RIPE71 - IBNEMO BOF Intent Based Network Modeling (IBNEMO)

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Gap between APP and Network

- APP wants
 - A connection between two sites

APP doesn't want

Configurations of each device between two sites

A service flow with SLA

Flow entries in each device

A customer network service chain

Tunnel, ACL, PBR configurations of different devices

NEMO language for intent based network modeling



15 simple statement for hundreds of complex APIs

Resource Access			
	node		Node/UnNode entity_id Type (FN PN LN) Properties key1,value1
Entity Model	link		Link/UnLink entity_id Endnodes (node1_id,node2_id) Properties key1,value1
	flow		Flow/UnFlow entity_id Match/UnMatch key1, value1 Range(value, value)
Policy and Event			
Capability Model	Query		Query key Value {value} From entity_id
	Policy		Policy/UnPolicy policy_id Appliesto entity_id Condition{expression} Action { "forwardto" "drop" "gothrough" "bypass" "guaranteeSLA" "Set" "Packetout " Node UnNode Link Unlink}
	Notifica-tion		Notification entity_idOn key Every period RegisterListener callbackfunc
Model			
De Node definition NodeN		NodeN	Nodel <node_type> Property { <data_type> : <property_name> }</property_name></data_type></node_type>
Link definition LinkM		LinkMo	odel <link_type> Property { <data_type> : <property_name> }</property_name></data_type></link_type>
Action definition Act		Action	Model <action_name> parameter { <data_type> : <property_name> }</property_name></data_type></action_name>

Network application/user use NEMO Language to programming their service

NEMO Language is an Intent oriented network DSL (domain specific language), which is a language style network open interface. Operator/End-user or 3rd party can use it to program network resource and behavior in their service applications.

NEMO Engine is a network middleware, which translate high level service intent to real network instruction base on MDA(Model Driven Architecture).

NEMO is now an OpenDaylight project coming with Beryllium release. https://wiki.opendaylight.org/view/NEMO:Main

Use case : Virtual Private Cloud

• Operator provide virtual private cloud service for enterprises.

- ^p Need to allocate two zones in the VPC for security issue.
- ^p DMZ provide http/email/video services for access from internet.
- P Interior provide compute and storage resources for existing enterprise site.
- P Provide BoD capability on the WAN connection.
 - E.g, increase bandwidth when cloud bursting or backup



Use case: End to End Carrier Network

• The enterprise outsources their CPE business to the service provider.

- ^p The Branch site applies chained services in the vCPE before accessing WAN.
- The enterprise requests BoD in WAN between the branch and the headquarter for different bandwidth requirements, e.g., day/work and night/backup.
- The NEMO programmed logic runs on the Super controller and instruct domain controller to accomplish network service provisioning and policy applying.



An Example: Bandwidth on Demand (B2B) DOCSIS

- There is a virtual link between the branch and headquarter offices.
 - \circ The bandwidth of the vlink can be adjusted on demand
 - The adjustment can be triggered by "conditions" meet, e.g. The bandwidth will be adjusted when the timing meets.



NEMO Editor in Eclipse

- Program a Eclipse plug-in that highlights the keywords
- Integrate with the IBNEMO project
 - Parse the NEMO language and compose the NEMO rest API.
 - Call rest client/lib to send the request.
- Reference:
- Hackathon implementation result: <u>https://github.com/paaguti-work/NEMO-IETF</u>

Why this BOF at RIPE71 ?

- Is IBNEMO of (potential) interest for Network Operators?
- Do you see immediate flaws/issues?
- Can you contribute use-cases
- Do you want to help with IRTF and/or IETF work on Intend Base Network Modelling
- Any questions you may have
- Do you at least want to participate in the discussion at
 - ibnemo@ietf.org mailing list
- Specifically we want to see operator input/ideas/comments
- Keep us honest and with 2 feet on the ground
- Do you want to play/experiment with early implementations

More Information/details

- mailing list ibnemo@ietf.org
- Open daylight Open Source: https://wiki.opendaylight.org/view/NEMO:Main
- Internet draft: https://tools.ietf.org/html/draft-hares-ibnemo-overview-01
- Related work in SUPA WG: http://tools.ietf.org/wg/supa/
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Thank You

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