Deferrable Server

- The simplest bandwidth-preserving server
 - Improves response time of aperiodic jobs, compared to polling server

• Consumption rule:

- The budget is consumed at the rate of one per unit time whenever the server executes
- Unused budget is retained throughout the period, to be used whenever there are aperiodic jobs to execute
 - Instead of discarding the budget if no aperiodic job to execute at start of period, keep in the hope a job arrives

• Replenishment rule:

- The budget is set to e_S at multiples of the period
 - i.e. time instants $k \cdot p_S$, for k = 0, 1, 2, ...
- Note: the server is not allowed to carry over budget from period to period