#### TCP IW10 in Low Bandwidth Networks

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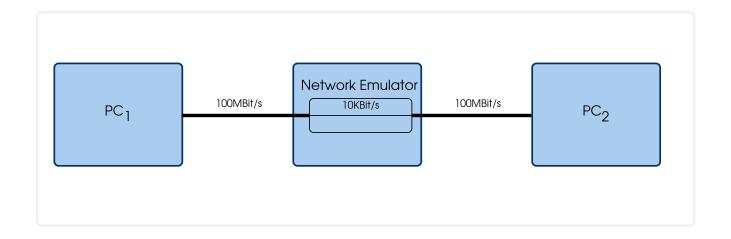
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# **Emulation Setup**



# Scenarios

- ▶ One flow (IW3 to IW10)
- ightharpoonup One (responsive) background flow, n short-lived flow (IW3 to IW10)

### Metrics

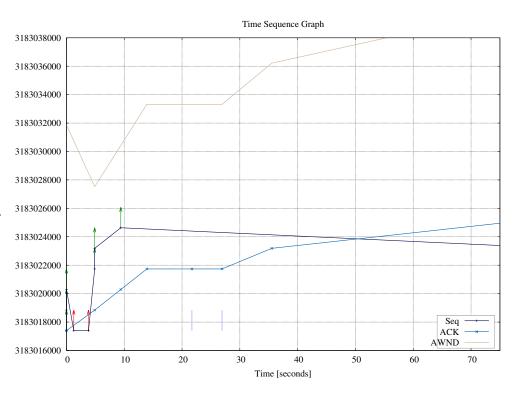
- ► Efficiency
  - $\bullet \ \frac{\text{Number of total packets}}{\text{Retransmission}}$
- ► Transfer time
- ▶ Queue behavior
- ► Fairness (Jain's fairness index)

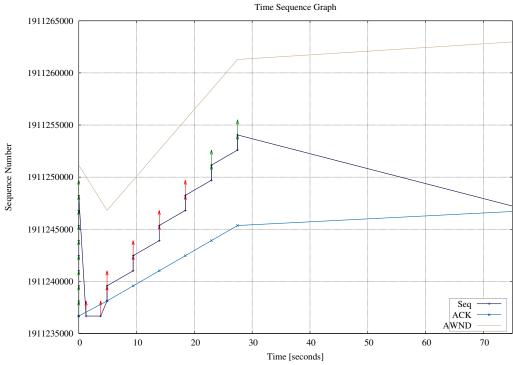
# **Focus**

- ▶ Bandwidth:  $\leq 10000 \text{ Byte/s}$ 
  - Note: large latency comes from low bandwidth
- ▶ Queue Disc:
  - FIFO (tail drop, head drop)
  - Special AQM queues

# Start-Up Behaviour

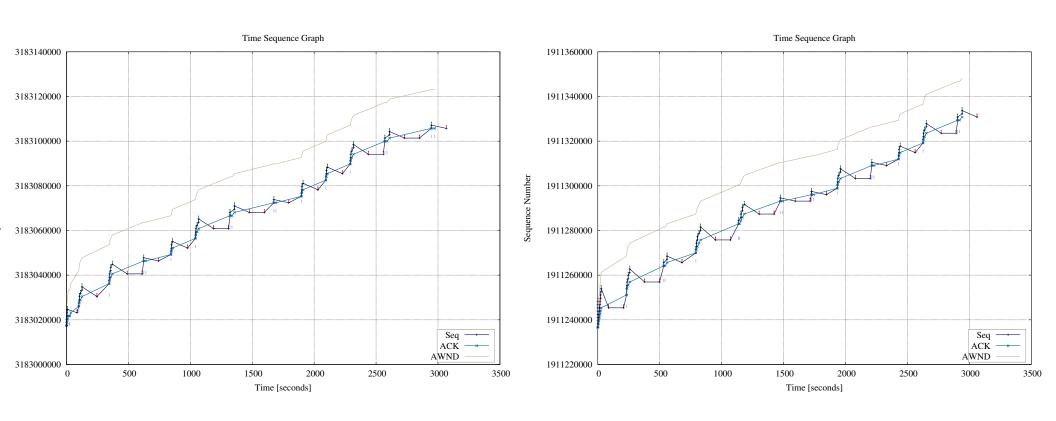
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- ► FIFO (tail drop)
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# Whole Picture

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# Summary

- ▶ We did not observe "major" negative impact of IW10
- ▶ We do not believe that the IW should be a function of time

#### Thank You!



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