

SBC CNe

Session Border Controller Cloud Native Edition (SBC CNe)

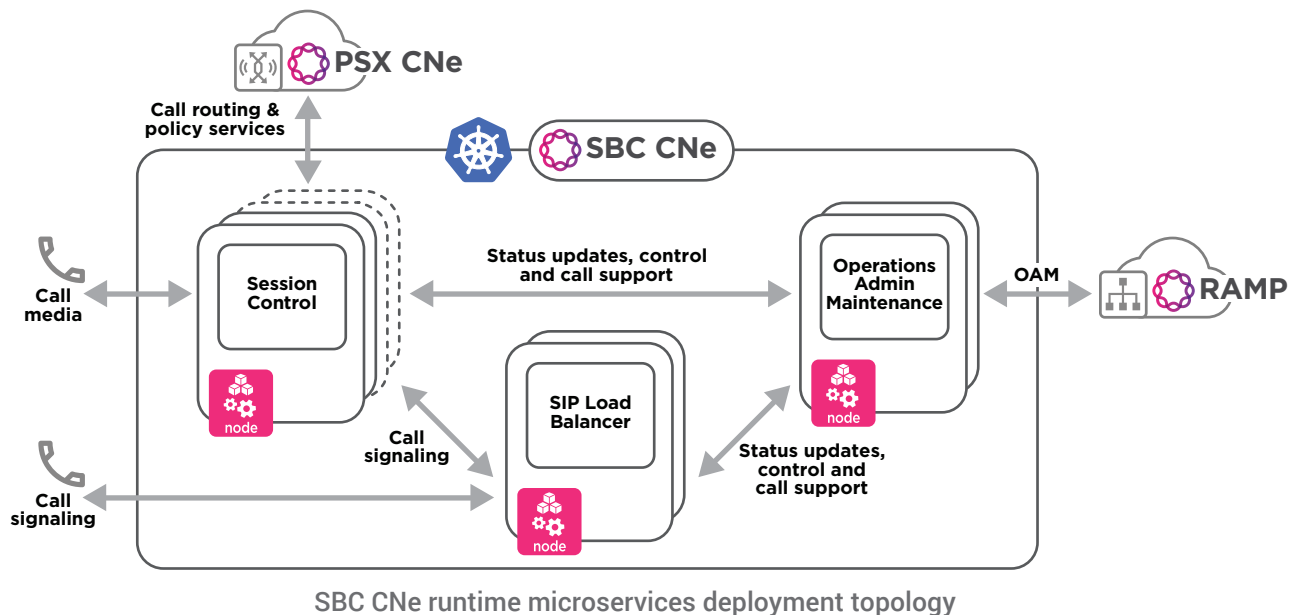


Ribbon's Session Border Controller Cloud Native Edition (SBC CNe) is an industry-leading SBC enabling and securing real-time communications (RTC) for public, private, and hybrid clouds. Architected from the ground up using CNCF cloud native design and implementation principles (containers, service meshes, microservices, immutable infrastructure, and declarative APIs), the SBC CNe delivers scalable real-time communication services (in support of up to 500,000 concurrent calls) that are simultaneously resilient, manageable, and observable.

Call services are delivered without compromise as the SBC CNe capitalizes on Ribbon's 20+ year heritage of enabling secure, reliable, and scalable RTC found in Ribbon's award-winning SBC Core portfolio. Combined with robust automation, customers can deploy the SBC CNe in today's dynamic operational environments such as public, private, and hybrid clouds and easily make high-impact changes frequently and predictably. Simple yet scalable, agile and elegant, the SBC CNe makes it easy for customers to reach new markets and new revenue streams with secure SIP and Unified Communications (UC)/Contact Center (CC) services.

Ribbon's SBC CNe Key Operations Features:

- Container microservices orchestrated by out of the box Kubernetes for cloud infrastructure abstraction, horizontal autoscaling, microservices redundancy, high availability & automated software upgrades
- M:N redundant Session Control (SC) pods deliver SIP call processing, media mediation, and supplementary services
- 1:1 SIP Load Balancer (SLB) pods to balance call traffic and achieve IP address concentration
- In-memory database (not shown in image) to support call availability and survivability
- Redundant OAM pods support call admission, management, horizontal pod autoscaler (HPA) out/in services, networking, licensing & other management functions
- OpenTelemetry-based observability framework for monitoring metrics and logs, and interfacing with open source/3rd party tools such as Prometheus and EFK (Elasticsearch, Fluentd, Kibana)
- Call routing and policy services from Ribbon's Policy & Routing Server Cloud Native edition (PSX CNe)
- Full integration with modern CI/CD pipeline tools and GitOps operations to support end-to-end automation
- Management & analytics from Ribbon Application Management Platform (RAMP).



Signaling

- Back-to-back user agent
- SIP, SIP-I/SIP-T
- SIP protocol normalization/protocol repair, SIP Message Manipulation (SMM)
- NAT/NAPT on signaling

Protocol Support

- IPV4, IPV6, IPV4/IPV6 interworking
- SSH, SFTP
- SNMP, RESTCONF
- HTTP/HTTPS
- RTP/RTCP
- UDP, TCP
- DNS, ENUM
- NTP per RFC-1708

Routing/Policy

- Cloud native PSX CNe delivers centralized routing & policy
- Leading digit routing, international routing, URI based routing
- Digit/parameter manipulation
- E911 support, priority call handing
- Call forking

Media Services

- Transcoding G.711, G.722, G.722.1, G.723, G.726, G.729A/B, AMR-NB, AMR-WB, EVRCB0, EVRC0, iLBC, Opus, T.38, SILK, EVS
- Wireline, wireless, clear channel codec and fax pass-through
- VAD, Silence Suppression, Dynamic Jitter Buffer, DTMF Tone Relay/ RFC2833/RFC4733 interworking
- NAT/NAPT on media
- DTMF Trigger Detection and Notification
- Tones & announcements
- Local Ring Back Tone (LRBT) support
- RTP inactivity monitoring
- Video codec pass-through: H.265, H.264 AVC, H.264 SVC, H.263+, H.263, H.261 and VP8, VP9
- Support up to 4 simultaneous SIPREC recordings per session

Management Capabilities

- Graphical-based wizards for ease of configuration
- Kubernetes lifecycle management
- Secure embedded web-based management GUI
- Ribbon CLI, SSH
- Centralized management using cloud native Ribbon Application Management Platform (RAMP)
- SNMP V2/V3 status and statistics
- Local logging of events, alarms, traps, and call traces
- Ribbon DSI Level 0 support for storing CDRs, RADIUS accounting records
- Live Software Update (LSWU)
- Flexible subscription licensing model for elastic scaling
- Support for automated SBC CNF upgrades

Security

- Session aware firewall, topology hiding
- Line rate DoS/ DDoS and rogue RTP protection
- Line rate malformed packet protection
- TLS 1.3 for signaling encryption
- Secure RTP/RTCP for media encryption

Quality of Service (QoS)

- Bandwidth management
- Call Admission Control (CAC) per trunk group
- Per-call statistics
- TOS/COS packet marking

Software Platforms

- Kubernetes 1.23 or above

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