Framework and Data Model for OTN Network Slicing

draft-zheng-ccamp-yang-otn-slicing-03

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Major Updates Since IETF 111

- Expanded list of authors and contributors
- Continuous alignment with draft-ietf-teas-ietf-network-slices
 - Endpoints, connectivity matrix
- Added text describing the design of NBI YANG modeling
- Included an initial revision of the NBI YANG model
 - Common model for transport network slicing
- Minor updates to MPI YANG model

OTN-SC NBI Modeling

- Building on a common model which is technology-agnostic and supports both connectivitybased slices and resource-based slices. The common model allows customer to
 - Use connectivity matrix to express intended connectivity between endpoints
 - Use topology to reserve resources for the slice and express detailed path for each connection
 - Reserve the resources first and create connections later as needed
- The common model can be used to support slicing for any transport layer, e.g., OTN, WDM (WSON/Flex-grid), MPLS-TP
 - OTN-SC NBI = common model + augments
- Reusing concepts and model definitions from existing drafts
 - draft-liu-teas-transport-network-slice-yang
 - Network topology for resource-based slicing and technology-agnostic SLOs
 - draft-ietf-teas-actn-vn-yang
 - CMI model that supports both type 1 (connectivity-based) and type 2(resource-based) VN
 - Entangled with ACTN and TE topology
 - draft-ietf-teas-ietf-network-slice-nbi-yang
 - Common definition for endpoints, SLOs etc.
 - Supports only connectivity-based slicing
 - IP technology specific, does not apply to transport



Proposed Common Model for Transport Network Slicing (TNS)

```
module: ietf-transport-network-slice
 +--rw network-slices
    +--rw network-slice* [ns-id]
       +--rw ns-id
                                       string
             . . .
       +--rw slo
             . . .
       +--rw endpoints
          +--rw endpoint* [endpoint-id]
             +--rw endpoint-id
                                  string
       +--rw network-topologies
          +--rw network-topology* [topology-id]
             +--rw topology-id
                                  string
             +--rw node* [node-id]
                +-- ...
                +--rw slo
                   +--...
                +--rw termination-point* [tp-id]
             +--rw link* [link-id]
                +--rw ...
       +--rw connectivity-matrices
          +--rw connectivity-matrix* [connectivity-matrix-id]
             +--rw connectivity-matrix-id
                                              uint32
             +--rw topology-id?
                                              leafref
             +--rw src-endpoint?
                     -> ../../endpoints/endpoint/endpoint-id
             +--rw dst-endpoint?
                     -> ../../../endpoints/endpoint/endpoint-id
             +--rw slo
             +--rw explicit-path* [tp-id]
                +--rw tp-id
                               leafref
```

Updates to MPI YANG Model

 Added option to color ODU resources in terms of number and type of ODU containers

```
module: ietf-otn-slice
augment /nw:networks/nw:network/nt:link/tet:te/tet:te-link-attributes:
  +--rw (otn-slice-granularity)?
     +--:(link)
        +--rw slice-id? uint32
     +--:(link-resource)
        +--rw slices* [slice-id]
           +--rw slice-id
                                          uint32
           +--rw (technology)?
              +--:(otn)
                 +--rw (slice-bandwidth)?
                    +--:(containers)
                       +--rw odulist* [odu-type]
                          +--rw odu-type
                                           identityref
                          +--rw number?
                                           uint16
                    +--:(time-slots)
                       +--rw otn-ts-num? uint32
                                          -> ../../../../nt:link/link-id
           +--ro sliced-link-ref?
```

Open Issues

- Whether schema mount can be used to import network topology definitions from draft-liu-teas-transport-network-slice-yang (which augments ietf-network/ietf-network-topology defined in RFC8345)
 - RFC8528 (https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/html/rfc8528) defines schema mount as used for implementation and run-time mounting of models. Further investigation is needed for design-time schema mount
 - Need examples of schema mount for implementation time mounting
- Whether to model connectivity matrix as single-node topology or as a list of intended connections

Next Steps

- Develop OTN augmentation based on Transport Network Slice
- Address slicing for non-OTN external links (access and inter-domain)
- Address the open issues
- Address comments and reviews from the WG
- The authors believe the draft is ready for WG adoption
 - Consensus on definition & scope
 - Good interest within the WG and expanding list of participants
 - Developed models for NBI and MPI
- Weekly discussion
 - Meeting slot: Thu 10-11am EST
 - GitHub: <u>https://github.com/aguoietf/ietf-ccamp-yang-otn-slicing</u>

Thank You!