## **Inventory management**

The default choice for inventory/asset management software in CNaaS is SUNET NI (which github project?).

Adding new devices will follow this workflow:

- 1. Customer orders new equipment
- 2. Once equipment has been allocated/shipped/delivered (when we know serial numbers etc) add to NI using one of:
  - a. Serial number, model is entered manually into NI
  - b. NMS "device\_init" triggers adding of new device in NI including hostname, serial number and model
- c. Vendor "install base" API is polled and serial numbers and models are entered into NI

  3. Location and hostname is updated manually in NI if needed once equipment is installed
- 4. Device is marked as "in service" in NI
- 5. NAV will poll NI API and add any new devices that are in status "in service" (location can be automatically entered into NAV?)