5G Provisioning management service to NRM

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Outline

• Configuration Management in 3GPP SA5
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  - Management Services (MnS)

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Configuration Management (CM)[1], in general, provides the operator with the ability to assure correct and effective operation of the 3G network as it evolves.

CM actions have the objective to control and monitor the actual configuration on the Network Elements (NEs) and Network Resources (NRs), and they may be initiated by the operator or by functions in the Operations Systems (OSs) or NEs.

BasicCmIRP [1]

KernelCmIRP [2]
• In TS 28.530[4], one of the principles that the 5G network management framework is built upon is to support service-based management.

### Requirements for NF provisioning service (28.531 [5])

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<td>The NF provisioning service producer shall have the capability to request NF management service producers working in the concerned NF instance to create and maintain the MOI(s) for it.</td>
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A management service (MnS) offers management capabilities. These management capabilities are accessed by management service consumers via standardized service interface composed of individually specified management service components. [7]

A Management Function (MnF) is a management entity whose externally-observable behaviour and interfaces are specified by 3GPP. [7]
MnS(s) in 3GPP

- **Generic provisioning management service**, e.g. createMOI operation, getMOIAttributes operation, etc.
- **Generic fault supervision MnS**, **Generic performance assurance MnS**
- **Performance assurance specific MnSs**:  
  - Measurement job control service for NF, Performance data file reporting service for NF, etc.
- **Fault Supervision management services**:  
  - FS Data Report for NF, FS Control for NF, etc.

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RESTful HTTP-based solution set of provisioning

Ref: TR 28.890 [9]
E-UTRAN NRM Inheritance Hierarchy [3]

Inheritance Hierarchy for NR NRM[8]

Inheritance Hierarchy for 5GC NRM[8]

• Considering so many IOCs, is it possible to do the NRM configuration using model-driven approach?
• **PNF Registration**: allows to register within ONAP-AAI a PNF resource instance.

• **Service configuration**: Once a PNF resource is registered, the infrastructure service instantiation flows are able to continue the service instantiation, by calling controllers, which in turn configure the PNF instance (Step 36-37): Configuration Parameter (optional), OAM IP address (optional), Transport configuration (optional), Location (optional), Software Version (optional).

Focus on in Dublin for configuration with NETCONF: **Post-instantiation** (triggered by SO), including final configuration step (36/37) in the PNF PnP UC.
Proposal: Integration of ONAP with 3GPP NRM configuration

- Integration of ONAP with 3GPP management for 5G networks on NRM configuration management:
  - Support service-based management
  - Resolve the huge number of IOCs adaptively during the NRM configuration

**Step 1 (SO-Controller) in R4**

```json
{  
  "actionIdentities": [  
    "actionName": "config-assign",  
    "blueprintName": "configuration_over_restconf",  
    "blueprintVersion": "1.0.0",  
    "mode": "sync"  
  ],  
  "commonHeader": [  
    "originatorId": "sdnc",  
    "requestId": "132456-0000",  
    "subRequestId": "sub-132456-0000"  
  ],  
  "payload": [  
    "config-assign-request": {  
      "resolution-key": "RES-KEY 4",  
      "config-assign-properties": [  
        "service-instance-id": "1111",  
        "gnfId": "nettopera",  
        "gnf-name": "10.149.89.237",  
        "service-model-uuid": "service-model-uuid",  
        "nfn-uuid": "nfn-uuid",  
        "nfn-customization-uuid": "nfn-customization-uuid"  
      ]  
    }  
  ]
}
```

**R5/R6:**

config-modify restful

**nrmObj:**

- "EUtranGenericCell" : [
  { "cellLocalId" : 1, "pci" : 5},
  { "cellLocalId" : 2, "pci" : 6},
  []
]
- "ExternalEUtranCell" : [
  { "cellLocalId" : 1, "eNBId" : x},
  { "cellLocalId" : 2, "eNBId" : y},
  []
]
- "EUtranRelation" : []

**Step 2a–2x: NRM configuration request to provisioning MnS provider (Ref [6])**

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Some scenarios

A. Configuration for NR NRM

ONAP

SO

A&AI

Controller

CDS

Blueprint Processor

RestComponent

createMOI

3GPP MnS Provider

nrmObj:

"NRCellDU" : [
    { "nCI" :1, "nRPCI" :5},
    { "nCI" :2, "nRPCI" :6}]

"NRCellRelation" : [
    { "Id" :1," nRTCI" :x},
    { "Id" :2," nRTCI" :y}],

"GNBDUFUnction" : [{}]

config-assign

B. Configuration for 5GC NRM

ONAP

SO

A&AI

Controller

CDS

Blueprint Processor

RestComponent

createMOI

3GPP MnS Provider

nrmObj:

"SMFFunction" : [
    { "pLNNIdList" :x, "nRTAClist" :y}],

"AMFFunction" : [
    { "pLNNIdList" :x, "aMFIdentifier" :y}],

"UPFFunction": [
    { "pLNNIdList" :x, "nRTAClist" :y}]

config-assign

C. Modify a few MOIs for NR NRM

ONAP

SO

A&AI

Controller

CDS

Blueprint Processor

RestComponent

ModifyMOIAttributes

nrmObj:

"NRCellDU" : [
    { "nCI" :1, "nRPCI" :8},
    { "nCI" :2, "nRPCI" :9}]

config-modify

nrmObj:

"SMFFunction" : [
    { "pLNNIdList" :x, "nRTAClist" :y}],

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    { "pLNNIdList" :x, "nRTAClist" :y}]

config-assign

nrmObj:

"NRCellDU" : [
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    { "nCI" :2, "nRPCI" :6}]

config-assign
## Project impacts

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<td>• Add a new restful component, which splits the payload from self-service API request in to primitive attributes and MO attributes, and sends requests to the provisioning MnS provider according to the number of IOCs.</td>
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Conclusions

• 3GPP SA5 provides many information sets (such as information models, operations) and solution sets. ONAP could benefit from those achievements and support complete lifecycle management.

• From Beijing to Dublin, ONAP 5G use case did a great work on 5G PNF management, especially on configuration management. When PNF instances are registered and post-instantiated, they need to do correct NRM configurations for real mobile service.

• We propose to enhance the CDS-based controller for 5G NRM configuration management.
Thank You!