

# Transparent Access to Edge Services for IoT

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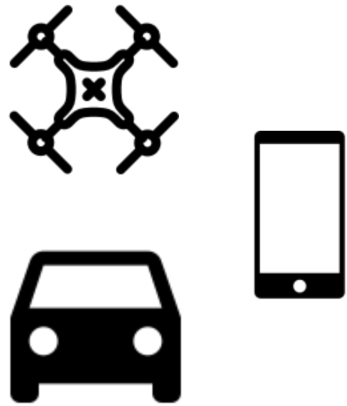


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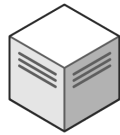


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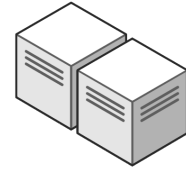
Device Edge



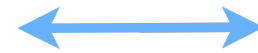
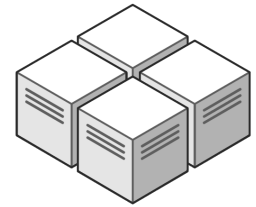
Gateway Edge



Network Edge



Cloud



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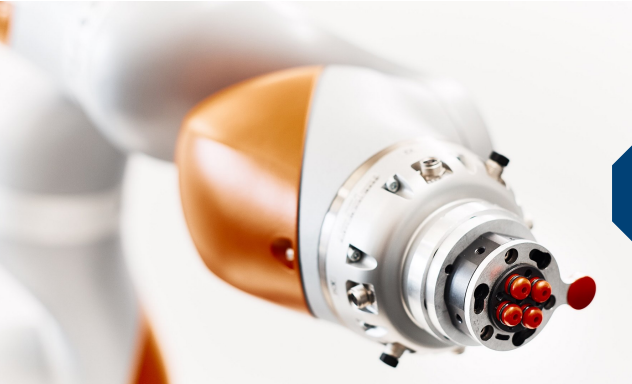
Virtual Realities



Communication  
in Swarms



Wireless  
Industrial  
Robotics



Smart City

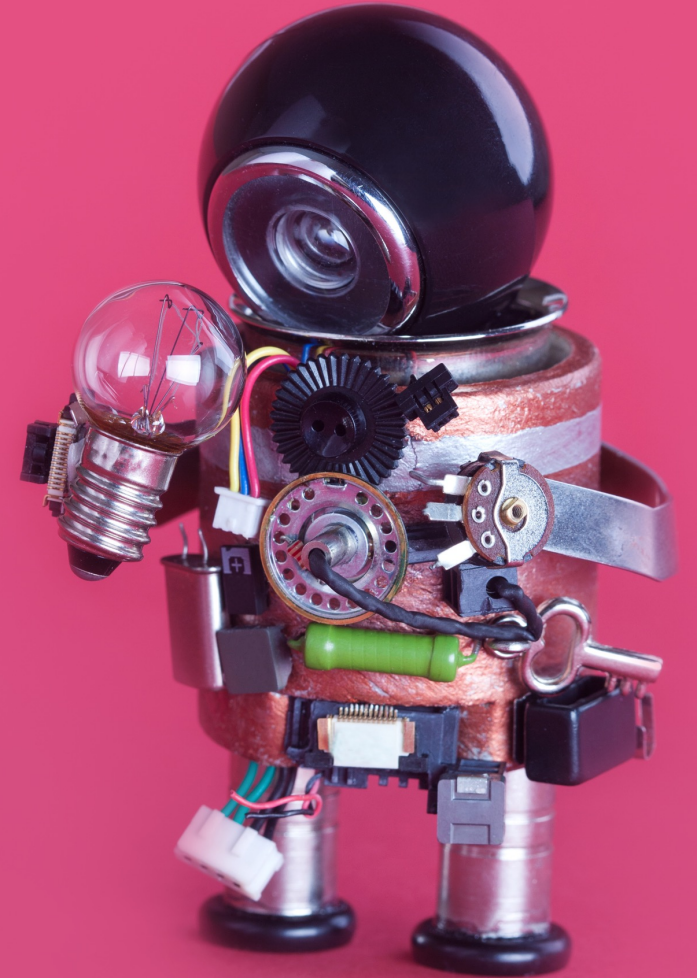


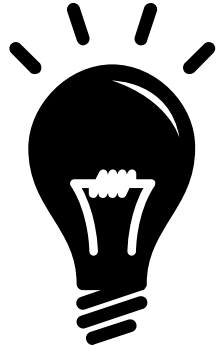
**How to access  
edge services?**



# Similar to IoT Frameworks?

- AWS IoT Greengrass
- Google Cloud IoT
- Microsoft Azure IoT Edge





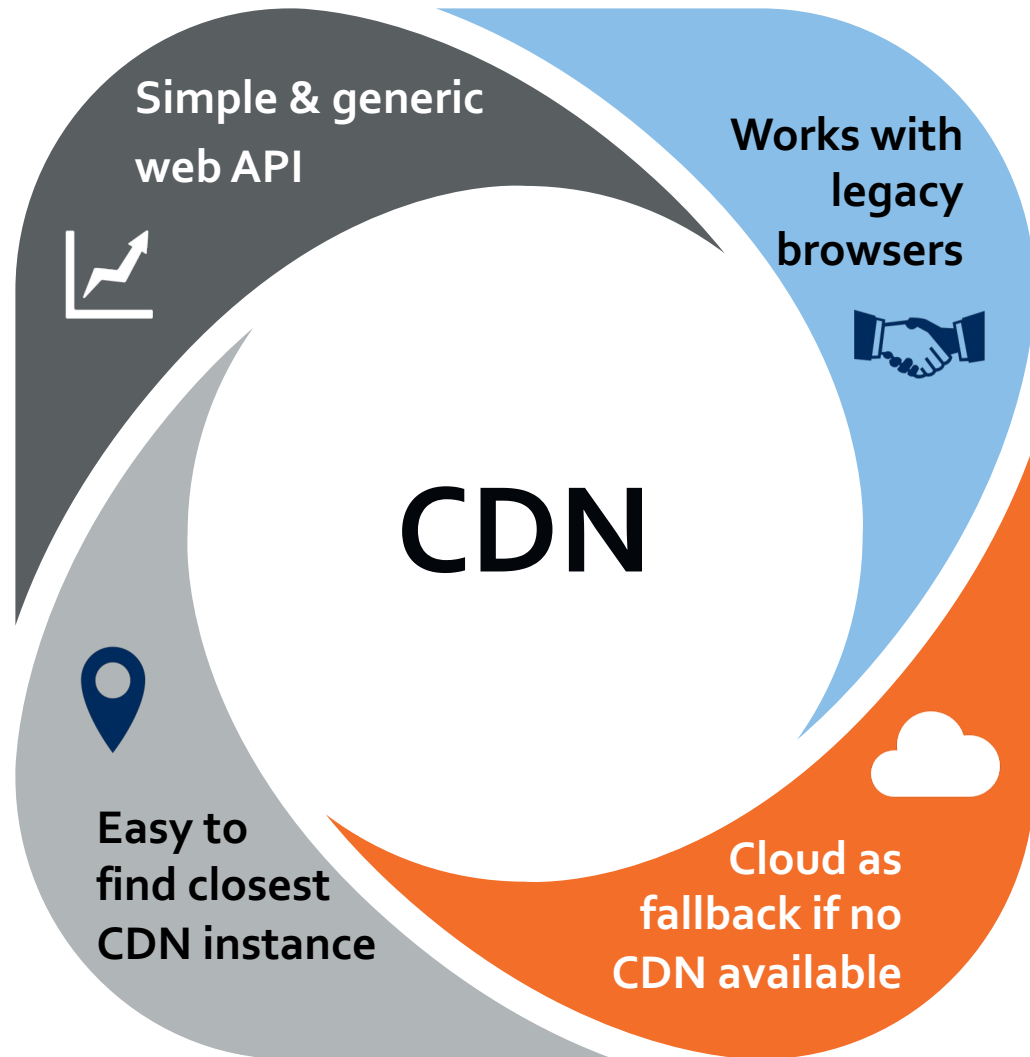
# **Transparent Access to Edge Clouds**

**... similar to  
Content Delivery  
Networks (CDNs)**

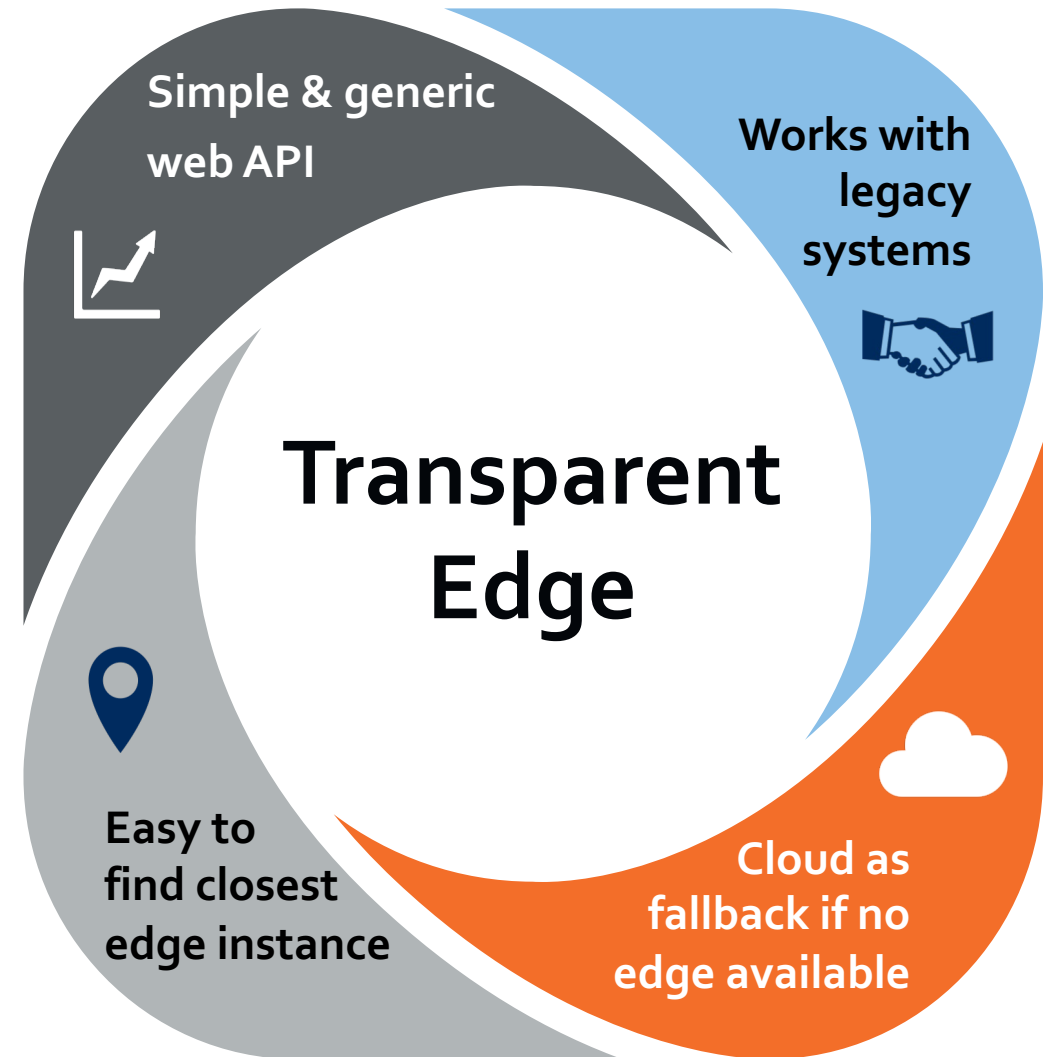
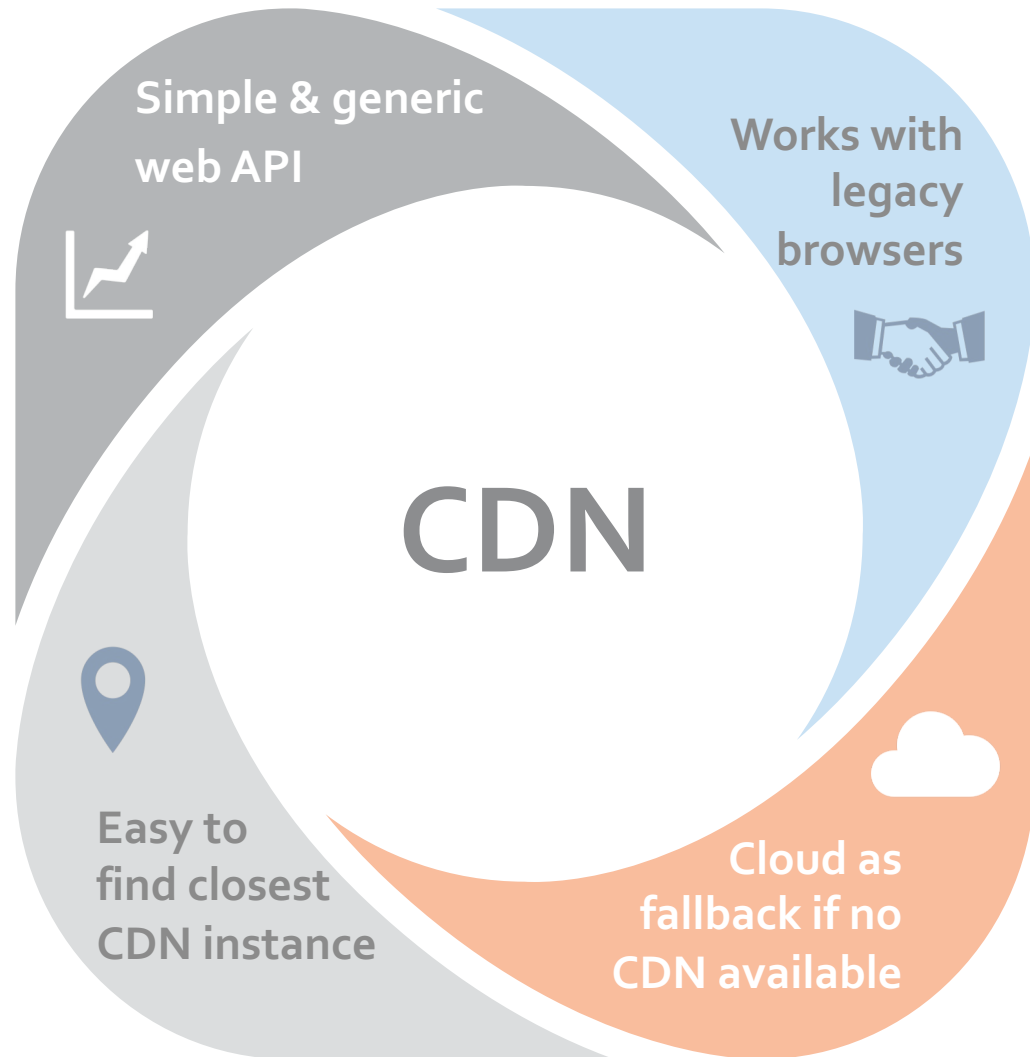




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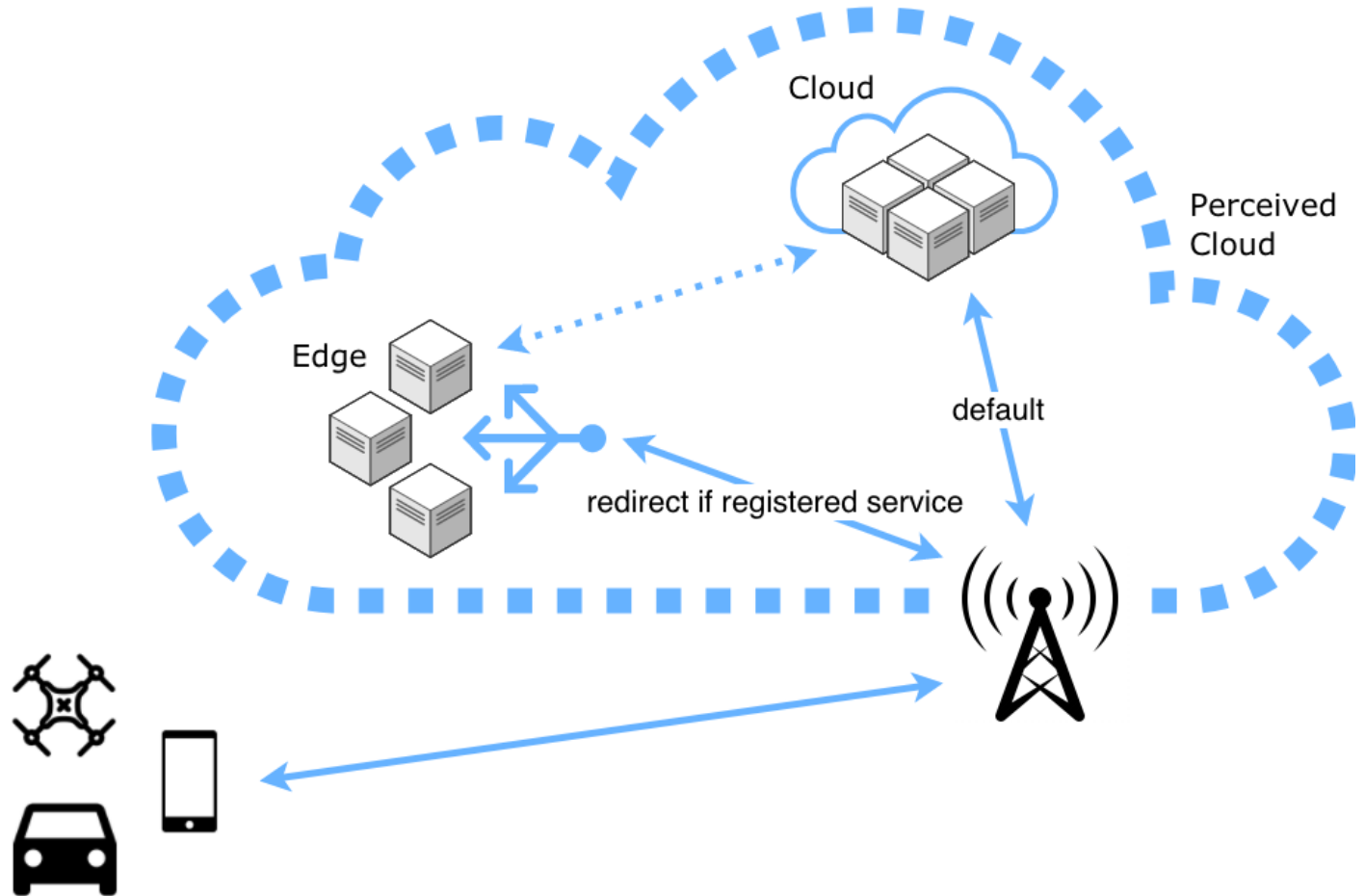


**How can we achieve  
transparent access?**





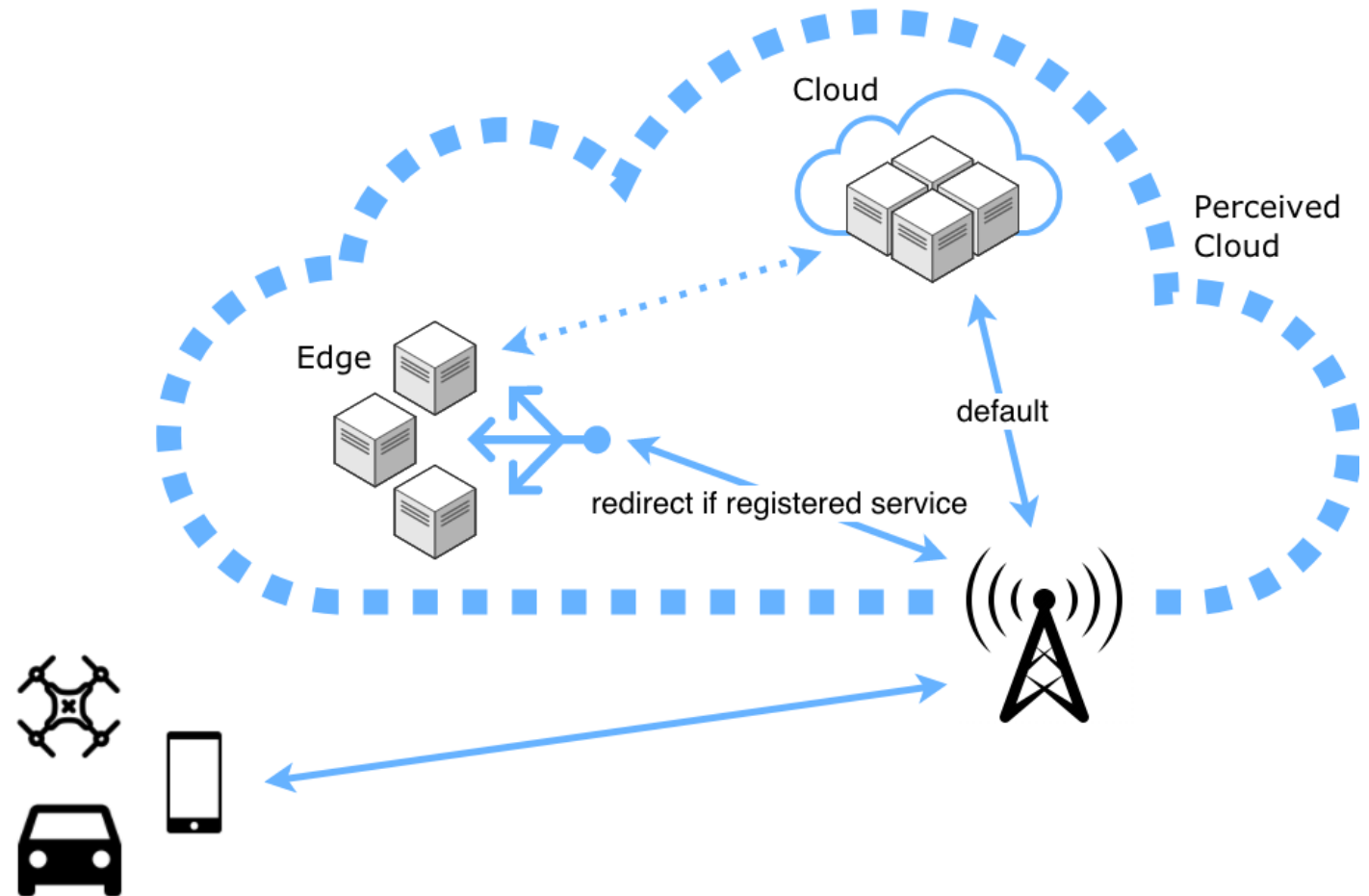
**Use (virtual) cloud  
service IP addresses  
to access the local  
edge instance  
using SDN**





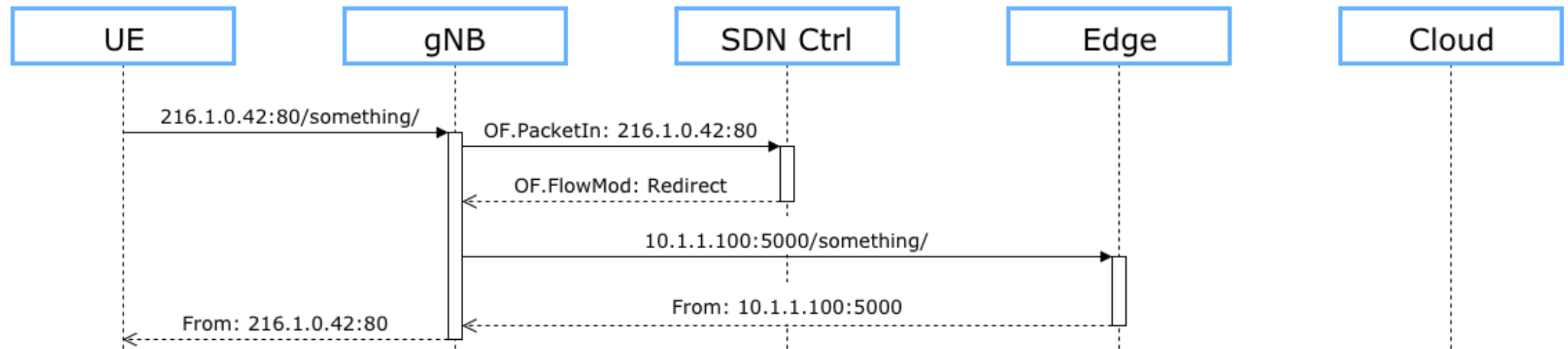
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**The user (UE) seems to communicate with a remote cloud – it never sees the IP of the edge service**



# Routing with a registered service IP

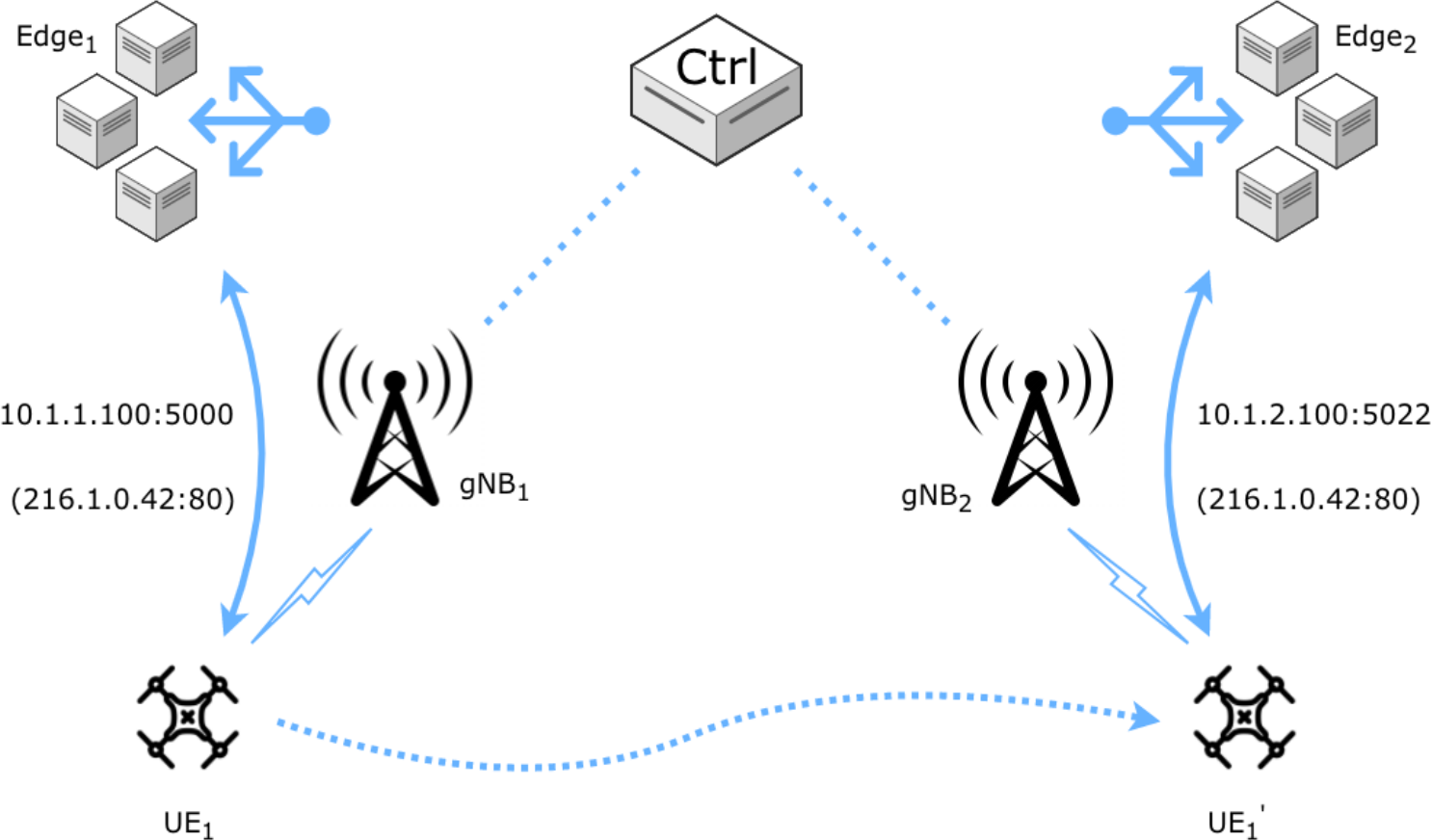
Software-defined network redirects to the closest/... edge server



# User migration

Tracked by  
SDN controller

| UE  | Location  |
|-----|---|
| 1   | gNB <sub>1</sub> :Edge <sub>1</sub> gNB <sub>2</sub> :Edge <sub>2</sub> |
| ... | ...   |

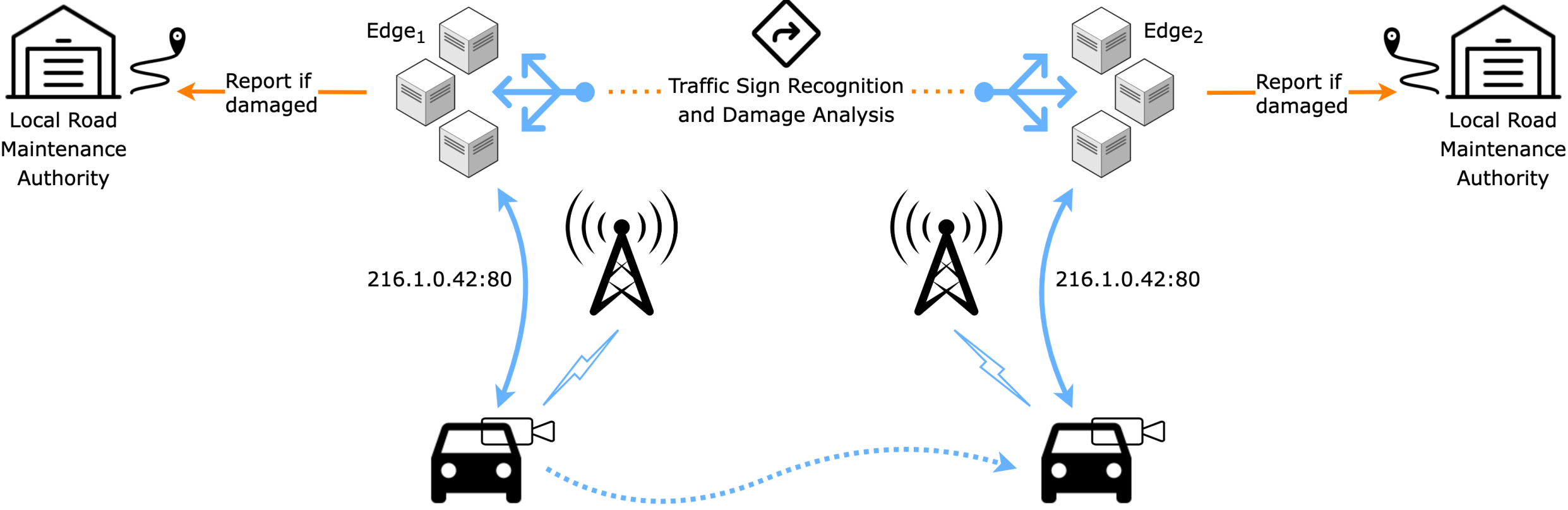


# Traffic Sign Recognition for Maintenance





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# Transparent Access to Edge Services for IoT

1

Offload processing to the edge

2

Network redirects cloud requests

3

Needs no edge-specific logic on device



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