

# IETF Network Slice Topology YANG Data Model

[draft-liu-teas-transport-network-slice-yang-09](#)

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# Updates since IETF-118 (1)

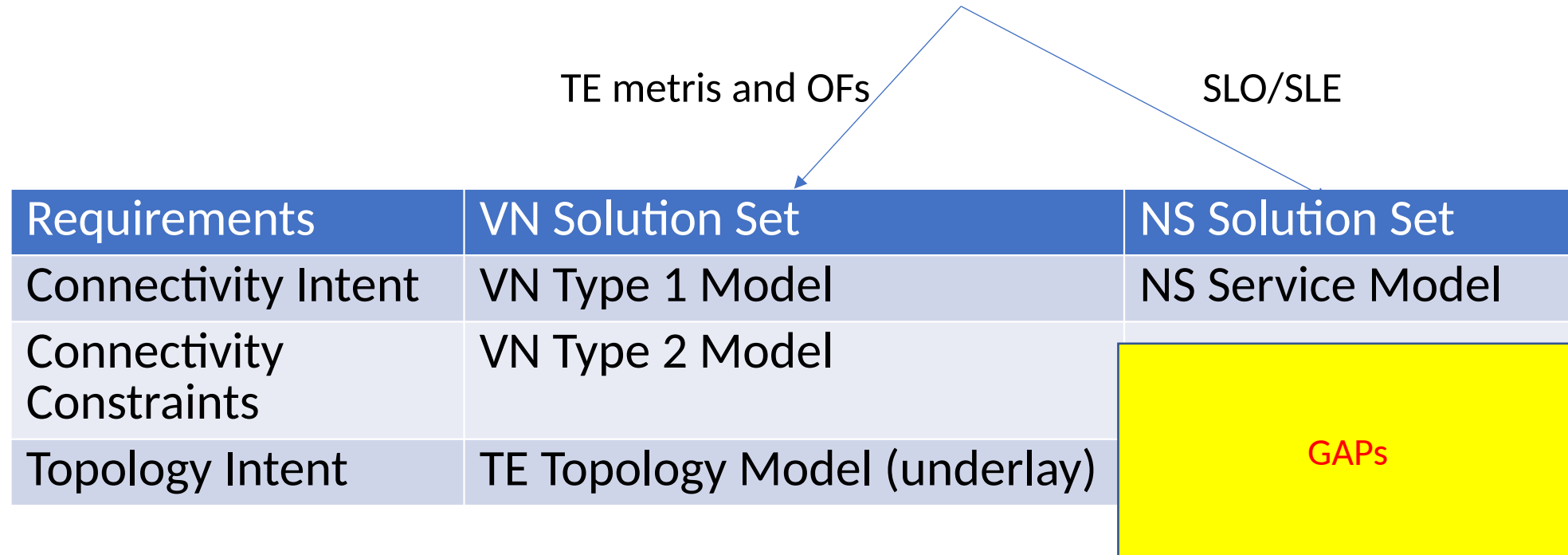
- Changed customized topologies into customer intent topology
  - Represent a better way to express resource reservation preference
  - The topology intent is provided by customer not exposed by service provider
- Clarified relationship with TE-based Topology
  - Using multi-inheritance the model can be combined with other TE topology models even technology-specific, allowing the creation of customer intent topology tailored to specific requirement
- Clarified relationship with SAP Topology ◻ 2 distinct purposes
  - SAP model is exposing to customer an abstract view of the provider NW including a list of Service Attachment Point(SAP) where customer service can be connected.
  - In contrast customer intent topology captures a customer's intentions and provider act as the recipient of these intents

# Updates since IETF-118 (2)

- Described relationship with ACTN VN (see next slide)
  - [I-D.ietf-teas-ietf-network-slices] defining IETF NS as collection of connectivity-constructs strictly recall the VN type 1 definition of VN
  - [I-D.ietf-teas-ietf-network-slice-nbi-yang] adding a reference to a customer intent topology strictly recall the VN type 2 but without specifying the explicit use of the underlay topology
  - This model is complementing what described in [I-D.ietf-teas-ietf-network-slice-nbi-yang] adding the possibility to customer to define intent topology tailored for their network slices

# Relationship between VN and NS

Approaches to express customer intent



See Appendix D of [draft-ietf-teas-ietf-network-slice-nbi-yang-09](#)

# Open Issue: how many models/drafts?

Requirements	Option 1 (Current status)	Option 2	Option 3	Option 4	Option 5
Connectivity Intent	NS Service Model (NS NBI I-D)	NS Service Model (NS NBI I-D)	NS Service Model (NS NBI I-D)	NS Service Model (NS NBI I-D)	NS Service Model (NS NBI I-D)
Connectivity Constraints (*)	NS Topology Model (This I-D)		NS Path Constraints (NS NBI I-D)	NS Path Constraints (This I-D)	NS Path Constraints (New I-D)
Topology Intent		NS Topology Model (This I-D)	NS Topology Model (This I-D)	NS Topology Model (This I-D)	NS Topology Model (This I-D)
	Two models Two I-Ds	Two models Two I-Ds	Three models Two I-Ds	Three models Two I-Ds	Three models Three I-Ds

(\*) Constraints to be provided for each connectivity-construct

# Next Steps

- Address comments / questions
- Request for WG adoption

\* GitHub Repo

<https://github.com/aguoiietf/ietf-network-slice-topology>

# Thank You!

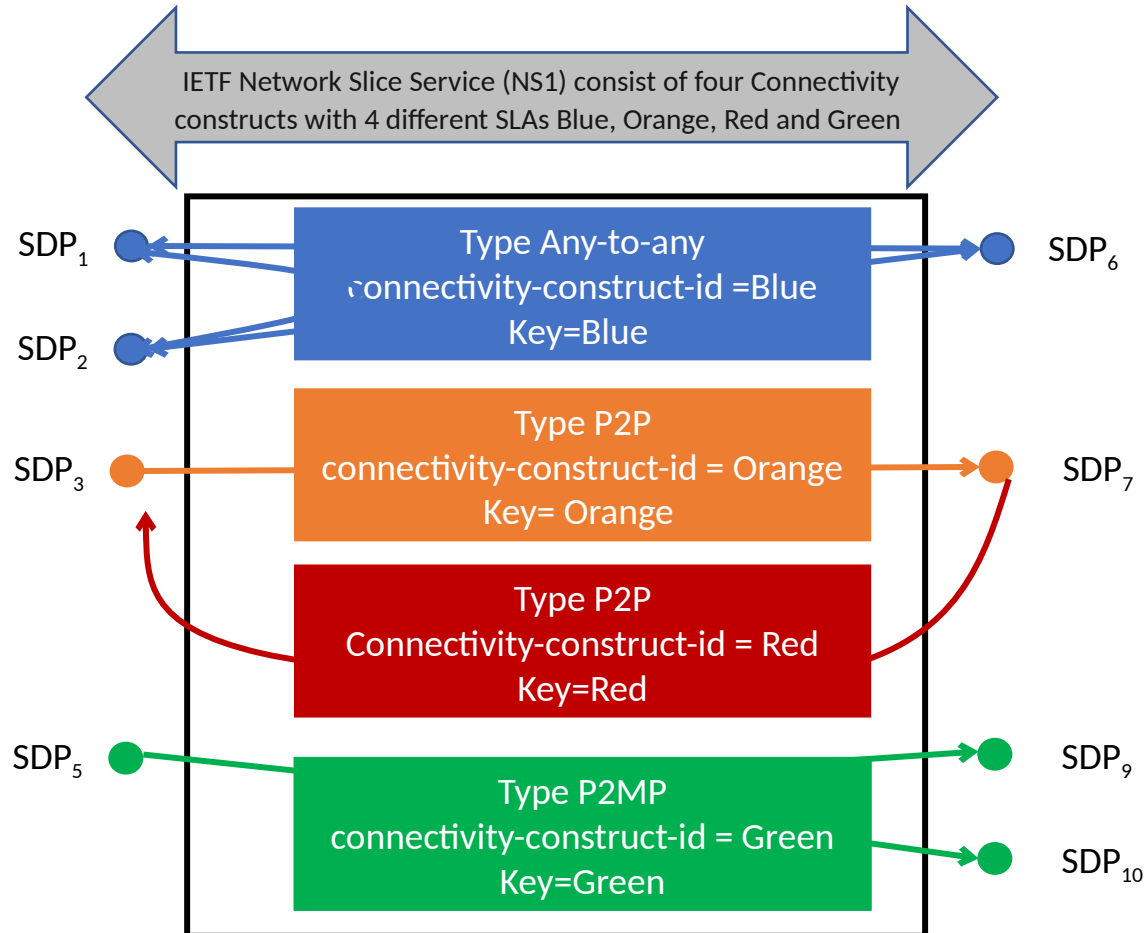
# Backup Slides



# Motivation of a customer for expressing topology intents

- Build the logical view of the desired slice service (and its parts)
  - Impact on realization -> hints for the NSC on how to instantiate the slice service
- Operate the slice service according to the expressed topology
  - Impact on control of the slice -> out of scope

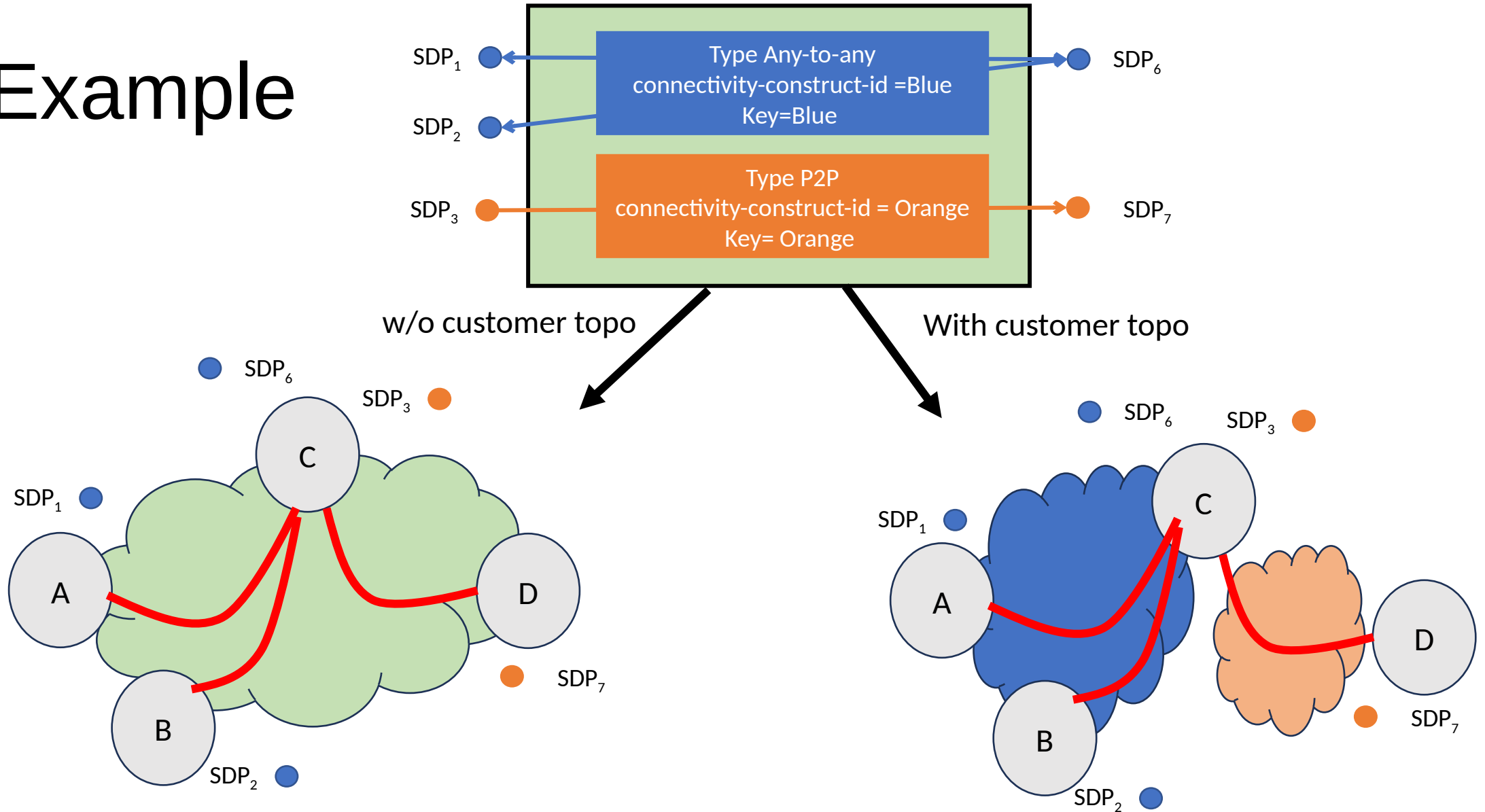
# RFC9543 Network Slice Connectivity Constructs



## Modelling as NS framework definition

- This is what is currently in the framework draft!
- Multiple connectivity constructs
- SLO of each connection is different
- Each CC is one entry (i.e., connection)
  - CC Blue: Src{1,2,6} Dst{1,2,6} with SLO Blue
  - CC Orange: Src{3} Dst{7} with SLO Orange
  - CC Red: Src{7} Dst{6} with SLO Red
  - CC Green: Src{5} Dst {9,10} with SLO Green
- Connectivity construct Key = {new connectivity-construct-id} (i.e. Blue, Orange, Red, Green)
  - Note: connection type is not part of the key

# Example



- Resources may be allocated in the same NRP w/o customer topology
- Adding DU nodes could affect the CU-UPF connections

- Resource isolation and resource reservation between DU-CU and CU-UPF based on network planning using forecast of demand traffic matrix
- On-demand addition of DU-CU connections based on planning

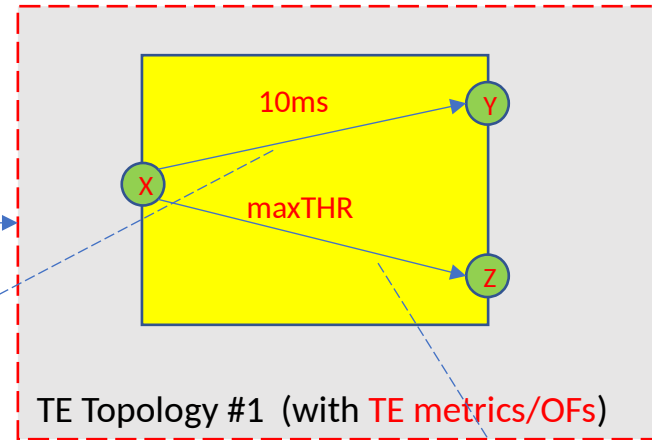
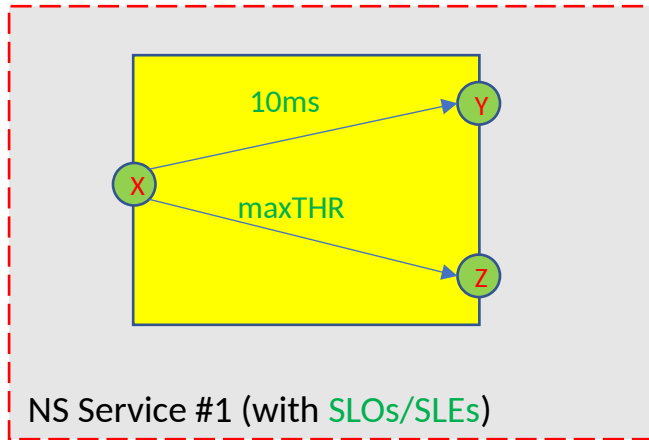
# NS Current Solution (topology)

SDPs: {X, Y, Z}

connectivity-constructs: {X-Y, X-Z}

LTPs: {X, Y, Z}

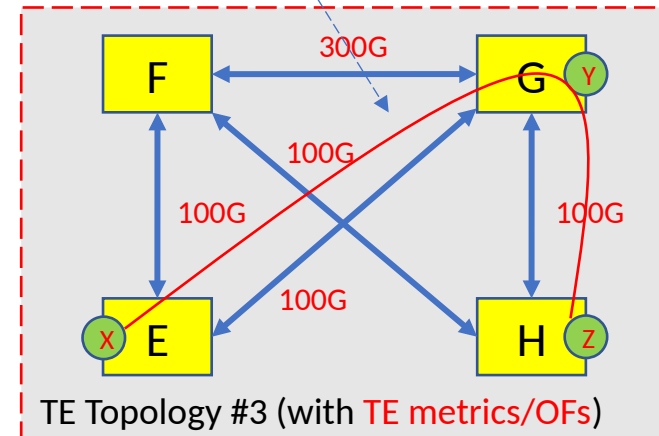
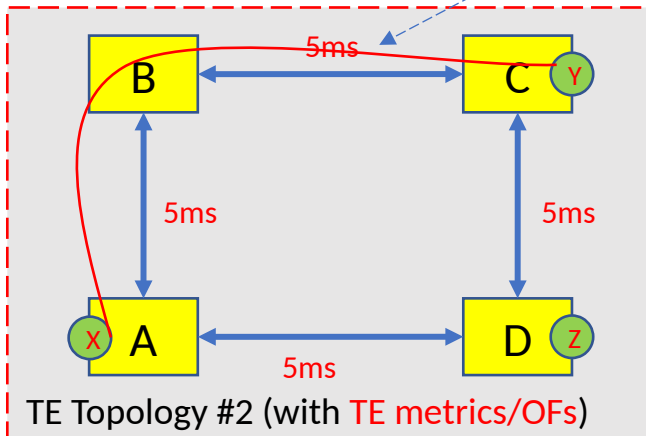
CM entries: {X-Y, X-Z}



topology-ref

undelay-path {A, B, C}

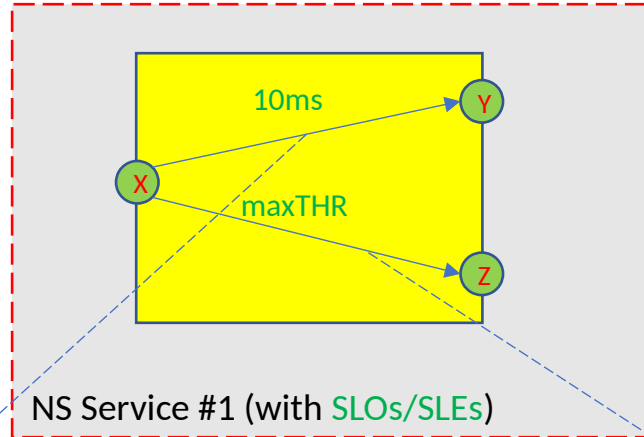
undelay-path {E, G, H}



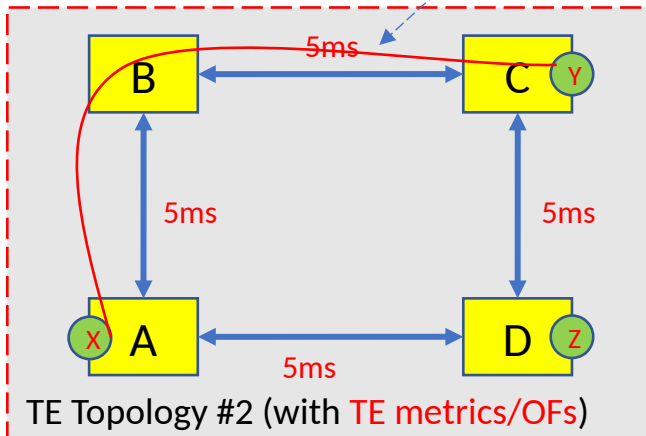
# Alternative solution

SDPs: {X, Y, Z}

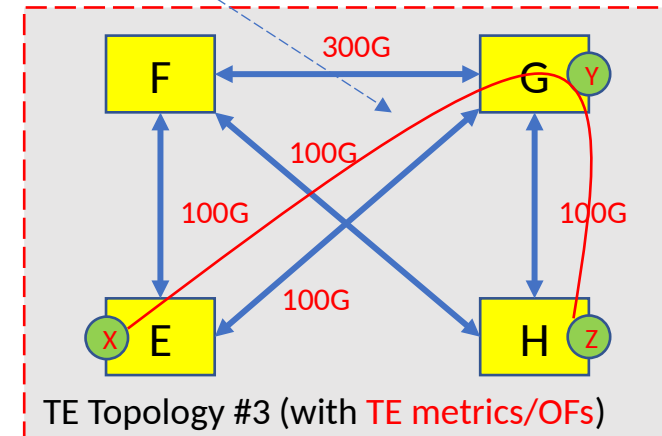
connectivity-constucts: {X-Y, X-Z} with SLO/SLE



path-constraints {A, B, C}



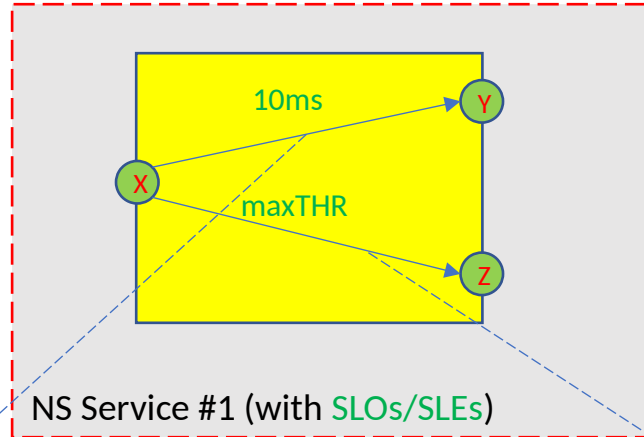
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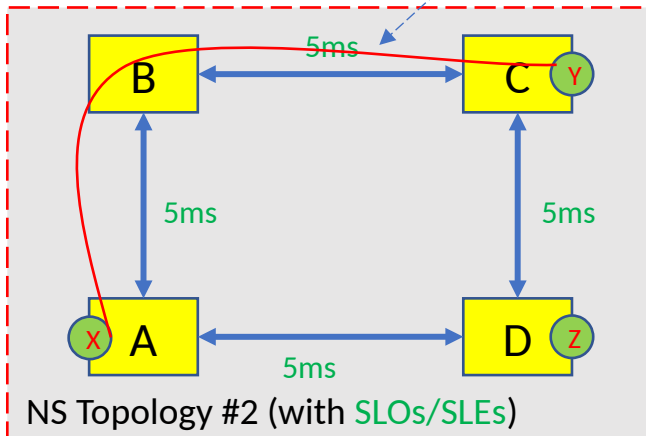
# Proposed solution

SDPs: {X, Y, Z}

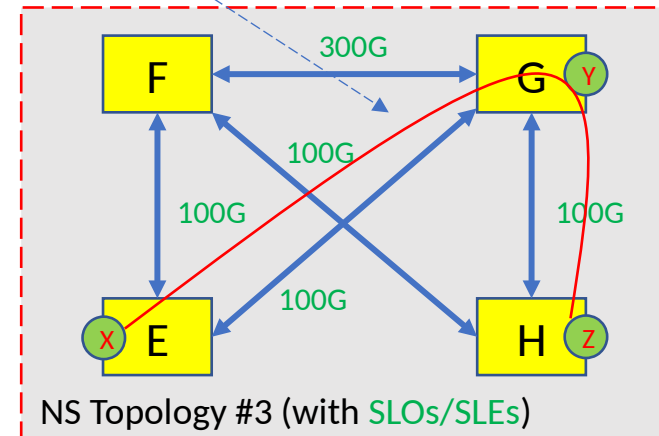
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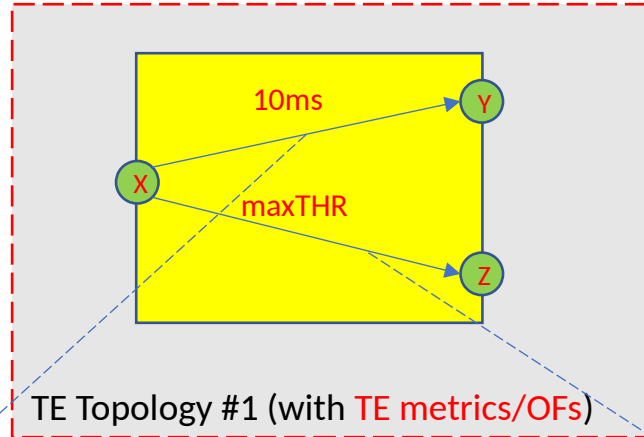
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path-constraints {E, G, H}



# VN Solution



VNAPs: {X, Y, Z}  
CM entries: {X-Y, X-Z}

undelay-path {A, B, C}

undelay-path {E, G, H}

