

IETF New WG: I2NSF (Interface to Network Security Functions) to Mitigate DDoS attacks

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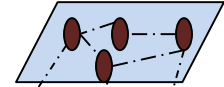
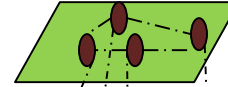
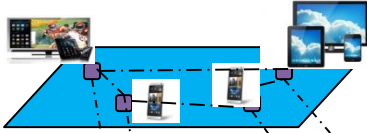
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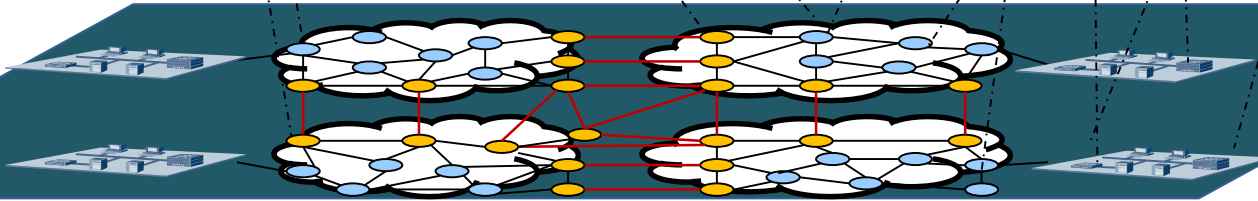
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More and More Overlay Networks

Overlay Network
for Video
conference



Overlay
Network for
CDN, or IoT

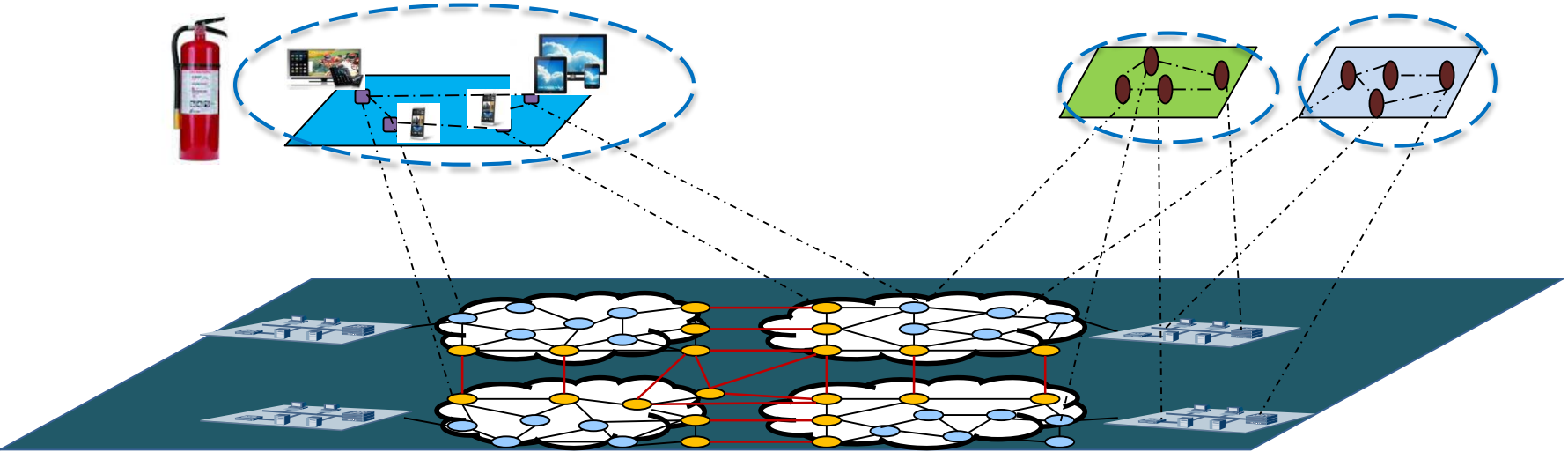


Shared Network: routers, switches, service functions (virtual/physical)

Security for Overlay Network

The State of Being Free from Danger or Threat:

- Confidentiality, Integrity, Authentication, Access control } Overlay Network
- Shelter from unwanted data (DDoS attack, malicious attack, etc) } Underlay Network
- Guaranteed delivery among the nodes in the overlay

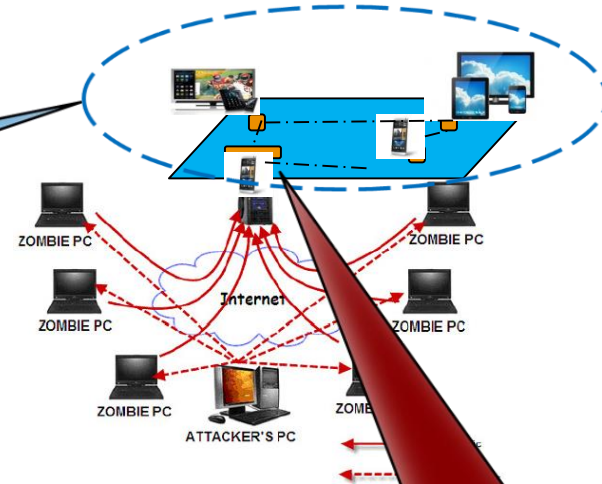


Security and Privacy are the Cornerstones for Overlay Network

- BYOD on steroid, Billions moving end points,
- DDoS attacks: more diverse, sophisticated and larger

pre-defined packet header (e.g. Src/Dst, TCP/UDP) can be compromised

- inline dedicated devices not only are too expensive, but also becomes bottleneck
- E2E encryption no longer enough.
- Today's static security solutions can no longer catch up with the ever changing and complex security threats.



Key:
Allow Applications/clients to control what traffic they are willing to receive, when to receive, and how.

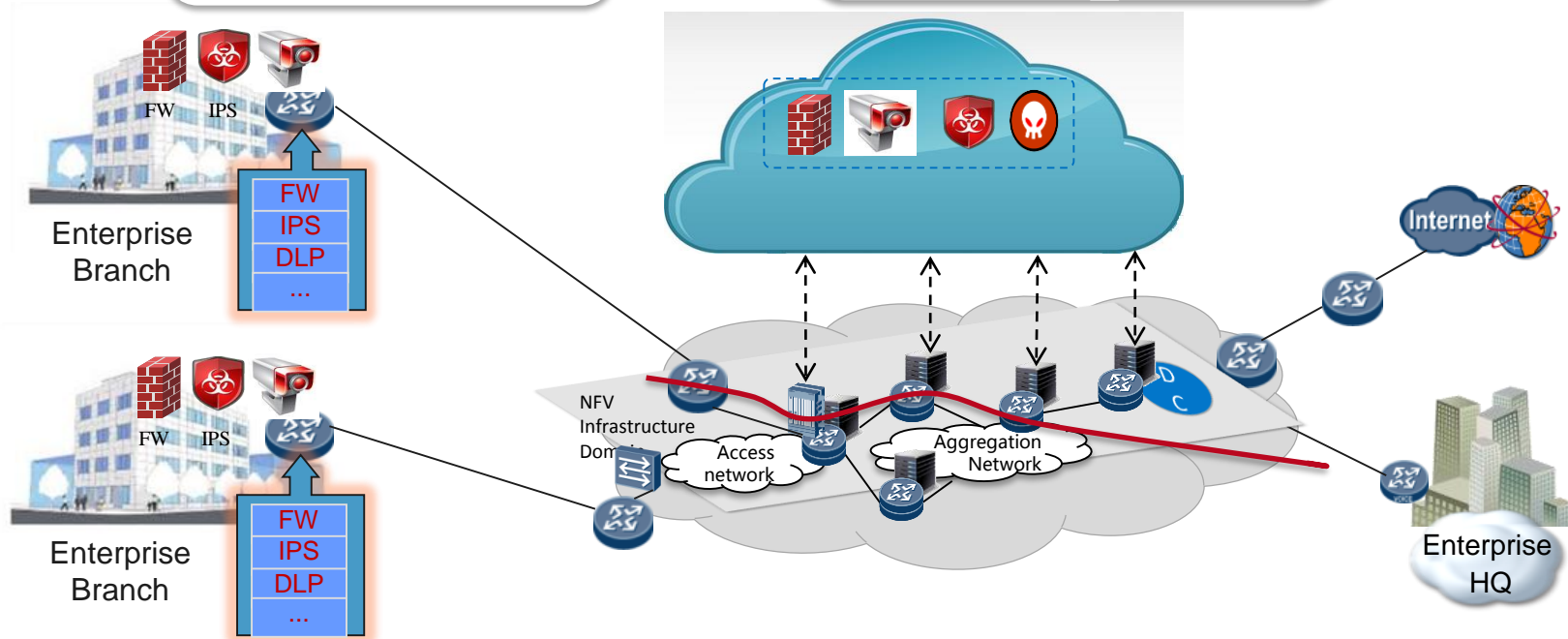
Automation with Virtual Network Functions in Networks ➔

Key Driver for Standardized Interface for Dynamic Rules

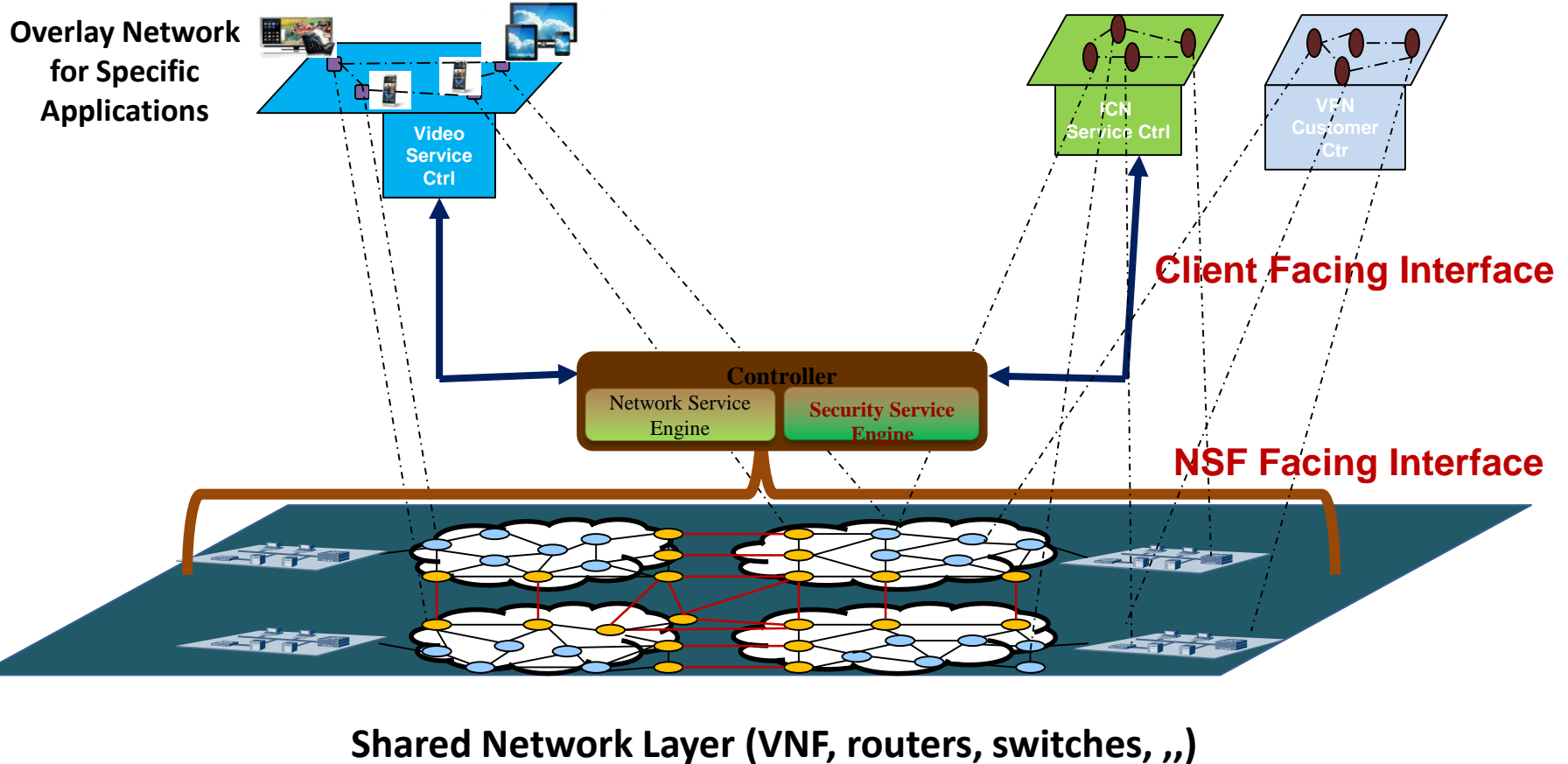
- Reduced need for appliances at the branch
- Easy service delivery
- Open, unified interface to NSF

- Results

- Simpler Branch network security
- Lower OPEX/CAPEX for enterprise
- New revenue opportunity for operator
- Automated deployment



I2NSF Framework



Interface to Network Security Functions – I2NSF

- **Charter:**

<http://datatracker.ietf.org/wg/i2nsf/charter/>

- **Mailing List:**

<https://www.ietf.org/mailman/listinfo/i2nsf>

- **Working Group Drafts (need your input):**

- [draft-ietf-i2nsf-problem-and-use-cases-02](#)

I2NSF Problem Statement and Use cases

- [draft-ietf-i2nsf-framework-03](#)

Framework for Interface to Network Security Functions

- [draft-ietf-i2nsf-terminology-01](#)

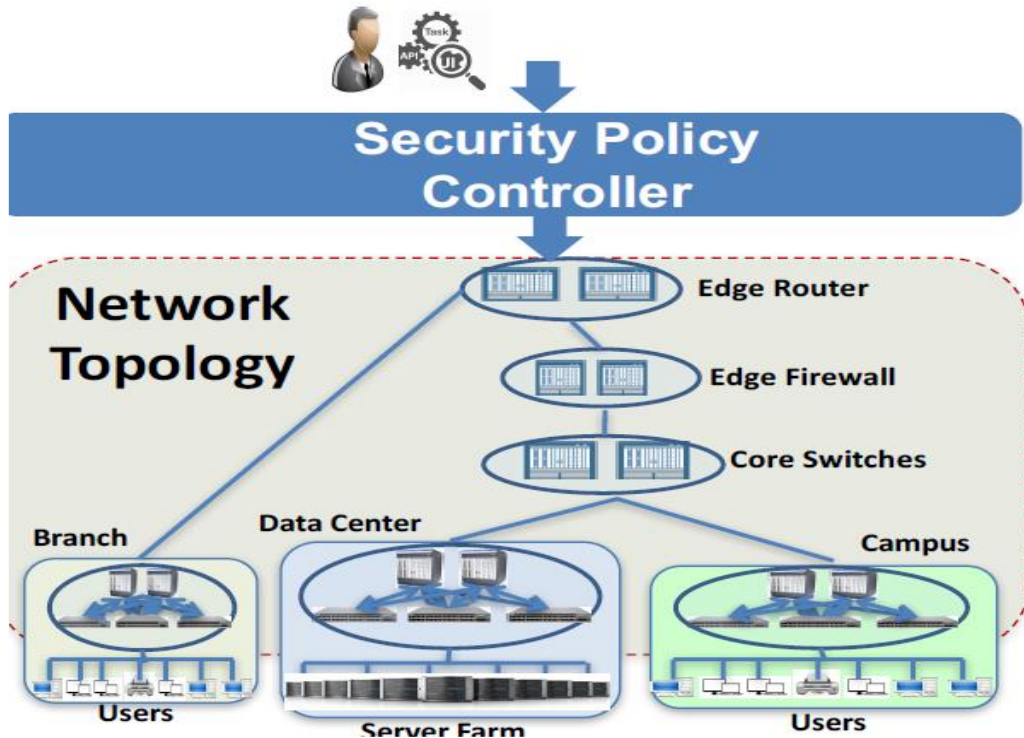
Interface to Network Security Functions (I2NSF) Terminology

- [draft-ietf-i2nsf-gap-analysis-02](#)

Analysis of Existing work for I2NSF

One vendor implementation

<https://youtu.be/MXzJump81zA>



- Security Controller
 - A policy controller
- Northbound Interface
 - Security admin interface
 - Policy abstraction
 - Data model driven
- Southbound Interface
 - Security function interface
 - Vendor, Device, Feature agnostic
 - Data model driven
- Secure Network Fabric
 - Policy Enforcement Points

Thank You
Any Questions?