

SDI

Initiatives on Optical Networks

SFI² - Slicing Future Internet Infrastructures

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- What
 - Virtualizable and programmable physical infrastructure
 - composed of an Overlay SDN network and an nationwide Distributed Edge Cloud
 - Infrastructure orchestration platform
 - integrate open solutions for automation and orchestration
- Why
 - evolution of RNP's existing applications and services to the hybrid cloud paradigm



Deployed Infrastructure

- Overlay SDN
 - 10G SDN whitebox
 - Based on low cost x86 HW and open software

• Edge Cloud

- High performance servers
 - Expansible to support up to 100Gbps disk to disk file transfers





Overlay SDN

 multi-tenant virtual WAN with guaranteed bandwidth and tunneling to remote sites

- Edge Cloud
 - VMs, Containers and Baremetal





Integrates existing orchestrators

- through a web interface, CLI and Rest APIs
 - Virtual networks: Open vSwitch, NSI
 - Containers: Docker e Kubernetes
 - Baremetal, VMs: MAAS
- Reuse of ONOS SDN controller as framework
 - developed for 1 ½ year with 2 FTEs
 - using agile methodologies
 - 50.000 lines of code





• Scope

- Extend the service control network to remote sites
 - Using SDN, NSI and VXLAN
- On demand deployment of CDN Edge servers
 - Instantiated on the nearest PoP to the user
 - Automatic discovery/registration (via Consul)

Benefits

- Optimization of resources usage and location
- Seamless integration to existing infrastructure





- provide IT infra as cloud for advanced services and integrated to the public cloud
- promote the evolution of PoP's networking services to NFV
- offer IaaS, PaaS and SaaS based on open and commercial ecosystems as part of RNP's Innovation Platform to Research Groups and Startups



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- R&D project funded by Huawei 🦇 HUAWEI
- 1-year project

main objectives

- build an optical networking testbed for remote experimentation with
 - reliable disk-to-disk transfers at 100 Gbps or more
 - optical SDN
- build an SDN Multilayer solution for integrated control of L2/L3 SDN switches and emulated optical devices
- build a system for the orchestration of large data transfers in an automatized and elastic transport network



- L1: gridless CDC ROADMs
 - based on OSN 9800 from Huawei
 - emulation

• L2/L3: SDN switches

- Juniper/P4Runtime
- whitebox 100G
 - OVS: Open vSwitch
 - DPDK: Fast Packet Processor

• 100G DTN Nodes

• Science DMZ initiative





- proposal in collaboration with CPqD
- 3 years project
- objectives:
 - deploy and operate an EON testbed with open and disaggregated optical devices
 - foster the research and development of intelligent software for the control and management of optical networks involving optical SDN and SDN multilayer
- partners
 - PadTec
 - TIP Brazil



4-nodes testbed





multi-vendor

• Lumentum, ADVA, EdgeCore, Fujitsu, Ekinops, XenOpt, others

to be deployed in the field

- metro network
- backbone
- flexible enough to allow different kind of experimentations

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- two years project
- integration of distinct experimental facilities deployed across several administrative domains using a standard slice definition

SFI2 aims

- providing a single multi-domain and slice-based provisioning solution among these testbed infrastructures.
- simplifying the creation of complex services with a minimum configuration effort based on intelligent orchestration of multi-domain slices





Thank you

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