Virtualizer Explained

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1 Introduction

The motivation is to explain the new NF-FG YANG model. The model includes infrastructure virtualization combined with the mapped resource request.

We will gradually introduce the different concepts with figures and examples.

2 Infrastructure View: Basics

2.1 1-Node



Figure 1: 1-node infrastructure: topology

Listing 1: 1-node infrastructure: YANG tree

```
1 module: unify-virtualizer
       +--rw virtualizer
          +--\mathbf{rw} id?
          +--rw name? string
4
           +--\mathbf{rw} nodes
              +--\mathbf{rw} \text{ node* [id]}
7
                 +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                           string
                 +--rw name?
                                           string
                 +--rw type
9
                                           string
                 +--rw ports
                    +--\mathbf{rw} \text{ port* [id]}
11
                        +--rw id
12
                                               string
                        +--\mathbf{rw} name?
                                                 string
13
                        +--\mathbf{rw} port_type?
                                                string
14
                        +--\mathbf{rw} (port-type)?
15
                           +--:(port-abstract)
16
                            | +--\mathbf{rw} capability? string
17
                            +--:(port-sap)
18
                               +--\mathbf{rw} \text{ (sap-type)}?
19
                                  +--:(vx-lan)
20
                                                              string
                                      +--\mathbf{rw} vxlan?
21
22
                      -rw resources
                                         string
23
                    +--\mathbf{rw} cpu
24
                     +--\mathbf{rw} mem
                                          string
                                          string
25
                    +--\mathbf{rw} storage
```

Listing 2: 1-node infrastructure: xml example

```
1 < virtualizer xmlns="urn:unify:virtualizer">
      <id>UUID001</id>
2
      <name>Single node simple infrastructure report</name>
3
      <nodes>
4
5
          <node>
             <id>UUID11</id>
6
             <name>single Bis-Bis node</name>
7
             <type>BisBis</type>
8
             <ports>
9
                 <port>
                     <id>0</id>
11
12
                     <name>SAP0 port</name>
                     <port_type>port-sap</port_type>
13
                     <vxlan>...</vxlan>
14
                 </port>
15
                 <port>
16
                     <id>1</id>
17
                     <name>North port</name>
18
                     <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
19
                     <capability>...</capability>
20
                 </port>
21
22
                 <port>
                     <id>2</id>
23
24
                     <name>East port</name>
                     <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
25
26
                     <capability>...</capability>
                 </port>
27
             </ports>
28
29
             <resources>
                 <\!\!\mathbf{cpu}\!\!>\!\!20\!<\!\!/\mathbf{cpu}\!\!>
30
31
                 <mem>64 GB</mem>
                 <storage>100 TB</storage>
32
             </resources>
33
          </node>
      </nodes>
35
36 </virtualizer>
```

2.2 3-Node

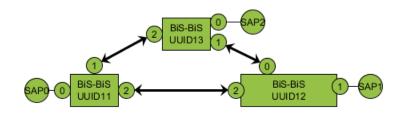


Figure 2: 3-node infrastructure: topology

Listing 3: 3-node infrastructure: YANG tree

```
1 module: unify-virtualizer
       +--rw virtualizer
          +--\mathbf{rw} id?
          +--rw name? string
4
          +--\mathbf{rw} nodes
             +--\mathbf{rw} node* [id]
6
7
                 +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                          string
                 +--rw name?
                                          string
                 +--rw type
                                          string
9
                 +--rw ports
                    +--\mathbf{rw} \text{ port* [id]}
11
12
                       +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                              string
                        +--\mathbf{rw} name?
                                                string
13
                        +--rw port_type?
                                               string
14
16
                    --rw resources
17
                    +--\mathbf{rw} cpu
                                         string
                    +--\mathbf{rw} mem
                                          string
18
                    +--\mathbf{rw} storage
                                         string
19
              -rw links
20
             +--\mathbf{rw} link* [src dst]
21
22
                 +--\mathbf{rw} id?
                                      string
                 +--\mathbf{rw} name?
                                        string
23
24
                 +--rw src
                                      port-ref
                                      port-ref
                 +--\mathbf{rw} \, dst
25
26
                 +--rw resources
                    +--\mathbf{rw} delay?
27
                    +--rw bandwidth? string
28
```

Listing 4: 3-node infrastructure: xml example

```
<virtualizer xmlns="urn:unify:virtualizer">
      <id>UUID002</id>
2
      <name>3-node simple infrastructure report</name>
3
      <nodes>
4
5
          <node>
             <id>UUID11</id>
6
             <name>West Bis-Bis node</name>
7
             <type>BisBis</type>
8
             <ports>
9
10
                 <port>
                    < id > 0 < / id >
11
                    <name>SAP0 port</name>
12
                    <\!\!\operatorname{\mathbf{port\_type}}\!\!>\!\!\operatorname{\mathbf{port\_type}}\!\!>
13
                    <vxlan>...</vxlan>
14
15
                 </port>
                 <port>
16
                    <id>1</id>
17
                    <name>North port</name>
18
                    <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
19
20
                    <capability>...</capability>
                </port>
21
22
                 <port>
                    <id>2</id>
23
24
                    <name>East port</name>
                    25
                    <capability>...</capability>
26
27
                 </port>
             </ports>
28
             <resources>
29
                <\!\!\mathbf{cpu}\!\!>\!\!20\!<\!\!/\mathbf{cpu}\!\!>
30
                <mem>64 GB</mem>
31
                 <storage>100 TB</storage>
32
             </resources>
33
         </node>
35
         <node>
             <id>UUID12</id>
36
             <name>East Bis-Bis node</name>
37
             <type>BisBis</type>
38
39
             <ports>
                <port>
40
41
                    <id>1</id>
                    <name>SAP1 port</name>
42
                    <port_type>port-sap</port_type>
43
44
                    <vxlan>...</vxlan>
                </port>
45
46
                 <port>
                    <id>0</id>
47
                    <name>North port</name>
48
                    49
                    <capability>...</capability>
50
51
                 </port>
                 <port>
52
53
                    <id>2</id>
                    <name>West port</name>
54
                    <port_type>port-abstract</port_type>
55
                    <capability>...</capability>
56
```

```
57
                 </port>
58
              </ports>
              <resources>
59
                  <cpu>10</cpu>
60
                 <mem>32 GB</mem>
61
                  <storage>100 TB</storage>
62
63
              </resources>
          </node>
64
65
           <node>
              <id>UUID13</id>
66
              <name>North Bis-Bis node</name>
67
68
              <type>BisBis</type>
              <ports>
69
70
                  <port>
                     < id > 0 < /id >
71
                     <name>SAP2 port</name>
72
73
                     <port_type>port-sap</port_type>
                     <vxlan>...</vxlan>
74
75
                  </port>
                  <port>
76
                     <id>1</id>
77
                     <name>East port</name>
78
                     <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
79
                     <capability>...</capability>
80
                 </port>
81
                  <port>
                     <id>2</id>
83
                     <name>West port</name>
84
85
                     <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
                     <capability>...</capability>
86
                  </port>
87
              </ports>
88
89
              <resources>
                 <cpu>20</cpu>
90
                 <mem>64 GB</mem>
91
92
                  <storage>1 TB</storage>
              </resources>
93
94
          </node>
       </nodes>
95
       ks>
96
          k>
97
              < id > 0 < /id >
98
              <name>Horizontal link</name>
99
              <src>../../nodes/node[id=UUID11]/ports/port[id=2]</src>
100
              <dst>.../../nodes/node[id=UUID12]/ports/port[id=2]</dst>
101
102
              <resources>
                 <delay>2 ms</delay>
103
104
                 <bar><br/>bandwidth>10 Gb</bandwidth>
              </resources>
105
106
          </link>
           k>
107
              \langle id \rangle 1 \langle /id \rangle
108
              <name>West link</name>
109
              <src>../../nodes/node[id=UUID11]/ports/port[id=1]</src>
110
111
              <dst>../../nodes/node[id=UUID13]/ports/port[id=2]</dst>
              <resources>
112
                 <delay>5 ms</delay>
113
```

```
114
                       <bar>dwidth>10 Gb</bandwidth>
                   </resources>
115
              </link>
116
117
              link>
                  <id>2</id>
118
                  <name>East link</name>
119
                  <\!\!\mathbf{src}\!\!>\!\!../../\mathbf{nodes/node[id}\!\!=\!\!\mathrm{UUID12]/ports/port[id}\!\!=\!\!0]<\!/\mathbf{src}\!\!>
                  <\!\!\mathbf{dst}\!\!>\!../../\mathbf{nodes/node[id}\!\!=\!\!\mathrm{UUID13]/ports/port[id}\!\!=\!\!1]<\!/\mathbf{dst}\!\!>
121
122
                       <delay>2 ms</delay>
123
                       124
                   </resources>
125

</link>
126
127
128 </virtualizer>
```

2.3 1-Node with Delay Matrix

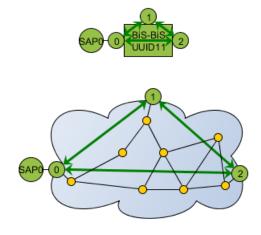


Figure 3: 1-node with Delay Matrix: topology

Listing 5: 1-node with Delay Matrix: YANG tree

```
1 module: unify-virtualizer
       +--rw virtualizer
           +--\mathbf{rw} id?
           +--\mathbf{rw} name?
                                 string
4
              --rw nodes
               +{-}{-}{\mathbf{r}}{\mathbf{w}}\ \mathrm{node}{*}\ [\mathrm{id}]
6
                   +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                               string
7
                   +--\mathbf{rw} name?
                                                string
8
                   +--rw type
                                               string
9
                   +--rw ports
                      +--\mathbf{rw} \text{ port* [id]}
11
12
                          +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                                    string
                           +--\mathbf{rw} name?
                                                     string
13
                          +--\mathbf{rw} port_type?
14
                                                     string
                      --rw links
16
                       +--\mathbf{rw} link* [src dst]
17
                           +--\mathbf{rw} id?
                                                   string
18
                           +--\mathbf{rw} name?
19
                                                    string
20
                           +--\mathbf{rw} src
                                                  _{\rm port-ref}
                           +--\mathbf{rw} \, \mathrm{dst}
                                                   port-ref
21
22
                           +--rw resources
                              +--\mathbf{rw} delay?
                                                       string
23
24
                              +--rw bandwidth? string
25
                        -rw resources
26
                       +--\mathbf{rw} cpu
                                              string
27
                       +--\mathbf{rw} mem
                                               string
                      +--rw storage
                                              string
28
29
                 -rw links
               +--\mathbf{rw} link* [src dst]
30
                   +--\mathbf{rw} id?
                                           string
31
                   +--\mathbf{rw} name?
32
                                             string
                                           \operatorname{port-ref}
                   +--rw src
33
                   +--\mathbf{rw} \, dst
                                           port-ref
35
                   +--rw resources
36
                       +--\mathbf{rw} delay?
                                                string
                       +--rw bandwidth? string
37
```

Listing 6: 1-node with Delay Matrix: xml example

```
<virtualizer xmlns="urn:unify:virtualizer">
      <id>UUID001</id>
2
      <name>Single node with link internal delays infrastructure report</name>
3
      <nodes>
4
5
          <node>
              <id>UUID11</id>
6
              <name>single Bis-Bis node</name>
7
              <type>BisBis</type>
8
              <ports>
9
10
                  <port>
                     < id > 0 < / id >
11
                     <name>SAP0 port</name>
12
                     <\!\!\operatorname{\mathbf{port\_type}}\!\!>\!\!\operatorname{\mathbf{port\_type}}\!\!>
13
                     <vxlan>...</vxlan>
14
15
                  </port>
                  <port>
16
                      <id>1</id>
17
                     <name>North port</name>
18
                     <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
19
20
                      <capability>...</capability>
                  </port>
21
22
                  <port>
                     <id>2</id>
23
24
                     <name>East port</name>
                     25
                      <capability>...</capability>
26
27
                  </port>
              </ports>
28
              ks>
29
                  k>
30
                     <id>int0</id>
31
                     <name>internal horizontal</name>
32
                     <src>../../ports/port[id=0]</src>
33
                      < dst > ... / ... / ports / port[id=2] < / dst >
                      <resources>
35
                         <delay>1 ms</delay>
36
                         <bar>dwidth>40 Gb</bandwidth>
37
                      </resources>
38
39
                  </link>
                  link>
40
41
                     <id>int1</id>
                     <name>internal left</name>
42
                     <src>../../ports/port[id=0]</src>
43
44
                      < dst > ../../ports/port[id=1] < /dst >
                      <resources>
45
46
                         <delay>5 ms</delay>
                         <bar>dwidth>10 Gb</bandwidth>
47
                      </resources>
48
                  49
                  link>
50
51
                     <id>int2</id>
                     <name>internal right</name>
52
53
                      <src>../../ports/port[id=1]</src>
                     <\!\!\mathbf{dst}\!\!>\!../../\mathbf{ports/port[id=}2]\!<\!/\mathbf{dst}\!\!>
54
                      <resources>
55
                         <delay>2 ms</delay>
56
```

```
<bar><br/>bandwidth>81 Gb</bandwidth>
57
                   </resources>
58
                </link>
59
60
            <resources>
61
                <cpu>20</cpu>
62
                <mem>64 GB</mem>
                <storage>100 TB</storage>
64
            </resources>
65
         </node>
66
67
      </nodes>
68 </virtualizer>
```

3 Resource Requests

3.1 Simple Request

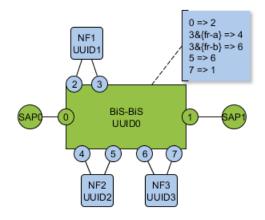


Figure 4: 1-node with a simple request: topology

Listing 7: 1-node with a simple request: YANG tree

```
1 module: unify-virtualizer
      +--rw virtualizer
          +--\mathbf{rw} id?
3
          +--\mathbf{rw} name?
                             string
4
          +--rw nodes
5
             +--\mathbf{rw} node* [id]
6
                +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                         string
7
                +--rw name?
8
                                         string
                +--\mathbf{rw} type
                                         string
9
                 +--rw ports
                   +--rw port* [id]
11
12
                       +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                             string
                       +--\mathbf{rw} name?
13
                                               string
                       +--rw port_type?
14
                                              string
15
                       +--\mathbf{rw} (port-type)?
                          +--:(port-abstract)
16
17
                          +--rw capability? string
                           +--:(port-sap)
18
                              +--\mathbf{rw} (sap-type)?
19
20
                                 +--:(vx-lan)
                                    +--rw vxlan?
                                                           string
21
22
                     -rw resources
                   +--\mathbf{rw} cpu
                                        string
23
24
                    +--\mathbf{rw} mem
                                         string
                   +--rw storage
                                        string
25
26
                   −-rw NF_instances
27
                    +--rw node* [id]
                       +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                            string
28
29
                       +--\mathbf{rw} name?
                                              string
                       +--\mathbf{rw} type
                                             string
30
31
                          --rw ports
                          +--\mathbf{rw} \text{ port* [id]}
32
                             +--rw id
                                                    string
33
34
                             +--rw name?
35
                             +--\mathbf{rw} port_type?
                                                      string
                              +--\mathbf{rw} (port-type)?
36
                                 +--:(port-abstract)
37
                                 +--rw capability? string
38
39
                                 +--:(port-sap)
                                    +--\mathbf{rw} (sap-type)?
40
41
                                       +--:(vx-lan)
                                          +--rw vxlan?
                                                                  string
42
                          --rw resources
43
44
                          +--\mathbf{rw} cpu
                                              string
                          +--\mathbf{rw} mem
                                               string
45
46
                          +--\mathbf{rw} storage
                                               string
                     -rw flowtable
47
                    +--rw flowentry* [port match action]
48
                       +--\mathbf{rw} port
49
                                          port-ref
                       +--\mathbf{rw} match
                                           string
50
51
                       +--\mathbf{rw} action
```

Listing 8: 1-node with a simple request: xml example

```
<virtualizer xmlns="urn:unify:virtualizer">
      <id>UUID001</id>
2
      <name>Single node simple request</name>
3
      <nodes>
4
5
         <node>
             <id>UUID11</id>
6
             <NF_instances>
7
                <node>
8
                    <id>NF1</id>
9
                    <name>first NF</name>
                    <type>Parental control B.4</type>
11
                    <ports>
12
                       <port>
13
14
                           <id>2</id>
15
                           <name>in</name>
                           <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
16
17
                           <capability>...</capability>
                       </port>
18
                       <port>
19
20
                           <id>3</id>
                           <name>out</name>
21
22
                           <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
                           <capability>...</capability>
23
24
                       </port>
25
                    </ports>
                    <!-- example may contain <resources> here -->
26
27
                </node>
                <node>
28
                    <id>NF2</id>
29
                    <name>cache</name>
30
                    <type>Http Cache 1.2</type>
31
32
                    <ports>
                       <port>
33
                           <id>4</id>
35
                           <name>in</name>
                           <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
36
                           <capability>...</capability>
37
                       </port>
38
39
                       <port>
                           <id>5</id>
40
41
                           <name>out</name>
                           <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
42
                           <capability>...</capability>
43
                       </port>
                    </ports>
45
                    <!-- example may contain <resources> here -->
46
                </node>
47
                <node>
48
                    <id>NF3</id>
49
                    <name>firewall</name>
50
                    <type>Stateful firewall C</type>
51
                    <ports>
52
53
                       <port>
                           <id>6</id>
54
                           <name>in</name>
55
                           <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
56
```

```
<capability>...</capability>
57
58
                    </port>
                    <port>
59
                       <id>7</id>
60
                       <name>out</name>
61
                       <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
62
63
                       <capability>...</capability>
                    </port>
64
65
                 </ports>
                 <!-- example may contain <resources> here -->
66
              </node>
67
           </NF_instances>
68
           <flowtable>
69
70
              <flowentry>
                 <port>../../ports/port[id=0]</port>
71
                 <match>*</match>
72
                 73
      >
              </flowentry>
74
              <flowentry>
75
                 <port>../../NF_instances/node[id=NF1]/ports/port[id=3]</port>
76
                 <match>fr-a</match>
77
                 <action>output:../../NF_instances/node[id=NF2]/ports/port[id=4]</action
78
              </flowentry>
79
80
              <flowentry>
                 81
                 <match>fr-b</match>
82
                 <action>output:../../NF_instances/node[id=NF3]/ports/port[id=6]</action
83
              </flowentry>
84
              <flowentry>
85
86
                 <port>../../NF_instances/node[id=NF2]/ports/port[id=5]</port>
                 <match>*</match>
87
                 88
              </flowentry>
89
              <flowentry>
90
                 <port>../../NF_instances/node[id=NF3]/ports/port[id=7]</port>
91
                 <match>*</match>
92
93
                 <action>output:../../ports/port[id=1]</action>
94
              </flowentry>
           </flowtable>
95
        </node>
96
     </nodes>
97
98 </virtualizer>
```

3.2 Request with Virtual Link Requirements

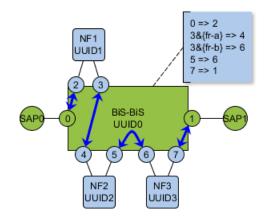


Figure 5: Request with Virtual Link Requirements: topology

Listing 9: Request with Virtual Link Requirements: YANG tree

```
1 module: unify-virtualizer
       +--rw virtualizer
          +--\mathbf{rw} id?
           +--\mathbf{rw} name?
                              string
4
           +--\mathbf{rw} nodes
              +--\mathbf{rw} node* [id]
 6
                 +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                           string
7
                 +--\mathbf{rw} name?
 8
                                            string
                 +--rw type
                                           string
9
                  +--rw ports
                    +--\mathbf{rw} \text{ port* [id]}
11
12
                        +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                               string
                        +--\mathbf{rw} name?
13
                                                 string
                        +--rw port_type?
14
                                                 string
                        +--\mathbf{rw} (port-type)?
                            +--:(port-abstract)
16
17
                            +--\mathbf{rw} capability? string
                            +--:(port-sap)
18
                               +--\mathbf{rw} (sap-type)?
19
20
                                  +--:(vx-lan)
                                      +--\mathbf{rw} vxlan?
                                                              string
21
22
                     -rw links
                     +--\mathbf{rw} link* [src dst]
23
24
                        +--\mathbf{rw} id?
                                              string
                        +--\mathbf{rw} name?
25
                                                string
                        +--\mathbf{rw} src
                                              port-ref
26
27
                        +--\mathbf{rw} \, \operatorname{dst}
                                              port-ref
                        +--rw resources
28
                            +--\mathbf{rw} delay?
29
                            +--rw bandwidth? string
30
31
                     -rw resources
32
                    +--\mathbf{rw} cpu
                                         string
                                           string
                     +--\mathbf{rw} mem
33
                    +--\mathbf{rw} storage
                                          string
35
                    --rw NF_instances
                     +--rw node* [id]
36
37
                        +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                              string
                        +--\mathbf{rw} name?
                                                string
38
39
                        +--\mathbf{rw} type
                                               string
                          --rw ports
40
41
                           +--rw port* [id]
                               +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                                      string
42
                               +--rw name?
                                                        string
43
                               +--rw port_type?
                                                        string
                               +--rw (port-type)?
45
46
                                   +--:(port-abstract)
                                   | +--\mathbf{rw} capability? string
47
                                     --:(port-sap)
48
                                      +--\mathbf{rw} (sap-type)?
49
                                         +--:(vx-lan)
50
51
                                             +--\mathbf{rw} vxlan?
                                                                     string
52
                            -rw resources
53
                            +--rw cpu
                                                string
                            +--\mathbf{rw} mem
54
                                                 string
                            +--rw storage
55
                                                 string
56
                    --rw flowtable
```

```
      57
      +--rw flowentry* [port match action]

      58
      +--rw port port-ref

      59
      +--rw match string

      60
      +--rw action string

      61
      +--rw resources

      62
      +--rw delay? string

      63
      +--rw bandwidth? string
```

Listing 10: Request with Virtual Link Requirements: xml example

```
<virtualizer xmlns="urn:unify:virtualizer">
      <id>UUID001</id>
2
      <name>Single node simple request with inter-virtual port delays</name>
3
      <nodes>
4
5
         <node>
             <id>UUID11</id>
6
             <NF_instances>
7
                 <node>
8
                    <id>NF1</id>
9
                    <name>first NF</name>
                    <type>Parental control B.4</type>
11
                    <ports>
12
                       <port>
13
14
                           <id>2</id>
                           <name>in</name>
                           <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
16
17
                           <capability>...</capability>
                        </port>
18
                        <port>
19
20
                           <id>3</id>
                           <name>out</name>
21
                           <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
22
                           <capability>...</capability>
23
24
                        </port>
25
                    </ports>
                    <!-- example may contain <resources> here -->
26
27
                 </node>
                <node>
28
                    <id>NF2</id>
29
                    <name>cache</name>
30
                    <type>Http Cache 1.2</type>
31
32
                    <ports>
                       <port>
33
                           < id > 4 < / id >
35
                           <name>in</name>
                           <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
36
37
                           <capability>...</capability>
                       </port>
38
39
                        <port>
                           <id>5</id>
40
41
                           <name>out</name>
                           <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
42
                           <capability>...</capability>
43
                        </port>
                    </ports>
45
46
                    <!-- example may contain <resources> here -->
                 </node>
47
             </NF_instances>
48
             <flowtable>
49
                <flowentry>
50
                    <\!\!\mathbf{port}\!\!>\!../../\mathbf{ports}/\mathbf{port}[\mathbf{id}\!=\!0]\!<\!/\mathbf{port}\!>
51
                    <match>*</match>
52
                    53
       >
                    <resources>
54
                        <delay>50 ms</delay>
55
```

```
<bar>dwidth>1 Mb</bandwidth>
56
57
                 </resources>
              </flowentry>
58
              <flowentry>
59
                 <port>../../NF_instances/node[id=NF1]/ports/port[id=3]</port>
60
                 <match>fr-a</match>
61
                 62
63
                 <resources>
                    <delay>25 ms</delay>
64
                    <br/>bandwidth>2 Mb</bandwidth>
65
                 </resources>
66
              </flowentry>
67
68
              <flowentry>
                 69
                 <match>fr-b</match>
70
                 71
              </flowentry>
72
              <\stackrel{'}{\mathrm{flowentry}}>
73
                 <port>../../NF_instances/node[id=NF2]/ports/port[id=5]</port>
74
                 <match>*</match>
75
                 <action>output:../../ports/port[id=1]</action>
76
              </flowentry>
77
              <flowentry>
78
                 <port>../../NF_instances/node[id=NF3]/ports/port[id=7]</port>
79
                 <match>*</match>
80
                 <\!\!\mathbf{action}\!\!>\!\!\mathbf{output}\!:\!../../\mathbf{ports/port[id}\!=\!1]\!<\!/\mathbf{action}\!>
81
82
              </flowentry>
           </flowtable>
83
84
        </node>
     </nodes>
85
86 </virtualizer>
```

3.3 Request with NF Requirements

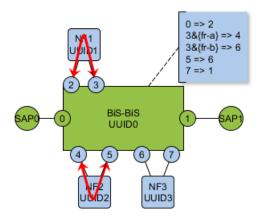


Figure 6: Request with NF Requirements: topology

Listing 11: Request with NF Requirements: YANG tree

```
1 module: unify-virtualizer
       +--rw virtualizer
          +--\mathbf{rw} id?
           +--\mathbf{rw} name?
                              string
4
           +--\mathbf{rw} nodes
              +--\mathbf{rw} node* [id]
 6
                 +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                           string
7
                 +--\mathbf{rw} name?
 8
                                            string
9
                  +--rw type
                                           string
                  +--rw ports
                    +--rw port* [id]
11
12
                        +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                               string
                        +--\mathbf{rw} name?
13
                                                 string
                        +--rw port_type?
14
                                                 string
                         +--\mathbf{rw} (port-type)?
                            +--:(port-abstract)
16
17
                            +--rw capability? string
                            +--:(port-sap)
18
                               +--\mathbf{rw} (sap-type)?
19
                                  +{--}{:}(vx{-}lan)
20
                                      +--\mathbf{rw} vxlan?
                                                               string
21
22
                    --rw links
                     +--\mathbf{rw} link* [src dst]
23
24
                        +--\mathbf{rw} id?
                                              string
                        +--\mathbf{rw} name?
25
                                                string
                        +--\mathbf{rw} src
                                              port-ref
26
27
                        +--\mathbf{rw} \, \operatorname{dst}
                                              port-ref
                        +--rw resources
28
                            +--\mathbf{rw} delay?
29
                            +--rw bandwidth? string
30
31
                    --rw resources
32
                     +--\mathbf{rw} cpu
                                          string
                                           string
                     +--\mathbf{rw} mem
33
                     +--\mathbf{rw} storage
                                          string
35
                    −-rw NF_instances
                     +--rw node* [id]
36
37
                        +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                               string
                        +--\mathbf{rw} name?
                                                string
38
39
                        +--\mathbf{rw} type
                                               string
                         +--rw ports
40
41
                            +--rw port* [id]
                               +--\mathbf{rw} id
                                                       string
42
                               +--rw name?
                                                        string
43
                               +--\mathbf{rw} port_type?
                                                        string
                               +--rw (port-type)?
45
46
                                   +--:(port-abstract)
                                   | +--\mathbf{rw} capability? string
47
                                   +--:(port-sap)
48
                                      +--\mathbf{rw} (sap-type)?
49
                                         +--:(vx-lan)
50
51
                                             +--\mathbf{rw} vxlan?
                                                                      string
                             -rw links
52
53
                            +--\mathbf{rw} link* [src dst]
                               +--\mathbf{rw} id?
54
                                                     string
                               +--\mathbf{rw} name?
55
                                                       string
56
                               +--\mathbf{rw} src
                                                     port-ref
```

```
57
                            +--\mathbf{rw} \, \operatorname{dst}
                                              port-ref
                            +--rw resources
58
                               +--\mathbf{rw} delay?
                                                  string
59
60
                               +--rw bandwidth? string
61
                        --rw resources
                         +--rw cpu
                                            string
62
                                            string
                         +--\mathbf{rw} mem
63
                         +--rw storage string
64
                    -rw flowtable
65
                   +--rw flowentry* [port match action]
66
                      +--rw port port-ref
+--rw match string
67
68
69
                      +--rw action
                                        string
```

Listing 12: Request with NF Requirements: xml example

```
<virtualizer xmlns="urn:unify:virtualizer">
      <id>UUID001</id>
2
      <name>Single node simple request with intra-NF virtual link requirements</name>
3
      <nodes>
4
5
              <id>UUID11</id>
6
              <NF_instances>
7
                 <node>
8
                     <id>NF1</id>
9
                     <name>first NF</name>
                     <type>Parental control B.4</type>
11
                     <ports>
12
                        <port>
13
                            <id>2</id>
14
                            <name>in</name>
                            <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
16
17
                            <capability>...</capability>
                        </port>
18
                        <port>
19
20
                            <id>3</id>
                            <name>out</name>
21
22
                            <port_type>port_abstract</port_type>
                            <capability>...</capability>
23
24
                        </port>
                     </ports>
25
                     ks>
26
                        k>
27
                            <id>012345</id>
28
                            <name>requirement on NF delay</name>
29
                            <\!\!\mathbf{src}\!\!>\!../../\mathbf{ports/port[id}\!\!=\!\!2]\!\!<\!\!/\mathbf{src}\!\!>
30
                            <dst>../../ports/port[id=3]</dst>
31
32
                            <resources>
                                <delay>20 ms</delay>
33
                                <bandwidth>1 Mb</bandwidth>
35
                            </resources>
                        </link>
36
                     37
                     <!-- example may contain <resources> here -->
38
39
                 </node>
              </NF_instances>
40
41
              <!-- <flowtable> omitted here -->
          </node>
42
      </nodes>
43
44 </ri>
```

Appendix A YANG definition

A.1 YANG UML

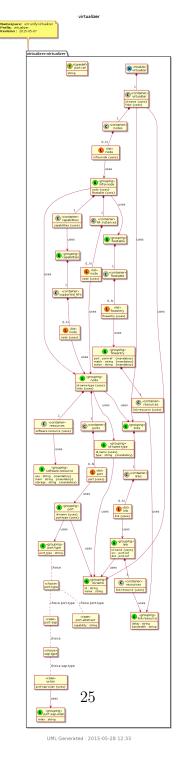


Figure 7: Virtualizer UML diagram

A.2 YANG module

Listing 13: virtualizer.yang

```
1 module virtualizer {
    namespace "urn:unify:virtualizer";
    prefix " virtualizer";
3
    organization "ETH";
4
    contact "Robert Szabo <robert.szabo@ericsson.com>";
6
7
     revision 2015-05-07
8
9
      description "Virtualizer's data model";
10
11
    //====== REUSABLE GROUPS
12
13
    grouping id-name {
14
      leaf id { type string; }
15
16
      leaf name { type string;}
17
18
    {\bf grouping} \ {\rm id-name-type} \ \{
19
20
      uses id-name;
      leaf type {
21
22
        type string;
23
        mandatory true;
24
25
26
27
           ----- PORTS -----
28
    \mathbf{typedef}\;\mathrm{port}\mathrm{-ref}\;\{
29
30
      type string;
31
32
33
     grouping port-sap-vxlan {
      leaf vxlan {type string;} // for example
34
35
      // container vx_lan {
           leaf remote_ip { type string; }
36
37
           leaf local_ip { type string; }
           leaf tunnel_key { type uint32; }
38
      // }
39
40
41
     grouping port-type {
42
      leaf port_type {type string;} // TODO: enumerated
43
      choice port-type {
44
        description "Different port types: abstract and SAPs";
45
        case port-abstract {
46
          leaf capability { type string; }
47
48
49
        case port-sap {
50
          choice sap-type {
            case vx-lan { // for example
51
52
              uses port-sap-vxlan;
```

```
53
55
56
57
58
     grouping port {
59
       uses id-name;
60
61
       uses port-type;
62
63
            ----- FLOW CONTROLS -----
64
65
66
      grouping flowentry {
       leaf port {
67
         type port-ref;
68
         mandatory true;
69
70
       leaf match {
71
         type string;
72
         mandatory true;
73
74
       leaf action {
75
76
         type string;
77
         mandatory true;
78
79
       container resources{
80
         uses link-resource;
81
82
83
84
85
      grouping flowtable {
       container flowtable {
86
87
         list flowentry {
           key "port match action";
88
           uses flowentry;
89
90
91
92
     }
93
      // ----- LINKS -----
94
95
      {\bf grouping}\ {\rm link-resource}\ \{
96
97
       leaf delay {
98
         type string;
99
         mandatory false;
100
       leaf bandwidth {
101
102
         type string;
         mandatory false;
103
104
105
106
      grouping link {
107
       uses id-name;
108
109
       leaf src {
```

```
{\rm type\ port-ref};
110
111
        leaf dst {
112
113
          {\rm type\ port-ref};
114
115
        container resources{
116
          uses link-resource;
117
118
119
      {\bf grouping}\ {\rm links}\ \{
120
        container links {
121
          list link {
122
            key "src dst";
123
            uses link;
124
125
        }
126
127
      }
128
      // ----- CAPABILITIES -----
129
130
      grouping capabilities {
131
        {\bf container} supported_NFs { // if supported NFs are enumerated
132
          list node{
133
            key "id";
134
            uses node;
135
136
137
        // TODO: add other capabilities
138
139
140
      // ----- NODE -----
141
142
      grouping software-resource {
143
144
        leaf cpu {
145
          type string;
          mandatory true;
146
147
        leaf mem {
148
149
          type string;
          mandatory true;
150
151
        leaf storage {
152
153
          type string;
          mandatory true;
154
155
156
      }
157
      grouping node {
158
        description "Any node: infrastructure or NFs";
159
        {\bf uses} \ {\rm id-name-type};
160
161
        container ports {
          list port{
162
163
            key "id";
            uses port;
164
165
166
        }
```

```
167
       uses links;
168
       container resources{
        uses software—resource;
169
170
171
172
     {\bf grouping} in
fra—node { // they can contain other nodes (as NFs)
173
174
       uses node;
       container NF_instances {
175
        list node{
176
          key "id";
177
          uses node;
178
179
180
       {\bf container}\ {\bf capabilities}\ \{
181
182
        uses capabilities;
183
184
       uses flowtable;
185
186
187
188
     189
          ______
190
     container virtualizer {
191
       description "Container for a single virtualizer";
192
       uses id-name;
193
194
       container nodes{
195
196
        list node{ // infra nodes
          key "id";
197
198
          uses infra-node;
199
200
       uses links; // infra links
201
202
     }
203 }
```