



# Some Considerations on Multiple Configuration Domains

János Farkas and Balázs Varga

janos.farkas@ericsson.com, balazs.a.varga@ericsson.com,





## **Background & Goal**

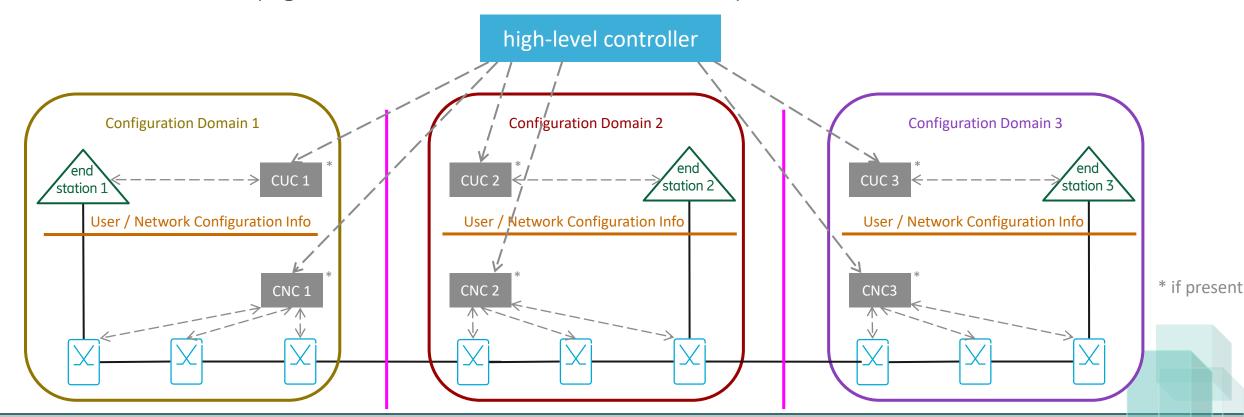
- ☐ IEEE Std 802.1Qdj-2024:
  - **3.1 Configuration Domain:** A set of stations that are under a common configuration and management scheme, and a single administration.
- Some earlier presentations:
  - [1] "TSN Inter-domain Considerations", July 2021 <a href="https://www.ieee802.org/1/files/public/docs2021/new-farkas-inter-domain-considerations-0721-v01.pdf">https://www.ieee802.org/1/files/public/docs2021/new-farkas-inter-domain-considerations-0721-v01.pdf</a>
  - [2] "Some Thoughts on Multiple Configuration Domains", September 2024 <a href="https://www.ieee802.org/1/files/public/docs2024/new-farkas-multiple-configuration-domains-0924-v01.pdf">https://www.ieee802.org/1/files/public/docs2024/new-farkas-multiple-configuration-domains-0924-v01.pdf</a>
- Goal of this (<a href="https://www.ieee802.org/1/files/public/docs2025/new-farkas-multiple-configuration-domains-0325-v01.pdf">https://www.ieee802.org/1/files/public/docs2025/new-farkas-multiple-configuration-domains-0325-v01.pdf</a>) presentation:
  - Have a group discussion on potential work on multiple configuration domains

3/10/2025



#### **High-level Controller**

- Takeaway: Having high-level controller is a viable approach (P7, P12, P13, P14 in [2])
  - ☐ (It is also called Hierarchical SDN if the configuration domains apply centralized approach)
- ☐ Certain tasks (e.g., VID translation, Stream transformation) cannot be solved otherwise



3/10/2025



### **Potential Next Steps**

- There are a lot of questions and tasks to be solved for multiple configuration domains
  - some of them are listed in [2], but not all
- Should we start working towards starting a new project on multiple configuration domains?



## DETERMINISTIC6G Grant Agreement No. 101096504

The DETERMINISTIC6G project has received funding from the European Union's Horizon Europe research and innovation programme under grant agreement No. 101096504.

If you need further information, please contact the coordinator:

János Harmatos, ERICSSON

E-Mail: coordinator@deterministic6g.eu

or visit: www.deterministic6g.eu



@DETERMINISTIC6G

in DETERMINISTIC6G

The information in this document is provided "as is", and no guarantee or warranty is given that the information is fit for any particular purpose. The content of this document reflects only the author's view – the European Commission is not responsible for any use that may be made of the information it contains. The users use the information at their sole risk and liability.