

OVP Automation Augment

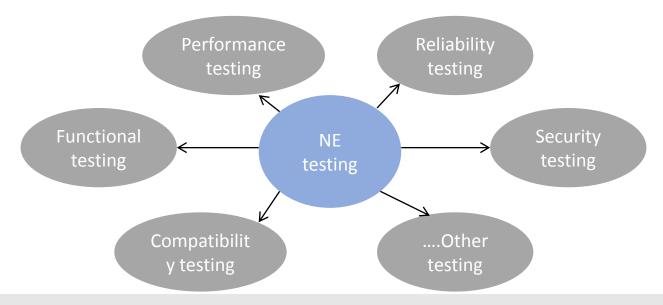
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NE Testing: Reality

- The traditional network element test is divided into two processes: procurement test and network access test
- Different rounds of test are usually required before a new device obtains the network access license



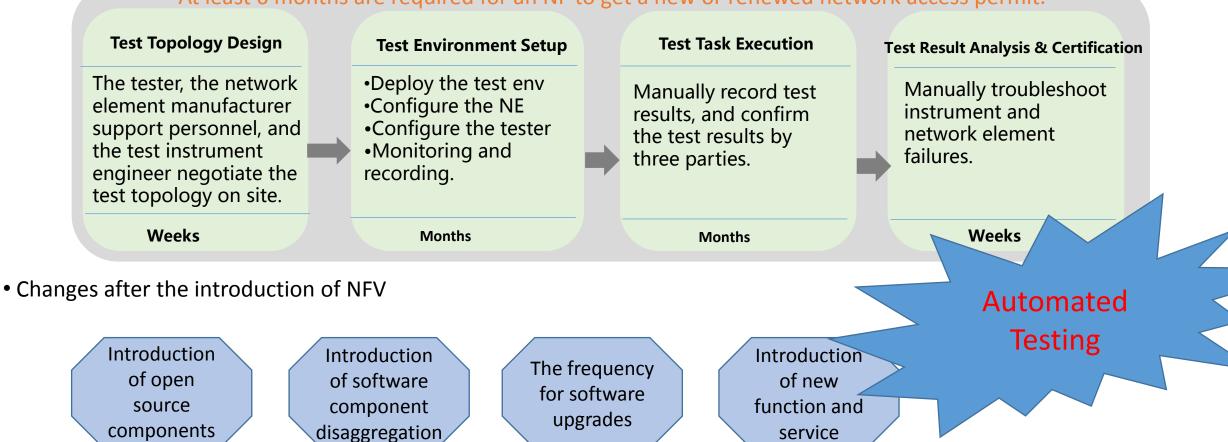
• Different type of testing will be performed in the network access test





NE Testing: Reality

• The NE testing process is usually divided into four steps: test topology design, test environment setup, task execution and result analysis and certification.



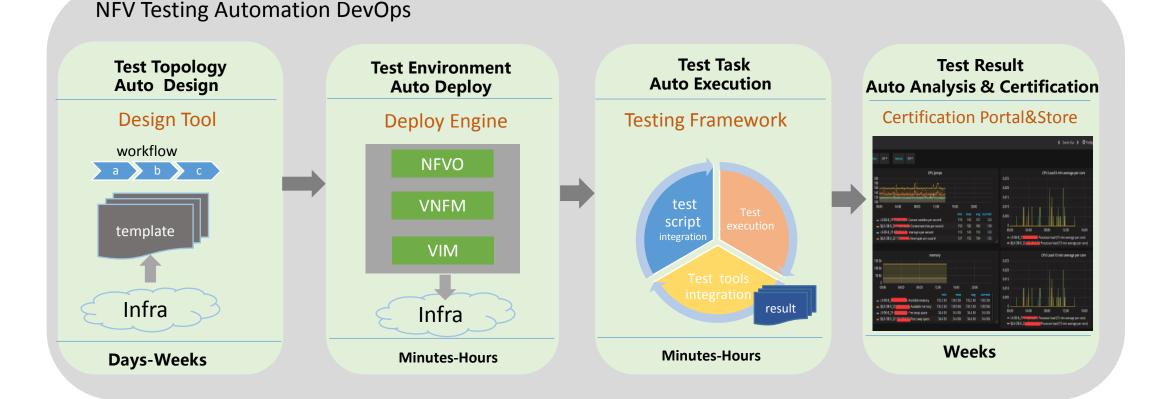
At least 6 months are required for an NF to get a new or renewed network access permit.



NE Testing: Vision - Testing Automation DevOps

Objectives :

- 1. Common NFV automated test platform
- 2. Self-service certification NFV stores
- 3. Open ecosystem of 5G + AI and 5G + edge



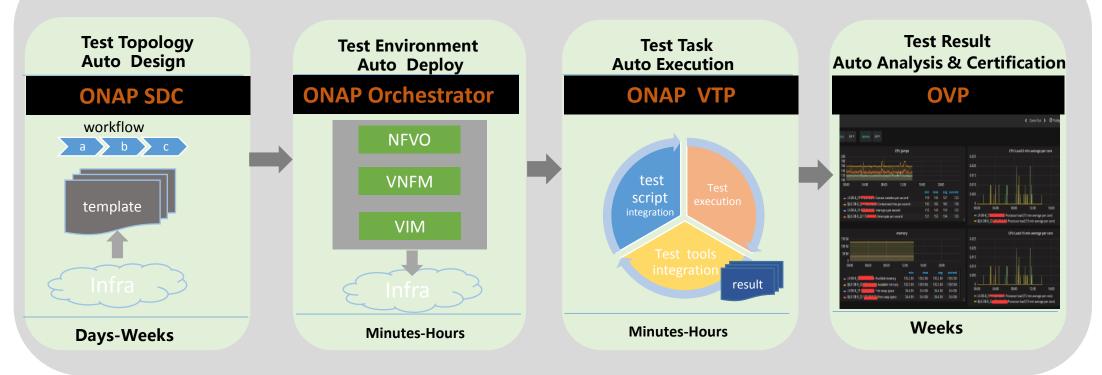


NFV Testing Automation with OVP+ONAP

Function mapping with ONAP components

- •Test Topology Design ONAP SDC
- •Test Environment Deploy ONAP Orchestrator(SO、 VF-C、 APPC , etc)
- •Test Task Execution ONAP VTP(VNFSDK, VVP)
- •Test Result Certificate OPNFV OVP

NFV Testing Automation DevOps





Gap Analysis - Auto Design (SDC)

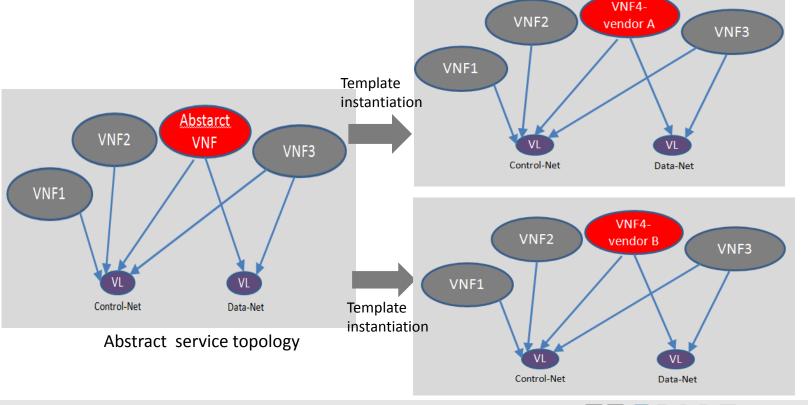
Goal: Quickly design a test service (topology) composed with tested VNF and test environment

Current situation: The service design need to be repeated for each VNF/test vendor

Possible solution: Define abstract testing service (topology) template for each type of VNF

Enhance SDC to support:

- 1. Abstract topology template definition
- 2. Flag the abstract VNF that can be replaced by real VNF
- Instantiate step1 template using vendor VNF into a deployable template in runtime





Goal: Reduce unnecessary replication for different VNF vendor/revision between testing iterations

Current situation: The entire test environment need to be redeployed each time

Possible solution: Only replace the VNF to be tested

Enhance Orchestrator to support:

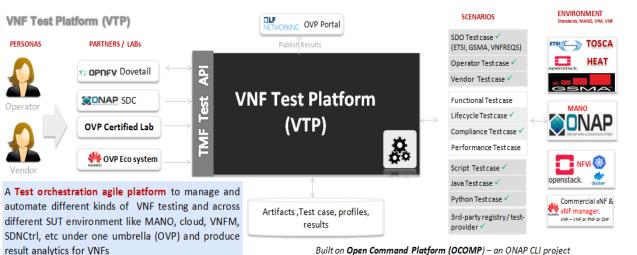
- 1. Only deploy the newly updated or upgraded VNF
- 2. Build the relationship between the existing instances with the new deployed instance

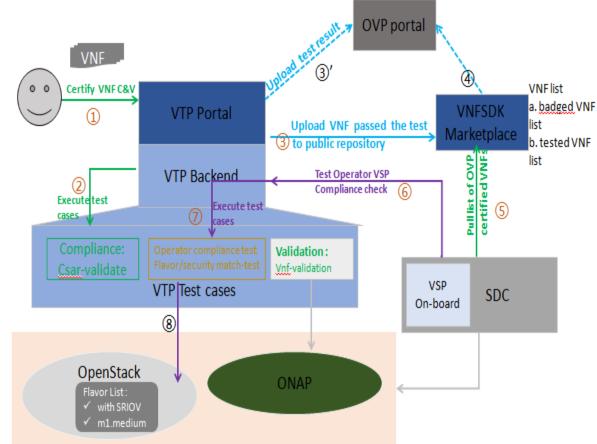


Gap Analysis – Auto Testing (VTP)

Goals:

- 1. Test instruments integration
- 2. Integration with OVP portal for automated OVP verification certification
- 3. VTP capability expansion
 - Loading different test scripts and cases
 - Flexible test process definition
 - Test report customization



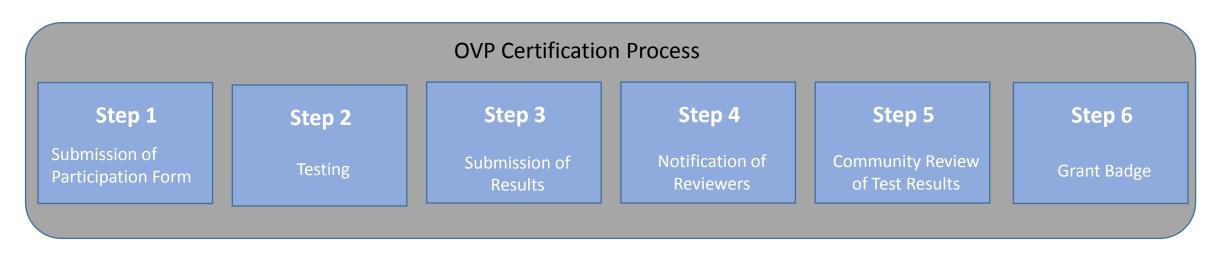


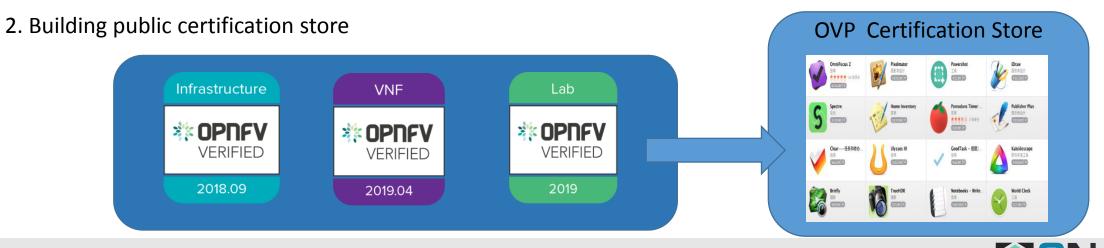


Gap Analysis – Auto Analysis & Certification(OVP)

Goals:

1. Integrate with test framework to collect the test result automatically(Step3 manually)

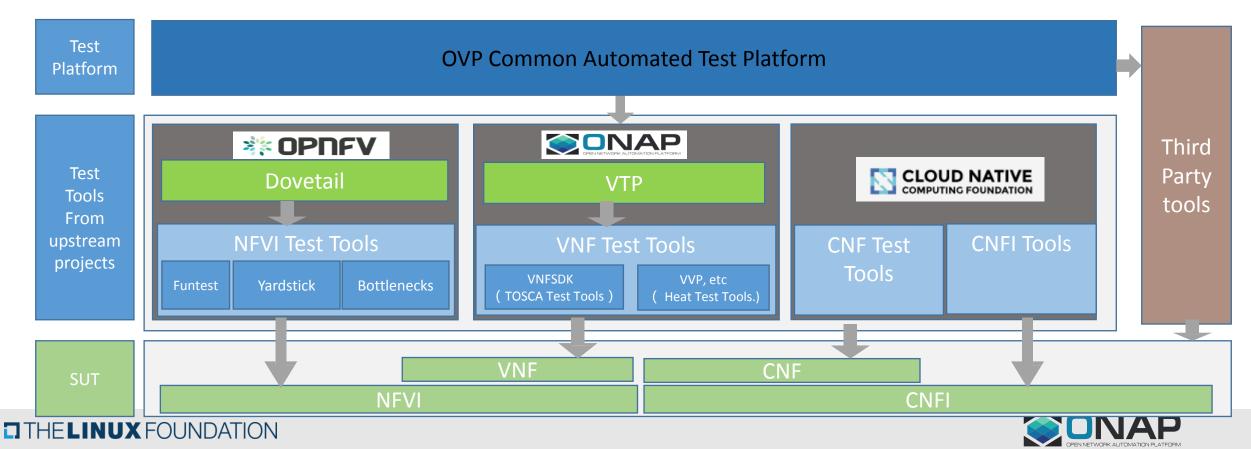




Suggestions for OVP

Suggestions: OVP provides common testing platform, focusing on process automation and integration of test tools from different upstream open source projects/communities and third party vendors (SUT vendors and Instrument vendors) Benefit:

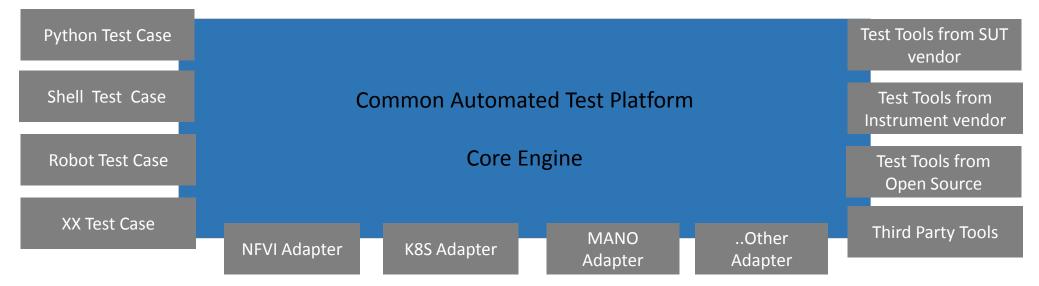
- 1. Reduce duplication of work across communities, specific test tools and test cases in different areas can be completed in the upstream projects and communities
- 2. OVP as the open verification program can leverage the capabilities of existing tools to quickly provide automated testing and certification.



Requirements for Vendors/Operators

Capabilities for common automated test platform :

- 1. Support loading and importing of different forms of test cases and user different executor to execute test case
- 2. Provide unified tool access standards, providing tool pre-deployment or on-demand deployment capabilities
- 3. Provide adapter layer to integrate with different SUT



Requirements for SUT vendors and test tools/instruments vendors :

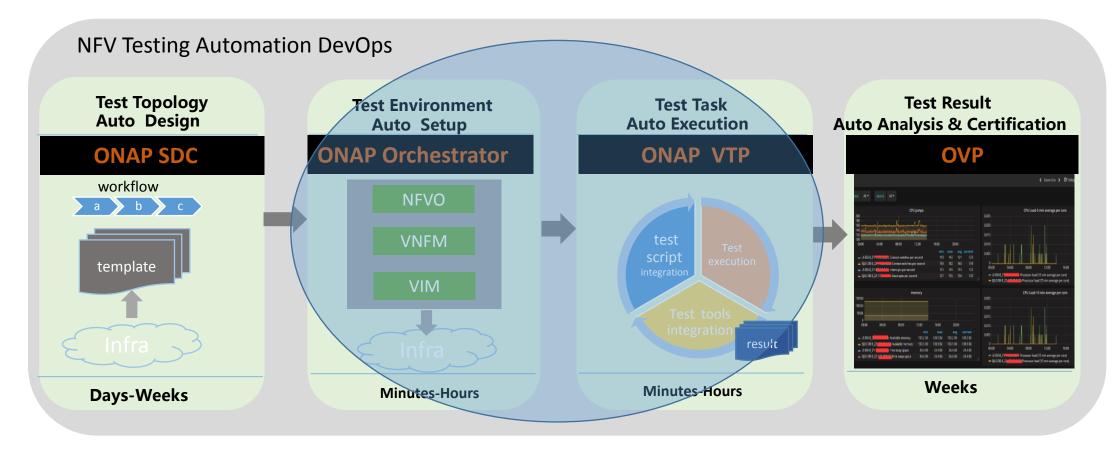
- 1. No requirements for test case format except for formats not supported by the platform
- 2. Follow the unified tool access standards to integrate with test platform
- 3. Follow the SUT adapter layer specification to integrate with test platform



Automation Testing: where are we

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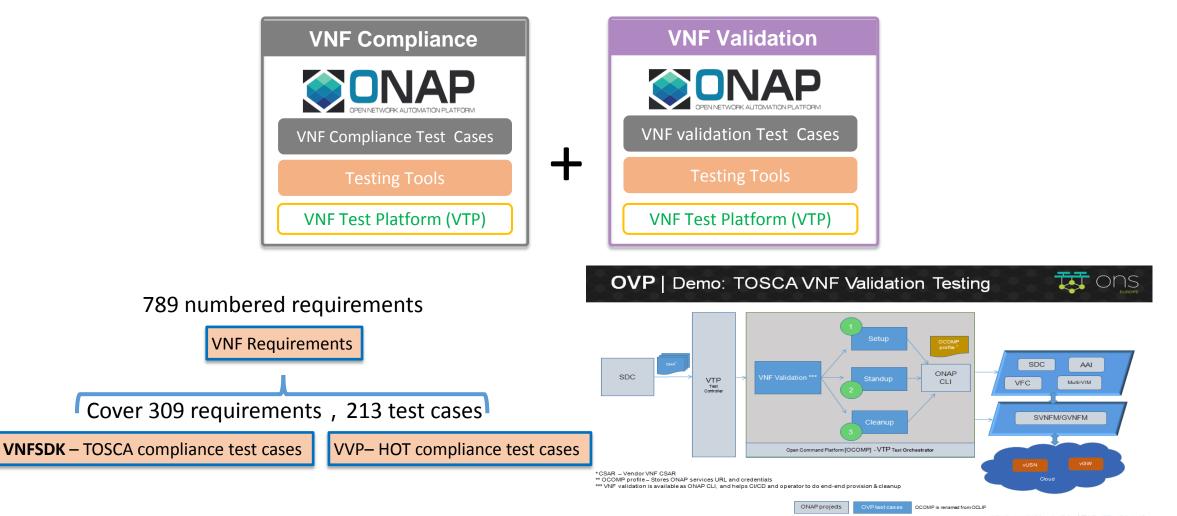
Making some progress in Automated Test Environment Setup and Test Task Execution.





OVP VNF Compliance and Validation Testing with ONAP

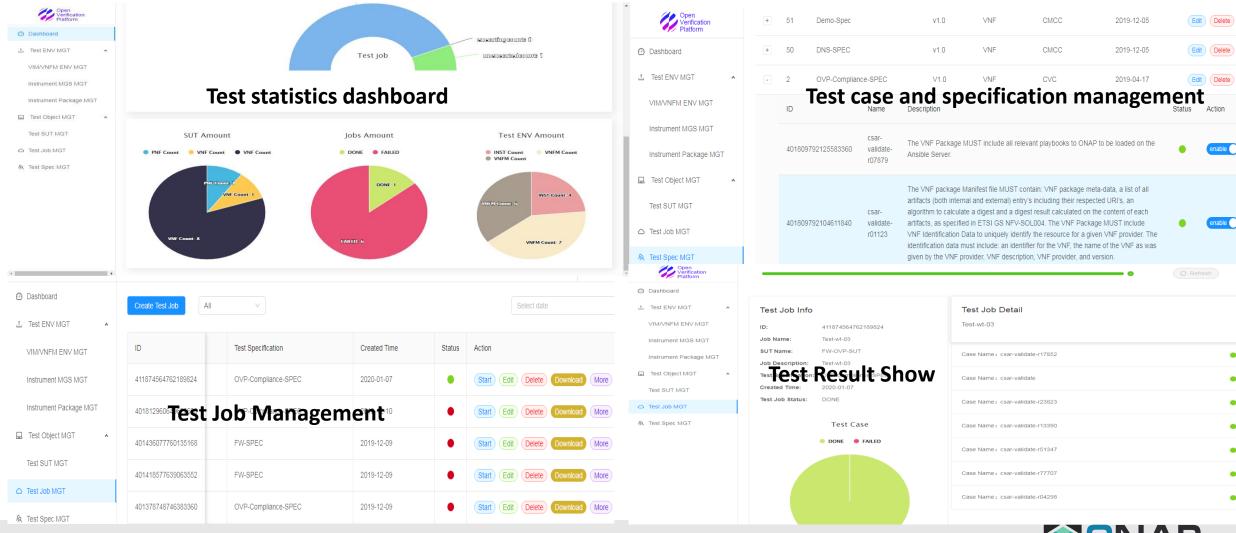
The demo shown on 2019 ONS EU





VTP Standalone Portal

Developing independent VTP portal to improve the usability of VTP which can combine with OVP Portal to provide test service

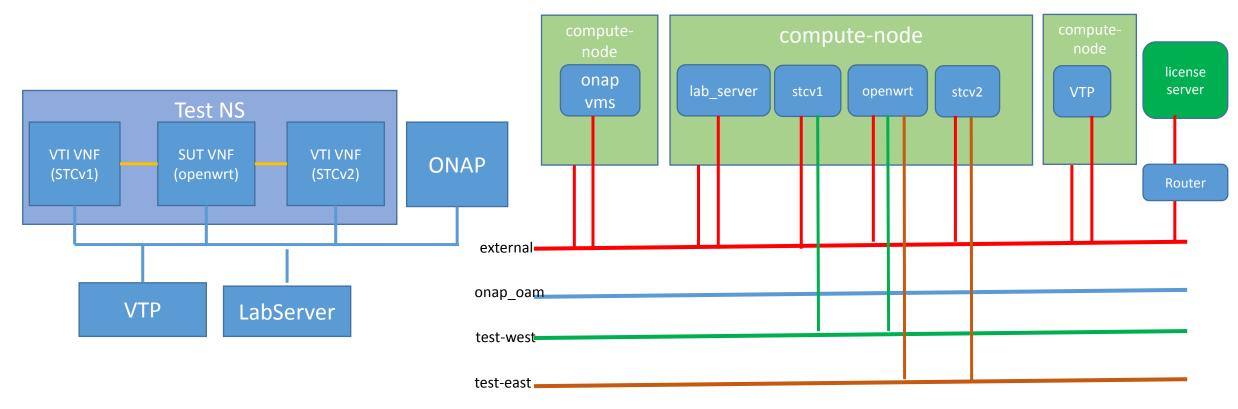


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Test Instrument Integration

1. Virtual test instrument(vTI) LCM with ONAP(Done)



 Test process automation (Test NS deployment, test instrument configuration, function and performance test execution) VTP integrates with virtual test instrument to perform function and performance testing(undergoing)
 The verification of the instrument integration solution provides the feasibility basis for OVP to provide functional test certification by integrating third-party test instruments



NFV Testing Automation Survey in EUAG

Part1: Testing process and content
Part2: Testing Participants and Collaboration
Part3: Test Restrictions
Part4: Changes of NFV Network Element Access Test
Part5: Status and Requirements of Test Automation
Part6: Community Work Requirements

Welcome feedback your requirements to help building open source testing and certification ecosystem

More expertise for NE and test instrument integration (esp. LCM and configuration) is welcome

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VTP Portal and OVP Portal Integration

