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Novel Enablers for Cloud Slicing - NECOS



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Consortium



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1 (Overall Co-ordinator)	UPC	Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya	Spain
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7	UFU	Federal University of Uberlândia	Brazil
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10	CPqD	CPqD Telecom Research and Development Center	Brazil
11	UFG	Federal University of Goiás	Brazil



Motivation & Objectives

- Cloud service **models SaaS, PaaS, IaaS** – have **separately managed** computing, connectivity and storage resources
 - **Uniform management** of the currently separated computing, connectivity and storage resources
- Challenge to provide dynamic mapping of service components to a **slice** & enforcing SLA
 - Need a new **Cloud Slice concept** across all resources in a set of **federated** data centers and provide **inter-operability** across multiple domains
- **Develop** and experiment with **Lightweight Slice Defined Cloud (LSDC)**
- **Develop** and **experimentally evaluate two use cases:**
 - Telco Cloud and Mobile Edge Computing

Project Target



A novel solution based on resource virtualization – ***Lightweight Slice Defined Cloud (LSDC)*** – as an approach for **automating the process of optimal cloud configuration** by extending the virtualization concept to all resources in a data centre and by providing a **uniform management with a high-level of autonomicity for the currently separated computing, connectivity, and storage resources**

Characteristic 1 - It presents a new service model – the ***Slice as a Service***.

Characteristic 3 - It allows **each aspect** that comprises the cloud environment – from the networking between virtual machines, to the SLAs of the hosted applications – to be **managed via software**.

Characteristic 2 – It enables the configuration of **slices across the physical resources in the cloud networking infrastructure**.

Characteristic 4 - It utilises **lightweight** and **uniform** management and virtualisation systems, with **small footprint** components, deployable on large number of small servers and **clouds** at the network **core** and **edges**.

Contributions beyond SOTA



Areas of Advances	NECOS Results
Cloud Management Platforms	A Cloud Operating System enabling infrastructure as a Service (IaaS) network-based federation.
Mobile Cloud, Mobile Edge and Fog Computing	The LSDC facilities supporting Mobile Edge Computing features and the implementation of a relevant use-case.
Slice as a Service	Inherent support of "Slice as a Service" for federated cloud environments.
Orchestrating Slices Across Federated Domains	Prototyping of novel orchestration features for future federated cloud infrastructures.
Federation of Cloud Services and Resources	Intelligent resource allocation to fulfil user's service requirements for cloud federation.

Figure 1.8 -NECOS Advances Beyond the State-of-the-Art

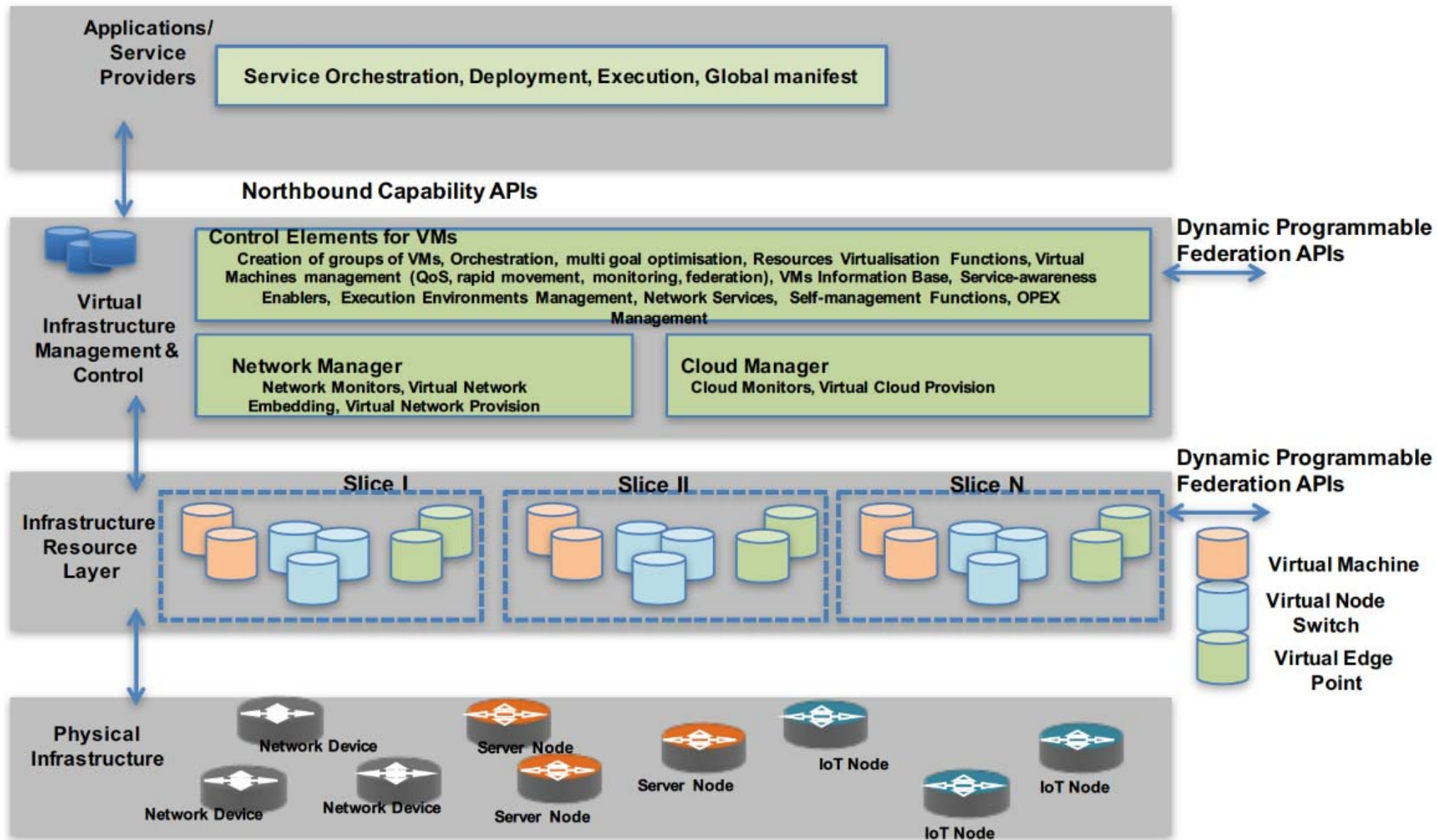
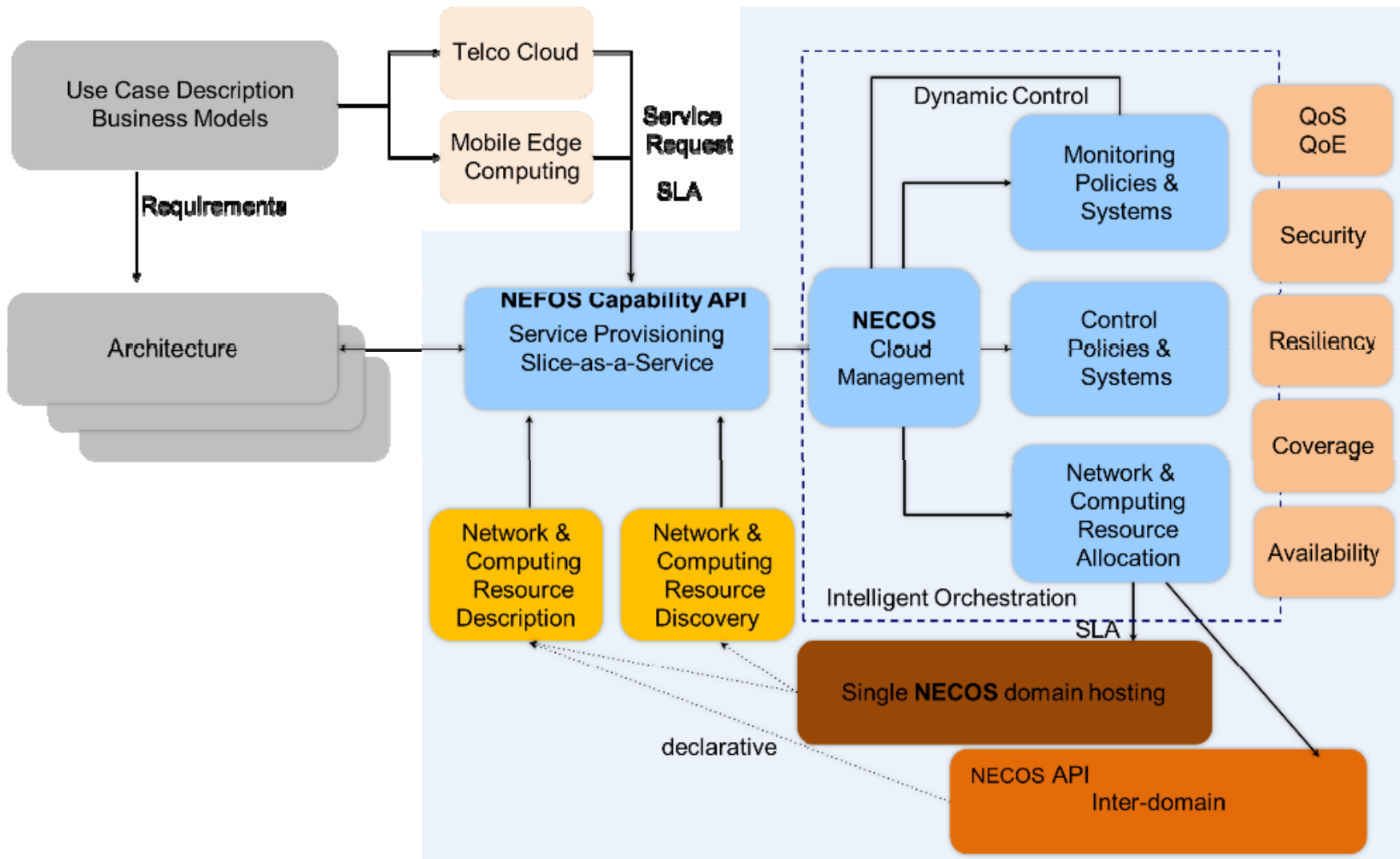
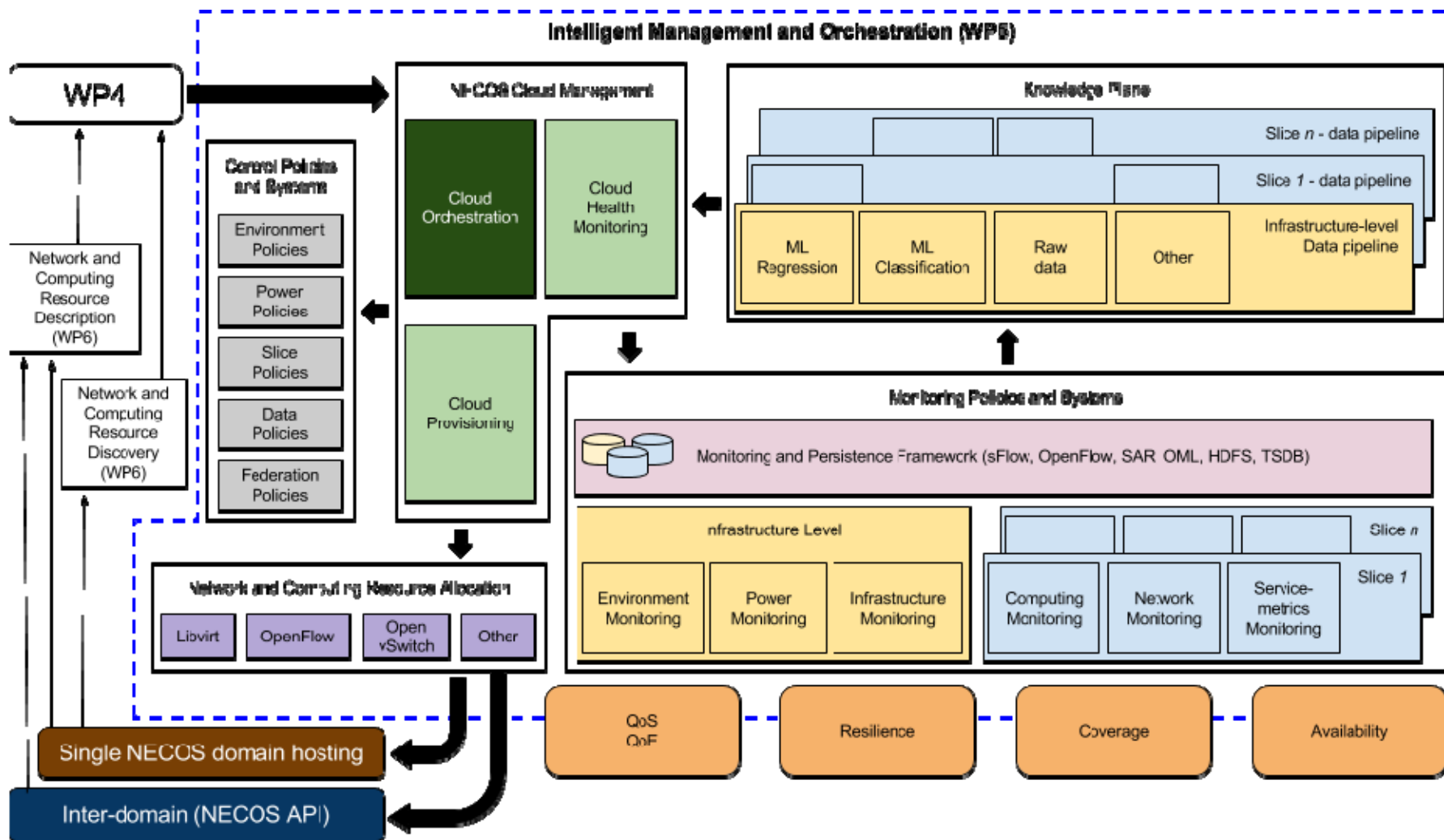


Figure 1.1 - NECOS - LSDC Architecture





Use Case 1 – Telco-Clouds

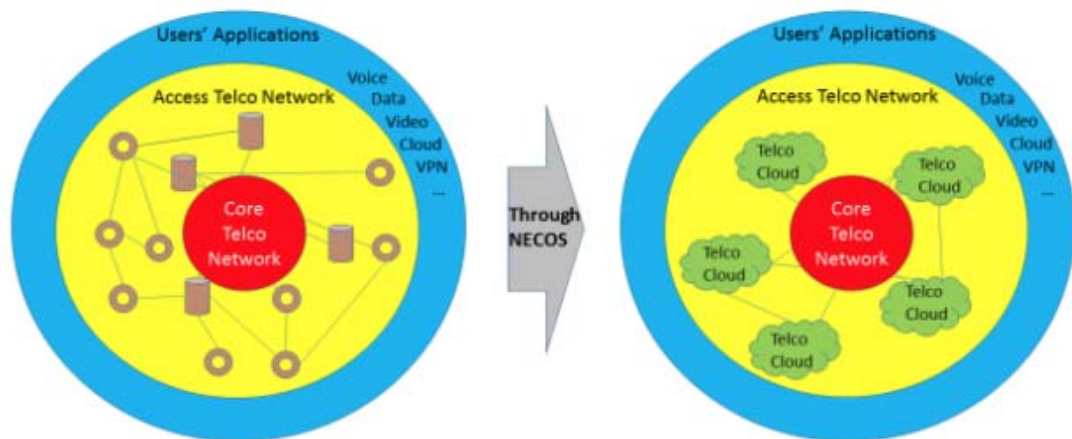


Figure 1.2- The evolution of the Telco's network fostered by the NECOS concept of Telco-Cloud

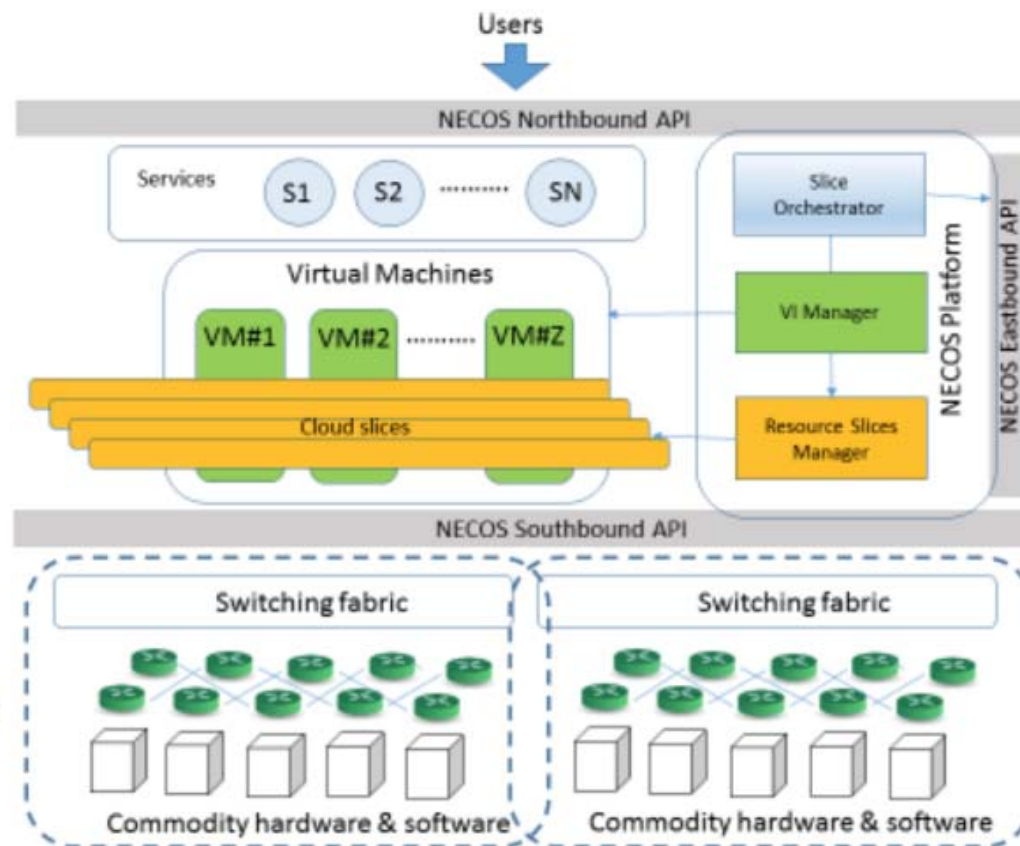
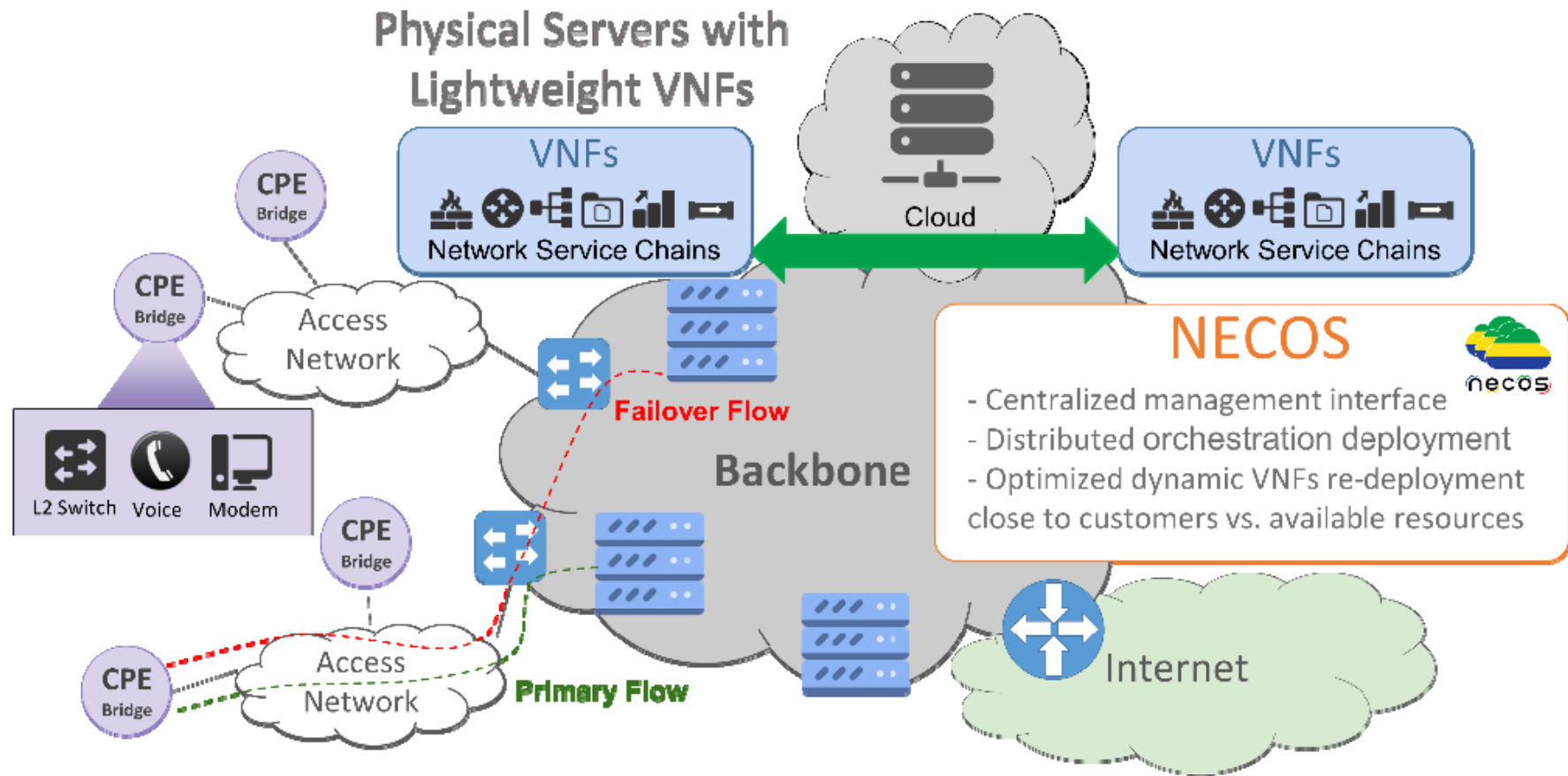


Figure 1.3– Enablers of NECOS driven by Use Case 1

Use Case 1 – Telco-Clouds



Use Case 2 - Mobile Edge Computing

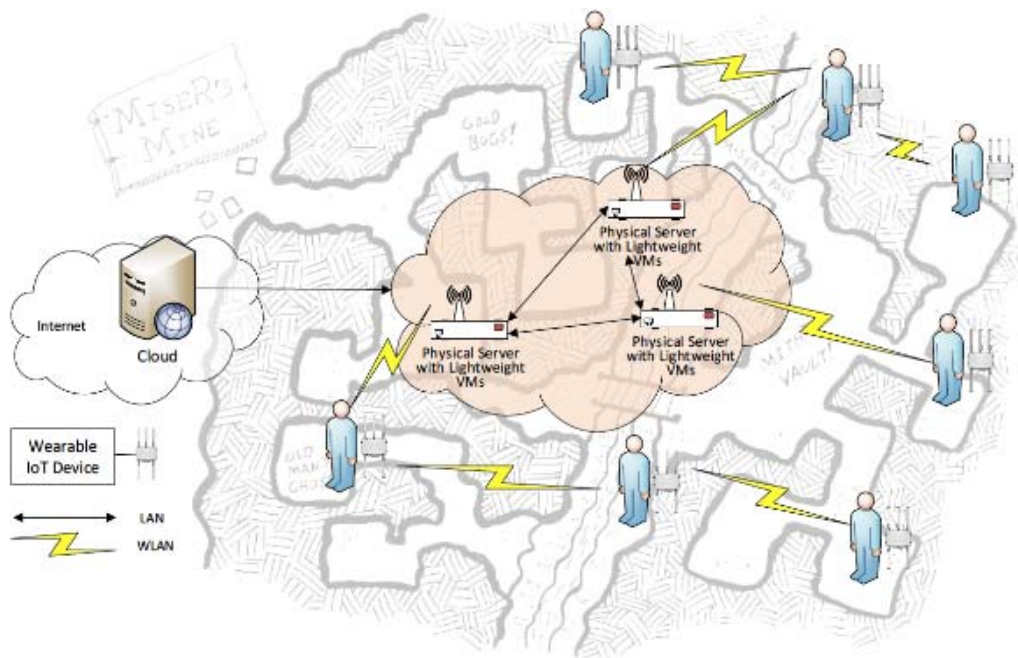


Figure 1.4 - Application point of view of Use Case 2

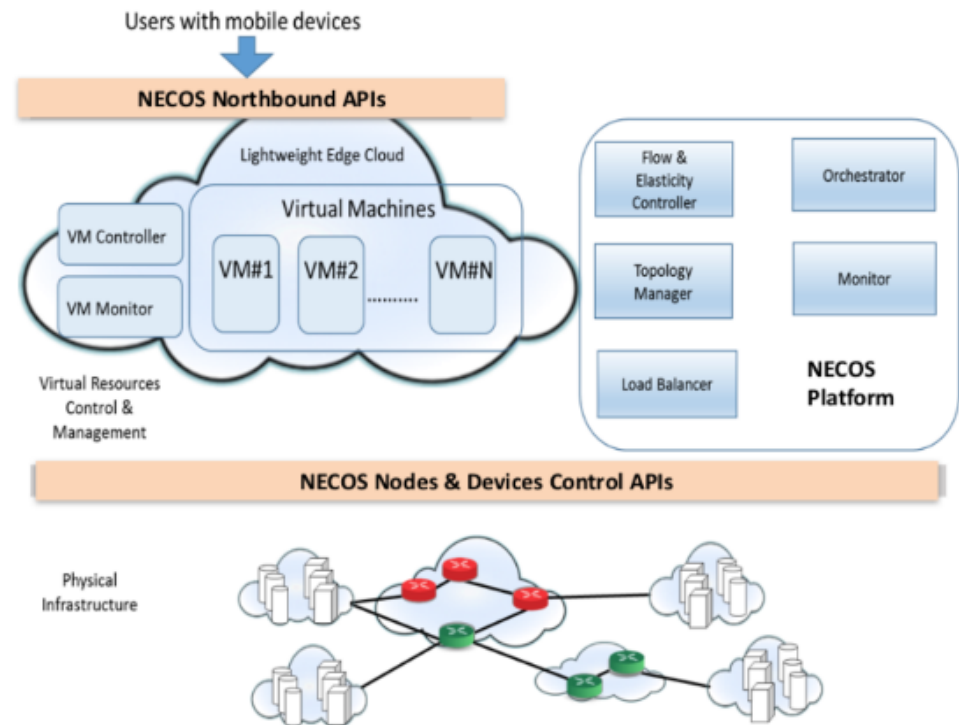
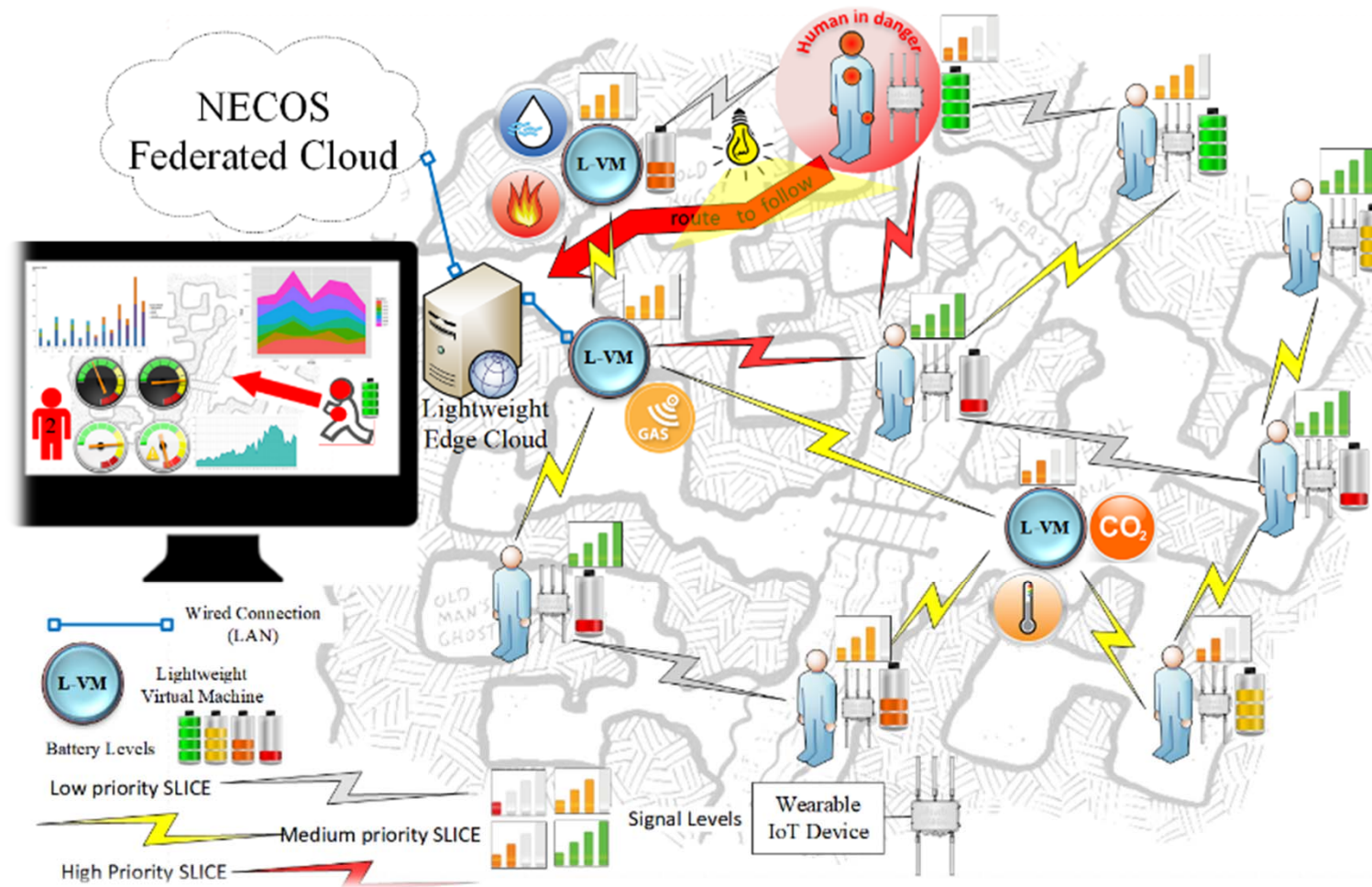


Figure 1.5 - Enablers of NECOS driven by Use Case 2

Use Case 2 - Mobile Edge Computing





Kick-Off



- At UPC, Barcelona (21-22/Nov)
- Representatives from all partners
- Key alignment discussions, brainstorming, and decision making



Visit to Telefonica headquarters and 5TONIC lab at IMDEA (Madrid, 23-24/Nov) for further discussion on the vCPE Telco Cloud use case



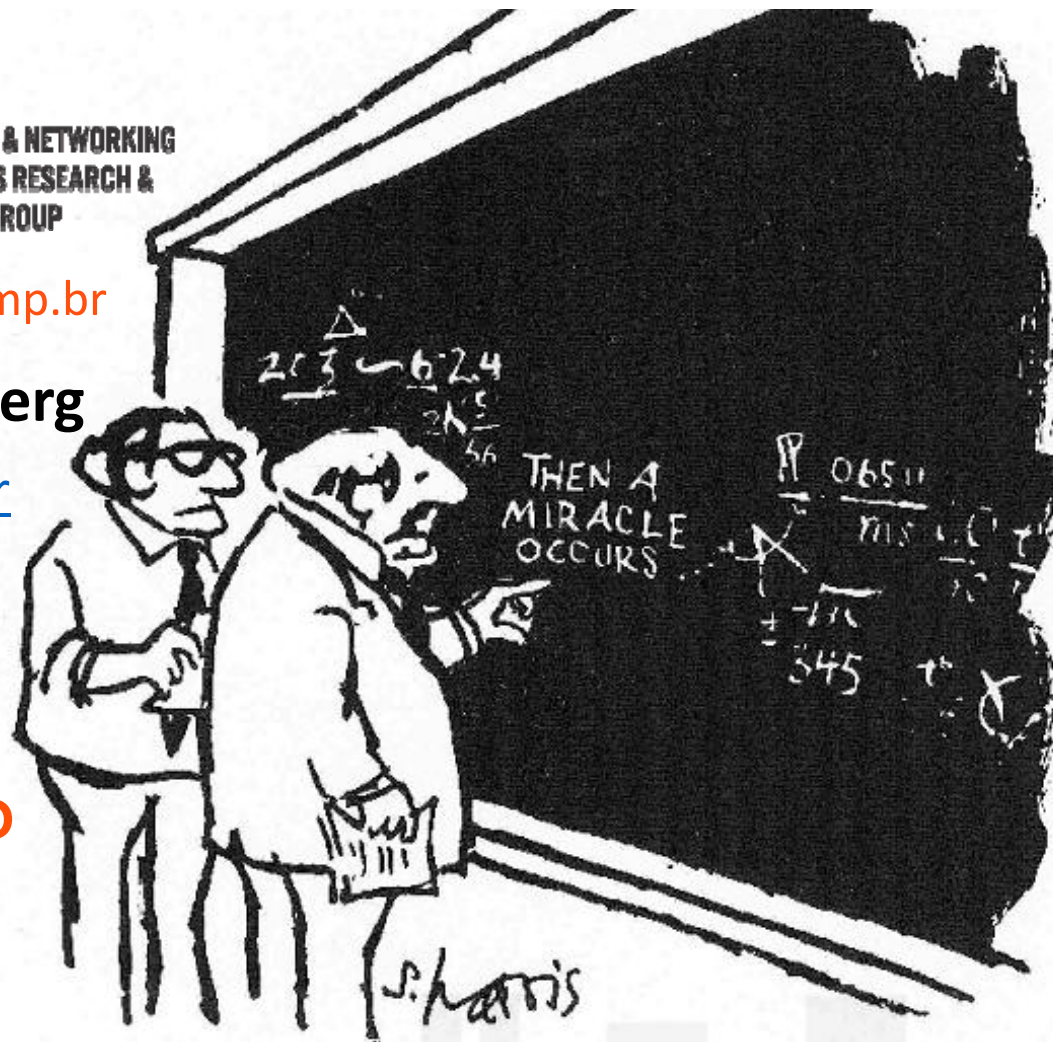
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Thanks!
Obrigado!
(More) Questions?



"I think you should be more explicit here in step two"

