

Kubernetes Native Infrastructure and Operator Framework for 5G Edge Cloud Computing

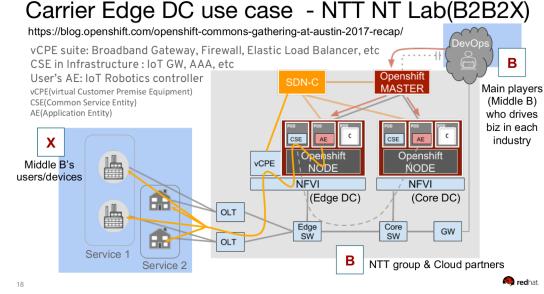
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OpenShift/K8s on OpenStack NFV session@OSS2018



OpenShift on OpenStack NFV B2B2X for SoE apps in OpenShift (in VM) on top of DCN(NFVI)



Innovation

4G

All IP packet

Carrier

Grade

Linux

Network Function

Virtualization

Distribute

Compute

Node

VNF

Multiaccess Edge Computing



5GC

Cloud native/Service Based Archtecture

CP and UPF separation

Network slicing

UPF offload (FPGA, Edge Switch Fabric)

vRAN CU-DU split

Heterogeneous Computing

CNF

DPDK(vCPU)

GPU

FPGA

Autonomous micro edge cloud Local 5G

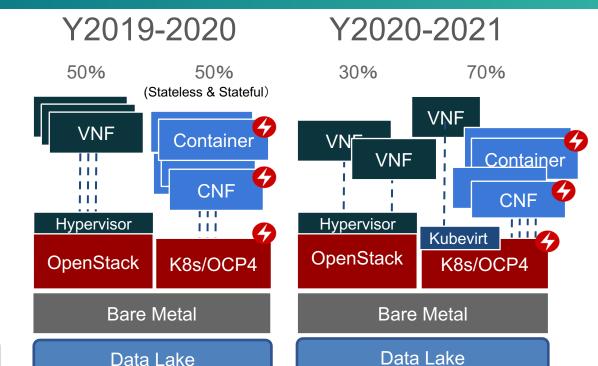
Edge Al platform(Intelligent Edge)
Data Lake /Data Hub



NFV Evolution to Kubernetes

Y2018-2019 70% 30% (IT SoE apps) **VNF** Container ПП \mathbf{I} K8s/OCP \mathbf{I} \mathbf{I} **Hypervisor** OpenStack **Bare Metal Data Lake**

SoE: System of Engagement







Agenda

- OpenShift/K8s on BM and Operator Framework for CNF
- KNI for 5G core service based architecture
- KNI for 5G radio access network
- KNI (Kubernetes Native Infrastructure) for 5G edge
- Summary





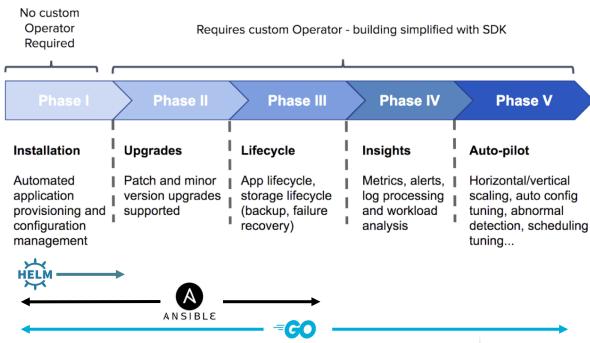
OpenShift/k8s on BM deployment and Operator Framework for CNF

Kubernetes Operators



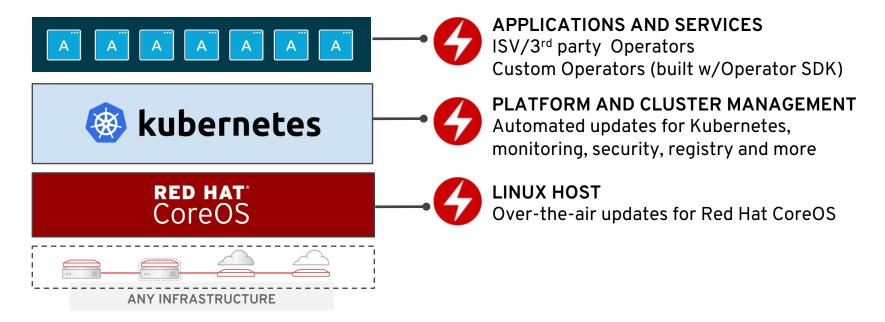
- Automate Day 2 lifecycle management of container applications in Kubernetes
- Leverage CRDs to deploy Kubernetes native services that can access Kube API events
- Operator SDK simplifies creation of Operators in Go (or leverage Helm or Ansible automation)

Operator Maturity Model





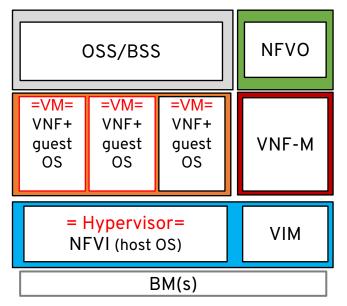
Full-Stack Automated Operations in OpenShift

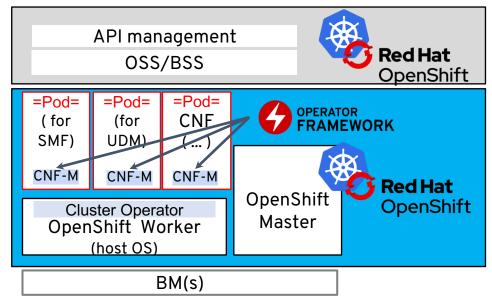




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Possibility for NFV architecture change by adapting Kubernetes Operator (OpenShift Operator framework)





 VNF

CNF

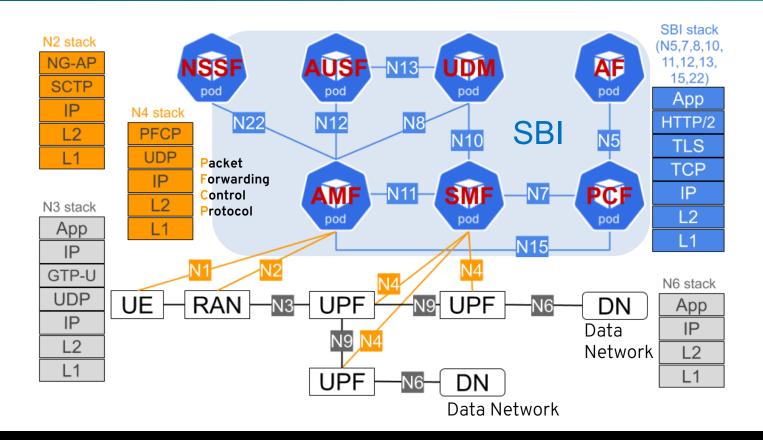




5GC Service Based Architecture on Kubernetes



5GC system architecture



Network

Slice

Selection

Function

Access &

Mobility mgmnt

Function

User

Plane

Function

AUthentication

Server

Function

Policy

Control

Function

Unified

Data

Management

Session

Management

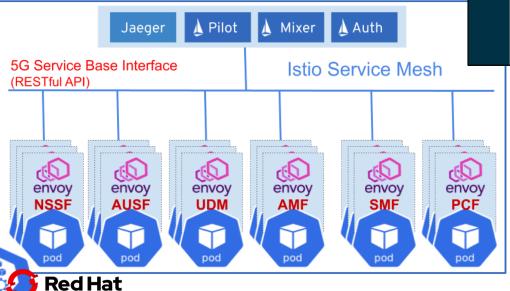
Function

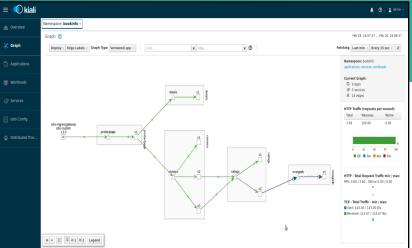


5G SBI and Service Mesh



OPENSHIFT SERVICE MESH

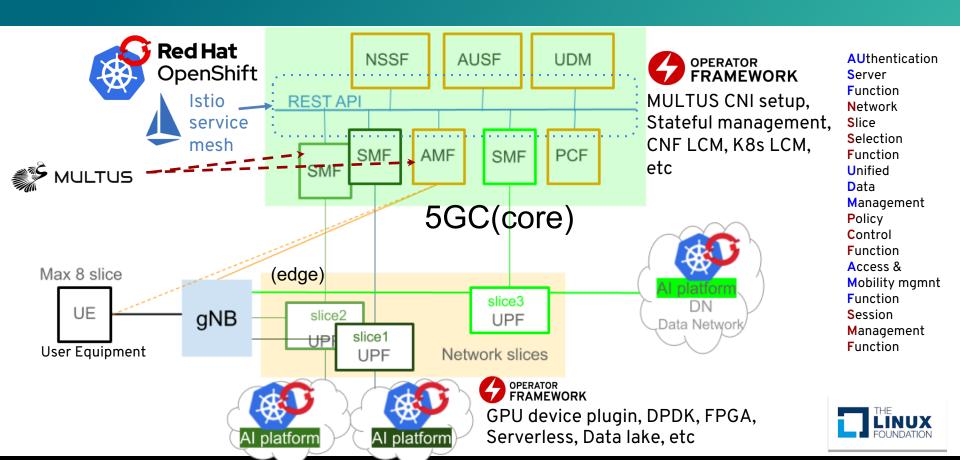




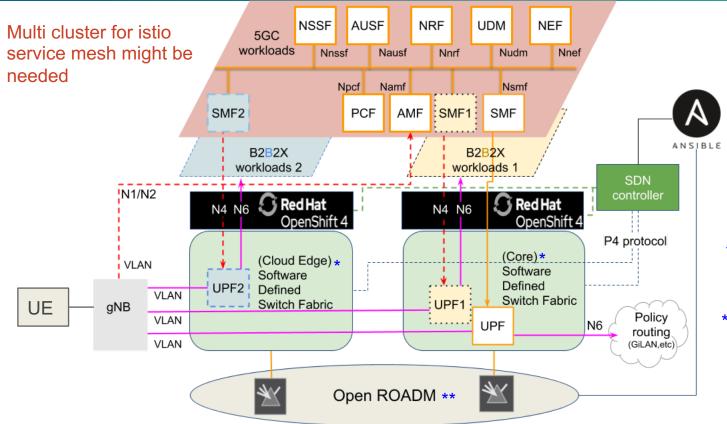
- A dedicated network for service to service communications
- Observability and distributed tracing
- Policy-driven security
- Routing rules & chaos engineering
- Powerful visualization & monitoring
- Will be available via OperatorHub

OpenShift

Service Mesh & 5GC SBA(Service-Based Architecture)



5G UPF and Network Slicing in Cloud edge fabric for B2B2X workloads and etc



Slice 1 for B2B2X workloads 1 : SMF1 & UPF1

Slice 2 for B2B2X workloads 2 : SMF2 & UPF2

- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1X5U4Jo0Jlw
- ** https://www.pilab.jp/ipop2 019/exhibition/WhitePaper iPOP2019.pdf





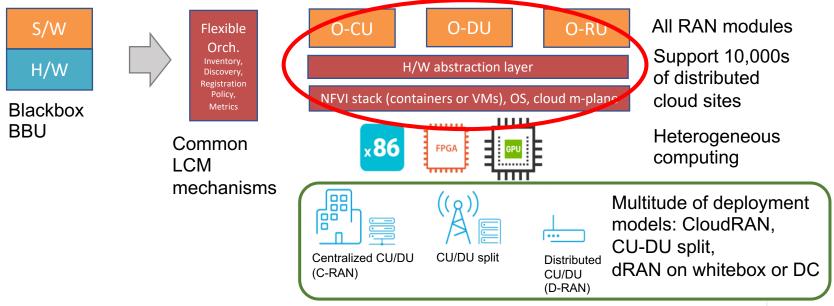
O-RAN alliance & RAN Cloudification w/ Kubernetes



3GPP & O-RAN alliance Policy Configuration RAN Intelligent Controller (RIC)non-RT Design Inventory Orchestration & Automation (e.g. ONAP): MANO, NMS **A1** 3GPP (e/g)NB RAN Intelligent Controller (RIC) near-RT **Applications Radio Connection** 3rd party Mobility QoS Interference Trained Mgmt Mgmt Mgmt Mgmt. Model Radio-Network Information Ba 3GPP CU E2: btw RIC near-RT and O-CU/O-DU Multi-RAT CU-CP CU-UP **E1** RRC **SDAP** O-CU Protocol PDCP-C PDCP-U Our focus NFVI Platform: Virtualization layer and COTS platform F1 OpenStack, OpenShift/k8s O-DU: RLC/MAC/PHY-high **Open Front Haul** 3GPP DU O-RU: PHY-low/RF

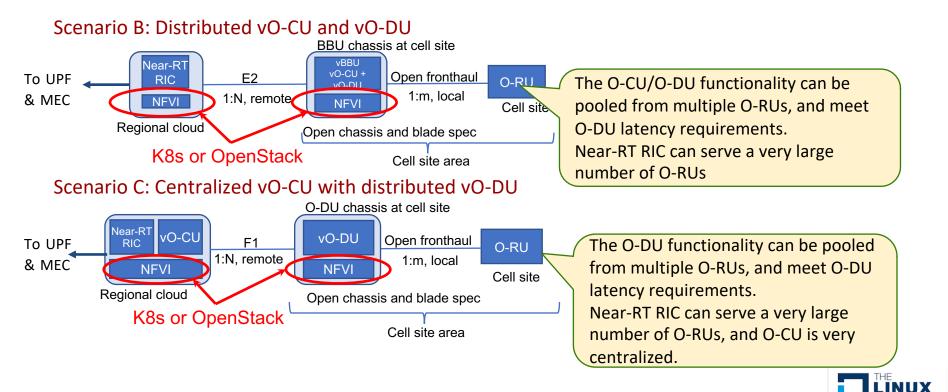
O-RAN alliance WG6

Decoupling of software from hardware for all RAN modules in all splits





Candidate WG6 Scenarios B,C



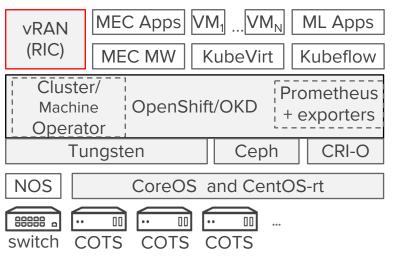


KNI Edge Kubernetes Native Infrastructure for Edge

Akraino Edge Stack project KNI-Edge Blueprints (in Progress)

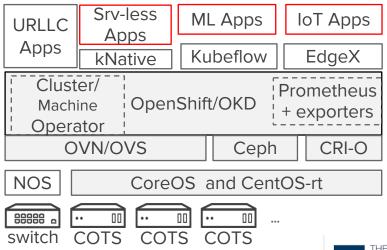
Provider Access Edge (PAE)

Optimized for real-time and networking performance for Containerized vRAN and MEC workloads.



Industrial Edge (IE)

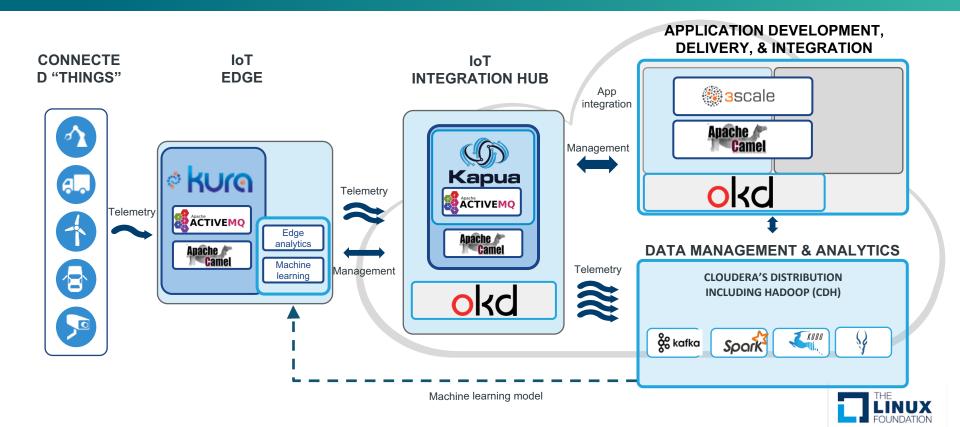
Optimized for small footprint and low-latency for IoT, serverless, and machine learning workloads.



https://wiki.akraino.org/display/AK/Kubernetes-Native+Infrastructure+%28KNI%29+Blueprint+Family



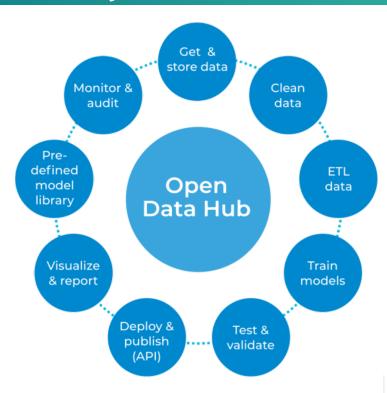
IoT Apps - Eclipse IoT project



ML Apps - OPEN DATA HUB

Collaborate on a Data & Al platform for the Edge Cloud & Core

A collection of open source and cloud components packaged in a "machine learning-as-a-service" platform to solve business problems.



End-to-end Security & Compliance





Al as a Service OpenShift reference

architecture

Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning



Seldon **MLFlow**

Scientist

Business Analyst

Engineer

ML Applications

Interactive Noteboks JupyterHub Open Data Hub **AI Library** Hue

Business Intelligence

Superset

Data Analysis

Big Data Processing

Spark Spark SQL Thrift

Streaming

Kafka Streams Elasticsearch

Data Exploration

Kibana

Metadata Management

Hive Metastore

Storage

Data Lake Red Hat® Ceph Storage

In-Memory Red Hat® Data Grid (Infinispan)

Relational Databases

PostgreSQL MySQL

Data in Motion

Red Hat® AMQ Streams (Kafka Strimzi)

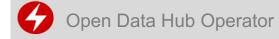
Red Hat® Ceph S3 API

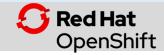
Kafka Connect

Logstash

Fluentd

rsyslog







https://opendatahub.io/news/2019-04-29/project-road-map-for-2019.html

Security & Monitoring & Orchestration Governance

Red Hat® **OpenShift OAuth**

Red Hat® Single Sign-On (Keycloak)

Red Hat® Ceph **Object Gateway**

Red Hat® 3scale



Prometheus

Grafana

Argo Workflows

Jenkins CI/CD





Red Hat OpenShift Hybrid Serverless

Developer experience APIs, CLI, service binding

Building blocks for serverless Source-centric and container-based

The leading enterprise Kubernetes

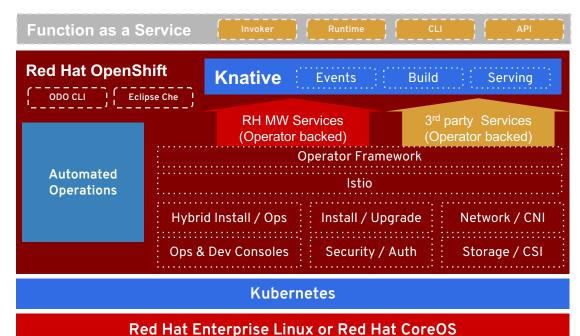
platform

Automated Operations

Build an run anywhere (Hybrid Cloud)



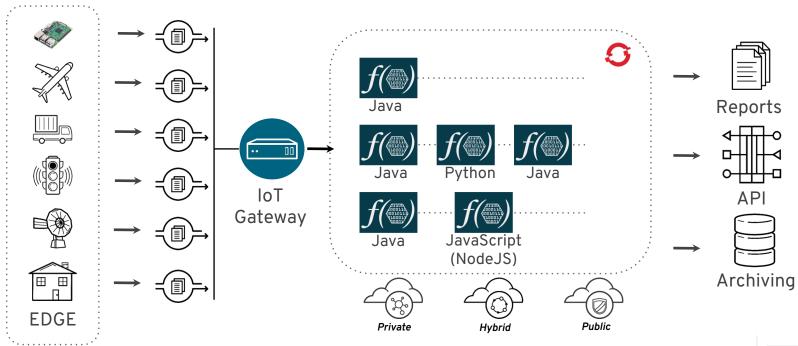




https://github.com/knative/eventing-sources



Serverless: IoT & Sensor







Summary



Summary

Kubernetes Native Infrastructure on Bare metal across Telco Core and Telco Edge

- a. Operator Framework for Site Reliability Engineering and Provider extension
 - i. Autonomous micro-cloud at Telco edge
 - ii. Digital Service Provider driven CNF apps management
- b. Service mesh for 5GC SBA
- c. UPF and Network slicing
- d. O-RAN CU/DU cloudification
- e. KNI for edge
 - i. ML as a Service and Open Data Hub at Telco node
 - ii. Challenge for Serverless at Telco edge node



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- https://github.com/operator-framework/community-operators
- https://commons.openshift.org/sig/operators.html
- #kubernetes-operators on the kubernetes slack
- https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/operator-framework



