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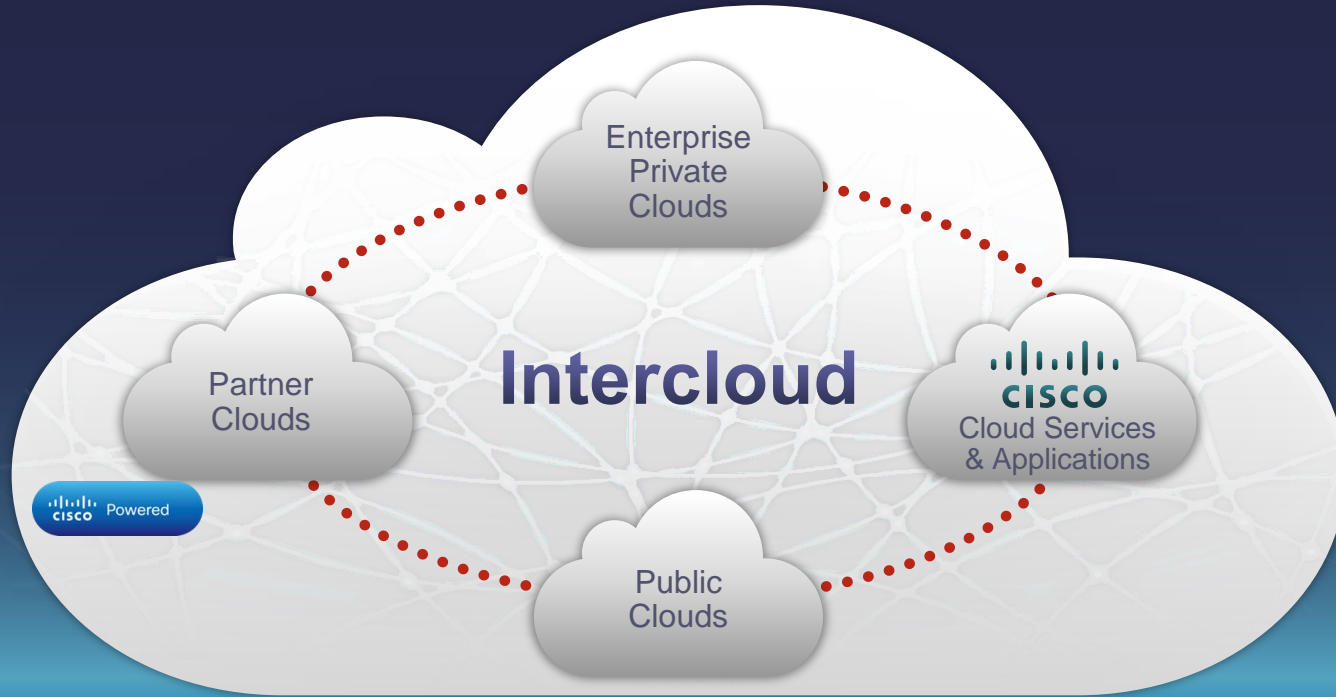
Virtualizing Cisco Service Provider Wi-Fi core

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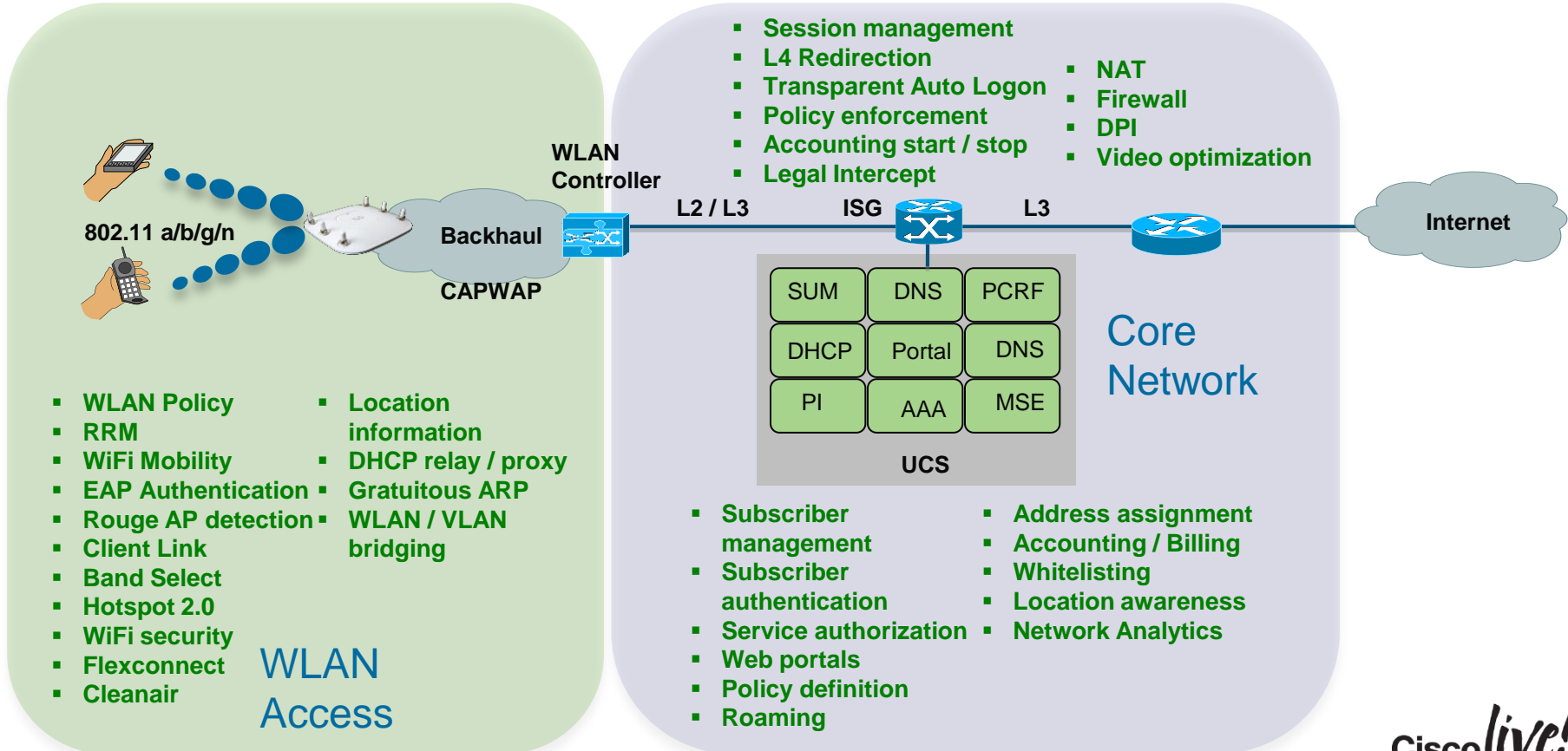
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Agenda

- Virtualizing existing architecture
 - Service instances
 - Subscriber experience and provider highlights
- Hospitality case study
- 3G/4G integration options
- Scaling and orchestration
 - Openstack
 - Elastic Services controller
 - Prime fulfillment

WiFi end to end solution architecture: ISG



What to virtualize?



802.11 a/b/g/n



Backhaul
CAPWAP



- WLAN Policy
- RRM
- WiFi Mobility
- EAP Authentication
- Rouge AP detection
- Client Link
- Band Select
- Hotspot 2.0
- WiFi security
- Flexconnect
- Cleanair
- Location information
- DHCP relay / proxy
- Gratuitous ARP
- WLAN / VLAN bridging

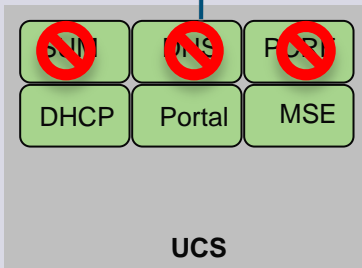
WLAN
Access

- Session management
- L4 Redirection
- Transparent Auto Logon
- Policy enforcement
- Accounting start / stop
- Legal Intercept
- NAT
- Firewall
- ~~DPI~~
- ~~Video optimization~~

L2 / L3

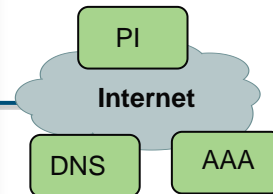
ISG

L3



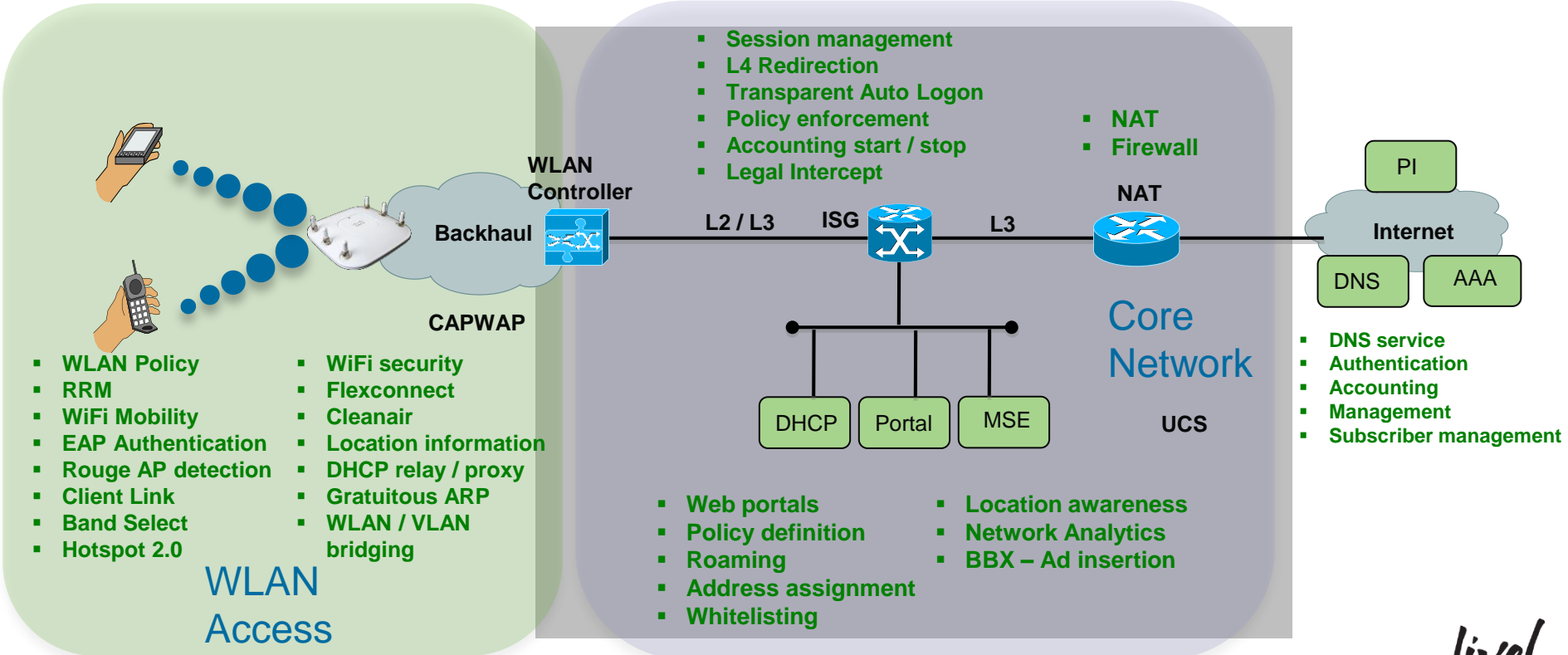
Core
Network

- ~~Subscriber management~~
- ~~Subscriber authentication~~
- ~~Service authorization~~
- Web portals
- Policy definition
- Roaming
- Address assignment
- ~~Accounting / Billing~~
- Whitelisting
- Location awareness
- Network Analytics

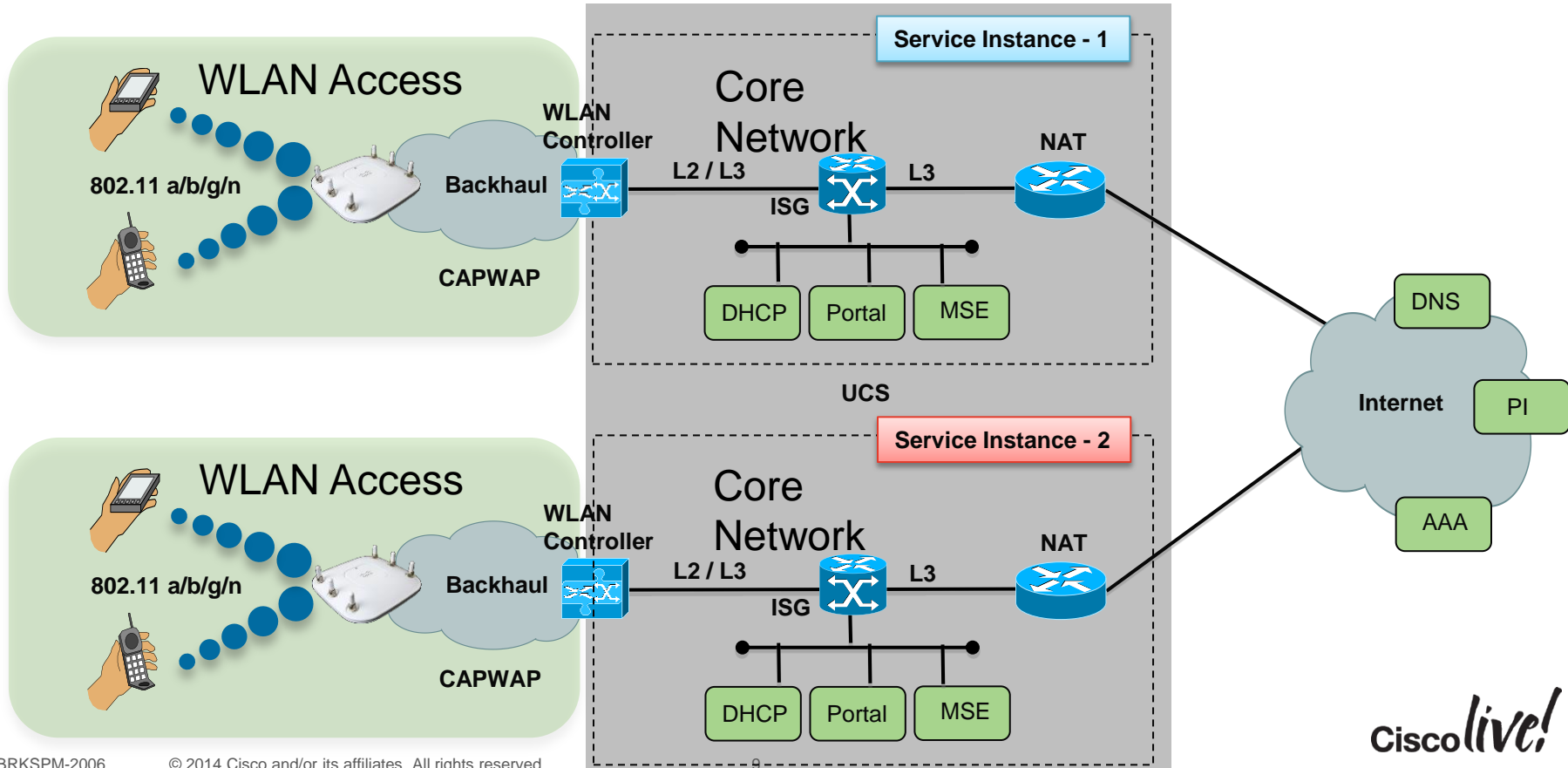


- DNS service
- Authentication
- Accounting
- Management
- Subscriber management

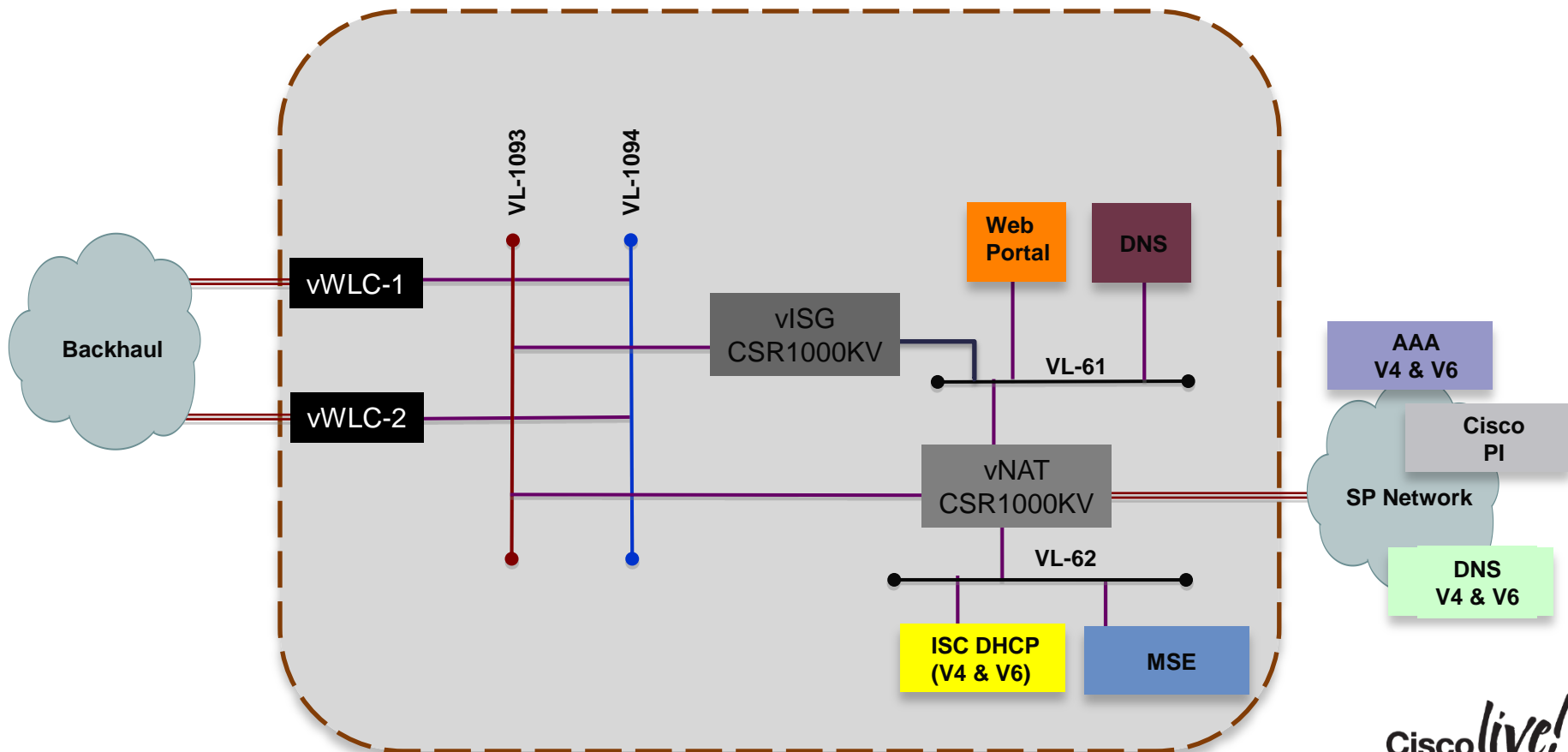
Virtualized WiFi instance



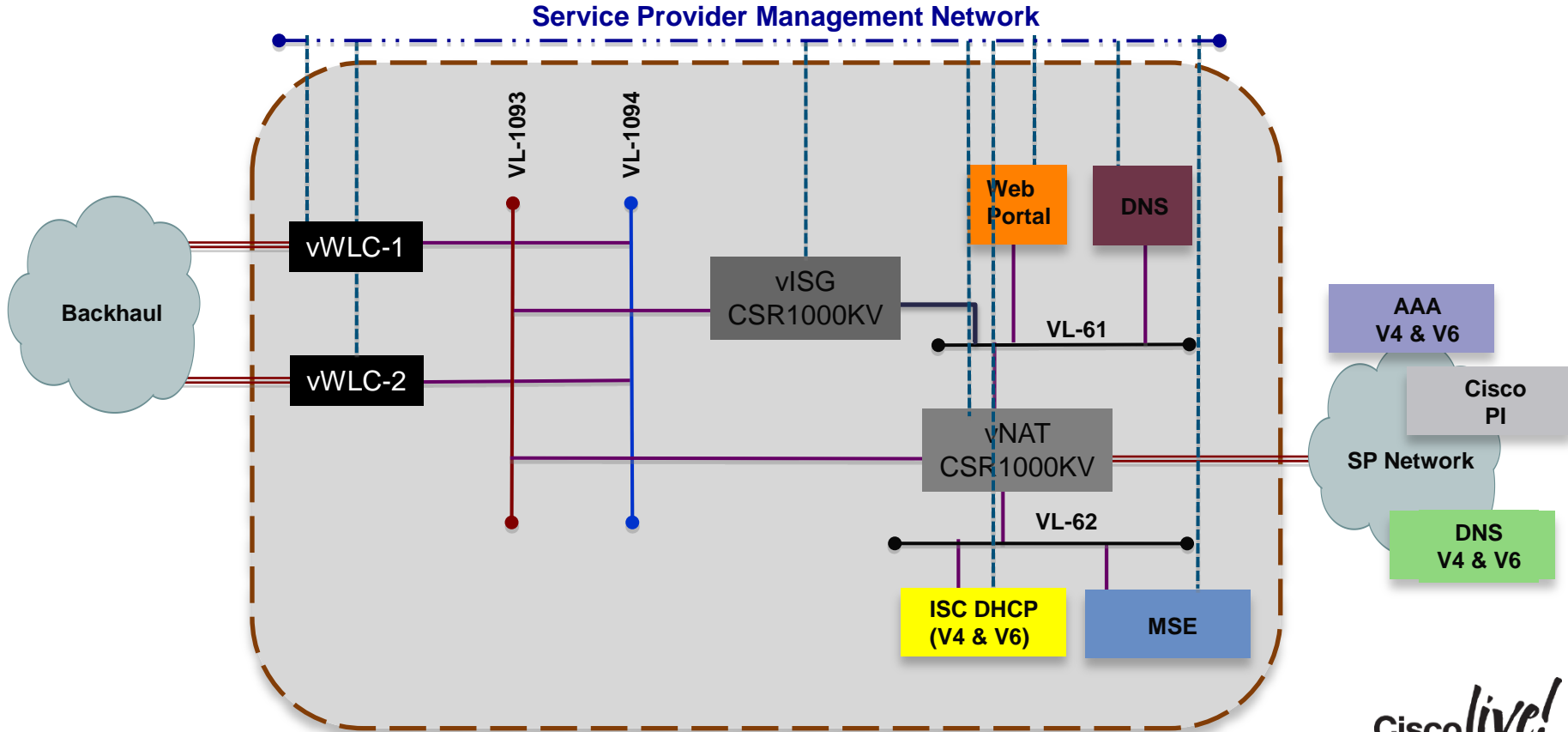
Virtualized WiFi Service Instances



Virtual WiFi



Out of band management access

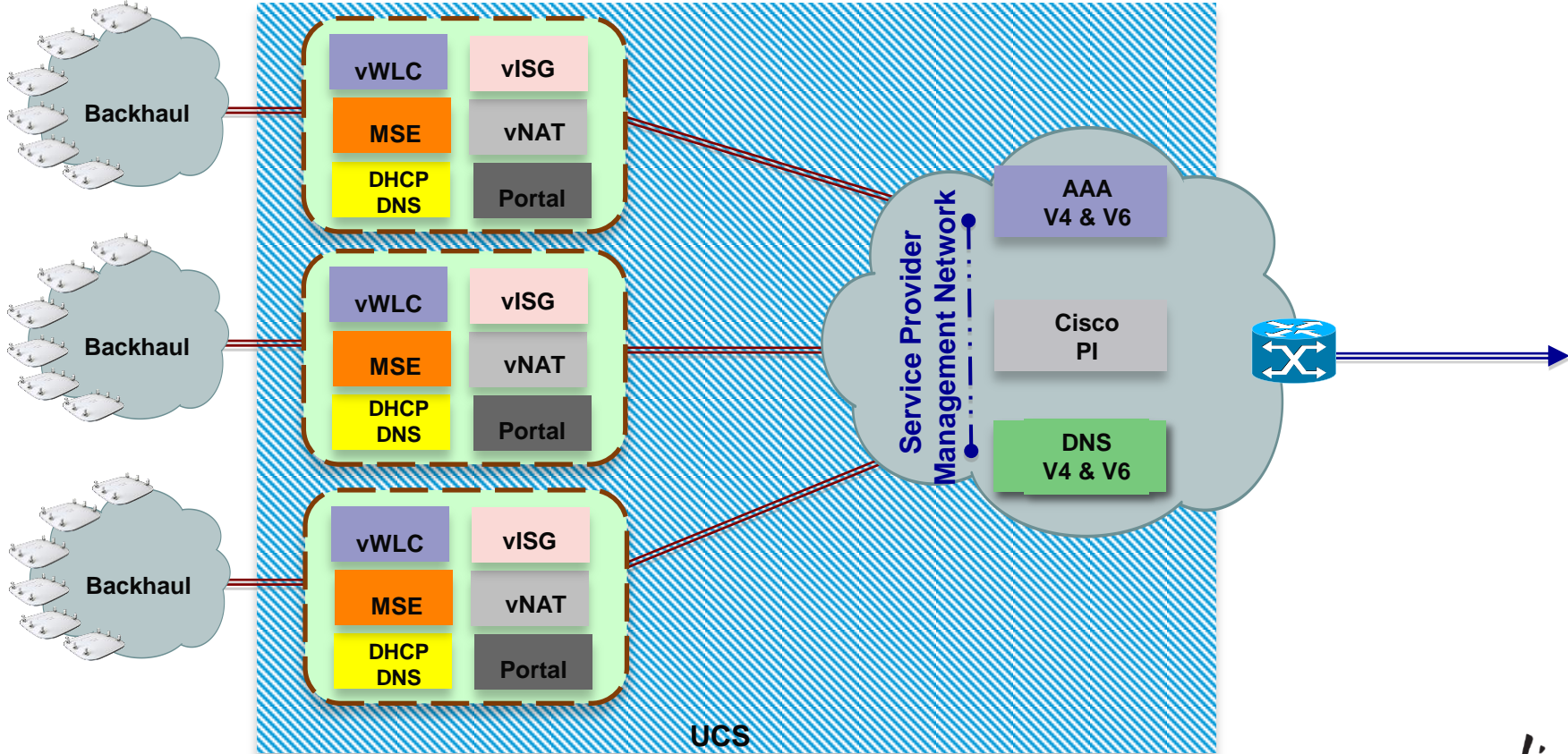


Differences between service instances

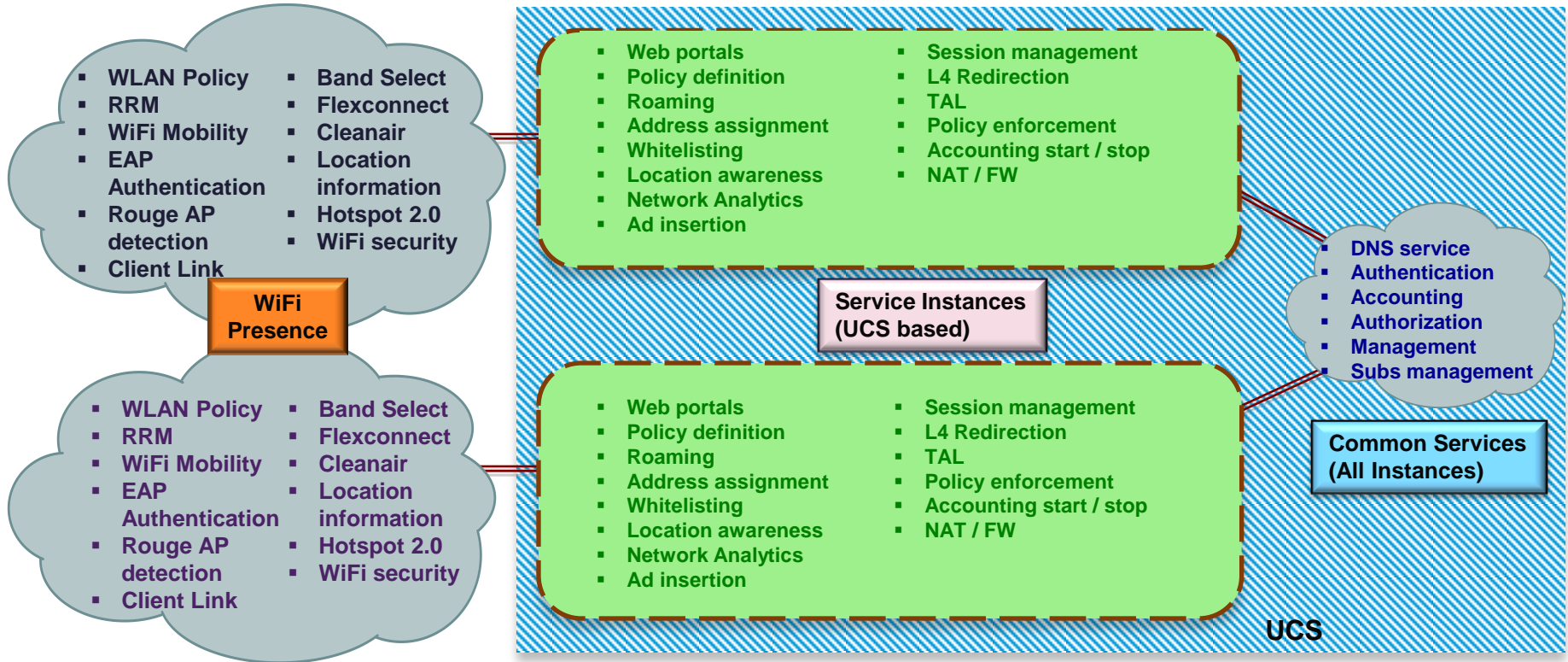
- IP addresses for all components on the SP **management** network
- Public IP addresses for virtual WLC's
- NAT pool for each service instance
- VLAN's must be unique per service instance within a cluster

Everything else remains the same across ALL service instances

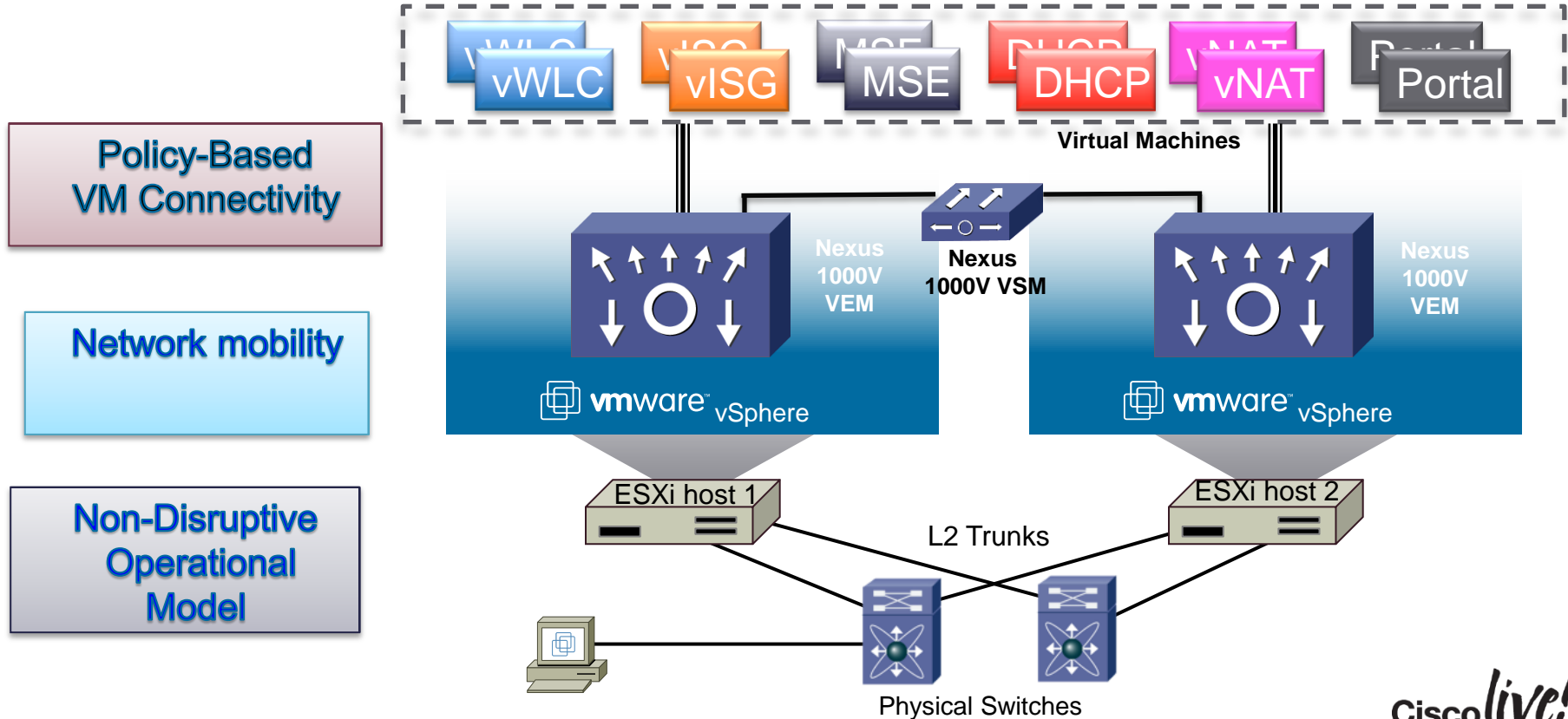
Multiple Instances



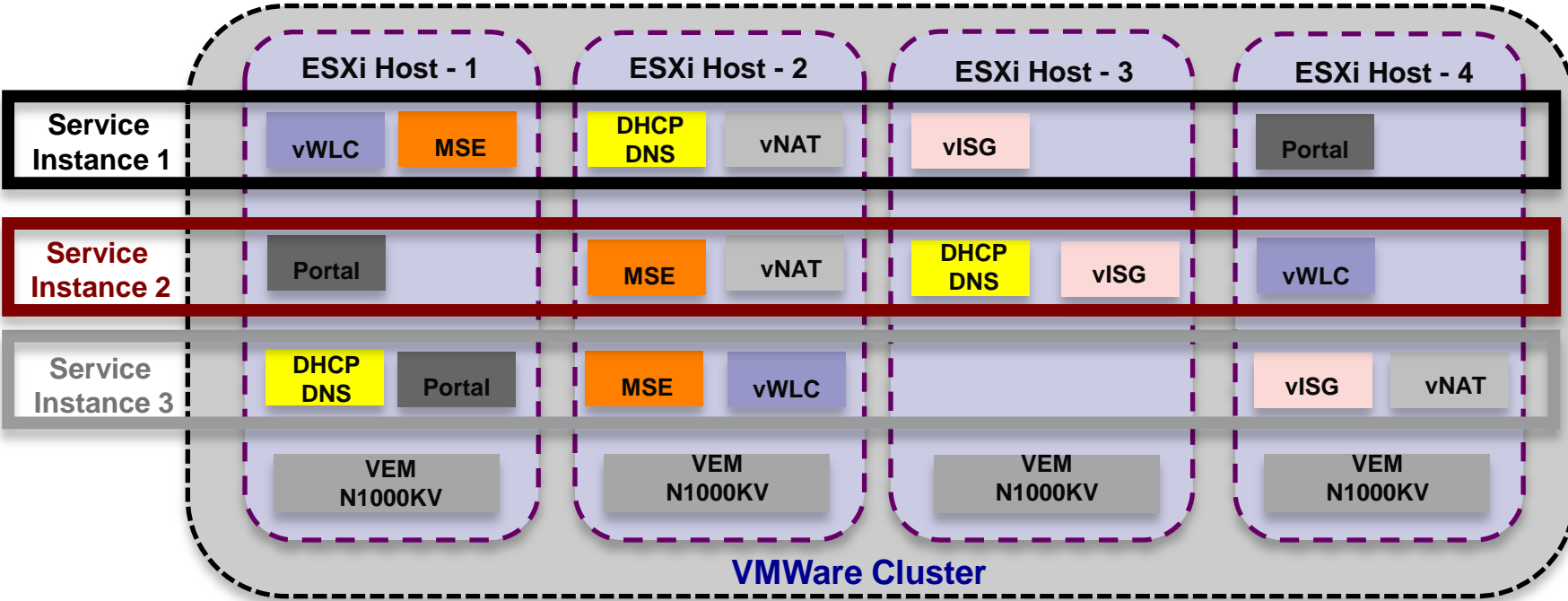
Virtual WiFi service – feature mapping



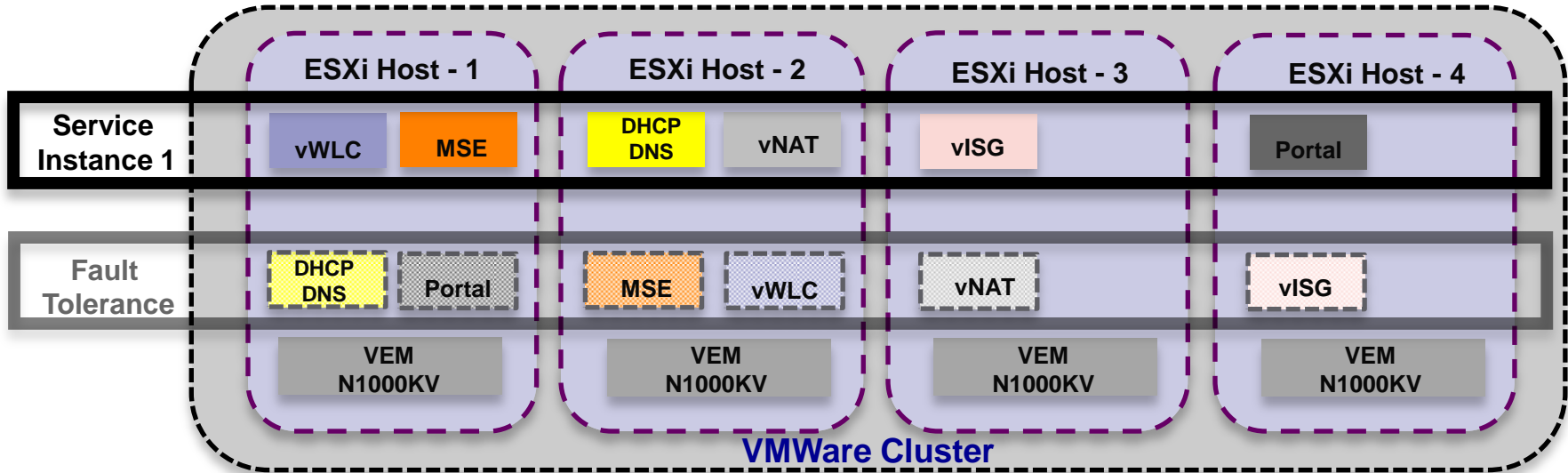
Layer 2 Connectivity with Nexus 1000v



Service Instances across a cluster



Fault tolerance for service instances



- Only VM's with a single vCPU can be made fault tolerant
- Virtual hard disk should be set up as Thick eager zeroed
- Only 4 Fault Tolerant VM's per ESXi host

Service Instance: subscriber experience

- VLAN based (Location based) portals
- User name / password based web authentication
- Transparent auto logon
- 3 Tiers of service (URANIUM, PLATINUM, TITANIUM)
- Support for dual-stack clients (IPv4 and IPv6)
- Policy enforcement on ISG (Downstream and upstream BW)
- Session management and AAA based accounting
- Location based Advertisement insertion

Service Instance: Provider feature highlights

- License based solution (No actual hardware other than UCS)
- Rapid deployment of service instances – reduced risk
- On demand service replication with feature consistency
- Common accounting / authorization / authentication
- Common management of multiple instances
- Isolation between service instances (Separate external policy – DPI)
- VMWare cluster based service redundancy
- Consistent subscriber experience across all service instances
- Opportunity to customize service instances if required
- Monetization potential (Analytics, Ad insertion)

Reduced TCO

Other Verticals



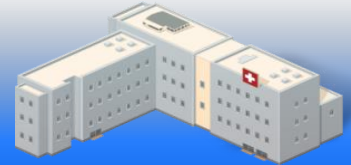
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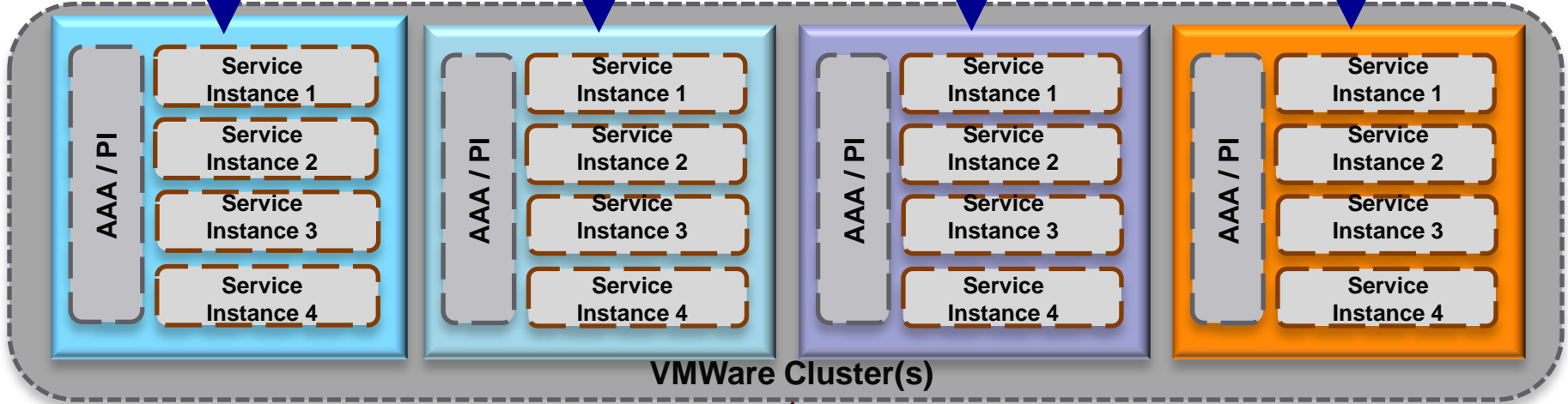
Transportation



Education



Healthcare



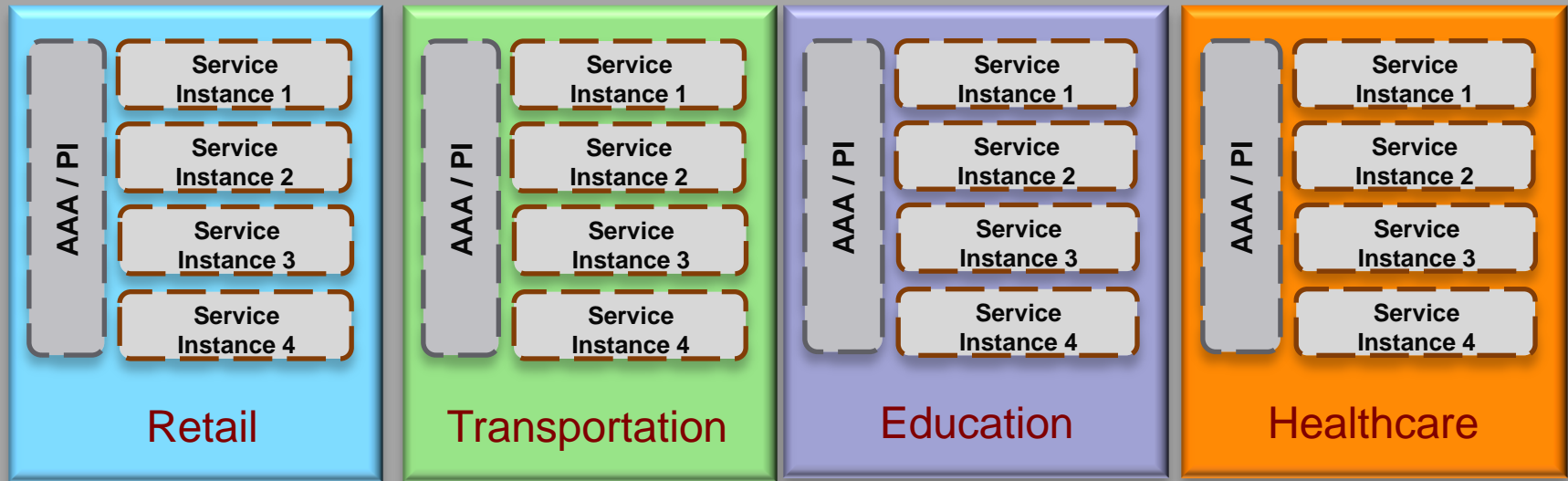
VMWare Cluster(s)



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Multi tenancy, single cluster

Consistent features and subscriber experience within vertical
Common authentication / accounting within vertical
Monetization potential and location awareness per instance
Traffic management and reporting isolation within vertical



VMWare Cluster(s)



Hospitality Case Study

Hospitality case study – requirements 1

- Wireless Access
 - Open SSID for guests with Web-portal authentication
 - Hotel-only hidden SSID for staff with 802.1X based authentication
 - On demand conference SSID
- Wired Access
 - Guest VLAN has limited access to local resources
 - Staff / Hotel VLAN is protected by 802.1X (MAB – MAC authentication bypass)
- Transport
 - All guest traffic (Wired and wireless) backhauled to SP NOC
 - All hotel traffic (Wired and wireless) is locally switched
- Policy enforcement
 - QoS applied locally on switch ports and ISR for hotel staff
 - Guest QoS centrally enforced by SP
 - Per SSID QoS for conference SSID

Hospitality case study – requirements 2

- Authentication
 - Central AAA interface to on property PMS (Wired and Wireless guest access)
 - 802.1X (MAB – MAC authentication bypass) for hotel-only wired access
- Billing and accounting
 - Centralized billing / accounting and reporting
- Management
 - All WiFi routing and switching assets on property are centrally managed by SP
 - Guest access is validated against local PMS entries (Room No: and last name)
 - Wired access (MAB) for printers and other devices preconfigured by SP
- Same IP address range across all properties
- Guest portal customized per property

WIRED Users – MAB (MAC Auth Bypass)

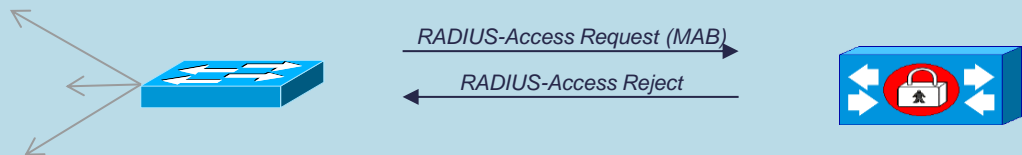
Option 1: MAC is Unknown but MAB “Passes”



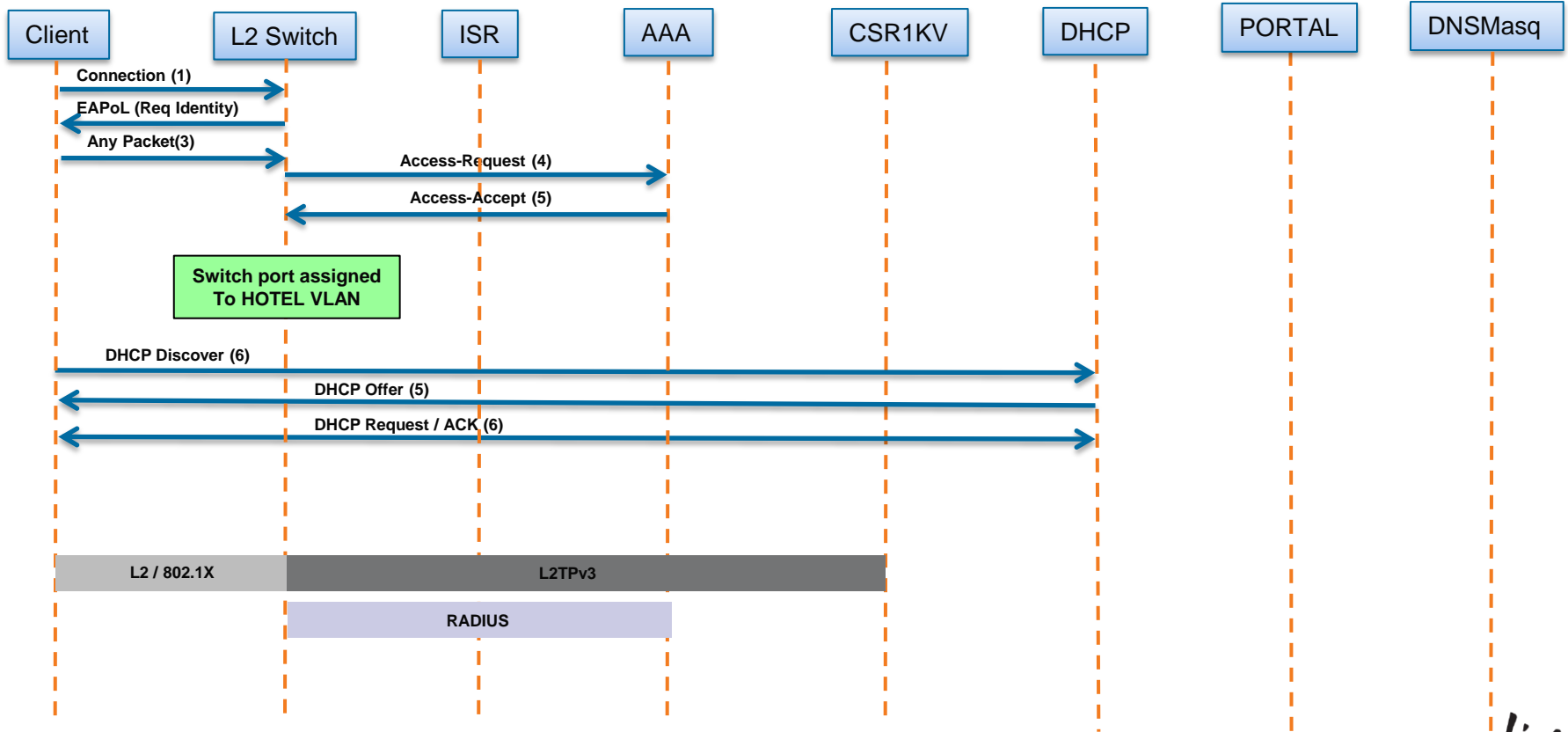
- AAA server determines policy for unknown endpoints (e.g. network access levels, re-authentication policy)
- Good for centralized control & visibility of guest policy (VLAN, ACL)

Option 2: MAC is Unknown and MAB Fails

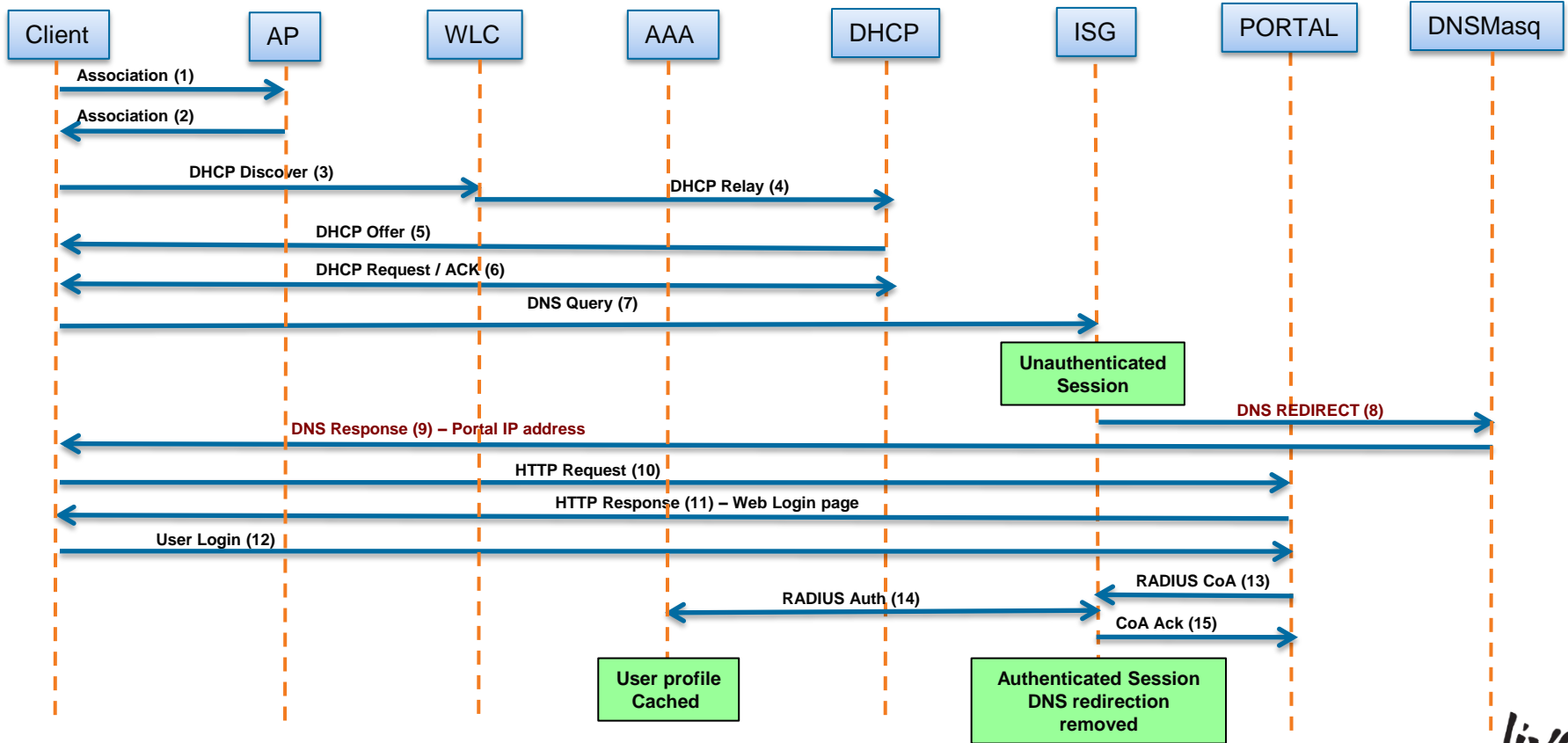
- No Access
- Switch-based 802.1X auth
- Guest VLAN



Hospitality: Wired Access for approved devices

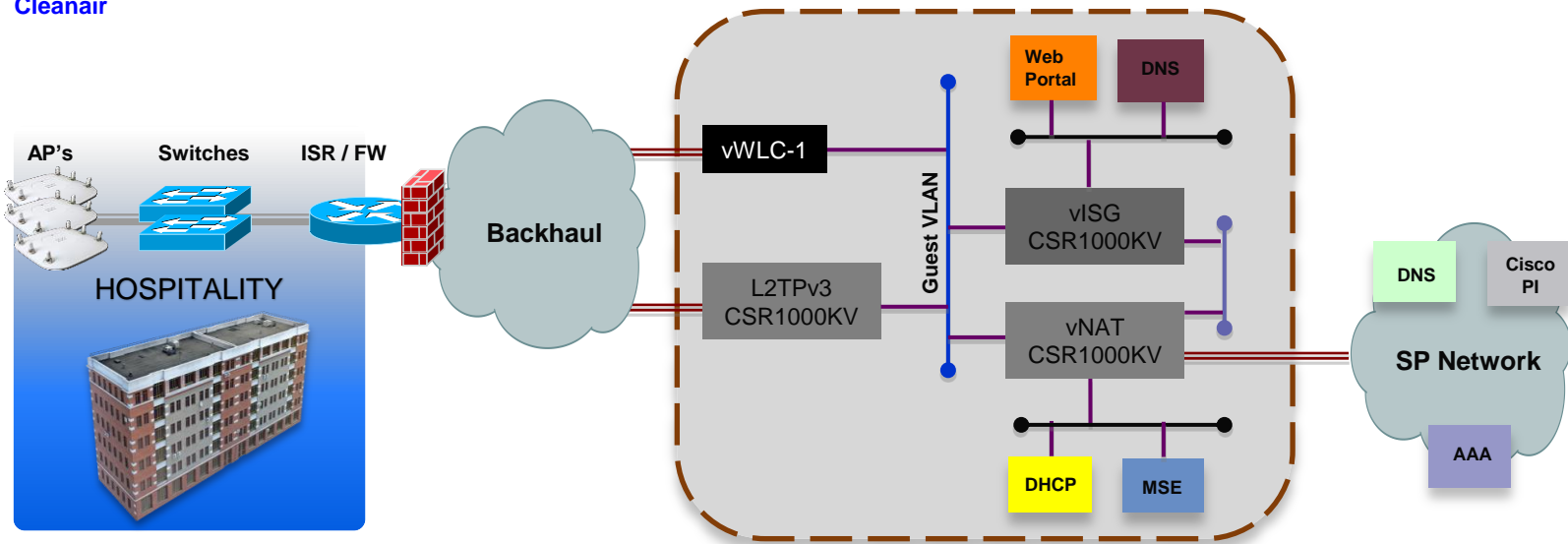


Hospitality: Web-Auth with DNS redirect

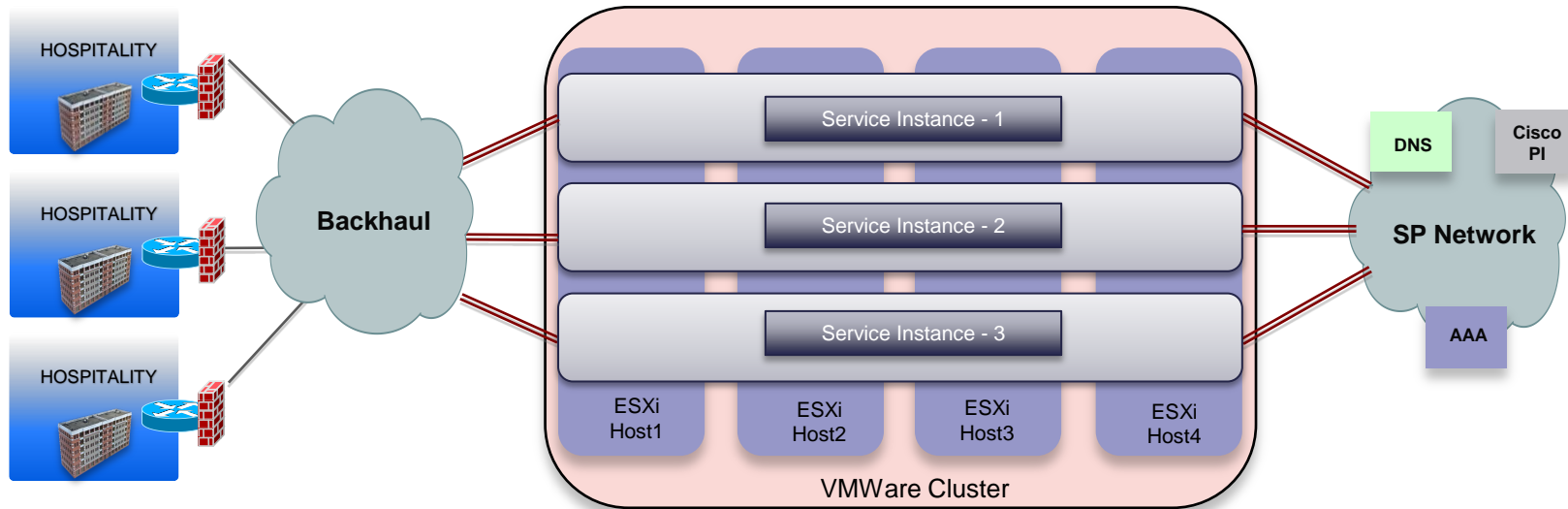


WiFi service instance for hospitality

- WiFi Access
- RRM
- WiFi Mobility
- Rouge AP detection
- Client Link
- Band Select
- Flexconnect
- Cleanair
- Location information
- Wired Access
- L2TPv3
- PMS
- MAB
- Customized web portals
- Address assignment
- Whitelisting
- Location awareness
- Network Analytics
- Session management
- L4 Redirection
- TAL
- Policy enforcement
- Accounting
- NAT
- Billing
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- Asset management
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- Service authorization



Hospitality - WiFi service instances



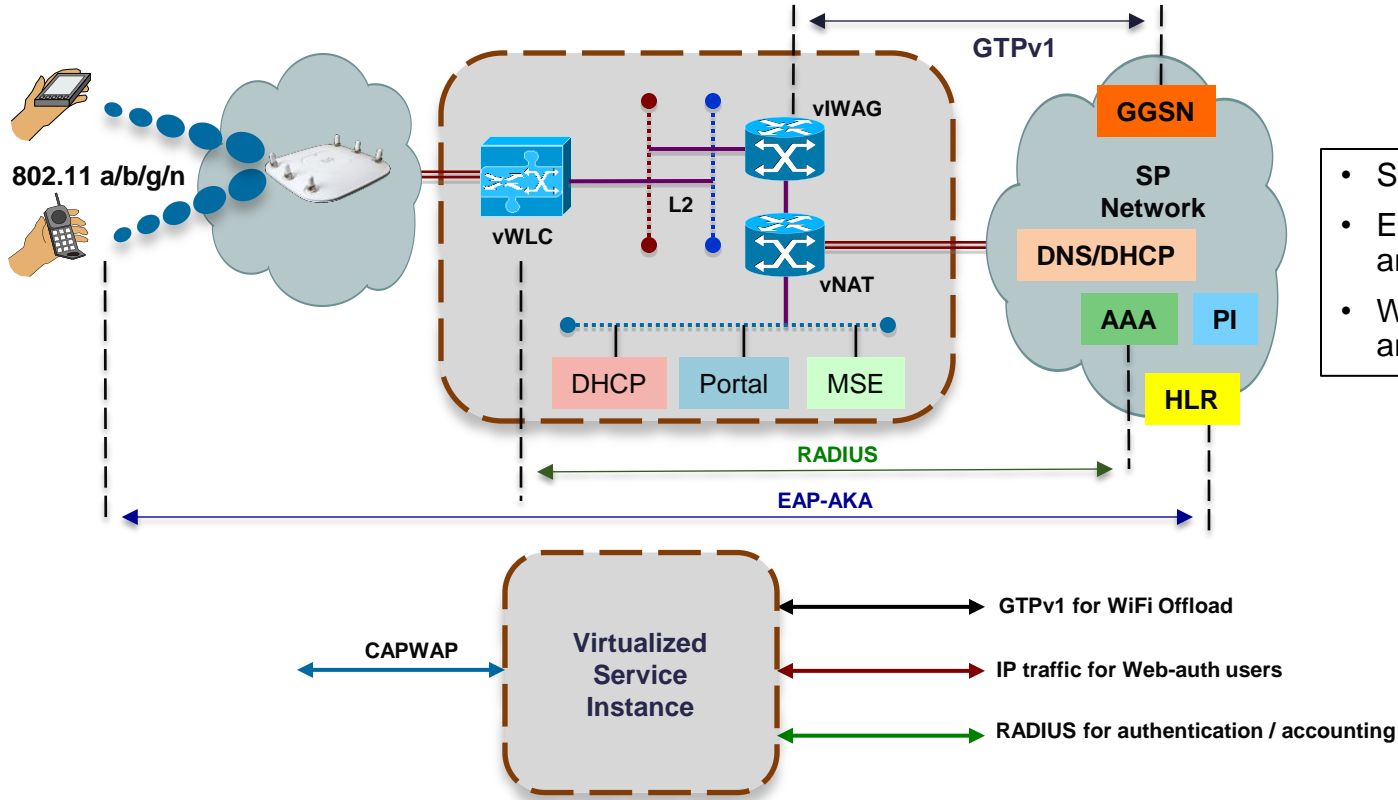
- Consistent subscriber experience
- Centralized asset management
- Customized portal experience
- Shared IP address space
- Separate administration domain
- Custom billing / reporting

- Centralized asset management
- Fault isolation / troubleshooting
- Rapid “cookie cutter” deployment
- Opportunity to customize
- Self service management portals
- License based solution



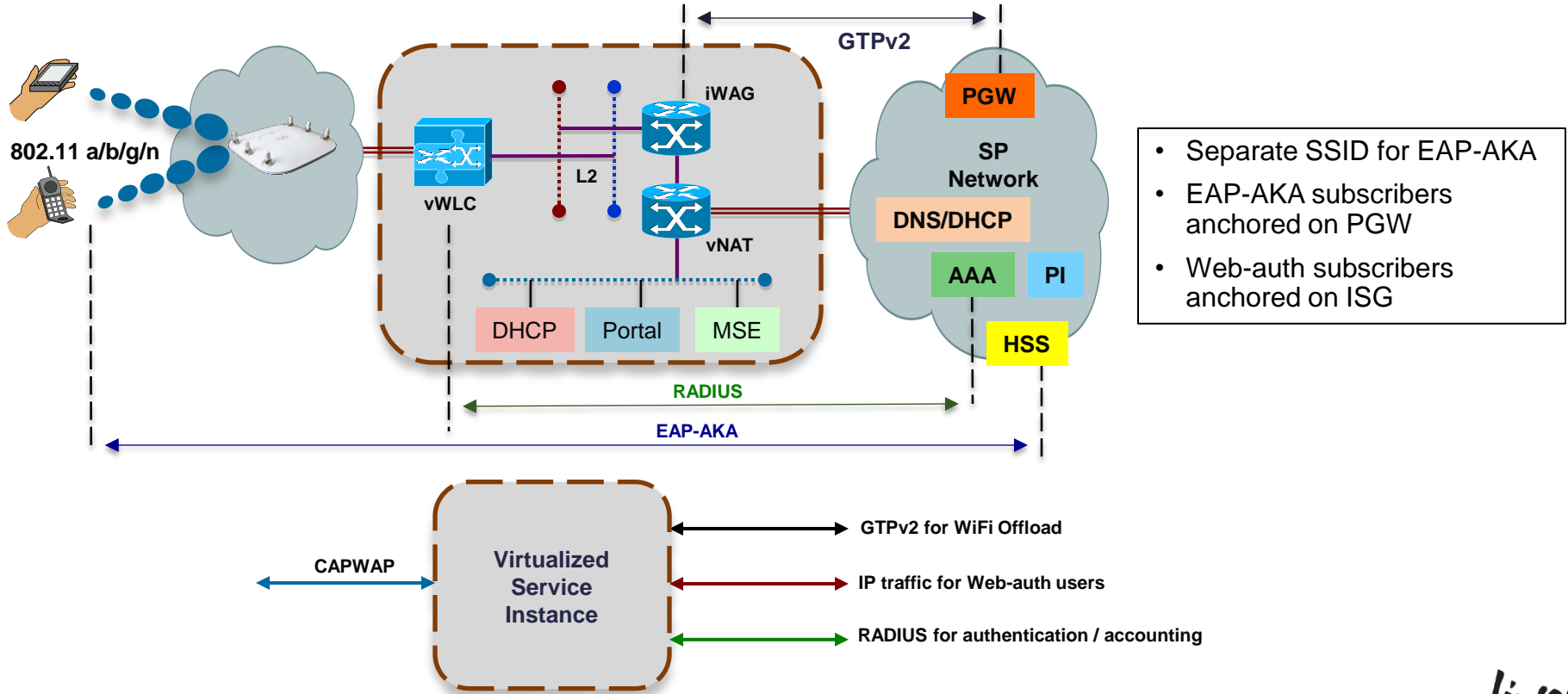
3G / 4G integration options

3G integration with iWAG

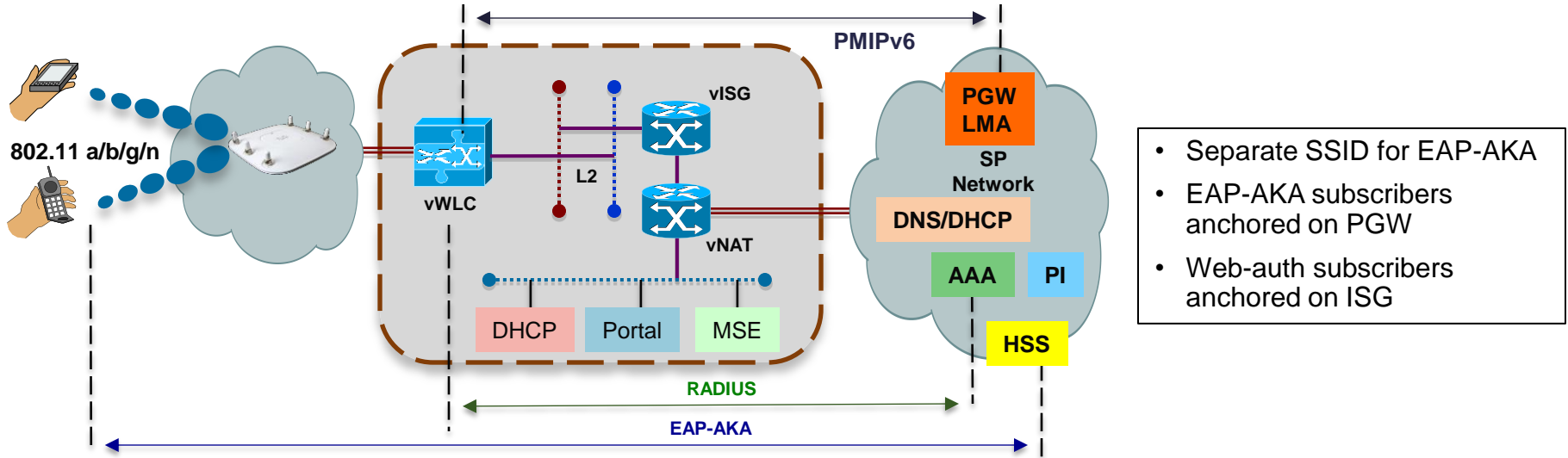


- Separate SSID for EAP-SIM
- EAP-SIM subscribers anchored on GGSN
- Web-auth subscribers anchored on iWAG

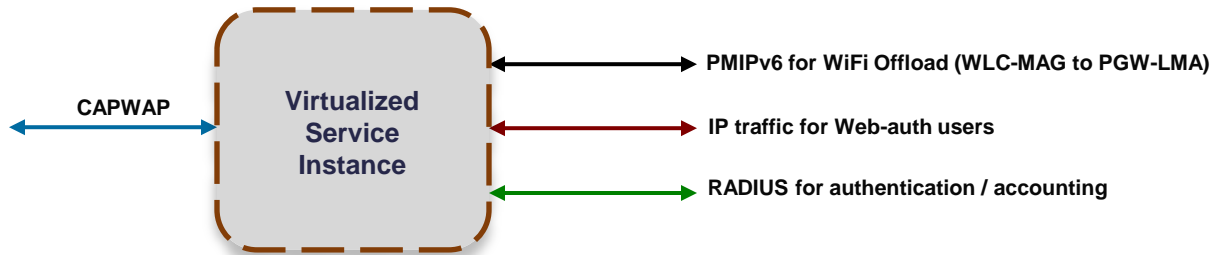
4G integration with iWAG



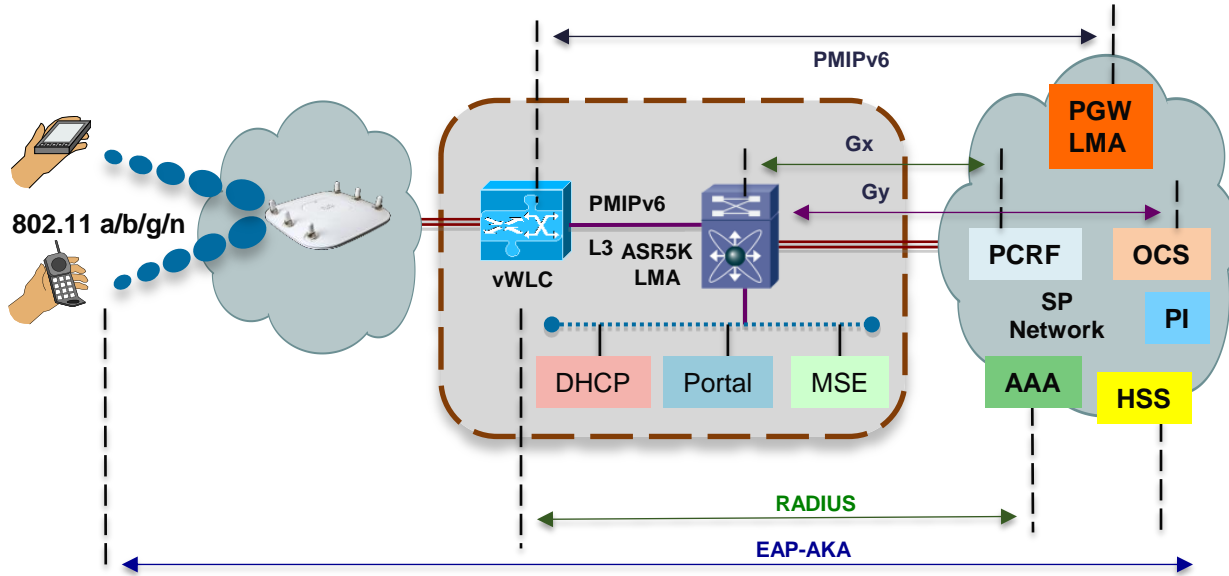
4G WiFi offload with WLC-MAG



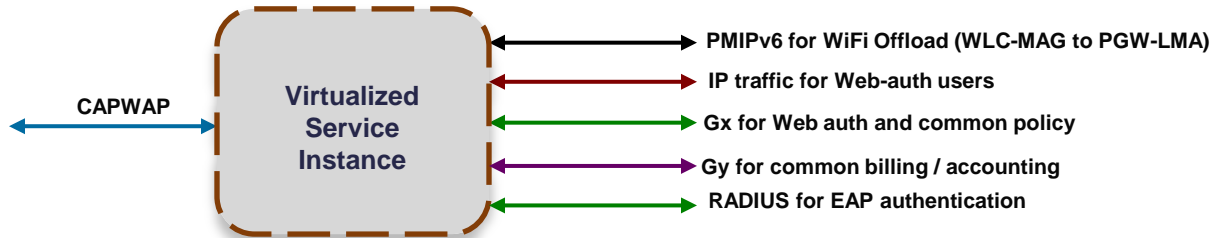
- Separate SSID for EAP-AKA
- EAP-AKA subscribers anchored on PGW
- Web-auth subscribers anchored on ISG



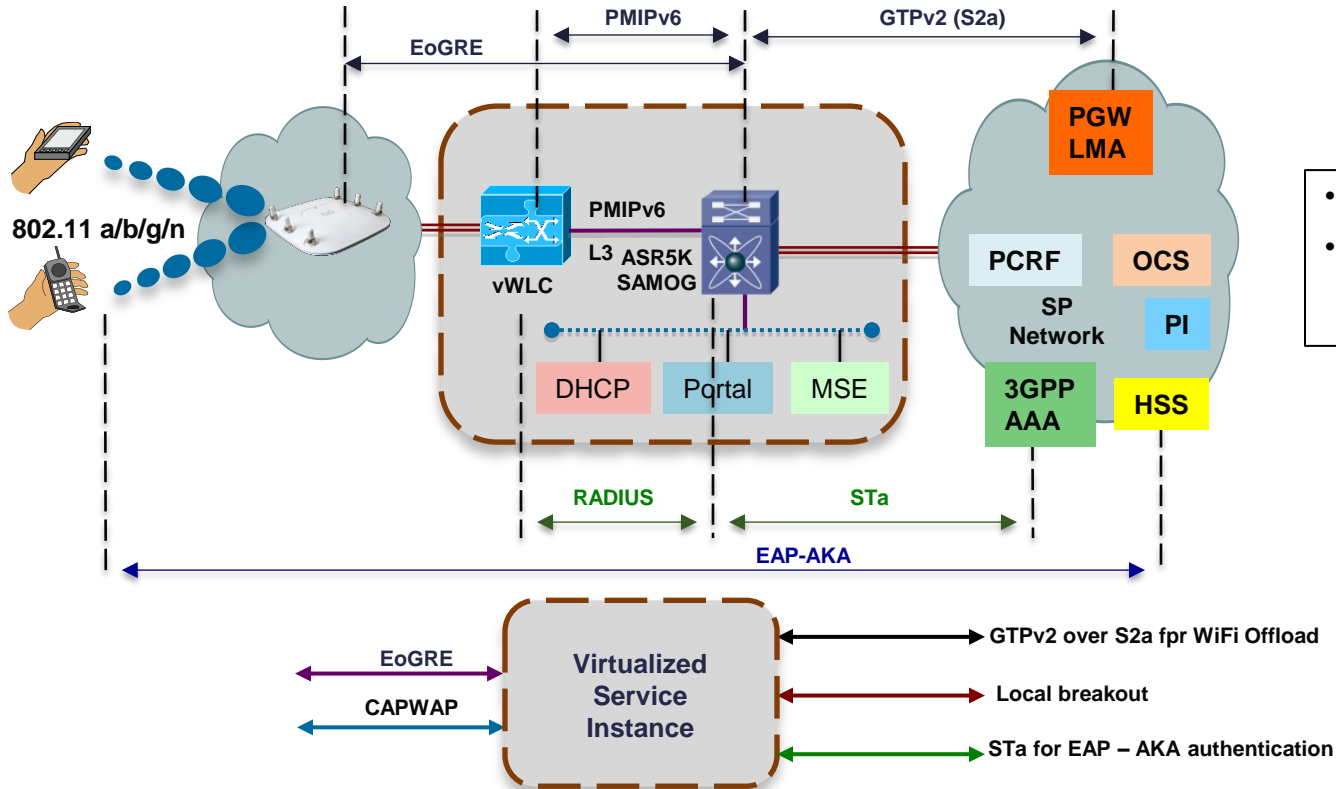
4G integration with LMA



- Separate SSID for EAP-AKA
- EAP-AKA subscribers anchored on PGW / LMA
- Web-auth subscribers anchored on ASR5K / LMA
- Common Policy / Billing

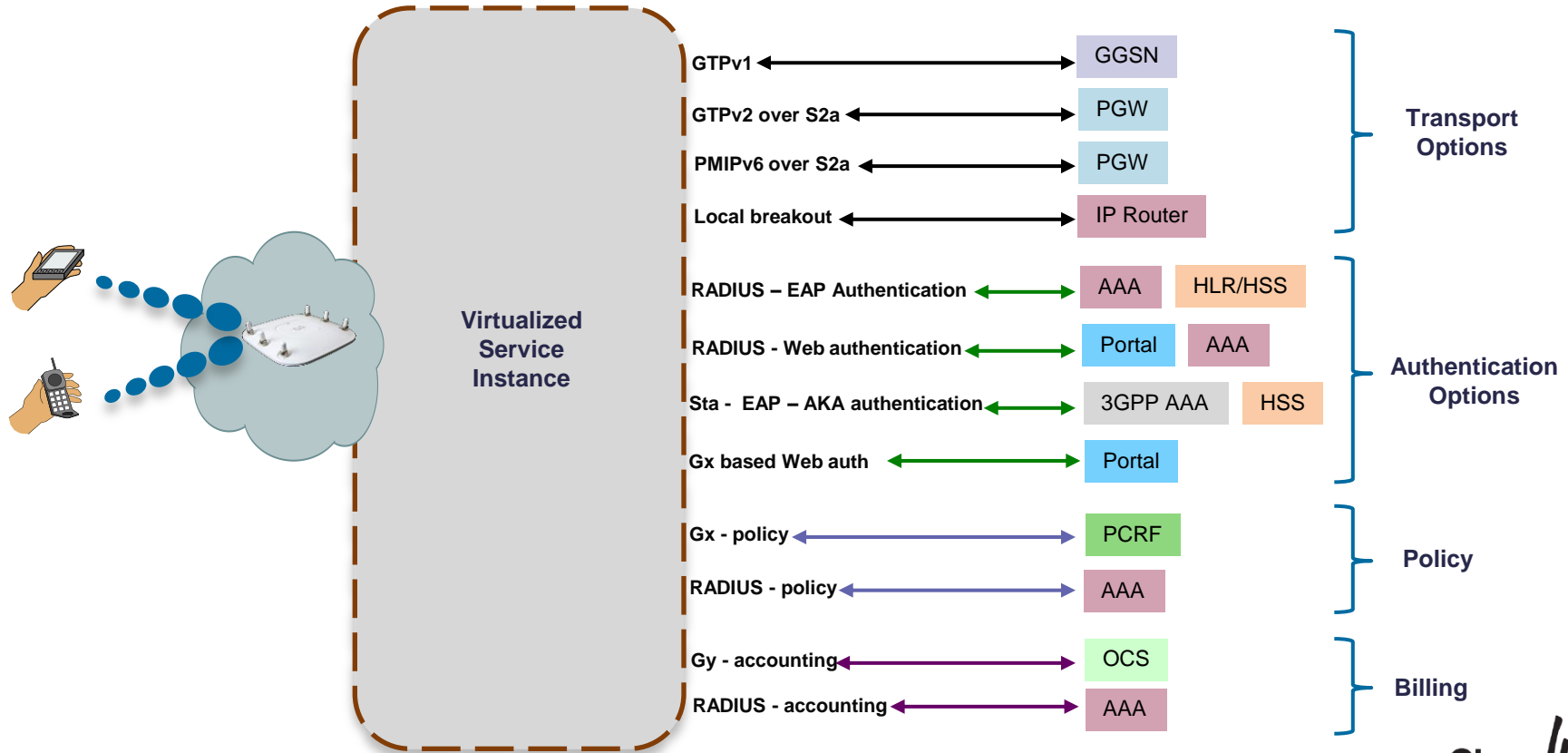


4G integration with SAMOG



- Separate SSID for EAP-AKA
- EAP-AKA subscribers anchored on PGW with GTPv2 over S2a

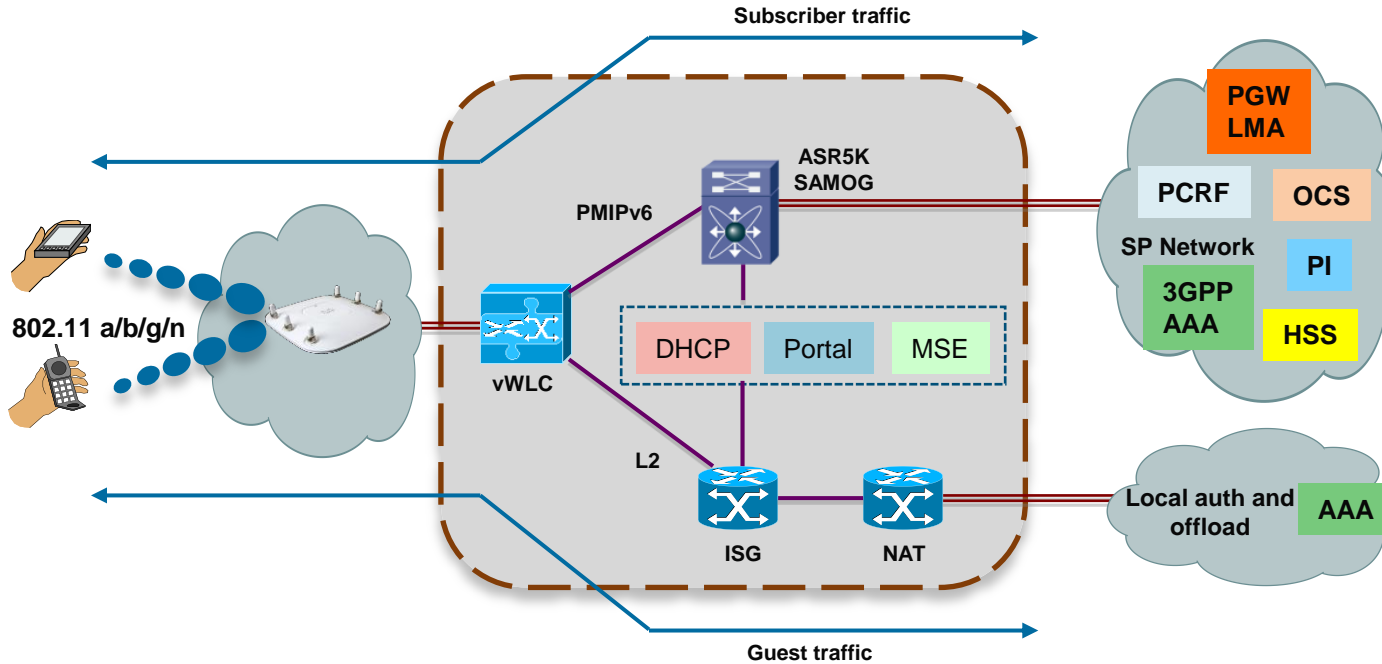
3G / 4G integration summary



Sample stadium deployment

- All MSP subscriber data traffic offloaded with EAP-AKA
- MSP subscribers can use their login credentials when using non-SIM devices
- Subscribers will receive service consistent with their subscription level
- All guests will be use open SSID
- Guests will be required to enter voucher based credentials for authentication
- Guest authentication uses local AAA service
- Guest traffic is locally switched (Not backhauled to the provider)

Customized service instance



- EAP-AKA authentication
- Seamless WiFi offload
- Subscription based svcs
- Consistent subscriber experience

- Local authentication
- Billing (Voucher based)
- Offload



Scaling and Orchestration

Scaling the virtualized WiFi core

- Elasticity
 - On demand expansion or contraction of the number of instances of a single function or service
- Orchestration
 - Automation, provisioning, coordination and management of physical, virtual and network resources across multiple data centers
- Programmability
 - Dynamically program network functions based on policy

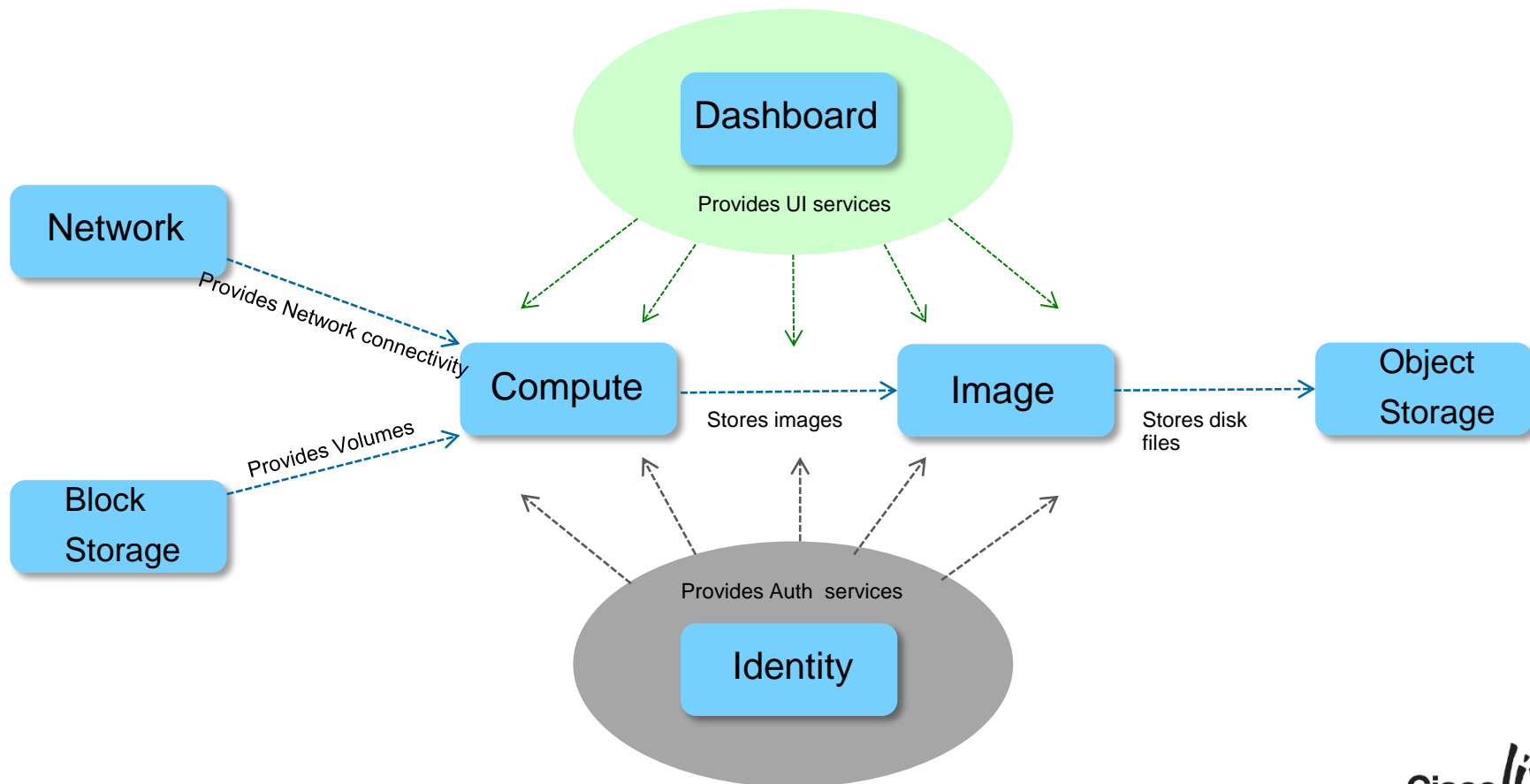
What is Openstack?

- A community driven cloud operating system that turns datacenters into pools of resources – the next evolution from server virtualization
- Provides a framework for controlling, automating, and efficiently allocating these resources
- Empowers operators, sys admins and end users via self-service portals
- Gives developers the capability to build cloud-aware applications via standard APIs

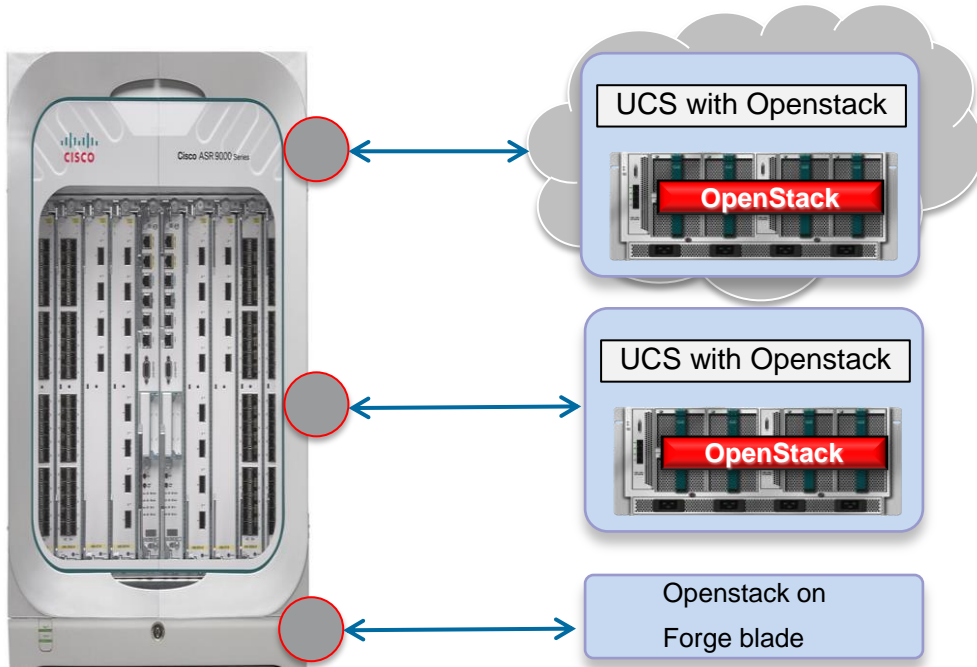
Openstack components

- Object Store (Swift)
 - Store and retrieve files using commercial storage services
- Image (Glance)
 - Provides a catalog and repository for virtual disk images
- Compute (Nova)
 - Provides virtual servers on demand
- Dashboard (Horizon)
 - Web based GUI for all Openstack services
- Identity (Keystone)
 - Catalogs Openstack services and provides authentication and authorization
- Network (Quantum)
 - Abstracts the network as a service providing connectivity between Openstack services
- Block Storage (Cinder)
 - Persistent block storage to guest VM's

Open Stack functional diagram



Attaching compute nodes

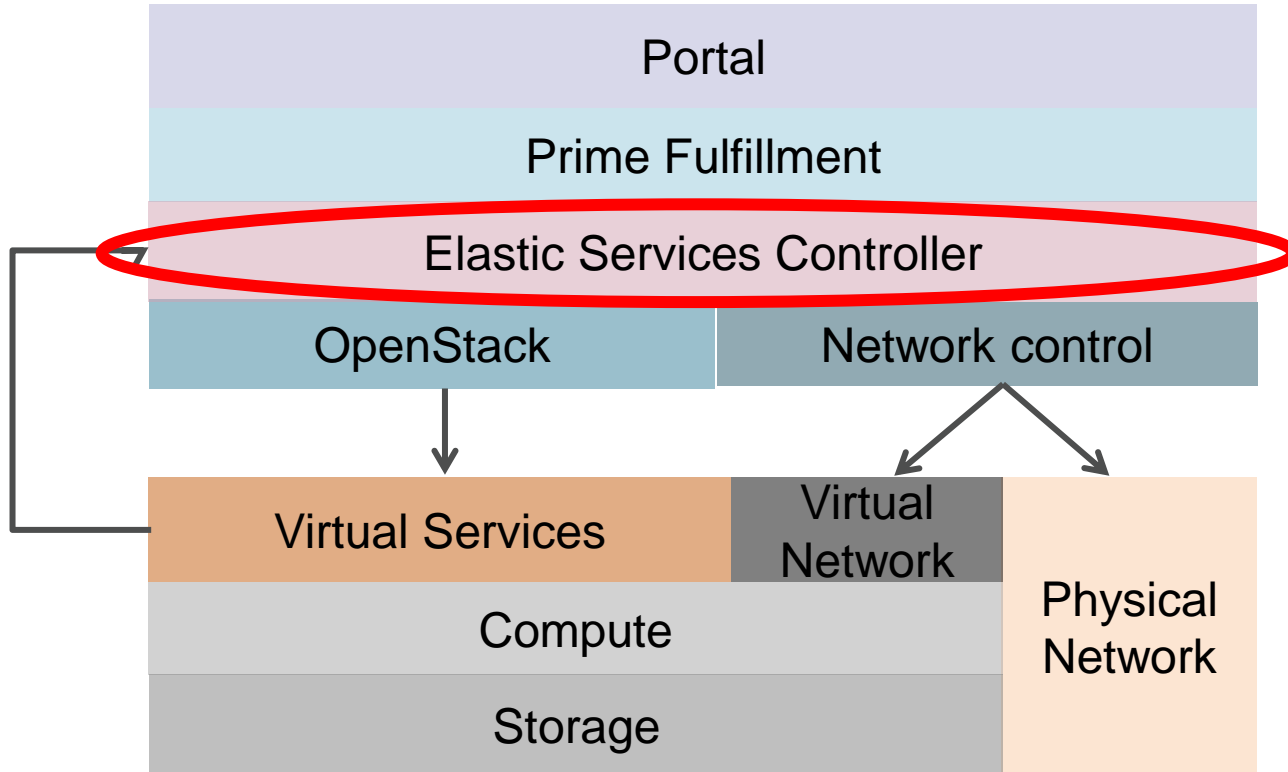


- Multiple UCS blades running OpenStack connected via a network to a single 10GB port on the ASR9k
- Minimizes number of data ports needed on the ASR9k
 - Lower network bandwidth services

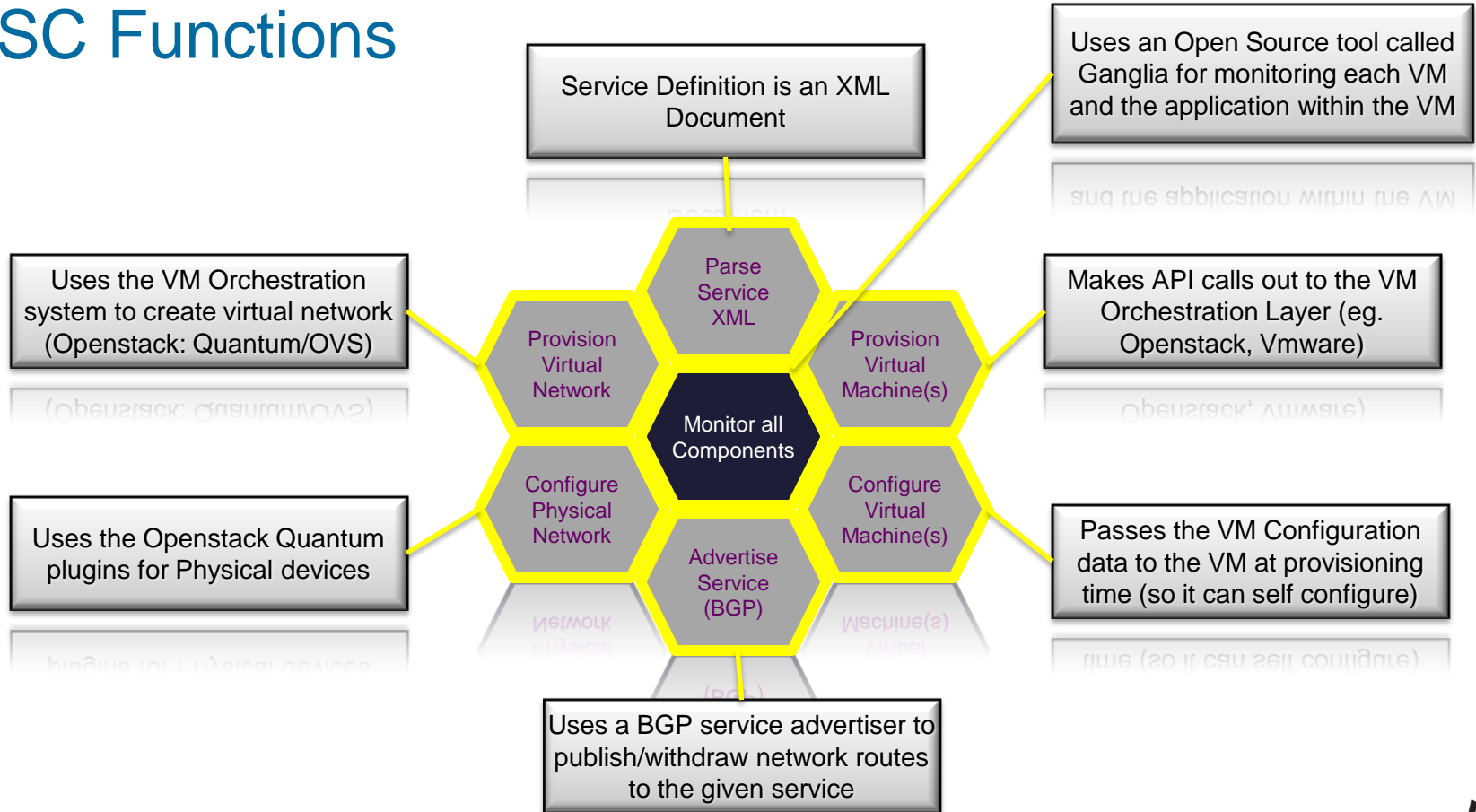
- Each UCS chassis (running OpenStack) directly connected to a 10G port on the ASR9K
- Requires a dedicated data port per UCS
 - Higher network bandwidth services

- OpenStack running on the Forge Blade (VSM)
- Takes up a service blade slot
 - Suitable for small number of services that benefit from being connected to the ASR9K fabric

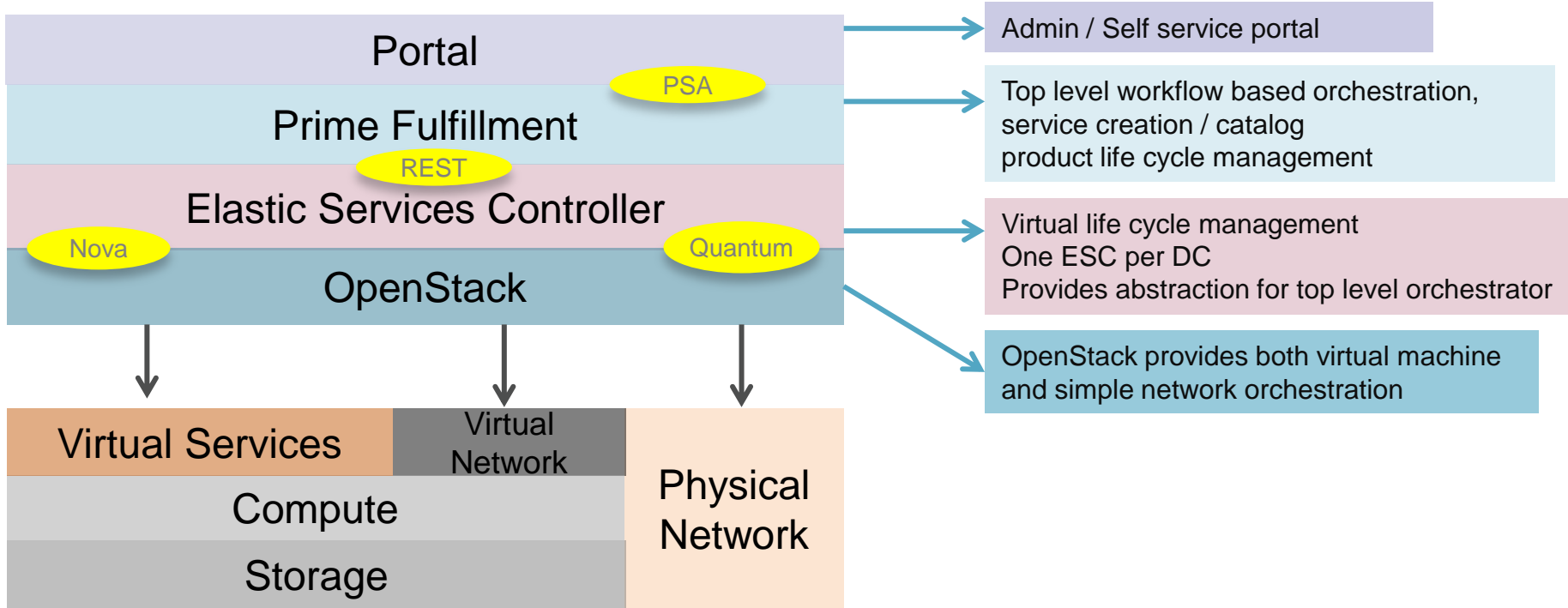
Elastic Services controller



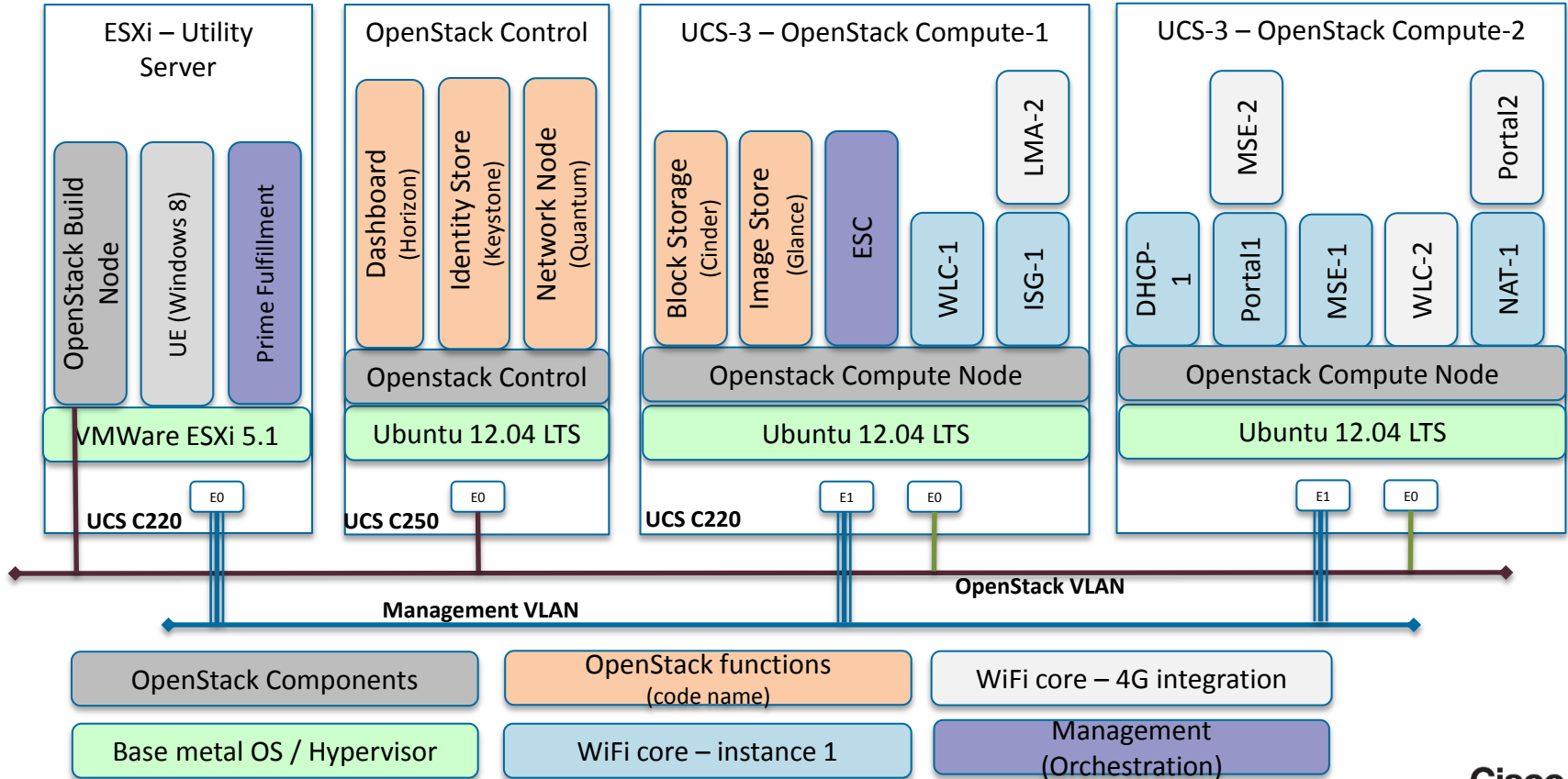
ESC Functions



NFV Orchestration



Openstack example



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