

Docker Networking

Control-plane & Data-plane

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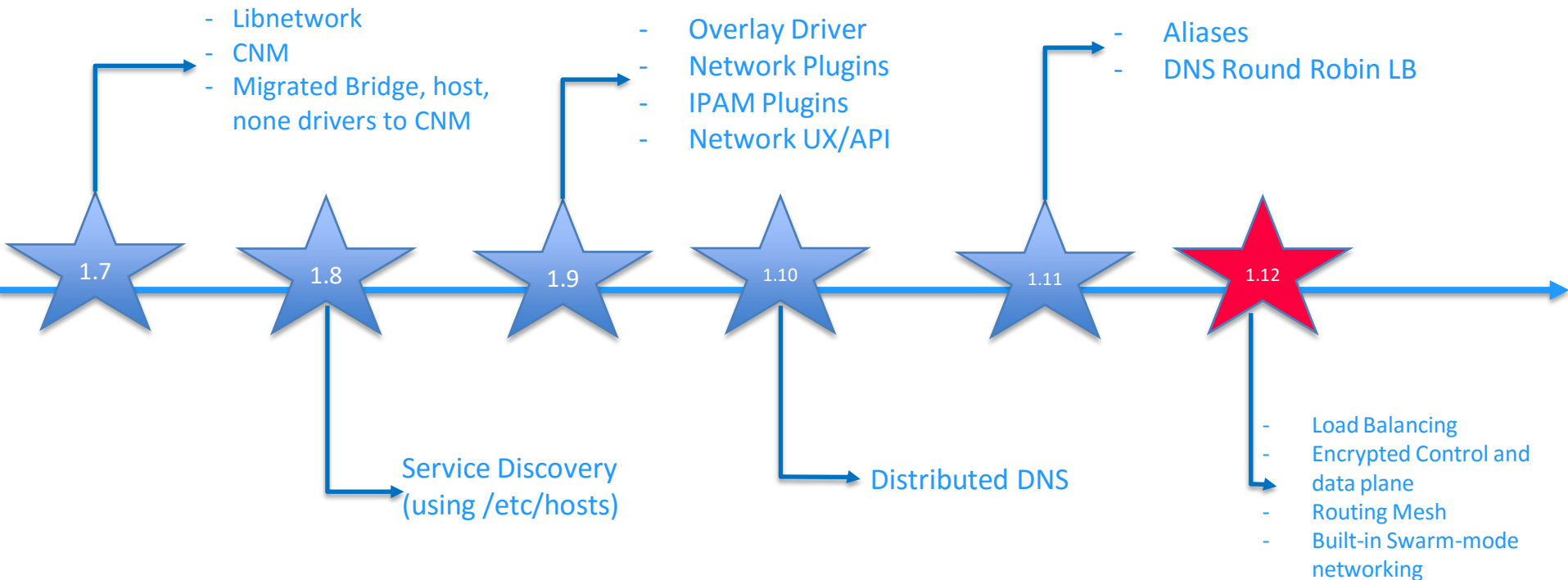
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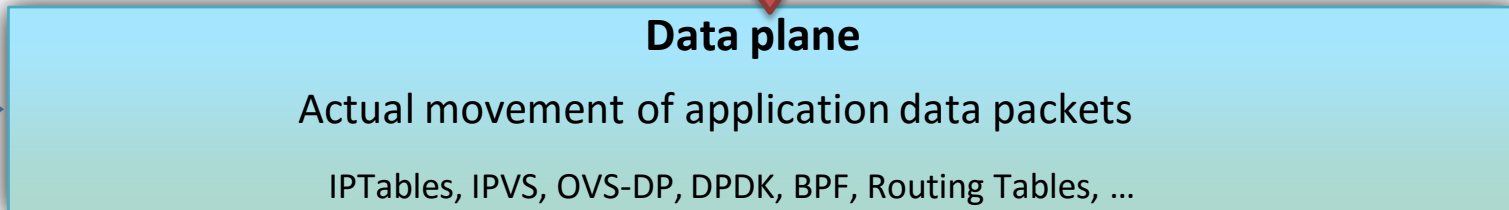
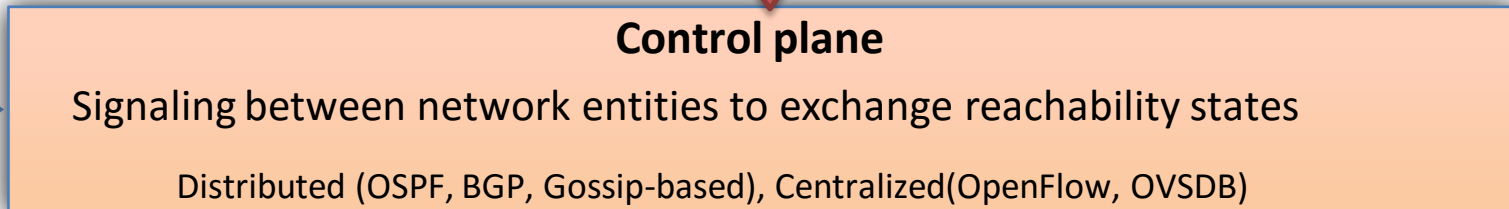
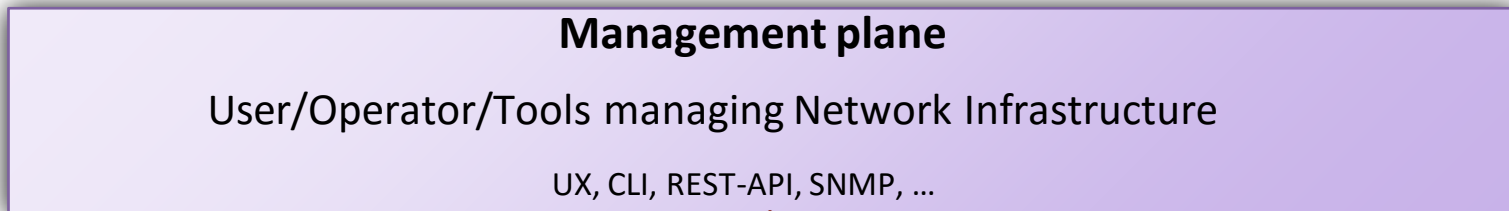
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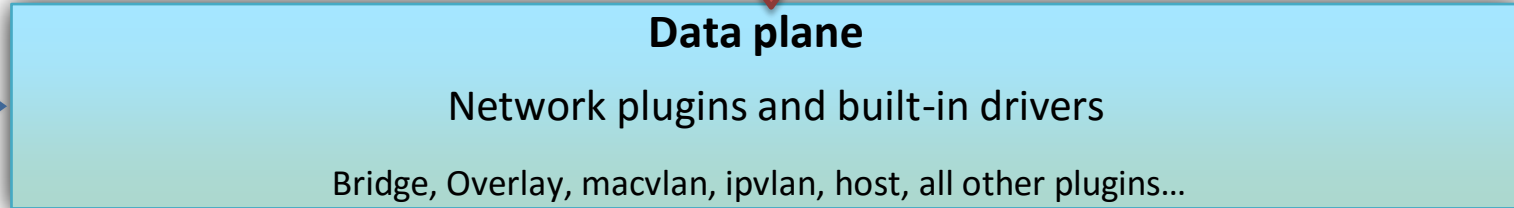
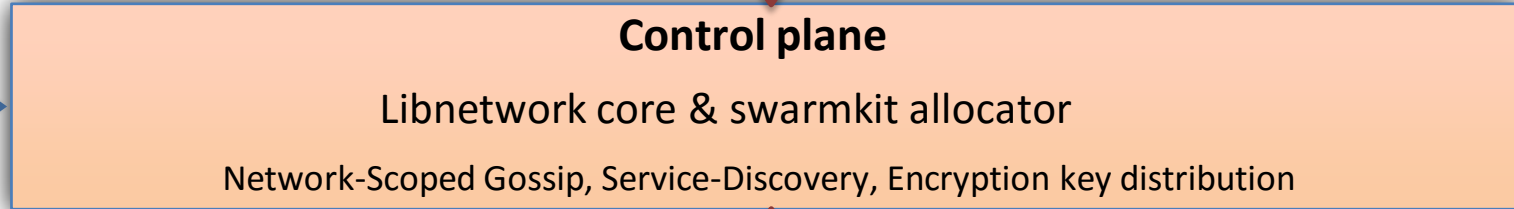
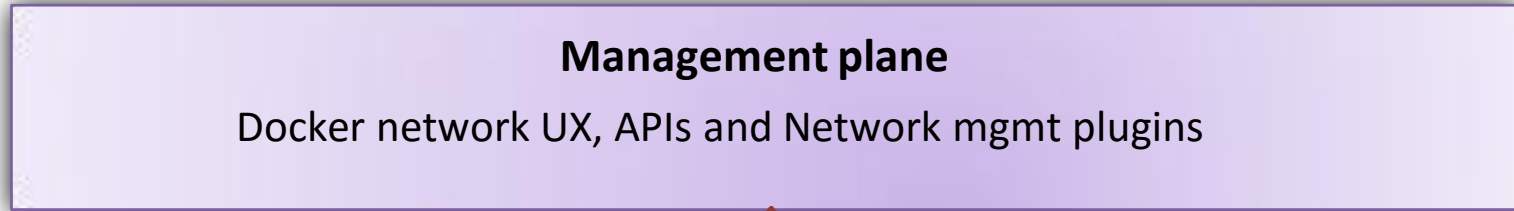
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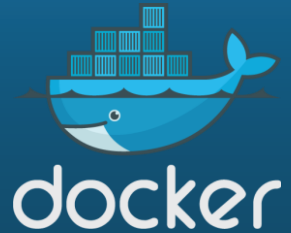
Networking planes



Docker networking planes



Deep Dive - Control Plane

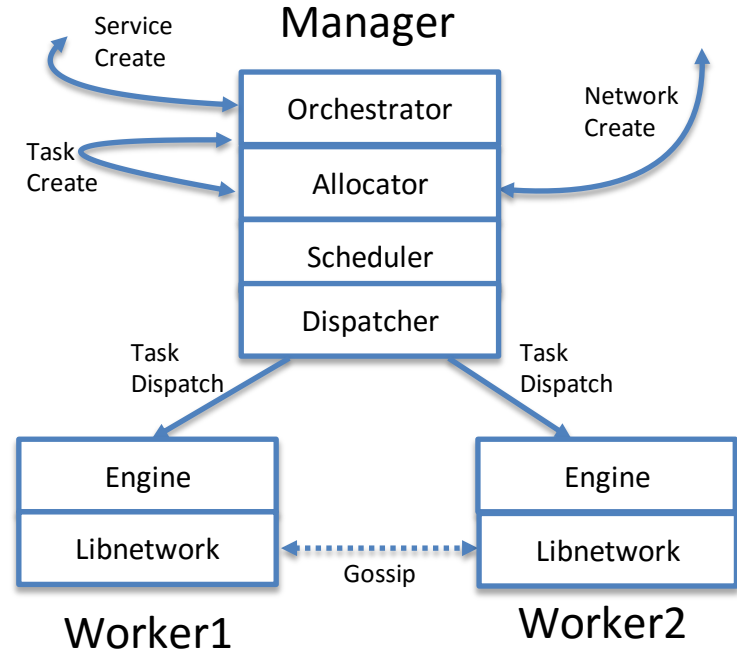


Control plane components

- **Centralized resources and policies**
- **De-centralized events**

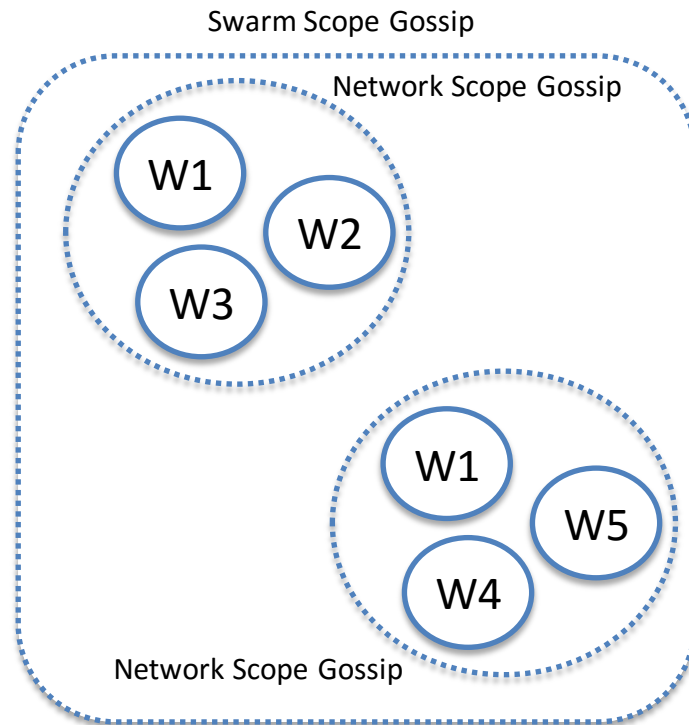
Centralized resources and policies

- Resources and policies are defined centrally
- Networks are a definition of policy
- Central resource allocation (IP Subnets, Addresses, VNIs)
- Can mutate state as long as managers are available



De-centralized events

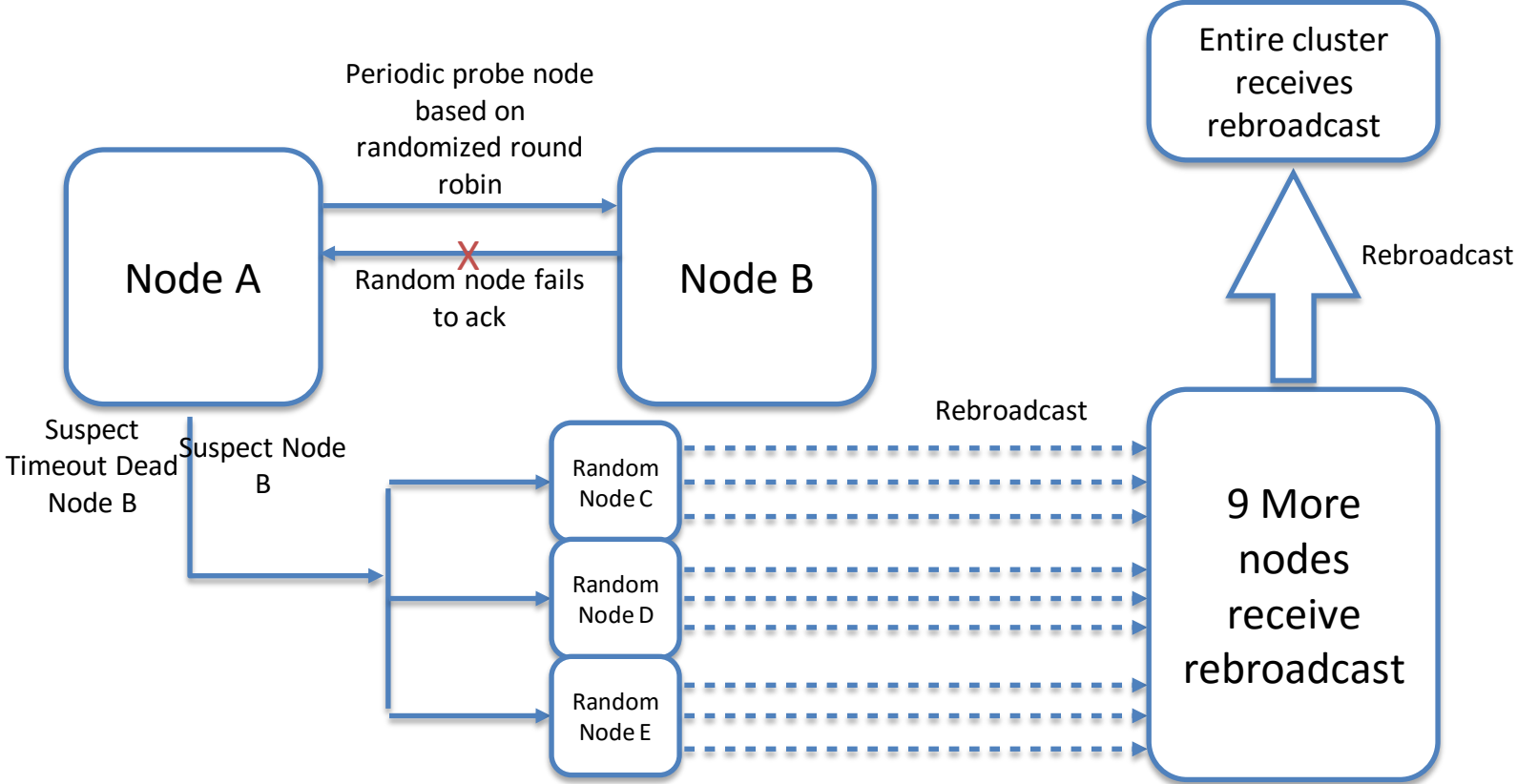
- **State is learned through de-centralized dissemination of events**
- **Gossip based protocol**
- **Fast convergence**
- **Highly scalable**
- **Continues to function even if all managers are Down**



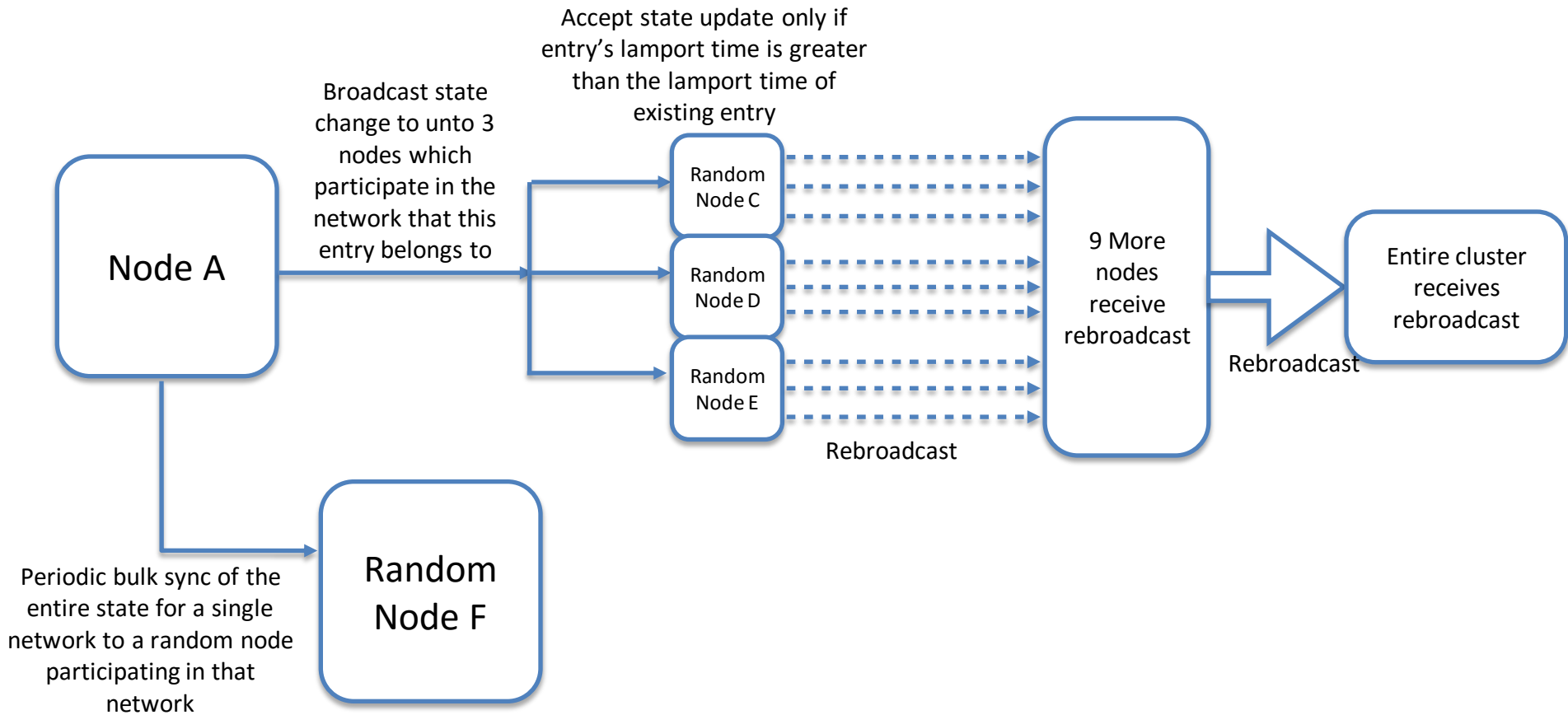
Gossip in detail

- Completely de-centralized discovery of cluster nodes
- Cluster membership is discovered using an implementation of Scalable Weakly-consistent Infection-style Process Group Membership Protocol (SWIM)
- Two kinds of cluster membership:
 - Swarm level
 - Network level
- Sequentially consistent state dissemination ordered by a lamport clock
- Single writer at a record/entry level
- Convergence time roughly has a $O(\log n)$ asymptotic time complexity

Failure detection



State dissemination



Deep Dive - Data Plane

Overlay driver



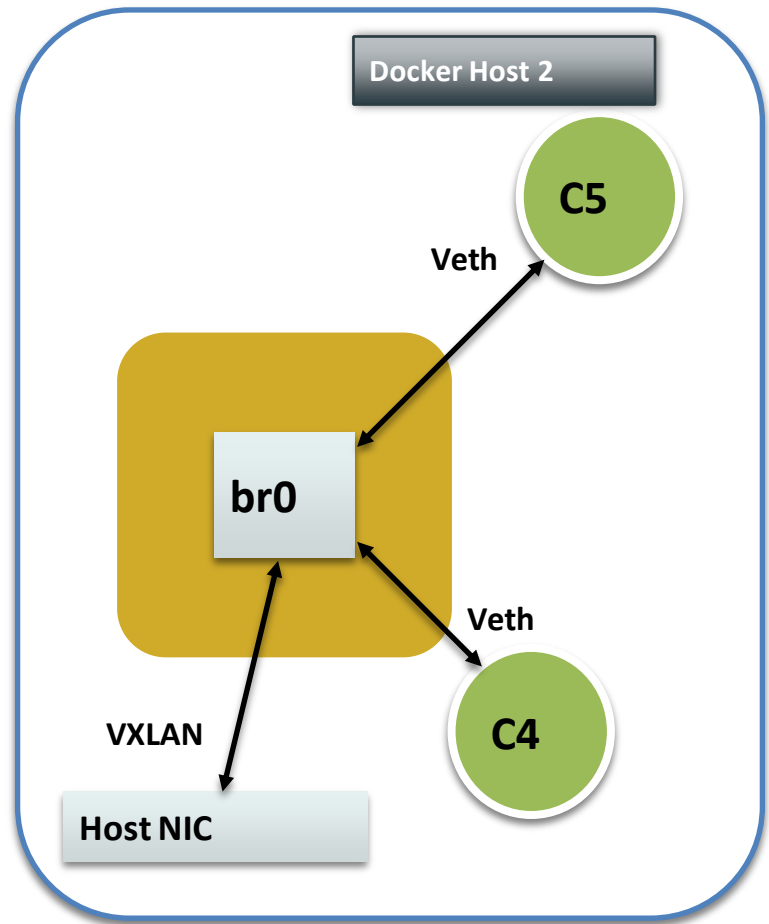
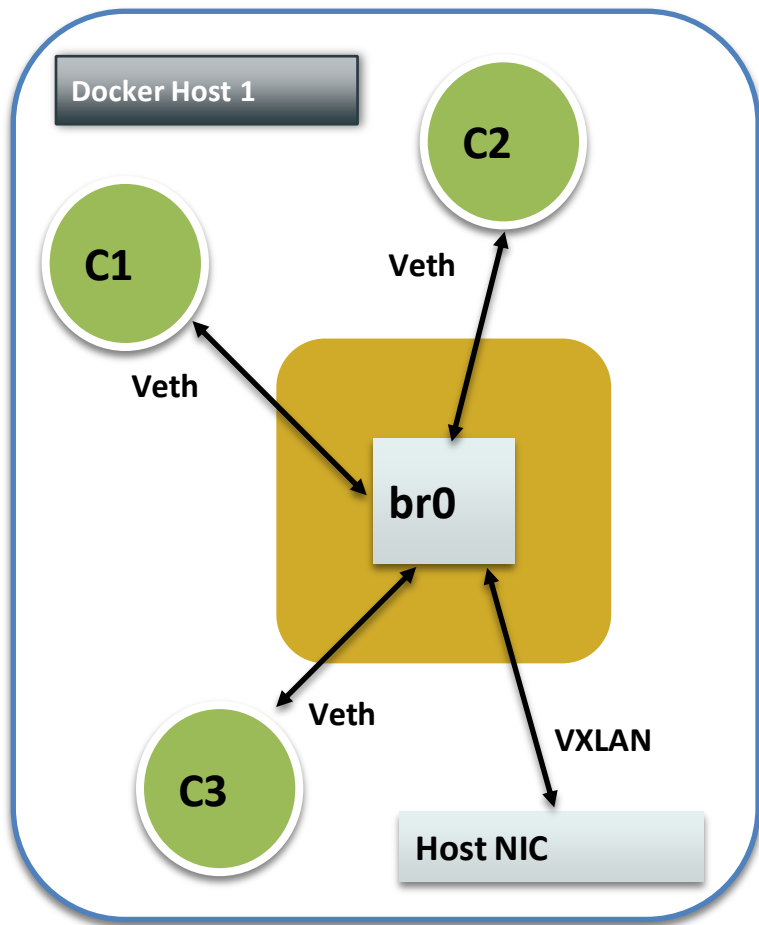
Overlay Networking Under the Hood

- Virtual eXtensible Local Area Network(VXLAN) data transport
- L2 Network over an L3 network (overlay)
- RFC7348
- Host as VXLAN Tunnel End Point (VTEP)
- Point-to-Multi-Point Tunnels
- Proxy-ARP

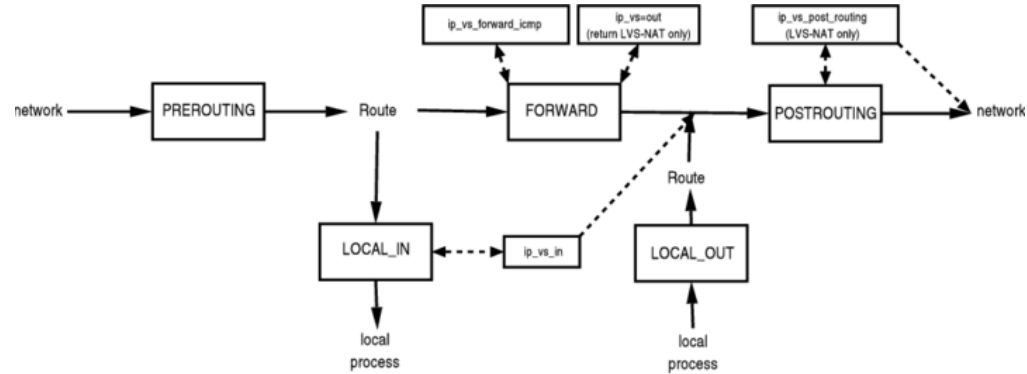
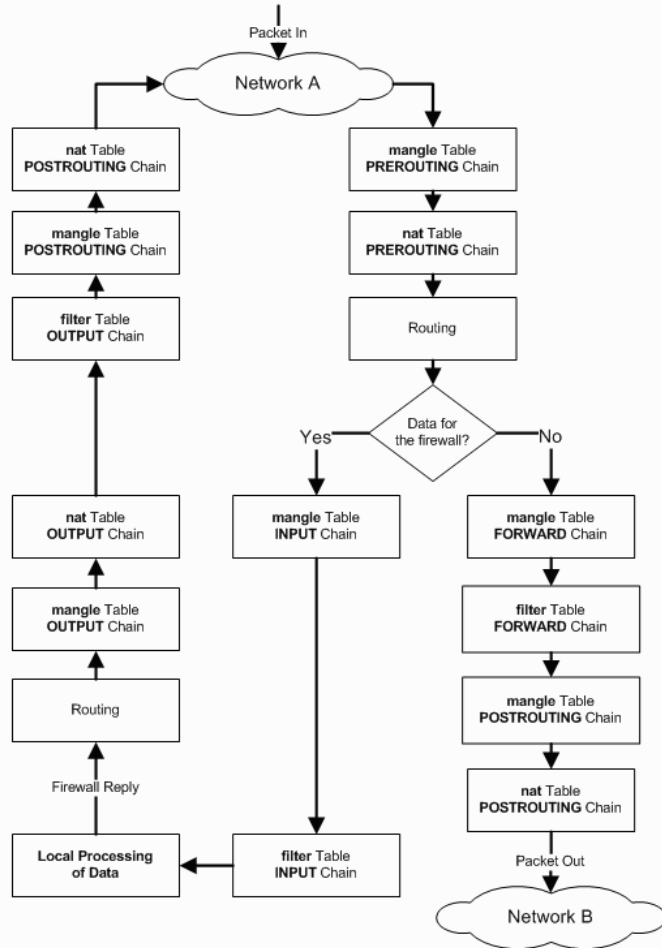
Overlay Networking Under the Hood

- A Linux Bridge per Subnet per Overlay Network per Host
- A VXLAN interface per Subnet per Overlay Network per Host
- **1** Linux Bridge per Host for default traffic (docker_gwbridge)
- Lazy creation (Only if container is attached to network)

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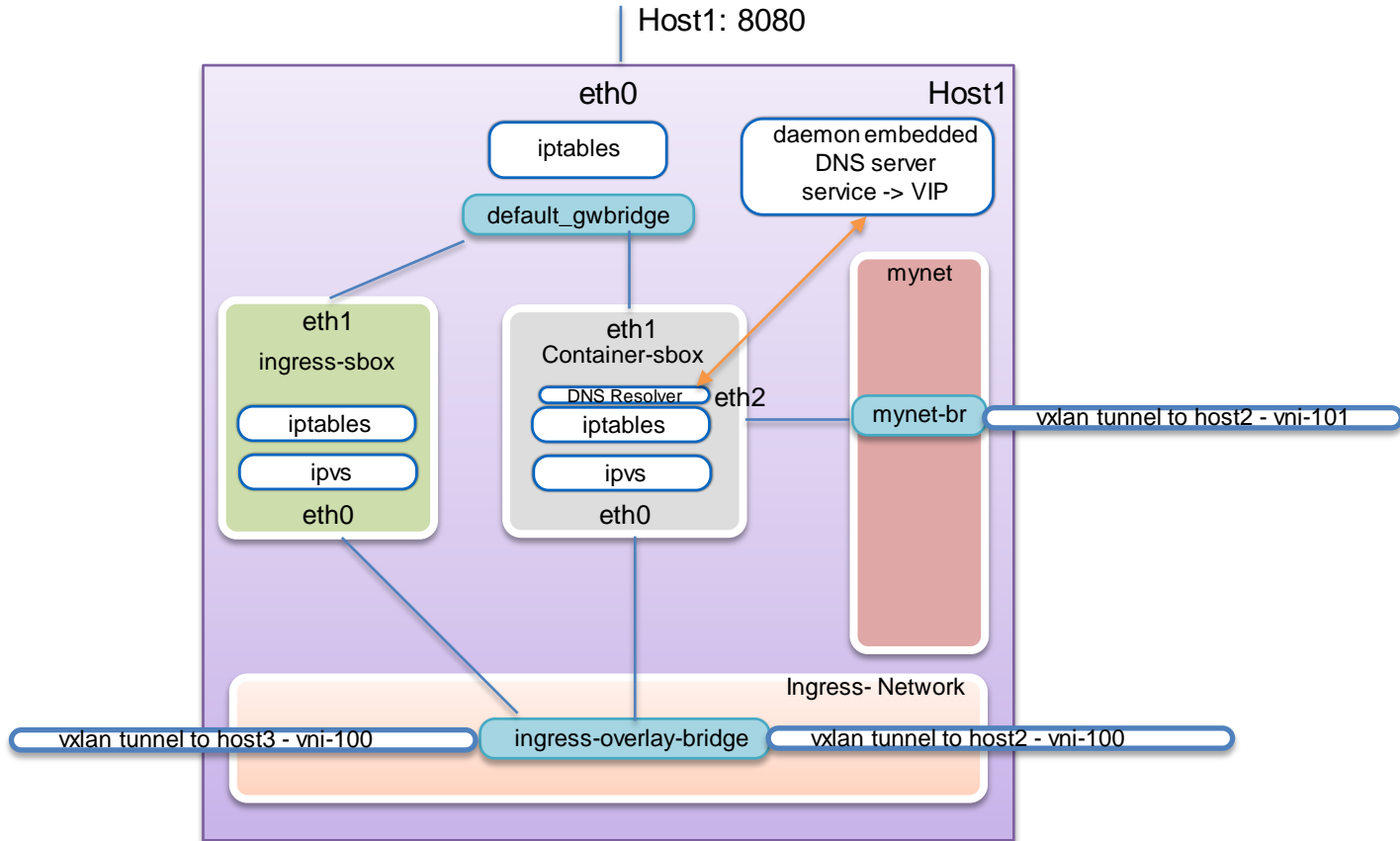
Linux Kernel NetFilter dataflow



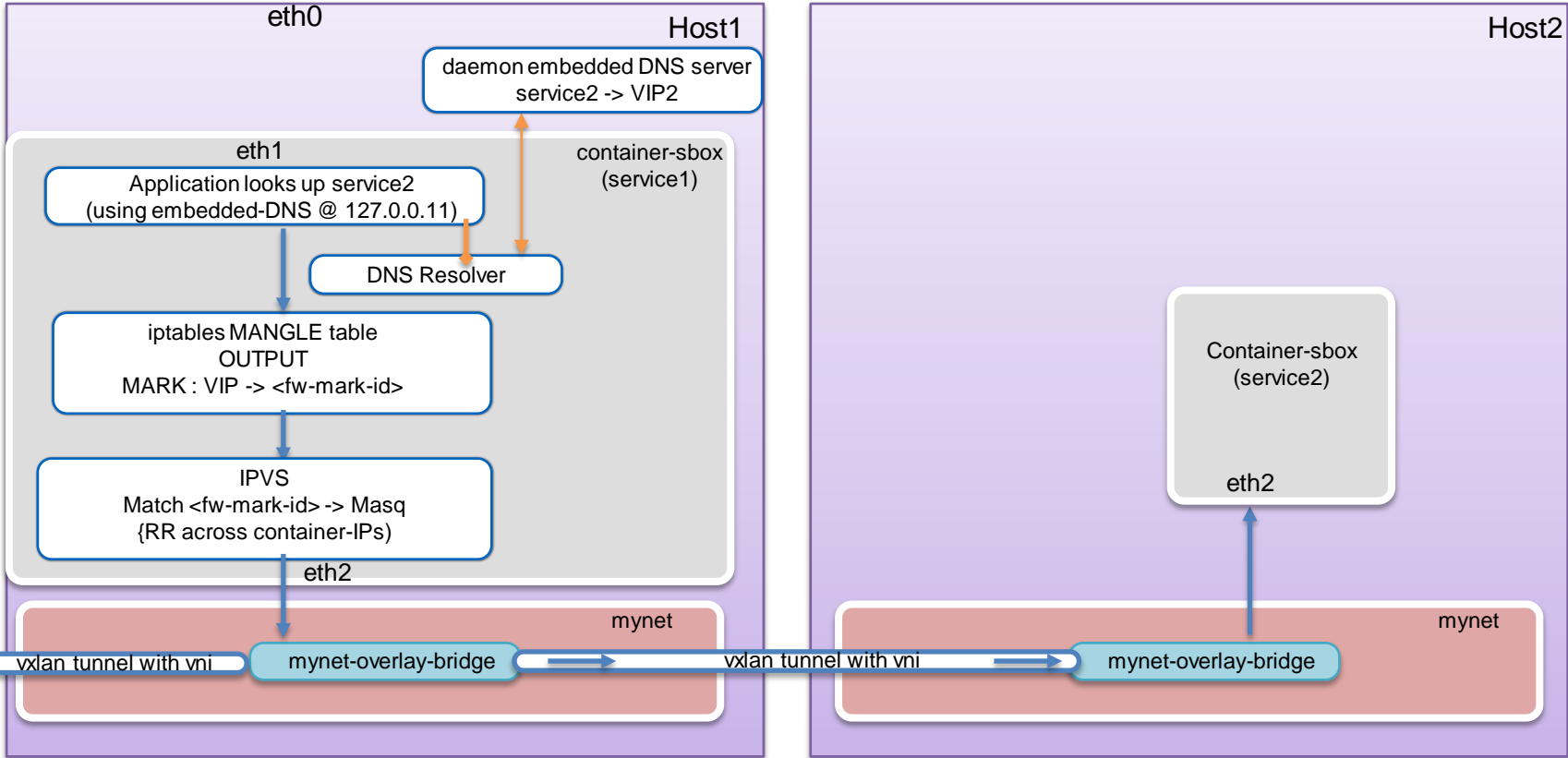
Linux Kernel Netfilter Hooks and LVS
 Horms <horns@verge.net.au>, v0.1.9-1, October 2003

Service , Port-Publish & Network

docker service create --name=test --network=mynet -p 8080:80 --replicas=2 xxx

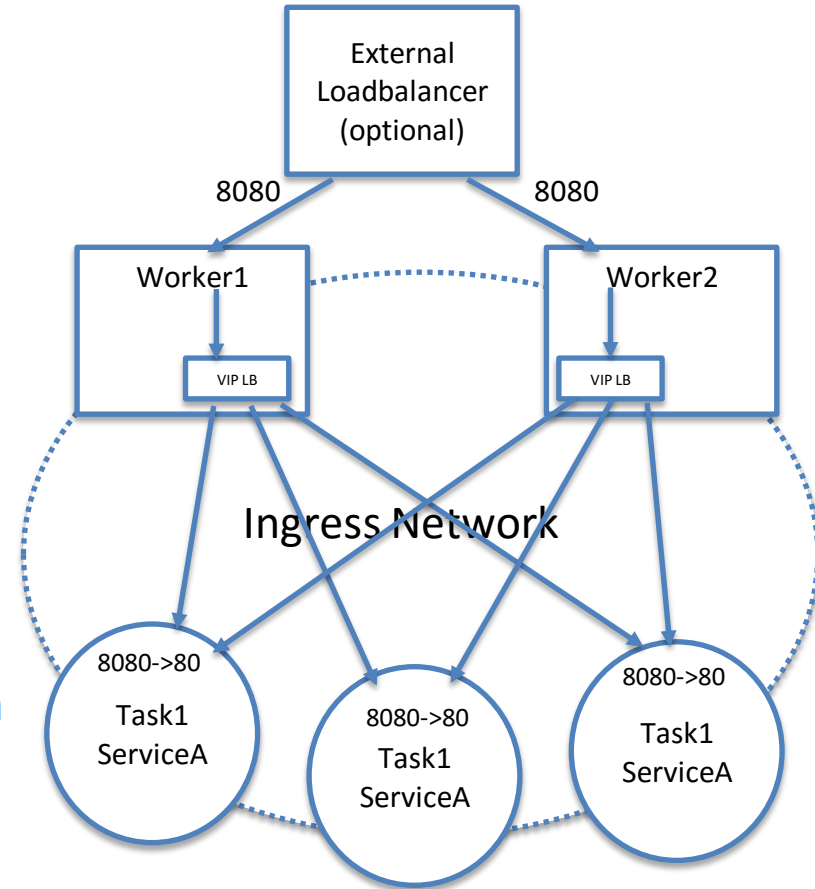


Day in life of a packet - Internal LB

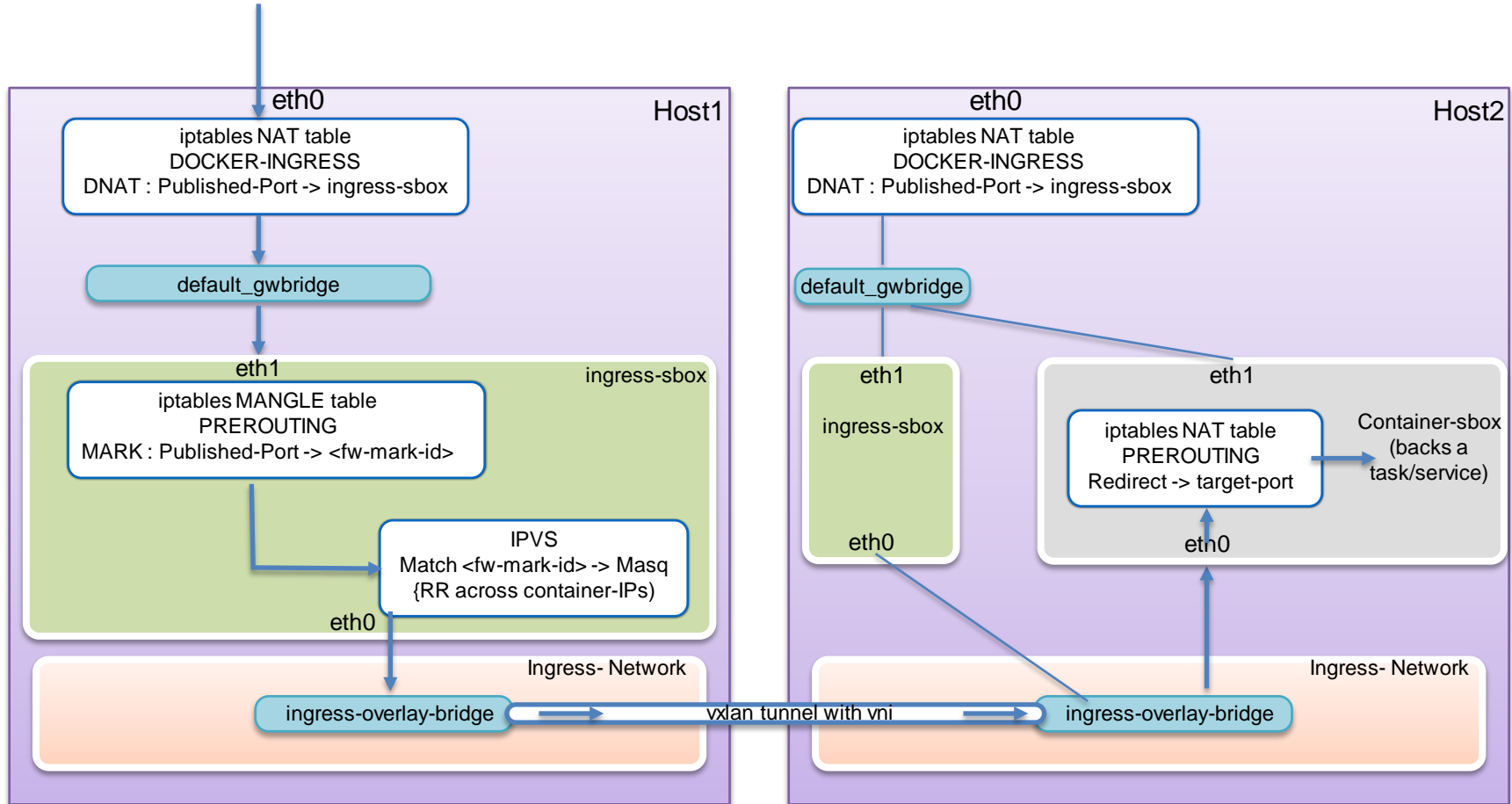


Routing mesh

- **Builtin routing mesh for edge routing**
- **Worker nodes themselves participate in ingress routing mesh**
- **All worker nodes accept connection requests on PublishedPort**
- **Port translation happens at the worker node**
- **Same internal load balancing mechanism used to load balance external requests**



Day in life of a packet - Routing Mesh & Ingress LB



Q&A

