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ETSI NFV INTERFACES AND ARCHITECTURE

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- Intro to IFA WG
- MANO Architectural Framework
 - MANO Basic Concepts
 - MANO Architectural Framework
 - Information Model
- Reference points, interfaces, operations
- Resource Management
- Overview of IFA work items

ETSI NFV ISG Interfaces and Architecture WG (IFA) WG



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| Feb'12 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● ETSI NFV ISG Created● ETSI NFV Management and Orchestration (MANO) WG Created |
| Dec'13 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● ETSI NFV Architectural Framework Published |
| Nov'14 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● ETSI NFV MANO WG Closed● ETSI NFV IFA Created ←● Release 2 work starts |
| Jan'15 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● MAN001 - ETSI NFV Management and Orchestration Report – Published |
| Jan'16 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● First IFA WG Release 2 specifications published |
| Apr'16 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Release 3 work starts |
| Jun'16 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Finalization of Release 2 work on interfaces and descriptors |
| Sep'16 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Finalization of information model |
| Soon | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Publication of IFA WG Release 2 specifications |

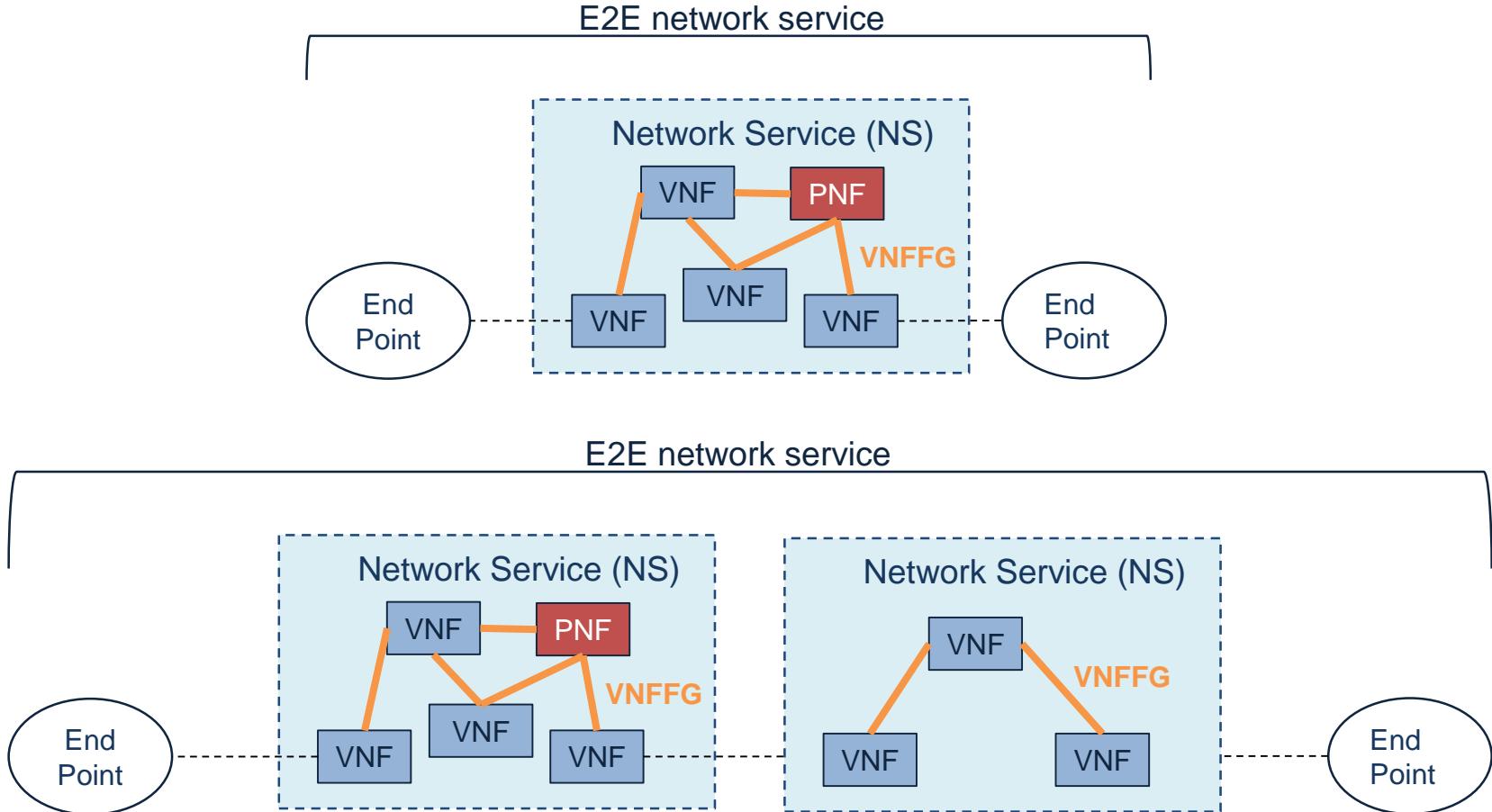
IFA WG Scope

- **Normative Interface Specifications**
- **Normative Information Element Specifications**
- **Normative NFV Descriptors Specifications**
- **Acceleration Use cases, Specifications and Reports**
- **Informative Reports on new features evaluating interface and architecture impacts**



MANO ARCHITECTURAL FRAMEWORK

Network Functions Virtualization: VNFs, NS and E2E Network Service

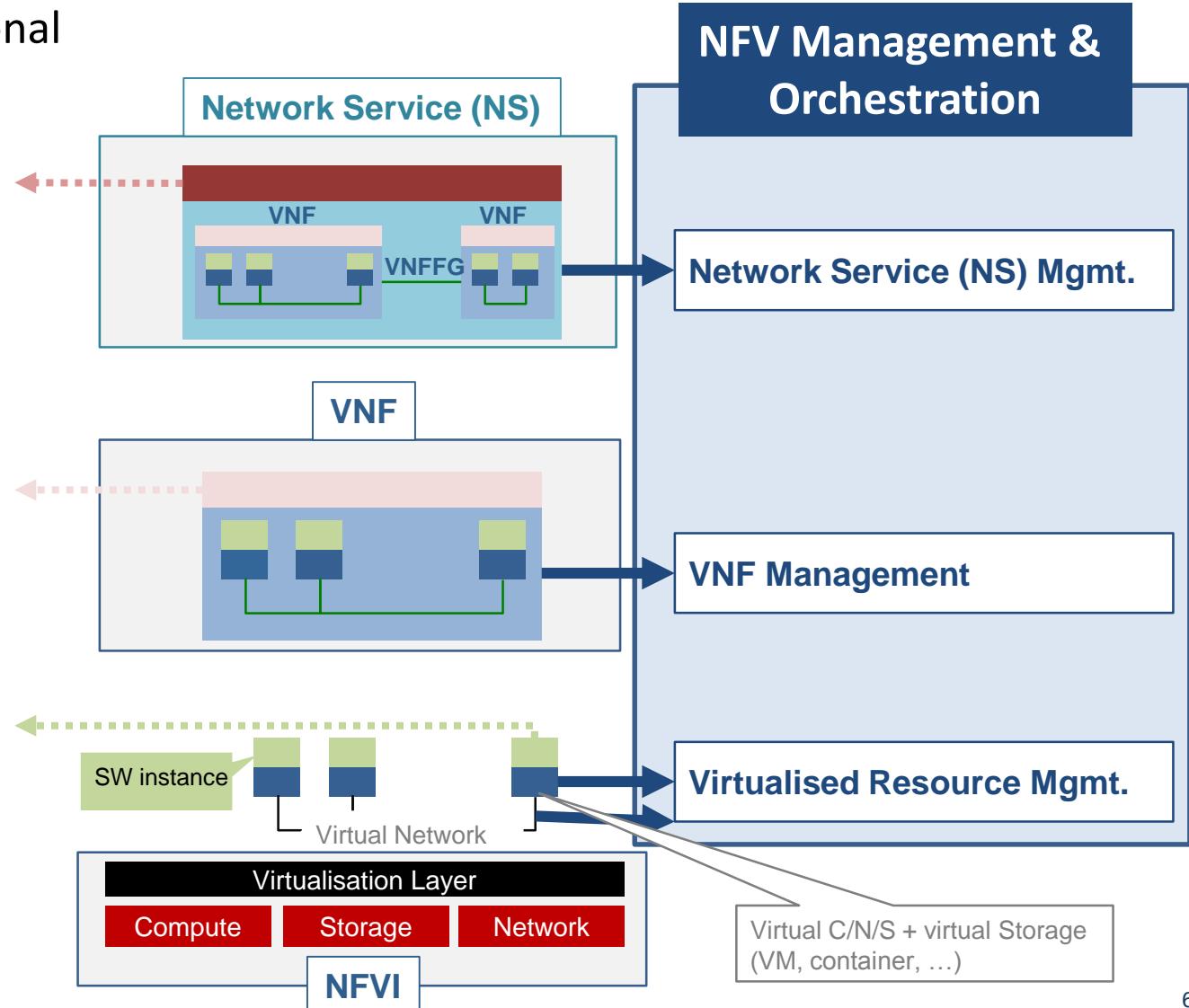


Network Functions Virtualisation: Management of NFV Components

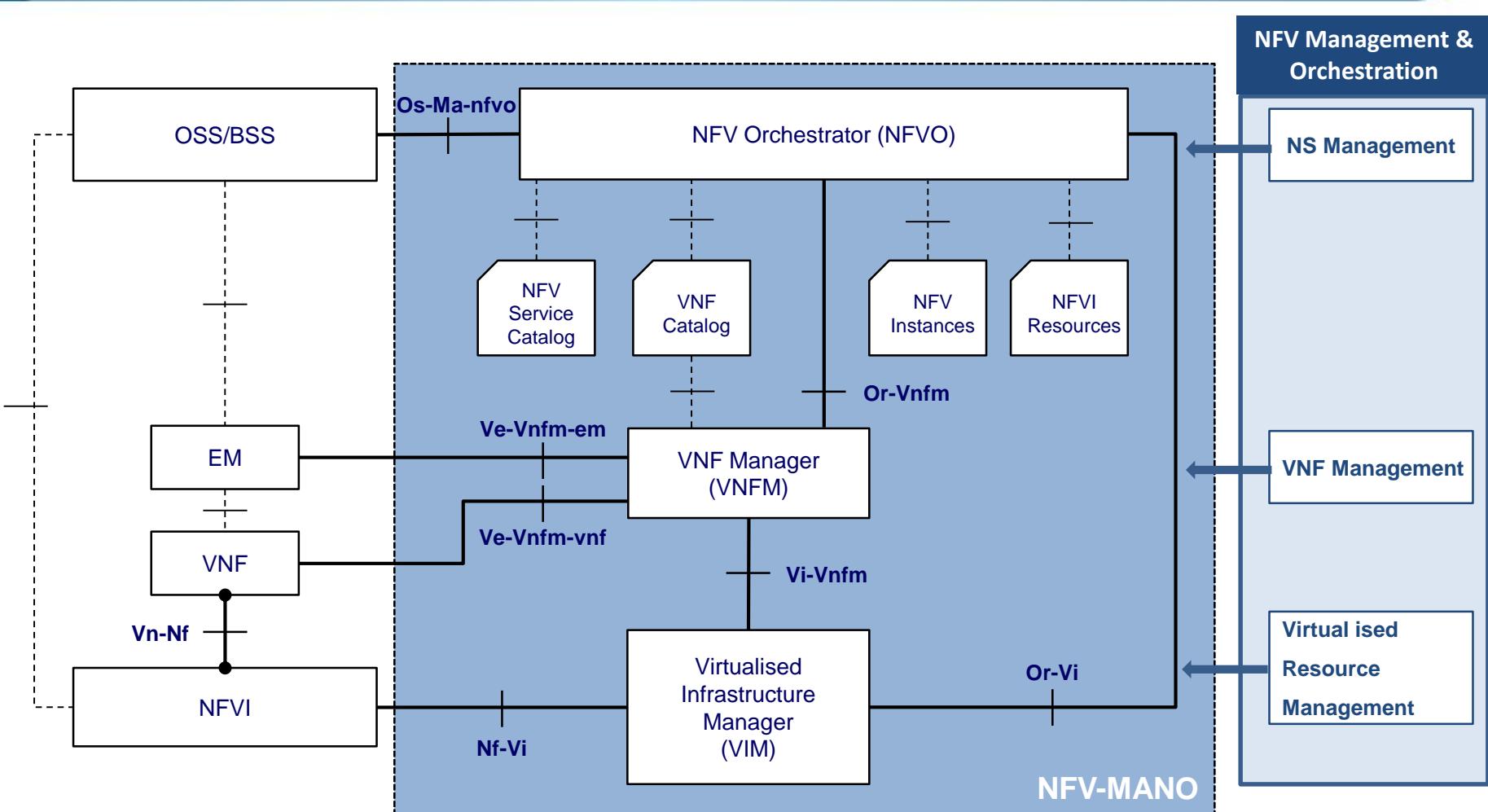


Application & Functional Management

Functional Management of Network Service



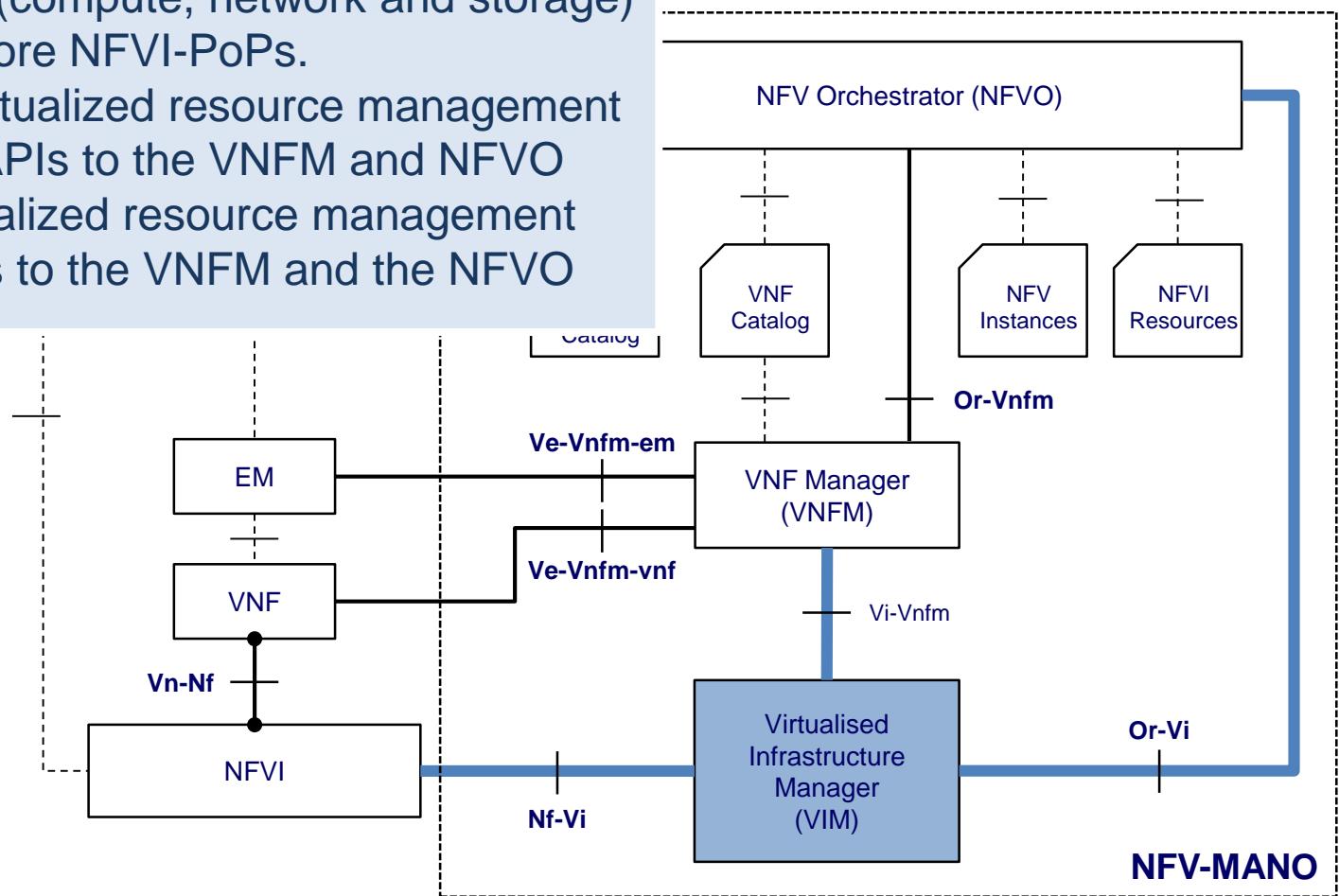
Management and Orchestration: Architecture



Virtualised Infrastructure Manager (VIM)



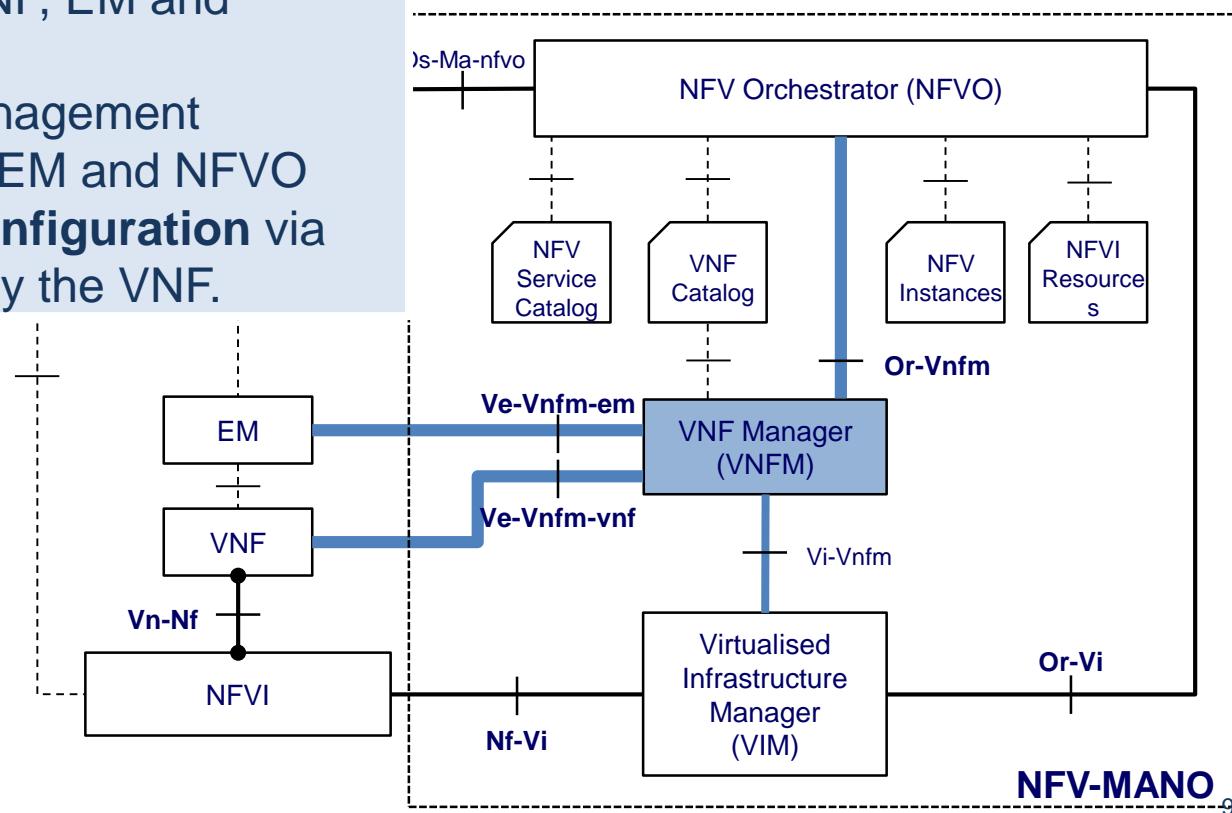
- Manages the NFV infrastructure resources (compute, network and storage) in one or more NFVI-PoPs.
- Exposes virtualized resource management interfaces/APIs to the VNFM and NFVO
- Sends virtualized resource management notifications to the VNFM and the NFVO



VNF Manager (VNFM)



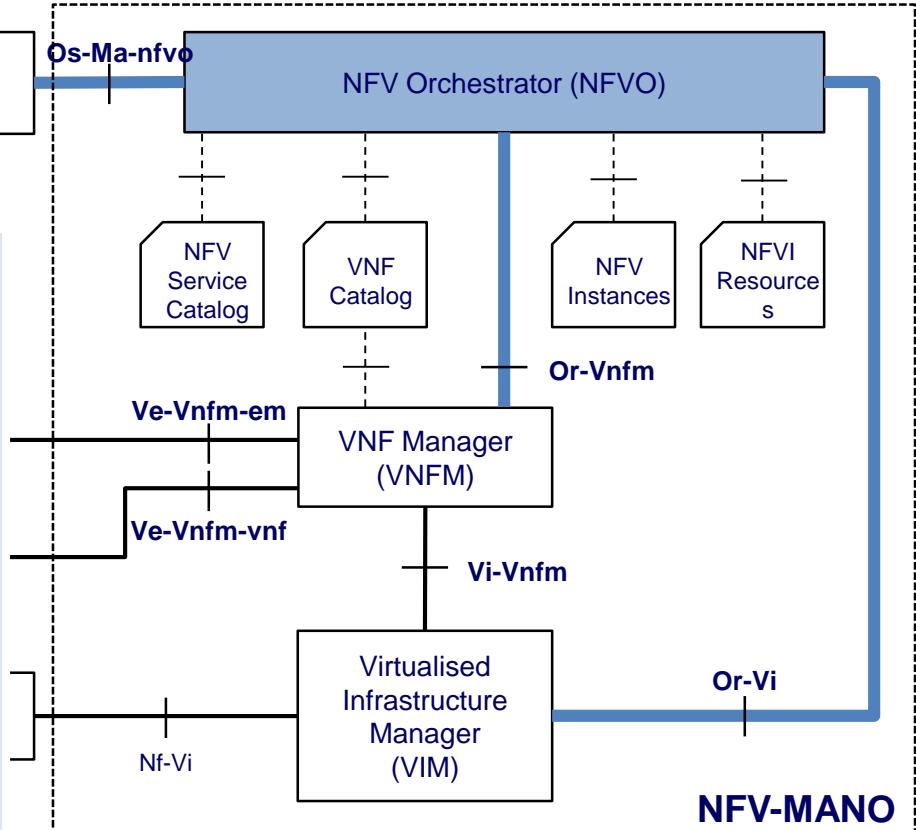
- Manages the lifecycle of VNFs
- Manages virtualized resources associated to the VNF it manages via the interfaces exposed by the VIM or NFVO
- Exposes VNF lifecycle management interfaces/APIs to the VNF, EM and NFVO.
- Sends VNF lifecycle management notifications to the VNF, EM and NFVO
- **Manages VNF initial configuration via the interfaces exposed by the VNF.**



NFV Orchestrator (NFVO)



- **Manages the lifecycle of NS**
- Exposes NS lifecycle management interfaces to the OSS/BSS
- Sends NS lifecycle management notifications to the OSS/BSS
- Exposes virtualized resource management interfaces to the VNFM
- Sends virtualized resource management notifications to the VNFM
- Manages the VNF lifecycle via the interfaces exposed by the VNFM
- Manages virtualized resources via the interfaces exposed by the VIM.





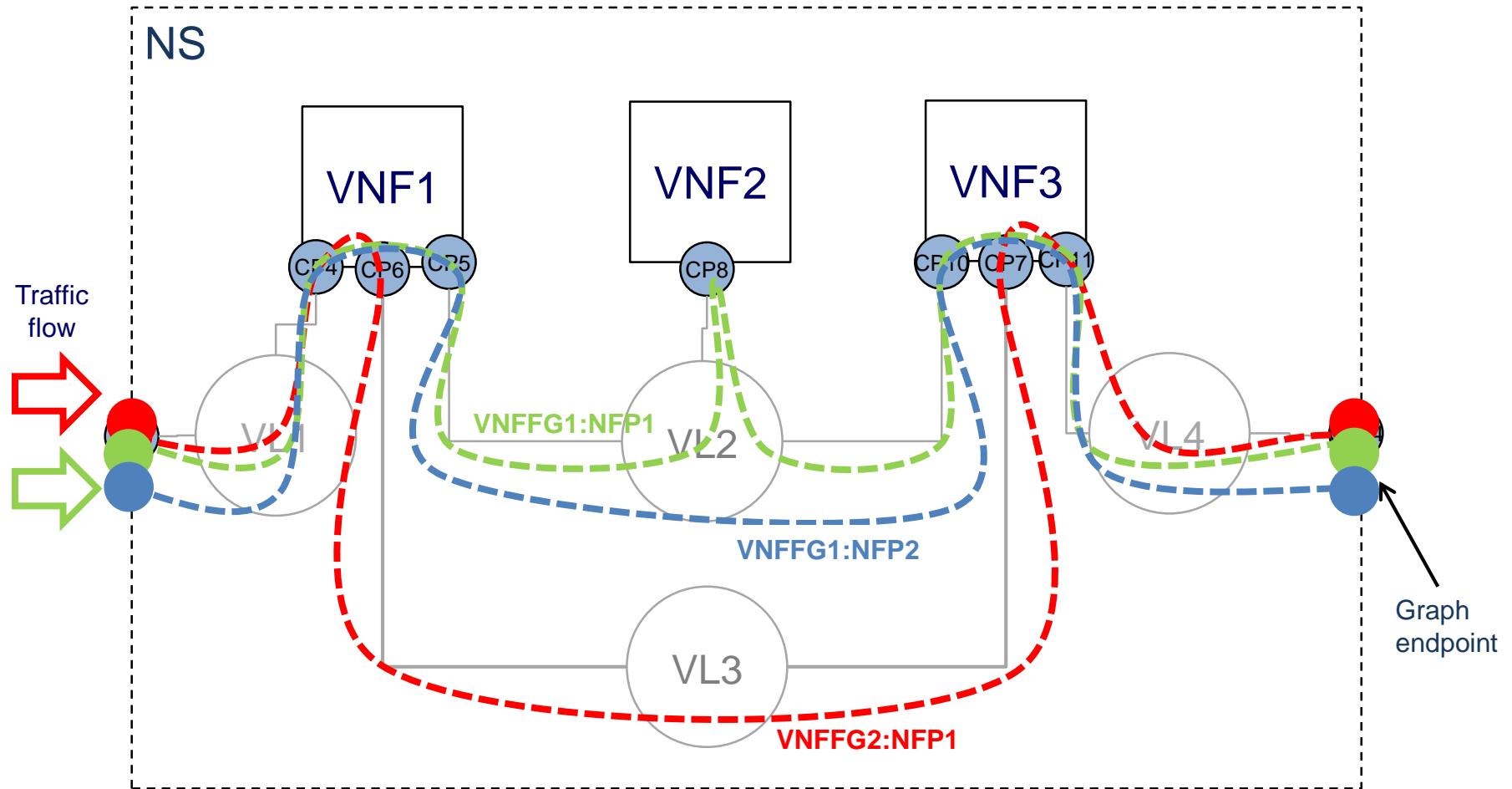
MANO INFORMATION MODEL

VNF Forwarding Graph and Network

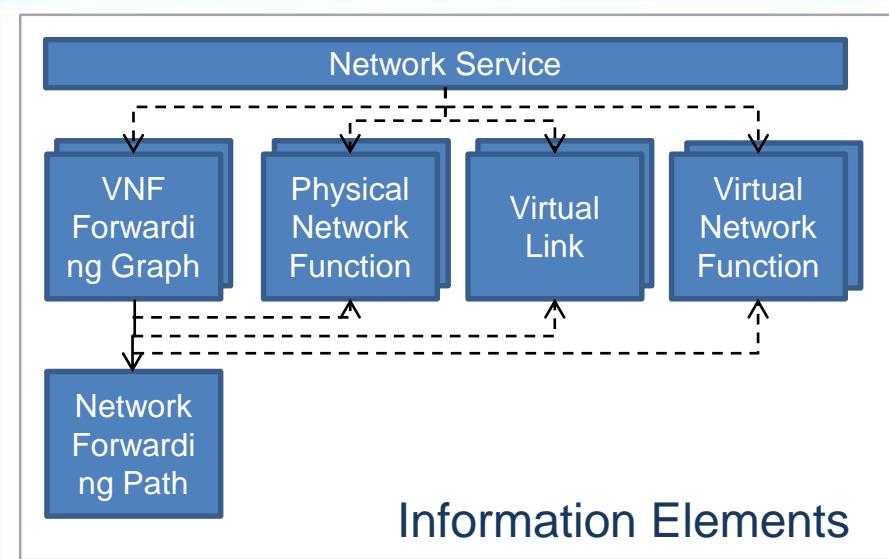
Forwarding Path on top of a Network Service



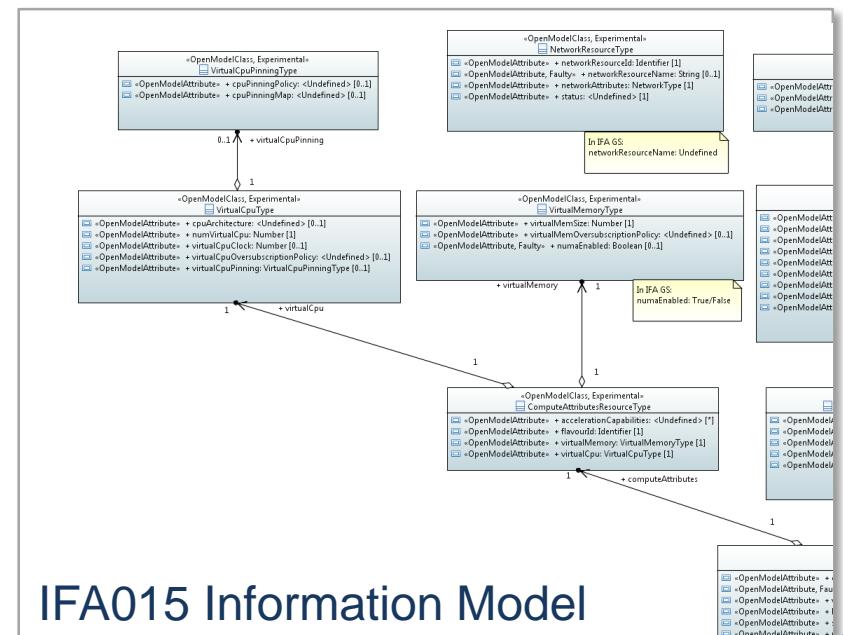
CP = connection point, VL = Virtual Link, VNFFG = VNF Forwarding Graph, NFP = Network Forwarding Path



Base Information Elements



from information elements...
... to UML information model

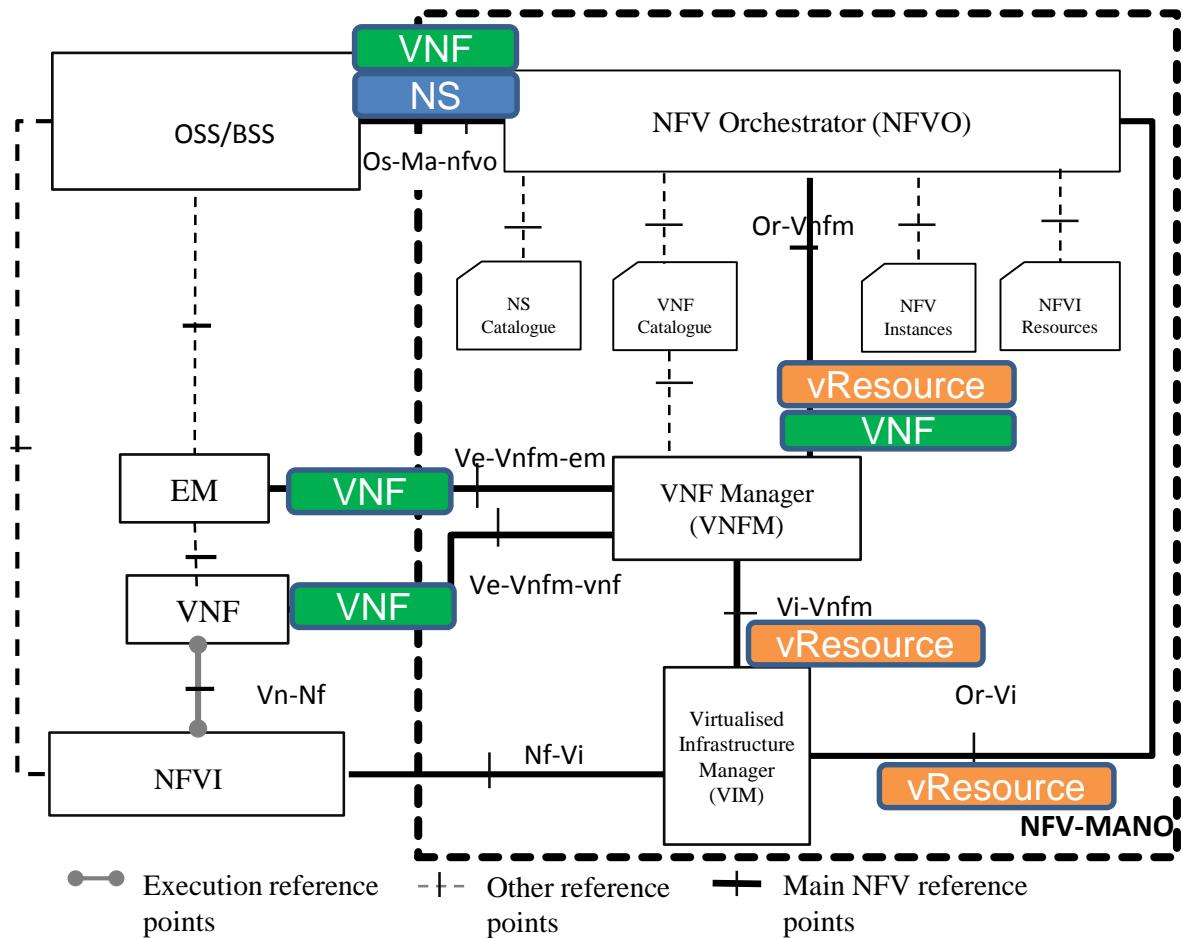


https://docbox.etsi.org/ISG/NFV/Open/Drafts/IFA015_NFV_Information_Model



MANO REFERENCE POINTS AND INTERFACES

MANO Reference points and Interfaces



NS

- NS Lifecycle Management
- NS Lifecycle Change Notifications
- NS Descriptor Management
- NS Performance Management
- NS Fault Management

VNF

- VNF Package Management
- VNF Lifecycle Management
- VNF Lifecycle Operation Granting
- VNF Lifecycle Change Notifications
- VNF Configuration Management
- VNF Performance Management
- VNF Fault Management
- VNF Indicator

Virtualised Resource

- vResource Management
- vResource Information Management
- vResource Quota Management
- vResource Capacity Management
- vResource Change Notification
- vResource Fault Management
- vResource Performance Mgmt.
- vResource Reservation Mgmt.
- NetworkForwardingPath Mgmt
- SW Image Management



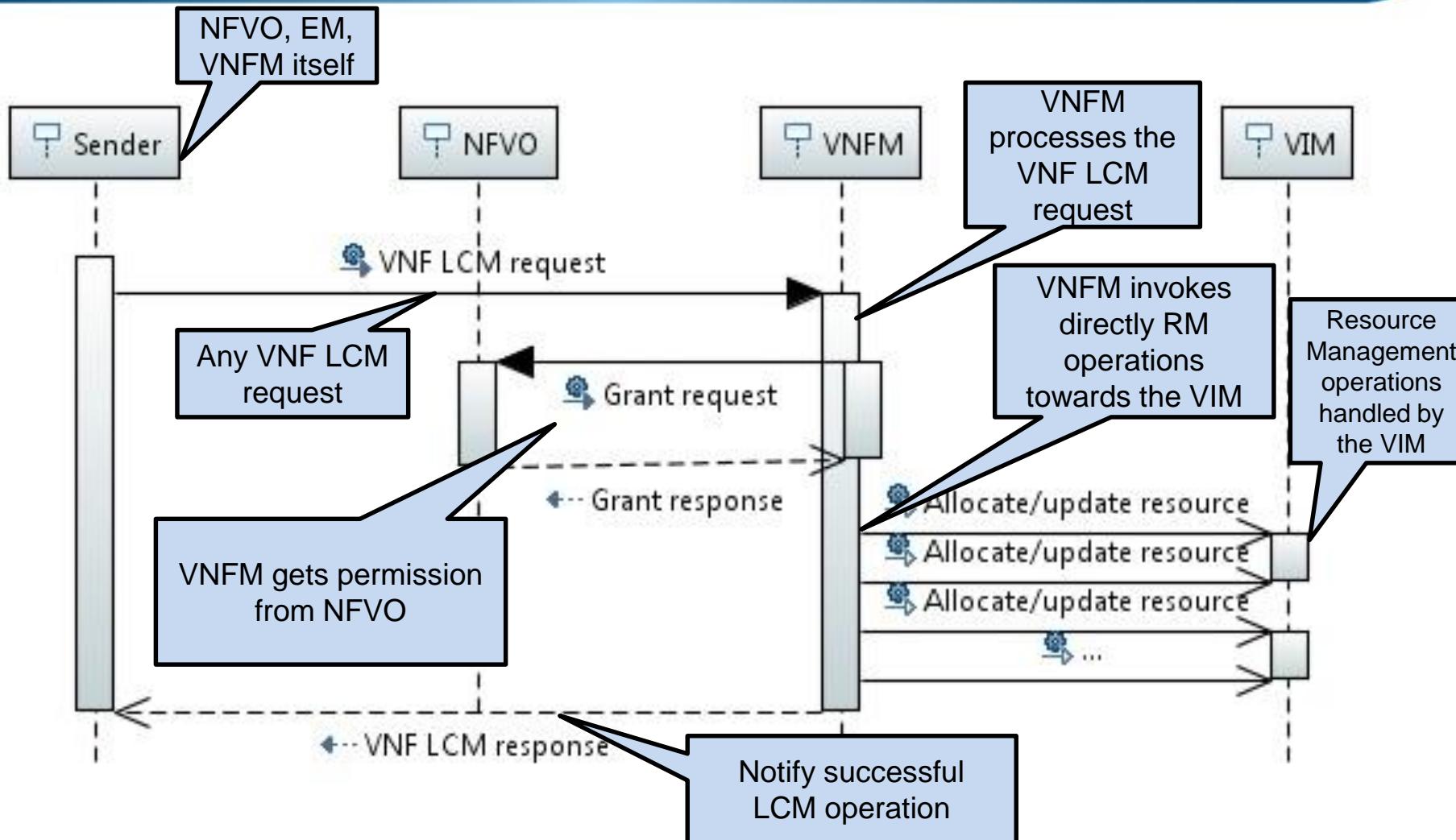
RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Virtualised Resource

- vResource Management
- vResource Information Management
 - vResource Change Notification
- vResource Fault Management
- vResource Performance Management
- vResource Reservation Management
- vResource Reservation Change Notification
- vResource Capacity Management*
- vResource Quota Management*
- Network Forwarding Path Management
- Software Image Management

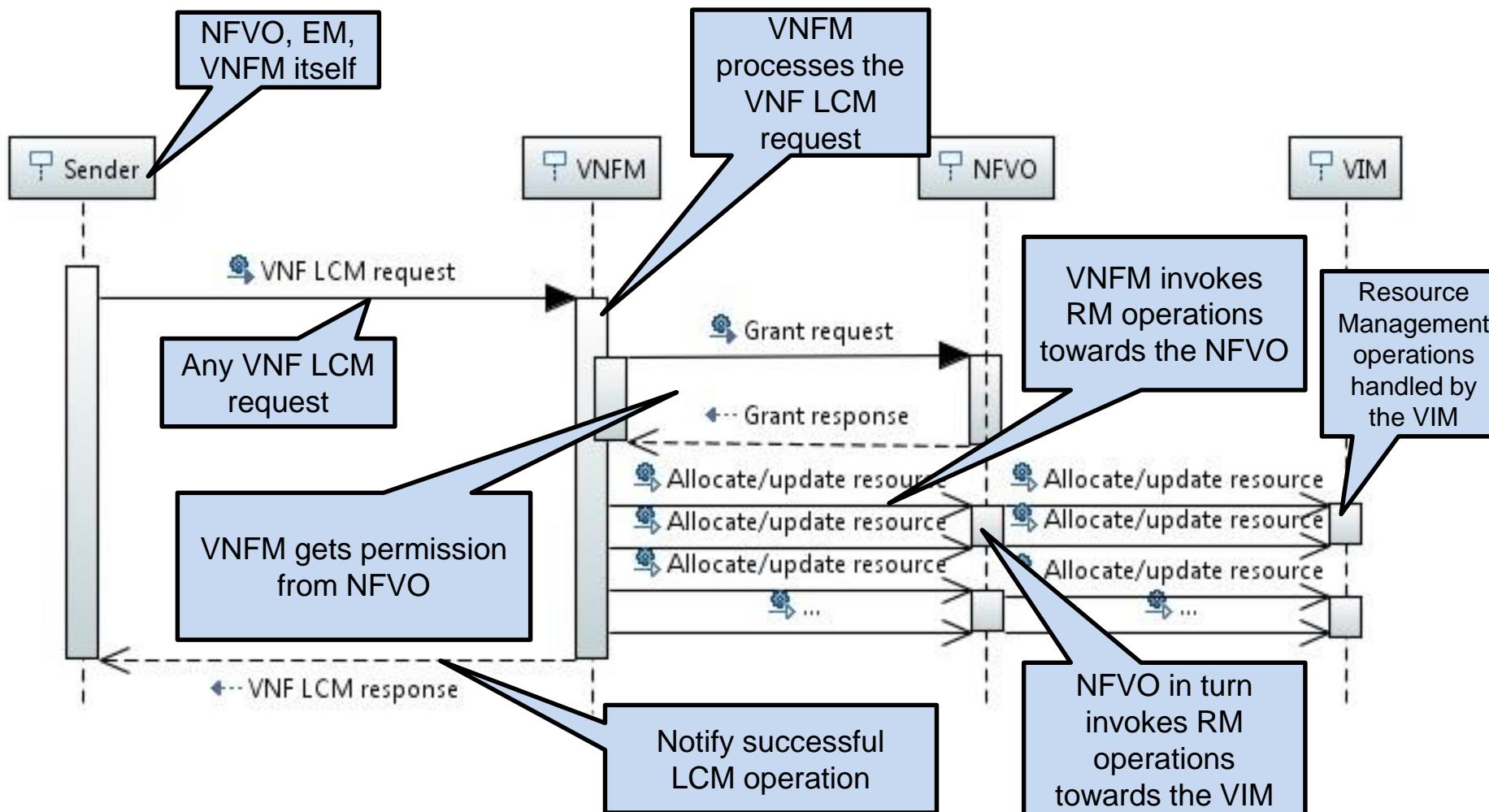
*Only applicable to Or-Vi Reference Point

VNF related resource management done by VNFM (Direct mode)



Simplified flow, focusing only on Resource Management

VNF related resource management done by NFVO (Indirect mode)

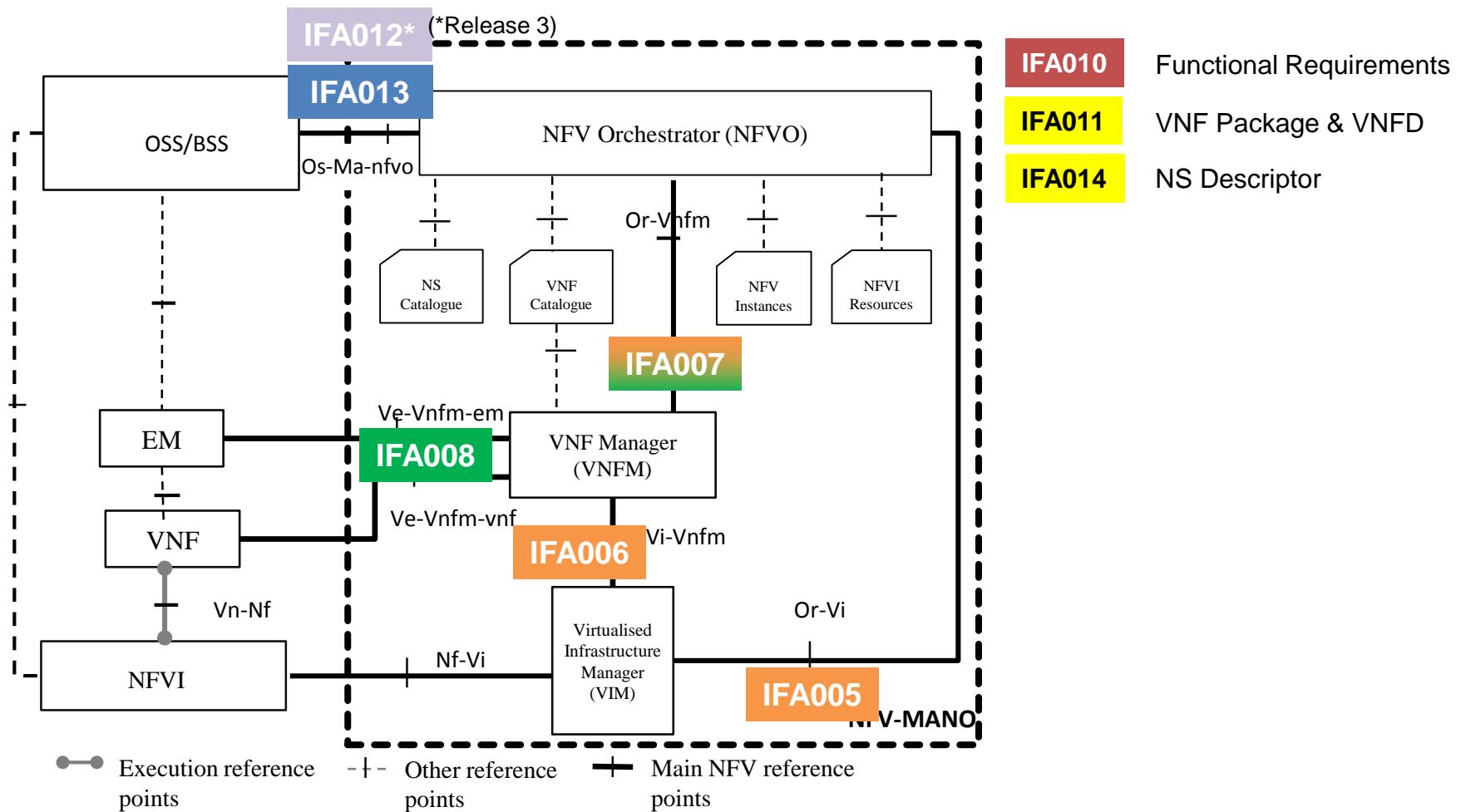


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OVERVIEW OF IFA WORK ITEMS

ETSI NFV IFA WG Group Specifications



- IFA009 – Architectural Options
- IFA015 – NFV Information Model
- IFA016 – Papyrus Guidelines
- IFA017 – UML Modeling Guidelines
- IFA020 – NFVO Decomposition Options (Release 3)
- IFA021 – MANO and Automated Deployment (Release 3)
- IFA022 – Multi Site Services (Release 3)
- IFA023 – Policy Management in MANO (Release 3)
- IFA024 – External Touchpoints related to NFV Information Model

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<http://www.etsi.org/nfv>

http://nfvwiki.etsi.org/index.php?title=NFV_Issue_Tracker

- IFA001 –Acceleration Overview & use Cases
- IFA002 –VNF acceleration interface specifications
- IFA003 –vSwitch Requirements
- IFA004 –Acceleration Management Aspects
- IFA018 –Resource Management Acceleration
- IFA019 –Acceleration Interface

- Reminder: Next webinar coming soon
- NFV Acceleration Technology Overview and Standards Update
- 29 September 2016, 12noon EDT, 16.00 UTC, 18.00 CEST
- Speaker: Ning Zong, Principal Engineer in Network Research at Huawei Technologies and vice-chair of ETSI NFV IFA

- Register now at:
 - <https://www.brighttalk.com/webcast/12761/223025>



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More information:

Drafts (Open Area) <http://docbox.etsi.org/ISG/NFV/Open/Drafts/>
Issue tracker http://nfvwiki.etsi.org/index.php?title=NFV_Issue_Tracker

NFV Technology Page (information)
<http://www.etsi.org/nfv>

NFV Portal (working area)
<http://portal.etsi.org/nfv>

NFV Proofs of Concept (information)
<http://www.etsi.org/nfv-poc>

NFV Plugtest (information & registration)
<http://www.etsi.org/nfvplugtest>

