



The bridge to possible

Cisco Knowledge Network

Drive the Metro Network Evolution with the NCS 5700

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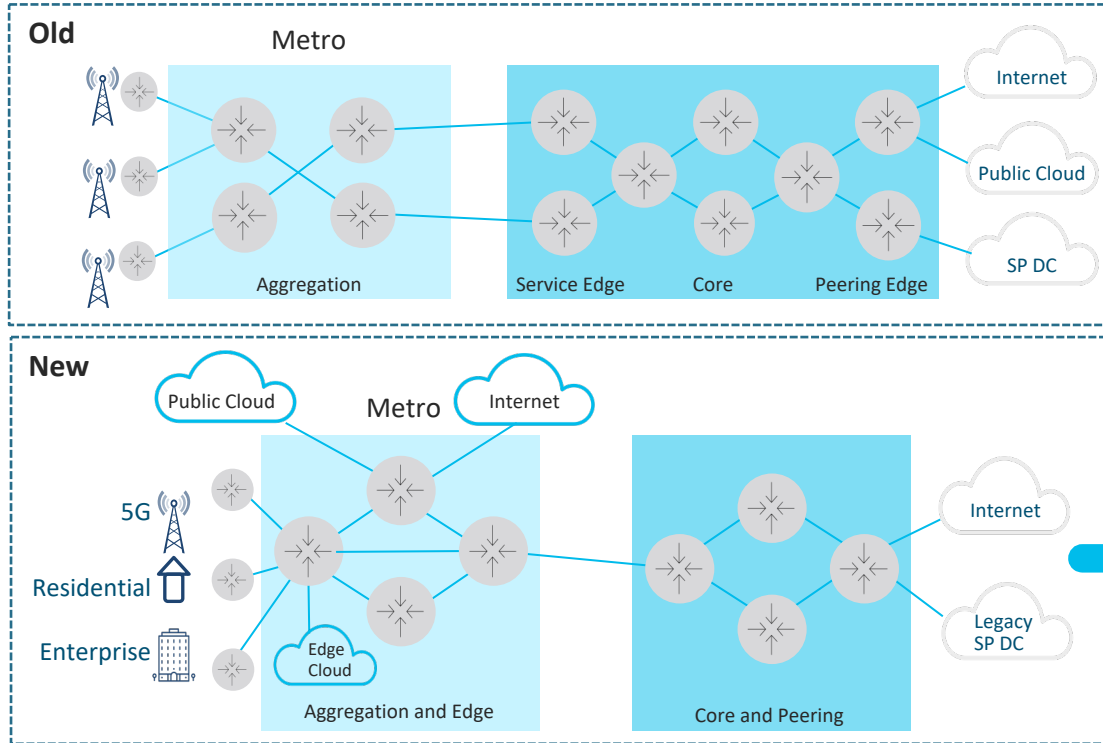


Agenda

- 1 Converged Metro use case with NCS 5700
- 2 NCS5500 /5700 Platform Evolution and latest HW updates
- 3 Metro Architecture Evolution
- 4 Secure Metro with NCS 5700

Service Provider Architecture Shift

Metro as new point of service delivery



Trends

- Metro architecture shifting



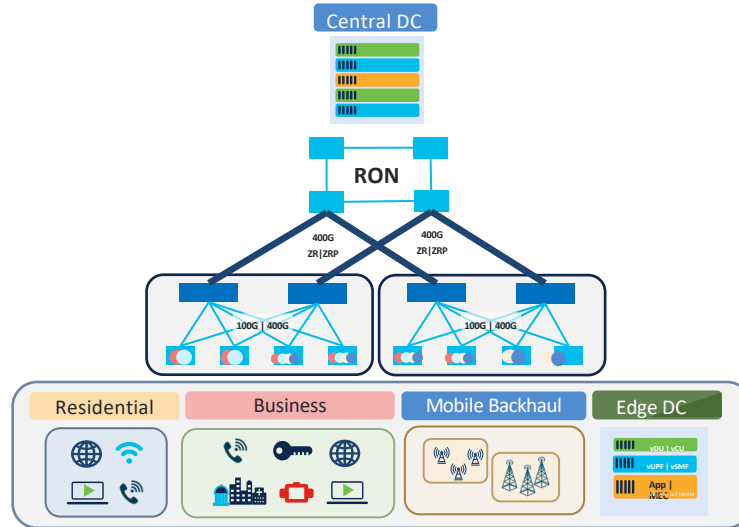
- Metro Cloud Peering | Handoff Closer to User
- Broadband Growth | 8K Video, Gaming, AR/VR, Rural Broadband
- CapEx/OpEx driven Convergence | Wireless fixed IP, TDM & Optical networks

Shift to Converged, service-rich, metro networks

Converged Metro solution with NCS5700

Metro Fabric Integrated Spine/Leaf

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|---|-----------------------------|
| NCS7: (400G) 400G/100G | NCS7-24DD NCS7-18DD-SE |
| NCS7: (100G) 40G/100G/400G | NCS7-36H6D-S NCS7-36H-SE |
| NCS7: (MOD) 10/25/50/100/400G | NCS7-MOD-S |



Metro – Converged SDN

Business | Residential

- SR | SRTE | SRv6 | FlexAlgo | Multicast
- EVPN | ELINE | ELAN | ETRTE
- Secure Boot | TAM Chip | MACSec | DDoS
- Telemetry | Automation | YANG

5G xHaul

- SR | SRTE | SRv6 | FlexAlgo
- L3VPN
- Secure Boot | TAM Chip | MACSec | DDoS
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Metro Fabric Clos Architecture Spine/Leaf

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| NCS 57D2 Fixed: Up to 7.2T | NCS 57D2-18DD XR7.8.1 |
| NCS 57B1 Fixed: Up to 4.8T | NCS-57B1-6D24H NCS-57B1-5D24H-SE |
| NCS 57C3 Fixed: Up to 4T | NCS-57C3-MOD NCS-57C3-MOD-SE |
| NCS 57C1 Fixed: Up to 2.4T | NCS57C1-48Q6D-S |


NCS 5500/5700 Evolved Use cases

5G Mobile x-Haul




SR/SRv6 | SRTE | BFD | FlexAlgo
Class C Timing | MDB L3 Profiles
1G, 10G, 25G, 100G

Routed Optical



Core | MACSEC | TI-LFA
400G ZR/ZRP | BFD | MDB L3 Profiles
Peering | Flowspec | Hybrid ACL,LPTS

Distributed Metro Edge




SR/SRv6 | SRTE | BFD | FlexAlgo
Class C Timing | MACSec | Flowspec
MDB L2, L3 Profiles | 1G ~ 400G

Enterprise & Residential Agg.




SR/SRv6 | SRTE | mVPN | EVPN
MDB L2 Profiles | IGMP/MLD | TWAMP
Egress TM | 10/25/50G | 100/400G

Converged SDN



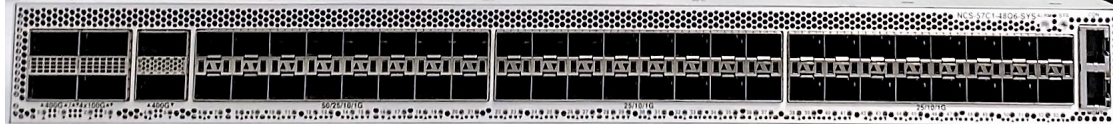
SR/SRv6 | SRTE | EVPN | BGP PIC
MDB L2, L3 Profiles | IPSLA | G8032
Egress TM | 1G ~ 400G

High End Aggregation



SR/SRv6 | SRTE | PWHE | FlexAlgo
VxLAN | MACSec | Flowspec
MDB L2, L3 Profiles | 1G ~ 400G

Naming Logic



NCS57C1-48Q6D-S

NCS55 → Q/Mx/J/J+
NCS57 → J2/J2c/Q2c

0 → Jericho
A → J+
B → J2
C → J2C/Q2C
D → J2C+

#RU

48x1/10/25G + 6x400G

S = MACSEC

NCS 5500/5700 Platform Evolution

Fixed

NCS 5502/SE



NCS 5501/SE



NCS 55A1-36H-S/SE



NCS 55A1-24H



NCS 55A2-MOD-S/SE/HD/HX



NCS-55A1-48Q6H



NCS-55A1-2406H-S/SS



NCS-57C3-MOD-(SE)-S



NCS-57B1-6D24/5DSE



NCS-57C1-48Q6D-S



Modular

NC55-36X100G-S



NC55-24X100G-SE



NC55-18H18F



NC55-24H12F-SE



NC55-6x200-DWDM-S



NC55-MOD-A-S/SE



NC55-36X100G-A-SE



NC57-18DD-SE



NC57-24DD



NC55-32T16Q4H-A



NC57-36H-SE



NC57-36H6D-S



NC57-MOD-S



2022

Modular Database
Enhanced L2/L3 use
cases

Egress Traffic Manager

RON (PLE, ZR/ZR+)

2021

400G ZR/ZRP
enablement

High scale dense
Aggregation

5G Metro Aggregation

RON (CFP2)

2019-2020

400G enablement

High Scale 100G /
400G Aggregation

NC55700 Native &
Compatibility mode

Class C Timing

2017-2018

SP Aggregation
1G/10G/100G

MACSec

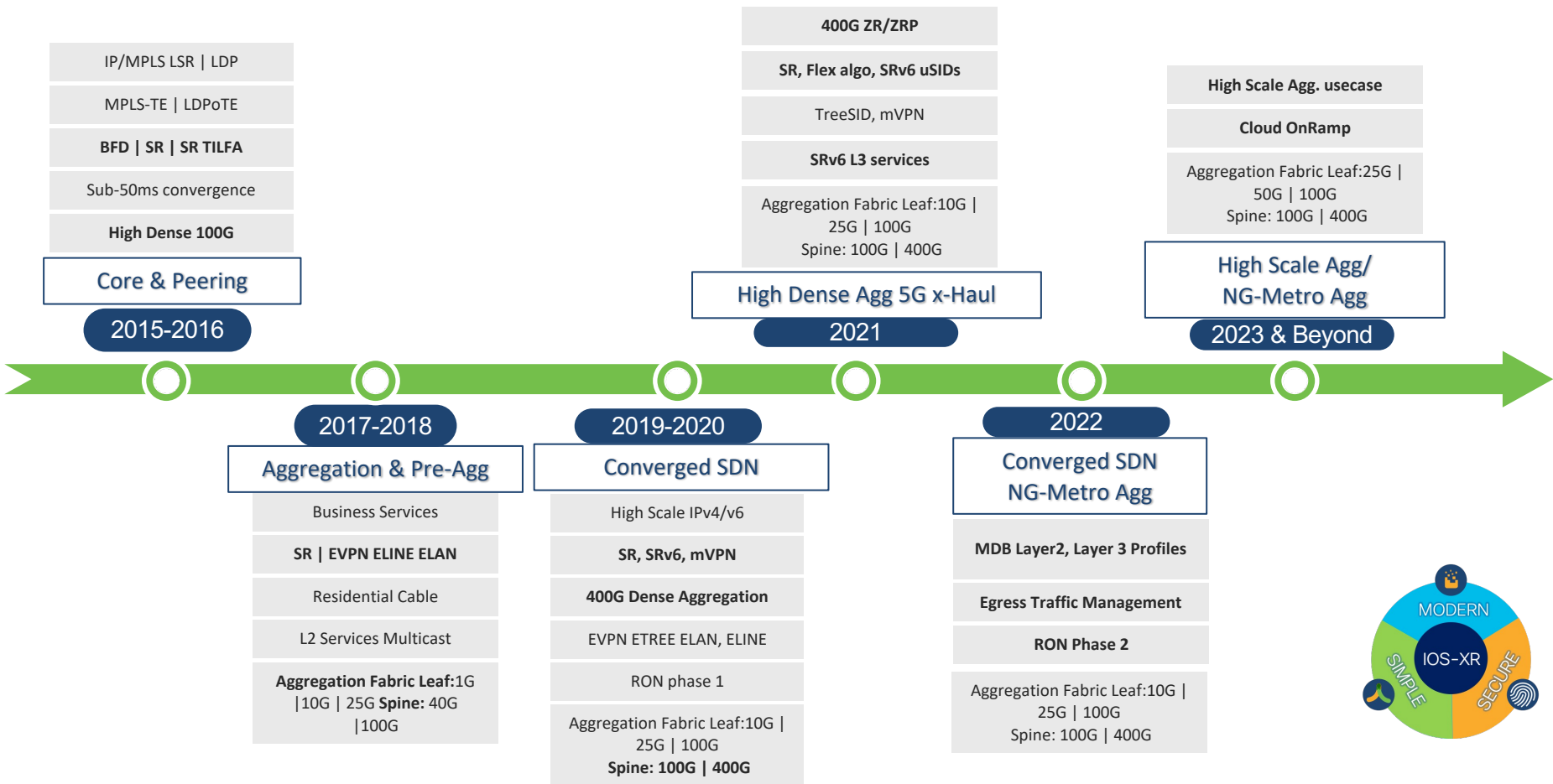
Timing

2015-2016

Web + Core + Peering
use cases (10G/100G)

| ASICS | |
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| | Jericho |
| | Jericho+ |
| | Jericho2 |
| | Jericho2c/ Qumran2c |

NCS 5500/5700 Ongoing Innovation



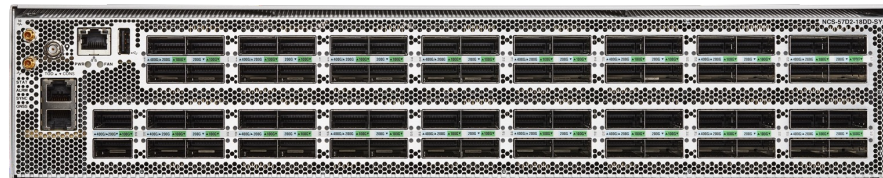
NCS 5700 Fixed Routers



NCS 5700 – Dense 100G/400G Metro Spine

Coming in
7.8.1

- **NCS-57D2-18DD-SYS**
- **Ideal for Use cases** : High-Scale Aggregation, 5G xHaul, Core & Peering Fabric, Converged SDN Transport and Cloud
- Compact 2RU, 600mm depth, F2B/B2F Air-flow, Dual PSU, 4x fan trays
- Enhanced 7.2T scale
- 66 Total flexible ports 10/25/100GE interfaces; Up to 18 ports of 400GE
- Hardware capable Full line rate MACSec & IPsec on all ports. *SW support post FCS
- 400G ZR/ZRP, 100G ZR, and Breakout Supported
- Class C timing



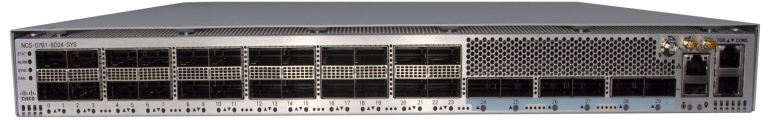
Quick Facts

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| Capacity | Base: 7.2T |
| NPU | 1x DNX (7.2T) |
| Memory | 32GB DDR4 |
| Port Configuration | 66 QSFP-DD Ports: 2x 400G + 16x 400G / 64x 100G |
| Estimated Typical Power Consumption | 800W (without Optics) |
| Planned Release(s) | 7.8.1 |
| Hardware capabilities | ASIC Based: MACSEC/IPSec, Class C Timing, Built-in GNSS |

**Power consumption can vary based on optics used, frame type and line rate.*

NCS 5700 - 100G to 400G Metro Leaf/Spine

- **NCS-57B1-6D24-SYS/NCS-57B1-5DSE-SYS**
- Compact 1RU, 600mm depth, F2B air-flow, dual PSU, 6x fan trays
- Available OP2 External TCAM version for augmented FIB, Stats, Counters and feature scale.
- Recommended [network use cases](#) : 5G xHaul, Core and Peering Fabric, Converged SDN Transport and Cloud
- Flexible with multiple interfaces support : 10G - 400G
- Full line rate MACSec Support on all ports
- [400G ZR/ZRP](#), 100G ZR, and Breakout Supported
- Class C timing



Quick Facts

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|------------------------|---|
| Capacity | Base: 4.8T Scale: 4.4T |
| NPU | 1x Jericho2 (4.8T) |
| Port Configuration | Base: 6x QSFP-DD (400G) + 24x QSFP-DD (100G) Scale: 5x QSFP-DD (400G) + 24x QSFP-DD (100G) |
| Power* (Worst case) | Base: 610W (without Optics) Scale: 630W (without Optics) |
| Release(s) | 7.3.1, Shipping |
| Hardware capabilities | MACSEC , Class C Timing , Built-in GNSS, |

**Power consumption can vary based on optics used, frame type and line rate.*

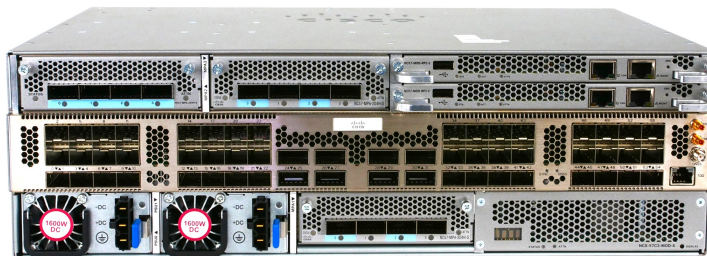
For more information, please refer to [NCS 5500 data sheet](#).

NCS 5700 - Flexible Centralized Pre-Agg/Agg

- **NCS-57C3-MOD-SYS**
- Compact 3RU, 284mm depth, F2B air-flow, dual RP, dual PSU, 6x fan trays
- Flexible with multiple interfaces support : 1G - 400G
- Ideal for network use cases such as Mobile backhaul, Core/LSR, Peering etc.
- Platform will also support RON, PLE
- [400G ZR/ZRP](#), [CFP2-DCO](#) support via MPA

MPA's supported:

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| 4x QSFP-DD 7.4.1 | 12x SFP56 7.5.1 | 1x CFP2 + 1x QSFP-DD 7.8.1 |
| PLE 7.7.1 | All existing 400G MPA's 7.4.1 | |



Quick Facts

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| Capacity | Base: 4.0T Scale: 3.6T (Oversubscribed) |
| NPU | 1x Jericho2C (2.4 T) |
| Port Configuration | 2x MPAs (800G) + 1x MPA (400G) + 48x SFP28 + 8/4x QSFP28 |
| Power* (Worst case) | Base: 975W (with 3XMPA) Scale: 1035W (with 3XMPA) |
| Temperature Support** (at 1800m) | 0 - 55 °C (With 400G MPAs & low-powered optics) 0 - 50 °C (With 800G MPA & low-powered optics) 0 - 40 °C (With 800G MPA & high-powered optics) |
| Release | 7.4.1, Shipping |
| Hardware capabilities | MACSEC , Class C Timing , Built-in GNSS, Redundant RP |

*Power consumption can vary based on optics used, frame type and line rate.

**Temperature to be confirmed after final testing

For more information, please refer to [NCS 5500 data sheet](#).

NCS 5700 - Dense SFP+ Metro Leaf

- **NCS-57C1-48Q6D-S**
- Built for the evolving requirements of modern 5G xHaul networks to provide connectivity for RU and CU elements to a 400G spine
- 1RU, Depth ~500mm
- Flexible Port config that supports from 1G to 400G
- Ideal for network use cases like pre-Agg / Agg, vDU pooling, TOR, CIN / PON Agg
- **Native 25G and 50G support required for 5G xHaul**
- 4x100G/2x100G breakout support possible on all QSFP-DD 400G ports
- 400G ZR/ZRP support on 3X400G ports at FCS



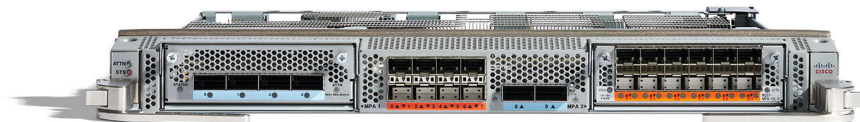
Quick Facts

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| Capacity | 4.0 T (Oversubscribed) |
| NPU | 1x Qumran2c (2.4 T) |
| Port Configuration | 32x SFP28 + 16x SFP56 + 2x QSFP-DD(4x100G) + 4x QSFP-DD (400G) |
| Power (w/o optics) | Typical: 340W Max: 488W |
| Temperature Support (at 1800 m) | 0-40°C |
| Planned Release(s) | 7.5.2, Shipping |
| Hardware capabilities | MACSEC , Class C Timing , Built-in GNSS receiver |

NCS 5700 Modular Routers & Linecards



Flexible Line Card



- **NC57-MOD-S**
- J2 successor of famous NC55-MOD-A-S line card
- Applicable for use cases such as xHaul, Aggregation, IPoEoF, Metro DCI and Longhaul DWDM applications
- Native 25G and 50G support required for 5G xHaul
- Class C timing is new de facto standard to support 5G xHaul
- 400G-ZR/ZRP supported on both QDD ports

Quick Facts

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| Capacity | 4.8Tbs Full-Duplex |
| NPU | 1x J2 |
| Port Configuration | 2x MPAs (800G) + 8x SFP56 + 2x QSFP-DD |
| Power (Worst case) | 580 W (without MPAs) |
| Release | 7.6.1, Shipping |
| Hardware capabilities @ FCS | MACSEC, Class C Timing Supports all available MPAs , but no 1G support QDD-400G-ZR/ZRP support |

NCS5700 – Dense 400GE Line Cards



NC57-24DD (Base)

Quick Facts

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| Ideal Use case | Ideal for Core/LSR, DCI & Aggregation |
| Capacity | 9.6T (Base) |
| NPU | 2 x J2 |
| Port Configuration | 24 x 400 GE Base Line Card |
| Power | Line card with no transceivers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Typical (27°C): 880W• Maximum (40°C): 890W |
| Hardware capabilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Class B timing support on all ports• Flexible ports enabling 40GE, 100GE, 200GE, 400GE• On-chip Ternary Content-Addressable Memory (TCAM) for network ACLs and QoS |



NC57-18DD-SE (Scale)

Quick Facts

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| Ideal Use case | Ideal for Peering & High Scale Aggregation |
| Capacity | 7.2T (Scale) |
| NPU | 2 x J2 |
| Port Configuration | 18 x 400 GE or 30 x 200GE/100GE Scale Line Card |
| Power | Line card with no transceivers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Typical (27°C): 800W• Maximum (40°C): 900W |
| Hardware capabilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Class B timing support on all ports• Flexible ports enabling 40GE, 100GE, 200GE, 400GE• On-chip Ternary Content-Addressable Memory (TCAM) for network ACLs and QoS |

NCS5700 – Dense 100GE Line Cards



NC57-36H6D-S (Base)

Quick Facts

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| Ideal Use case | Ideal for Core/LSR, DCI & Aggregation |
| Capacity | 4.8T (Base) |
| NPU | 1x J2 |
| Port Configuration | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 36 ports 100 GE • 24 port 100 GE + 12 port 200 GE • 24 port 100 Gigabit Ethernet + 6 port 400 GE |
| Power (Worst case) | Line card with no transceivers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Typical (27°C): 676W • Maximum (40°C): 873W |
| Hardware capabilities @ FCS | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class C timing and MACsec support on all ports • Flexible ports enabling 10GE, 40GE, 100GE, 200GE, 400GE including ZR/ZRP • On-chip Ternary Content-Addressable Memory (TCAM) for network ACLs and QoS |

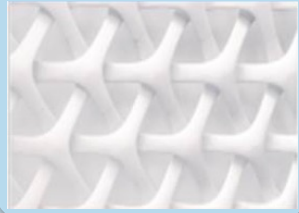


NC57-36H-SE (Scale)

Quick Facts

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|-----------------------------|---|
| Ideal Use case | Ideal for Peering & High Scale Aggregation |
| Capacity | 3.2T (Scale) |
| NPU | 1x J2 |
| Port Configuration | 36 x 100GE ports Scale Line Card |
| Power (Worst case) | Line card with no transceivers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Typical (27°C): 676W • Maximum (40°C): 873W |
| Hardware capabilities @ FCS | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class B timing support on all ports • Flexible ports enabling 10GE, 40GE, 100GE including ZR/ZRP • On-chip Ternary Content-Addressable Memory (TCAM) for network ACLs and QoS |

Sustainable concepts implemented in NCS-57D2-18DD



Materials

- Post-consumer resins with 75% recycled content
- Shorter Lighting pipes
- Minimal plastic labels
- Less heat sinks due to better thermal management



Standardization

- Reused power supply and modular fan assay
- Common FT housing, shutter design
- Common Fasteners



Smart Energy

- Platinum Efficiency PSU
- Default power off on unused ports
- Automatic voltage scaling



Reuse and Repair

- Common fastening hardware
- Accessible and replaceable batteries
- Better plastic recovery at end of life



Packing and Accountability

- HRC foam packaging instead of virgin PU
- Fully corrugated packaging to eliminate foam

Modular Port Adaptors

(Insert into NCS-55A2, NCS-57C3, NC55-MOD, NC57-MOD)





Modular Port Adapters



NC55-MPA-12T-S
12x 10G SFP+ ports



NC55-MPA-1TH2H-S
1x 200G/100G CFP2 + 2x
100G QSFP28 ports



NC55-MPA-4H-S
4x 100G QSFP28 ports



NC55-MPA-2TH-S
2x 200G/100G CFP2
ports



Modular Port Adapters



Shipping

NC57-MPA-2D4H-S

- 4x QSFP-DD ports
- Supports operable modes of 400G, 100G and breakouts of 25G, 10G
- QSFP DD ZR/ZRP support in 7.5.1



Shipping

NC57-MPA-12L-S

- 12 SFP56 (10G/25G/50G)
- Class B and limited to 400G when used on NCS-55A2 & NC55-MOD

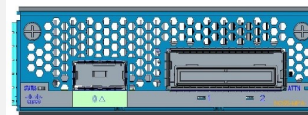
800G



Shipping

Private Line Emulation (PLE)

- 8x SFP+/ Private Line Service ports STM-16/OC48, STM-64/OC192, 1GE, 10GE, OTU2/2e, FC-1/2/4/8/16/32G
- Release 7.7.1 2H 2022



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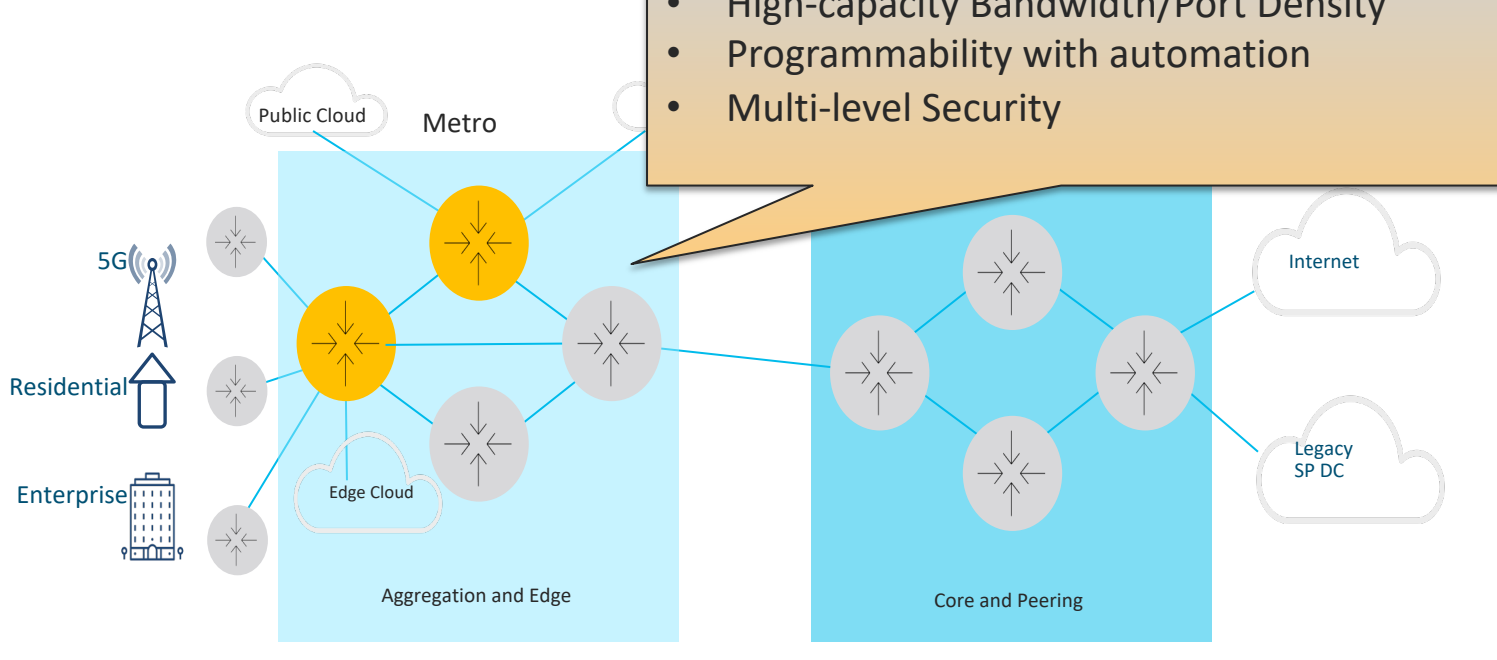
- 1x CFP2 DCO + 1x QSFP-DD ports
- Supports CFP2 modules with high optical output power as needed to interface with legacy DWDM systems
- Target release 7.8.1 Q1 2023

Metro Architecture Evolution



Metro Evolution : Requirements !

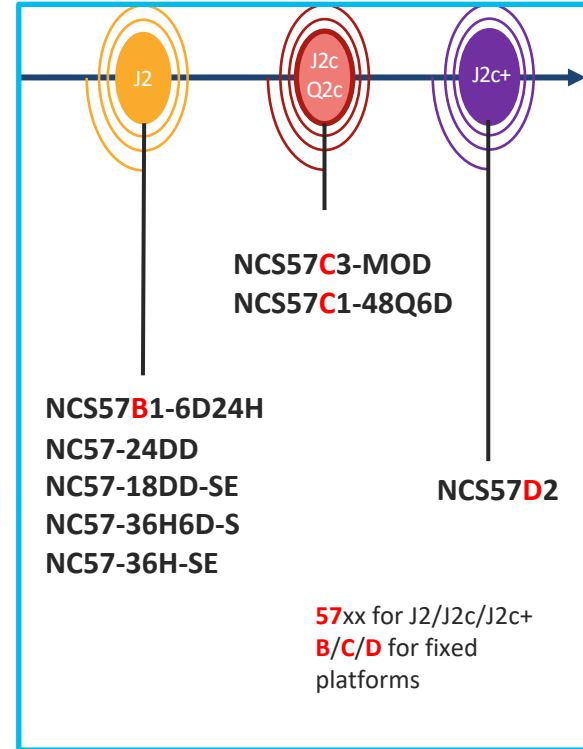
- Converged & Scalable architecture
- High-capacity Bandwidth/Port Density
- Programmability with automation
- Multi-level Security



Converged & Scalable Metro with NCS5700

NCS5700 caters well for “Metro Evolution”

- **RON Architecture :Converged Metro with simplified IP/Optical convergence**
 - ✓ Support for ZR/ZRP 400G optics with high 400 QDD port density. (more optics supporting RON architecture in pipeline)
 - ✓ PLE(Private Line Emulation) is ready to go with new MPA and Circuit-style SR
 - ✓ Smart SFP support for TDM to IP
- **Highly Scalable feature rich platform (Software and hardware innovations)**
 - ✓ Modular Databases (MDB) for flexible resource carving
 - ✓ Higher on-chip resource scale on the ASIC (J2, J2C, J2C+)
 - ✓ Effective usage of eTCAM on the SE variants for higher scale
 - ✓ High Queuing scale with stats along with software innovations like ETM
 - ✓ SW feature innovations mainly with SR/SRv6 to tailor to the high scale Customer requirements

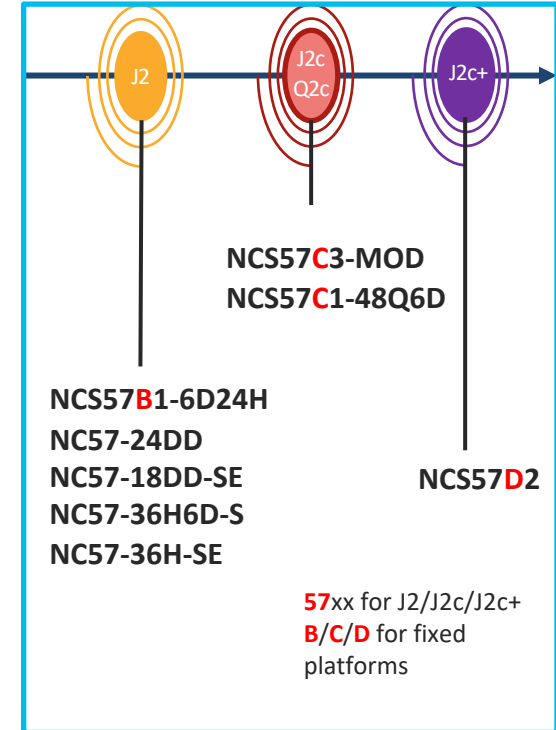
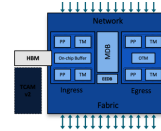


High Capacity with NCS5700

NCS5700 caters well for “Metro Evolution”

NCS5700 Forwarding ASIC for high bandwidth requirements

- ✓ Capable of doing 2.4Tbps to 7.2 Tbps per NPU (1B to 2.83B pps)
- ✓ Support for variable port speeds (native/BO) 1G, 10G, 25G, 40G, 50G, 100G, 400G
- ✓ HBM provides deep packet buffering while congestion
- ✓ On-chip buffers 32MB for queueing (including better counters/stats with VoQ scale on J2C/J2C+)
- ✓ Elastic Pipeline which can parse (upto 144B) and handle some of the complex application traffic in single pass (Large label stack – 10 labels, egress ACLv6 etc)
- ✓ SRv6 native implementation- Can impose 26 uSIDs in a single pass. **“NCS5700 is the only platform capable to do this Today. Bell-Canada was able successfully validate this.”**



NCS 5700 For Converged SDN | Metro | 5G xHaul

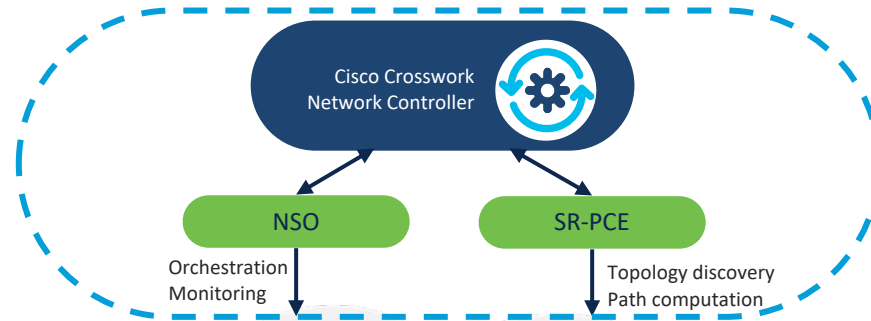
Industry leading feature parity with IOS-XR to cater to SP/DC/Web positioning

- ✓ Extensive SR-EVPN feature parity
- ✓ Pioneer in driving SRv6 adaption in the industry
- ✓ Full fledged Routing, MPLS, QoS , ACL, Security, OAM, Metro feature support
- ✓ Native class-C timing support (J2C/J2C+) systems
- ✓ Encryption support

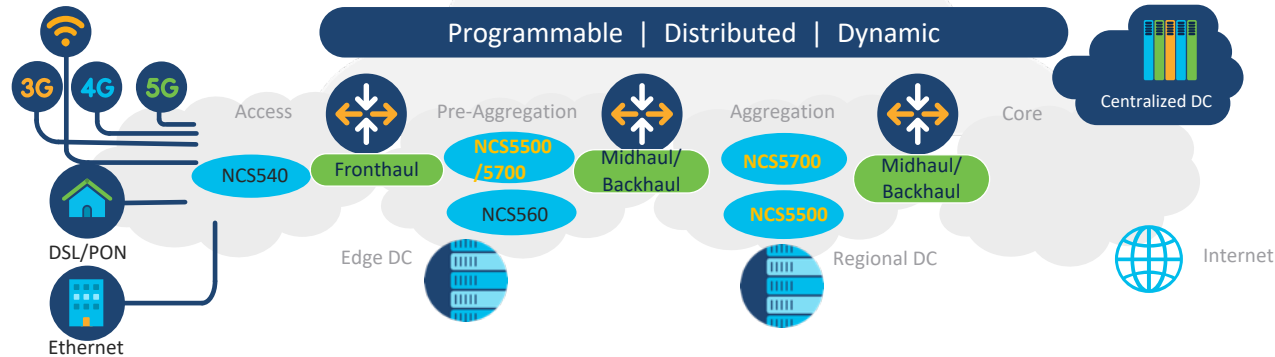
| | | NCS5500 (J/J+) | NCS5700 (J2/J2C/Q2C) |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| SEGMENT ROUTING | SR Transport/LSR | ✓ | ✓ |
| | SR TILFA FlexAlgo TE | ✓ | ✓ |
| | SR L3 Services | ✓ | ✓ |
| | SR L2 Services | ✓ | ✓ |
| SRv6 uSID | SRv6 Transport/LSR | ✓ | ✓ |
| | SRv6 TILFA FlexAlgo TE | ✓ | ✓ |
| | SRv6 L3 Services | ✓ | ✓ |
| | SRv6 L2 Service | ✓ | ✓ |

Network Automation & Programmability on NCS5700

- Netconf/Yang Data model support (Openconfig, Native)
- Telemetry support (MDT, EDT)



- SR-PCE for SRTE & SRv6
- PCEP, BGP-LS




Converged Infrastructure

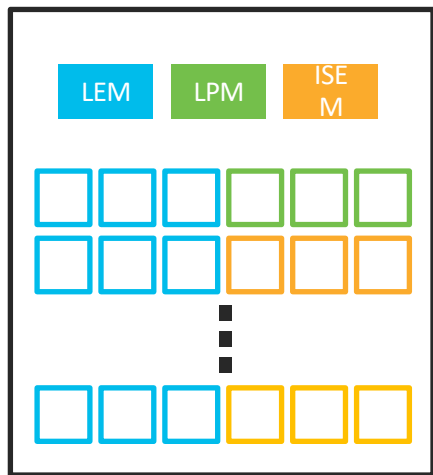
End-to-end simplicity

Open, programmable, SDN based

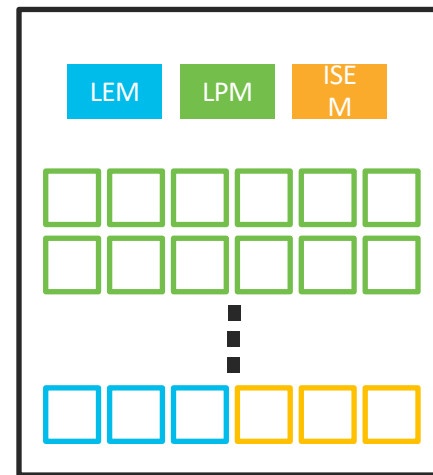
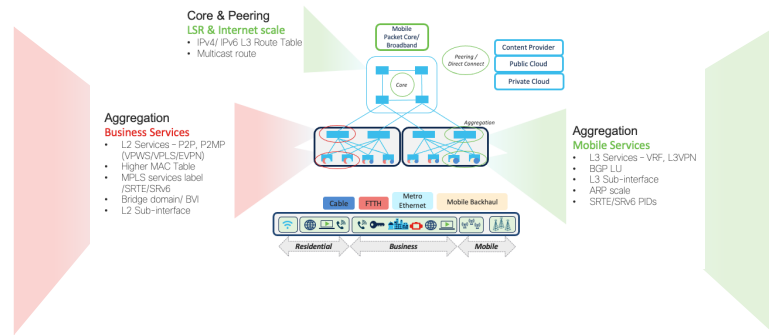
Cisco NCS5700 MDB Profiles



MDB Profile resource carving



L2 Profile



L3 Profile

- Higher or Lower database based on usecase
- Total Database is still same
- If LPM reduced by X amount, then LEM need not be increased same amount

NCS 5700: Scale Improvements (L3)

| Feature | Existing industry solution | NCS5700 (Latest XR release) Enhancement Up-to |
|--|----------------------------|---|
| L3 interfaces without QoS | X | 4X |
| IPv4 Route | X | 1.25X |
| IPv6 Route | X | 23X |
| BFD (Single Path + Multi Path)/LC | X | 8X |
| BGP Sessions | X | 2.4X |
| BGP FS | X | 10X |
| Number of L2/L3 interface Egress QoS without ETM (8 queue per system) | X | 3X |
| Number of L2/L3 interface Egress QoS with ETM (8 queue per system) | NA | NEW |

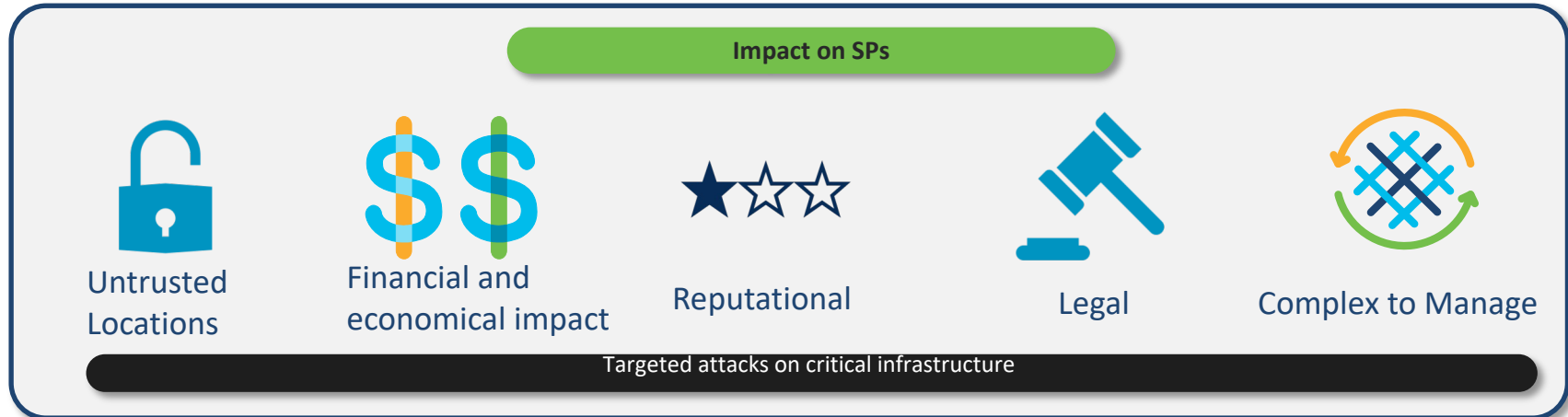
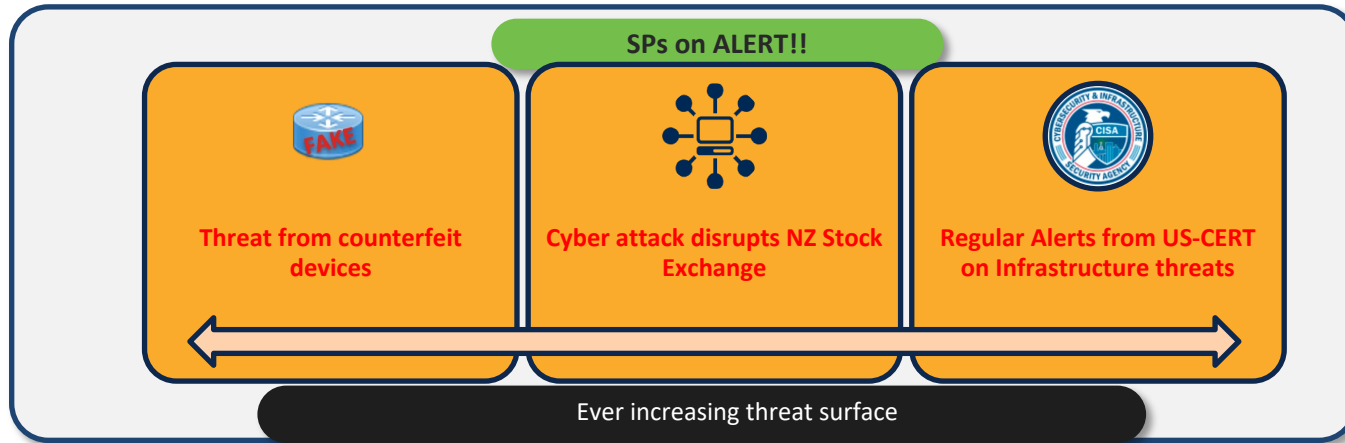
NCS 5700: Scale Improvements (L2)

| Feature | Existing industry solution | NCS5700 (Latest XR release) Enhancement Up to |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| ARP | X | 2X |
| ND | X | 5X |
| L2 sub-interface without QoS | X | 2X |
| L2 service PW (Xconnect/VPWS) | X | 2X |
| BD | X | 4X |
| BVI | X | 5X |
| MACs per System | X | 4X |
| CFM MEP | X | 4X |
| AC's | X | 11X |

Secure Metro with NCS 5700



Why Secure Metro Aggregation?



Secure Metro Aggregation with Trustworthy Platforms



Hardware Integrity

Provides counterfeit hardware protection and provides Hardware Root of Trust



Boot Integrity

Ensures integrity of the boot process with Cisco Secure boot anchored in Hardware



Runtime Integrity

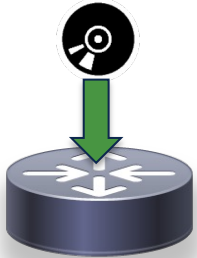
Ensures integrity of the IOS-XR runtime



Trust Visibility

Provides visualization of Trust with Crosswork Trust Insights

Security Features Built on Foundations of Trust



Secure ZTP

RFC8572 compliant secure zero touch provisioning of routers



Disk Encryption

Provides data-at-rest protection for configuration data



Packet Encryption

Transport security for 5G deployments



Re-Image Protection

Provides re-image protection for routers to deter thefts



Trust Validation with Crosswork

Trust and Assured Inventory data accessible via API to enable Closed-Loop Automation

Key Takeaways



Most Feature-rich + Dense
100G/400G Platform



Trustworthy Vendor and Pervasive
Security



Future Proof design with versatile
Hardware and Flexible Pricing
Models



Converged Services, 5G and
RON solutions