Self Healing Networks LinkedIn's Journey to SONiC and Beyond



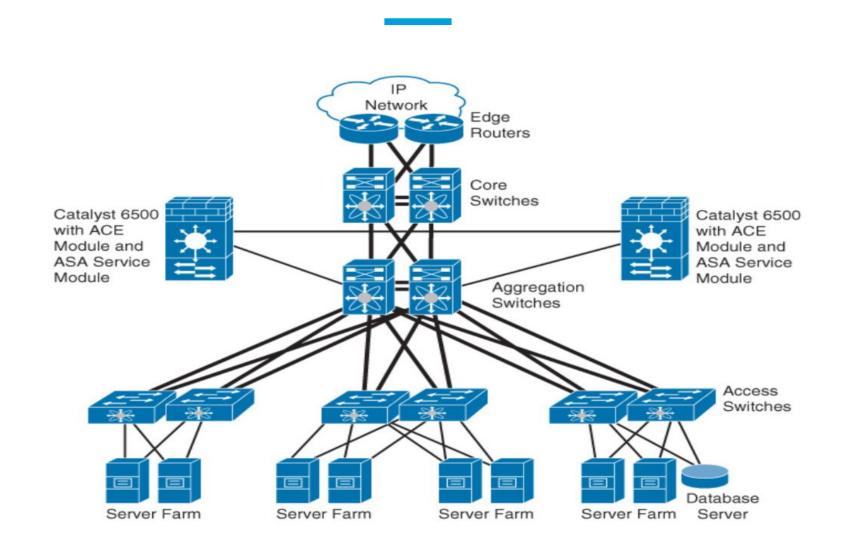
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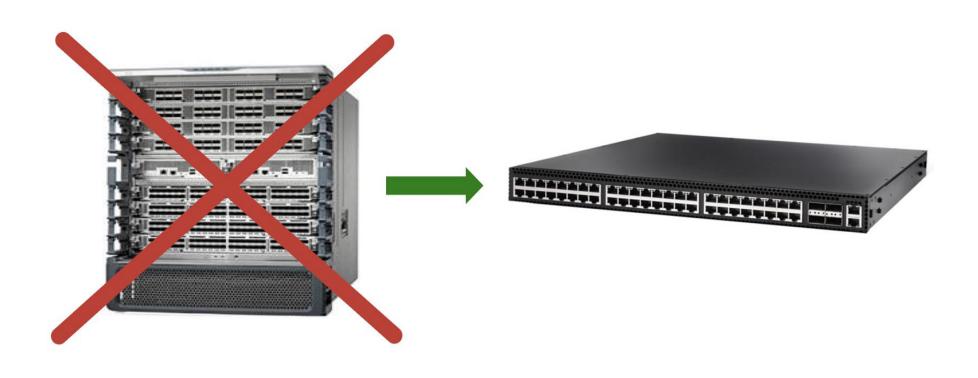
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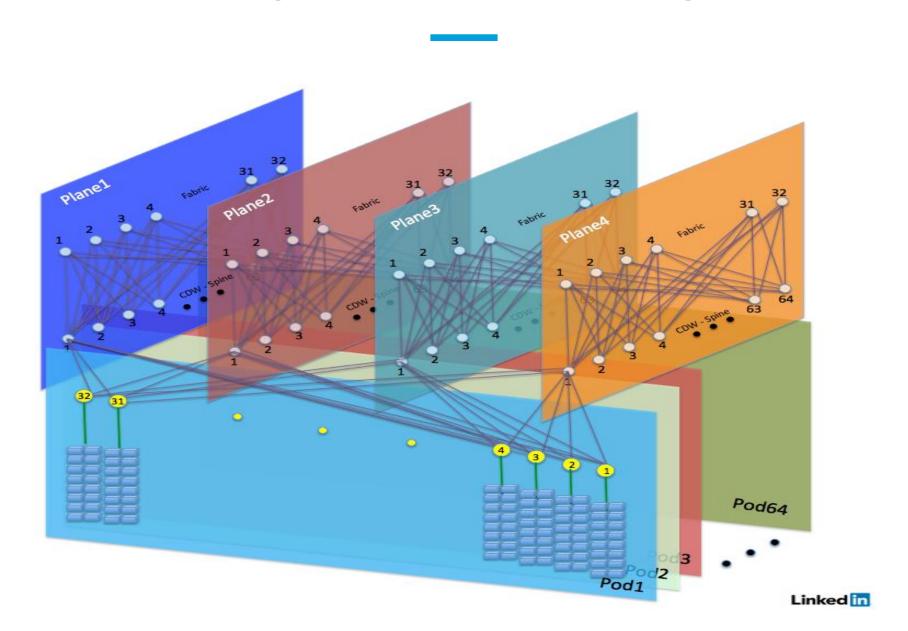
Old network



First step moving to Hyperscale Networks



Single "SKU" CLOS Design



Network Disaggregation

- De-couple software from hardware
- Enable multiple chipsets
- Build or leverage modern Network Operating System (NOS)
- Build a focused control plane

Rethinking the network stack

Applications

Policy

Routing

Forwarding

Hardware

Telemetry/Visibility, Machine Learning, Prediction Engine, Self Healing, etc.

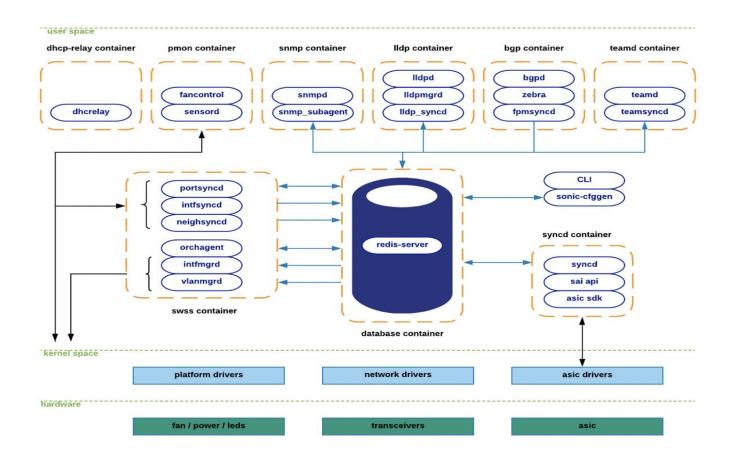
Control

Topology Discovery and Network Graph

Link Selection

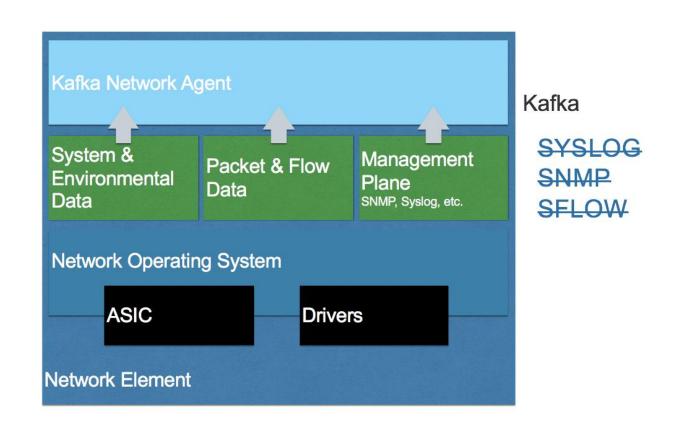
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Leveraging a scalable NOS - SONiC

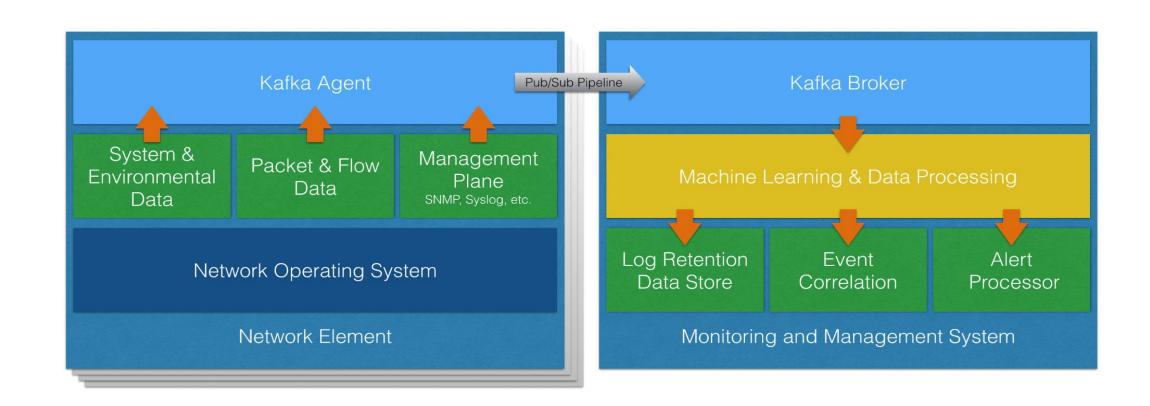


- · Containerized architecture
- Scalable centralized Message-System infrastructure
- Platform agnostic
- · ASIC-SDK and SAI

Reducing Protocols: Management Plane



Towards a Programmable Data Center



Self-Healing Use Case

- · > 10,000 links per datacenter
- Predicting the next fiber uplink failure



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SFP Detail Diagnostics Information (internal calibration)
                    Alarms
                                  Warnings
       Current
       Measurement High
                                    High
                            Low
                                             Low
Temperature 49.62 C
                      75.00 C -5.00 C 70.00 C
                                                  0.00 C
          3.23 V
Voltage
         49.34 mA 125.30 mA 10.50 mA 120.00 mA
                                                      14.00 mA
Current
Tx Power -1.37 dBm
                     5.05 dBm -12.44 dBm 4.62 dBm -11.93 dBm
Rx Power -1.39 dBm
                     2.04 dBm -18.86 dBm 1.90 dBm -18.23 dBm
Transmit Fault Count = 0
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