

Lecture 2

Introduction, Part II

Overview

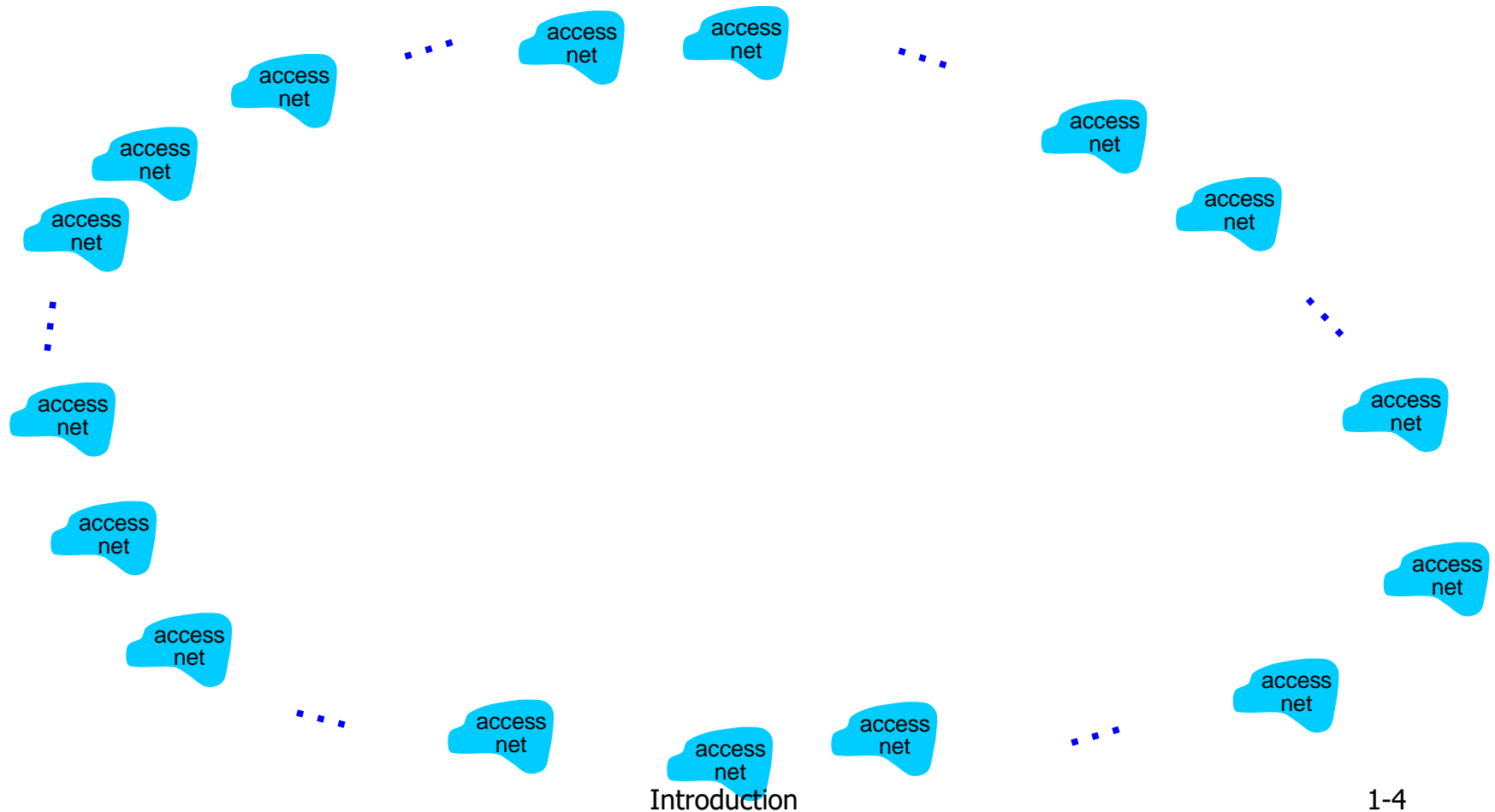
- what's the Internet?
- network edge
 - End-systems, access net, physical media
- network core
 - Packet switching, circuit switching, network structure
- performance: loss, delay
- protocol layers, service models
- backbones, NAPs, ISPs
- history

Internet structure: network of networks

- End systems connect to Internet via **access ISPs** (Internet Service Providers)
 - residential, company and university ISPs
- Access ISPs in turn must be interconnected.
 - so that any two hosts can send packets to each other
- Resulting network of networks is very complex
 - evolution was driven by **economics** and **national policies**
- Let's take a stepwise approach to describe current Internet structure

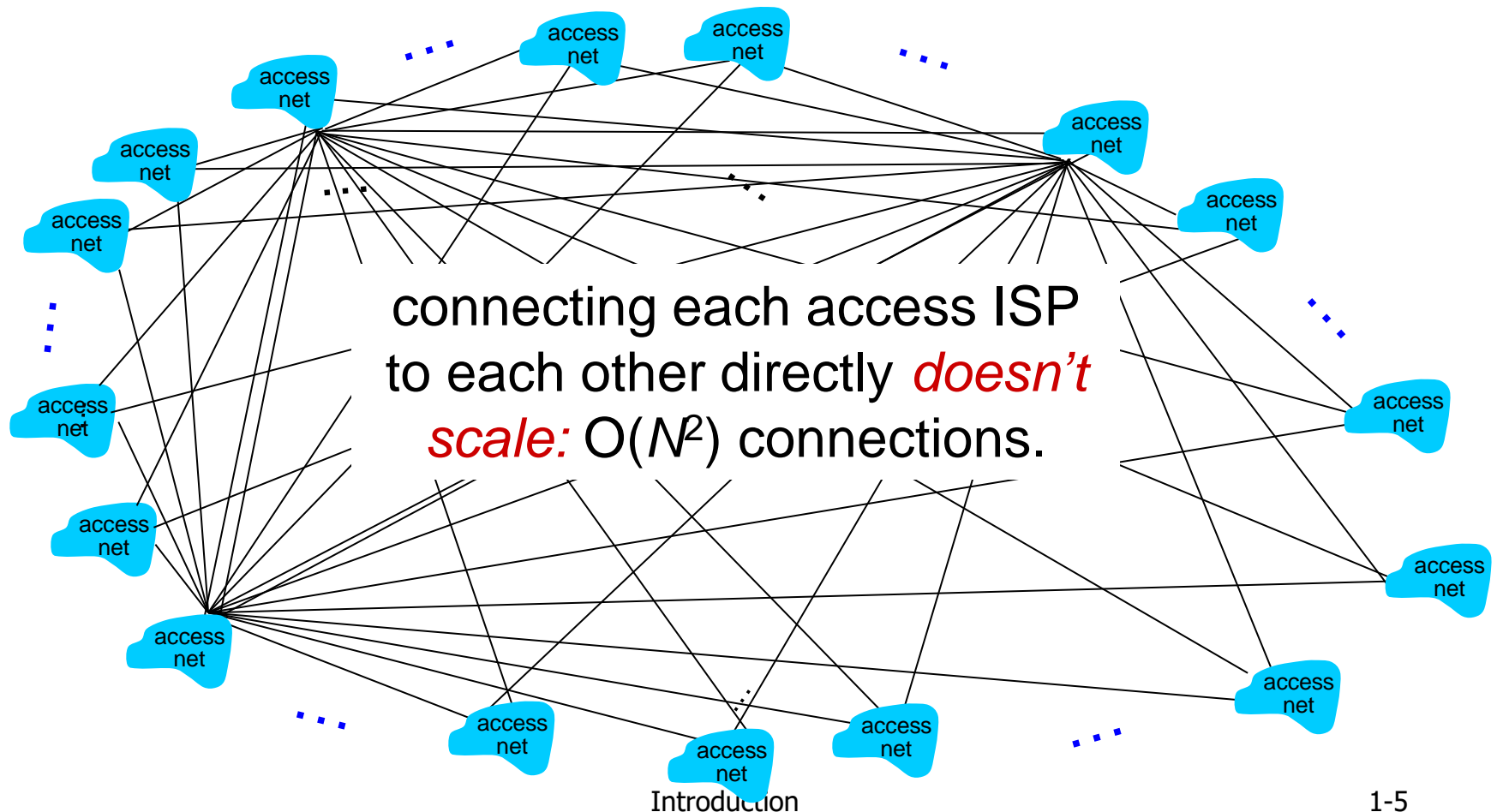
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Question: given *millions* of access ISPs, how to connect them together?



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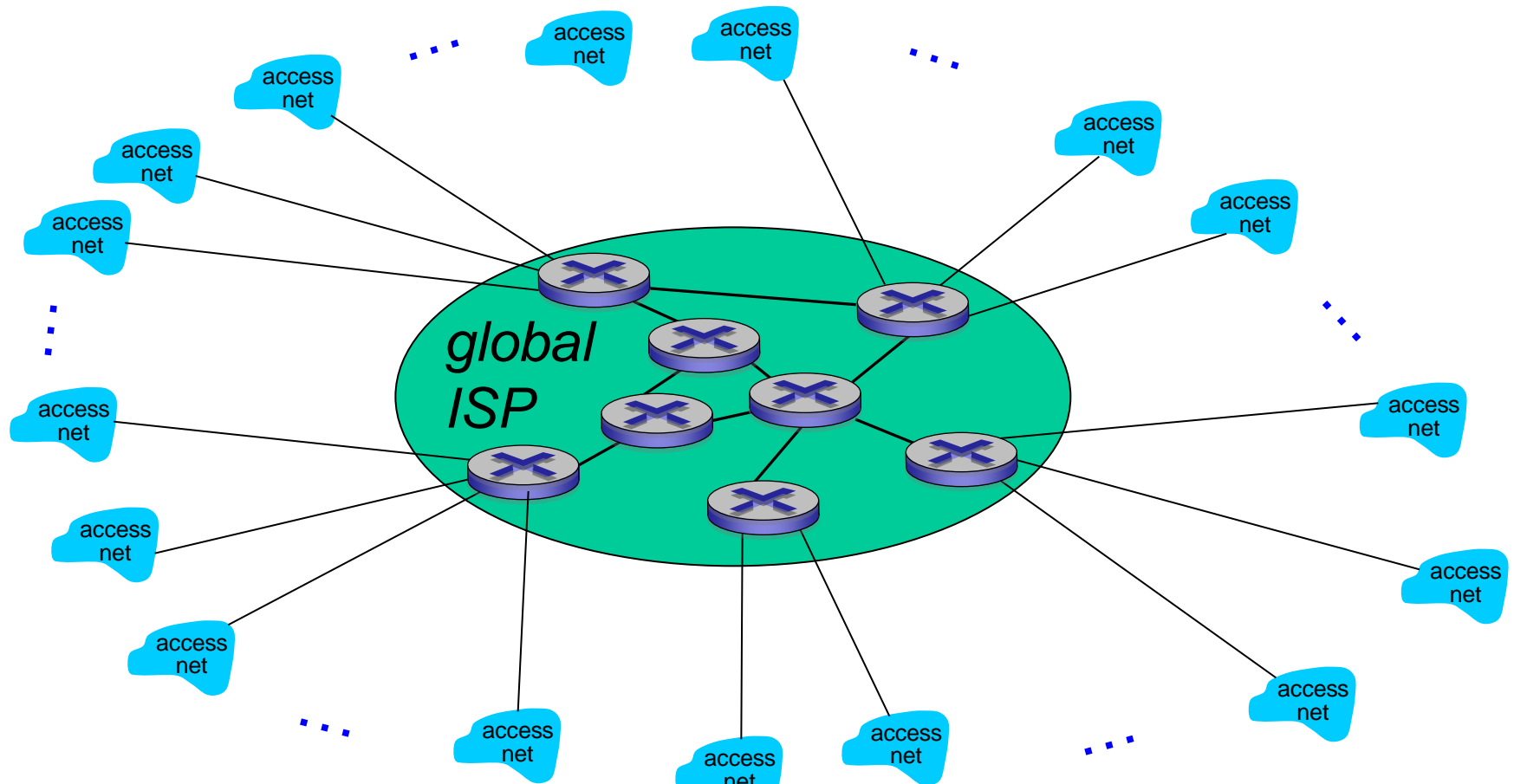
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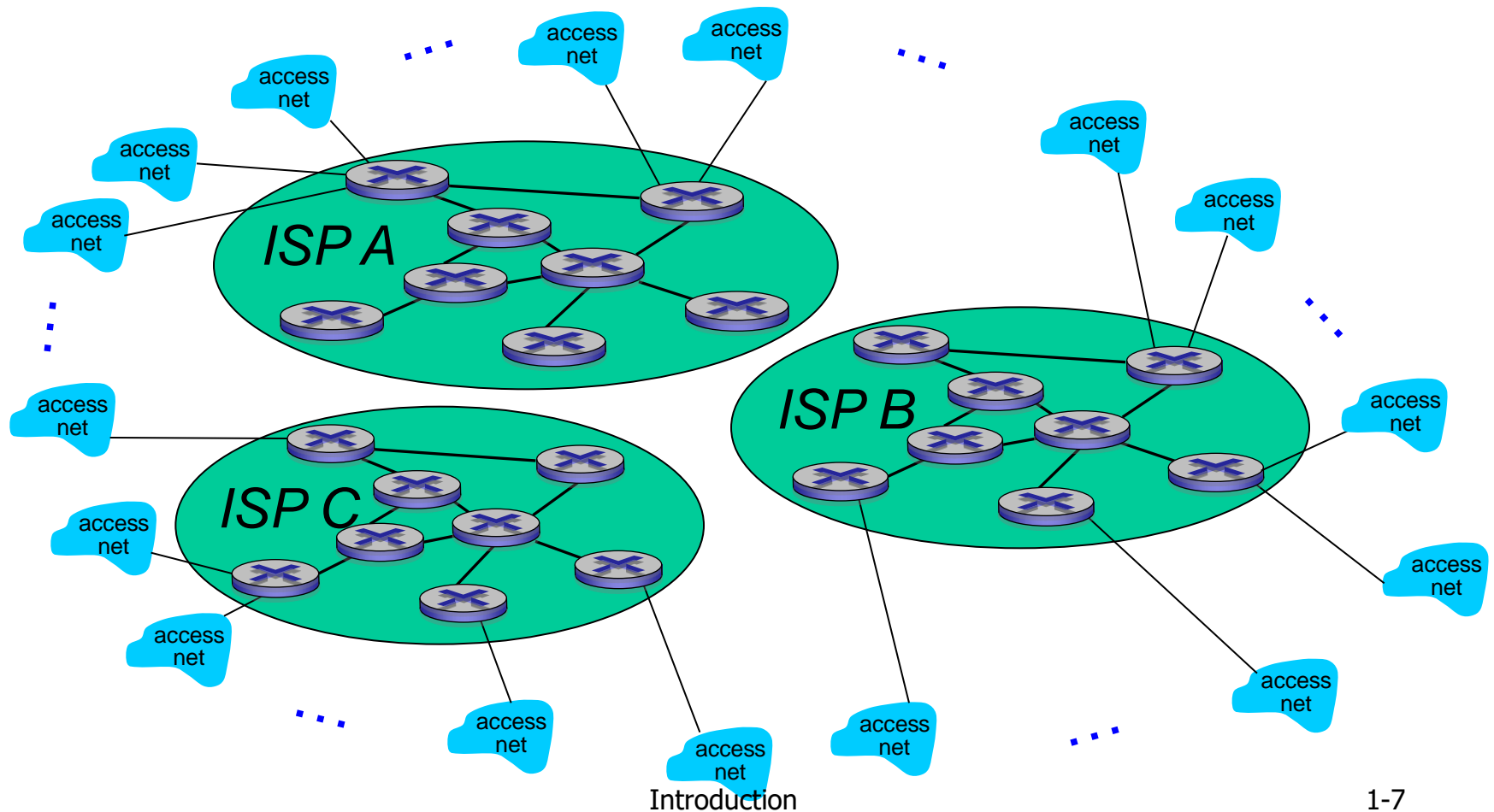
Option: connect each access ISP to one global transit ISP?

Customer and *provider* ISPs have economic agreement.



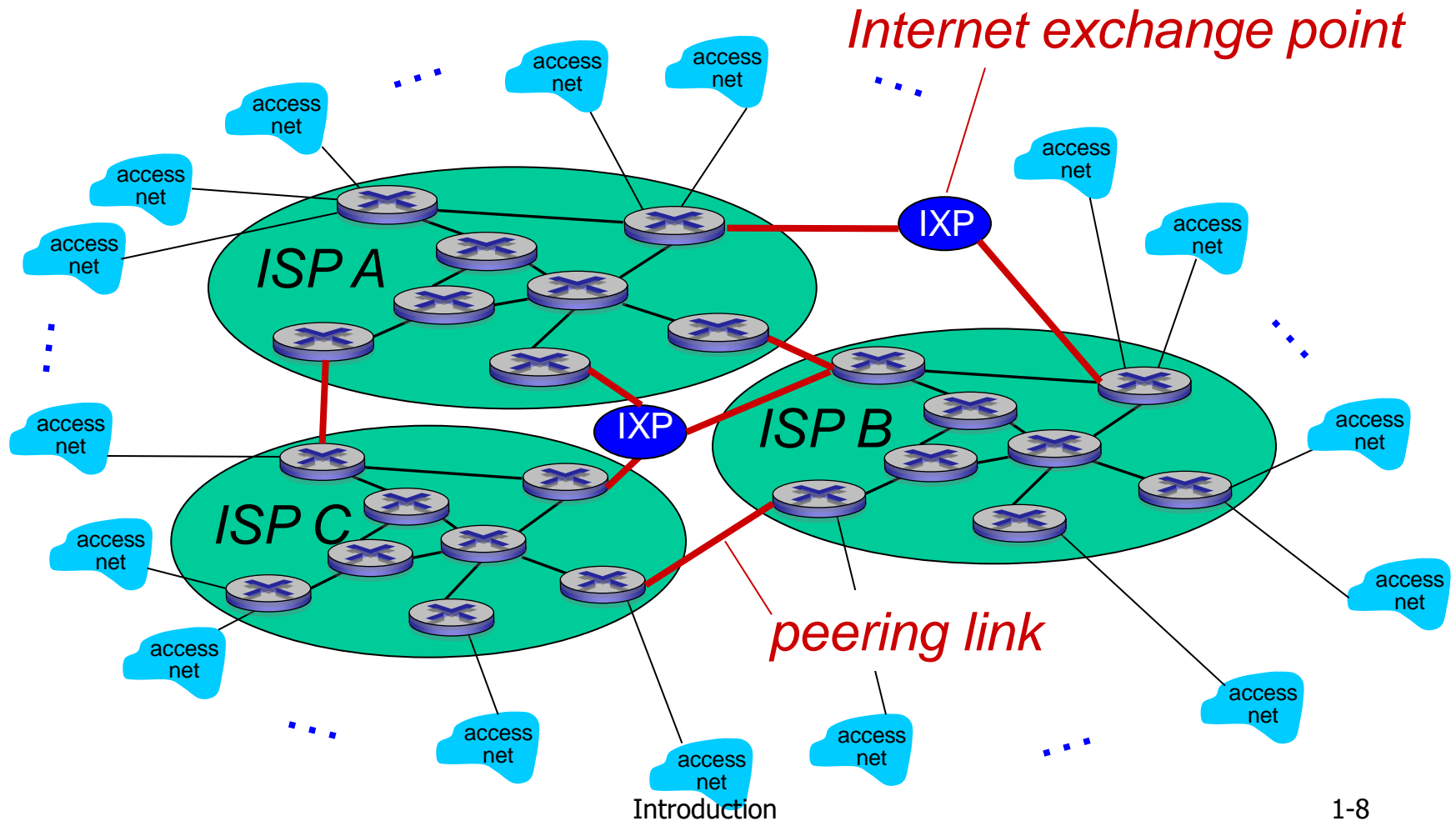
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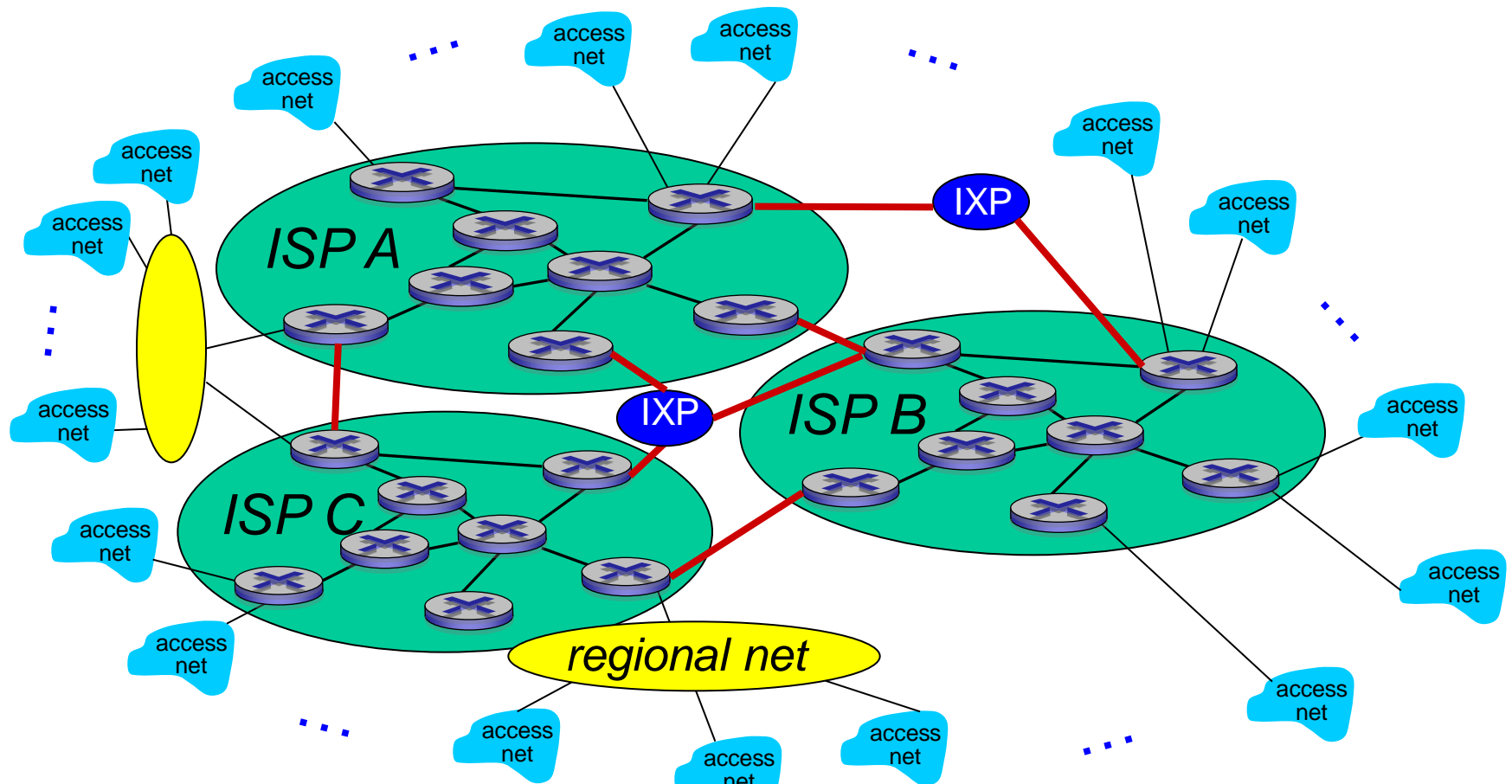
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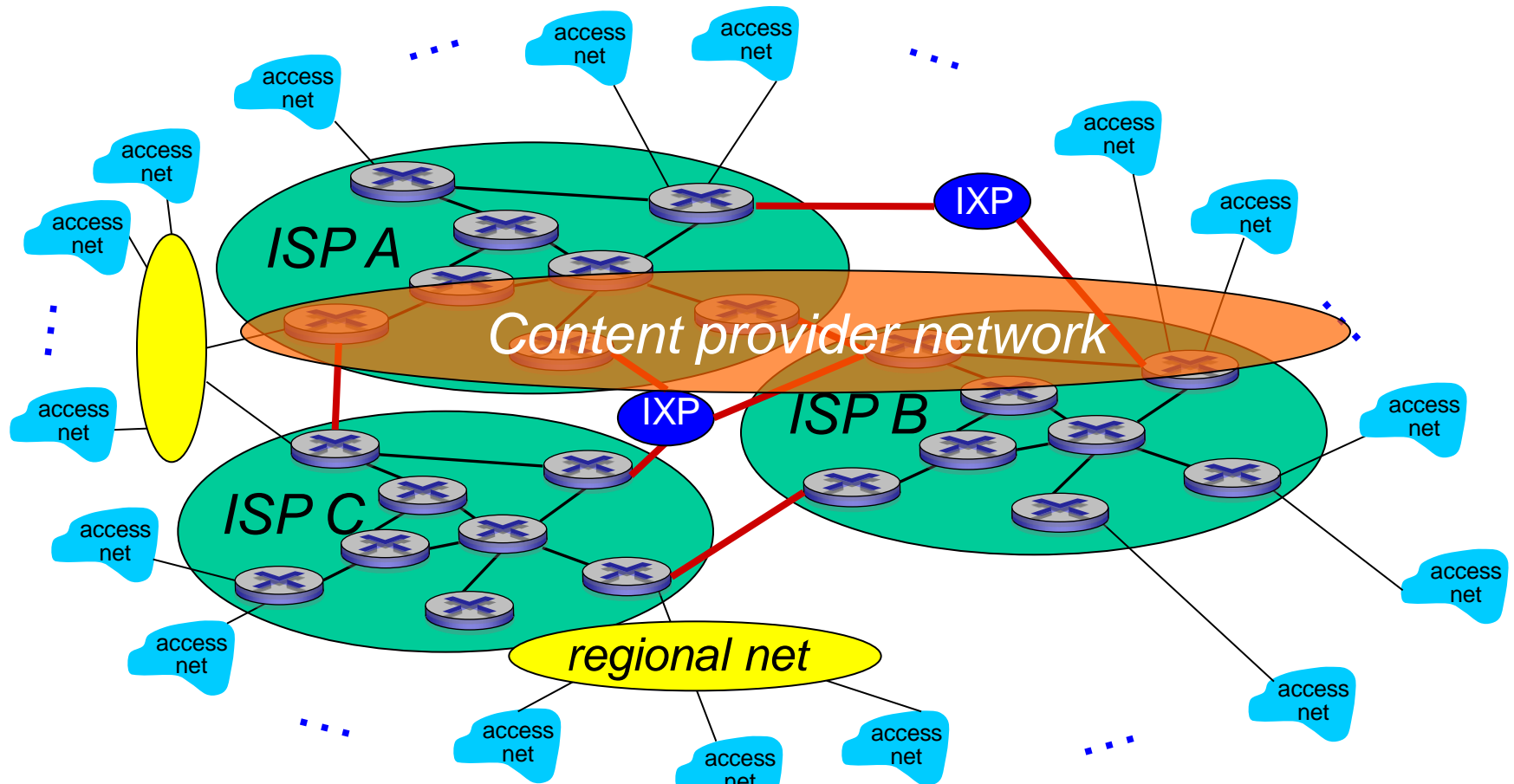
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... and regional networks may arise to connect access nets to ISPs

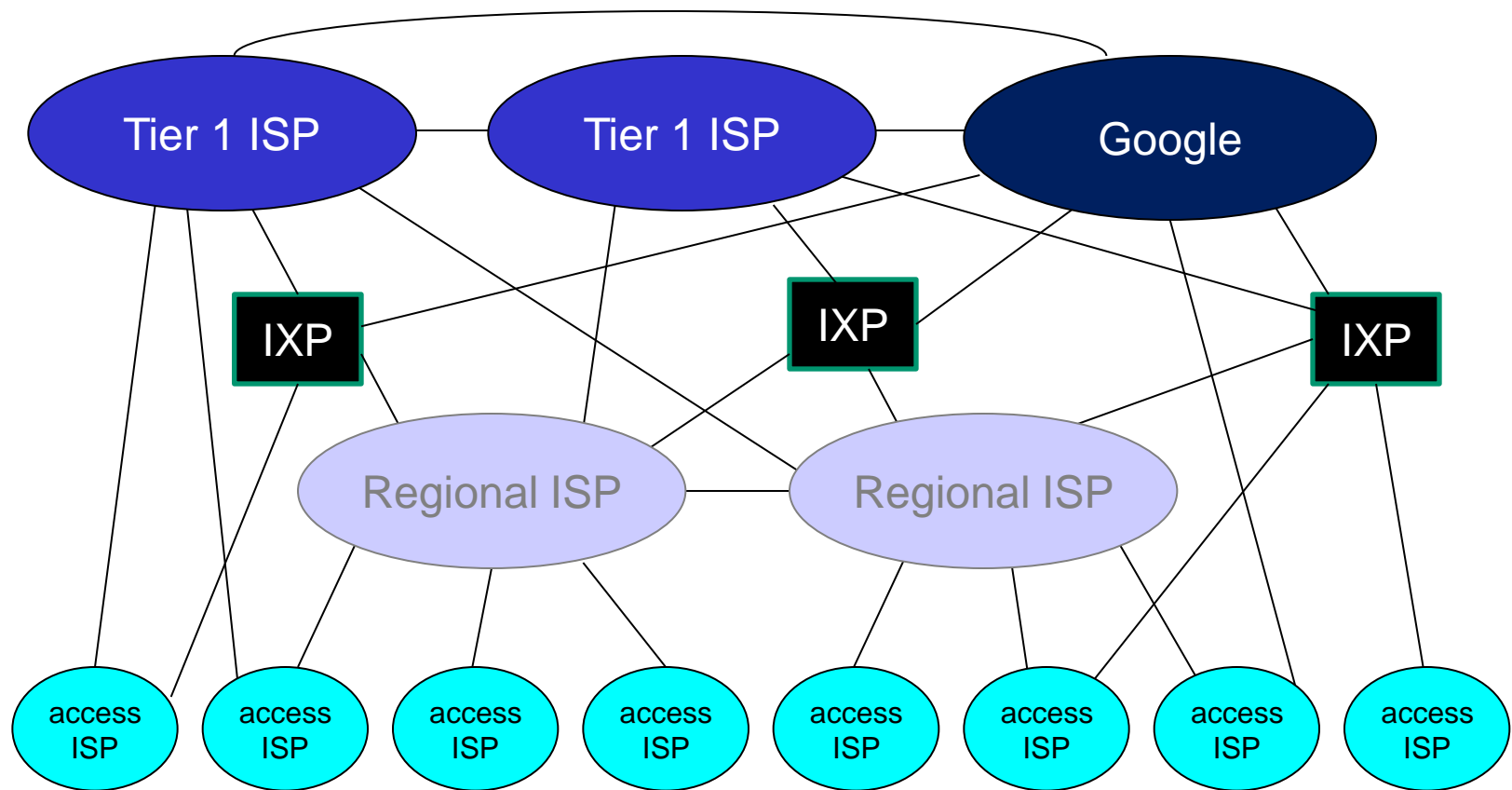


Internet structure: network of networks

... and content provider networks (e.g., Google, Microsoft, Akamai) may run their own network, to bring services, content close to end users

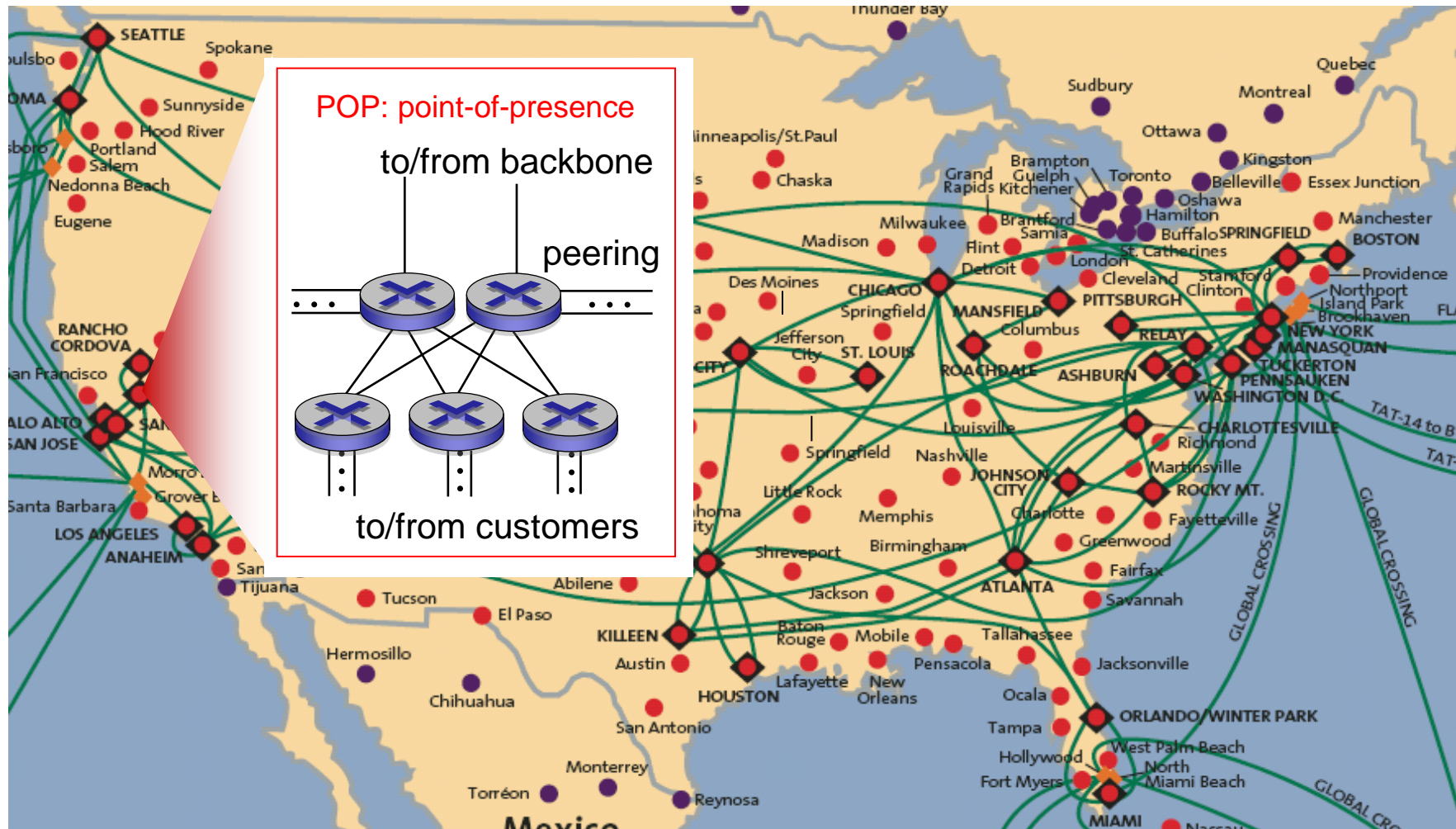


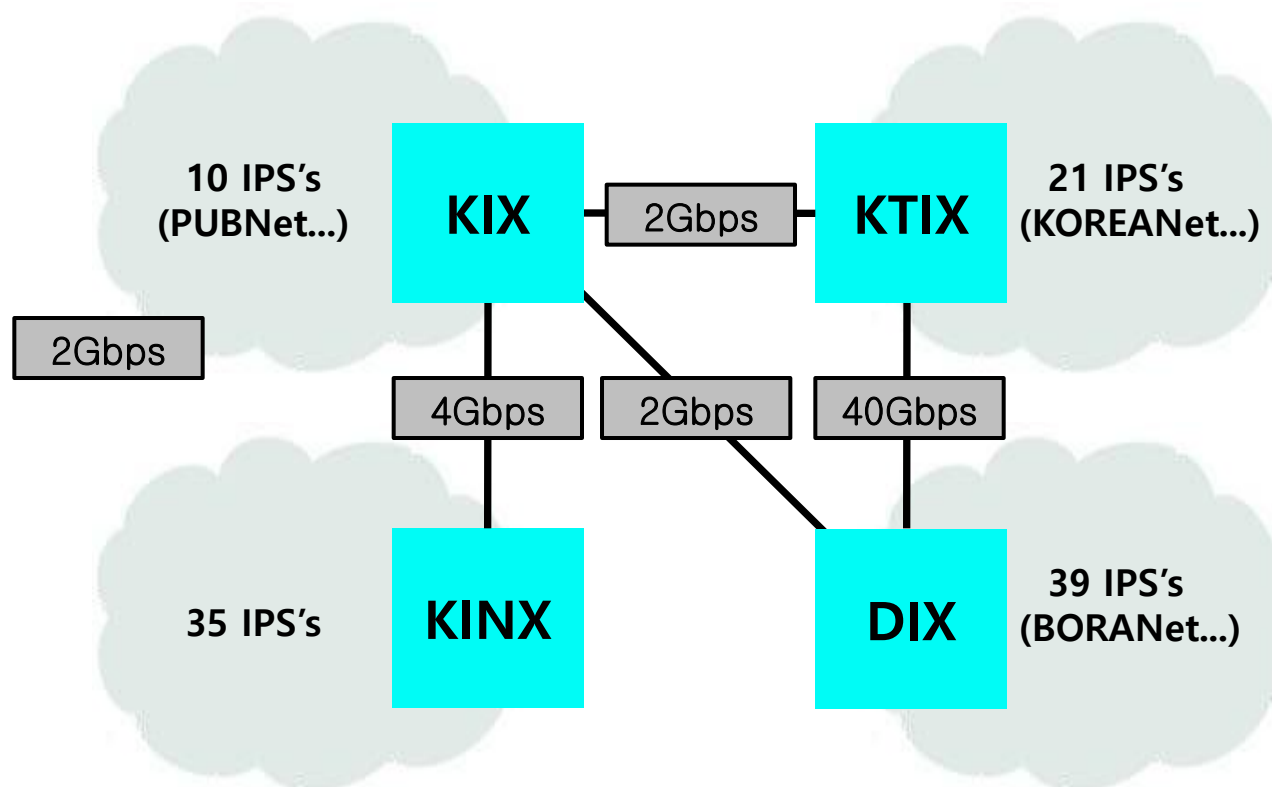
Internet structure: network of networks



- at center: small # of well-connected large networks
 - “**tier-1**” **commercial ISPs** (e.g., Level 3, Sprint, AT&T, NTT), national & international coverage
 - **content provider network** (e.g., Google): private network that connects its data centers to Internet, often bypassing tier-1, regional ISPs

Tier-1 ISP: e.g., Sprint





Source: National Computerization Agency(NCA), Dec. 2003

Company	Service Name	Network State	Network Connection	
			Domestic	Foreign
KT	KORNET	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Total nodes nationwide: 100 · Links between major cities: 2.5Gbps~10Gbps · Links between small and mid-sized cities: 155~622Mbps 	(Total bandwidth of IX:42Gbps · DIX: 40Gbps · KIX:2Gbps) (Total connected ISPs:130.5G)	(Total 17.5Gbps) · U.S.(UUNET and 6 companies) : 13Gbps · Japan, China, Hong Kong, Australia, New Zealand, Southeast Asia: 4.5Gbps
Dacom	BORANET	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Total nodes nationwide: 71 · Links between major cities: 310Mbps~5Gbps, 2 lines · Links between small and mid-sized cities: 45~155Mbps 	(Total bandwidth of IX:42Gbps · KTIK:40Gbps · KIX:2Gbps) (Total connected ISPs: 50Gbps)	(Total 5.2Gbps) · U.S.(Qwest, PAIX etc.) : 2Gbps · Asia(9 countries like Japan(555M) and China(555M) : 3.0G
Hanaro Telecom	HANANET	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Total nodes nationwide: 200 · Links between major cities: 40Gbps~800Gbps · Links between small and mid-sized cities: 155Mbps~2.5Gbps 	(Total bandwidth of IX: 83.5Gbps · DIX: 25Gbps · KINX: 5Gbps · KIX: 1Gbps · KTIK: 52.5Gbps) (Total connected ISPs:25.7G)	(Total 5.2Gbps) · U.S. : 3.3Gbps · U.K. : 310Mbps · Asia : 1Gbps · Others : 620Mbps
Onse Telecom	SHINBIRO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Total nodes nationwide: 19 · Links between major cities: 465M~5Gbps · Links between small and mid-sized cities: 45Mbps~310Mbps 	(Total bandwidth of IX: 12Gbps · DIX: 4.5Gbps · KINX: 4Gbps · KTIK: 3.5Gbps) (Total connected ISPs: Total 4.7Gbps)	(Total 1,030Mbps) · U.S. (Onse US POP) : 975Mbps · Japan(Japan Telecom) : 45Mbps · Taiwan : 10Mbps · Hong Kong(NWT) : 128Kbps
Thrunet	Thrunet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Total nodes nationwide: 124 · Links between major cities: 5Gbps~10Gbps 	(Total bandwidth of IX: 19.5Gbps · KT-IX : 7.5Gbps · KNIX:5Gbps/KIDC:5Gbps · DIX: 2Gbps) (Total connected ISPs: 17.1Gbps)	(Total 1,705bps) · U.S.(Dacomcoosing, Onse Telecom) : 1,395Mbps · Asia(Transit node, AGC) : 310Mbps

Company	Service Name	Network State	Network Connection	
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Enterprise Networks	GNGIDC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Total nodes nationwide: 63 Links between major cities: 2.5Gbps node-to-node duplexing 	(Total bandwidth of IX: 13.6Gbps · KT-IX : 7.5Gbps · KINX : 3Gbps · DIX: 2Gbps · KIX : 1Gbps · BIX : 100Mbps) (Total connected ISPs: 8.6Gbps)	(Total 775Mbps) · U.S.(MCI,Reach): 465Mbps · Japan(NTT): 310Mbps
SK Telecom	SK speedNet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Links between major cities: 622MGbps Links between small and mid-sized cities: 155MGbps Jeju: 45Mbps 	(Total bandwidth of IX: 6Gbps · KT-IX : 2.5Gbps/DIX: 2Gbps · KINX : 1Gbps) (Total connected ISPs: 2.545Mbps)	(Total 155Mbps) · Dacom-international: 155Mbps
Dreamline	DreamLine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Between major node links: 45Mbps~2Gbps 	(Total bandwidth of IX: 7Gbps · KIX : 5Gbps · KINX : 2Gbps) (Total connected ISPs: 7.4Gbps)	(Total 310Mbps) · Hanaro Telecom: 155Mbps · AGC: 155Mbps
Powercomm	POWER-COMM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Total nodes nationwide: 75 City links: 2.5Gbps Subscriber network: 155Mbps 	-	-

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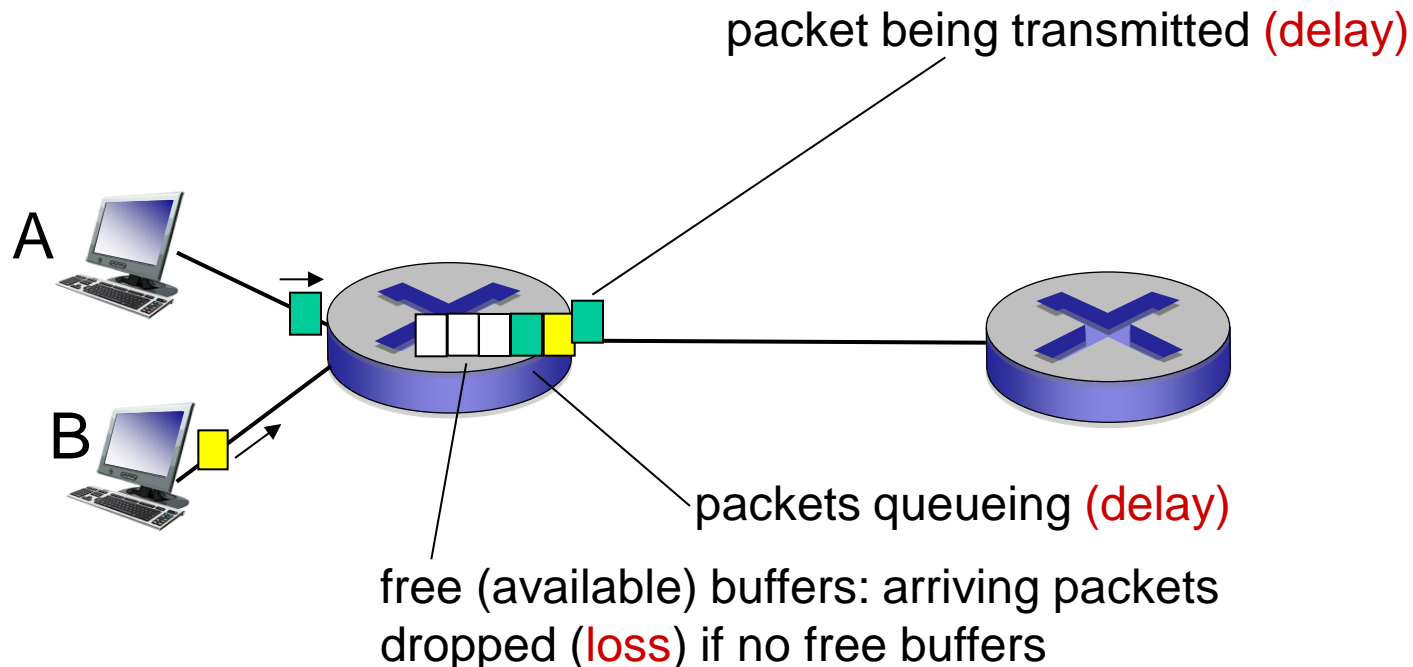
Company (Service Name)	Network State	Service Targets	Network Connection	
			Domestic	Foreign
KT (PUBNet)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · ATM network-based nodes nationwide: 18 · Between majors cities: 155M~622Mbps · Between small and mid-sized cities: 155Mbps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Public & non-profit organizations · Elementary & secondary schools 	(Total bandwidth of IX: 13.6Gbps · KIX : 5G · KT-IX : 7.5G · DIX : 2.5G) (Connected ISPs: Connected to KIX, KT-IX)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · U.S.(KIX): 75Mbps
Dacom (PUBNET-PLUS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Between ATM network-based nodes nationwide: 45Mbps, 155Mbps, 622Mbps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Public & non-profit organizations 	(Total bandwidth of IX: 4Gbps · 6KANet: 2Gbps · BORANet : 2Gbps) (Connected ISPs: Connected to KIX, DIX)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · U.S.(KIX): 75Mbps
NCA (6KANet)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Between Seoul and Youngin: 45Mbps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Central administration, judiciary & legislative bodies · Educational organization, organizations in leading application business 	(Total bandwidth of IX: 1Gbps 6NGIX : 1G) (Connected ISPs: 2.5Gbps -Interconnected via 6NGIX)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · U.S.(6NGIX, KIX) :775Mbps
KERIS (EDUNET)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Between the six nodes nationwide: 2Mbps~4Mbps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · All citizens including students, teachers, parents 	(Total bandwidth of IX: 310Mbps · KT-IX : 155M · DIX: 155M (Connected ISPs: 400Mbps)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 155M (Interconnection via KIX)

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How do loss and delay occur?

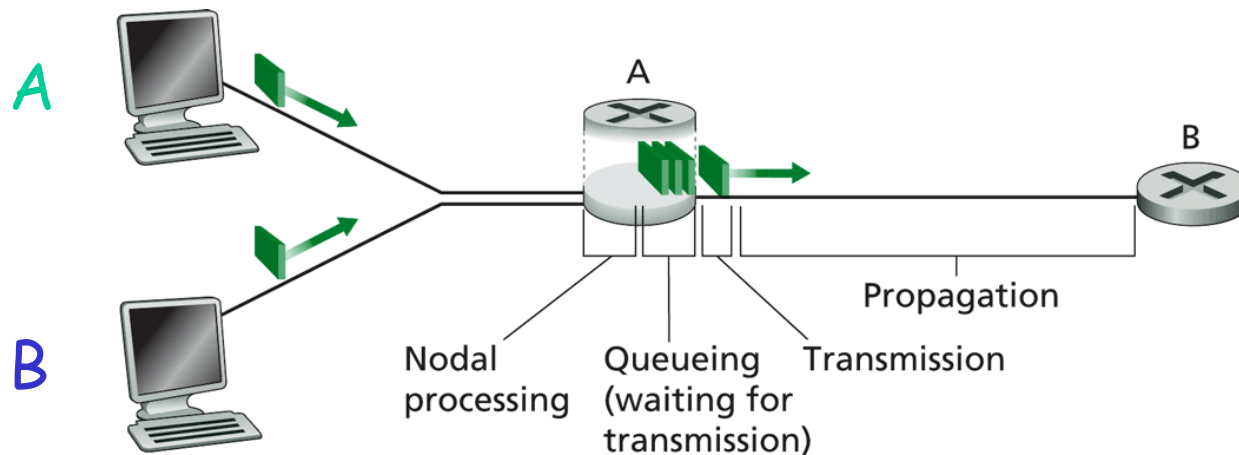
packets *queue* in router buffers

- packet arrival rate to link (temporarily) exceeds output link capacity
- packets queue, wait for turn



Delay in packet-switched networks

- packets experience **delay** on end-to-end path
- four** sources of delay at each hop
 - nodal processing:** d_{proc}
 - check bit errors
 - determine output link
 - Queueing:** d_{queue}
 - time waiting at output link for transmission
 - depends on congestion level of router



$$d_{\text{nodal}} = d_{\text{proc}} + d_{\text{queue}} + d_{\text{trans}} + d_{\text{prop}}$$

Delay in packet-switched networks

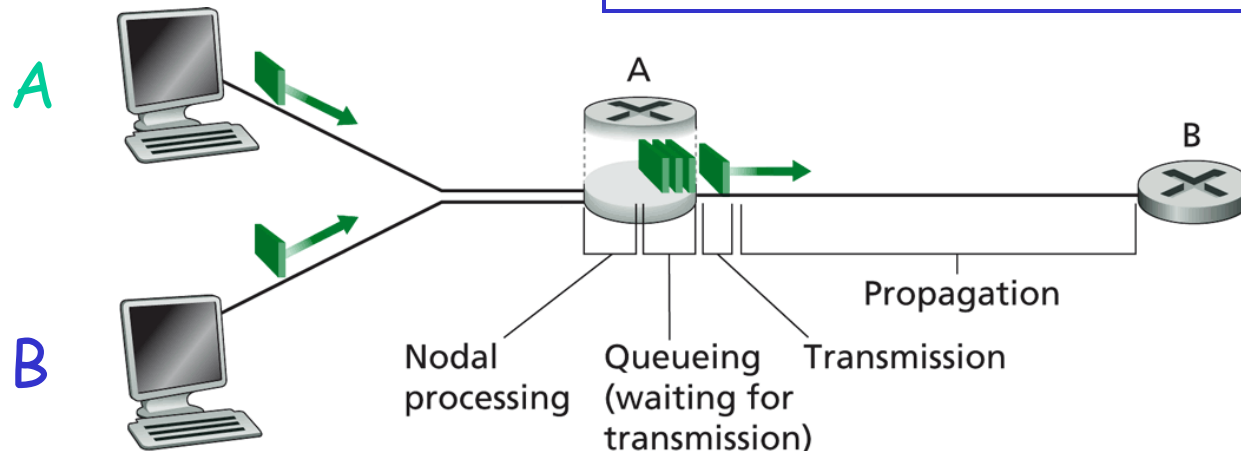
Transmission delay: d_{trans}

- R = link bandwidth (bps)
- L = packet length (bits)
- time to send bits into link = L/R

Propagation delay: d_{prop}

- d = length of physical link
- s = propagation speed in medium ($\sim 2 \times 10^8$ m/sec)
- propagation delay = d/s

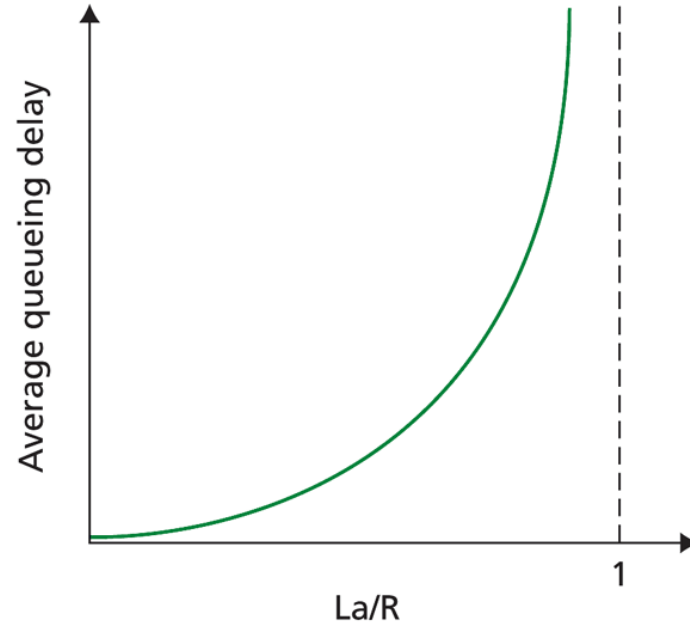
Note: s and R are very different quantities!



Queueing delay (revisited)

- R =link bandwidth (bps)
- L =packet length (bits)
- a =average packet arrival rate

traffic intensity = La/R



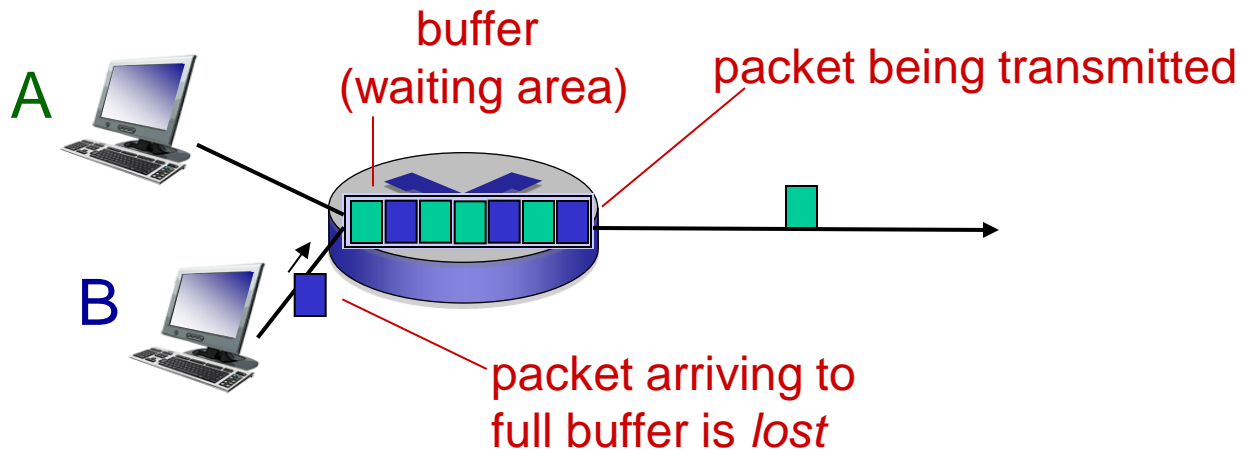
$\text{La}/R \sim 0$: average queueing delay small

$\text{La}/R \rightarrow 1$: delays become large

$\text{La}/R > 1$: more “work” arriving than can be serviced, average delay infinite!

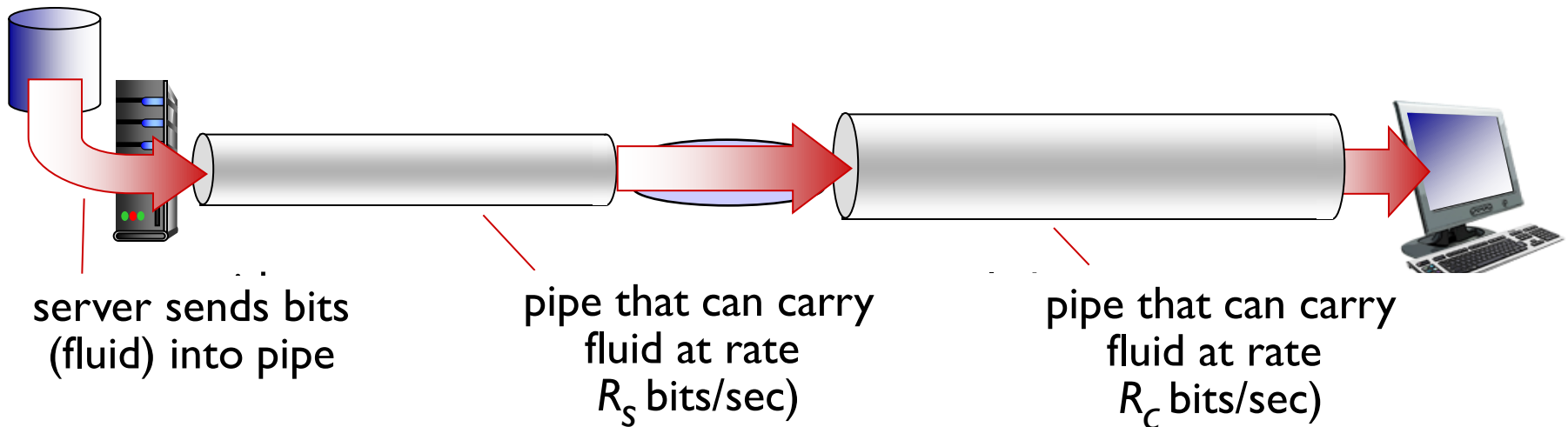
Packet loss

- queue (aka buffer) preceding link in buffer has finite capacity
- packet arriving to full queue dropped (aka lost)
- lost packet may be retransmitted by previous node, by source end system, or not at all



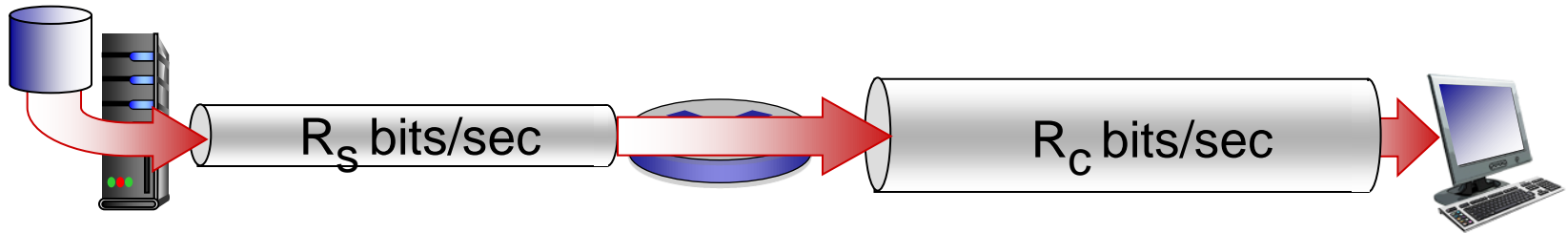
Throughput

- *throughput*: rate (bits/time unit) at which bits transferred between sender/receiver
 - *instantaneous*: rate at given point in time
 - *average*: rate over longer period of time

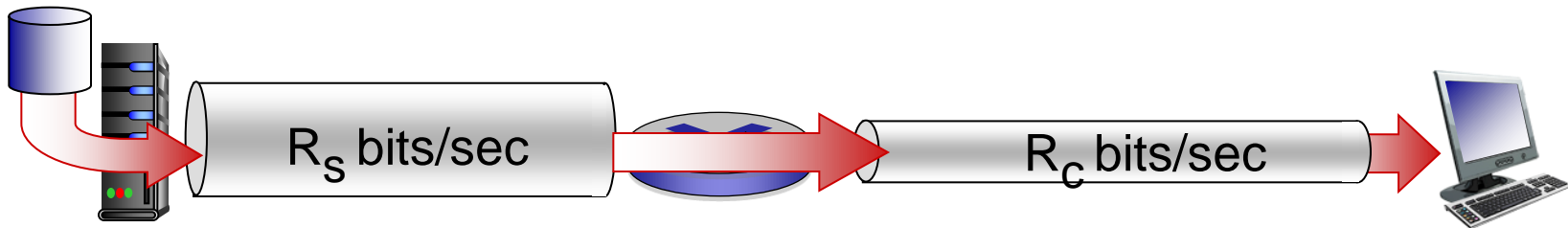


Throughput (more)

- $R_s < R_c$ What is average end-end throughput?



- $R_s > R_c$ What is average end-end throughput?

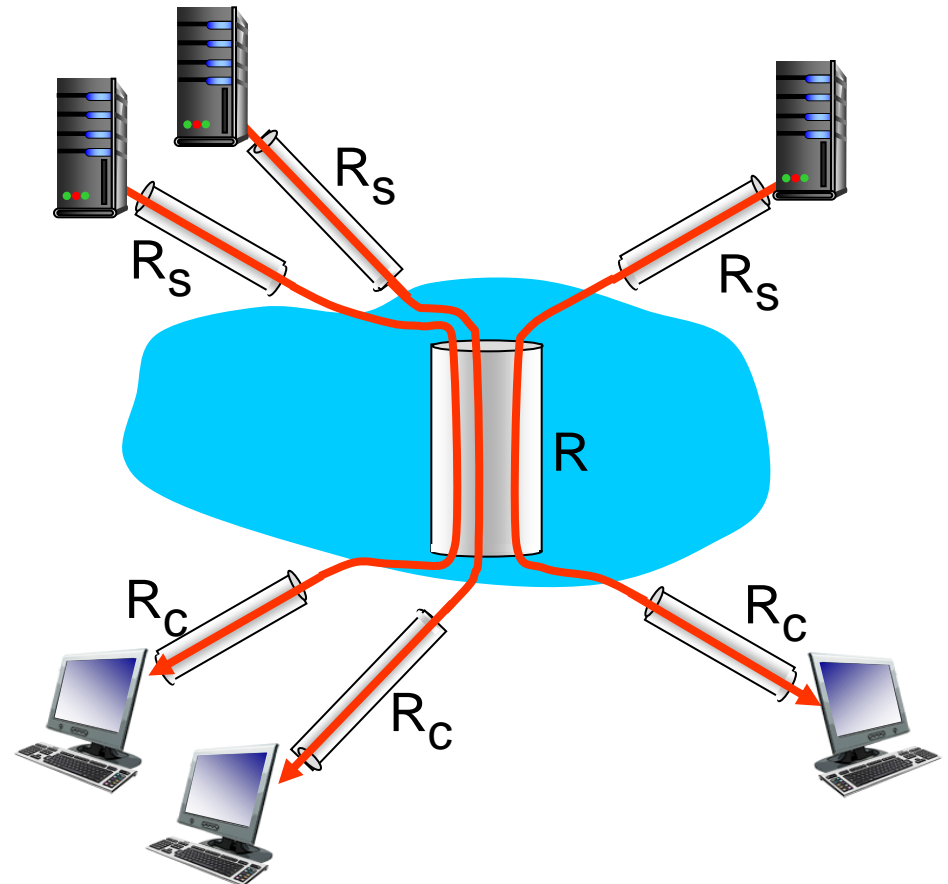


bottleneck link

link on end-end path that constrains end-end throughput

Throughput: Internet scenario

- per-connection end-end throughput: $\min(R_c, R_s, R/10)$
- in practice: R_c or R_s is often bottleneck



10 connections (fairly) share
backbone bottleneck link R bits/sec

Protocol “Layers”

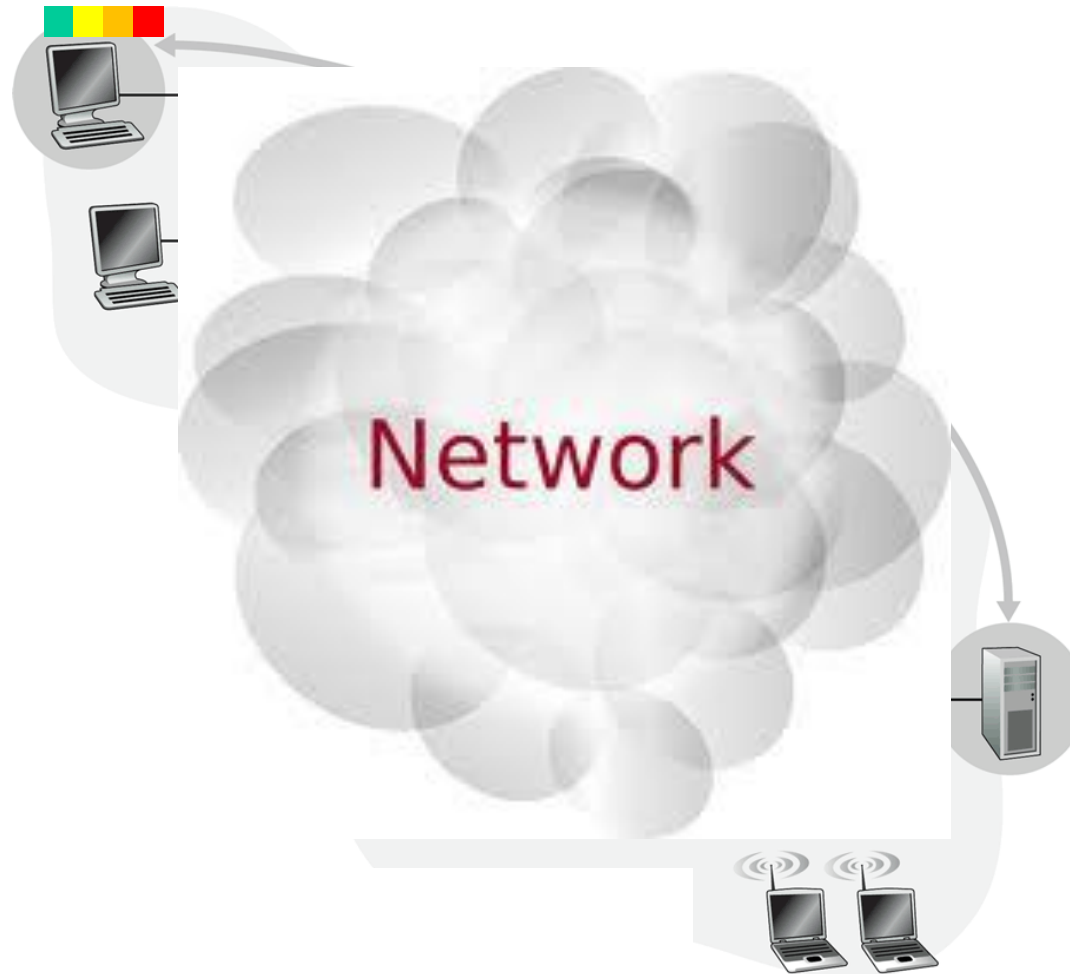
Networks are complex, with many “pieces”:

- hosts
- routers
- links of various media
- applications
- protocols
- hardware, software

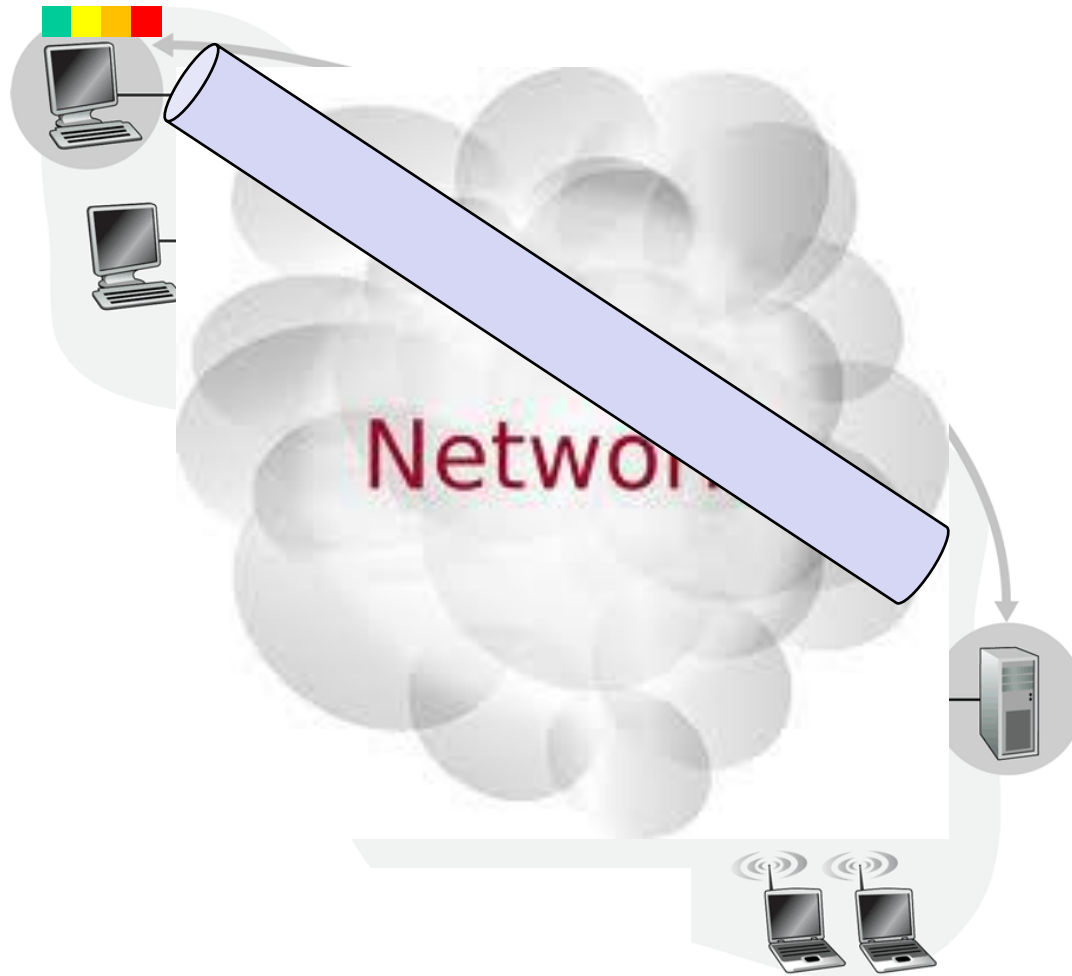
Question:

Is there any hope of *organizing* the structure of a network?

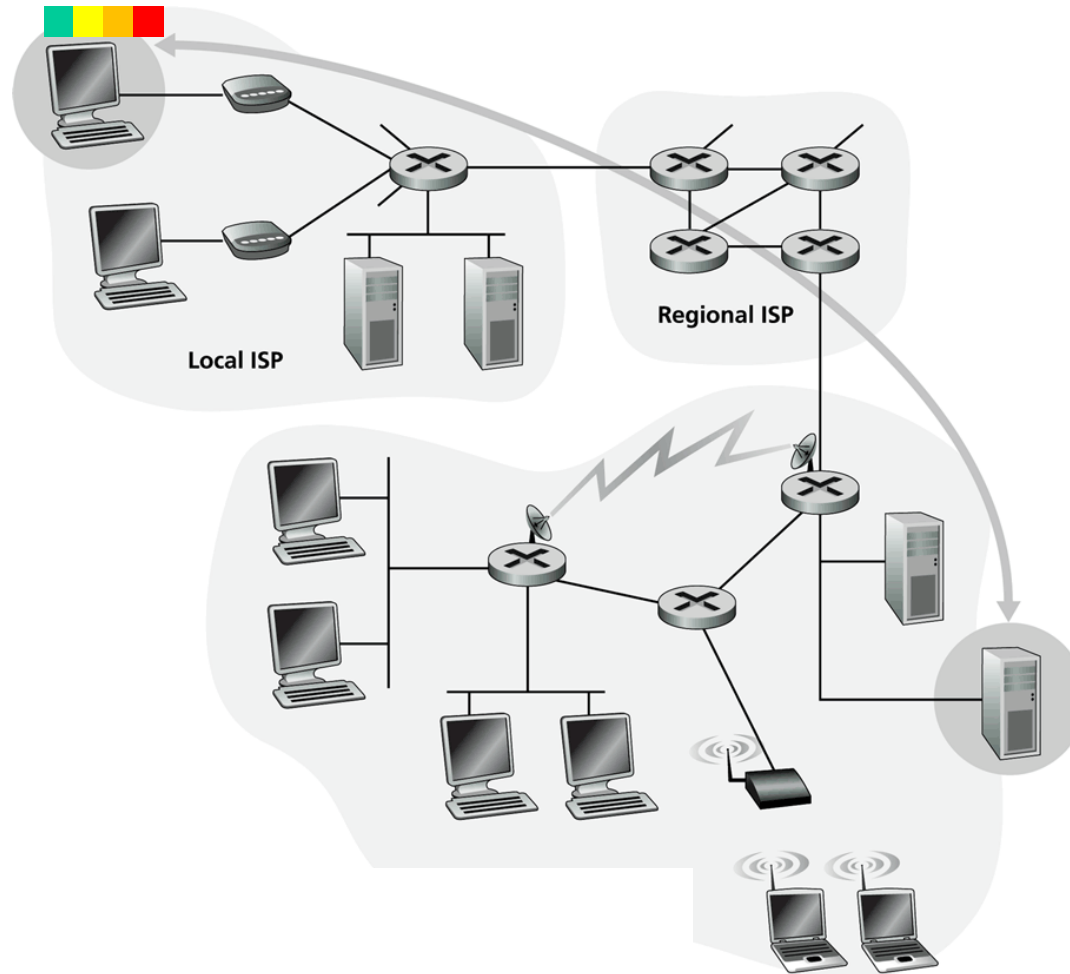
Application Layer



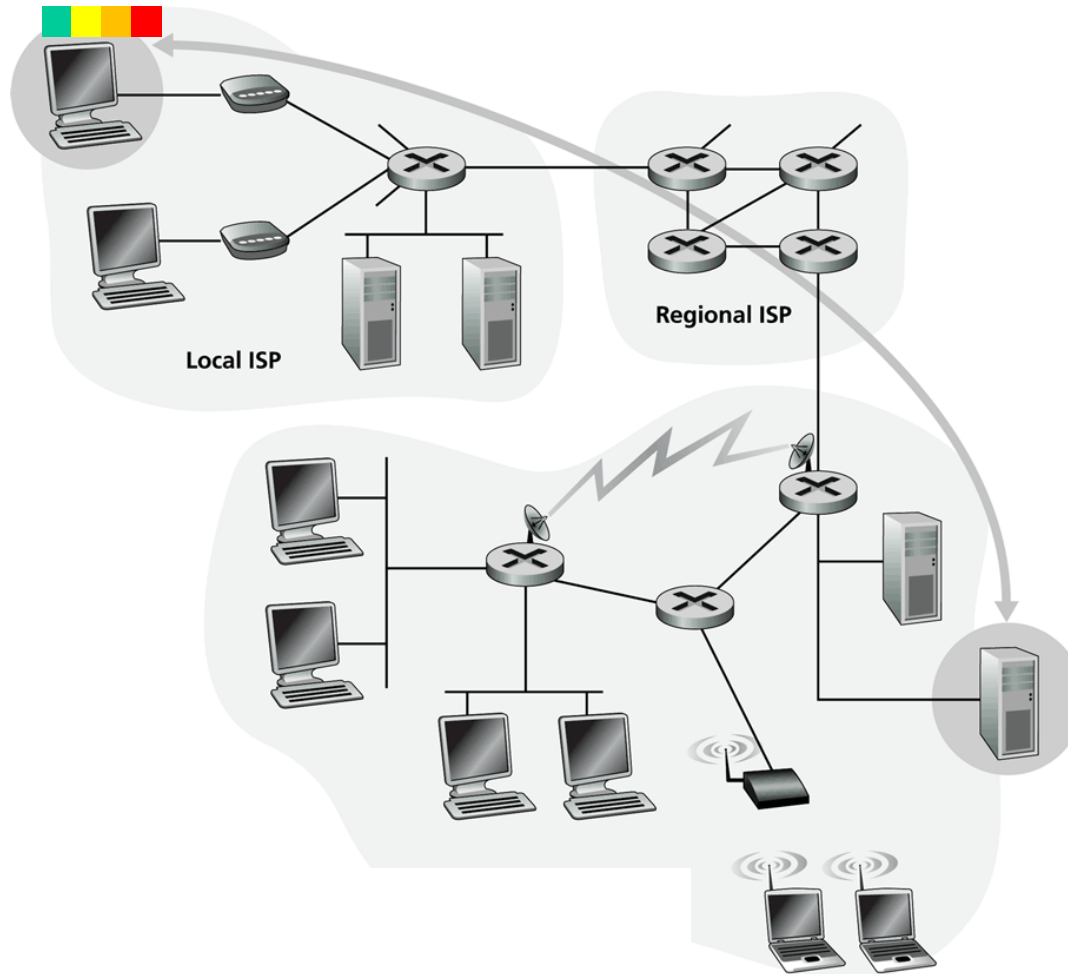
Transport Layer



Network Layer



Data Link Layer



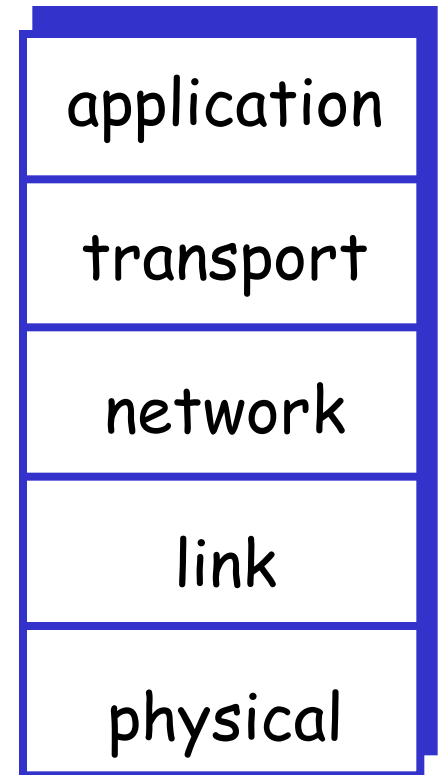
Why layering?

Dealing with complex systems:

- explicit structure allows identification, relationship of complex system's pieces
 - layered **reference model** for discussion
- modularization eases maintenance, updating of system
 - change of implementation of layer's service transparent to rest of system
 - e.g., change in gate procedure doesn't affect rest of system
- layering considered harmful?

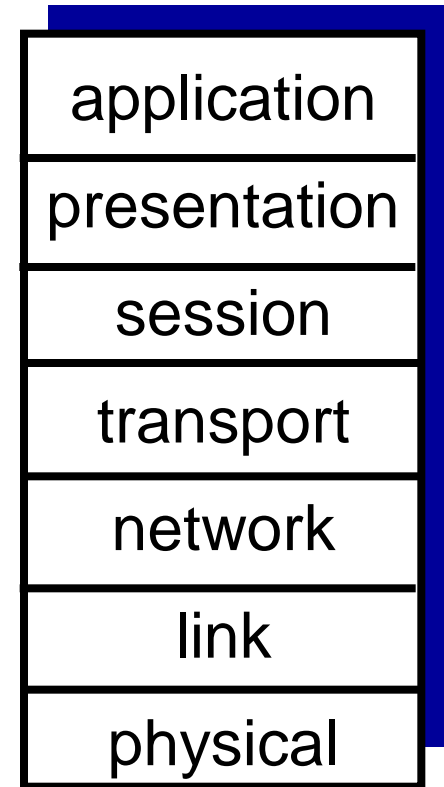
Internet protocol stack

- **application:** supporting network applications
 - ftp, smtp, http
- **transport:** host-host data transfer
 - tcp, udp
- **network:** routing of datagrams from source to destination
 - ip, routing protocols
- **link:** data transfer between neighboring network elements
 - ppp, ethernet
- **physical:** bits “on the wire”

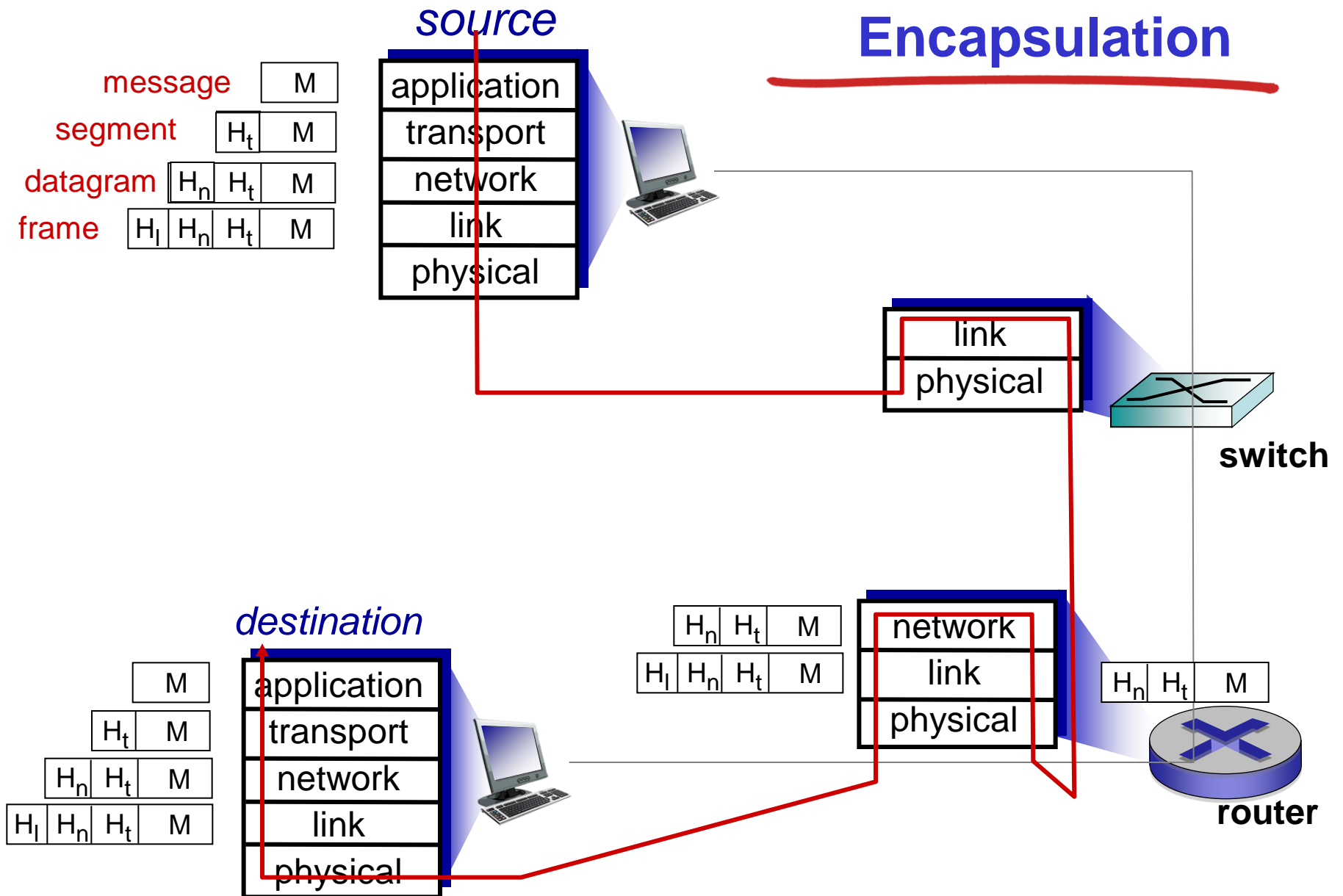


ISO/OSI reference model

- *presentation*: allow applications to interpret meaning of data, e.g., encryption, compression, machine-specific conventions
- *session*: synchronization, checkpointing, recovery of data exchange
- Internet stack “missing” these layers!
 - these services, *if needed*, must be implemented in application
 - needed?



Encapsulation



Internet History

1961-1972: Early packet-switching principles

- 1961: Kleinrock - queueing theory shows effectiveness of packet-switching
- 1964: Baran - packet-switching in military nets
- 1967: ARPAnet conceived by Advanced Research Projects Agency
- 1969: first ARPAnet node operational
- 1972:
 - ARPAnet demonstrated publicly
 - NCP (Network Control Protocol) first host-host protocol
 - first e-mail program
 - ARPAnet has 15 nodes

Internet History

1972-1980: Internetworking, new and proprietary nets

- **1970:** ALOHAnet satellite network in Hawaii
- **1973:** Metcalfe's PhD thesis proposes Ethernet
- **1974:** Cerf and Kahn - architecture for interconnecting networks
- **late70's:** proprietary architectures: DECnet, SNA, XNA
- **late 70's:** switching fixed length packets (ATM precursor)
- **1979:** ARPAnet has 200 nodes

Cerf and Kahn's internetworking principles:

- minimalism, autonomy - no internal changes required to interconnect networks
- best effort service model
- stateless routers
- decentralized control

define today's Internet architecture

Internet History

1980-1990: new protocols, a proliferation of networks

- 1983: deployment of TCP/IP
- 1982: smtp e-mail protocol defined
- 1983: DNS defined for name-to-IP-address translation
- 1985: ftp protocol defined
- 1988: TCP congestion control
- new national networks: Csnet, BITnet, NSFnet, Minitel
- 100,000 hosts connected to confederation of networks

Internet History

1990's: commercialization, the WWW

- **Early 1990's:** ARPAnet decommissioned
- **1991:** NSF lifts restrictions on commercial use of NSFnet (decommissioned, 1995)
- **Early 1990s:** WWW
 - hypertext [Bush 1945, Nelson 1960's]
 - HTML, http: Berners-Lee
 - 1994: Mosaic, later Netscape
 - late 1990's: commercialization of the WWW
- **Late 1990's-2000's:**
 - more killer apps: instant messaging, P2P file sharing
 - network security to forefront
 - est. 50 million host, 100 million+ users
 - backbone links running at Gbps

Internet history

2005-present

- ~5B devices attached to Internet (2016)
 - smartphones and tablets
- aggressive deployment of broadband access
- increasing ubiquity of high-speed wireless access
- emergence of online social networks:
 - Facebook: ~ one billion users
- service providers (Google, Microsoft) create their own networks
 - bypass Internet, providing “instantaneous” access to search, video content, email, etc.
- e-commerce, universities, enterprises running their services in “cloud” (e.g., Amazon EC2)

Chapter 1: Summary

Covered a “ton” of material!

- Internet overview
- what’s a protocol?
- network edge, core, access network
- performance: loss, delay
- layering and service models
- backbones, NAPs, ISPs
- history

You now hopefully have:

- context, overview, “feel” of networking
- more depth, detail *later* in course

