

# StarLight Software Defined Exchange (SDX) And The Global Research Platform

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# Introduction to iCAIR:



Accelerating Leading Edge Innovation and Enhanced Global Communications through Advanced Internet Technologies, in Partnership with the Global Community

- **Creation and Early Implementation of Advanced Networking Technologies - The Next Generation Internet All Optical Networks, Terascale Networks, Networks for Petascale Science**
- **Advanced Applications, Middleware, Large-Scale Infrastructure, NG Optical Networks and Testbeds, Public Policy Studies and Forums Related to NG Networks**
- **Three Major Areas of Activity: a) Basic Research b) Design and Implementation of Prototypes and Large Scale Research Testbeds (Currently ~ 25) c) Operations of Specialized Communication Facilities (e.g., StarLight International/National Communications Exchange Facility, Metropolitan Research and Education Network)**

# NSF's Cyberinfrastructure Framework for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century (CIF21)

- ***“Across the full range of NSF---supported fields increasingly sophisticated instrumentation and expanded computational resources are opening new windows onto phenomena from the universe to the human brain, from the largest scales to the smallest. Across all domains, data play the key role in a profound transformation of the culture and conduct of science and society.***
- ***This Revolution Will Transform Research, Practice, And Education In Science and Engineering As Well As Advance Innovation In Society***
- ***This vision of the near future shows clearly the urgent need for a comprehensive, scalable, cyberinfrastructure that bridges diverse scientific communities and integrates high---performance computing, data, software, and facilities in a manner that brings theoretical, computational, experimental, and observational approaches together to advance the frontier.”***

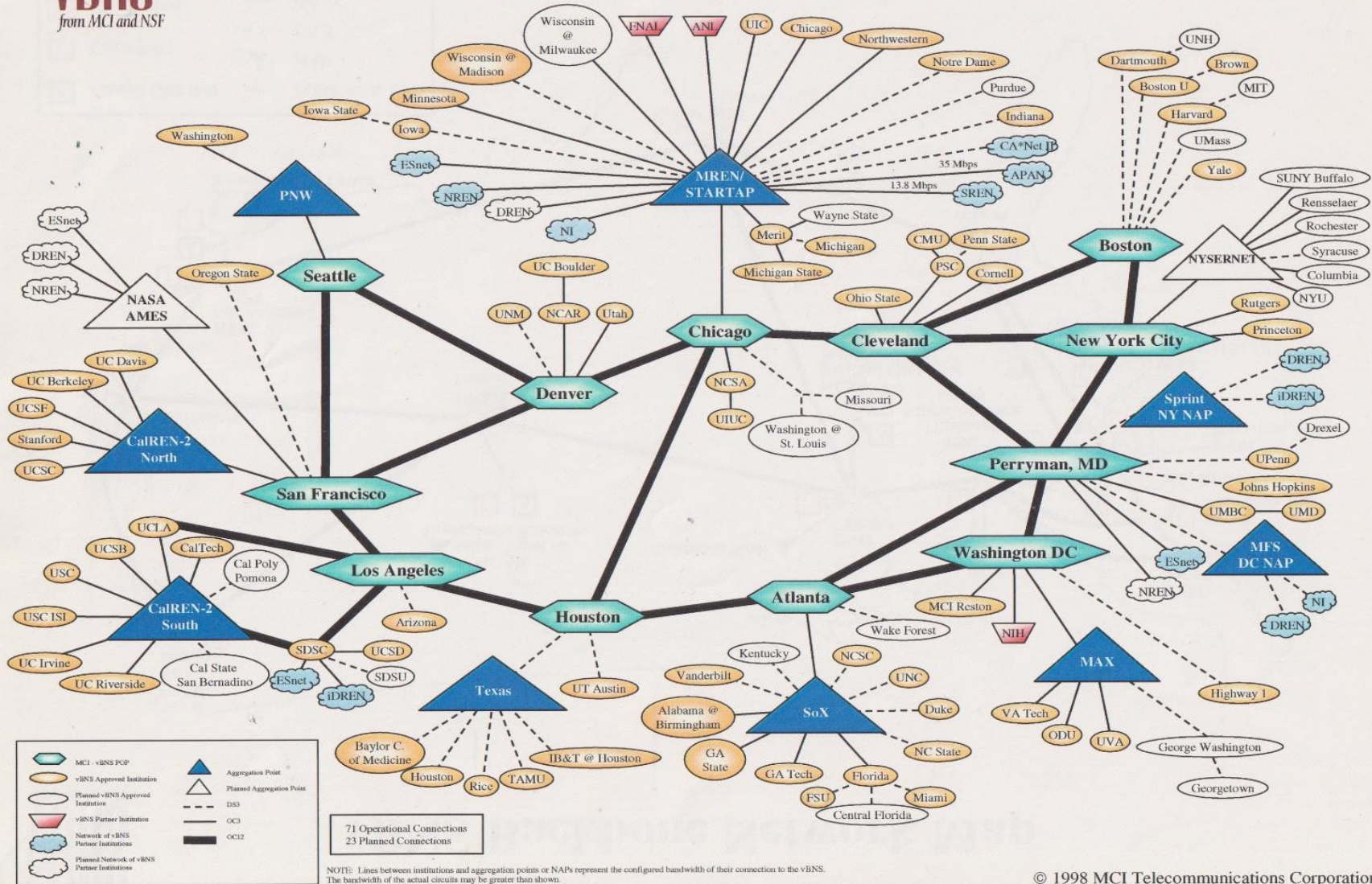


# **A Quick Glance At History And Science Drivers**

- **US Supercomputing Program/NSFNET (Mid-1980s)**
- **Midwest Regional Network Connects To NSFNET**
- **Design (1993) And Implementation (1994) of Metropolitan Research and Education Network (MREN) Based On**
- **World's First Major Internet Exchange And GigaPoP – Chicago Network Access Point (NAP) (1994)**
- **I-WAY Demonstration SC95 (1995)**
- **National Science Foundation Science Technology And Research Transit Access Point (STAR-TAP) Best International Transit (1997)**
- **NSF National very high speed Backbone Network System (vBNS) (1998)**
- **National R&E Networks (e.g., ESnet, I2), NGX Exchanges (1998)**
- **National Science Foundation StarLight International/National Communications Exchange Facility (2000)**
- **Illinois Wired/Wireless Research and Education Network (I-WIRE)**
- **TeraGrid (Distributed Computational Science Facility)**



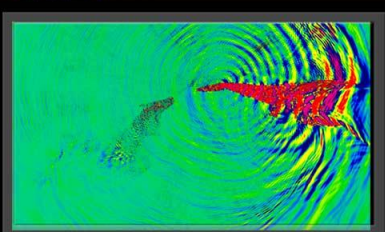
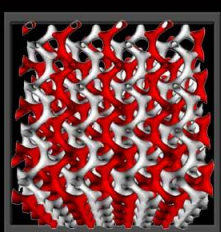
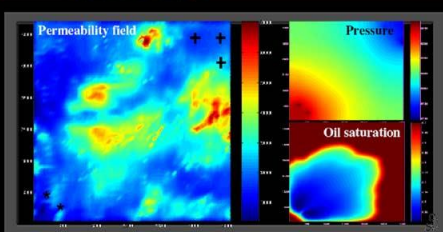
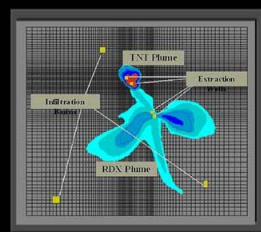
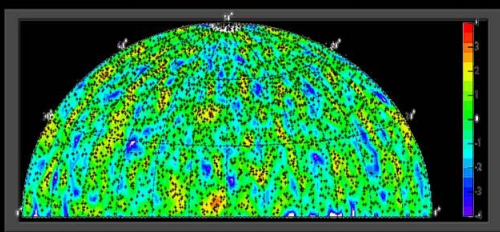
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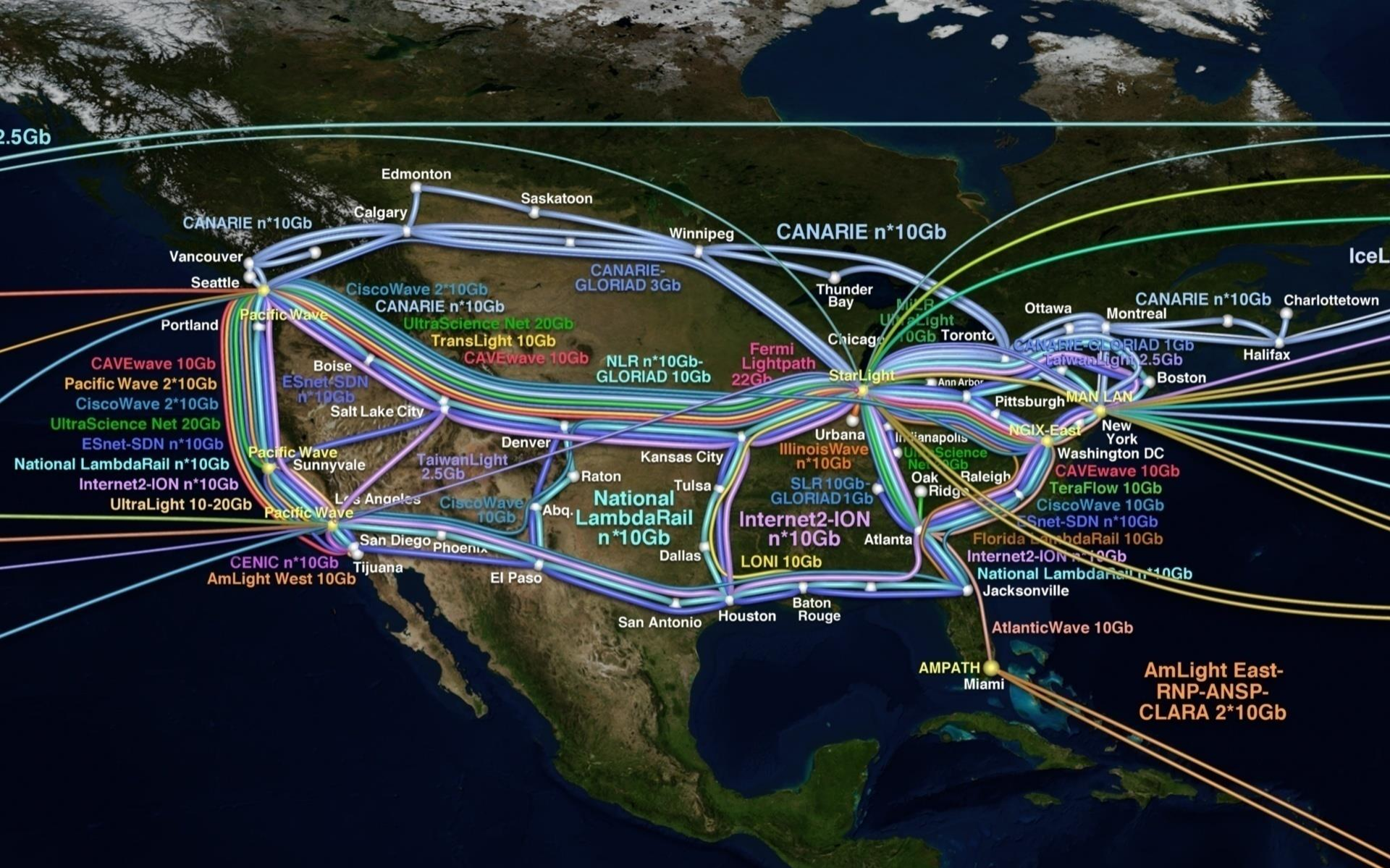


# TERAGRID

Extensible Terascale Facility







# Large Scale Global Science & Research Platforms

- **Science Domains Create Cyberinfrastructure Ecosystems, Some Distributed World Wide, Some Devoted To Domains, Some Shared Among Domains**
- **Opportunities For Information Sharing On Cyberinfrastructure Architecture, Implementation, Technologies and Operations Among Projects**
- **GRP Initiatives Are Especially Useful For Cross Disciplinary Research – Creating:**
  - **Large Scale Regional Science DMZs**
  - **Super Facilities**
  - **National Research Platforms**
  - **Continental Research Platforms**





# The GRP: A Platform For Global Science



## GLOBAL RESEARCH PLATFORM

*A Next Generation, Software Defined,  
Globally Distributed, Multi-Domain  
Computational Science Environment*



# Global Research Platform: Global Lambda Integrated Facility Available Advanced Network Resources



Visualization courtesy of Bob Patterson, NCSA; data compilation by Maxine Brown, UIC.



[www.glif.is](http://www.glif.is)

**STARLIGHT**<sup>SM</sup>

*"The global advancement of science by realizing a multiresource infrastructure through international collaboration."*



Schematic overview of the GNA-G AutoGOLE



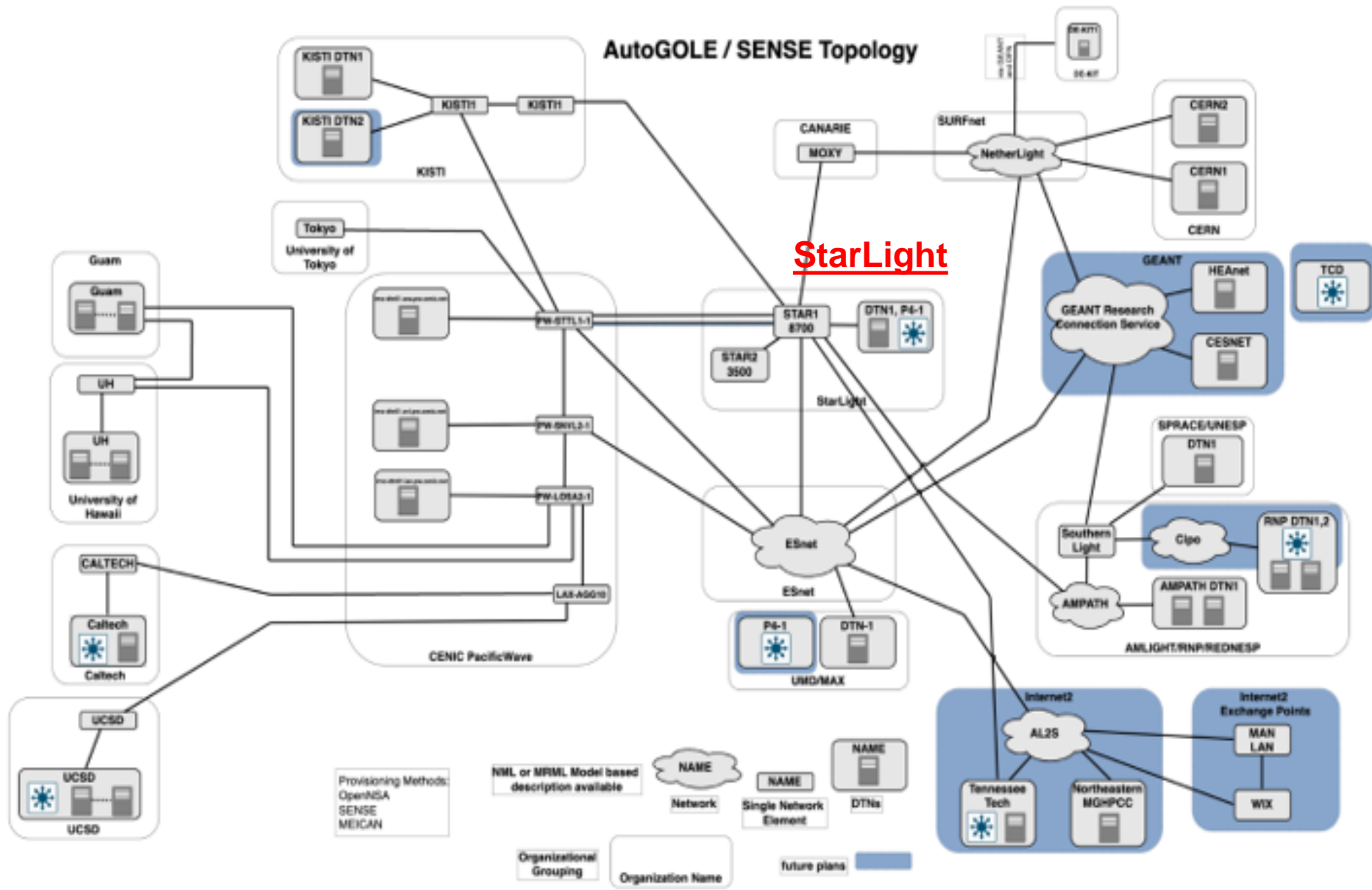
**AutoGOLE Open R&E Exchanges**

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# AutoGOLE / SENSE Topology

**StarLight**





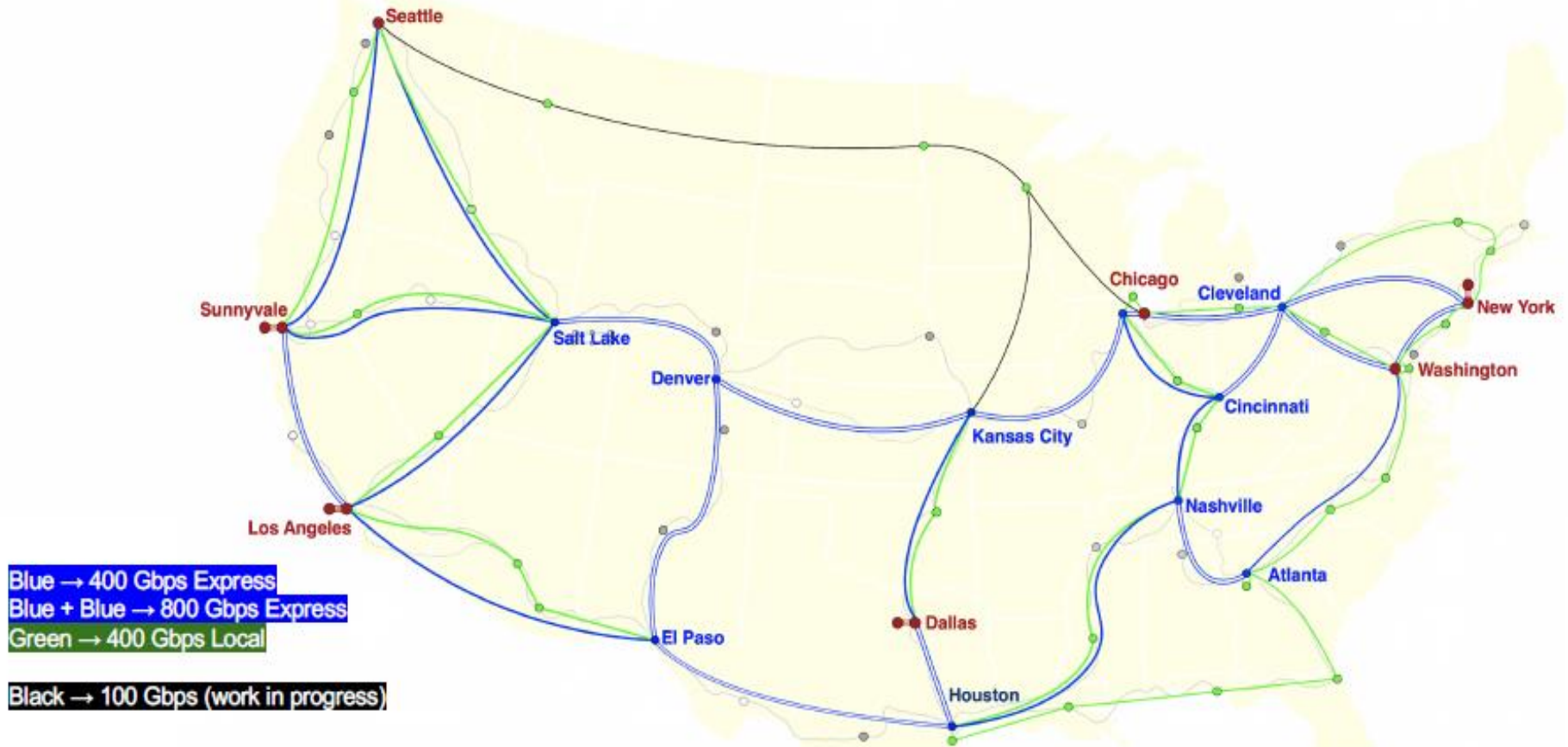
# ESnet 6



# Internet2 Backbone Topology

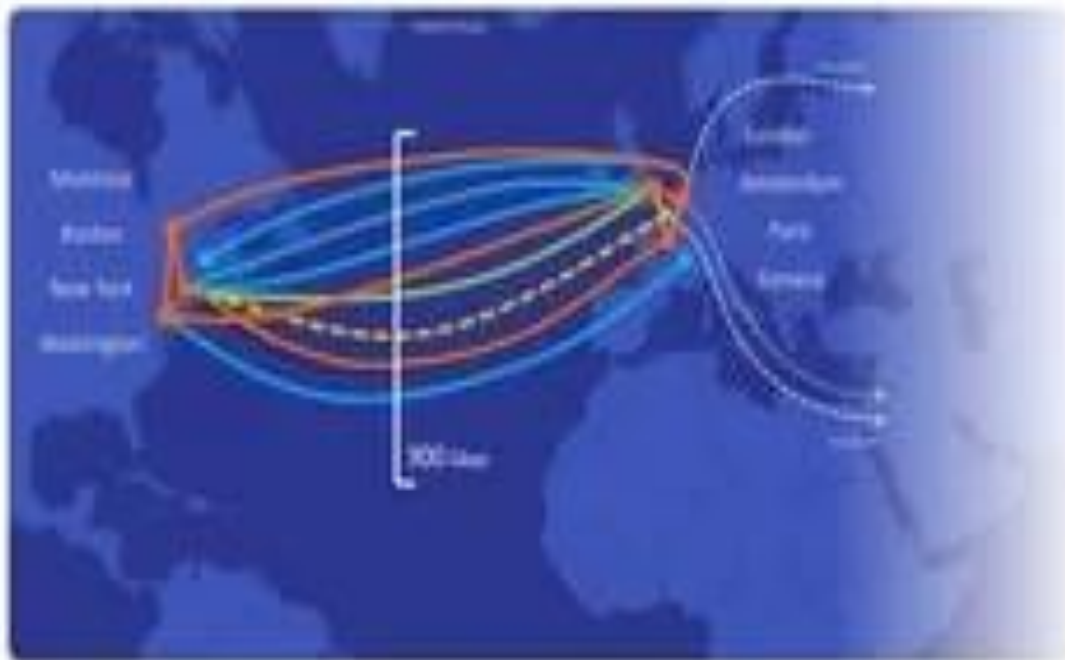
## Backbone Topology - Capacity and Traffic Management

Chris Wilkinson, Director of Planning and Architecture



# Advanced North Atlantic Networks (ANA)

The pathfinder expands: ANA-300G growing to 900G & Tbps



Legend:  
Green: Sprint  
Blue: AT&T  
Yellow: Verizon  
Red: Other

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# aponet ASIA PACIFIC OCEANIA NETWORK (APOnet)



- NII/SINET
- AARNet
- KREONet2/KISTI
- ARENA-PAC
- UoH
- Guam-SG consortium (ARENA-PAC, AARNet, Internet2, TransPAC)
- PacificWave
- PacificWave/TransPAC
- SingAREN/NSCC
- HARNET/NICT/NSCC/SingAREN
- REANNZ



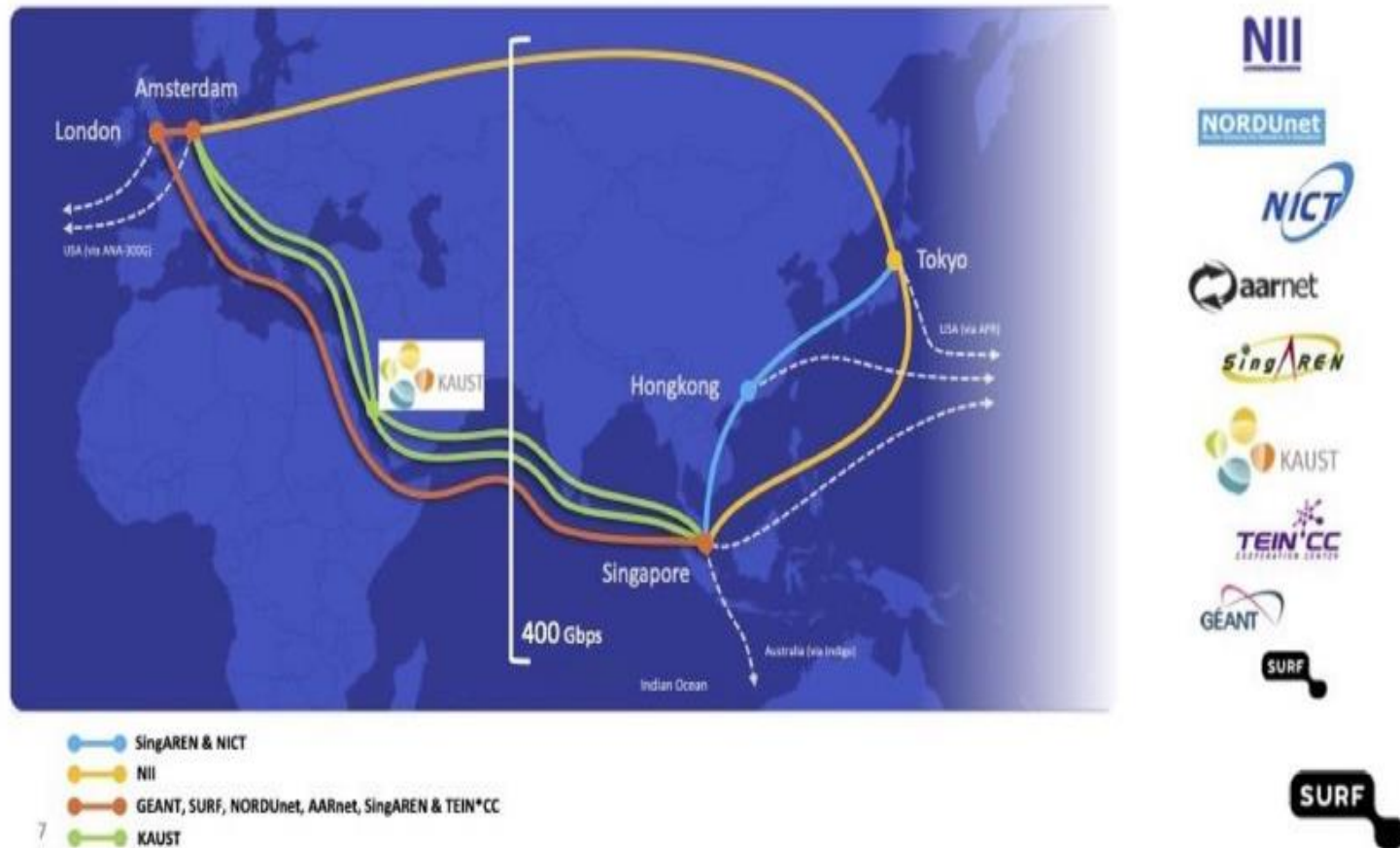
# JGN Global Networks: Connections





# International Networking: Asia-Pacific Europe Ring (AER)

March 7th 2022: KAUST joined the AER (APAN 53)



Renewal of MoU expands collaboration between Europe and Asia-Pacific regions, new members added

# Selected Applications



**GENI**  
www.geni.net



**GLEON**  
www.gleon.org



**USGS EROS**  
www.usgs.gov/centers/eros



**NEON**  
www.neonscience.org



**Open Storage Network**  
www.openstorage.network.org



**OSIRIS**  
www.osris.org



**XSEDE**  
www.xsede.org



**Blue Waters**  
bluewaters.ncsa.illinois.edu



**PRAGMA**  
www.pragma-grid.net



**CENTRA**  
www.globalcentra.org



**OSG**  
www.openscience.grid.org



**GRP**  
theglobalresearchplatform.net/



**PRP**  
pacificresearchplatform.org



**CHASE-CI**  
www.calit2.net/newsroom/article.php?id=2910



**SAGE2**  
sage2.sagecommons.org



**Polar Geospatial Center**  
www.pgc.umn.edu



**IceCube**  
icecube.wisc.edu



**Chameleon**  
www.chameleoncloud.org



**Jetstream**  
www.jetstream-cloud.org



**Genomic Science Program**  
genomicscience.energy.gov



**LSST**  
www.lsst.org



**Pierre Auger Observatory**  
www.auger.org



**Belle II**  
www.belle2.org



**LBNF/DUNE/ProtoDUNE**  
lbnf.fnal.gov



**ISS**  
www.nasa.gov/station



**SKA**  
www.skatelescope.org



**XENON**  
xenon.astro.columbia.edu



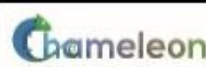
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novaexperiment.fnal.gov



**Virgo**  
www.virgo-gw.eu



**LIGO**  
www.ligo.caltech.edu



**SDSS**  
www.sdss.org



**ALMA**  
www.almaobservatory.org



**LHC**  
home.cern/science/accelerators/large-hadron-collider



**LHCONE**  
twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/LHCONE/WebHome



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**IVOA**  
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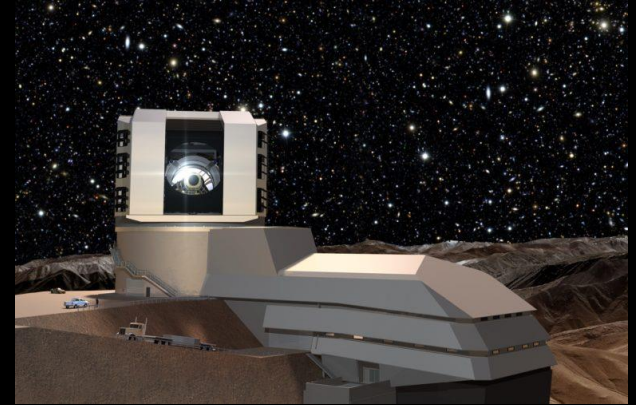
# Instruments: Exebytes Of Data



High Luminosity LHC



SKA Australia Telescope Facility



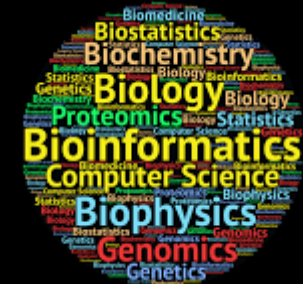
Vera Rubin Observatory



KSTAR Korea Superconducting Tokamak



Next Gen Advanced Photon Source

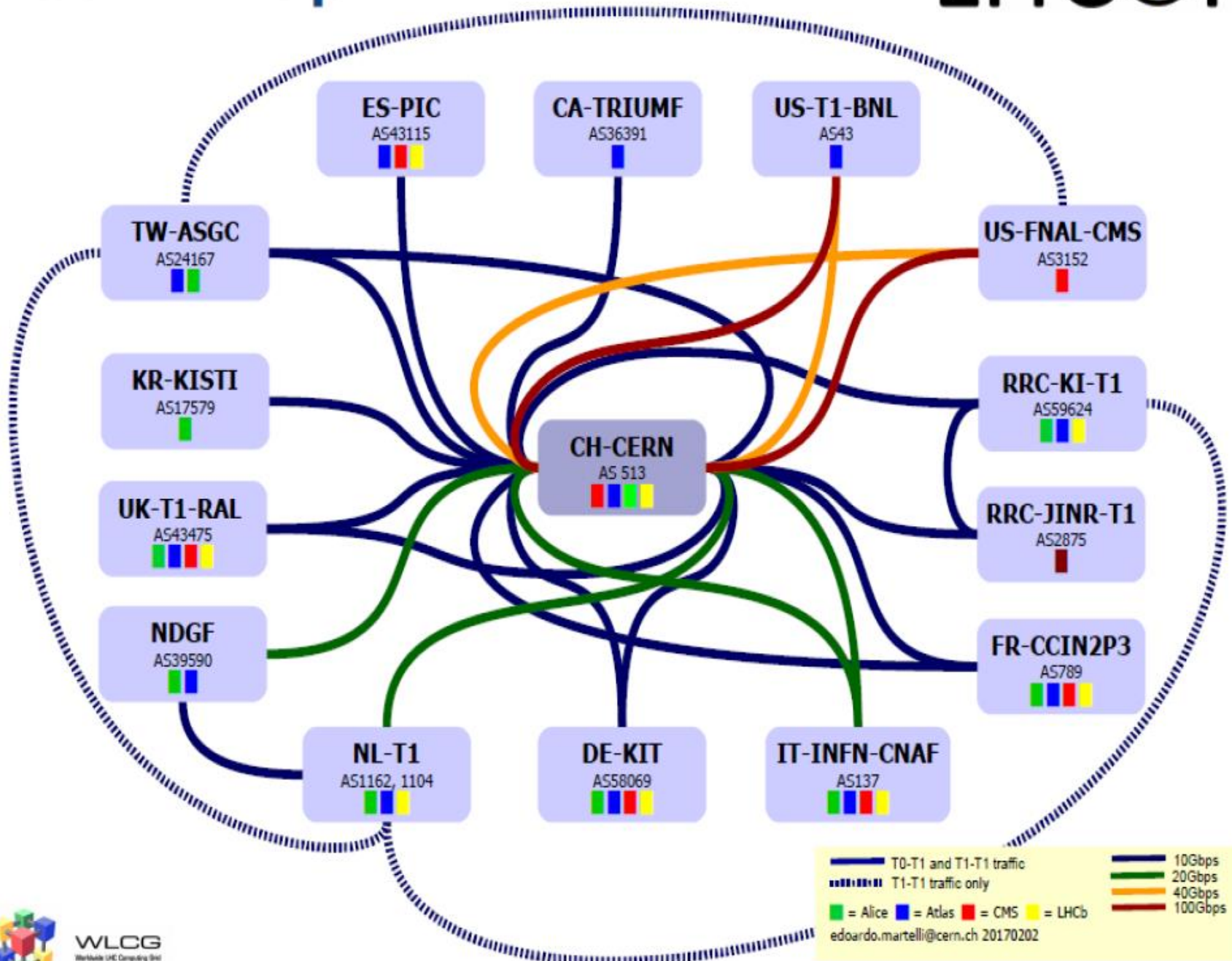


Bioinformatics/Genomics



# LHCOPN map

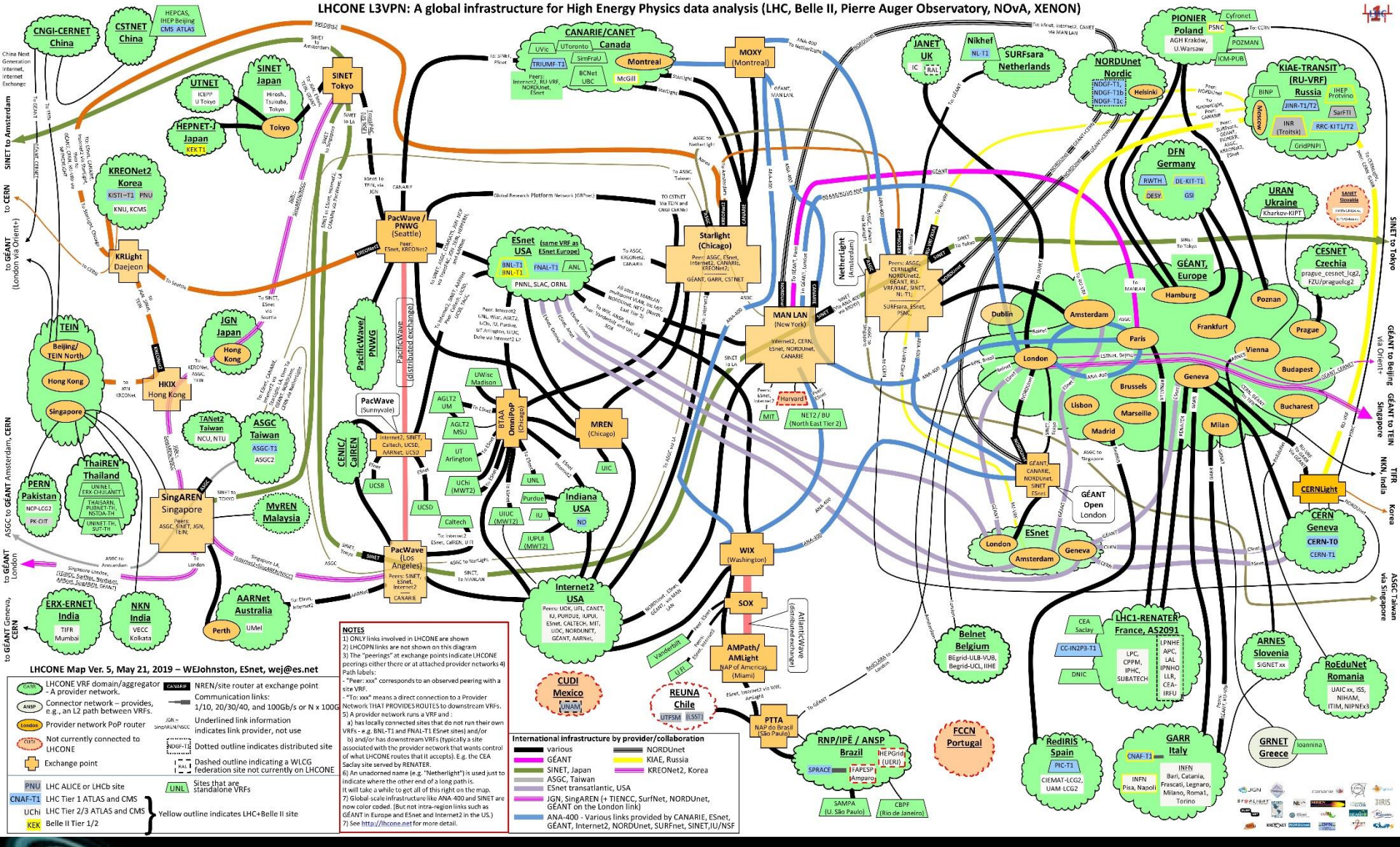
# LHCOPN



WLCG  
Worldwide LHC Computing Grid



# LHCONE L3VPN: A global infrastructure for High Energy Physics data analysis (LHC, Belle II, Pierre Auger Observatory, NoVA, XENON)





# New Science Communities Using LHCONE

- ❖ Belle II Experiment, Particle Physics Experiment Designed To Study Properties of B Mesons (Heavy Particles Containing a Bottom Quark).
- ❖ Pierre Auger Observatory, Studying Ultra-High Energy Cosmic Rays, the Most Energetic and Rarest of Particles In the Universe.
- ❖ In August 2017 the PAO, LIGO and Virgo Collaboration Measured a Gravitational Wave Originating From a Binary Neutron Star Merger.
- ❖ The NOvA Experiment Is Designed To Answer Fundamental questions in neutrino Physics.
- ❖ The XENON Dark Matter Project Is a Global Collaboration Investing Fundamental Properties of Dark Matter, Largest Component Of The Universe.

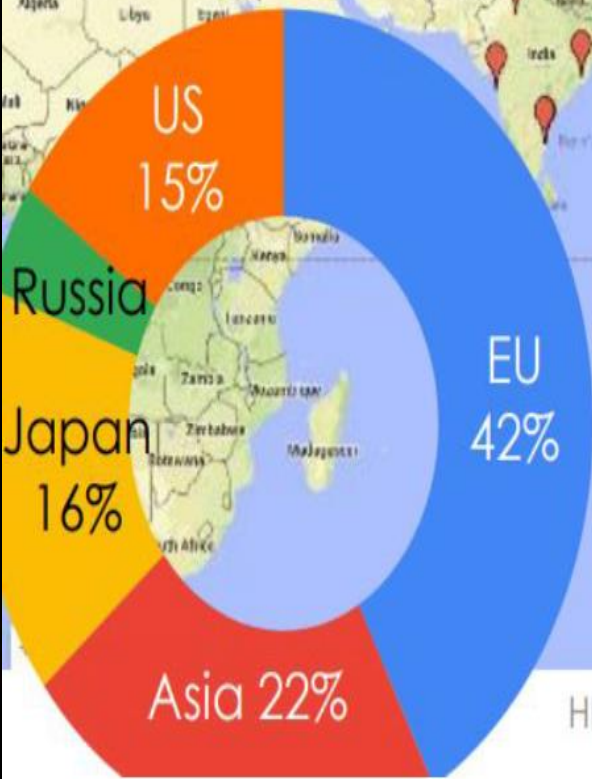
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# Belle II Collaboration

A Global Collaboration  
as wide as an LHC experiment

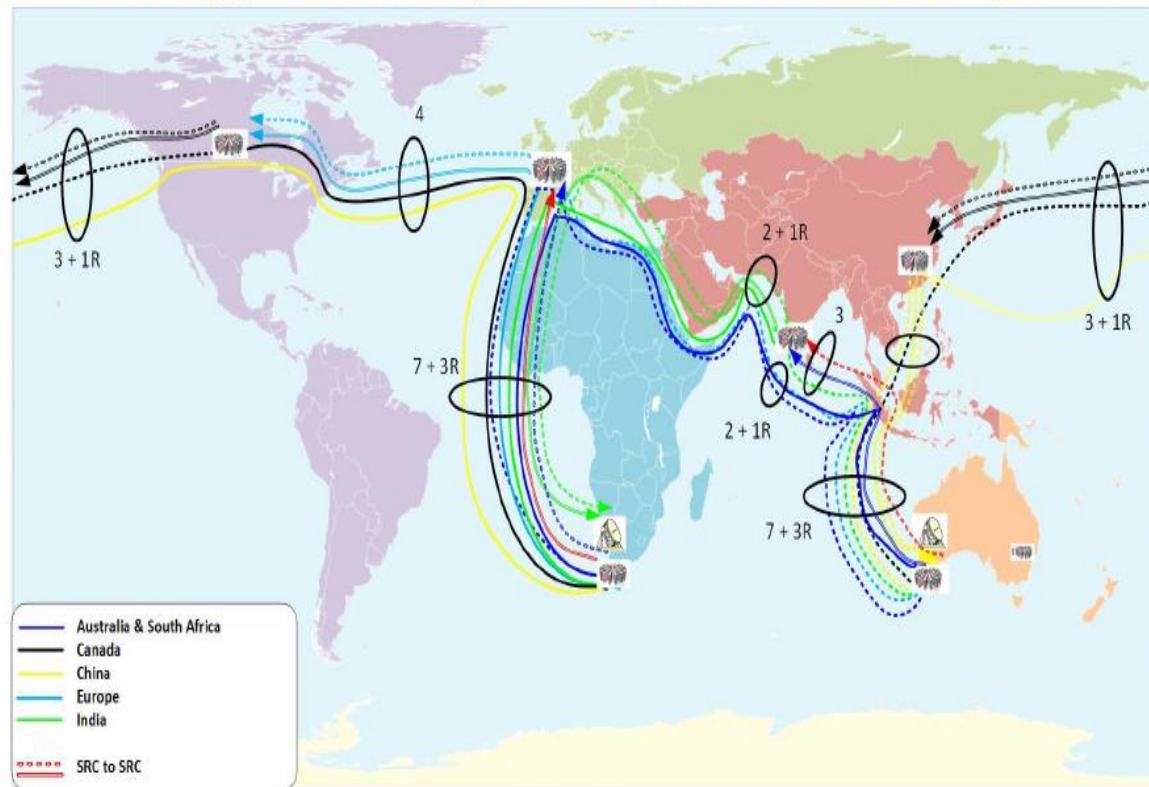
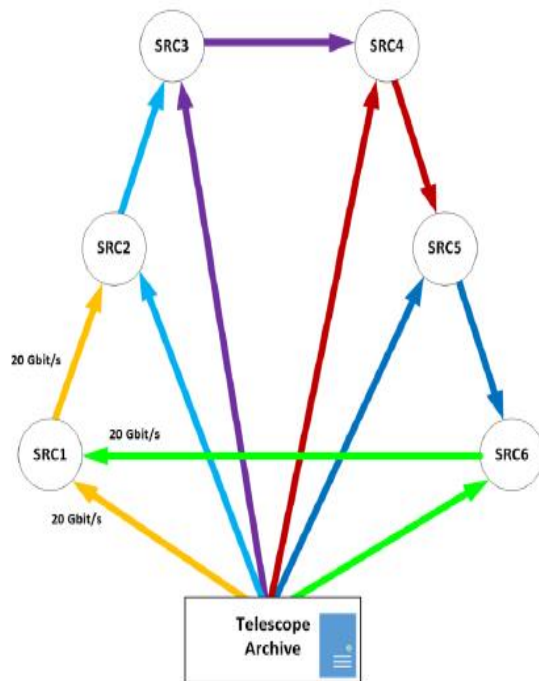


26 countries/regions  
123 institutes  
1,075 researchers

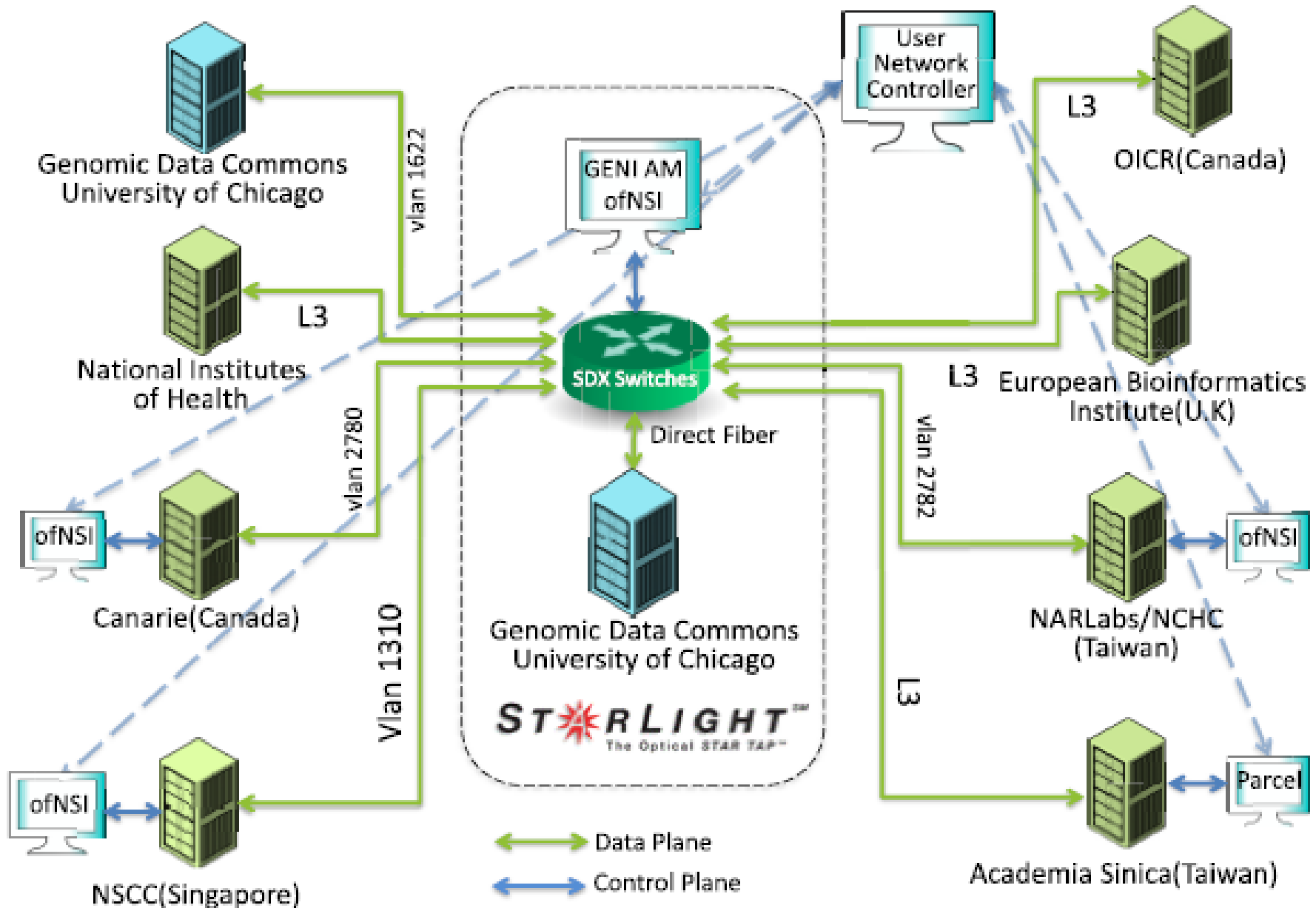


## Global Data Flows if the SRC Re-distribute data – 2 Replicas

- Each SRC accepts its fraction of the Observatory Data Products and re-distributes to another SRC.
- SRC has 20 Gbit/s flow from the telescope & a second continuous 20 Gbit/s flow from another SRC.
- Each SRC sends out a 20 Gbit/s flow.
- Makes substantial use of the shared academic network which would imply charges to the SKA community.
- **Probable cost to SKA community Very approx. ~ 0.8 M USD/year not allowing for the extra BW from the telescopes**



# 2016 Bioinformatics SDXs Network



# GRP And Orchestration Among Multiple Domains

- **Instrumentation and Analytic, Storage Resources Are Highly Distributed Among Multiple Domains Interconnected With High Performance Networks**
- **A Key Issues Is Discovering Resources, Claiming Them, Integrating Them, Utilizing Them and Releasing Them**
- **Increasingly, New Software Defined Infrastructure Architecture, Services, Techniques And Technologies Are Addressing These Issues, Especially Network Programmability (e.g., Software Defined Networking, Software Defined Exchanges, Software Defined Infrastructre, etc.)**



# GRP And Large-Scale High Capacity Data WAN Transport

- **Large-Scale High Capacity Data WAN Transport Has Always Been And Remains A Major Challenge, Especially Over Global Paths**
- **This Issue Is Emphasized By A Next Generation Of Instrumentation That Will Generate Exponentially Large Volumes Of Data That Has To Be Distributed Across the Globe**
- **Often, This Issue Is Considered Reductively Only In Terms Of Network Capacity**
- **However, Actually It Is More An E2E Issue, Especially Given Advances In Core Optical Networking Technologies**





# **High-Fidelity Data Flow Monitoring, Visualization, Analytics, Diagnostic Algorithms, Event Correlation AI/ML/DL**

- **A Major Opportunity For Data Transport Optimization Is Being Provided By New Methods For Directly Detecting And Analyzing All Data Flows And Their Characteristics**
- **Because These Techniques Enable High-Fidelity Views Of All Flows, Real Time, Dynamic Traffic Engineering Is Possible With Much More Sophistication Than Traditional Approaches**
- **These Techniques Can Be Significant Enhanced Using AI/ML/DL, Which (Although Still Emerging) Are Becoming Critically Important Tools**



# International Testbeds for Data-Intensive Science

- **Given Challenges Of Anticipated Large Scale Science Projects Along With Accelerated Rates Of Ongoing Innovation, International Testbeds Are Required For Pre-Production Investigations And Prototyping Of New Technologies And Techniques Specifically Related To Data Intensive Science**
- **Such Global Experimental Research Testbeds Exist Today, And They Are Being Developed With Enhanced Capacities, Sites, And Capabilities**



# StarLight – “By Researchers For Researchers”

**StarLight: Experimental Optical Infrastructure/Proving Ground For Next Gen Network Services**  
Optimized for High Performance Data Intensive Science  
Multiple 100 Gbps  
(110+ Paths)  
**StarWave**  
100 G Exchange  
World’s Most Advanced Exchange  
Multiple First of a Kind  
Services and Capabilities



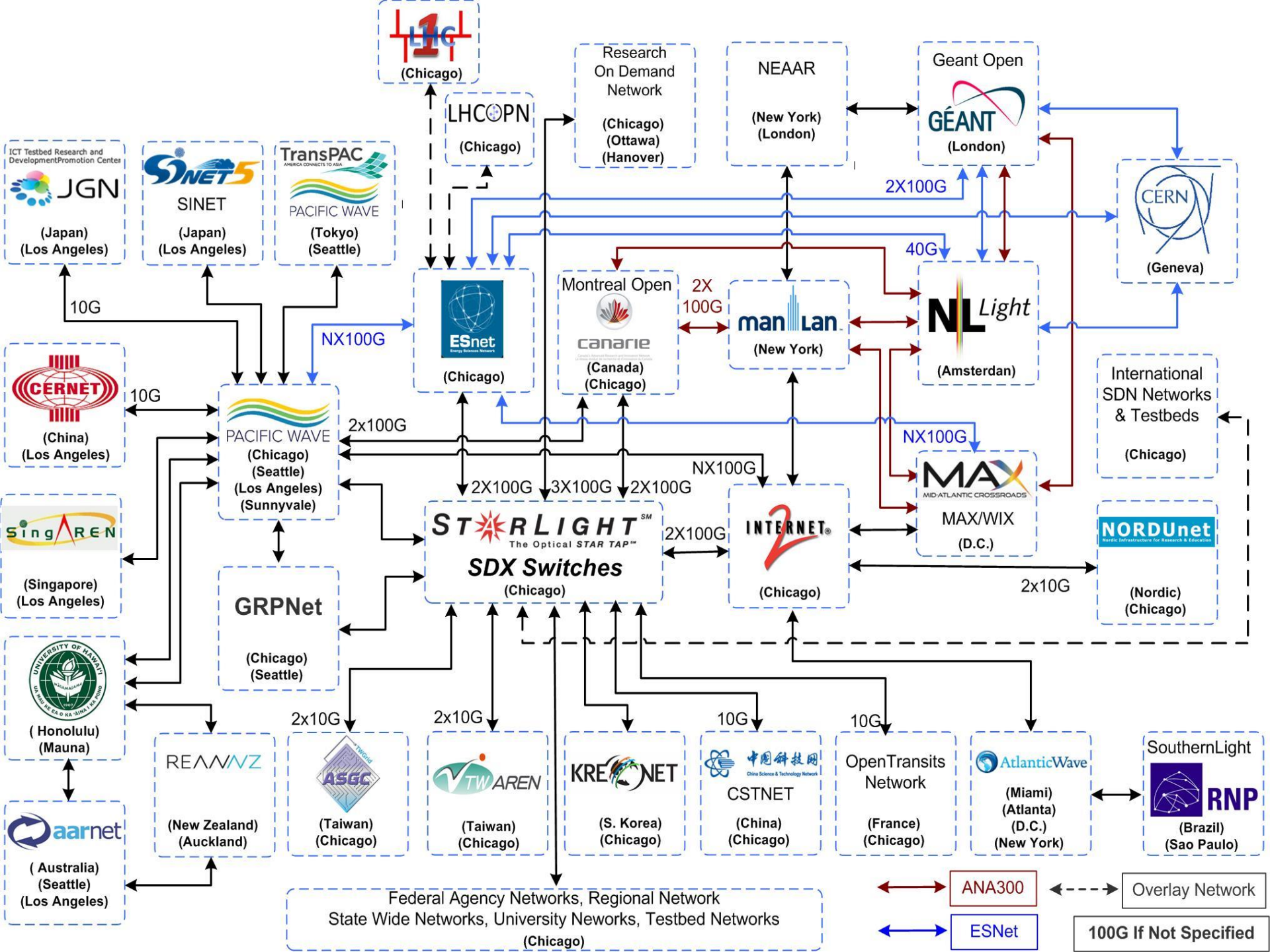
View from StarLight



Abbott Hall, Northwestern University's Chicago Campus

**Currently: 20+ 400 Gbps Paths Prototyping 800 Gbps** **STARLIGHT**<sup>SM</sup>



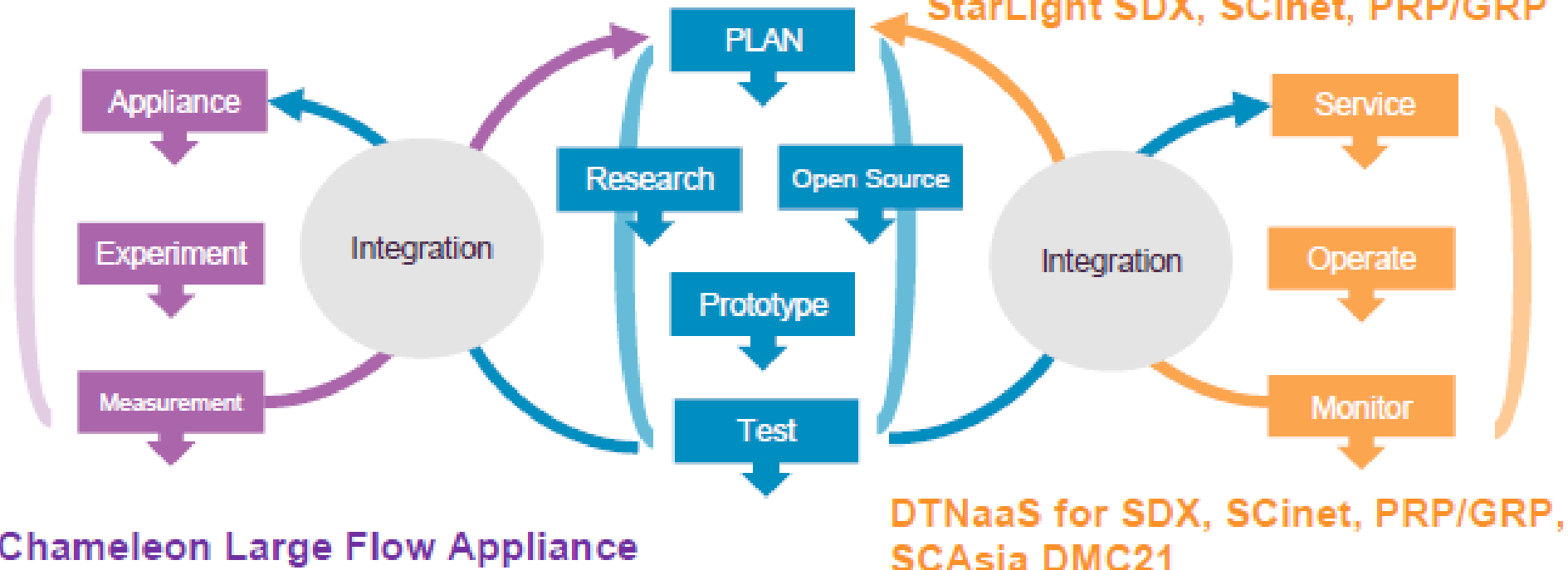


# StarLight Software Defined Exchange

## StarLight Software Defined Exchange (SDX) CD/CI/CD Innovation Workflow

StarLight Testbeds

StarLight SDX, SCinet, PRP/GRP



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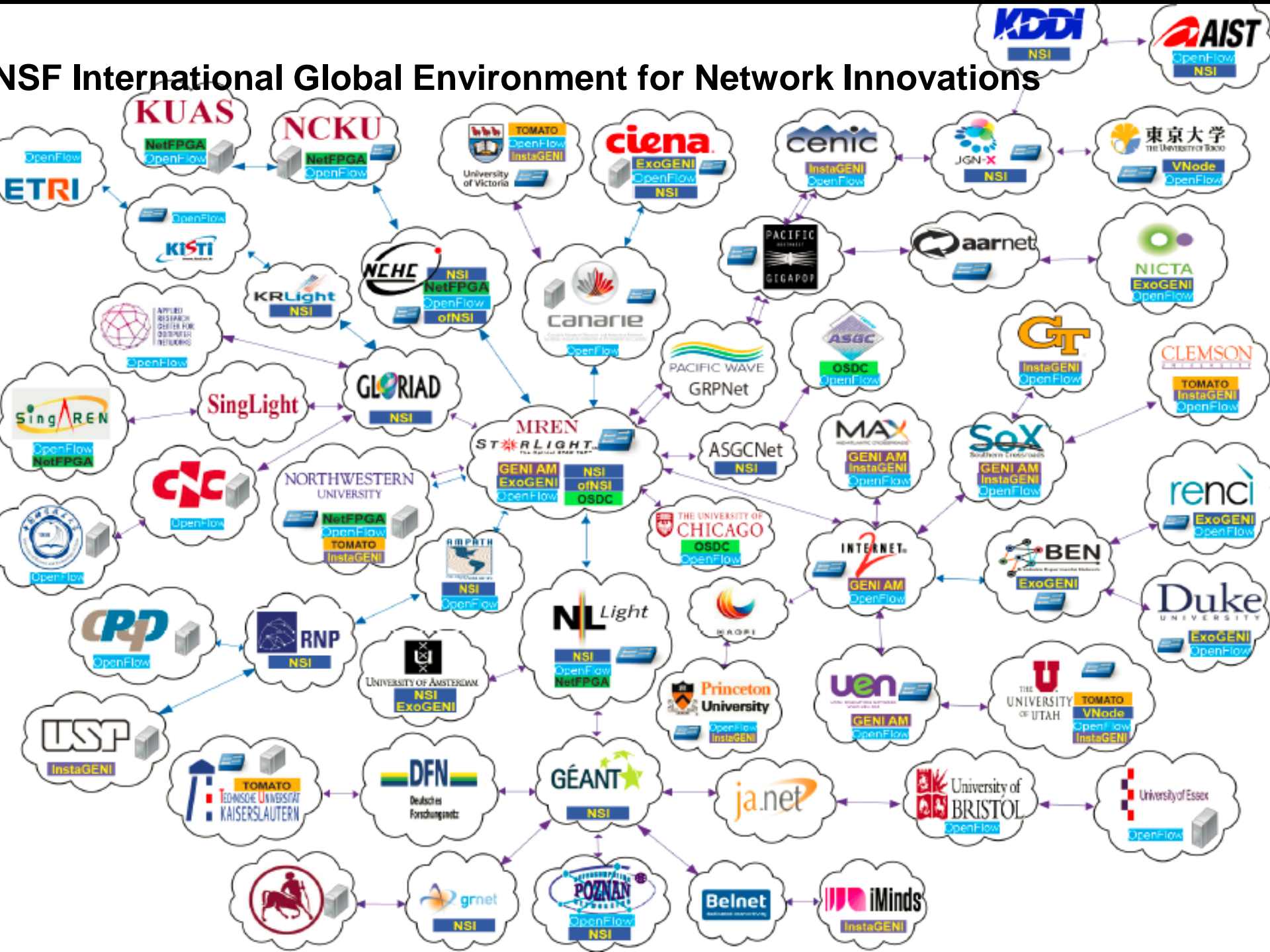
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# International Federated Testbeds As Instruments for Computer Science/Network Science

- **The StarLight Communications Exchange Facility Supports ~ 25 Network Research Testbeds (Instruments For Computer Science/Networking Research)**
- **StarLight Supports Two Software Defined Exchanges (SDXs), An NSF IRNC SDX & A Network Research GENI SDX (Global Environment for Network Innovations)**
- **The GENI SDX Supports National and International Federated Testbeds**



# NSF International Global Environment for Network Innovations





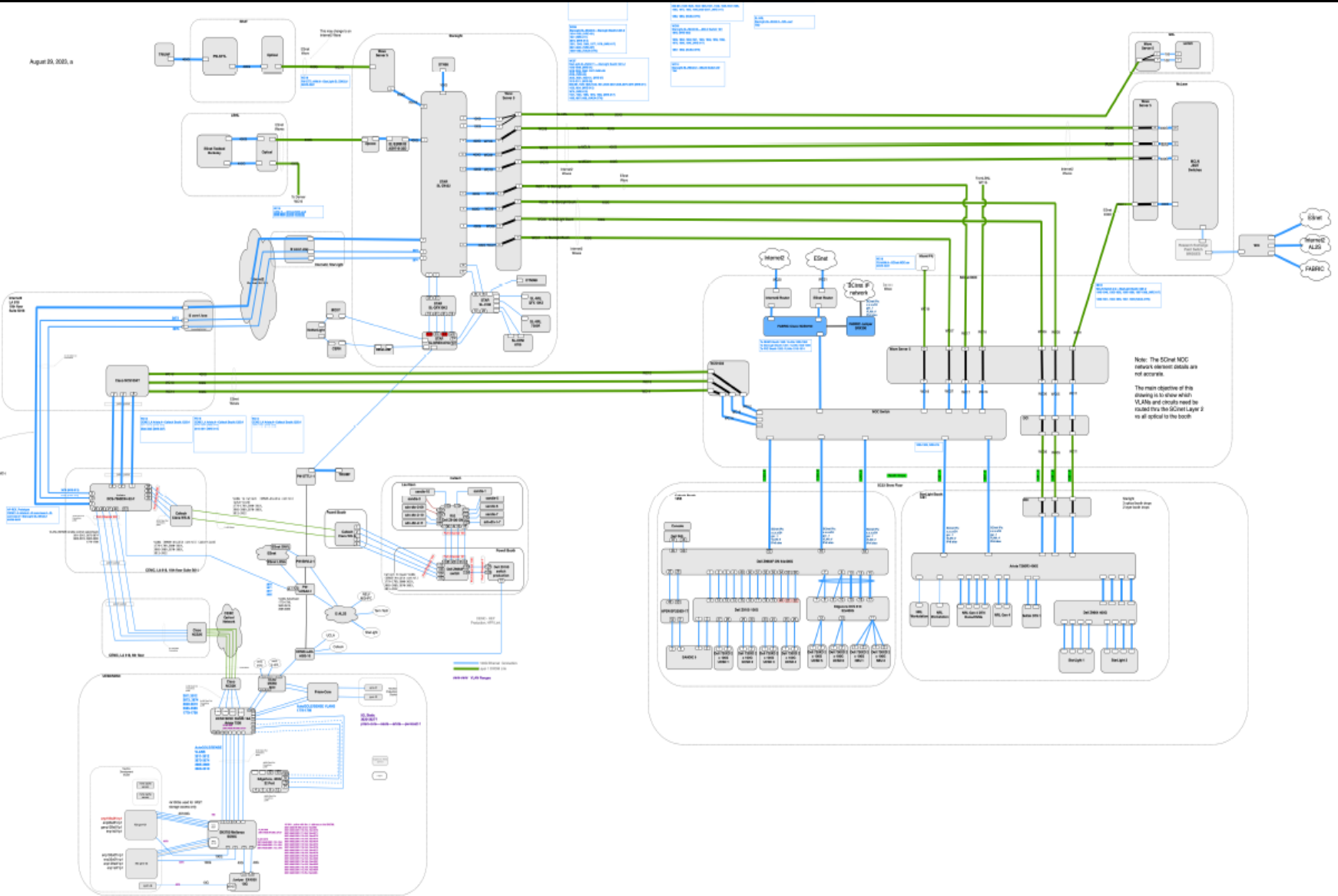
# SCinet National WAN Testbed

- **As In Previous Years, iCAIR Supports SCinet In Designing and Implementing a National WAN Testbed**
- **A Key Focus Is 400, 800, and 1.2 Tbps Path Services and Interconnections, Including Direct Connections To Edge Nodes, Primarily High Performance DTNs**
- **The SC23 National WAN Testbed Is Being Designed and Implemented To Support Demonstrations and Experiments Of Innovations Related To Data Intensive Science**

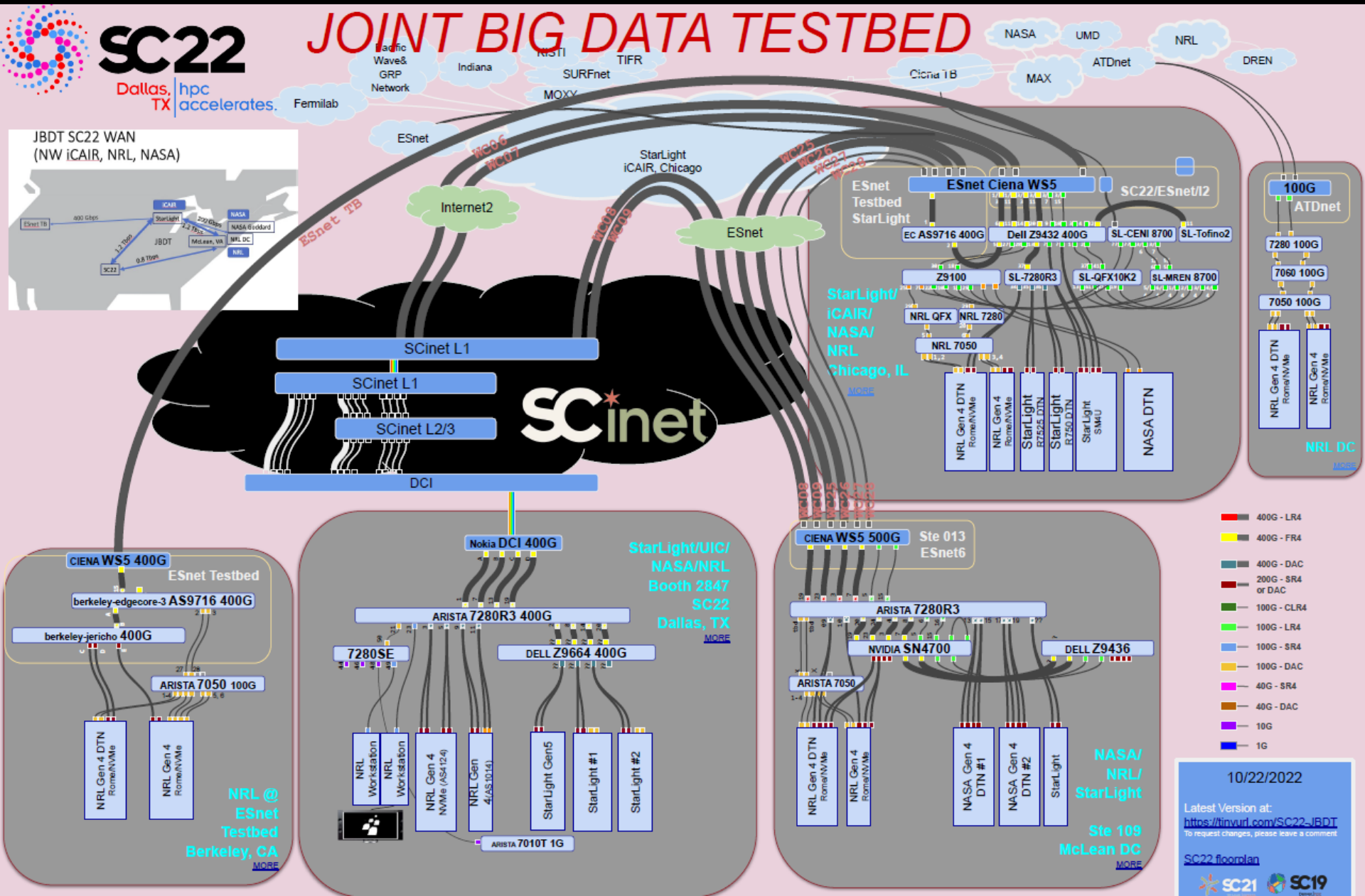


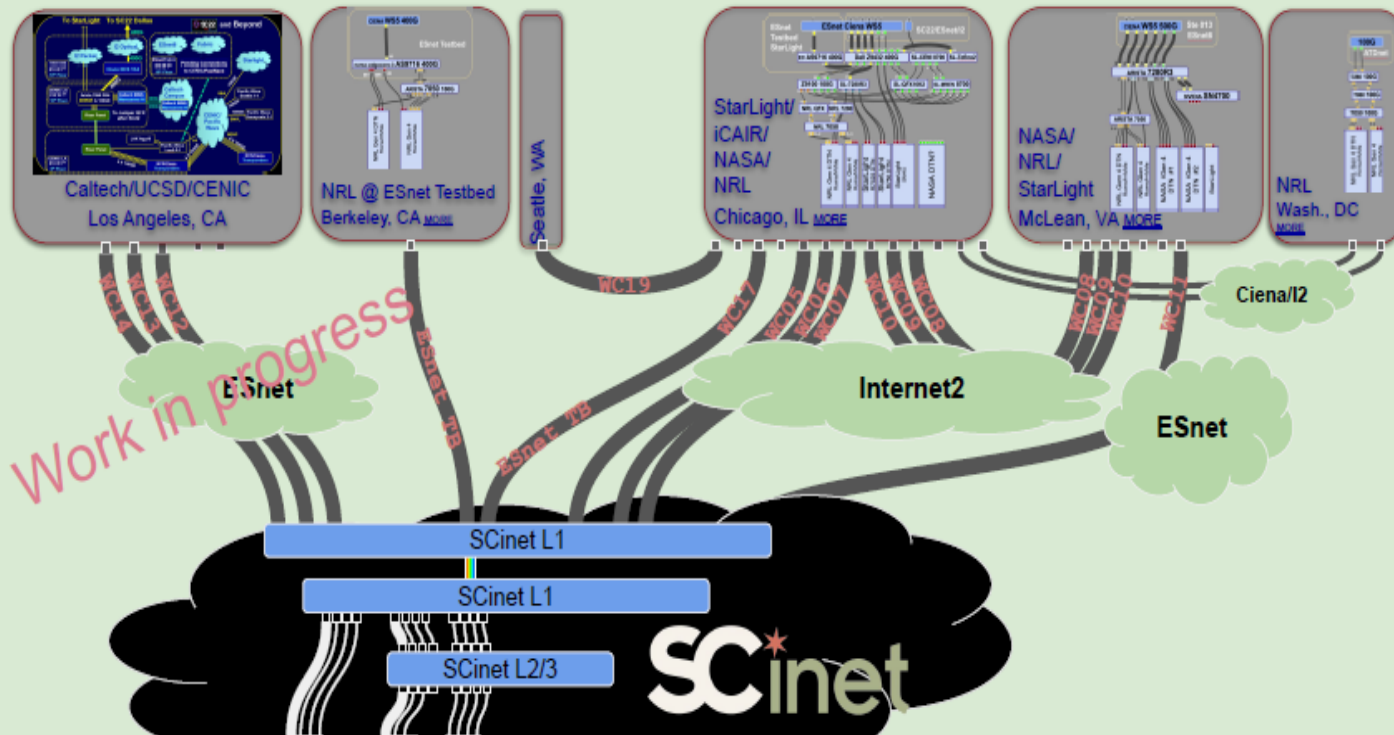


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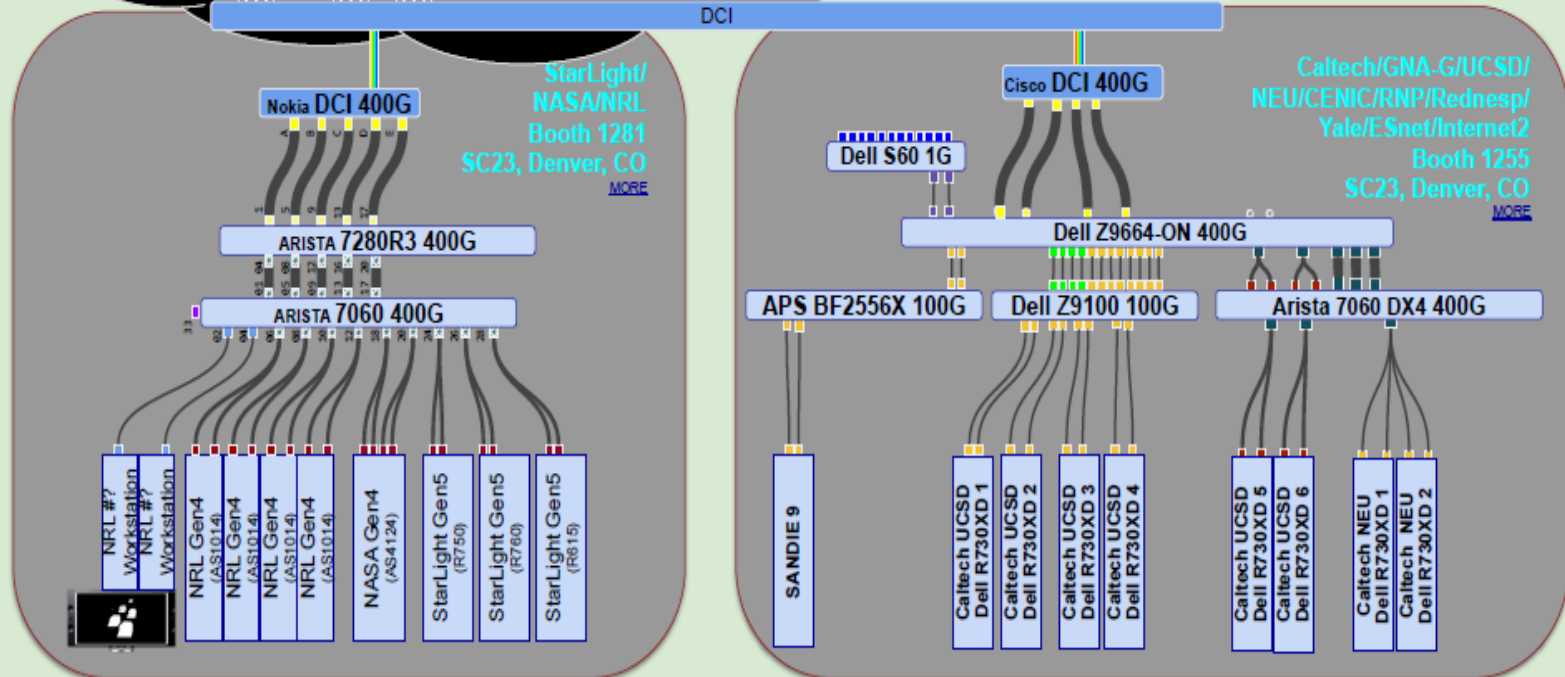
# Persistent Communication Services For Petascale Sciences: Demonstrations At IEEE/ACM Supercomputing Conference – SC22, Dallas Texas





Work in progress

**JOINT  
BIG  
DATA  
TESTBED**



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SC23 floorplan

SC22

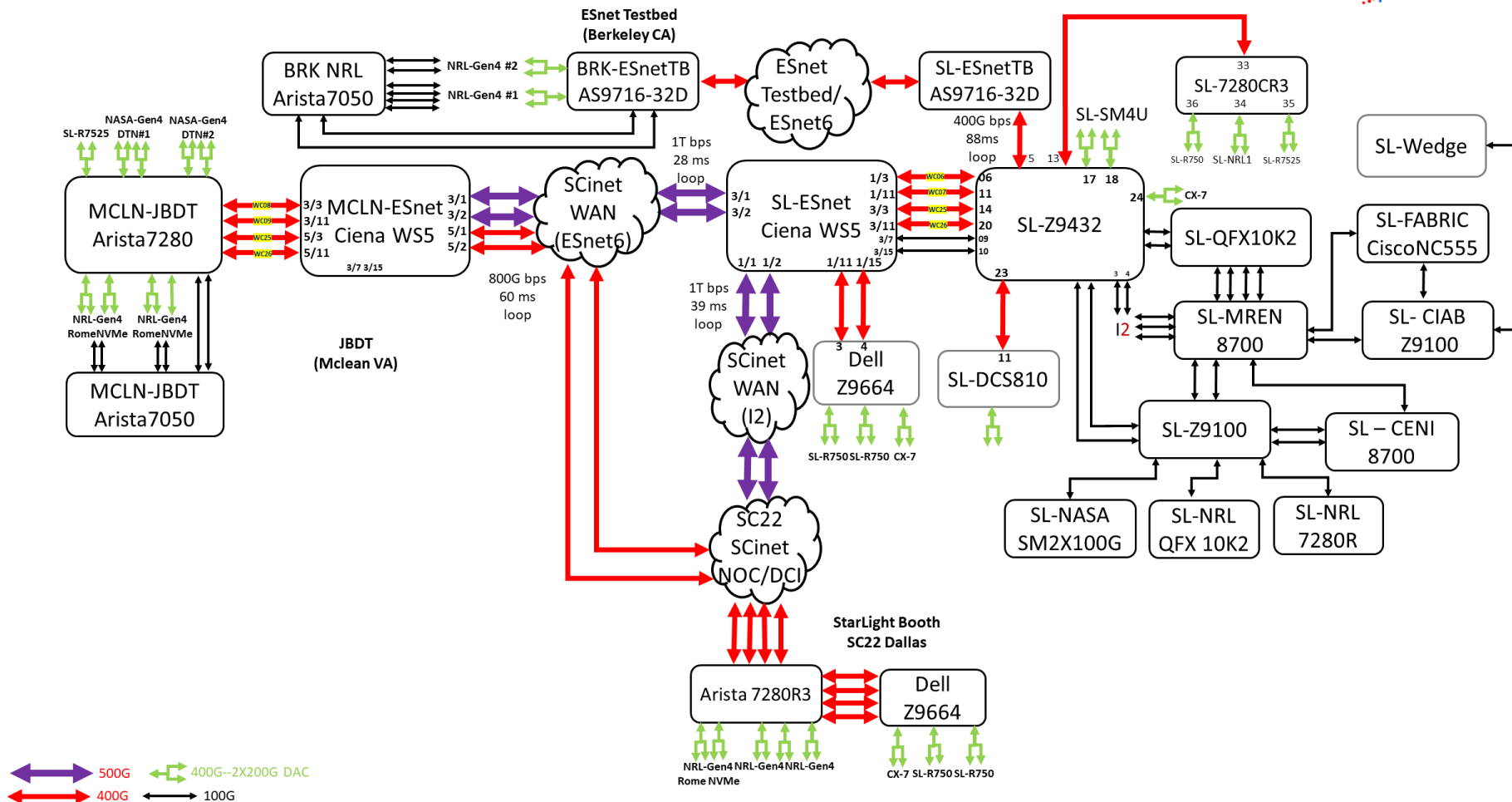
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# SC22 SCinet WAN Testbed

1T/800G/400G WAN Testbed by ESnet Testbed-I2-SCinet-StarLight-JBDT 11/14/2022

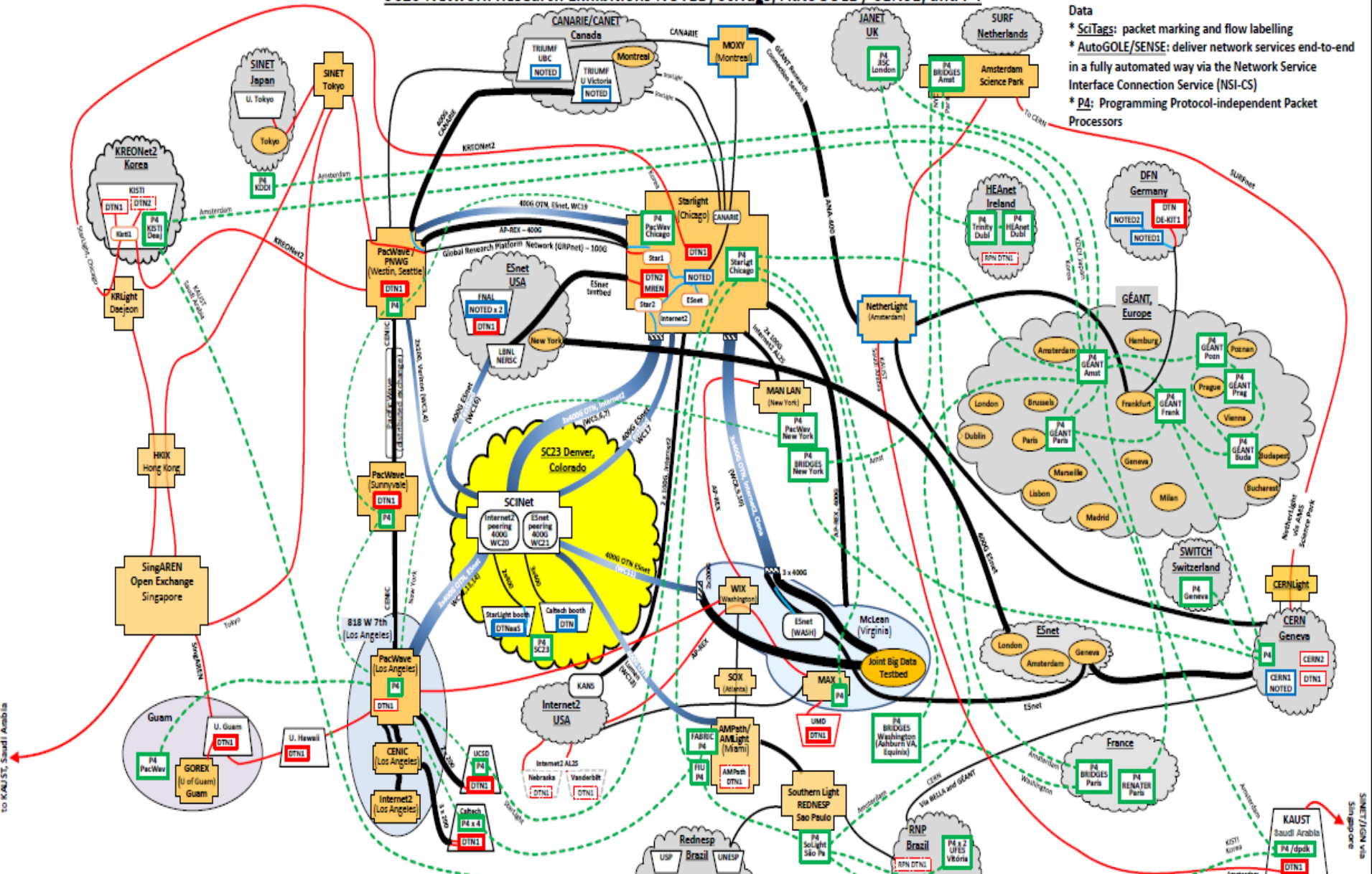


# **Example SC22 SCinet Network Research Exhibitions**

- **Global Research Platform (GRP)**
- **SDX 1.2 Tbps WAN Services**
- **SDX E2E 400 Gbps WAN Services**
- **400 Gbps DTNs & Smart NICs**
- **Network Optimized Transport for Experimental Data (NOTED) – With AI/ML Driven WAN Network Orchestration**
- **SDX International Testbed Integration**
- **StarLight SDX for Petascale Science**
- **DTN-as-a-Service For Data Intensive Science**
- **P4 Integration With Kubernetes**
- **PetaTrans Services Based on NVMe-Over-Fabric**
- **NASA Goddard Space Flight Center HP WAN Transport Services**
- **Resilient Distributed Processing & Rapid Data Transfer**
- **PRP/NRP Demonstrations**
- **Open Science Grid Demonstrations**
- **N-DISE Named Data Networking for Data Intensive Science**
- **Orchestration With Packet Marking (SciTags)**
- **Smart Amplified Group Environment Enhanced with Artificial Intelligence for Global Collaboration (SAGE3)**
- **JANUS Container Orchestration**

# SC23 Network Research Exhibitions NOTED, SciTags, AutoGOLE / SENSE, and P4

\* **NOTED**: Network-Optimized Transfer of Experiment Data  
 \* **SciTags**: packet marking and flow labelling  
 \* **AutoGOLE/SENSE**: deliver network services end-to-end in a fully automated way via the Network Service Interface Connection Service (NSI-CS)  
 \* **P4**: Programming Protocol-independent Packet Processors



SC23 NRE map v. 9 - WJelohnston, Esetnet, [wej@es.net](mailto:wej@es.net)

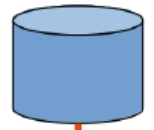
<b>NOTED</b>	SC23 NOTED infrastructure is in blue	<b>GENE</b>	Pattern filled rectangles are DTNs or other computing/storage elements	<b>McLean</b>	Carrier hotels, etc	<b>BR</b>	Cloud bubbles are mostly regional/national networks
<b>AG/SENSE</b>	AutoGOLE / SENSE infrastructure is in red	<b>Paris</b>	Ovals are points of presence in regional infrastructure	<b>100G</b>		<b>200G</b>	
<b>P4</b>	P4 infrastructure is in green	<b>Esetnet</b>	Rounded rectangles are individual switch/router	<b>400G</b>		<b>800G</b>	
<b>general</b>	Shared or general infrastructure is in black	<b>Calltech</b>	Sites	<b>1 Td/s</b>		<b>SCINet managed</b>	
		<b>SOX</b>	Exchange points (external or internal to a site)				

- NOTES**
- 1) Within exchange points, etc. line width does not usually indicate bandwidth
  - 2) Map files (JPEG, PDF, and PPTX) are at <https://www.dropbox.com/sh/p2wcyjyubel7q/AAAMU5F09xvUzFospm3RzLzLz1d0>
  - 3) P4 connections are only topological and are not associated with particular network links

to KAUST, Saudi Arabia

SINET/GEN via Singapore





Rucio

FTS

NOTED at KIT

NOTED at CERN

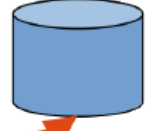
AutoGOLE SENSE



Data transfer



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FTS  
File Transfer Service

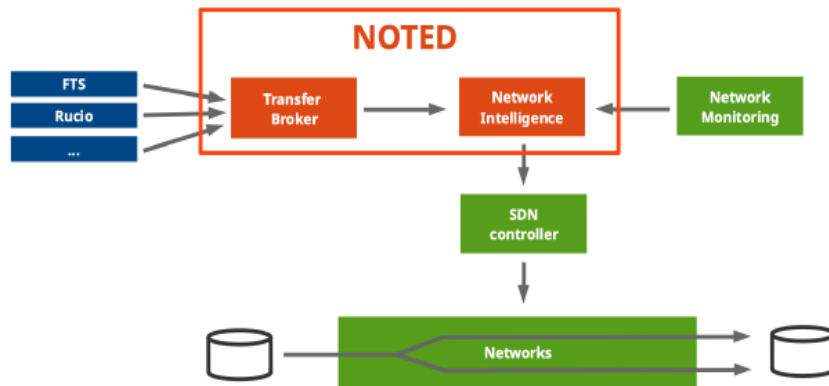


CRIC  
Computing Resource Information Catalog



elasticsearch

## SKELETON AND ELEMENTS OF NOTED



FTS (File Transfer Service):

- ▶ Inspect and analyse data transfers to estimate if an action can be applied to optimise the network utilization → get on-going and queued transfers.

CRIC (Computing Resource Information Catalog):

- ▶ Enrichment to get an overview and knowledge of the network topology → get IPv4/IPv6 addresses, endpoints, rcsite and federation.

## FLOWCHART AND DATASET STRUCTURE

- Input parameters: configuration given by the user
  - In noted/config/config.yaml → define a list of {src\_rcsite, dst\_rcsite}, maximum and minimum throughput threshold, SENSE/AutoGOLE VLANs UUID and user-defined email notification among others.
- Enrich NOTED with the topology of the network:
  - Query CRIC database → get endpoints that could be involved in the data transfers for the given {src\_rcsite, dst\_rcsite} pairs.
- Analyse on-going and upcoming data transfers:
  - Query FTS recursively → get on-going data transfers for each set of source and destination endpoints.
  - The total utilization of the network is the sum of on-going and upcoming individual data transfers for each source and destination endpoints for the given {src\_rcsite, dst\_rcsite} pairs.
- Network decision:
  - If NOTED interprets that the link will be congested → provides a dynamic circuit via SENSE/AutoGOLE.
  - If NOTED interprets that the link will not be congested anymore → cancel the dynamic circuit and the traffic is routed back.

**DTN-UVIC-100g**



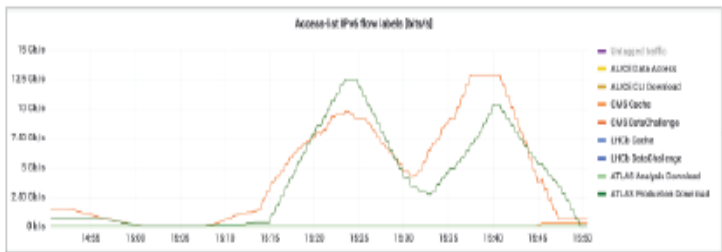
1. Clients requesting data transfers from/to DTN-SC22-400g while passing science domain and activity fields via transfer protocols.

**DTN-KIT-100g**



**canarie**

4. High performance tests using eBPF-TC filters to test encoding of the science domains and activity fields in the IPv6 flow label at scale.



3. P4 programmable switch at CERN collecting the science domains and activity bits encoded in the packets.

**CERN-LHCONE**

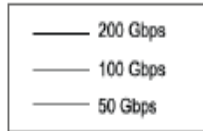
**P4 EdgeCore Wedge**

**CERN**

**DTN-CERN-100g**  
2.6GHz/32 cores  
SSD, 100Gbps



5. Sampling of the low level TCP/IP metrics, which can be used by sites and R&Es to better understand the scientific flows.



**DTN-SC22-400g**  
R7503 2.6 GHz  
NVMe 2.0  
2x200 Gbps

**XRootD**

**SC22 STARLIGHT™**  
Dallas, TX hpc accelerates.



2. XRootD storage responds to the client requests and marks the data transfer packets with the corresponding science domain and activity.

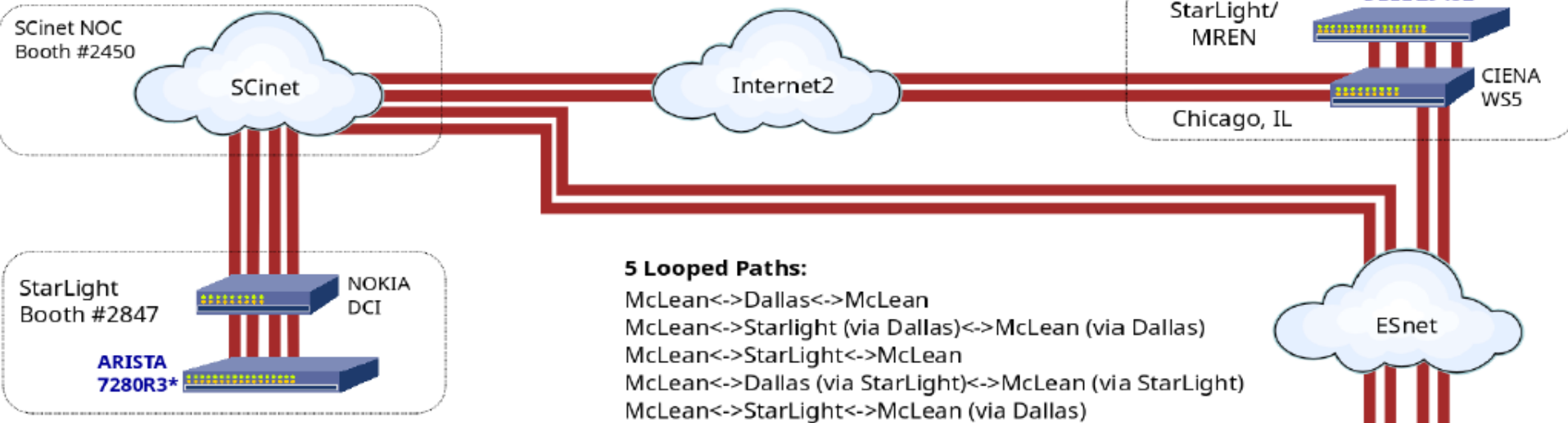


# SC22 Joint Big Data Testbed

## Demonstrations of 400 Gbps Disk-to-Disk WAN File Transfers using NVMe-oF/TCP

An SC22 Collaborative Initiative Among NASA and Several Partners

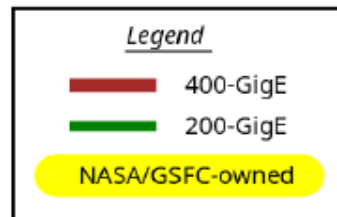
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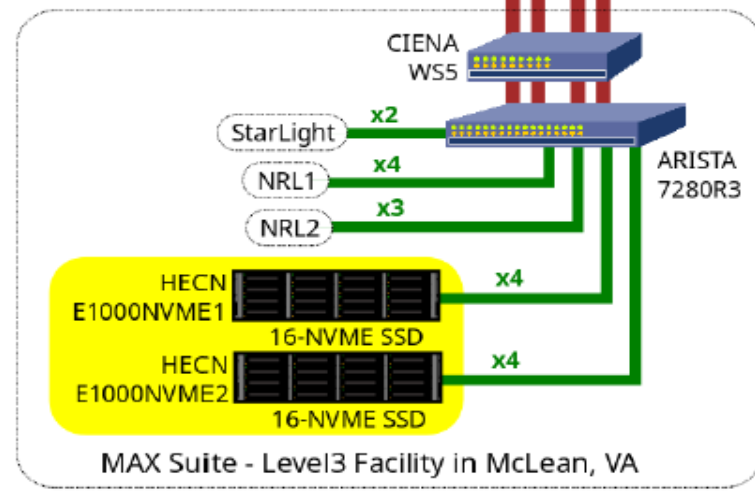
### 5 Looped Paths:

- McLean<->Dallas<->McLean
- McLean<->Starlight (via Dallas)<->McLean (via Dallas)
- McLean<->StarLight<->McLean
- McLean<->Dallas (via StarLight)<->McLean (via StarLight)
- McLean<->StarLight<->McLean (via Dallas)

### R&D Partners



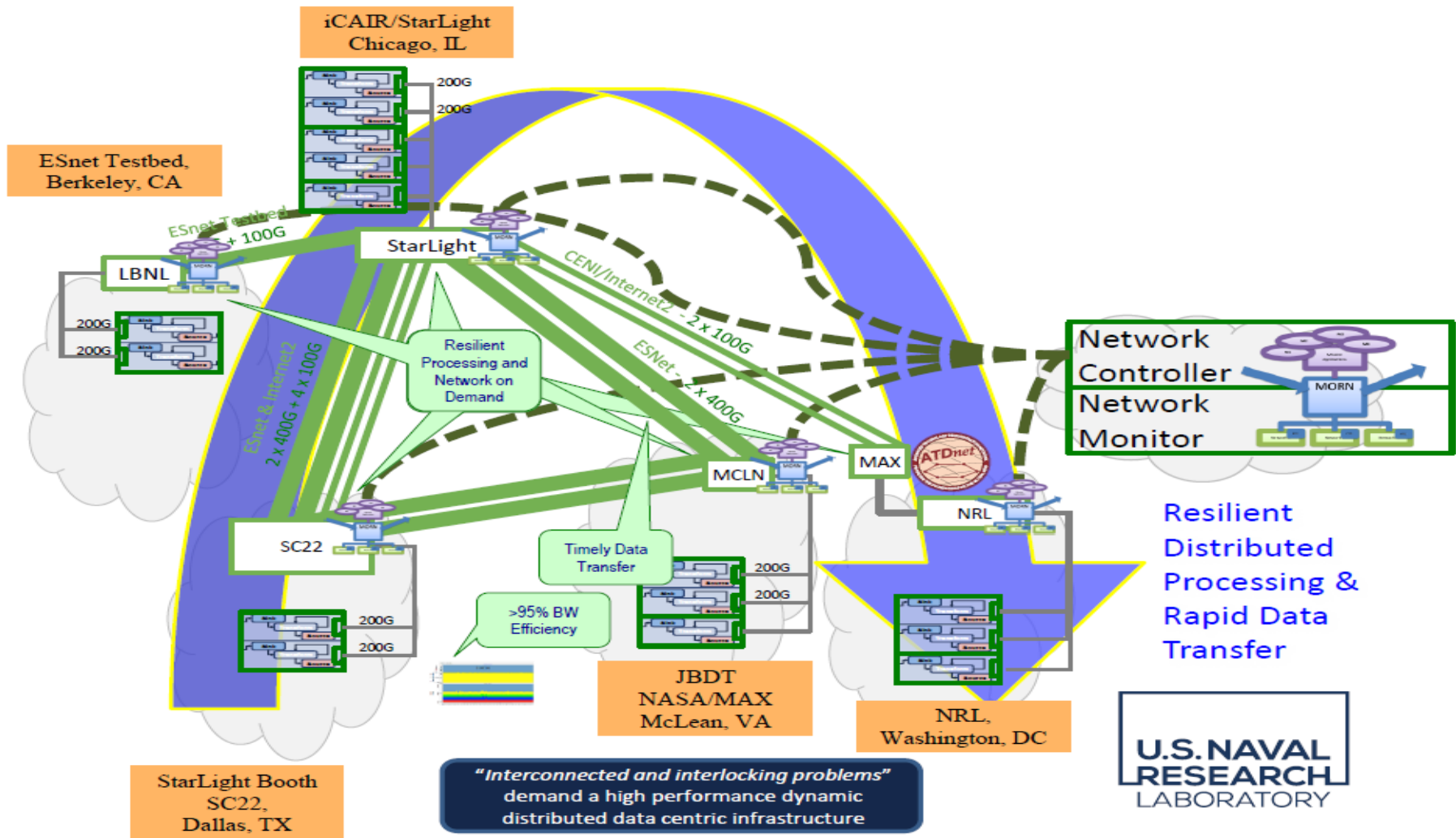
\*IP Routed Loopback Point  
Back To MAX Suite - Level3  
McLean, VA



In memory of Paul Lang and Pat Gary

NASA/GSFC High End Computer Networking (HECN) Team  
Diagram by Bill Fink - 10/20/2022

# Resilient Distributed Processing & Rapid Data Transfer

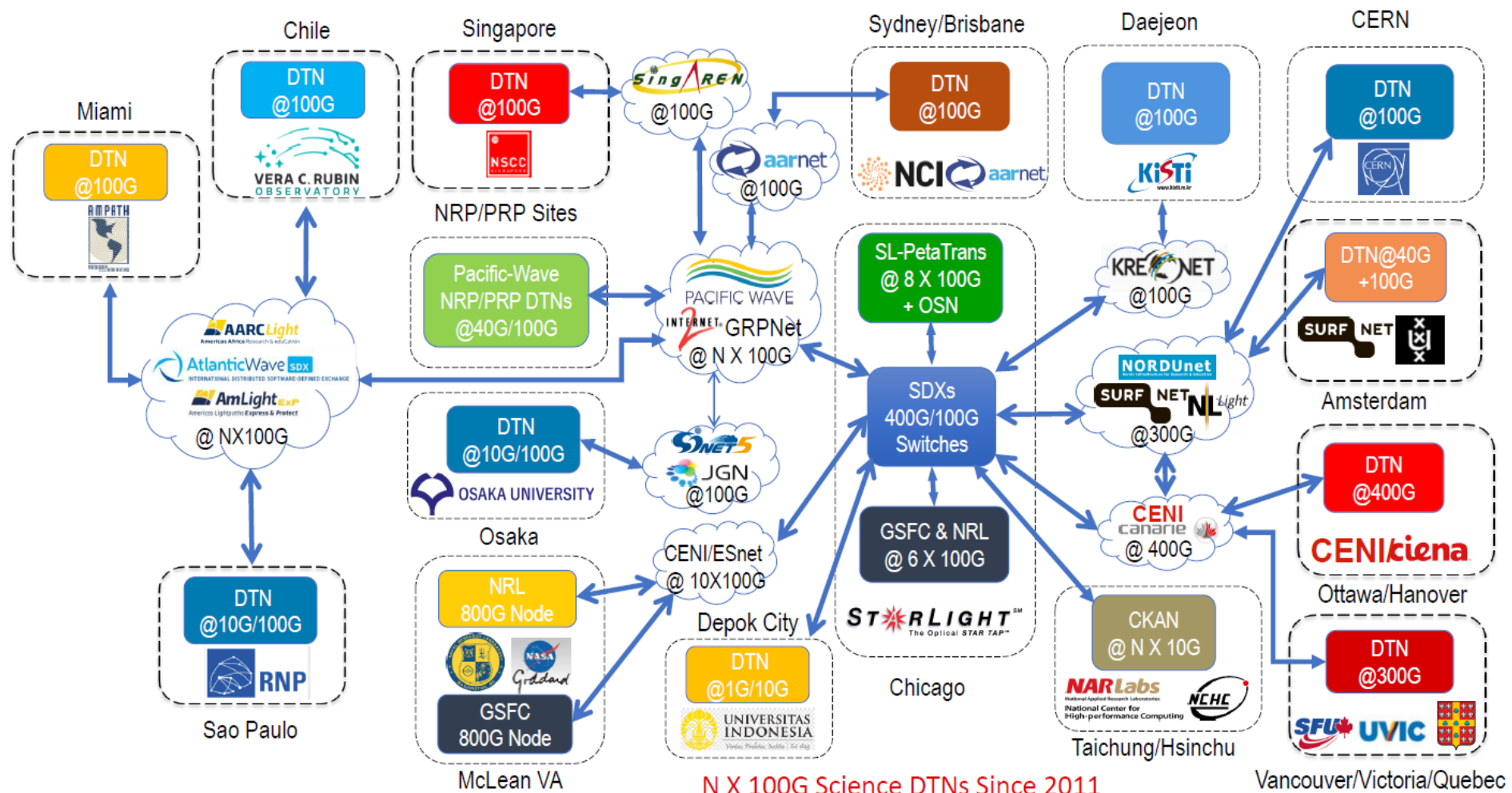


Resilient Distributed Processing & Rapid Data Transfer



# GRP DTNaaS For Petascale Science

## GRP Service: DTNaaS for Petascale Sciences Data Movement



N X 100G Science DTNs Since 2011

Vancouver/Victoria/Quebec



# DTN-as-a-Service – Demonstrated At SC22

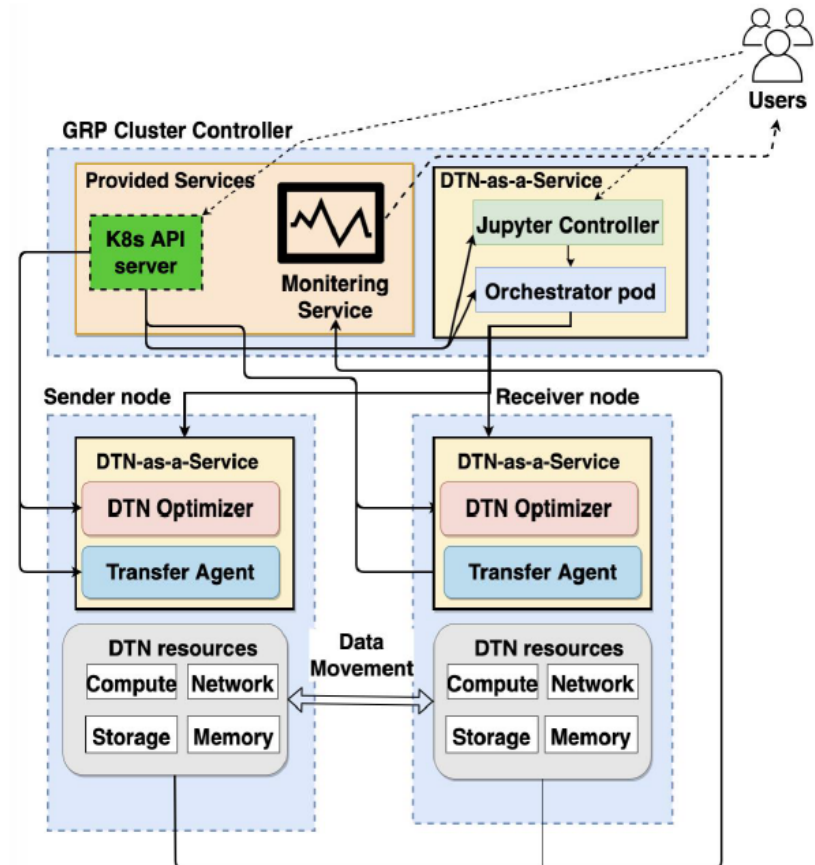
## GRP Cluster with DTN-as-a-Service

DTN-as-a-Service(DTNaaS) provides a data movement workflow in GRP k8s cluster:

1. Deploy DTNaaS workloads via k8s API server
2. Use Jupyter to optimize and run transfers
3. Observe performance from monitoring service

GRP DTNaaS Components:

- Orchestrator: controller of DTNaaS to manage agent and optimizer pods via REST API.
- Transfer Agent: run transfer jobs
- DTN Optimizer: optimize the DTN resources for workflow
- Jupyter: web interface to run DTNaaS interactively



# Janus Container Orchestration

## Overview

Janus is a container management framework with a focus on advanced networking configurations. Our approach minimizes external dependencies and provides tooling to support data mover tuning and lifecycle management. A goal of Janus is to provide a Data Transfer Node *as-a-Service* (DTNaaS) capability. Janus has also found use within the ESnet Advanced Network Testbed and enables the ESnet in-network Data Caching pilots.

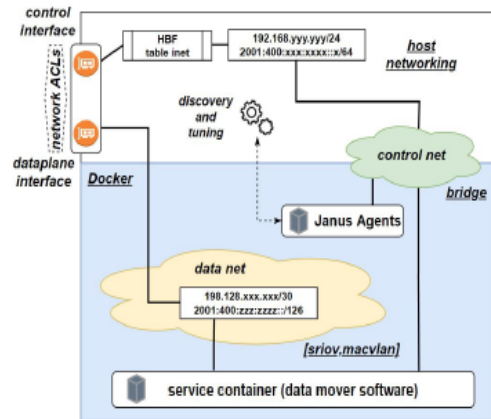
## Networking

Janus manages a Data Transfer Node's container networking attachments

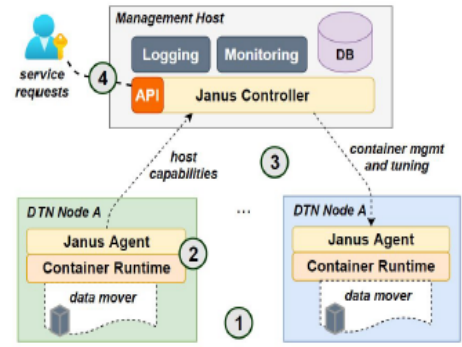
- Multi-homing of control and data networks
- Dual-stack configurations (IPv4/IPv6)
- Selection of container networks (host, macvlan, sriov, ...)

Janus service profiles provide external network configuration hooks

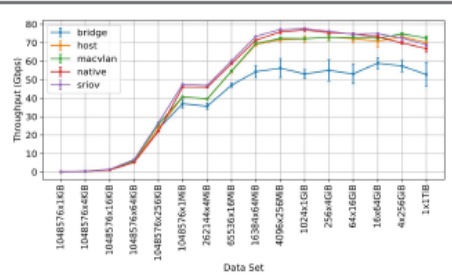
- Ansible playbooks
- Host-based QoS



## Architecture



- 1) Data mover software in managed containers
- 2) Container network and storage optimization
- 3) Host discovery and tuning
- 4) Lightweight service orchestration through APIs



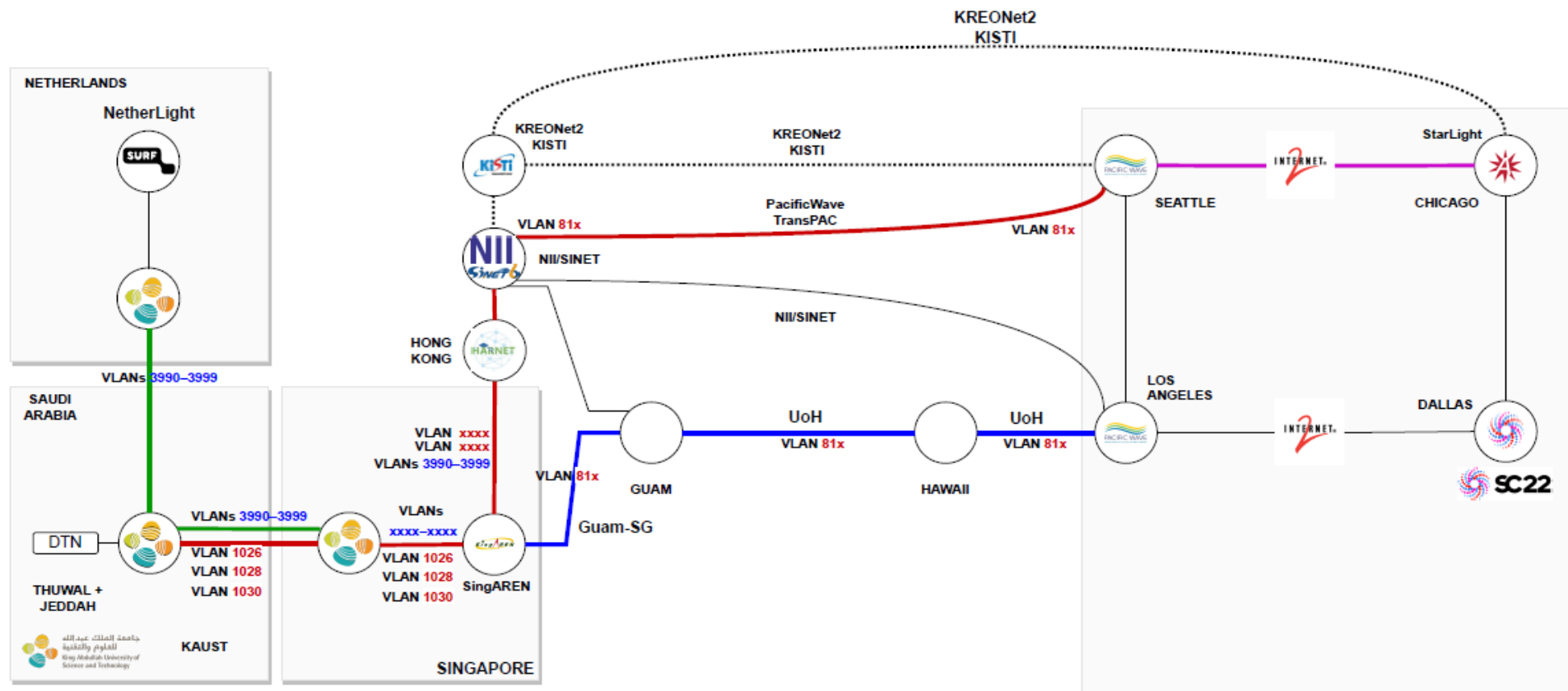
Comparing performance of various container networks, disk-to-disk on 100G network

data mover: EScp  
<https://github.com/esnet/EScp>

Thank you to Md Arifuzzaman and Charles Shiftlett for their many contributions.

Contact: Ezra Kissel  
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**KAUST-US NEW PERMANENT CIRCUITS (PNWGP Proposal: use VLANs 811, 812, 813)**

- 1) StarLight (VLAN 81x - TBD)  
Amsterdam > Jeddah > Singapore > Daejeon > Chicago  
NetherLight > KAUST > SingAREN > NICT/INSCC > KREONet2/KISTI > STARLIGHT
- 2) PNWGP / TransPAC (VLAN 81x - TBD)  
Amsterdam > Jeddah > Singapore > Tokyo > Seattle  
NetherLight > KAUST > SingAREN > TransPAC/PacWave
- 3) CENIC (VLAN 81x - TBD)  
Amsterdam > Jeddah > Singapore > Guam > Hawaii > Los Angeles  
NetherLight > KAUST > SingAREN > Guam-SG > UoH > Pacific Wave

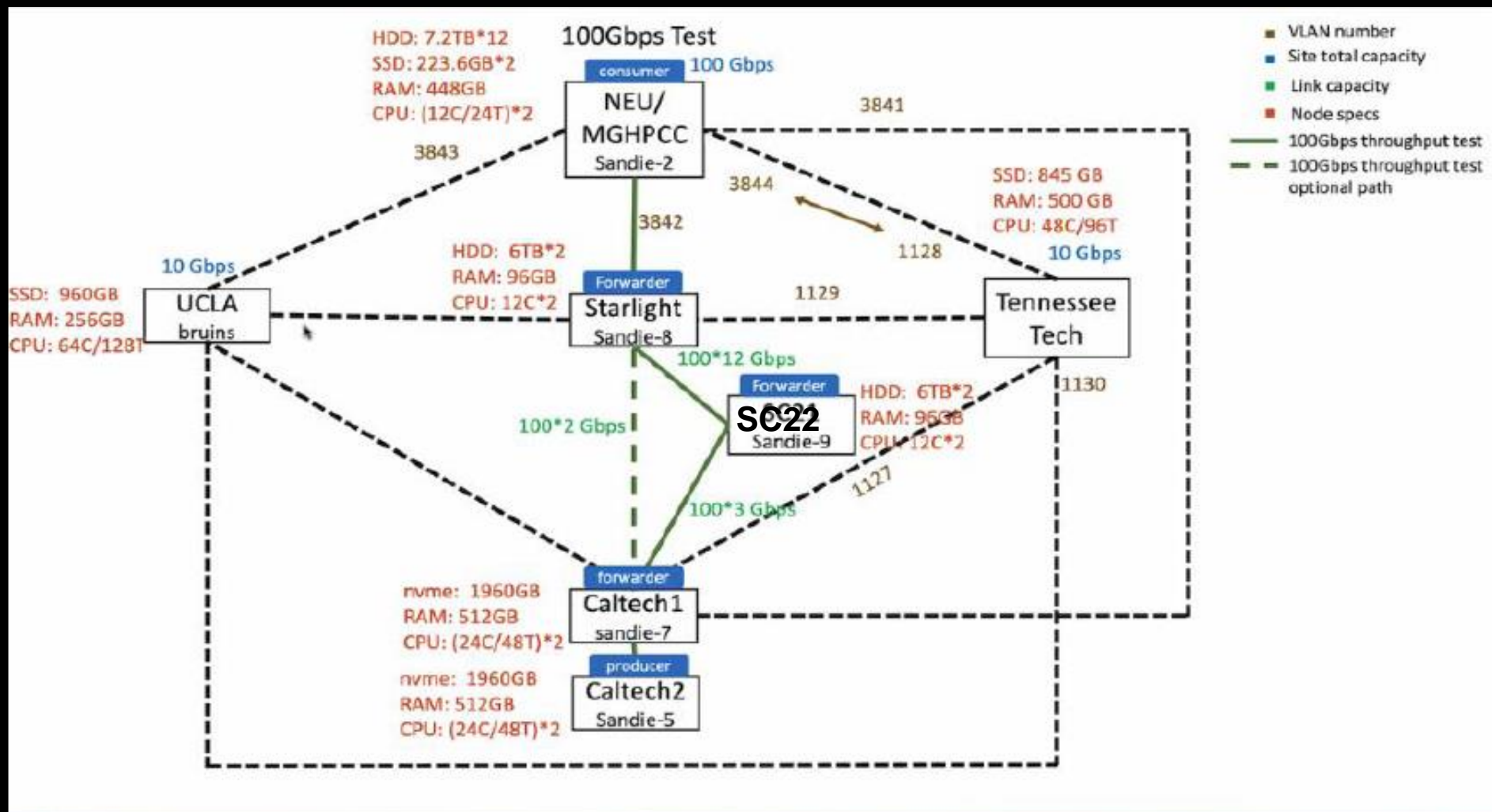
KAUST has deployed 3 circuits - VLANs 1026, 1028, and 1030 - to peer with PacificWave/Cenic, StarLight and SC22

The range 3990-3999 is also available between KAUST Routers in NetherLight PoP and in SingAREN PoP. The AutoGOLE / SENSE can be used to stitch circuits to each end in NetherLight and in SingAREN, and pass traffic through between Europe and Singapore.

Mike: -> I'm responsible specifically for the path between 'Tokyo > Seattle', our suggestion is to use the following VLANs for the permanent VLAN assignments: 811, 812, 813. I can configure the Tokyo side of device interfaces facing NII/SINET & TransPAC towards Seattle. Please contact StarLight NOC for the circuit 1, and CENIC NOC for circuit 3

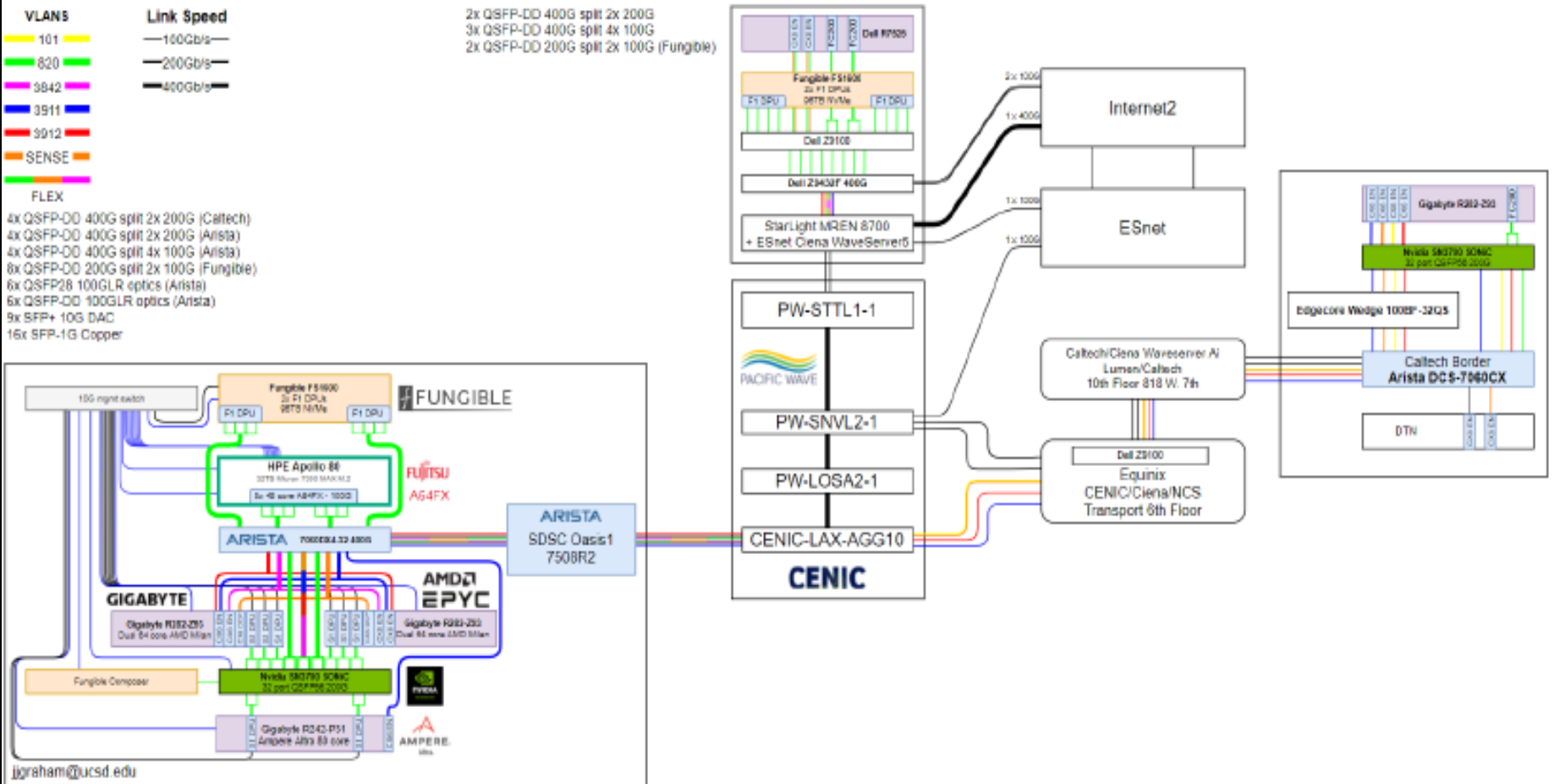


# Named Data Networking (NDN) for Data Intensive Science Experiments (N-DISE)



# Open Science Grid SD Distributed Storage

## OSG Distributed Software Defined Storage Over 1.2 Tbps WAN With NVMe/TCP Storage Cluster and DPUs

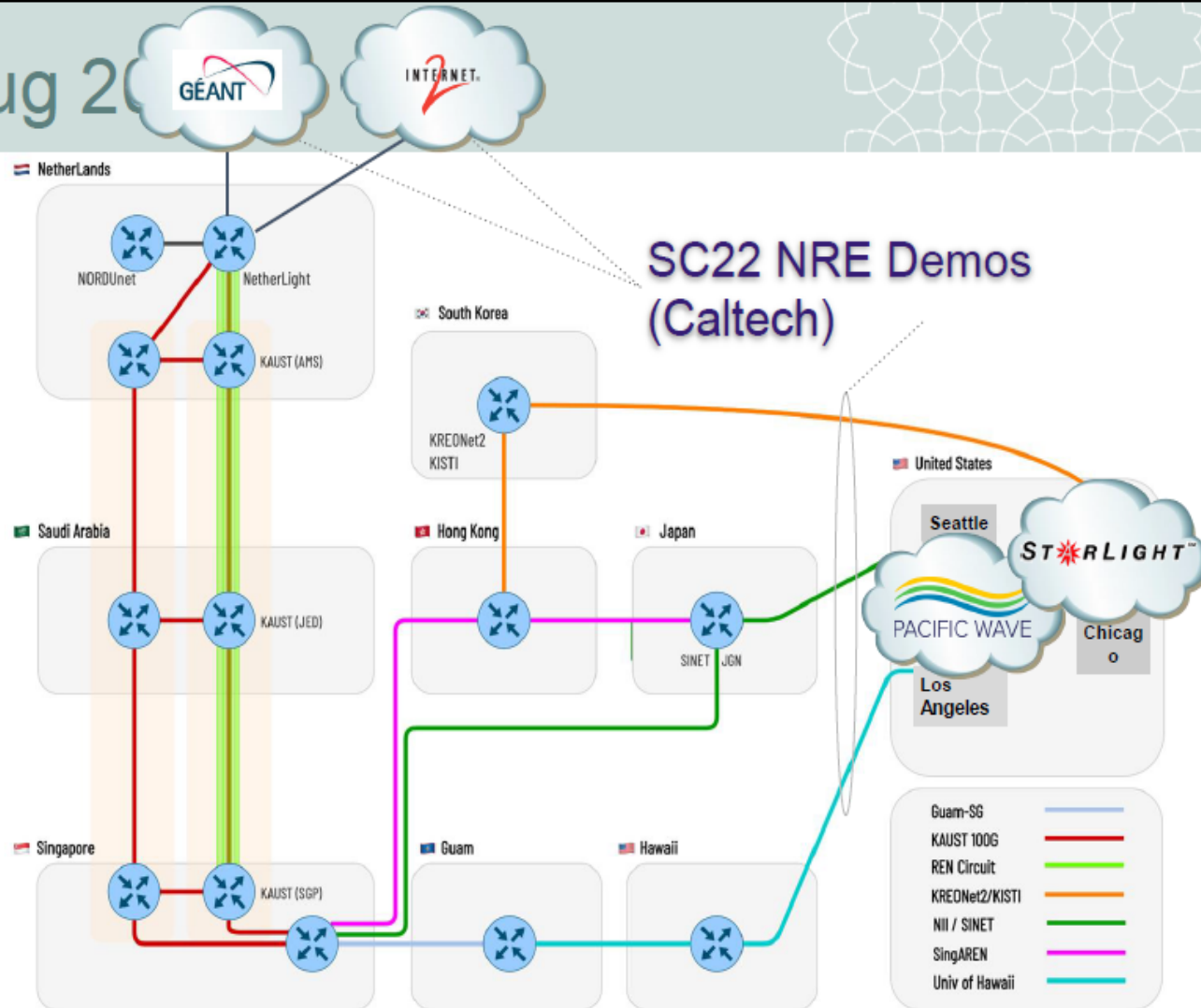


Source: John Graham

STARLIGHT<sup>SM</sup>

# AER Update - Aug 2010

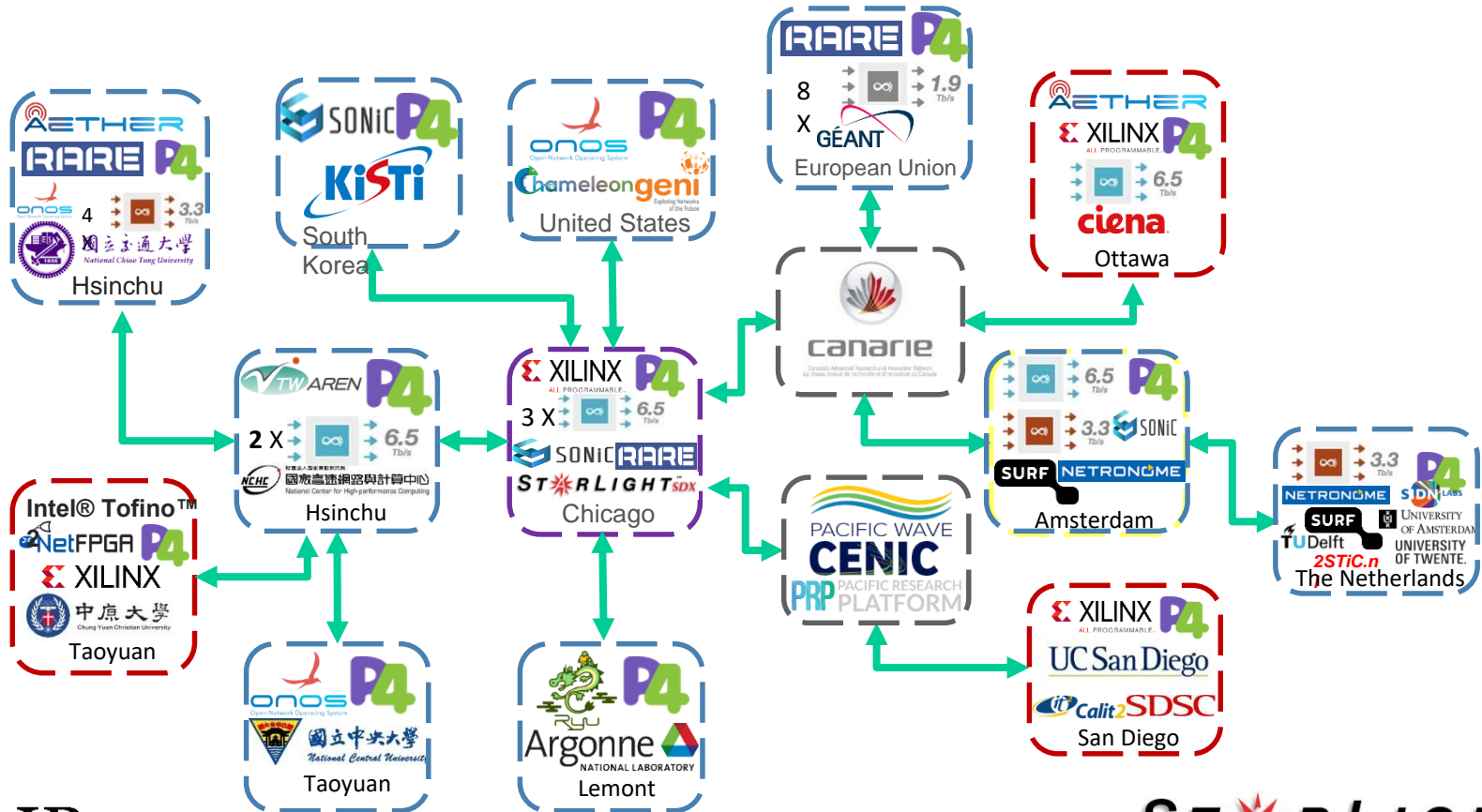
- Since the AER MoU, KAUST is coordinating with REN partners deployment of sharing spare capacity
- KAUST is supporting the following partners by offering point-to-point circuits for submarine cable backup paths:
  - AARnet
  - GÉANT
  - NetherLight
  - NII/SINET
  - SingAREN
- The [SC22 NRE Demonstrations](#) will also be supported by KAUST closing the ring from Amsterdam to Singapore and back to the US
  - SC22 NRE





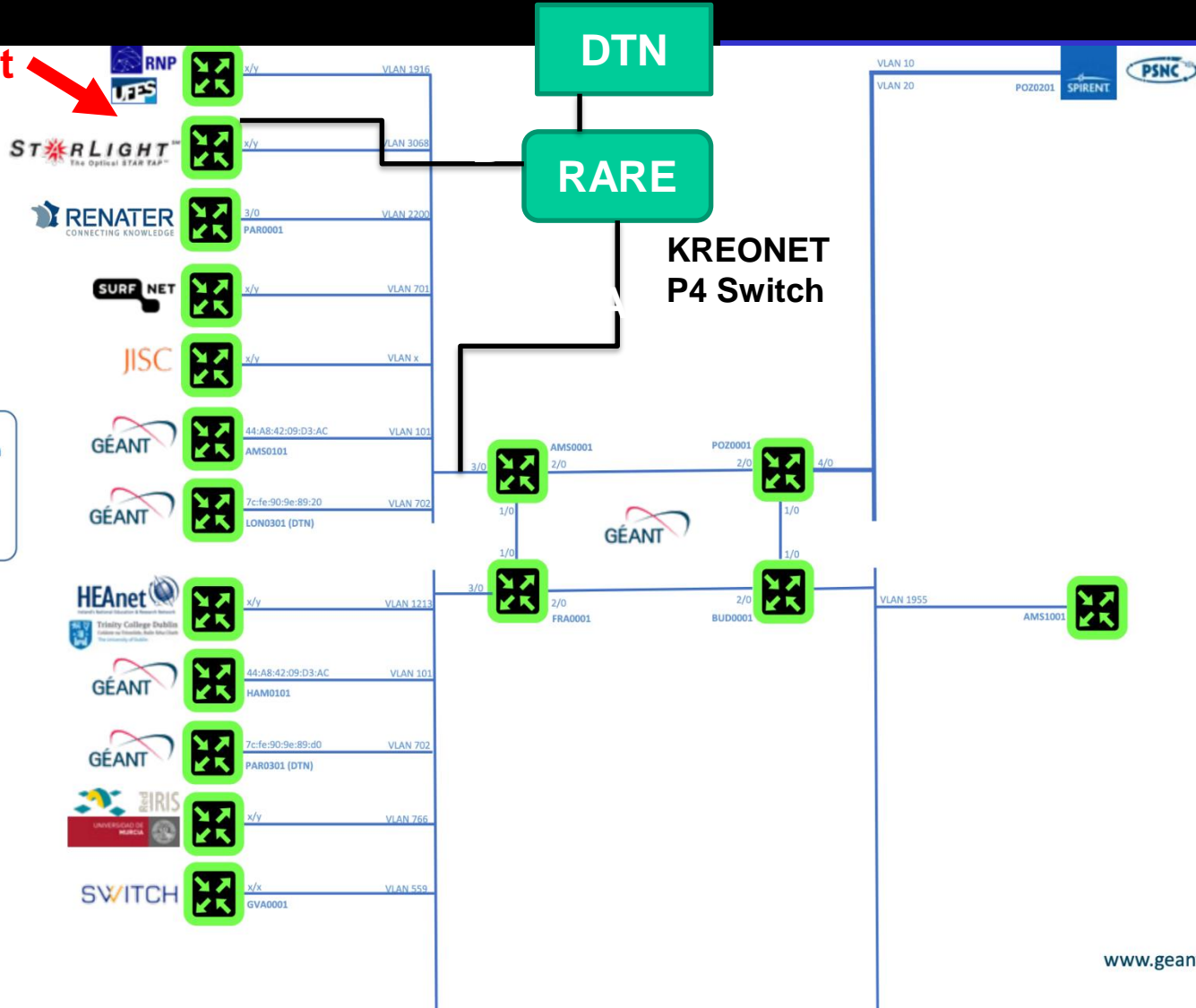
# International P4 Testbed Showcase at SC22

## GRP Service: International P4 Experimental Networks (iP4EN)



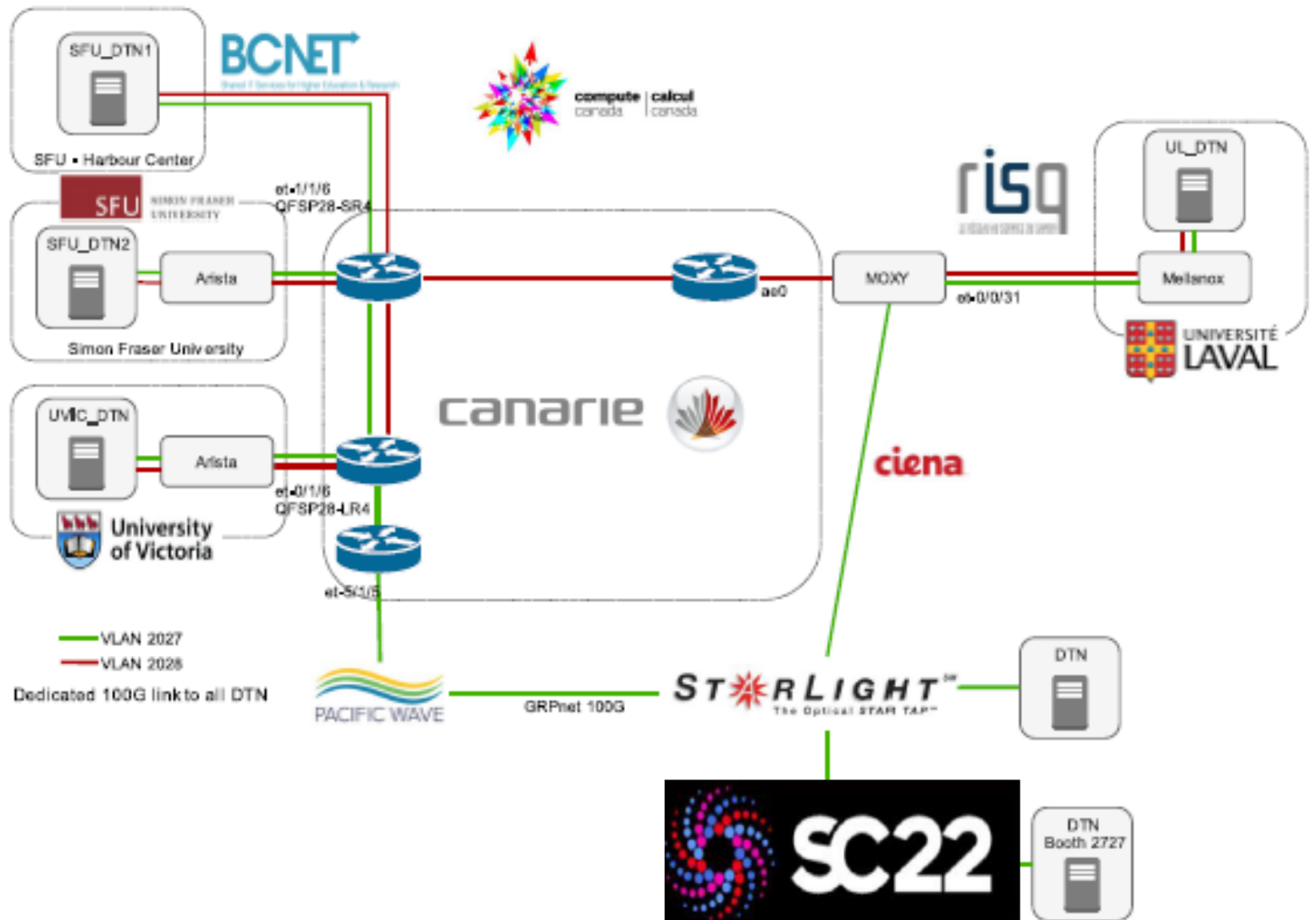
# Integration With GEANT P4 Testbed

StarLight



# Digital Alliance Demonstrations Of Data Intensive Science WAN Transport

10 X 100G Science DTNs Since 2011







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## CHAMELEON: A LARGE SCALE, RECONFIGURABLE EXPERIMENTAL INSTRUMENT FOR COMPUTER SCIENCE

**Kate Keahey**

**Joe Mambretti, Pierre Riteau, Paul Ruth, Dan Stanzione**

SEPTEMBER 28, 2017

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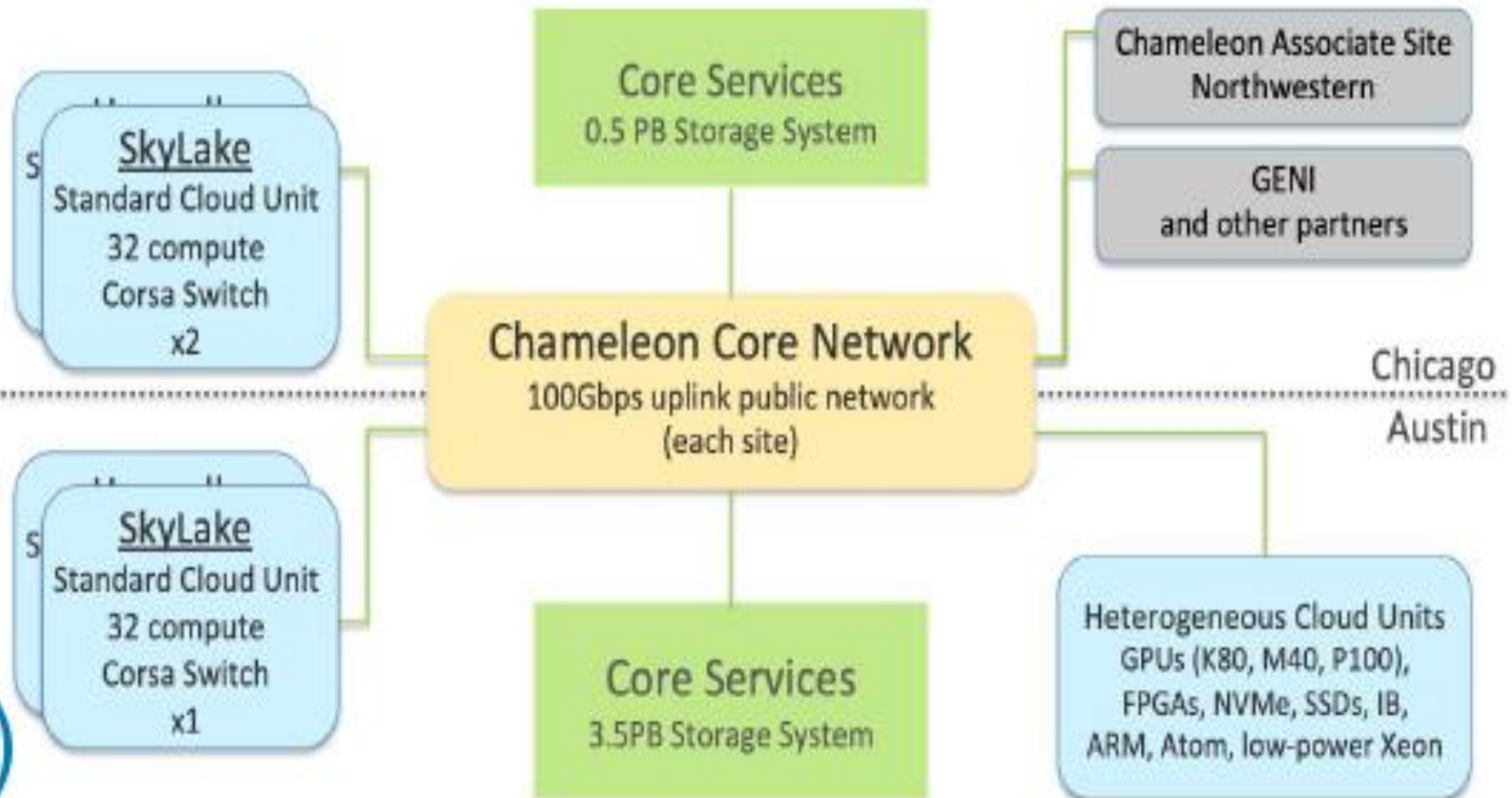


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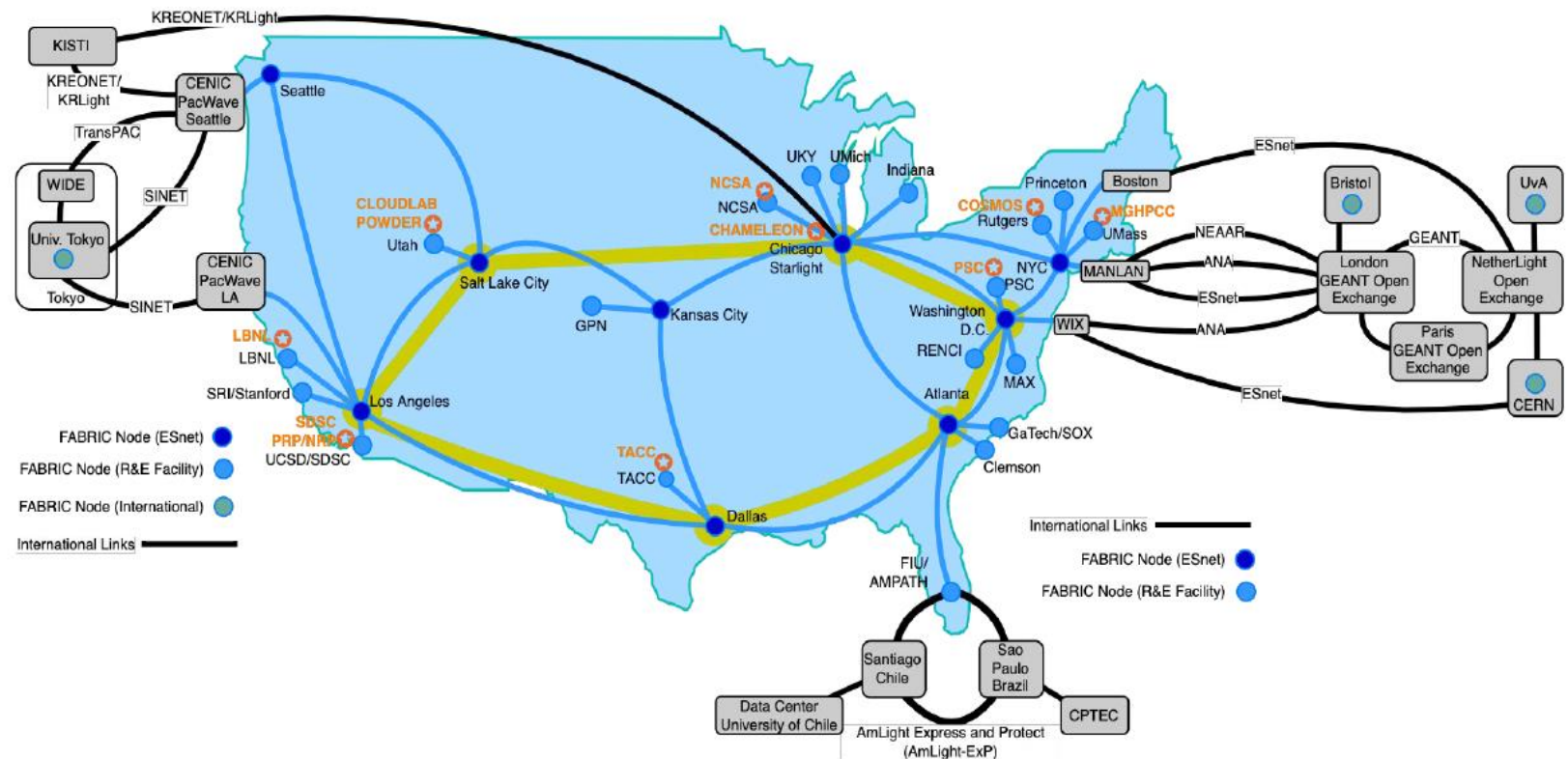
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# Chameleon CHI In A Box(CIAB) at StarLight



# FABRIC Testbed (+FAB)



FABRIC Topology - with FAB Sites



# Chameleon & FABRIC

- **Currently, Two NSF Testbeds Are Investigating Methods For Optimizing Cross Platform Research: Chameleon, A Large-Scale, Deeply Reconfigurable Experimental Platform for Computer Sciences Systems Research, and FABRIC, Which Enables Edge And Exploratory Research At-Scale in Networking, Cybersecurity, Distributed Computing And Storage Systems, Machine Learning, and Science Applications.**
- **These Projects Plan Demonstrations At SC23**
- **Demonstrations Will Use Jupyter Notebooks (Which Can Be Shared By Publishing via Trovi) to Integrate Chameleon and FABRIC Resources.**
- **One Demonstration Will Implement An L2 Stitched Network Between Chameleon and FABRIC That Can Be Used With Slices Deployed With a Jupyter Notebook**

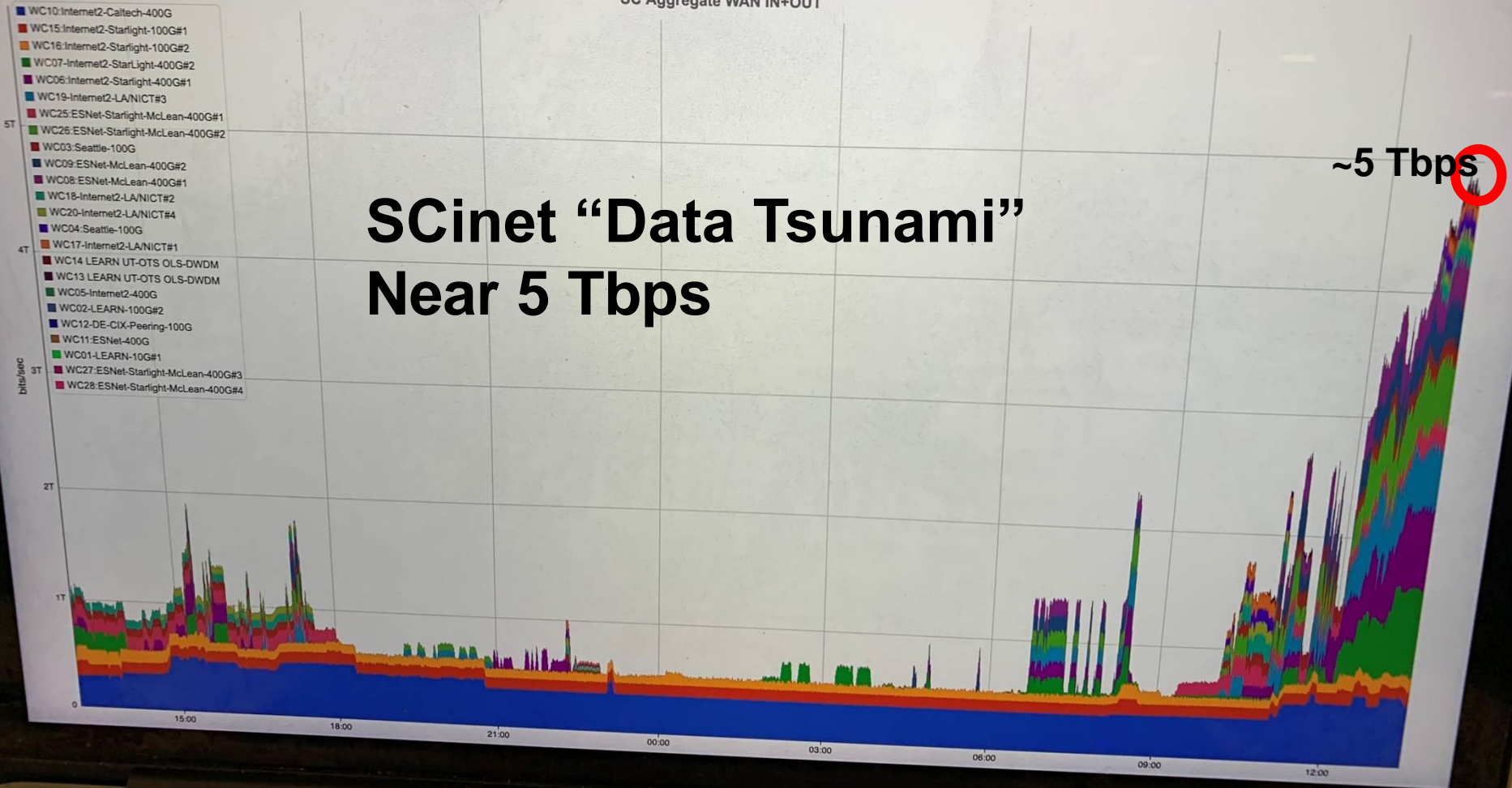


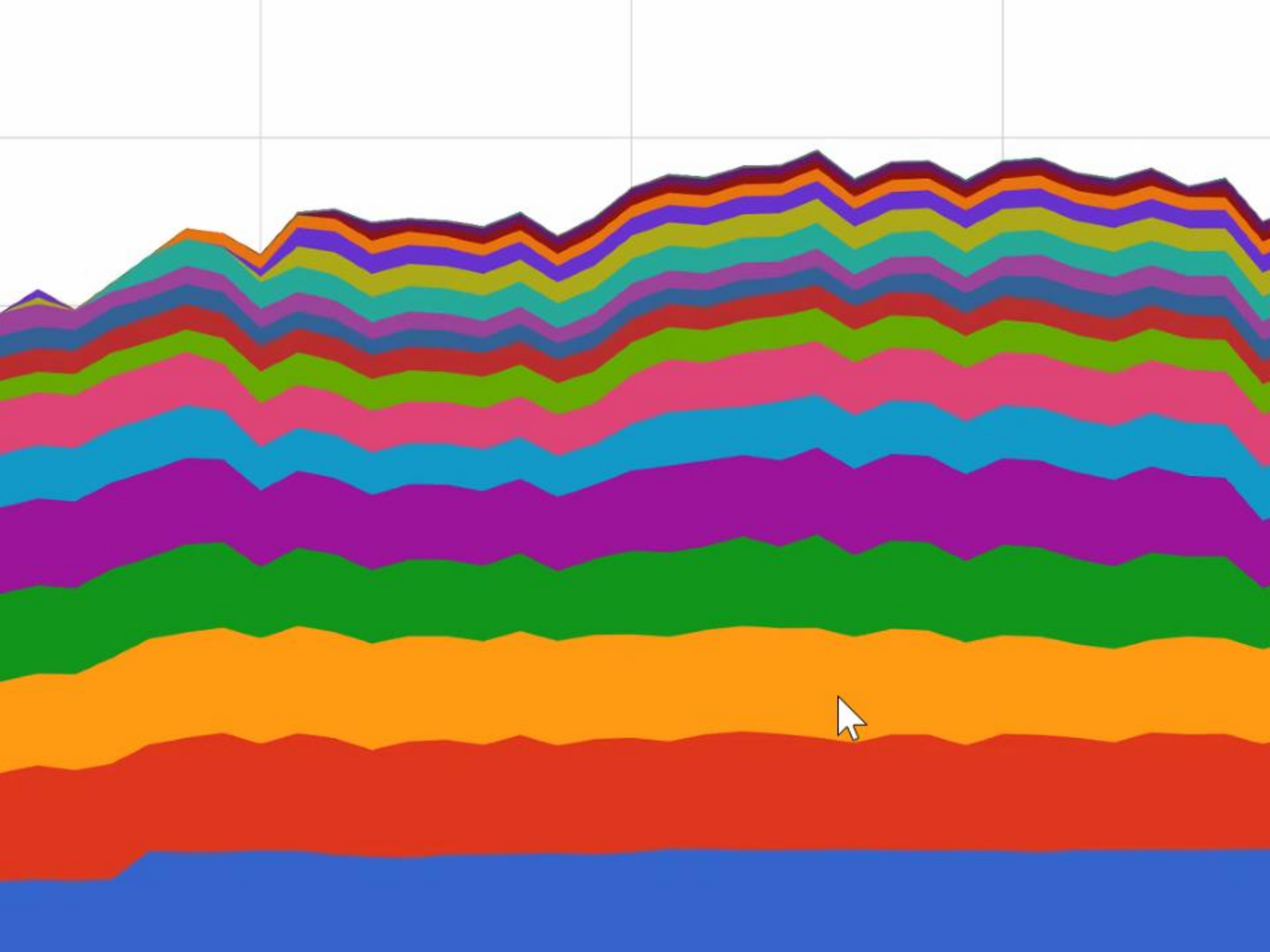
### SC Aggregate WAN IN+OUT

- WC10:Internet2-Caltech-400G
- WC15:Internet2-Starlight-100G#1
- WC16:Internet2-Starlight-100G#2
- WC07:Internet2-StarLight-400G#2
- WC06:Internet2-Starlight-400G#1
- WC19:Internet2-LA/NICT#3
- WC25:ESNet-Starlight-McLean-400G#1
- WC26:ESNet-Starlight-McLean-400G#2
- WC03:Seattle-100G
- WC09:ESNet-McLean-400G#2
- WC08:ESNet-McLean-400G#1
- WC18:Internet2-LA/NICT#2
- WC20:Internet2-LA/NICT#4
- WC04:Seattle-100G
- WC17:Internet2-LA/NICT#1
- WC14:LEARN UT-OTS OLS-DWDM
- WC13:LEARN UT-OTS OLS-DWDM
- WC05:Internet2-400G
- WC02:LEARN-100G#2
- WC12:DE-CIX-Peering-100G
- WC11:ESNet-400G
- WC01:LEARN-10G#1
- WC27:ESNet-Starlight-McLean-400G#3
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# SCinet "Data Tsunami" Near 5 Tbps

~5 Tbps

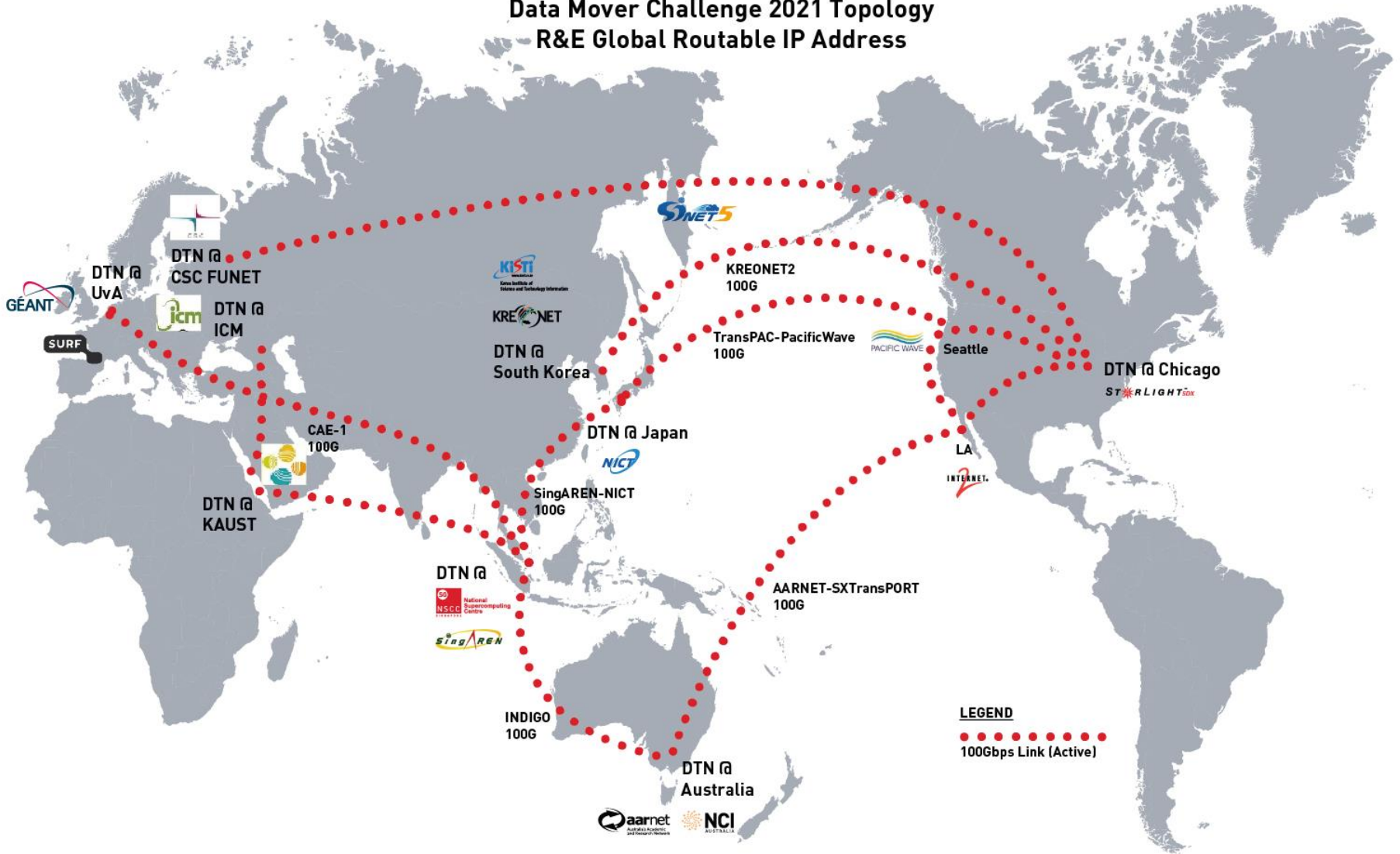






# StarLight: Founding Partner Of Supercomputing Asia DMC International Testbed

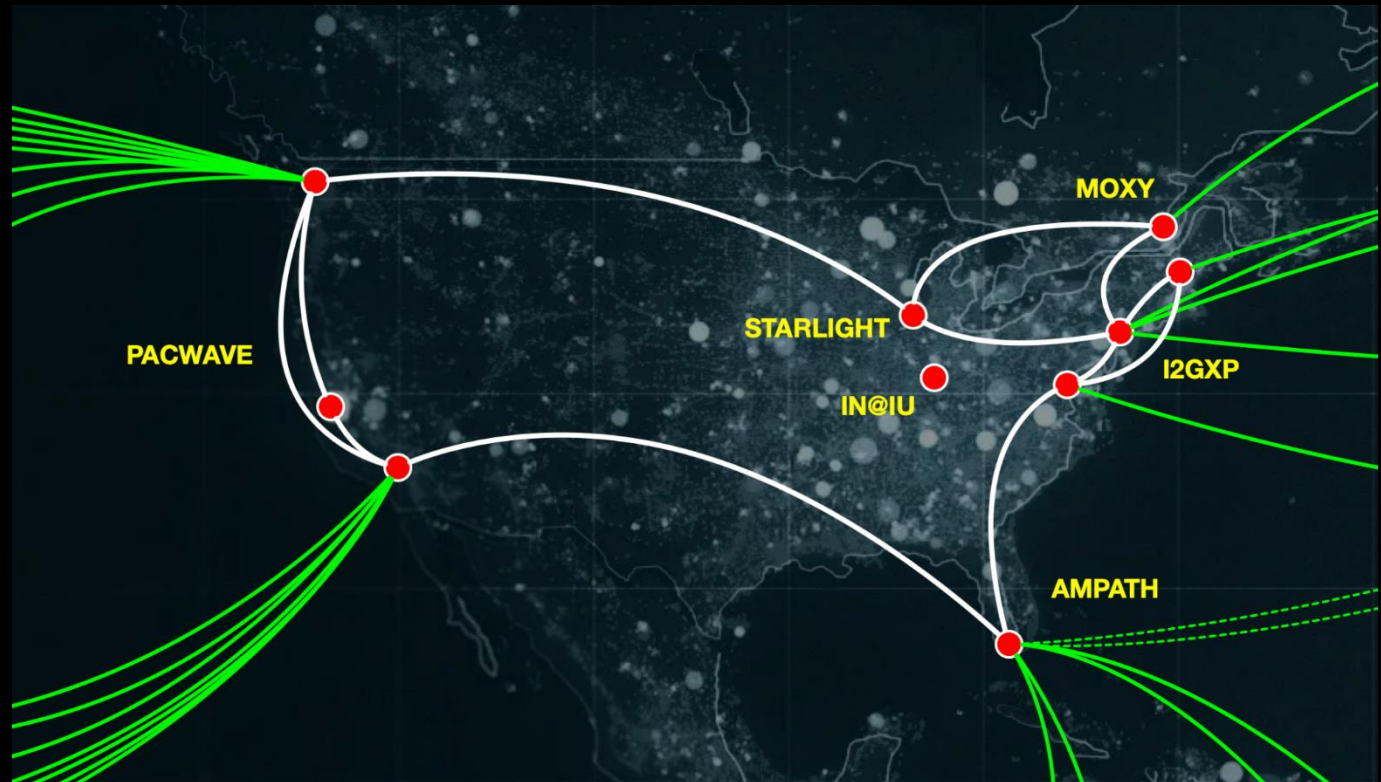
Data Mover Challenge 2021 Topology  
 R&E Global Routable IP Address



# AP-REX 2.0 – NA-REX

## Addition of partners:

- AMPATH / FIU
- CANARIE
- IU International
- MOXY
- StarLight International / National Communications Networks Exchange Facility



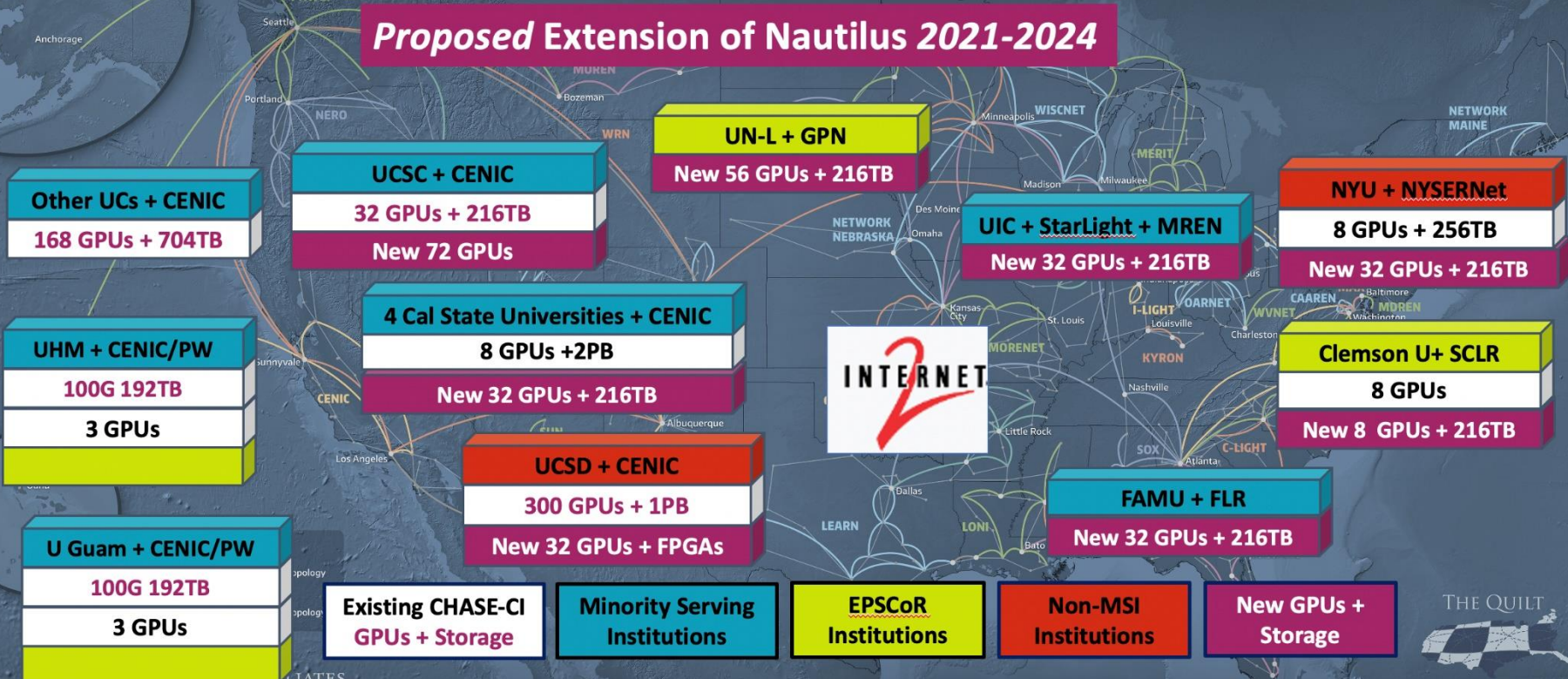
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## Proposed Extension of Nautilus 2021-2024





# Quantum Communications And Networks: Motivation

- **Quantum Enables Many New Applications**
  - Security – e.g., Quantum Key Distribution (QKD), Highly Secure Information Transmission, Quantum Encryption
  - Quantum Sensors
  - Quantum – e.g., Precise Clocks
  - New Applications Derived From Unique Properties (e.g., Superposition) And Novel Quantum Devices
  - Communications Among Quantum Computers, e.g., To Address Complex Computational Science Problems Through Distributed Quantum Environments (iCAIR's Quantum Research Focus)



# Complexity Of Challenges Requires Consortia

- **Northwestern University Established INQUIRE (Initiative at Northwestern for Quantum Information Research and Engineering), For Quantum Science Research**
- **This Initiative Participates in the Chicago Quantum Exchange and The Illinois Express Quantum Network, which includes the U.S. Department of Energy's Argonne National Laboratory, Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory, Multiple Research Universities, and Several Corporations.**
- **These National Laboratories, Northwestern University, Including the International Center for Advanced Internet Research (iCAIR), the StarLight International/National Communications Exchange Facility Consortium, the Metropolitan Research and Education Network (MREN), the Illinois Quantum Information Science and Technology Center (IQUIST) at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, And Other Research Partners, Including Internationally, Are Collaborating On This initiative.**



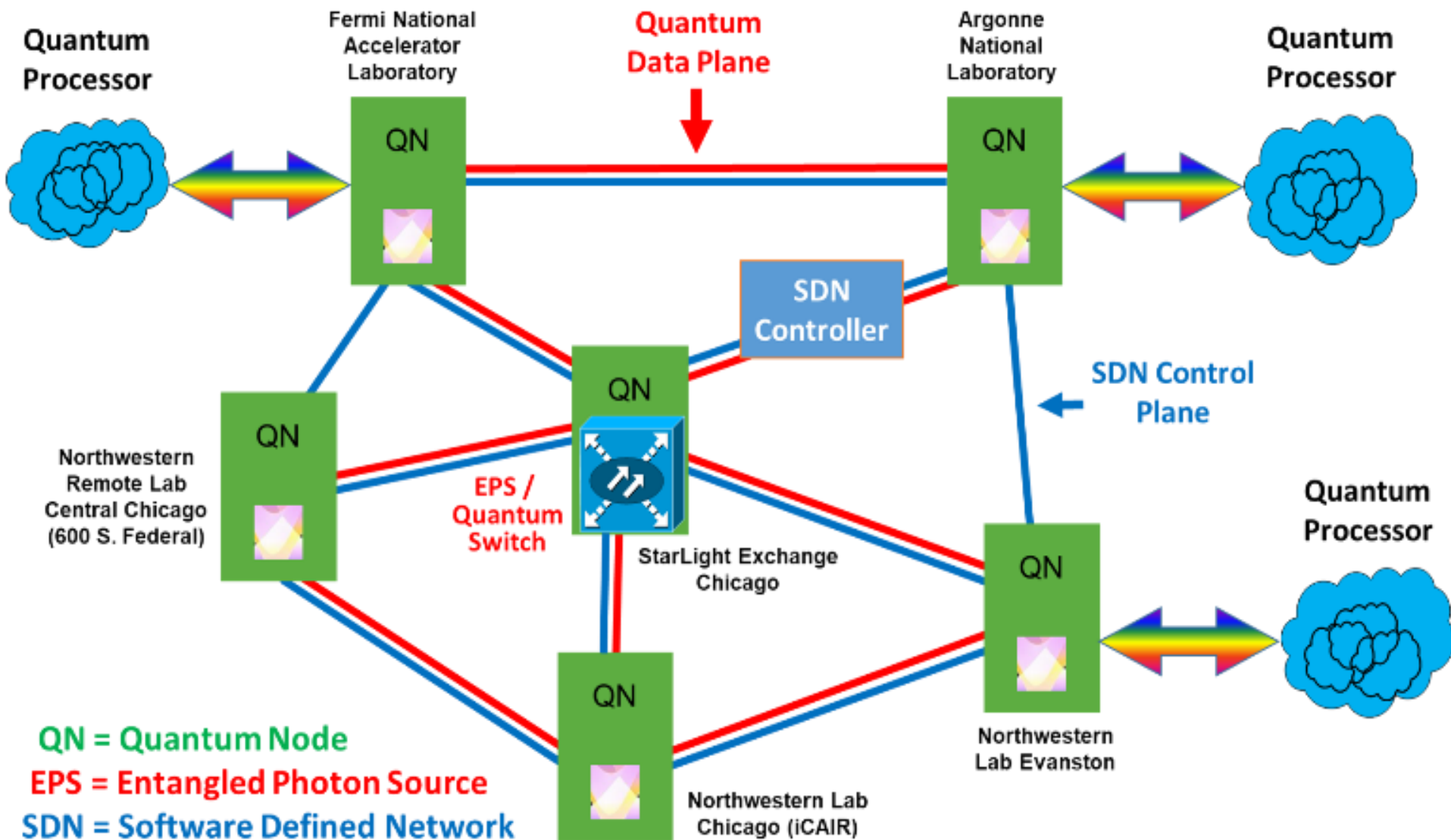
# Quantum Networking Testbed Building Blocks

- **Advanced Networking And Exchange Facilities**
- **Architecture (Defining QNode Capabilities, QNet Topology Discovery, Path And Wavelength Assignment, Clock Distribution, Entanglement Distribution Protocols)**
- **Heterogeneous Components**
- **High Quality Dedicated Fiber**
- **Management And Control Planes Based On Classical Networking (Software Defined Networking Techniques)**
- **Interfaces, Protocols, Algorithms**
- **Low dB Loss Optical Switches**
- **Quantum Memories As Proxies For Quantum Computers**
- **Measurement ↔ Management Integrations**

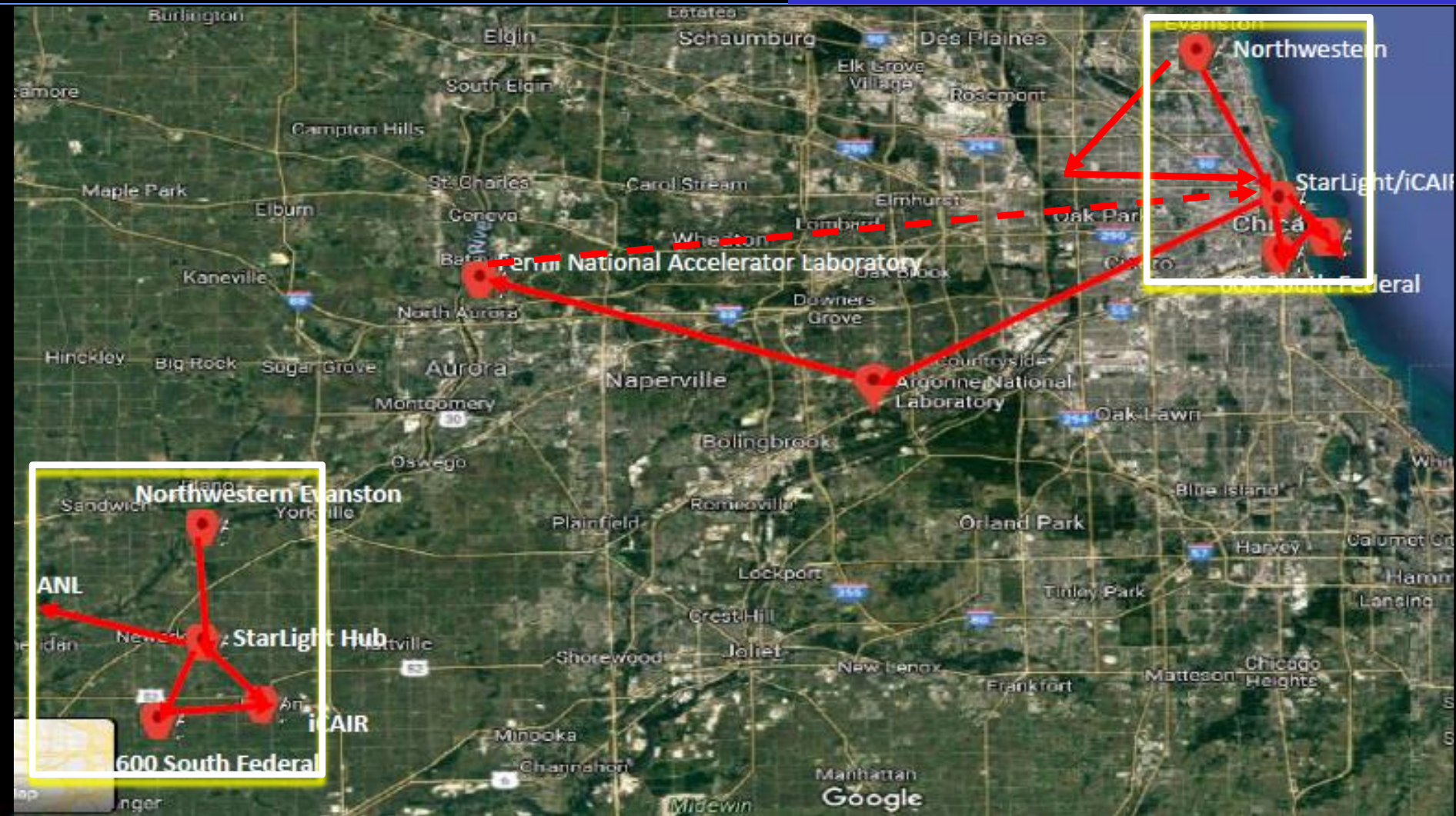




# Emerging Chicago Quantum Exchange Testbed



# Energizing IEQnet Testbed Topology





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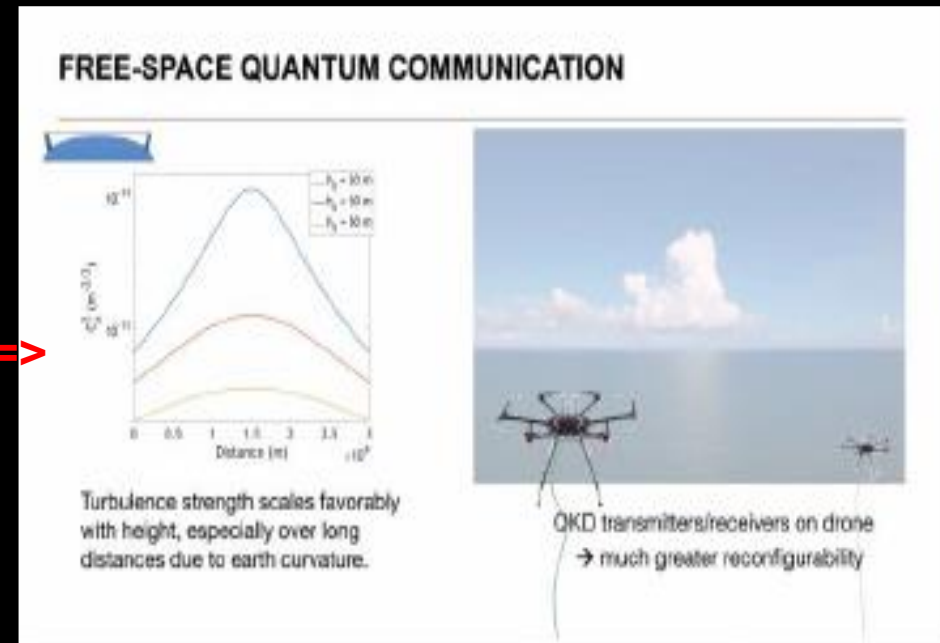
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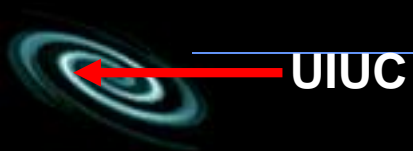


# IQUIST Quantum Network Testbed: QUIUC-NET

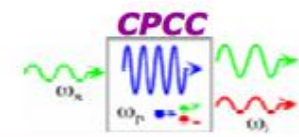
(Hyper)Entangled Sources  
Photon Detectors  
Quantum Memories  
Processing Nodes  
Net Aps  
Protocols  
Distributed Processing  
Sensing Net Verification  
Repeater Enhanced Quantum Links  
Free Space Quantum Communications ⇒



Source: Paul Kwiat, Director,  
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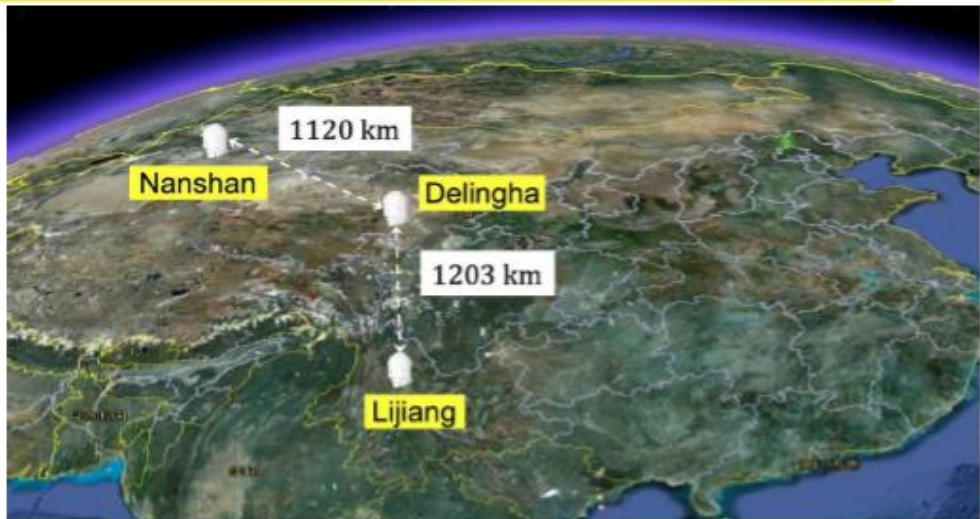
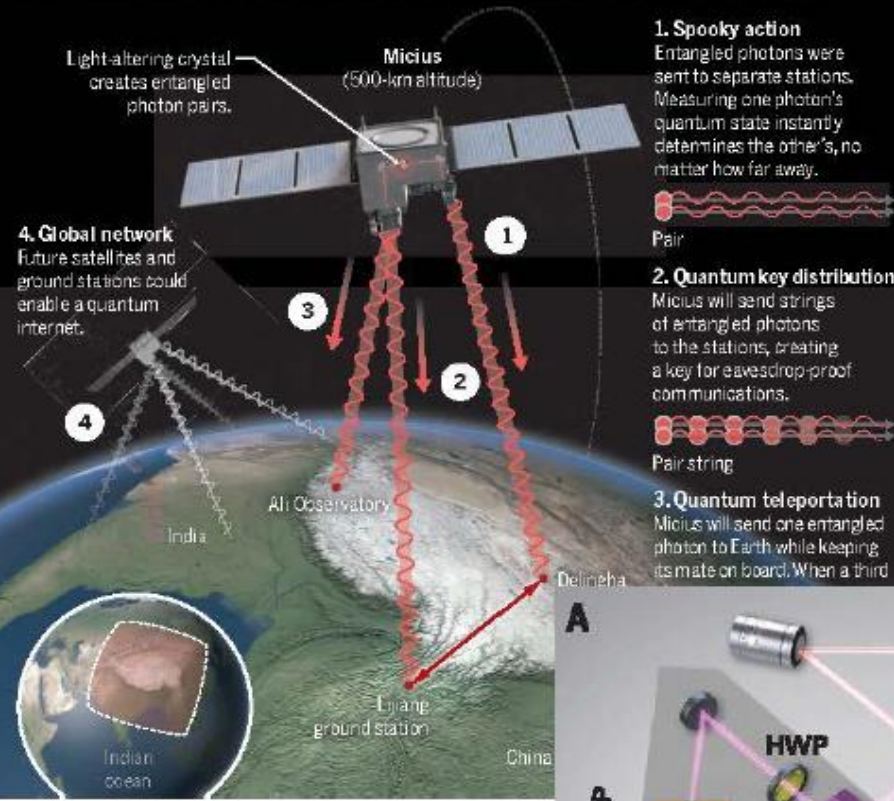


# Source Aboard Satellite Micius Entanglement Distribution over 1200 km



## Quantum leaps

China's Micius satellite, launched in August 2016, has now validated across a record 1200 kilometers the "spooky action" that Albert Einstein abhorred (1). The team is planning other quantum tricks (2-4).

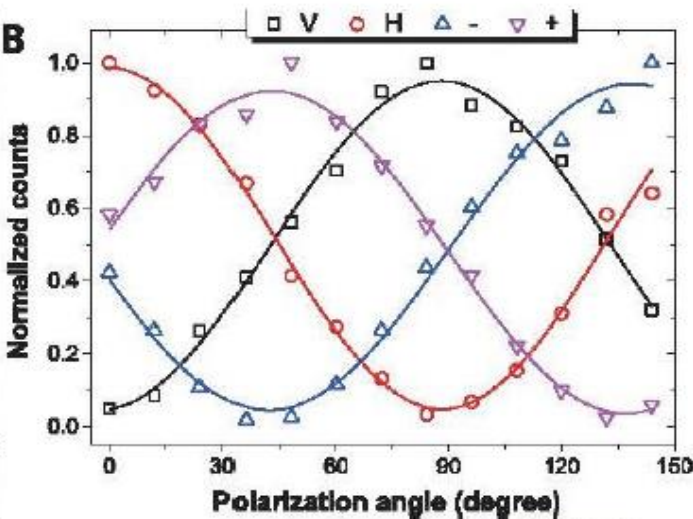
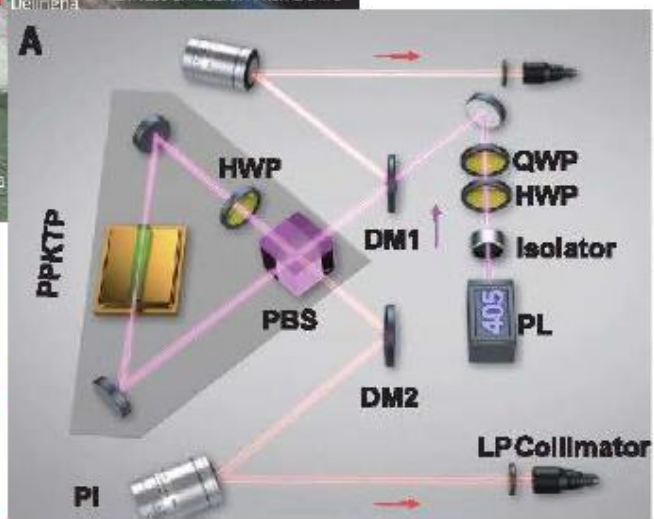


F. N. C. Wong *et al.*, Phys. Rev. A 73, 012316 (2006)

## Phase stable Type-II SPDC in a pol. Sagnac loop

Yin *et al.*, Science 356, 1140-1144, June 2017.

Bell inequality violation over 1200 km





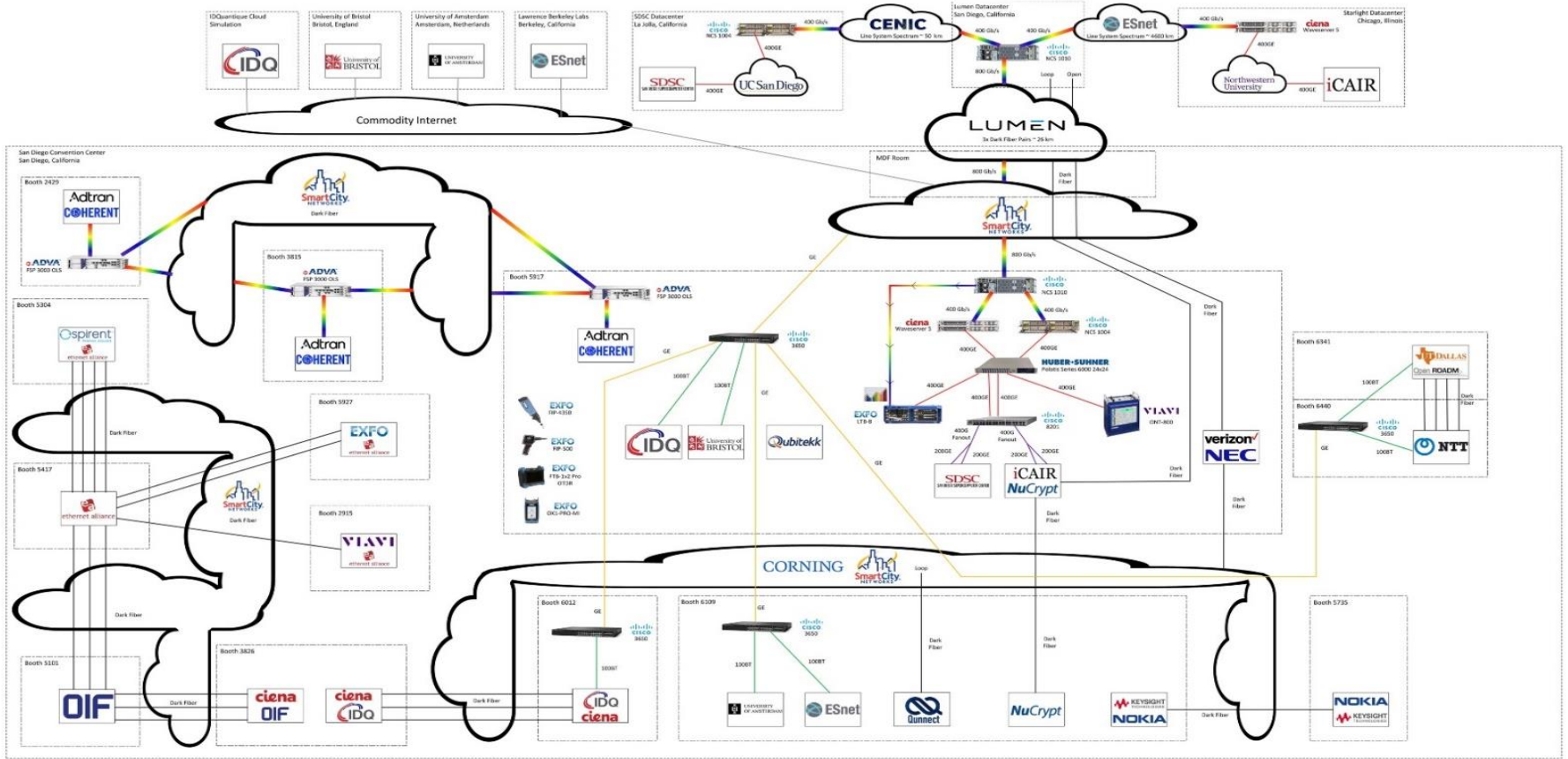


**Demo Lead Partner - NuCrypt (1) - Distribution of Quantum Entanglement Through Fiber With Co-Propagating Classical Data**

**(1) Spin Off From Northwestern University's Center for Photonic Communications and Computing, Which Was Also A Partner for the OFC 2023 Demonstrations (Prem Kumar, Director)**



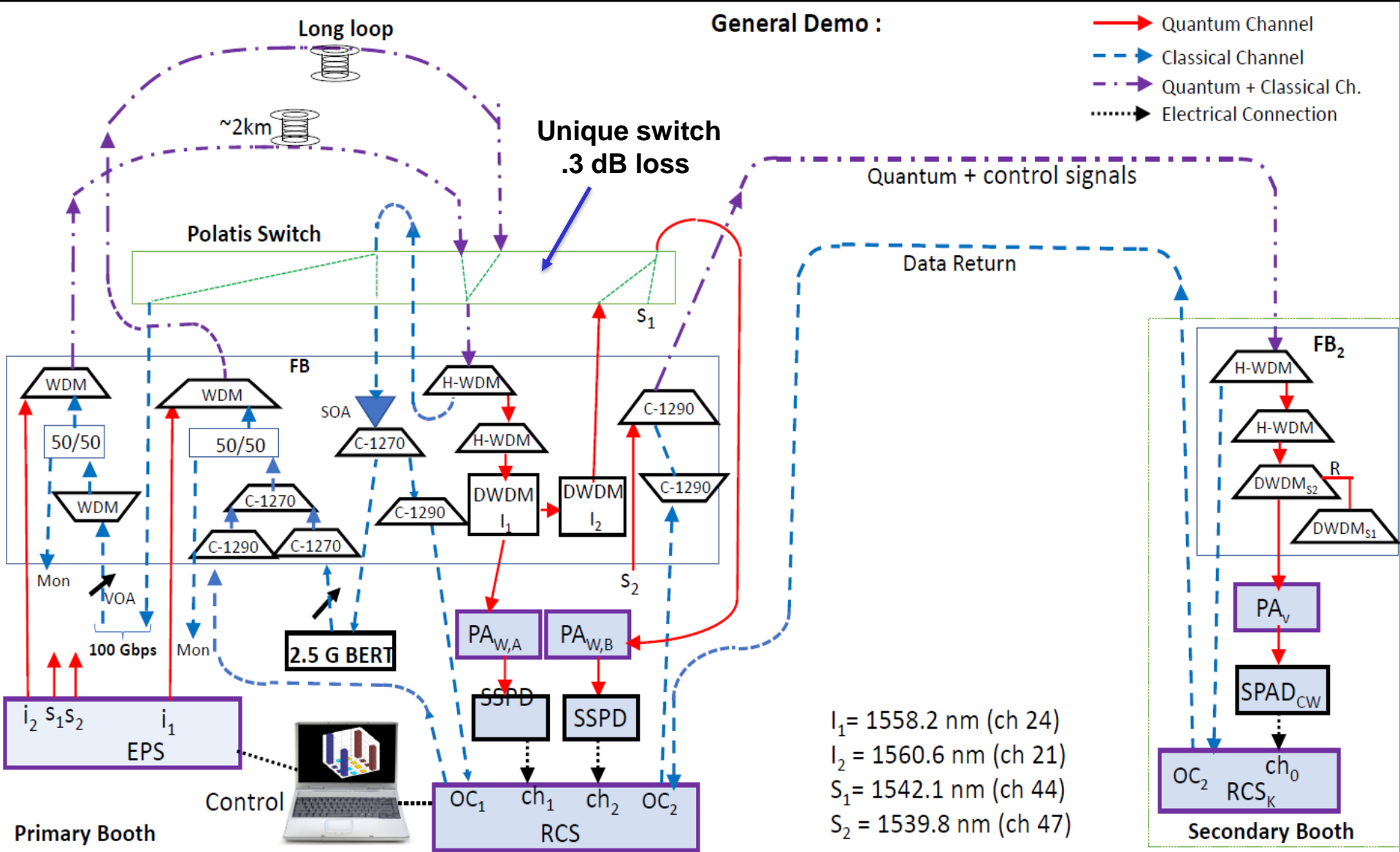




## OFC 2023 – OFCnet Architecture Diagram

## Distribution of Quantum Entanglement Through Fiber With Co-Propagating Classical Data

- A complete system for distributing and measuring quantum entangled signals over fiber was demonstrated. Distributed measurements were collected and controlled from a single location using an embedded optical data link. An optical switch was programmed to send different quantum entangled wavelengths to spatially separated users. The demonstration centered around the use of commercially available components that interface to multiple types of single photon detectors. The demonstrations of coordinated control of quantum photonic instruments at multiple sites highlights the capability for robust operation of commercially available quantum optical equipment over existing fiber optic infrastructure.







**Co-Propagation  
And 400 Gbps WAN  
Demonstrations  
OFCnet Booth  
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From Long-distance Entanglement to  
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Workshop Submissions

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Workshop Acceptance Notification

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Paper Submissions

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