

PCEP Extension for SR-MPLS Entropy Label Position

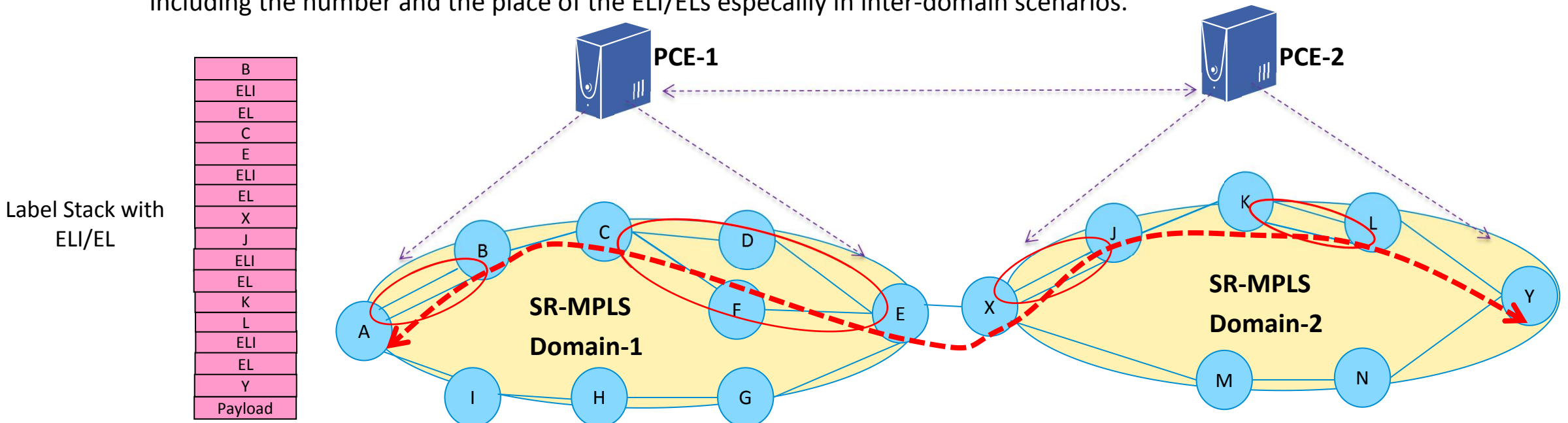
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Overview

- RFC8662 proposes to apply the entropy labels to SR-MPLS networks and provides following criteria to determine the best ELI/ELs placement:
 - a limited number of <ELI, EL> pairs SHOULD be inserted in the SR-MPLS label stack;
 - the inserted positions SHOULD be within the Entropy Readable Label Depth (ERLD) of a maximize number of transit LSRs;
 - a minimum number of <ELI, EL> pairs SHOULD be inserted while satisfying the above criteria.
- The controller (e.g. PCE) MAY perform the end-to-end path computation as well as the the Entropy Label Position (ELP) including the number and the place of the ELI/ELs especailly in inter-domain scenarios.



PCEP Extensions

- Open Object
 - indicate that it supports the SR path with ELP configuration.



Figure 1: E-flag in SR-PCE-CAPABILITY sub-TLV

- LSP Object
 - indicate to compute the SR path with ELP information.



Figure 2: E-flag in LSP Object

- ERO Object
 - indicate that the position after this SR-ERO subobject is the position to insert <ELI, EL>, otherwise it cannot insert <ELI, EL> after this segment.

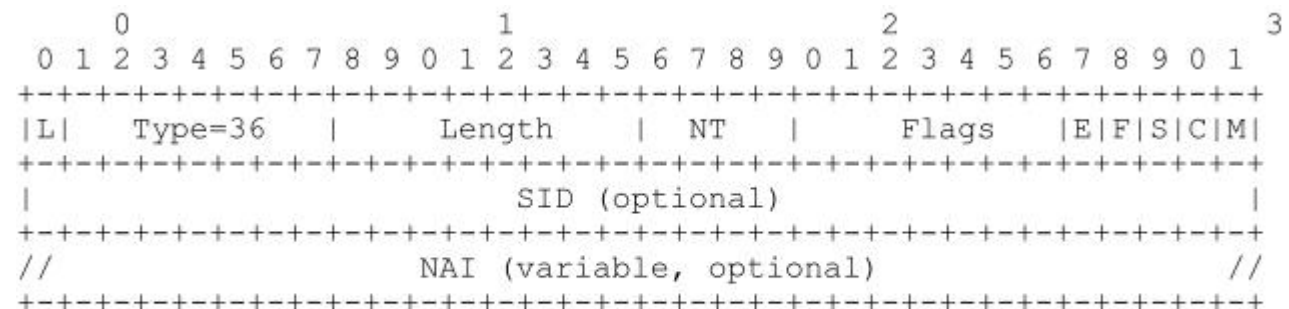


Figure 4: E-flag in SR-ERO subobject

Next Step

- Comments and discussions are very welcome!

Thank you!