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Abstract

The existing Transport Network Aware Mobility for 5G [TN-AWARE-MOBILITY] draft specifies a framework for mapping the 5G mobile systems Slice and Service Types (SSTs) to corresponding underlying network paths in IP and Layer 2 Transport networks. The focus of that work is limited to the mobility domain and transport network characteristics till the UPF and doesn't go beyond the UPF to the Data Network.

To maintain E2E transport network characteristics the framework needs to be extended beyond UPF. This document describes a framework for extending the mobility aware transport network characteristics from the UPF through the Data Network.

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1. Introduction

The [TN-AWARE-MOBILITY] draft defines the transport path characteristics in backhaul, midhaul, and fronthaul segments between the radio side network functions and user plane functions (UPF). It describes how various transport network underlay routing mechanisms apply to the framework laid out including RSVP-TE, SR, and also a data plane agnostic integrated routing and TE mechanism - Preferred Path Routing (PPR) to map the network slice properties into the IP/L2 transport network.

The current [TN-AWARE-MOBILITY] draft doesn't extend the transport network characteristics from the UPF through the Data Network. If the user service termination happens in the data network, the Transport Path Network characteristics through the Data Network would be lost.

This proposed Extension of Transport Aware Mobility in Data Network extends the mobility aware transport network characteristics from the UPF through the Data Network.

The UPF can be placed on the edge of the network where it can perform entry or exit point to the Data Network. It can connect to a Provider Edge node as well and bring all the mobile connections in a distributed way to the Data Network.

The UPF can as well connect to the SD-WAN edge node or L3 aggregator device and would try to bring all the 5G mobility connections for small, medium, and large enterprises. This would be a scenario for Enterprise 5G.

The current draft proposes mechanisms on how mobility aware transport network characteristics to be mapped into SR-TE paths or Un-secure, Secure, Secure SR-TE paths based in the Data Network on different use cases scenarios.

2. Conventions used in this document

BSID - Binding SID

DC - Data Center

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- Data Network (5G) DN

- enhanced Mobile Broadband (5G) EMBB

- 5G NodeB gNB

GTP-U - GPRS Tunneling Protocol - Userplane (3GPP)

- Massive IOT (5G) MIOT

- Path Computation Element (PCE) Communication Protocol PECP

SD-WAN - Software-Defined Wide Area Network

SID - Segment Identifier

- Service Layer Agreement SLA

SST - Slice and Service Types (5G)

- Segment Routing SR

SR-PCE - SR Path Computation Element

UE - User Equipment

UPF - User Plane Function (5G)

URLLC - Ultra reliable and low latency communications (5G)

3. Framework for Extension of Transport Network Aware Mobility

Architecture wise, the proposed Extension of Transport Aware Mobility in the Data Network solution focuses on the following areas:

- a) The Mobility packet transition in and out from the UPF to the C-PE Node maintaining the Transport Path Characteristics.
- b) On a PE node, based on the transport characteristics, use different methods of fetching SR-TE path segments from the SR-TE

Controller and map the SR-TE segments with the mobility aware transport packets.

c) On an SD-WAN CE Node, based on the transport characteristics, mapping of mobility aware transport packets to the secure and unsecure tunnel path.

Figure 1 captured under Section 4 provides the representation of a network on how UE could be connected to the UPF and C-PE nodes in the Data Network. The C-PE node represents a combined CE and PE node. In some cases, UPF would be connected to the pure PE or CE node.

4. Mobility Packet Transition to the Data Network

As the Transport Aware Mobility packets transition in and out from the UPF to the PE or C-PE (in SDWAN case) node, the Mobility Transport Characteristics need to be maintained in the Data Network. The current solution proposes a generic approach to how the mobility packet transition can happen in the Data Network maintaining the same transport characteristics. Whether the UPF would be co-located with the C-PE in the same device or sitting in a different device the approach would be the same.

The current solution proposes to create a new encapsulation header at the UPF node carrying the original UDP header along with the Inner IP to get encapsulated with the outer IP header of the outgoing C-PE node IP address.

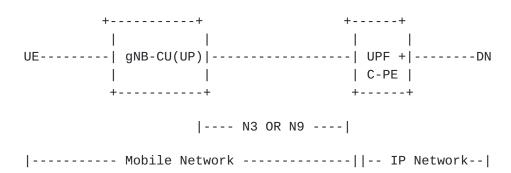
- . Format of the new Header from the UPF to the C-PE Node: Outer IP (C-PE Node Address) + Original UDP + Inner IP (UE Packet)
- . Format of the new Header from C-PE to the UPF Node: Outer IP (UPF Node Address) + Original UDP + Inner IP (UE Packet)

There are two possible scenarios of how UPF would be connected to the C-PE node.

In different edge networking deployment, the virtual UPF could be co-located with the C-PE node in the same device and that is captured under scenario 1. The other scenario is where UPF would be separated physically from the C-PE node over an IP network, and that is captured under Scenario 2.

In Scenario 1, the UDP source port information coming from the mobility domain can be passed to the C-PE node locally through some policy defined in the device. It doesn't require to form an IP packet with the UDP source port info to send it to the physically separated C-PE node. Figure 2 is applicable for Scenario 2, where UPF needs to forward the IP packet with the original UDP source port information to the physically separated C-PE node.

Scenario 1:



Scenario 2:

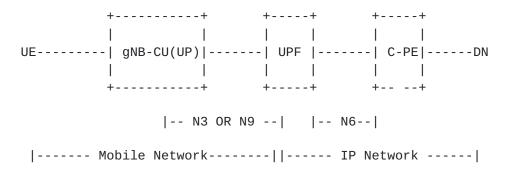


Figure 1: Mobile and IP Data Network for UE

1. UE Packet in the Mobile Network:

+----+ | UE Data | Inner IP | GTP-U | UDP | Outer IP | +----+

2. UE Packet in the IP Network:

+----+ | UE Data | Inner IP | Original UDP | C-PE IP | +----+

Figure 2: UE Packet Transition from Mobile to IP Network

5. Transport Network Characteristics Mapping to SR-TE Paths

With the 5G Mobile Networking, the UPF would be terminating the mobile connection from the UE. In some Edge Networking scenarios, the UPF would be co-located with the C-PE or it would be connected to the C-PE node over IP Network.

The 5G UE traffic coming to the UPF might be carrying Transport Network Characteristics. In that scenario, there would be a need to maintain Transport Path Characteristic through the core of the network so that end to end SLA can be maintained for the UE traffic.

In scenarios where ingress PE acting as SR-TE node, the mapping of Transport Network Aware Mobility {5G UDP Src Port Range} to {BGP SR-TE Policy, BSID} to be done at the ingress PE. Once this mapping is done, the mobility Transport Path Characteristics can be maintained in the data network.

On a PE node, based on the transport characteristics, the current solution proposes different methods of applying SR-TE path segments:

Scenario 1: In this scenario, the assumption is that the Ingress PE node is connected to the BGP SR-TE Controller through the BGP SR-TE Policy SAFI Session, then this solution defines a mechanism to map the BGP SR-TE Underlay Path Segments based on the Mobility Transport Characteristics.

. This mechanism would require a new BGP Sub-TLV as part of the existing SR Policy SAFI NLRI to download SR-TE Policies corresponds to the mobility Transport Path characteristics. If the TN aware mobility packet UDP Source Port value falls within the UDP Src Port range value of this Sub-TLV, then the pre-downloaded SR-TE Policy MUST be applied on the mobility traffic to map to the correct network slice in the Data Network. Once the Policy is fetched it would be cached by the PE node for operating in-line for the subsequent mobility TN aware packets.

Scenario 2: In this scenario, the assumption is that the Ingress PE node is connected to the SR-PCE (Path Compute Element) Controller through the PCEP Session, then this draft defines a mechanism to map the SR-TE Underlay Segments based on the Mobility Transport Characteristics.

. Currently, this mechanism does not require new encoding in the PCEP based communication, though it needs local Configuration in the PE node to request the SR-TE Paths from the PCEP based Controller based on on-demand TN aware mobility traffic.

Scenario 3: In this scenario, the assumption is that the Ingress PE node is connected to the SR-TE Controller over Restconf/ Netconf or gRPC session. The existing mechanism would be used to download the SR-TE Underlay Path Segments to the PE node based on the Mobility Transport Path Characteristics.

. The Yang Data Model or Protobuf definition is required to define a new Sub-TLV like Scenario 1. The SR-TE Controller would pre-download the SR-TE Policies with the new Sub-TLV in the Ingress PE using the existing session. Once the specific SR-TE Policy is fetched, it would be cached by the Ingress PE to apply for the mobility TN aware traffic in-line to maintain the network characteristics in the Data Network.

5.1. Extend TN Aware Mobility for BGP SR-TE Policy

1) To integrate Transport Network Aware Mobility with BGP SR-TE Policy at the Ingress PE UPF, the Class-map needs to be defined to

classify the incoming mobility traffic with different Transport Path Characteristic.

- 2) The Ingress PE UPF is assumed to have a BGP SR-TE Policy SAFI connection with the BGP SR-TE Controller. The Mobility traffic destination would resolve in the BGP Peer Next Hop for which SR-TE Policy to be applied to maintain the same network characteristics beyond the mobility domain.
- 3) A new 5G Metadata Sub-TLV has been defined for existing SR-Policy SAFI with the UDP Source Port Range to identify the SR-TE path based on the Transport Path characteristics.
- 4) The BGP SR-TE Controller would be programmed with {5G UDP Src Port Range }. That would create internal mapping Table for {5G UDP Src Port Range} < -- > {BGP SR-TE Policy, BSID}.
- 5) The BGP SR-TE Controller would download the SR-TE Policy in the Ingress PE through the existing BGP SR-Policy SAFI session, and that the BGP update would include an additional 5G Metadata Sub-TLV. The UDP Src Port range in the 5G Metadata Sub-TLV MUST fall within the UDP Source Port range for the SSTs defined by the [TN-AWARE-MOBILITY] draft. If the UDP Src Port range falls outside the range defined by the [TN-AWARE-MOBILITY] draft, then the SR-TE Policy SHOULD be ignored by the Ingress PE.
- 6) The SR-TE Policy-based traffic steering would be applied in the Ingress PE and it would maintain the local mapping for the reverse Mobility traffic to the UE.

The following class-map definition needs to be applied in the headend PE for the incoming Transport Network aware mobility traffic path:

Class-map type traffic match MIOT

Match UDP Src Port Range Xx - Xy

Class-map type traffic match URLLC

Match UDP Src Port Range Yx - Yy

Class-map type traffic match EMBB

Match UDP Src Port Range Zx - Zy

The class-map would help to identify the incoming mobility traffic characteristics. Based on these characteristics the headend PE would be able to map the Transport Network aware mobility traffic to the appropriate BGP SR-TE Policy path over the Data Network to reach the UE's destination.

The below figure tries to capture the overall topology, and how to map the mobility traffic in the Ingress PE having BGP SR-Policy SAFI connection with the BGP SR-TE Controller:

```
+----+ +---+{5G UDP Src Port Range}
            | Controller | DB | {BGP SR-TE Policy, BSID}
            +----+ +---+
             /
                                  +----+
          / BGP SR-TE Policy with
                                  |IOT Data|
          / 5G Metadata Sub-TLV
                                  +----+
                                     /Public
                                 MIOT / Cloud
     +----+ Policy1: UDP Src Port Xx-Xy +----+ /
        A1-----B1
        | Policy2: UDP Src Port Yx-Yy | URLLC
UE-----| UPF | A2-----Internet
     | +PE1 | Policy3: UDP Src Port Zx-Zy |
                                 |\
                                 | \
                             +----+ \
     +----+
{UDP Src Port Num# <--> SR Policy N}
                                 EMBB \
                                    +----+
                                    | Content|
                                    +----+
                                     Private DC
 +----+
 | Data | Inner IP | GTP-U | UDP | Outer IP |
 +----+
          +----+
          | Data | Inner IP | GRE | SR-TE Header |
          +----+
```

Figure 3: TN Aware Mobility Traffic Mapping to BGP SR-TE Policy Path

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Note that, in the above figure the GRE and SR-TE Header is shown as an illustrative purposes and the actual outgoing packet format is based on the SR-TE mechanism (SR-MPLS or SRv6) on the Ingress PE.

To support the Transport Network Mobility Traffic Mapping to BGP SR-TE Policy Path in the headend PE, a new 5G Metadata Sub-TLV needs to be supported. The proposed BGP SR Policy Encoding from the BGP SR-TE Policy Controller to the headend PE node is defined below:

SR Policy SAFI NLRI: <Distinguisher, Policy-Color, Endpoint> Attributes:

Tunnel Encap Attr (23) Tunnel Type: SR Policy Existing Policy Sub-TLV 5G Metadata Sub-TLV

The draft [BGP-SR-TE-POLICY] defines BGP SR-TE Policy encodings. There is no change in the existing encoding that is being used from the BGP SR-TE Controller to the headend PE node. The current solution proposes the new 5G Metadata Sub-TLV for BGP SR-TE Controller to download the SR Policies to the headend PE and to apply the SR-TE Policy-driven path for the Transport Network aware mobility traffic.

The incoming TN aware mobility traffic with UDP Src port and BGP NH to the traffic destination would be used as a key to find the BGP SR-TE Policy. If the BGP Next Hop of the traffic matches with the SR Policy SAFI NLRI Endpoint, and UDP Src Port value falls within the UDP Src Port range defined by the 5G Metadata Sub-TLV, the SR Policy would be applied to the mobility traffic to maintain the traffic characteristics in the data network. The BGP SR-TE Controller would be pre-provisioned with the 5G UDP SRC Port Range based on the [TN-AWARE-MOBILITY] draft, and their corresponding BGP SR-TE Policy.

The 5G Metadata sub-TLV is optional and it MUST NOT appear more than once in the SR-TE Policy.

The format of the new SR-TE 5G Metadata Sub-TLV is captured below:

0	1	2	3		
0 1 2 3 4	5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3	4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1	2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1		
+-+-+-+-+	-+-+-+-+-+-+-+	-+-+-+-+-+-	+-+-+-+-+-+-		
Type	Sub-Type	e Length	Flags		
+-+-+-+-+	-+-+-+-+-+-+-+	-+-+-+-	+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-		
UDP Sr	c Port Start Value	UDP Src	Port End Value		
+-+-+-+-+	-+-+-+-+-+-+-+	-+-+-+-	+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+		
5G Metadata Sub-TLV					

where:

- o Type: To be defined by IANA.
- o Sub-Type: This field has one of the following values:
 - 0: Reserved.
 - 1: UDP Source Port Range.
 - 2 255: Reserved for future use.
- o Length: 6 octets.
- o Flags: 1 octet of flags. None are defined at this stage. Flags SHOULD be set to zero on transmission and MUST be ignored on receipt.
- o UDP Src Port Start Value: 2 octets value to define the staring of the value of the UDP Src Port range.
- o UDP Src Port End Value: 2 octets value to define the end value of the UDP Src Port range.

5.2. Extend TN Aware Mobility for SR-PCE Controller

- 1) To integrate Transport Network Aware Mobility with SR-TE ODN based PCE Controller at the Ingress PE UPF, the Class-map needs to be defined to classify the incoming mobility traffic with different Transport Path Characteristic.
- 2) The Ingress PE UPF is assumed to have PCEP based communication with the SR-PCE Controller.

- 3) The Ingress PE would define the Policy-map to map the Transport Path characteristics into SR-TE Color.
- 4) The Segment Routing TE Configuration for different Metric types will associate the SR-TE Colors with their corresponding TE metric type.
- 5) The existing SR-TE ODN based PCEP messages with TE metric type and value MUST be used to associate the SR-TE Path corresponding to the 5G UDP Src Port.
- 6) In this case, the mapping between {5G UDP Src Port} and {SR-TE Policy } would be maintained by the Ingress PE.
- 7) Once the TN aware mobility traffic destination resolves into a destination of BGP Peer Next Hop, the SR-TE ODN based traffic steering MUST be applied based on the UDP Src Port value of the incoming traffic.

The class-map definition to identify the incoming mobility traffic characteristics is already defined in Section 5.1. The same classmap definition applicable here as well.

The policy-map definition to associate SR-TE color with Transport Path characteristics is defined below:

Policy-map type Transport-Network-Aware-Mobility

Class type traffic MIOT

Set color <MIOT-10>

Class type traffic URLLC

Set color <URLLC-20>

Class type traffic EMBB

Set color <EMBB-30>

The Segment Routing TE Configuration mechanism can associate the SR-TE Colors with their corresponding metric type. That exists today, and there is no change there. It is captured here to show how TN

aware mobility network characteristics get mapped to different TE metrics through this mechanism.

Segment-routing traffic-eng

On-demand color <MIOT-10> dynamic

Metric

Type te

On-demand color <URLLC-20> dynamic

Metric

Type latency

On-demand color <EMBB-30> dynamic

Metric

Type igp

As a result, mobility Transport Network aware different traffic characteristics like MIOT, URLLC, or EMBB get to assigned corresponding "te" metric types. To fetch the corresponding SR-TE dynamic path from the SR-PCE Controller based on the "te" metric types exists today.

The below figure tries to capture the overall topology, and how to map the mobility traffic in the headend PE having PCEP connection with the SR-PCE Controller:

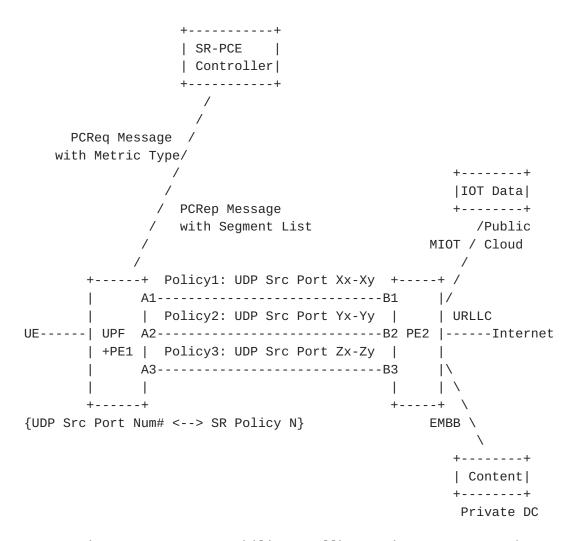


Figure 4: TN Aware Mobility Traffic Mapping to SR-TE Path

5.3. Extend TN Aware Mobility for SR-TE Controller

- 1) To integrate Transport Network Aware Mobility with SR-TE Policy at the Ingress PE UPF, the Class-map needs to be defined to classify the incoming mobility traffic with different Transport Path Characteristic.
- 2) The Headend PE UPF is assumed to have Restconf or gRPC connection with the SR-TE Controller. The Mobility traffic destination would resolve in the BGP Peer Next Hop for which SR-TE Policy to be applied to maintain the same network characteristics beyond the mobility domain.

- 3) A new 5G Metadata Yang data model and Protobuf to be defined for SR-Policy SAFI with UDP Source Port Range to identify the SR-TE path based on the Transport Path characteristics.
- 4) The SR-TE Controller would be programmed with {5G UDP Src Port Range}. That would create internal mapping Table for {5G UDP Src Port Range} < -- > {BGP SR-TE Policy, BSID}.
- 5) As the Headend PE sends the 5G metadata Yang data model or Protobuf, the Controller will find a matching SR-TE Policy based on the UDP Source Port.
- 6) The SR-TE Controller would download the SR-TE Policy in the Ingress PE through the existing Restconf or gRPC session, and that BGP update would include an additional 5G Metadata Sub-TLV. The UDP Src Port range in the 5G Metadata Sub-TLV MUST fall within the UDP Source Port range for the SSTs defined by the [TN-AWARE-MOBILITY] draft. If the UDP Src Port range falls outside the range defined by the [TN-AWARE-MOBILITY] draft, then the SR-TE Policy SHOULD be ignored by the Ingress PE.
- 7) The SR-TE Policy-based traffic steering would be applied in the Ingress PE UPF and it would maintain the local mapping for the reverse Mobility traffic to the UE.

The class-map definition to identify the incoming mobility traffic characteristics is already defined in Section 5.1. The same classmap definition works here as well.

The below figure tries to capture the overall topology, and how to map the mobility traffic in the headend PE having BGP SR-Policy SAFI connection with the BGP SR-PCE Controller:

```
+----+ +----+{5G UDP Src Port Range}
              +----+
   Restconf or gRPC /
     Session /
                                    +----+
           / SR-Policy with
                                   |IOT Data|
           / 5G Metadata Sub-TLV
                                    +----+
                                    /Public
                                 MIOT / Cloud
                                   /
     +----+ Policy1: UDP Src Port Xx-Xy +----+ /
        A1-----B1
                                 |/
         | Policy2: UDP Src Port Yx-Yy |
                                 | URLLC
UE-----| UPF + A2-----Internet
     | PE1 | Policy3: UDP Src Port Zx-Zy |
        A3-----B3
                                 |\
     +----+
                              +----+ \
                                EMBB ∖
{UDP Src Port Num# <--> SR Policy N}
                                    +----+
                                    | Content|
                                    +----+
                                    Private DC
```

Figure 5: TN Aware Mobility Traffic Mapping to SR-TE Path

6. Mapping of TN Characteristics on SD-WAN Edge Node

On an SD-WAN CE Node, based on the mobility Transport Network characteristics, mapping of mobility aware transport packets to the secure and un-secure tunnel path needs to be achieved.

The [BGP-IPSEC-Discover] draft defines how SD-WAN Edge Node maps the overlay/client routes to the underlay secure tunnel routes.

The current proposal specifies a generic approach on how SD-WAN Edge Node maps the Mobility Transport Network aware traffic to the Secure Tunnels, or Un-Secure TE Paths, or Secure SR-TE Tunnel Paths.

The [SDWAN-BGP-USAGE] draft describes how BGP can be used as a Control Plane for the SD-WAN network and defines the use case for the Hybrid SD-WAN network.

In the case of a hybrid SD-WAN use case, UPF can run part of the SD-WAN edge node or it could be connected to it over an IP network. This would be a use case scenario for Enterprise 5G.

In that scenario, the Transport Path Characteristic for the 5G mobile traffic need to be mapped to Secure (IPSec Tunnel) or Unsecure path (could be MPLS based).

The existing [TN-AWARE-MOBILITY] draft needs to be extended to support new Transport Path Characteristics "Security" for the mobile traffic where security is important for certain mobile traffic.

Based on the UDP Src Port characteristics coming from the mobile network, the SD-WAN edge node would be able to decide what traffic it needs to put in the secure tunnel vs. un-secure tunnel where low latency more important than security.

The below figure tries to capture the overall topology, and how to map the mobility traffic in the SD-WAN Edge Device for Enterprise 5G cases:

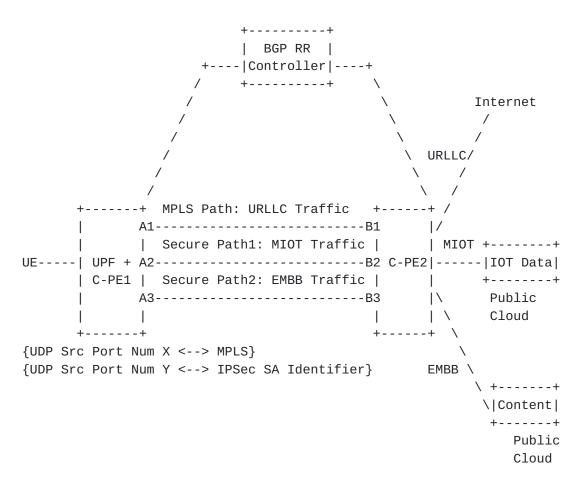


Figure 6: TN Aware Mobility Traffic Mapping in the SD-WAN Edge Device

Here in this diagram, the traffic coming from the mobility side with Transport Network characteristics gets mapped to the underlay unsecure or secure traffic path.

The SD-WAN Edge Node can map the URLLC traffic without any security characteristics to the underlay MPLS path, whereas MIOT, and EMBB traffic with security characteristics gets mapped to the underlay Secure IPSec Tunnel path. The mapping between SD-WAN overlay and underlay routes are described in the [BGP-IPSEC-Discovery] draft.

This solution extends it for Transport Network aware mobility traffic. The SD-WAN Edge Node here identifies the incoming mobility traffic characteristics using the class-map definition, and that is already defined under <u>Section 5.1</u>. Based on the incoming traffic

characteristics, the Edge Node will be able to map the mobility overlay traffic with the SD-WAN underlay tunnel.

7. IANA Considerations

The newly defined 5G Metadata Sub-TLV would need an IANA code point allocation for the Type field. A request for any IANA code point allocation would be submitted.

8. Security Considerations

This document does not introduce any new security issues.

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