performance Management using CFM and Y.1731 mechanisms

Ethernet OAM

Protocol positioning



- E-LMI: User to Network Interface (UNI)
- Link OAM: Any point-point 802.3 link
- CFM: End-to-End Ethernet virtual connection

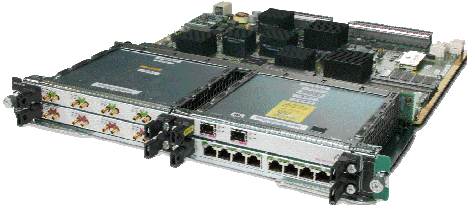
The Cisco 7600 Family



Engines

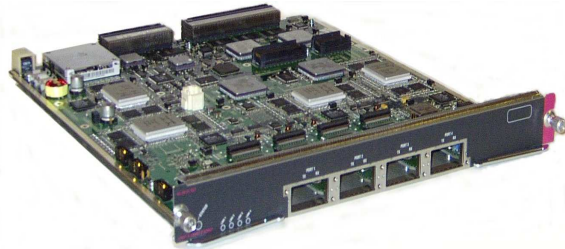
Supervisor 32
Supervisor 720

Route Switch Processor 720
Route Switch Processor 720 -10G



SPA Interface Processors

Modular Carrier Cards
for WAN and Metro
Shared Port Adapters



High-Density Ethernet Modules

High-Density GE and 10GE
with Distributed, Line-rate Performance

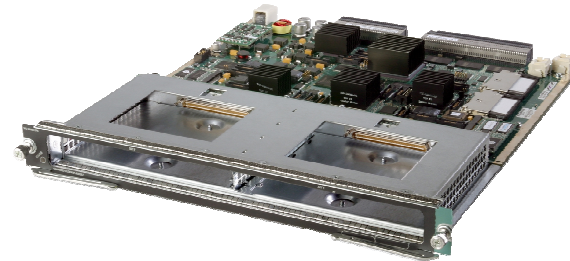


S Chassis

7609-S, 7606-S,
7603-S, 7604

Traditional Chassis

7606, 7609,
7613



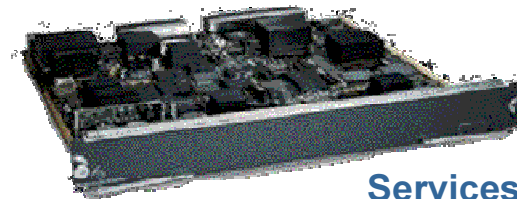
Enhanced FlexWAN

7500 Parity and
PA Investment Protection



Ethernet Services Modules

GE and 10GE
with Rich QoS, Distributed,
Line-rate Performance
ES20, ES40



Services Modules

Distributed Security;
IPSEC, Firewall, IDS,
DoS Protection

"S" Class Chassis

• High Availability

- Enables fast fabric sync (<100 ms switchover)
- Redundant channels for inter-line card control plane communication
- Redundant fan trays in 7609-S

• 80G/slot ready

• Power and Cooling

- Power & cooling capacity of over 600W per slot to support new high-density Ethernet linecards

| S Chassis | Availability |
|-----------|--------------|
| 7609S | Shipping |
| 7606S | Shipping |
| 7604 | Shipping |
| 7603S | Shipping |
| 7613S | Future |



Cisco 7613-S

| Slots | Rack Units | Rack Density |
|-------|------------|--------------|
| 13 | 18 | 2 |



Cisco 7609-S

| Slots | Rack Units | Rack Density |
|-------|------------|--------------|
| 9 | 21 | 2 |



Cisco 7606-S

| Slots | Rack Units | Rack Density |
|-------|------------|--------------|
| 6 | 7 | 6 |



Cisco 7604

| Slots | Rack Units | Rack Density |
|-------|------------|--------------|
| 4 | 5 | 9 |



Cisco 7603-S

| Slots | Rack Units | Rack Density |
|-------|------------|--------------|
| 3 | 4 | 11 |

7600 Engines Comparison



| | SUP720 | RSP720 | RSP720-10GE |
|---|----------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Control Plane | MSFC3 | MSFC4 | MSFC4 |
| Ctrl Plane CPU | 600Mhz MIPS | 1.2GHz PowerPC | 1.2GHz PowerPC |
| DRAM | 1GByte (DDR) | Up to 4GByte (DDR2) | Up to 4GByte (DDR2) |
| NVRAM | 2Mbyte | 4MByte | 4MByte |
| Bootflash/bootdisk | 64MByte | 512MByte | 512MByte |
| Forwarding Plane | PFC3B, PFC3BXL | PFC3C, PFC3CXL | PFC3C, PFC3CXL |
| MAC (CAM) Table Size (pract./theor.) | 32k/64k | 80k/96k | 80k/96k |
| IP Subscriber Termination | x | 32k | 32k |
| IP Forwarding | 30Mpps | 30Mpps | 30Mpps |
| MPLS Forwarding | 20Mpps | 20Mpps | 20Mpps |

Ethernet Services 20G Modules

■ *Service-Rich Ethernet Linecards*

Two 20 Gbps (full-duplex) linecard options:

2-port 10 Gigabit Ethernet, XFP LAN-PHY optics

Future support for XFP WAN-PHY optics

20-port Gigabit Ethernet, SFP optics

Up to 48 Mpps distributed performance per linecard

Line rate for 64-byte packets, L2 or L3

512 MB packet buffering (200 ms) per 10G ports

Full support for online insertion and removal (OIR)

Choice of hardware-based scale for L2 & L3 services:

DFC-3C daughter-card

TCAM entries: 256K IP FIB & 128K Netflow

DFC-3CXL daughter-card

TCAM entries: 1M IP FIB & 256K Netflow

■ *Flexible Carrier Ethernet Service Options*

Layer 2 Switched Ethernet Control Plane

Q-in-Q with Rapid Spanning Tree

Layer 2 MPLS Control Plane

Ethernet over MPLS and H-VPLS pseudo-wires

MPLS FRR with pseudo-wire redundancy

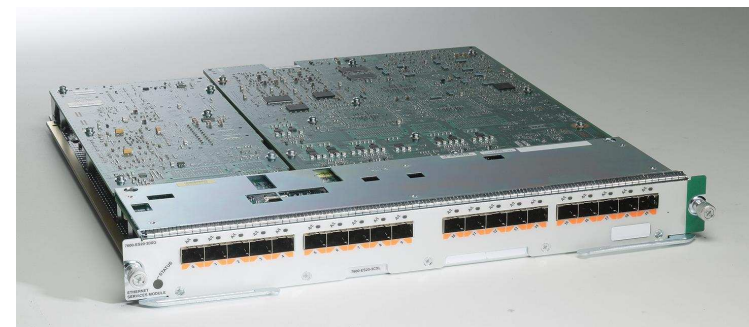
Layer 3 IP / MPLS Control Plane

IP Multicast for efficient video delivery

Layer 3 MPLS VPN for business services



2-port 10GE XFP (baldur)



20-port GE SFP (loki)

Cisco Carrier Ethernet Evolution

ES40 Line Cards

- **Carrier Ethernet Convergence with Scale:**

L2 & L3 Ethernet services to 40 Gbps
(ISG+EVC coexistence)

Support for full suite of L2+L3 features:

H-QoS: 128k queues with 5-level hierarchy capable hardware

MPLS: EoMPLS, H-VPLS, 2547 VPN

Native Ethernet: 802.1ad, 802.1ah (MAC-in-MAC), VLAN translation

E-OAM: 802.1ag (CCM in hardware), 802.3ah, E-LMI, IP SLA

Inline Video Monitoring

- **Product details**

4-port 10GE & 40-port GE

2-port 10GE & 20-port GE also available

Combo Card: 2x10G + 20x1GE ports on the same card

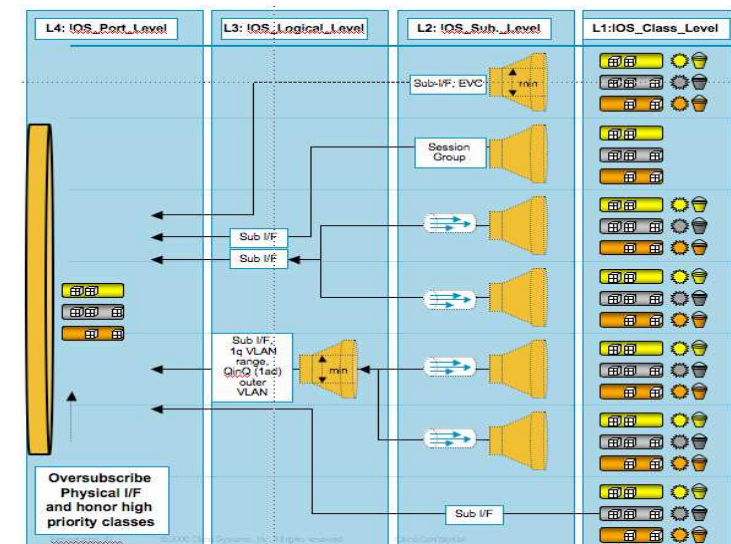
Intelligent Subscriber Services

802.1ah

ISG

Video

H-QoS



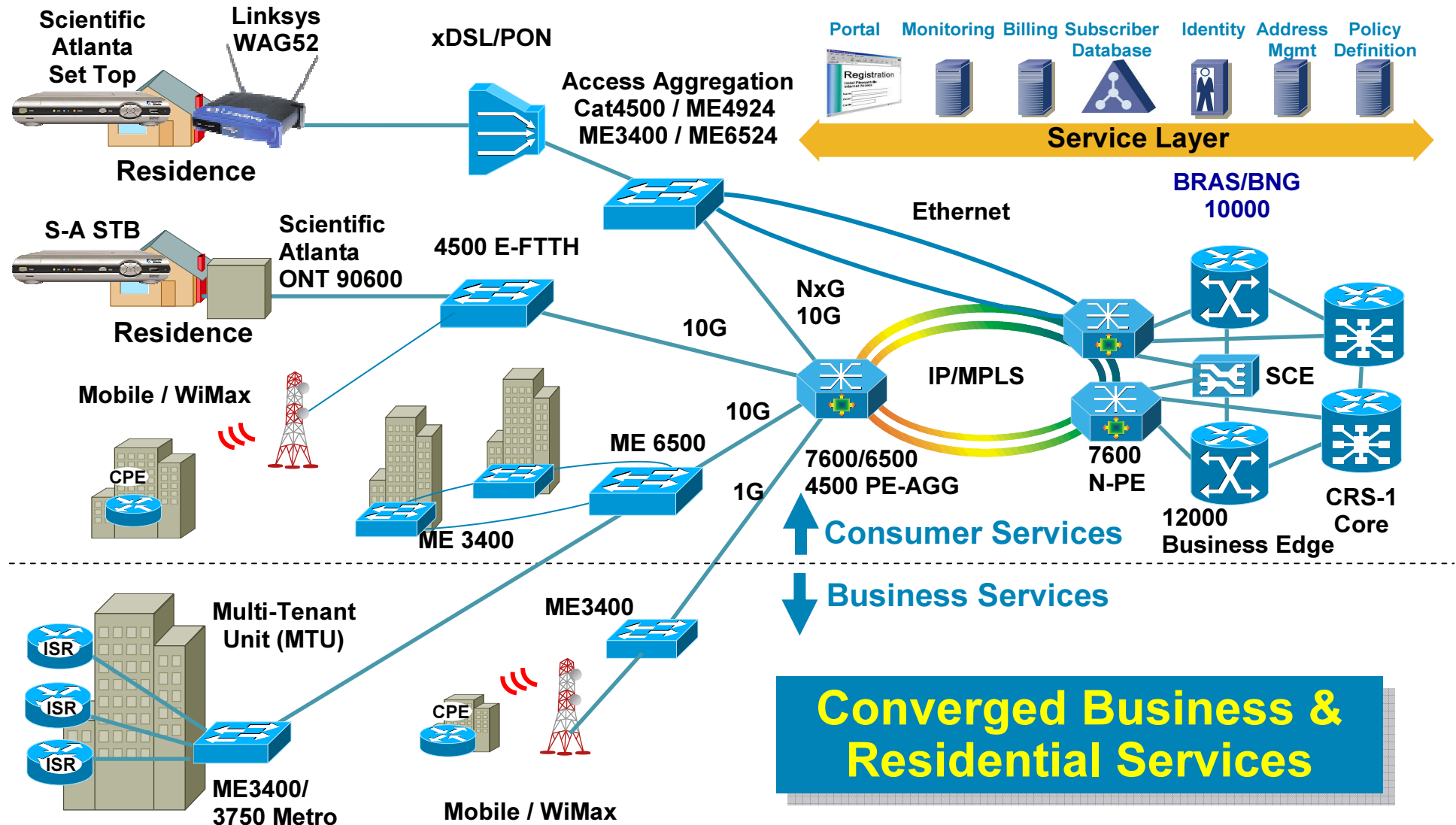


Customer Success Case Studies



IP NGN Carrier Ethernet Design

End-to-End Consumer and Business Services



Cisco's Carrier Ethernet Leadership

Continued Customer Success Worldwide

Americas



EMEA



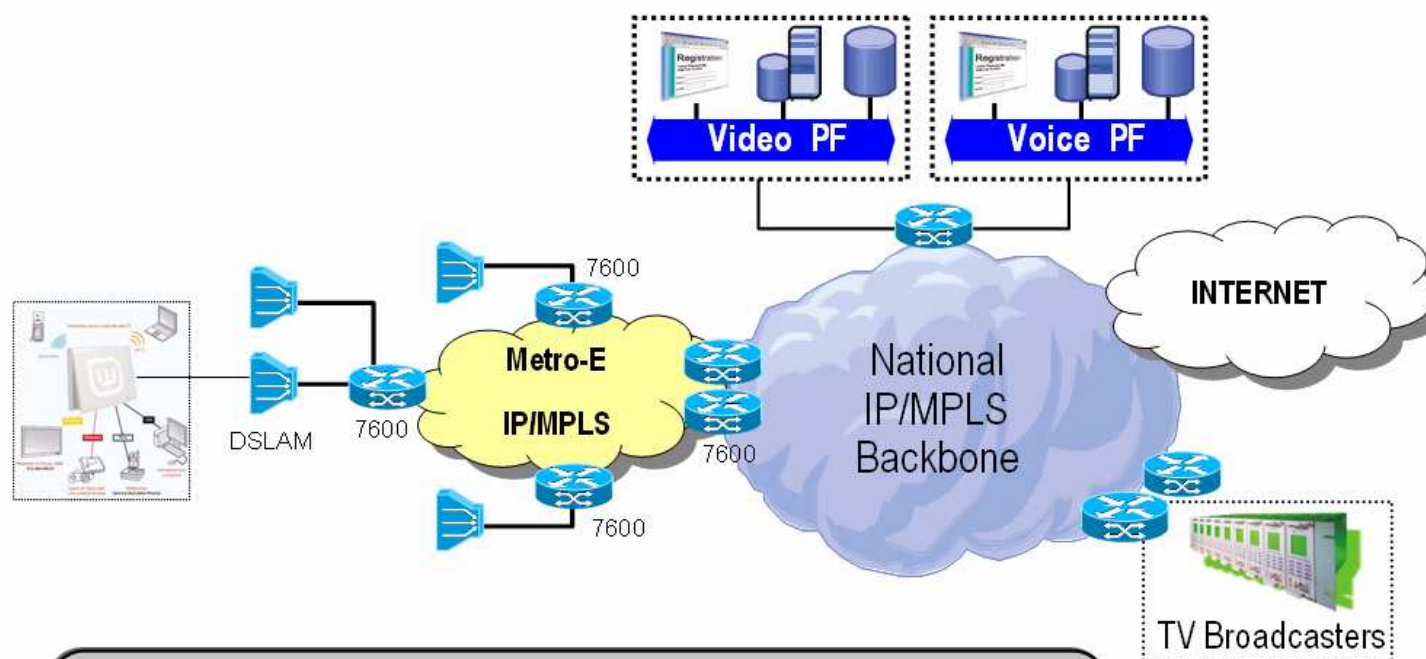
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Cisco Carrier Ethernet Solution



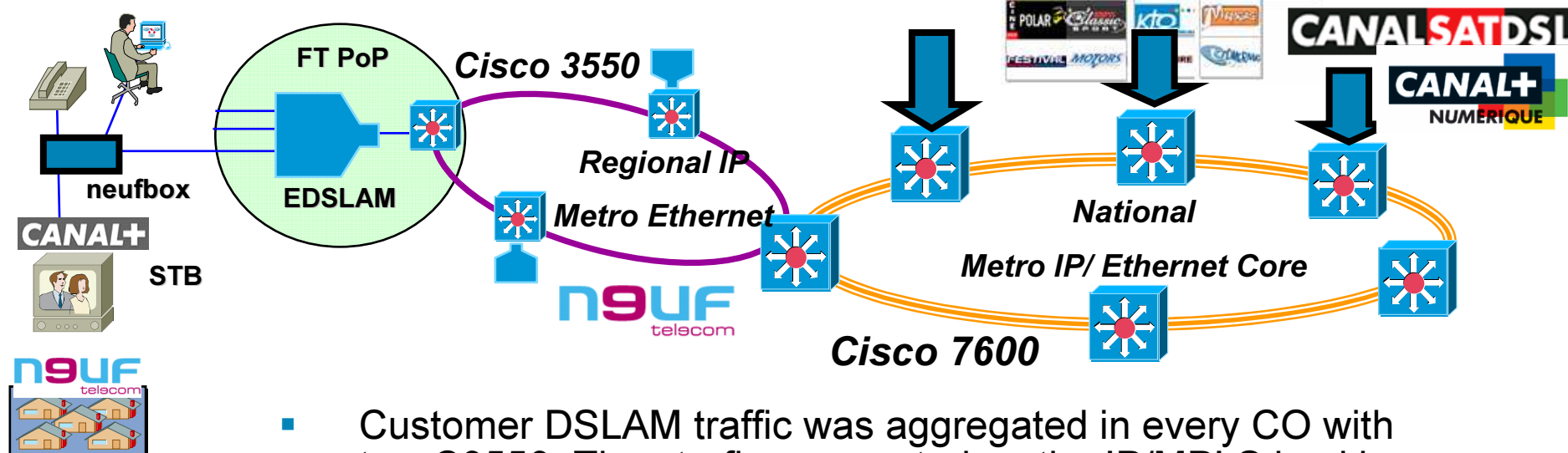
Ethernet Backhaul Overview



- IP Unicast for VOD Traffic
- IP Multicast for TV Broadcast traffic
- L2VPN Pseudowires for PPPoE Internet Traffic from Metro-E Node to BRAS
- L3VPN for future SIP-based Voice services.
- ... more to come

Cisco Carrier Ethernet Solution

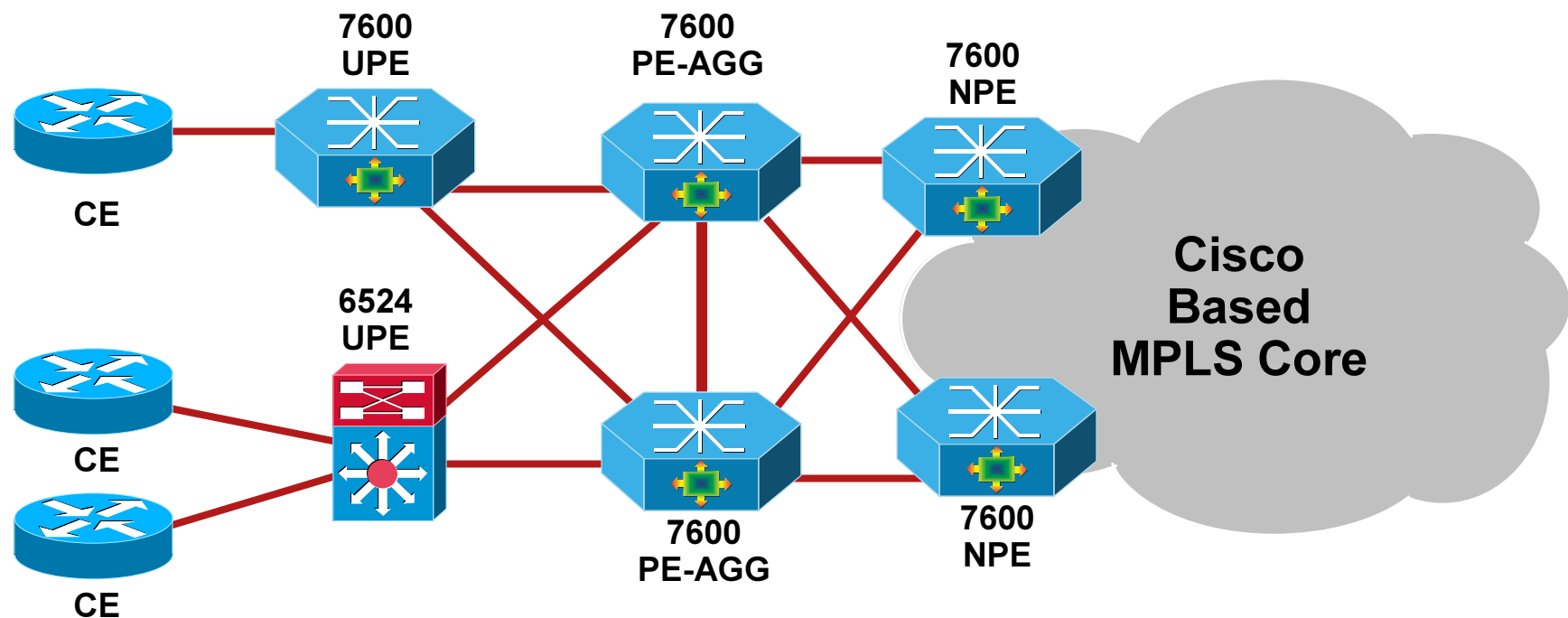
- Digital quality TV over DSL
- QoS enabled, Intelligent Video distribution



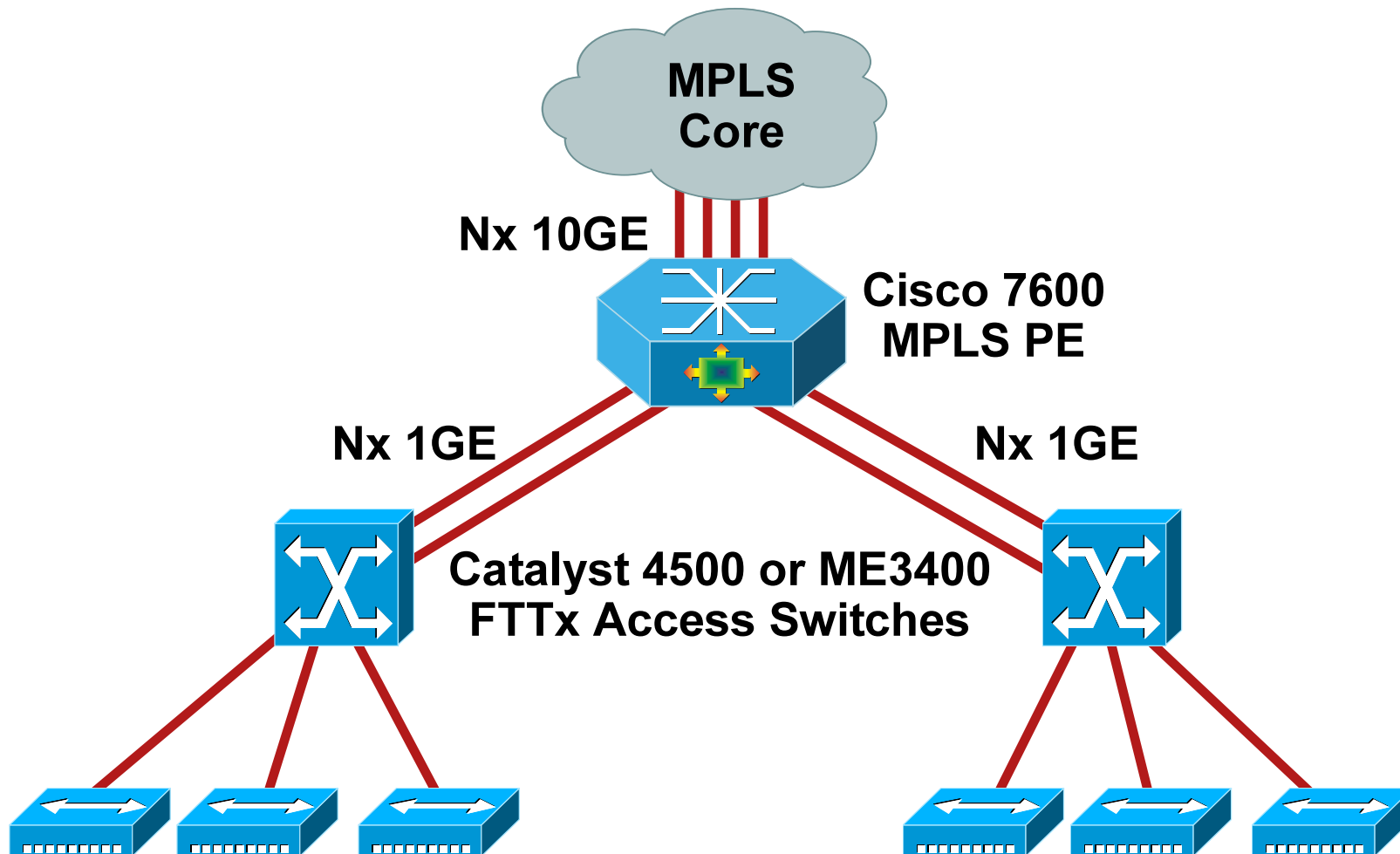
- Customer DSLAM traffic was aggregated in every CO with two C3550. Then traffic was routed on the IP/MPLS backbone based on C7600 to finally reach the internet network.
- 12 PoP with 2 Cisco 7600 each deployed nationwide.
- Basic configuration is Cisco7606 (DC), single SUP720-3BXL (MPLS P), WS-X6724-SFP line cards.

Cisco Carrier Ethernet Solution

Cisco 7600 Series Routers x 50 (MPLS to the edge)
Cisco ME 6524 Ethernet Switch x 386 (L2/L3 VPN)



Cisco Carrier Ethernet - EFTTH Solution





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