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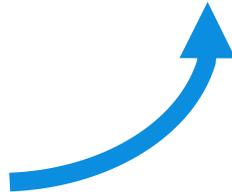
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# Simplicity Always Prevails



Furthermore with more scale and functionality



# SRv6 Eco-System



# At record speed

- 7 large-scale commercial deployments
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# Cisco Supports SoftBank on First Segment Routing IPv6 Deployment in Prep for 5G

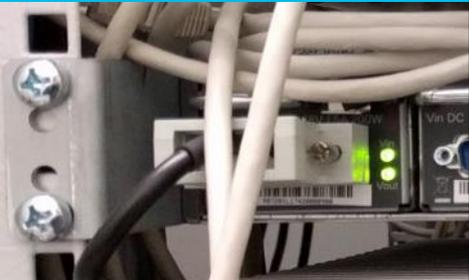


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Tue 10-Dec-19 10:34  
SP Sébastien Parisot <sparisot@free-mobile.fr>  
Re: [spring] SPRING SRv6 Deployment Status draft

To 松嶋聡; Zafar Ali (zali)  
Cc SPRING WG List  
We removed extra line breaks from this message.

Hi Satoru, Zafar,

I would like to provide an update to SRv6 deployment in Iliad's nationwide network in Italy.

As of the end of 2019, the SRv6 network consists of:

- 1000 Cisco NCS 5500 routers
- 1800 Iliad's Nodeboxes
- The network services 4.5 million mobile subscribers (as of Q3 2019)
- The network is carrying 300 Gbps of commercial traffic at peak hours
- It is expected to grow to more than 4000 Nodeboxes in 2020.

The following SRv6 features have been deployed:

- A Segment Routing Header based data plane
- End (PSP), End.X (PSP), End.DT4, T.Encaps.Red, T.Insert.Red functions
- BGP VPN SRv6 extensions
- ISIS SRv6 extensions
- SRH-based Topology Independent (TI-LFA) Fast Reroute mechanisms
- Support for ping and traceroute

Can you please update the SRv6 deployment draft accordingly?

Thanks,  
Sébastien

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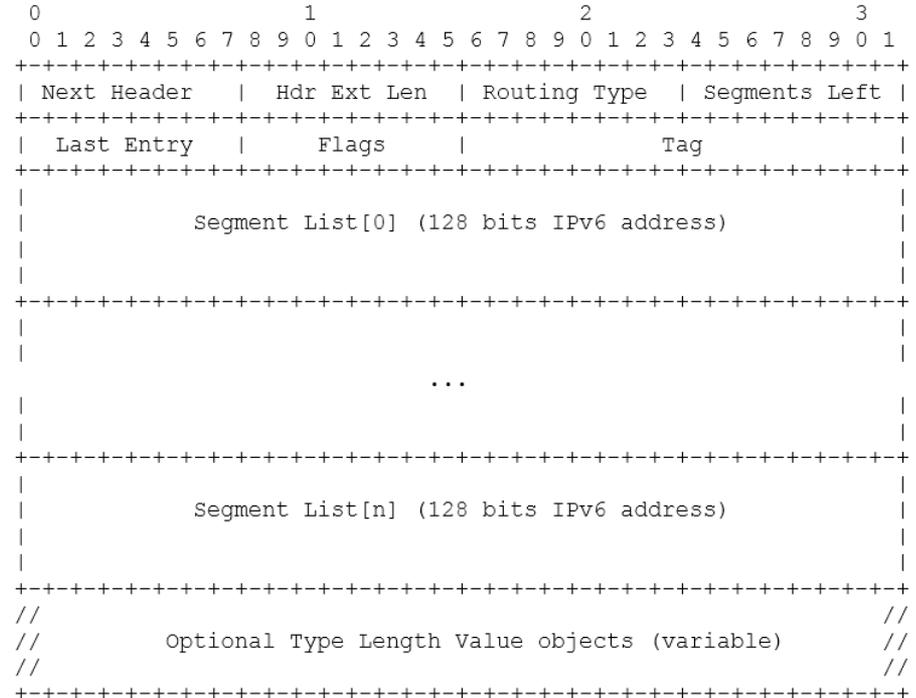
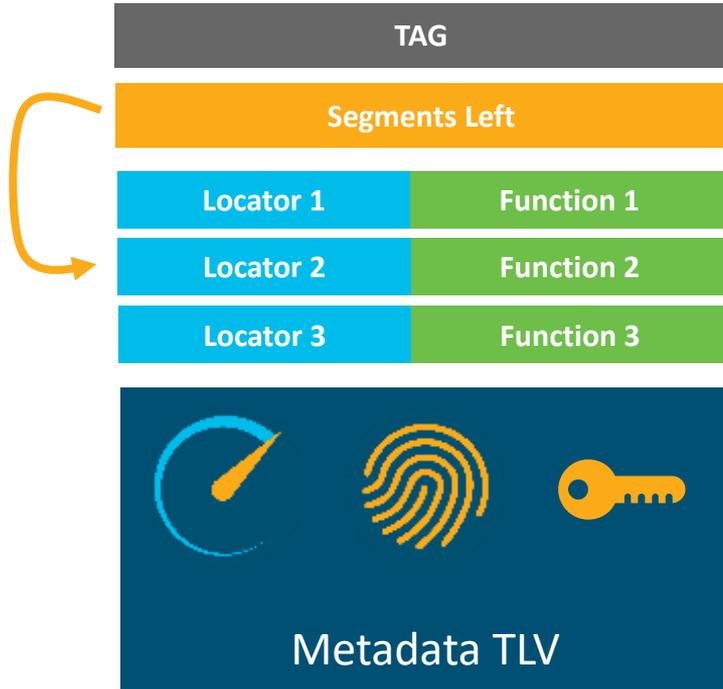
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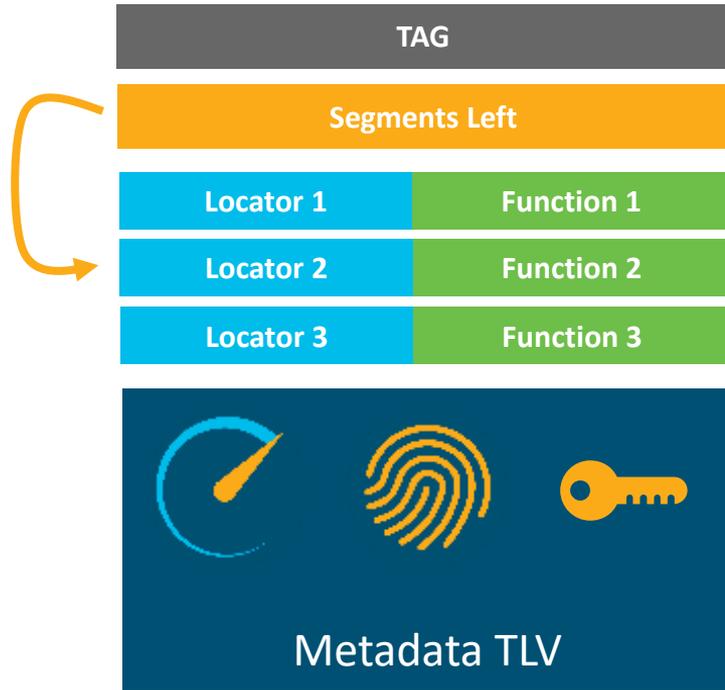
# SRv6 - Reminder



# SRv6 Header



# SRv6 for anything



Optimized for HW processing  
e.g. Underlay & Tenant use-cases

Optimized for SW processing  
e.g. NFV, Container, Micro-Service



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# SR Architecture

- RFC 8402 – Proposed Standard
  - Defines SR-MPLS with MPLS dataplane and Label SID's
  - Defines SRv6 with SRH and SRv6 SID's

# SRv6

- RFC Proposed Standard
  - SRv6 DataPlane: SRH and SRv6 SID
- Last-Call
  - Network Programming (END, END.X, END.DX/DT, T.Encaps)
  - Control Plane (ISIS, BGP-LS)
  - Policy
  - OAM
- One IETF away to Last-Call
  - BGP

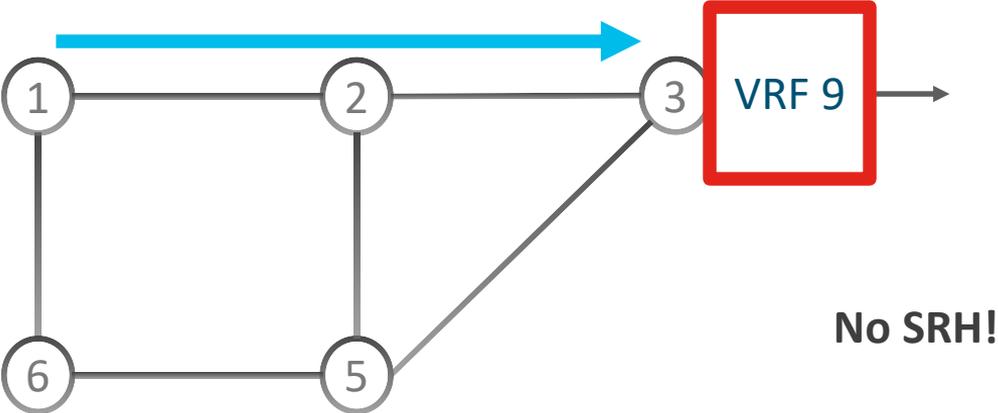
# SRv6 Deployed Use-Cases



# VPN over Best-Effort 5G Slice

Network Program: B:3:V(9)

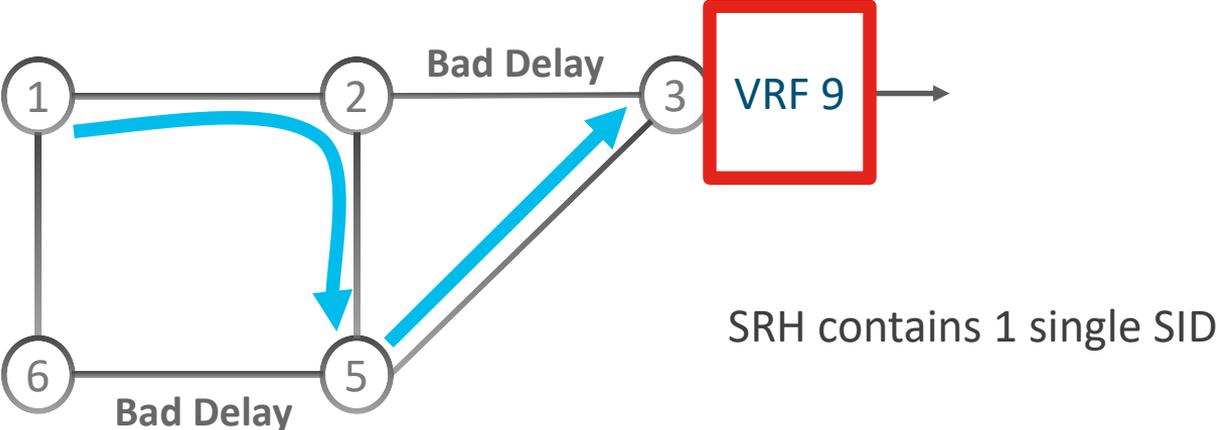
*B: locator block is associated with ISIS base algo (Low Cost, Best Effort)*



# VPN with Low-Delay 5G Slice – SR-TE option

Network Program: B:2:C5 then B:3:V(9)

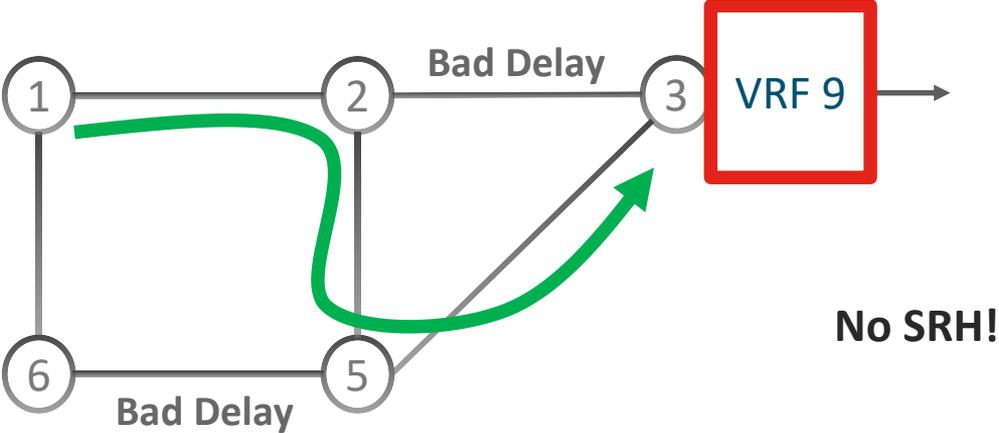
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# VPN with Low-Delay 5G Slice – Flex-algo option

Network Program: D:3:V(9)

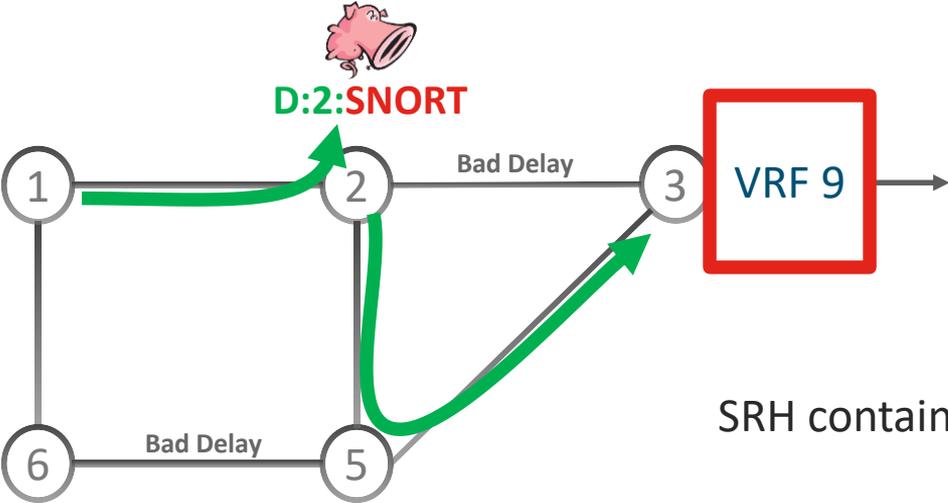
*D: locator block is associated with Low Delay Flex-Algo*



# Snort firewall, VPN & Low-Delay Slice

Network Program: D:2:SNORT then D:3:V(9)

*D: locator block is associated with Low Delay Flex-Algo*



SRH contains 1 Single SID

# Load-balancing

Version	Traffic class	Flow label	
Payload length		Next header	Hop limit
Source address			
Destination address			

- 20-bit entropy
- No additional protocol
  - infamous mpls entropy label

# Seamless Incremental Deployment

- As soon as the network supports plain IPv6 forwarding
  - a new SRv6-VPN service only requires PE upgrade
  - TE objective can be achieved with a few well selected TE waypoints
  - FRR is deployed incrementally

# SID Block Allocation

Credit to Satoru Matsushima - Softbank  
who credits Vasco Astriano and Dave Plonka (Akamai)



2400:20eb::

2400:2103::

2400:214e::

2400:2eac::

2400:2ec4::

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2400:2fec::

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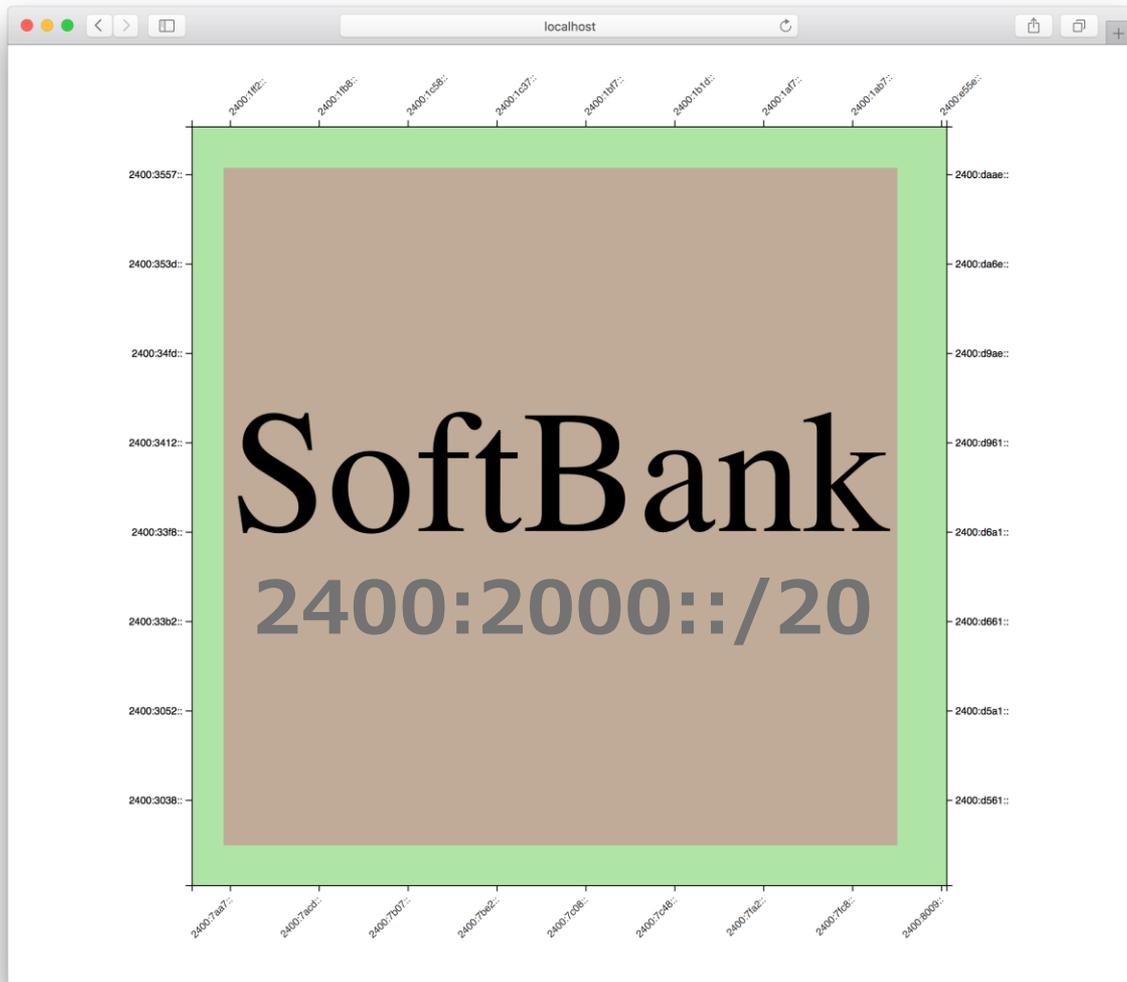
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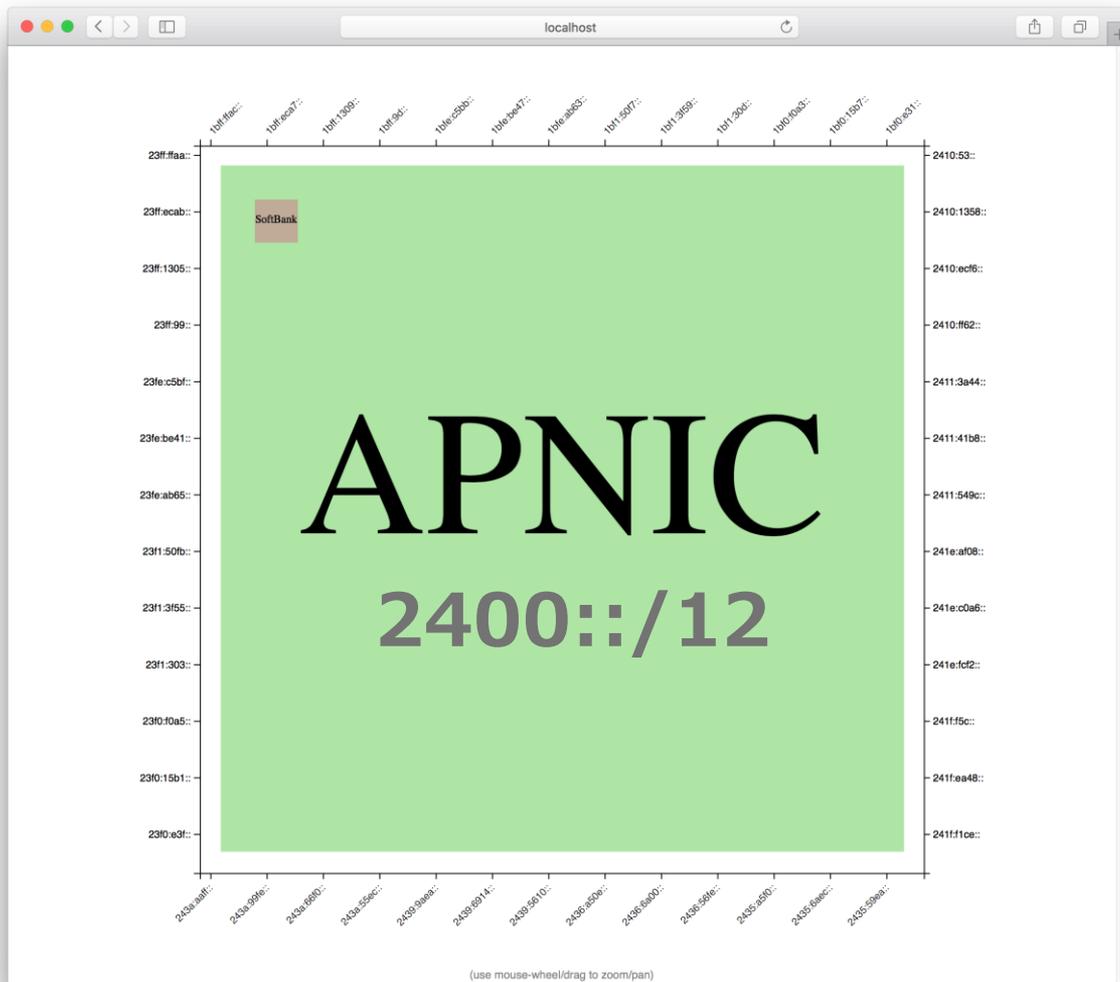
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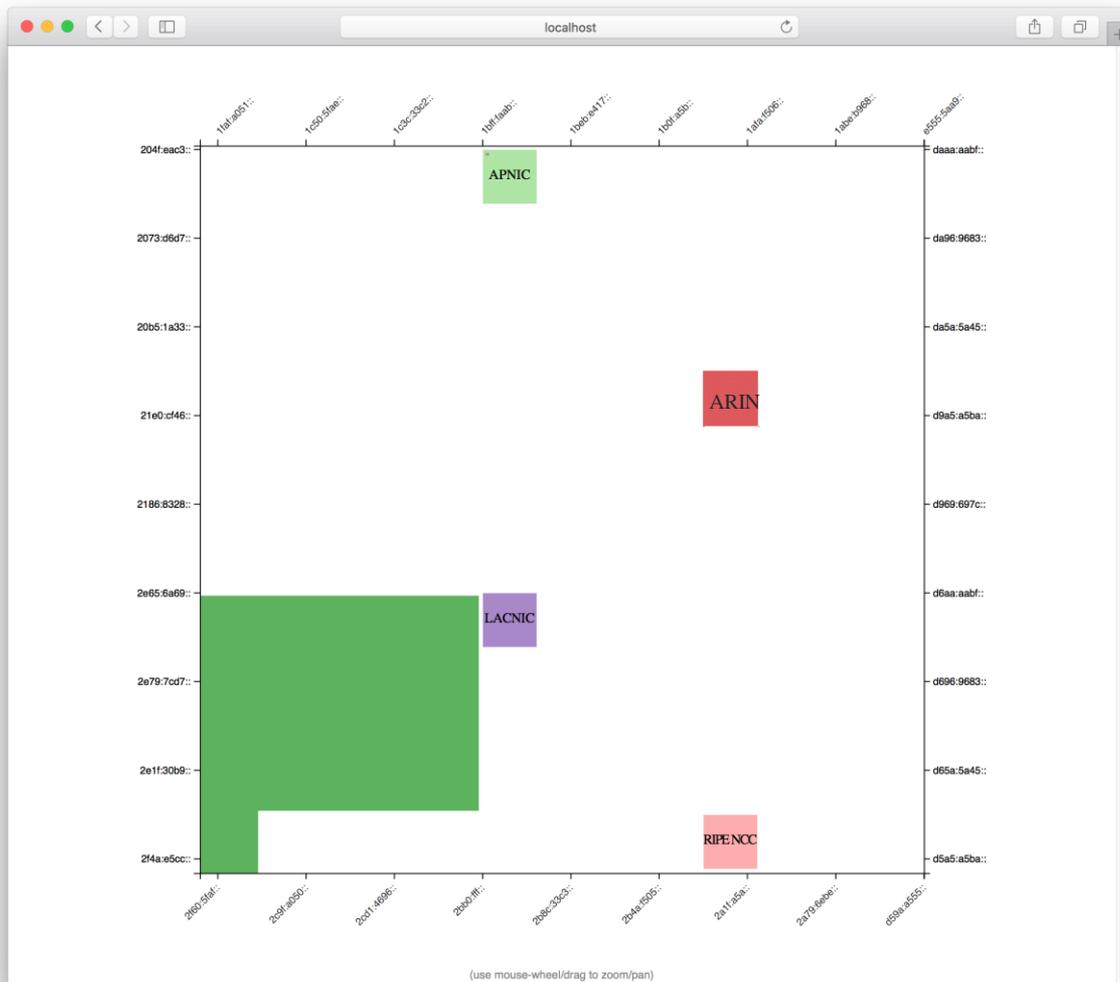
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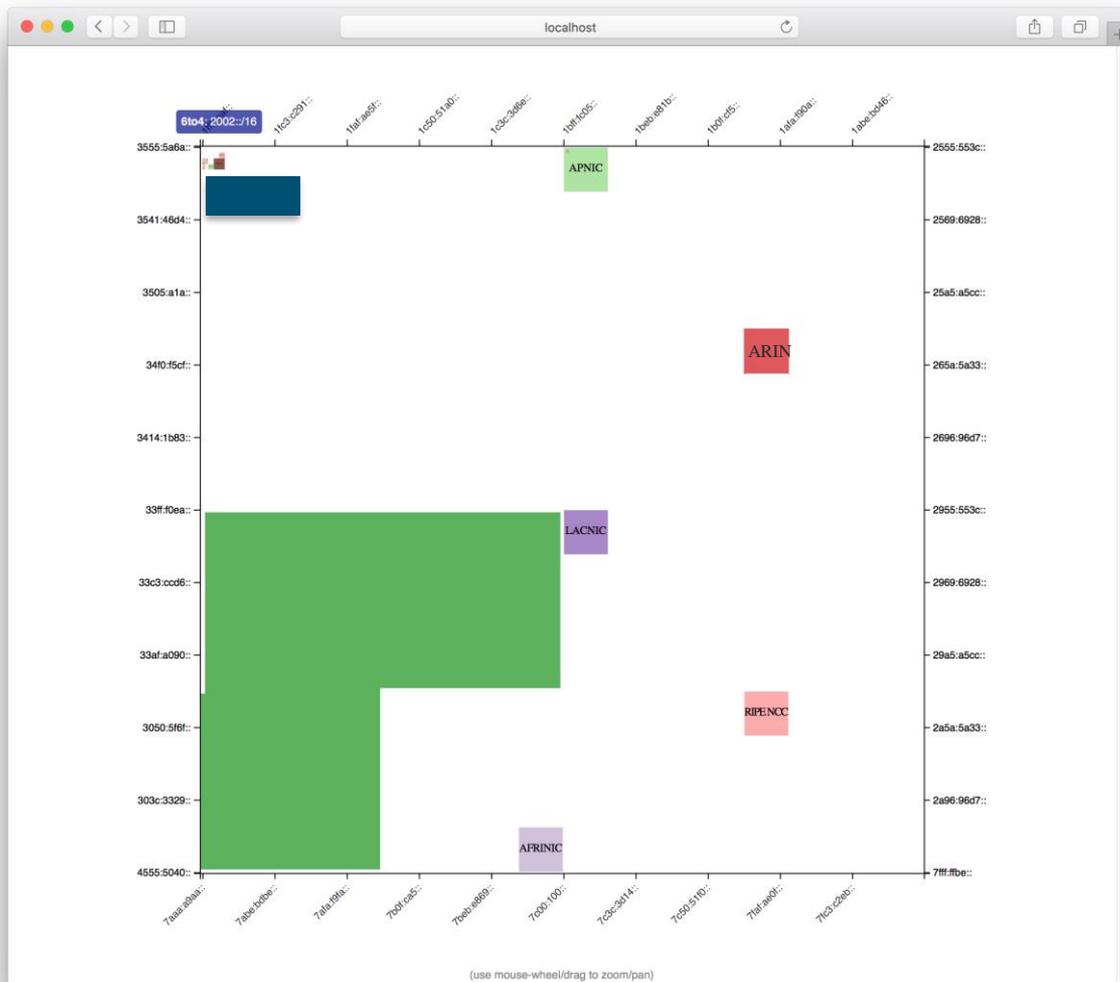
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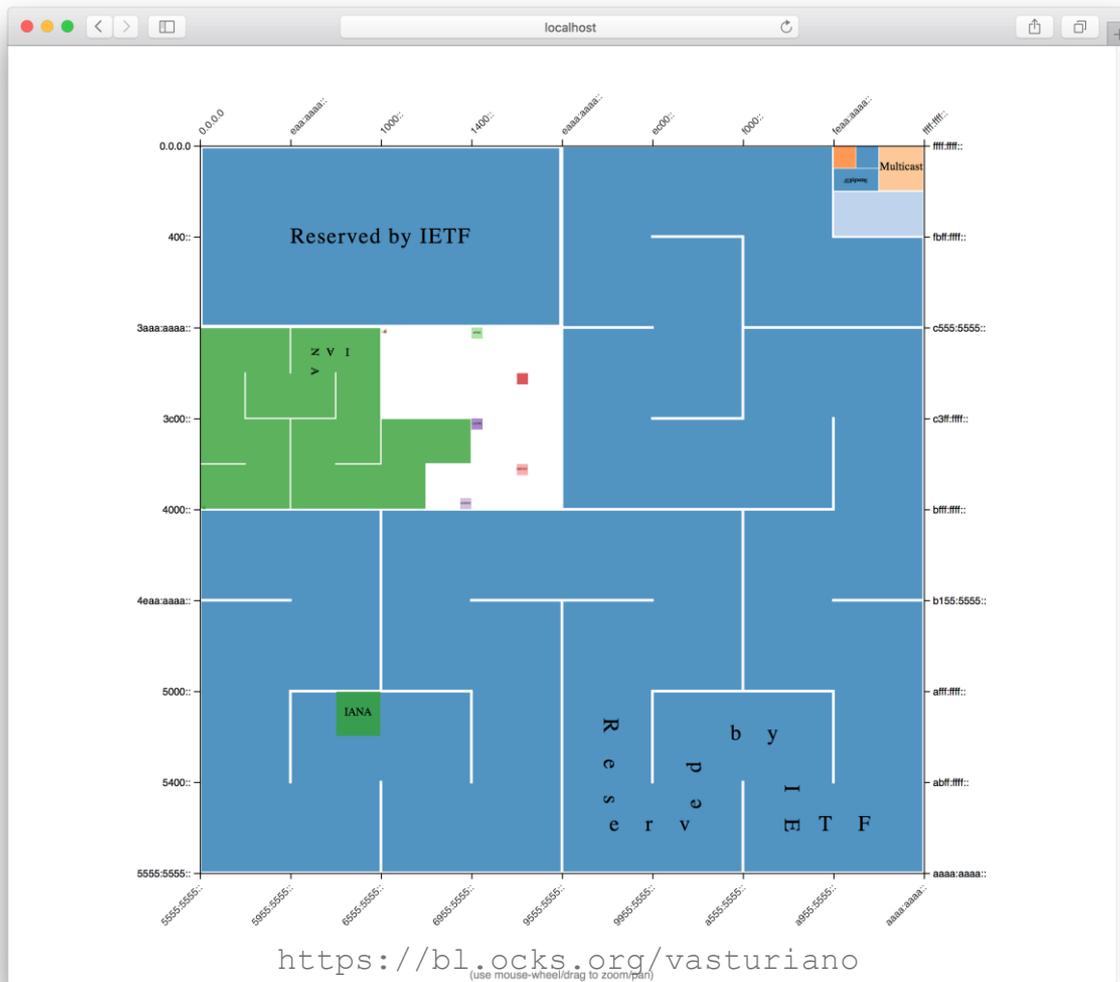
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# Legacy HW and Overhead Compression



# SRv6 has excellent native Scale

- Many use-cases do not even use an SRH 😊
  - Any VPN (L3VPN, PW, eVPN)
  - Egress Peering Engineering
  - Low-Latency or Disjoint Slicing
  - Optimal Load-Balancing
- If SRH is needed, most cases will use 1 or 2 SID's
- Prefix Summarization gain
- Talk to the operators who deployed, they are happy to share experience

# Ultra Scale is natively integrated in SRv6 😊

- We thought this a long time ago
- This is natively integrated in the SRv6 solution
  - Same SRv6 dataplane
  - Same SRv6 control plane
  - Same SRv6 architecture

# SRv6 - Automation



# Available

NSO “click” and the following happens

- Address allocation
  - Loopback and interfaces
- SID allocation
- Multi-Domain
- ISIS summarization and redistribution between domains
- TILFA

# Configuration Automation next-step

- BFD
- ISIS Flex-Algo Slicing
- BGP Services
  - Internet
  - L3VPN
  - eVPN PW
- Linux Servers

# Troubleshooting Automation

- Brainstorming
- Please ping if interested

Conclusion

# Simplicity Always Prevails



- ~~LDP~~
- ~~RSVP-TE~~
- ~~Inter-AS Option A/B/C~~
- ~~MPLS~~
- ~~UDP/VxLAN~~
- ~~NSH~~

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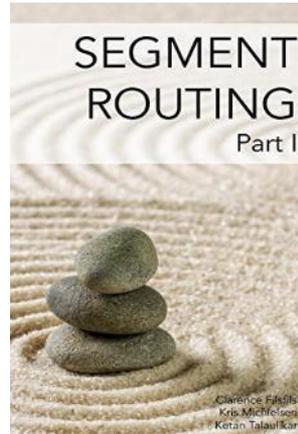


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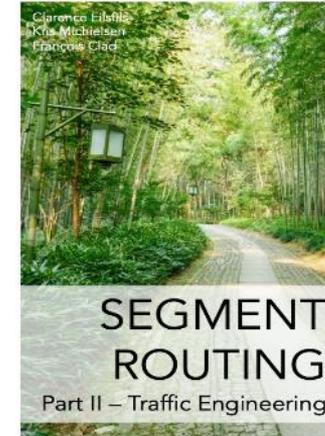
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# SRv6 - Roadmap



# Shipping: NCS5500, NCS560, NCS540, ASR9k

- ISIS
  - TILFA and uLoop
  - Flex-Algo (Low-Delay Slice) with TILFA
- BGP
  - PIC Core/Edge
  - L3VPN (IPv4)
  - Internet (IPv4)
  - eVPN VPWS
- SRv6-SR-MPLS Gateway
- OAM
  - Ping
  - Trace
  - SID Verification

# Also in the DC - with linerate SRv6 @ 400G

- Amazing set of SRv6 network instructions @ 400G !

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