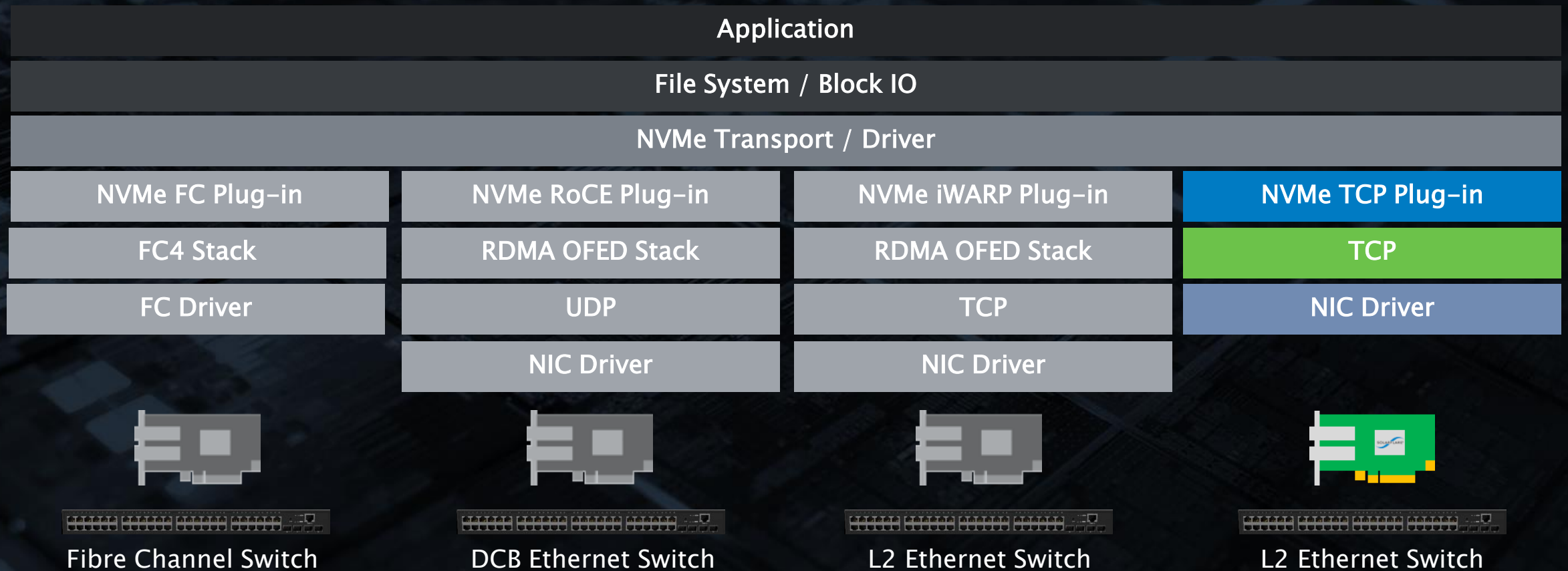


# Types of NVMe™ Fabrics



Until August, 2017, NVMe over a fabric was available for Fibre Channel, Ethernet RoCE and Ethernet iWARP. On August 8, Solarflare introduced NVMe over TCP. By leveraging the native Ethernet transport, NVMe over TCP promises to open the market for NVMe fabrics by eliminating the requirement for niche, unfamiliar network protocols such as data center bridging (DCB), iWARP or RoCE. NVMe over TCP stays true to Ethernet to provide IT organizations with the same high bandwidth, low latency performance as iWARP and RoCE, but over the familiar transport they will deploy in 90% of the 100 million Ethernet ports shipped into their data centers each year.

