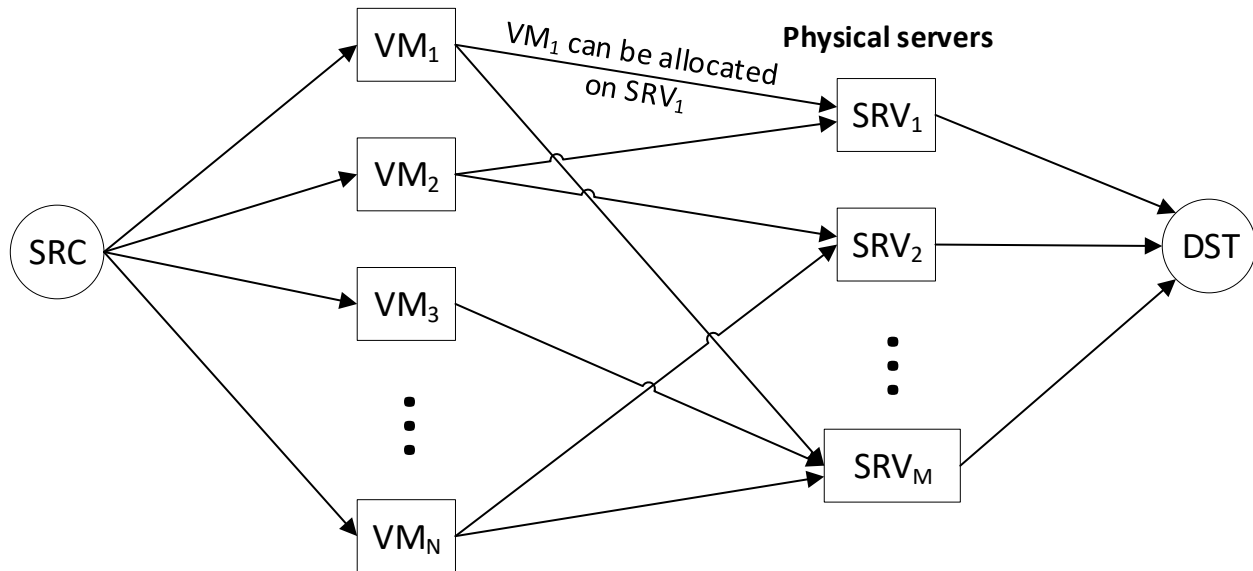
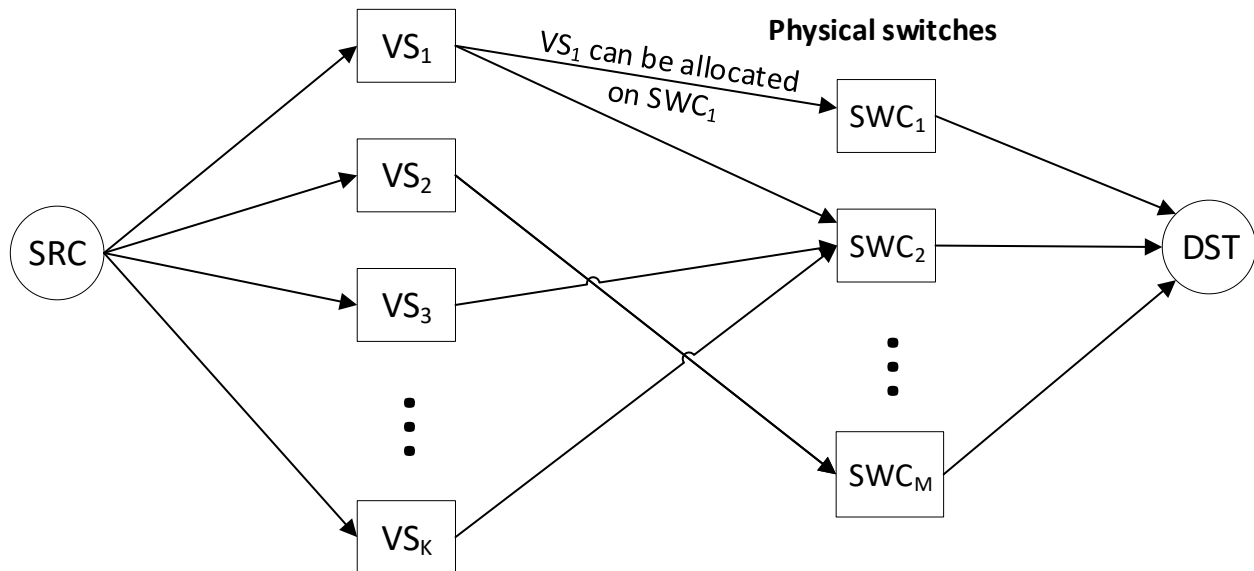


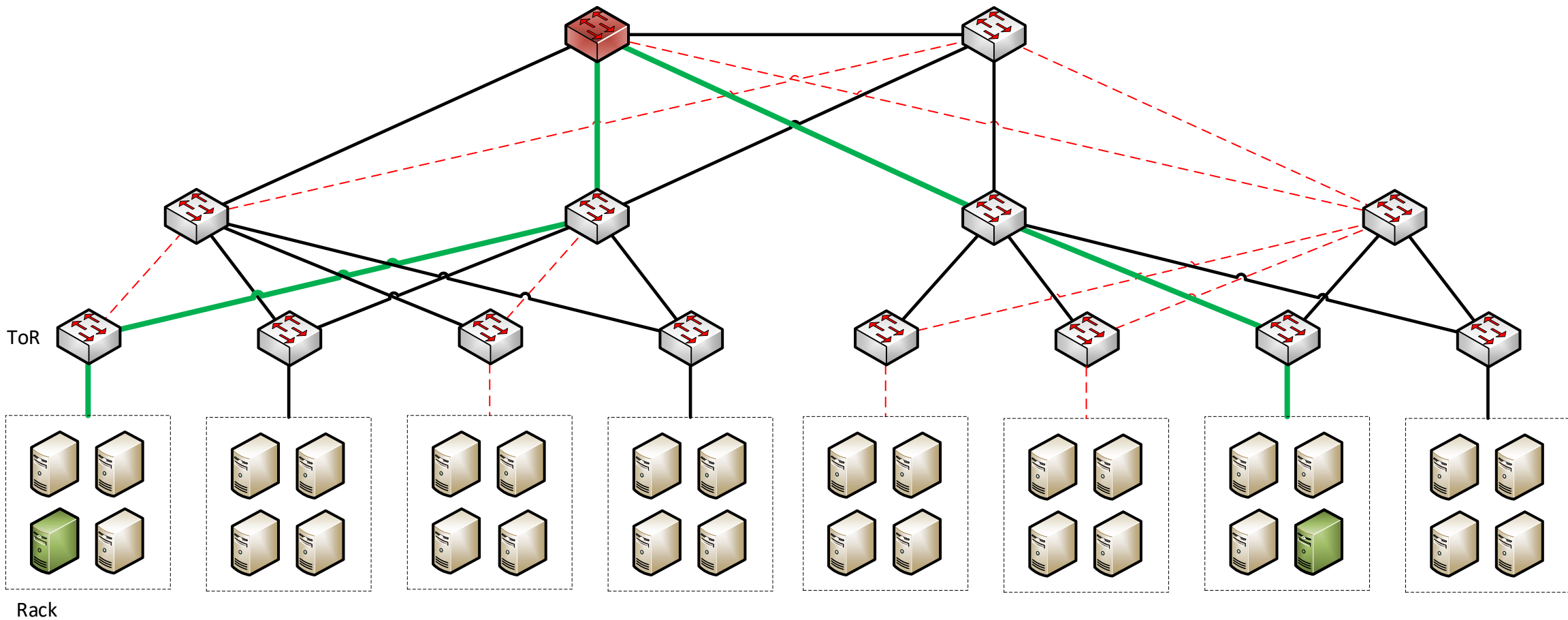
**VMs sorted according to a  
requested resource capacity  
in a descending order**



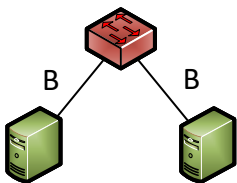
**Virtual switches**

**Physical switches**





**Allocation request:**



**Link having insufficient residual bandwidth:**



**Link having insufficient residual bandwidth:**



**Links on the shortest path:**

