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Project: Barometer

The ability to monitor the Network Function Virtualization Infrastructure (NFVI) where VNFs are in operation will be a key part of Service Assurance within an NFV environment, in order to enforce SLAs or to detect violations, faults or degradation in the performance of NFVI resources so that events and relevant metrics are reported to higher level fault management systems. If fixed function appliances are going to be replaced by virtualized appliances the service levels, manageability and service assurance needs to remain consistent or improve on what is available today.

As such, the NFVI needs to support the ability to monitor:

1. Traffic monitoring and performance monitoring of the components that provide networking functionality to the VNF, including: physical interfaces, virtual switch interfaces and flows, as well as the virtual interfaces themselves and their status, etc.
2. Platform monitoring including: CPU, memory, load, cache, thermals, fan speeds, voltages and machine check exceptions, etc.

All of the statistics and events gathered must be collected in-service and must be capable of being reported by standard Telco mechanisms (e.g. SNMP), for potential enforcement or correction actions. In addition, this information could be fed to analytics systems to enable failure prediction, and can also be used for intelligent workload placement.

The output of the project will provide interfaces to support monitoring of the NFVI

- "SW Fastpath Service Quality Metrics" project proposal
- SFQM Scope Adjustment Proposal and Rename

Key Project Facts

Meetings:

- https://wiki.opnfv.org/display/meetings

Meeting logistics:

Topic: OPNFV Projects' Personal Meeting Room

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Project Lead: Matthias Runge

Mailing List: no mailing list - use opnfv-tech-discuss and tag your emails with [barometer] in the subject for easier filtering.

Repository: barometer (https://github.com/opnfv/barometer/)  
Note: This repository provides a demo implementation. It is not intended for production use and has not been tested for this.

Gerrit: https://gerrit.opnfv.org/gerrit/#/q/project:barometer

JIRA Project: barometer

JIRA: https://jira.opnfv.org/projects/BAROMETER/issues/

CI: Barometer CI

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Release Planning: Barometer Release Plan

How to contribute to Barometer: How to contribute to Barometer

Testing: Testing with Functest

Presentations and Demos:
- collaborative_development_projects_opnfv_intel_hf_testbed_-_quickstart_vpn_.docx
- softwarefastpathmetricsdemoprague.docx
- Demo at OPNFV Summit 2015 https://prezi.com/kjv6o8ixs8se/software-fastpath-service-quality-metrics-demo/ Showing detailed DPDK error metrics
- Demo at OPNFV Summit 2016 https://prezi.com/db3rv0yq7brk/sfqm-demo-at-opnfv-summit-2016/ Showing Infrastructure monitoring and failover action when problem is detected
- OvS-DPDK Keep Alive + Monitoring Frameworks (Collected, Snap) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1hW5LU6mrQ
  - Standalone demo https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DmSIXS_1UEY
- VES ONAP Demo (with collectd) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zoxcj4mwUwU
- OPNFV Community Demo Beijing 2017 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TRqbW9YYyWA&t=3s

Development Updates

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Collectd Plugin Summary + Status

Documentation

Barometer user guide

VES plugin updates

Installing and configuring InfluxDB and Grafana to display metrics with collectd
Collectd 101
Collectd advantages, disadvantages and a few asides
Collectd how to implement a simple plugin
Collectd integration with prometheus

Discussion Topics
Discussion Topics - DMA, etc.
Monitoring Agents Comparative Study
Runtime analysis of the monitoring agents methodology
Collectd Abstraction Layer usecases
CPU Utilisation Case Study

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Collectd Metrics and Events
Metrics and Schema Mappings

Collectd plugin Design
RDT Cache plugin High Level Design
PMU plugin High Level Design
IPMI plugin HLD
Open vSwitch plugins High Level Design
DPDK Plugins High Level Design
Hugepages Plugin High Level Design
Libvirt Plugin High Level Design Document
SNMP Agent HLD
PCIe Errors High Level Design
RAS/mcelog Plugin High Level Design
Open vSwitch - Virtual switching reporting of interface telemetry via sFlow - High Level Design
Open vSwitch Virtual switching MIB Support and reporting of flow telemetry via IPFIX - High Level design
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Collectd plugin Test plans
OvS Plugins Executed Tests
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