

0	128	64	32	16	8	4	2	1	<b>Private IPv4 addresses</b>  10.0.0.0/8 10.0.0.0 →10.255.255.255  172.16.0.0/12 172.16.0.0→172.31.255.255  192.168.0.0/16 192.168.0.0→192.168.255.255     224.0.0.0 →239.255.255.255 Multicast   *Wildcard bit subtract 255		
/24	/25	/26	/27	/28	/29	/30	/31	/32			
	128	192	224	240	248	252	254	255			
1Q	0.5Q	0.25Q	0.125Q								
	802.11 MAC Frame Format										
		FC	DIR	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	SEQ	ADD4		DATA	FCS
	/23	/22	/21	/20	/19	/18	/17	/16			
	254	252	248	240	224	192	128	0			
	2Q	4Q	8Q	16Q	32Q	64Q	128Q	256Q			
# of hosts	512	1,024	2,048	4,096	8,192	16,384	32,768	65,536			

<b>IPv6 Multicast Scope</b>  Interface Local → FF01::/16 Link Local → FF02::/16(not route) Site Local → FF05::/16 Organizational Local → FF08::/16 Global → FF0E::/16	<b>EUI-64</b>  48bits MAC → 64-bit interfaceID  1. Divide MAC add. half 1234 5678 90AB → 123456   78 90AB 2. Insert FF FE in the middle 1234 56FF FE78 90AB 3. Invert 7th bit	<b>IPv6 vs IPv4 Multicast</b>  All hosts - FF02::1 → 224.0.0.1 All routers - FF02::2 → 224.0.0.2 All OSPF routers - FF02::5 → 224.0.0.5 All OSPF DRs/BDRs - FF02::6 → 224.0.0.6 All RIP routers - FF02::9 → 224.0.0.9 All EIGRP routers - FF02::A → 224.0.0.10	<b>IPV6 NDP,DAD</b>  No Broadcast in IPv6 NDP replaces ARP NS (ICMPv6 Type 135) RS → all routers to ID-FF02::2 RA → all nodes via FF02::1 DAD → Duplicate Add. Detection
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<b>STP</b>  ID → {Bridge Priority (32,768) + MAC} (↑lowest) BLOCKING(DISCARDING) Speed(Mbps) → Cost LISTENING ————— 10 → 100 LEARNING ————— 100 → 19 FORWARDING ————— 1G → 4 Hello 2 seconds ————— 10G → 2 Max age/dead timer (2*10) 20 seconds IEEE → Cisco STP 802.1D → PVST+ RSTP 802.1w → Rapid PVST+ Multiple STP(802.1s)	<b>EtherChannel</b>  PAGP (Cisco) → LACP(IEEE) 8 channels / interface → 16 (8 standby) Auto + Auto (No negotiation) → Passive + Passive Auto + Desirable (Successful) → Passive + Active Auto + On (No negotiation) → Passive + On Desirable + Desirable (Successful) → Active+Active  <b>FHRP</b>  HSRP(Active/Standby) 0000.0c07.acXX Group # HSRP v2 0000.0c9F.FXXX (Cisco) VRRP (Master/Backup) 0000.5e00.01XX (IEEE) GLBP (AVG/AVF) 0007.b400.XXYY (Cisco)	<b>ACL</b>  Standard 1-99, 1300-1999 → Destination Extended 100-199, 2000-2699 → Source One ACL per direction per protocol (4/int)  <b>CDP vs LLDP (802.1AB)</b>  Enabled by default → Disabled by default messages 60 secs → 30 secs holdtime 180 secs → 120 secs no cdp run → lldp run no cdp enable → lldp transmit/receive
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OSPF

Cost(100 default)=ref. bandwidth / interface bandwidth

Down	Init	2-way	Exstart	Exchange	Loading	Full
	DR/BDR			LSDB/LSA	LRS/LSAck	

HELLO 10seconds, DEAD 40seconds (by default)

DBD - summary of LSDB

LSR - request specific LSAs from neighbor

LSU - send specific LSAs to neighbor

Router-ID

1. manually configured

2. highest loopback int. IPs

3. highest physical int. IPs

	AD
Connect	0
Static	1
eBGP	20
EIGRP	90
OSPF	110
IS-IS	115
RIP	120
iBGP	200

NTP (UDP Port 123)

R1#show clock

R1#show clock detail

R1#calendar set

R1#clock update-calendar (clock read-c)

Stratum 0 (ref./atomic/GPS clock) 15max

server,client, symmetric active mode

<b>DHCP (DORA)</b>  Discover - client → server (broadcast) Offer - server → client(broadcast/unicast) Request - client → server(broadcast) Ack - server → client(unicast)  ip helper-address 192.168.10.10 (server) R1#show ip dhcp binding 1/2 lease time, client renews IP lease	<b>SNMP Architecture</b> 	<b>SNMP</b>  SNMPv1 - original version SNMPv2c - Community string as passwords SNMPv3 - Encryption & Authentication Read-NMS → Devices (Get,GetNext,GetBulk) Write- NMS → Devices (Set) Notification - Devices → NMS (Trap, Inform) Response - (Response)
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<b>Syslog</b>  Emergency 0 Alert 1 Critical 2 Error 3 Warning 4 Notice 5 Informational 6 Debugging 7 (default)	<b>NAT</b>  Inside local → Inside global → Outside global → Outside local R1(config)#ip nat inside source list 1 interface g0/0 overload  <b>Port Security</b>  Shutdown (err disable, syslog/SNMP, violation counter +1) Restrict (not disable, discard traffic, violation counter +1) Protect (not disable, no syslog/SNMP, discard traffic, no count)	<b>Redundancy</b>  Single Homed → 1 SP, 1 Connection Dual Homed → 1 SP, 2 Connections  Multi-Homed → 2SPs, 1 Connection Dual Multi-Homed → 2SPs, 2 Connections
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QoS

- One way delay - 150ms or less
- Jitter - 30ms or less
- Loss - 1% or less
- Bandwidth

PCP value	Traffic types
0	Best effort (default)
1	Background
2	Excellent effort
3	Critical applications
4	Video
5	Voice
6	Internetwork control
7	Network control

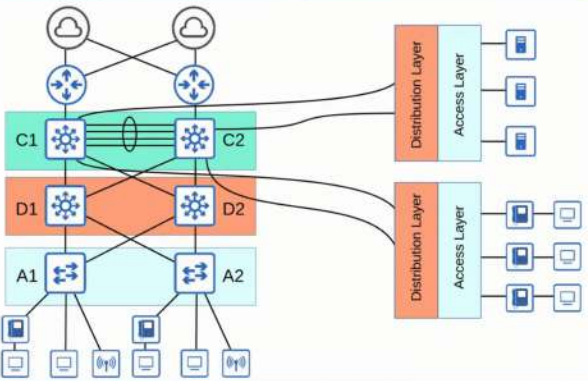
IPP (3 bits)& DSCP (6 bits)

Lowest drop precedence →			High
High Priority	AF41	AF42	AF43
	(34)	(36)	(38)
↑	AF31	AF32	AF33
	(18)	(20)	(22)
↑	AF21	AF22	AF23
	(18)	(20)	(22)
↑	AF11	AF12	AF13
Lowest Priority	(10)	(12)	(14)

LAN ARCHITECTURE

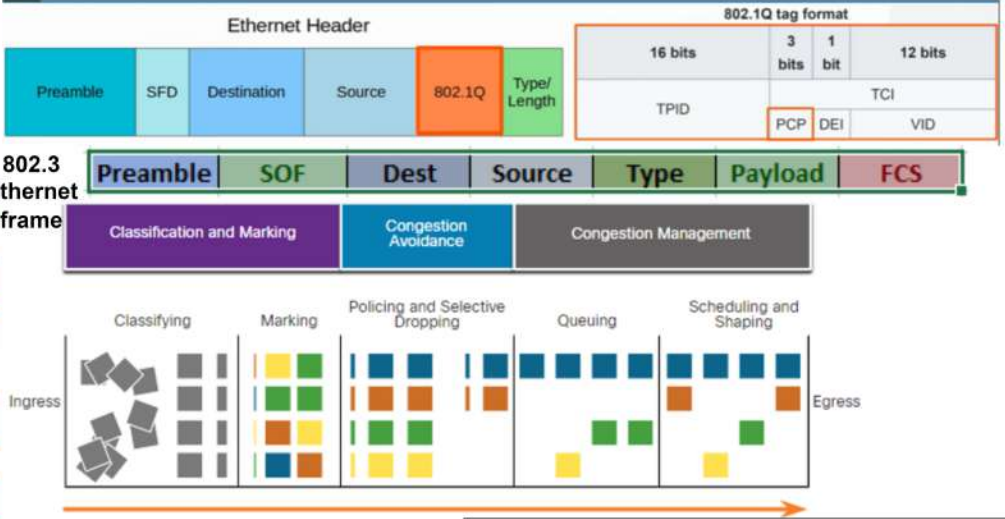
Three-tier (Core,Distribution, Access)  
Two-tier (Collapsed Core) (Distribution, Access)  
Spine-leaf(Spines↔Leaves,Not to each other)

Core Layer → speed/fast transport →Dist. Layer  
Dist. Layer → aggregates/connects to WAN & 🌐  
Access Layer → connects end hosts, QoS, port security, DAI, PoE APs, IP phones



802.1X Probe Request

- Management: used to manage BSS
  - Beacon
  - Probe request/response
  - Authentication
  - Association request/response
- Control: used to control access to medium (radio F.)
  - RTS (Request to Send)
  - CTS (Clear to Send)
  - ACK
- Data: used to send actual data packets.



Wi-Fi

- 2.4GHz non overlap → 1,6,11 (5GHz has none)
- CSMA/CD - wired avoidance half duplex
- CSMA/CA - wireless avoidance half duplex
- Signals are affected by Absorption, Reflection, Diffraction, and Scattering.

Gen.	IEEE	GHz
Wi-Fi 7	802.11be	2.4/5/6
Wi-Fi 6&6E	802.11ax	2.4/5/6
Wi-Fi 5	802.11ac	5
Wi-Fi 4	802.11n	2.4/5

Wireless LAN

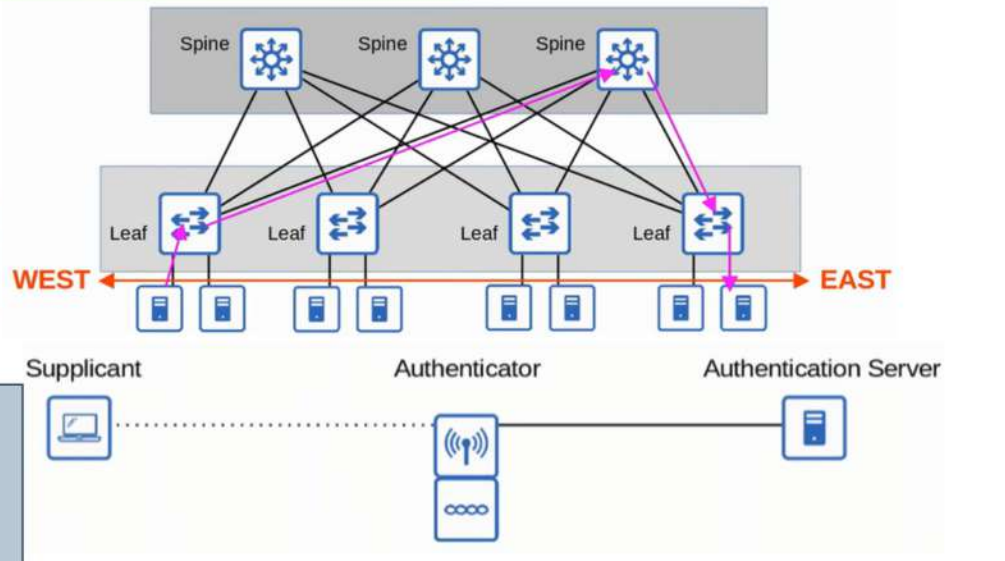
Three types of Service Sets

- IBSS (ad hoc) independent
- Infrastructure (BSS, ESS) passing btw APs in a ESS roaming
- Mesh (MBSS)

SSID (not unique human readable)  
BSSID (unique MAC add. of AP)  
upstream wired network is DS

Service Sets

- ESS (Extended Service Set)
- AP with own BSS connected by wired network
- Each BSS→ same SSID
- Each BSS has unique BSSID (MAC add. of APs)
- Each BSS uses different channel to avoid inf.
- BSA should overlap 10-15%
- Roaming seamlessly



WLC

- WLC ↔ lightweight APs use CAPWAP tunnels
- Control tunnel UDP port 5246
- Data tunnel UDP port 5247

Credits  
@JeremysITLab  
@CiscoNetAcad  
@Any original authors

This cHeatsHeet is designed by  
in @Henori100



# Network Automation

## Logical Planes

- Data plane → forward data/traffic (802.1qVlantags, NAT, ACLs, port security)
- Control plane → routing table, MAC tables, ARP, STP, etc
- Management → SSH/Telnet, Syslog, SNMP, NTP

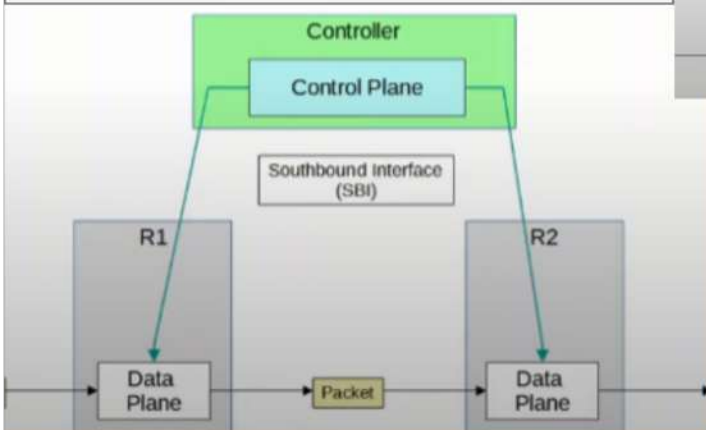
## Southbound Interface (SBI)

- SBI → communicates btw controller and all network devices

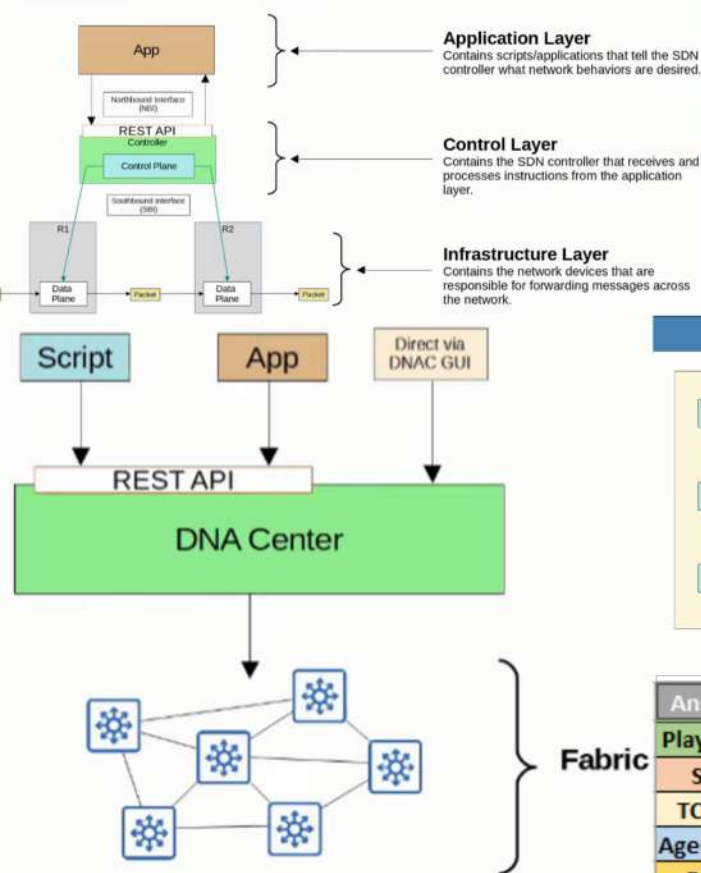
APIs facilitate data exchanges between programs

Some examples of SBIs:

- OpenFlow
- Cisco OpFlex
- Cisco onePK (Open Network Environment Platform Kit)
- NETCONF

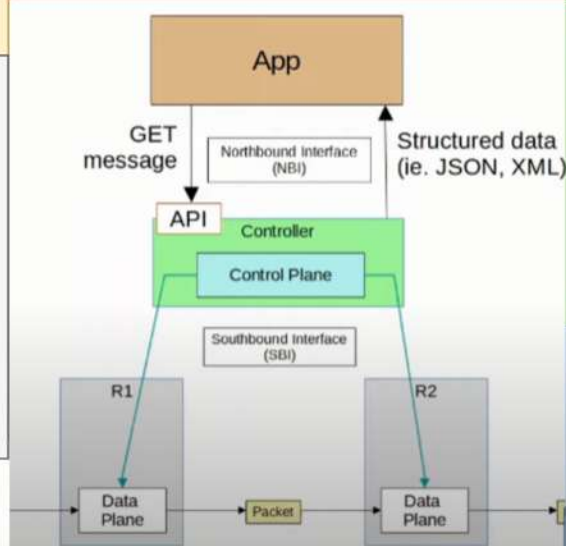


SDN Architecture



## Northbound Interface (NBI)

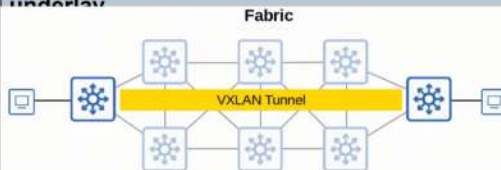
- NBI → uses SBI to communicate with all managed devices and gathers
- networked devices, topology, available interfaces, their configurations
- A Rest API is used on the controller as an interface for apps to interface with it.
- Data is sent in a structured (serialized) format such as JSON or XML



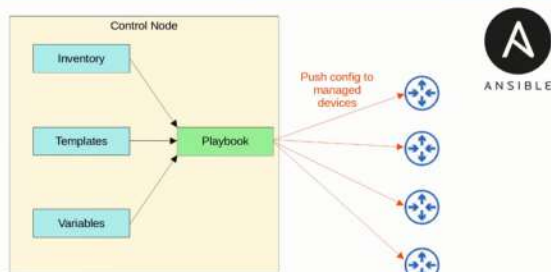
## Cisco SD Access

- SD-Access is SDN solution for automating campus LANs
- **ACI** automating Data Center
- **SD-WAN** automating WANs
- Cisco DNA is the **controller** at the center of SD-Access.

- Underlay → physical network of devices and connections (IP connectivity IS-IS)
- Overlay → virtual network built ↑ physical underlay network
- SD-Access uses VXLAN to build tunnels
- Fabric → combination of overlay and underlay



Ansible



Ansible	Puppet	Chef
Playbook	Manifest	Recipe, Run-list
SSH	HTTPS (via REST API)	HTTPS (via REST API)
TCP 22	8140	10002
Agentless	Agent-based	Agent-based
Push	Pull	Pull

## REST APIs

- Uniform interface
- Client-server
- Stateless
- Cacheable or non-cacheable
- Layered system
- Code-on-demand (optional)

## JSON

- REST API often uses JSON
- Whitespace is **insignificant**
- Four 'primitive' data types:
  - String, Number, Boolean, Null
- Two structured data types
  - Object and Array

## YAML

- Used in Ansible
- Whitespace is **Significant**

## Ansible

- written in Python (Red Hat)
- Push Model, **Agentless**, Uses SSH to connect to devices, make configuration changes, extract info.
- Playbooks (written in YAML)
- Inventory (written INI, YAML)
- Templates (in Jinja2)
- Variables (in YAML)

## Puppet

- written in Ruby
- Pull Model, **Agent-based**
- Puppet master/server
- Client uses TCP8140 → Master
- Proprietary language for files
- Manifest, Templates

## Chef

- written in Ruby
- Pull Model, **Agent-based**
- Not all Cisco devices support
- Server → TCP10002, files → DSL
- Resources: Recipes, Cookbooks, Run-list