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Routing Correlated Network Analytics

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Network as Blackbox



- No Real Analytics
 - Computes average latency across all probes
 - Compares the Avg vs a statically configured threshold
 - Alert if Avg > threshold
 - Min, Max, Avg doesn't help analyzing issues
- Only dashboards with raw-data:
 - Plot everything along with threshold
 - 40k latency graph for 200 PE network
- Routing information absent



Network as Blackbox: There is so much missing



- What about the routing information and ECMP?
 - How many ECMP paths between R1 and R2?
 - End-to-End across multiple domains?
 - What is the expected latency of each ECMP path ?
 - What is Latency distribution across the ECMP paths?
 - How many ECMP are having issues ?
- What about (in)stability ?
 - How often does the topology and path changes?
 - What is the best ever topology (Topology*)?
 - What is the best ever latency of a given path?

Routing Correlated Analytics

Intelligent data

- No point in plotting 40k graphs with latency
- We process raw/brute data and correlate it with routing to obtain intelligent data
- Automatically drawing your attention to what matters and only trigger an alert strictly when needed
- Identify suspected troublemakers and trigger further troubleshooting

Path Analyzer

- Topology & Path history
- The ECMP paths between R1 and R2: End-to-End across multiple domains
- Expected Latency for each ECMP path
- The best ever topology (Topology*)
- The best ever latency of a given path
- Latency distribution across the ECMP paths
- Number of ECMP experiencing issues

Latency Analytics

- 30-bin Latency histogram
 - All ECMP Path are measured
 - Latency distribution across ECMP Paths
 - Multimode detection (One/More ECMP with issues)
- Path Analyzer
 - Path Stability
 - List of ECMP Paths & Expected Latency
 - ECMP Paths experiencing issues
 - Latency distribution outliers
- Historical evolution of the latency
 - Per Stable Path & Across Stable Paths



Latency Analytics (cont.)

- Visualization
 - Intelligent data: drawing your attention to what matters
- Multi-level of details
 - Zoom in: detailed view between R1 and R2
 - Zoom out: network wide view



Loss Analytics

- Absolute Loss measurements
 - Alternate-Marking method
 - Every single packet loss is counted
 - All ECMP Paths are measured
- Identify suspected troublemakers (Links)
- Historical evolution of the Loss
 - Per Stable Path & Across Stable Paths
- Visualization: intelligent data



Liveness Analytics

- Across all ECMP Paths
- Feedback loop between Analytics and headend
 - Switchover to backup path, if liveness issue is detected
- Visualization: intelligent data



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