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Introduction

185 The information in this specification should be sufficient for a provider or consumer of this data to identify
186 unambiguously the classes, properties, methods, and values that shall be instantiated and manipulated to
187 represent and manage Network Services and the associated configuration information. The target
188 audience for this specification is implementers who are writing CIM-based providers or consumers of
189 management interfaces that represent the component described in this document.

190 **Document conventions**

191 **Typographical conventions**

192 The following typographical conventions are used in this document:

- 193 • Document titles are marked in *italics*.
- 194 • ABNF rules are in `monospaced font`.

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Network Management Profile

197 1 Scope

198 The *Network Management Profile* is a base profile that specifies the CIM schema and use cases
199 associated with the common aspects of the Network and Network Services management. This profile
200 includes a specification of the Network Management Service, Network, Network Ports, Protocol Endpoints
201 and other classes necessary for representing the basic connectivity and administrative aspects of the
202 Network.

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207 (including any corrigenda or DMTF update versions) applies.

208 DMTF DSP0004, *CIM Infrastructure Specification 2.6*,
209 http://www.dmtf.org/standards/published_documents/DSP0004_2.6.pdf

210 DMTF DSP0200, *CIM Operations over HTTP 1.3*,
211 http://www.dmtf.org/standards/published_documents/DSP0200_1.3.pdf

212 DMTF DSP0223, *Generic Operations 1.0*,
213 http://www.dmtf.org/standards/published_documents/DSP0223_1.0.pdf

214 DMTF DSP1001, *Management Profile Specification Usage Guide 1.0*,
215 http://www.dmtf.org/standards/published_documents/DSP1001_1.0.pdf

216 DMTF DSP1014, *Ethernet Port Profile 1.0*,
217 http://www.dmtf.org/standards/published_documents/DSP1014_1.0.pdf

218 DMTF DSP1116, *IP Configuration Profile 1.0*,
219 http://www.dmtf.org/standards/published_documents/DSP1116_1.0.pdf

220 DMTF DSP1033, *Profile Registration Profile 1.0*,
221 http://www.dmtf.org/standards/published_documents/DSP1033_1.0.pdf

222 ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2, *Rules for the structure and drafting of International Standards*,
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224 3 Terms and definitions

225 In this document, some terms have a specific meaning beyond the normal English meaning. Those terms
226 are defined in this clause.

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230 for use in exceptional cases when the preceding term cannot be used for linguistic reasons. Note that
231 [ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2](#), Annex H specifies additional alternatives. Occurrences of such additional
232 alternatives shall be interpreted in their normal English meaning.

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234 described in [ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2](#), Clause 5.
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237 not contain normative content. Notes and examples are always informative elements.
- 238 The terms defined in [DSP0004](#), [DSP0223](#), and [DSP1001](#) apply to this document. The following additional
239 terms are used in this document.
- 240 **3.1**
241 **conditional**
242 indicates requirements to be followed strictly to conform to the document when the specified conditions
243 are met
- 244 **3.2**
245 **mandatory**
246 indicates requirements to be followed strictly to conform to the document and from which no deviation is
247 permitted
- 248 **3.3**
249 **optional**
250 indicates a course of action permissible within the limits of the document
- 251 **3.4**
252 **pending configuration**
253 indicates the configuration that will be applied to an IP network connection the next time the IP network
254 connection accepts a configuration
- 255 **3.5**
256 **referencing profile**
257 indicates a profile that owns the definition of this class and can include a reference to this profile in its
258 "Referenced Profiles" table
- 259 **3.6**
260 **unspecified**
261 indicates that this profile does not define any constraints for the referenced CIM element or operation
- 262 **3.7**
263 **Network**
264 TBD
- 265 **3.8**
266 **VLAN Network**
267 TBD
- 268 **3.9**
269 **Contained Network**
270 TBD
- 271 **3.10**
272 **Dependent Network**
273 TBD

274 **3.11**
275 **Peer Network**

276 TBD

277 **3.12**
278 **Network Port**

279 TBD

280 **3.13**
281 **Network Port Group**

282 TBD

283 4 Symbols and abbreviated terms

284 The abbreviations defined in [DSP0004](#), [DSP0223](#), and [DSP1001](#) apply to this document. The following
285 additional abbreviations are used in this document.

286 **4.1**

287 **IP**

288 Internet Protocol

289 **4.2**

290 **VLAN**

291 Virtual Local Area Network

292 5 Synopsis

293 **Profile name:** Network Management Profile

294 **Version:** 1.0.0

295 **Organization:** DMTF

296 **CIM Schema version:** 2.38

297 **Central class:** CIM_NetworkManagementService

298 **Scoping class:** CIM_System (HostingSystem)

299 The *Network Management Profile* is a base profile that specifies the CIM schema and use cases
300 associated with the common aspects of the Network and Network Services management. This profile
301 includes a specification of the Network Management Service, Network, Network Ports, Protocol Endpoints
302 and other classes necessary for representing the basic connectivity and administrative aspects of the
303 Network Services.

304 Table 1 identifies profiles on which this profile has a dependency.

305

Table 1 – Referenced profiles

Profile Name	Organization	Version	Requirement	Description
Profile Registration	DMTF	1.0	Mandatory	None
Ethernet Port	DMTF	1.0	Optional	None

306 6 Description

307 The *Network Management Profile* describes the common aspects of the Network management. This
308 profile includes a specification of the Network Management Service, Network, Network Ports, Protocol
309 Endpoints and other classes necessary for representing the basic connectivity and administrative aspects
310 of the Network.

311 This profile enables many aspects of network management including but not limited to:

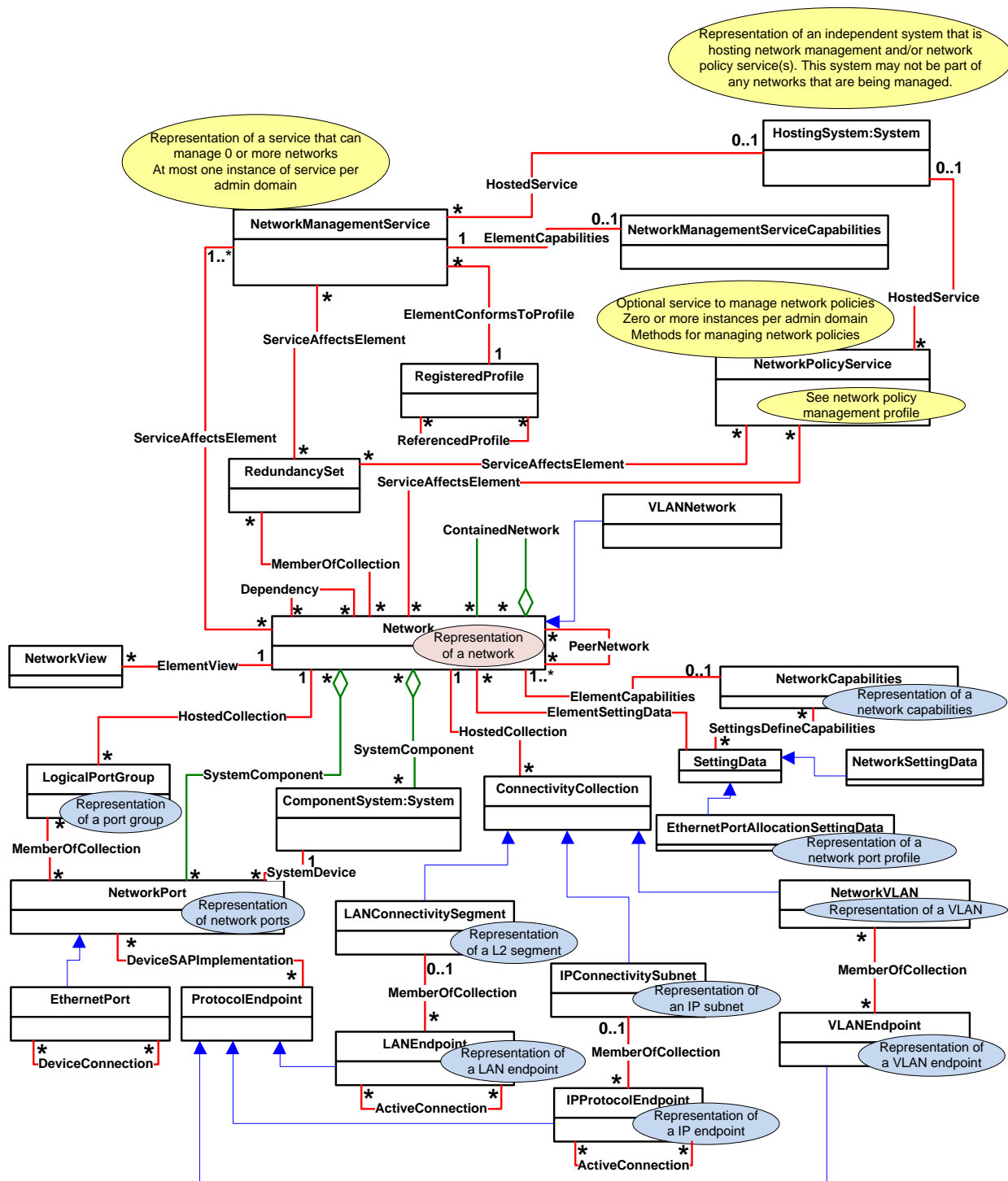
- 312 • Network topology discovery
- 313 • Network capabilities discovery
- 314 • Network monitoring and statistics collection
- 315 • Network configuration and control
- 316 • Network view (a snapshot of network)
- 317 • Network resources (ports, protocol endpoints, port groups, etc.) inventory
- 318 • Network resources configuration and control

319 The information in this specification should be sufficient for a provider or consumer of this data to identify
320 unambiguously the classes, properties, methods, and values that must be instantiated and manipulated to
321 represent and manage the networks and network resources modeled using the DMTF CIM core and
322 extended model definitions.

323 6.1 Class diagram

324 Figure 1 represents the class schema for the *Network Management Profile*. For simplicity, the CIM_ prefix
325 has been removed from the names of the classes.

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Figure 1 – Network Management Profile: Class diagram

329 *NetworkManagementService is the central class. NetworkManagementService* represents the service that
 330 is managing networks represented by *Network*. *NetworkManagementService* class supports extrinsic
 331 methods for creation, deletion, and modification of networks and network resources. *HostingSystem*

332 represents the system hosting the network management service. This relationship between
 333 *HostingSystem* and *NetworkManagementService* is represented by *HostedService*. The capabilities of
 334 the network management service are described by *NetworkManagementServiceCapabilities*.
 335 *NetworkManagementServiceCapabilities* is derived from the *EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities* class.
 336 *NetworkManagementServiceCapabilities* is associated with *NetworkManagementService* through
 337 *ElementCapabilities*. *ServiceAffectsElement* is used to represent the relationship between the
 338 *NetworkManagementService* and the resources managed by *NetworkManagementService*.

339 The *Network* class represents a logical, virtual, or physical network. *Network* supports a representation of
 340 a network. A network can be an independent network or a network contained within another network, or a
 341 network that is related to other networks. The relationship of a network contained within a network is
 342 represented by *ContainedNetwork*. The relationship between peer networks is represented by
 343 *PeerNetwork*. A VLAN network is represented by *VLANNetwork* that is derived from *Network*.
 344 *RedundancySet* is used to model failover and load balancing of networks.

345 Note: Add a new class *ContainedNetwork*. Add a new association class *PeerNetwork*.

346 A view of a network is represented by *NetworkView*. *NetworkView* is derived from the *View* class.
 347 *NetworkView* is associated with *Network* through *ElementView*.

348 The capabilities of a network are described by one or more instances of *NetworkCapabilities*.
 349 *NetworkCapabilities* is derived from the *EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities* class. *NetworkCapabilities* is
 350 associated with *Network* through *ElementCapabilities*.

351 The configuration of a network is described by one or more instances of the *SettingData*.
 352 *EthernetPortAllocationSettingData* represents a network port profile. Network port profiles provisioned on
 353 a network are represented by one or more instances of *EthernetPortAllocationSettingData*.
 354 *EthernetPortAllocationSettingData* is derived from the *SettingData*. *SettingData* is associated with
 355 *Network* through *ElementSettingData*.

356 The following network resources are represented.

- 357 1. *NetworkPort* represents a port of a network. *NetworkPort* is associated with *Network* through
 358 *SystemComponent*. *EthernetPort* is a derived class of *NetworkPort* that represents an Ethernet
 359 port. Connection between two *EthernetPort* is represented by *DeviceConnection*.
- 360 2. *ComponentSystem* represents a system within a network. *ComponentSystem* is associated with
 361 *Network* through *SystemComponent*. The relationship between *NetworkPort* and
 362 *ComponentSystem* is represented by *SystemDevice*.
- 363 3. *LogicalPortGroup* represents a port group within a network. *LogicalPortGroup* is associated with
 364 *Network* through *HostedCollection*.
- 365 4. *LANConnectivitySegment* represents a layer 2 segment or subnet within a network.
 366 *LANConnectivitySegment* is associated with *Network* through *HostedCollection*.
- 367 5. *IPConnectivitySubnet* represents a layer 2 segment or subnet within a network.
 368 *IPConnectivitySubnet* is associated with *Network* through *HostedCollection*.
- 369 6. *NetworkVLAN* represents a VLAN. *NetworkVLAN* is associated with *Network* through
 370 *HostedCollection*.
- 371 7. *ProtocolEndpoint* represents a protocol endpoint. *LANEndpoint* represents layer 2 protocol
 372 endpoint. *LANEndpoint* is derived from *ProtocolEndpoint*. The relationship of *LANEndpoint* with a
 373 specific *LANConnectivitySegment* is modeled by *MemberOfCollection*. *IPProtocolEndpoint*
 374 represents IP layer endpoint. *IPProtocolEndpoint* is also derived from *ProtocolEndpoint*. The
 375 relationship of *IPProtocolEndpoint* with a specific *IPConnectivitySubnet* is modeled by
 376 *MemberOfCollection*. *VLANEndpoint* represents layer 2 VLAN endpoint. *VLANEndpoint* is derived
 377 from *ProtocolEndpoint*. The relationship of *VLANEndpoint* with a specific *NetworkVLAN* is
 378 modeled by *MemberOfCollection*. *DeviceSAPImplementation* models the relationship between

379 *NetworkPort* and *ProtocolEndpoint*. Connectivity between LAN endpoints is modeled by
380 *ActiveConnection*. Similarly, connectivity between IP protocol endpoints is modeled by
381 *ActiveConnection*.

382

383 *NetworkPolicyService* represents the service that is managing network policies. *HostingSystem*
384 represents the system hosting the network policy service. This relationship between *HostingSystem* and
385 *NetworkPolicyService* is represented by *HostedService*. *ServiceAffectsElement* is used to represent the
386 relationship between the *NetworkPolicyService* and the resources affected by *NetworkPolicyService*.

387 Support for the Network Management Profile is advertised by *RegisteredProfile*.

388 **7 Implementation Requirements**

389 This clause details the requirements related to the instantiations of instances and properties of instances
390 for implementations of this profile.

391 **7.1 Representing the Network Management Service**

392 An instance of *CIM_NetworkManagementService* represents a network management service.

393 At least one instance of *CIM_NetworkManagementService* shall exist.

394 Each instance of the *CIM_NetworkManagementService* shall be associated to the scoping instance of
395 *CIM_System* (*HostingSystem*) with *CIM_HostedService* association.

396 **7.2 Representing the Network Management Service Capabilities**

397 An instance of *CIM_NetworkManagementServiceCapabilities* represents network management service
398 capabilities.

399 One or more instances of *CIM_NetworkManagementServiceCapabilities* may exist.

400 Each instance of the *CIM_NetworkManagementServiceCapabilities* shall be associated to exactly one
401 instance of *CIM_NetworkManagementService* with *CIM_ElementCapabilities* association.

402

403 **7.3 Representing the Network**

404 **7.3.1 CIM_Network**

405 An instance of *CIM_Network* represents a network.

406 Zero or more instances of *CIM_Network* shall exist.

407 Each instance of the *CIM_Network* shall be associated to at least one instance of
408 *CIM_NetworkManagementService* with one instance of *CIM_ServiceAffectsElement* association.

409 **7.3.1.1 CIM_VLANNetwork**

410 VLAN networks represent a specialization of networks modeled in general.

411 An instance of *CIM_VLANNetwork* shall represent a VLAN network of VLAN endpoints.

412 **7.3.2 Networks contained within a network**

413 If a network represented by an instance of CIM_Network is contained within a network represented by
414 another instance of CIM_Network, then the instance of CIM_Network shall be associated to the other
415 instance of CIM_Network with an instance of CIM_ContainedNetwork.

416 Example: A VLAN network within a L2 network.

417

418 Note: Show how an MPLS network can be modeled using the existing diagram.

419 Opens:

420 Should we have a derived class to represent tunneled networks (MPLS, IPsec, NVGRE, VXLAN, NGE,
421 IP-in-IP, GRE, v4inv6, v6inv4...)?

422 Option 1: Add more types to Network. Easy and preserves the model.

423 Option 2: Create a new class TunneledNetwork that is derived from Network.

424 If we model a tunnel network separately, should we also model tunnel network capabilities separately?

425 Editor Note: Discussion on 12/19/2013 ended here with a follow on action item to define management
426 aspects of overlay networks.

427 7.3.3 Network dependency

428 Networks can be dependent on each other. For example, an overlay L2 network that is dependent on
429 several underlying L3 networks.

430 CIM_Dependency shall be used to show dependency between networks.

431 The dependency of one network represented by an instance of CIM_Network on another network
432 represented by another instance of CIM_Network shall be represented by an instance of
433 CIM_Dependency that associates these two instances of CIM_Network.

434 Example: An overlay L2 network that is dependent on several underlying L3 networks. Move it to use
435 case section with an instance diagram.

436 7.3.4 Peer Networks

437 There are real life scenarios where two networks exhibit a peer relationship. For example, a network
438 administrator trying to deploy a VM on a network finds out that the network does not have additional
439 resources. In this case, the network administrator finds a peer network with available network resources
440 and deploys the VM on the peer network.

441 CIM_PeerNetwork shall be used to show peer relationships between networks.

442 The peer relationship of a network represented by an instance of CIM_Network, that is a peer (neither
443 contained nor dependent) to a network represented by another instance of CIM_Network, may be
444 represented by an instance of CIM_PeerNetwork that associates these two instances of CIM_Network.

445 Peer networks mentioned in this section are described from the modeling relationship standpoint only.
446 The modeling of peering points is out of the scope of this specification.

447 Example: A network administrator trying to deploy a VM on a network finds out that the network does not
448 have additional resources. In this case, the network administrator finds a peer network with available
449 network resources and deploys the VM on the peer network.

450 Example: A data center administrator is supporting multiple tenants each with its own set of resources
451 including networks. Each tenant within its domain can administer movement of VMs and network
452 resources. When a tenant network runs out of network resources, the data center administrator finds peer

453 networks with available network resources and reallocates network resources to the given tenant
454 network.

455 **7.4 Representation of network ports**

456 **7.4.1 CIM_NetworkPort**

457 An instance of CIM_NetworkPort shall represent a network port.

458 Zero or more instances of CIM_NetworkPort may exist.

459 An instance of CIM_NetworkPort shall be associated to at least one instance of CIM_Network with an
460 instance of CIM_SystemComponent.

461

462 **7.4.2 CIM_LogicalPortGroup**

463 An instance of CIM_LogicalPortGroup shall represent a network port group.

464 Zero or more instances of CIM_LogicalPortGroup may exist.

465 An instance of CIM_LogicalPortGroup shall be associated with one instance of CIM_Network through an
466 instance of CIM_HostedCollection.

467 **7.5 Representation of collections of protocol endpoints**

468 **7.5.1 CIM_LANConnectivitySegment**

469 An instance of CIM_LANConnectivitySegment shall represent a collection of network layer 2 protocol
470 endpoints (see 7.6.1) that are connected within a network (see 7.3.1).

471 Zero or more instances of CIM_LANConnectivitySegment may exist.

472 Zero or more instances of CIM_LANEndpoint may be associated with an instance of
473 CIM_LANConnectivitySegment.

474 An instance of CIM_LANConnectivitySegment shall be associated to one instance of CIM_Network with
475 an instance of CIM_HostedCollection.

476 **7.5.2 CIM_IPConnectivitySubnet**

477 An instance of CIM_IPConnectivitySubnet shall represent a collection of network layer 3 protocol
478 endpoints (see 7.6.2) that are connected within a network (see 7.3.1).

479 Zero or more instances of CIM_IPConnectivitySubnet may exist.

480 Zero or more instances of CIM_IPProtocolEndpoint may be associated with an instance of
481 CIM_IPConnectivitySubnet.

482 An instance of CIM_IPConnectivitySubnet shall be associated to one instance of CIM_Network with an
483 instance of CIM_HostedCollection.

484 **7.5.3 CIM_NetworkVLAN**

485 An instance of CIM_NetworkVLAN shall represent a collection of VLAN endpoints (see 7.6.3) for a
486 specific VLAN within a network (see 7.3.1).

487 Zero or more instances of CIM_NetworkVLAN may exist.

488 Zero or more instances of CIM_VLANEndpoint may be associated with an instance of
489 CIM_NetworkVLAN.

490 For each instance of CIM_NetworkVLAN, all instances of CIM_VLANEndpoint associated with the
491 instance CIM_NetworkVLAN shall have the same value for the CIM_VLANEndpoint.VLANId and this
492 value shall be same as the value of CIM_NetworkVLAN.VLANId.

493 An instance of CIM_NetworkVLAN shall be associated to one instance of CIM_VLANNetwork with an
494 instance of CIM_HostedCollection.

495 **7.6 Representation of protocol endpoints**

496 **7.6.1 CIM_LANEndpoint**

497 An instance of CIM_LANEndpoint shall represent a network layer 2 protocol endpoint within a network
498 (see 7.3.1).

499 Zero or more instances of CIM_LANEndpoint may exist.

500 An instance of CIM_LANEndpoint shall either be 1) associated to one instance of CIM_NetworkPort with
501 one instance of CIM_DeviceSAPImplementation, or 2) associated to one instance of
502 CIM_LANConnectivitySegment with one instance of CIM_MemberOfCollection, or 3) both.

503 **7.6.2 CIM_IPProtocolEndpoint**

504 An instance of CIM_IPProtocolEndpoint shall represent a network layer 3 protocol endpoint within a
505 network.

506 Zero or more instances of CIM_IPProtocolEndpoint may exist.

507 An instance of CIM_IPProtocolEndpoint shall either be 1) associated to one instance of CIM_NetworkPort
508 with one instance of CIM_DeviceSAPImplementation, or 2) associated to one instance of
509 CIM_IPConnectivitySubnet with one instance of CIM_MemberOfCollection, or 3) both.

510 **7.6.3 CIM_VLANEndpoint**

511 An instance of CIM_VLANEndpoint shall represent a VLAN endpoint within a network.

512 Zero or more instances of CIM_VLANEndpoint may exist.

513 An instance of CIM_VLANEndpoint shall either be 1) associated to one instance of CIM_NetworkPort with
514 one instance of CIM_DeviceSAPImplementation, or 2) associated to one instance of CIM_NetworkVLAN
515 with one instance of CIM_MemberOfCollection, or 3) both.

516 An instance of CIM_VLANEndpoint may be associated to one instance of CIM_LANEndpoint with an
517 instance of CIM_BindsTo. Note: This requirement should be moved to Ethernet Port Profile that needs to
518 be revved.

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520 Note: The relationships between these protocol endpoints are modeled by Ethernet Port Profile and IP
521 Configuration Profile.

522 **7.7 CIM_NetworkView**

523 An instance of CIM_NetworkView represents a view of a network.

524 Zero or more instances of CIM_NetworkView may exist.

525 An instance of CIM_NetworkView shall be associated to an instance of CIM_Network with an instance of
526 CIM_ElementView.

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528 7.8 CIM_NetworkSettingData

529 An instance of CIM_NetworkSettingData represents a configuration of a network or a template network
530 configuration.

531 An instance of CIM_NetworkSettingData shall be associated to an instance of CIM_Network or an
532 instance of CIM_NetworkManagementServiceCapabilities or an instance of CIM_NetworkCapabilities.

533 An instance of CIM_NetworkSettingData representing a configuration of an existing network shall be
534 associated to an instance of CIM_Network with an instance of CIM_ElementSettingData.

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536 An instance of CIM_NetworkSettingData representing a template network configuration shall be
537 associated to an instance of CIM_NetworkManagementServiceCapabilities with an instance of
538 CIM_SettingsDefineCapabilities.

539 An instance of CIM_NetworkSettingData representing a template configuration of an existing network
540 shall be associated to an instance of CIM_NetworkCapabilities with an instance of
541 CIM_SettingsDefineCapabilities.

542 Fix the class diagram to show an association between CIM_NetworkManagementService and
543 CIM_NetworkSettingData,

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545 Define an extrinsic method on NetworkManagementService to create a network using a template
546 configuration. This method creates an instance of Network as well as instances of
547 CIM_NetworkSettingData that represent runtime configuration of the created network.

548 7.9 CIM_EthernetPortAllocationSettingData

549 An instance of CIM_EthernetPortAllocationSettingData represents a network port configuration.

550 An instance of CIM_EthernetPortAllocationSettingData shall be associated to an instance of
551 CIM_NetworkPort or an instance of CIM_NetworkCapabilities.

552 An instance of CIM_EthernetPortAllocationSettingData representing a configuration of an existing
553 network port shall be associated to an instance of CIM_NetworkPort with an instance of
554 CIM_ElementSettingData.

555 An instance of CIM_EthernetPortAllocationSettingData representing a template network port configuration
556 shall be associated to an instance of CIM_NetworkCapabilities with an instance of
557 CIM_SettingsDefineCapabilities.

558 How do we relate a network port profile represented by DSP8049 using CIM_NetworkCapabilities?

559 8 Methods

560 This clause details the requirements for supporting intrinsic operations and extrinsic methods for the CIM
561 elements defined by this profile.

562 8.1 Extrinsic Methods

563 8.1.1 CIM_NetworkManagementService

564 Create one or more networks

565 Create/Delete logical port groups of a network

566 Create/Delete logical ports of a network

567 Create/Delete IP subnets of a network

568 Create/Delete VLANs of a network

569 Create/Delete L2 segments of a network

570 Modify a logical port group of a network– add or delete one or more ports

571 Modify an IP subnet of a network – add or delete one or more IP protocol endpoints

572 Modify a VLAN of a network – add or delete member VLAN endpoints

573 Modify a L2 segment of a network – add or delete LAN endpoints

574 8.1.2 CIM_Network

575 Enumerate networks contained within a specific network

576 Create one or more networks within a network

577 Delete networks contained within a network

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579 8.2 Profile conventions for operations

580 For each profile class (including associations), the implementation requirements for operations, including
581 those in the following default list, are specified in class-specific subclauses of this clause.

582 The default list of operations is as follows:

- 583 • GetInstance
- 584 • EnumerateInstances
- 585 • EnumerateInstanceNames
- 586 • Associators
- 587 • AssociatorNames
- 588 • References
- 589 • ReferenceNames

590 8.3 CIM_NetworkManagementService

591 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

592 8.4 CIM_NetworkManagementServiceCapabilities

593 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

594 **8.5 CIM_NetworkPolicyService**

595 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

596 **8.6 CIM_RedundancySet**

597 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

598 **8.7 CIM_Network**

599 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

600 **8.8 CIM_VLANNetwork**

601 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

602 **8.9 CIM_NetworkView**

603 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

604 **8.10 CIM_NetworkCapabilities**

605 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

606 **8.11 CIM_NetworkSettingData**

607 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

608 **8.12 CIM_EthernetPortAllocationSettingData**

609 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

610 **8.13 CIM_NetworkPort**

611 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

612 **8.14 CIM_EthernetPort**

613 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

614 **8.15 CIM_System**

615 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

616 **8.16 CIM_ConnectivityCollection**

617 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

618 **8.17 CIM_LANConnectivitySegment**

619 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

620 **8.18 CIM_LANEndpoint**

621 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

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623 **8.19 CIM_IPConnectivitySubnet**

624 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

625 **8.20 CIM_IPProtocolEndpoint**

626 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

627 **8.21 CIM_NetworkVLAN**

628 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

629 **8.22 CIM_VLANEndpoint**

630 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

631 **8.23 CIM_RegisteredProfile**

632 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

633 **8.24 CIM_ElementConformsToProfile**

634 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

635 **8.25 CIM_HostedService**

636 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

637 **8.26 CIM_ElementCapabilities**

638 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

639 **8.27 CIM_ServiceAffectsElement**

640 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

641 **8.28 CIM_ContainedNetwork**

642 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

643 **8.29 CIM_MemberOfCollection**

644 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

645 **8.30 CIM_HostedCollection**

646 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

647 **8.31 CIM_Dependency**

648 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

649 8.32 CIM_ElementView

650 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

651 8.33 CIM_PeerNetwork

652 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

653 8.34 CIM_ElementSettingData

654 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

655 8.35 CIM_SystemComponent

656 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

657 8.36 CIM_SettingsDefineCapabilities

658 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

659 8.37 CIM_SystemDevice

660 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

661 8.38 CIM_DeviceConnection

662 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

663 8.39 CIM_ActiveConnection

664 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

665 8.40 CIM_DeviceSAPImplementation

666 All operations in the default list in 8.2 shall be implemented as defined in [DSP0200](#).

667 **9 Use cases**

668 This clause contains object diagrams and use cases for the *Network Management Profile*.

669 **9.1 Miscellaneous object diagrams**

670 The object diagram in Figure 2 shows one possible method for advertising profile conformance.

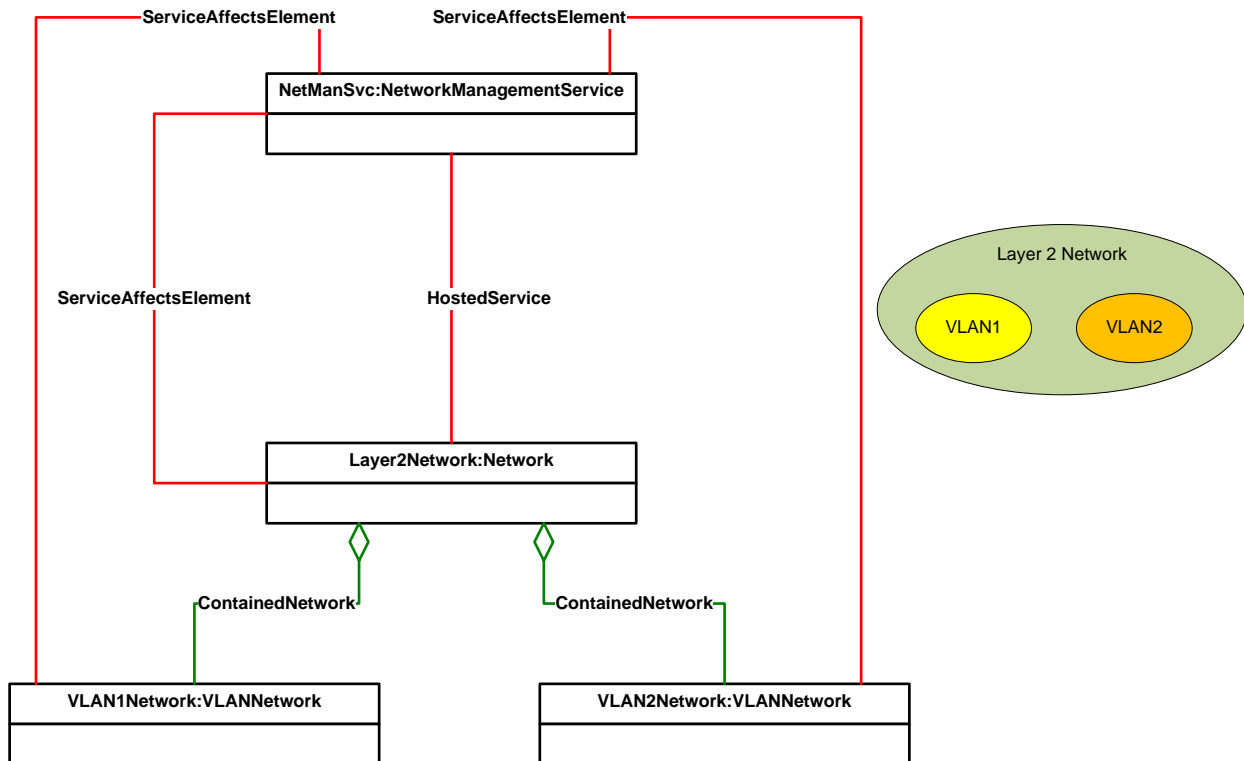
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673 **Figure 2 – Registered profile**

674 **9.2 Representing VLAN networks within an L2 network**

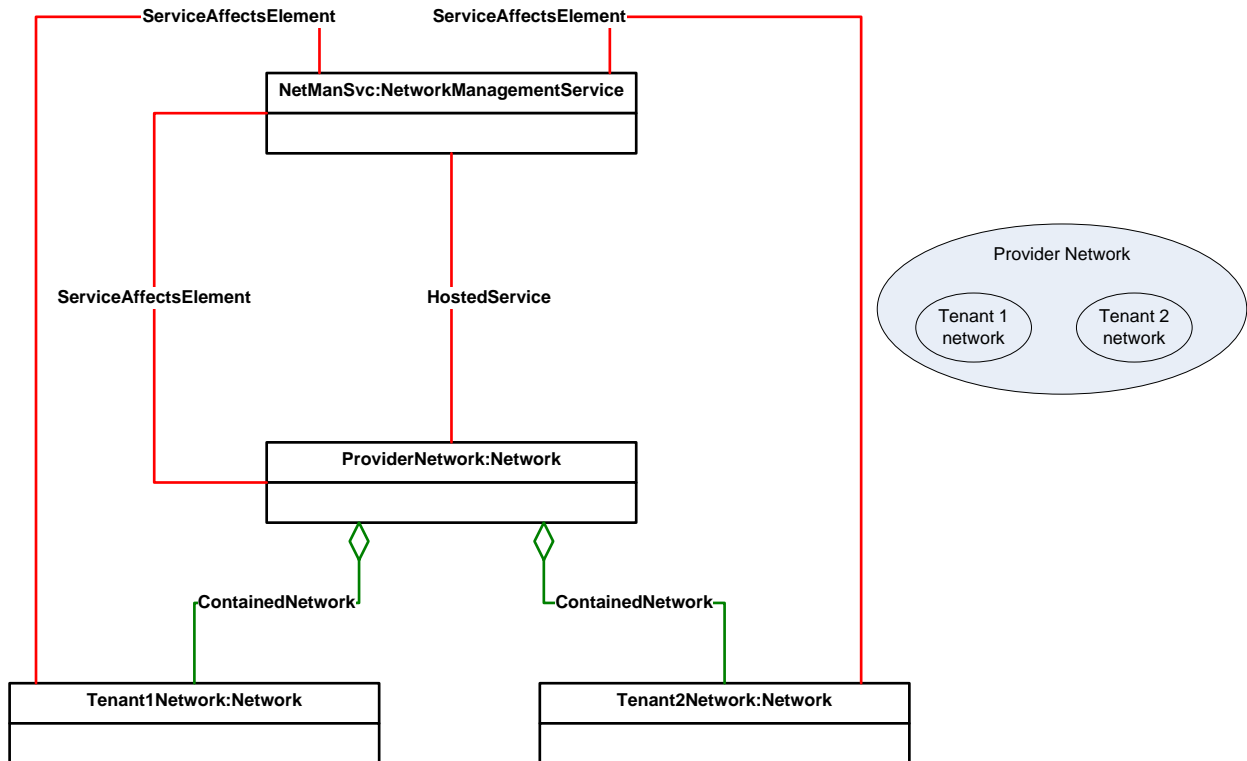


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676 **Figure 3 – Two VLAN networks within a Layer 2 network**

677 In this example, two networks with their individual VLAN domains are instantiated inside a layer 2
 678 network. The instance of layer 2 network *Layer2Network* is the parent of the instances *VLAN1Network*
 679 and *VLAN2Network*. *NetManSvc* represents the service that is hosted on the layer 2 network. *NetManSvc*
 680 manages all three networks as represented by *ServiceAffectsElement*.

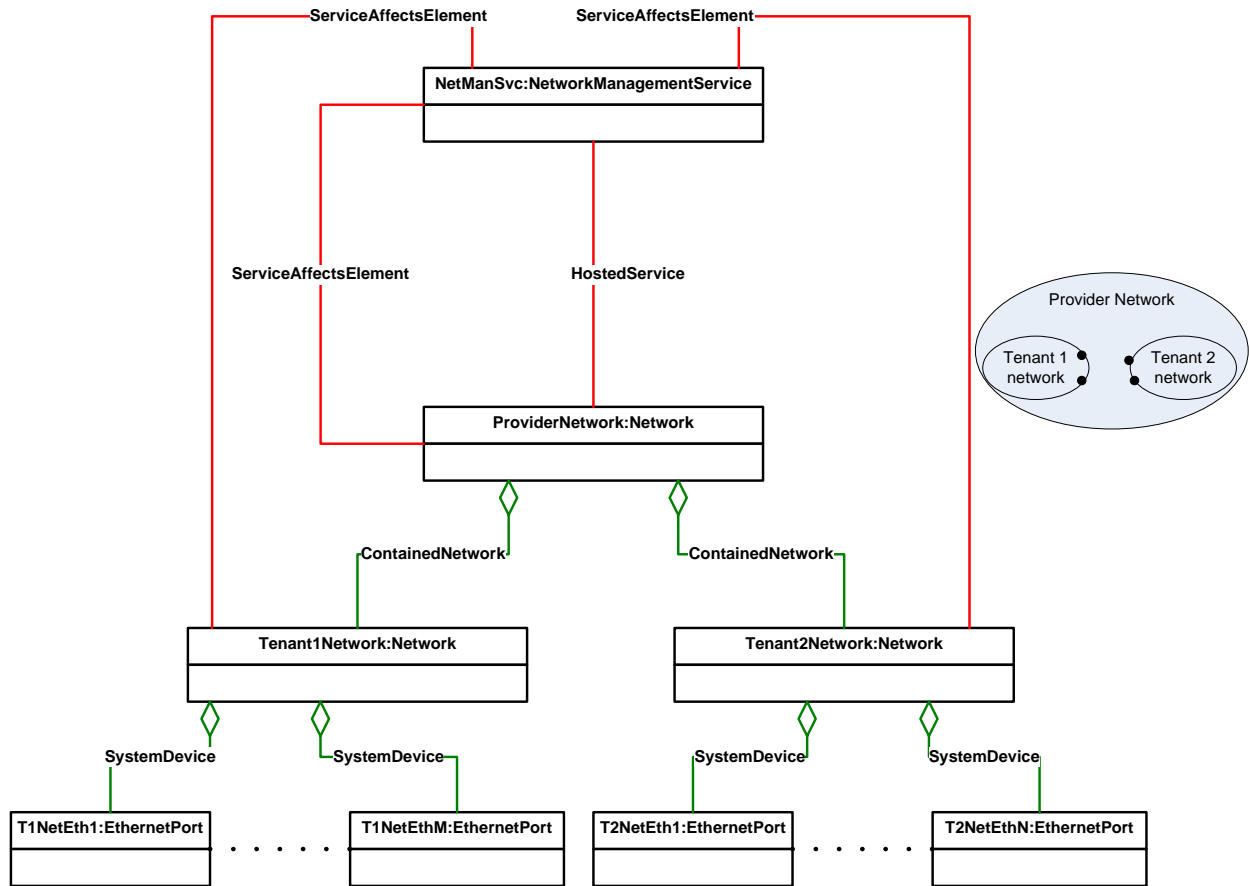
681 **9.3 Representing two tenant networks within a provider network**



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683 **Figure 4 – Two tenants networks within a provider network**

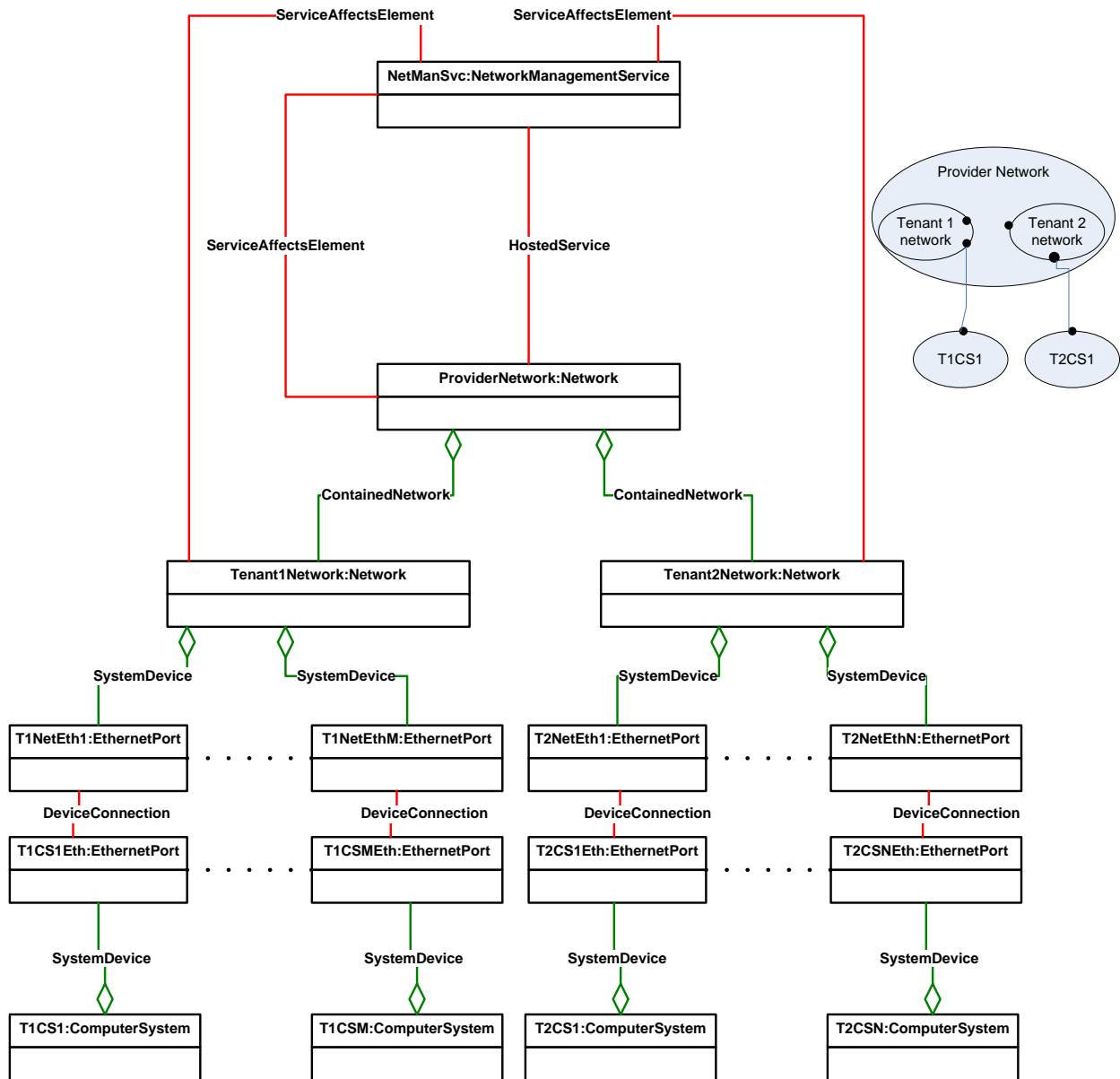
684 9.4 Representing Ethernet ports of tenant networks



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686 Figure 5 – Representing ethernet ports of two tenants networks within a provider network

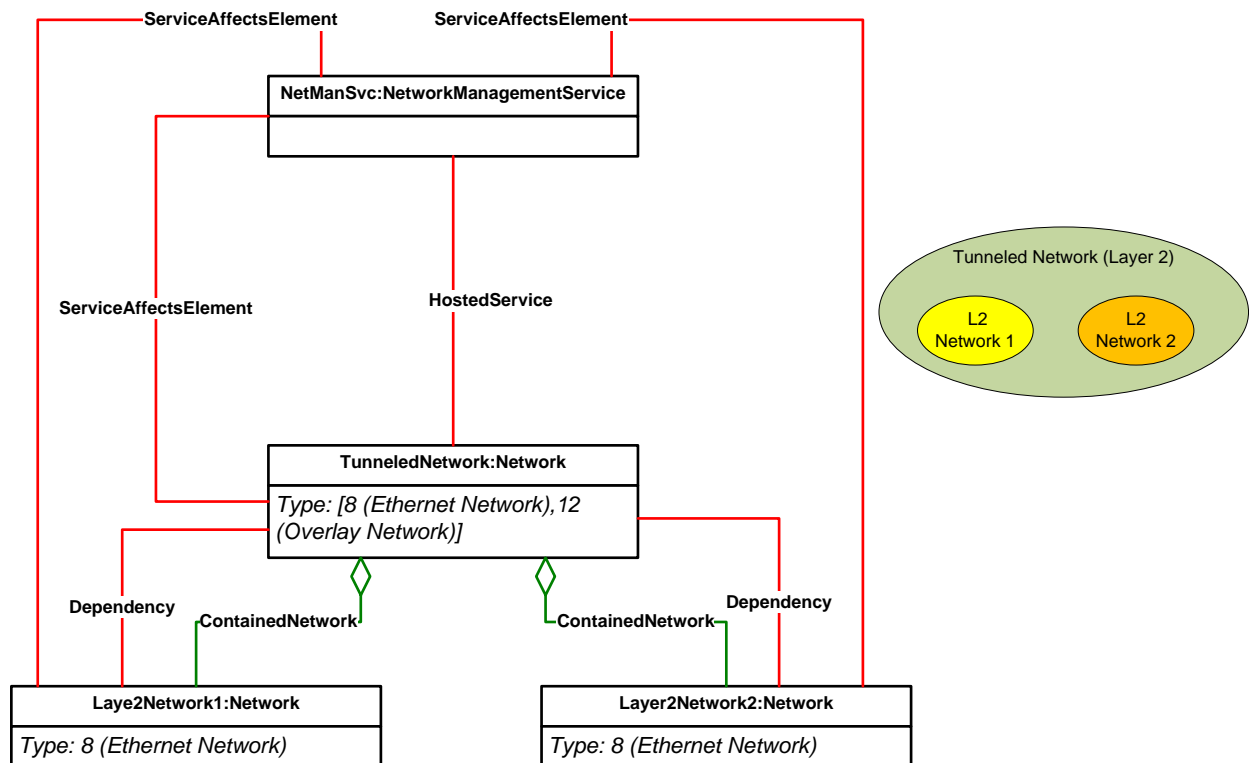
687 **9.5 Representing Systems Connected to Ethernet ports of tenant networks**



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689 **Figure 6 – Representing systems connected to ethernet ports of two tenants networks within a**
 690 **provider network**

691 **9.6 Representing a tunneled network connecting two ethernet networks**



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693 **Figure 7 – Representing a tunneled network bridging two ethernet networks**

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695 **9.7 Enumerate networks**

696 A client can list all the networks by enumerating all instances of CIM_Network.

697 **9.8 Enumerate contained networks within a specific network**

698 A client can list all the networks contained within a network as follows:

- 699 1) Find all instances of CIM_Network that are associated with the given instance of CIM_Network
 700 through an instance of CIM_ContainedNetwork.

701 **9.9 Create a Network**

702 **9.10 Create one or more Networks**

703 A client can create one or more networks contained within a network as follows:

- 704 1) Extrinsic method on CIM_NetworkManagementService.

705 **9.11 Create one or more Networks within a Network**

706 A client can create one or more networks contained within a network as follows:

707 1) Extrinsic method on CIM_Network.

708 **9.12 Delete a network**

709 A client can delete an instance of CIM_Network.

710 **9.13 Discover logical ports of a network**

711 A client can discover all the ports within a network as follows:

712 1) Enumerate all instances of CIM_NetworkPort that are associated with the given instance of
713 CIM_Network through an instance of CIM_SystemComponent.

714 **9.14 Discover logical port groups of a network**

715 A client can discover all the logical port groups within a network as follows:

716 1) Enumerate all instances of CIM_LogicalPortGroup that are associated with the given instance of
717 CIM_Network through an instance of CIM_HostedCollection.

718 **9.15 Discover IP subnets of a network**

719 A client can discover all the logical port groups within a network as follows:

720 1) Enumerate all instances of CIM_IPConnectivitySubnet that are associated with the given
721 instance of CIM_Network through an instance of CIM_HostedCollection.

722 **9.16 Discover VLANs of a network**

723 A client can discover all the VLANs within a network as follows:

724 1) Enumerate all instances of CIM_NetworkVLAN that are associated with the given instance of
725 CIM_Network through an instance of CIM_HostedCollection.
726 2) For each instance of CIM_NetworkVLAN in 1, Enumerate all instances of CIM_VLANEndpoint
727 that are associated with the given instance of CIM_NetworkVLAN through an instance of
728 CIM_MemberOfCollection.

729 **9.17 Discover L2 segments of a network**

730 A client can discover all the logical port groups within a network as follows:

731 1) Enumerate all instances of CIM_LANConnectivitySegment that are associated with the given
732 instance of CIM_Network through an instance of CIM_HostedCollection.

733 **9.18 Discover systems within a network**

734 A client can discover all the logical port groups within a network as follows:

735 1) Enumerate all instances of CIM_System that are associated with the given instance of
736 CIM_Network through an instance of CIM_SystemComponent.

- 737 **9.19 Create/Delete logical port groups of a network (extrinsic method of network**
738 **management service)**
- 739 **9.20 Create/Delete logical ports of a network (extrinsic method of network**
740 **management service)**
- 741 **9.21 Create/Delete IP subnets of a network (extrinsic method of network**
742 **management service)**
- 743 **9.22 Create/Delete VLANs of a network (extrinsic method of network management**
744 **service)**
- 745 **9.23 Create/Delete L2 segments of a network (extrinsic method of network**
746 **management service)**
- 747 **9.24 Modify a logical port group of a network (extrinsic method of network**
748 **management service) – add or delete one or more ports**
- 749 **9.25 Modify an IP subnet of a network (extrinsic method of network management**
750 **service) – add or delete one or more IP protocol endpoints**
- 751 **9.26 Modify a VLAN of a network (extrinsic method of network management**
752 **service) – add or delete member VLAN endpoints**
- 753 **9.27 Modify a L2 segment of a network (extrinsic method of network management**
754 **service) – add or delete LAN endpoints**
- 755 **9.28 Create a network connection for a system (extrinsic method of network –**
756 **creates network port and associations between the network/network port**
757 **and the system)**
- 758 **9.29 Enumerate networks that a system is directly connected to (intrinsic**
759 **method)**

760 A client can discover all the logical port groups within a network as follows:

- 761 1) Enumerate all instances of CIM_Network that are associated with the given instance of
762 CIM_System through an instance of CIM_SystemComponent.

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767 **10 CIM Elements**

768 Table 2 shows the instances of CIM Elements for this profile. Instances of the CIM Elements shall be
769 implemented as described in Table 2. Clauses 7 (“Implementation”) and 0 (“Methods”) may impose
770 additional requirements on these elements.

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Table 2 – CIM Elements: Network Services Management Profile

Element Name	Requirement	Description
Classes		
CIM_NetworkManagementService	Optional	See clause 7.1
CIM_NetworkManagementServiceCapabilities	Optional	See clause 7.2
CIM_NetworkPolicyService	Optional	
CIM_Network	Mandatory	See clause 7.2
CIM_NetworkView	Optional	See clause 7.7
CIM_NetworkCapabilities	Optional	See clause
CIM_NetworkSettingData	Optional	See clause 7.8
CIM_EthernetPortAllocationSettingData	Optional	See clause 7.9
CIM_RedundancySet	Optional	See clause
CIM_LogicalPortGroup	Optional	See clause 7.4.2
CIM_NetworkPort	Optional	See clause 7.4
CIM_EthernetPort	Optional	See clause
CIM_System	Optional	See clause
CIM_ConnectivityCollection	Optional	See clause
CIM_LANConnectivitySegment	Optional	See clause 7.5.1
CIM_LANEndpoint	Optional	See clause 7.6.1
CIM_IPConnectivitySubnet	Optional	See clause 7.5.2
CIM_IPProtocolEndpoint	Optional	See clause 7.6.2
CIM_NetworkVLAN	Optional	See clause 7.5.3
CIM_VLANEndpoint	Optional	See clause 7.6.3
CIM_RegisteredProfile	Mandatory	
Associations		
CIM_ElementConformsToProfile	Mandatory	
CIM_HostedService	Optional	
CIM_ElementCapabilities	Optional	
CIM_ServiceAffectsElement	Optional	
CIM_ContainedNetwork	Optional	
CIM_MemberOfCollection	Optional	
CIM_HostedCollection	Optional	
CIM_Dependency	Optional	
CIM_ElementView	Optional	
CIM_PeerNetwork	Optional	
CIM_ElementSettingData	Optional	
CIM_SystemComponent	Optional	

Element Name	Requirement	Description
CIM_SettingsDefineCapabilities	Optional	
CIM_SystemDevice	Optional	
CIM_DeviceConnection	Optional	
CIM_ActiveConnection	Optional	
CIM_DeviceSAPImplementation	Optional	
Indications		
None defined in this profile		

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ANNEX A (informative)

Change log

Version	Date	Description
1.0.0	2013-04-03	DMTF Work in Progress

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