



Emerging Technologies- Next Gen Architecture

SCTE Seminar

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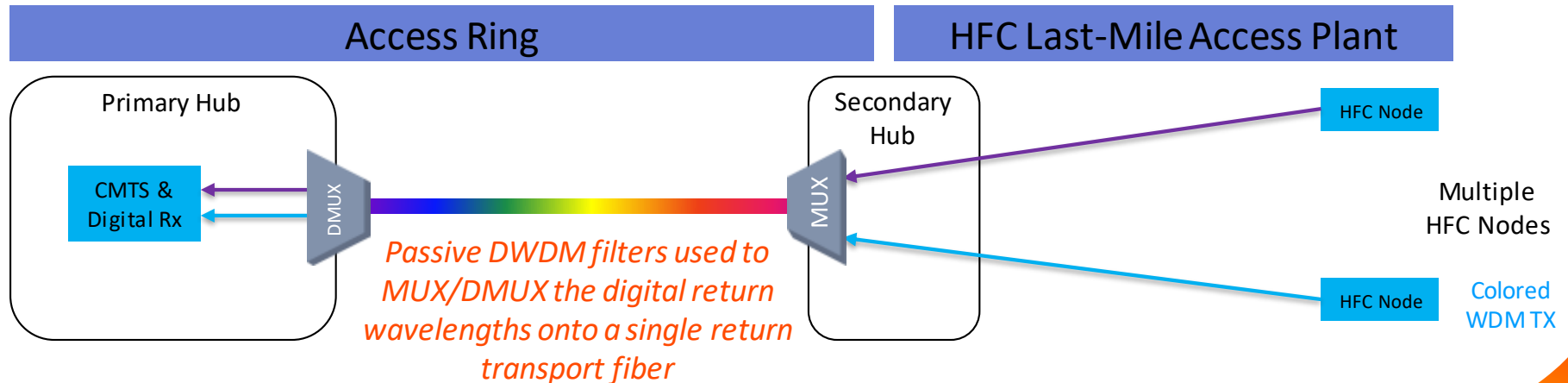


Digital Node Return

How we improve HFC today

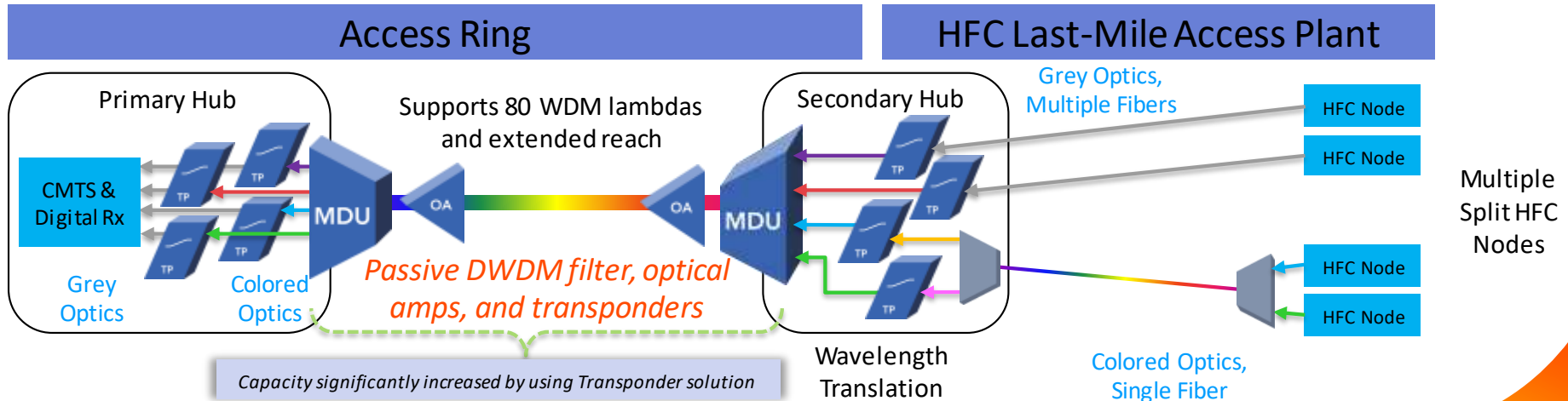
Passive Digital Return Transport Design

- ▶ Home-run WDM colored optics from node to digital return receiver
- ▶ Wavelength contention from multiple nodes to single access link
 - Complex channel and node planning
 - Limited available WDM channels (Optimal 40 channels max)
- ▶ Fiber constrained with limited optical reach budget
- ▶ Poor visibility of optical layer and service performance



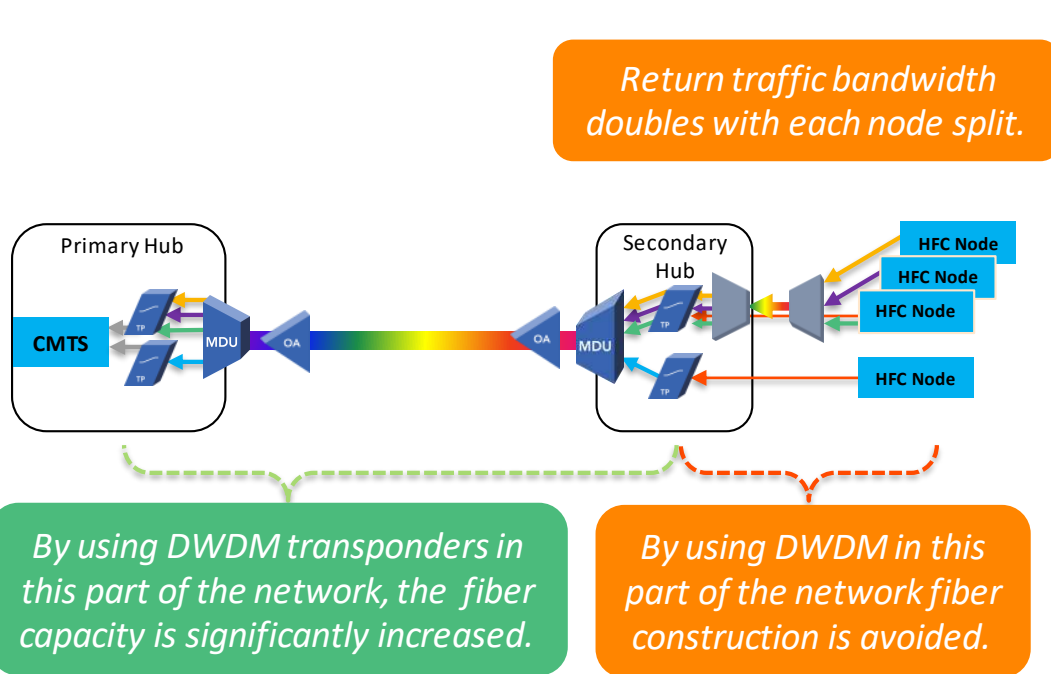
Node Splitting Transport Solution: *Digital Return*

- ▶ Clear demarcation for Digital return
- ▶ 80 channel path redundant DWDM solution for extended reach (~80 km)
- ▶ Unique transponder solution for proprietary signals
- ▶ Full network management support for uni-directional services



Reduces Fiber Construction

Infinera's node splitting transponder solution for digital return



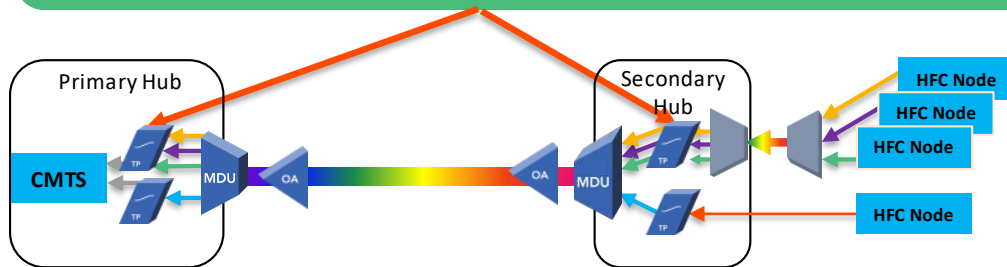
Benefits

- Improves network economics
- Reduces fiber construction throughout the network
- Re-uses scarce fiber resources

Improves Network Manageability

Infinera's node splitting transponder solution for digital return

Transponders give visibility to optical performance data for each individual digital node return. Performs 3R regeneration of digital signal for improved signal quality.



All access nodes use a common architecture with a non-wavelength specific "cookie cutter" design.

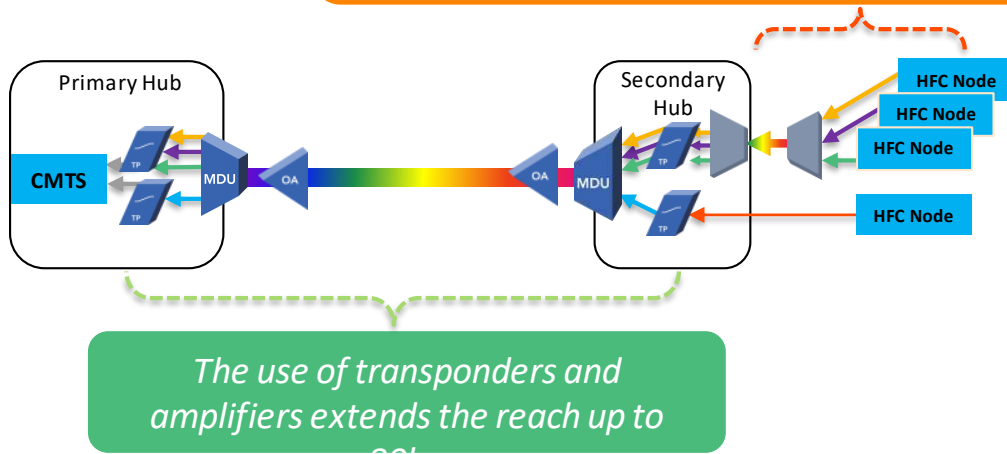
Benefits

- Simplified wavelength planning due to common architecture across nodes
- Performance monitoring data for each individual digital node return
- Easier troubleshooting

Improves Optical Performance

Infinera's node splitting transponder solution for digital return

Optical power budget now only needed between HFC node and Secondary Hub, *and not all the way to the Primary Hub.*



Benefits

- Extends reach and enables deep fiber access initiatives
- Enables simplified, flexible wavelength planning

The XTM Toolbox

Each NE can be customized & optimized to meet exact capacity demands.



- Three chassis size options. 300mm
- Line rates from 1G up to 200G.
- Optical filters from 1-80channels

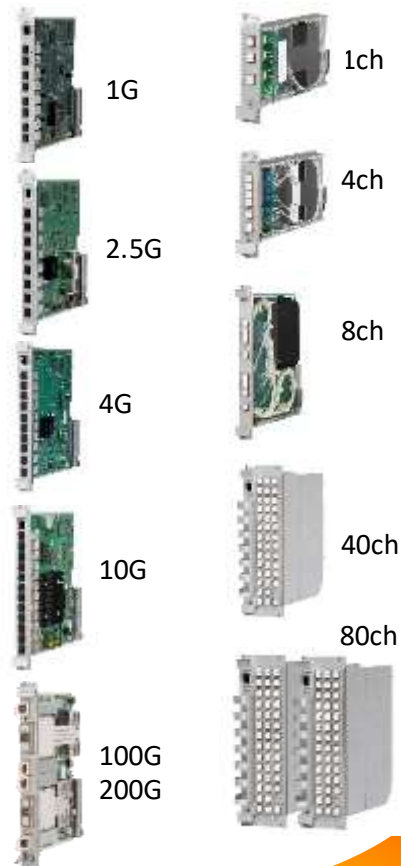
TM-102/II (1U)
<90W
Up to 400G/chassis



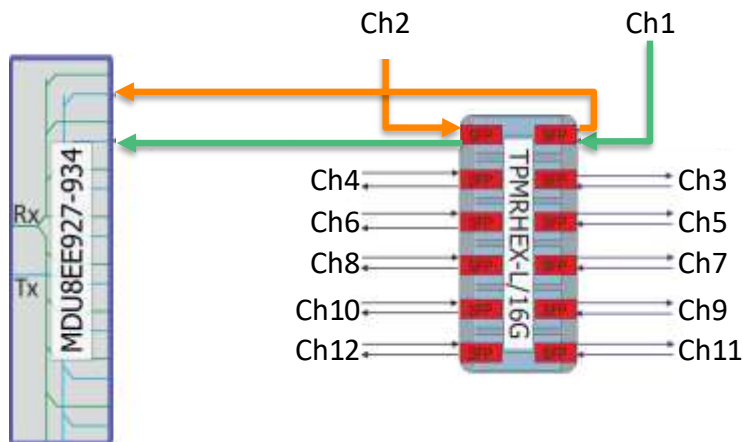
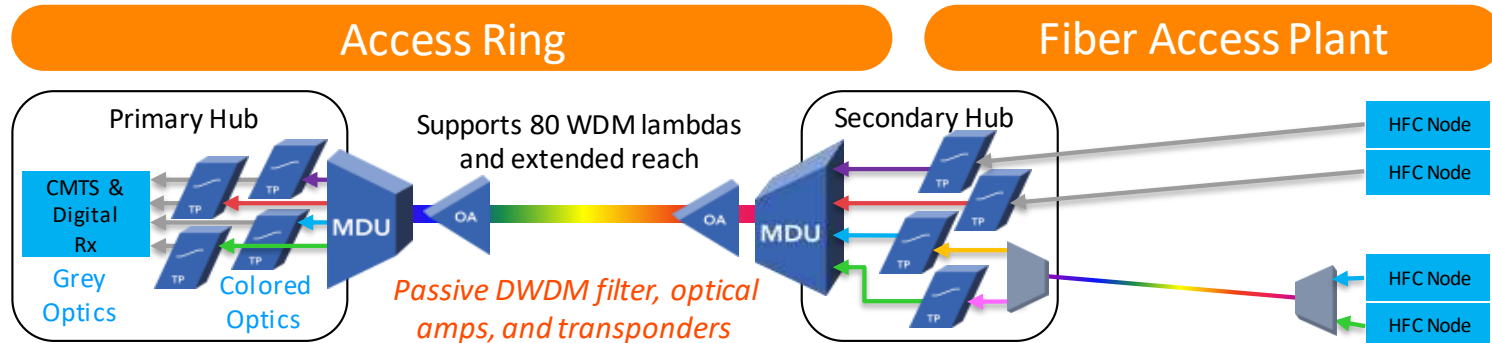
TM-301/II (3U)
Up to 4 full-sized
Up to 4 half-sized
<500W nominal
600W worst case
Up to 1.6T /chassis



TM-3000/II (11U)
Up to 16 full-sized
Up to 10 half-sized
< 900W nominal
1kW worst case
Up to 4T /chassis

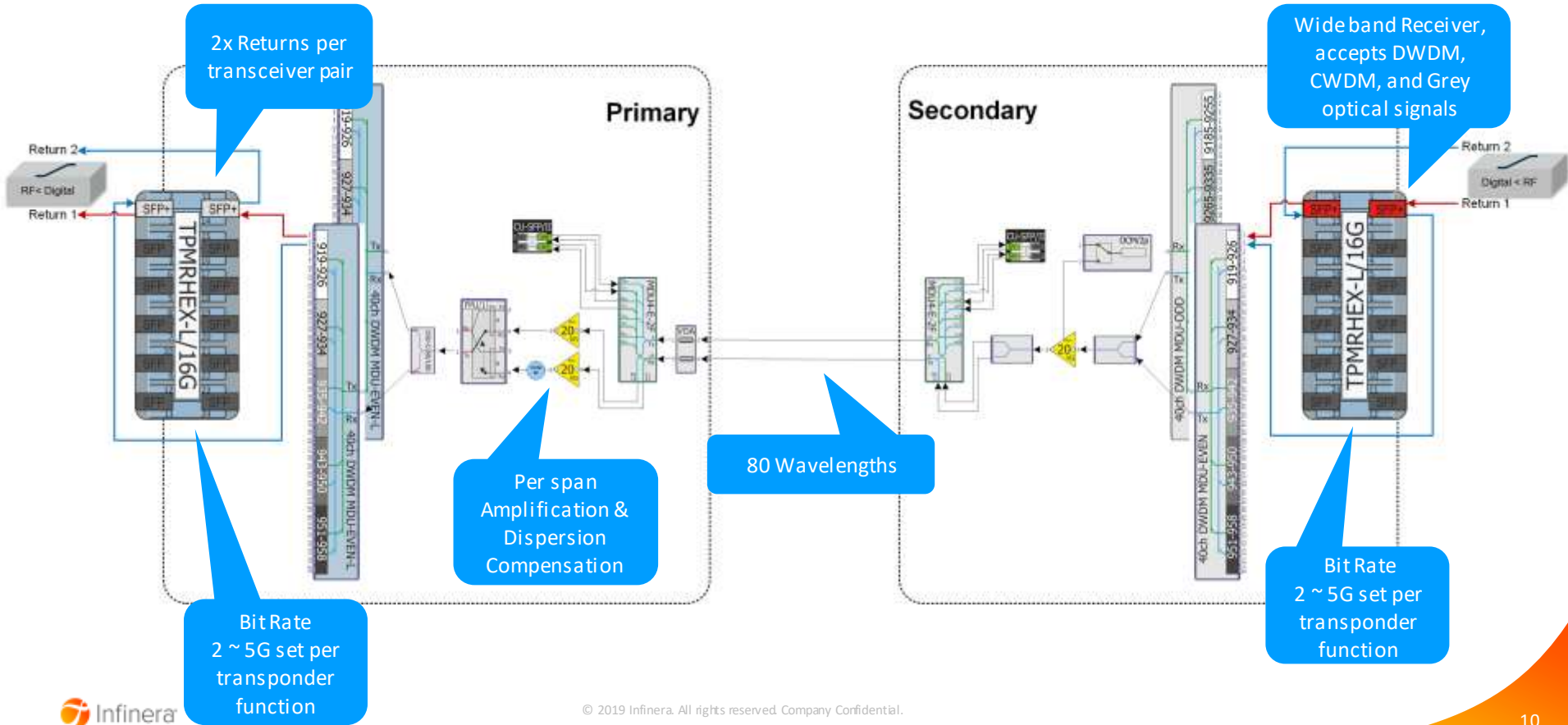


Uni-Directional Digital Return – Detailed HEX-L/16G

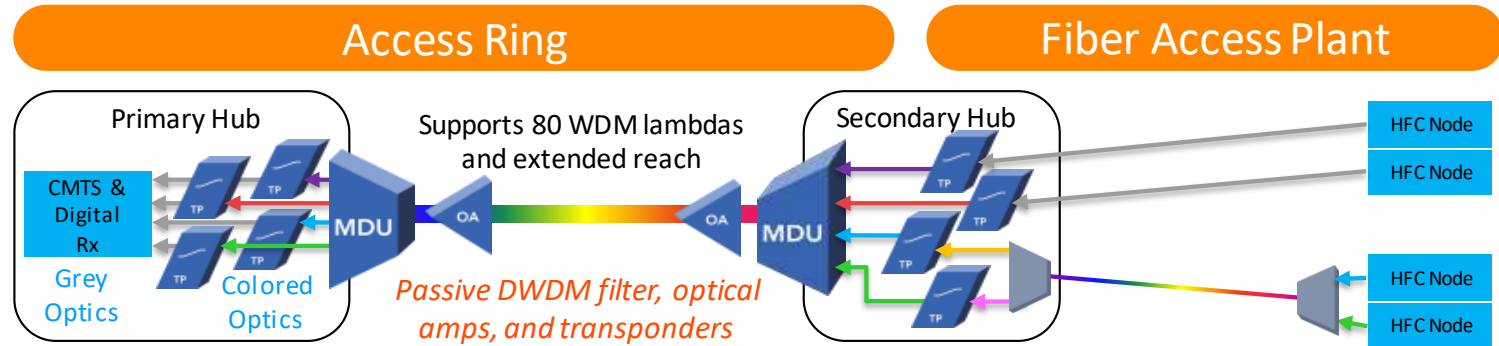


- Typical application is for digital return path in Cable HFC Access Networks.
- Unidirectional mode on TPMRHEX-L/16G enables each Transponder function to be used for 2x unidirectional Transponder functions.
- Enables 12x unidirectional functions per TPMRHEX-L/16G.

Unidirectional Digital Return – Detailed HEX-L/16G



Digital Node Return



SIMPLIFYING OPERATIONAL PROCESSES AND PROCEDURES

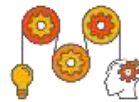
IMPROVE PERFORMANCE AND AVOID FIBER CONSTRUCTION



Innovative Approach



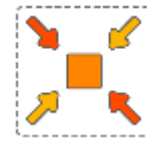
Easy Deployment



Performance Tools



Business Velocity

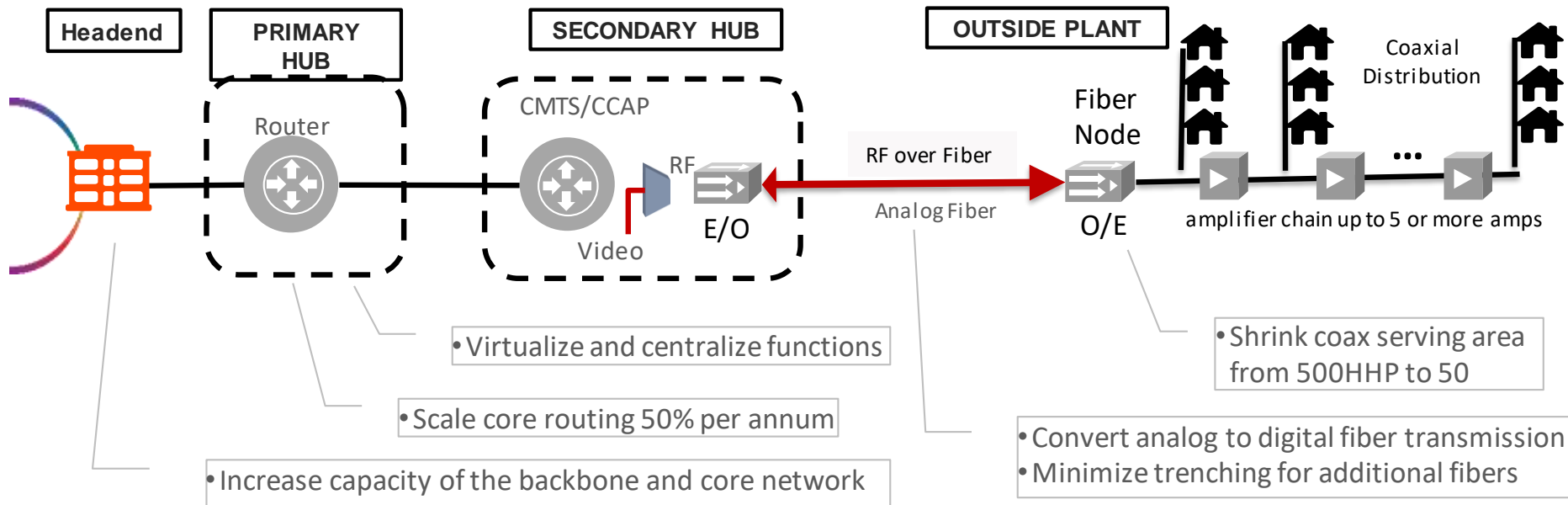


Power Efficient

Fiber Deep

Where the industry is headed

Cable/MSO Network Transformational Challenges



Drive 10G to the home, digitize optical transport, lower CAPEX, automate to reduce OPEX

The Infinite Edge for DAA/CIN



Enable new emerging applications



Support dramatically changing traffic patterns & distributed compute



Support cost-effective high bandwidth solutions



INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS

- L0 – L3 w / optical integration
- Application-optimized packet
- Multi-layer service automation



PARADIGM CHANGING PACKET EDGE

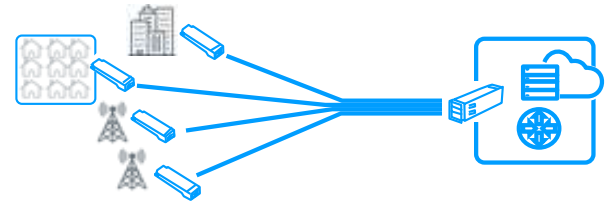


Density, synchronization + Industry's only carrier-grade disaggregated router

DIFFERENTIATED AUTOMATION



Self-identifying, self-tuning lasers + multi-layer, application-aware automation



DISRUPTIVE INNOVATION

Pluggable coherent optics
Instant Bandwidth to the edge
Virtualization of lasers

The Infinite Edge for DAA/CIN



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XTM

Active / Passive / Autotuning Edge Solutions

FAMILY OF APPLICATION OPTIMIZED TRANSPORT SOLUTIONS WITH INDUSTRY-LEADING DENSITY & AUTOMATION

Versatile family of solutions optimized and ideal for DAA and 5G applications



DRX

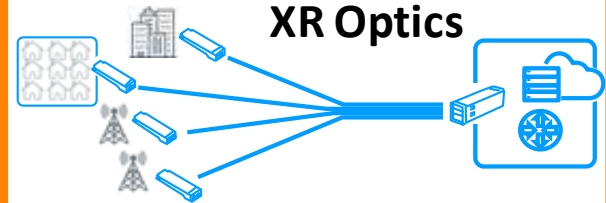
Disaggregated L3/L2 Router Solution



GAME CHANGING OPENNESS, FLEXIBILITY, & SCALABILITY

BREAK VENDOR LOCK-IN
DRIVE DOWN COSTS
INCREASE FLEXIBILITY

XR Optics



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The Infinite Edge: XTM/XTG

Active



- Supports Layer 0/1/2/2.5
- Fixed and/or flexible networking
- Multi-rate, “anything” up to 100G clients
- Multi-service, e.g. Ethernet, CPRI, SONET/SDH, OTN, Fibre Channel
- Multi-reach, up to 1500 km
- Low Power Design
- High Density Design
- CWDM and/or DWDM



Passive



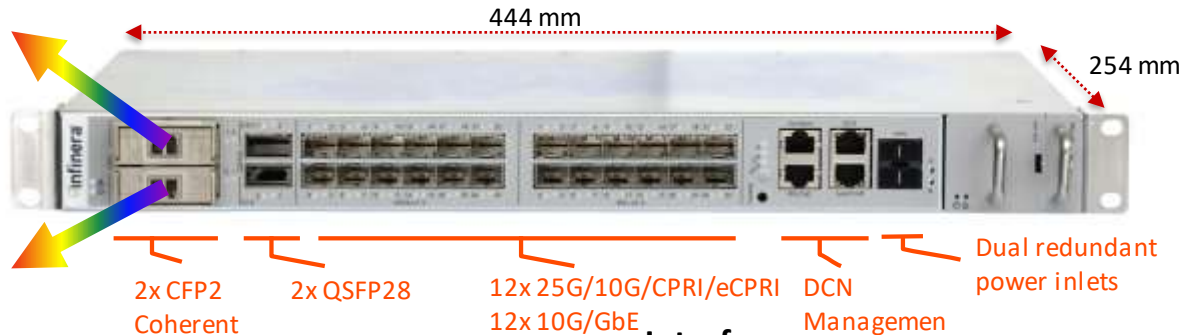
- Passive CWDM, DWDM and WDM-PON
- High density for small footprint
- Flexible upgrades with passive filters
- Broad temperature range

Autotuneable



- Autotuneable DWDM pluggables
- 10G DWDM
- 25G DWDM and beyond...
- Enable DWDM on grey optic ports

The Infinite Edge: High Density 10G/25G RPD Aggregation



Power

200W / max (2.5W/10G) including DWDM optics
Redundant power feeds
Redundant fans and replaceable air filter

Dimensions

1RU (H) x 17.4" (W) x 10.0" (D)
Fits into an ETSI 300, 19" or 23" ANSI rack

Environmental

Environmentally Harden: -40 to 65 degrees Celsius
General NEBS level 3 compliance
Right-to-left airflow

Interfaces

2 x 100GE QSFP28
2 x 100G/200G CFP2 (coherent)
12x 25G/10G/CPRI/eCPRI SFP+
12x 10G/GbE SFP+/SFP
Optics hot swappable
Support for CPRI option 3 to 10
PPS/ToD interface

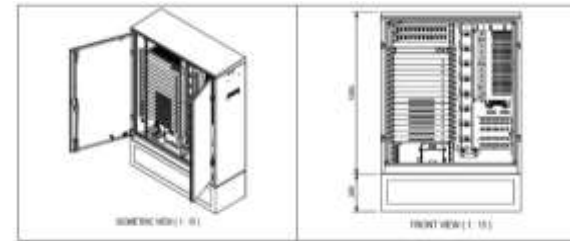
Management

Local Access (RS232, Local Craft)
Redundant DCN
NETCONF, OpenConfig

800G L2 Switch

Fronthaul

- Ultra low power and latency
- TSN support
- CPRI support
- eCPRI support



Outdoor cabinet option:

Environmentally Hardened
-40 to 65 degrees Celsius
1RU (H) x 17.4" (W) x 10.0" (D)
Fits ETSI 300, 19" or 23" ANSI
Max Power 200W

Layer 2 for outside plant or secondary hub RPD Aggregation

The Infinite Edge: Disaggregated Routing

TRADITIONAL APPROACH

Single Vendor
Fully Loaded NMS

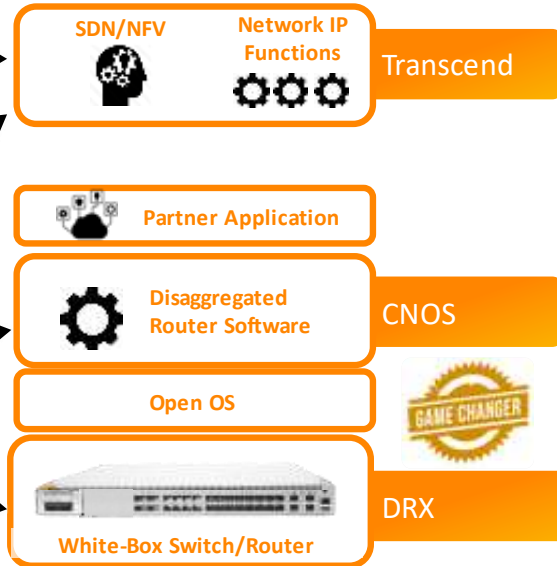


Software



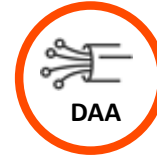
VENDOR LOCK-IN
Custom Hardware
Embedded Software

DISAGGREGATED APPROACH



OPEN ECOSYSTEM
Best in Class Platform

KEY APPLICATIONS



KEY BENEFITS

More choice

Modular scalability and cost

Increased network velocity

Lower CAPEX and OPEX

Support application hosting

Infinite Edge: Disaggregated Routing Building Blocks

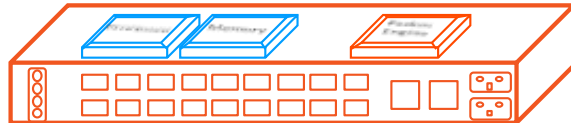
INFINERA DRX SERIES

Infinera CNOS
Open Portable IP
Software Stack



**Network
Applications**

OS Open Network Linux



Infinera DRX Series

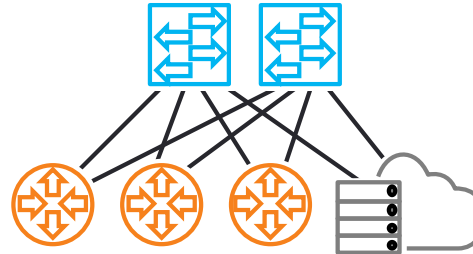


OPEN ECOSYSTEM

- Break vendor lock-in
- Drive down cost
- Increase flexibility
- Accelerate Innovation

SEAMLESS SCALABILITY

- Unique stacking capability
- Horizontally Scalable Router
- Spine & Leaf POD
- Compute integration



**INFINERA
DRX SERIES**



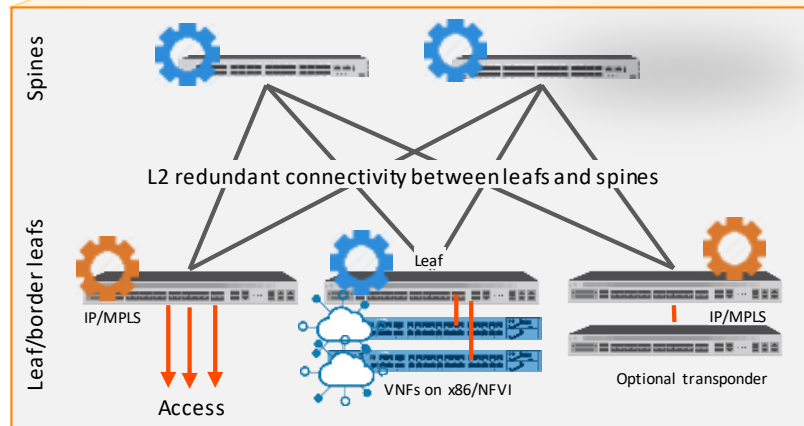
Infinite Core: NFV POD and Horizontally Scalable Router

NFV POD

CNOS/DRX, L2 Spine & VNFs



vPOD
Manager

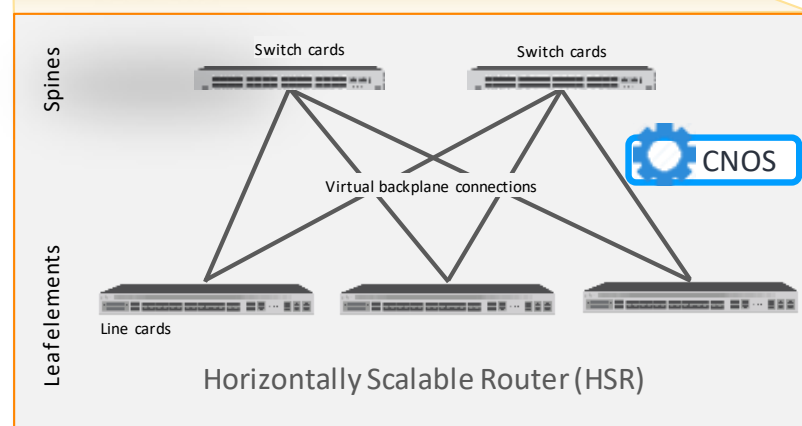


Horizontally Scalable Router

CNOS/DRX Spine/Leaf



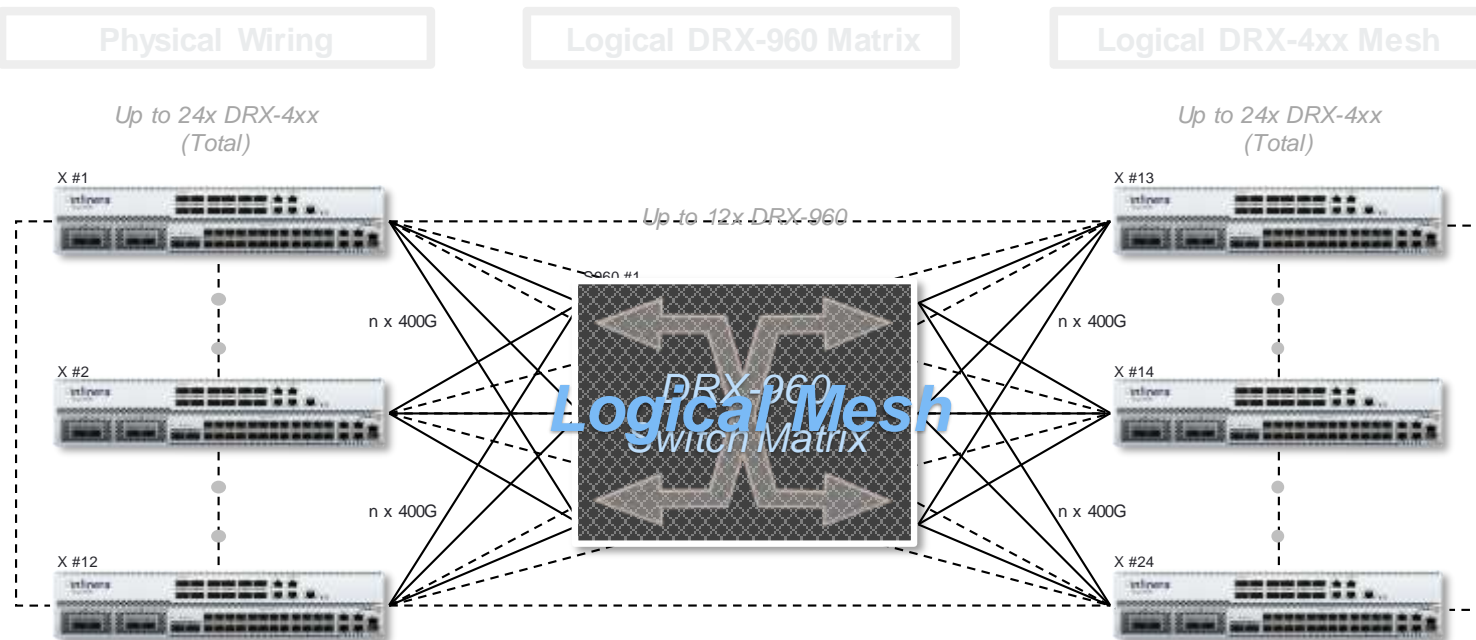
Transcend HSR
view and CNOS
router behavior



Utilize CNOS, DRX, Transcend and 3rd party ecosystem to build NFV POD and multi-terabit router

Infinite Core: DRX Horizontally Scalable Router

- DRX-400/440 + DRX-960 Switch Matrix (up to 230.4Tbps)



Note: 1920 supports 48 x DRX-400/440 (up to 230.4Tbps)

Node stacking on steroids with the DRX-960/1920 as switch matrix

Intelligent Automation

New Easily Implementable Operational Model



FASTER



EASIER



MORE
EFFICIENT



MULTI-
LAYER



APPLICATION
AWARE

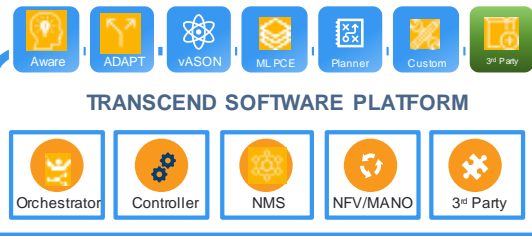


Now

Simplified Approach to Network Automation

Differentiated discrete “App” approach enables easy access to advanced network functions

Use resources more efficiently with multi-layer (0-3) visualization & automation and deep optical layer awareness



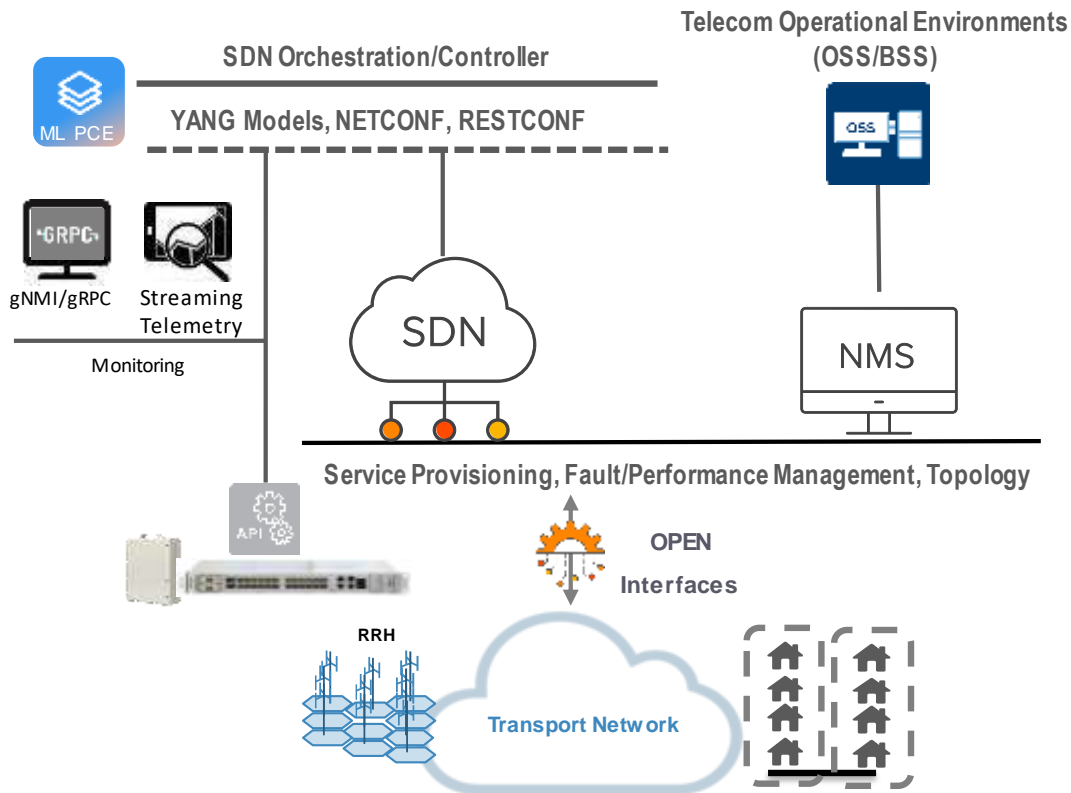
Future

Self-optimize across layers, domains & vendors
 APPs everywhere
Microservices & DevOps

Self-Forming Networks
Predictive Insights
 Real Time Planning

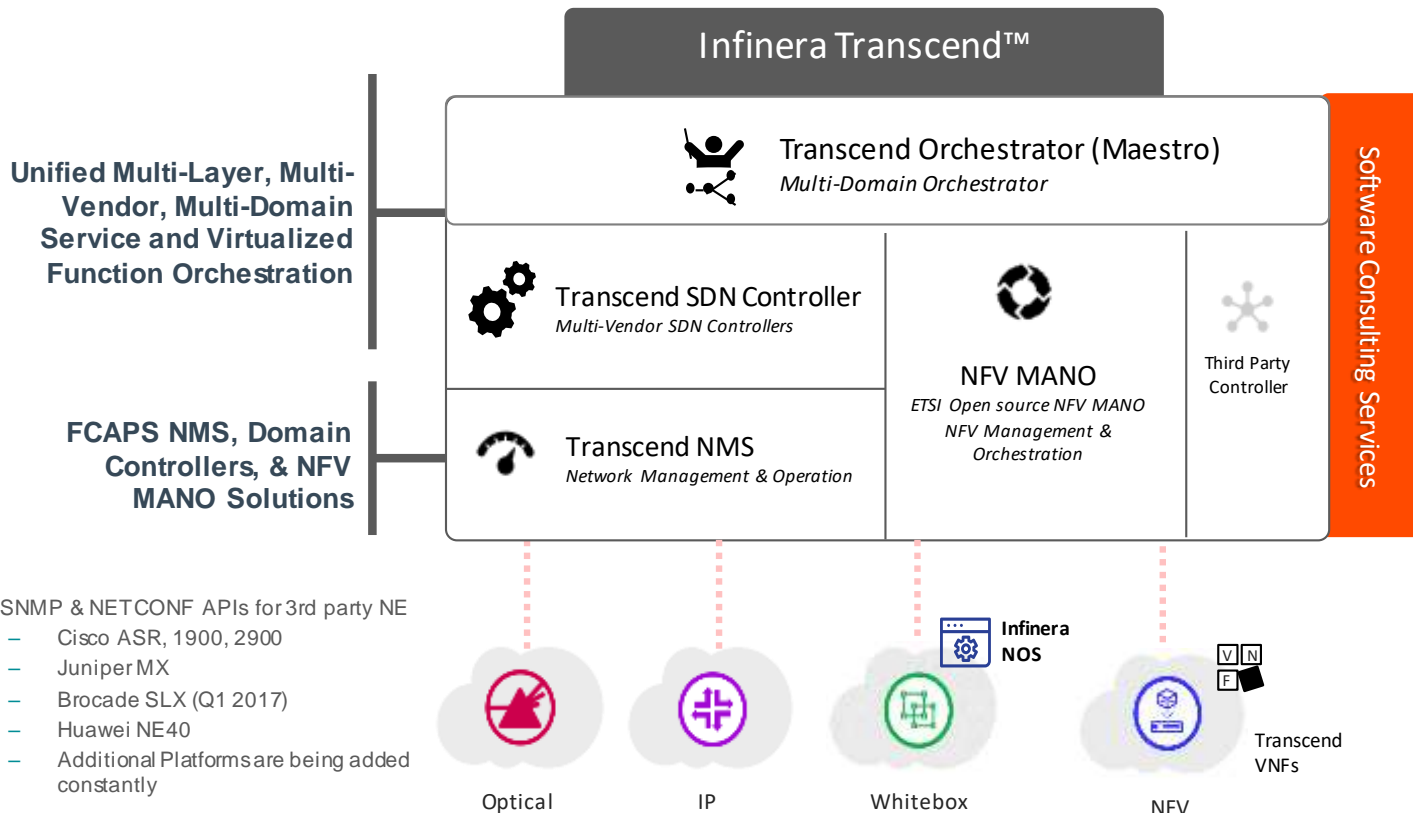
Prescriptive Actions
 Power of ML/AI/Data
Self healing Networks
 Intent Driven

Intelligent Automation with Transcend Software Suite



- Transcend Software Suite:
 - Orchestrator
 - SDN Controller
 - NMS (TNMS)
- Designed for software automation
 - Open, modular, extensible: multi-NBI
 - YANG models, RESTCONF, NETCONF and OpenConfig
 - Windows or Linux Operating Systems
 - » Support for software virtualization
 - Applications that can be supported include: ML-PCE, ADAPT, vASON, Aware, Planner

Infinera Transcend Software Suite



TRANSCEND Orchestrator

Multi-layer & multi-domain path computation element (PCE)

- Multi-layer network management & control
- IP-MPLS/Packet-Optical integration
- Multi-domain controller management

Integrates multiple south-bound controllers through REST APIs

Integrated Multi-layer visualization and management tools

SNMP & NETCONF APIs for 3rd party NE

- Cisco ASR, 1900, 2900
- Juniper MX
- Brocade SLX (Q1 2017)
- Huawei NE40
- Additional Platforms are being added constantly

Maestro – Key Capabilities

Network Visualization

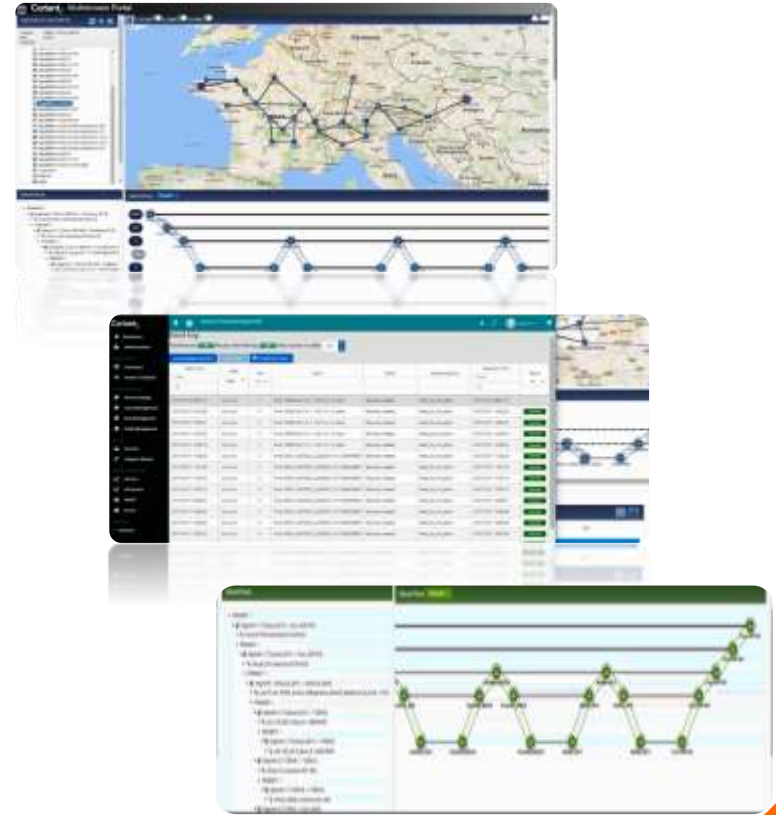
Multi-Vendor, Multi-Domain, Multi-Layer discovery and visualization

Service Automation

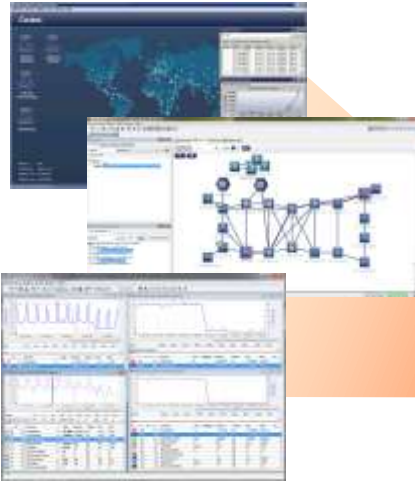
Multi-Domain, Multi-Vendor service provisioning and resilience
Multi-Layer service provisioning and resilience with **Infinera vASON**
SRLG-aware routing and router Bypass
Optical performance awareness with **Infinera Aware**

Dynamic Optimization

Multi-Domain & Multi-Layer restoration
Self-Optimizing networks (e.g. Latency-sensitive services)
Infinera ADAPT rule engine (event based action triggering)

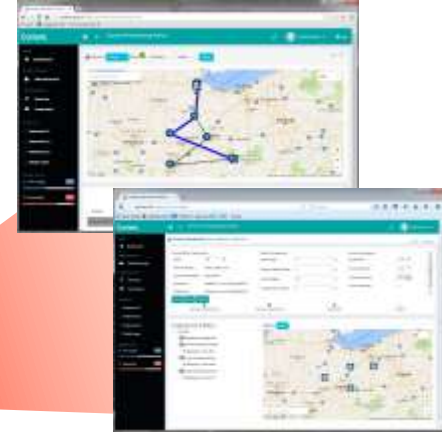
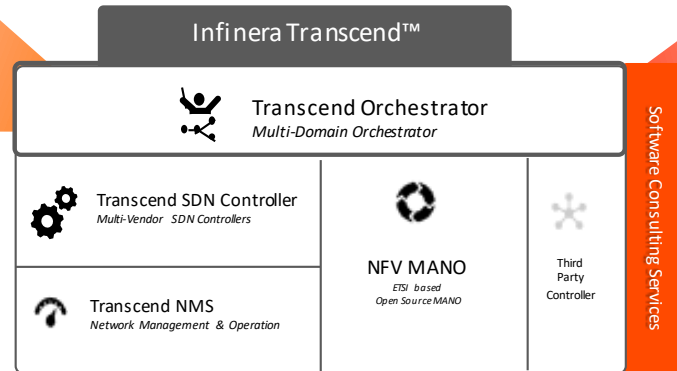


Transcend User Interfaces



Transcend ProGUI is a full set of monitoring, provisioning, troubleshooting and configuration tools and shared with Transcend Chorus for Packet

All GUIs are automatically fully in sync
Same multi-user support as in Symphony



Transcend Portal is a "Zero-Touch" service provisioning Portal for quickly adding new services based on templates

Summary

- Infinera is developing and rolling out next generation solution
 - Open, Disaggregated, Innovative, Software-centric, lower cost
- Infinera is following all relevant industry standards
 - fully embrace Open APIs
 - continues to actively participated in MEF Presto API definition
 - gained enormous working knowledge with AT&T ECOMP and others
 - CORD architecture
- Infinera Transcend SDN is truly multi-vendor via open interfaces
 - supporting many competitor routers and controllers
 - can connect to multiple optical Controllers
 - Transcend NFV-MANO for Infinera's NFV, open source or partner NFVs



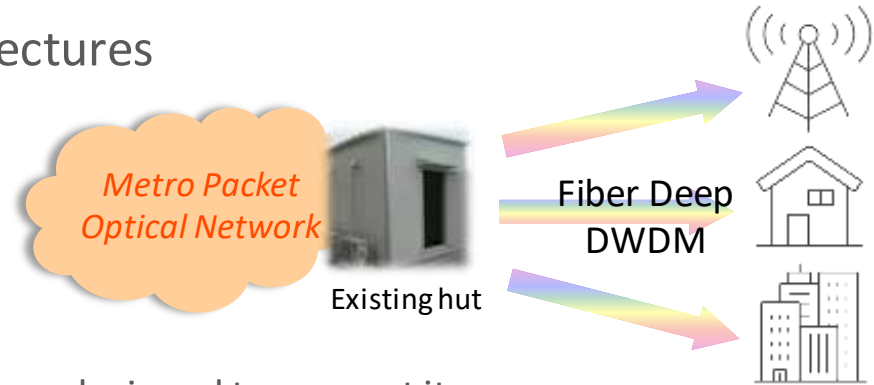
Auto-Lambda

How to operate easier

Current Challenges in Access Networks

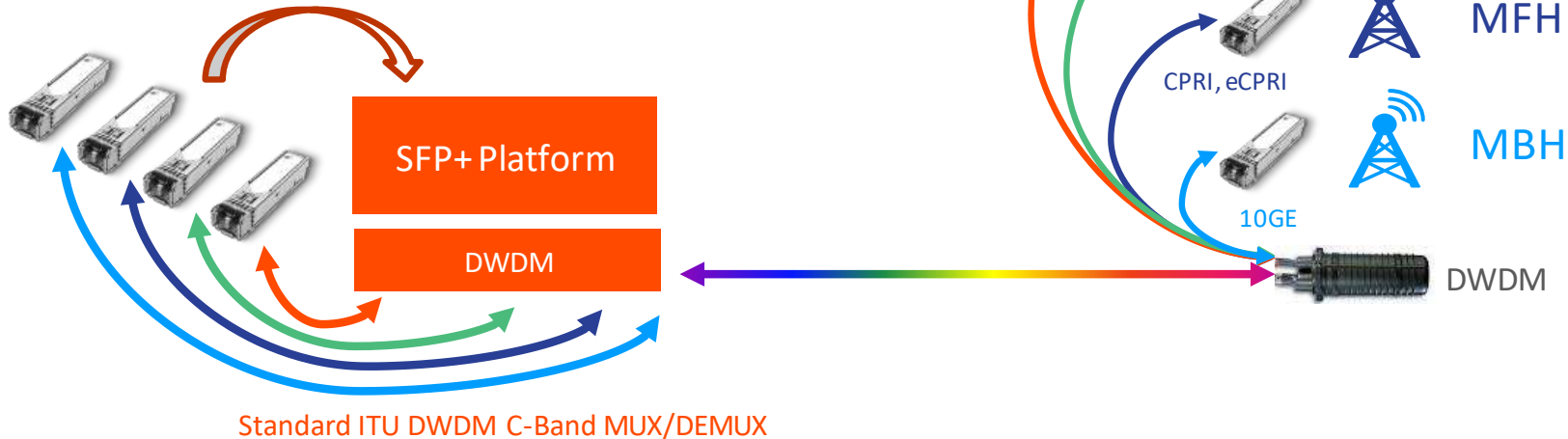
- Telco/Cable MSO Fiber Deep Networks:

- Driven by new 5G & DAA/CIN architectures
- Proliferation of DWDM end points
 - » DWDM training for expanded field force
 - » 1000s of nodes, 1000s x every \$ saved
- Space and power limitations
 - » Pushing DWDM into locations that were never designed to support it



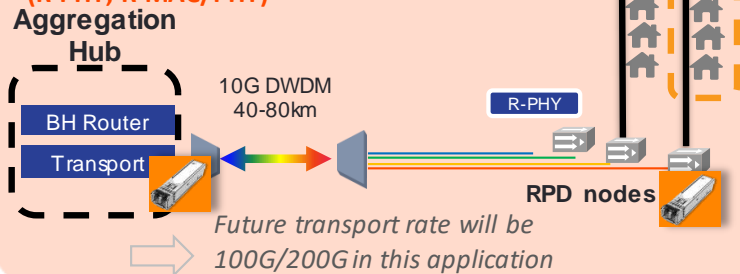
An Introduction to “Auto-Lambda”

- Host agnostic self-tuning DWDM SFP+
 - Enables DWDM directly in the host, **removing the cost of transponders**
 - Automation greatly **reduces operational cost/complexity and reduces errors**
- Dual ended self-tuning
 - Single part number for all locations
- The Auto-Lambda is an Infinera patented algorithm
 - Simple firmware upgrade to commercially available optics
 - No impact to optical performance
 - Supports amplification and multiple architectures – pt-to-pt, rings etc



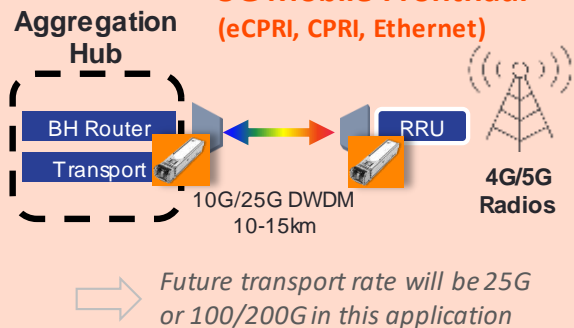
Primary Telecoms/Cable MSO Applications

Distributed Access Architecture (DAA) Converged Interconnect Network (CIN) (R-PHY, R-MAC/PHY)

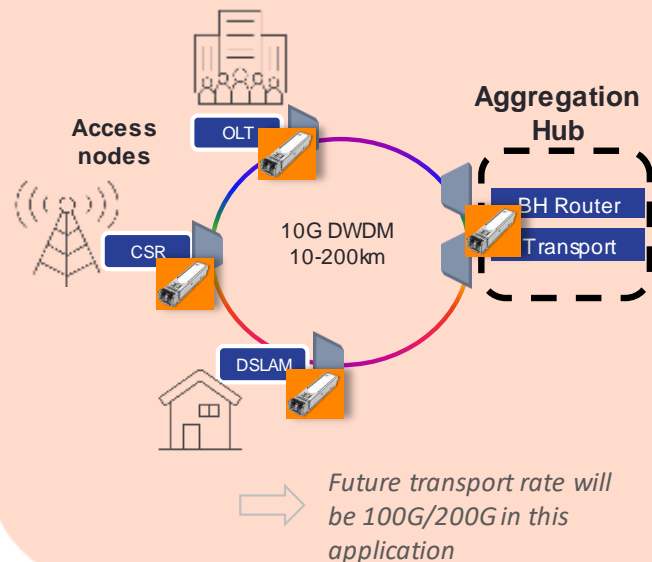


- 5G and DAA/CIN are the main drivers for fiber deep access
- Also driven by OLT or DSLAM backhaul applications

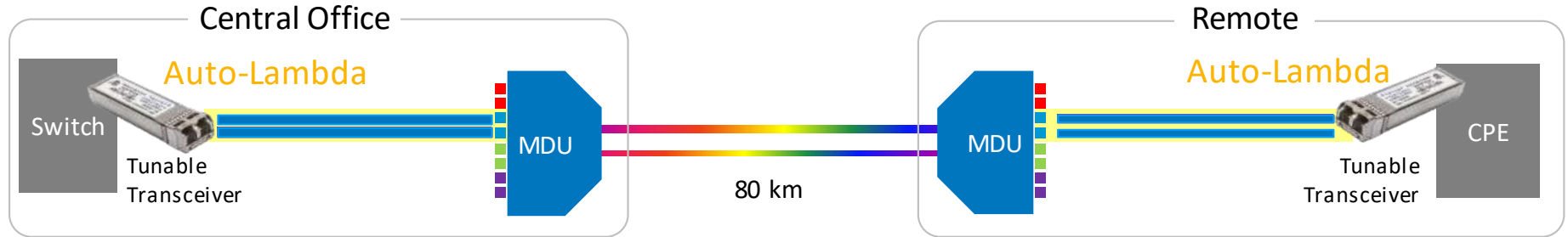
5G Mobile Fronthaul (eCPRI, CPRI, Ethernet)



Backhaul and Aggregation (4G, 5G, Business Services, DSLAM, OLT etc)



The Infinite Edge: Auto-Lambda Self-Tuning DWDM Pluggables



Transceivers automatically tune to matching wavelengths

SIMPLIFYING OPERATIONAL PROCESSES AND PROCEDURES

REARCHITECT DAA AND FIBER DEEP NETWORKS



Innovative Approach



Easy Deployment



Intelligent Automation



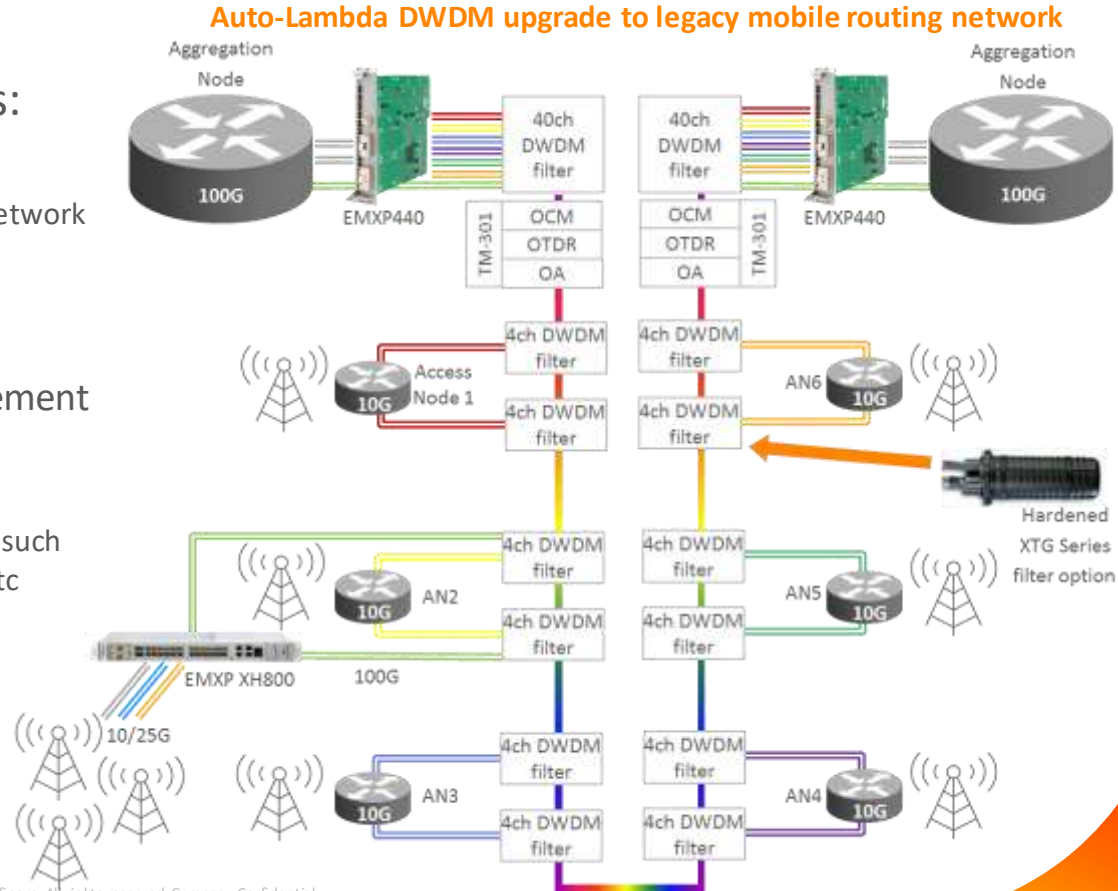
Business Velocity



Compact & Power Efficient

Auto-Lambda: A Complete Optical Access Solution

- Auto-Lambda based Optical Access:
 - XTG Series range of hardened filters
 - » Extensive range driven by real world access network challenges
 - » Hardened outside plant filter options
 - » Over 140,000 units deployed
 - XTM semi-passive wavelength management
 - » Optical Channel Monitor (OCM)
 - » Optical Time-Domain Reflectometer (OTDR)
 - » DNA-M Auto-Lambda management functions such as alarming/monitoring, service awareness etc
 - XTM optional add-ons
 - » Optical Amplifiers (OA)
 - » EMXP440 for 10G to 100G pre-aggregation
 - » EMXP XH800 for eCPRI fronthaul



Auto-Lambda Opex Savings Value Proposition

Save 1,000's of man-hrs. in optical access mass deployment



Auto-Lambda	Standard Tunable SFP+
Plug-n-Play	Channel planning for 8000 ports
Plug-n-Play	Installation method of procedure (MOP) for channel to WDM port alignment
Plug-n-Play	Prestaging RPD/RMD with assigned channel
Plug-n-Play	Programming assigned channel to WDM port at DAA Ethernet switch/router
No mistakes	Mismatch mistake?! Reprogram in field?

The DHCP of optics - no mistakes to fix in the field

Read the White Paper

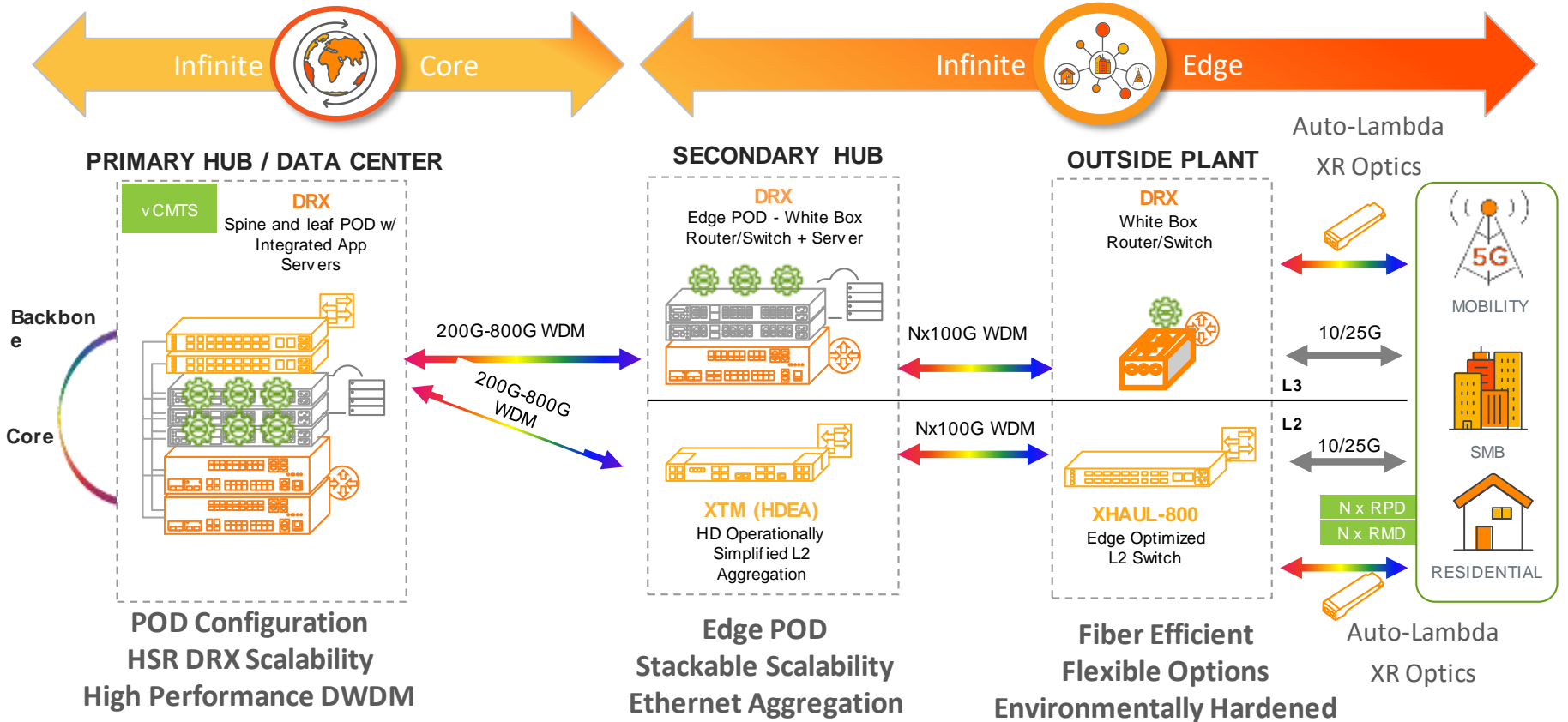
- 3rd Party white paper by Broadband Success Partners
- Evaluating the Opex savings of Auto-Lambda in DAA Networks
- <https://www.infinera.com/white-paper/Cognitive-Networking-in-the-Access-Deploy-DAA-Faster-than-Ever>



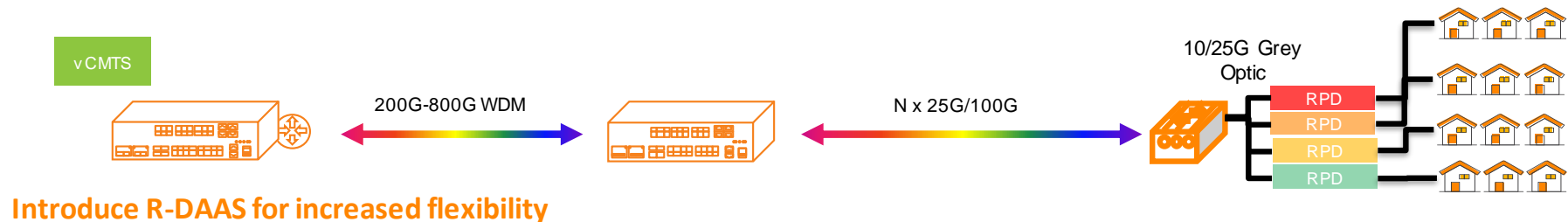
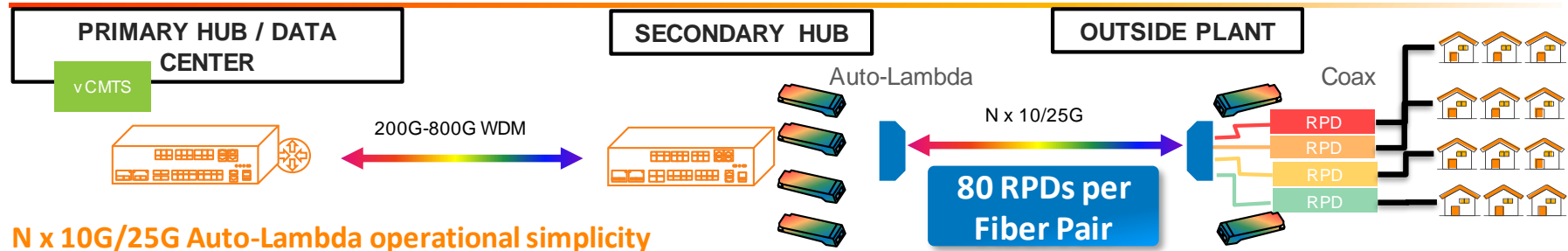
Digital Subcarriers

Increase capacity on existing plant

Cable/MSO Network Reference Architecture



Infinite Edge: DAA/CIN Evolution including XR Optics



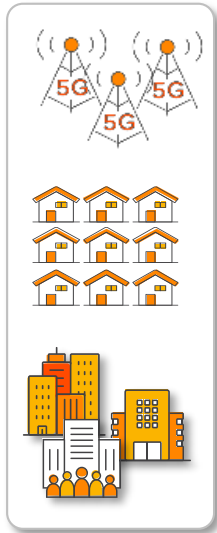
Infinite Edge: Disruptive Innovation with XR Optics

For 50+ years, the industry has been

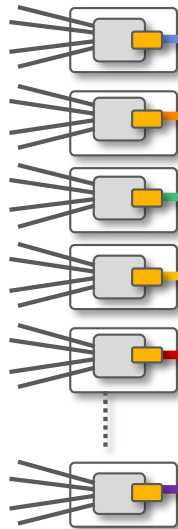
USING A POINT TO POINT TECHNOLOGY FOR A POINT TO MULTI-POINT APPLICATION

INTERMEDIATE AGG
devices/locations w/
Nx2 TRANSCEIVERS
required to “up-speed”
signal

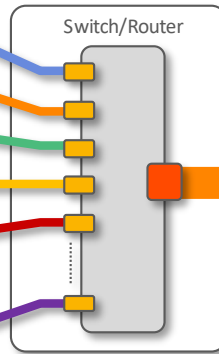
Upgrades require
RIP AND REPLACE OF BOTH ENDS
(OpEx, time, truck-rolls)



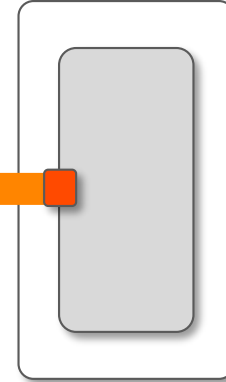
COHERENT EDGE



ELECTRICAL AGGREGATION



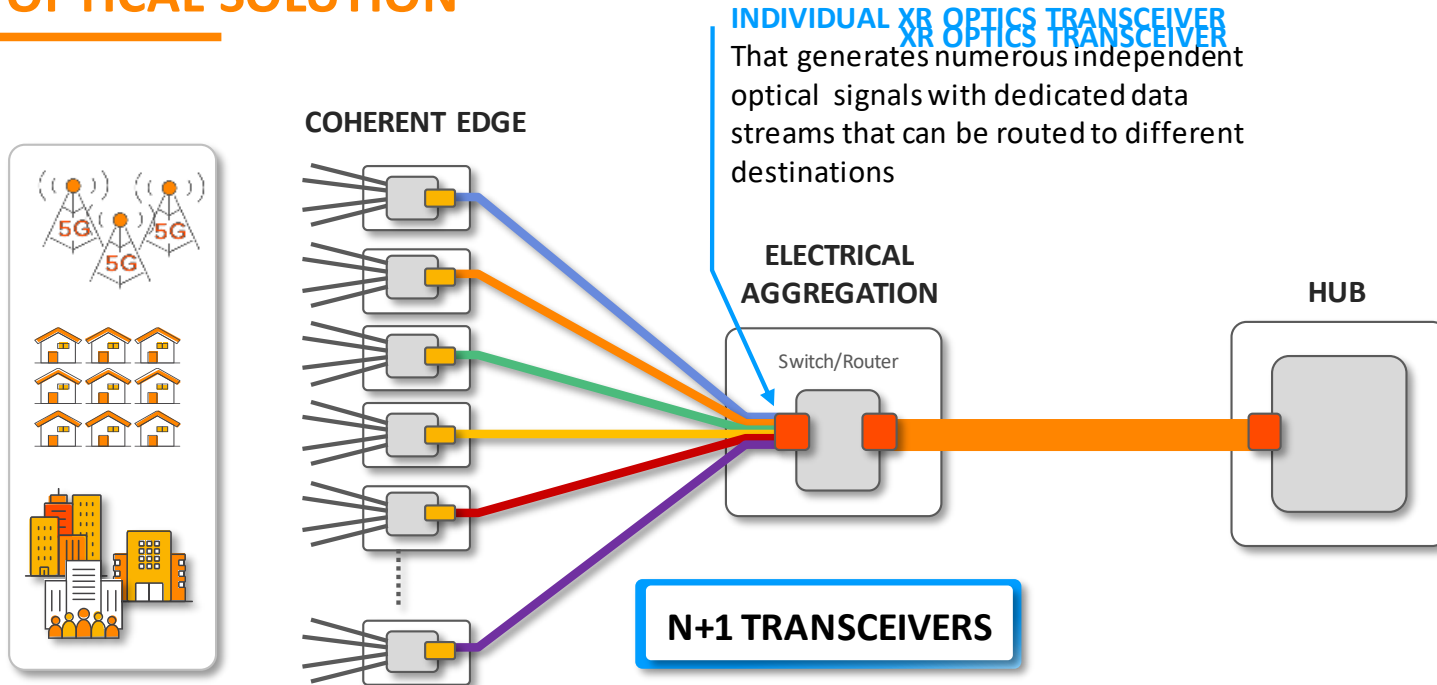
HUB



Nx 2 TRANSCEIVERS

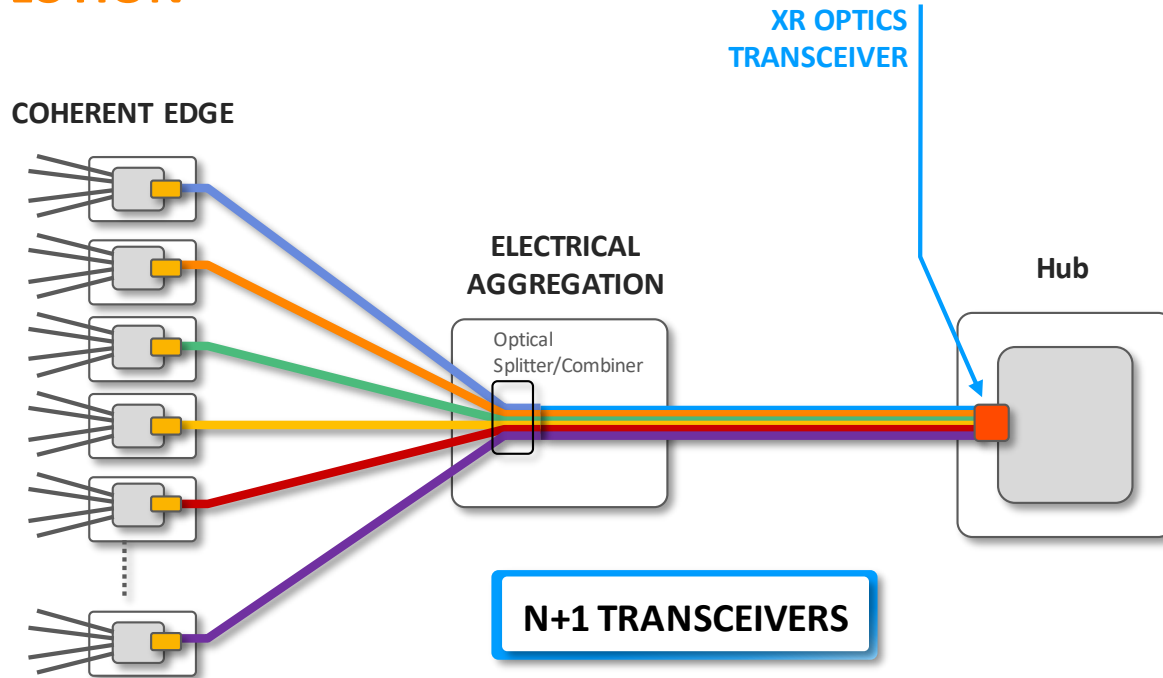
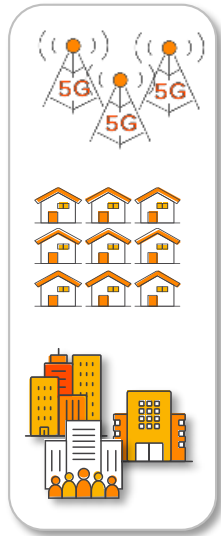
Infinite Edge: Disruptive Innovation with XR Optics

THE WORLDS FIRST COHERENT POINT TO MULTI-POINT OPTICAL SOLUTION



The Solution: **Disruptive Innovation XR Optics**

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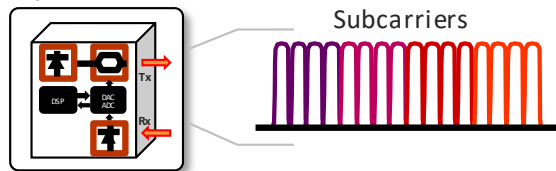
70%+
REDUCTION IN
NETWORK COST

>50%
Reduction in
Transceivers

Eliminate
Intermediate
Aggregation

Building on Subcarrier Flexibility

XR Optics Transceiver



Subcarriers can be flexibly sized

Examples:

- 25G subcarriers in 64 Ghz at 16QAM, 4 Gbaud
- 10G subcarriers in 64 Ghz at QPSK, 4 Gbaud

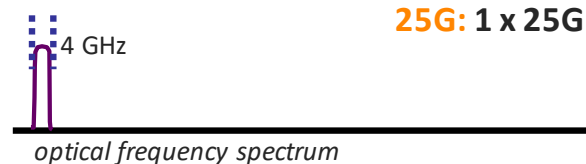
Transceivers can be designed with different numbers of subcarriers

Can be supported by a variety of form factors

ALL OPTICS BECOME N by X SUBCARRIERS

(XR optics – optics based on a flexible, interworkable number or “X” subcarriers)

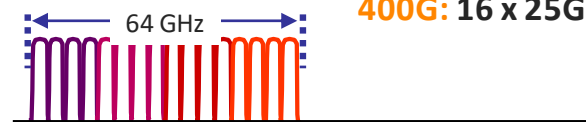
EXAMPLE OF SOLUTIONS USING 25G SUBCARRIERS



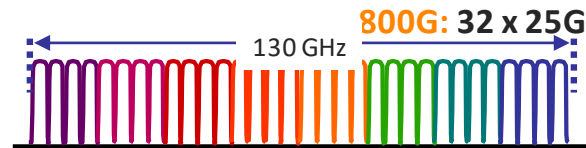
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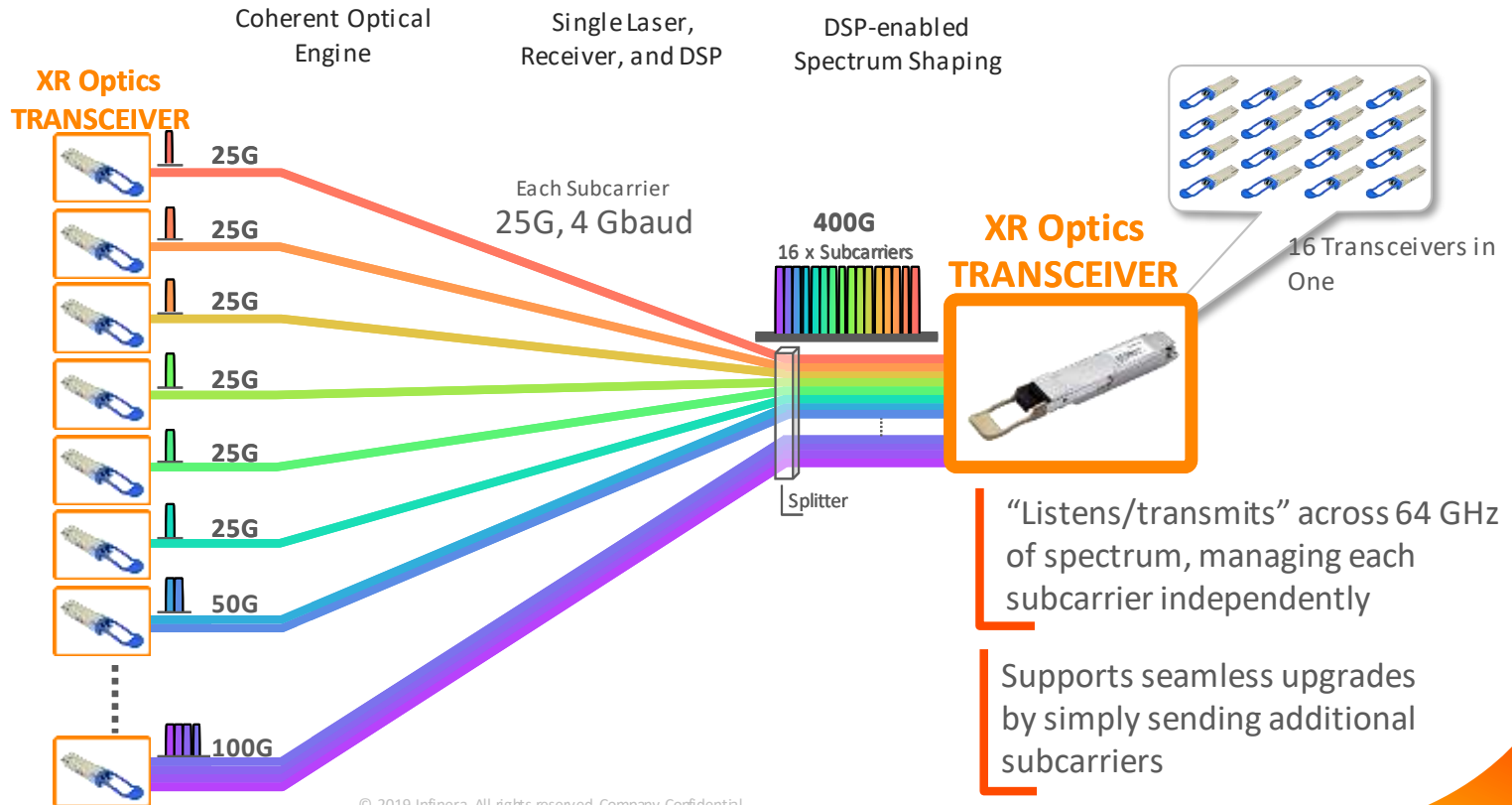
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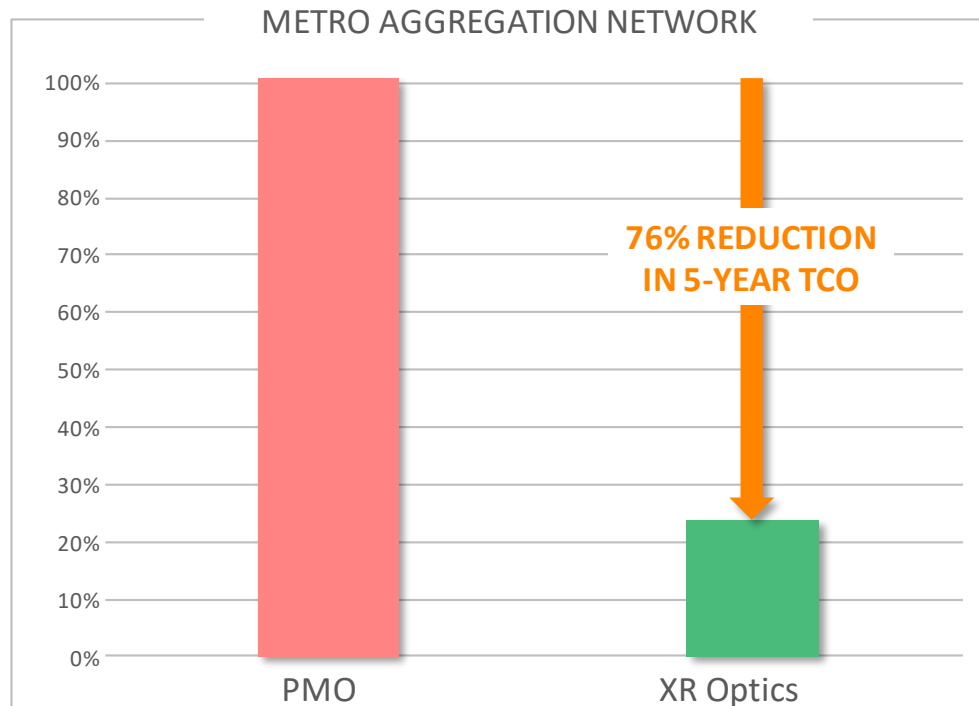
OSFP

Transforming Point-to-Multipoint Aggregation

POINT-TO-MULTIPOINT SUBCARRIER-BASED TRANSCEIVER TECHNOLOGY



TCO Network Case Study



Study performed on actual customer network using real network data



REDUCE TRANSCEIVERS BY >50%



ELIMINATE INTERMEDIATE AGGREGATION DEVICES



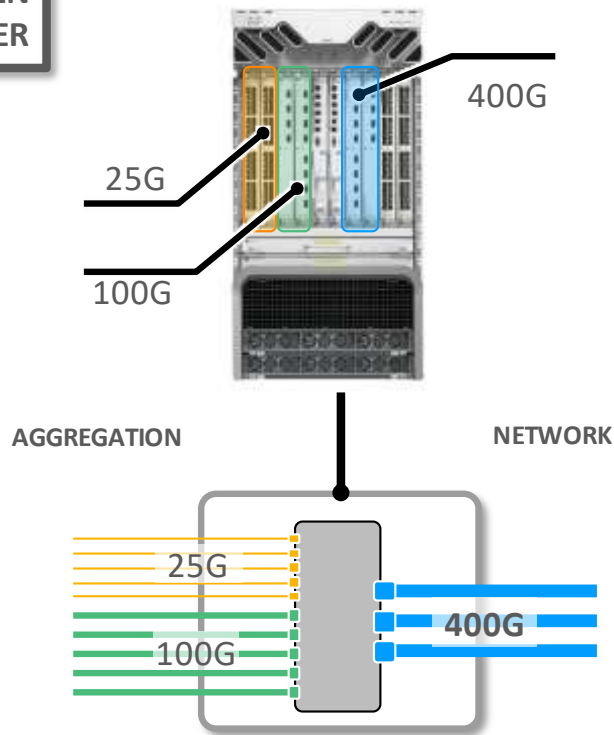
REDUCE TRUCK ROLLS FOR UPGRADES



IMPROVE EFFICIENCY OF HUB ROUTER WITH HIGHER-DENSITY PORTS

More Efficient and Less Complex Switches/Routers

CURRENT-GEN
SWITCH/ROUTER

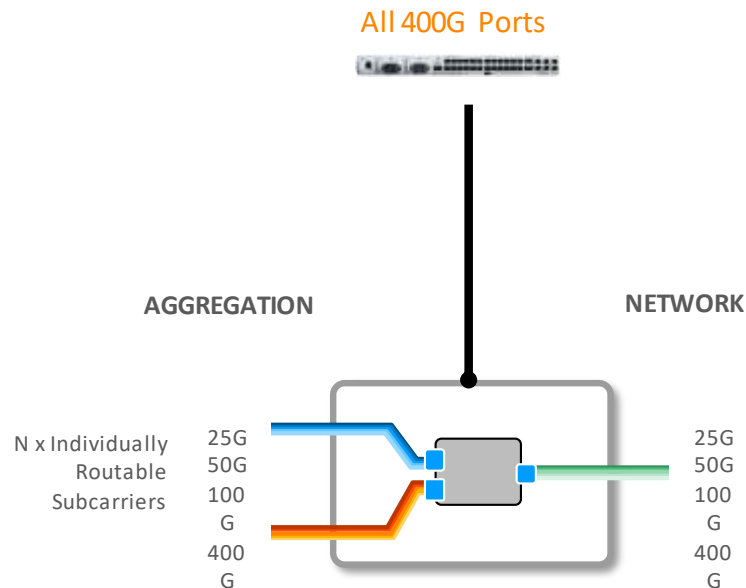


REQUIRES A VARIETY OF
MODULES TO SUPPORT
DIFFERENT AGGREGATION SPEEDS

REQUIRES CAREFUL PLANNING
TO BALANCE AGGREGATION
PORTS VS. NETWORK PORTS

More Efficient and Less Complex Switches/Routers

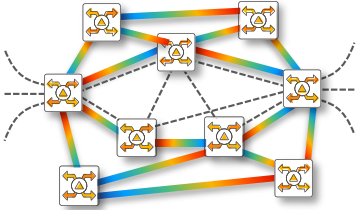
SWITCH/ROUTER IN THE XR OPTICS ERA



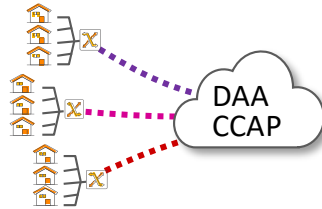
Compact, efficient switch/routers with **ALL HIGH-SPEED PORTS** that can be used for **AGGREGATION OR NETWORK** applications

Network Applications

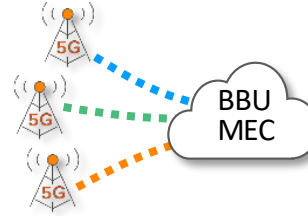
CARRIER CORE NTWKS



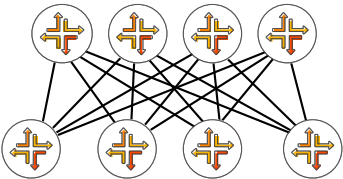
CABLE FIBER DEEP



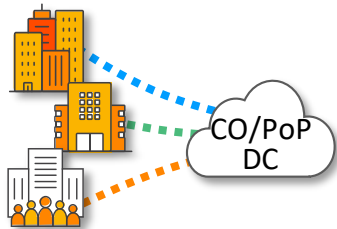
5G X-HAUL



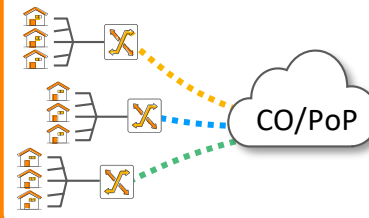
INTRA-DC FABRIC



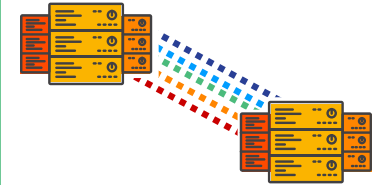
BUSINESS SVCS



DSL/PON BACKHAUL



DC INTERCONNECT



MP-MP

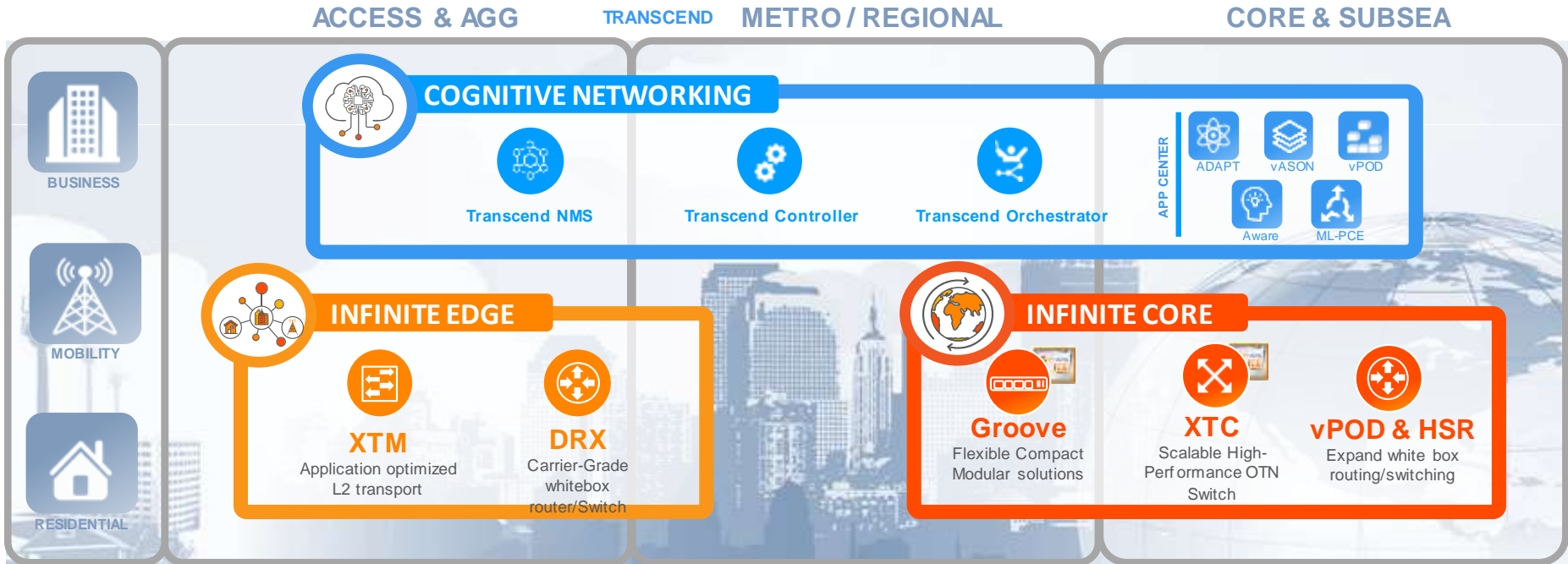
Point-to-Multipoint

Point-to-Point

INITIAL FOCUS

The Infinite Network

A disruptive, end-to-end network architecture paving the way to instantly scalable, self-optimizing networks that dynamically adapt to the demands of users and applications.



Thank You!