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1 Scope

The present document specifies the interfaces for management of multi-site connectivity services. The services are produced by a WAN Infrastructure Manager (WIM). The present document also describes the operations and the information elements that are exchanged over these interfaces.

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3 Definition of terms, symbols and abbreviations

3.1 Terms

For the purposes of the present document, the terms given in ETSI GS NFV 003 [i.1] and the following apply:

NOTE: A term defined in the present document takes precedence over the definition of the same term, if any, in ETSI GS NFV 003 [i.1].

Multi-site Connectivity Service (MScS): connectivity service abstracting the details of information regarding the connections between two or more NFVI-PoP (site) network endpoints

Multi-site Network Connection (MSNC): provisioned multi-site network connectivity enabling the data forwarding between two or more network edge points

NOTE: In the present document, the network edge points represent the ingress/egress ports of the network(s) in between the NFVI-PoPs (sites).

Multi-Site Network Service (MSNS): network service whose constituent Network Functions/Network Services are deployed in more than one site

site: NFVI Point of Presence (NFVI-PoP), as defined in ETSI GS NFV 003 [i.1].

3.2 Symbols

Void.

3.3 Abbreviations

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Mscs	Multi-site connectivity service
MSNC	Multi-site Network Connection