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Introduction to SRv6 uSID Technology

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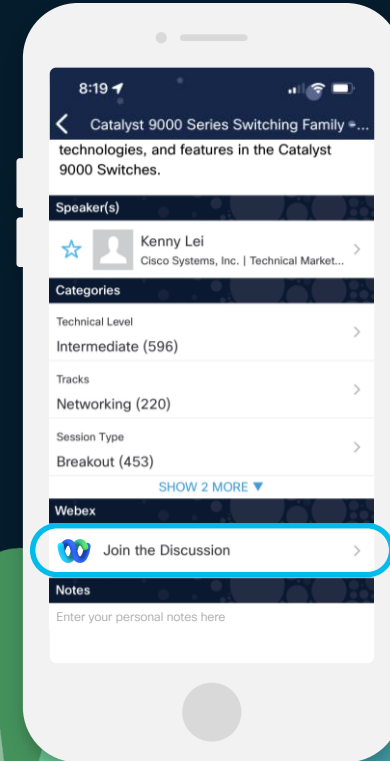
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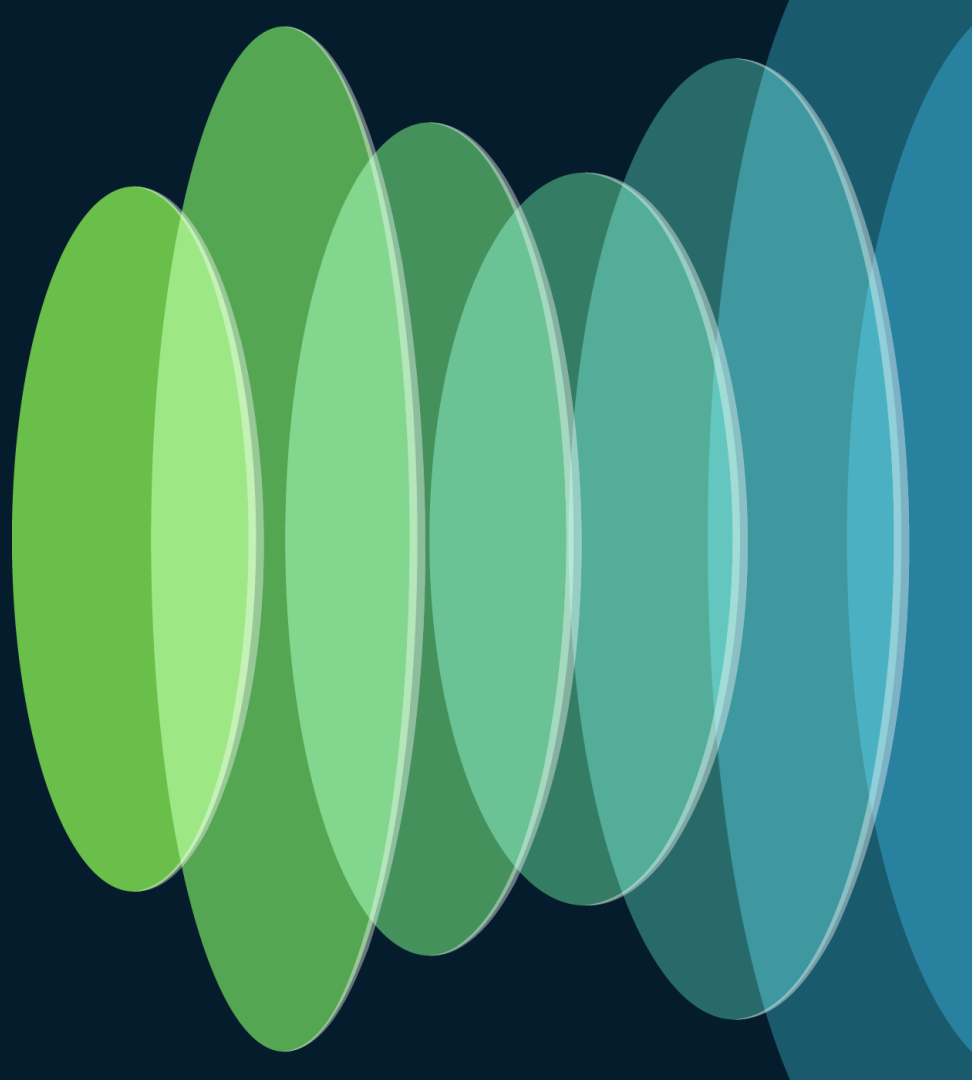




Agenda

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- SRv6 uSID Dataplane
- SRv6 uSID Network Programming
- ISIS with SRv6
- BGP with SRv6
- MPLS to SRv6 Migration
- Conclusion

Introduction

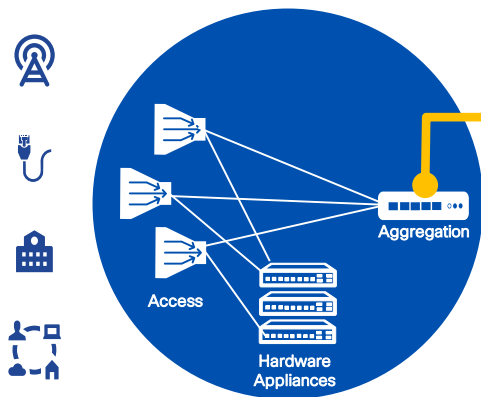


Understanding Today's Service Creation

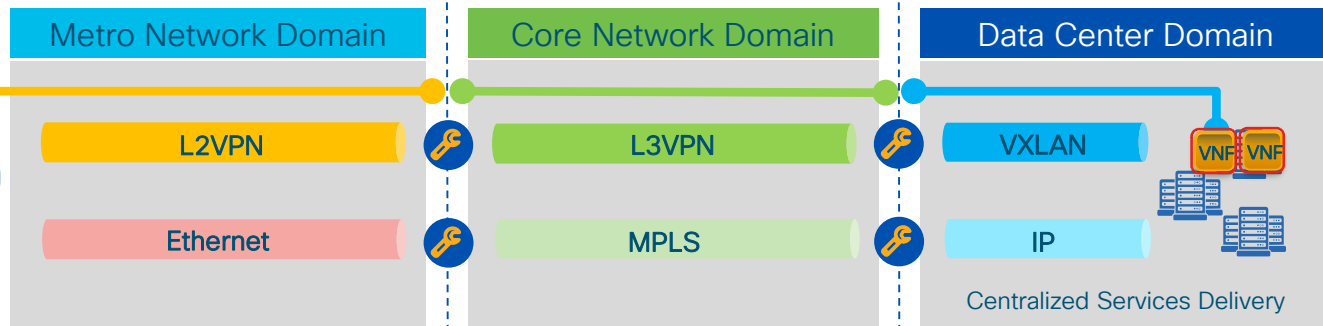
Limited Cross-domain Automation, Cumbersome Service Assurance



Legacy Central Office



Complex E2E Quality of Service (QoS)



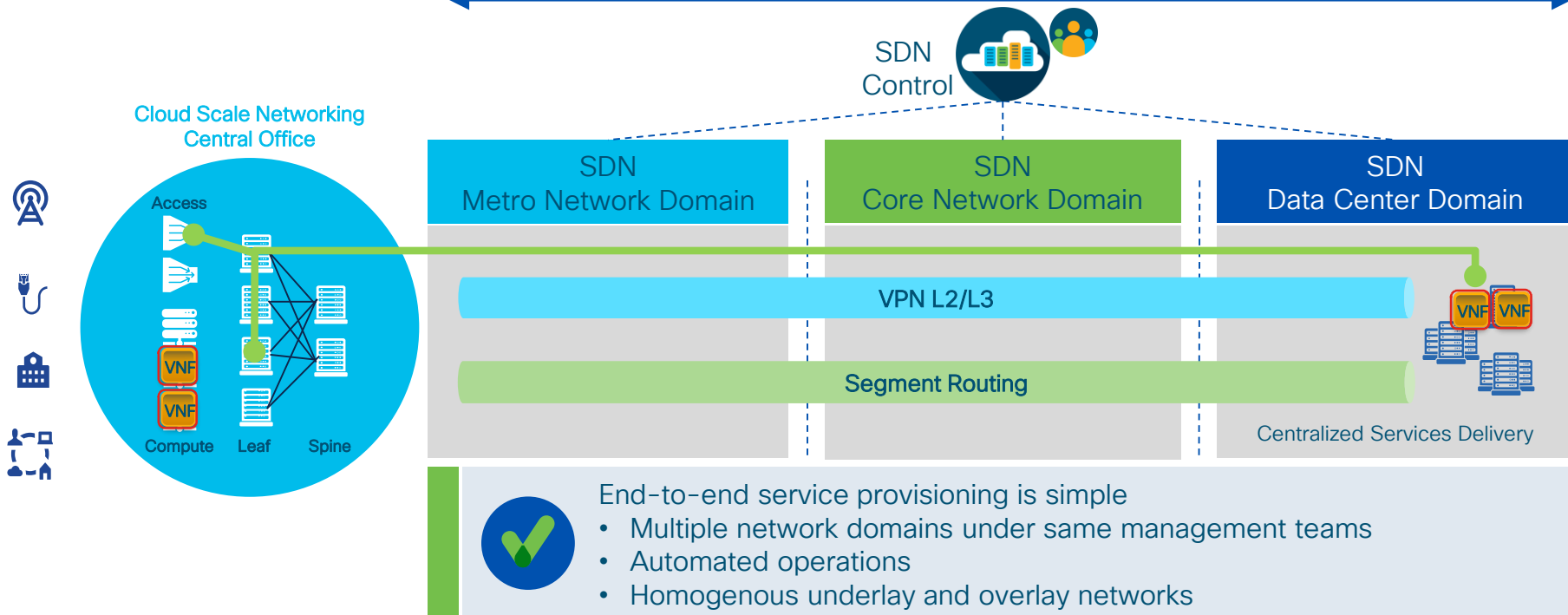
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- Multiple network domains under different management teams
- Manual operations
- Heterogeneous underlay and overlay networks

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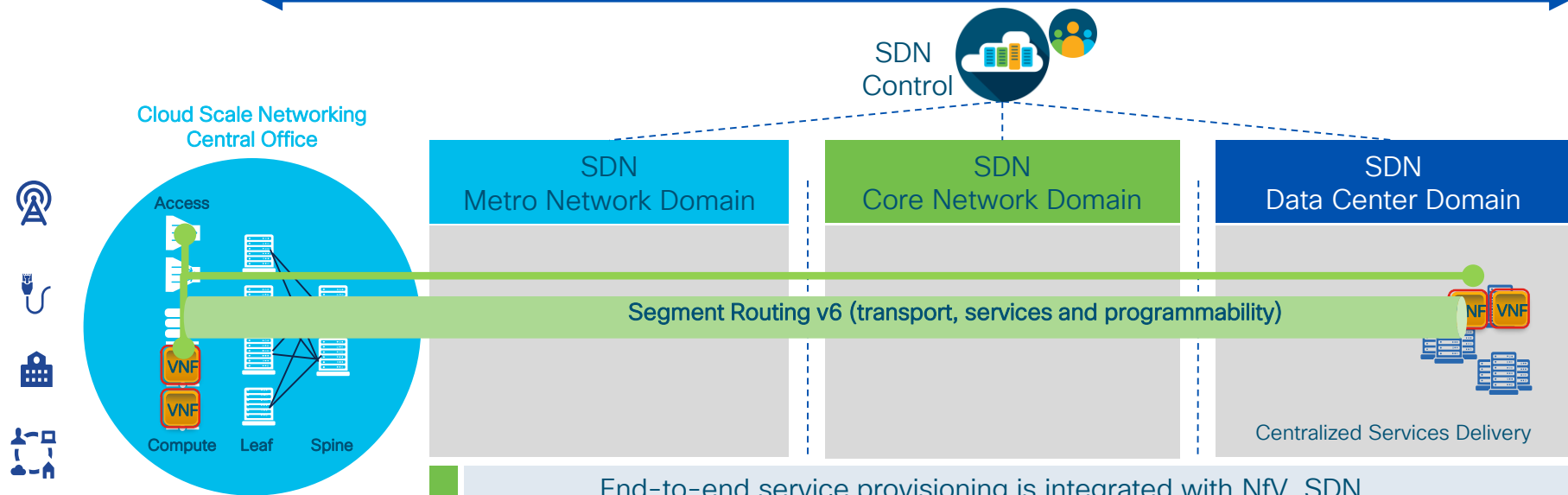


Homogenous Cross-domain Automation & Assurance



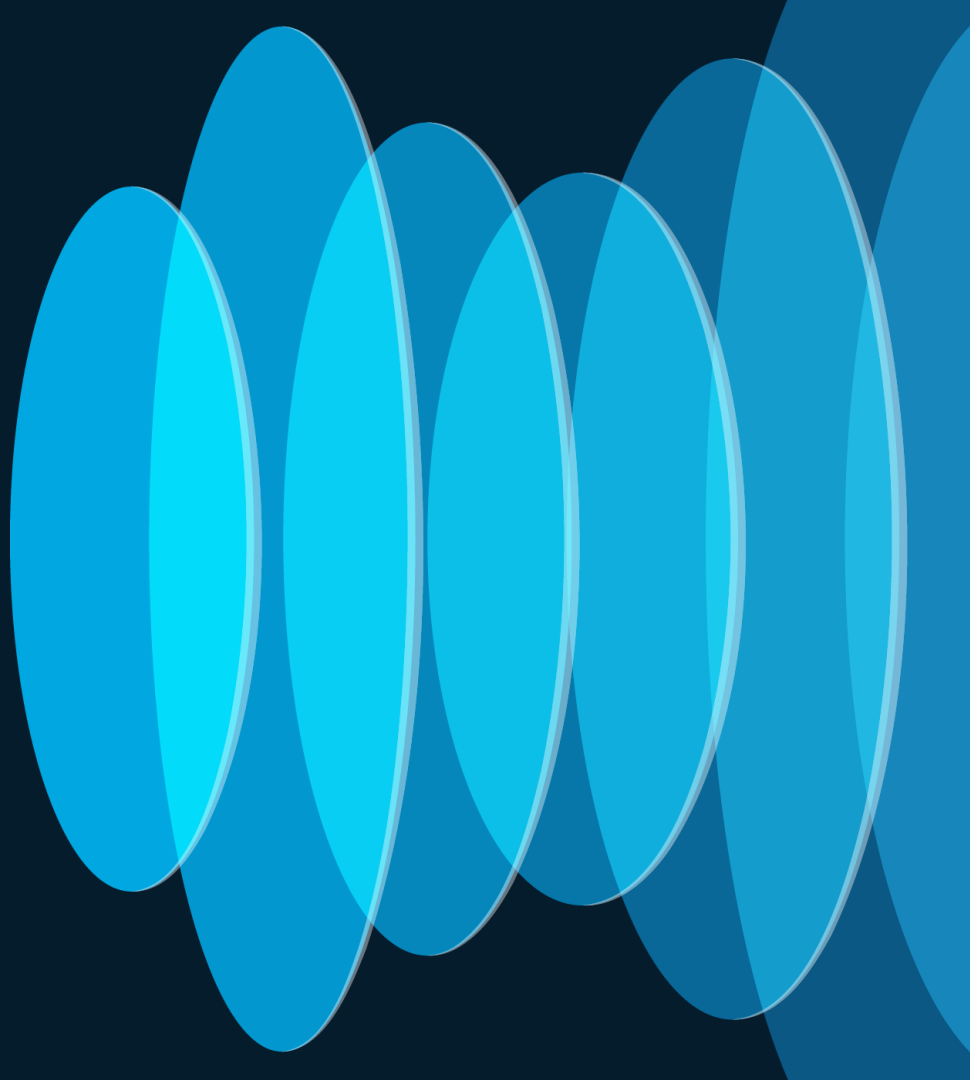
SRv6: SDN, NfV, 5G ready “Network as an API” for Service Creation

Homogenous Cross-domain Automation & Assurance



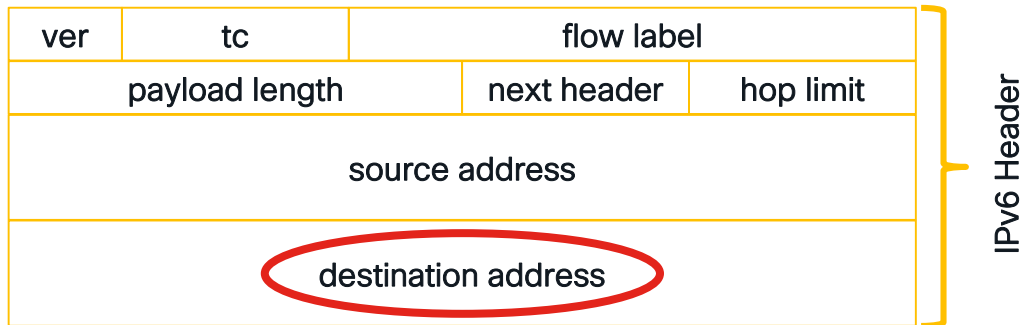
- End-to-end service provisioning is integrated with NfV, SDN
- Multiple network domains under same management teams
 - Automated operations
 - Integrated underlay and overlay networks (NfV)
 - Network as API (NfV)
 - Hyper Scale (5G)

SRv6 uSID Dataplane



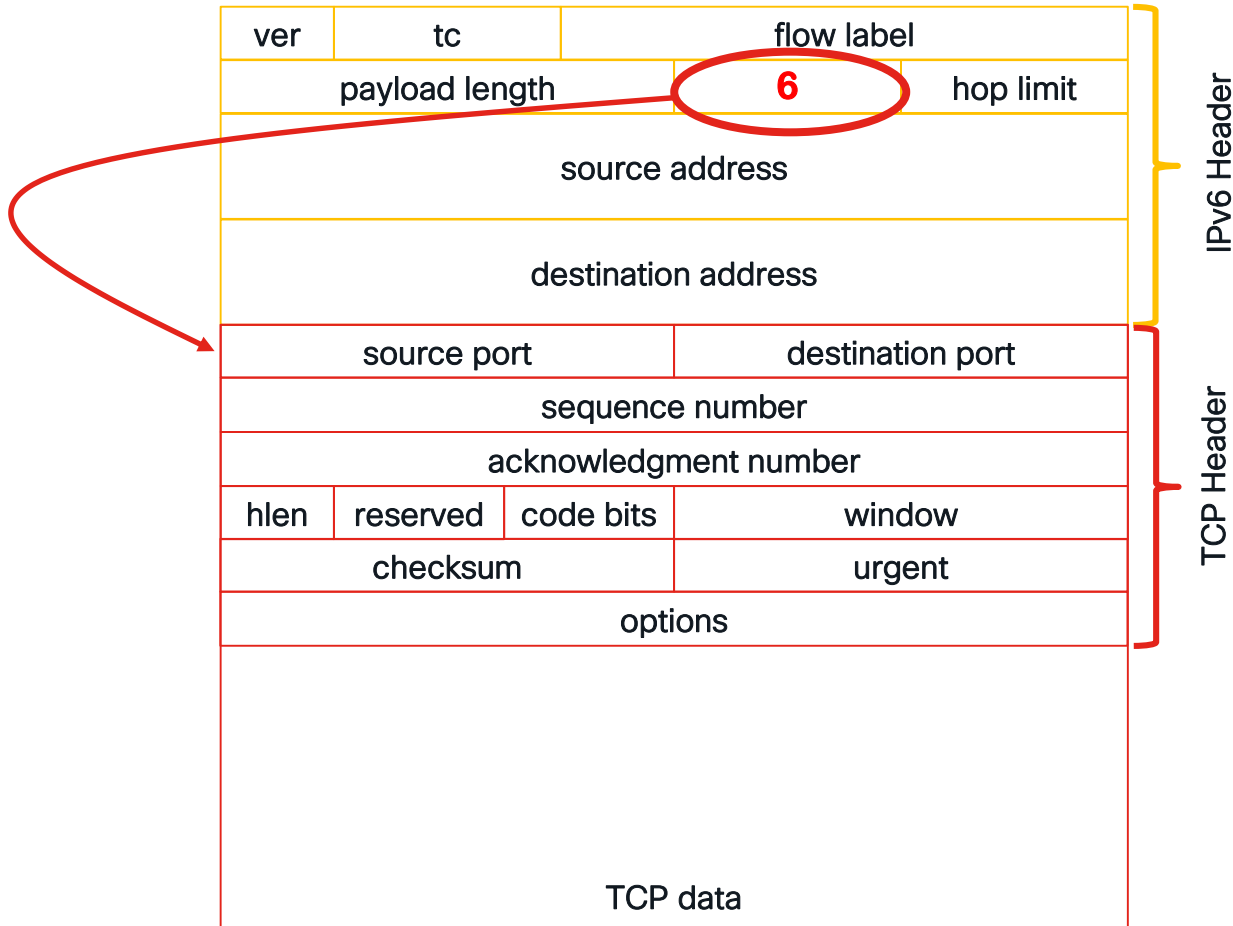
SRv6

- IPv6 Header
- Destination IP address



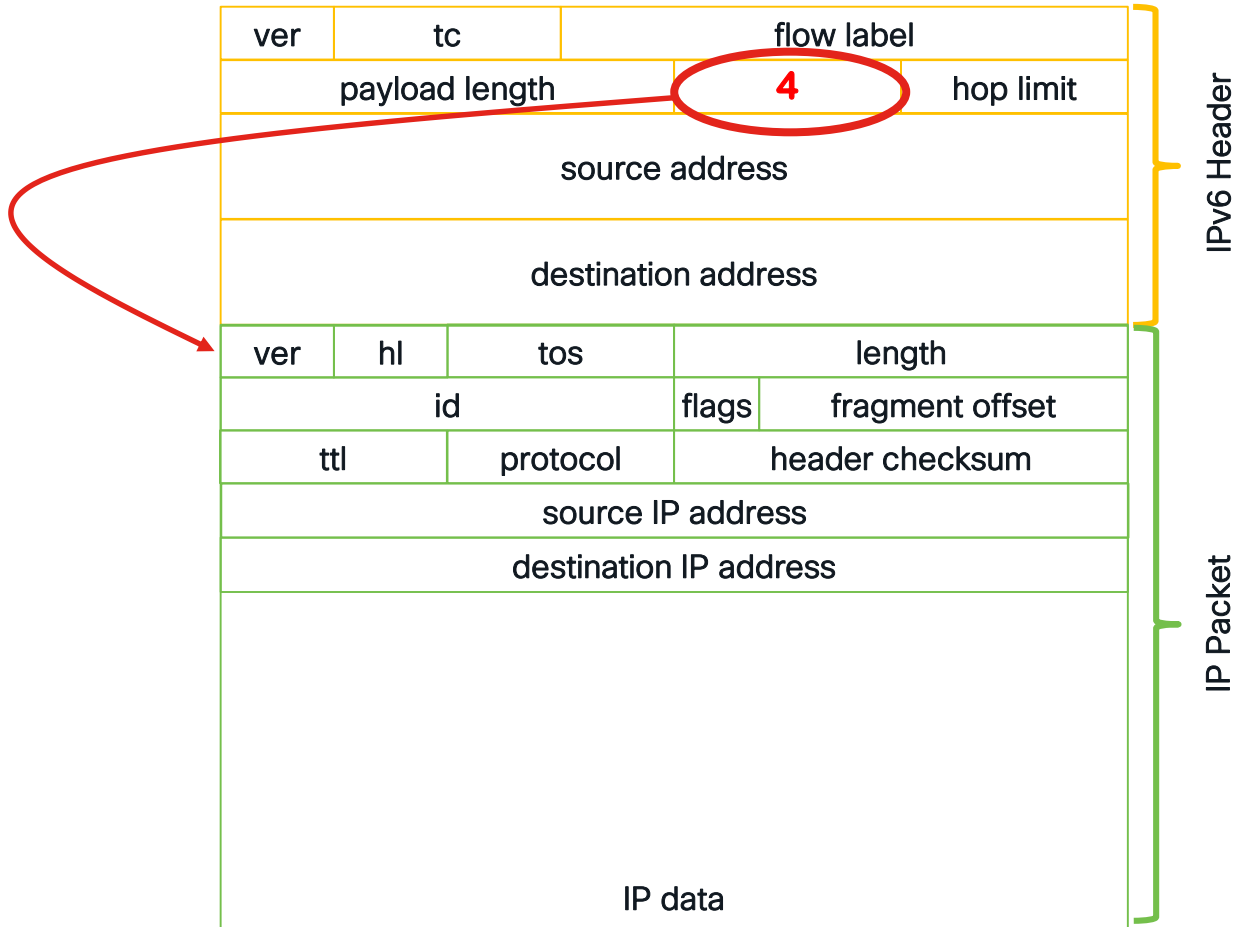
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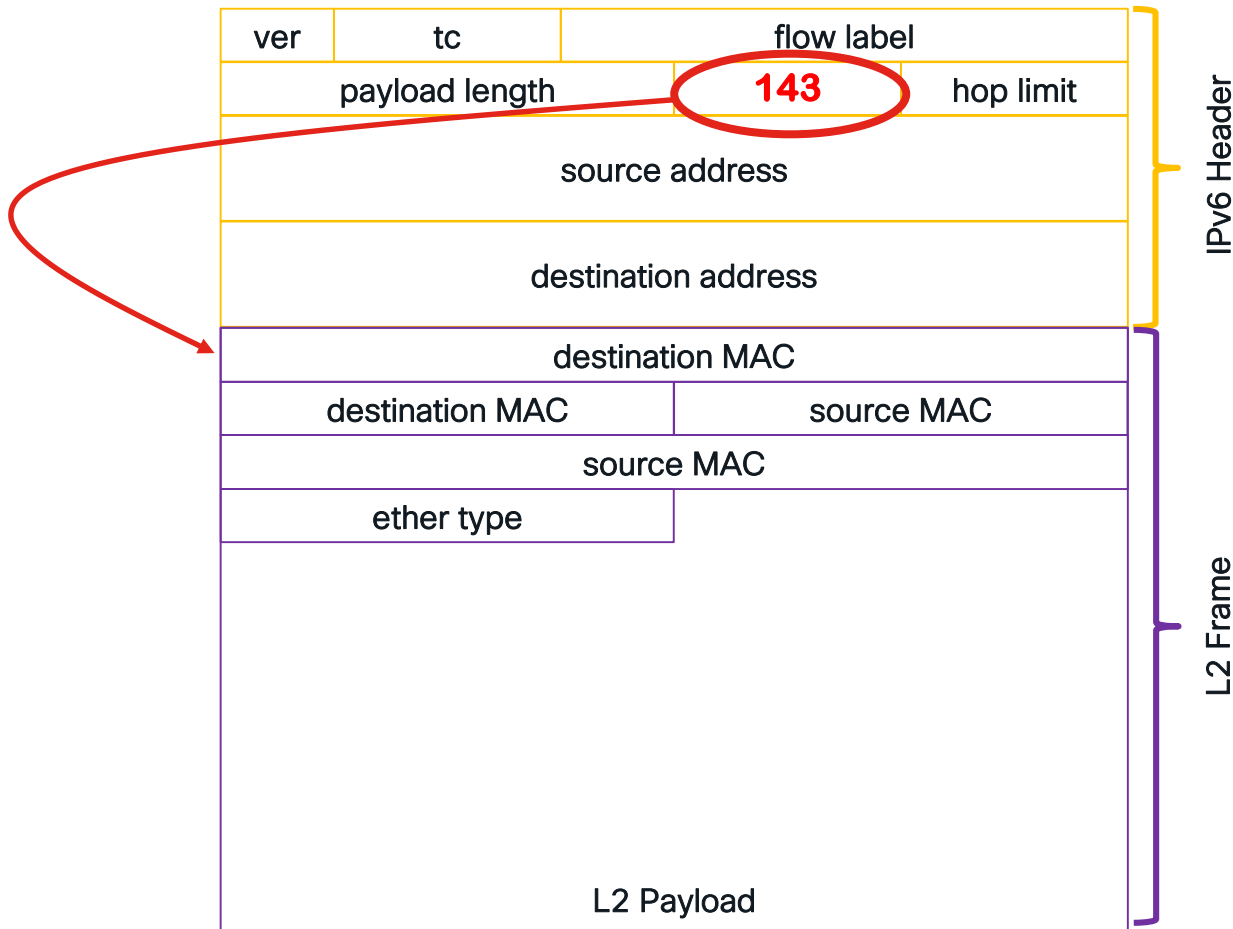
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 - IPv4, IPv6



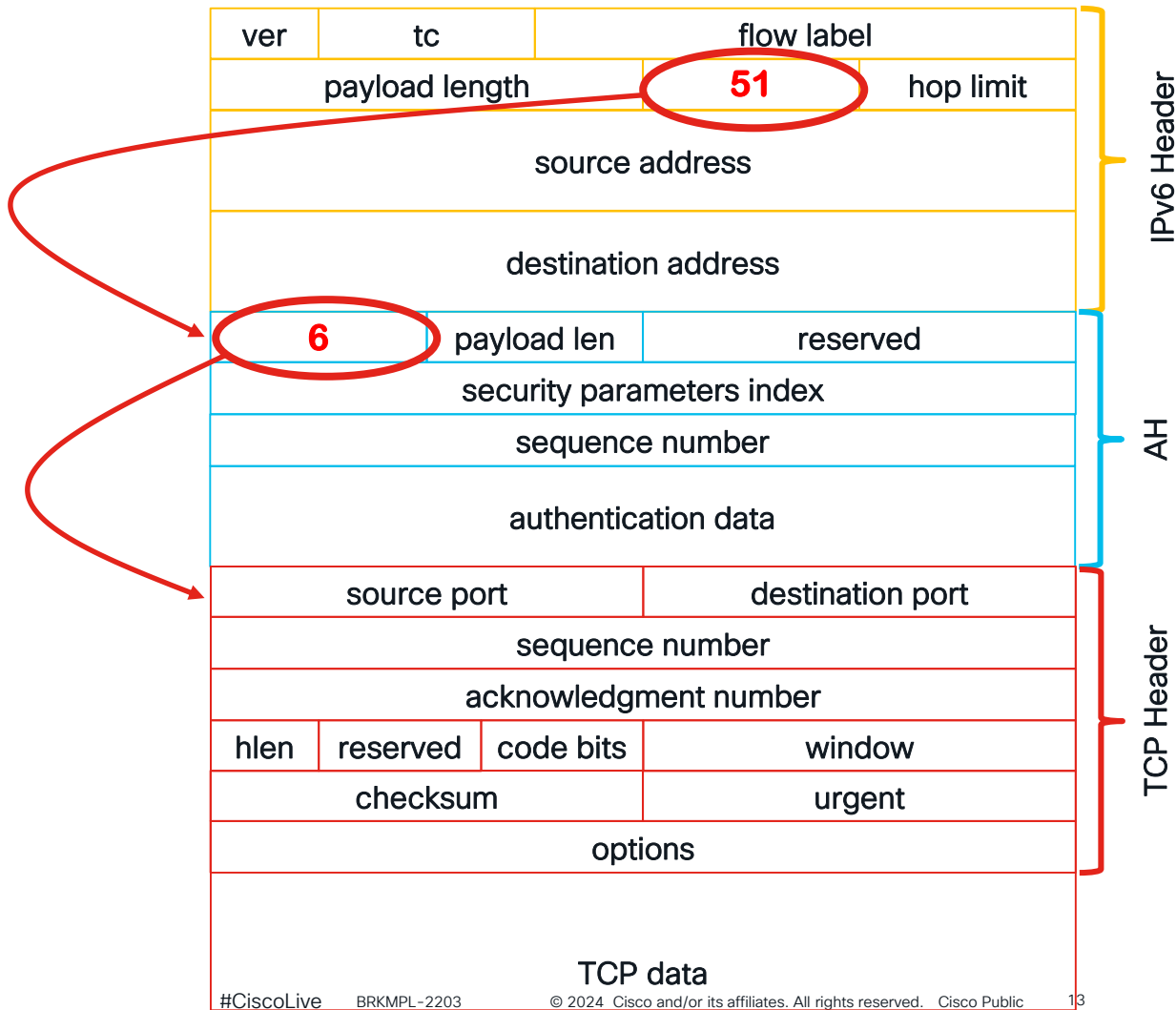
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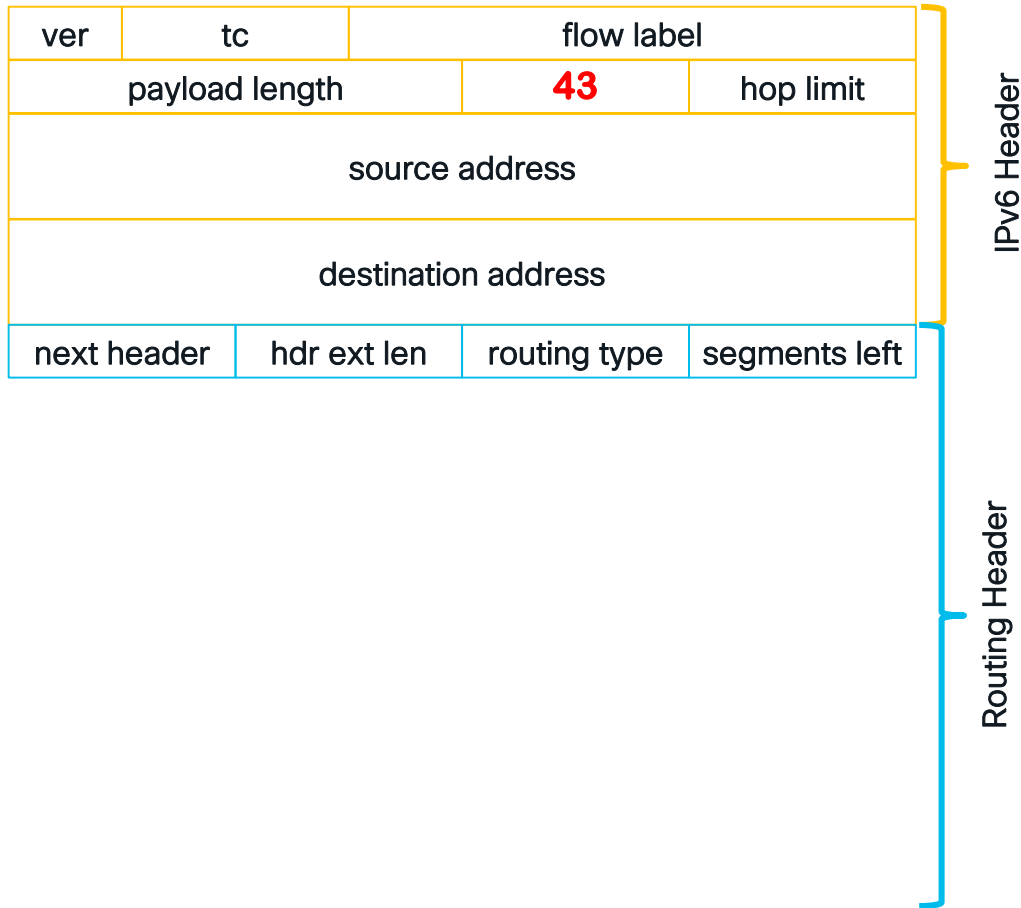
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 - 1 Nimrod (deprecated)
 - 2 Type 2 (RFC 6275)
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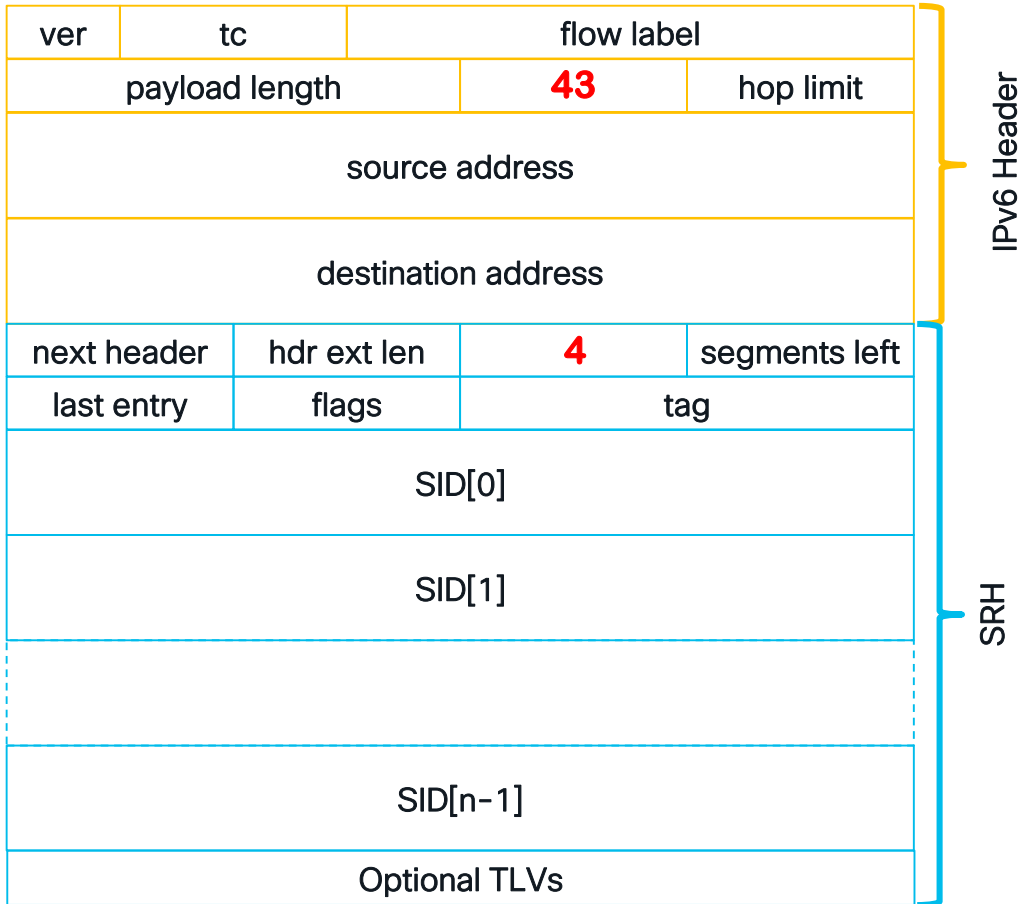
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 - 4 SRH (RFC 8754)

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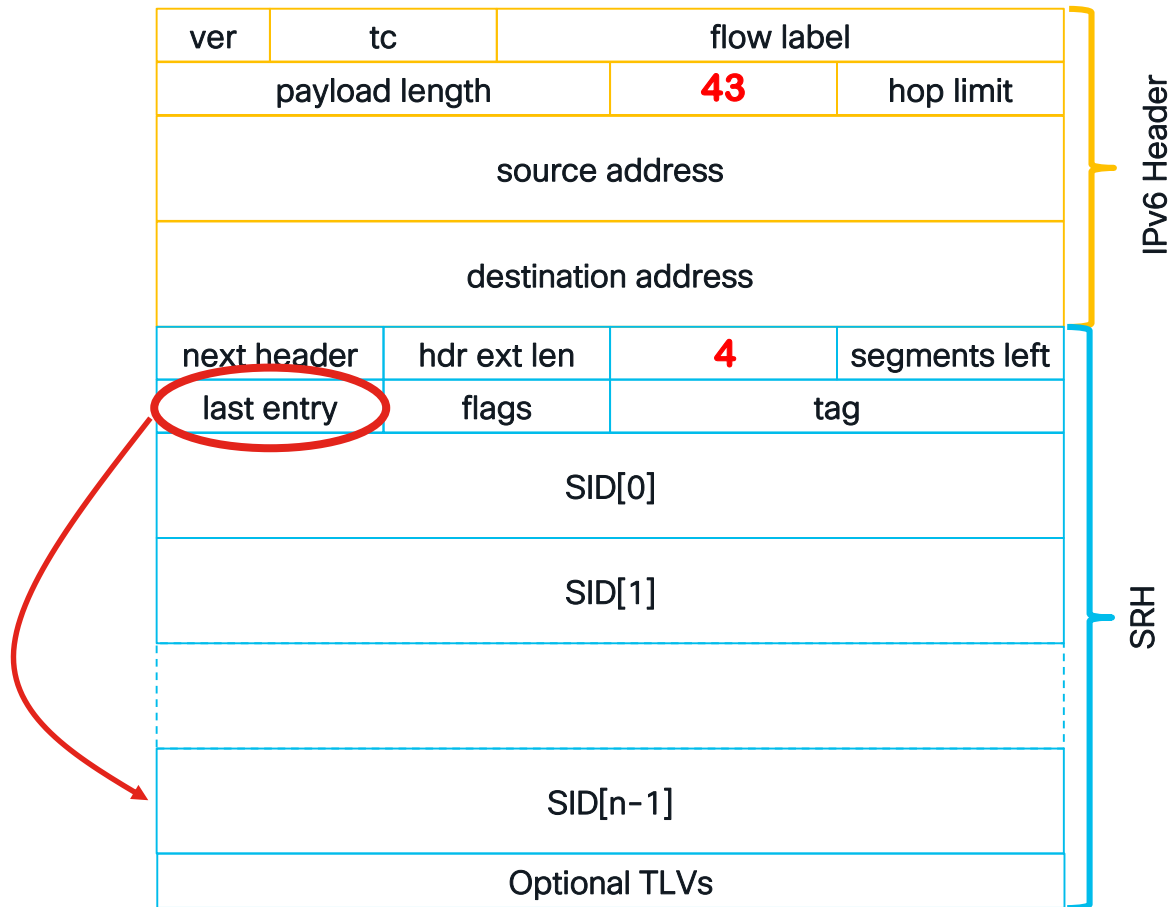
RFC 2460

RFC 8754



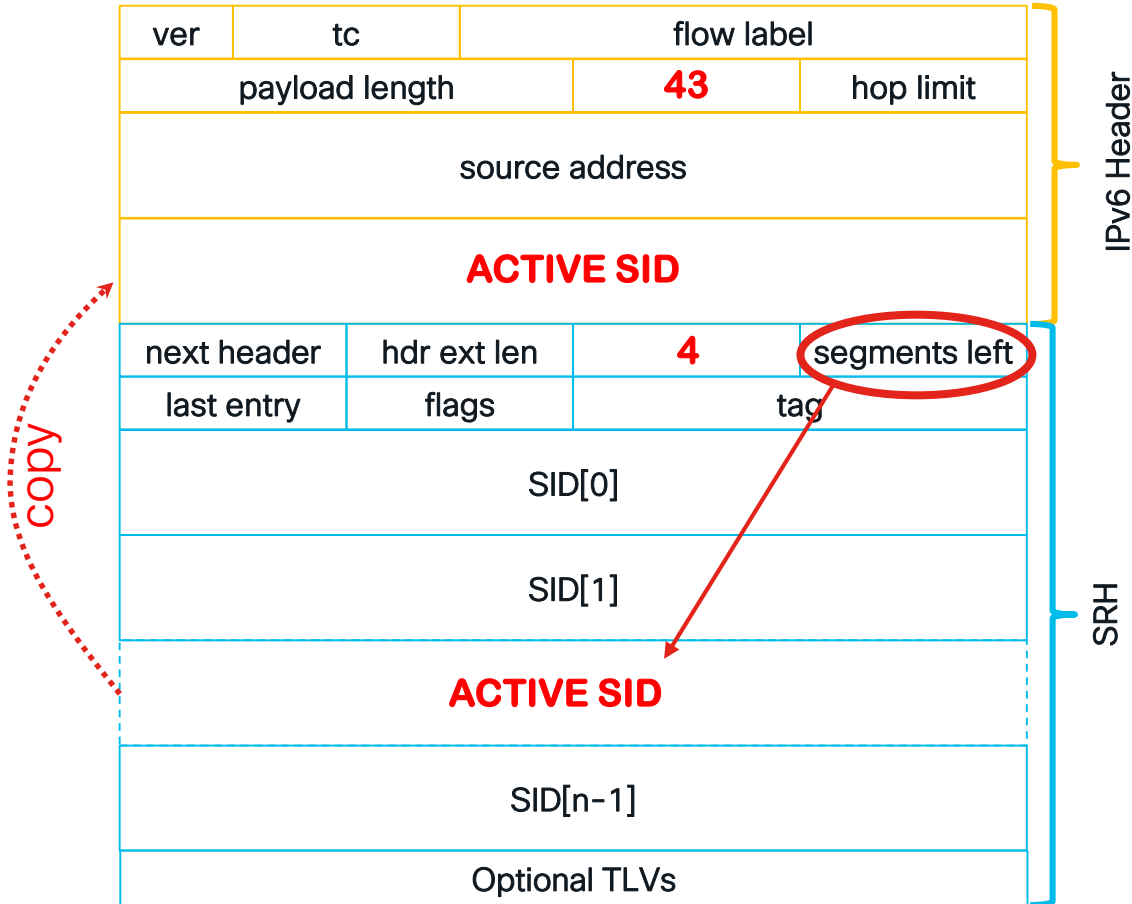
SRH

- Segment Routing Header
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 - Pointer to very first SID



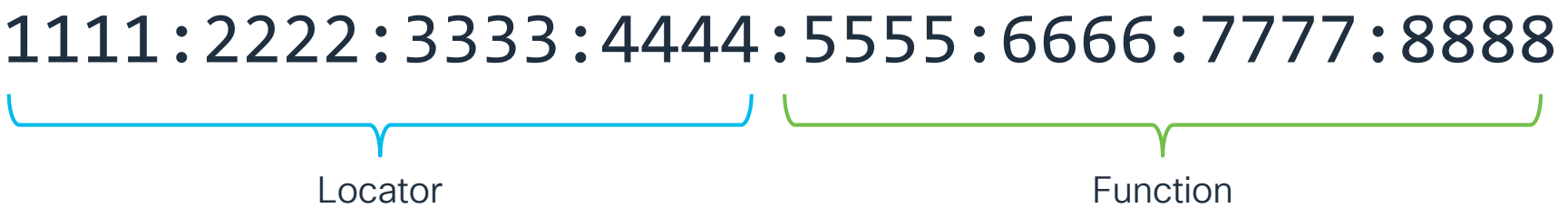
SRH

- Segment Routing Header
- First Segment
 - Pointer to very first SID
- Segments left
 - Pointer to Active SID
 - Active SID always in destination addr

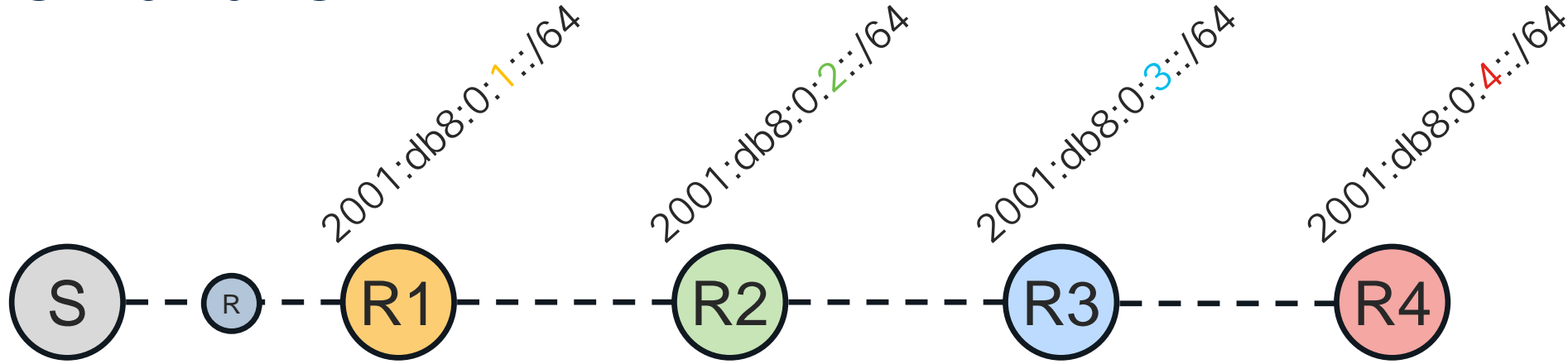


SID Structure -Locator

128 Bits Like IPv6 address but different semantics



SRv6 Full SID



BGP:2001:db8:0:4:eeee::

SA:2001::1
DA:2001:db8:0:1:1::
NH:RH
Type:4 (SRH)
NH:IPv4 SL:3
Segment List:
[0]:2001:db8:0:4:eeee::
[1]:2001:db8:0:3:48::
[2]:2001:db8:0:2:1::
[3]:2001:db8:0:1:1::

SA:2001::1
DA:2001:db8:0:2:1::
NH:RH
Type:4 (SRH)
NH:IPv4 SL:2
Segment List:
[0]:2001:db8:0:4:eeee::
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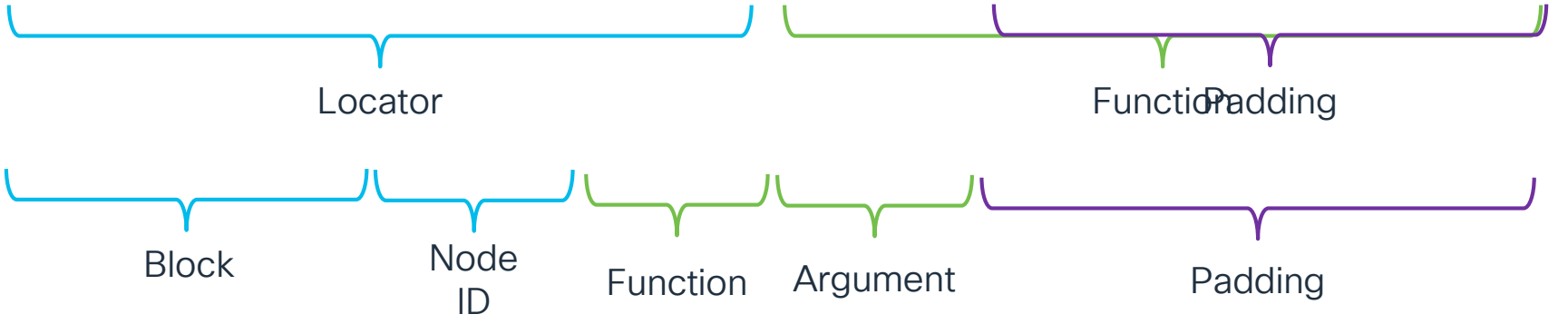
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1111:2222:3333:4444:5555:6666:7777:8888

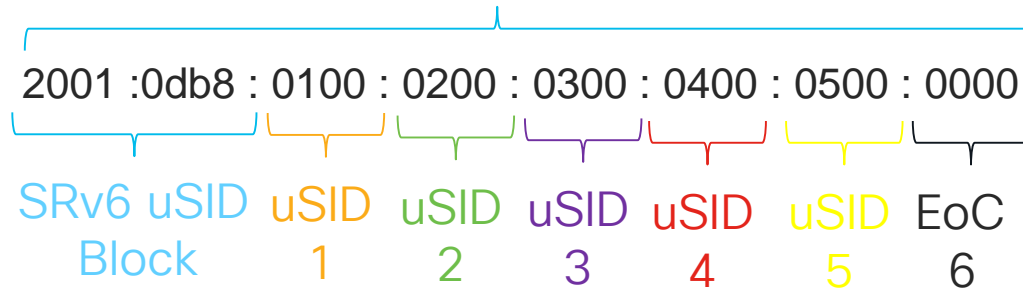


SRv6 uSID format

: 0100 : =SRV6 uSID

16 bits here, but can be anything

SRV6 uSID Container



32 bits here,
but can be anything

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SRV6 Encapsulation

```
SA:2001::1  
DA:2001:db8:0:4:1:0:0:0  
NH:RH
```

```
Type:4 (SRH)  
NH:IPv4|SL:1  
Segment List:  
[0]: 2001:db8:0:5:45:0:0:0  
[1]: 2001:db8:0:4:1:0:0:0  
[2]: 2001:db8:0:3:48:0:0:0  
[3]: 2001:db8:0:2:1:0:0:0  
[4]: 2001:db8:0:1:42:0:0:0
```

```
SA:7.5.4.3  
DA:11.6.19.71  
Port:UDP
```

UDP Header/Data

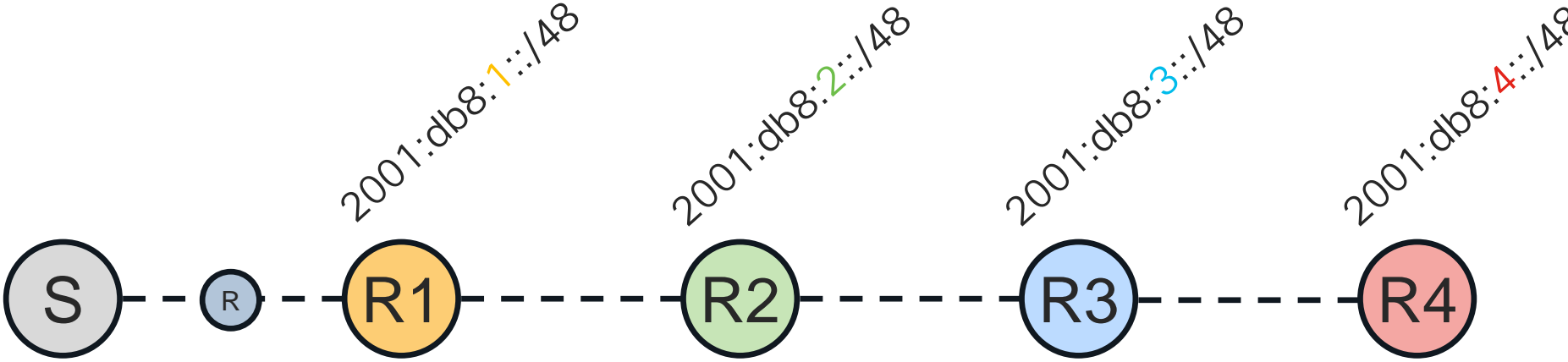
SRV6 uSID Encapsulation

```
SA:2001::1  
DA:2001:db8:100:200:300:400:500::  
NH:IPv4
```

```
SA:7.5.4.3  
DA:11.6.19.71  
Port:UDP
```

UDP Header/Data

SRv6 uSID F3216



```
SA:2001::1
DA:2001:db8:1:2:3:e000:4:eeee
NH:IPv4
```

```
SA:2001::1
DA:2001:db8:2:3:e000:4:eeee::
NH:IPv4
```

```
SA:2001::1
DA:2001:db8:3:e000:4:eeee::
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SRv6 uSID More Than 6 SIDs?



100->200->300->400->500->600->700->800->900->a00->b00

Container 1 2001 : 0db8 : 0100 : 0200 : 0300 : 0400 : 0500 : 0600

Container 2 2001 : 0db8 : 0700 : 0800 : 0900 : 0a00 : 0b00 : 0000

SA:2001::1

DA:2001:db8:100:100:100:100:500:600

NH:IPv4

Type:4 (SRH)

NH:IPv4 | SL:0

Segment List:

[0]: 2001:db8:700:800:900:a00:b00::

SA:7.5.4.3

DA:11.6.19.71

Port:UDP

UDP Header/Data

Shift & Forward

END of Container

-> is there SRH?

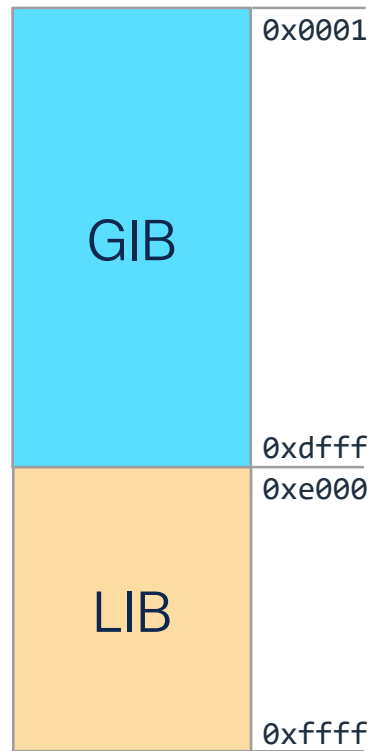
Decrement SL

Copy New SID (Container)

PSP

Sets, Global ID Block (GIB), Local ID Block (LIB)

- Within a Block, SIDs are allocated:
FCBB:BB00:XXXX::/48
- SID can be:
 - Global: shortest path to a node – globally unique
 - Local: a local function – not globally unique



SRv6 uSID Configuration

segment-routing

srv6

locators

locator **MAIN**

Name to reference

uSID

micro-segment behavior unode **psp-usd**

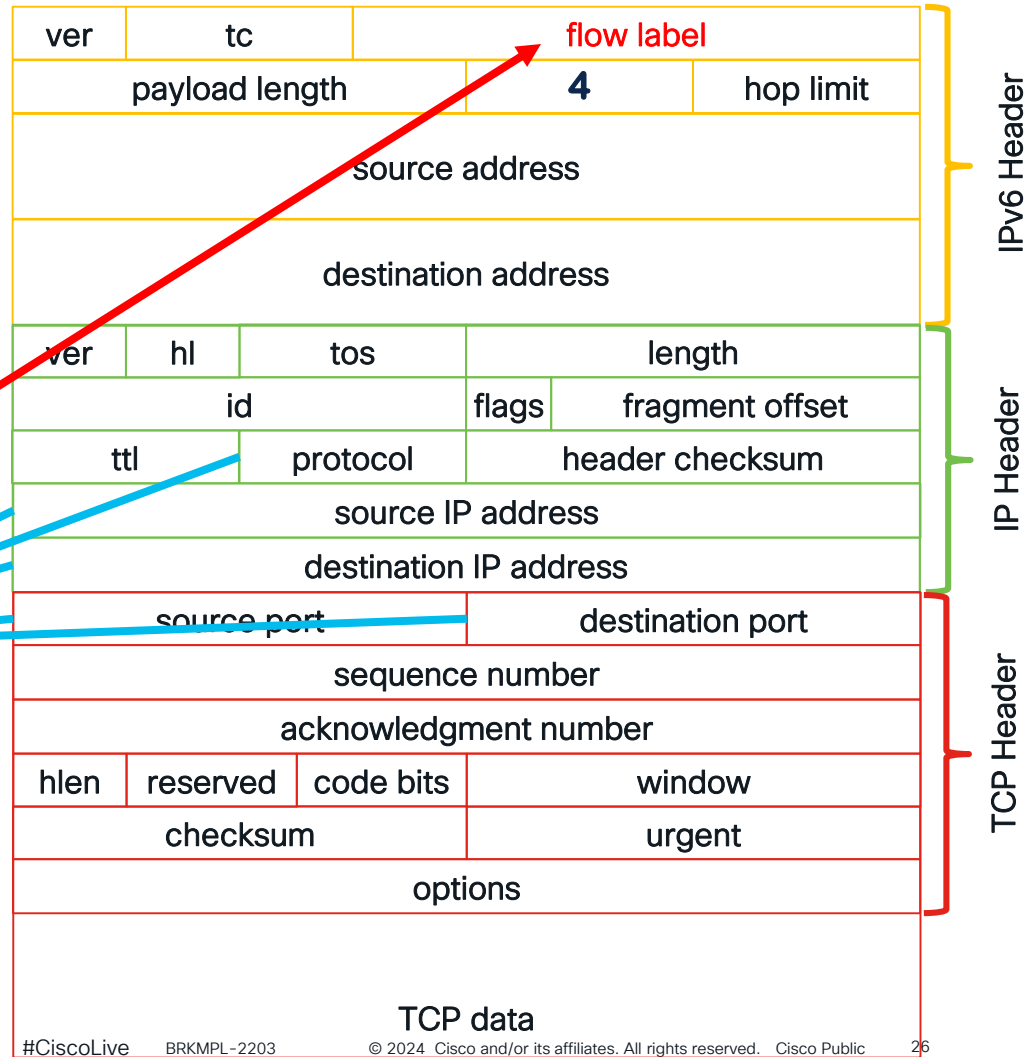
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Locator Prefix

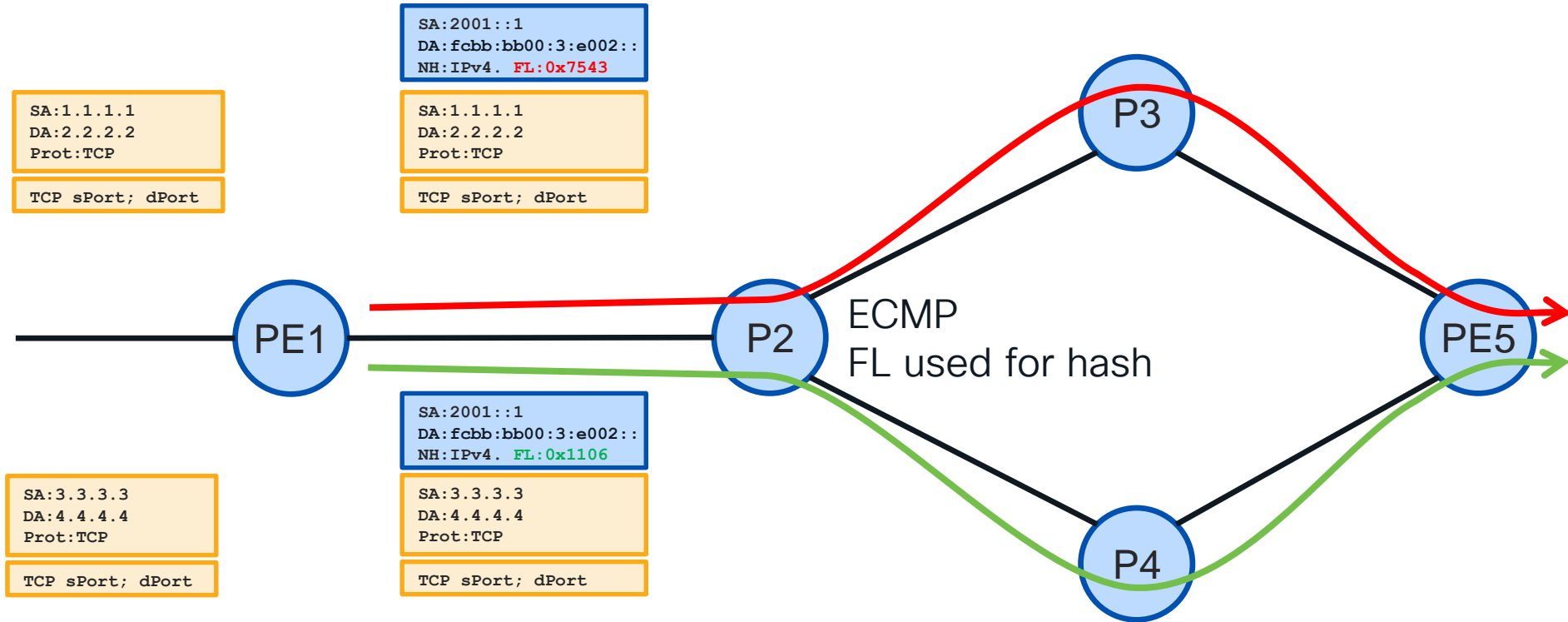
Flow Label

- What for?
- Entropy encoding encap
 - 5 Tuple Hash into flow label
- Used for Hash on P routers

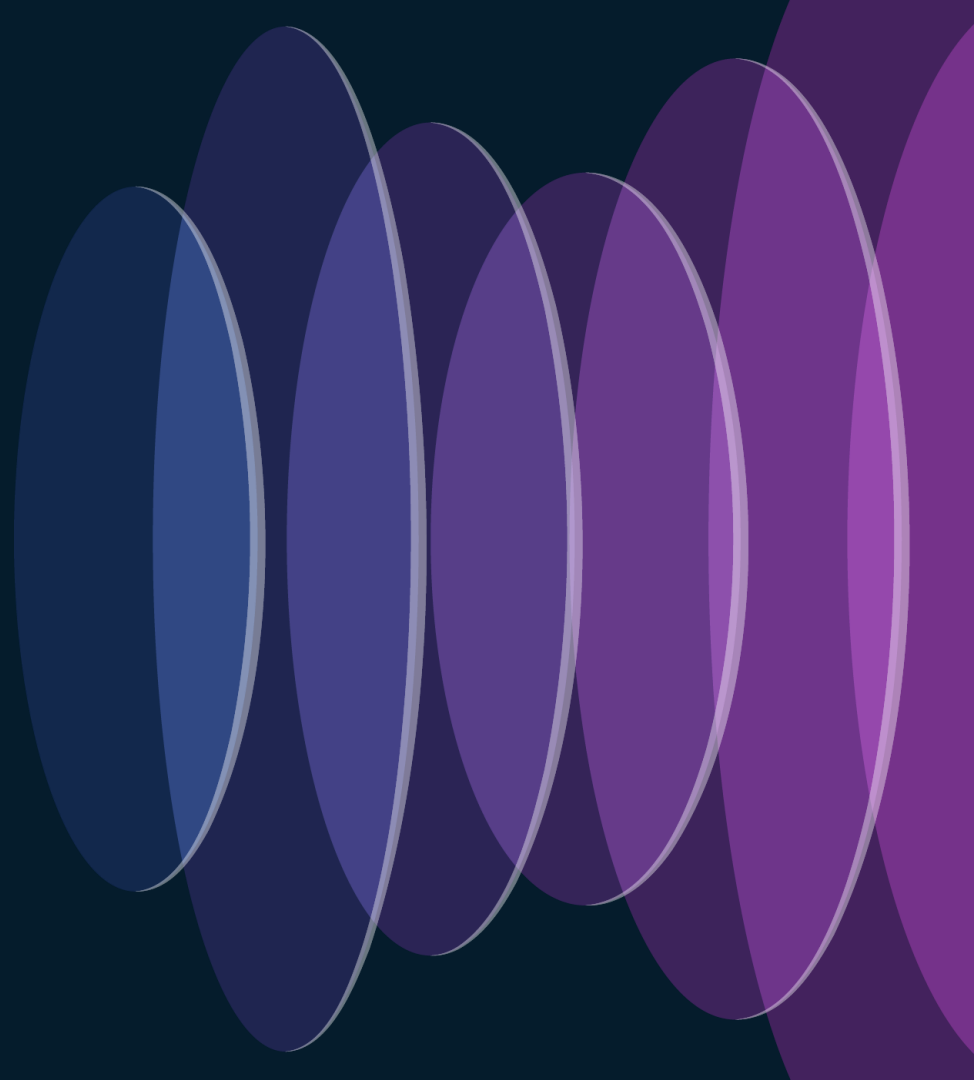
HASH



Flow Label



SRv6 Network Programming

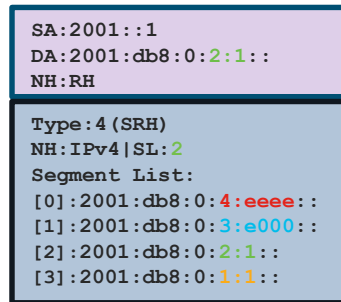
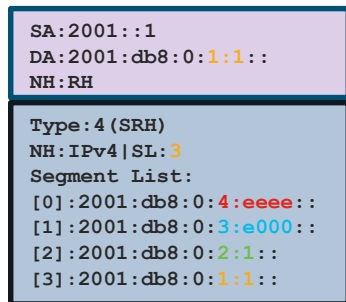


SRv6 functions: RFC 8986

Codename		Behavior	
End	uN	Endpoint	[Node SID]
End.X	uA	Endpoint with Layer-3 cross-connect	[Adj SID]
End.B6.Insert	uB6.Insert	Endpoint bound to an SRv6 policy	[BSID]
End.B6.Encap	uB6.Encaps	Endpoint bound to an SRv6 encapsulation policy	[BSID]
End.DX6	uDX6	Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv6 cross-connect	[L3VPN Per-CE]
End.DX4	uDX4	Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv4 cross-connect	[L3VPN Per-CE]
End.DT6	uDT6	Endpoint with decapsulation and specific IPv6 table lookup	[L3VPN Per-VRF]
End.DT4	uDT4	Endpoint with decapsulation and specific IPv4 table lookup	[L3VPN Per-VRF]
End.DX2	uDX2	Endpoint with decapsulation and L2 cross-connect	[E-LINE]
End.DT2U/M	uDT2U/M	Endpoint with decapsulation and L2 unicast lookup / flooding	[E-LAN]
End.DTM	uDTM	Endpoint with decapsulation and MPLS table lookup	[Interworking]
H.Insert / H.Encaps		Headend with Insertion / Encapsulation of / into an SRv6 policy	[TiLFA]
H. Encaps.L2		H.Encaps Applied to Received L2 Frames	[L2 Port Mode]
H.Encaps.M		H.Encaps Applied to MPLS Label Stack	[Interworking]

END- Default endpoint (Node SID)

- *Decrement SL*
- *Copy Active SID*
- *Forward*



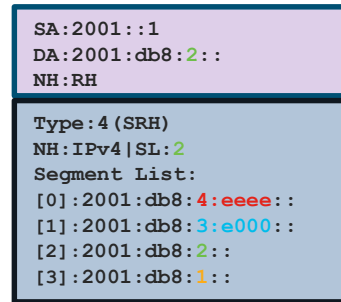
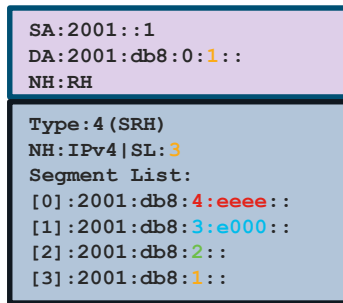
• Different Flavors:

- End
- End with PSP
- End with USP
- End with PSP & USP
- End with USD
- End with PSP & USD
- End with USP & USD
- End with PSP, USP & USD

- End with **NEXT**-ONLY-CSID
- End with **NEXT**-CSID
- End with **NEXT**-CSID & PSP
- End with **NEXT**-CSID & USP
- End with **NEXT**-CSID, PSP & USP
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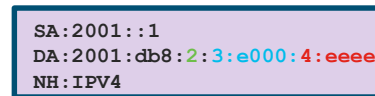
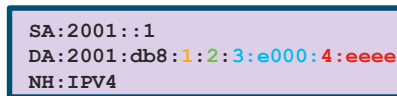
uN=END with Next – Default endpoint (Node SID)

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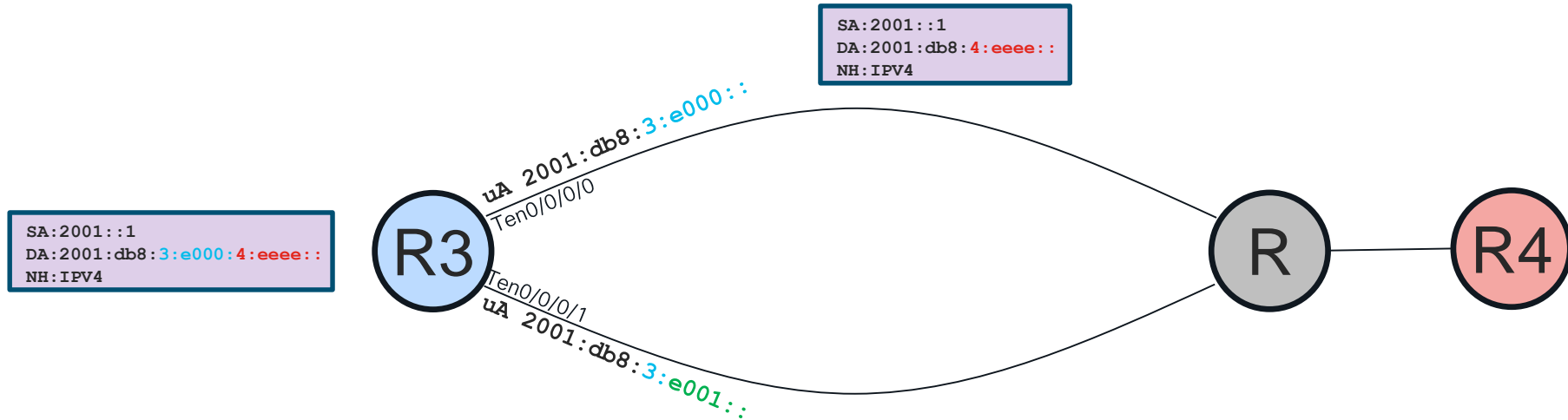


Better way:

- *Shift & Forward*



uA=END.X with Next – (Adjacency SID)



- *Shift & Forward to SPECIFIC INTERFACE*

uDX4=END.DX4, uDX6=END.DX6, uDX2=END.DX2 Endpoint with Decapsulation and Xconnect

- *Decapsulate and Forward to SPECIFIC INTERFACE*
- *Same as Per CE Label Allocation*
- *Must be last function in SID list*



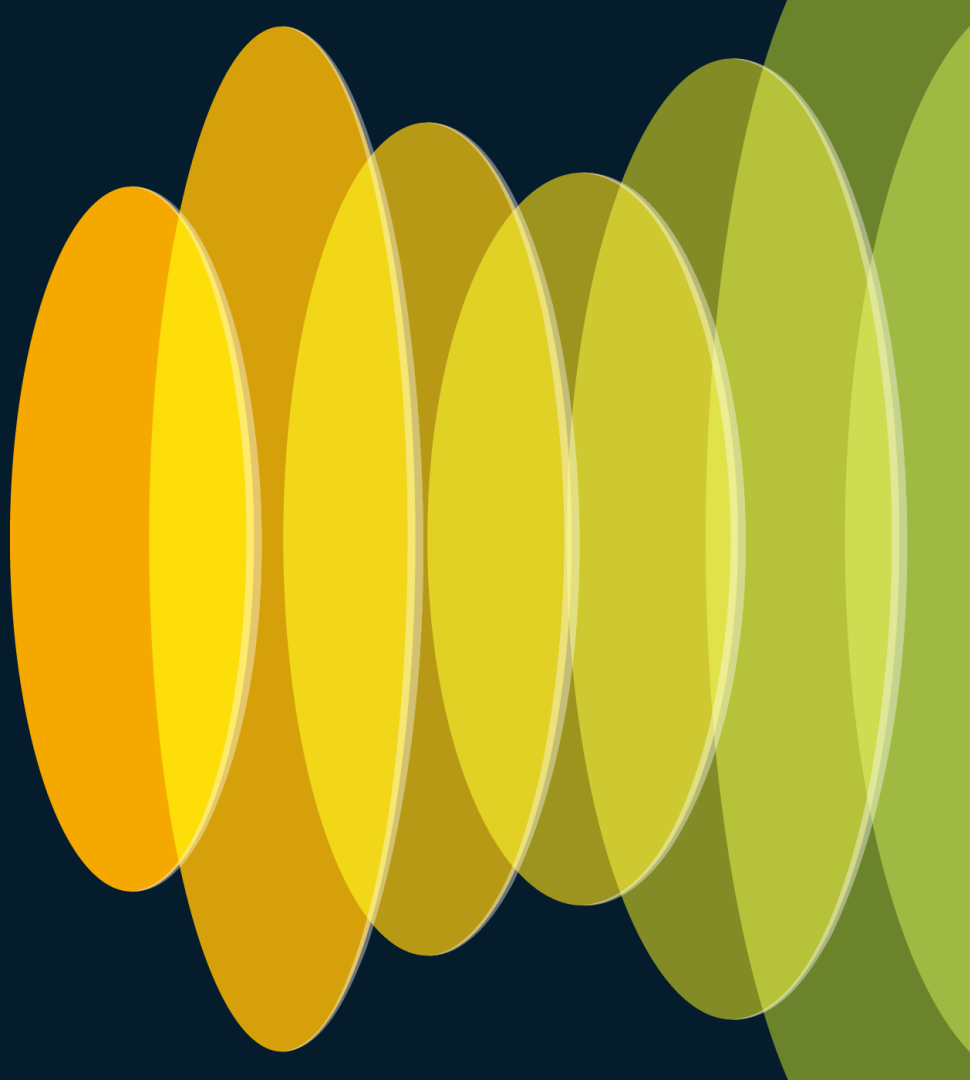
uDT4=END.DT4, uDT6=END.DT6

Endpoint with Decapsulation and Table Lookup

- *Decapsulate and Table Lookup (VRF)*
- *Same as Per VRF Label Allocation (aggregate label)*
- *Must be last function in SID list*



SRv6 uSID ISIS



ISIS for SRv6

LSP (Link State Packet):

TLVs:

Hostname: r2

Interfaces: Hu0/0/0/0 **uA:fcbb:0:2:e001::**
Structure: BL=32;NL=16;FL=16;AL=0

Hu0/0/0/1 **uA:fcbb:0:2:e002::**
Structure: BL=32;NL=16;FL=16;AL=0

Neighbors: Lo0
r1

r3

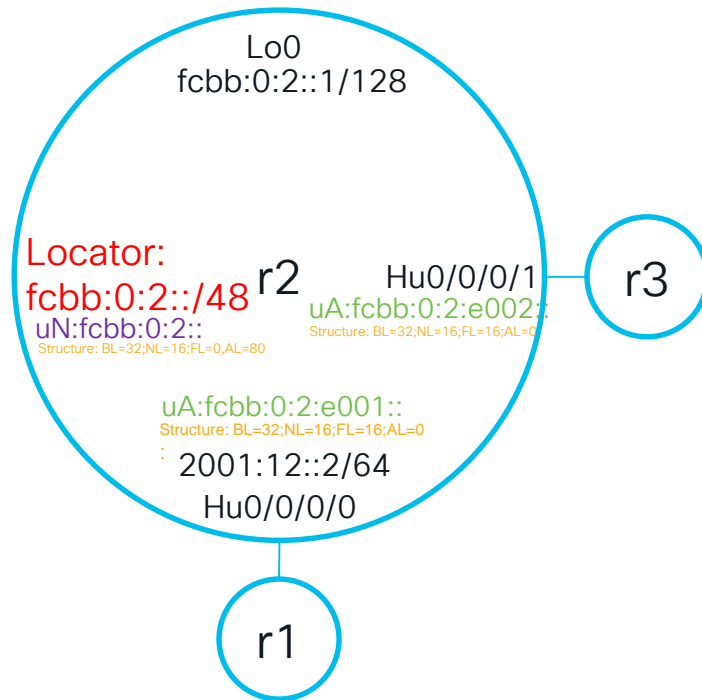
IP addresses: fcbb:0:2::1/128
2001:12::2/64

Locator: **fcbb:0:2::/48**
uN:fcbb:0:2::

Structure: BL=32;NL=16;FL=0;AL=80

Capabilities: Algorithms
SIDs can insert
SIDs can decap

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ISIS LSP Example

```
IS-IS 1 (Level-2) Link State Database
LSPID          LSP Seq Num  LSP Checksum  LSP Holdtime/Rcvd  ATT/P/OL
r2.00-00       0x00000009  0x4f06       1145 /1200        0/0/0
Area Address:  49
NLPID:         0x8e
Hostname:      r1
IPv6 Address:  2001::2
Metric: 10     MT (IPv6 Unicast) IPv6 fcbb:bb00:2::1/128
Prefix Attribute Flags: X:0 R:0 N:1 E:0 A:0
Metric: 1      MT (IPv6 Unicast) IPv6 fcbb:bb00:2::/48
Prefix Attribute Flags: X:0 R:0 N:0 E:0 A:0
MT:            IPv6 Unicast                                0/0/0
SRv6 Locator:  MT (IPv6 Unicast) fcbb:bb00:2::/48 D:0 Metric: 0 Algorithm: 0
Prefix Attribute Flags: X:0 R:0 N:0 E:0 A:0
END SID: fcbb:bb00:2:: uN (PSP/USD)
SID Structure:
Block Length: 32, Node-ID Length: 16, Func-Length: 0, Args-Length: 0
Router Cap:    0.0.0.0 D:0 S:0
IPv6 Router ID: 2001::2
SR Algorithm:
Algorithm: 0
Algorithm: 1
SRv6: 0:0
Node Maximum SID Depth:
SRH Max SL:    3
SRH Max End Pop: 3
SRH Max T.insert: 3
SRH Max T.encaps: 4
SRH Max End D: 4
Metric: 10     MT (IPv6 Unicast) IS-Extended r1.00
Local Interface ID: 6, Remote Interface ID: 6
Interface IPv6 Address: 2001:12::2
Neighbor IPv6 Address: 2001:12::1
END.X SID: fcbb:bb00:2:e001:: B:0 S:0 P:0 uA (PSP/USD) Alg:0
SID Structure:
Block Length: 32, Node-ID Length: 16, Func-Length: 16, Args-Length: 0
Total Level-2 LSP count: 1      Local Level-2 LSP count: 0
```

Locator
Capabilities
END
END.X
SID Structure

SRv6 ISIS Configuration

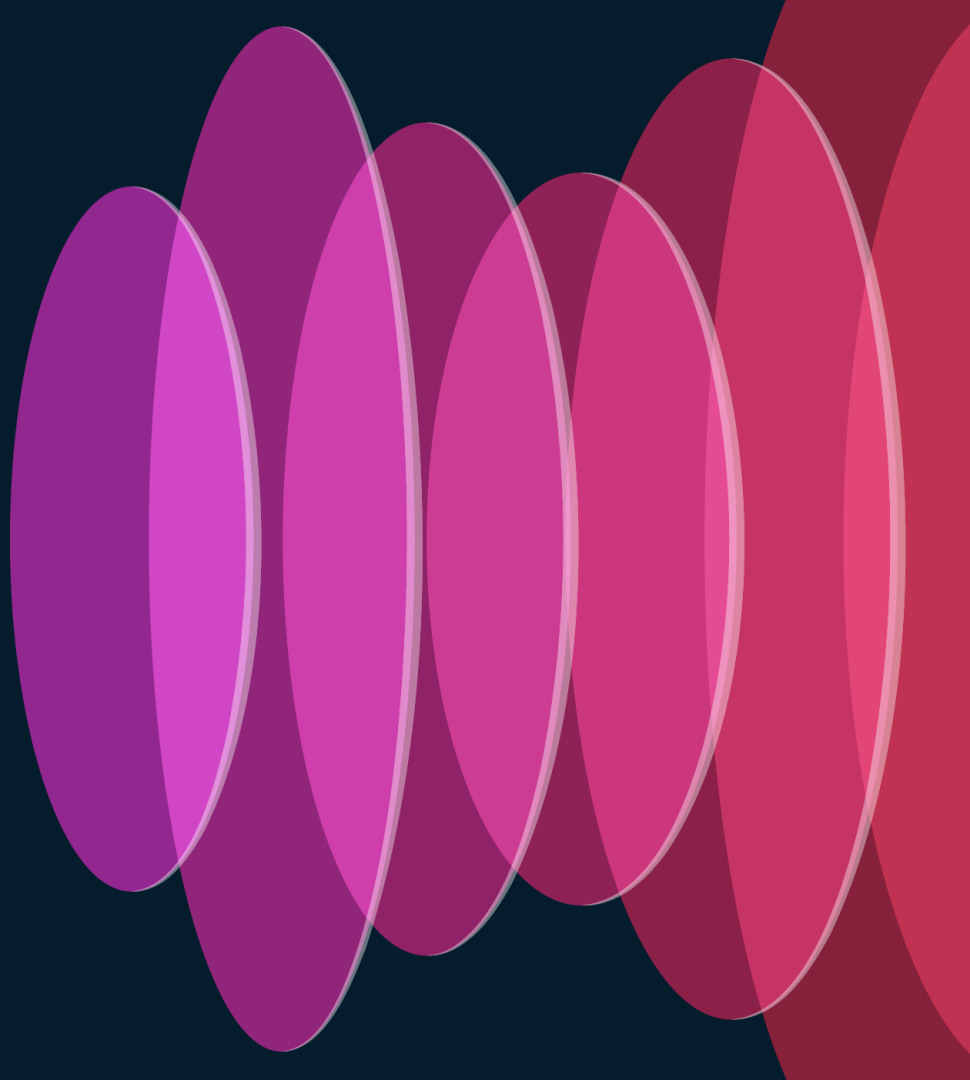
```
router isis 1
  address-family ipv6 unicast
    segment-routing srv6
      locator MAIN
```

← Name of the Locator

This will result in:

- Locator is advertised
- uN function is advertised
- uA for each ISIS interface is allocated and advertised

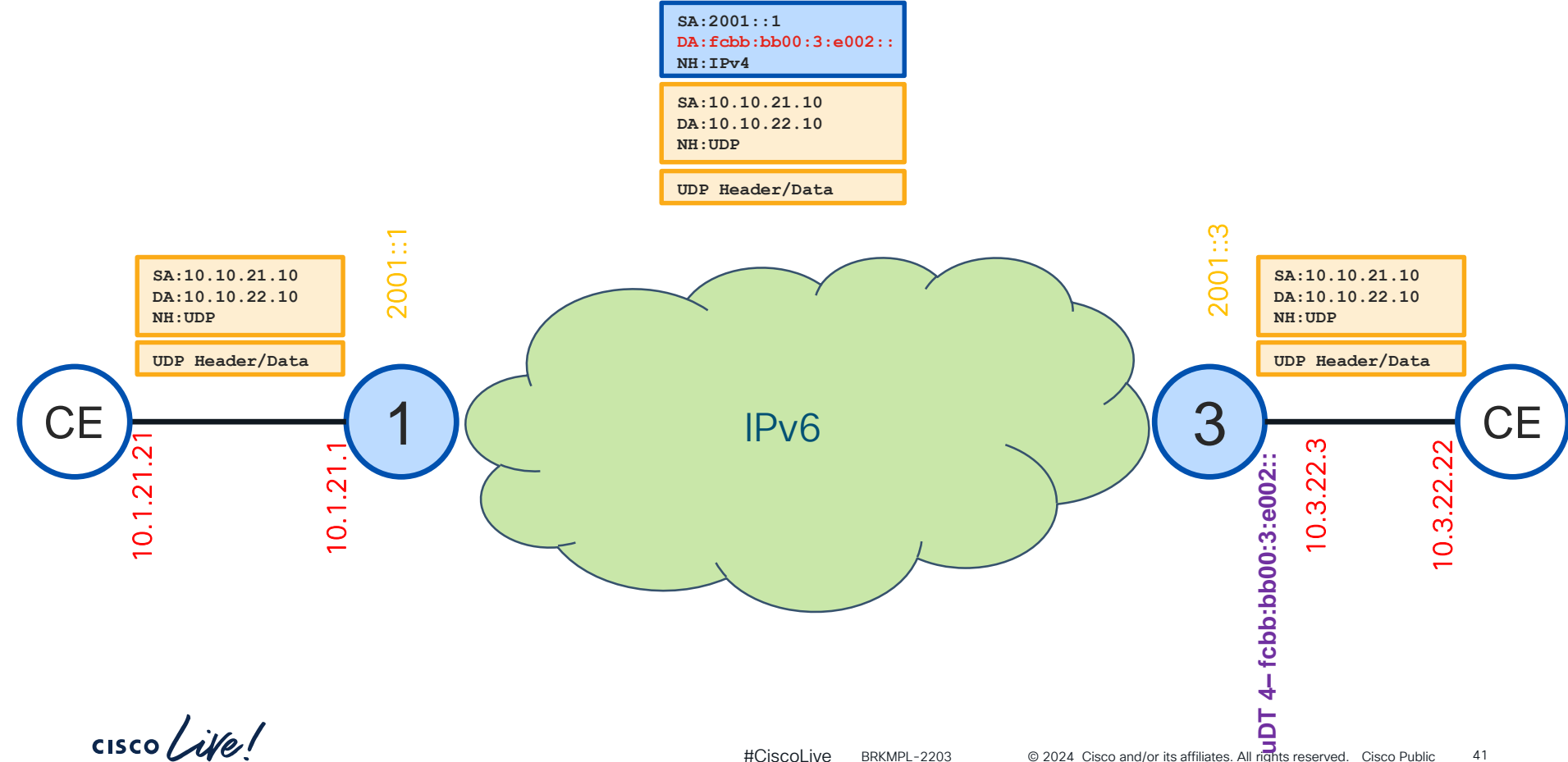
SRv6 uSID BGP



- No Changes Required!



L3 VPN Dataplane



SRv6 L3 VPN Configuration

```
router bgp 1
  address-family vpnv4 unicast
  vrf BestEffort
    rd 1:1
    address-family ipv4 unicast
    segment-routing srv6
    locator MAIN
    alloc mode per-vrf
```

Name of the Locator

Single DT function is allocated
per VRF and AF

This will result in:

- uDT4 function is allocated
- All prefixes are advertised with uDT4 function

EVPN

- No Changes Required!

EVPN :EVI 7543
NH:2001::3
RD-1:1
RT -1:1
uDX2- fcbb:bb00:3:e002::

iBGP

2001::1

2001::3

EVI 7543

1

IPv6 Locator - fcbb:bb00:3::/48

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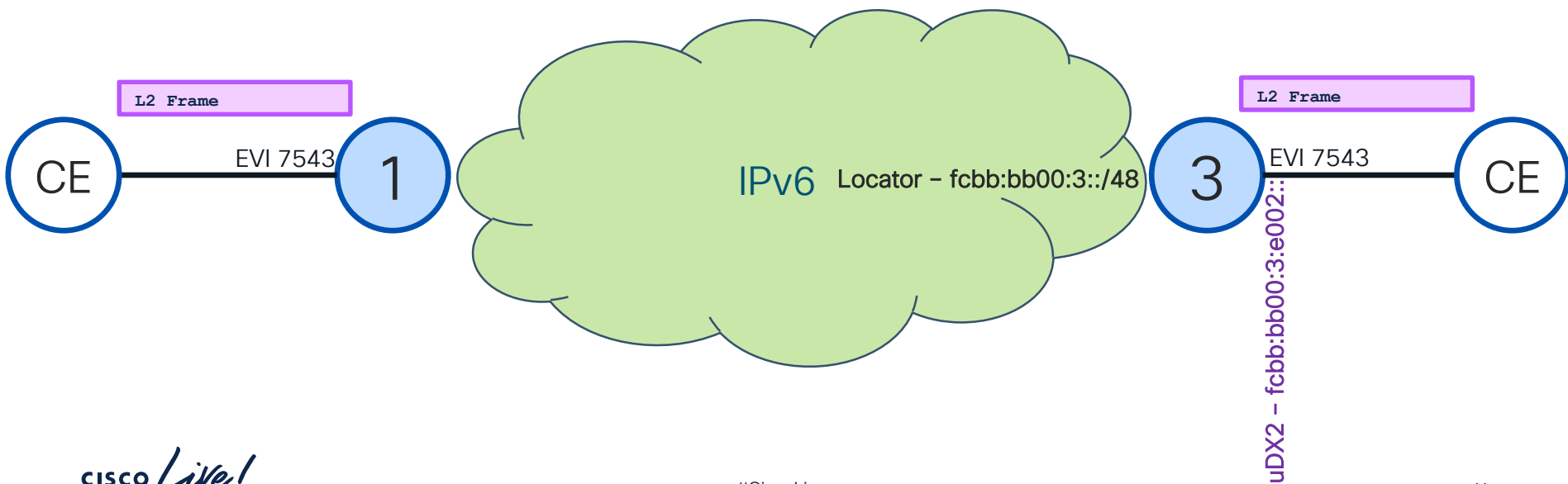
EVI 7543

uDX2 - fcbb:bb00:3:e002::

EVPN Dataplane

SA:2001::1
DA:fcbb:bb00:3:e002::
NH:L2

L2 Frame



SRv6 L2 VPWS

```
interface TenGigE0/0/0/0.7543 l2transport
encapsulation dot1q 7543
rewrite ingress tag pop 1 symmetric
```

l2vpn

```
xconnect group P2P
p2p 13-14
```

This will result in:

- uDX2 function is allocated per EVI
- EVI is advertised with uDX2 function

```
interface TenGigE0/0/0/0.7543
neighbor evpn evi 7543 service 7543
```

```
segment-routing srv6
```

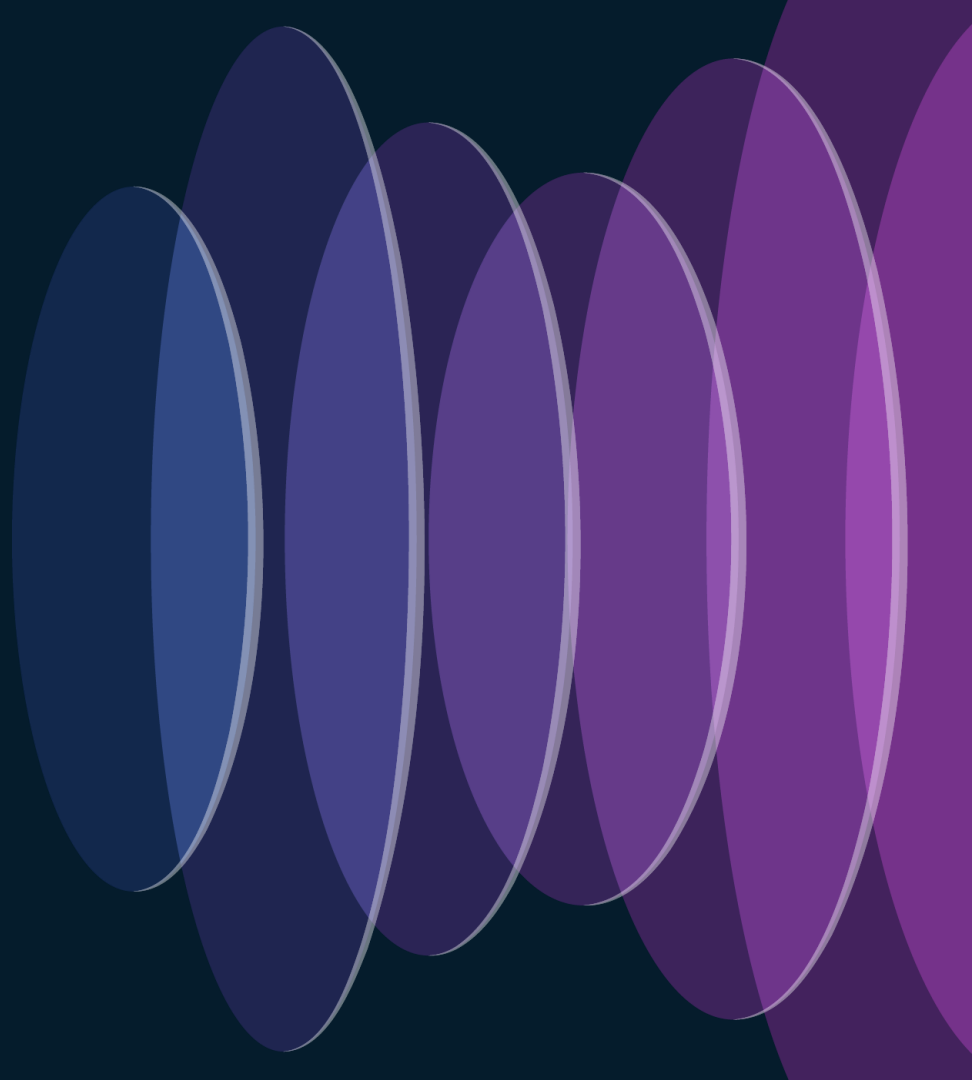
evpn

```
evi 7543 segment-routing srv6
locator MAIN
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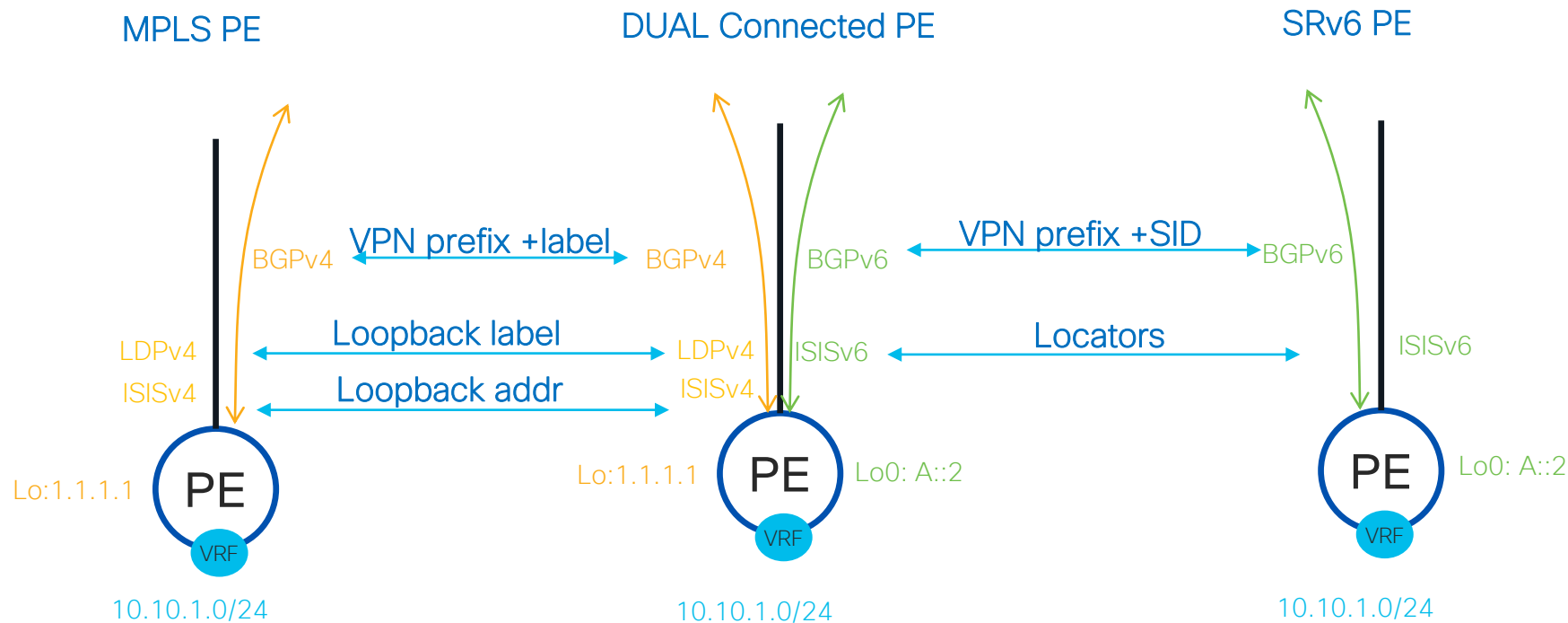
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segment-routing srv6
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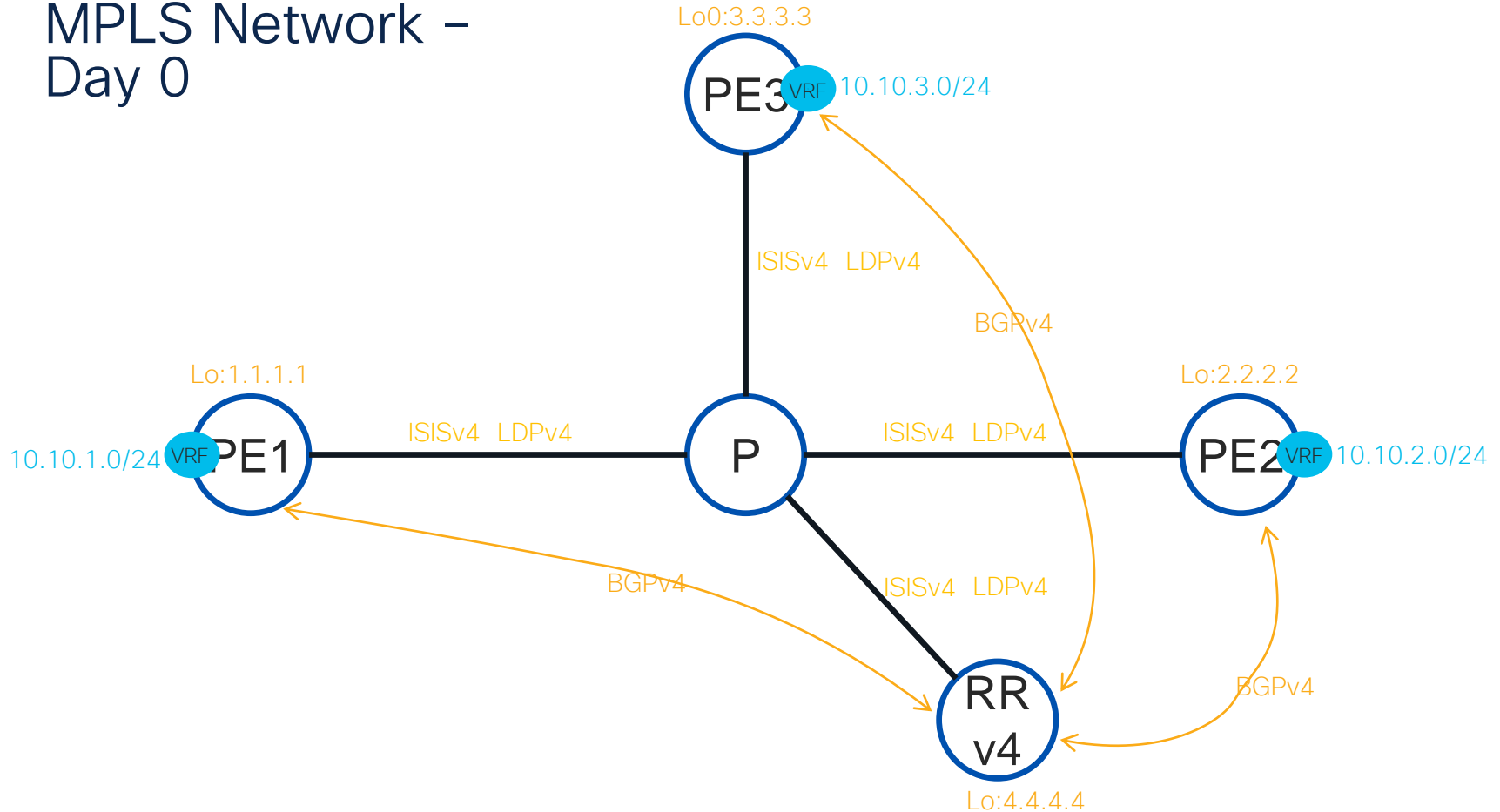
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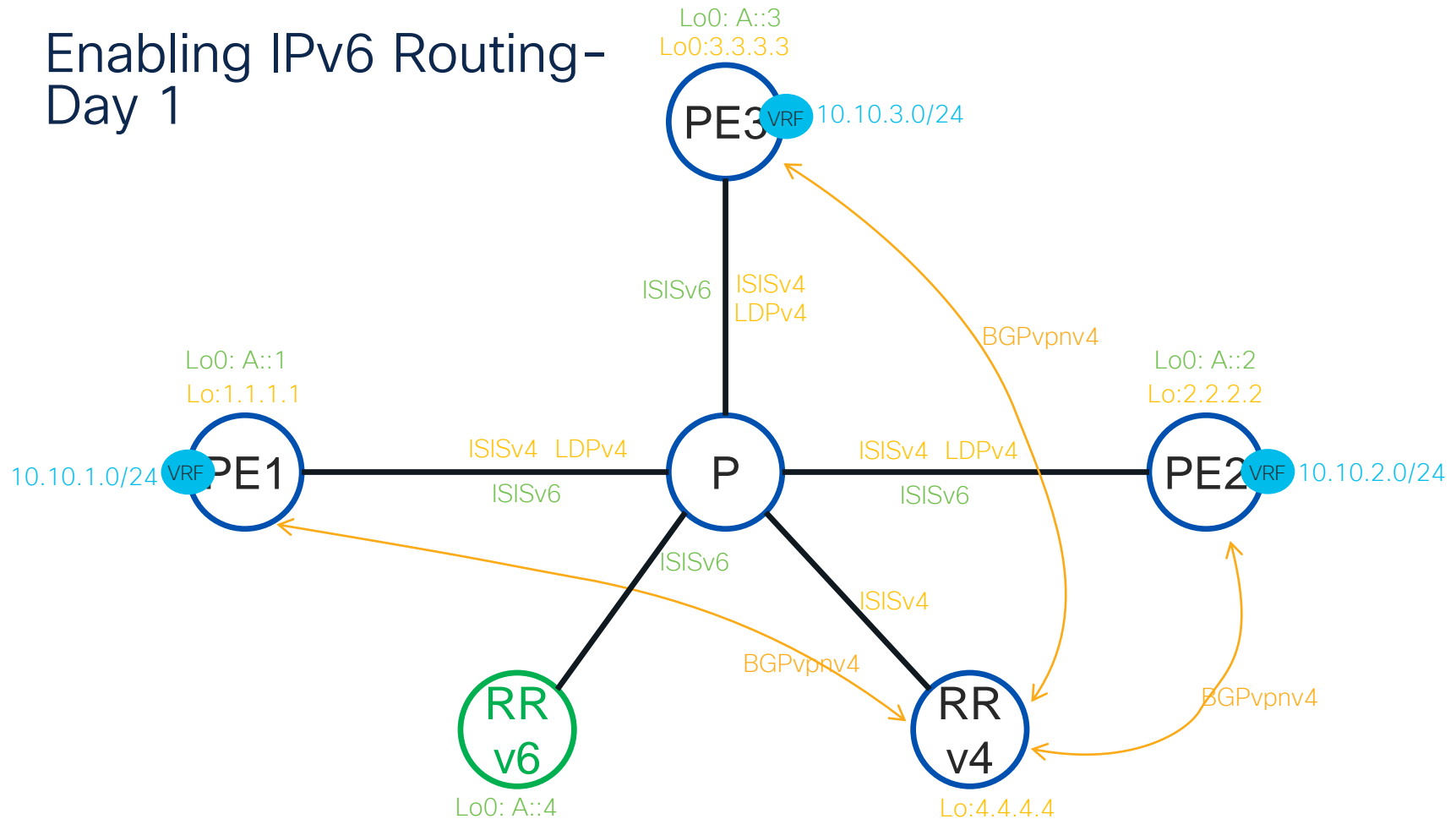
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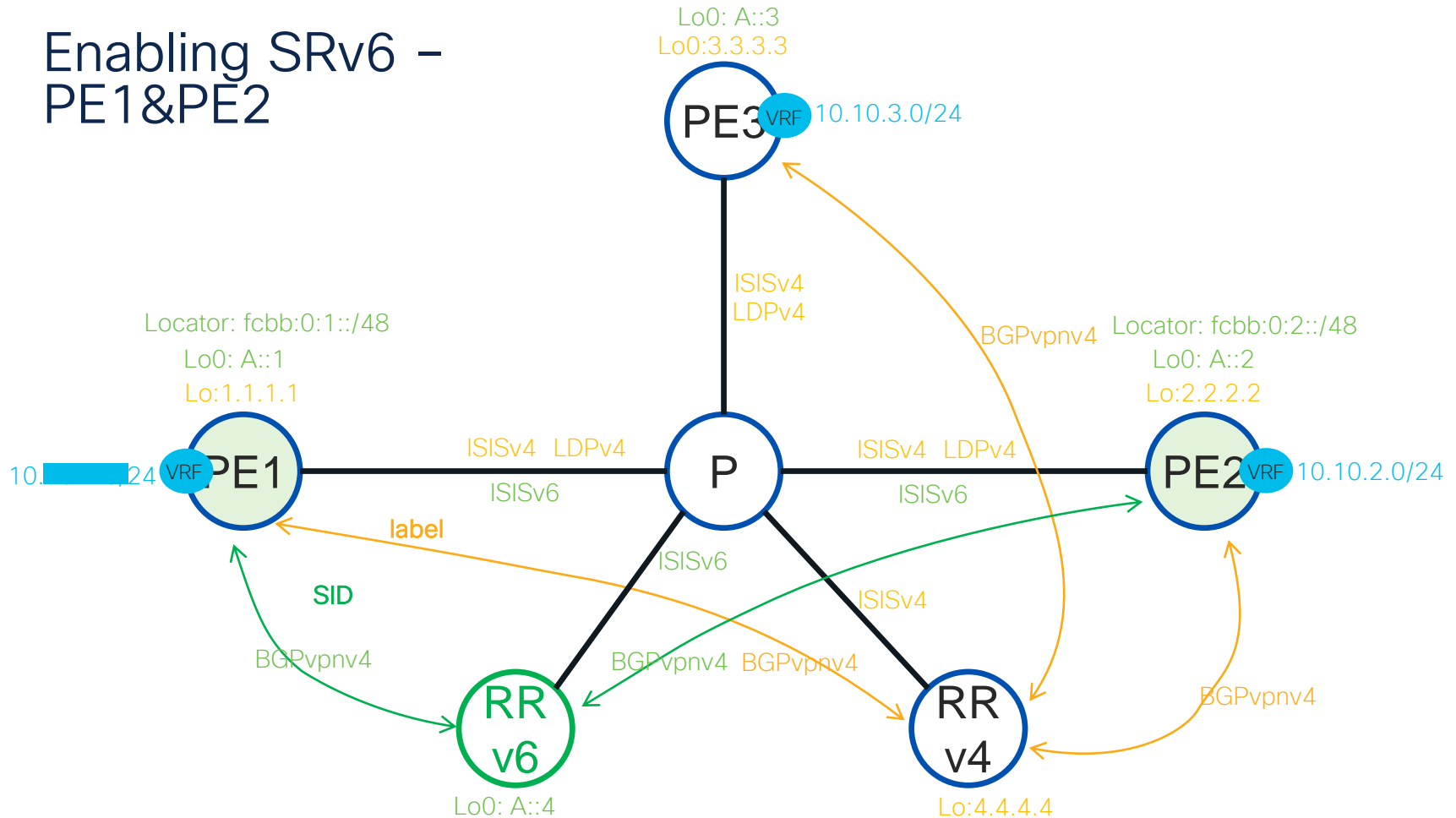
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Enabling IPv6 Routing- Day 1

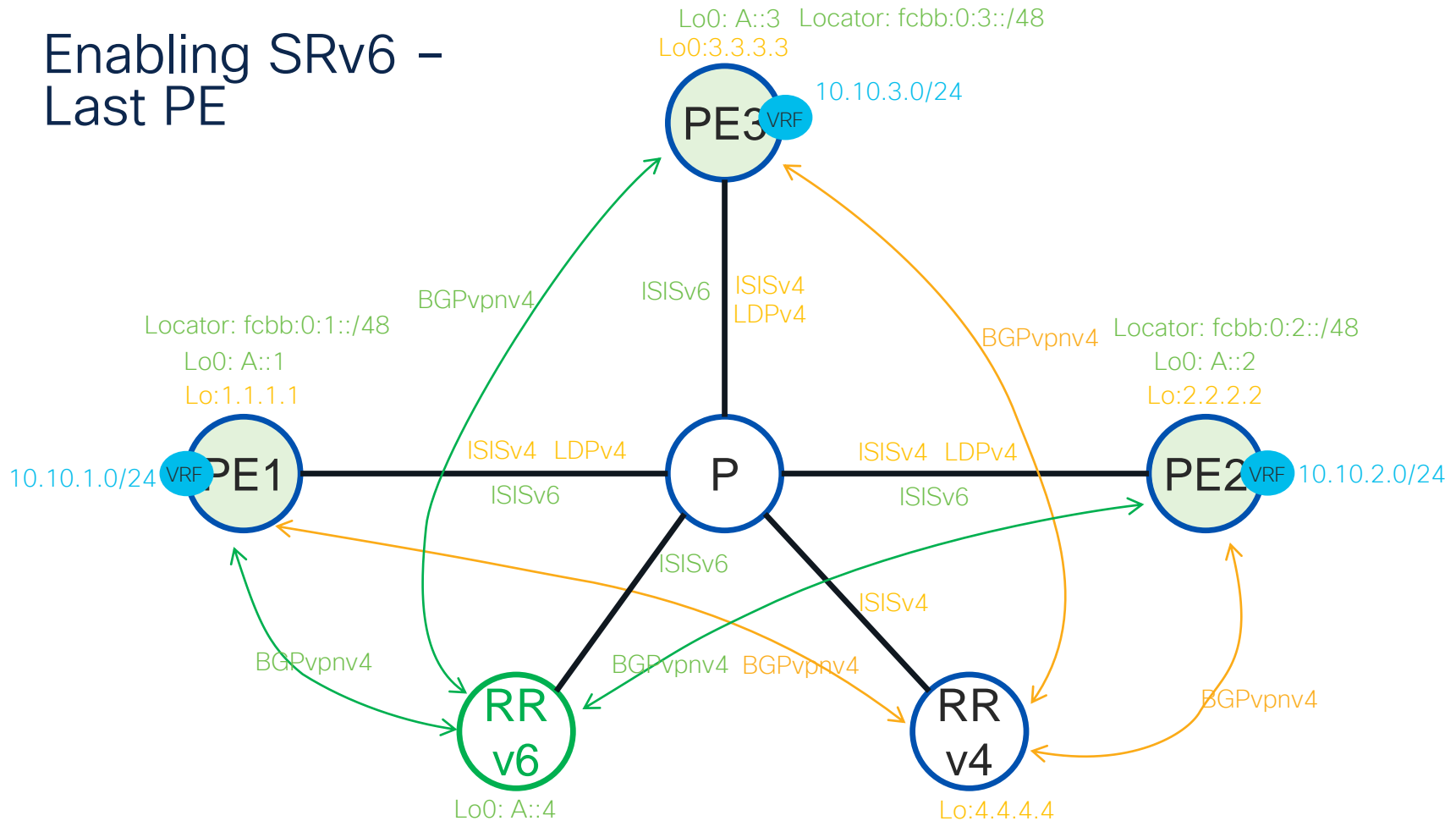


Enabling SRv6 – PE1&PE2

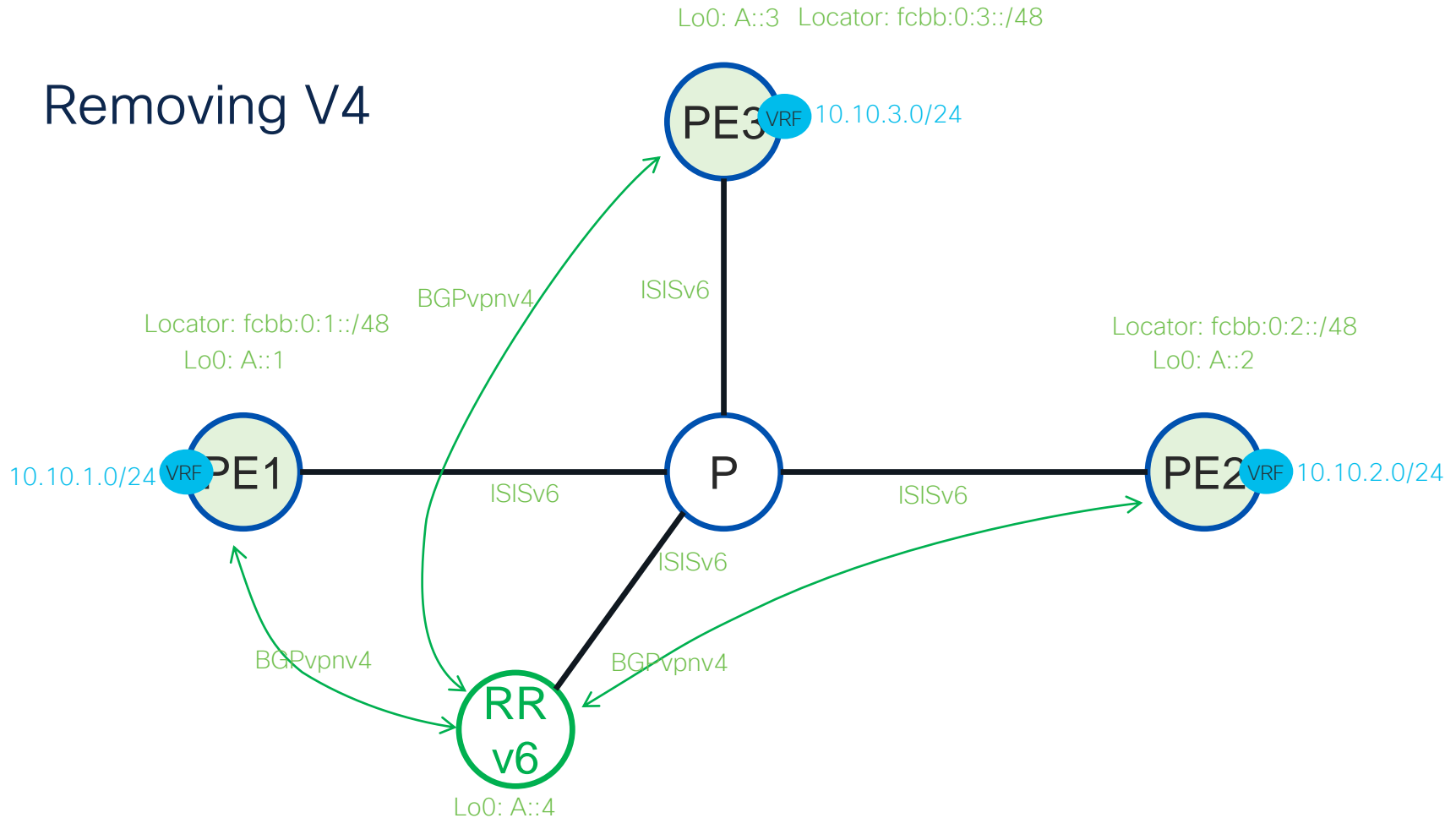


Everything is BGP best path selection driven!! (ie Local Preference)

Enabling SRv6 – Last PE



Removing V4



SRv6 Dual PE Configuration

```
router bgp 1
  neighbor A::4
    address-family vpnv4 unicast
      encapsulation-type srv6
```

Via RPL we set specific BGP attributes to prefixes ie Local Preference towards RRv6 and RRv4

```
    route-policy RRv6 out
```

← Policy towards v6 RR

```
neighbor 4.4.4.4
```

```
  address-family vpnv4 unicast
    route-policy RRv4 out
```

← Policy towards v4 RR

```
vrf 1
```

```
  address-family ipv4 unicast
```

```
    mpls alloc enable
```

← Allocates Labels for all prefixes in VRF

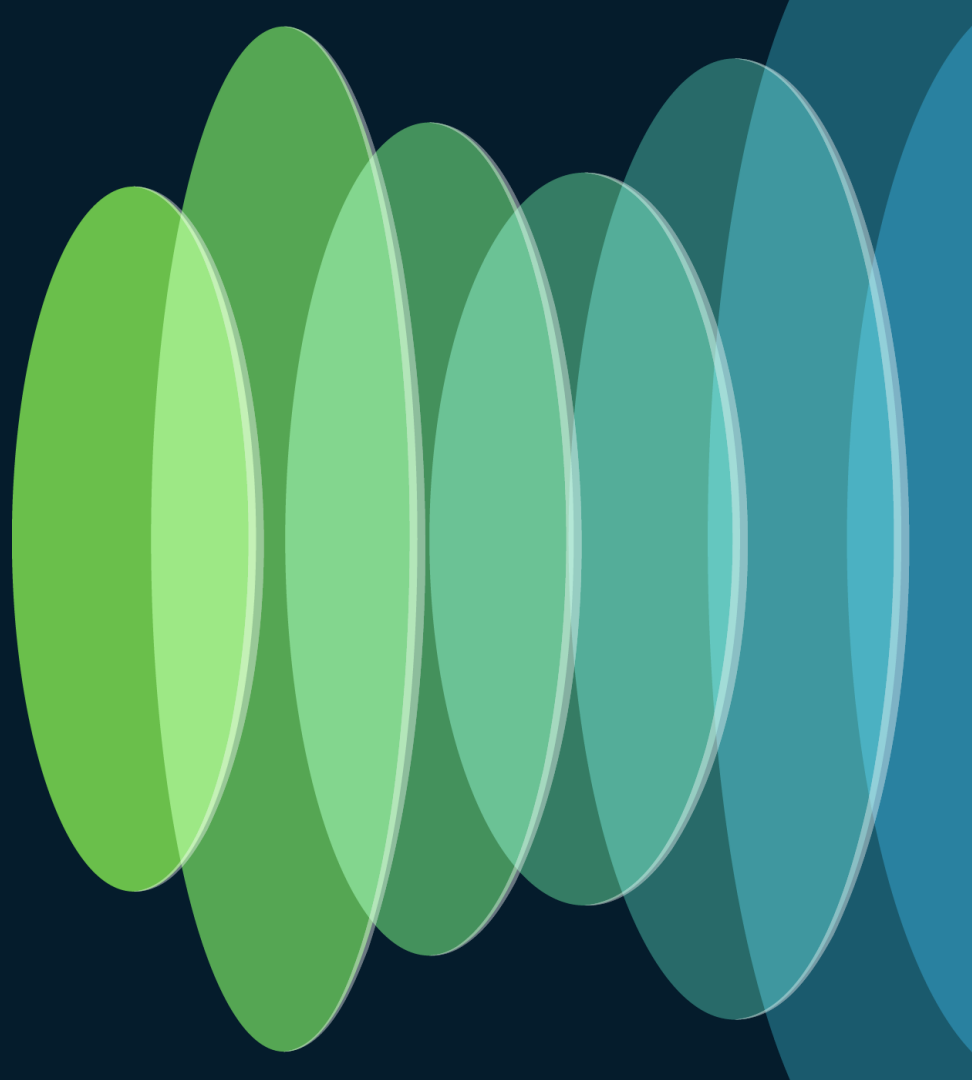
```
    segment-routing srv6
```

```
      locator MAIN
```

← Allocates SIDs for all prefixes in VRF from Locator MAIN

```
      alloc mode per-vrf
```

Conclusion



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- SRv6 is fully ready for brownfield deployments
- SRv6 uSID is the only reasonable format
- SRv6 uSID supported across cisco platform
- SRv6 uSID supported across vendors

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BRKMPL-2203	Introduction to SRv6 uSID Technology	Breakout	Jakub Horn	Jun 3 10:30 am - 12:00 pm L3, South Seas B
BRKMPL-2135	Preparing for a Successful Segment Routing Deployment -	Breakout	Jose Liste	Jun 3 10:30 am - 12:00 pm L2, Surf EF
BRKENT-1520	Segment Routing Innovations in IOS XE	Breakout	Jason Yang Sumant Mali	Jun 3 9:30 am - 10:30 am L3, Palm D
BRKMPL-2131	Deploying VPNs over Segment Routed Networks Made Easy	Breakout	Krishnan Thirukonda	Jun 3 01:00 PM / LL, Tradewinds DEF
BRKMPL-2043	Simplify Your Journey to SR and SRv6 with Cisco Crosswork Automation	Breakout	Sujay Murthy Eric Ortheau	Jun 4 04:00 PM / LL, Tradewinds ABC

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LABMPL-1201	SRv6 Basics	Walk-in Lab	Luc De Ghein	
LABSP-3393	Implementing Segment Routing v6 (SRv6) Transport on NCS 55xx/5xx and Cisco 8000: Advanced -	Walk-in Lab	Paban Sarma Gautam Renjen Alexey Babaytsev	
LABSPG-3000	Configure and Implement BGP-EVPN with Segment Routing using NCS 55xx/5xx Platforms	Walk-in Lab	Tejas Lad Paban Sarma	



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