

Design, Validate and Certify your Wireless Streaming Telemetry Deployment

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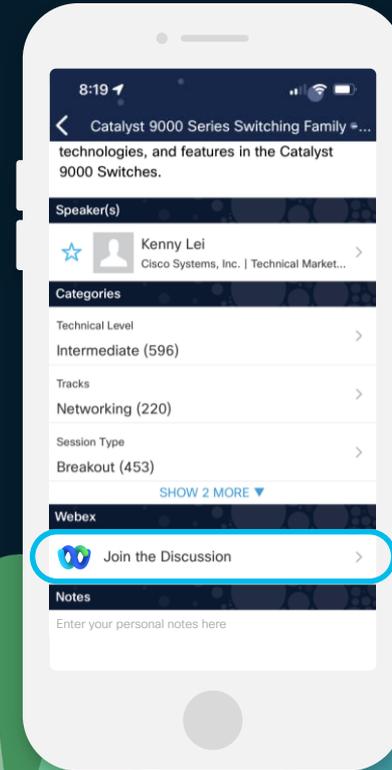
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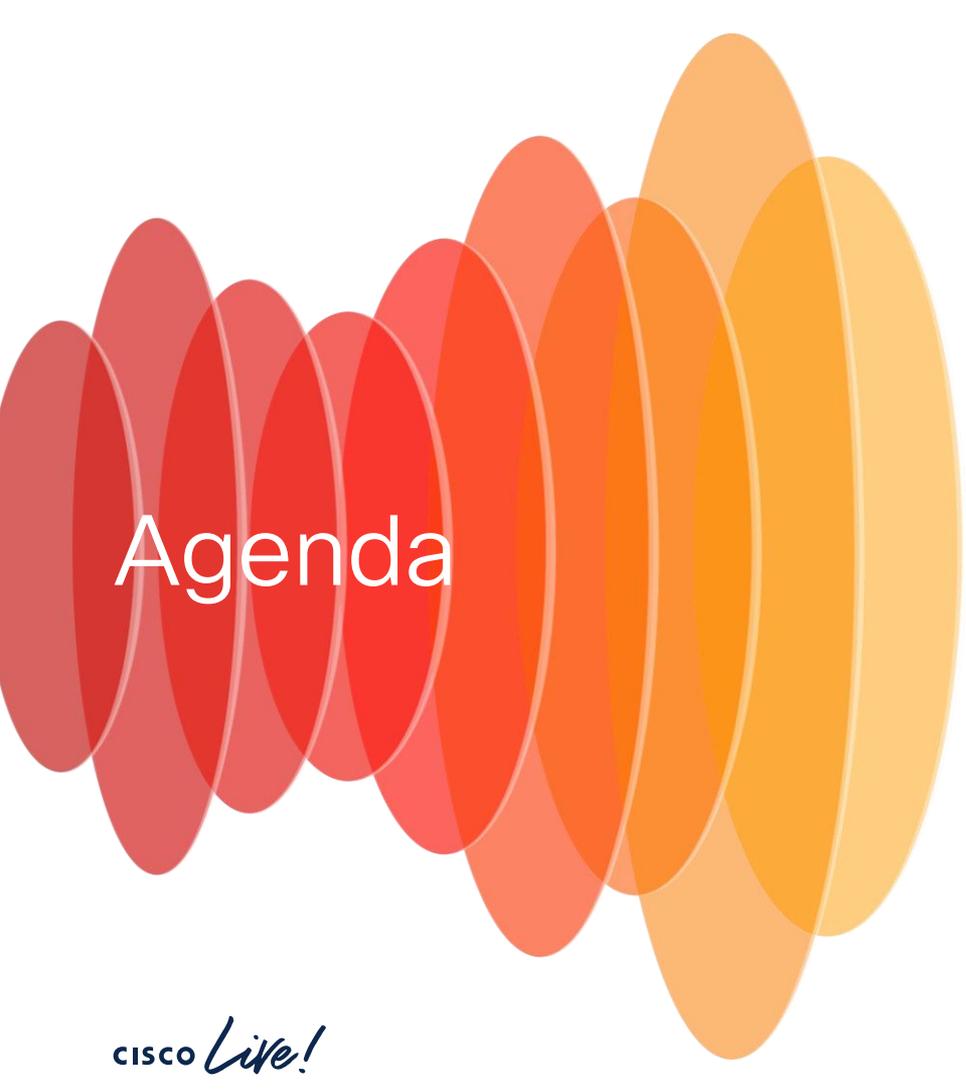
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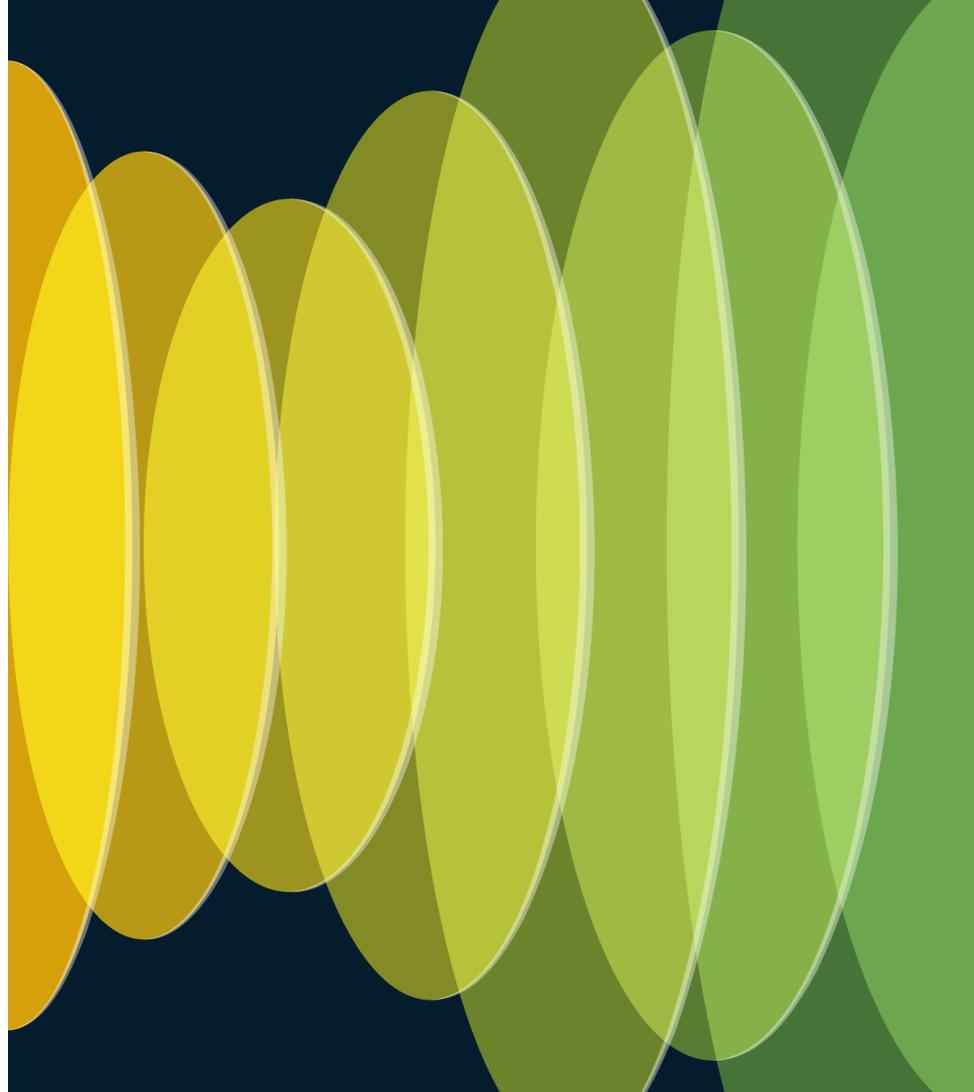




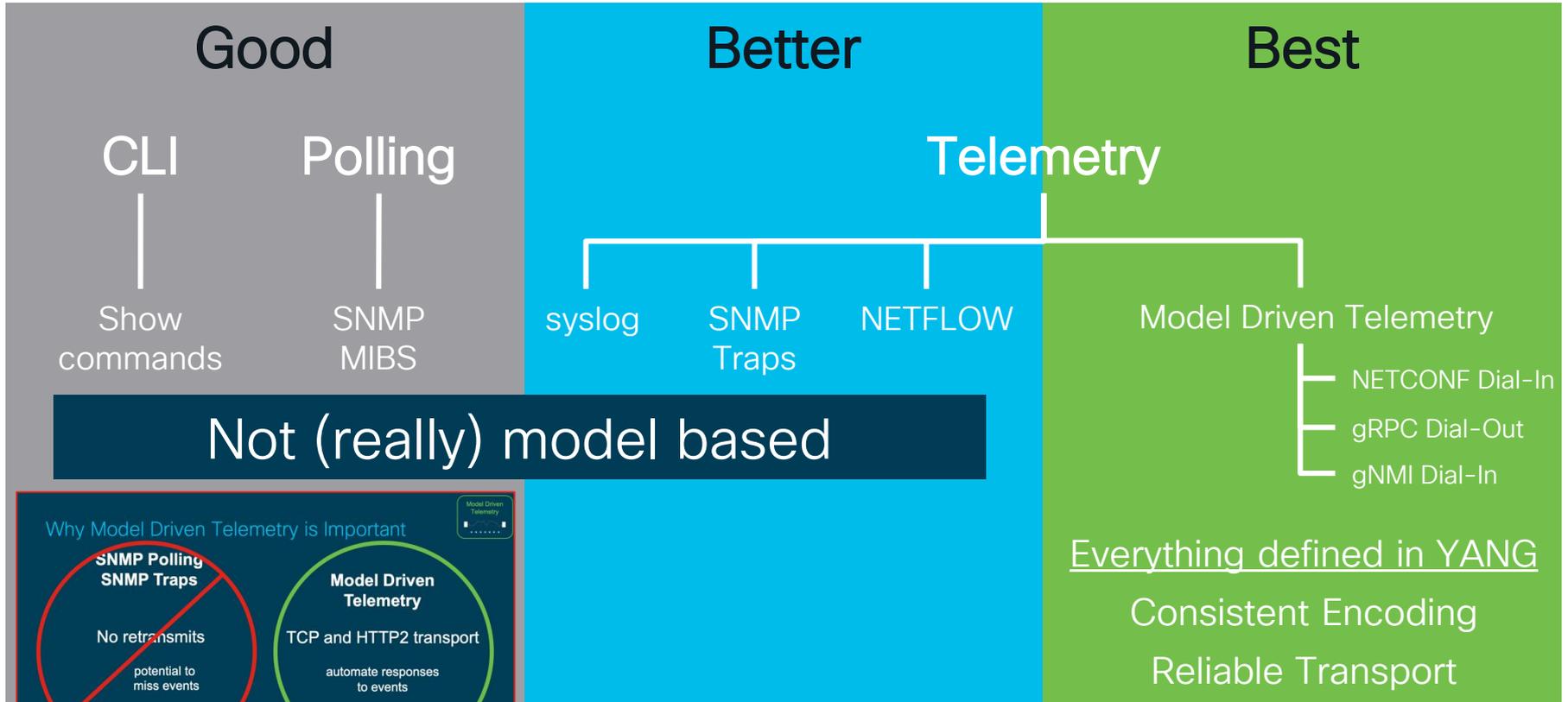
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Why Model Driven Telemetry



Why MDT? Monitoring and Telemetry Progression



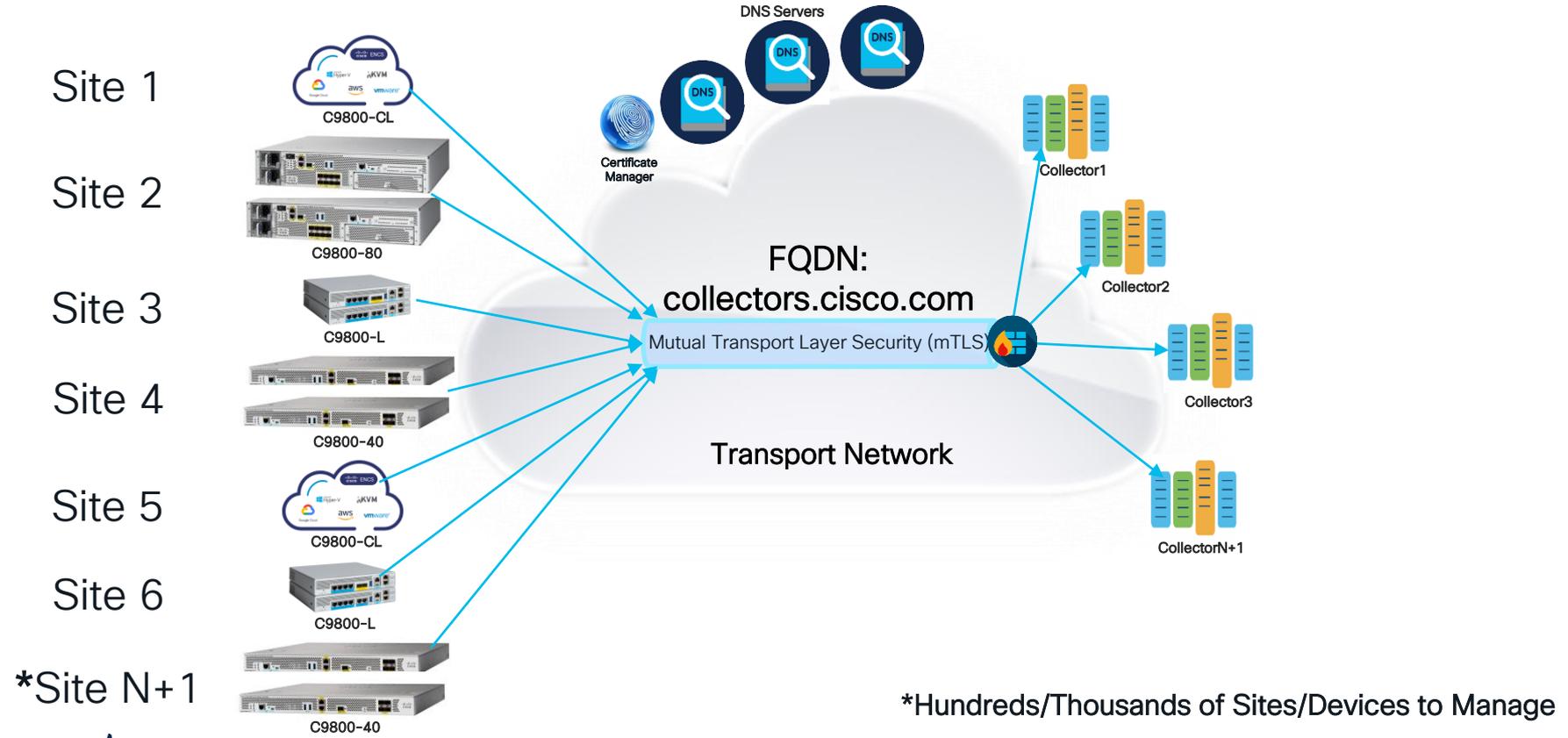
Why Model Driven Telemetry is Important

SNMP Polling SNMP Traps	Model Driven Telemetry
No retransmits	TCP and HTTP2 transport
potential to miss events	automate responses to events
High cost to CPU	Flexible encoding options
Low security	



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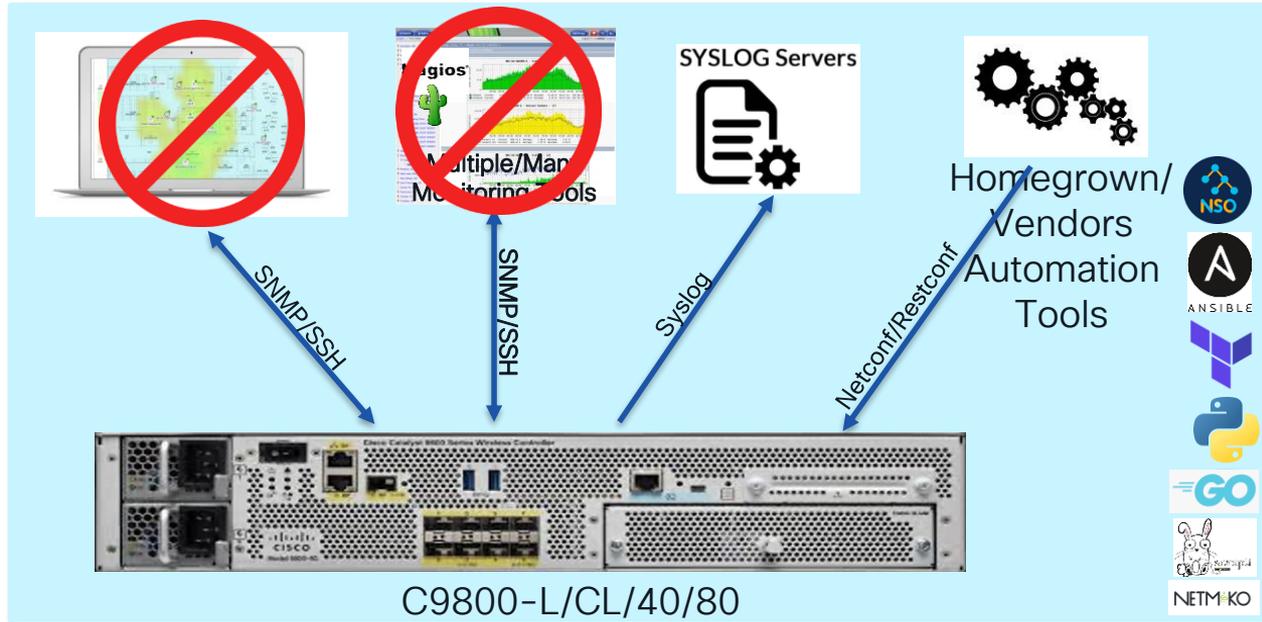
Scaling your Telemetry deployment for hundreds sites/devices



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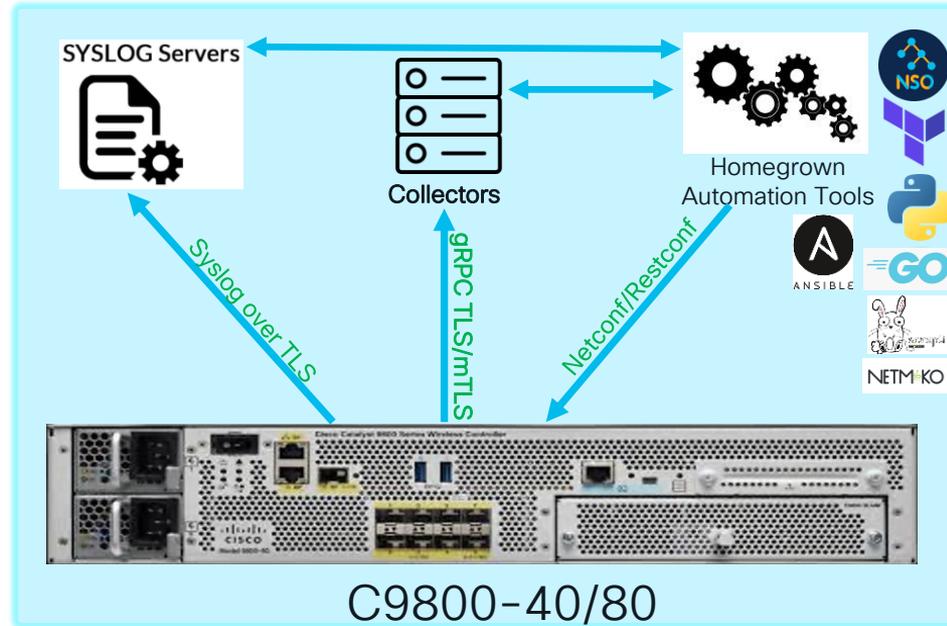
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Customer's Journey toward Streaming Telemetry NorthStar for Alarming, Monitoring, Automation:



Why Model Driven Telemetry

Cloud Reporting Tools



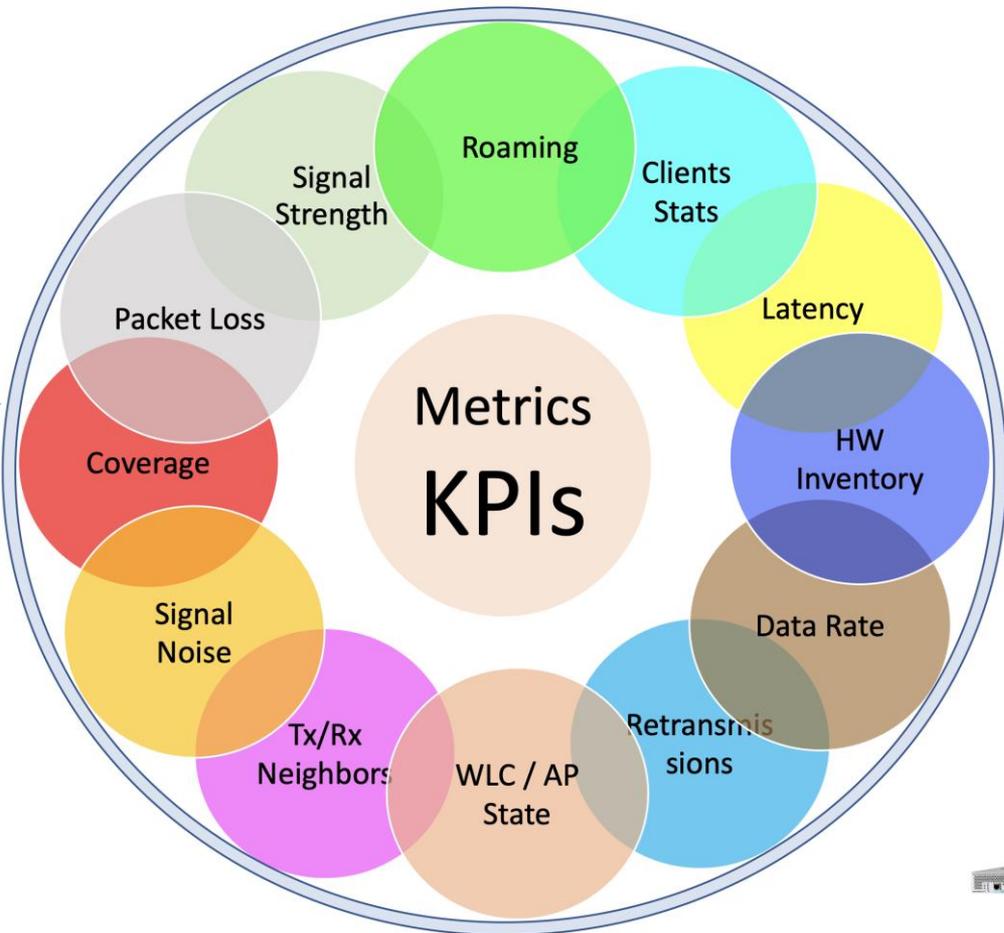
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Monitor Your Infrastructure, Setup Alarms and Notifications



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Homegrown Automation Tools

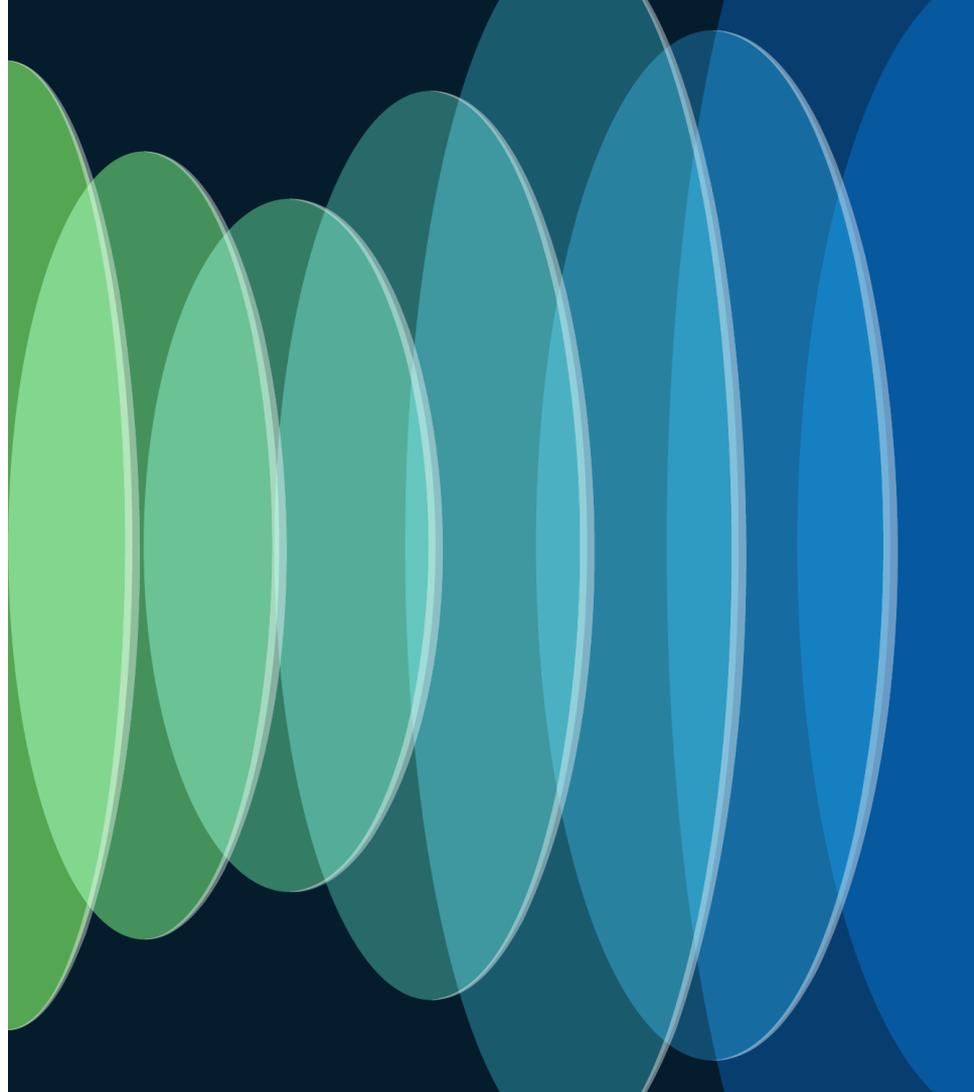


Push Changes to The Infrastructure Based on Behavior Netconf/Restconf



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Introduction to MDT



IOS XE API Operations

NETCONF	RESTCONF	gNMI (Dial-Out 17.11)	gRPC
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Model Driven Telemetry Overview

gNMI

Dial-in/Dial-out

Network Management Interface

- Network management protocol
- Manage configuration and view operational data of network devices
- Developed by Google
- Modeled using YANG
- IOS XE telemetry + programmability

gRPC

Dial-out

Remote Procedure Call

- low-latency, scalable
- HTTP/2 transport
- IOS XE dial-out telemetry

gRPC Concept

Applications

Monitoring, Visualization Alerts, Automations, Integrations

Storage

Databases, DataSets, Searches, Queries

Collectors

Connections, Aggregations, Normalizations, Injections

Streaming Telemetry



Border, Backbone, Aggregation, peering Routers



Data Center Switches



Wireless LAN Controllers



Standalone Edge / SDWAN Routers

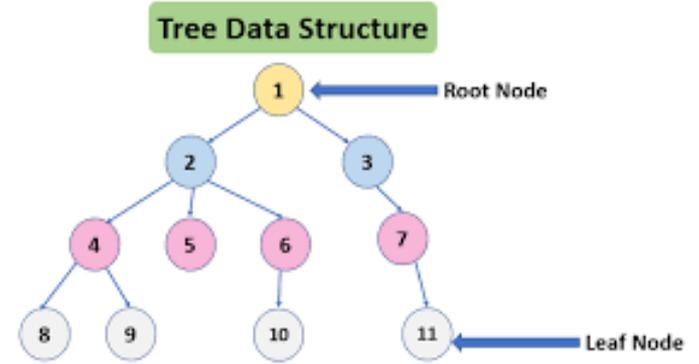
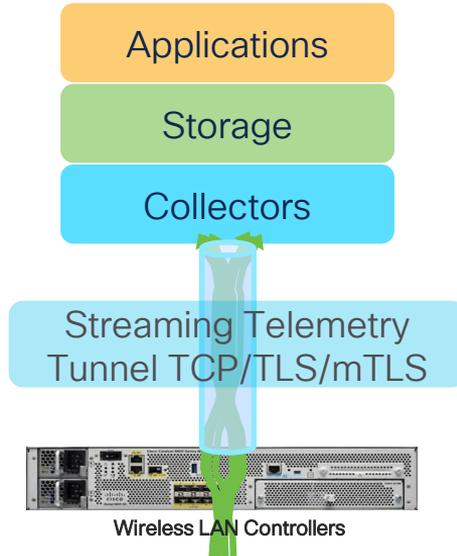


Campus Network Switches



*Meraki Portfolio

Yang and XPath Concept

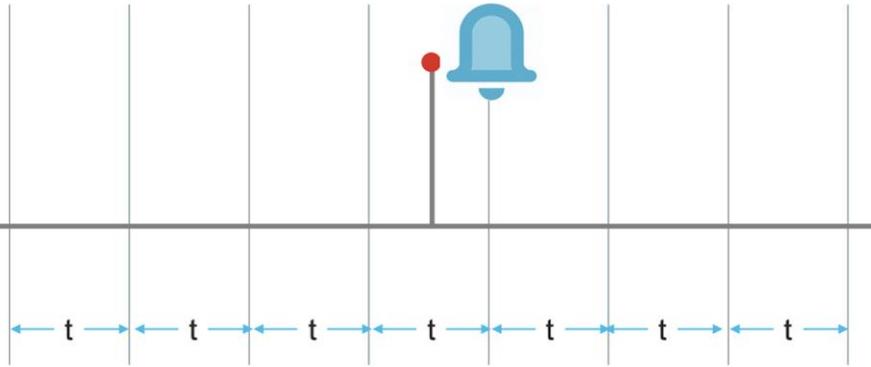


Example of Wireless Definition with XPath Subscriptions for:

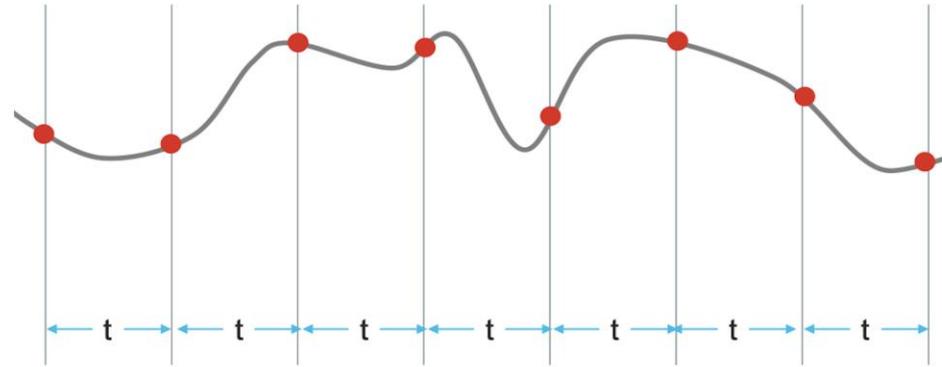
- Roaming/s Success/Failures
 - Client stats
- WLC Health State
- AP Health State

Model Driven Telemetry Publication Types

On-Change



Periodic



Config example periodic or on-change

```
wlc1.9840(config)#telemetry ietf subscription 145  
wlc1.9840(config-mdt-subs)#update-policy ?  
on-change  Enable on-change updates  
periodic   Enable periodic updates
```

IOS XE Model Driven Telemetry



NETCONF/RESTCONF Dial-In   gRPC Dial-Out/Configured

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← ...or with...

YANG Models



Load Balancers



Collector/Receiver
Decodes to text



Storage

Time Series Database



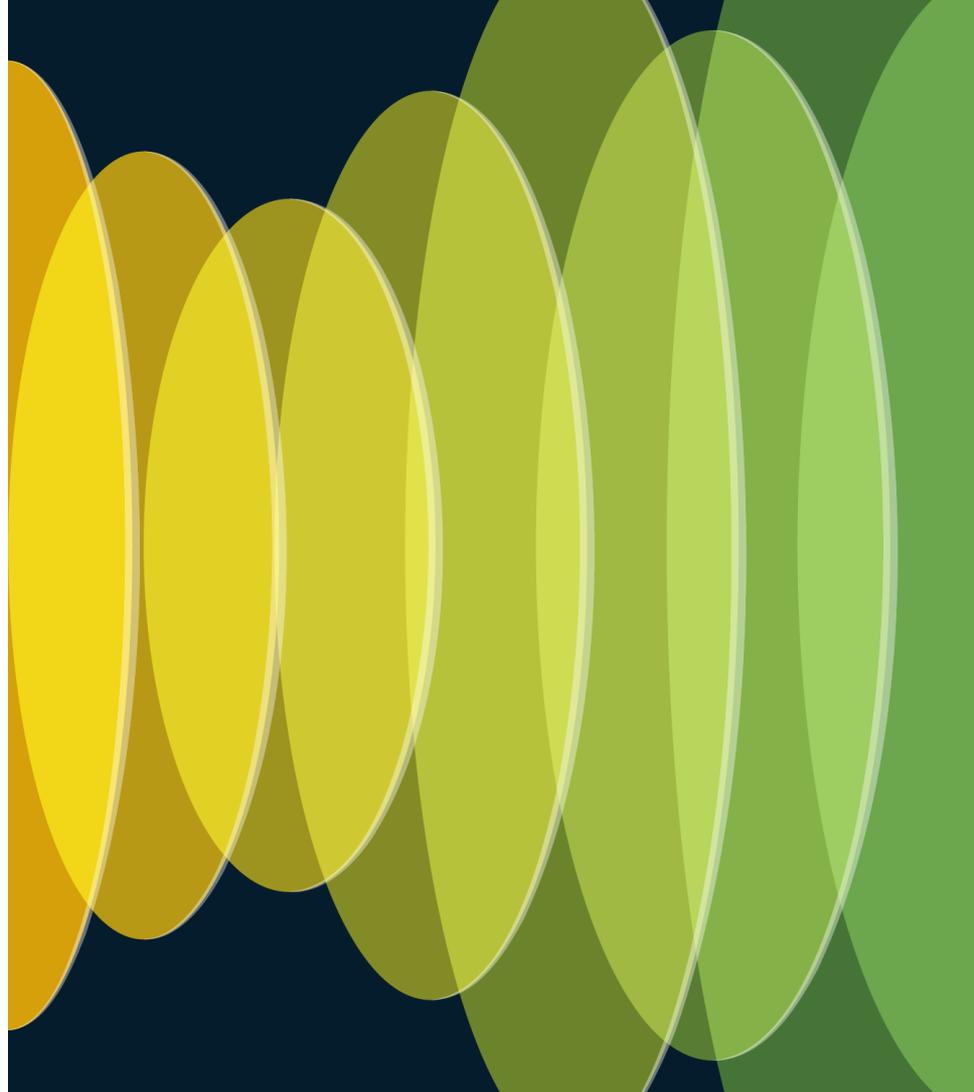
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Send Alerts/Alarms
Visualize data

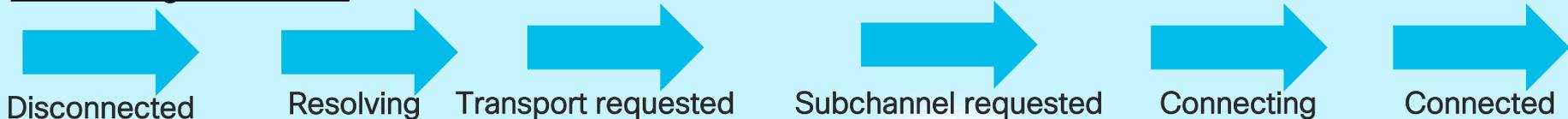


MDT Connection State Flow



gRPC Dial-Out: High Availability Design Considerations

Connecting Flow state



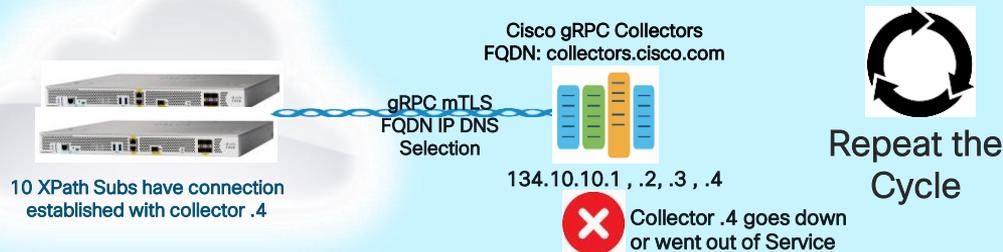
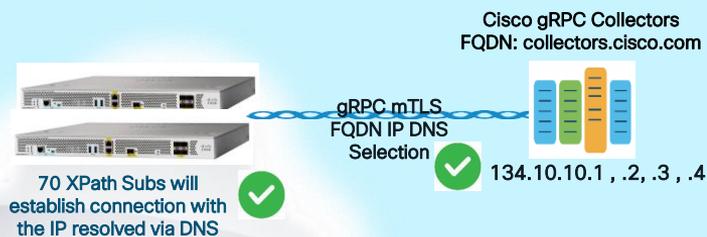
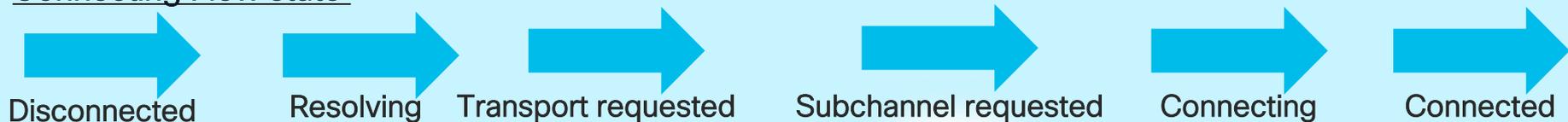
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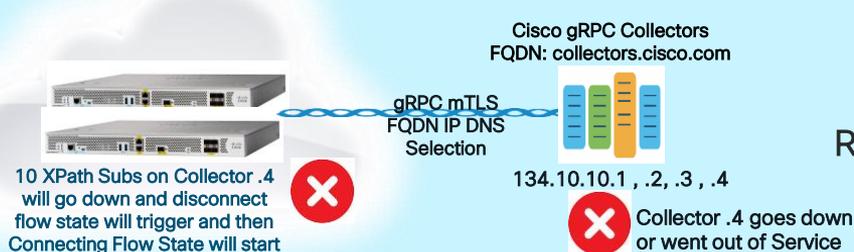
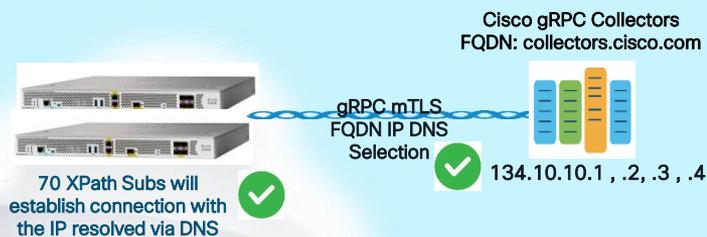
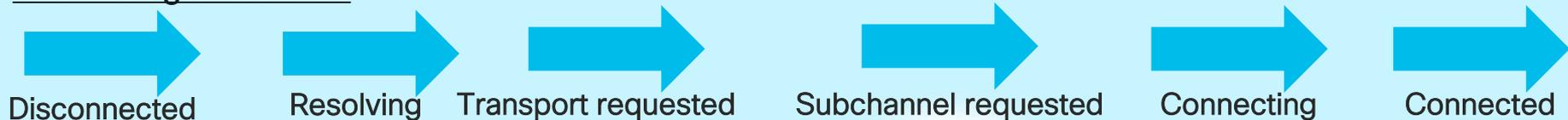
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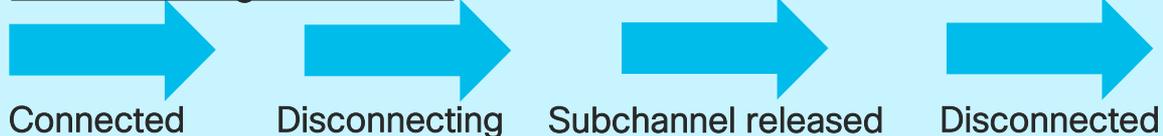
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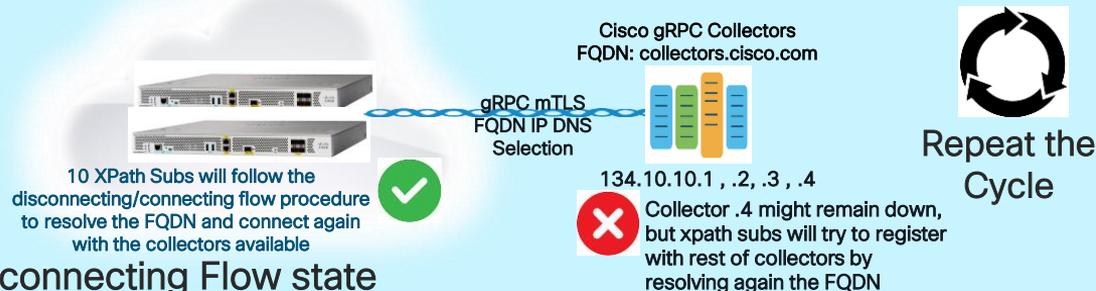
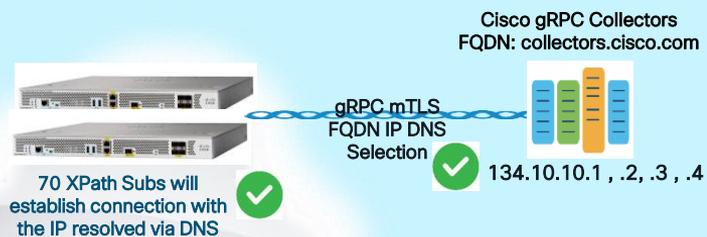
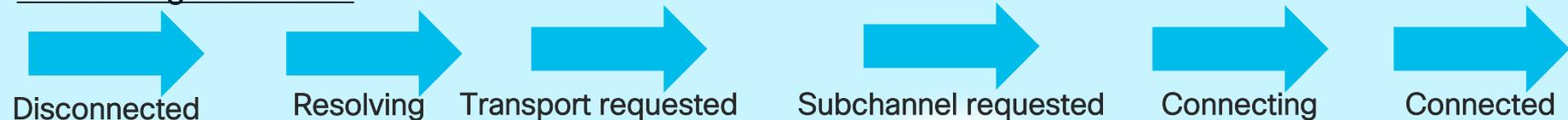
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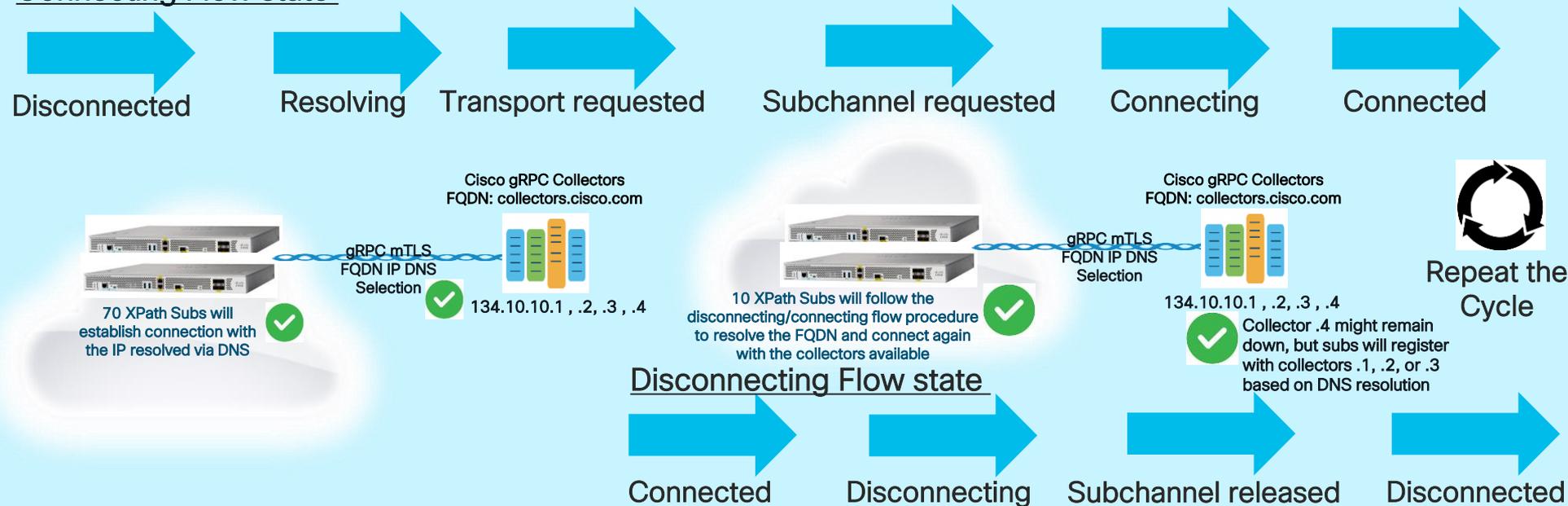
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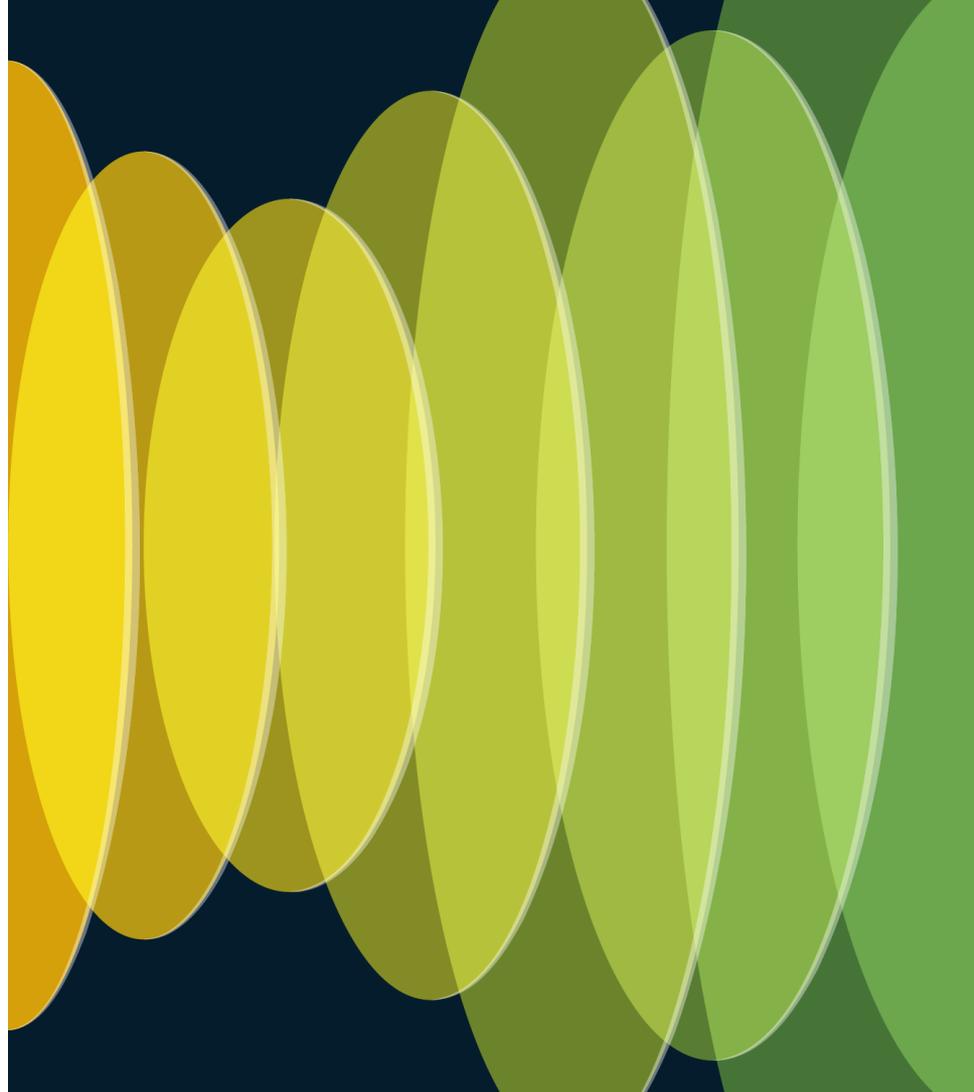
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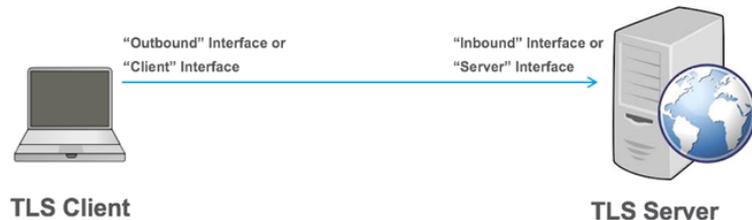
Design Considerations



Scale Design Considerations

- Max Subscriptions on 9800 WLCs- 128
 - Catalyst Center will consume ~85, DNA Spaces ~10-12.
- Subscribe to the closest leaf possible to avoid abundance of streaming data.
- Monitor Pubd process for CPU to balance subscriptions.
 - High Roaming rates or Client joins/dis-joins will impact performance.
- Catalyst Center when used with gRPC mTLS, cert expiry/renewals Keep an eye.

Important Design Considerations



➤ Secure your Transport

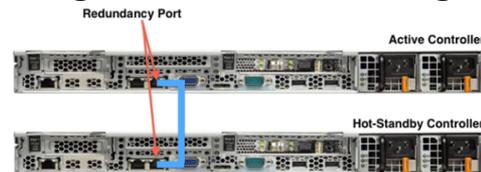
Access to information is critical and you want to make sure you are securing your streaming telemetry deployment. Cisco recommendation is to use TLS/mTLS (mutual Transport-Layer Security).

```
Answers
  hr88.cisco.com: type A, class IN, addr 10.32.2.3
    Name: hr88.cisco.com
    Type: A (Host address)
    Class: IN (0x0000)
    Time to Live: 7 days
    Data length: 4
    Addr: 10.32.2.3
```

```
ASA-IDFW(config)# show dns host hr88.cisco.com
Name: hr88.cisco.com
Address: 10.32.2.3
Address: 10.32.2.4
TTL 72:57:47
TTL 72:57:47
```

➤ Define your FQDN Strategy

Use an FQDN to host your collectors. It will be better for scalability and fast grow of new VMs/Containers. Setup your DNS per regions, geolocation, weight, etc.

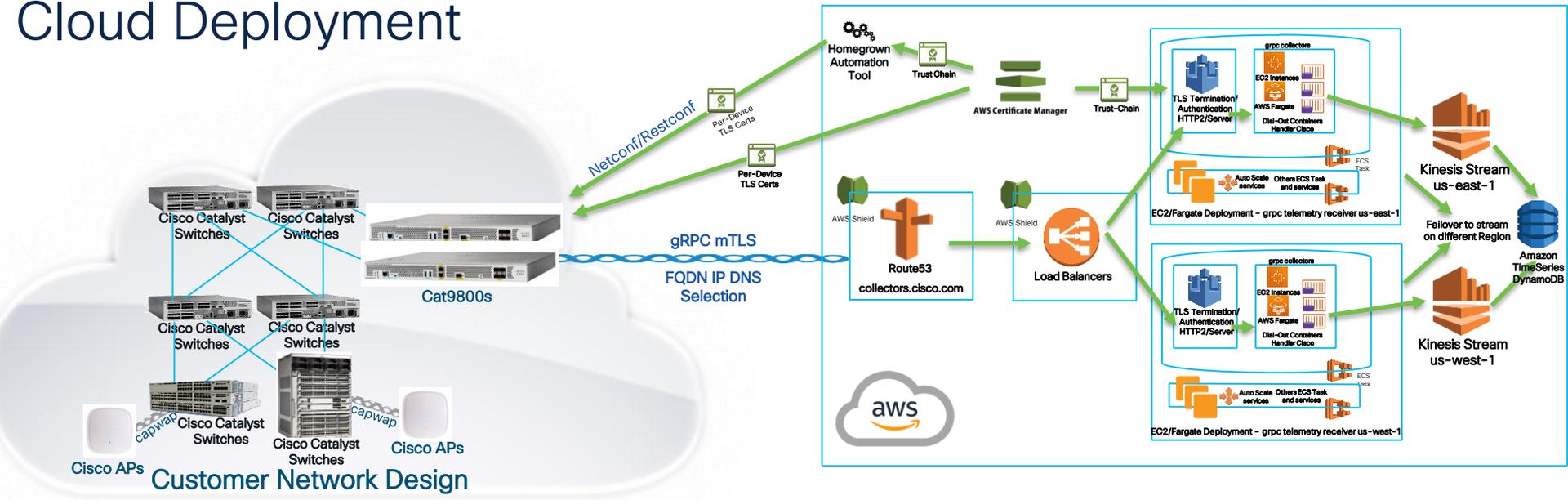


➤ Thing about Redundancy

Make sure each element of your telemetry design is fully redundant for better reliability and availability of the service (Routers, Load-Balancers, Controllers, etc).

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Customer Reference Architecture Cloud Deployment

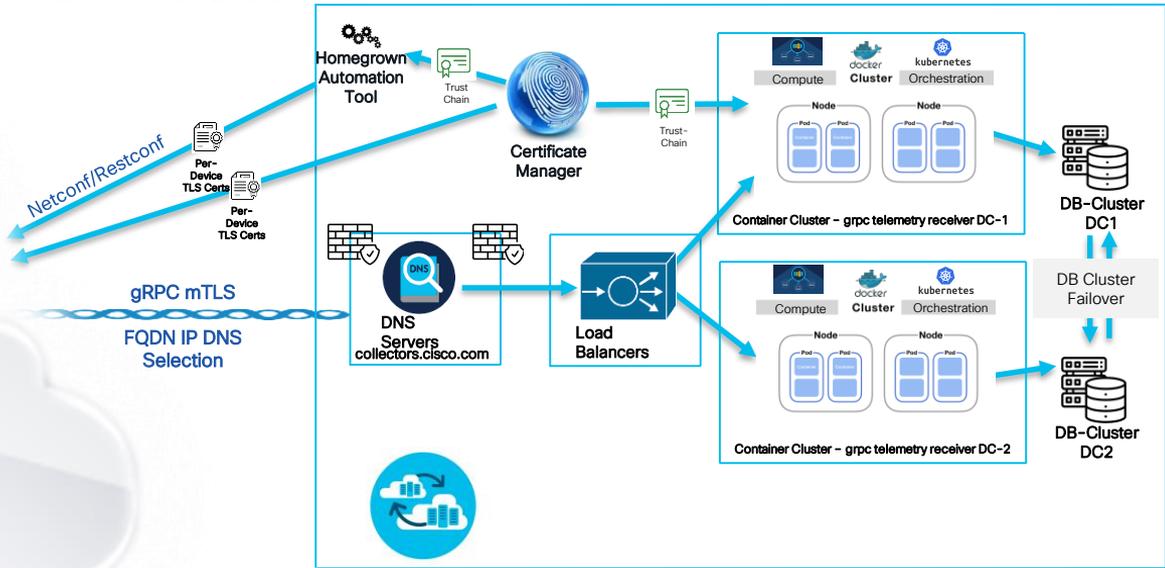
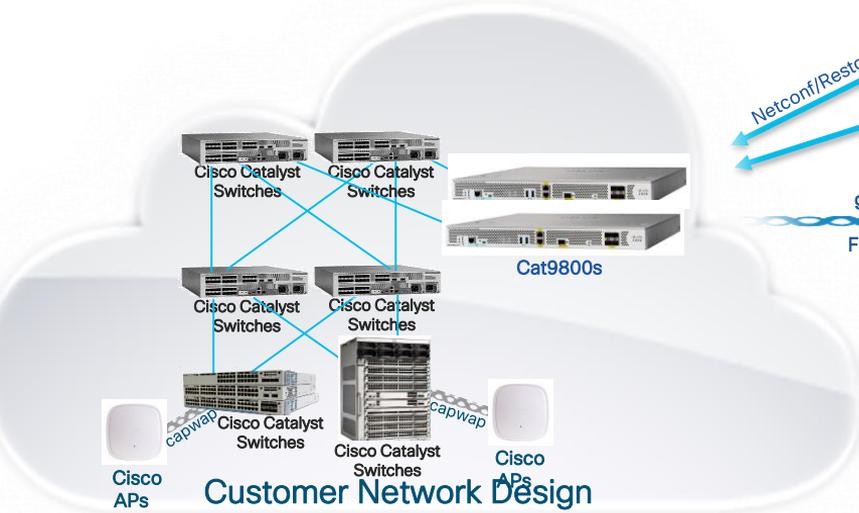


- Move away from Multiple SNMP instances/data sources to centralized your streaming monitoring infrastructure.
- Move towards an active telemetry dial-out solution to collect all data in the cloud of preference (AWS, GCP, Azure).
- Secure the transport (mTLS) of the monitored infrastructure.
- Support of FQDN to stream the data to multiple collectors across different regions.
- Configure XPath subscriptions as needed (Support 128 subs on XE release 17.9.1+).
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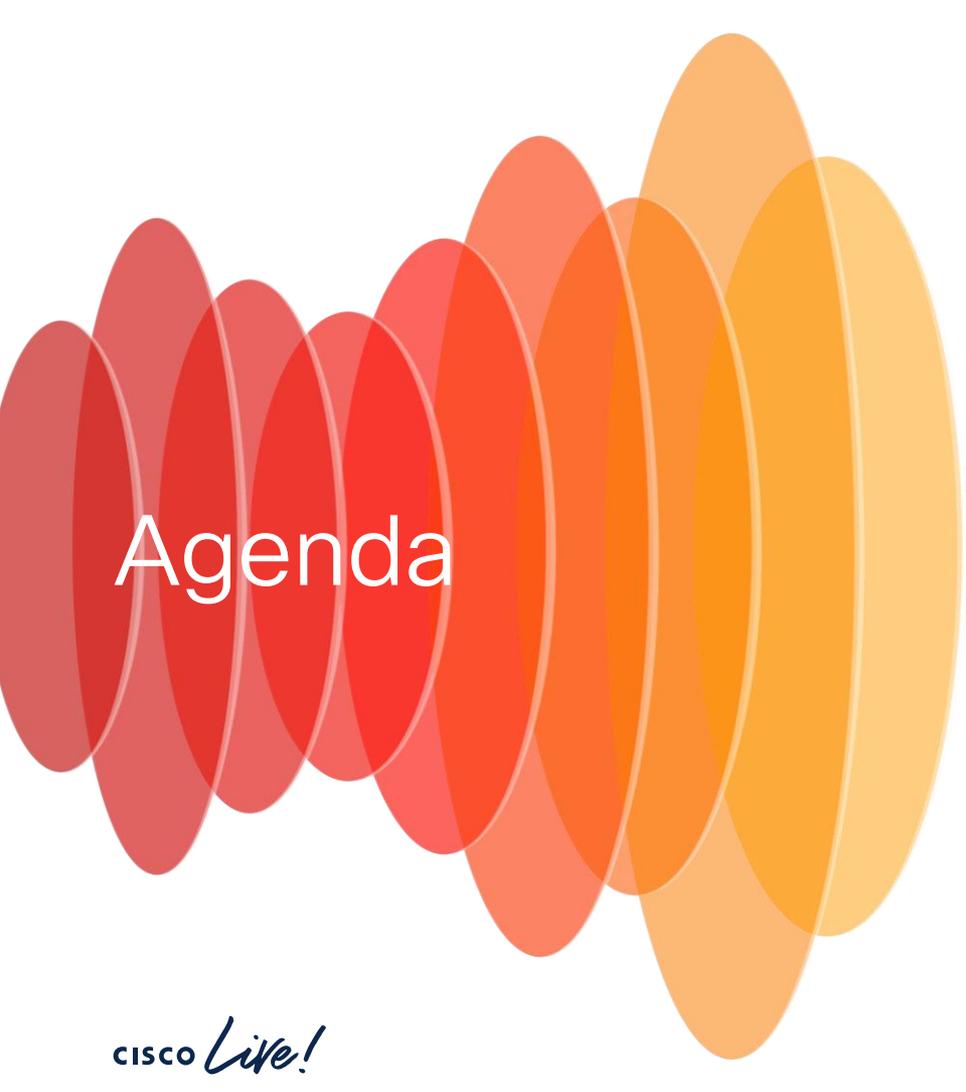
Customer Reference Architecture

Private Cloud Deployment



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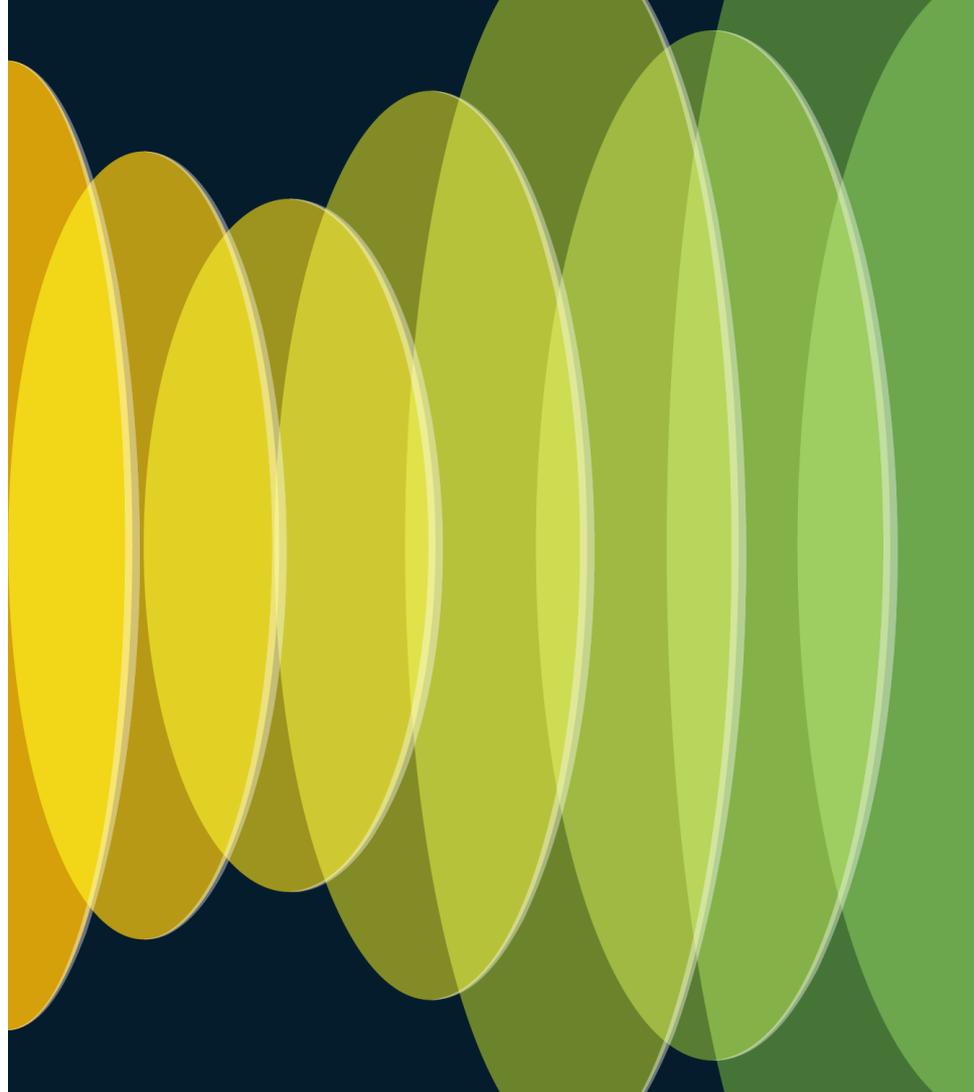


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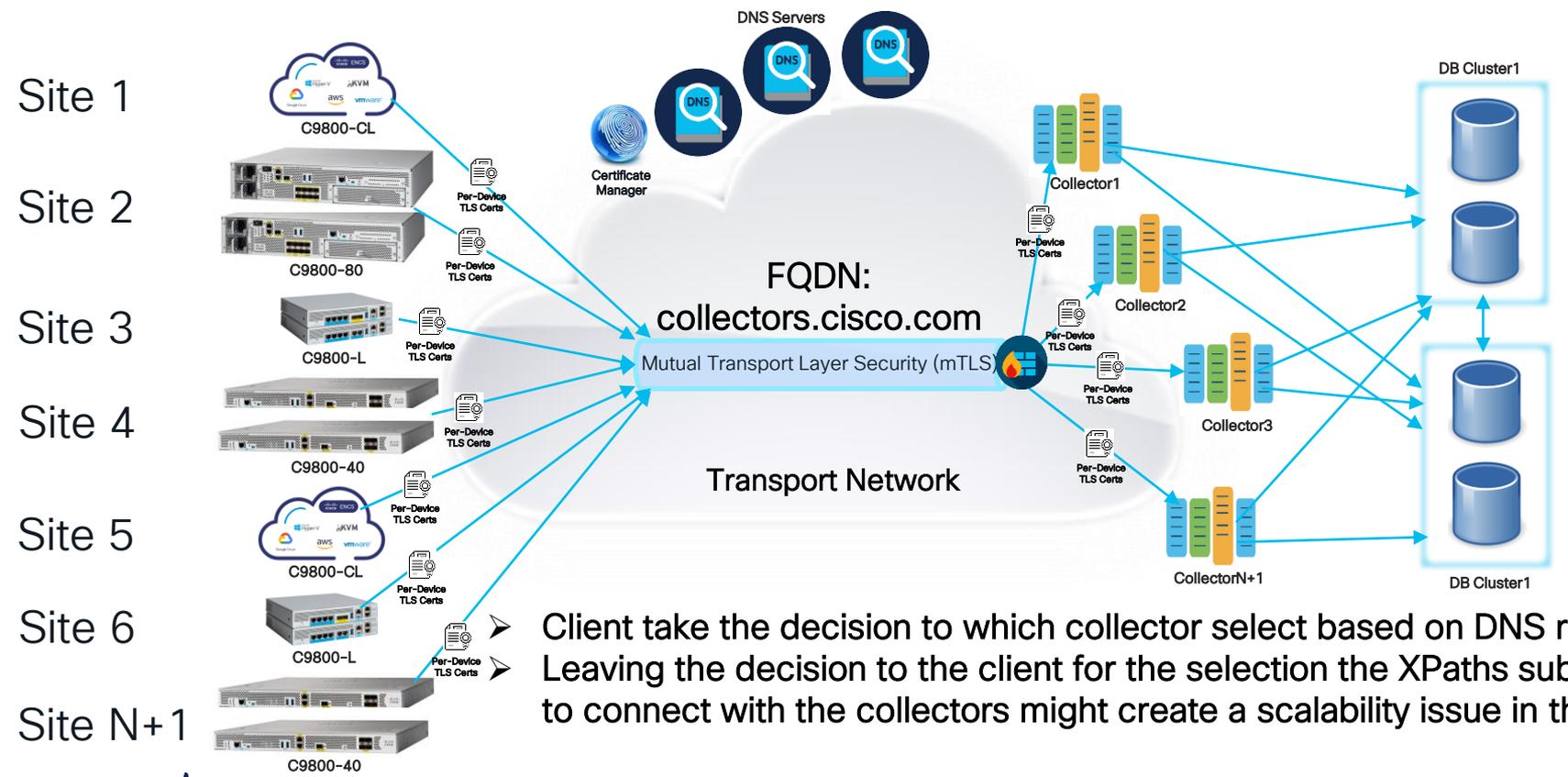
Telemetry Design at Scale

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Scaling your Telemetry deployment

Minimum scaling deployment: FQDN with Multiple Collectors



Client take the decision to which collector select based on DNS resolution. Leaving the decision to the client for the selection the XPath subscriptions to connect with the collectors might create a scalability issue in the future.



Scaling your Telemetry deployment

Good scaling deployment: Active/Standby mTLS passthrough Multiple Collectors



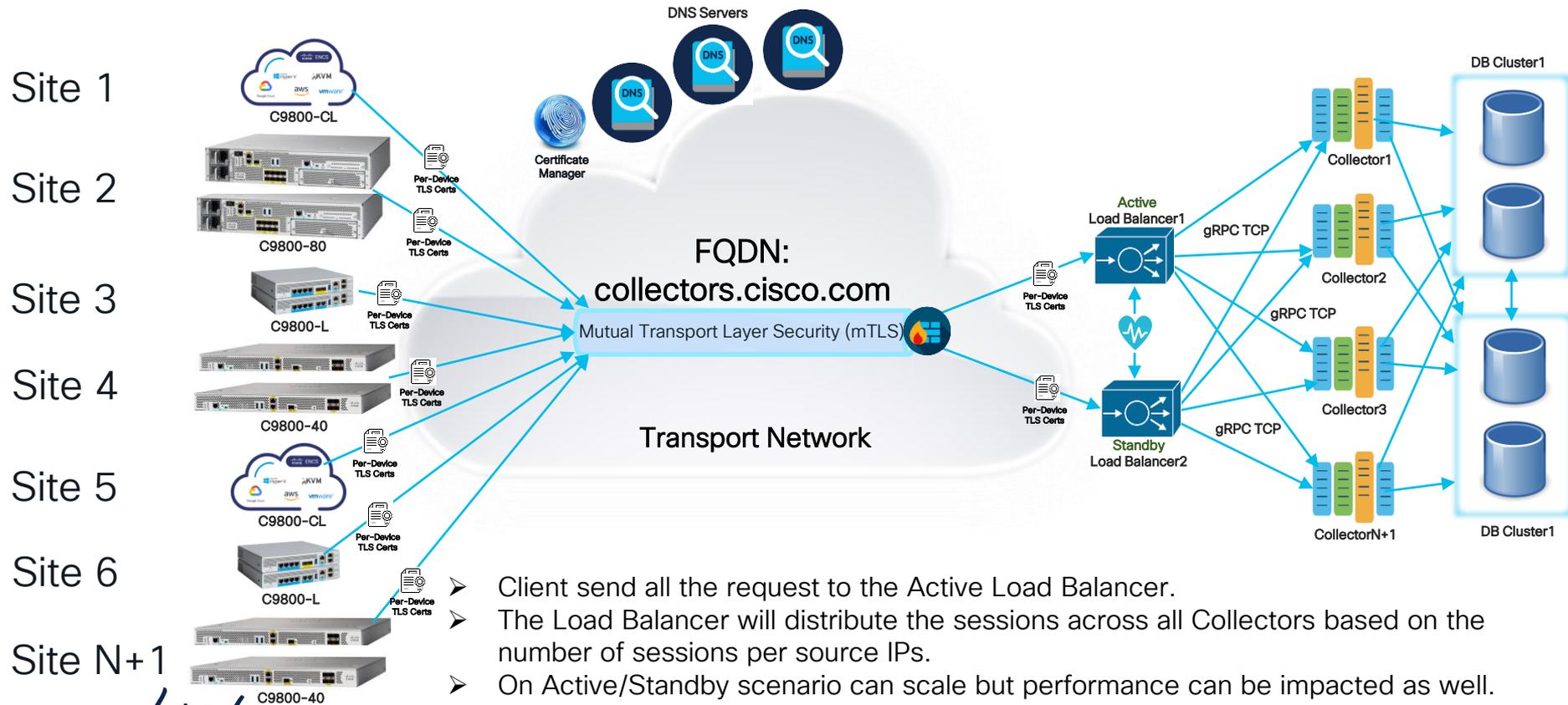
Site 1
Site 2
Site 3
Site 4
Site 5
Site 6
Site N+1

- Client send all the request to the Active Load Balancer.
- The Load Balancer will distribute the sessions across all Collectors based on the number of sessions per source IPs.
- More Devices to manage with Certs. Might be more difficult for Troubleshoot.

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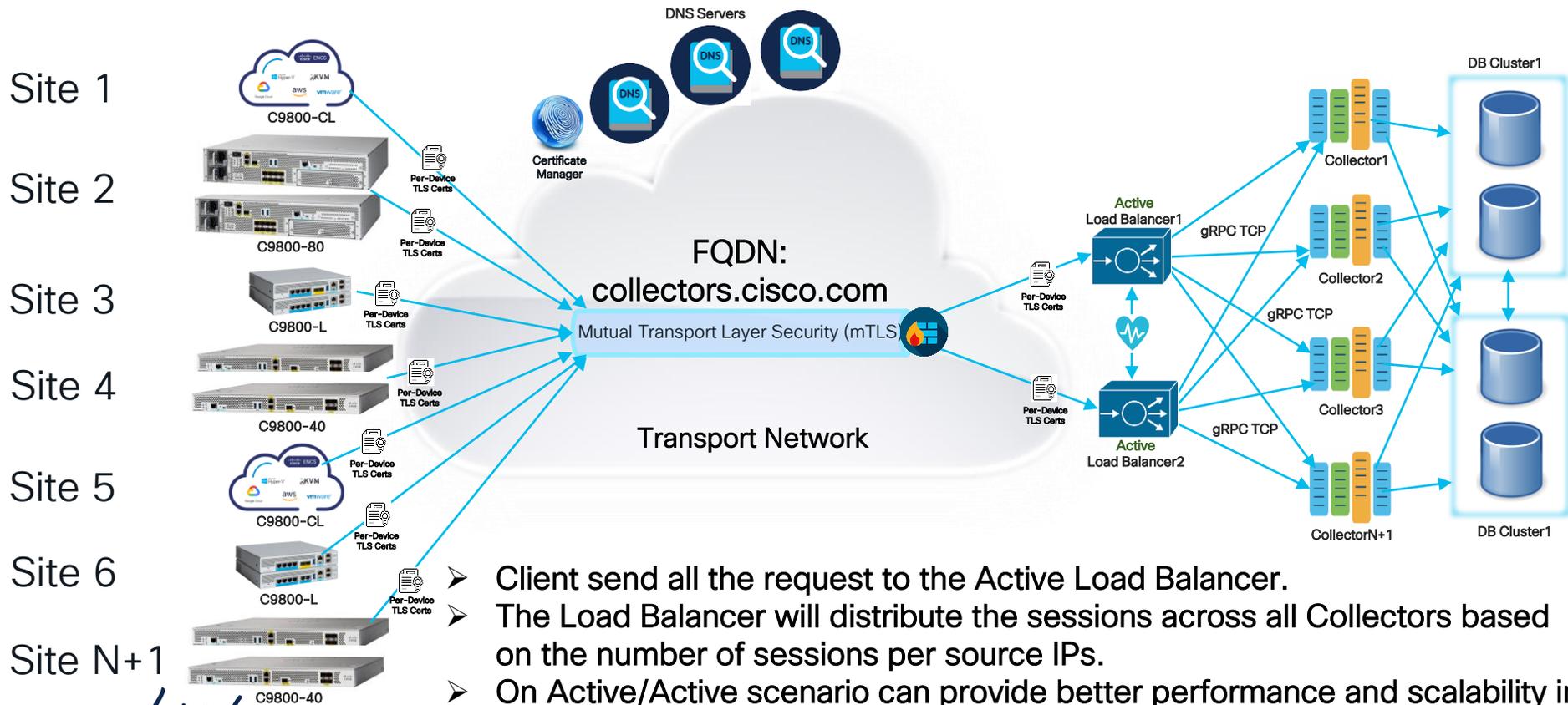
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- On Active/Standby scenario can scale but performance can be impacted as well.

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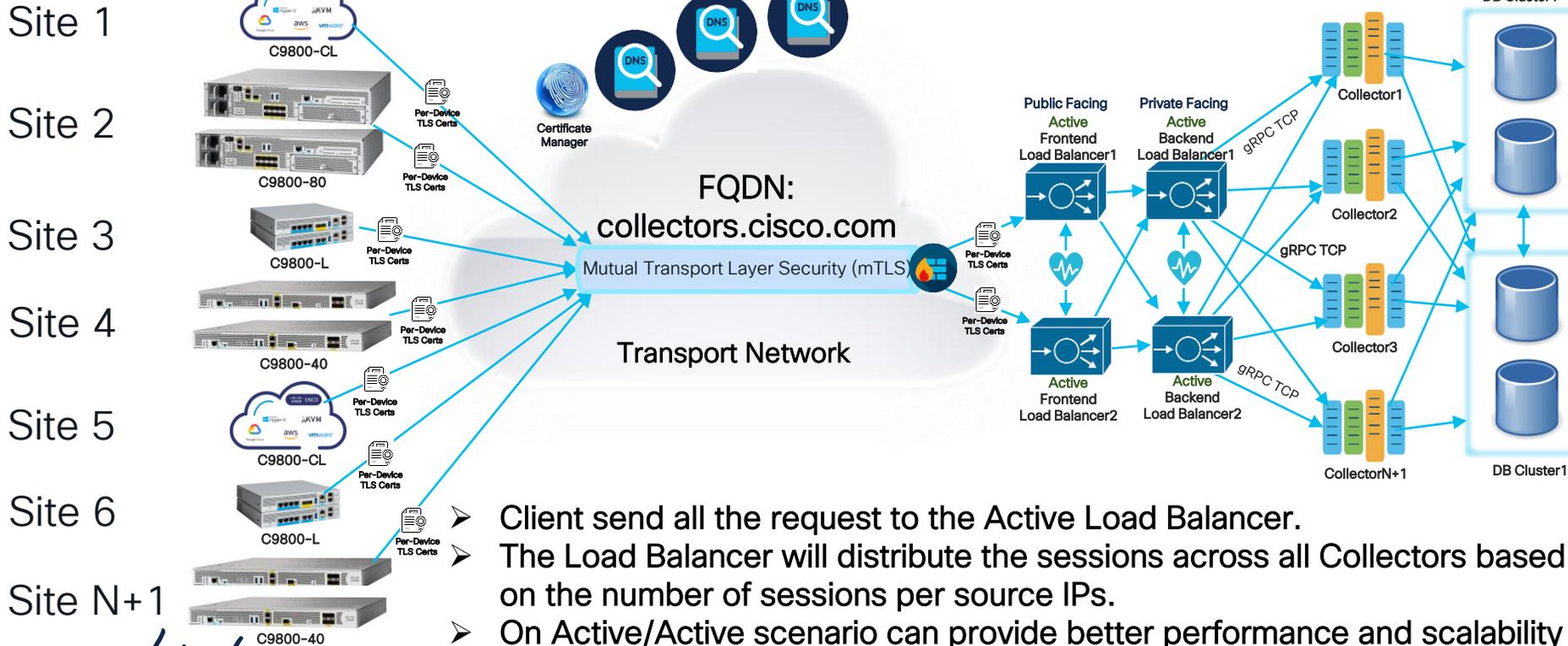
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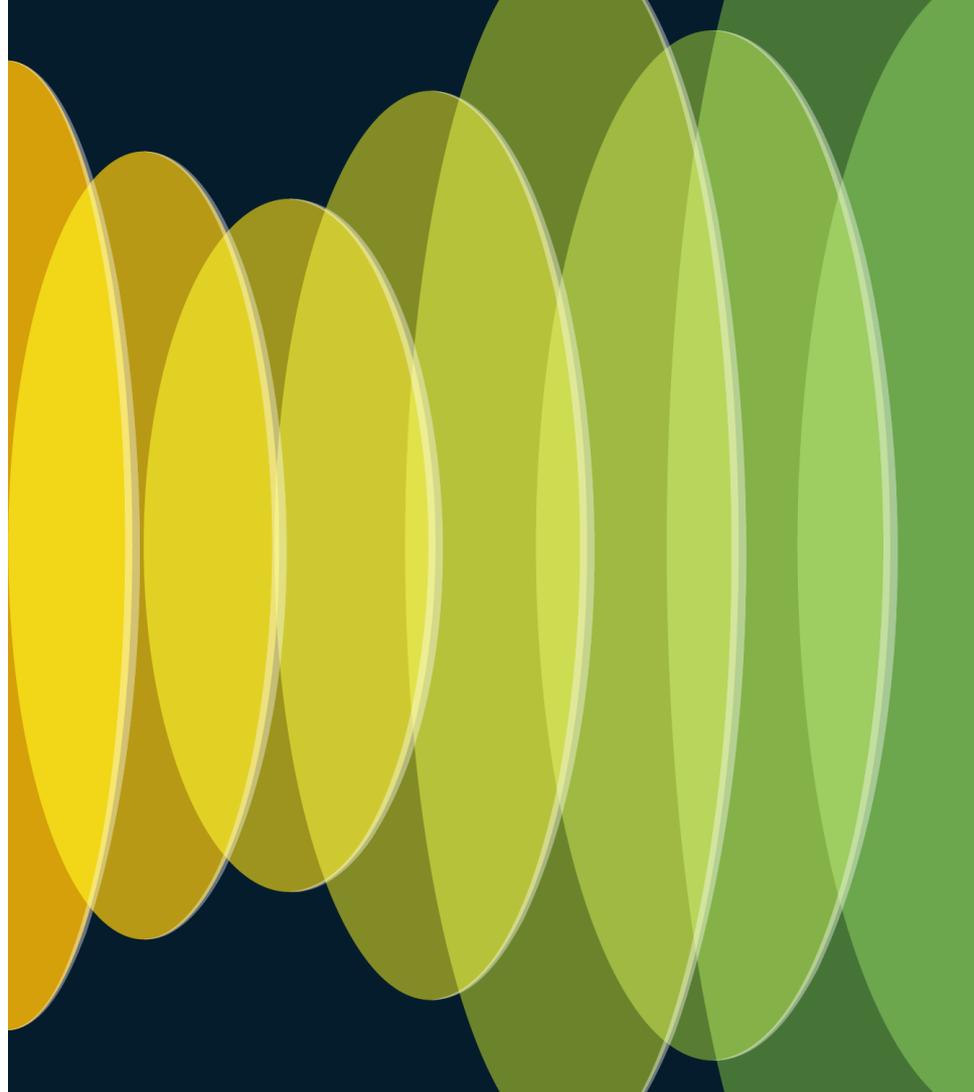
Best scaling Deployment: Dual Layer Load Balancers to the Collectors



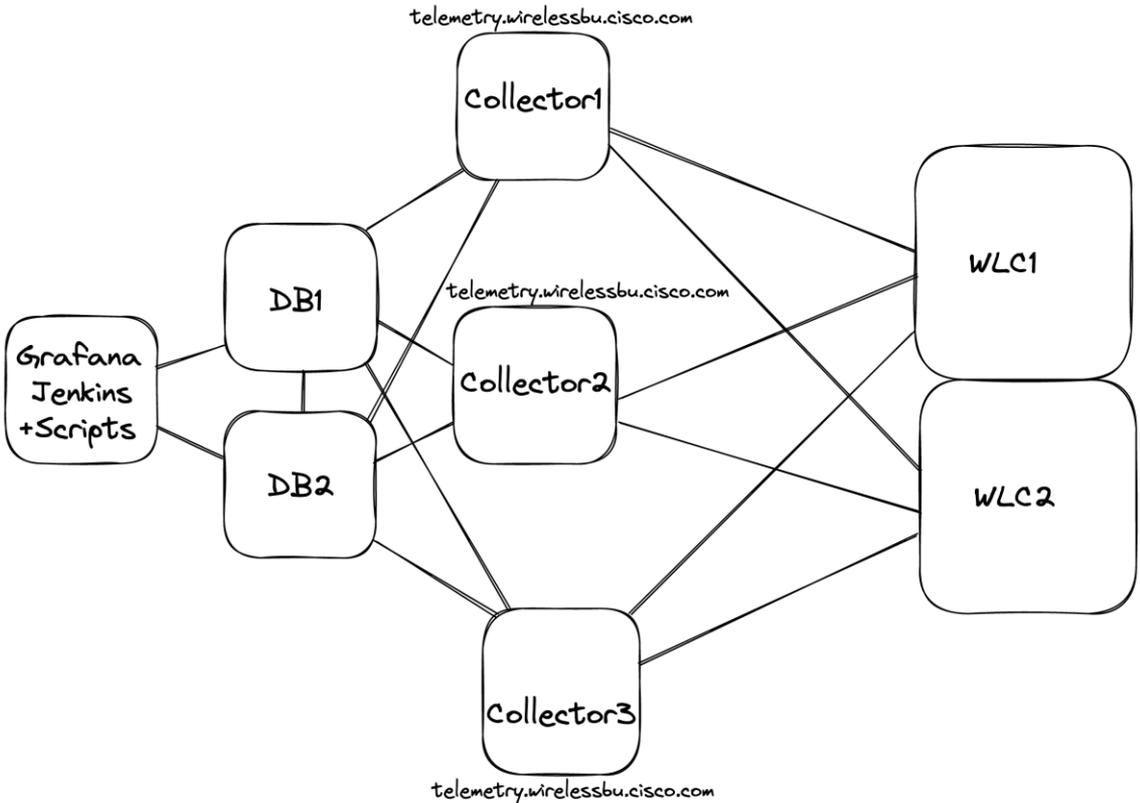
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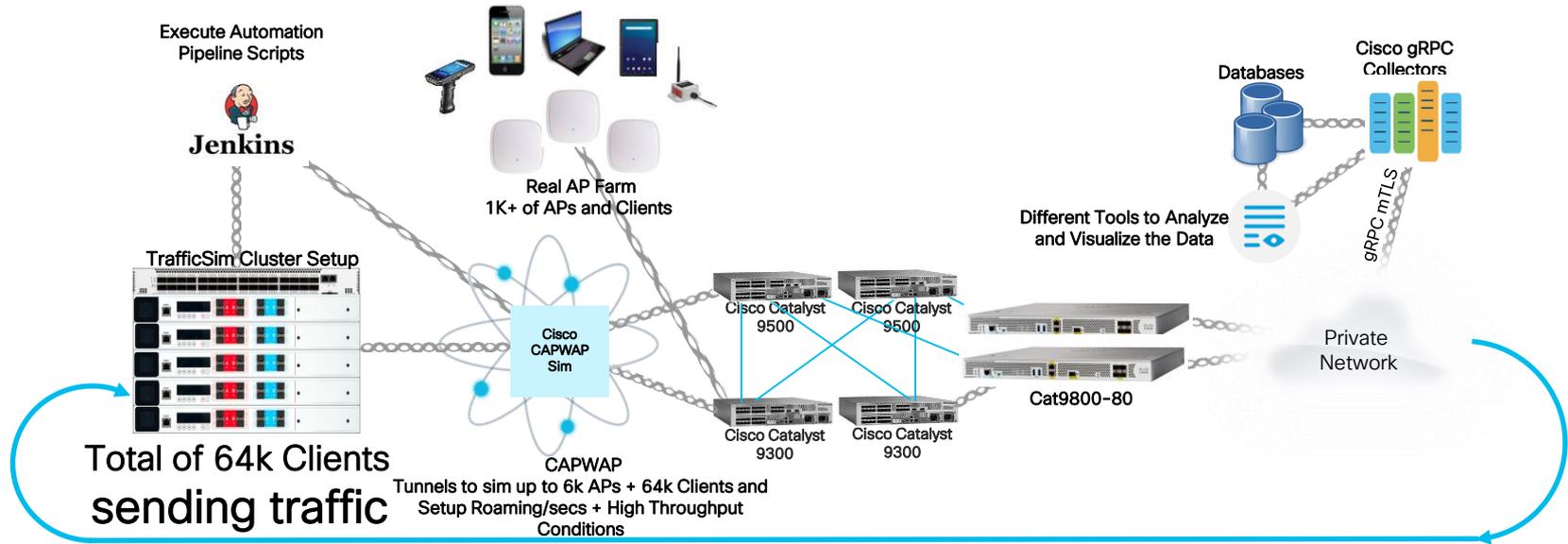
Performance and Validation



Performance and Validation: gRPC Streaming Telemetry Validation Lab



Testing and Validation at Scale with Wireless BU Team



Testing and Validation at Scale with Wireless BU Team

4k x APs + 15k Clients with ~25+ xPath Subscriptions

```
C9800-80-WLC:sh ap summary  
Number of APs: 4002
```

AP Name	Slots	AP Model	Ethernet MAC	Radio MAC	Location	Country	IP Address	State
EWLC-ASIM2-JSATHURA-AP-1	3	C9130AXE-B	002c.3400.02f0	002c.3400.0200	default-location	US	120.1.180.20	Registered
EWLC-ASIM2-JSATHURA-AP-2	3	C9130AXE-B	002c.3400.03f0	002c.3400.0300	default-location	US	120.1.180.21	Registered
EWLC-ASIM2-JSATHURA-AP-3	3	C9130AXE-B	002c.3400.04f0	002c.3400.0400	default-location	US	120.1.180.22	Registered
EWLC-ASIM2-JSATHURA-AP-4	3	C9130AXE-B	002c.3400.05f0	002c.3400.0500	default-location	US	120.1.180.23	Registered
EWLC-ASIM2-JSATHURA-AP-5	3	C9130AXE-B	002c.3400.06f0	002c.3400.0600	default-location	US	120.1.180.24	Registered
EWLC-ASIM2-JSATHURA-AP-6	3	C9130AXE-B	002c.3400.07f0	002c.3400.0700	default-location	US	120.1.180.25	Registered
EWLC-ASIM2-JSATHURA-AP-7	3	C9130AXE-B	002c.3400.08f0	002c.3400.0800	default-location	US	120.1.180.26	Registered

```
C9800-80-WLC:sh wireless client summary  
Number of Clients: 15000
```

MAC Address	AP Name	Type	ID	State	Protocol	Method	Role
0000.0134.0001	EWLC-ASIM3-JSATHURA-AP-1	WLAN	13	Run	11a	None	Local
0000.0134.0002	EWLC-ASIM3-JSATHURA-AP-1	WLAN	13	Run	11a	None	Local
0000.0134.0003	EWLC-ASIM3-JSATHURA-AP-1	WLAN	13	Run	11a	None	Local
0000.0134.0004	EWLC-ASIM3-JSATHURA-AP-1	WLAN	13	Run	11a	None	Local
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Testing and Validation at Scale with Wireless BU Team

4k x APs + 15k Clients with ~25+ XPath Subscriptions and 300 roaming/sec

Client roaming rate

```
C9800-80-WLC:sh wireless stats mobility
Mobility event statistics:
  Joined as
    Local          : 10000
    Foreign        : 0
    Export foreign  : 0
    Export anchor  : 0
  Delete
    Local          : 5000
    Remote         : 0
  Role changes
    Local to anchor : 0
    Anchor to local : 0
  Roam stats
    L2 roam count   : 75
    L3 roam count   : 0
    Flex client roam count : 0
    Inter-WNCd roam count : 75
    Intra-WNCd roam count : 0
    Remote inter-cntrl roam count : 0
    Remote WebAuth pending roams : 0
  Anchor Request
    Sent           : 0
    Grant received : 0
    Deny received : 0
    Received       : 0
    Grant sent     : 0
    Deny sent     : 0
  Handoff Status Received
    Success        : 425
    Group mismatch : 0
    Client unknown  : 0
    Client blacklisted : 0
    SSID mismatch  : 0
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Increase of roaming rate

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    Export foreign  : 0
    Export anchor  : 0
  Delete
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    Remote         : 0
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    Anchor to local : 0
  Roam stats
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    L3 roam count   : 0
    Flex client roam count : 0
    Inter-WNCd roam count : 400
    Intra-WNCd roam count : 0
    Remote inter-cntrl roam count : 0
    Remote WebAuth pending roams : 0
  Anchor Request
    Sent           : 0
    Grant received : 0
    Deny received : 0
    Received       : 0
    Grant sent     : 0
    Deny sent     : 0
  Handoff Status Received
    Success        : 425
    Group mismatch : 0
    Client unknown  : 0
    Client blacklisted : 0
    SSID mismatch  : 0
```

Results of Performance and Validation at Scale

4k x APs + 15k Clients with ~25+ XPath Subscriptions and 300

```
rc@c9800-80-WLC:show telemetry internal subscription all stats
Telemetry subscription stats:
```

Subscription ID	Msgs Sent	Msgs Drop	Bytes Sent	Connection Info
375	7704	0	29627	(9.1.0.3:57666)
374	7640	0	32960	(9.1.0.3:57666)
373	7636	0	33263	(9.1.0.3:57666)
372	7631	0	32960	(9.1.0.3:57666)
371	7638	0	33869	(9.1.0.3:57666)
361	7161	0	32618	(9.1.0.3:57666)
354	7139	0	40999	(9.1.0.3:57666)
353	7150	0	50651	(9.1.0.3:57666)
352	7181	0	51403	(9.1.0.3:57666)
351	7137	0	35508	(9.1.0.3:57666)
341	1463	0	1381034	(9.1.0.3:57666)
331	154	0	713950	(9.1.0.3:57666)
322	21555	0	139335	(9.1.0.3:57666)
321	4366	0	20921	(9.1.0.3:57666)
311	1548	0	13073	(9.1.0.3:57666)
304	2528	0	24864	(9.1.0.3:57666)
303	2528	0	19964	(9.1.0.3:57666)
302	2528	0	26439	(9.1.0.3:57666)
301	2527	0	20489	(9.1.0.3:57666)
171	441705	0	73319656	(9.1.0.3:57666)
170	4620	0	24065	(9.1.0.3:57666)
169	4620	0	25353	(9.1.0.3:57666)
168	4628	0	25905	(9.1.0.3:57666)
167	4625	0	26089	(9.1.0.3:57666)
166	4612	0	26641	(9.1.0.3:57666)
165	441867	0	77322937	(9.1.0.3:57666)
164	4618	0	24801	(9.1.0.3:57666)
163	4619	0	24801	(9.1.0.3:57666)
162	4615	0	24985	(9.1.0.3:57666)
161	4365	0	30073	(9.1.0.3:57666)
160	4364	0	26553	(9.1.0.3:57666)
159	4364	0	25849	(9.1.0.3:57666)
158	1547	0	18257	(9.1.0.3:57666)
157	1547	0	17825	(9.1.0.3:57666)
156	1547	0	19229	(9.1.0.3:57666)

155	1547	0	17177	(9.1.0.3:57666)
154	1547	0	20417	(9.1.0.3:57666)
153	1547	0	16961	(9.1.0.3:57666)
152	139347	0	26352513	(9.1.0.3:57666)
151	1547	0	20201	(9.1.0.3:57666)
150	140261	0	25944894	(9.1.0.3:57666)
149	94	0	14711	(9.1.0.3:57666)
148	138	0	14993	(9.1.0.3:57666)
147	1546	0	17285	(9.1.0.3:57666)
145	1640354	0	317201638	(9.1.0.3:57666)
144	7633	0	79251	(9.1.0.3:57666)
143	2310	0	636290	(9.1.0.3:57666)
142	462	0	186069	(9.1.0.3:57666)
141	462	0	151051	(9.1.0.3:57666)
140	462	0	28621	(9.1.0.3:57666)
139	26681	0	9837471	(9.1.0.3:57666)
138	462	0	36426124	(9.1.0.3:57666)
137	693	0	4009315	(9.1.0.3:57666)
136	693	0	71587	(9.1.0.3:57666)
135	693	0	71587	(9.1.0.3:57666)
134	45045	0	154153819	(9.1.0.3:57666)
133	462	0	57727	(9.1.0.3:57666)
132	462	0	72973	(9.1.0.3:57666)
131	462	0	129106	(9.1.0.3:57666)
130	462	0	1607506	(9.1.0.3:57666)

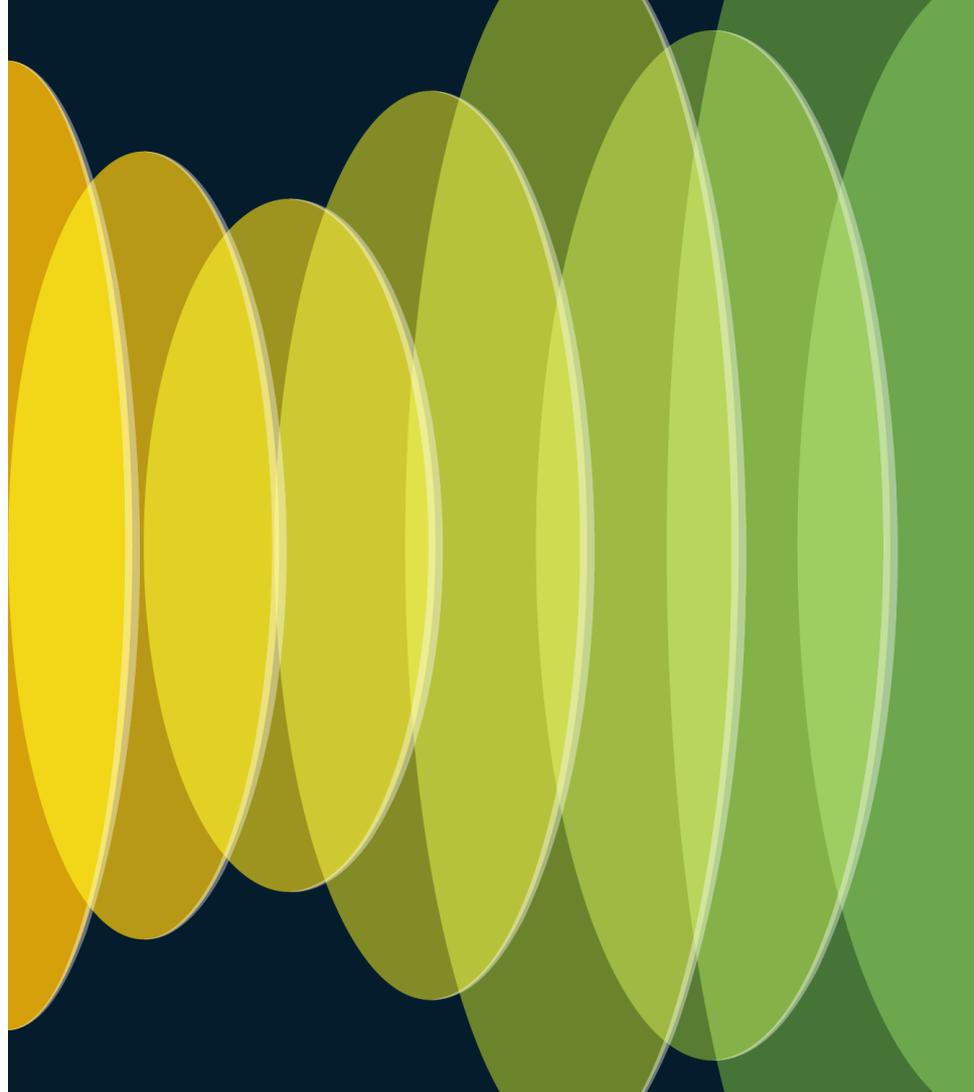
For your reference:

Most stable IOS-XE version for gRPC: 17.12.3 and higher

List of recommended Wireless XPath at scale with Time Period:

/wireless-access-point-oper:access-point-oper-data/ethernet-mac-wtp-mac-map	15 mins
/wireless-access-point-oper:access-point-oper-data/capwap-data	15 mins
/wireless-access-point-oper:access-point-oper-data/cdp-cache-data/	15 mins
/wireless-access-point-oper:access-point-oper-data/radio-oper-stats	60 secs
/wireless-access-point-oper:access-point-oper-data/radio-oper-data	180 secs
/wireless-access-point-oper:access-point-oper-data/oper-data	180 secs
/wireless-rrm-oper:rrm-oper-data/rrm-measurement	180 secs
/wireless-client-oper:client-oper-data/dot11-oper-data	180 secs
/wireless-client-oper:client-oper-data/common-oper-data	15 mins
/wireless-client-oper:client-oper-data/policy-data	60 secs
/wireless-client-oper:client-oper-data/sisf-db-mac/ipv4-binding/ip-key/ip-addr	15 mins
/wireless-client-oper:client-oper-data/traffic-stats	180 secs
/lldp-ios-xe-oper:lldp-entries/lldp-state-details	60 secs
/device-hardware-xe-oper:device-hardware-data/device-hardware	15 mins
/wireless-mobility-oper:mobility-oper-data/mobility-node-data/ulink-status	60 secs
/process-cpu-ios-xe-oper:cpu-usage/cpu-utilization/one-minute	60 secs
/platform-sw-ios-xe-oper:cisco-platform-software/control-processes	60 secs
/environment-ios-xe-oper:environment-sensors/environment-sensor	60 secs
/lldp-ios-xe-oper:lldp-entries/lldp-intf-details	60 secs
/interfaces-ios-xe-oper:interfaces/interface	60 secs
/platform-ios-xe-oper:components/component	60 secs
/mdt-oper-v2:mdt-oper-v2-data	60 secs
/wireless-access-point-oper:access-point-oper-data/radio-oper-data/radio-band-info	180 secs
/Cisco-IOS-XE-platform-software-oper	120 secs
/mdns-oper:mdns-oper-data/mdns-global-stats	300 secs
Cisco-IOS-XE-wireless-client-global-oper	300 secs
/aaa-ios-xe-oper:aaa-data/aaa-radius-global-stats	300 secs

Real World Scenarios



Real-world Scenario 1: Monitor & Track CPU/Memory

Monitor Top 32 Processes for CPU/Memory (WNCD, pubd, SNMP, odm, repm, smand etc)

CLI: show processes cpu platform sorted

show process memory platform sorted

17.14.1 XPath: Cisco-IOS-XE-platform-software-oper

```
<rpc xmlns="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:netconf:base:1.0" message-id="101">
  <get>
    <filter>
      <cisco-platform-software xmlns="http://cisco.com/ns/yang/Cisco-IOS-XE-platform-software-oper">
        <system-resource>
          <process-cpu/>
        </system-resource>
      </cisco-platform-software>
    </filter>
  </get>
</rpc>
```

Monitor & Track CPU/Memory (Our Famous WNCd)



Real World Scenario 2 : Track mDNS Scale (EDU)

Apple Continuity service (mDNS) enabled leading to high WNCD CPU.
9105w APs seeing flood of mDNS from wired network causing sluggishness to Clients

CLI: show mdns-sd statistics

XPath: /mdns-oper:mdns-oper-data/mdns-global-stats

Configuration > Services > mDNS

Global Service Policy mDNS Flex Profile

mDNS Gateway

ENABLED

Transport

ipv4

Active-Query Timer *

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mDNS-AP Service Policy

default-mdns-service

Clear

mdns global stats sent										
Time	pk sent	pk sent v4	pk sent adv v4	pk sent query v4	pk sent v6	pk sent adv v6	pk sent query v6	pk sent mcast	pk sent mcast v4	pk sent mcast v6
2023-03-17 06:36:57	36	36	0	36	0	0	0	36	36	0
2023-03-17 06:37:27	36	36	0	36	0	0	0	36	36	0
2023-03-17 06:37:57	36	36	0	36	0	0	0	36	36	0
2023-03-17 06:38:27	36	36	0	36	0	0	0	36	36	0
2023-03-17 06:38:57	36	36	0	36	0	0	0	36	36	0

mdns global stats received									
Time	pk received	pk received adv	pk received query	pk received v4	pk received adv v4	pk received query v4	pk received v6	pk received adv v6	pk received query v6
2023-03-17 06:31:27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2023-03-17 06:31:57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2023-03-17 06:32:27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2023-03-17 06:32:57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2023-03-17 06:33:27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

mdns global stats other queries									
Time	pk dropped	pr-query	sv-query	e-query	aaaa-query	tbl-query	any-query	other-query	
2023-03-17 06:31:27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2023-03-17 06:31:57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2023-03-17 06:32:27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2023-03-17 06:32:57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2023-03-17 06:33:27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Real World Scenario 5 : Controller Plane Monitoring - WLC

Monitor Client Delete Reasons.

Delete Reason Codes

CLI: show wireless stats client detail

XPath: Cisco-IOS-XE-wireless-client-global-oper

```
Total client delete reasons
-----
Controller deletes
-----
-----
Connection timeout                : 67
WPA key exchange timeout          : 286
802.11w MAX SA queries reached   : 816
Inter instance roam success      : 16463 --> Good
Due to mobility failure          : 164
DOT11r pre-authentication failure : 1004
SAE authentication failure       : 1948
DOT11 failure                    : 4
DOT11 IE validation failed       : 6
DOT11 group cipher in IE validation failed : 5
DOT11 invalid AKM               : 8
DOT11 received invalid PMKID in the received RSN IE : 19165 --> Result in Failed Roaming. Some failures are expected.
Client EAP ID timeout            : 661
wrong replay counter             : 4
MIC validation failed            : 7
MAC theft                        : 2
IP theft                         : 15 --> Problem
Wrong PSK                        : 37
AAA server unavailable           : 6
L2-AUTH connection timeout       : 43
Mobility connection timeout      : 2
IP-LEARN connection timeout      : 504
SAE Commit received in Associated State : 18630 --> Result in Delayed Roaming ~1sec
WPA group key update timeout     : 543
```

Real World Scenario 4 : Prevent Radius Server Meltdowns

Monitor high Radius Failures, latency, Accounting updates to Radius Servers

CLI: show aaa servers brief , show aaa servers, show radius stats

XPath: Cisco-IOS-XE-aaa-oper

/aaa-ios-xe-oper:aaa-data/aaa-radius-stats

/aaa-ios-xe-oper:aaa-data/aaa-radius-global-stats

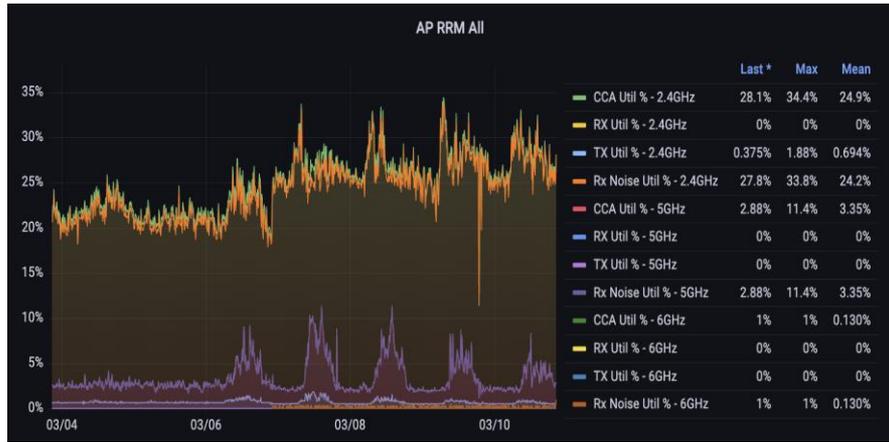
The screenshot displays a network configuration tool interface. On the left, a tree view shows the configuration hierarchy under 'Cisco-IOS-XE-aaa-oper'. The 'aaa-radius-global-stats' node is selected, showing a 'presence' status. On the right, the XML output for this node is shown, including the XPath path and the XML structure.

```
<rpc xmlns="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:netconf:base:1.0" message-id="101">
  <get>
    <filter>
      <aaa-data xmlns="http://cisco.com/ns/yang/Cisco-IOS-XE-aaa-oper">
        <aaa-radius-global-stats/>
      </aaa-data>
    </filter>
  </get>
</rpc>
```

Real world Scenario 4 - High Interferers in 2.4Ghz

WLC Clean air: High Interferers in 2.4Ghz leading to high WNCD CPU:

XPath: /wireless-rrm-oper:rrm-oper-data/rrm-measurement
/wireless-rrm-oper:rrm-oper-data/spectrum-device-table



Dashboard Overview:

- Wireless Life: 5
- Access Points: 808
- Active Clients: 81
- APs: 592
- Issues: 23
- Interferers: 251633

cluster_id	idr_data/detecting_ap_mac	idr_data/class_type_enum	idr_data/affected_channel_list
c1:00:00:00:01:f7	74:11:b2:bf:ef:30	pmac-dev-id-bt	1,2,3
c1:00:00:00:01:f7	74:11:b2:bf:ef:30	pmac-dev-id-bt	1,2,3
c1:00:00:00:01:f7	74:11:b2:bf:ef:30	pmac-dev-id-bt	1,2,3
c1:00:00:00:01:f8	74:11:b2:bf:ef:30	pmac-dev-id-bt	10,11
c1:00:00:00:01:f8	74:11:b2:bf:ef:30	pmac-dev-id-bt	1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11



Real World Scenario 5: Data Plane Monitoring

CLI:show platform hardware chassis active qfp feature wireless punt statistics
xPath: In-progress

```
WLC#show platform hardware chassis active qfp feature wireless punt statistics
Load for five secs: 2%/0%; one minute: 3%; five minutes: 5%
Time source is NTP, 12:55:43.809 PDT Thu April 30 2024

CPP Wireless Punt stats:

```

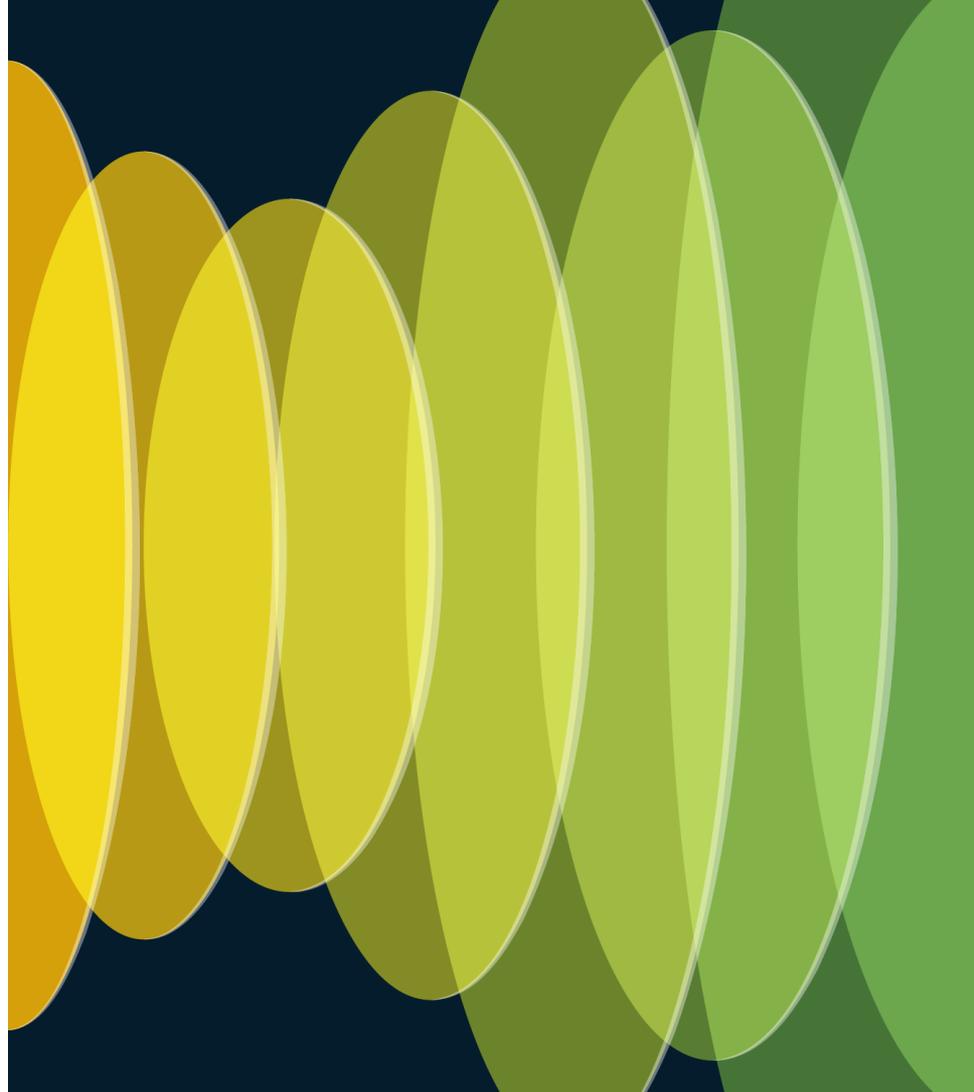
App Tag	Packet Count
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_DOT11_PROBE_REQ	17631623
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_DOT11_MGMT	5467005
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_DOT11_IAPP	21226789
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_DOT11_RFID	0
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_DOT11_RRM	0
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_DOT11_DOT1X	222793
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_CAPWAP_KEEPALIVE	1884742
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_MOBILITY_KEEPALIVE	54977
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_CAPWAP_CNTRL	108411828
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_CAPWAP_DATA	0
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_CAPWAP_DATA_PAT	1547
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_MOBILITY_CNTRL	31398
WLS_SMD_WEBAUTH	0
SISF_PKT_TYPE_ARP	376561
SISF_PKT_TYPE_DHCP	107490
SISF_PKT_TYPE_DHCP6	80339
SISF_PKT_TYPE_IPV6_ND	798456
SISF_PKT_TYPE_DATA_GLEAN	1936
SISF_PKT_TYPE_DATA_GLEAN_V6	26450
SISF_PKT_TYPE_DHCP_RELAY	0
WLCLIENT_PKT_TYPE_MDNS	0
CAPWAP_PKT_TYPE_CAPWAP_RESERVED	0

Real World Scenario – Big Picture/Demo

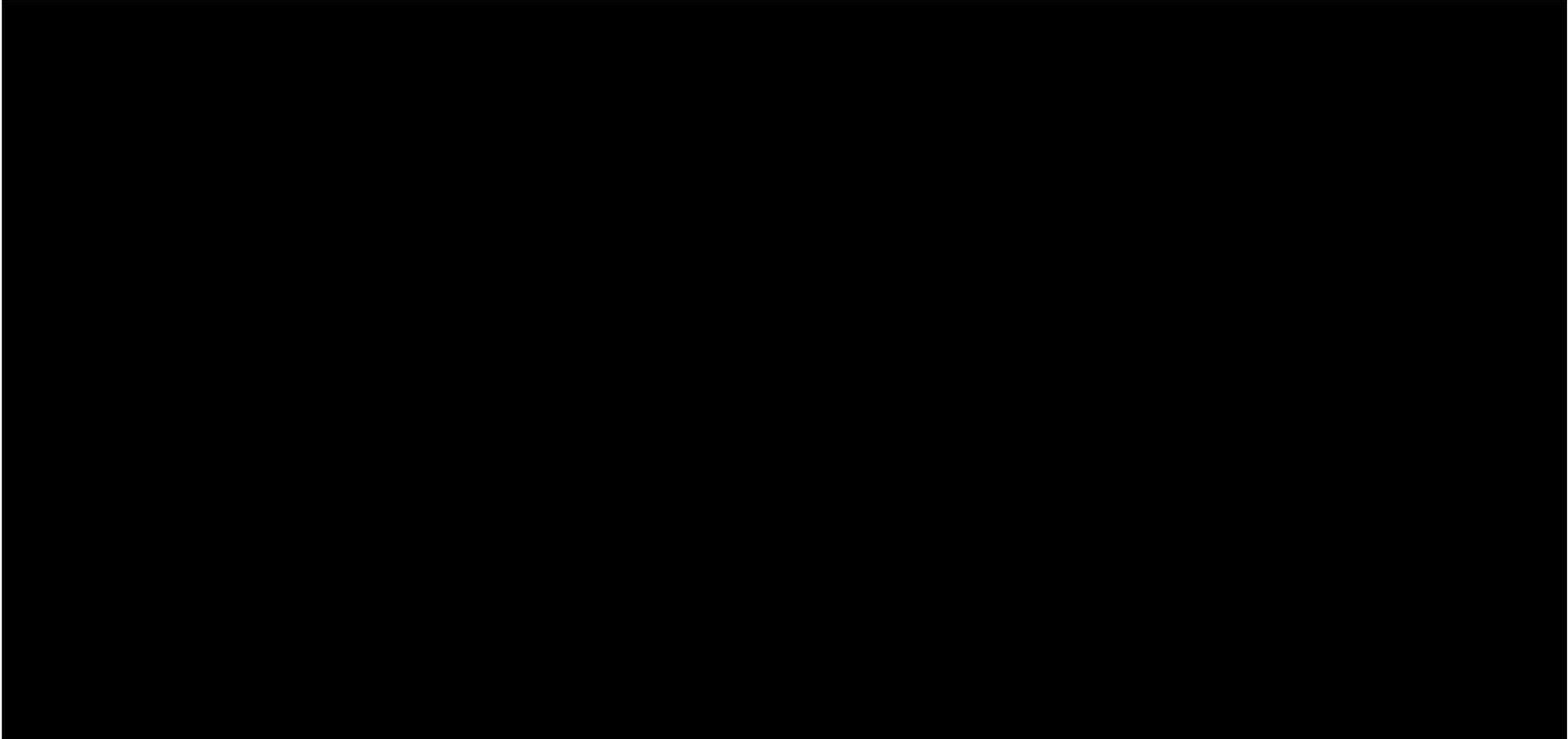


A Story

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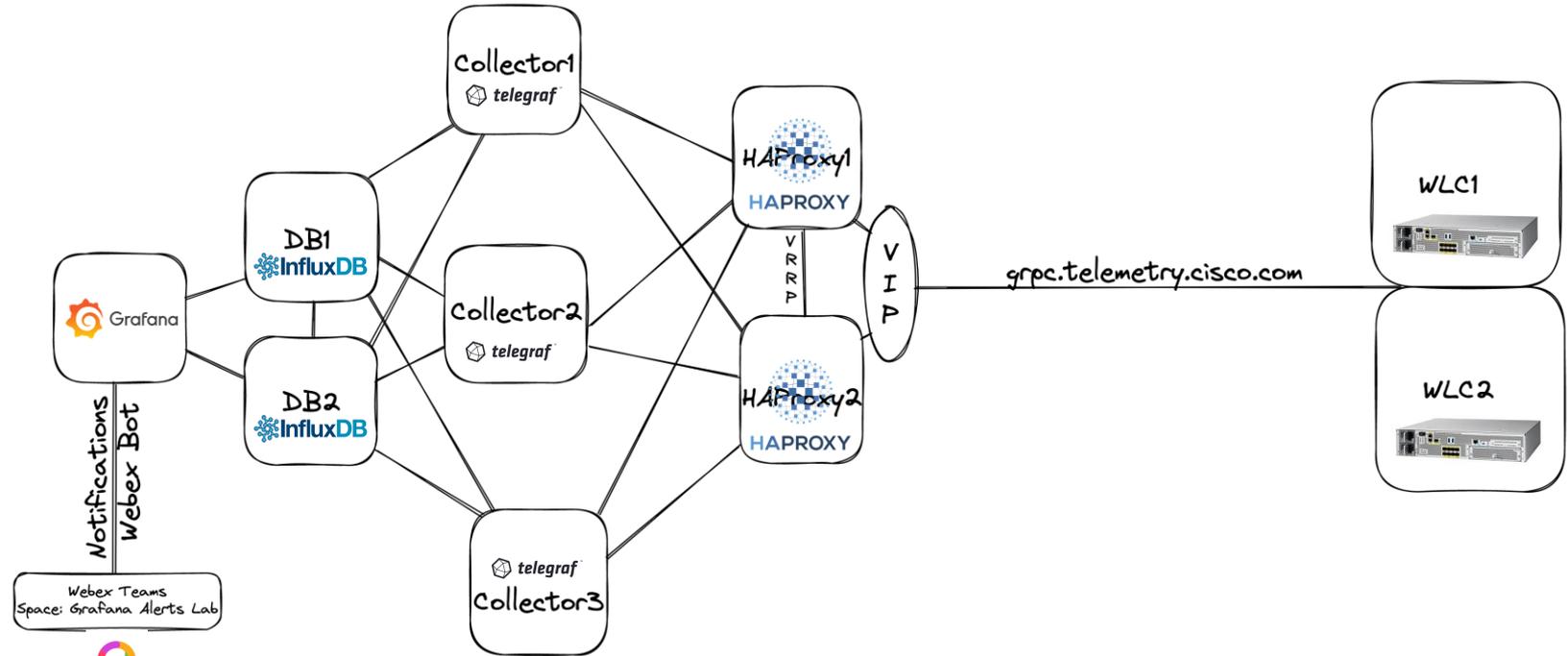
A Story – Real World





A Story: Demo Architecture Diagram

gRPC Streaming Telemetry Lab



```
Wireless LAN Controller (ssh) 161 | Load-Balancer1 (ssh) 162 | Load-Balancer2 (ssh) 163 | Collector1 (ssh) 164 | Collector2 (ssh) 165 | Collector3 (ssh) 166 |
RCEARABA-M-C25J:~ rceara$ ssh netadmin@10.93.178.70
(netadmin@10.93.178.70) Password:

wlc2.9840#show run | se telemetry
```

Lab Documentation

Try out gRPC in your own lab setup with:

- Setup Telegraf, InfluxDB and Grafana:

<https://github.com/rceara/Influx-Telegraf-Grafana>

- Setup HAProxy and Keepalived:

<https://github.com/rceara/HAProxy-Keepalived-Setup>

- Generate the certificates for your gRPC Collectors and WLCs:

<https://github.com/rceara/OpenSSL-Certificate-Generation>

- Setup your DNS Server for your FQDN collectors:

<https://github.com/rceara/BIND-Server-Setup>

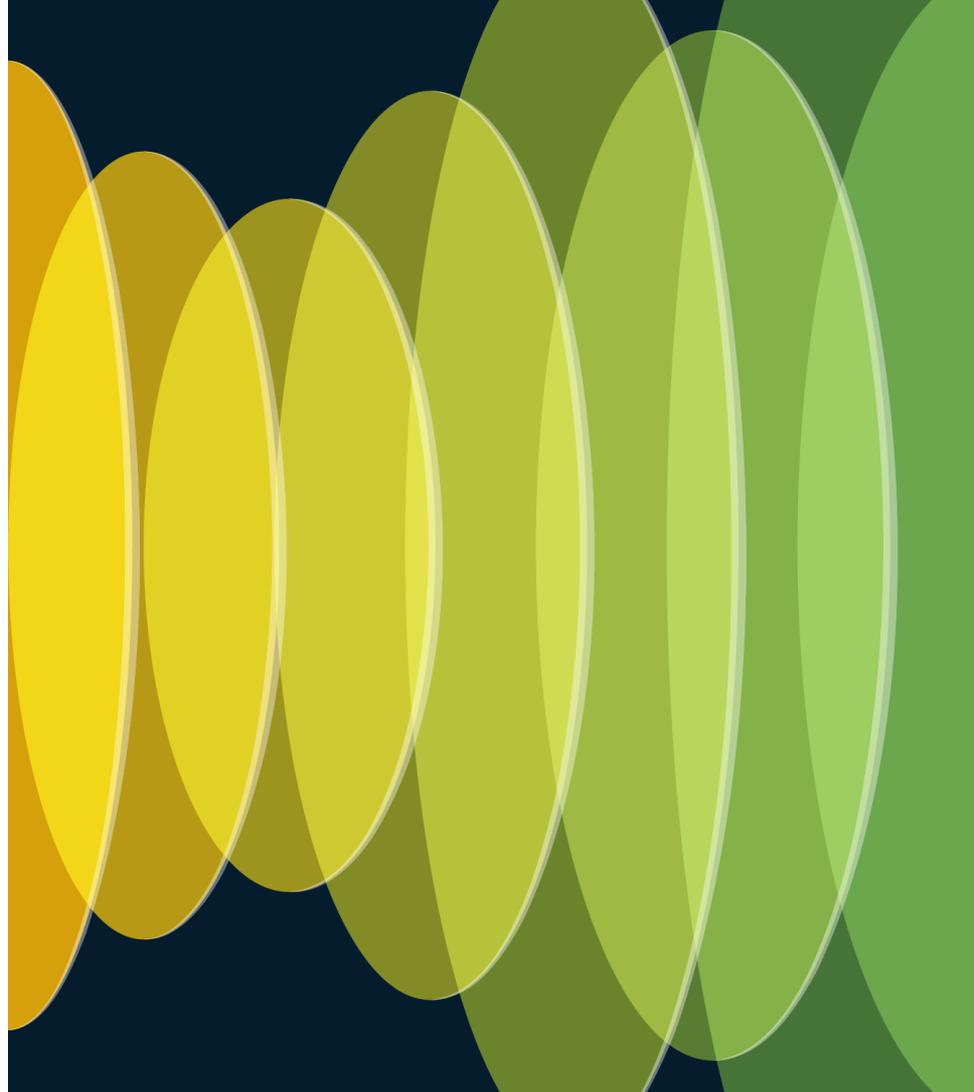
- Troubleshoot gRPC and MDT:

<https://github.com/rceara/gRPCTelemetryTroubleshooting>

- Demo Recording:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FPu-Wakh2Oo>

Takeaways



Takeaways

- MDT is becoming the new norm for monitoring and adoption is happening quickly.
- MDT is a solid and scalable solution that has full support from Cisco and there is good online documentation.
- Talk to your Cisco CX and Account team about MDT.
- Get familiar with MDT on DevNet Sandbox:
- https://developer.cisco.com/learning/labs/enabling_telemetry_on_iosxe/enabling-telemetry-on-ios-xe/
- If you want to learn more or need help please reach out to us:
 - Rafael Ceara - rcearaba@cisco.com
 - Salil Prabhu - saprabhu@cisco.com



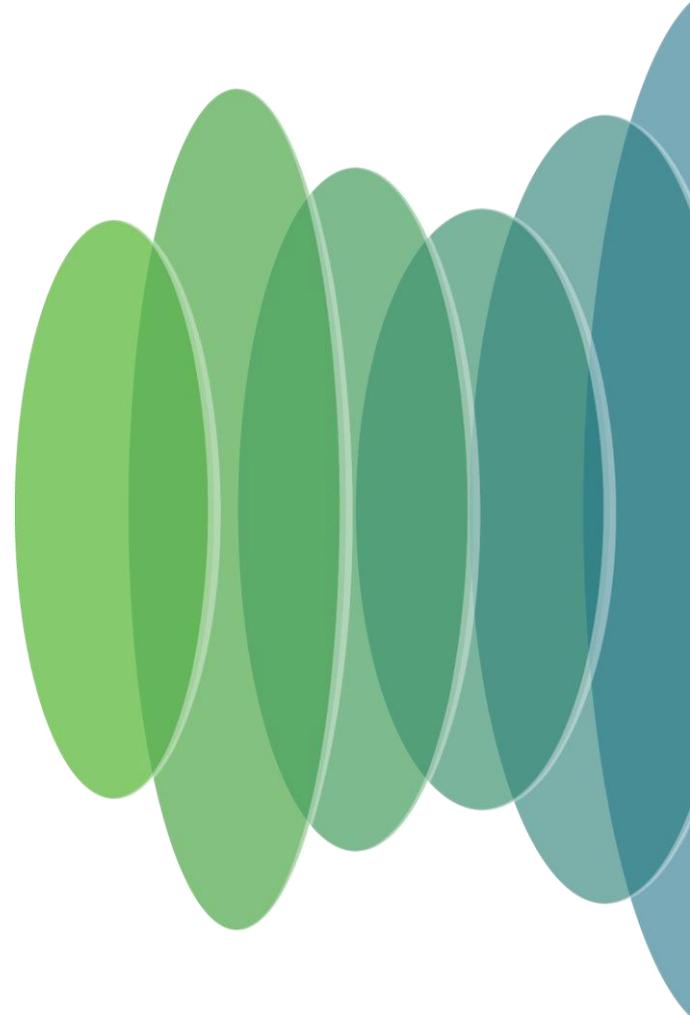
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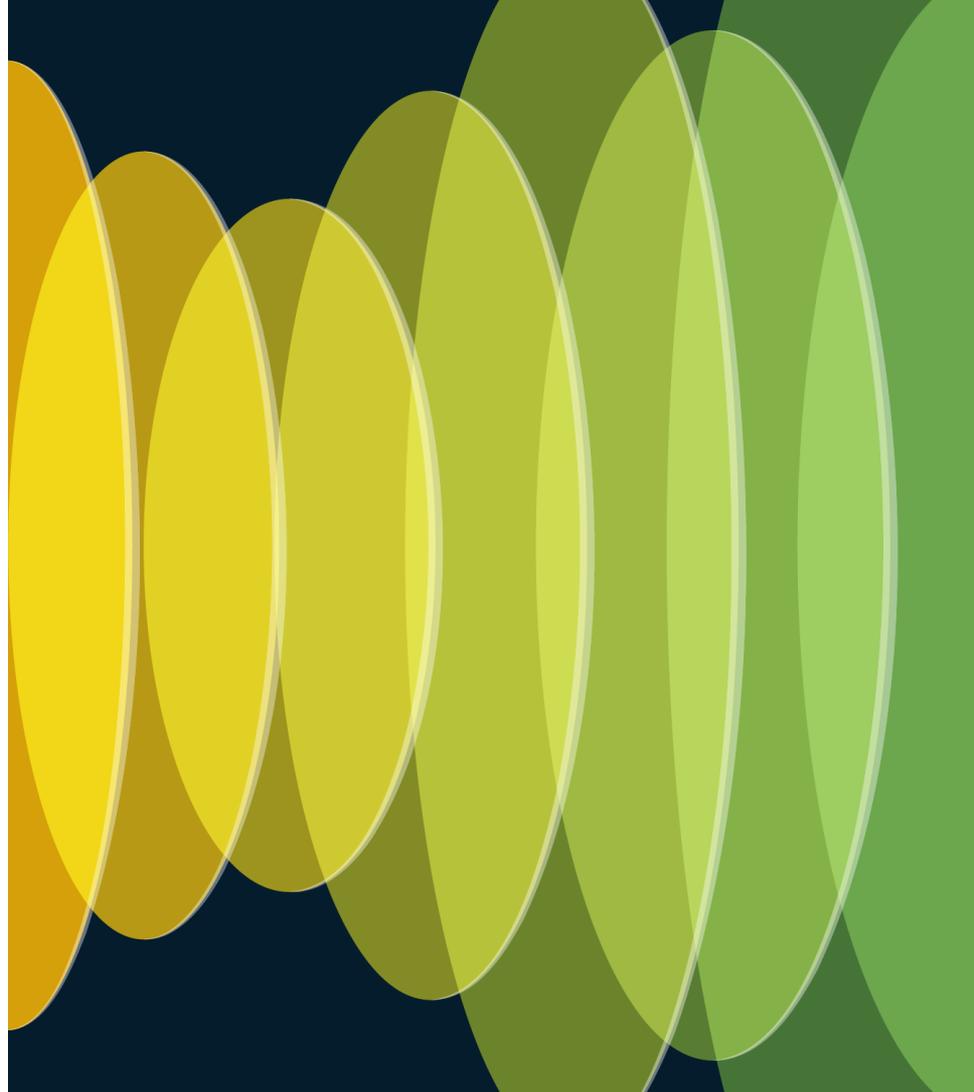
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#CiscoLive

Appendix



Demo Screenshot Slides



Defining your Telemetry configuration

```
telemetry ietf subscription 101
encoding encode-kvgpb
filter xpath /access-point-oper-data/capwap-data/wtp-mac
receiver-type protocol
source-address 10.93.178.70
stream yang-push
update-policy periodic 30000
receiver name rafa-testing
telemetry ietf subscription 102
encoding encode-kvgpb
filter xpath /access-point-oper-data/capwap-data/ap-state/ap-admin-state
receiver-type protocol
source-address 10.93.178.70
stream yang-push
update-policy periodic 30000
receiver name rafa-testing
telemetry ietf subscription 103
encoding encode-kvgpb
filter xpath /access-point-oper-data/cdp-cache-data/cdp-cache-device-id
receiver-type protocol
source-address 10.93.178.70
stream yang-push
update-policy periodic 30000
receiver name rafa-testing
telemetry ietf subscription 104
encoding encode-kvgpb
filter xpath /access-point-oper-data/ssid-counters/num-assoc-clients
receiver-type protocol
source-address 10.93.178.70
stream yang-push
update-policy periodic 30000
receiver name rafa-testing
telemetry ietf subscription 105
encoding encode-kvgpb
filter xpath /access-point-oper-data/oper-data/ap-prime-info/primary-controller-name
receiver-type protocol
source-address 10.93.178.70
stream yang-push
update-policy periodic 30000
receiver name rafa-testing
telemetry ietf subscription 106
encoding encode-kvgpb
filter xpath /access-point-oper-data/capwap-data/country-code
receiver-type protocol
source-address 10.93.178.70
stream yang-push
update-policy periodic 30000
receiver name rafa-testing
telemetry ietf subscription 107
encoding encode-kvgpb
--More--
```

```
wlc2.9840#show telemetry connection all
Telemetry connections
```

Index	Peer Address	Port	VRF	Source Address	State	State Description
632	10.93.178.177	57499	0	10.93.178.70	Active	Connection up
643	10.93.178.174	57499	0	10.93.178.70	Active	Connection up

```
wlc2.9840#
wlc2.9840#show tele
wlc2.9840#show telemetry conn
wlc2.9840#show telemetry connection 632 de
wlc2.9840#show telemetry connection 632 detail
Index          : 632
Peer Address   : 10.93.178.177
Port          : 57499
VRF           : 0
Source Address : 10.93.178.70
Type          : PROTOCOL
State         : Active
State Description : Connection up
Peer ID       : (10.93.178.177:57499)
Receiver Name  : rafa-testing3
Transport     : grpc-tls
Use Count     : 20
State Change Time : 03/20/23 05:17:35

wlc2.9840#
wlc2.9840#show telemetry connection 643 detail
Index          : 643
Peer Address   : 10.93.178.174
Port          : 57499
VRF           : 0
Source Address : 10.93.178.70
Type          : PROTOCOL
State         : Active
State Description : Connection up
Peer ID       : (10.93.178.174:57499)
Receiver Name  : rafa-testing3
Transport     : grpc-tls
Use Count     : 5
State Change Time : 03/20/23 05:28:53
```

Load balance your grpc traffic to the collectors

HAProxy

Statistics Report for pid 746016 on collector3

Load-Balancer1

> General process information

pid = 746016 (process #1, nbproc = 1, nbthread = 1)
 uptime = 0d 1h34m16s
 system limits: memmax = unlimited; ulimit-n = 524288
 maxsock = 524288; maxconn = 262120; maxpipes = 0
 current conns = 7; current pipes = 0/0; conn rate = 0/sec; bit rate = 0.815 kbps
 Running tasks: 0/23; idle = 100 %

Legend for server status:

- active UP
- active UP, going down
- active DOWN, going up
- active or backup DOWN
- active or backup DOWN for maintenance (MAINT)
- active or backup SOFT STOPPED for maintenance
- backup UP
- backup UP, going down
- backup DOWN, going up
- not checked

Note: "NOLB"/"DRAIN" = UP with load-balancing disabled.

Display option:

External resources:

- Primary site
- Updates (v2.4)
- Online manual
- Hide DOWN servers
- Disable refresh
- Refresh now
- CSV export
- JSON export (schema)

[X] Action processed successfully.

Queue		Session rate			Sessions				Bytes		Denied		Errors			Warnings		Server																				
Cur	Max	Limit	Cur	Max	Limit	Cur	Max	Limit	Total	LbTot	Last	In	Out	Req	Resp	Req	Conn	Resp	Retr	Redis	Status	LastChk	Wght	Act	Bck	Chk	Dwn	Dwntme	Thrtle									
Frontend			0	2	-	5	5		262 120	62		128 409	3 876 050	0	0	57					0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1h34m UP	0/0	0	0	0	0		
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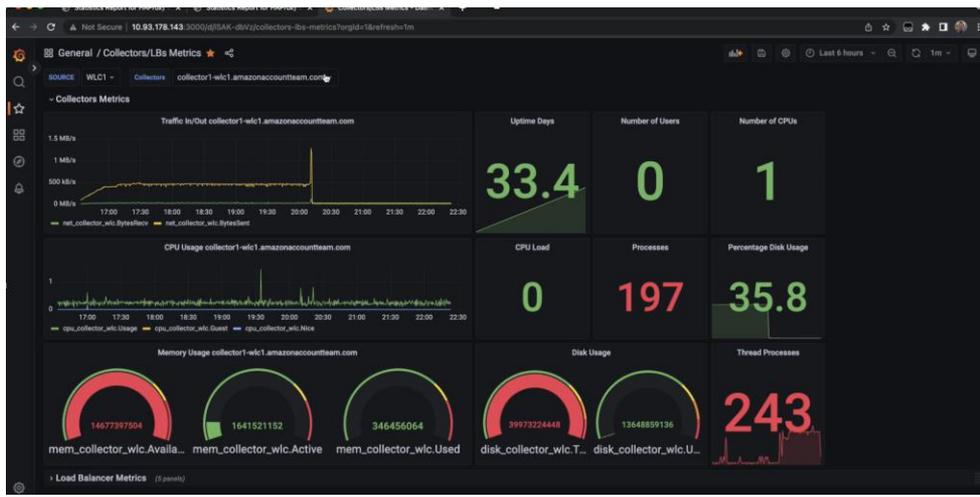
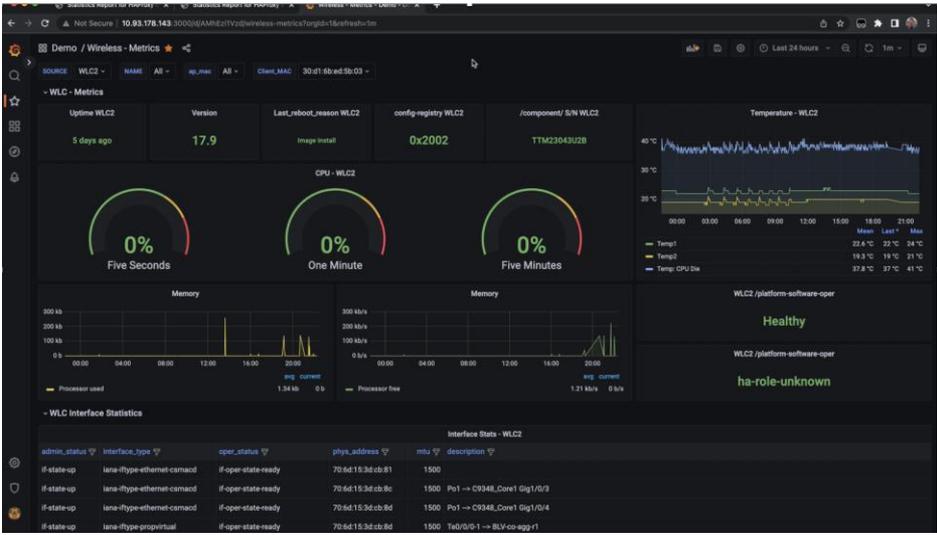
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Choose the action to perform on the checked servers : Apply



Visualizing and Monitoring your Infrastructure



Setting up the Alarms

Alert rules / Edit rule

Cancel Delete Save Save and exit

1 Set a query and alert condition

WLC2-Collector3 now-10s to now Make this the alert condition

FROM default Cisco-IOS-XE-interfaces-oper/interfaces/interface WHERE +

SELECT field(statistics/rx_kbps) +

GROUP BY +

TIMEZONE (optional) ORDER BY TIME descending

LIMIT (optional) SLIMIT (optional)

FORMAT AS Time series ALIAS Naming pattern

B Classic_conditions

Conditions WHEN last() OF A

IS BELOW 0

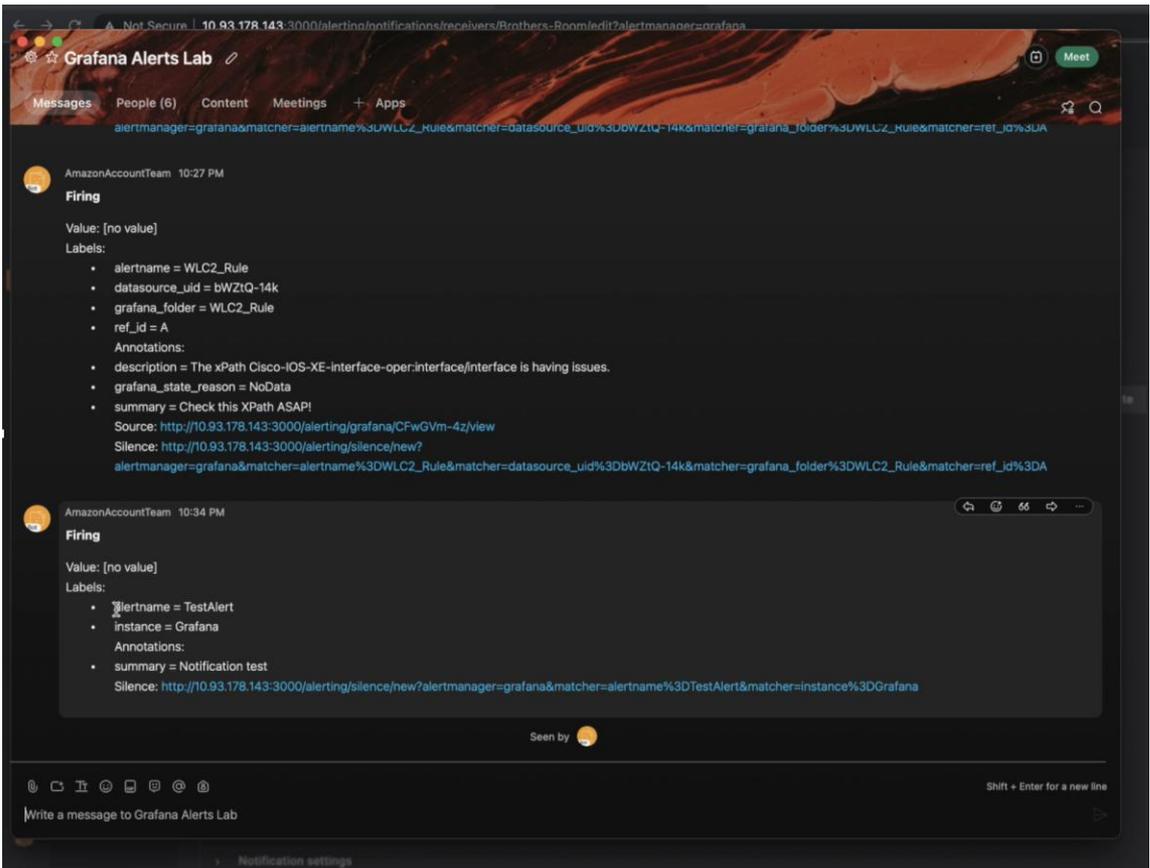
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IS ABOVE 1

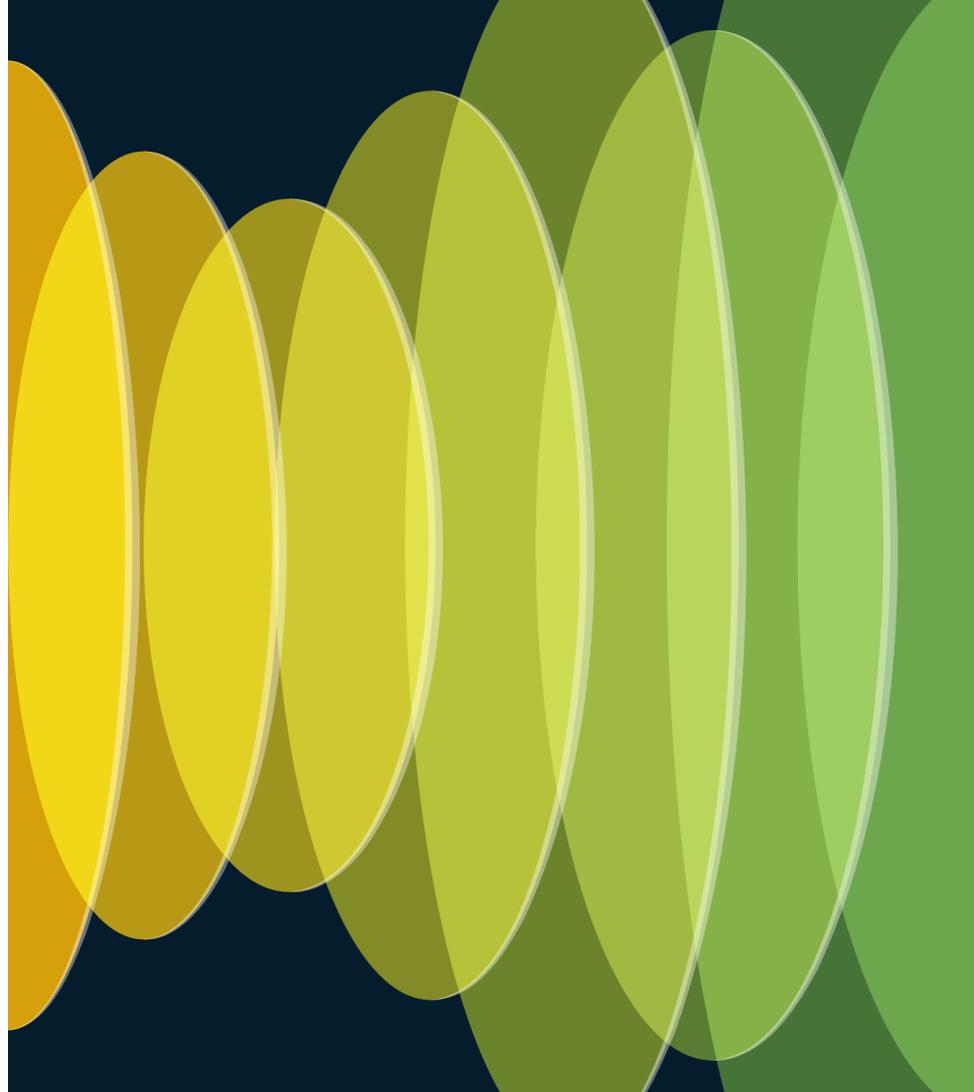
Alert condition

+ Add query + Add expression Preview

Alarms notifications to Webex Teams



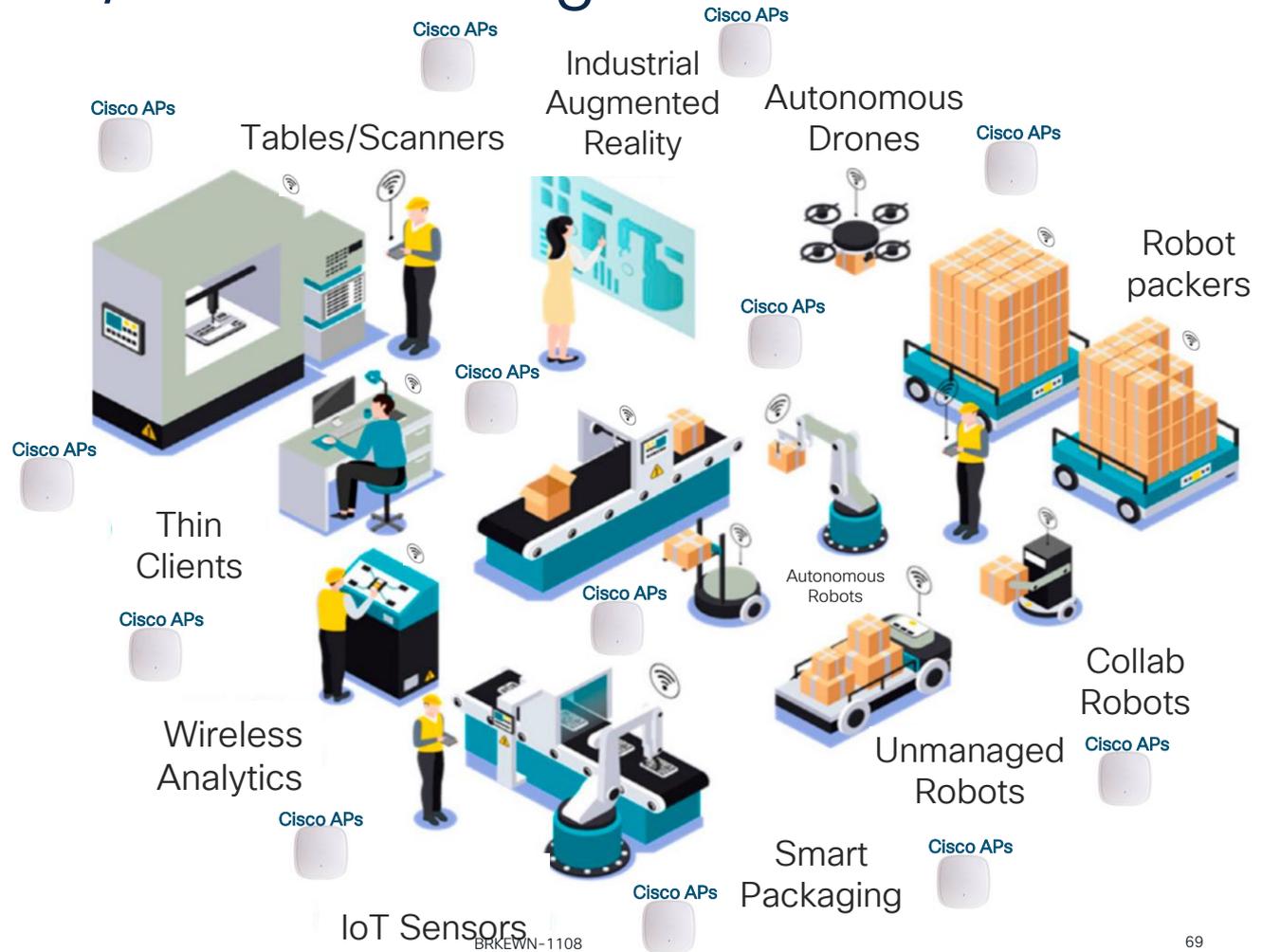
MDT Use-Cases Scenarios



Logistics/Industrial/Manufacturing Services

Metrics/KPIs:

- ✓ Inventory picking accuracy
- ✓ Orders Efficiency and Fill Rate
- ✓ Machinery Performance
- ✓ Network operational uptime
- ✓ Backorder rate
- ✓ Order lead times
- ✓ Cost Optimization
- ✓ Stock cycle time



Healthcare Services Metrics/KPIs:

- ✓ Critical Health Systems
- ✓ Emergency Services
- ✓ Nursing Care
- ✓ Hospital Environment
- ✓ Climate Management
- ✓ Location Tracking
- ✓ IoT Health Sensors
- ✓ Services Access
- ✓ Patient care
- ✓ Collab



Colleges/Universities Services

Metrics/KPIs:

- ✓ Student Services Access
- ✓ Location Tracking
- ✓ Occupancy Sensing
- ✓ EV Charging
- ✓ Buildings Surveillance
- ✓ Assets Management
- ✓ Smart Buildings
- ✓ IoT Sensors

Universities/Colleges

Campus Networks

