

Changing the network industry

Networking project readout

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OCP Networking Project

"...create a set of networking technologies that are disaggregated and fully open,

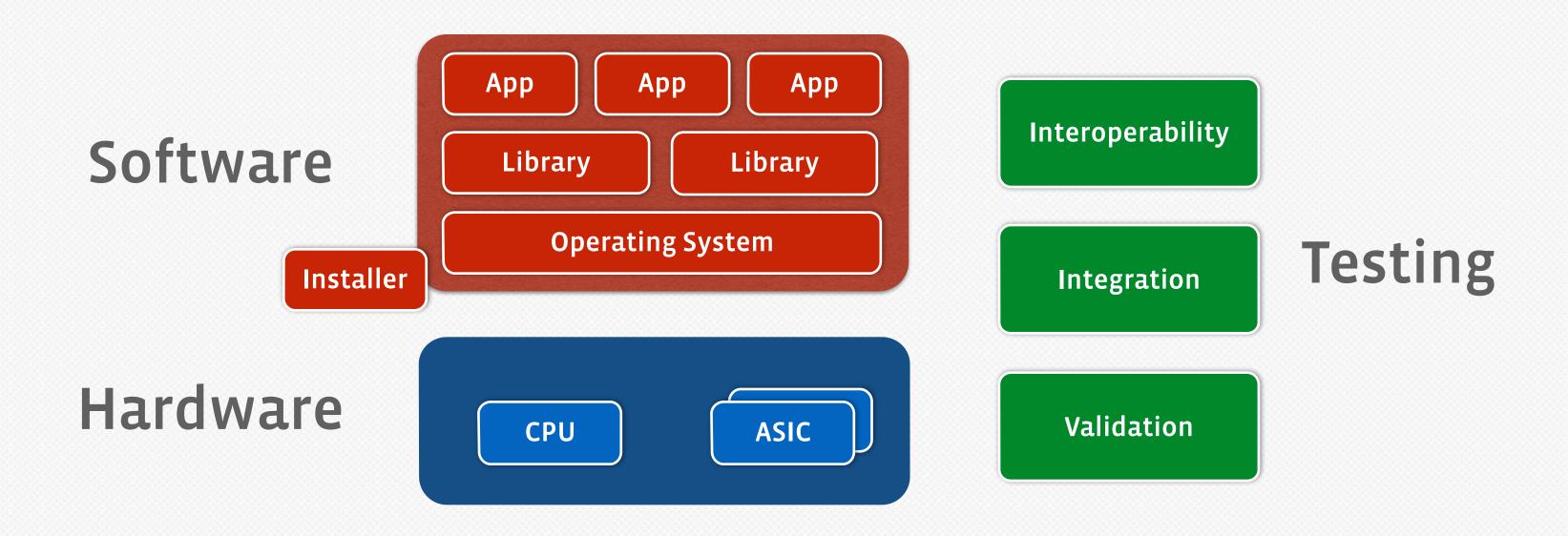
allowing for rapid innovation in the network space..."

founding charter, May 2013

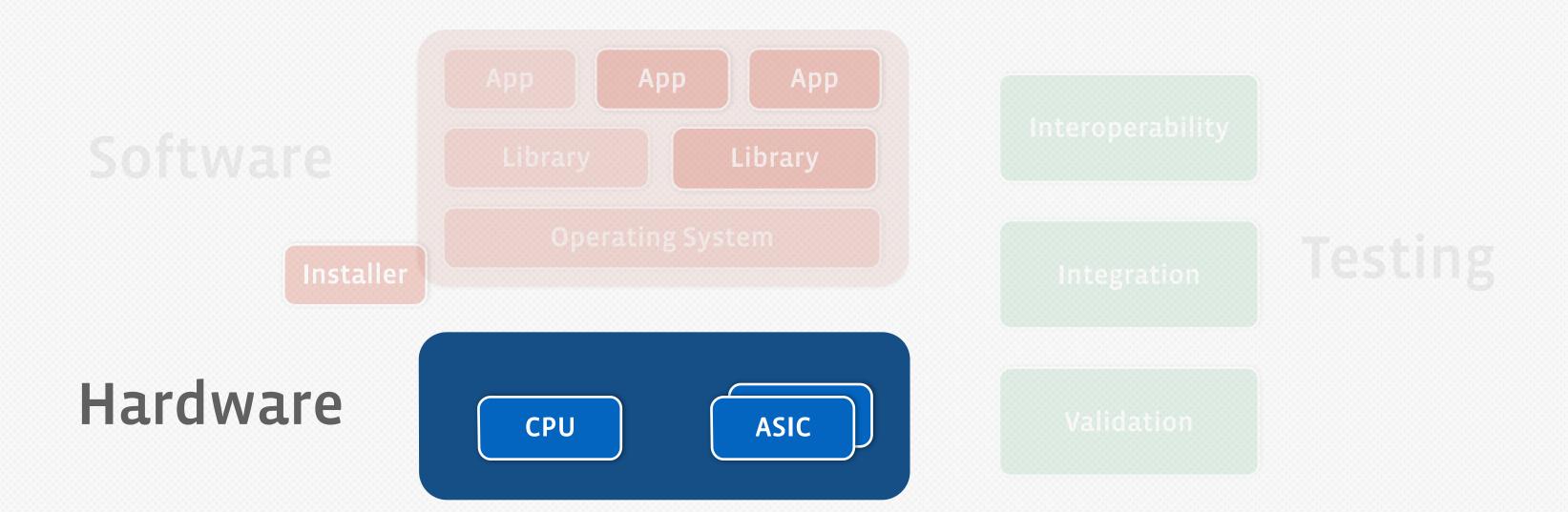




Network disaggregation is here!







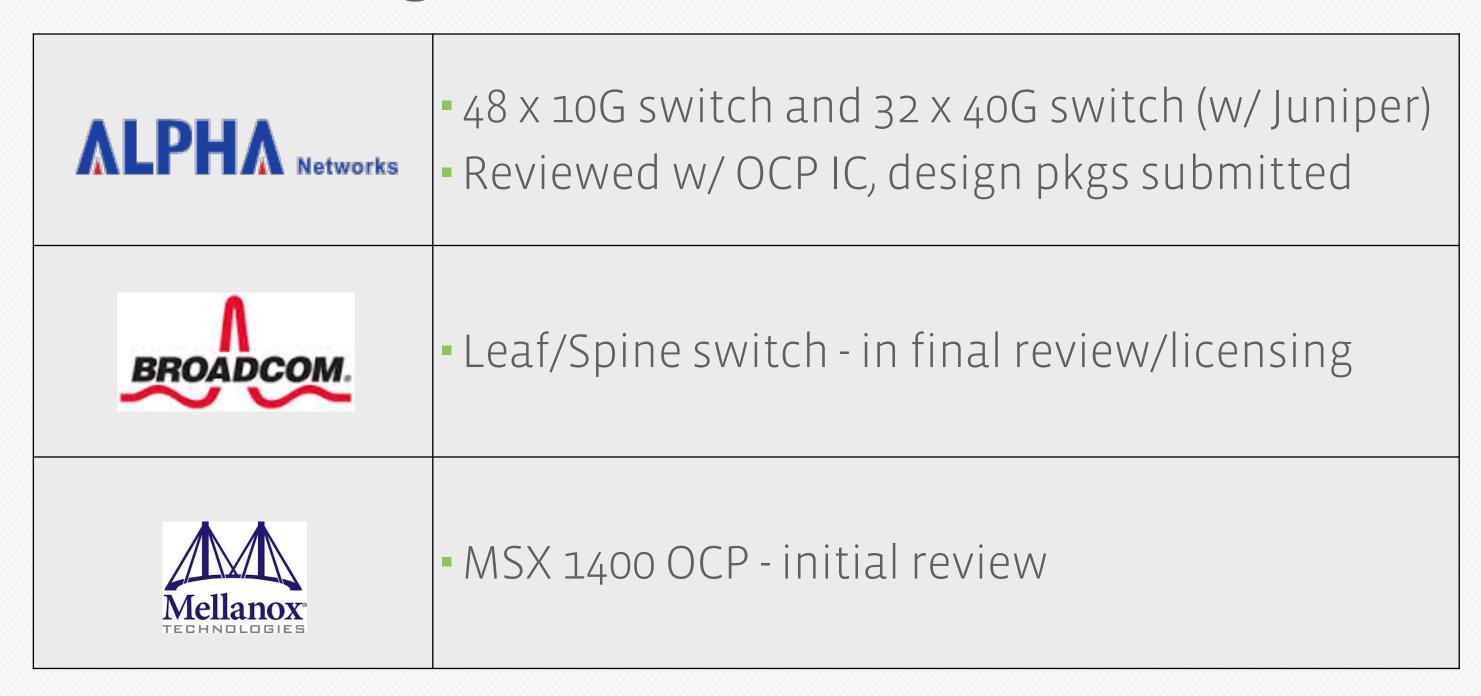
Open networking hardware is reality! First OCP networking switch accepted in 4Q2014

- Accton TOR switch 48 x 10G + 6 x 40G
 - Full design package an industry first
- Accton Open Rack Switch Adapter
 - Allows 19" switch in 21" Open Rack





More nearing the finish line





More spec contributions...



-32 x 40G switch and a **32 x 100G** switch

1.5M simultaneous Netflix movies!



Facebook - "Wedge" switch In production across FB data centers

- Has OCP Microserver and BMC
- Server-like mgmt and sw development
- Building block for FB switches



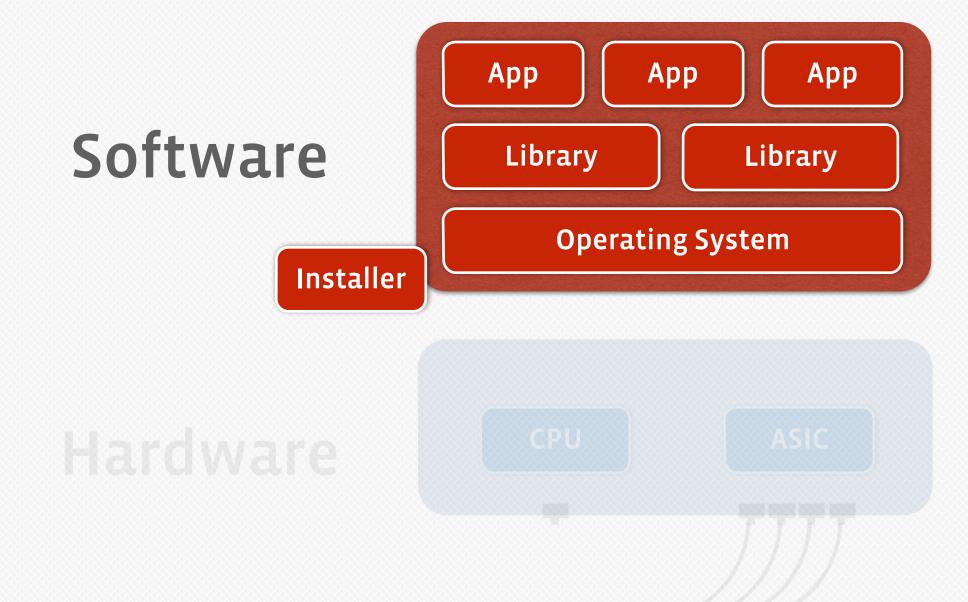








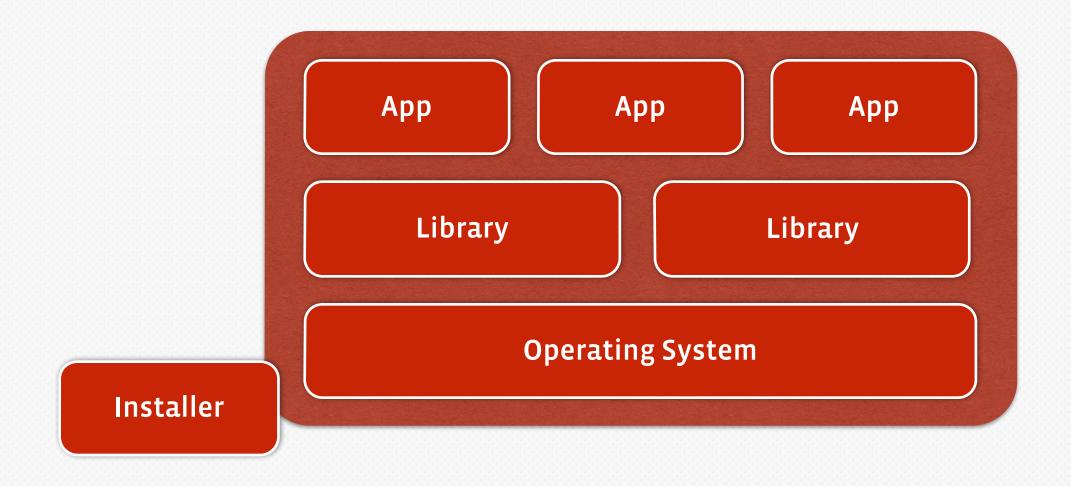




nteroperability
Integration

Testing

Active software projects Providing building blocks





Open Network Install Environment (ONIE)

Broadly used





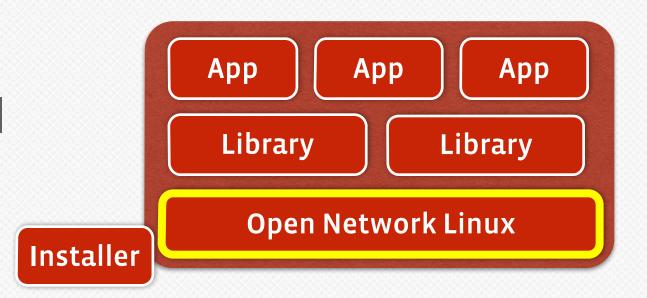
- Testing program with C & I
 - First batches of switches certified this quarter

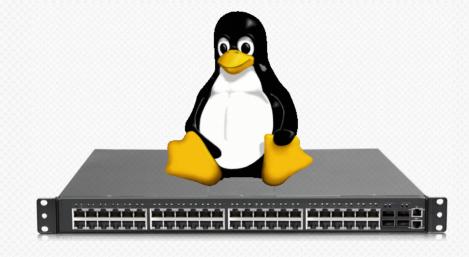


Open Network Linux

- Accepted Jan 2015
- Big Switch, Pica8, Accton, Quanta, DNI
- Basis for Network Operating System
- Takes care of platform "stuff"









Switch Abstraction Interface (SAI)

Open, multi-company effort

- An abstract interface above switch SDKs
- Very active open-source collaboration
- Multi-system demo, implementations







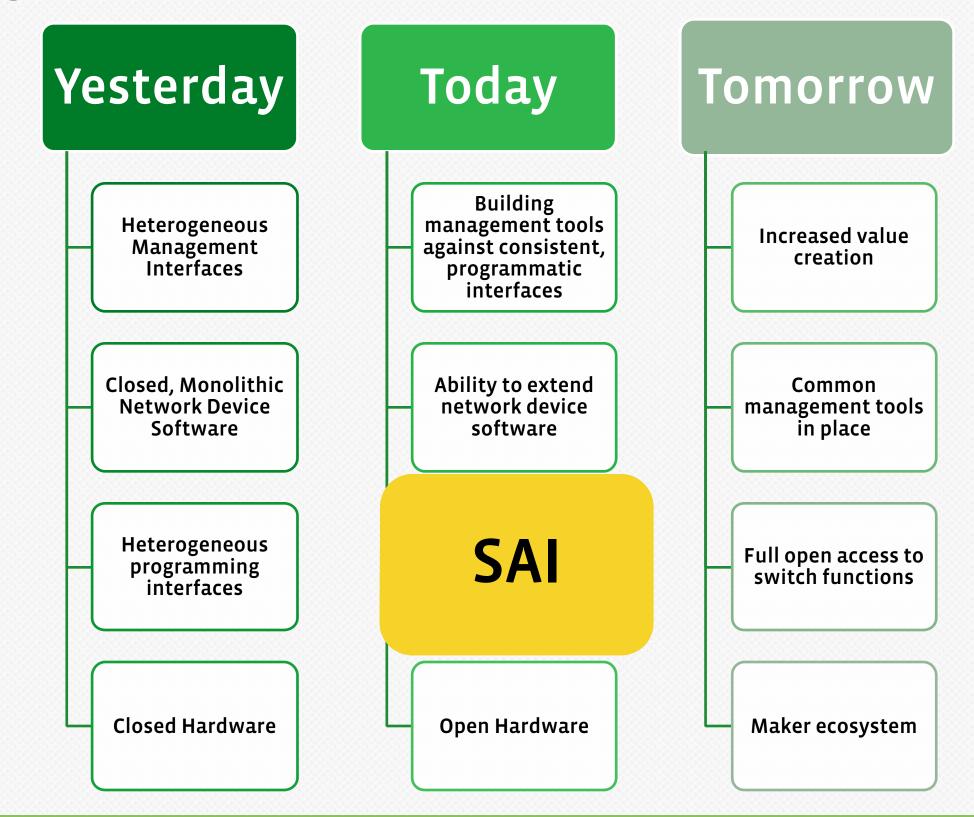








SAI Evolution





SAI Advantages for Microsoft (and others!)

Same network software, different hardware

Shifts focus to SDN applications

Easier to adopt best-of-breed HW

Simple, consistent, and stable network application stack



SAI Timeline

Dec 20

Vo.90 Dec 2014

- •• Supporting Companies (Dell, Microsoft, Broadcom, Mellanox, Facebook, Intel)
- •• 1st proposal

3 months!
Vo.91
Dec 2014

- •• Contributing companies (Dell, Mellanox, Microsoft)
- •• 7 proposals Versioning, Upstreaming, Pull requests
- •• First Demo!

Vo.92 Mar 2015

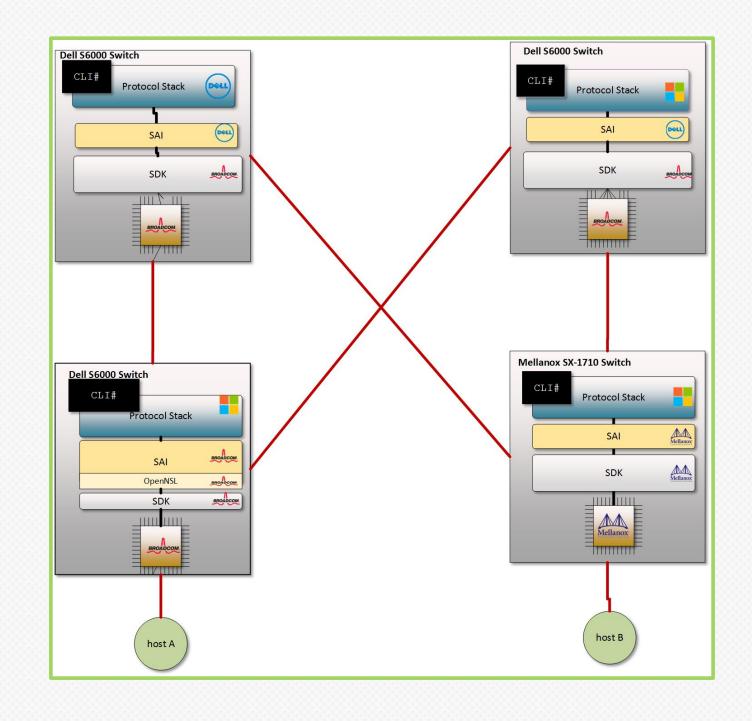
- •• Contributing companies (Dell, Mellanox, Microsoft, Broadcom)
- •• 15+ proposals
- •• Possible deployment

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- •• Contributing companies expected to be 6+
- •• 20+ proposals covering a broad range of proprietary ASIC architecture

SAI Demo - Today, 4:45 PM, Networking Project

- By the numbers...
 - 3 Vendors + 1 Operator
 - 2 ASICs: Broadcom, Mellanox
 - 2 OS stacks: Dell, Microsoft
 - 2 HW systems: Dell, MLNX



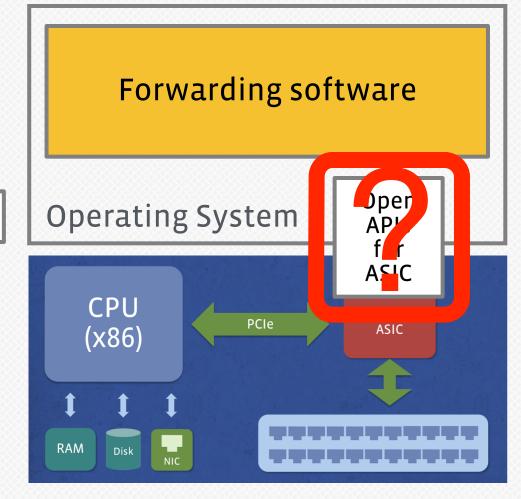


Broadcom - OpenNSL Open Network Switch Library

- Opening the APIs to the switch ASIC
- Enables open-source development
 - Network operating systems
 - Applications
- Enables OEMs to provide access



Installer



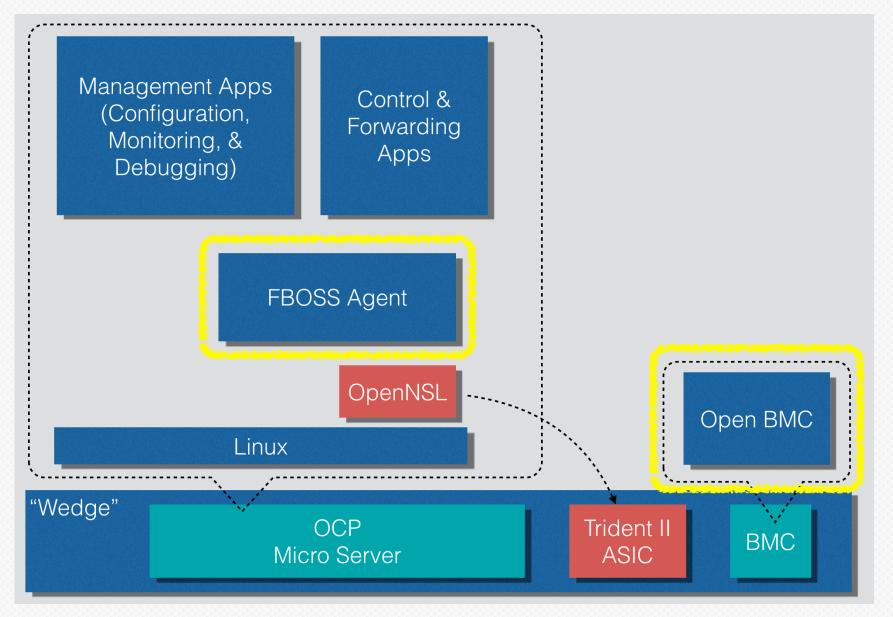


Facebook - FBOSS Agent & OpenBMC In production in FB data centers



- FBOSS Agent
 - Core library to switch ASIC
 - Thrift interfaces

- OpenBMC
 - Low-level system management of board





Software

Library

Library

Operating System

Installer

CPU

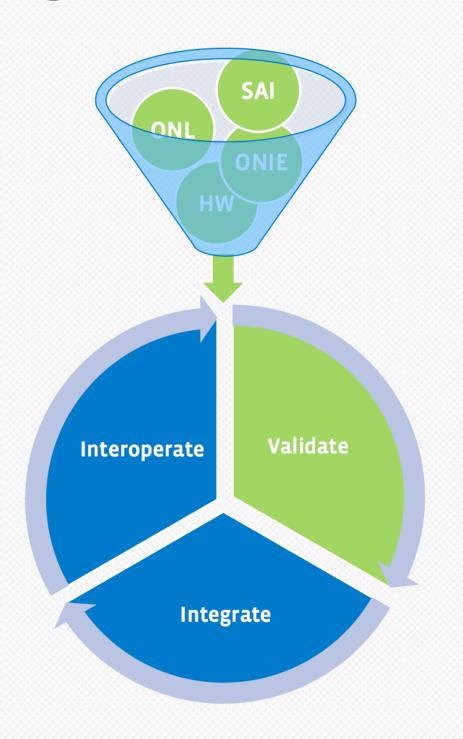
ASSIC

Interoperability

Integration

Validation

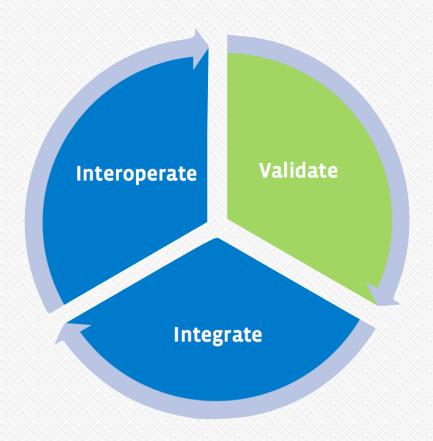
Validation, integration, and interoperability





Validation of components

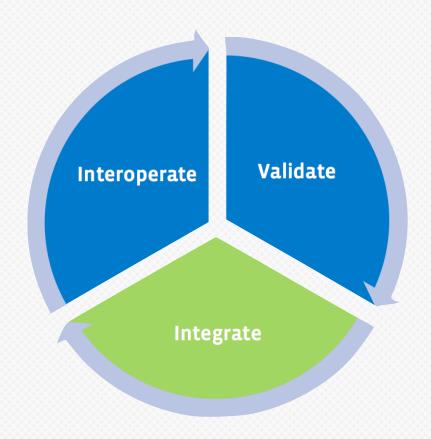
- Individual OCP components are validated
 - Switch
 - ONIE
 - ONL
 - SAI
 - APD
- OCP components are combined and validated
 - Switch with ONIE, ONL, SAI, APD, ...
- Successful validation earns OCP seal or certificate





Integration of non-OCP components

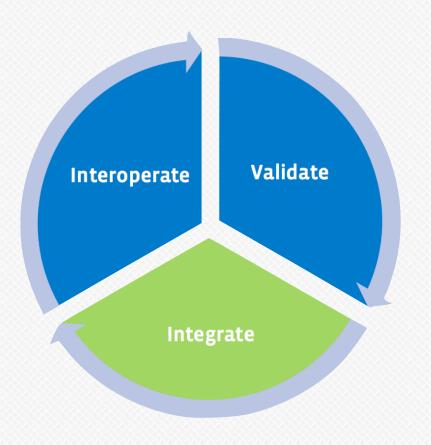
- Include network operating systems (NOS)
 - Cumulus Linux
 - Switch Light
 - PicOS
 - Other systems
- Include FRUs
 - XCVRS, AOC, DAC
- Include "other" technologies
 - NPUs, ...





Integration of non-OCP components Open Networking Interoperability Testing

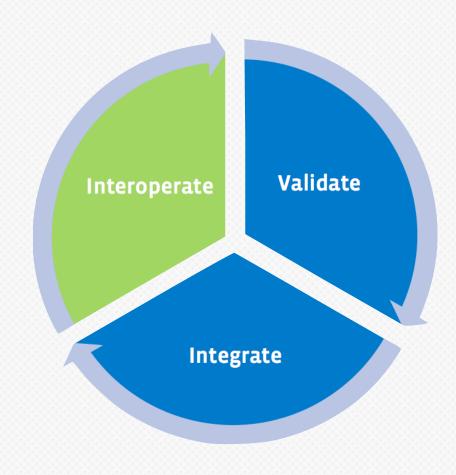
- Week of 2015 Feb 23 at UNH IOL
- 6 vendors
 - Accton
 - Amphenol
 - Avago
 - Big Switch Networks
 - Cumulus Networks
 - Finisar





Interoperability with industry

- With traditional network equipment & protocols
 - Traditional vendor interoperability testing
 - Cisco, Juniper, Arista
 - OSPF, BGP, etc...
- With "new" network equipment & protocols







Continue innovation, drive adoption

Software

An open SW ecosystem

A complete open-source stack?

Hardware

Beyond TOR

100G+ optics?

Test plans & software

Seals & certifications

Solutions for specific use cases?

Testing



