



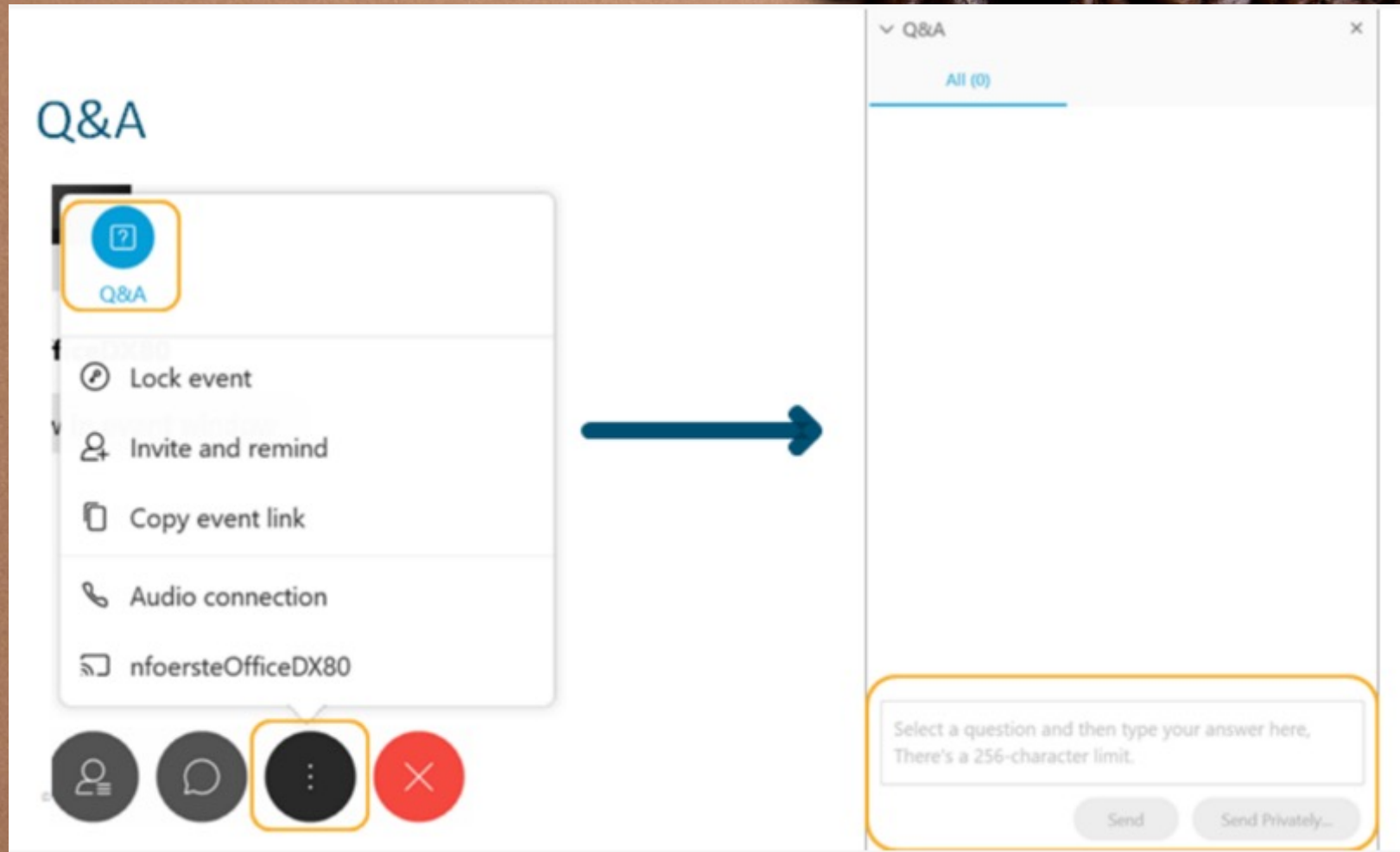
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Cisco SD-Access journey is like climbing a mountain, small steps will bring you to the top!



# Agenda

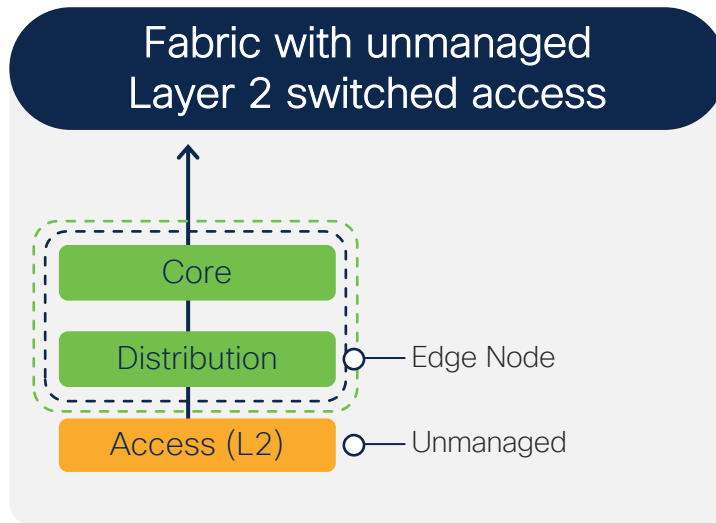
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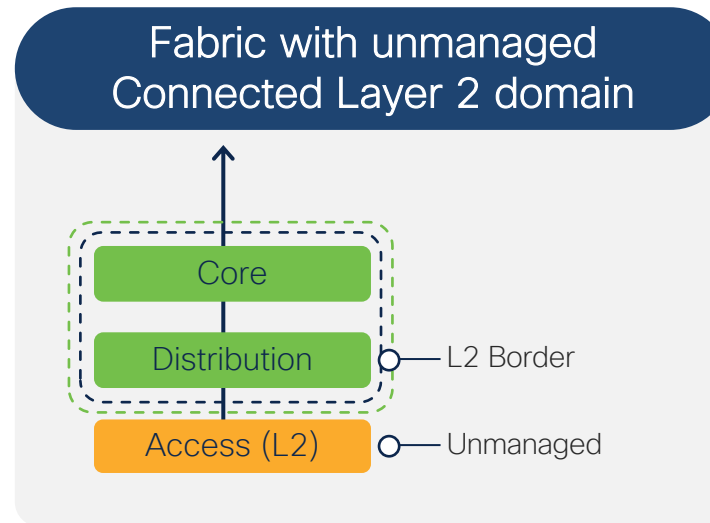
# Different options for connecting L2 domains

Macro segmentation  
Micro segmentation



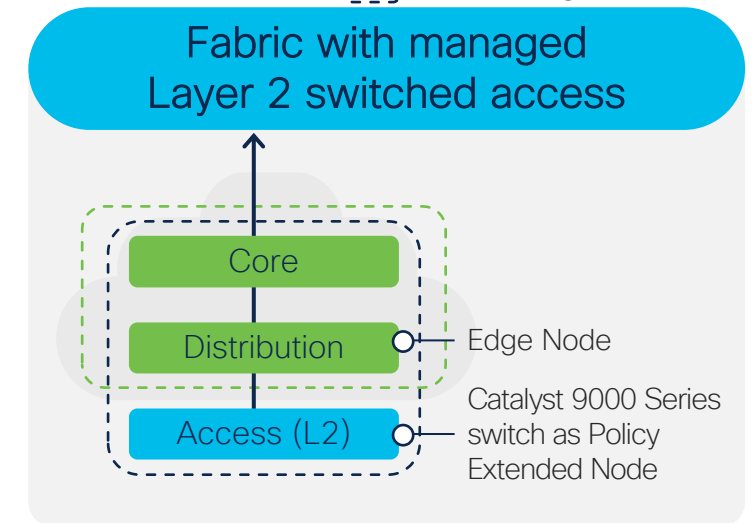
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**Benefit:** Allow tenants to bring their own network.



- Use case:** Connect a legacy/unmanaged network to the fabric
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  - Integrated wired and wireless

**Benefit:** Allow migrate towards a fabric.



- Use case:** Retain Layer 2 access
- Extend segmentation down to Layer 2
  - Integrated wired and wireless

**Benefit:** Security and automation at every layer

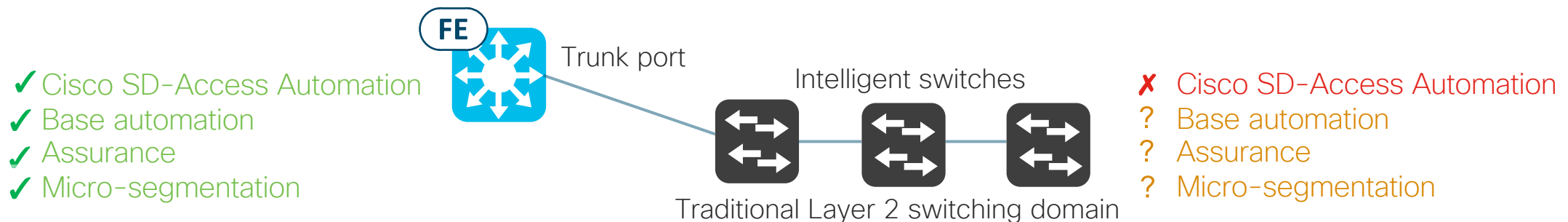
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## Significant use cases:

- Cisco DNA Center automated segmentation (VN and SGT) over an IP core
- Phased migration to Cisco SD-Access
- Connection of third-party networking solutions
- Anycast IP gateway – any IP address anywhere

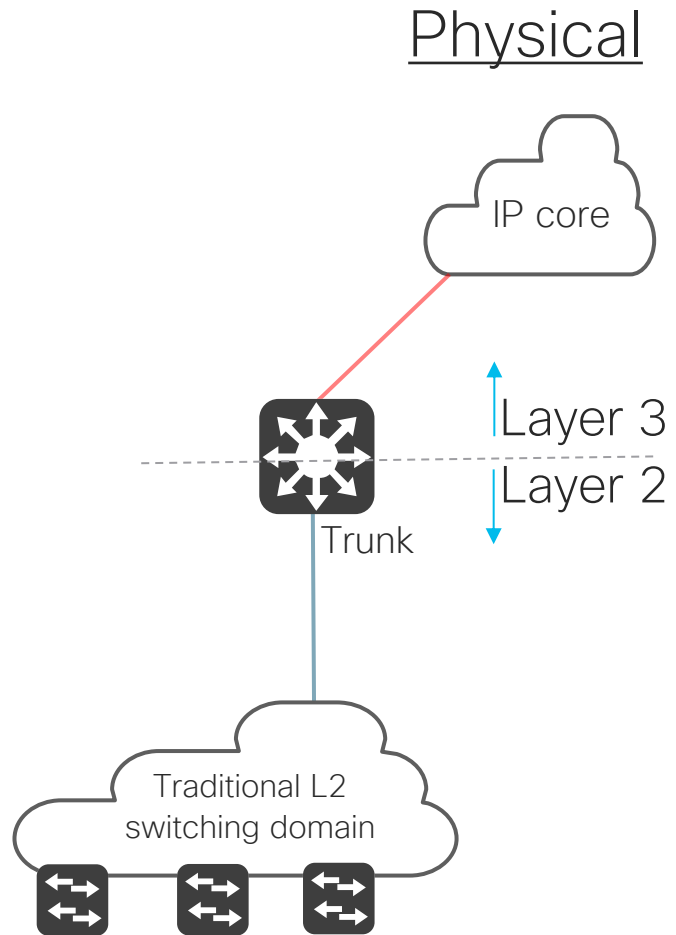
## Tradeoffs for the traditional Layer 2 switching domain:

- Not automated by the Cisco SD-Access workflows
- Unlikely to support Group-Based Policy.
  - GBP could start at the Edge Node.
- May not receive the benefits of Cisco DNA Center base Automation and Assurance



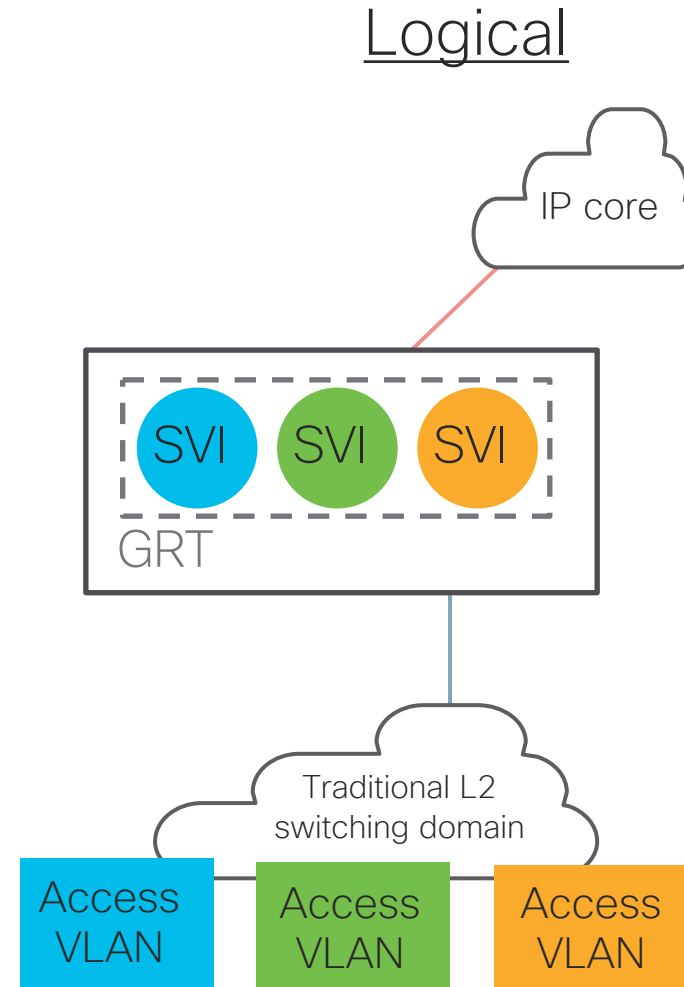
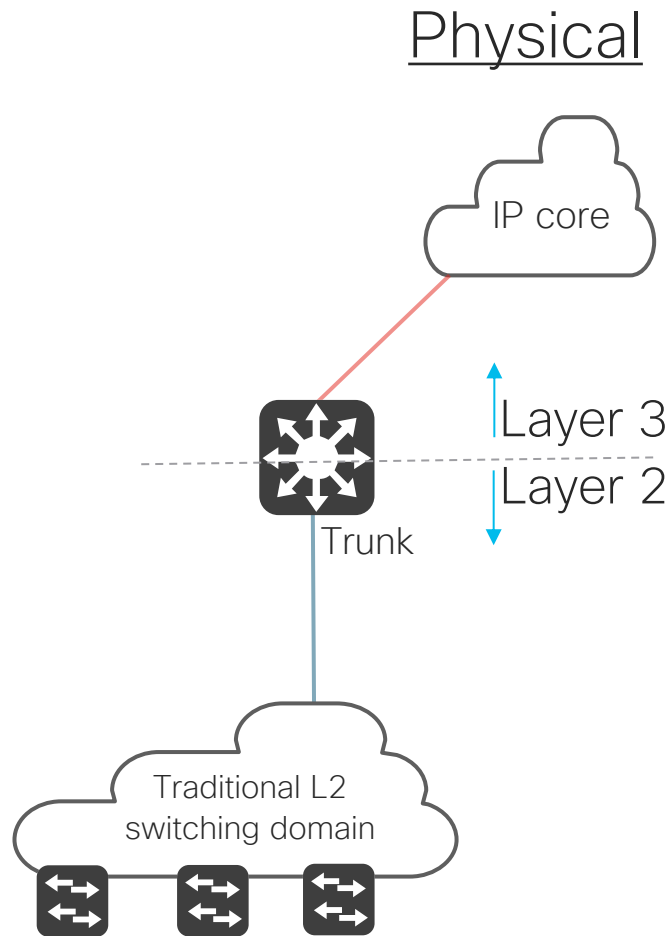
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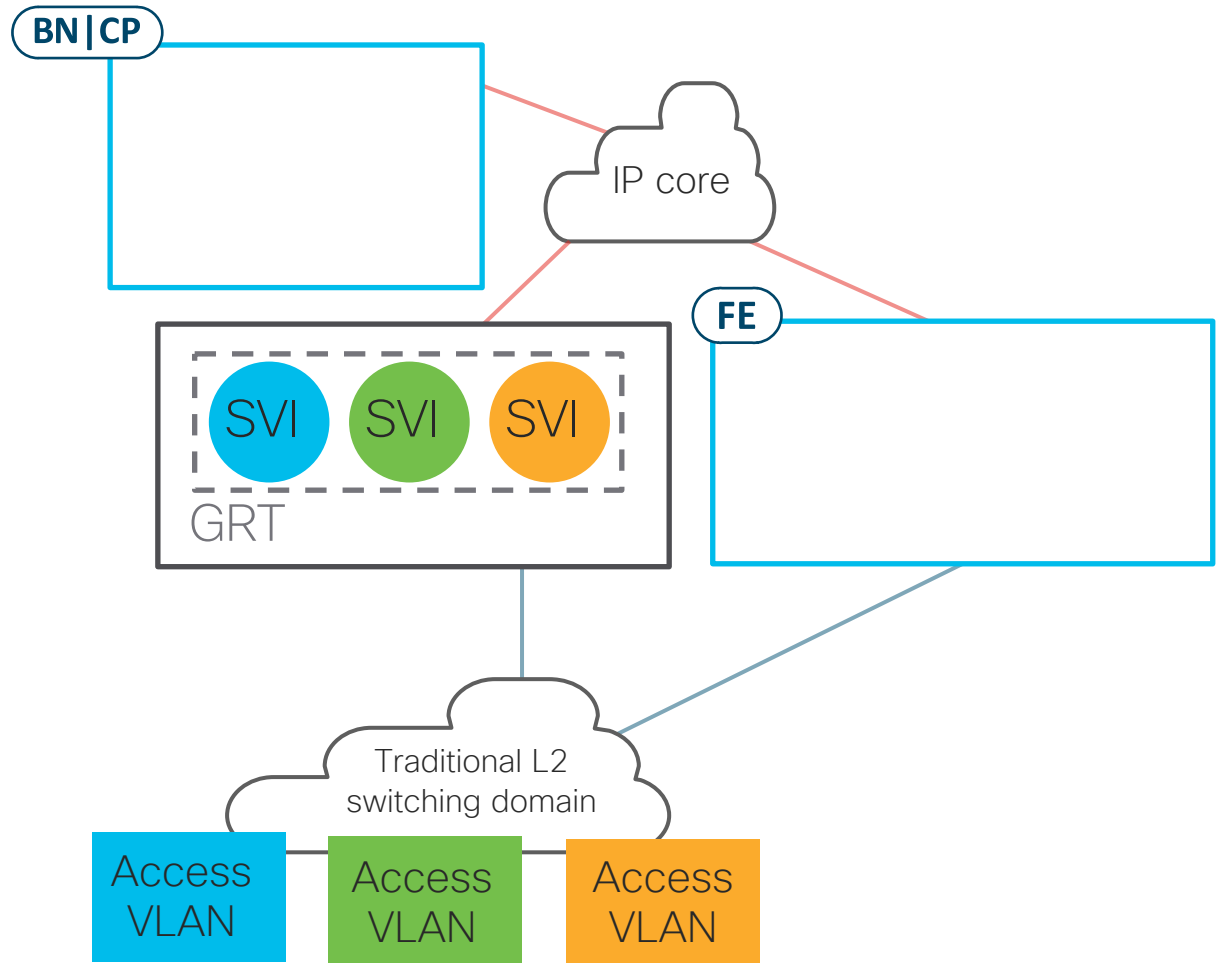
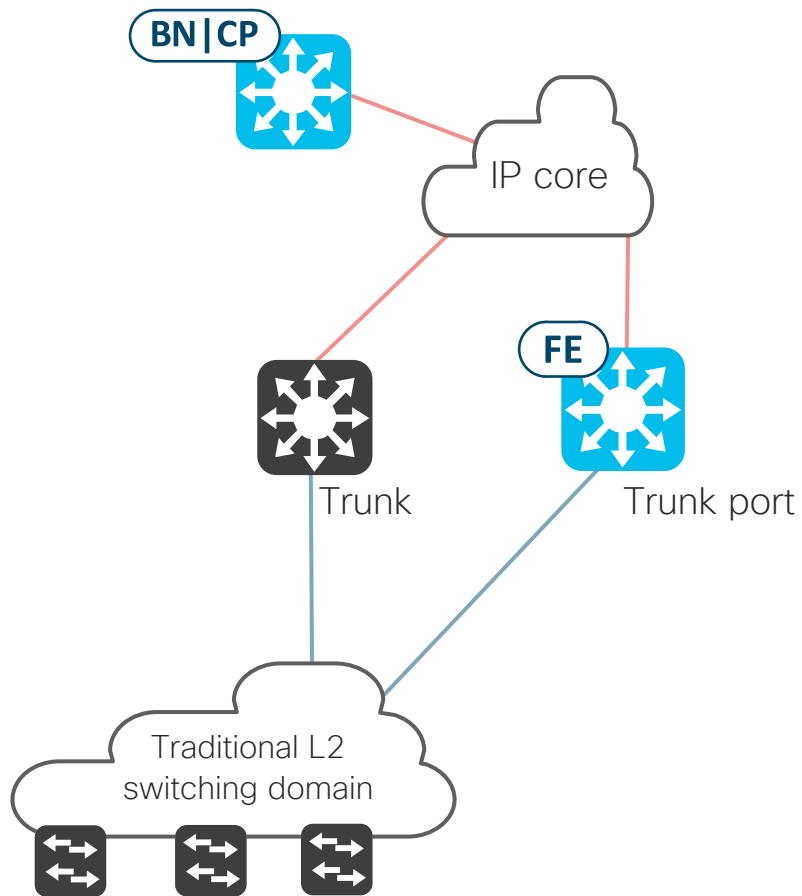
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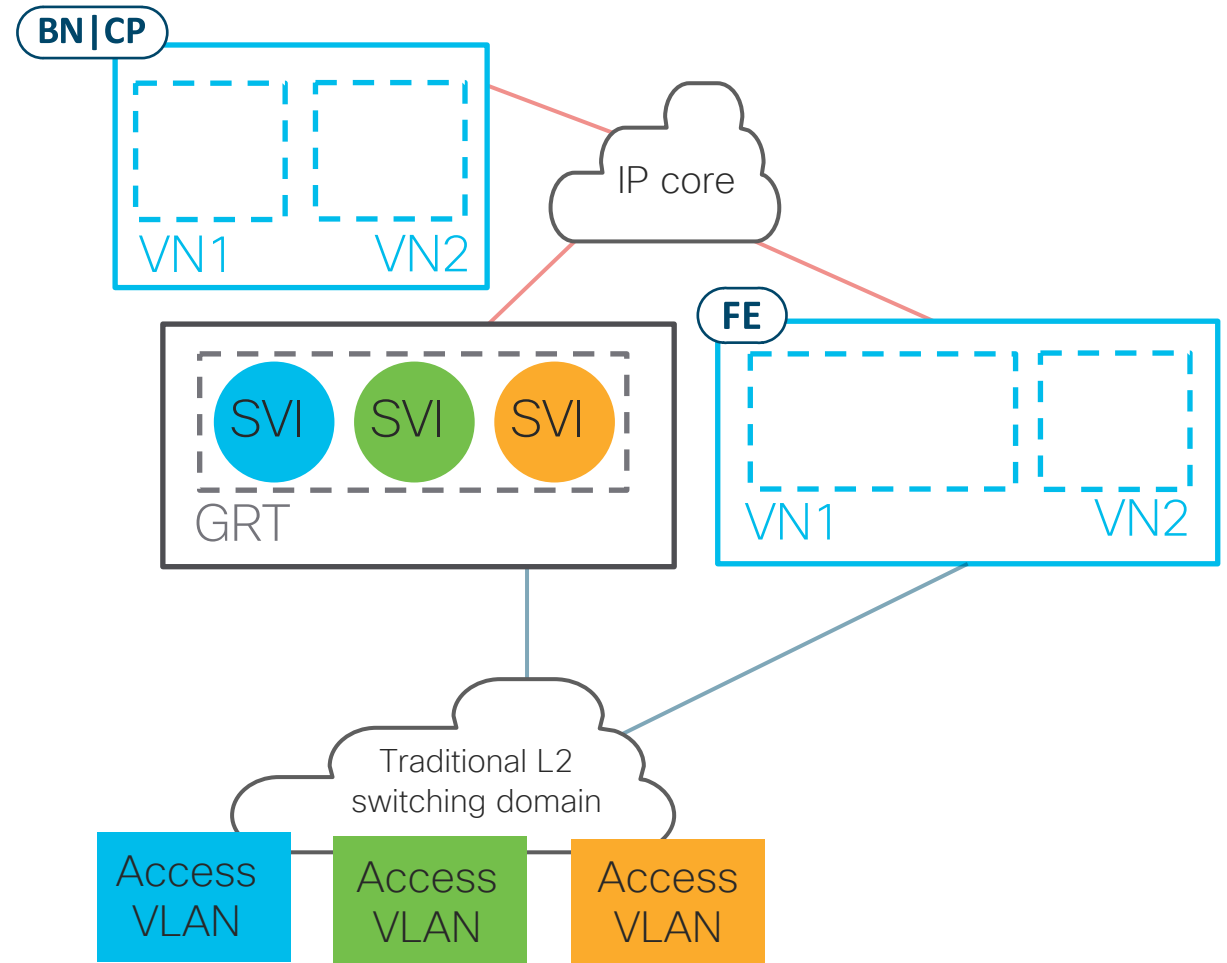
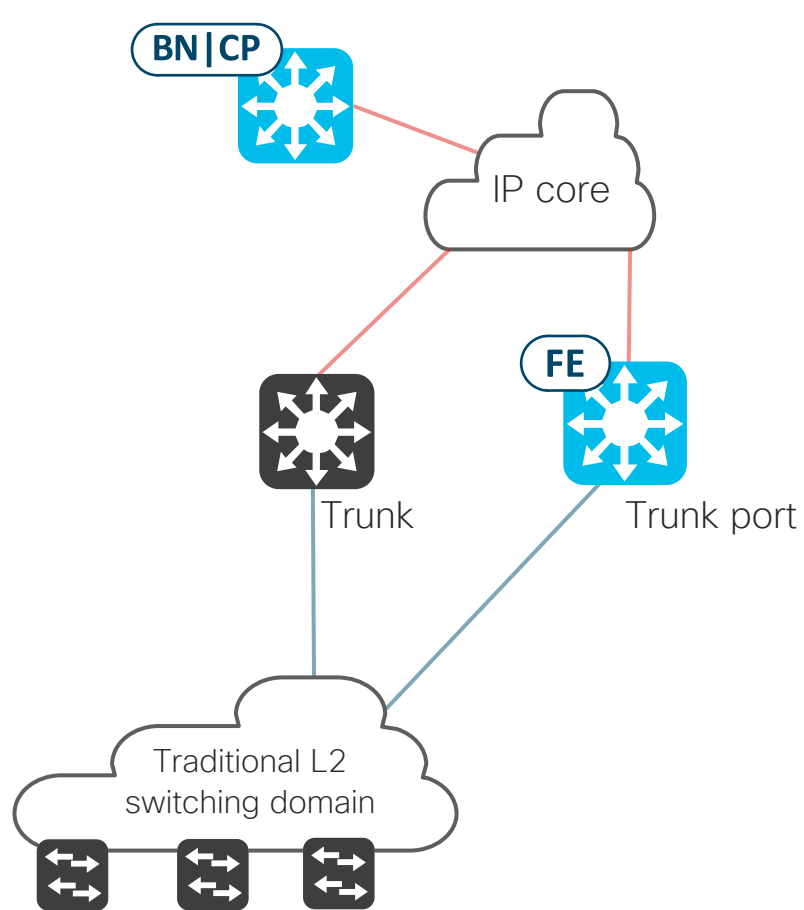
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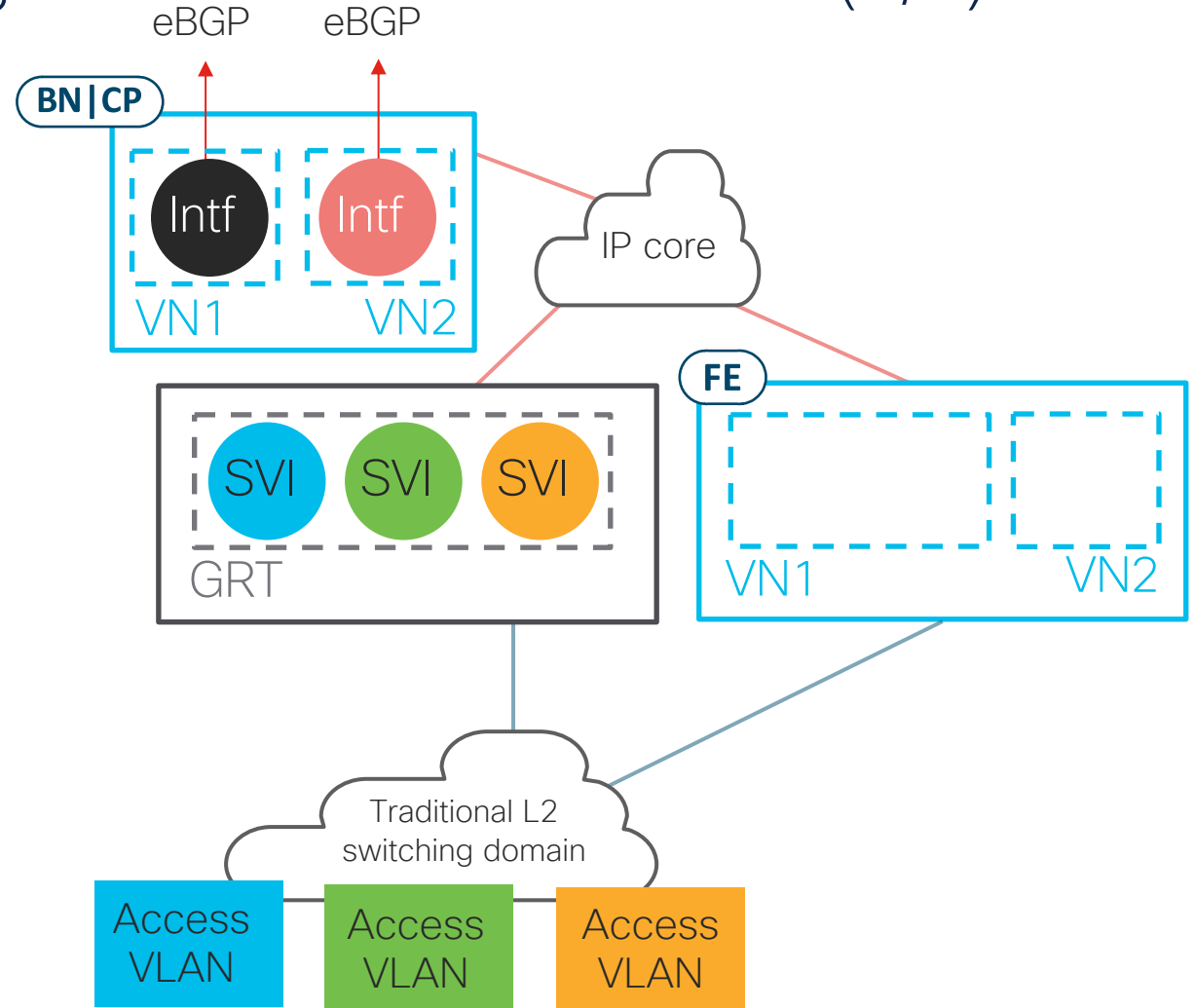
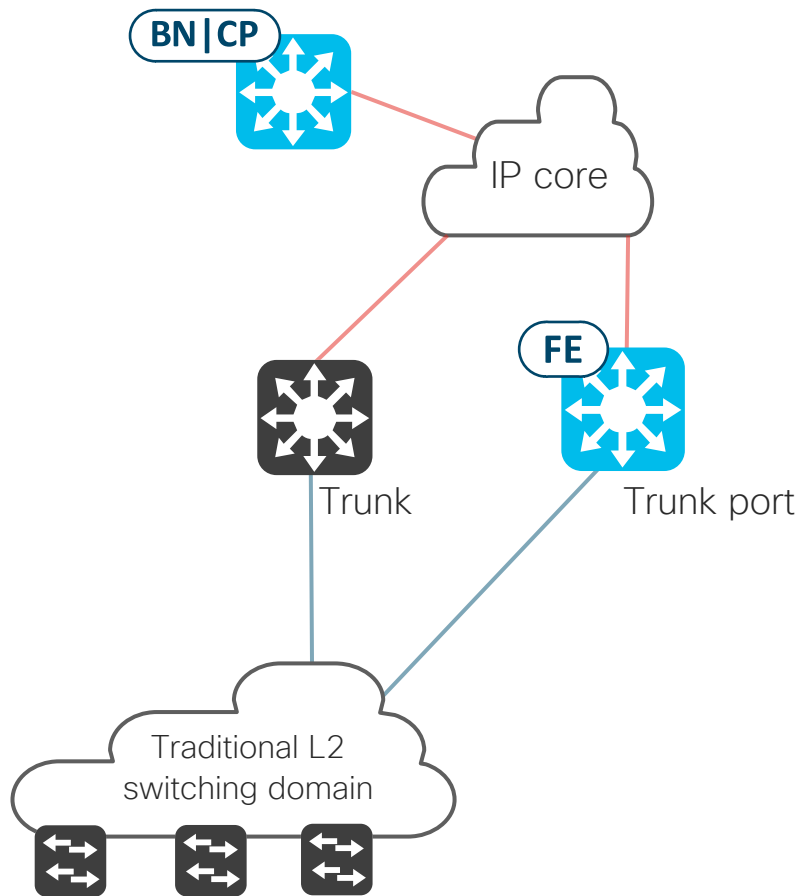
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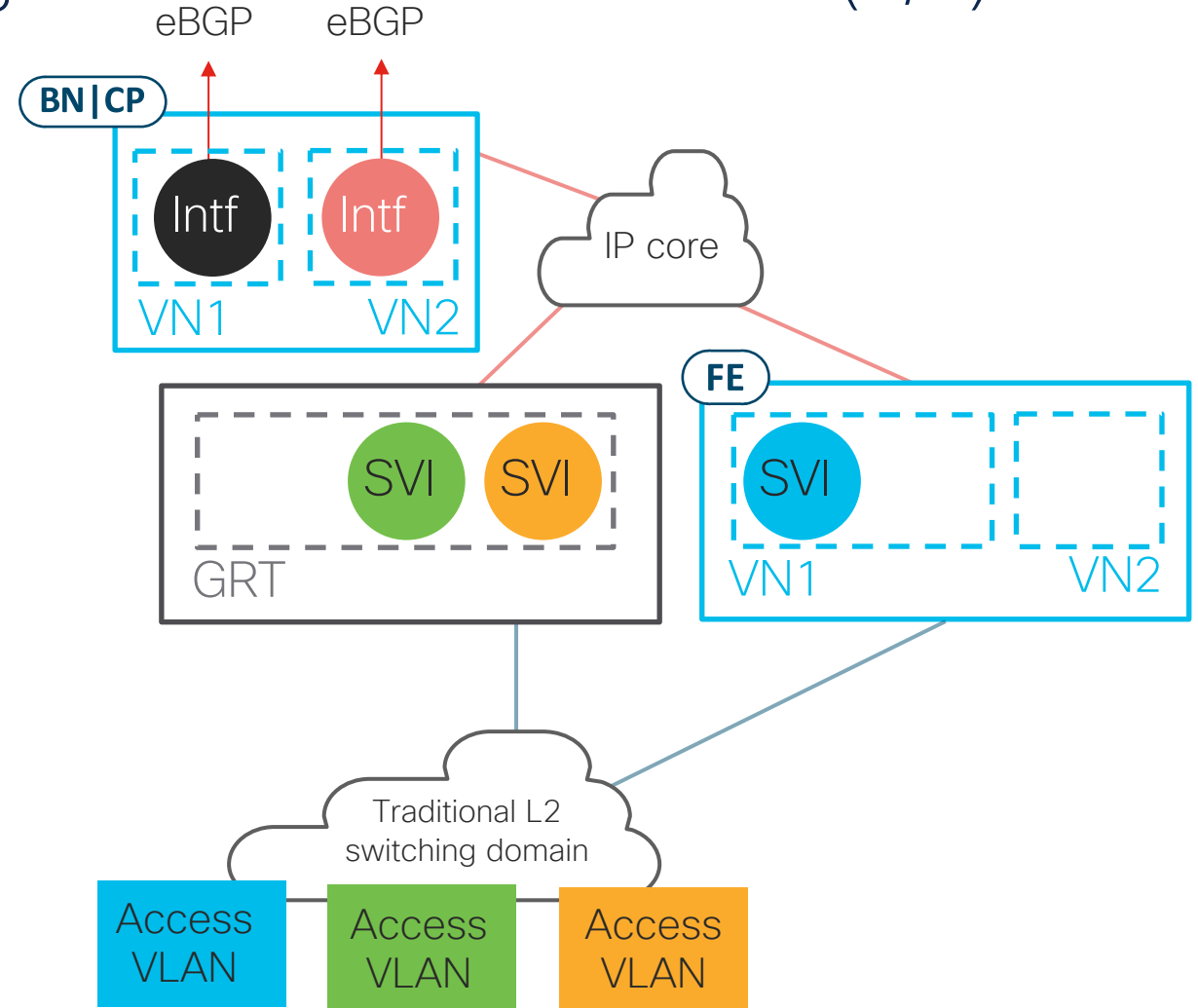
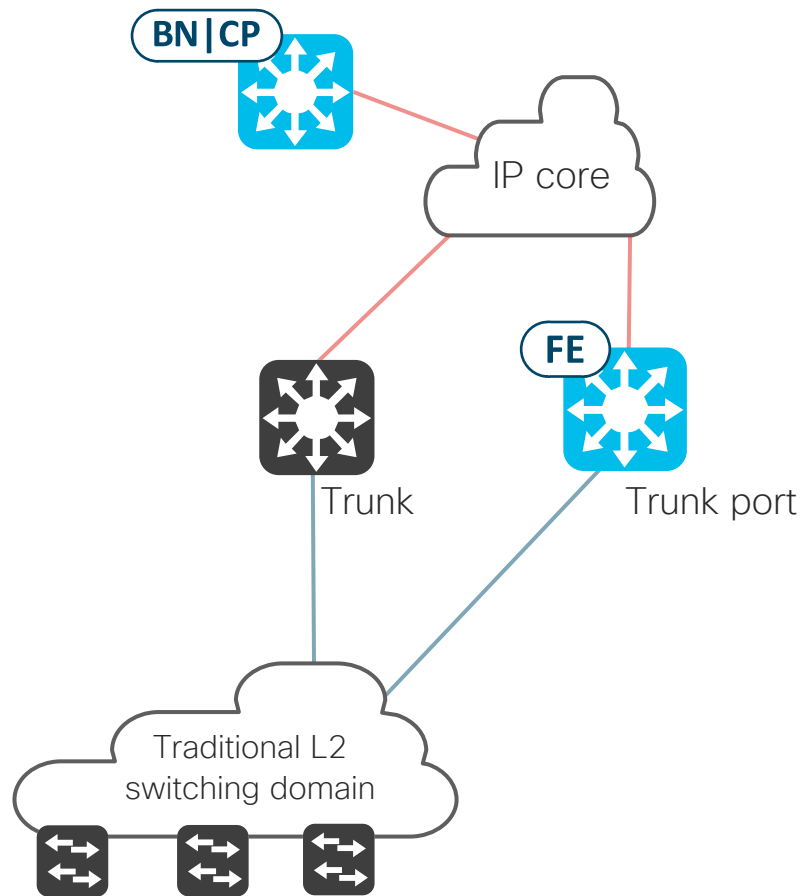
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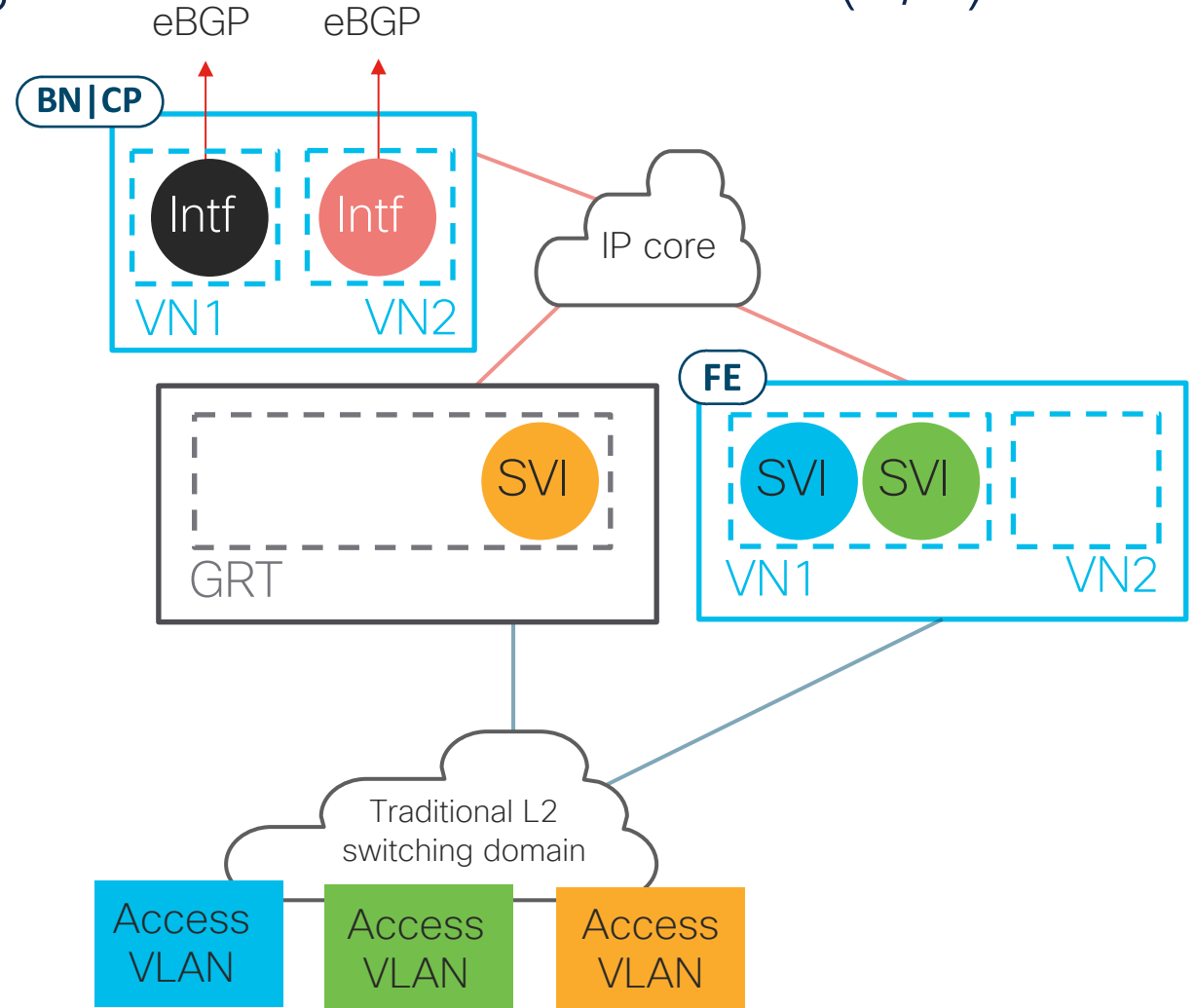
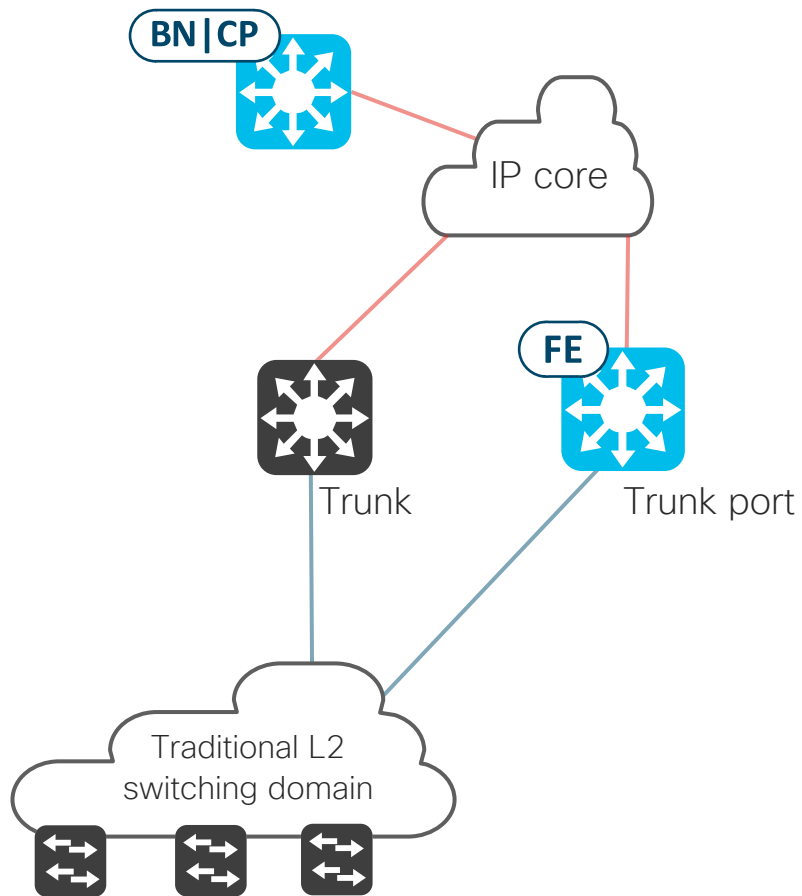
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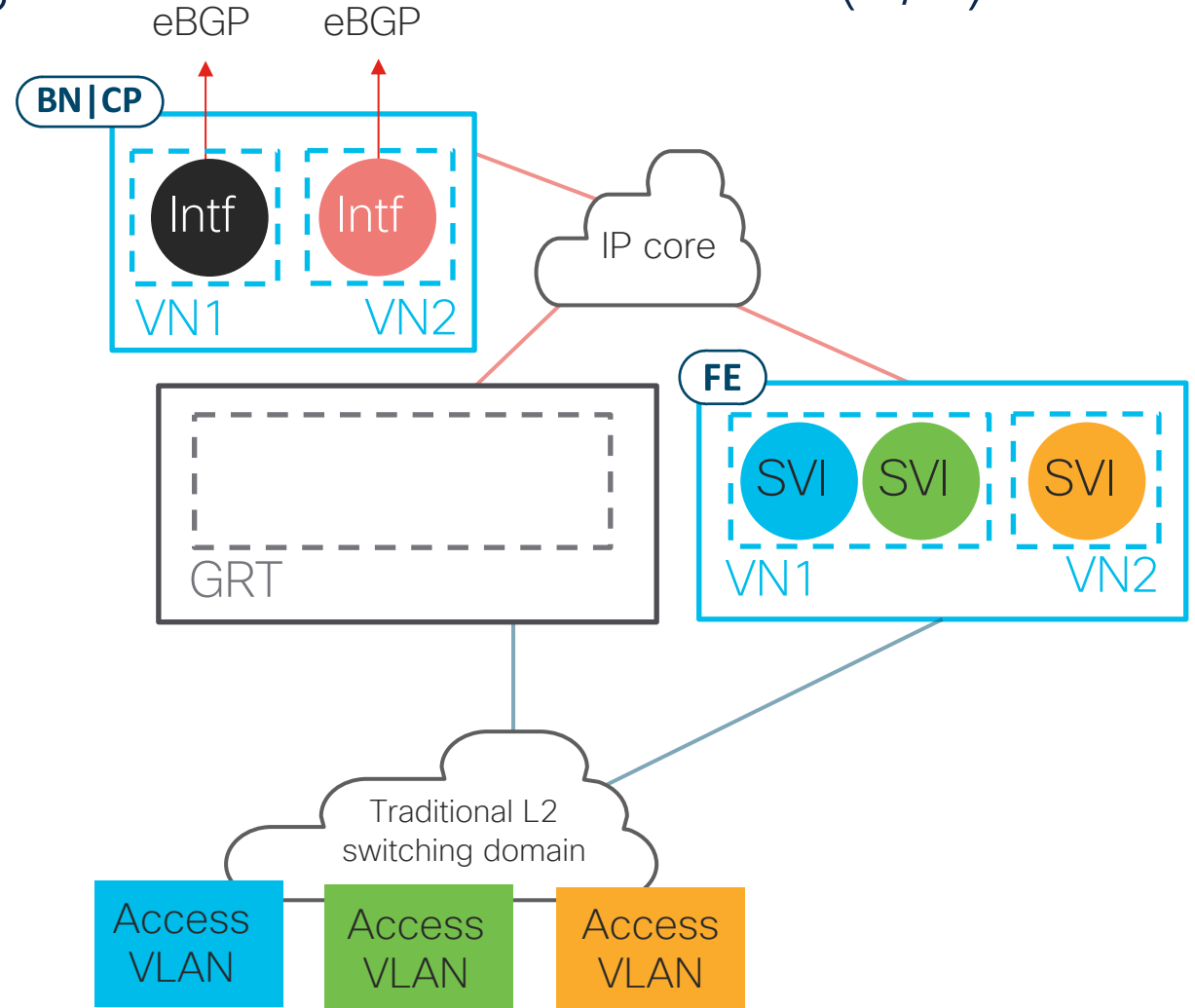
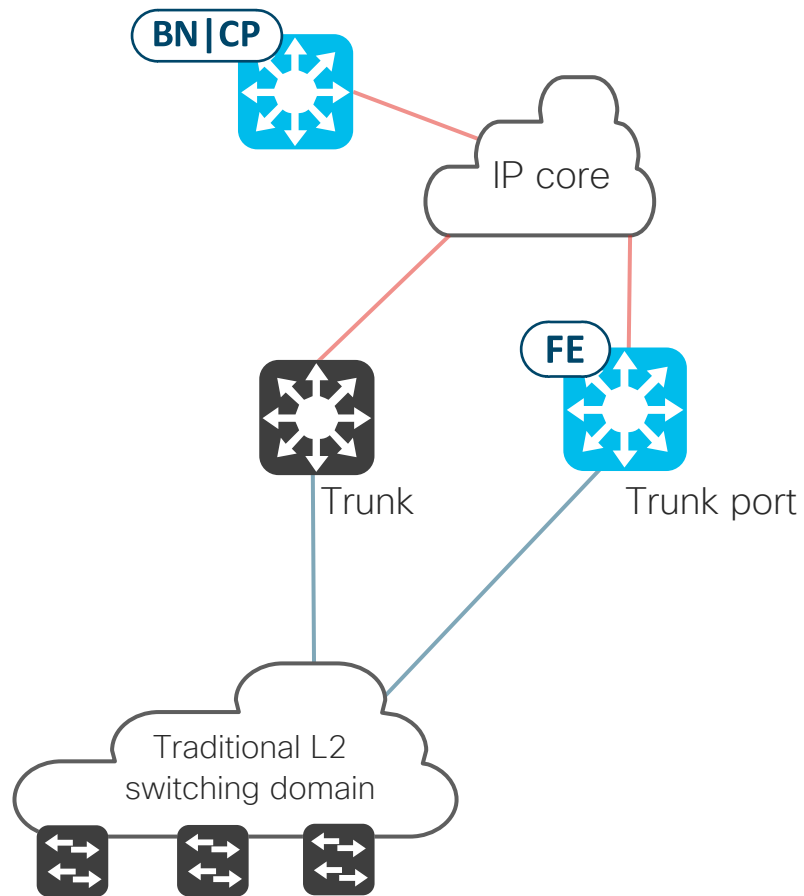
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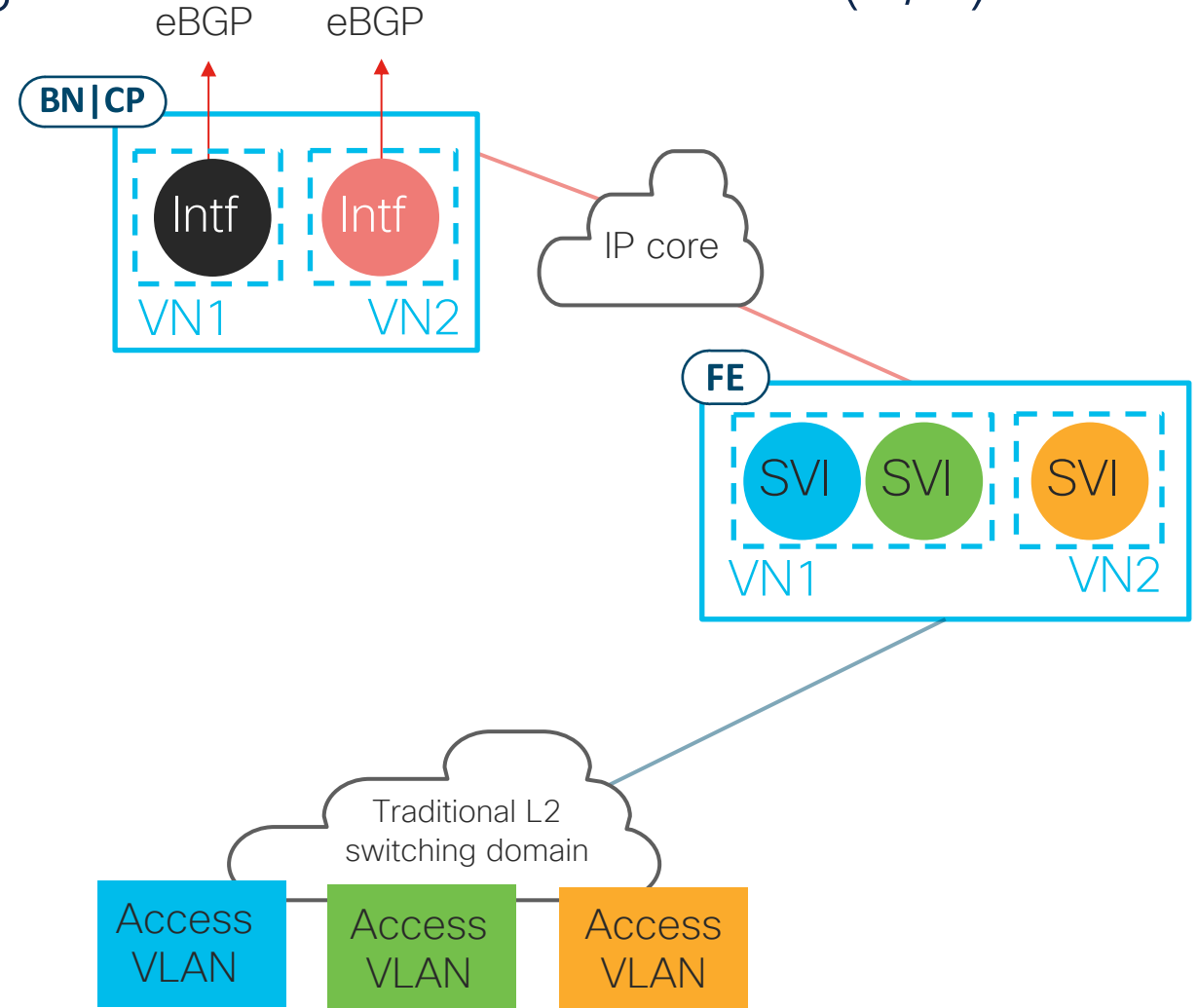
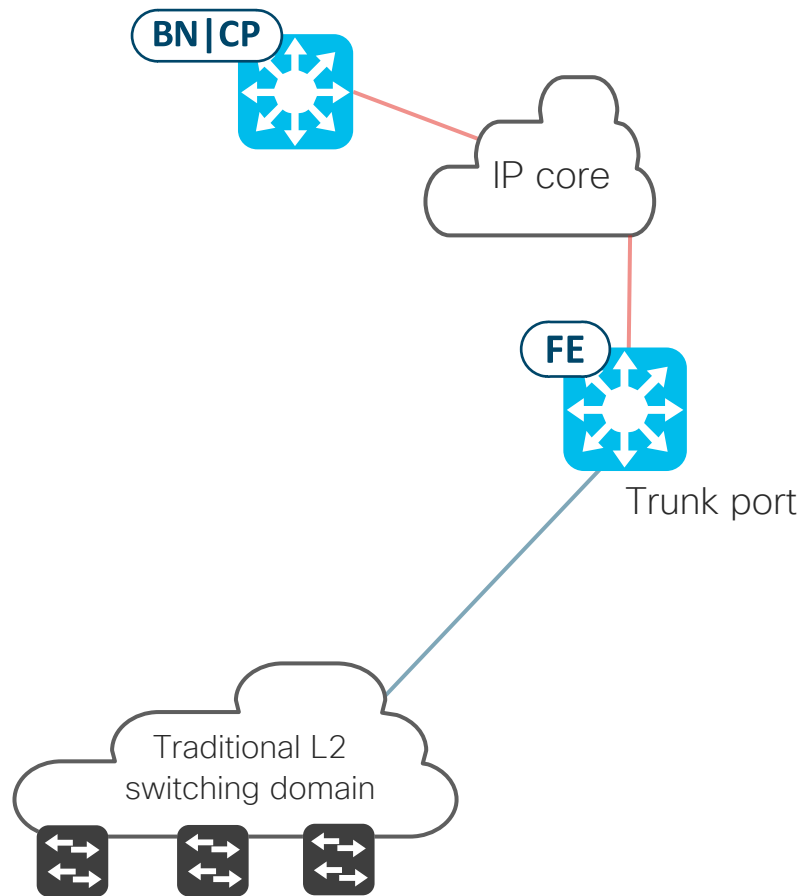
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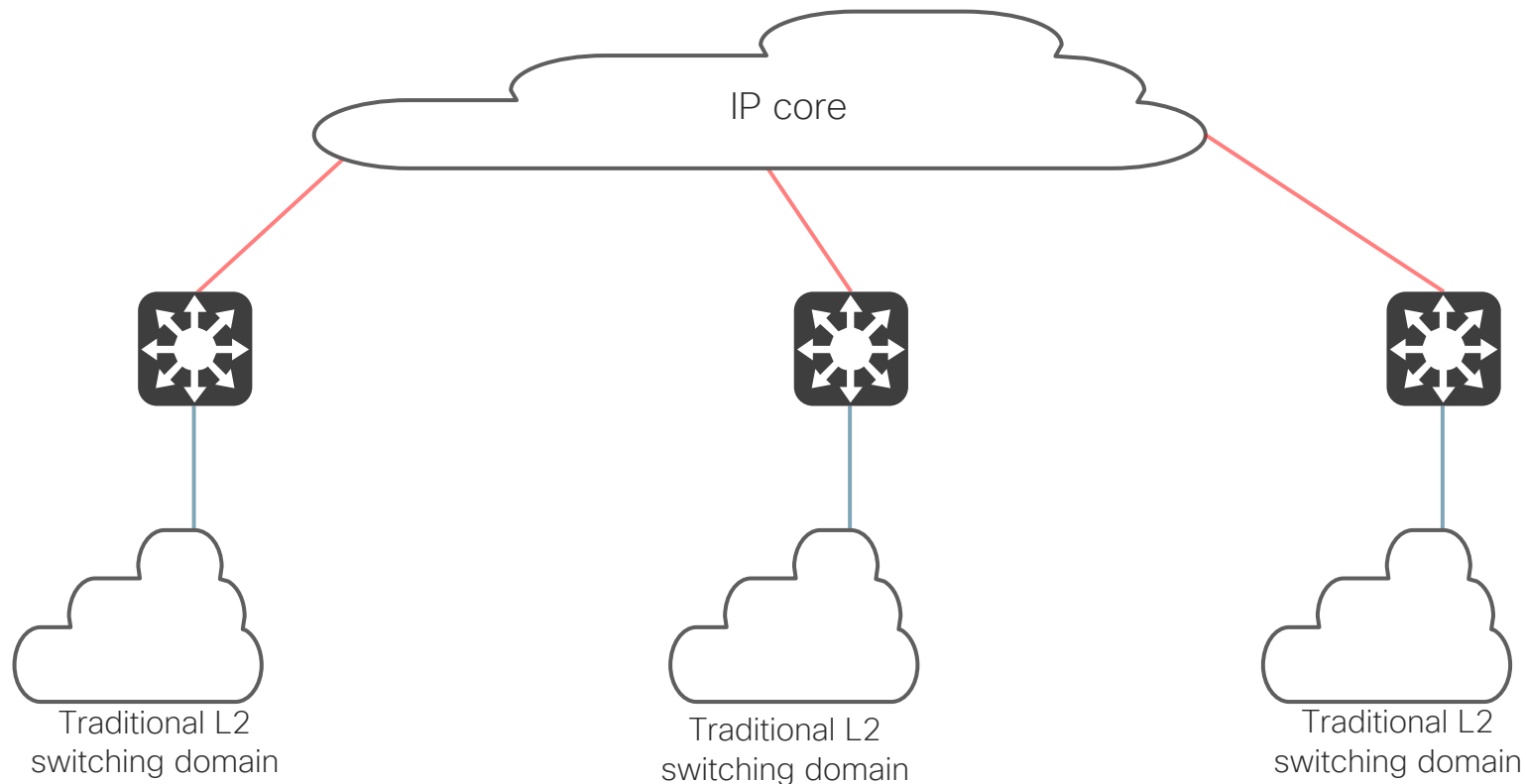
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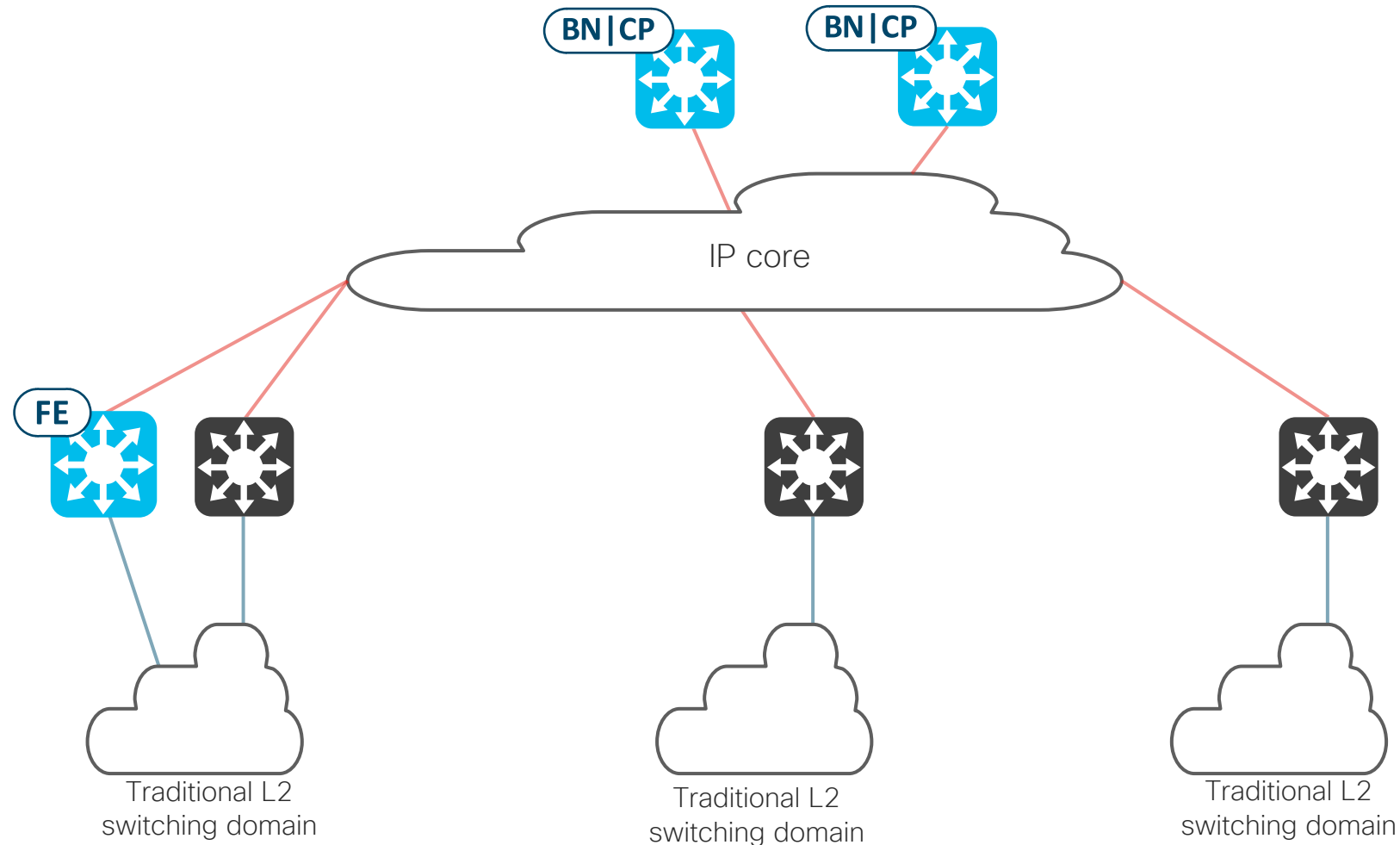
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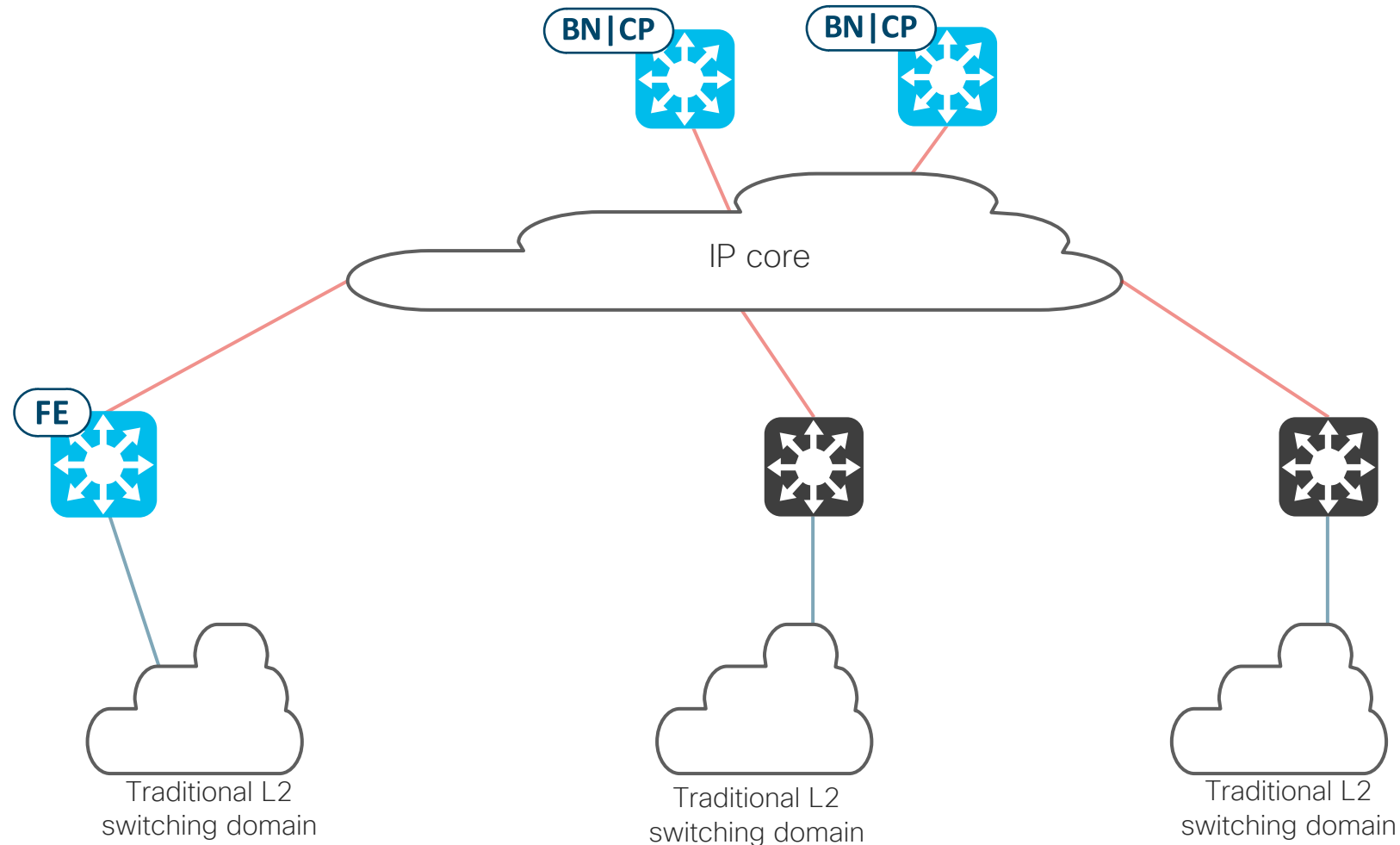
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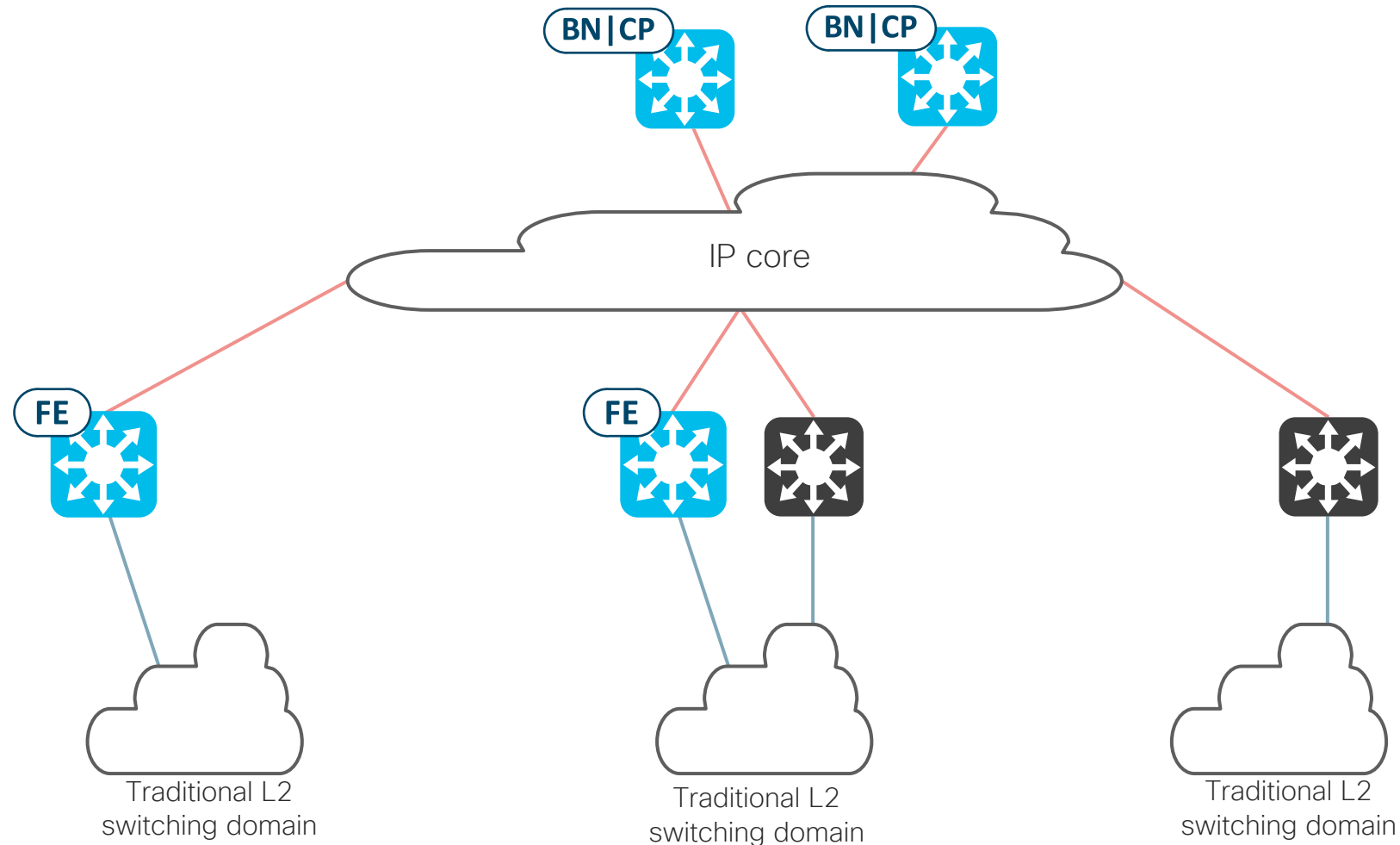
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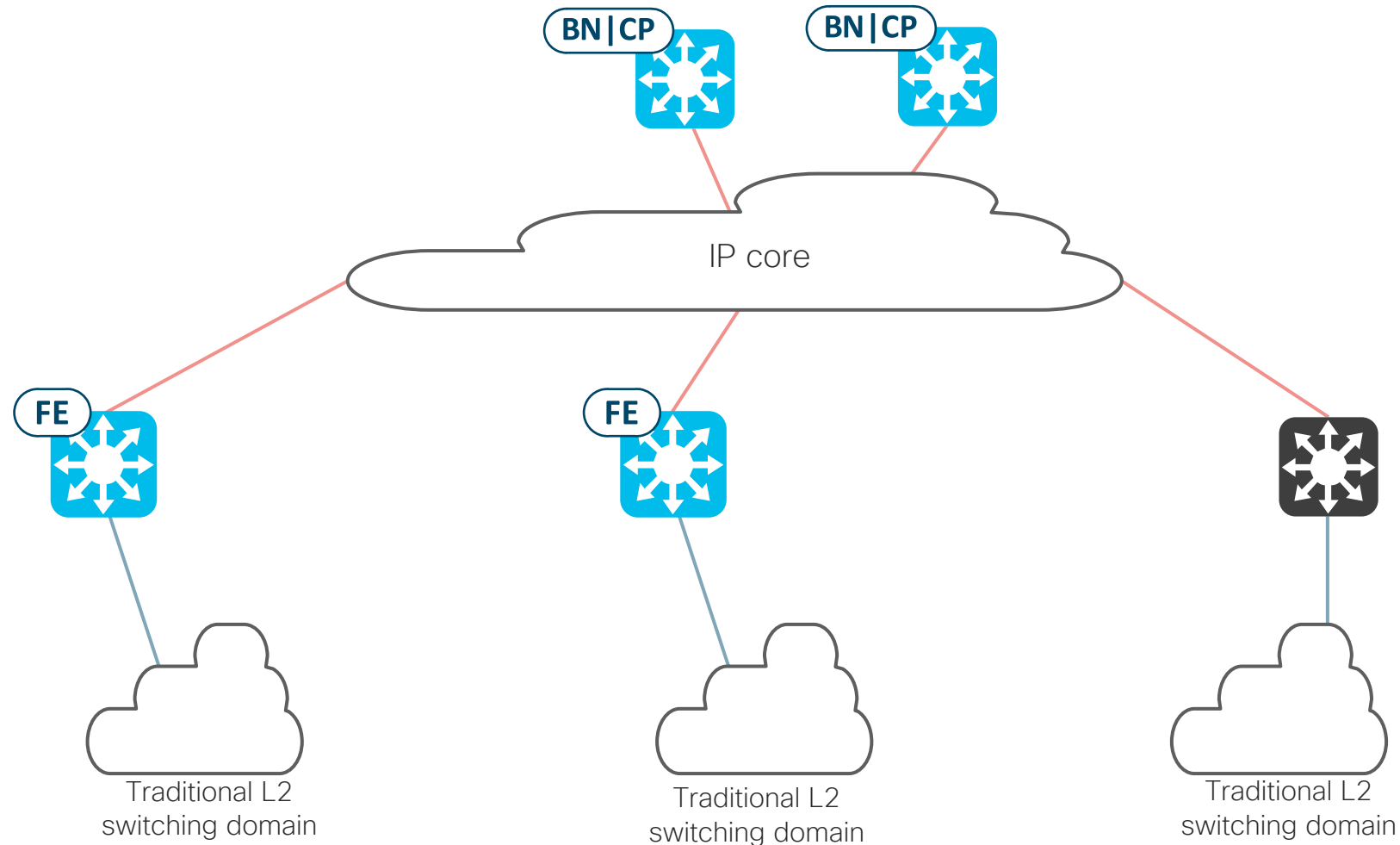
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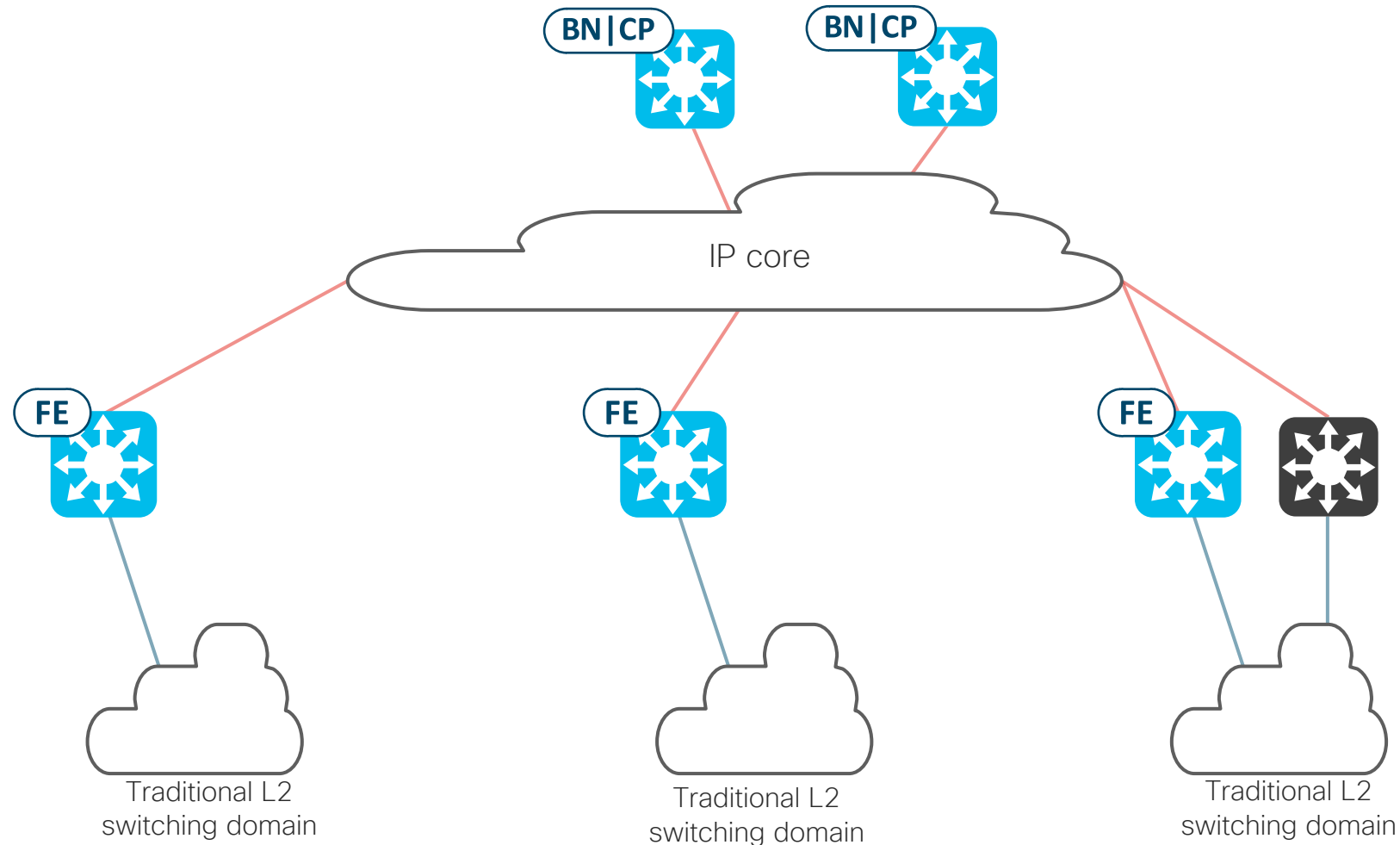
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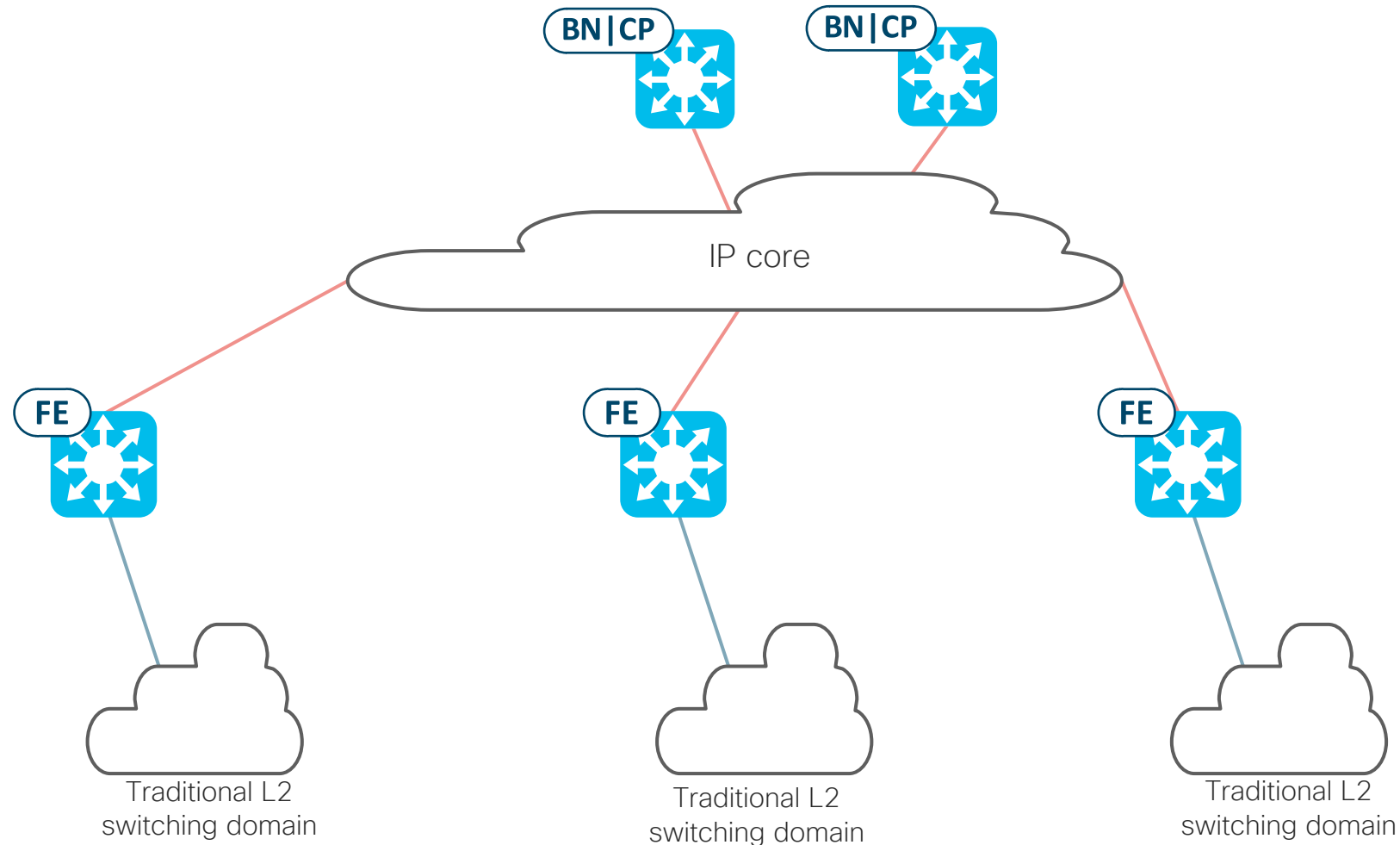
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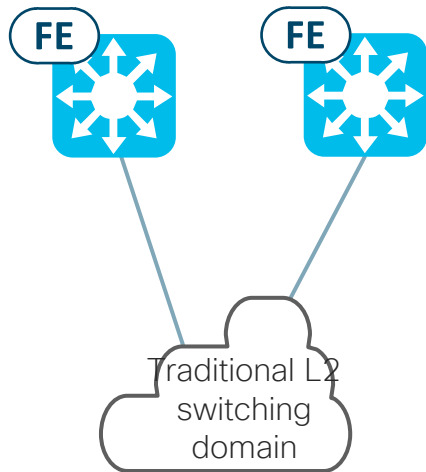
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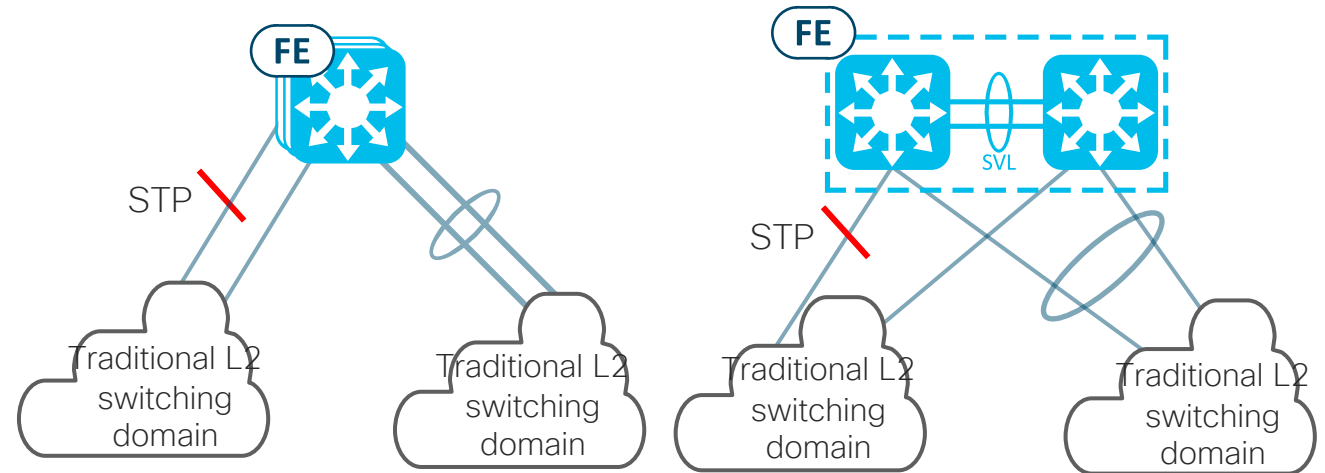
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## Important Considerations (1/6)

- Switching loops, StackWise (hardware stacking), and StackWise Virtual



**✗** Same VLAN connected to two different Edge Nodes = switching loop



**✓** Same VLAN connected to different ports on a StackWise or StackWise Virtual switch is fine.

Use STP or port-channel(s) to prevent loops between Edge Nodes and traditional Layer 2 switching domain.

# Connecting L2 domains on Fabric Edge

## Important Considerations (2/6)

- No roaming latency concerns for Fabric-Enabled Wireless and Over The Top (concentrator-based) wireless.
- For endpoints roaming between SD-Access Edge Nodes, the endpoint roaming latency will be inappropriate for real-time roaming applications, such as Voice over flex or flex-like wireless.
  - Feature for fast roaming between Edge Node switch ports is in planning now.

Typical Wireless Roaming Times with Cisco SD-Access 2.1.2

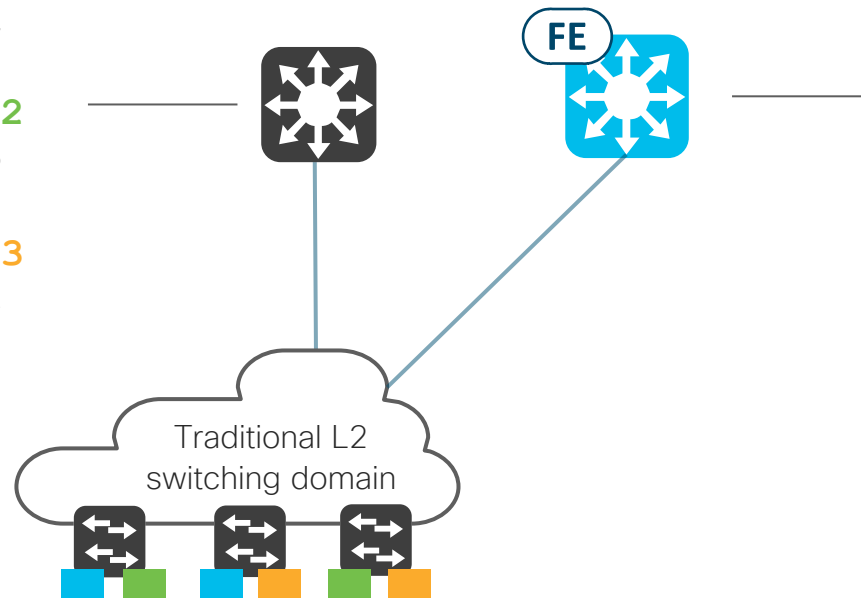
Wireless Deployment Type	Roam Pattern	Average Observed Roam Latency
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SD-Access Wireless	APs connected to <b>different</b> edge nodes	85 ms

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## Important Considerations (3/6)

- Cisco SD-Access Custom VLAN ID\* feature is required to match already-configured traditional L2 switching domain VLAN ID.

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  ip address bbb
  shutdown
interface VLAN333
  ip address ccc
  no shutdown
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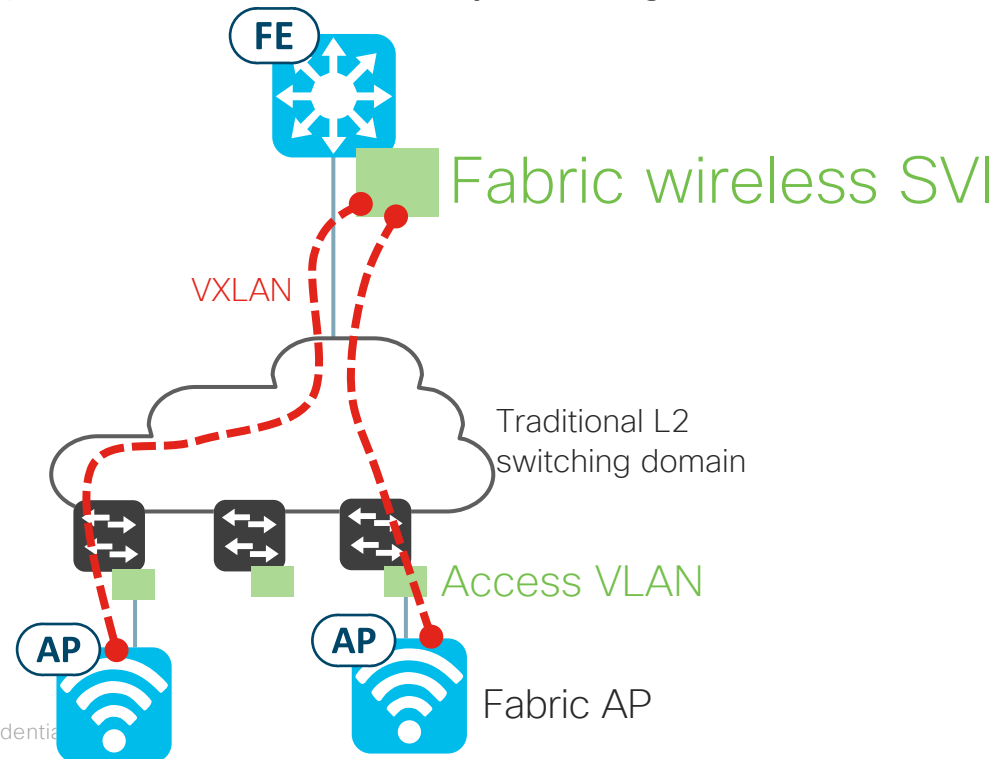
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interface VLAN111
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interface VLAN222
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\*introduced in 2.2.2.x

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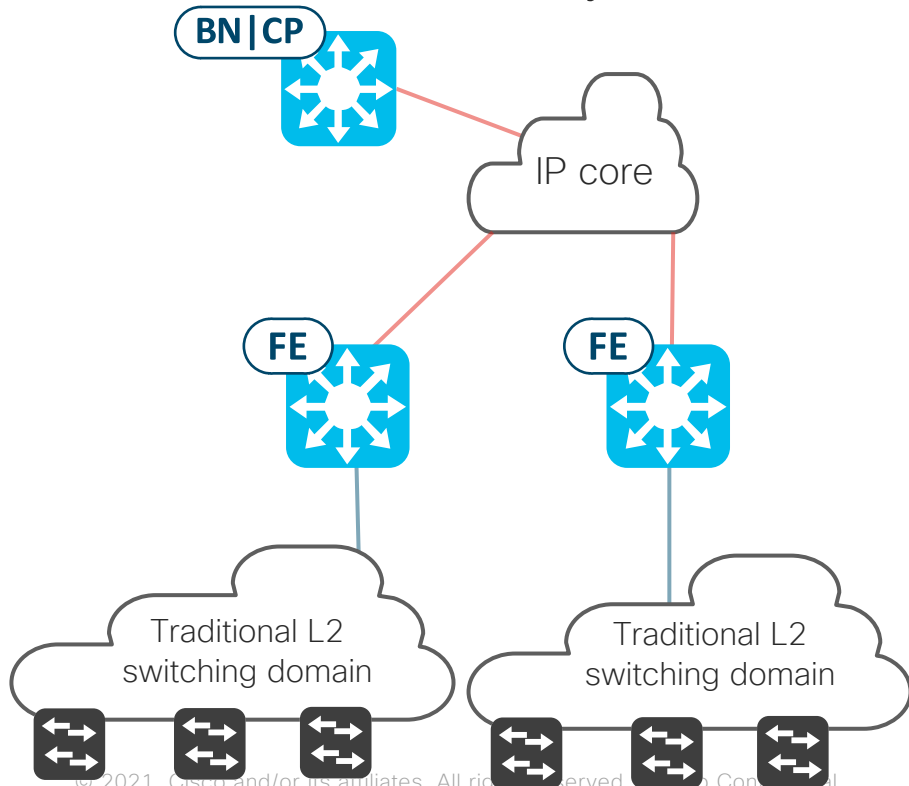
- Fabric APs connected to traditional L2 switching domain are already supported.
  - This enables a rapid realization of the benefits of Fabric-Enabled Wireless (SGT, Automation, Assurance, wireless data plane switched locally on Edge Node, etc.)



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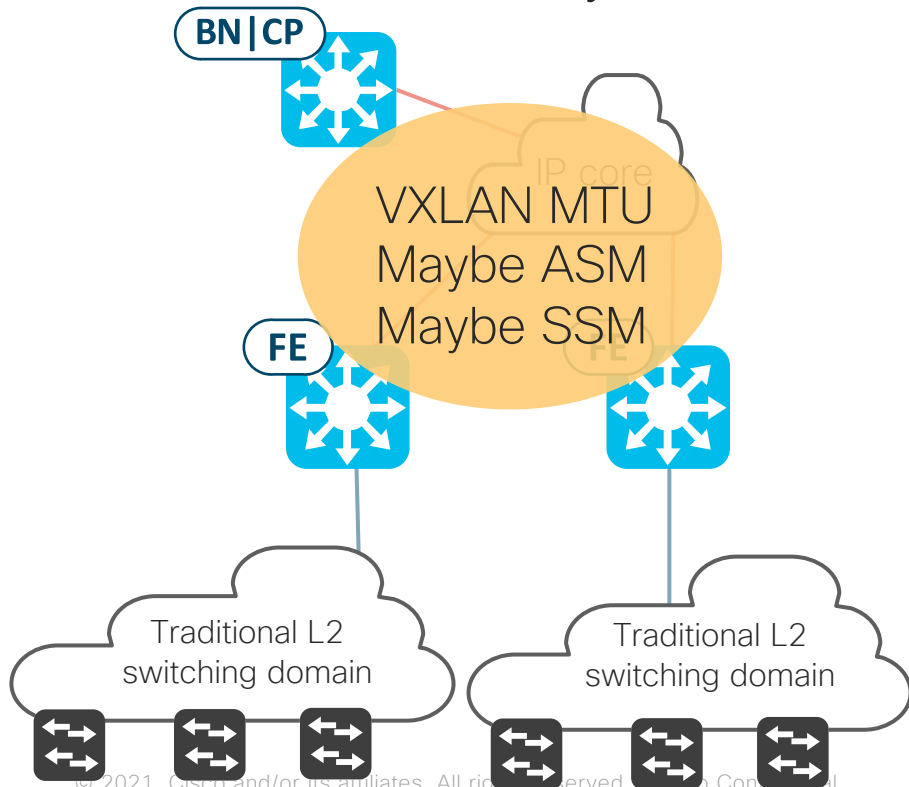
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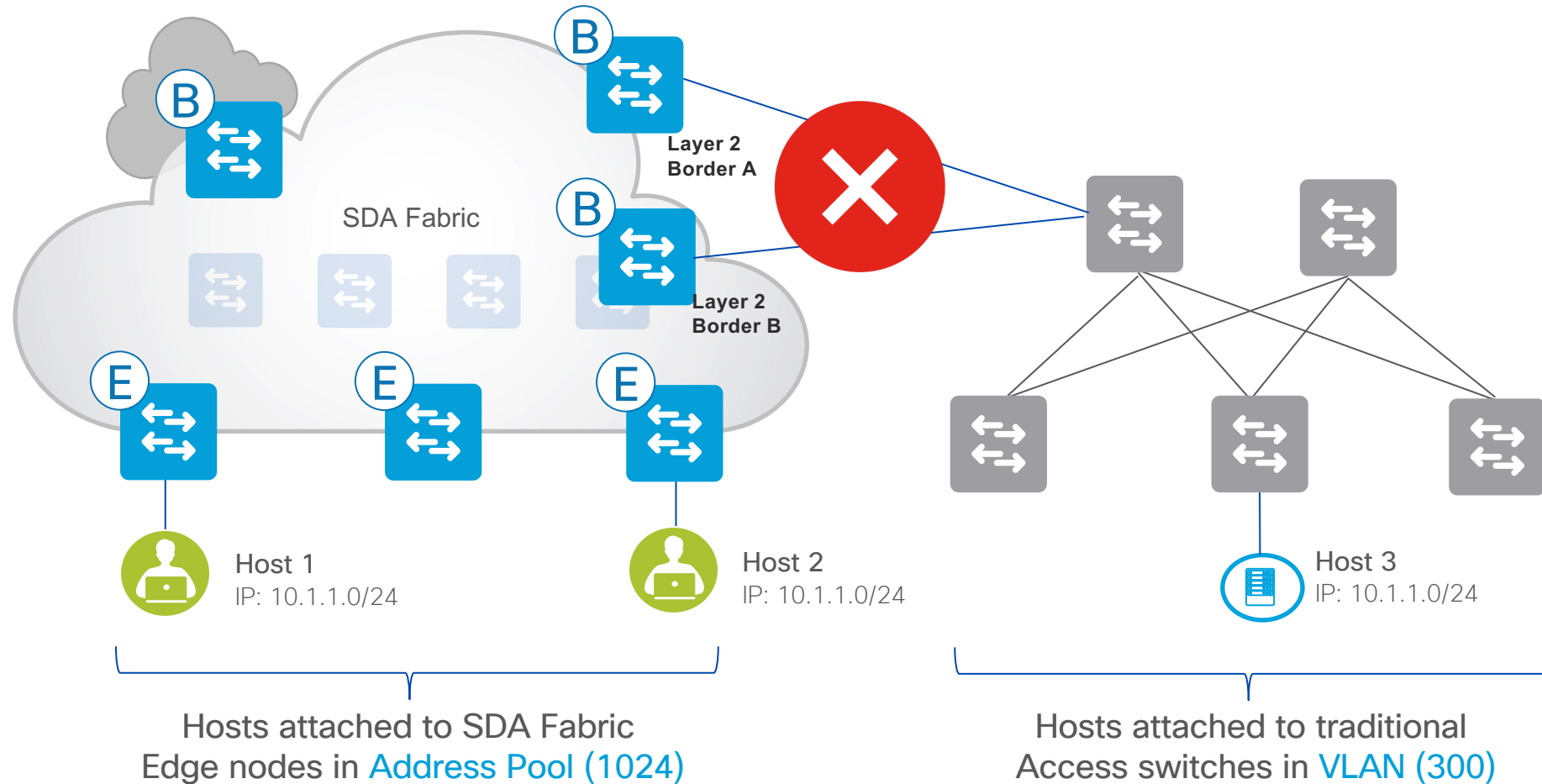
- Fabric Edge Node SVIs cannot fragment overlay payloads.
- The IP core will need to accommodate the Cisco SD-Access VXLAN MTU.
  - VXLAN cannot be fragmented.
  - The Overlay can use *TCP adjust-MSS* for large TCP flows.
  - Large UDP in Overlay needs to be addressed outside of fabric e.g. external Layer 3 device or on the endpoint.
- IP core may need to support ASM and SSM
  - SD-Access Layer 2 Flooding feature uses underlay ASM.
  - SD-Access Native Multicast feature uses underlay SSM.

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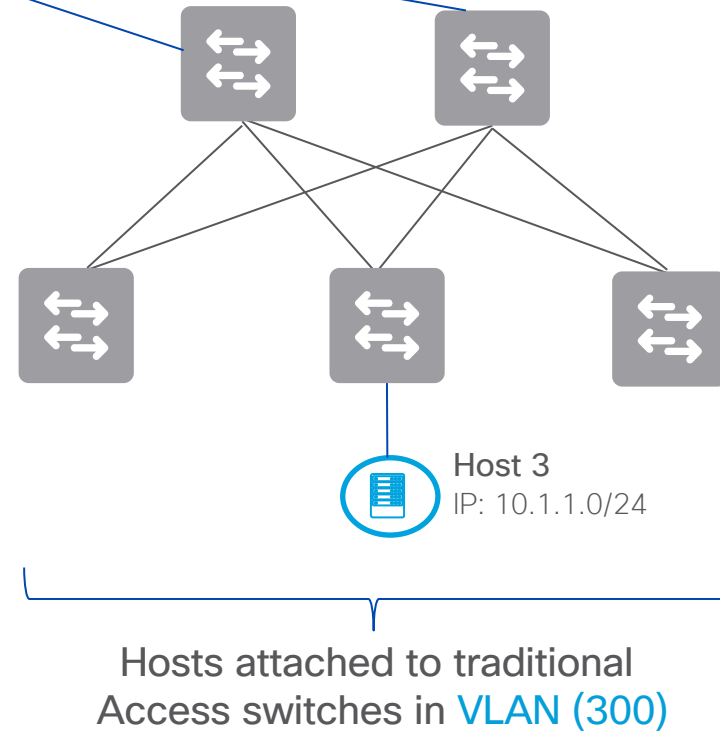
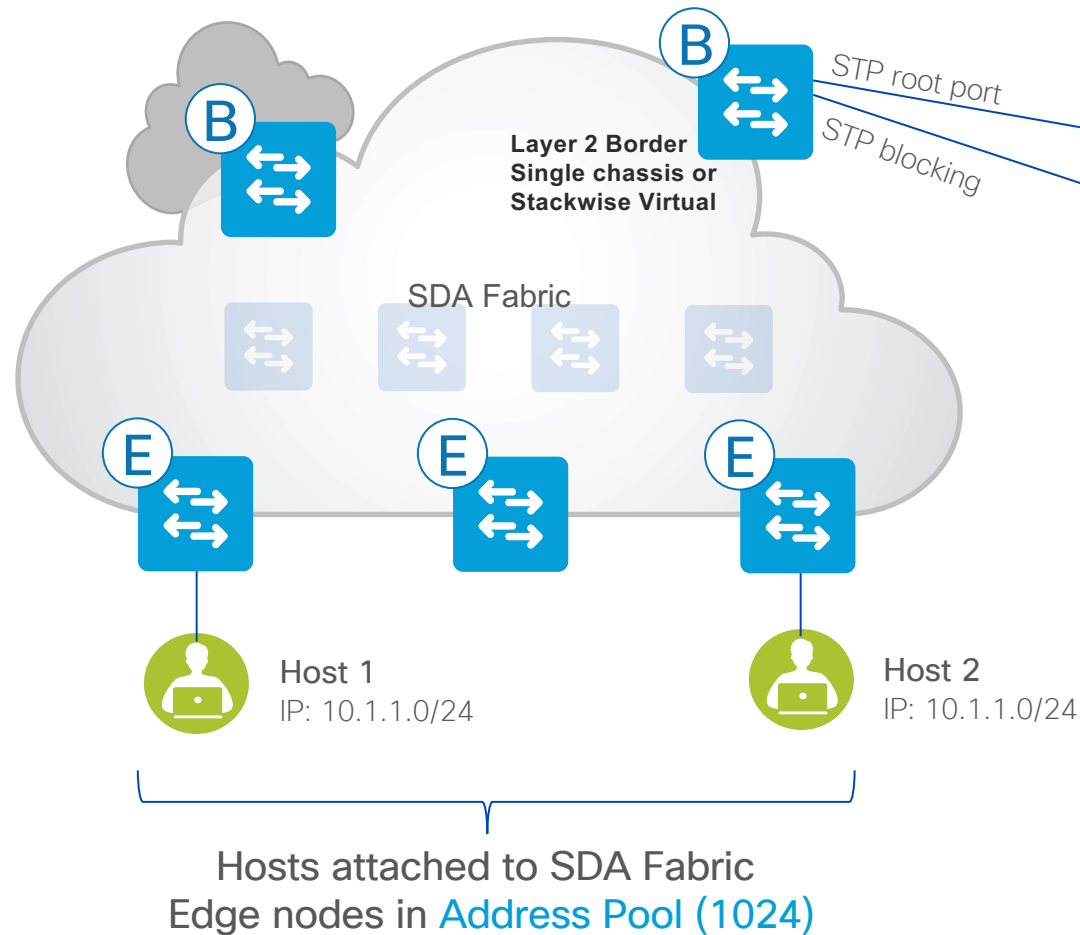
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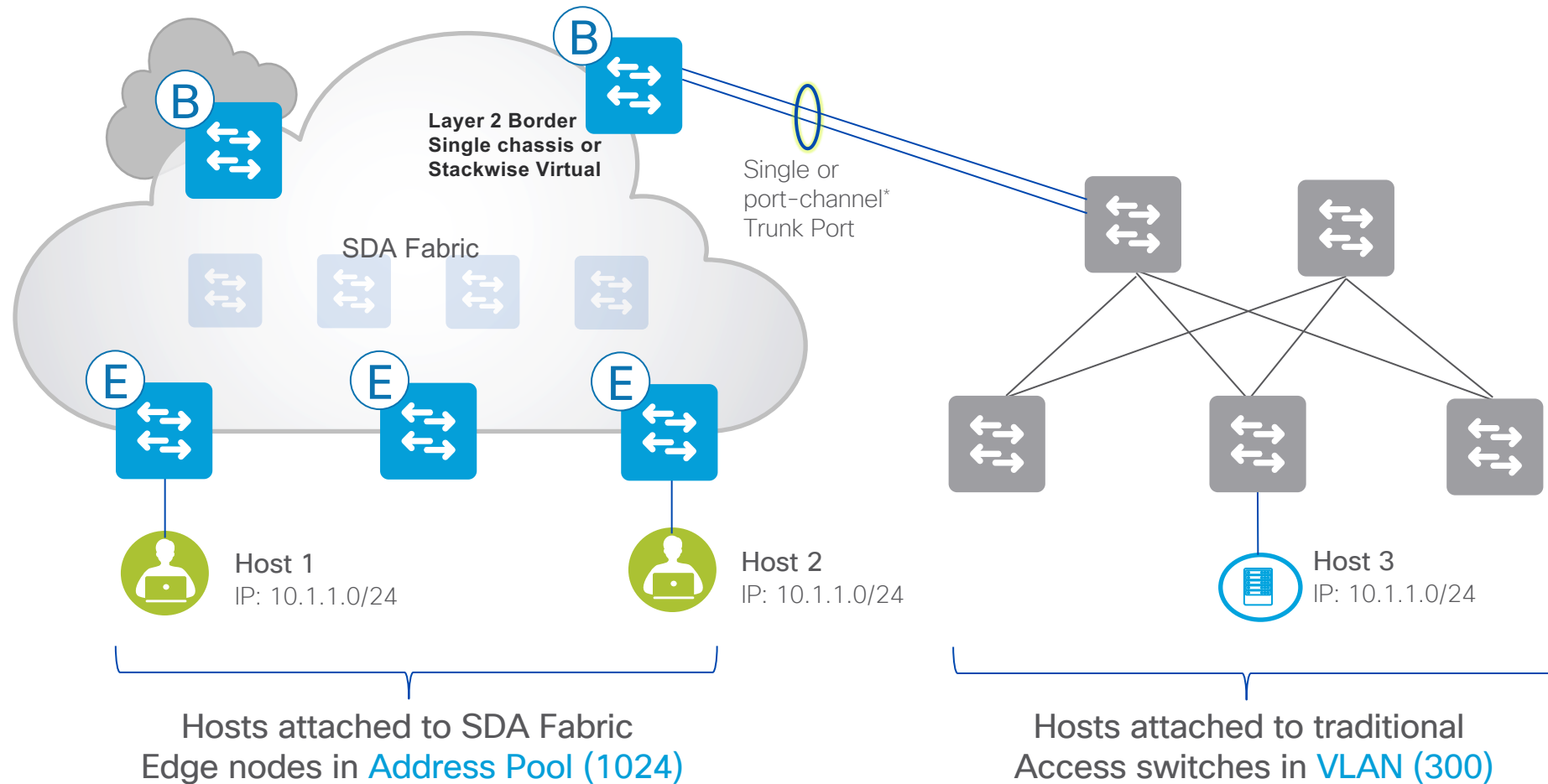
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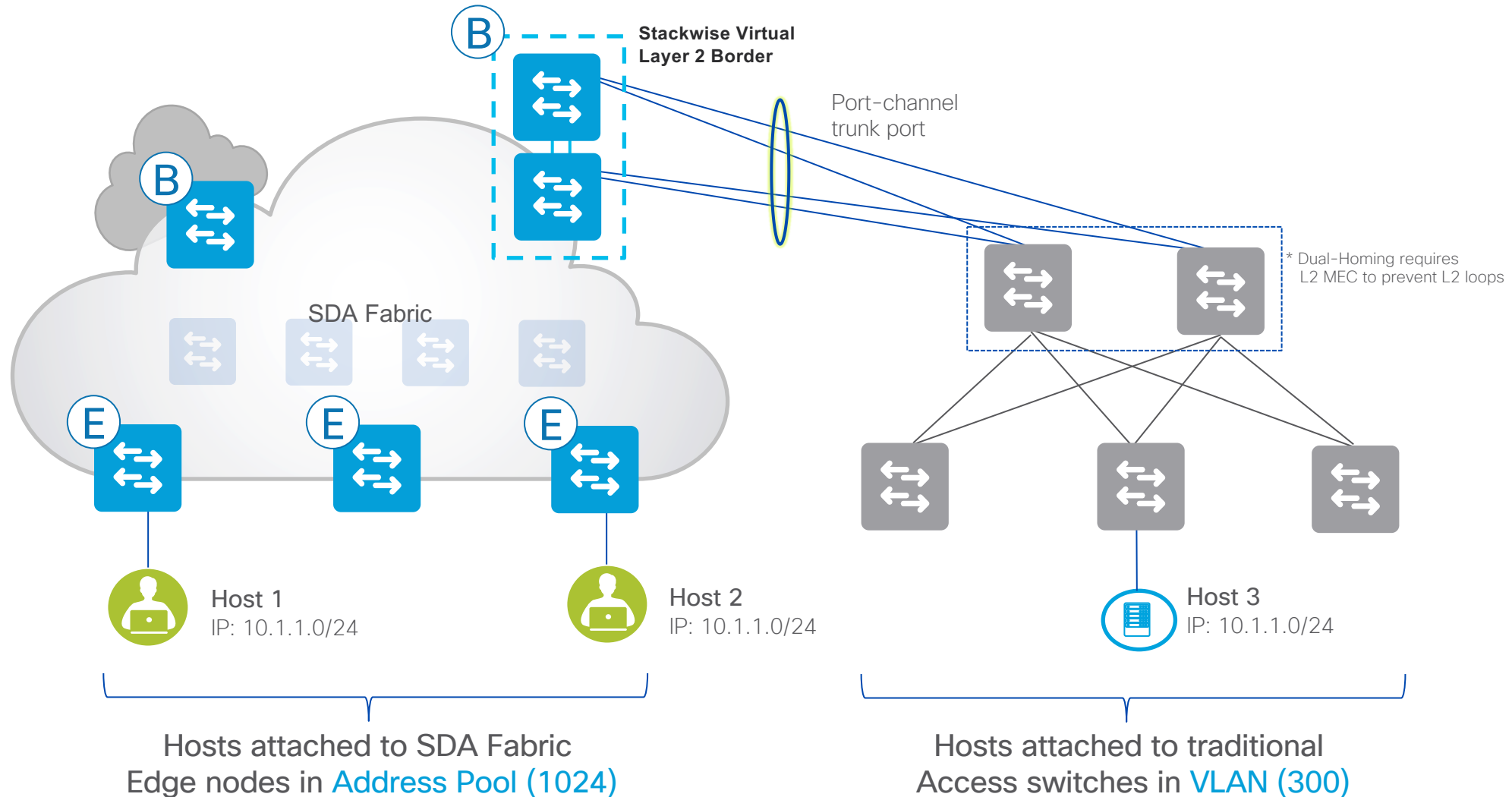
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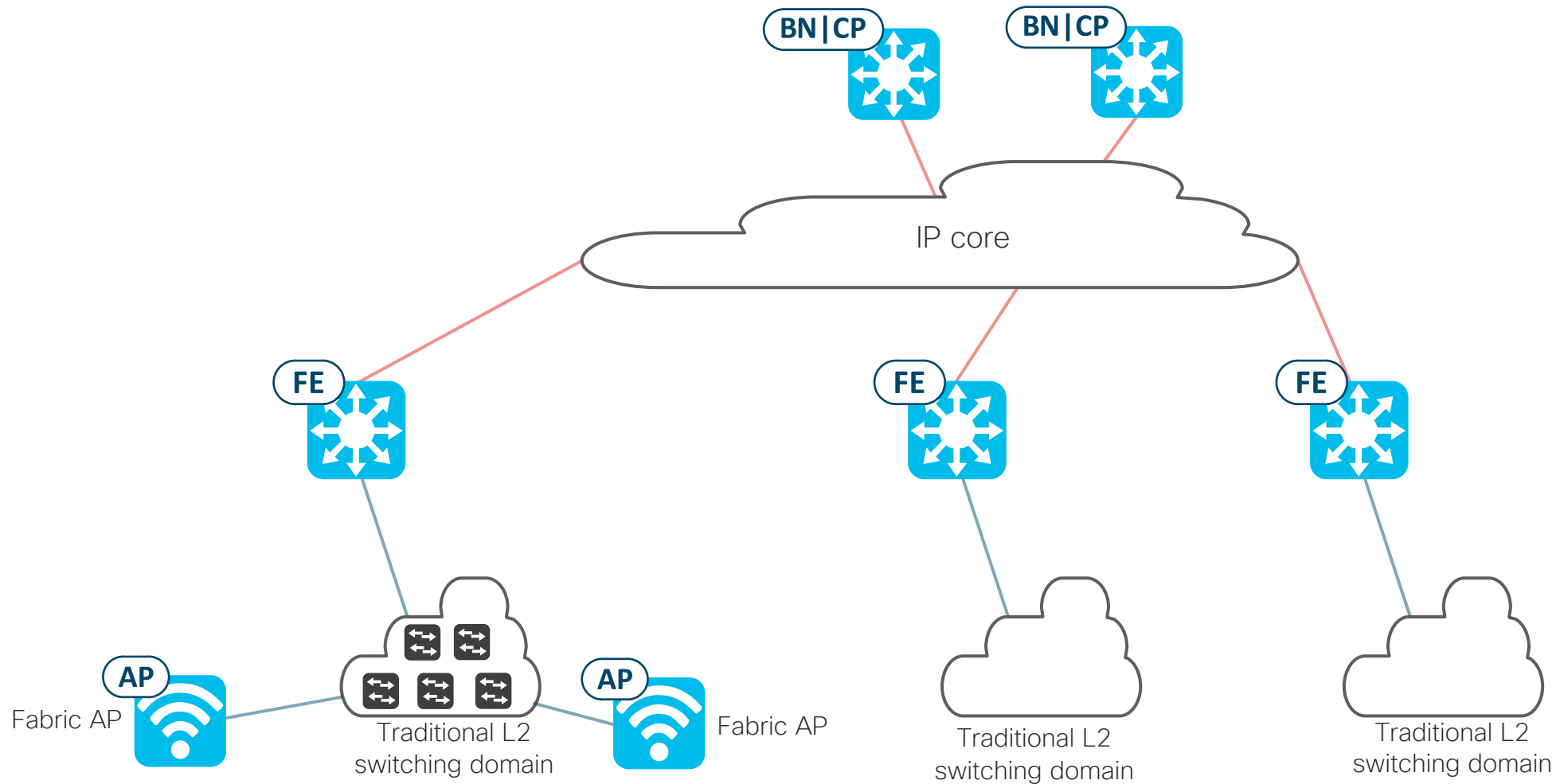


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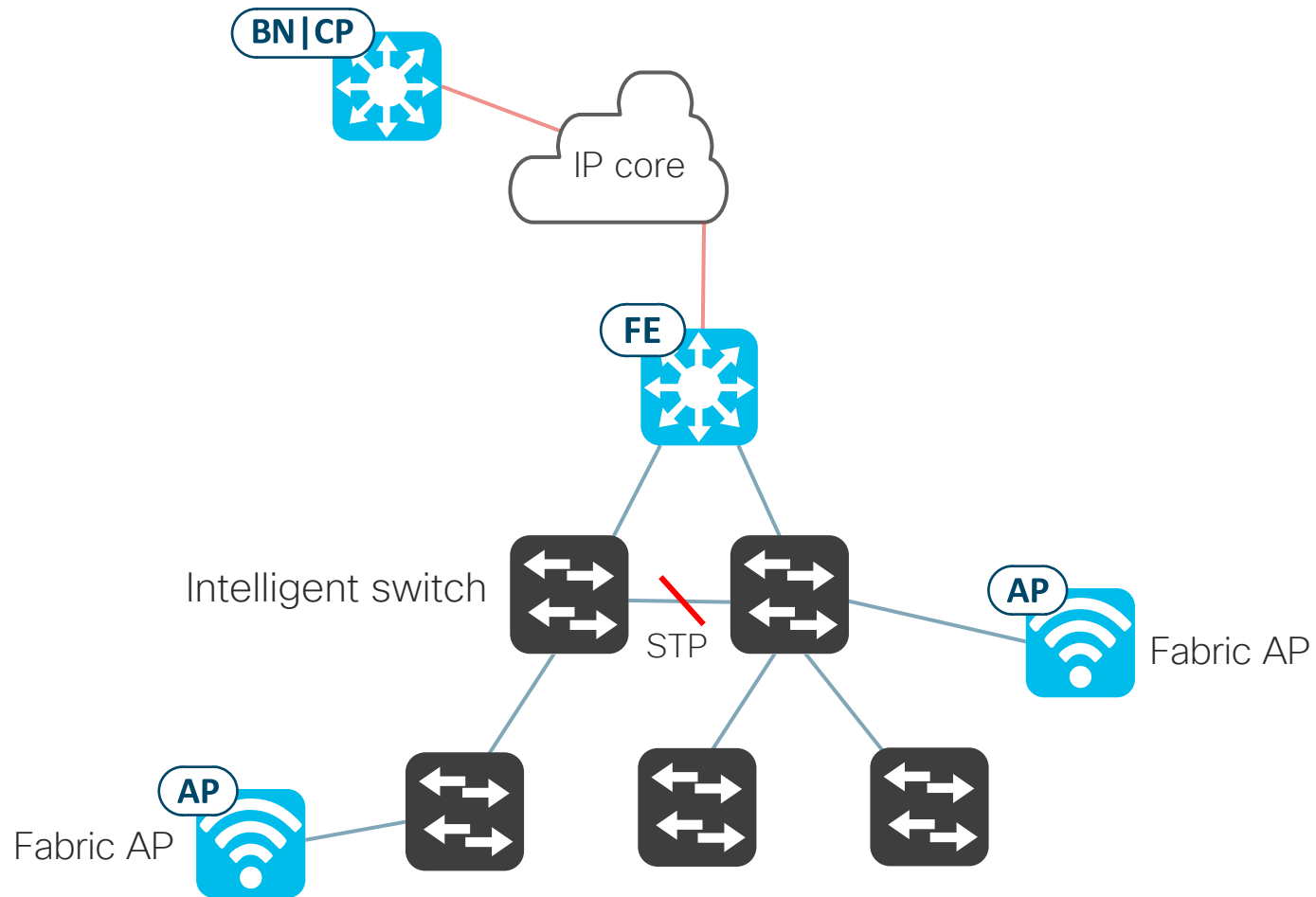
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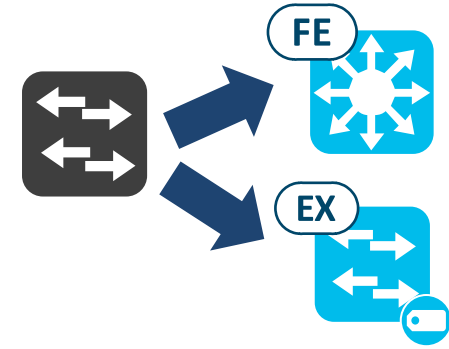
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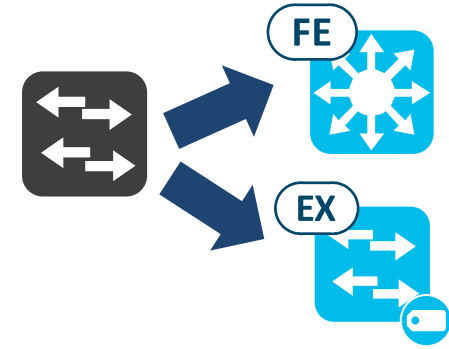
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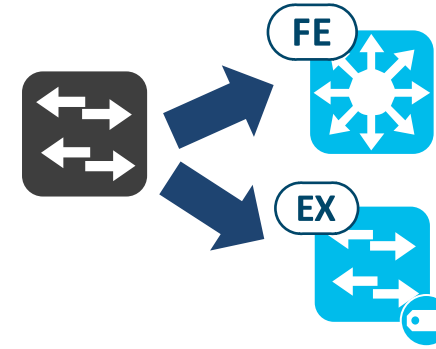
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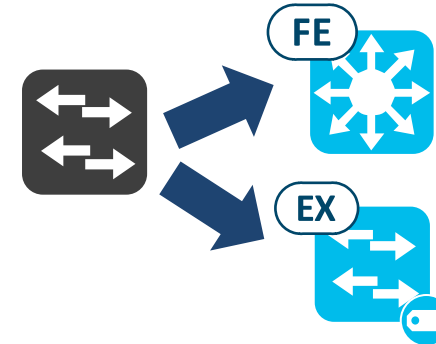
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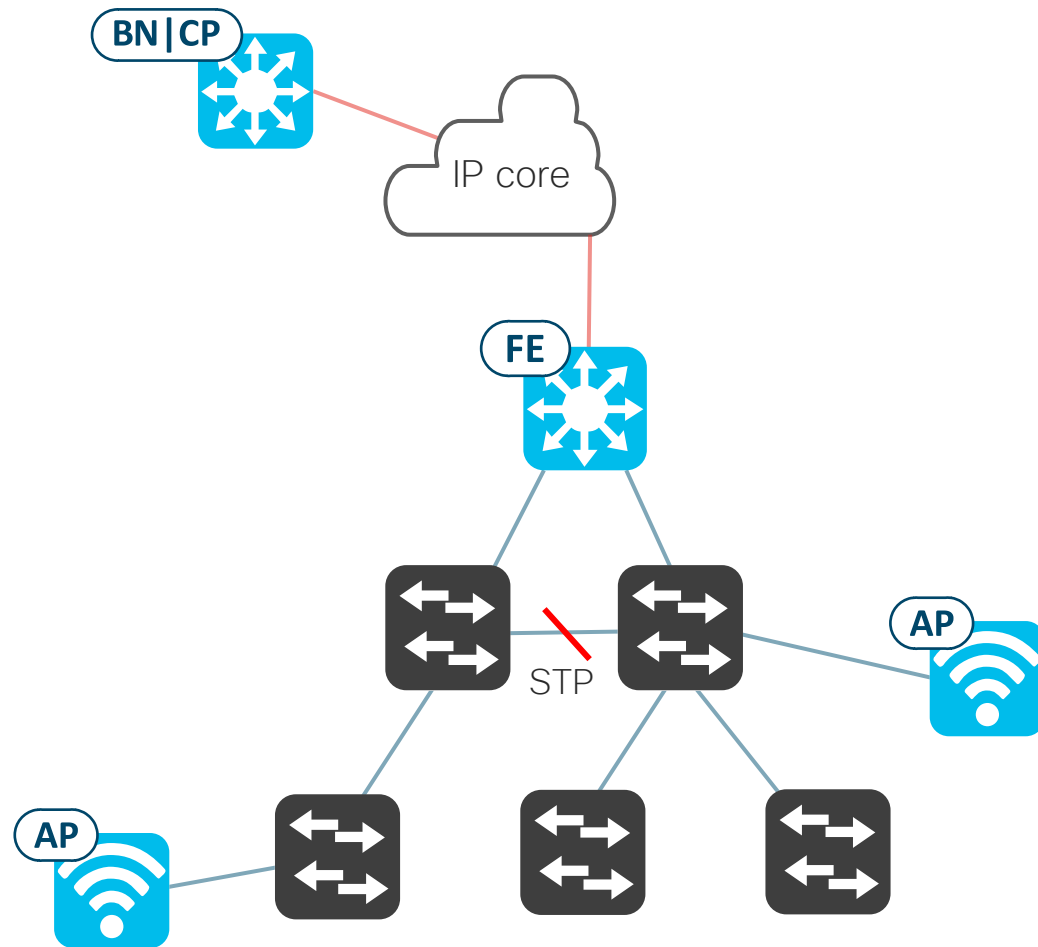


Manual conversion  
to Fabric Edge Node

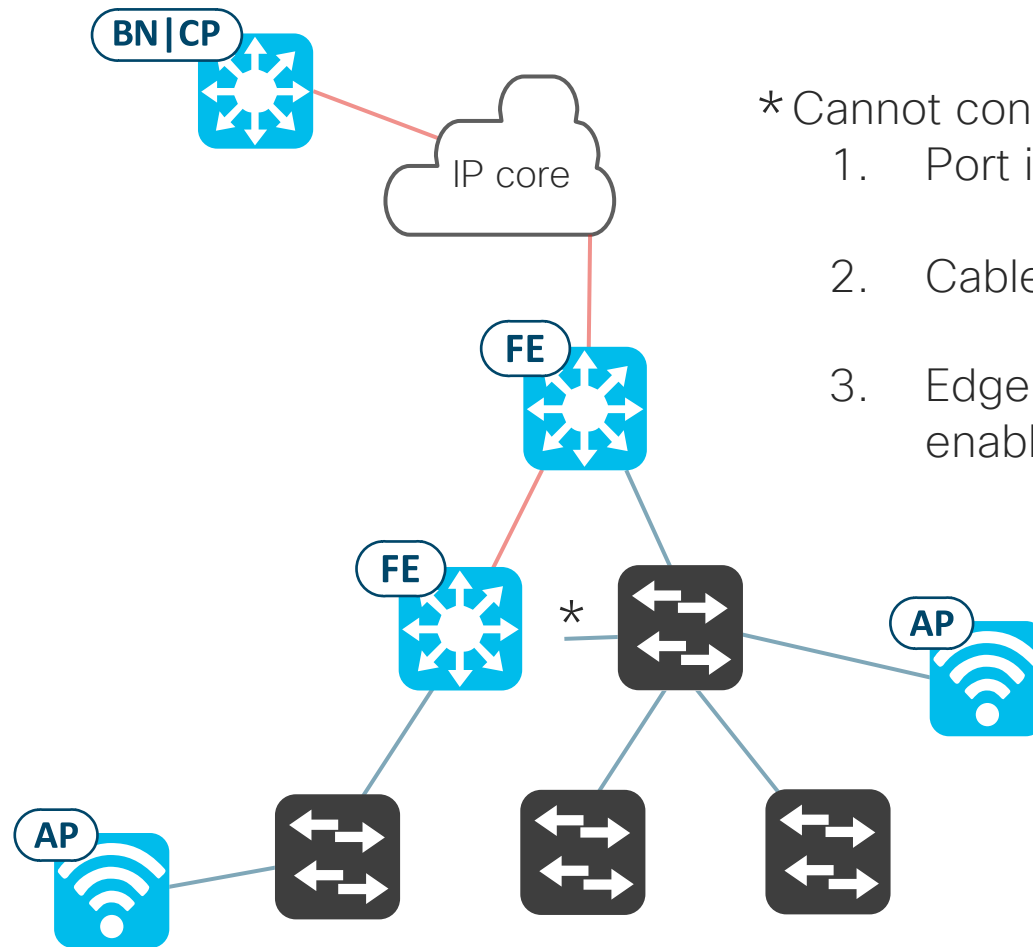


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3. Replace startup configuration with tailored startup configuration and reload the switch:
    - Routed p2p uplinks, Loopback0
    - MTU that accommodates VXLAN overhead
    - Multicast routing and PIM, if required
    - SSH and SNMP credentials
  4. Modify distribution layer to have routed downlinks or repatch switch to new distribution.
  5. Discover just-reloaded switch in Cisco DNA Center, Provision, and add to fabric site as Edge Node.
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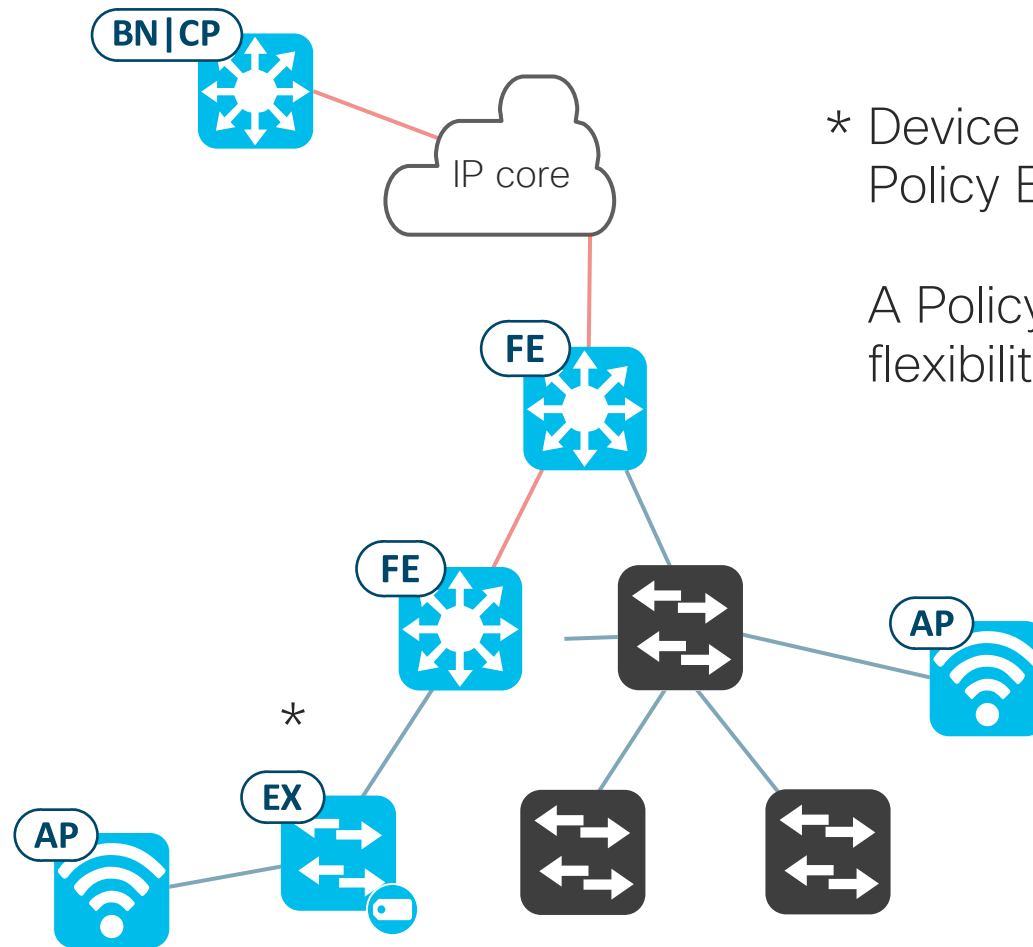


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- \* Cannot connect same Layer 2 domain to two Edge Nodes. Thus:
1. Port is shutdown on the Edge Node
  - or-
  2. Cable is temporarily disconnected
  - or-
  3. Edge Node port is Closed Authentication so that trunk is not enabled

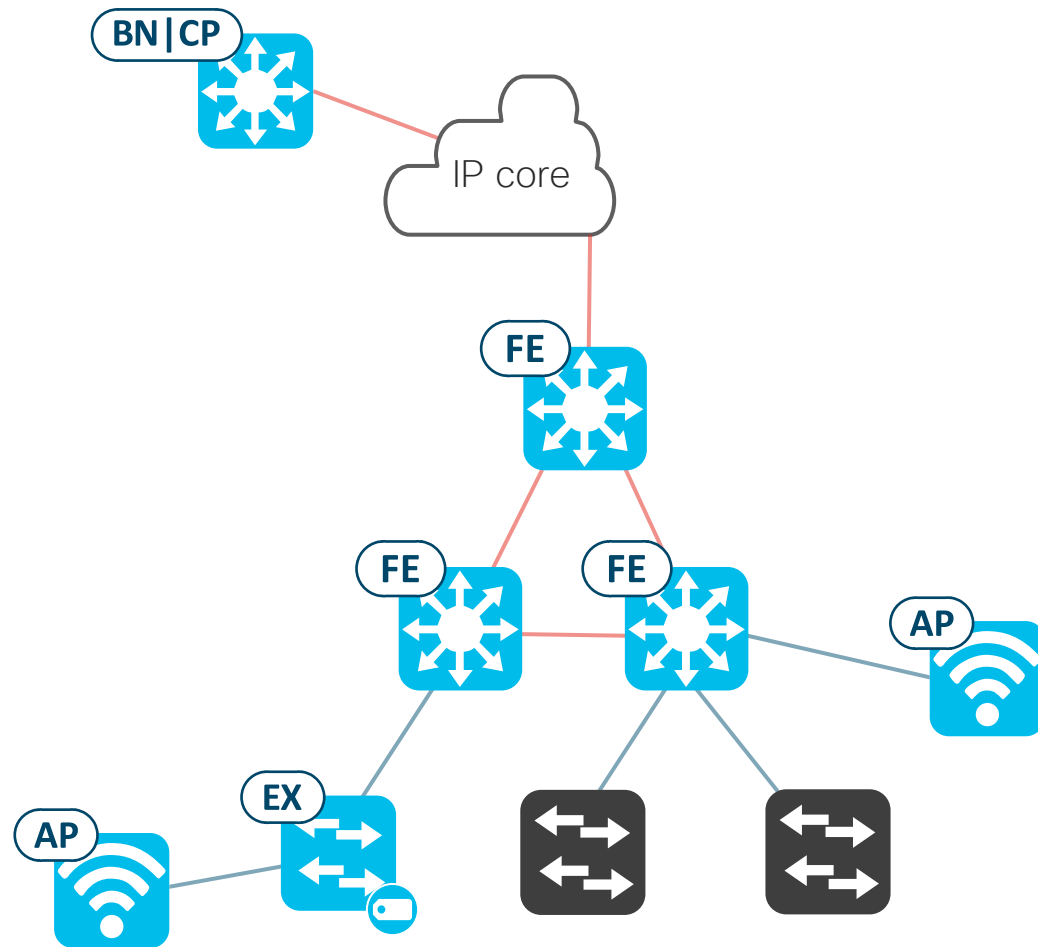
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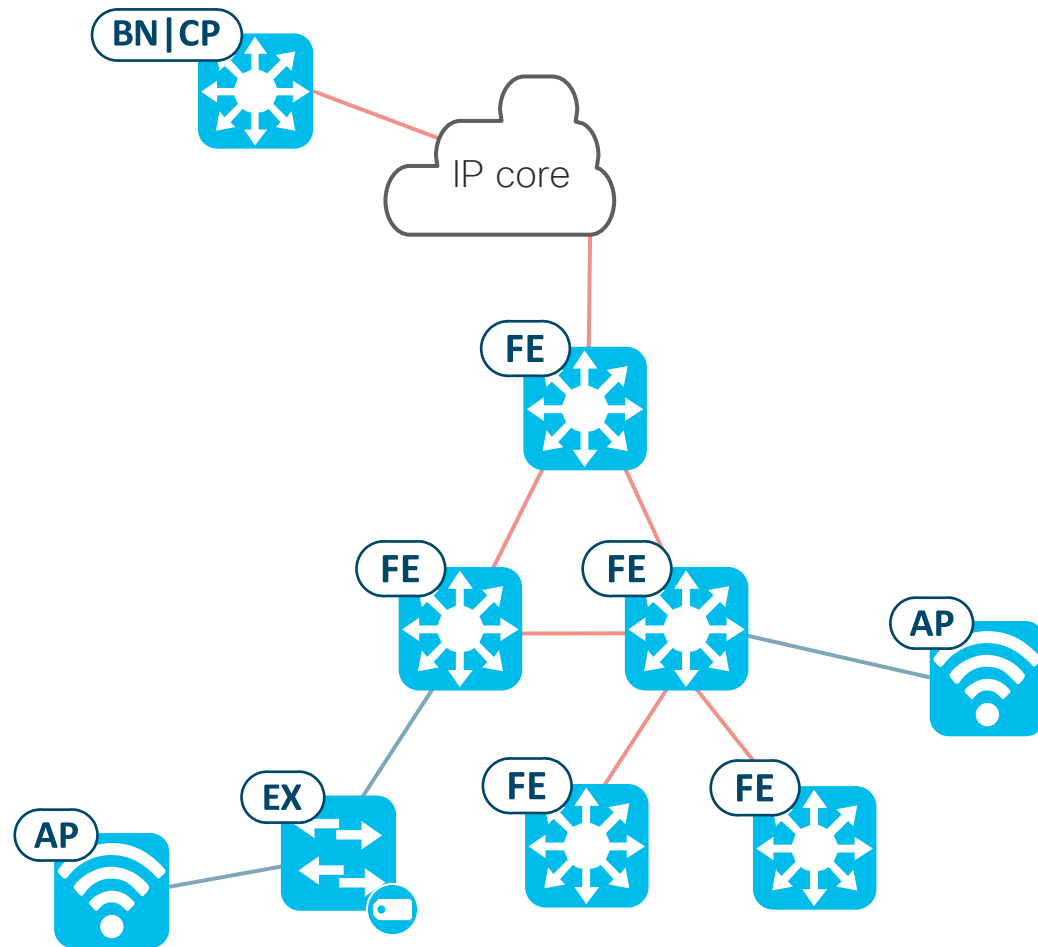
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A Policy Extended Node is depicted to showcase flexibility of options.

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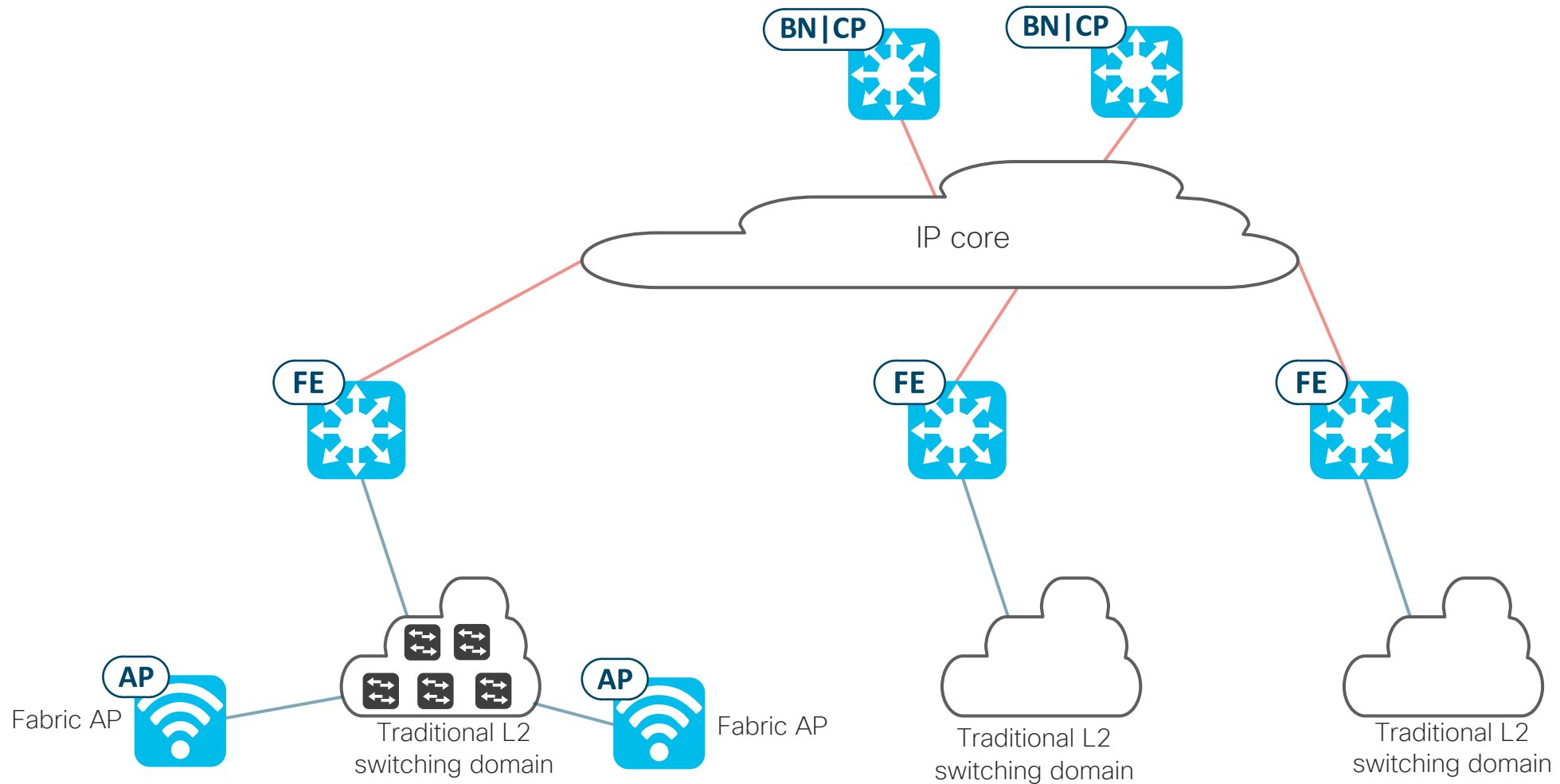


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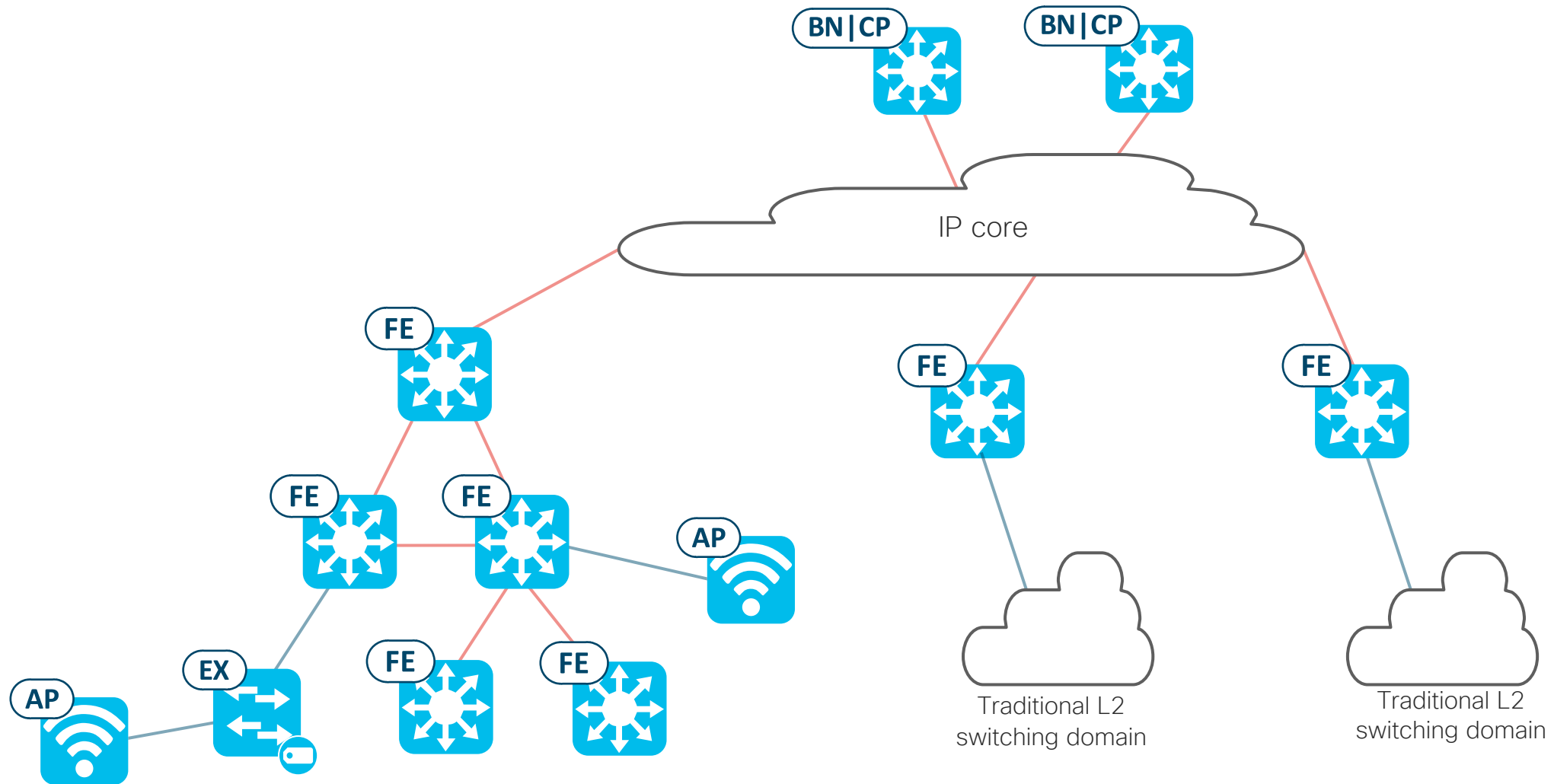
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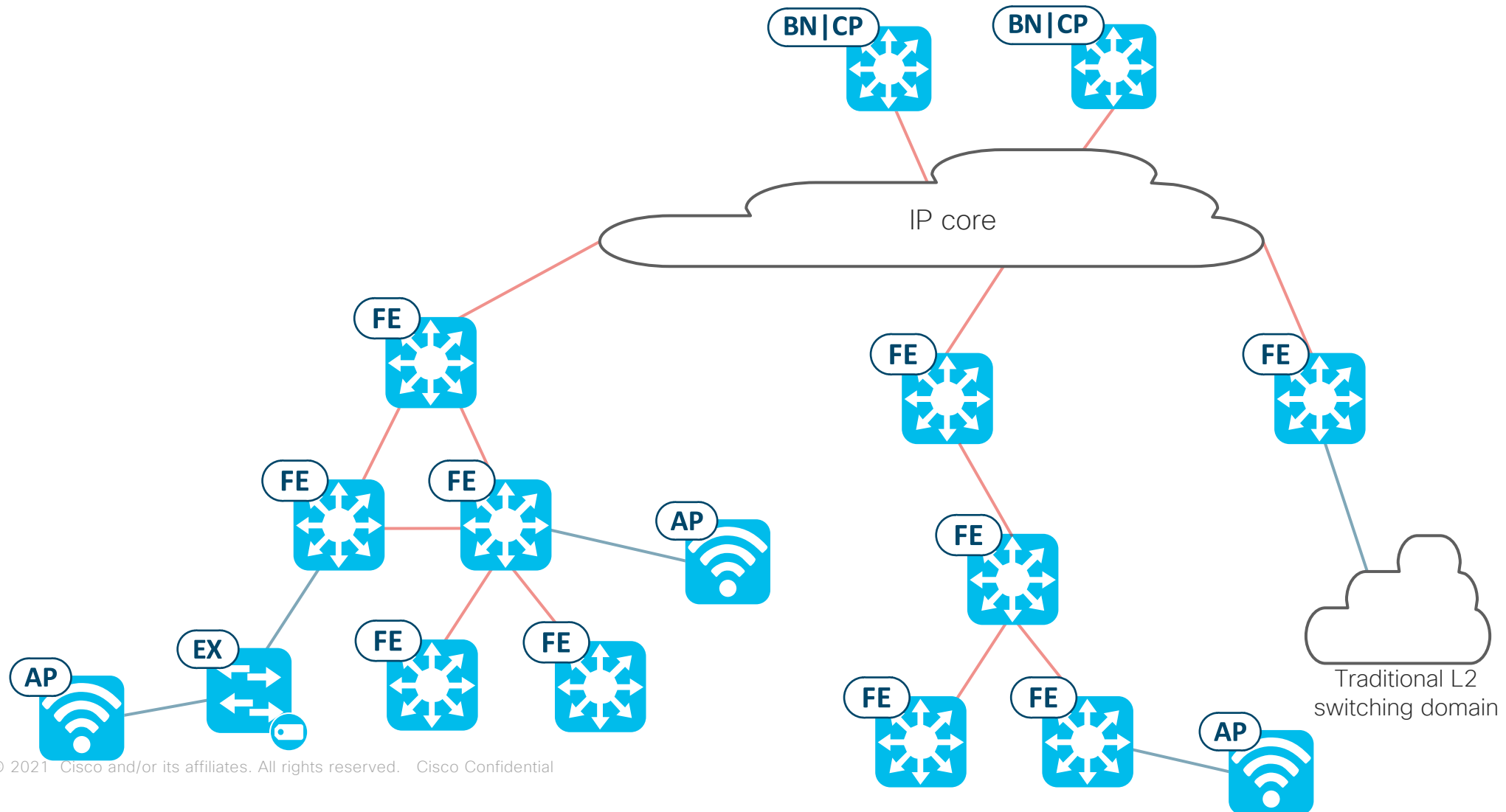
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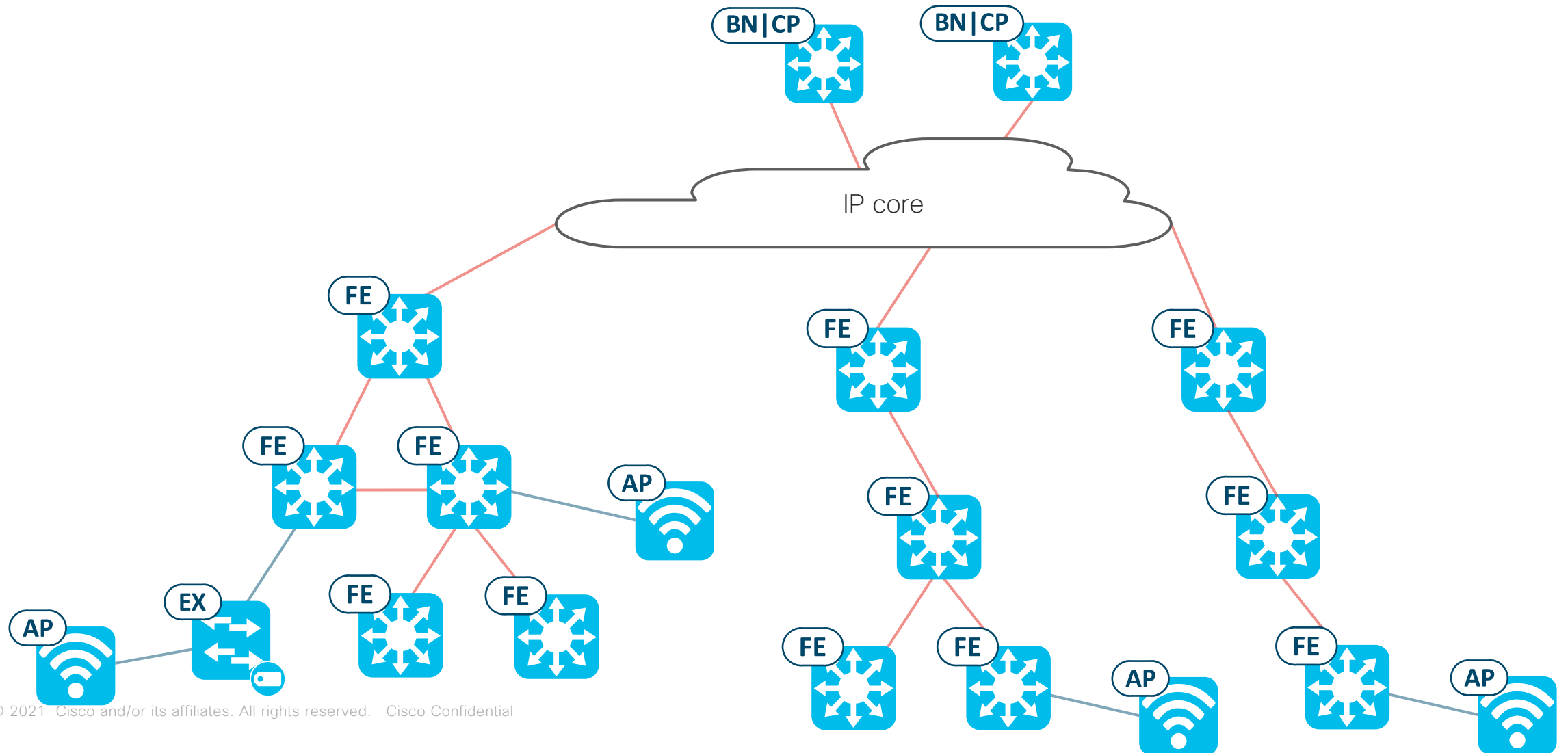
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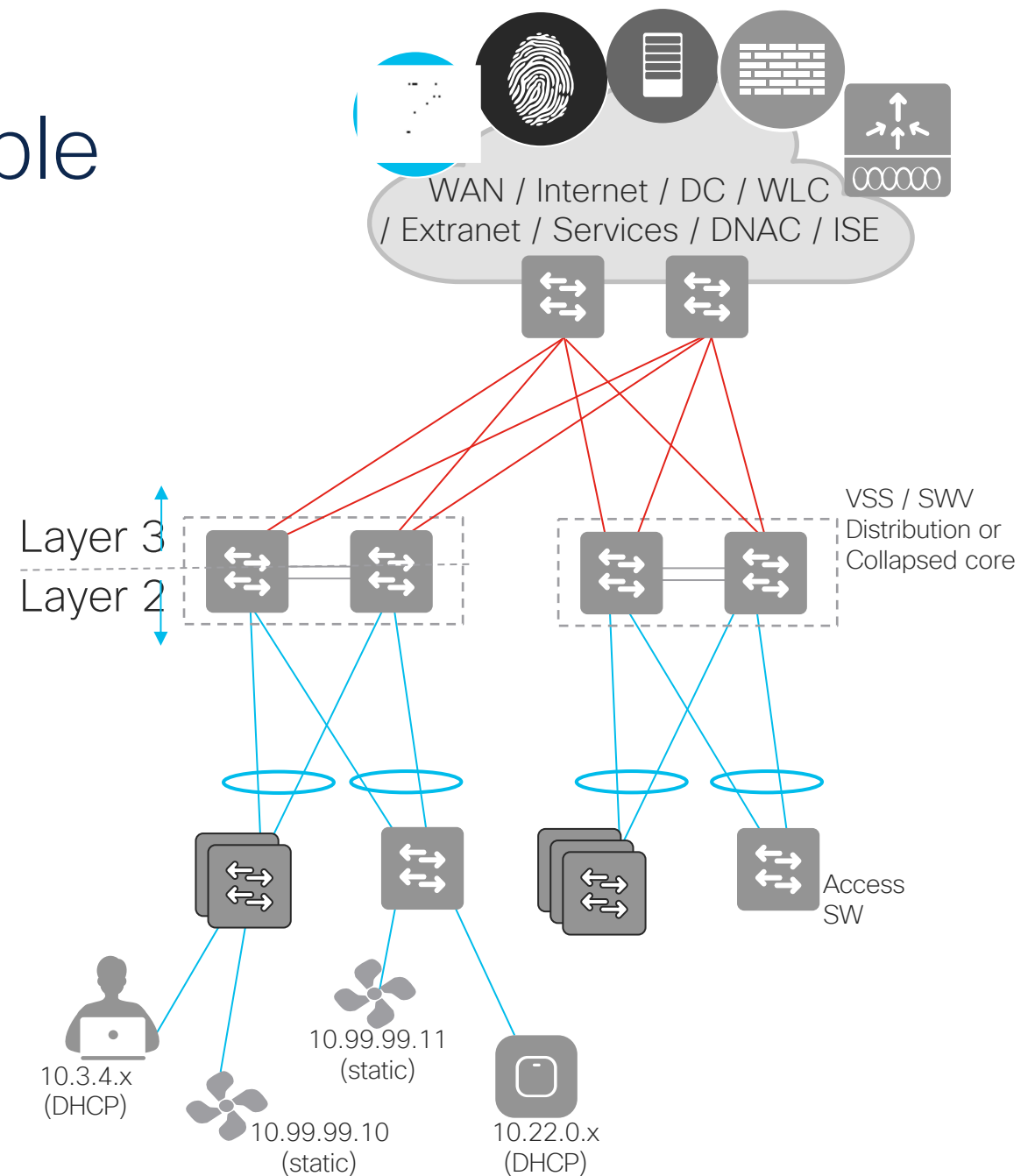


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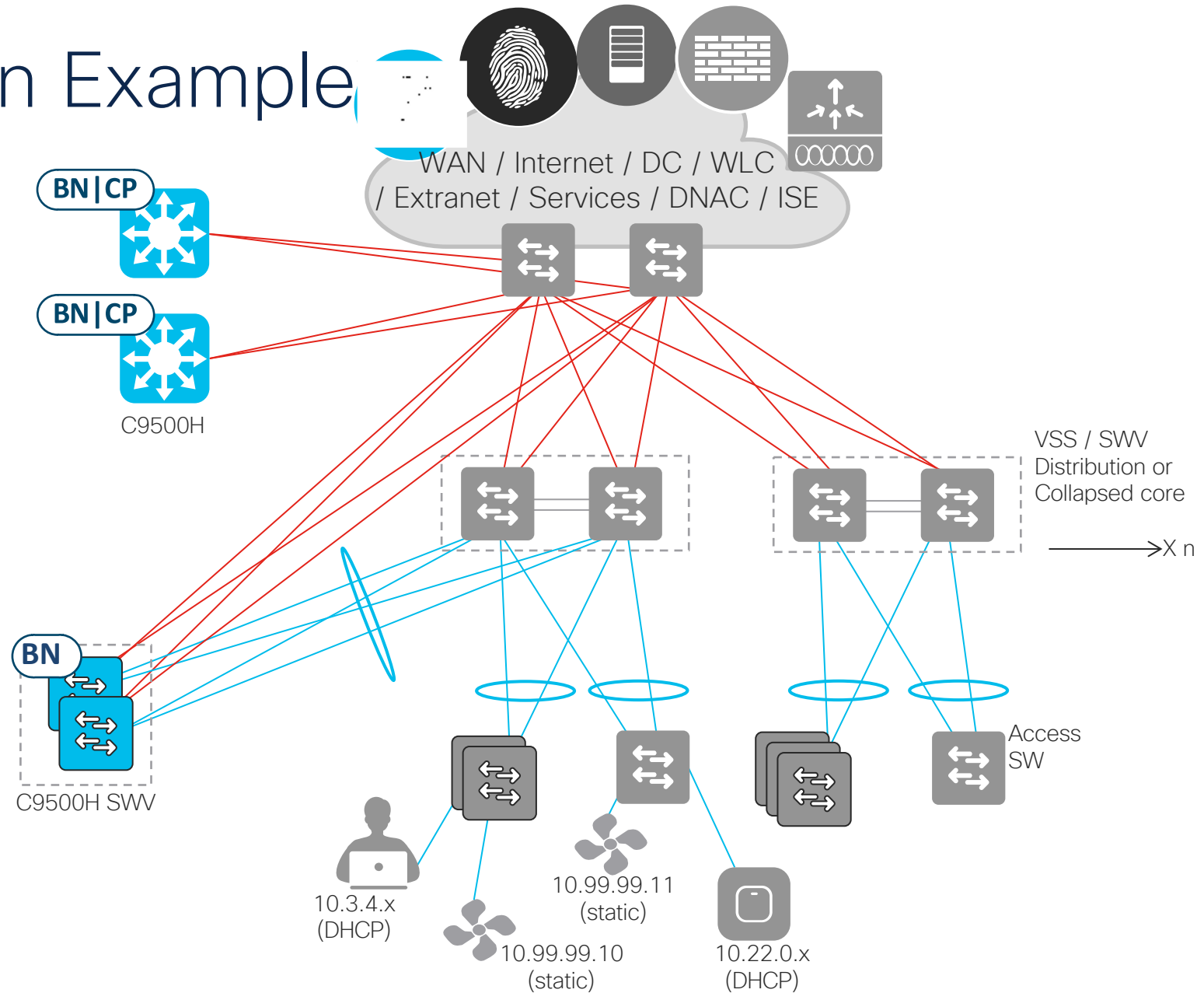
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# L2 Border Migration Example

- Brownfield Routed/Switched to SD-Access fabric Migration
- L2 Access with L3 Distribution/Core Layer
- IOT devices cannot change IP address (static)
- Corporate endpoints have DHCP enabled
- No cabling changes to existing brownfields network
- Access Layer HW is already SD-Access capable
- Keep wireless OTT design

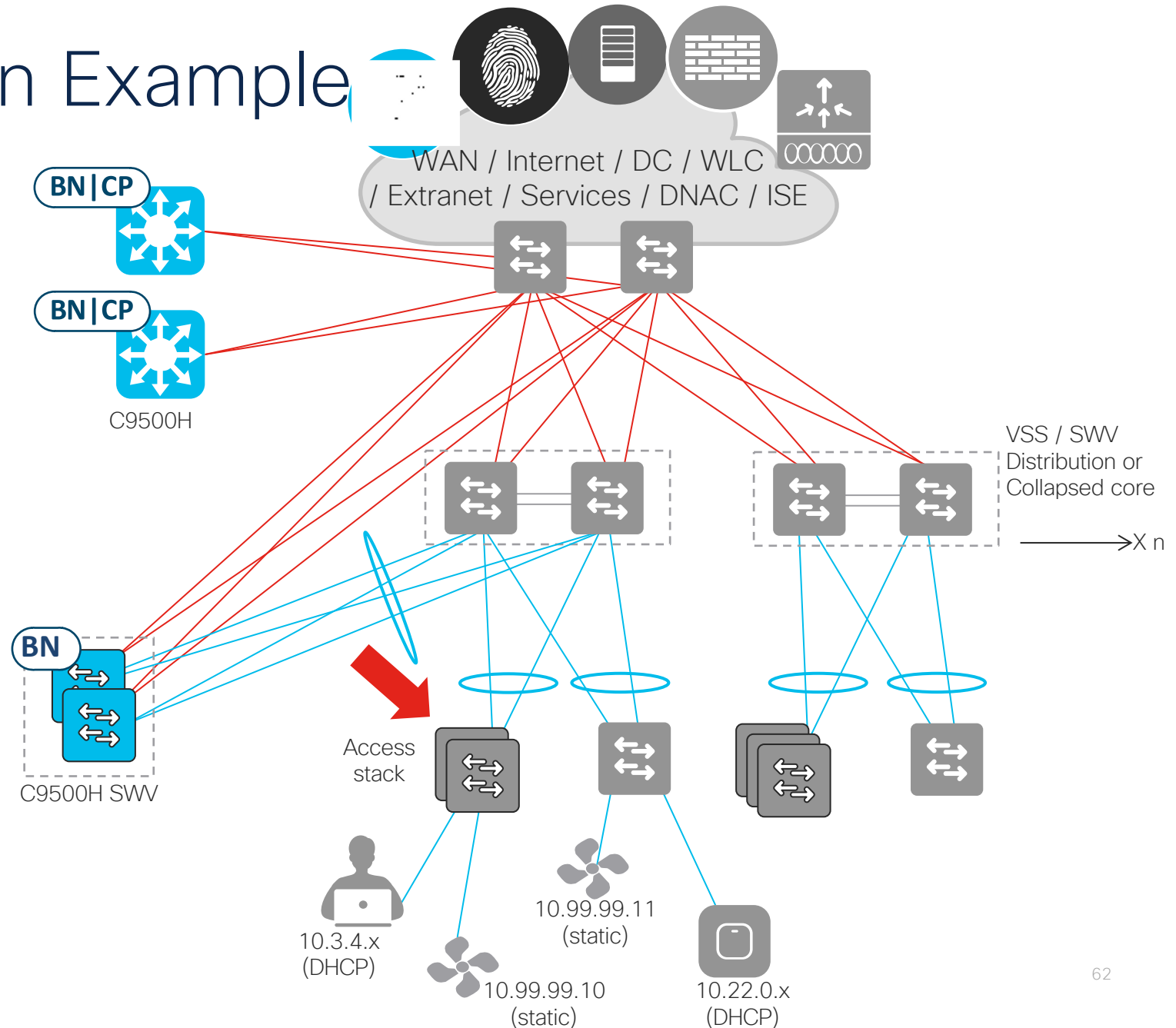


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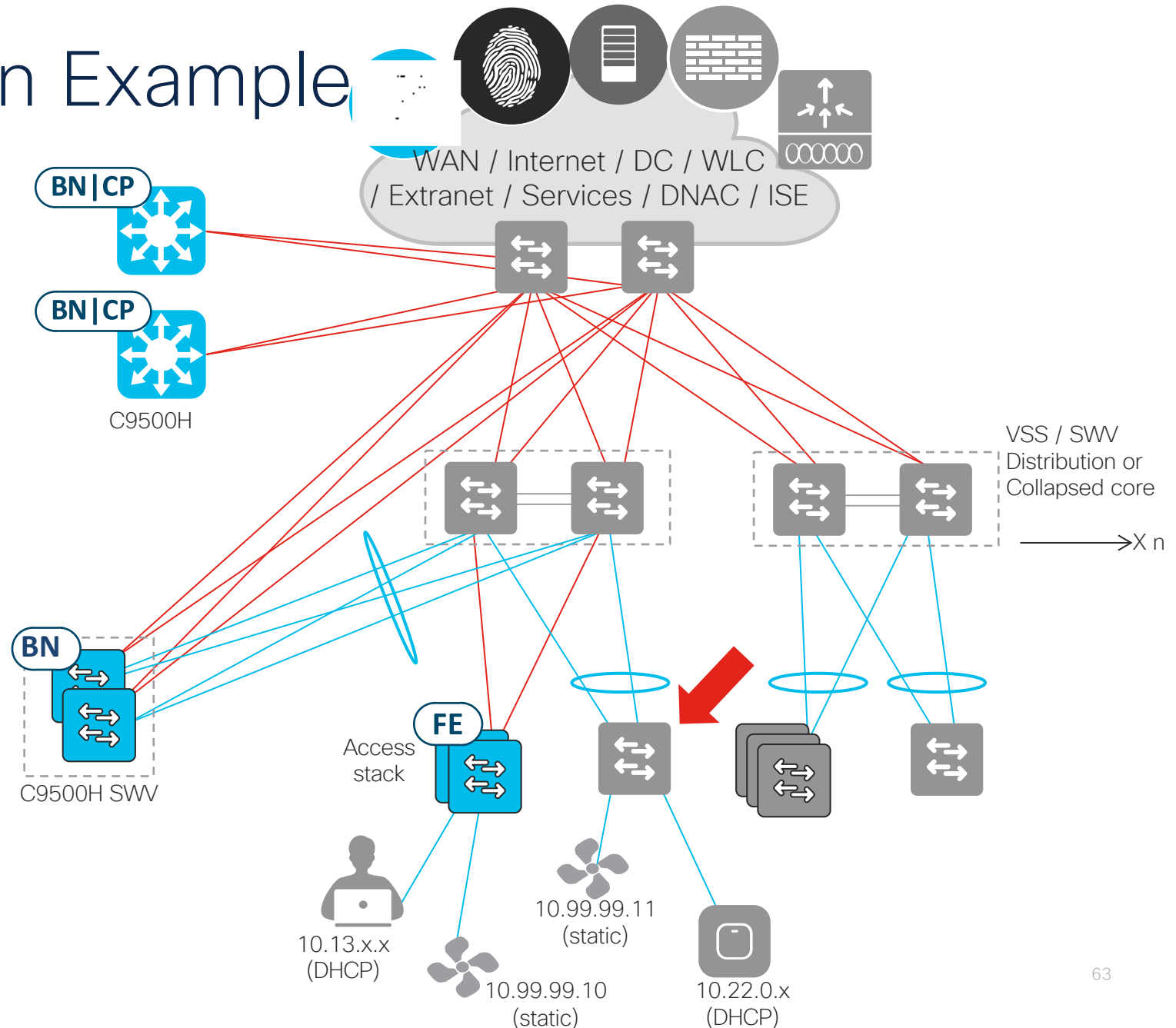
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1. Connect L2 border to legacy L2 domain, shut down SVI in legacy domain and create SVI on L2 border
2. Confirm correct licenses and SDA certified IOS-XE version on access stack
3. Replace startup config on access stack and reload
4. Convert SWV downlinks to P2P L3
5. Discover and provision as FE
6. Assign new FE ports to VNs/Pools



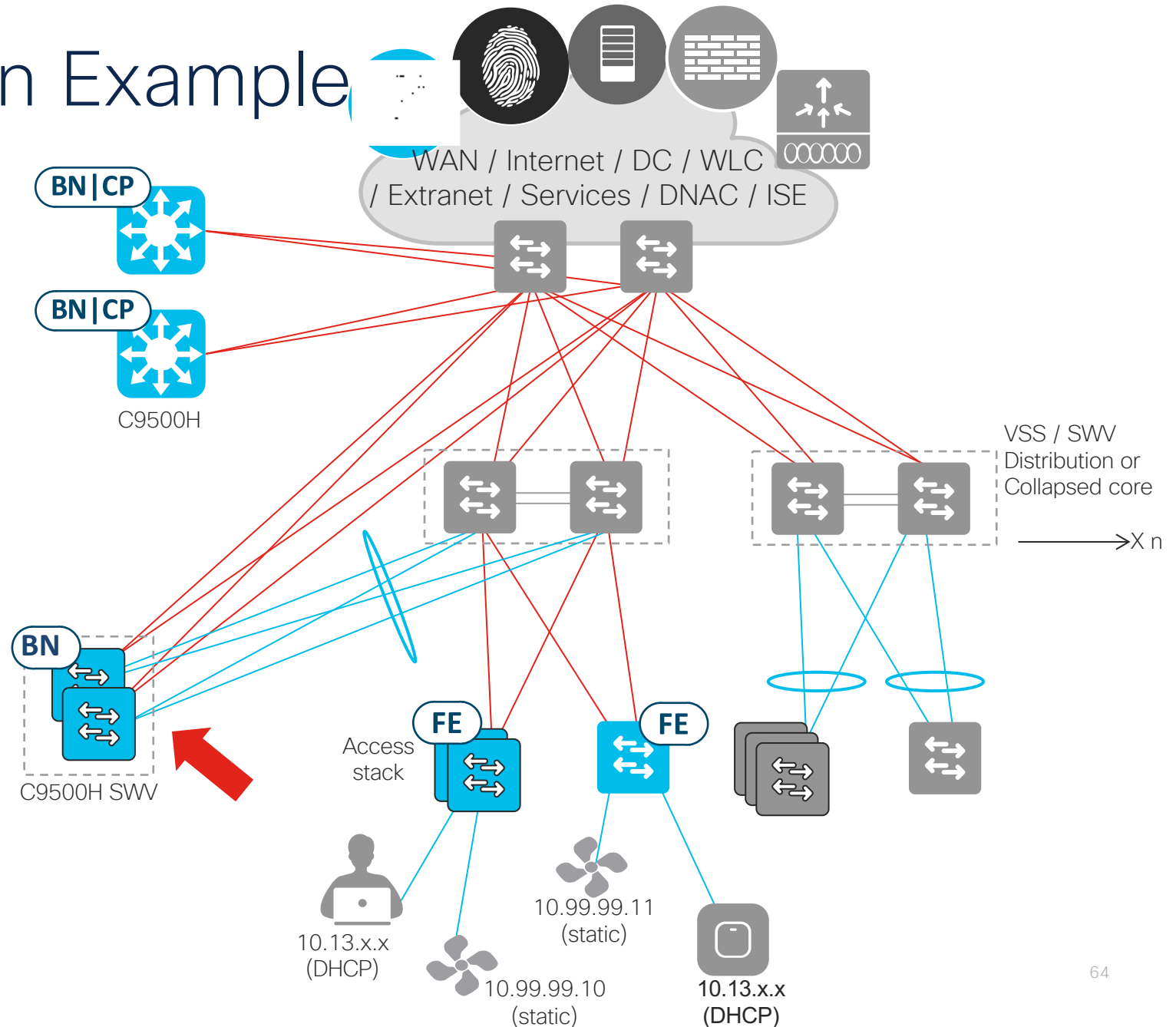
# L2 Border Migration Example

7. DHCP client IP address changed
8. For IOT devices, IP address stays same
9. On next next access stack confirm correct licenses and SDA certified IOS-XE version on access stack
10. Replace startup config on access stack and reload
11. Convert SWV downlinks to P2P L3
12. Discover and provision as FE
13. Assign new FE ports to VNs/Pools



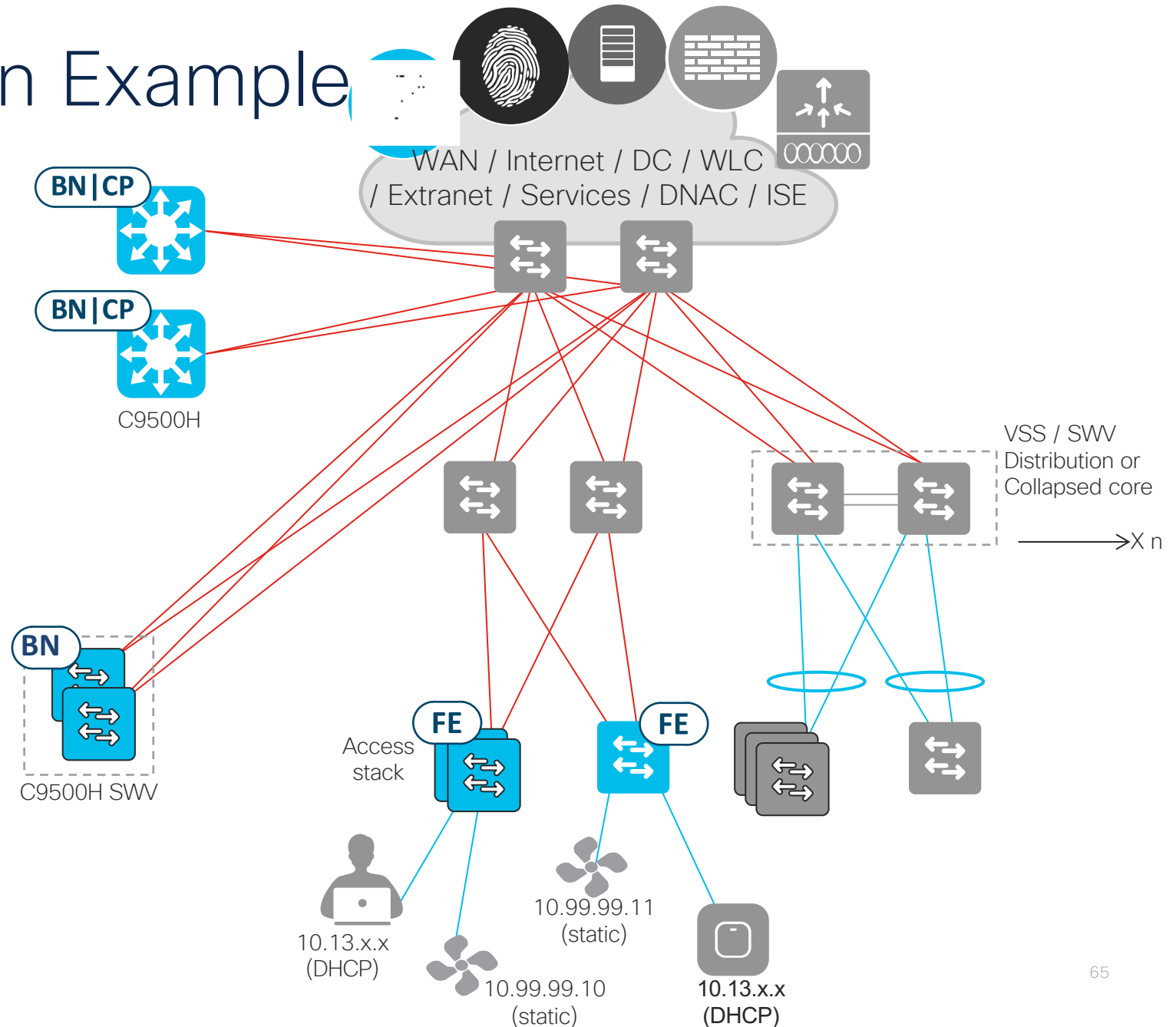
# L2 Border Migration Example

- 12. Remove L2 handoff from L2 border
- 13. Disconnect L2 border from legacy L2 domain



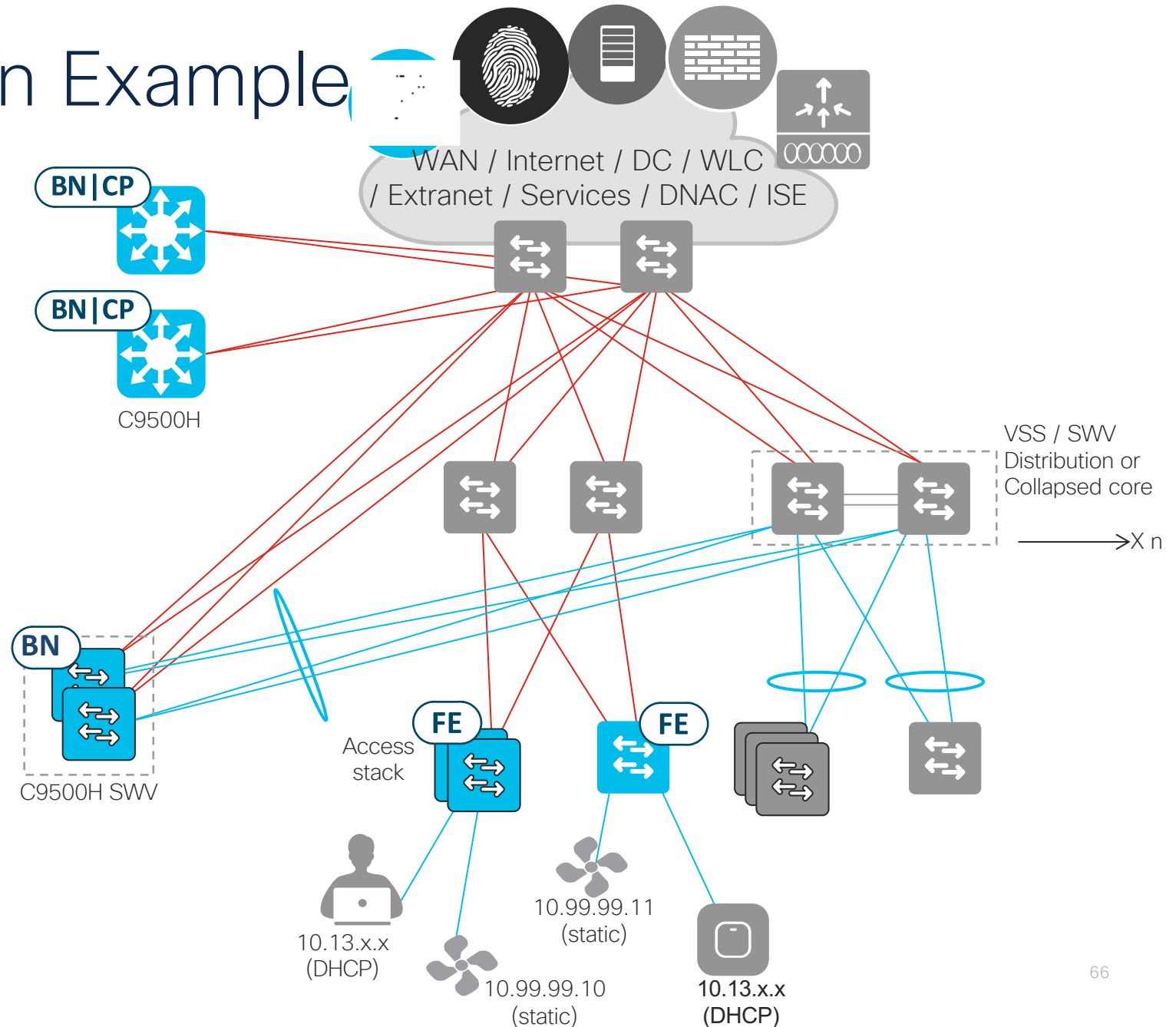
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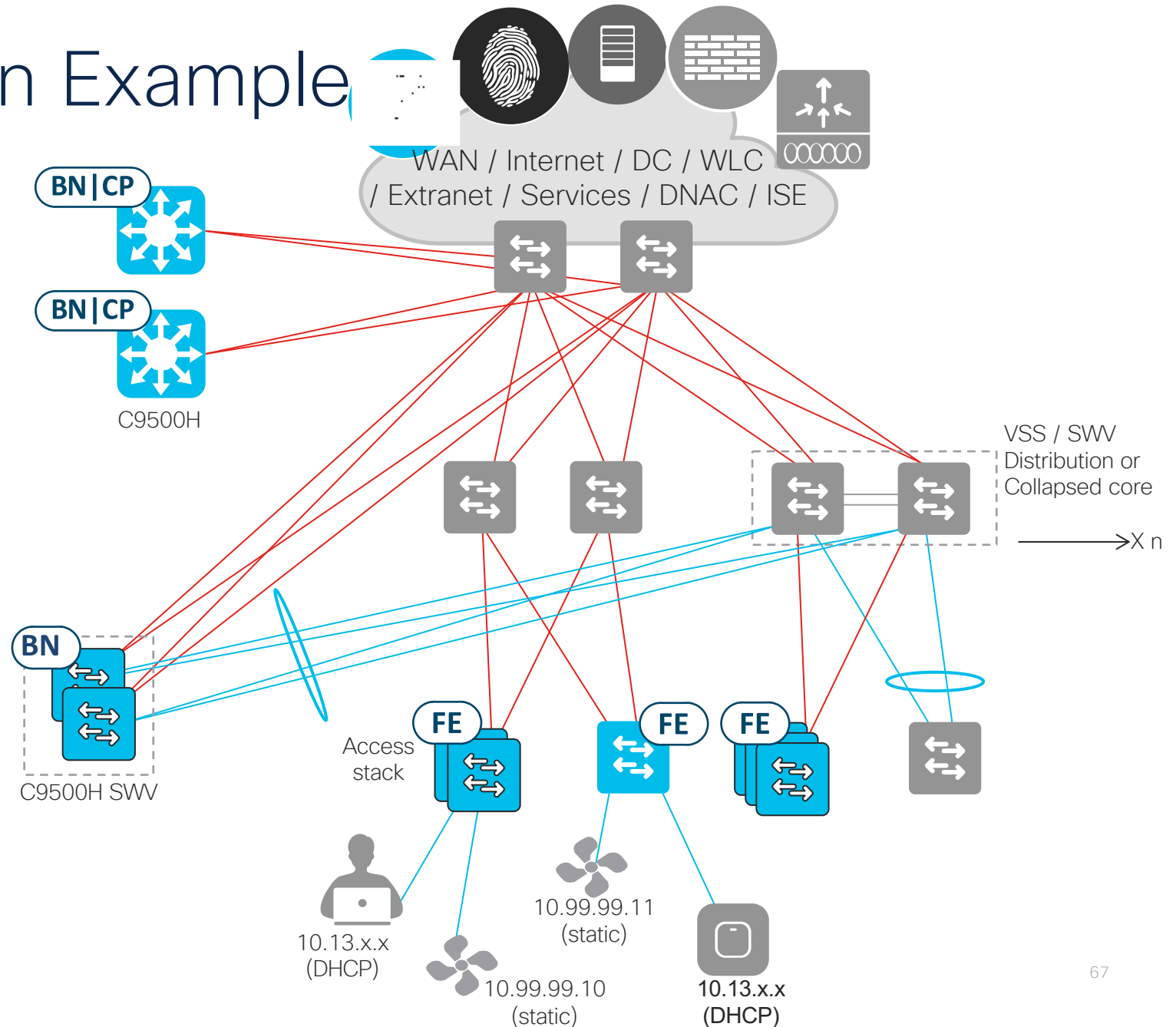
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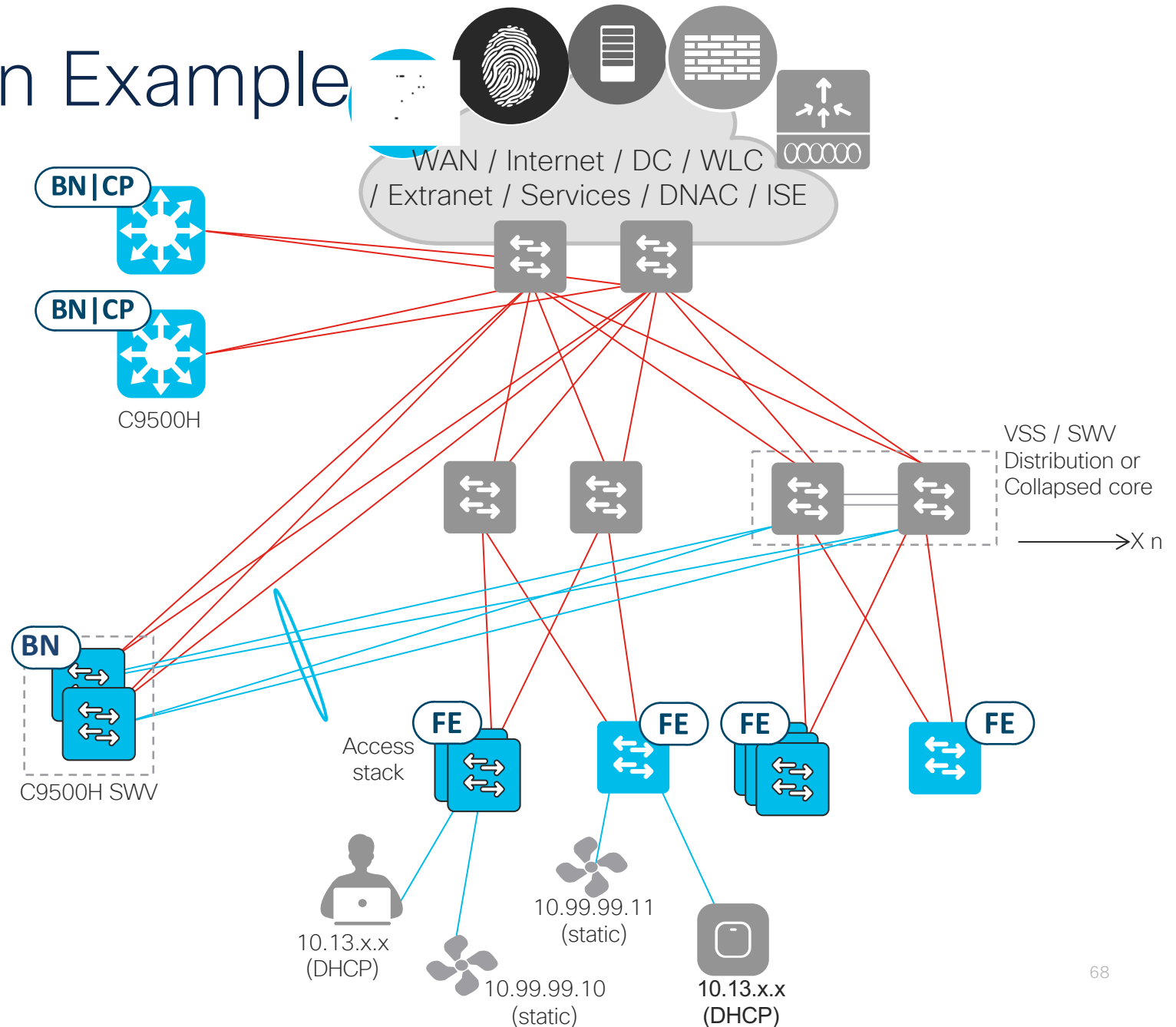
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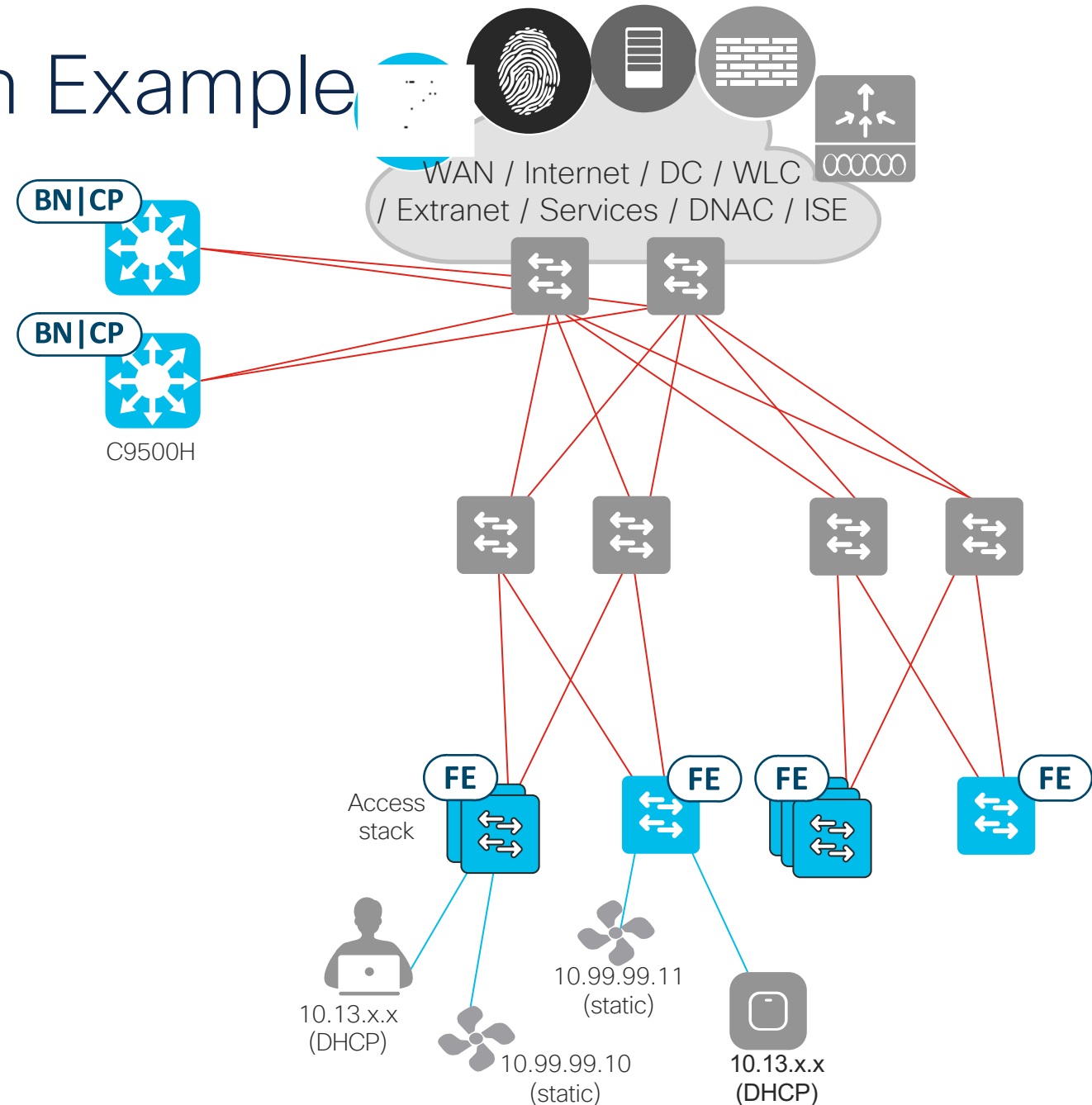
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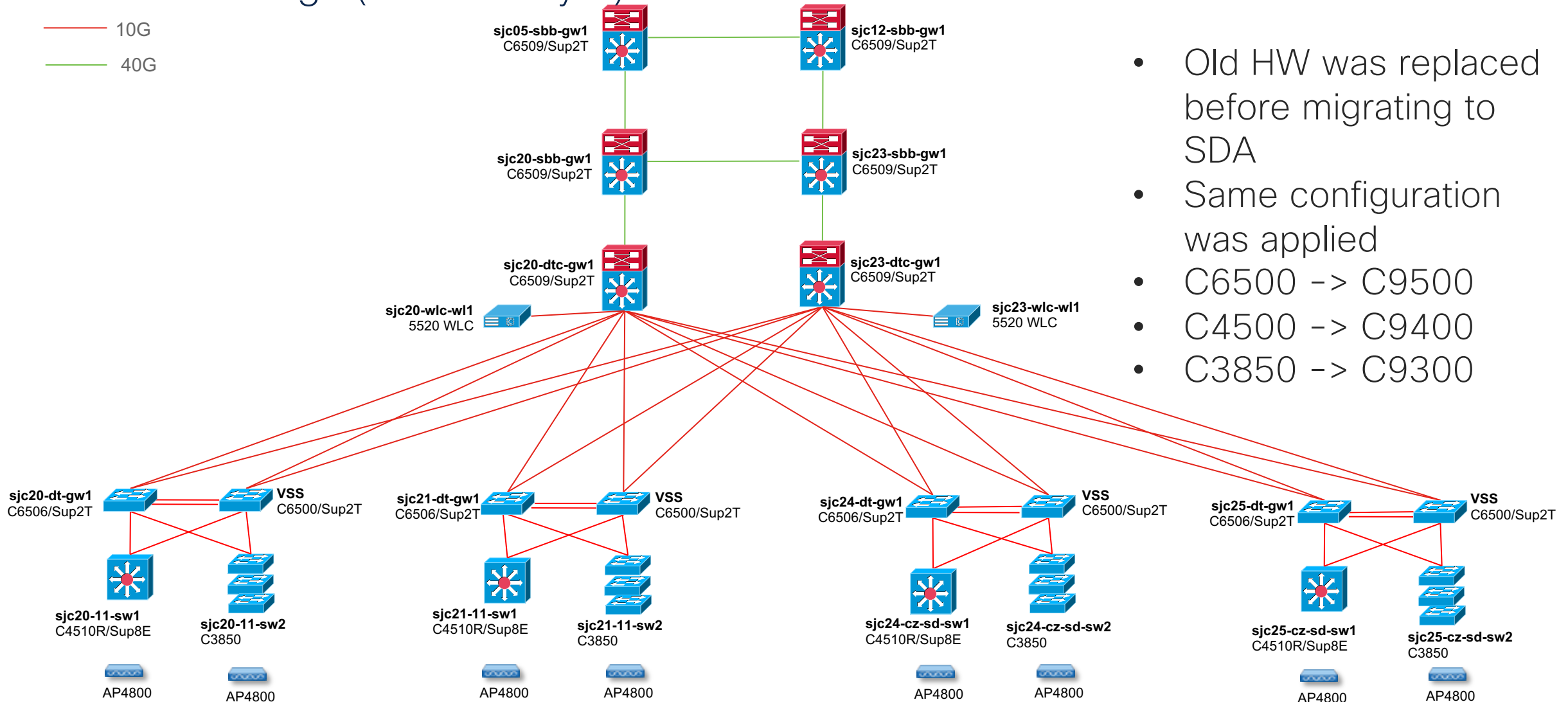
# Cisco SD-Access Migrationsszenarien

- 1 Connecting L2 domains on Fabric Edge
- 2 Connecting L2 domains on L2 Border
- 3 Phased migration
- 4 L2 Border migration
- 5 Cisco SJC migration

# Real-world Migration Cisco Campus in San Jose (SJC) Multi-Site SDA fabric

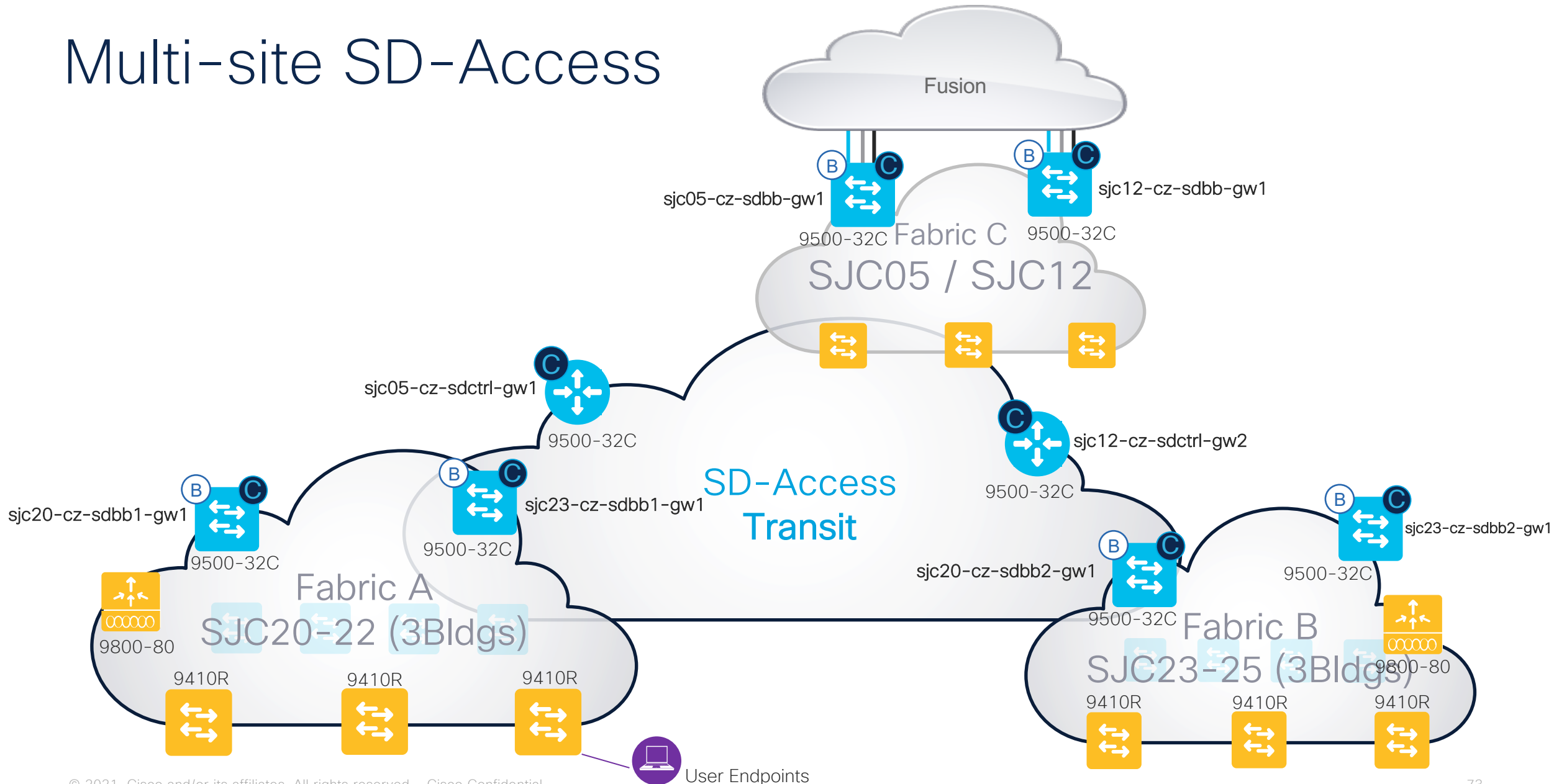
# SJC20-25 Original Hardware and Topology

Total of 6 Bldgs (shown only 4)

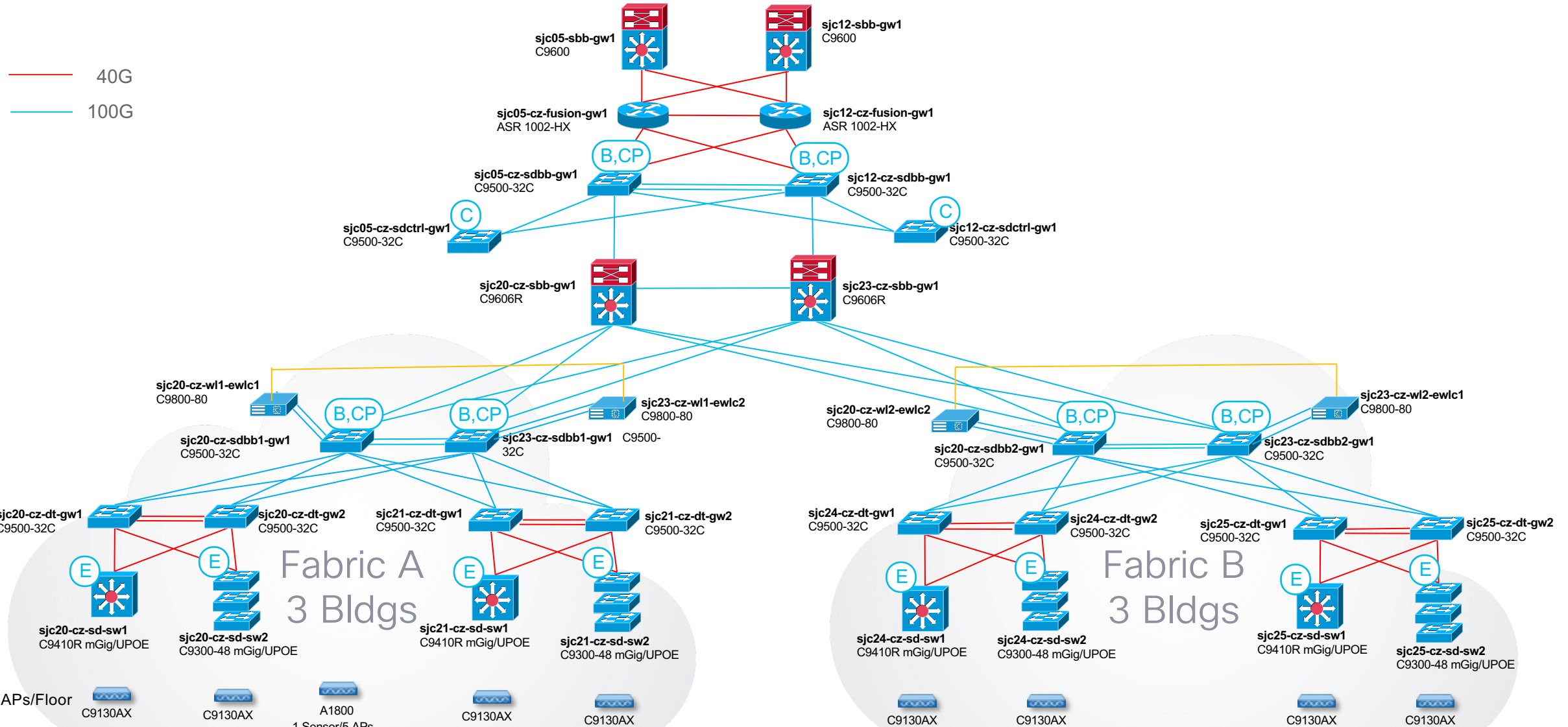


- Old HW was replaced before migrating to SDA
- Same configuration was applied
- C6500 -> C9500
- C4500 -> C9400
- C3850 -> C9300

# Multi-site SD-Access

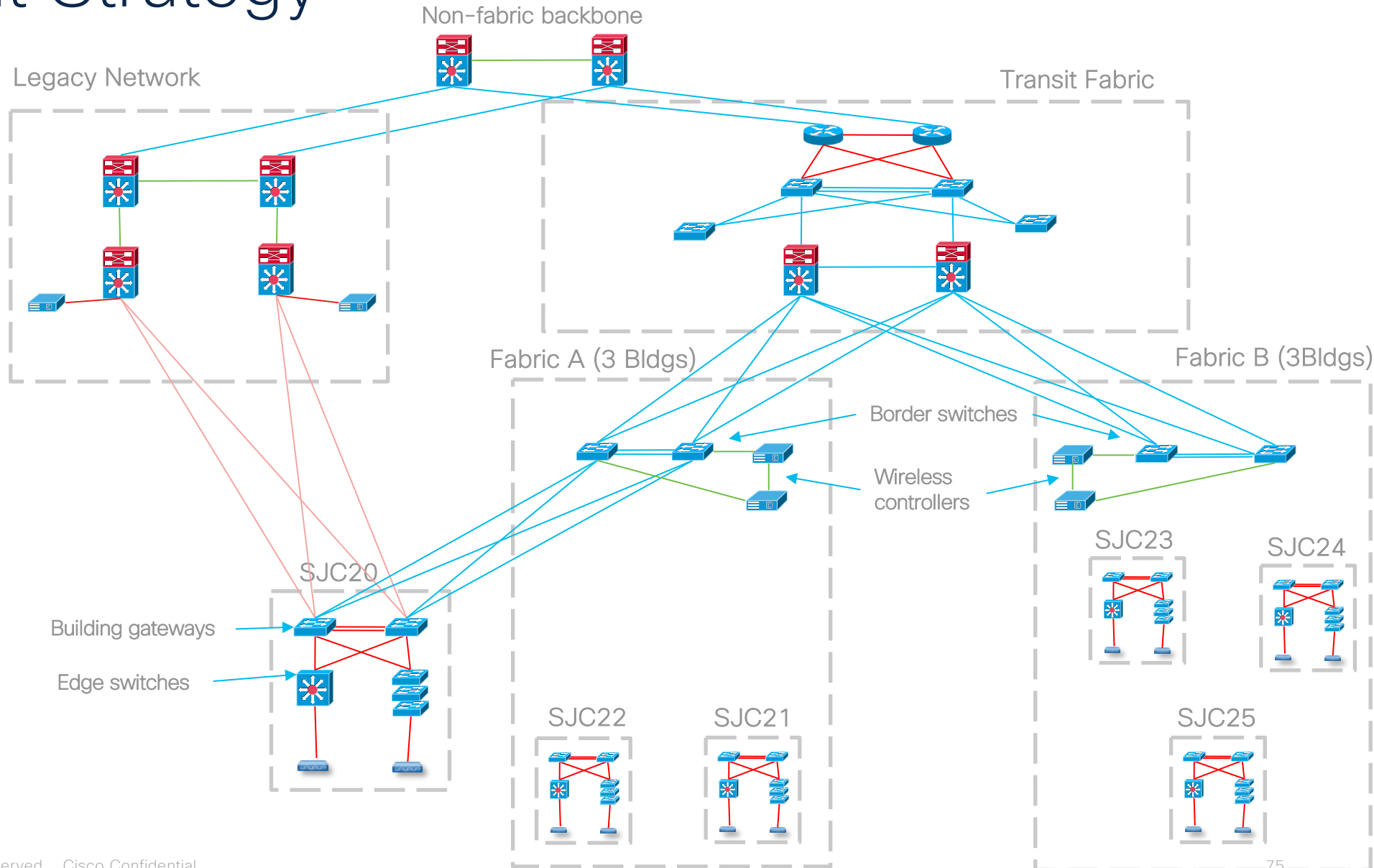


# SJC20-25 Target State Hardware and Topology

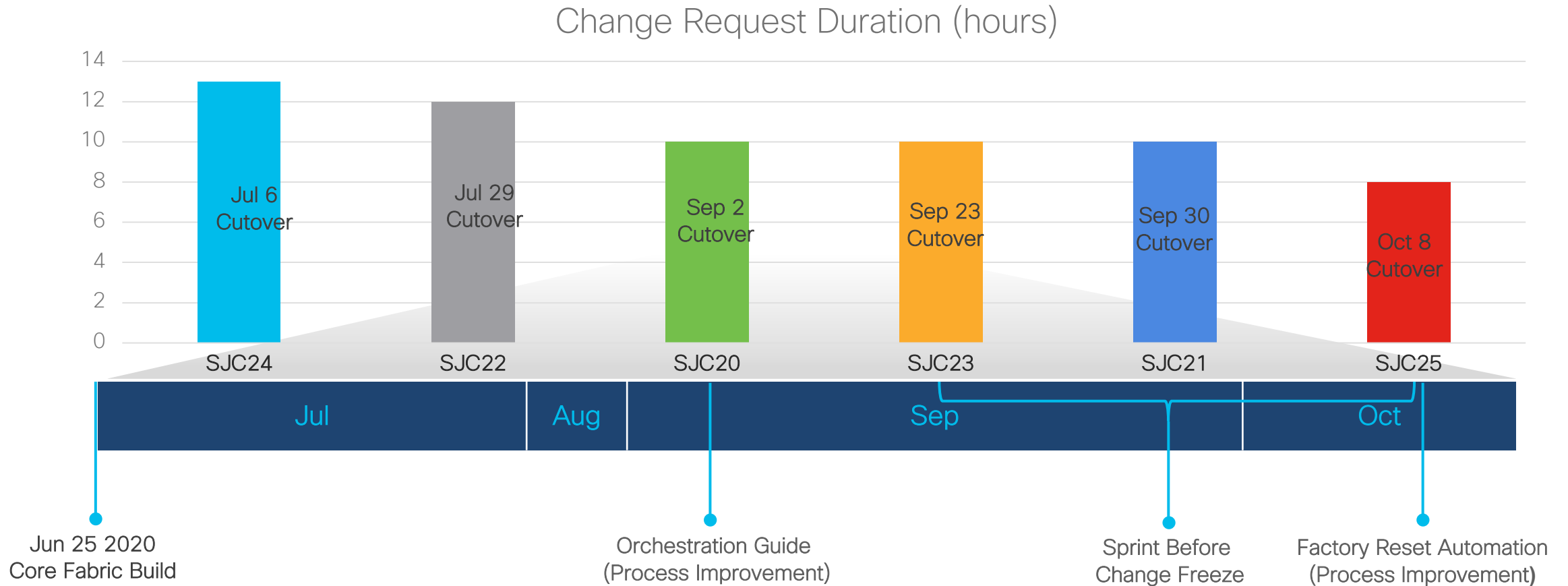


# Deployment Strategy

1. Replaced old HW in Bldgs.  
Deploy Transit Fabric and  
Fabric A & B building  
aggregation
2. Prepare for a building  
migration
  - a) Audit the building  
network
  - b) SWIM Upgrade
3. Migrate each building, one  
at a time
  - a) Factory reset edges
  - b) Physical uplink move
  - c) Factory reset building  
gateways
  - d) Fabric configuration:  
LAN automation,  
underlay/overlay  
config, wireless AP  
config
  - e) Network cleanup
4. Repeat for other buildings



# Fabric Migrations Improved Over Time



# Sample of Orchestration Guide

File Automation Forms					Remaining fabric migrations			
Task					SJC23 - Owner	SJC23 - Status	SJC23 - Timeline	SJC23 - Notes
3				CR Date				Sept. 23, 2020
4				<a href="#">Link to Fabric Deployment Guide</a>				<a href="#">Link to Fabric Deployment Guide</a>
5				SWIM CR Link				<a href="https://rfc/CHG0519780">SWIM CR- https://rfc/CHG0519780</a>
6				Fabric cut-over CR link				<a href="https://rfc/CHG0519612">Fabric CR- https://rfc/CHG0519612</a>
7				Project Folder link (Sharepoint)				<a href="#">SJC 23 Project Folder</a>
8				<a href="#">End-user DHCP Migration List</a>				<a href="#">End-user DHCP Migration List</a>
9				TAC Case Link				<a href="#">Pro-Active TAC Case - 689971003</a>
10				<a href="#">Site Audit Sheet</a>				<a href="#">Site Audit Sheet</a>
11				<a href="#">ITE Network Automation Tool</a>				
12				<a href="#">ARBAC Tool</a>				
13								
14								
15				Before		Completed		
94				During		Completed		
95				Tasks before starting LAN Automation in DNAC		Completed		
145				While starting LAN Automation in DNAC - (PnP)	Asad	Completed	11:00 AM PDT	
159				After LAN Automation (Underlay + Overlay)		Completed		
160				Finish Underlay deployment		Complete		
161				Stop LAN Automation	Asad	Complete		
162				Wait for all up-link interfaces to be configured as L3	Asad	Complete		
163				Verify status of devices in DNAC is in managed state	Asad	Complete		
164				Follow the guide and update network settings (via tags)	Asad	Complete		
165				Follow Post-Underlay Checklist	Lance	Complete		
166				Use Lance's script				
167				Validate one Edge node	Lance	Complete		
168				Validate DT GW	Lance	Complete		
169				Validate border nodes	Lance	Complete		

Each task is a small step with an owner

# Sample slide from our Deployment Guide

## Kicking off LAN Automation

Select Primary and Peer Sites and Devices

Fabric A Site = SJC20

Fabric B Site = SJC23

Primary = sjc20-cz-sdbb[1/2]-gw1

Peer = sjc23-cz-sdbb[1/2]-gw1

**\*Due to a limitation in DNA-C, Fabric A SDBBs both live in SJC20, and Fabric B SDBBs live in SJC23.**

Primary Device Ports = downlinks to DT-GW  
Depending on which Building is being cutover, select the downlinks to the respective DT-GWs.

All buildings in Fabric A use the same LAN Automation IP Pool. There is another pool that is shared by all buildings in Fabric B as well.

The site the switches are being installed at. Use the building, NOT the floor.

### LAN Automation

LAN Automation

Cisco recommends to add Peer along with Primary. [Why](#)

LAN Automation will use selected ports of primary device to discover and on-board new devices in the network. Also discover and automate each parallel path from peer device to its downstream new Underlay Network devices to provide optimal forwarding paths between IP core and Underlay Network through selected Primary and Peer devices.

Devices will be auto-upgraded to the Golden Image selected for the sites(s). You can modify the Golden Image selection from [Image Repository](#)

Primary Site\*

.../Fabric B - SJC23-25/SJC23

x

v

Peer Site

.../Fabric B - SJC23-25/SJC23

x

v

Primary Device\*

sjc20-cz-sdbb2-gw1.cisco.com

v

Peer Device

sjc23-cz-sdbb2-gw1.cisco.com

v

SELECTED PORTS OF PRIMARY DEVICE (0)\*

[Modify Selections](#)

Discovered Device Configuration

Discovered Device Site\*

SJC23

x

v

IP Pool\*

Fabric\_B\_LAN\_Automation

v

Overlapping IP Pool

v

Clear

Cancel

Start

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