

# PBB/PBB-TE Layer Stack

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# Introduction

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PBB and PBB-TE coexist on

- provider backbone networks
- provider backbone LAN interfaces
- provider backbone networks network management
- I-Components
- B-Components
- BCB nodes

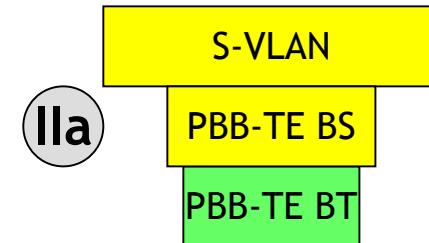
What will be the layer stack of such network and its interfaces

# “Alternative C2”

*Result of the discussion on Thursday 6 Sept 2007*

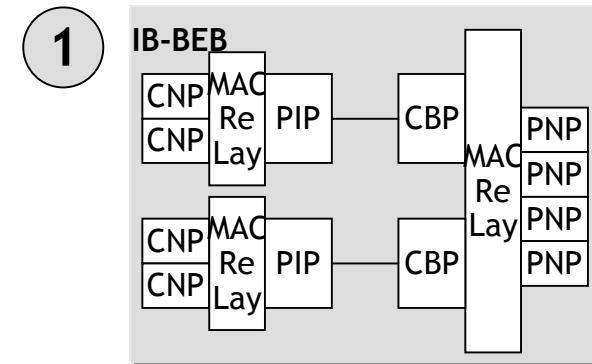
## Domains and layers

- Alternative Ila is selected



## Nodes

- IB-BEB and BCB/PB

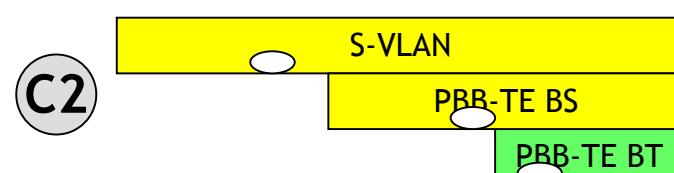


## Components

- Alternative 1 is selected

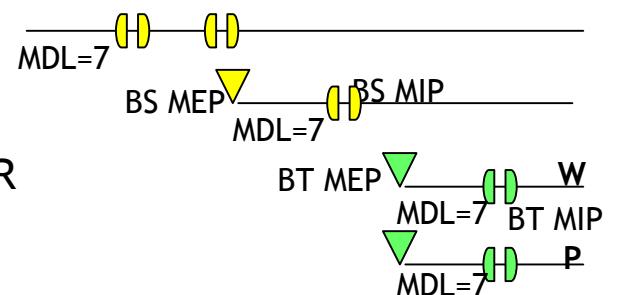
## MEPs and MIPs

- Variation of alternative C is selected (C2)
- C2: PBB-TE BT connection between PIP and CBP is removed



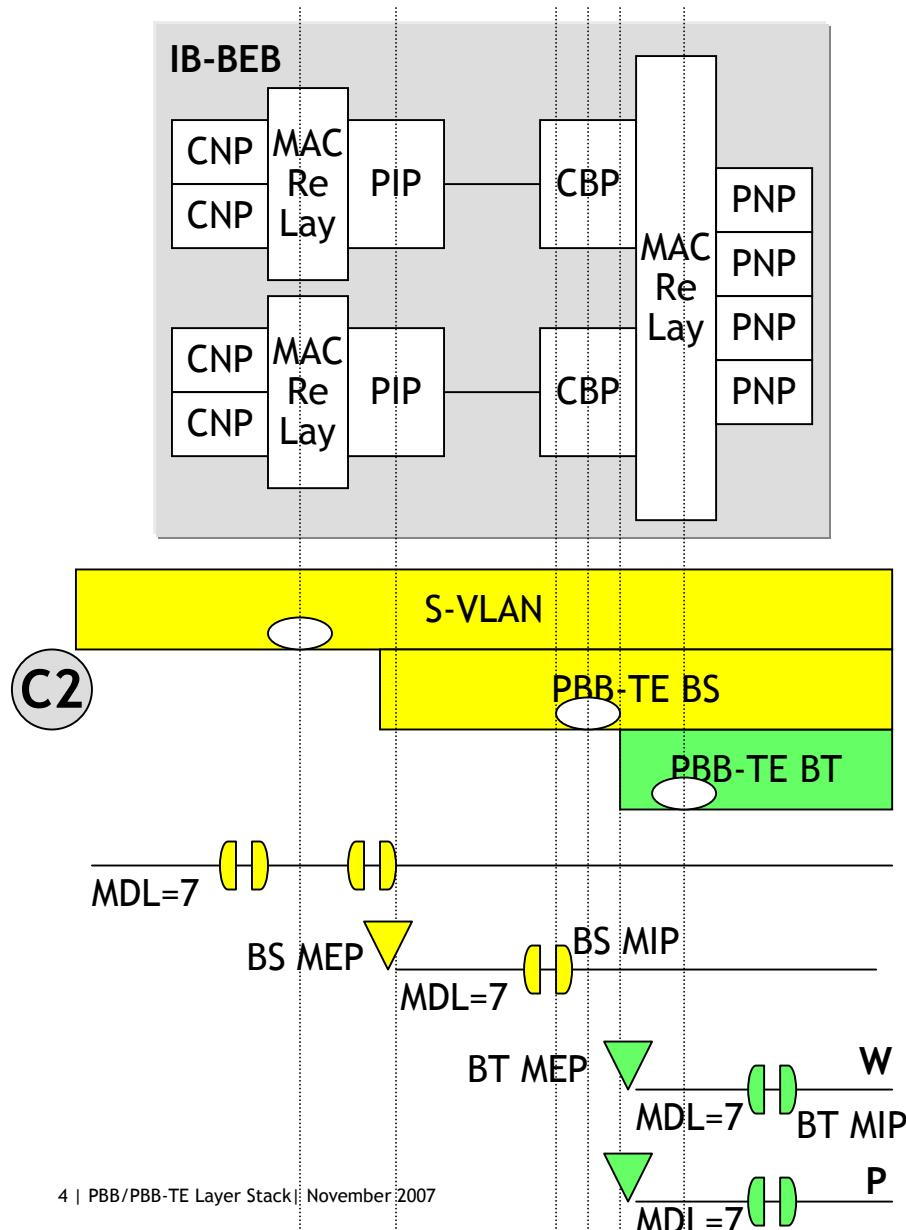
Investigate what additional functionality would be required when in future a multi-domain PBB-TE network is to be supported

- Such functionality is not required to support under this PAR



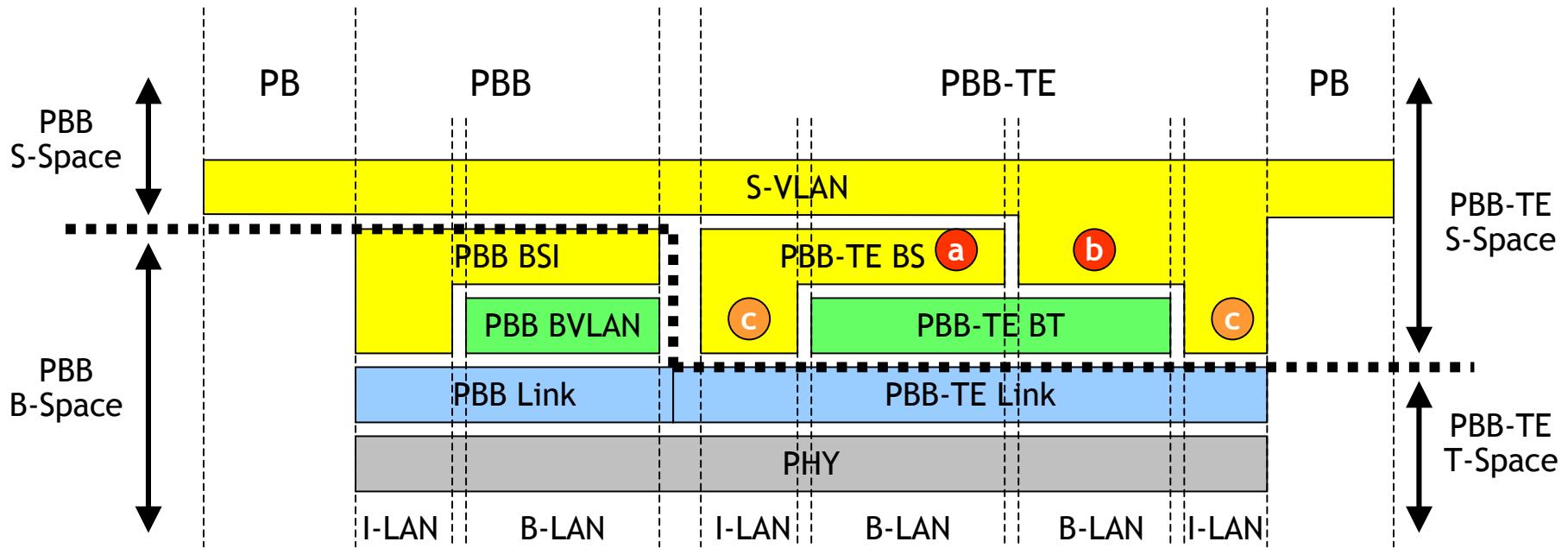
# “Alternative C2” Characteristics

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- PBB compatible model
  - S-VLAN is customer service layer
  - PBB BSI  $\Leftrightarrow$  PBB-TE BS
  - PBB B-VLAN  $\Leftrightarrow$  PBB-TE BT
- mixed PBB/PBB-TE operation supported on PIPs and CBPs
- BT connections between CBPs
  - BT label: B-DA+B-SA+B-VID
  - B-DA/SA carry CBP addresses
- PIP-to-CBP interconnect is logical connection within IB-BEB
- PIP  $\rightarrow$  CBP: CBPs forward received BS-frame and insert B-DA/SA/VID
- CBP  $\rightarrow$  PIP: CBPs strip off B-DA/SA/VID in received BS-frame and forward BS-frame
- service switch function in CBP (Service Instance Table) extended with BS protection switch function, switching groups of BS signals (load sharing)

# Layer Stack PBB and PBB-TE for “Alternative C2”

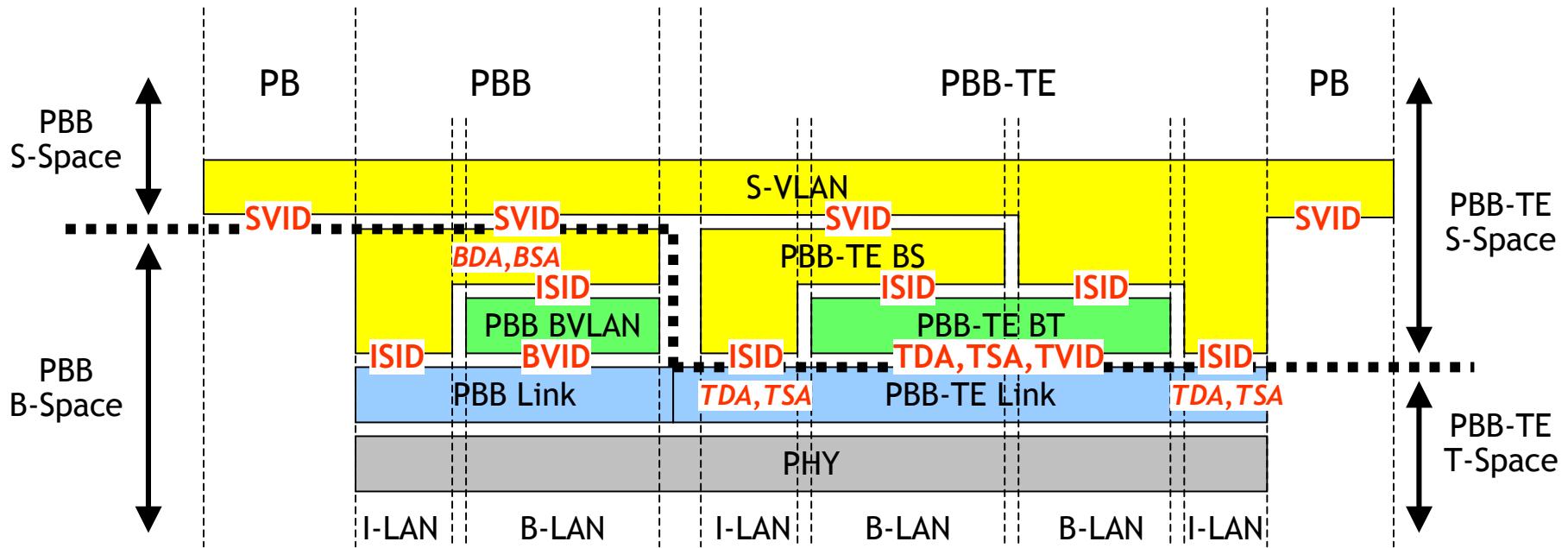


- Ⓐ c6.9 shim config'd with "Allow Only VLAN Tagged Frames" and VIP not a member of "untagged set"
- Ⓑ c6.9 shim config'd with "Allow Only Untagged & Priority-Tagged Frames" and VIP member of "untagged set"
- Ⓒ future extension; separate I-BEB and B-BEB

PBB and PBB-TE have different S-Space domains !!

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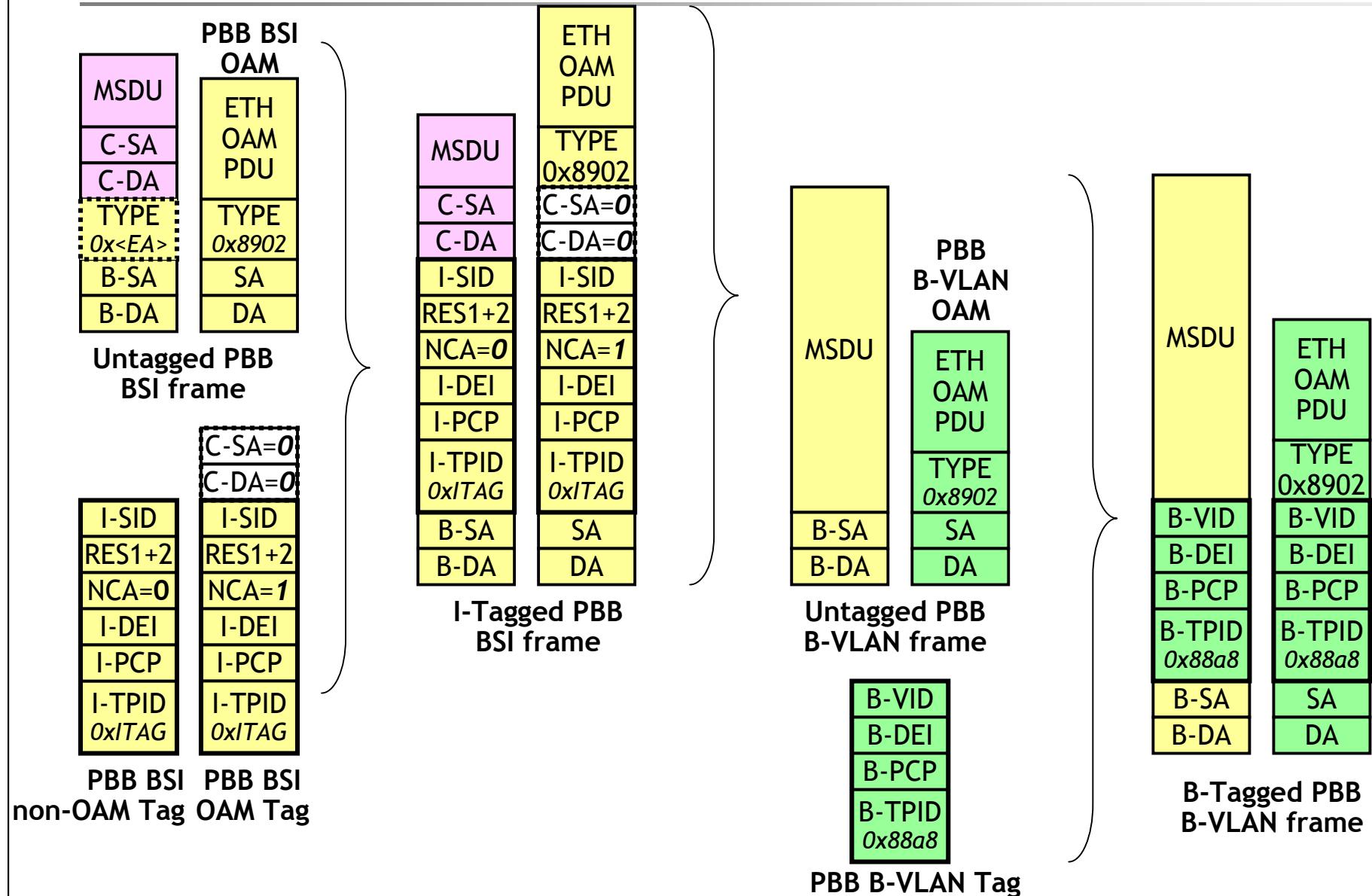
## Labels



Labels			
	PB	PBB	PBB-TE
<b>S-VLAN</b>	<b>S-VID</b>	<b>S-VID or PVID</b>	<b>S-VID or I-SID</b>
<b>PBB (B-Service (BSI))</b>	-	<b>I-SID</b>	-
<b>PBB B-VLAN</b>	-	<b>B-VID</b>	-
<b>PBB-TE B-Service (BS)</b>	-	-	<b>I-SID</b>
<b>PBB-TE B-Tunnel (BT)</b>	-	-	<b>&lt;T-DA, T-SA, T-VID&gt;</b>

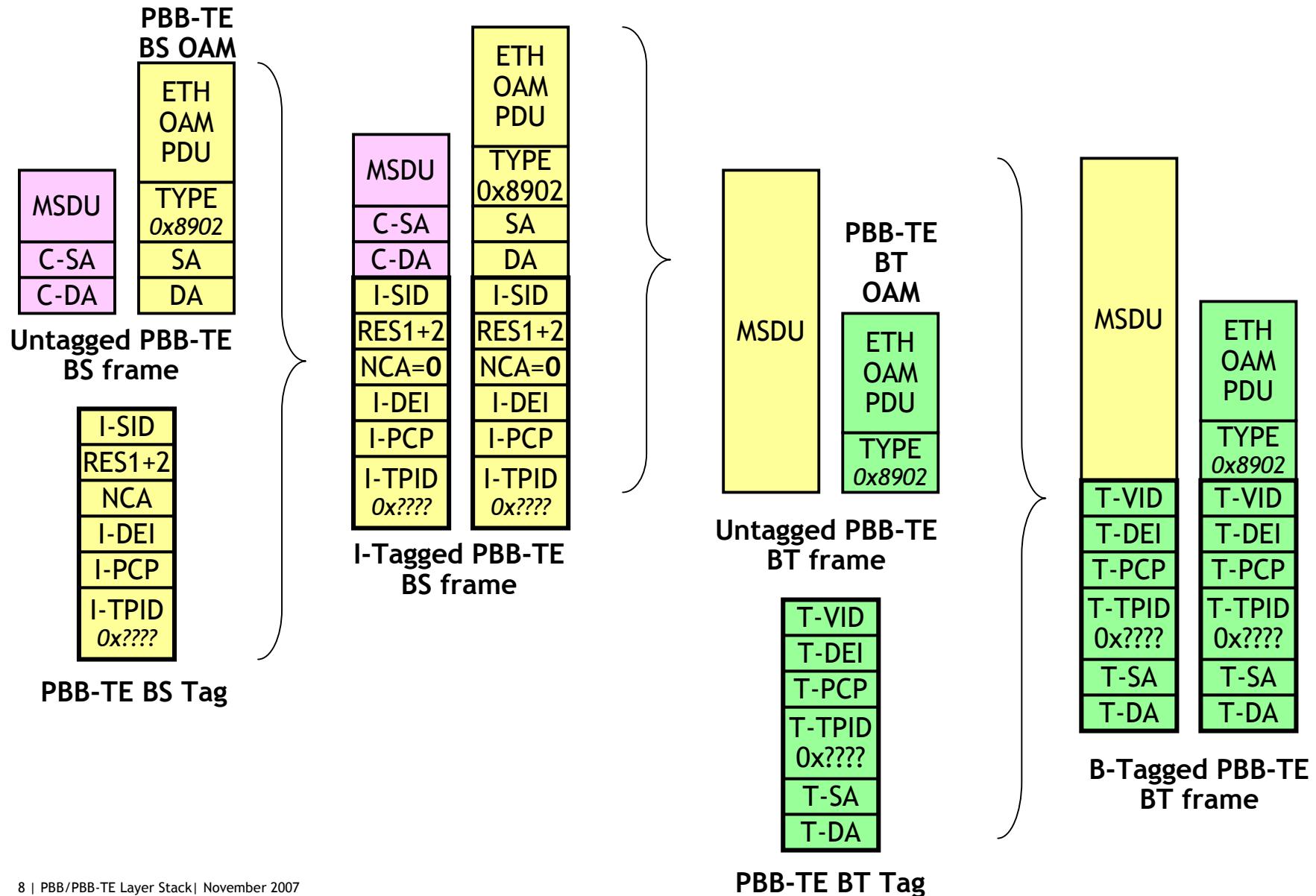
# PBB Signals

*destination\_address/source\_address parameters represented as fields*

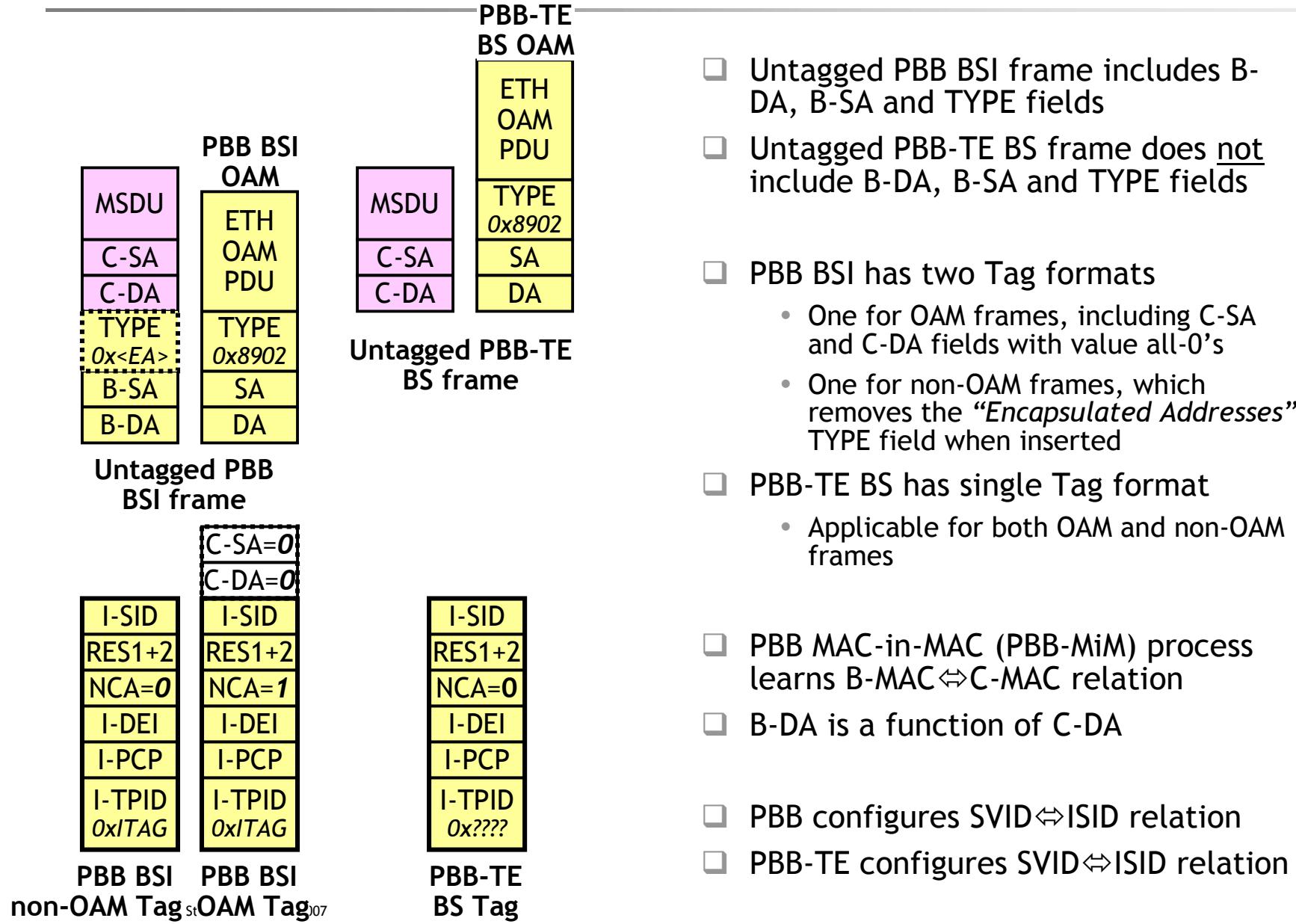


# PBB-TE Signals (“Alternative C2”)

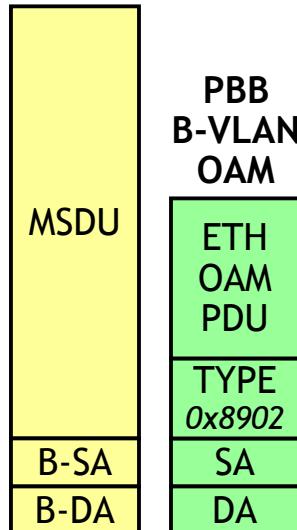
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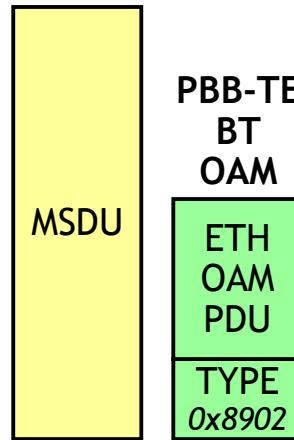
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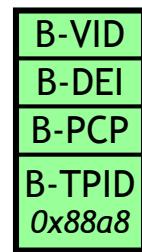
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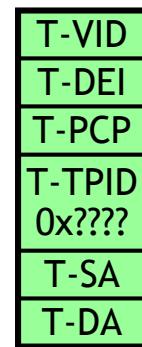
Untagged PBB  
B-VLAN frame



Untagged PBB-TE  
BT frame



PBB  
B-VLAN  
Tag

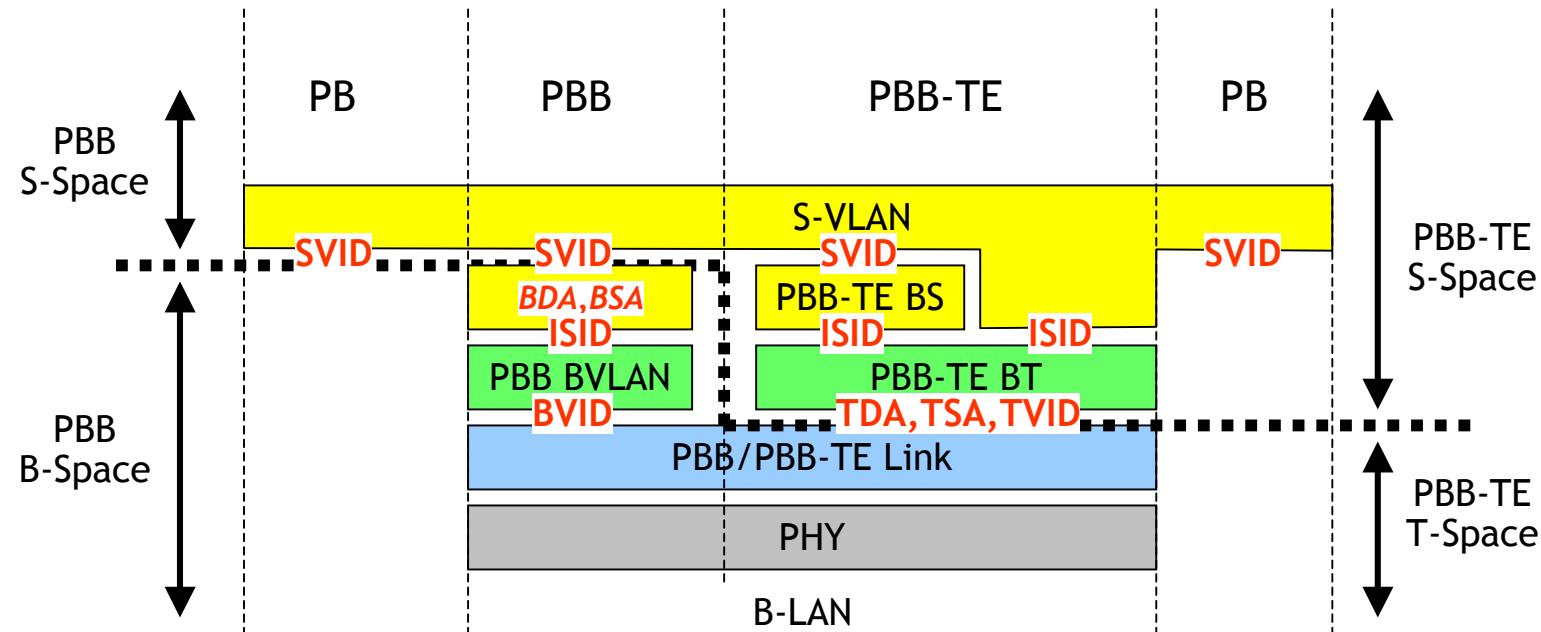


PBB-TE  
BT Tag

- Untagged PBB B-VLAN frame includes B-DA and B-SA fields
- Untagged PBB-TE BT frame does not include B-DA and B-SA fields
- PBB-TE BT Tag includes T-DA and T-SA fields
- PBB-TE MAC-in-MAC (PBB-TE-MiM) process does not learn T-MAC↔C-MAC relation
- T-DA is not a function of C-DA
- PBB configures ISID↔BVID relation
- PBB-TE configures ISID↔TVID+TMAC relations

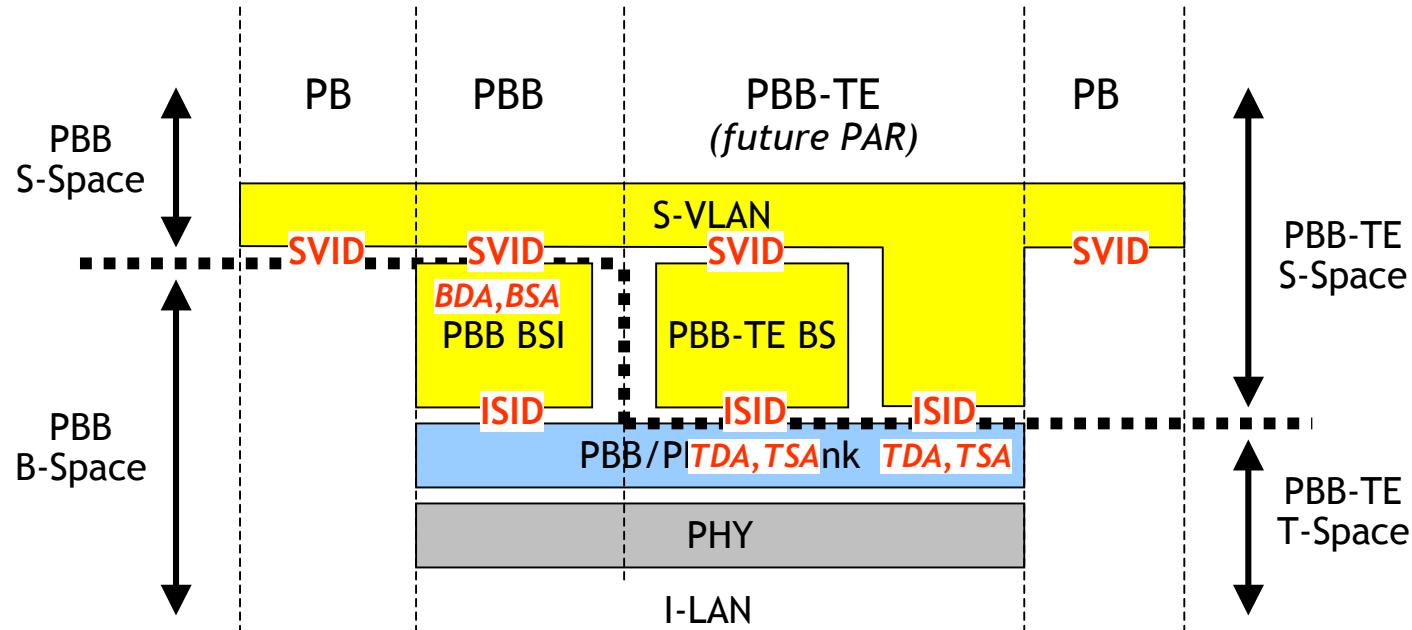
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**B-LAN**



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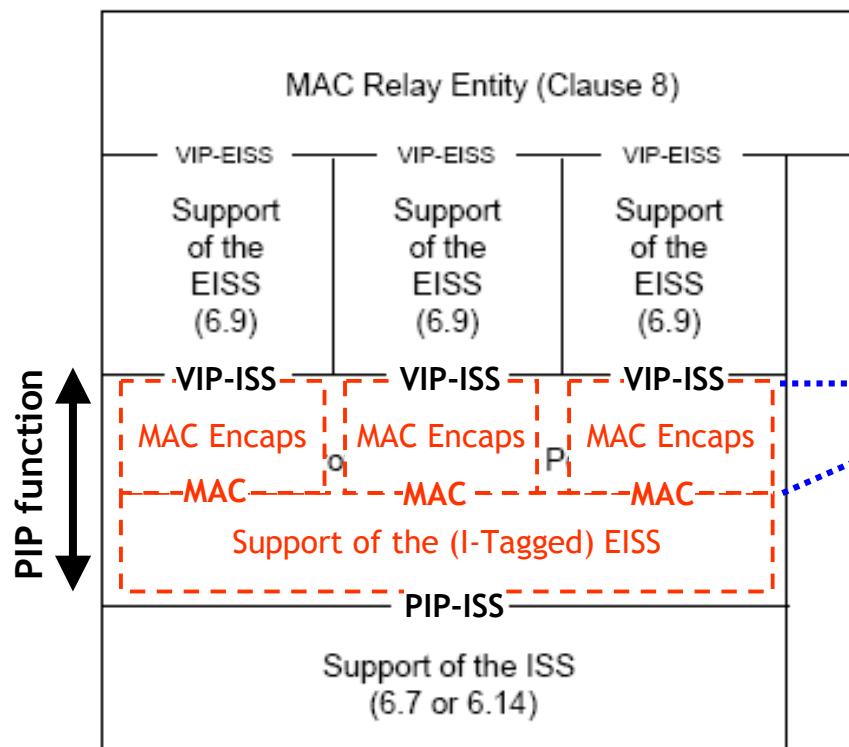
*Future I-LAN*



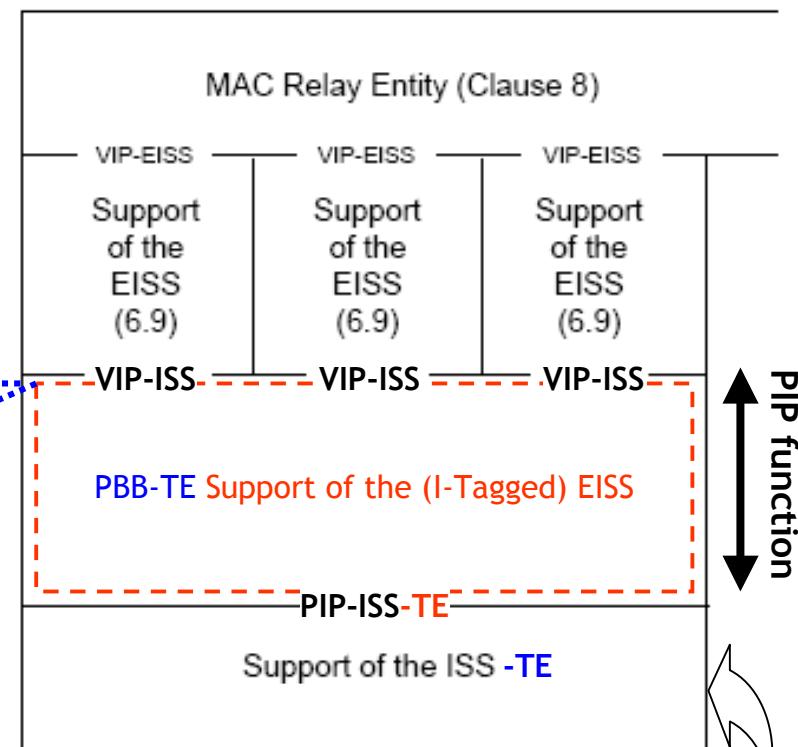
# PIP function in PBB and PBB-TE for “Alternative C2”

## *Decomposed PIP view*

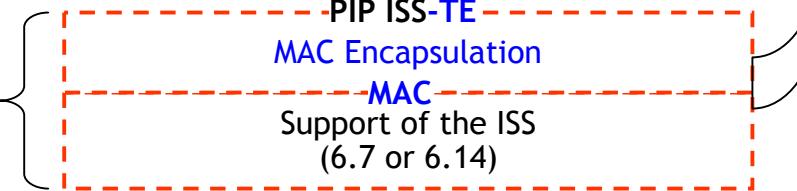
### PIP function in PBB



### PIP function in PBB-TE (without MAC Encapsulation function)

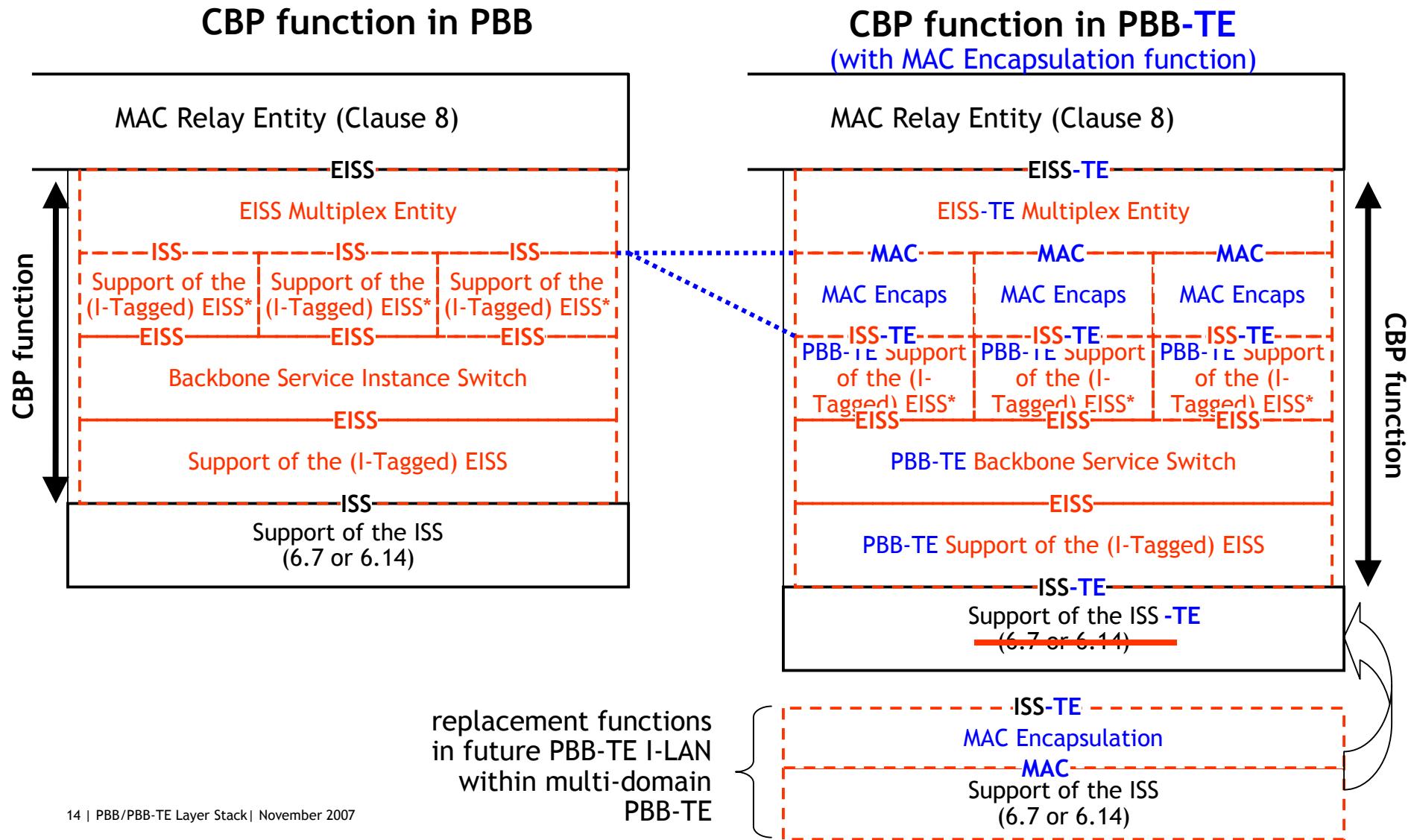


replacement functions  
in future PBB-TE I-LAN  
within multi-domain  
PBB-TE



# CBP function in PBB and PBB-TE for “Alternative C2”

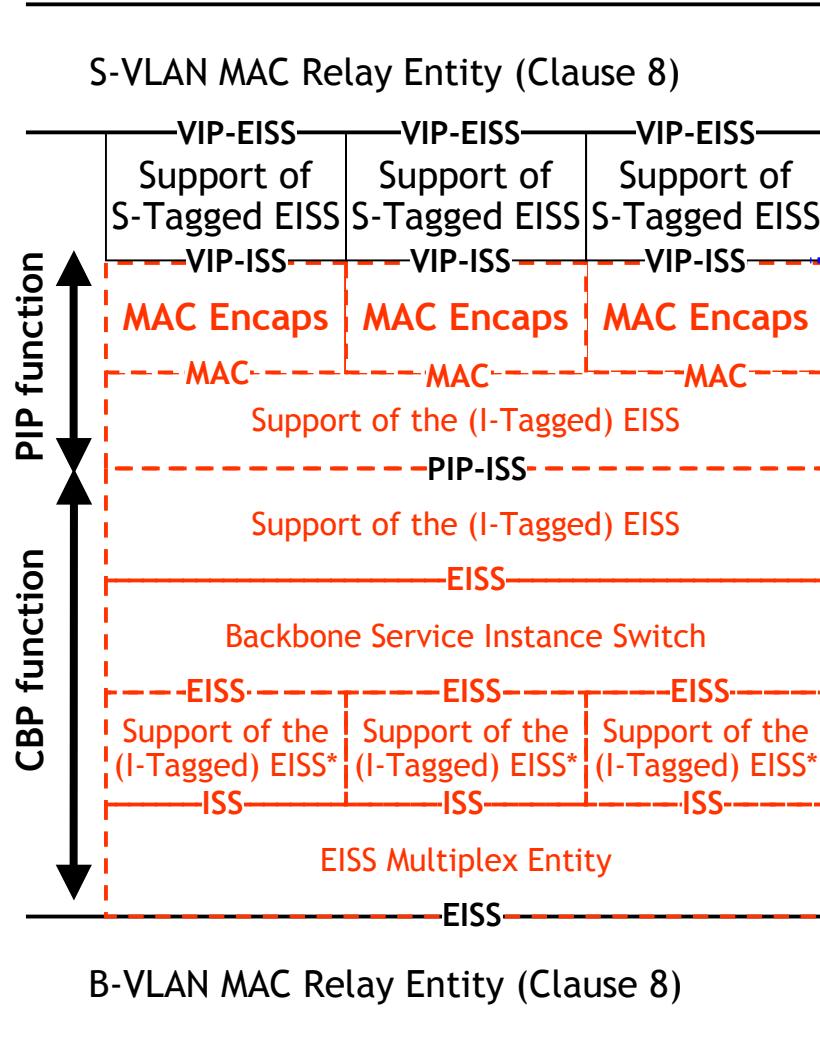
## *Decomposed CBP view*



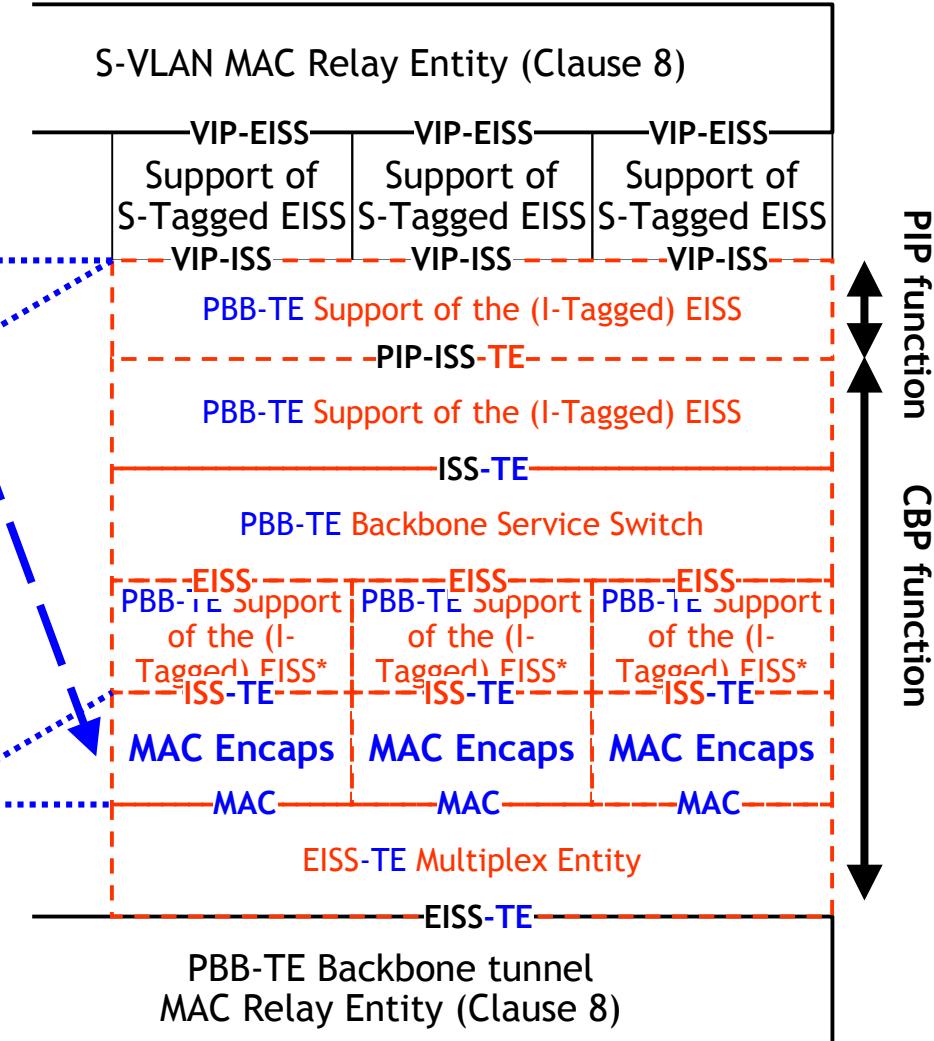
# PBB and PBB-TE shim stacks

*Different position of MAC Encapsulation functions*

## PIP+CBP function in PBB



## PIP+CBP function in PBB-TE



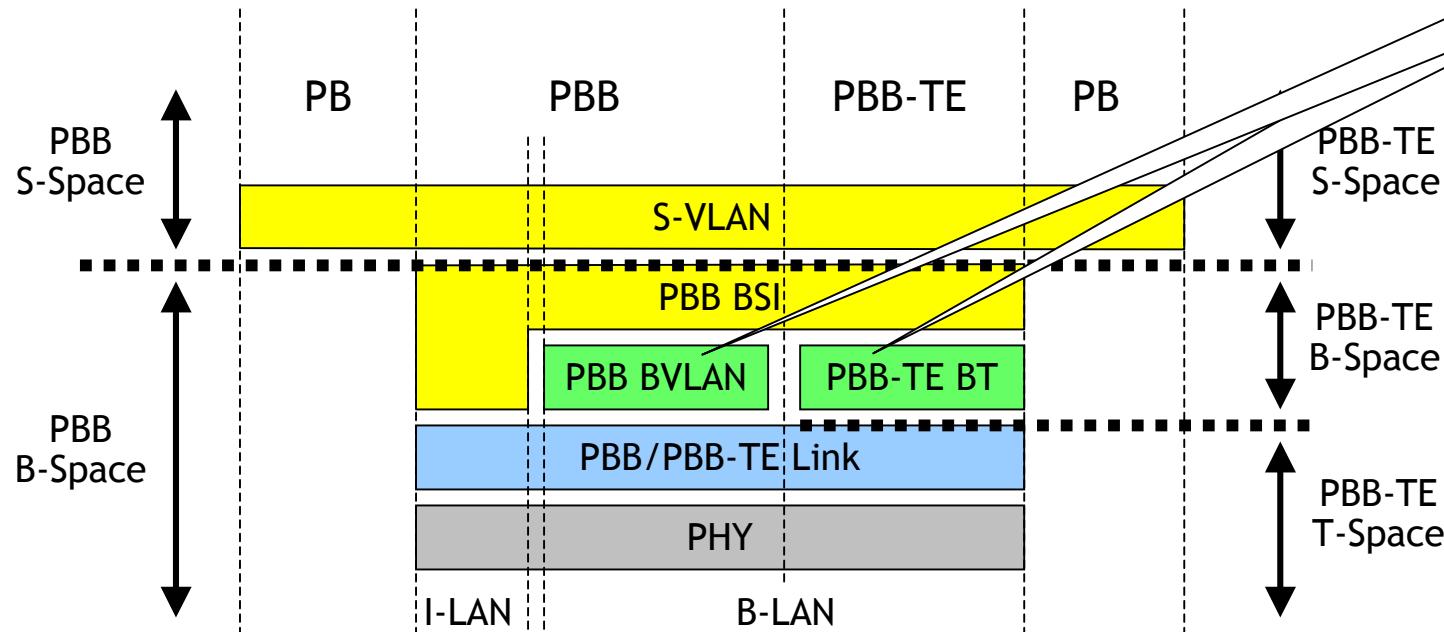
Illustrating difference between  
B-MAC and T-MAC

*PBB B-Service over PBB-TE B-Tunnel*

# Layer Stack “PBB B-Service over PBB-TE B-Tunnel”

*Another alternative as illustration for B-MAC/T-MAC difference*

B-VLAN layer  
replaced by  
B-Tunnel (BT) layer



Another alternative layer stack for PBB-TE could have been PBB BSI layer on top of PBB-TE BT layer

- ❑ multipoint-to-multipoint Backbone VLAN in PBB is replaced by set of point-to-point Backbone Tunnels in PBB-TE

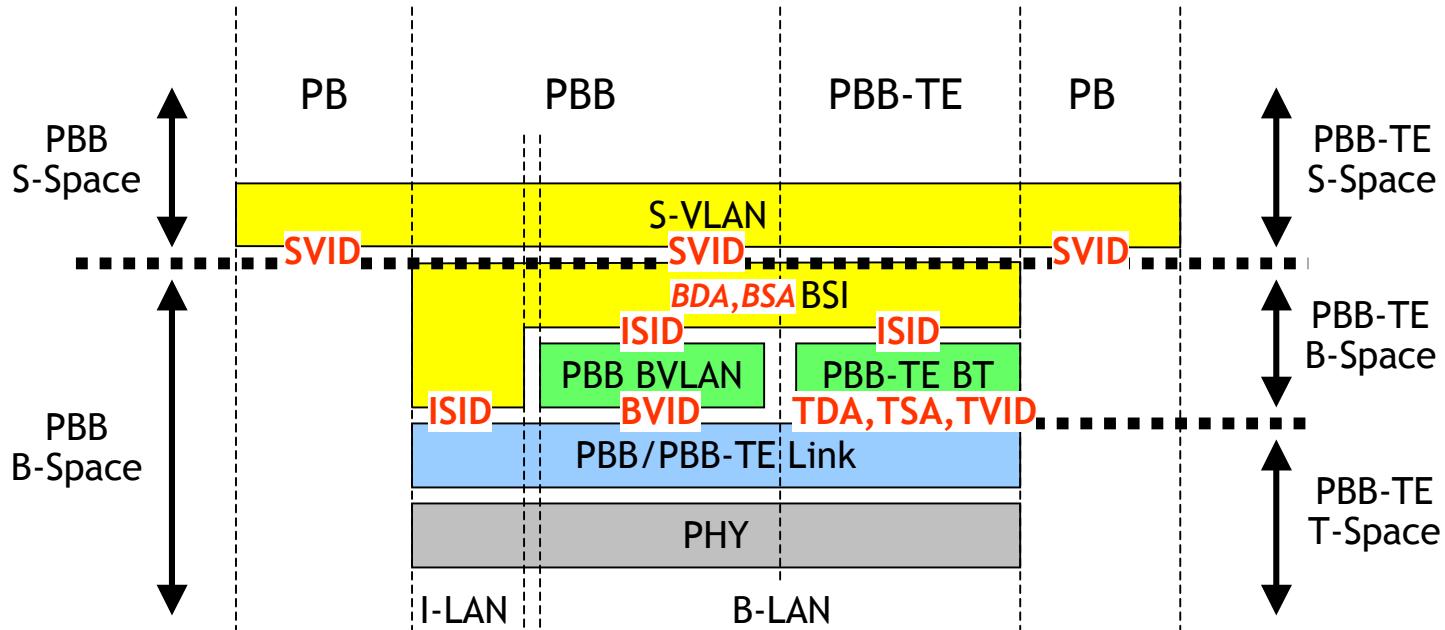
B-MAC address identifies endpoint of a Backbone Service Instance (I-Component)

T-MAC address identifies endpoint of a Backbone Tunnel instance (B-Component)

PBB and PBB-TE S-Space domains are the same !  
PBB-TE has additional T-Space domain !

# Layer Stack “PBB B-Service over PBB-TE B-Tunnel”

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PBB B-VLAN	-	B-VID	-
PBB-TE B-Tunnel (BT)	-	-	T-DA, T-SA, T-VID

# PBB/PBB-TE Signals for “PBB B-Service over PBB-TE B-Tunnel”

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