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CSU33031 Computer Networks

Rerun: Routing

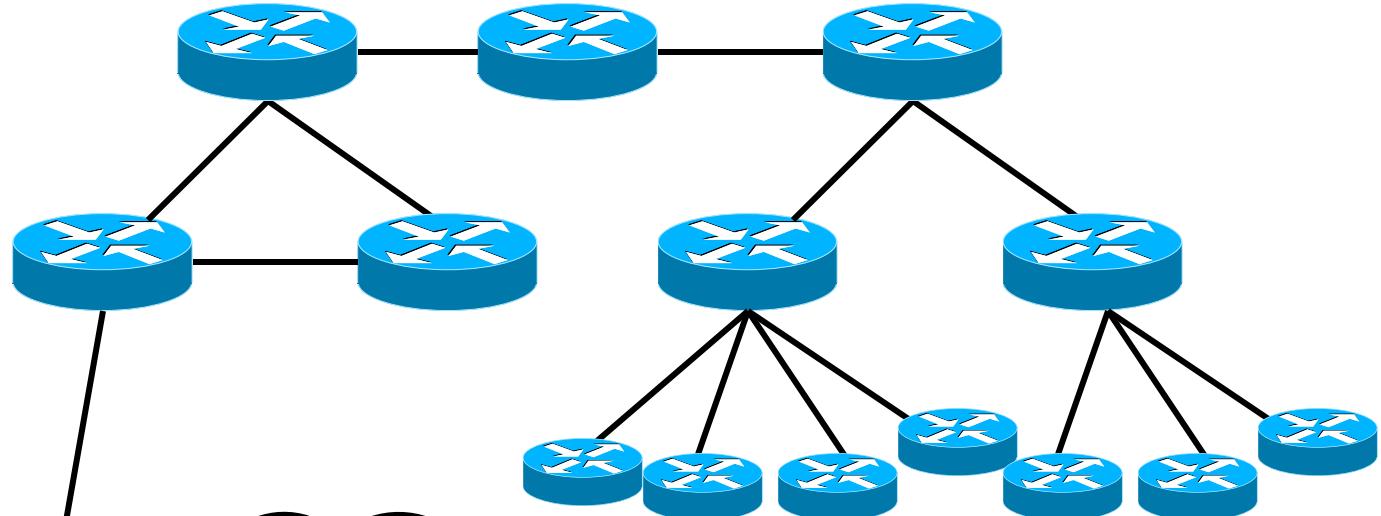
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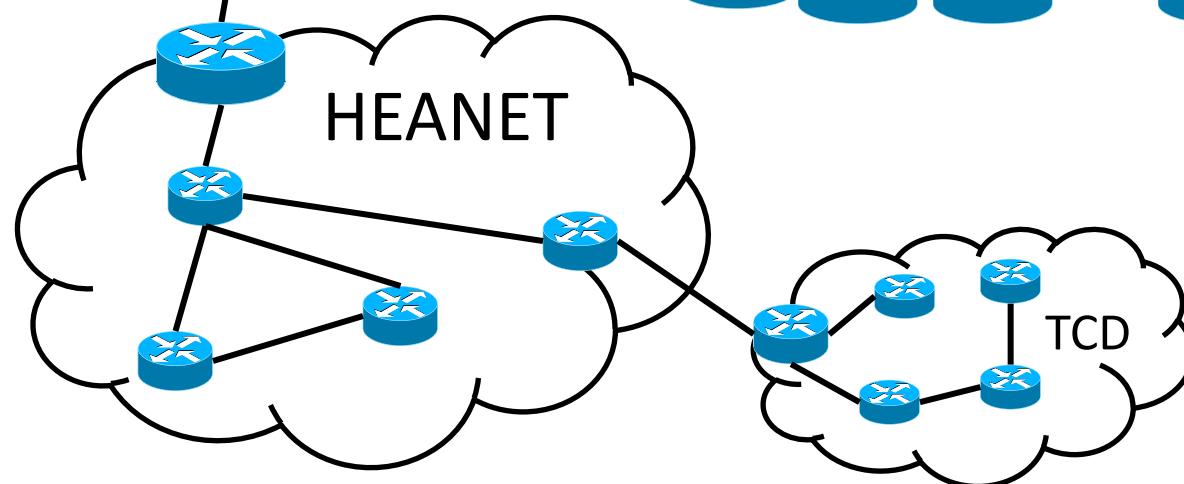
- Rerun of Routing
- OpenFlow
- SD-WAN
- Assignment 2

InterAS vs IntraAS Routing

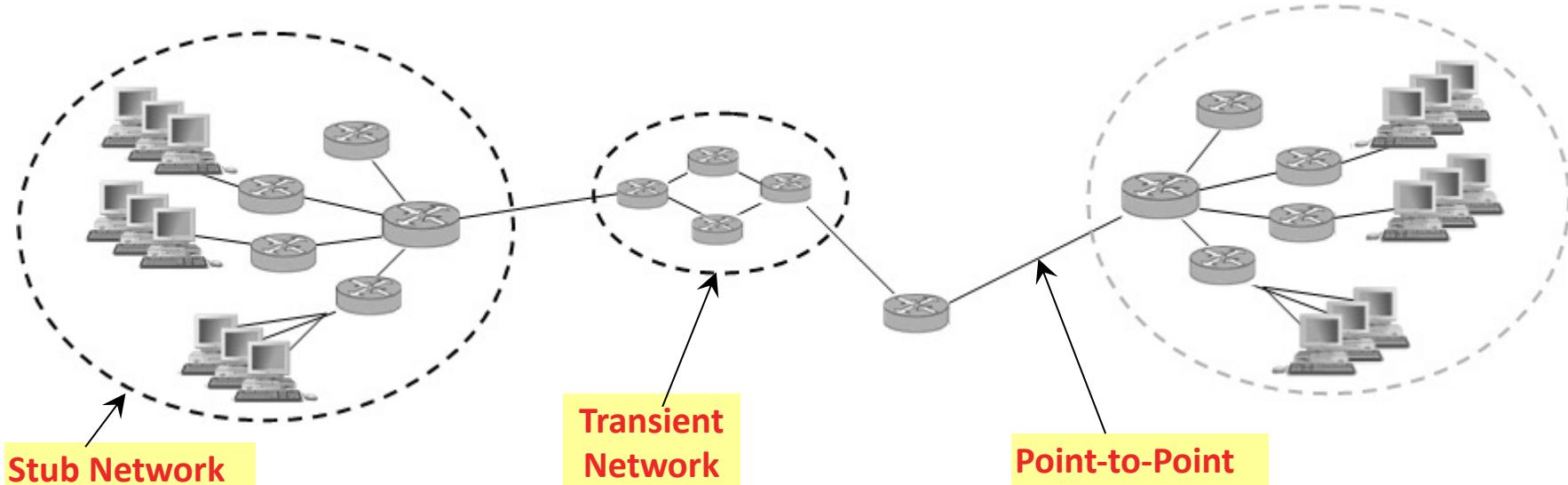
InterAS
Routing



IntraAS
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Autonomous Systems



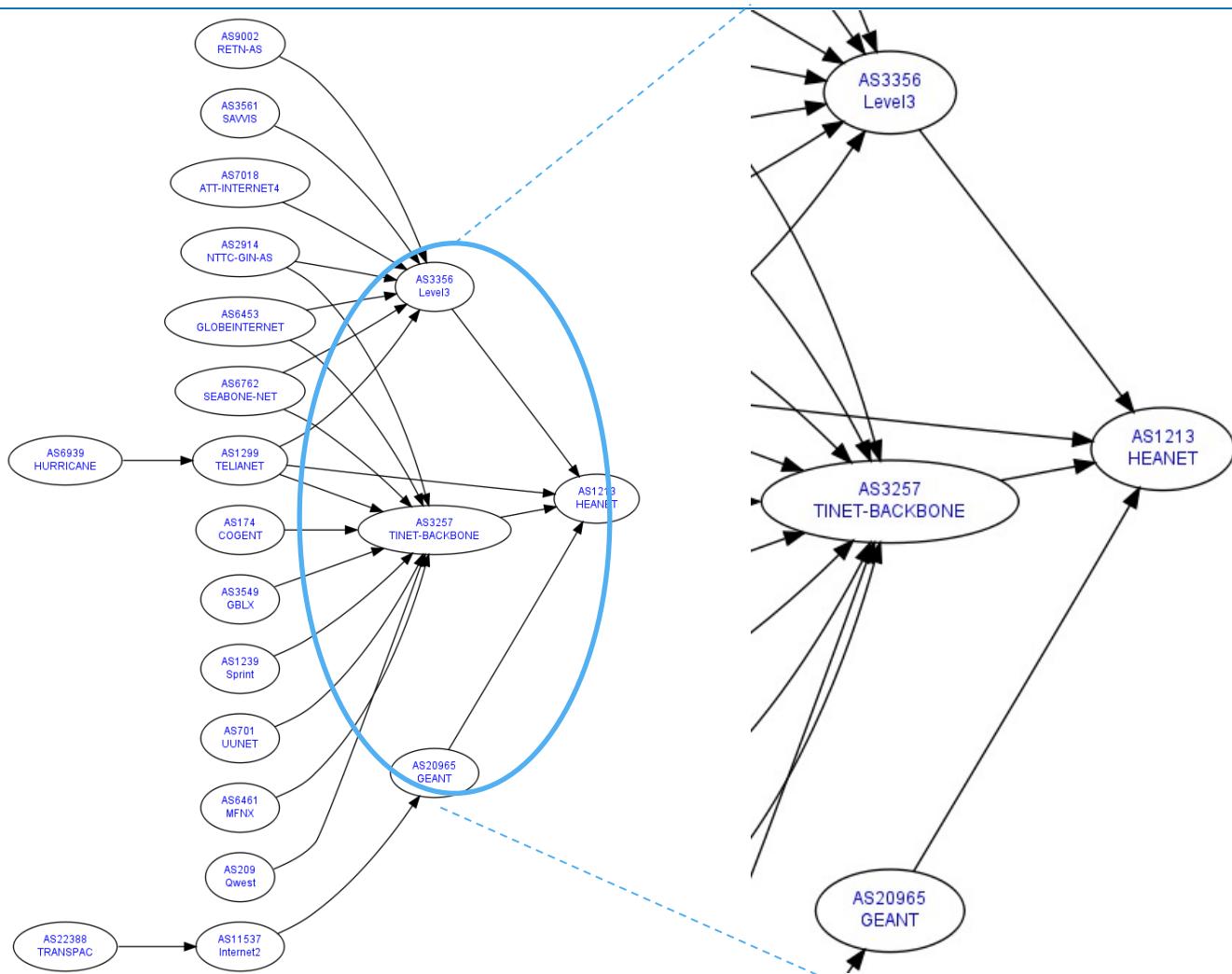
Stub Network

- Stub network
 - Network that does not forward to other network
- Transient network
 - Network that forwards traffic between other networks
- Point-to-point link

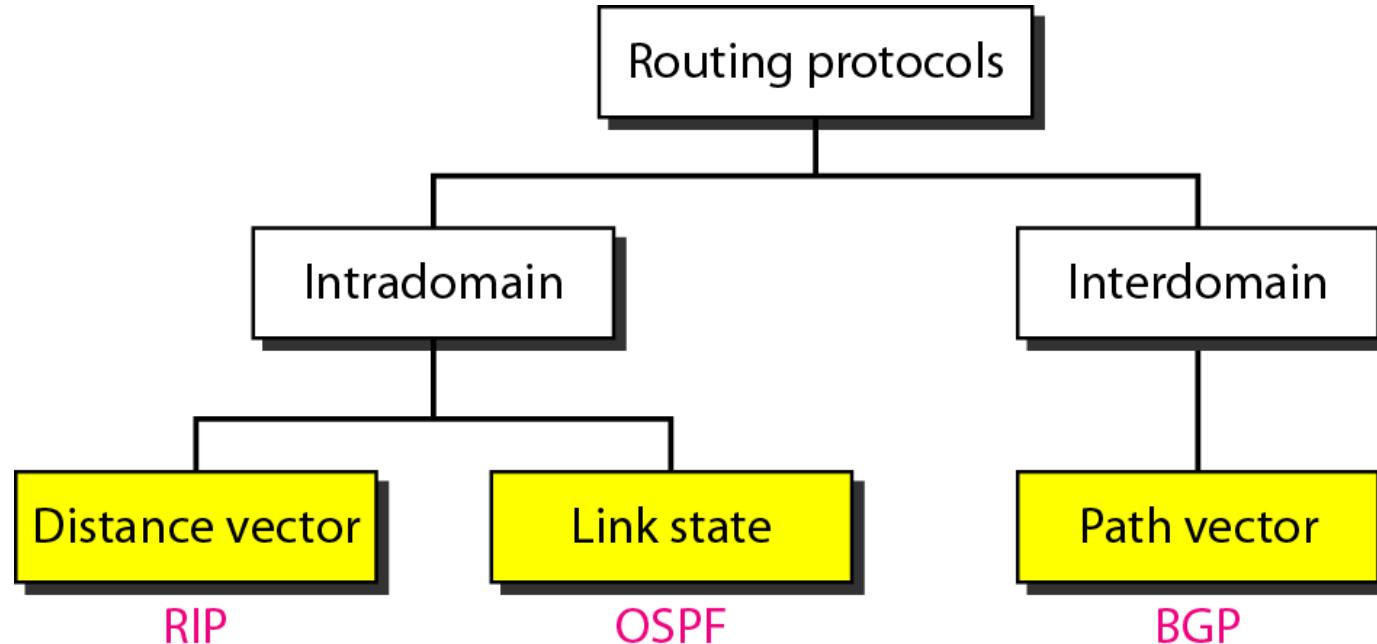
Transient Network

Point-to-Point

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Routing Protocols



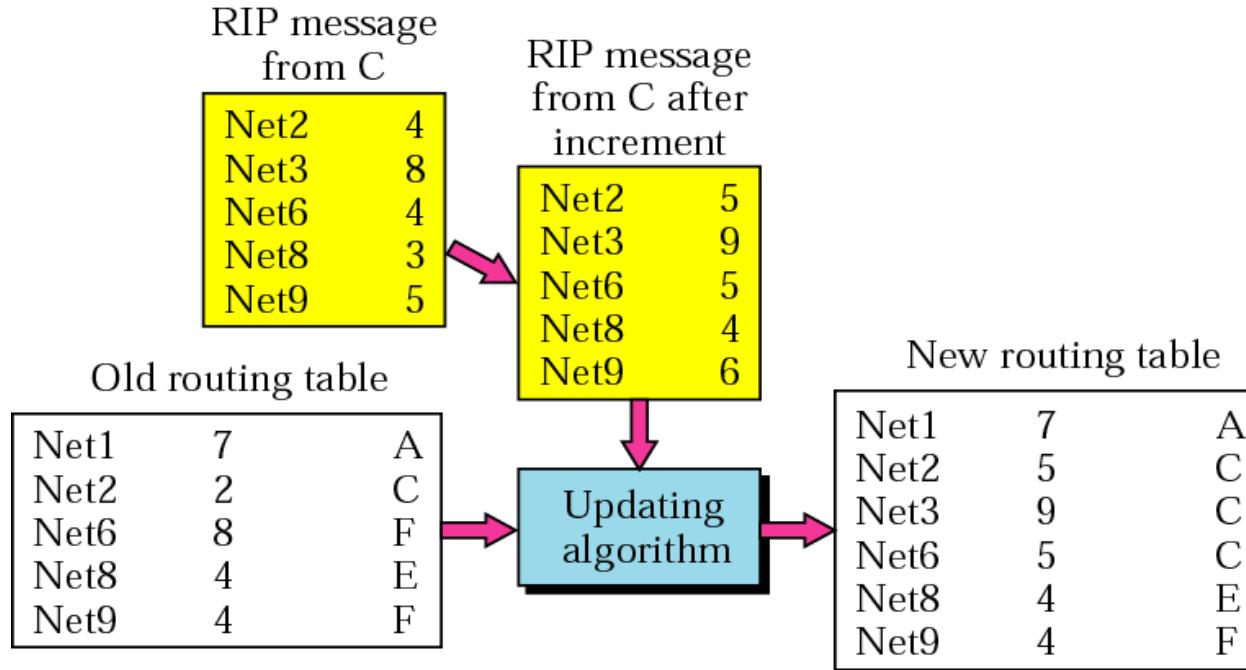
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Routing Approaches

- Distance Vector routing
 - Routes propagate through exchange of routing tables
 - Based on communication with neighbours
- Link State routing
 - Establishing view of complete topology
 - Makes use of Dijkstra's Shortest-Path Algorithm

Distance Vector Routing



Net1: No news, do not change

Net2: Same next hop, replace

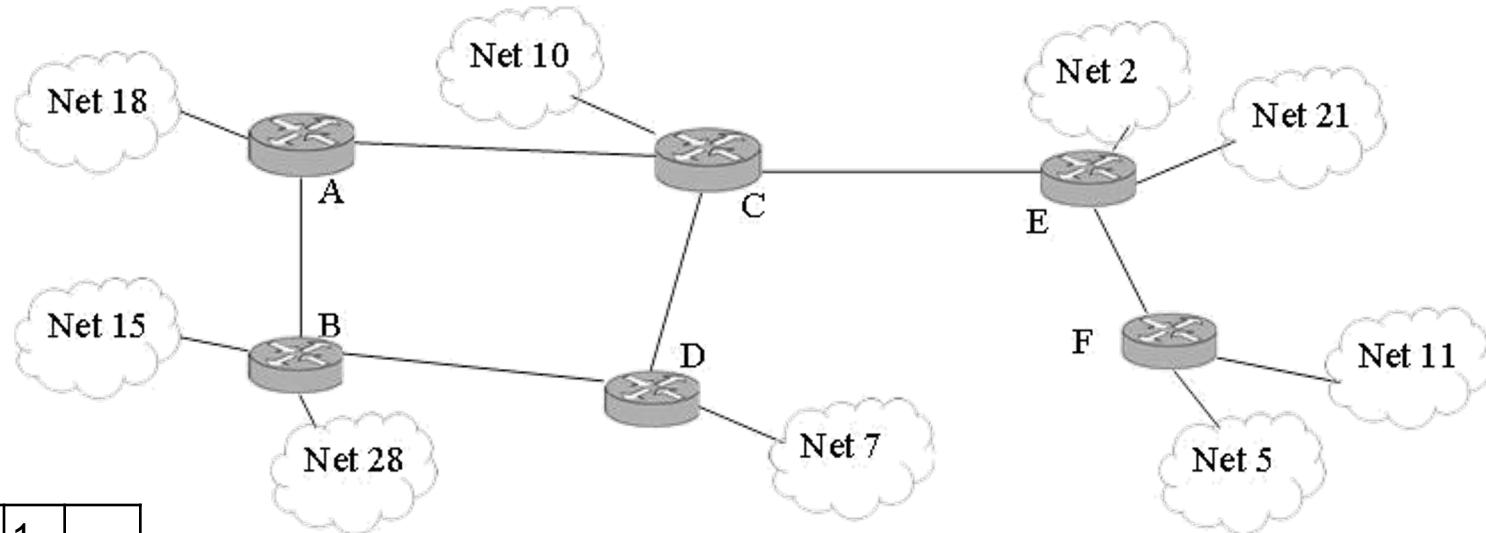
Net3: A new router, add

Net6: Different next hop, new hop count smaller, replace

Net8: Different next hop, new hop count the same, do not change

Net9: Different next hop, new hop count larger, do not change

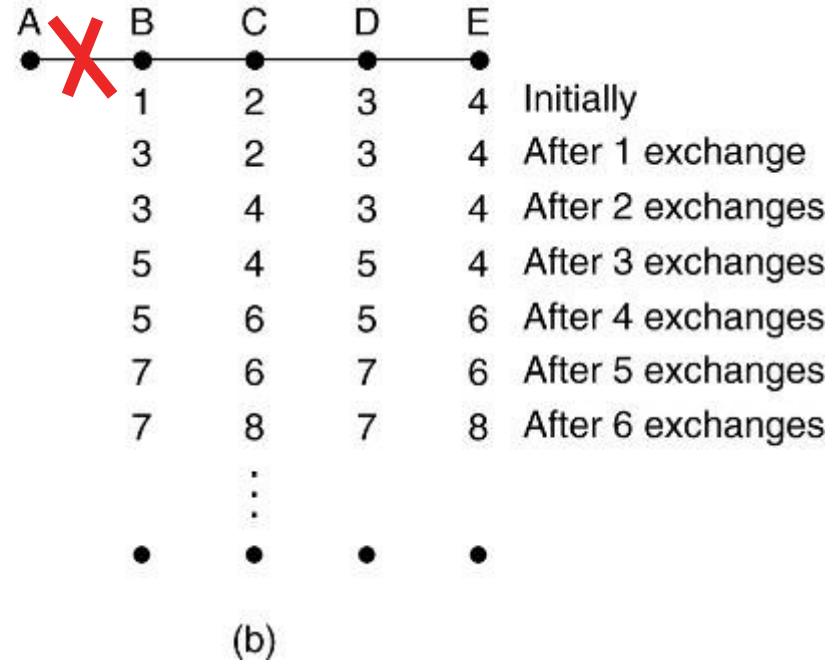
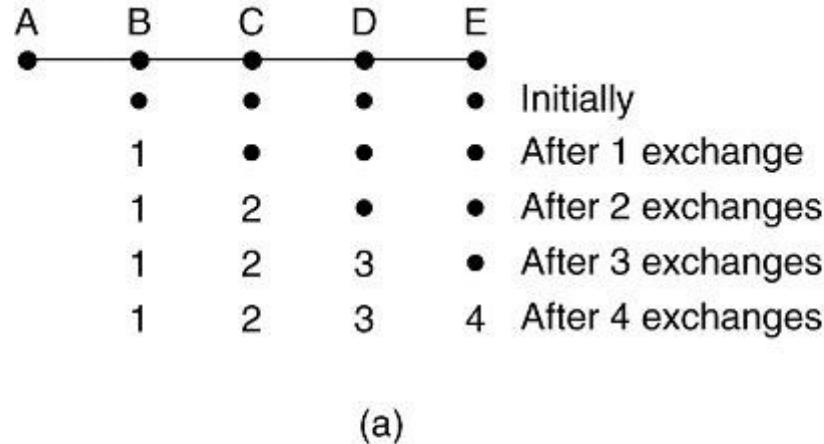
Distance Vector: Example IV



A		
Net18	1	-
Net15	2	B
Net28	2	B
Net10	2	C
Net7	3	B
...
Net11	5	C
Net5	5	C

- Time required to build complete routing tables for all nodes
 - this is known as convergence

Count-to-Infinity Problem



- Routers exchange updates
- After 4 steps the network converges
- Every router knows how to get to router A

- Link between A and B breaks
- B receives update from C advertising route to A

* Figure is courtesy of A. Tanenbaum

Split Horizon with Poisoned Reverse

Report “split-horizon” routes as **infinity** to break loops on the first routing exchange.

A	B	C	D	E	
	inf.	2	3	4	B learns A is dead
	inf.	inf. $\xrightarrow{}$ 2	3	4	B reports to C that A's metric is inf.
	inf.	inf.	3	4	After 1 exchange
	inf.	inf.	inf.	4	After 2 exchanges
	inf.	inf.	inf.	inf.	After 3 exchanges

Link State Routing

- Sharing knowledge about neighbourhood
- Sharing with every other router
- Uses Dijkstra's Shortest-Path Algorithm to calculate the routing table
- Open Shortest Path First (OSPF)
 - Divides autonomous system into areas
 - Border routers summarize information for an area

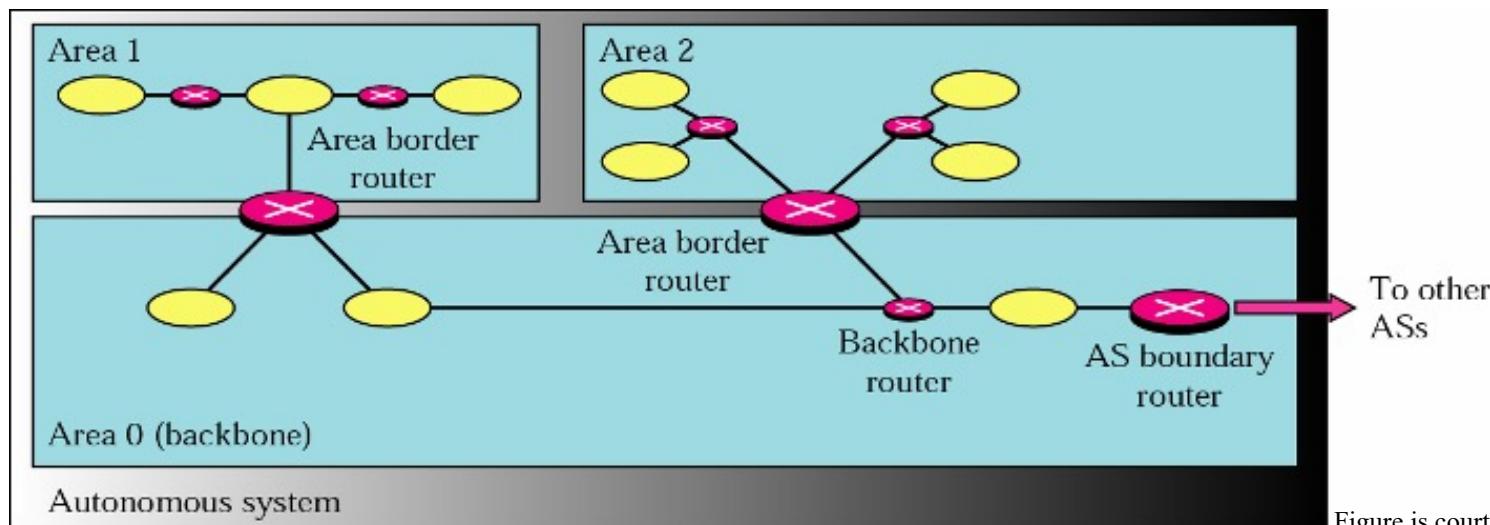
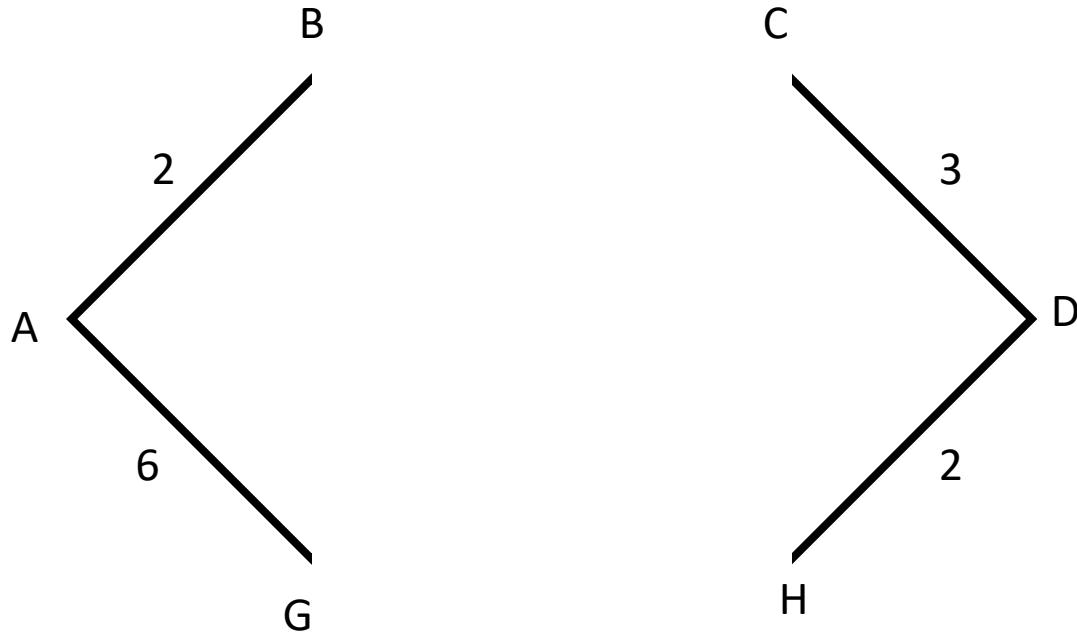


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Example: Building a network graph

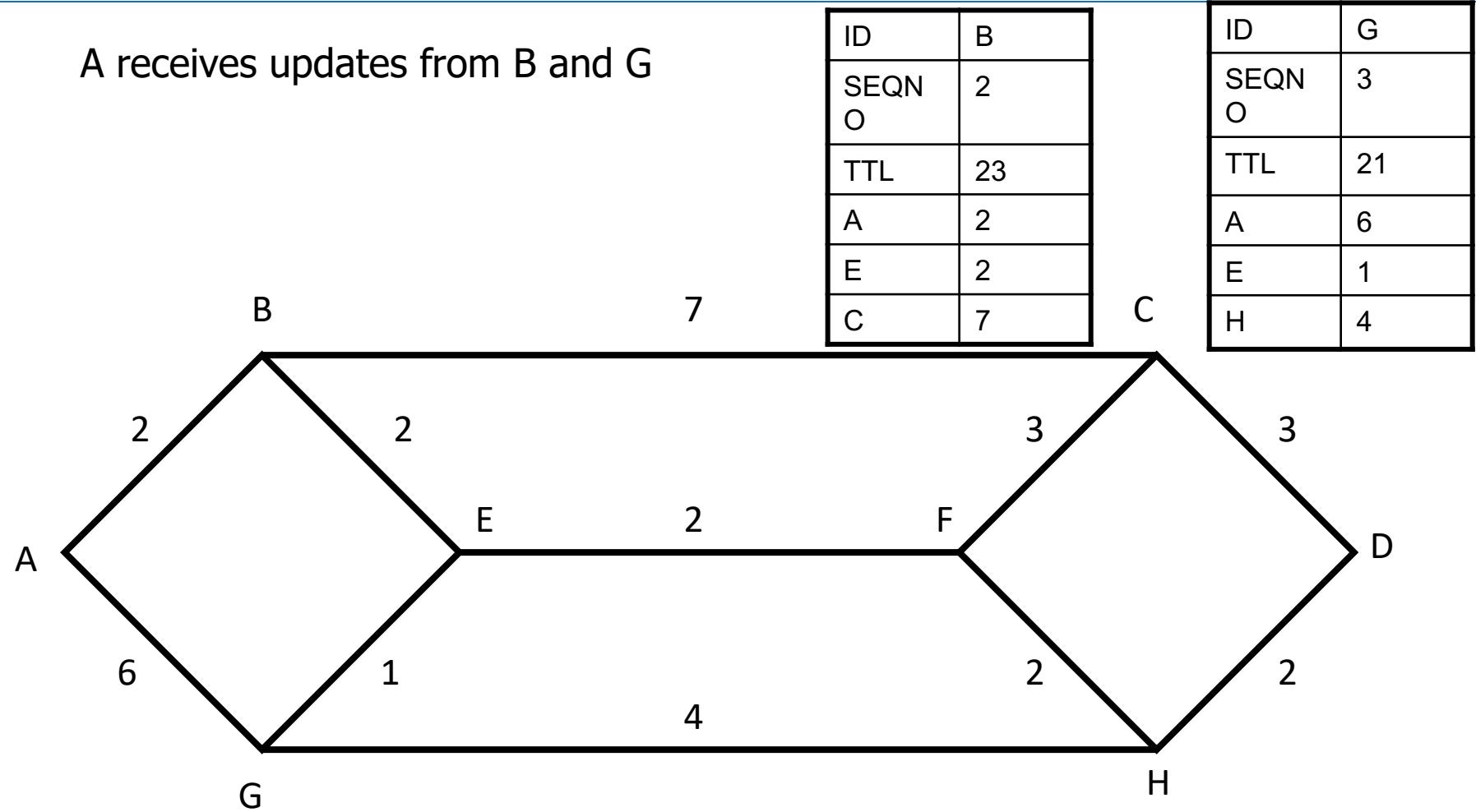
A receives an update from D



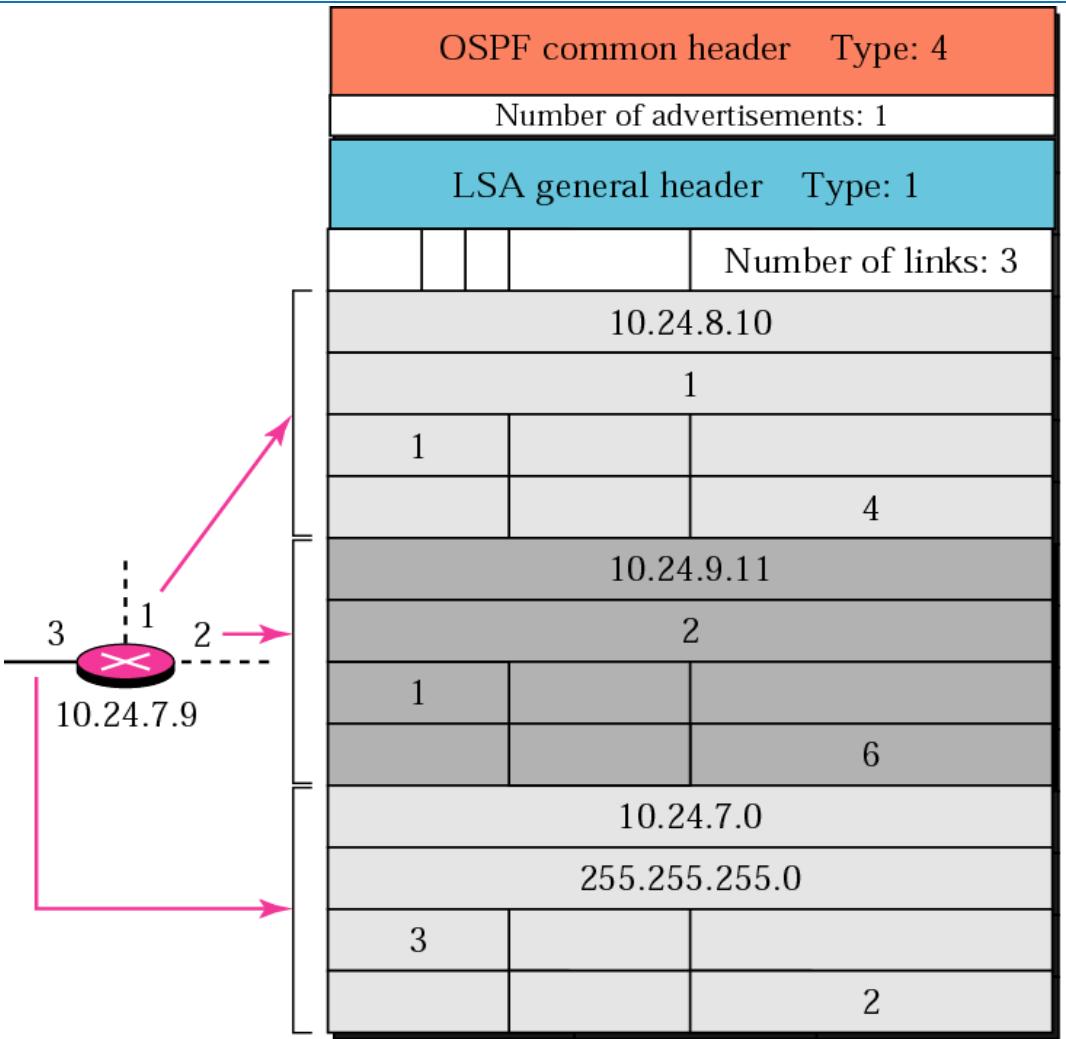
ID	D
SEQNO	0
TTL	21
C	3
H	2

Example: Building a network graph

A receives updates from B and G



OSPF LSA Example



<i>Link Type</i>	<i>Link Identification</i>
Type 1: Point-to-point	Address of neighbor router
Type 2: Transient	Address of designated router
Type 3: Stub	Network address
Type 4: Virtual	Address of neighbor router

<i>Link Type</i>	<i>Link Data</i>
Type 1: Point-to-point	Interface number
Type 2: Transient	Router address
Type 3: Stub	Network mask
Type 4: Virtual	Router address

One router link advertisement

Dijkstra's Algorithm

1. Start with the local node (router): the root of the tree.
2. Assign a cost of 0 to this node and make it the first permanent node.
3. Examine each neighbour node of the node that was the last permanent node.
4. Assign a cumulative cost to each node and make it tentative.
5. Among the list of tentative nodes
 - a) Find the node with the smallest cumulative cost and make it permanent.
 - b) If a node can be reached from more than one direction
 - I. Select the direction with the shortest cumulative cost.
6. Repeat steps 3 to 5 until every node becomes permanent.

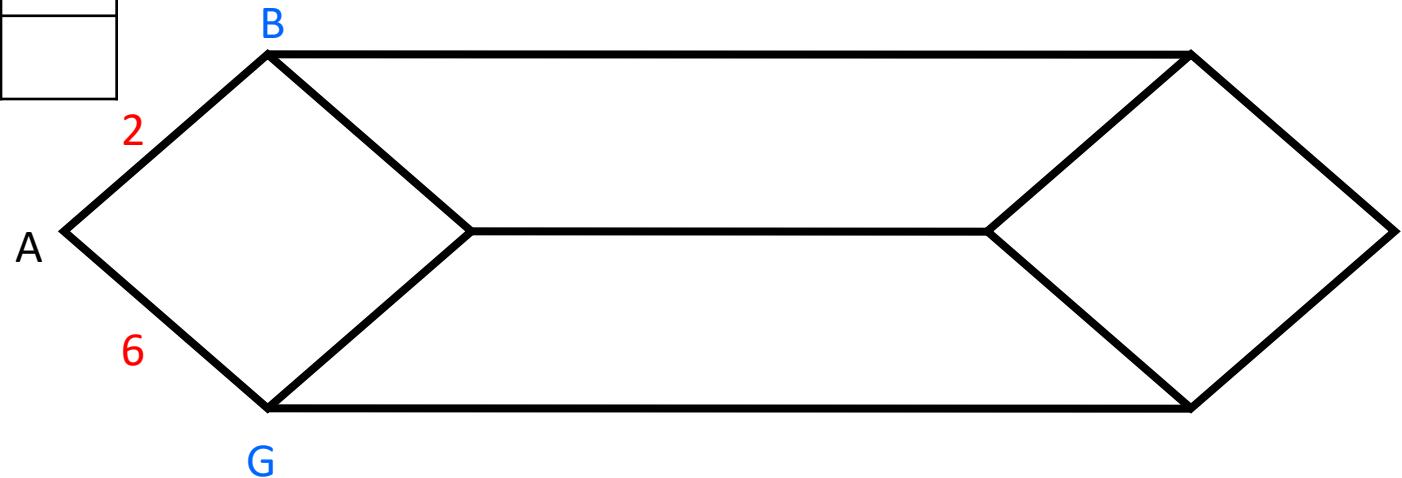
Example: Dijkstra's Algorithm

Routing Table

A	0	-

Tentative Nodes

B	2	A
G	6	A



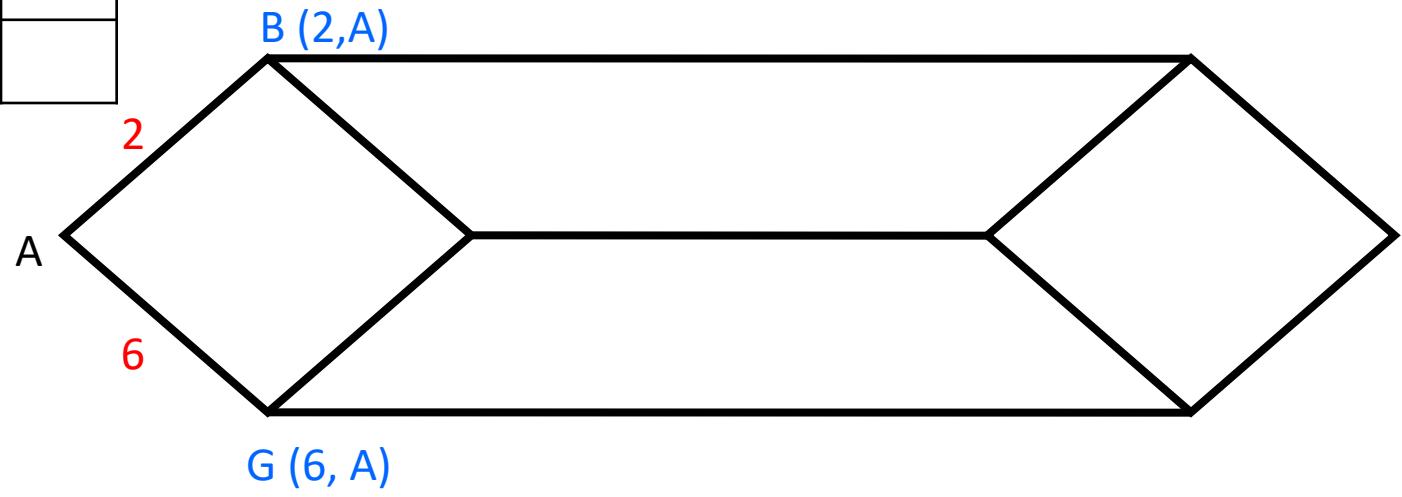
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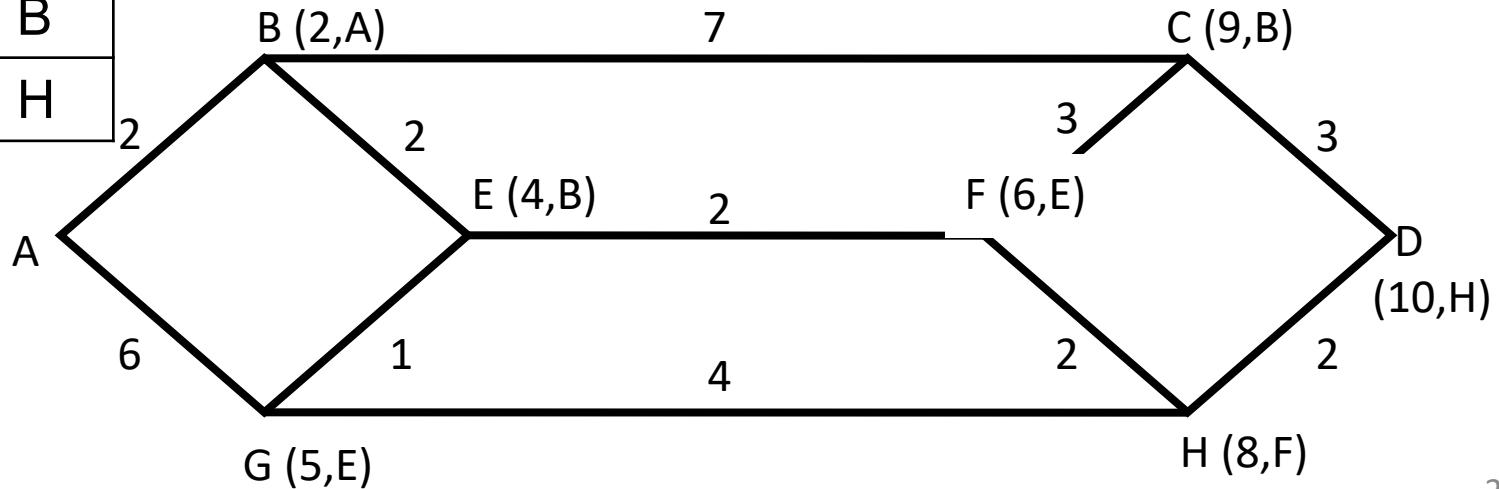
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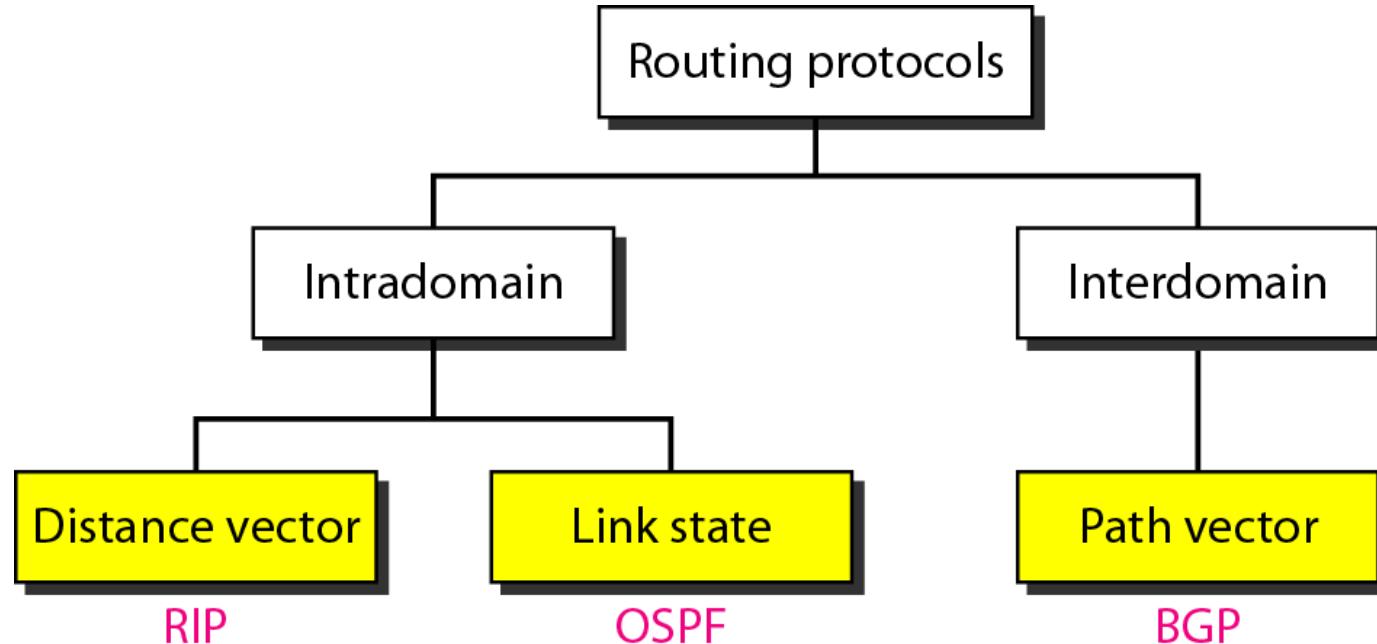
Example: Dijkstra's Algorithm

A	0	-
B	2	A
E	4	B
G	5	E
F	6	E
H	8	F
C	9	B
D	10	H

- Shortest connection from A to any other node
- Greedy algorithm! Follows minima!



Routing Protocols



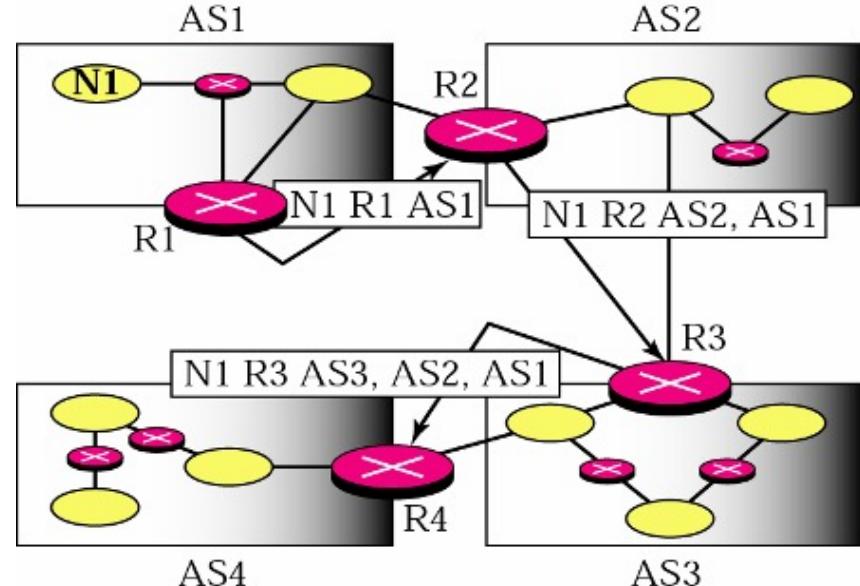
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Border Gateway Protocol (BGP)

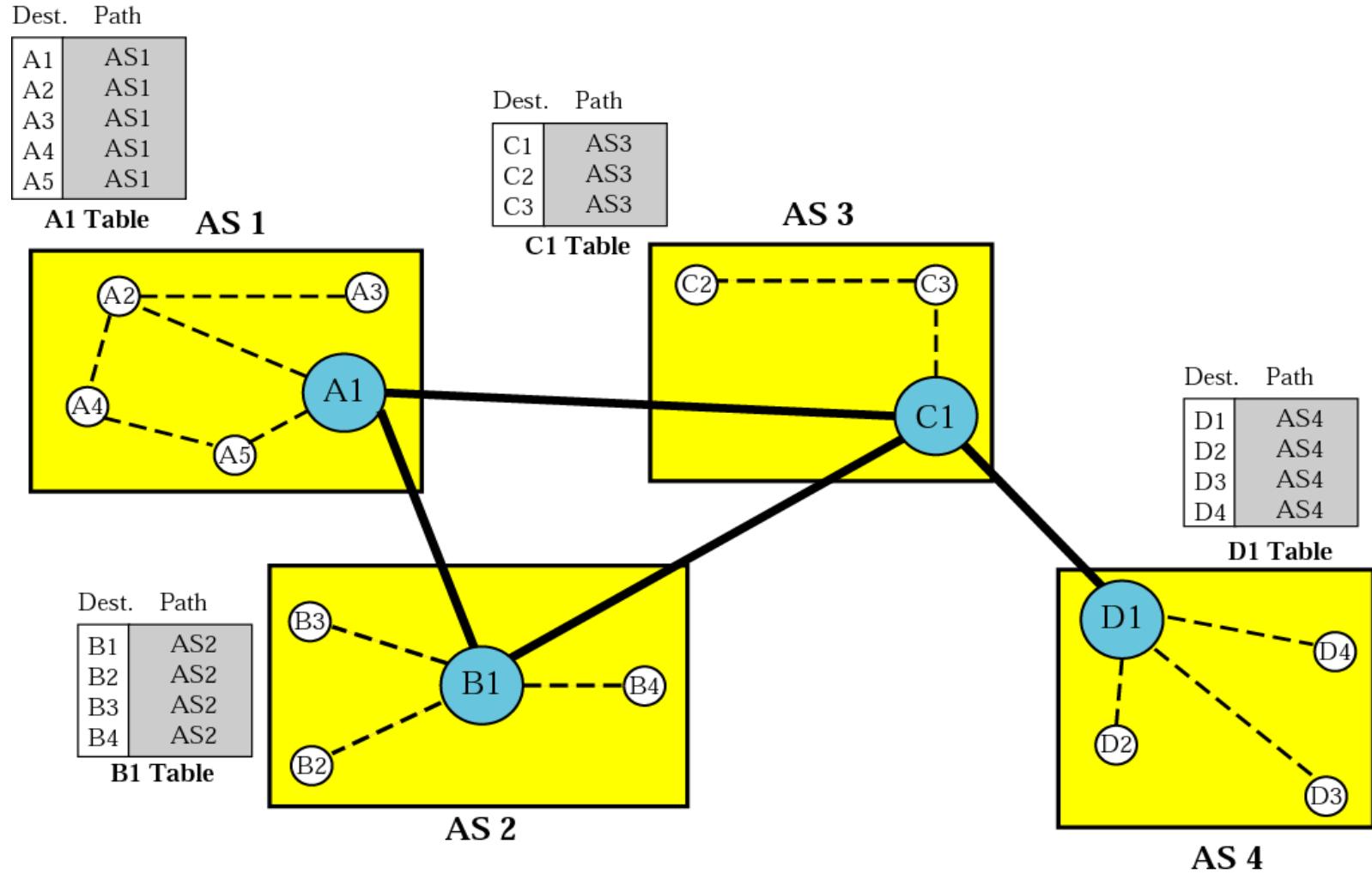
- Uses Path Vector Routing
- Advertisements include complete path to destination
- Router that forwards advertisement adds itself to the list
- Path can be checked for loops
- Policies are applied when incorporating new routes

Network	Next Router	Path
N01	R01	AS14, AS23, AS67
N02	R05	AS22, AS67, AS05, AS89
N03	R06	AS67, AS89, AS09, AS34
N04	R12	AS62, AS02, AS09



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Tables at Autonomous Systems



BGP-4: Border Gateway Protocol

- AS Types
 - Stub AS: has a single connection to one other AS
 - Carries local traffic only
 - Multihomed AS: has connections to more than one AS
 - Refuses to carry transit traffic
 - Transit AS: has connections to more than one AS
 - Carries both transit and local traffic
- Each AS has:
 - One or more border routers
 - One BGP *speaker* that advertises:
 - Local networks
 - Other reachable networks (transit AS only)
 - Gives *path* information

Summary: Routing

- Autonomous Systems
 - Stub network
 - Transient network
 - Point-to-point link
- Distance Vector routing
 - Share complete information with neighbours
 - Count-to-Infinity problem
 - Example: Routing Information Protocol (RIP)
- Link State routing
 - Share information about neighbours with everyone
 - Dijkstra's Shortest-Path Algorithm
 - Example: Open Shortest Path First (OSPF)



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OpenFlow

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Original OpenFlow Paper

OpenFlow: Enabling Innovation in Campus Networks

March 14, 2008

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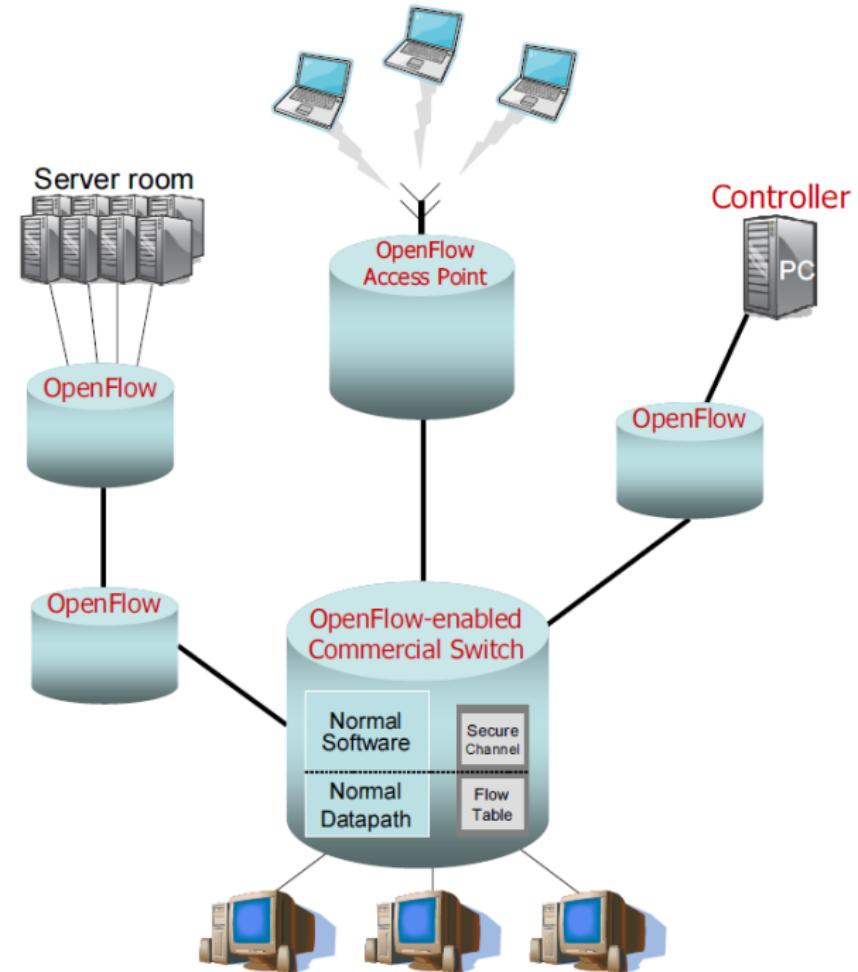
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Header of 2008 Paper

- OpenFlow switches
- Controller w/ secure connection
- Configurable flow tables



• Nick McKeown et al, SIGCOMM 2008

OpenFlow Switch

Software Layer

OpenFlow Client

Hardware Layer

Flow Table

MAC src	MAC dst	IP Src	IP Dst	TCP sport	TCP dport	Action
*	*	*	5.6.7.8	*	*	port 1



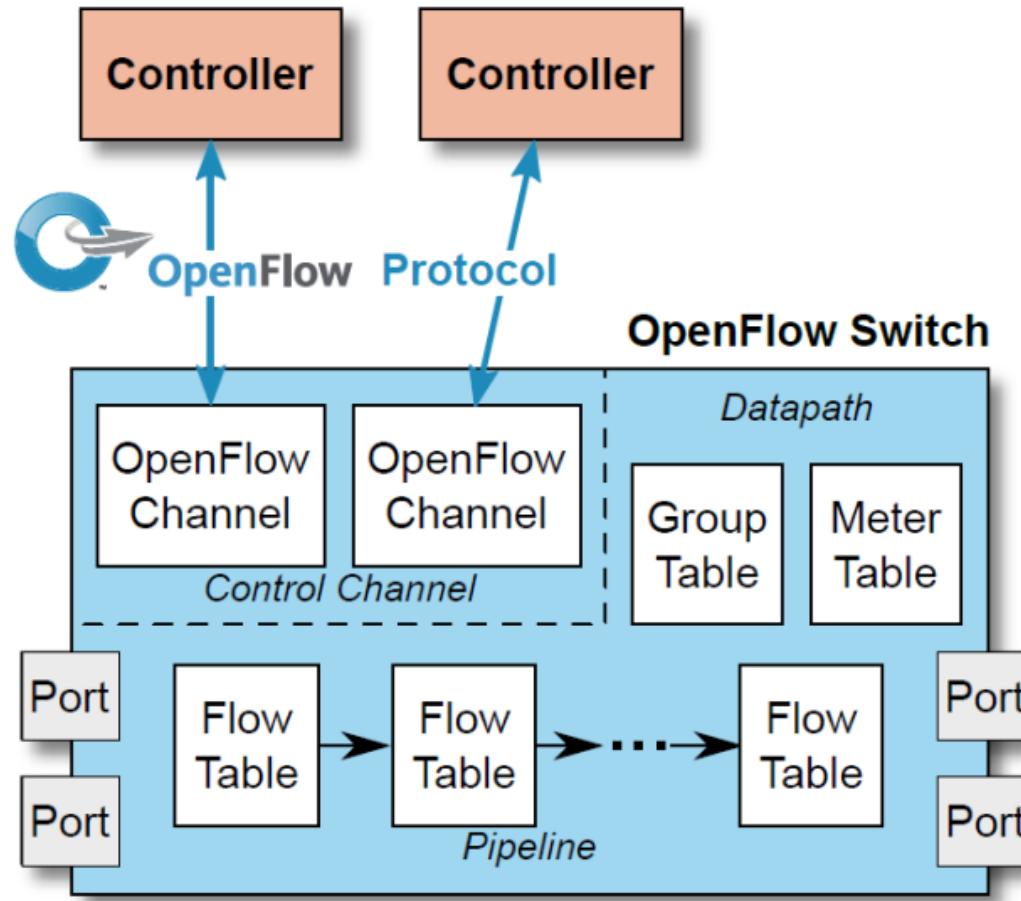
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Controller

Compare to
iptables/netfilter

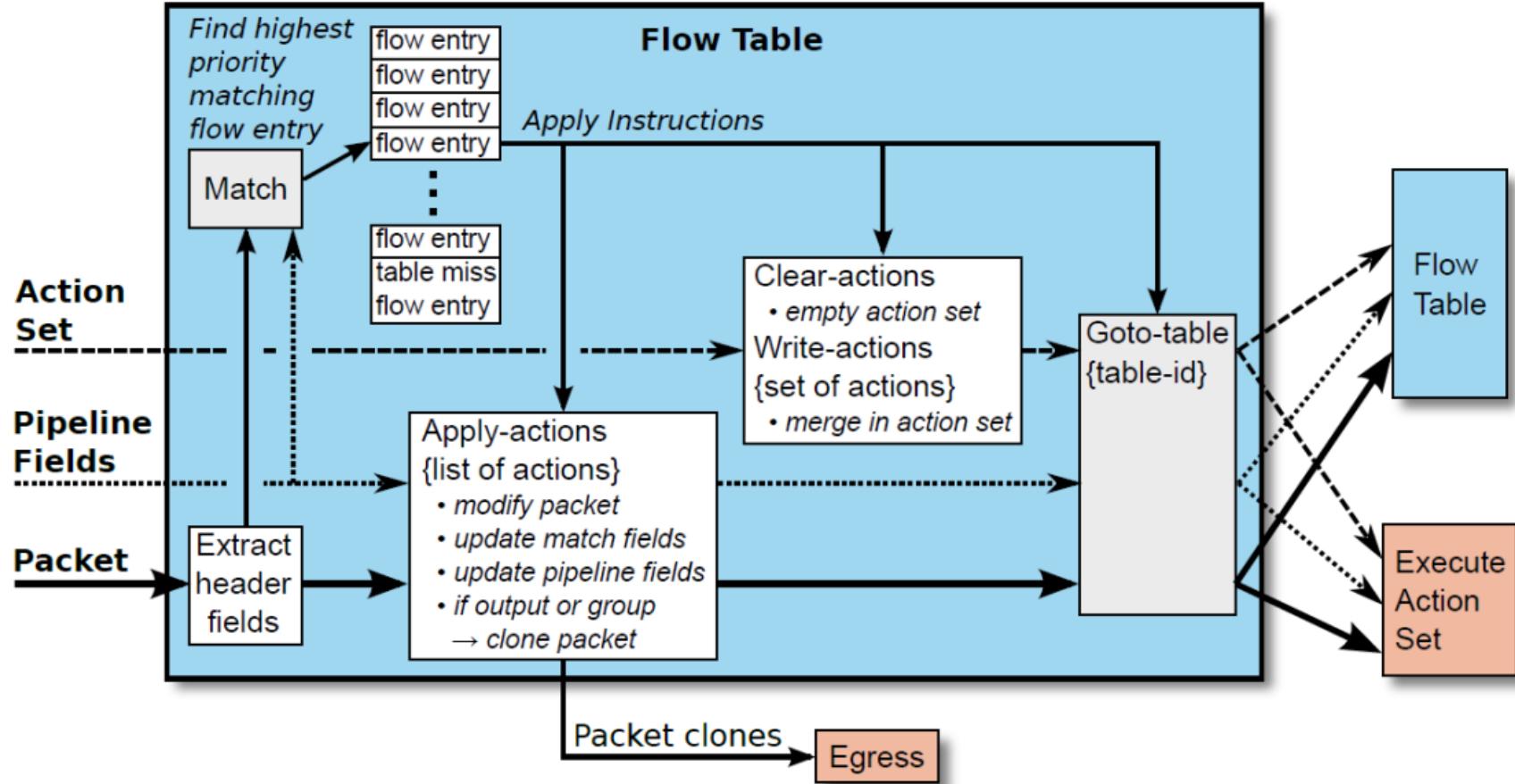
Components of OpenFlow Switches



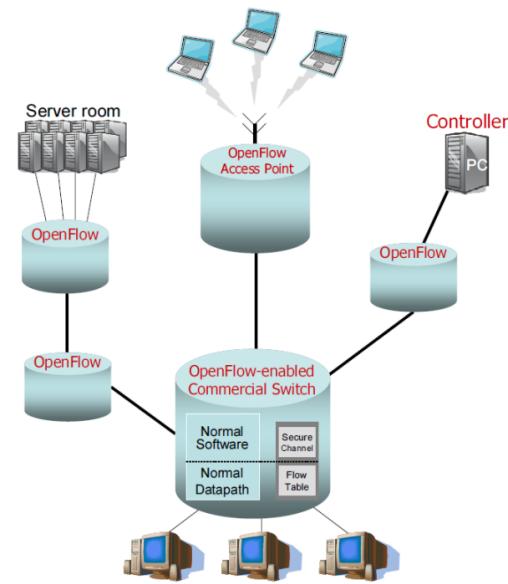
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Flow Table Processing

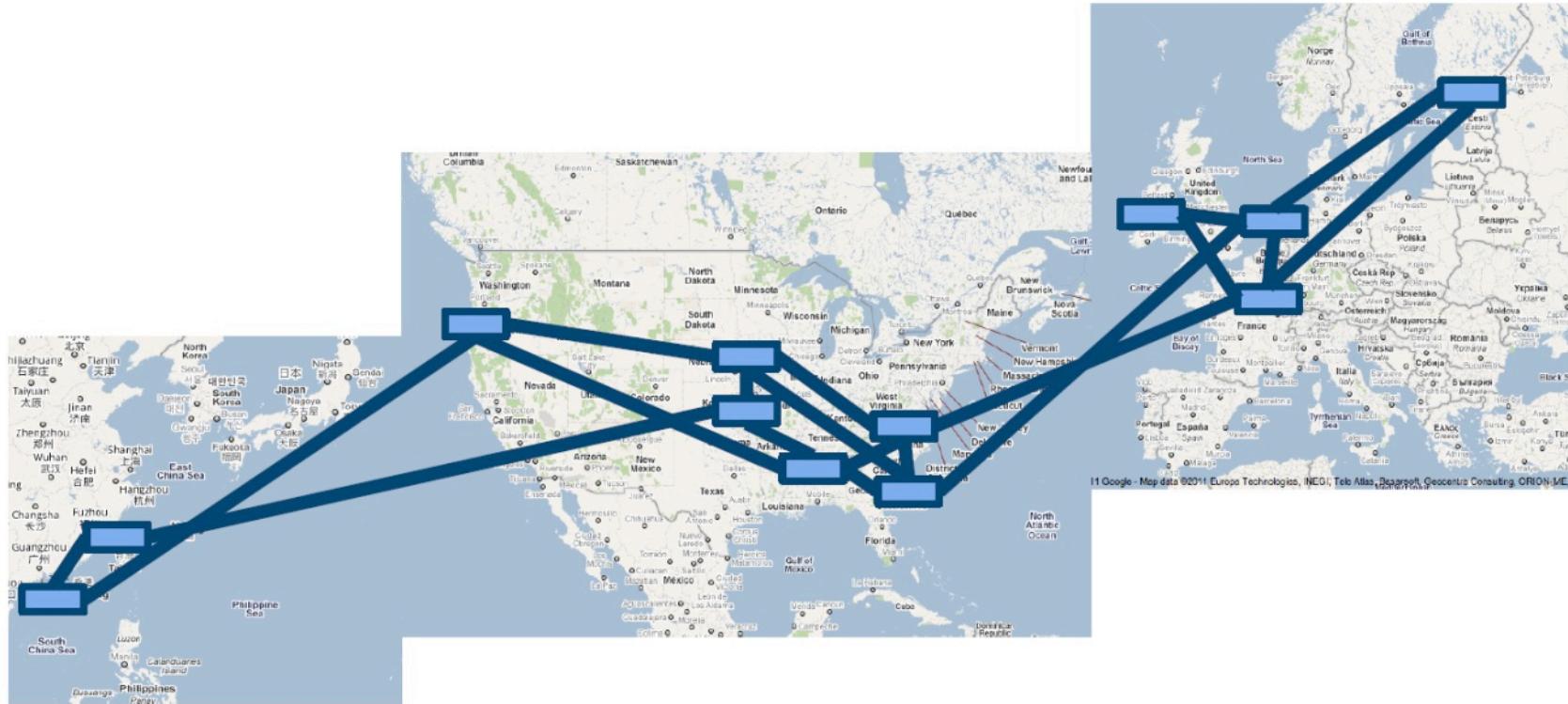


Why????



As in: Why OpenFlow? ☺

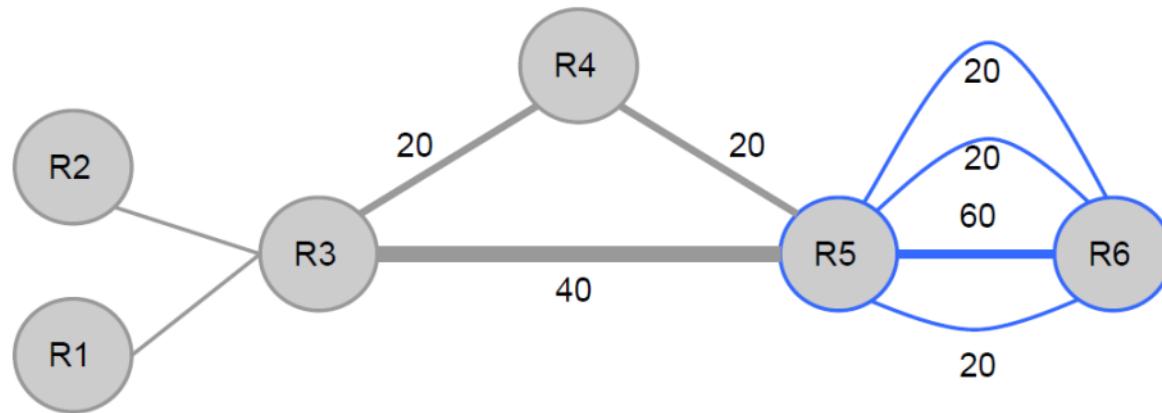
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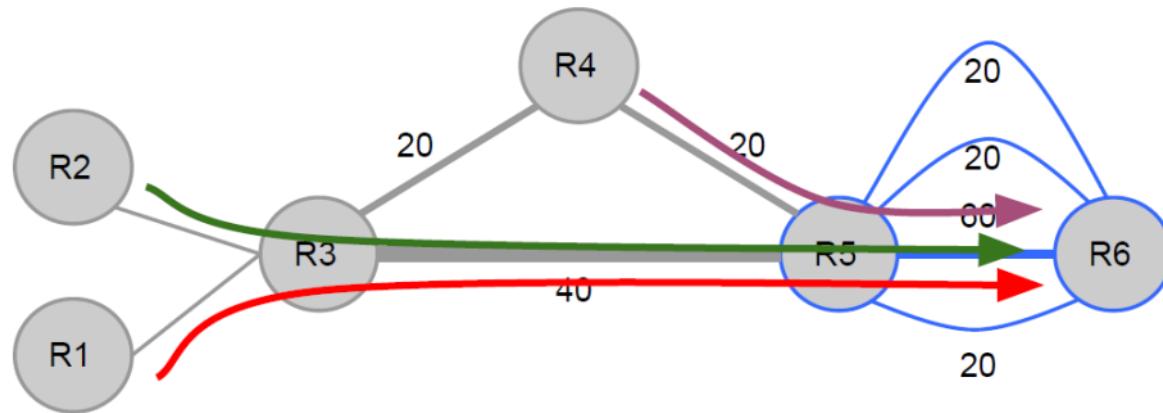
Traditional Net. Example

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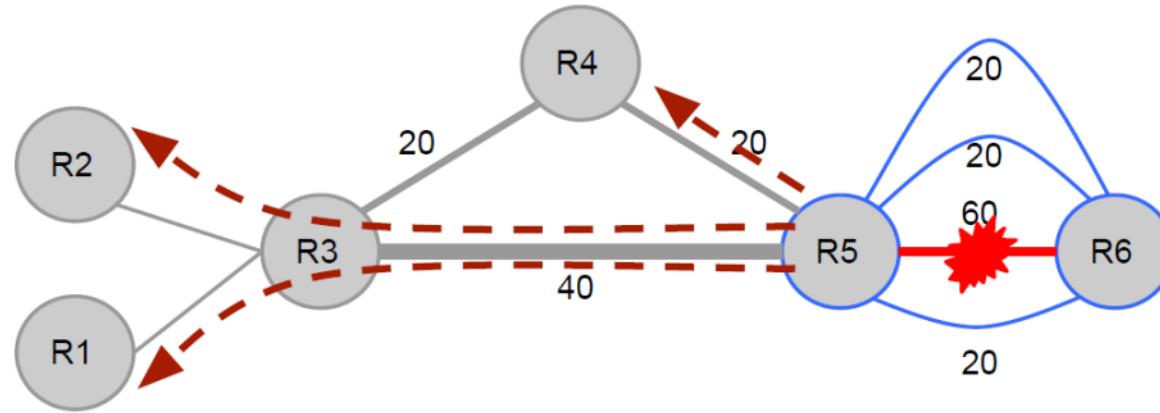
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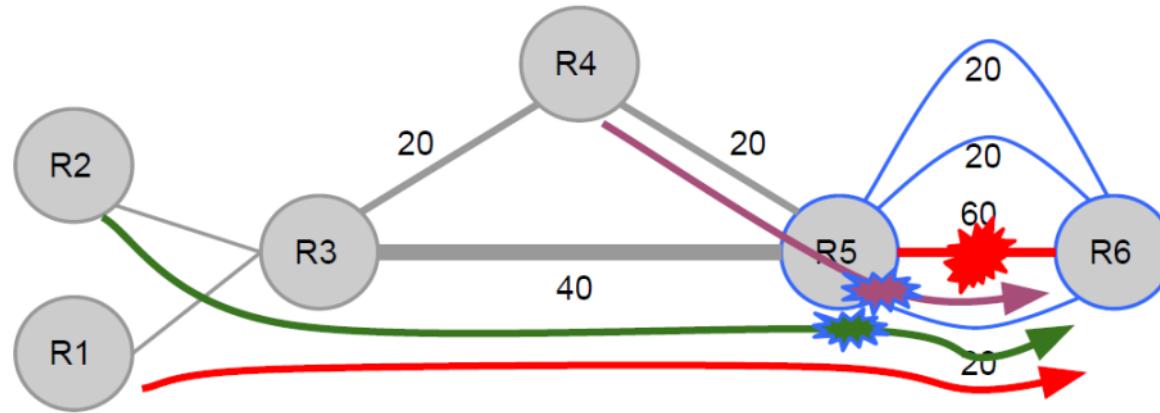
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 - R1, R2, R4 *autonomously* try for next best path

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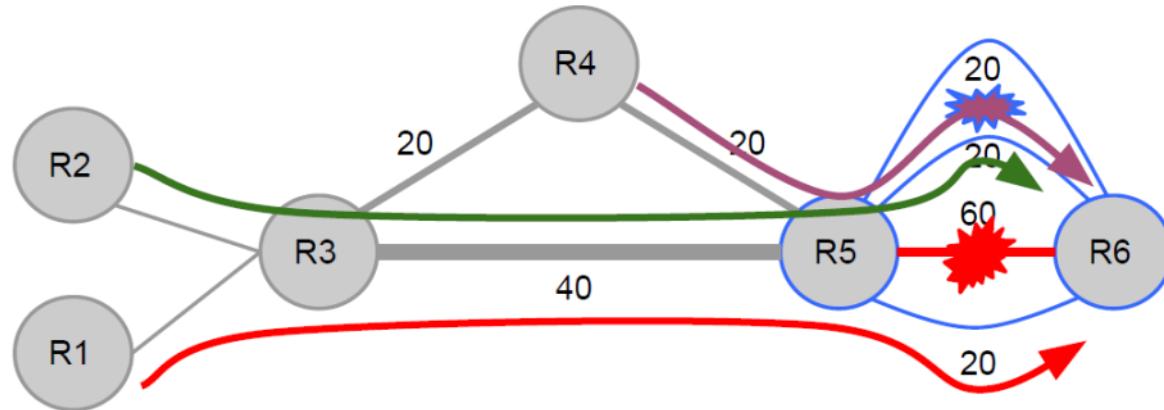
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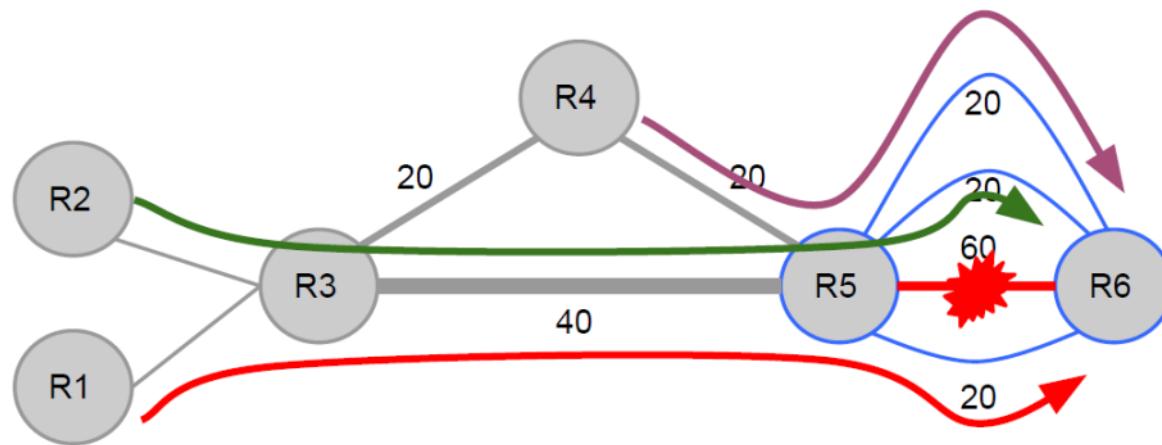
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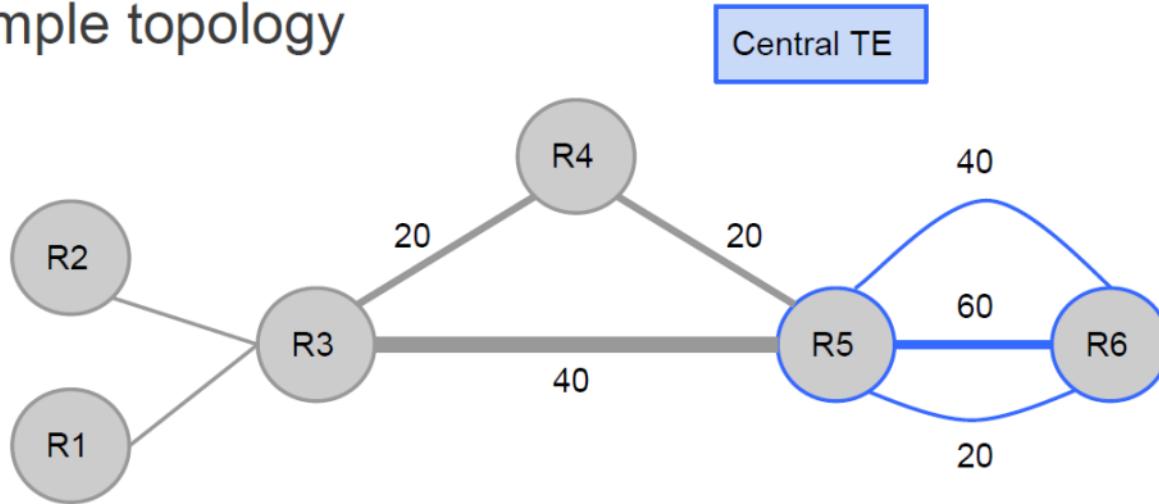
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 - R4 finally gets third best path

Topology with Central TE

- Simple topology

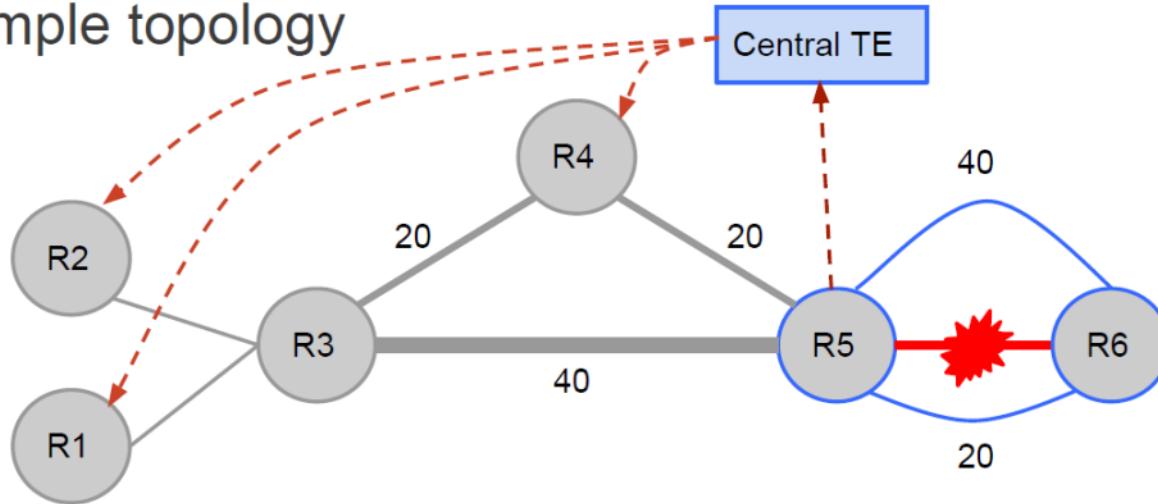


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TE = Traffic Engineering

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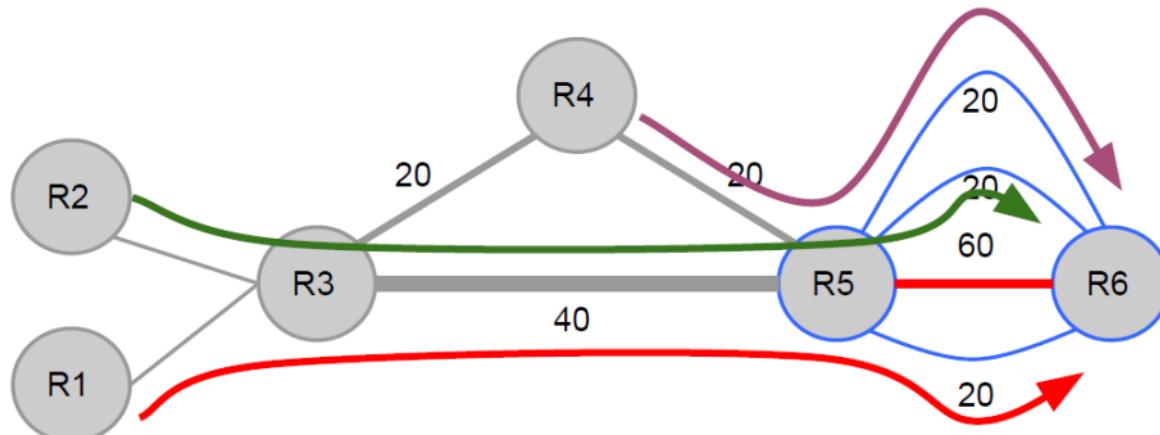
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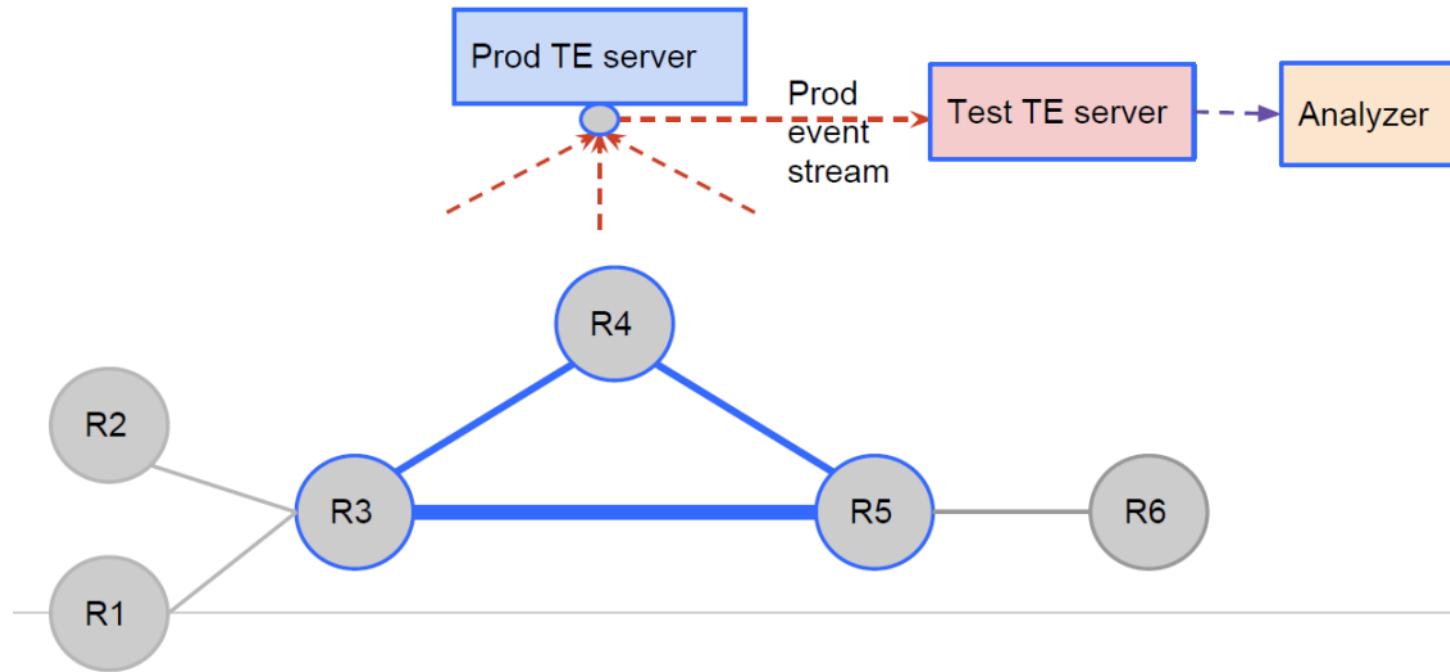
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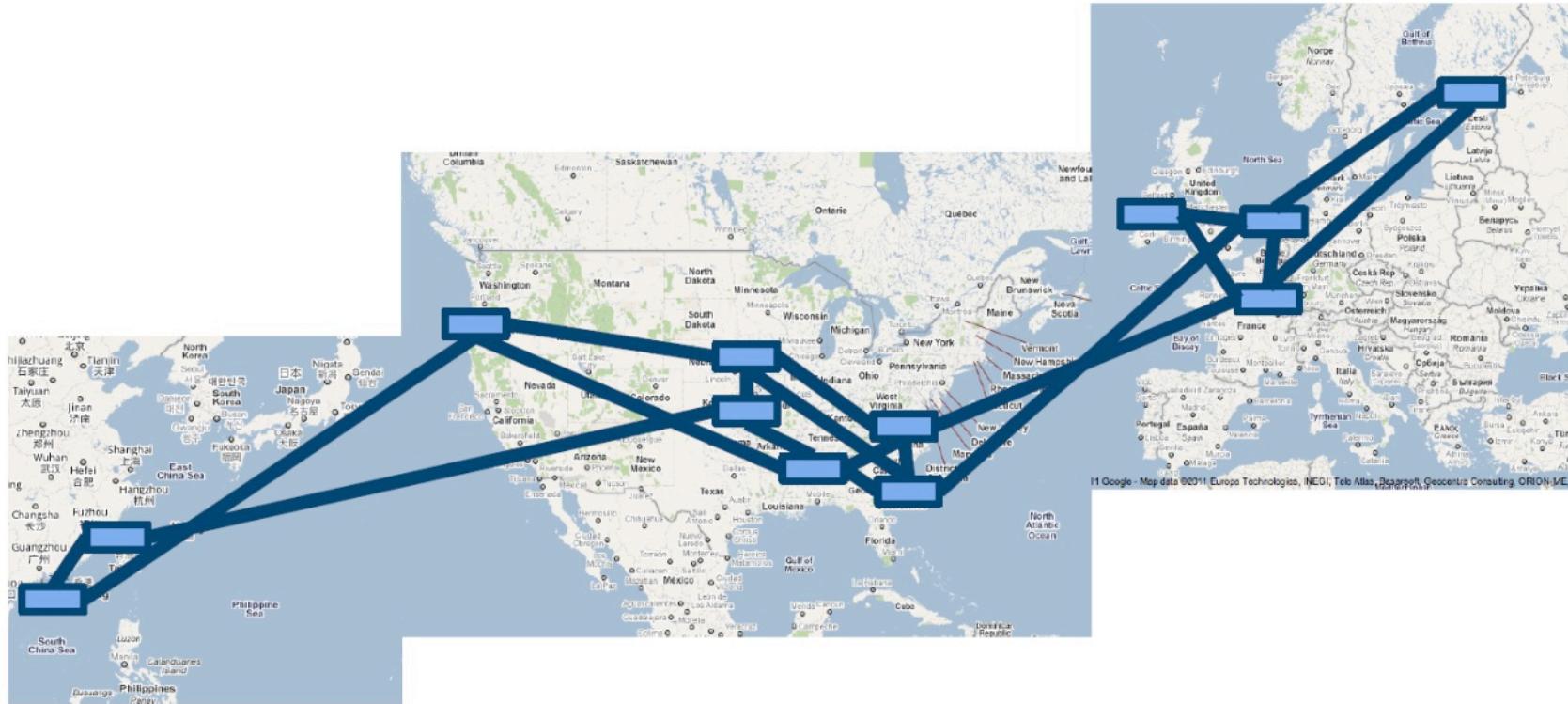


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 - Leads to faster realization of target optimum

Traffic Engineering with Analyzer



Google's WAN

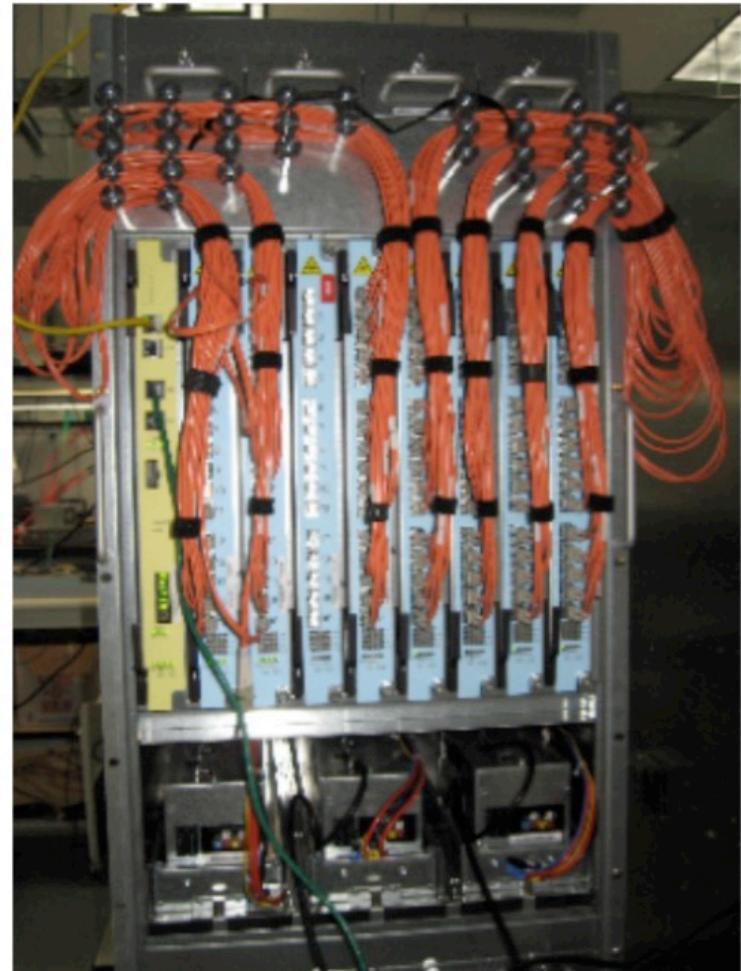


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Google's Hardware

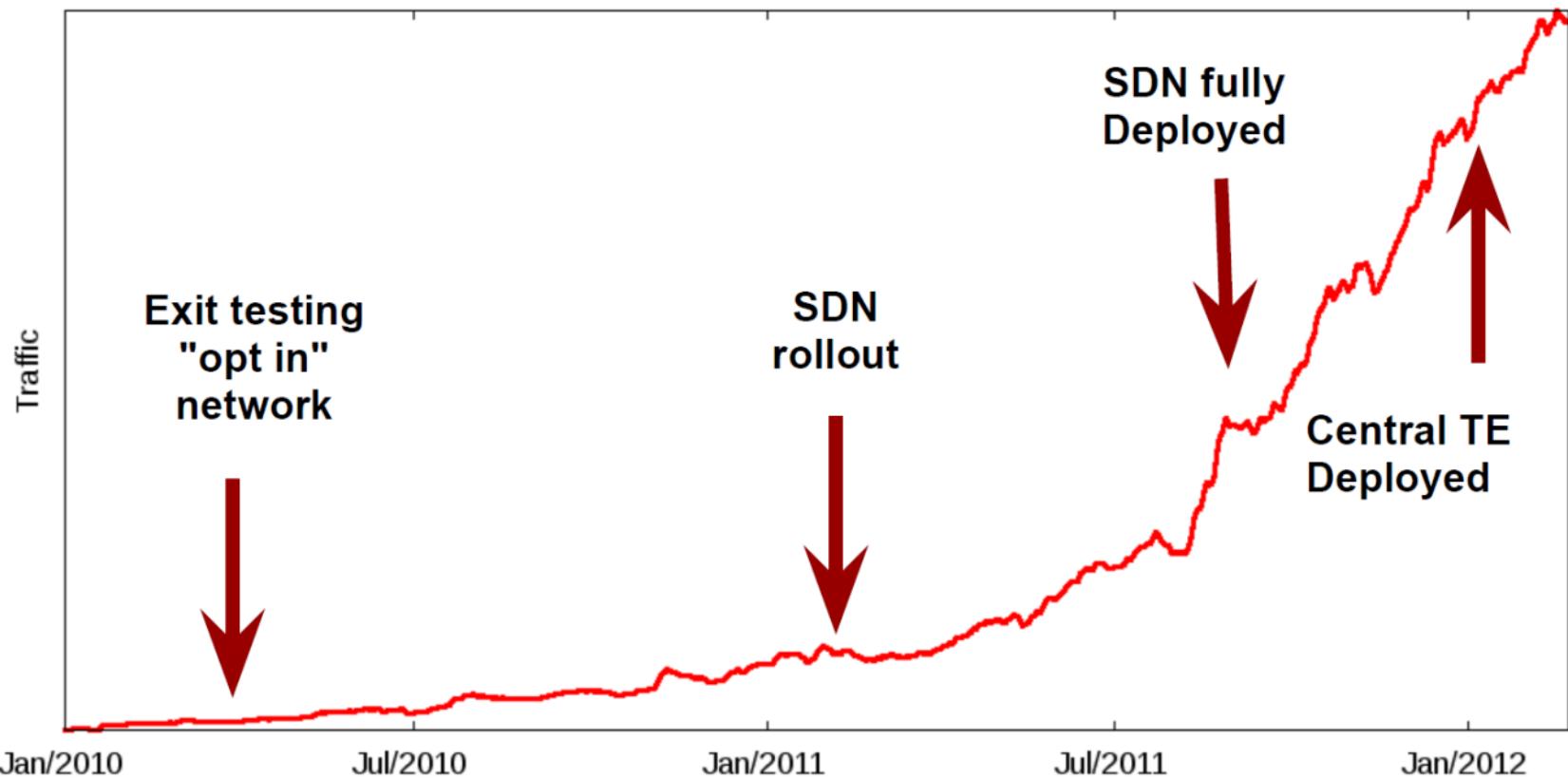
- Built from merchant silicon
 - 100s of ports of nonblocking 10GE
- OpenFlow support
- Open source routing stacks for BGP, ISIS
- Does not have all features
 - No support for AppleTalk...
- Multiple chassis per site
 - Fault tolerance
 - Scale to multiple Tbps



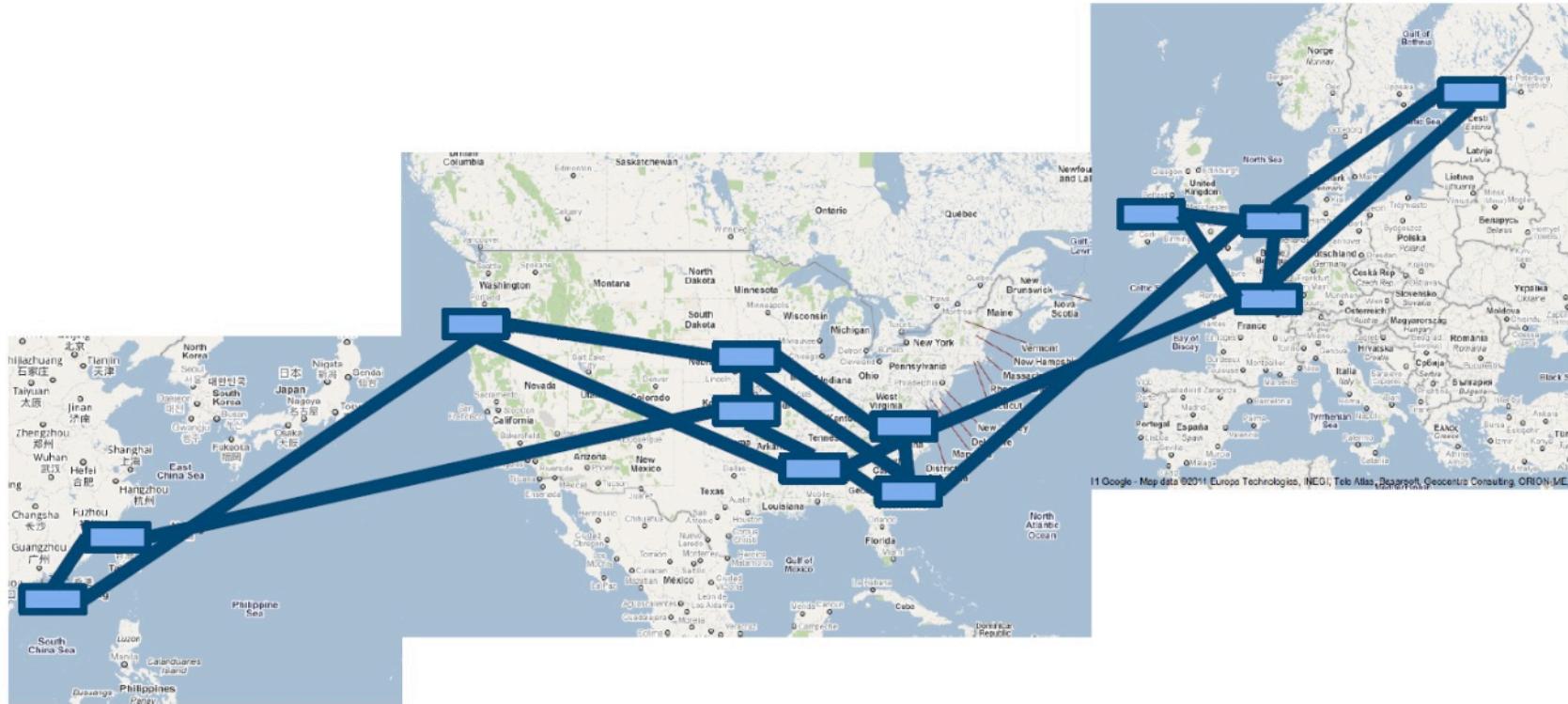
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Timeline of Deployment



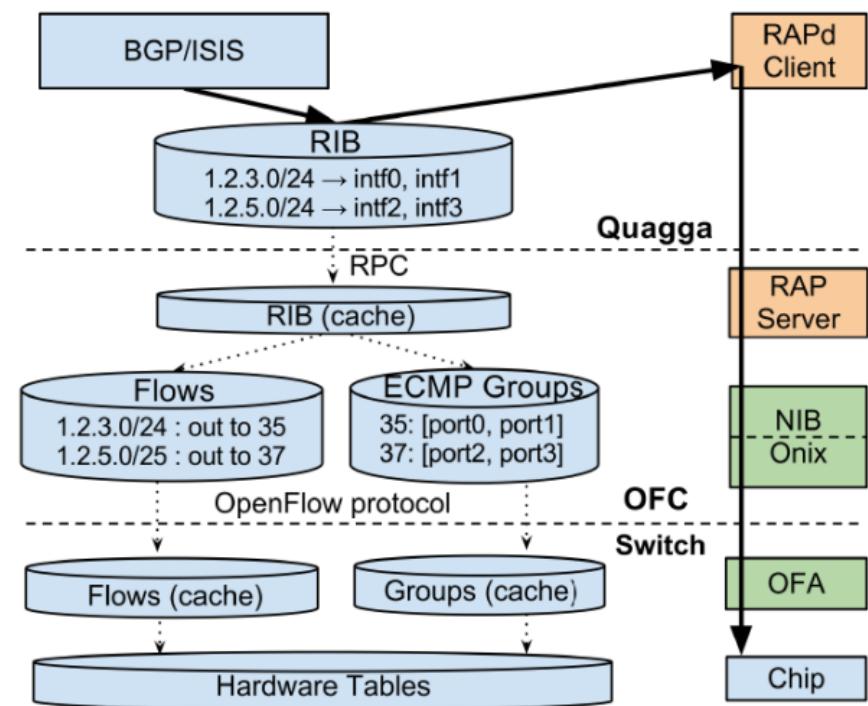
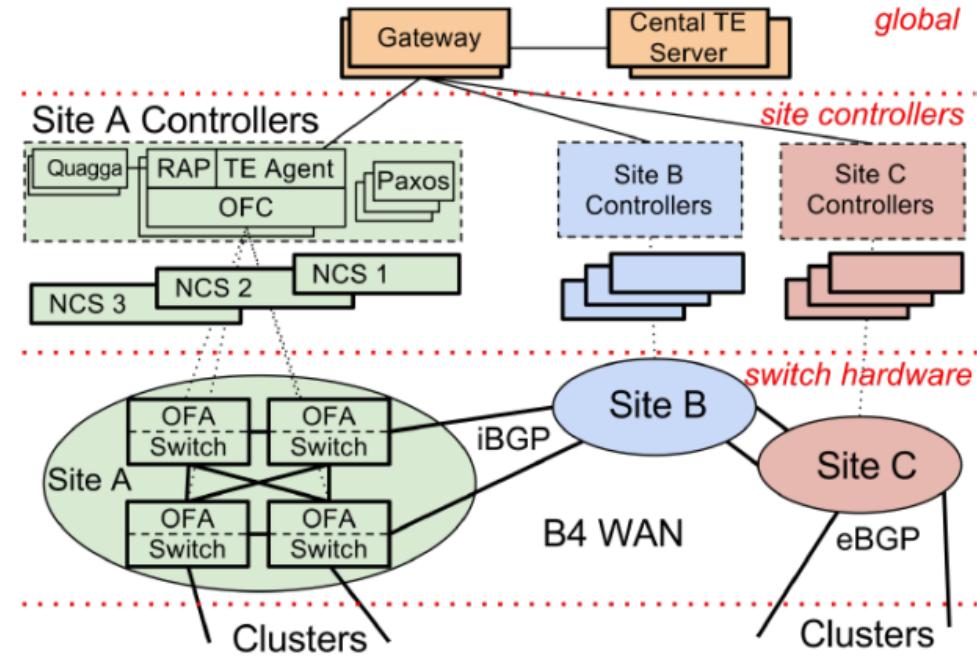
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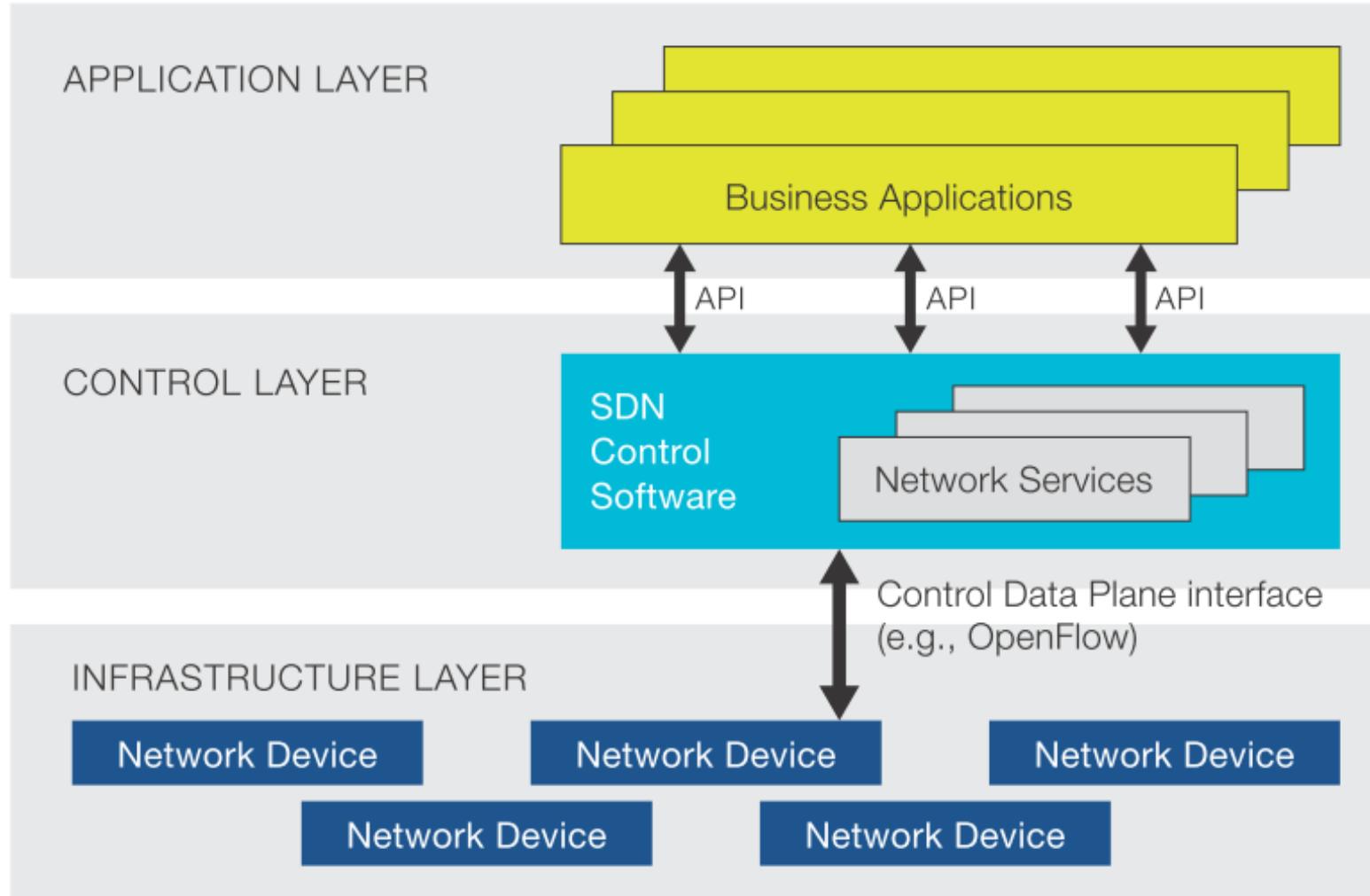
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OpenFlow in B4



B4: Experience with a Globally Deployed Software Defined WAN, Sushant Jain, et al, 2013

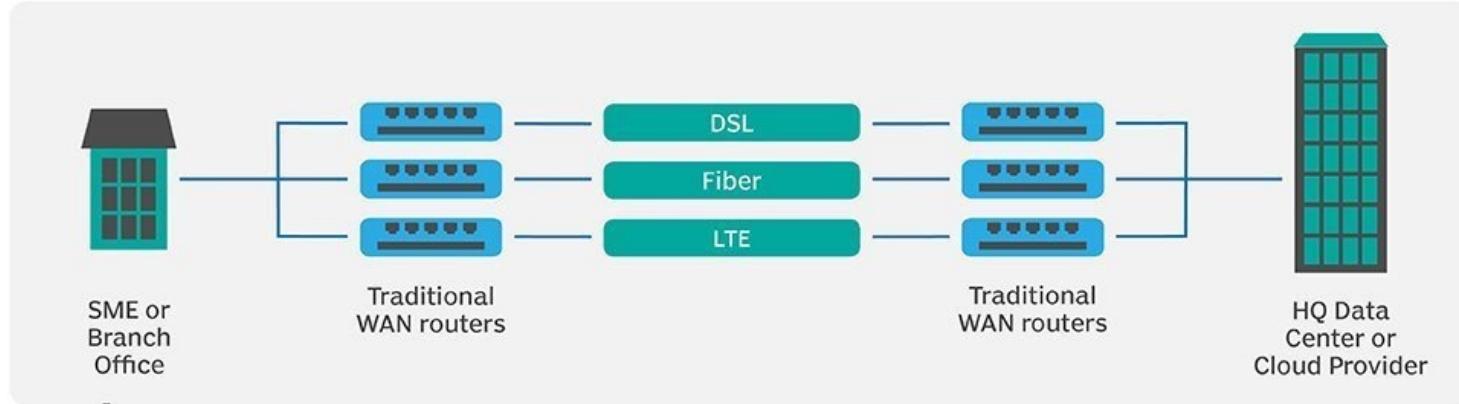
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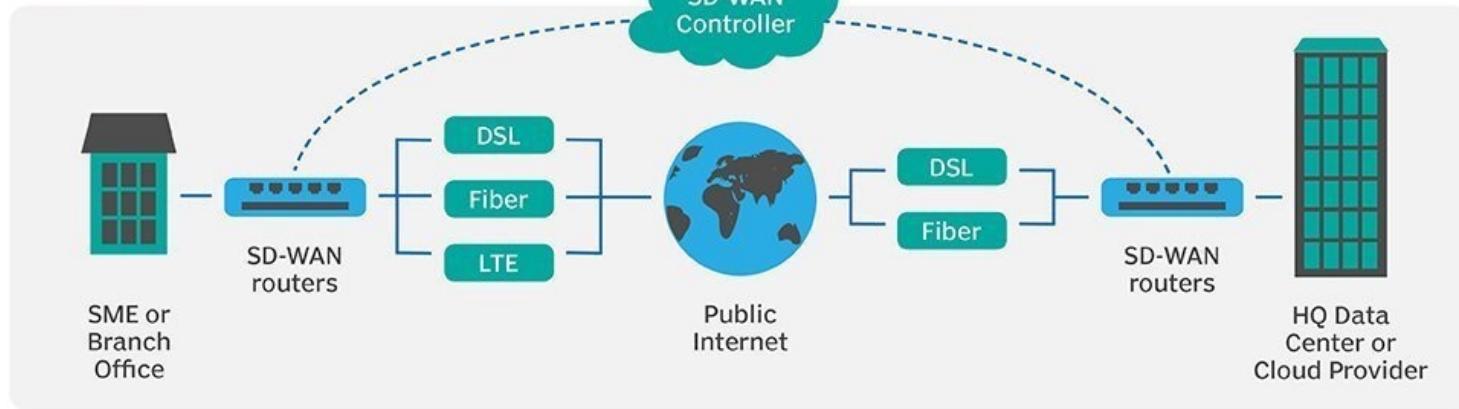
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Traditional WAN vs SD-WAN

TRADITIONAL WAN

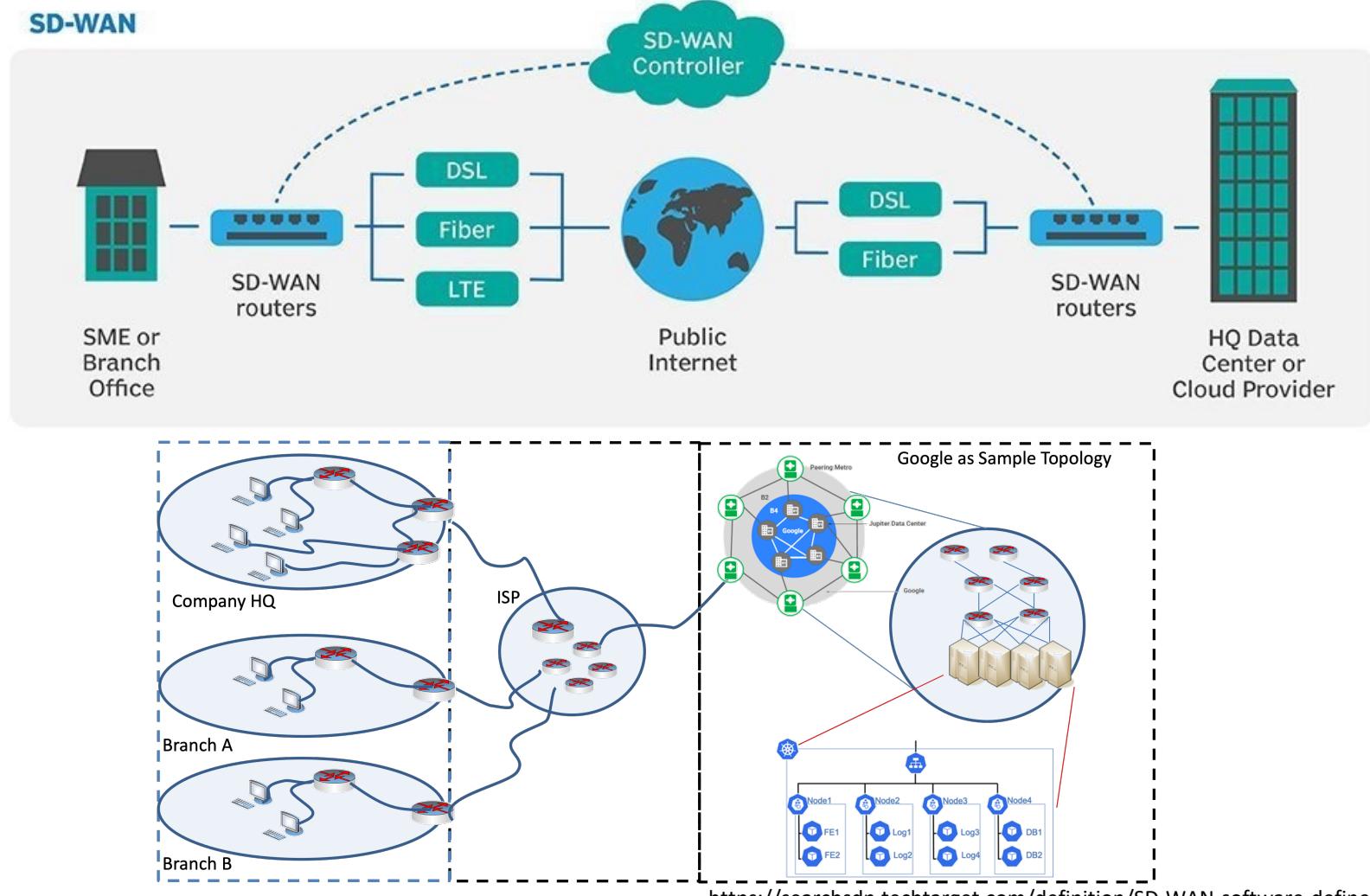


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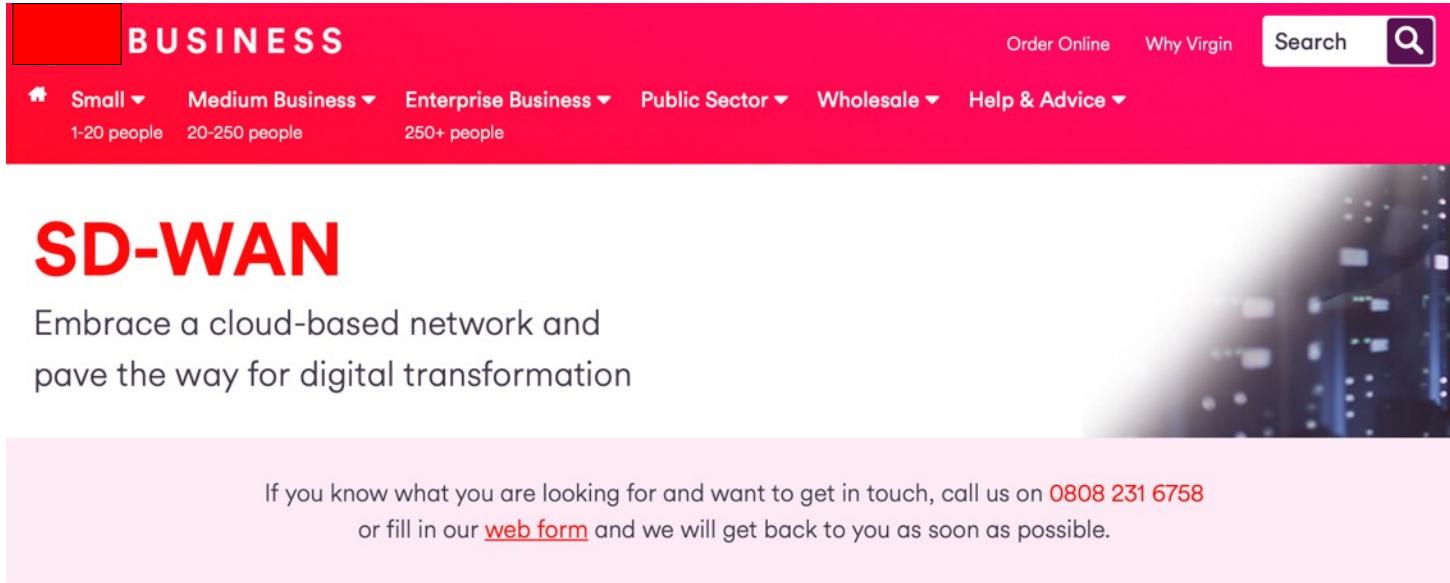


<https://searchsdn.techtarget.com/definition/SD-WAN-software-defined-WAN>

Traditional WAN vs SD-WAN



Example from a Local Provider



The screenshot shows the Virgin Media Business website's SD-WAN page. At the top, there's a red navigation bar with the word "BUSINESS" in white. Below it, a secondary navigation bar has categories like "Small", "Medium Business", "Enterprise Business", "Public Sector", "Wholesale", and "Help & Advice". Under "Small", there are three options: "1-20 people", "20-250 people", and "250+ people". To the right of the navigation are links for "Order Online", "Why Virgin", a search bar, and a magnifying glass icon. The main content area features a large image of server racks. A red call-to-action box contains the text: "Embrace a cloud-based network and pave the way for digital transformation". Below this, another red box says: "If you know what you are looking for and want to get in touch, call us on **0808 231 6758** or fill in our [web form](#) and we will get back to you as soon as possible." At the bottom, four red buttons offer links to "How SD-WAN works", "Advice", "SD-WAN deployment", and "Managed Service".

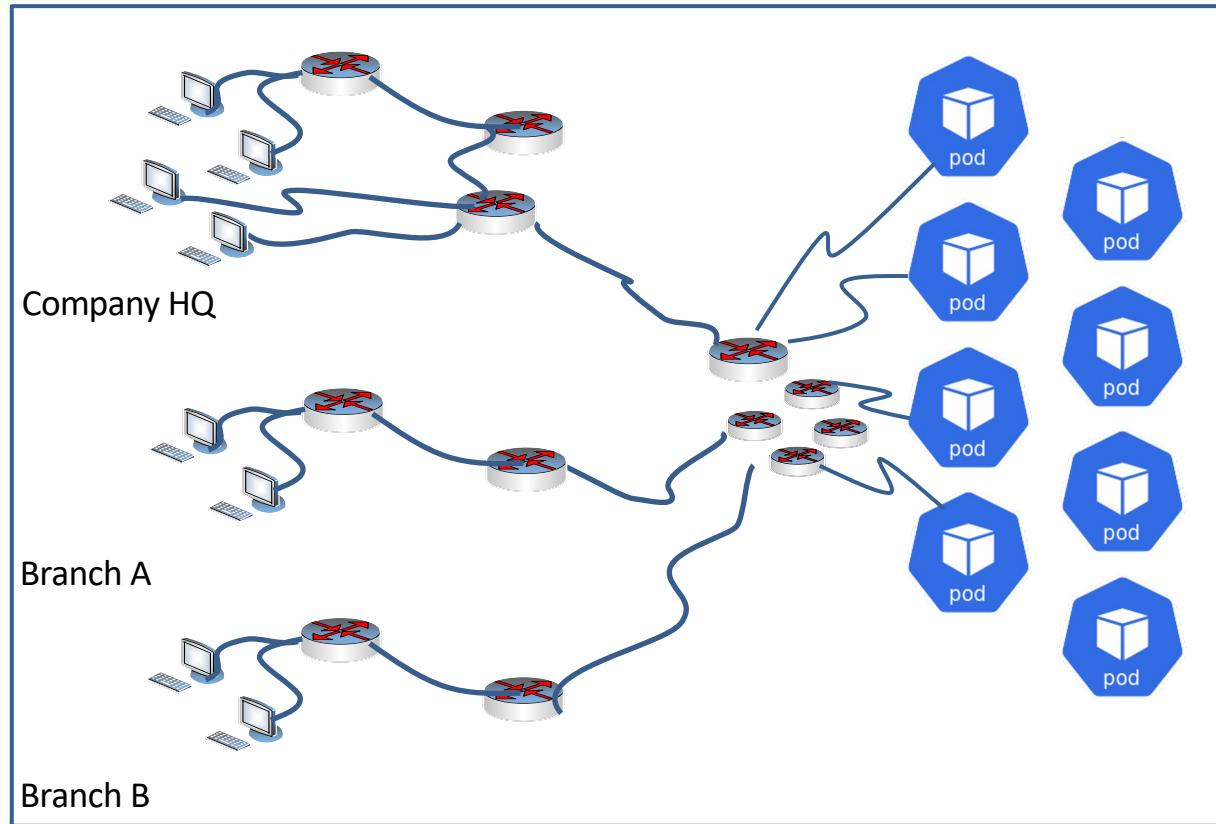
WHAT IS SD-WAN?

SD-WAN is a wide area network – or WAN – architecture that works through a centralised platform, detaching the management of the network from the hardware itself.

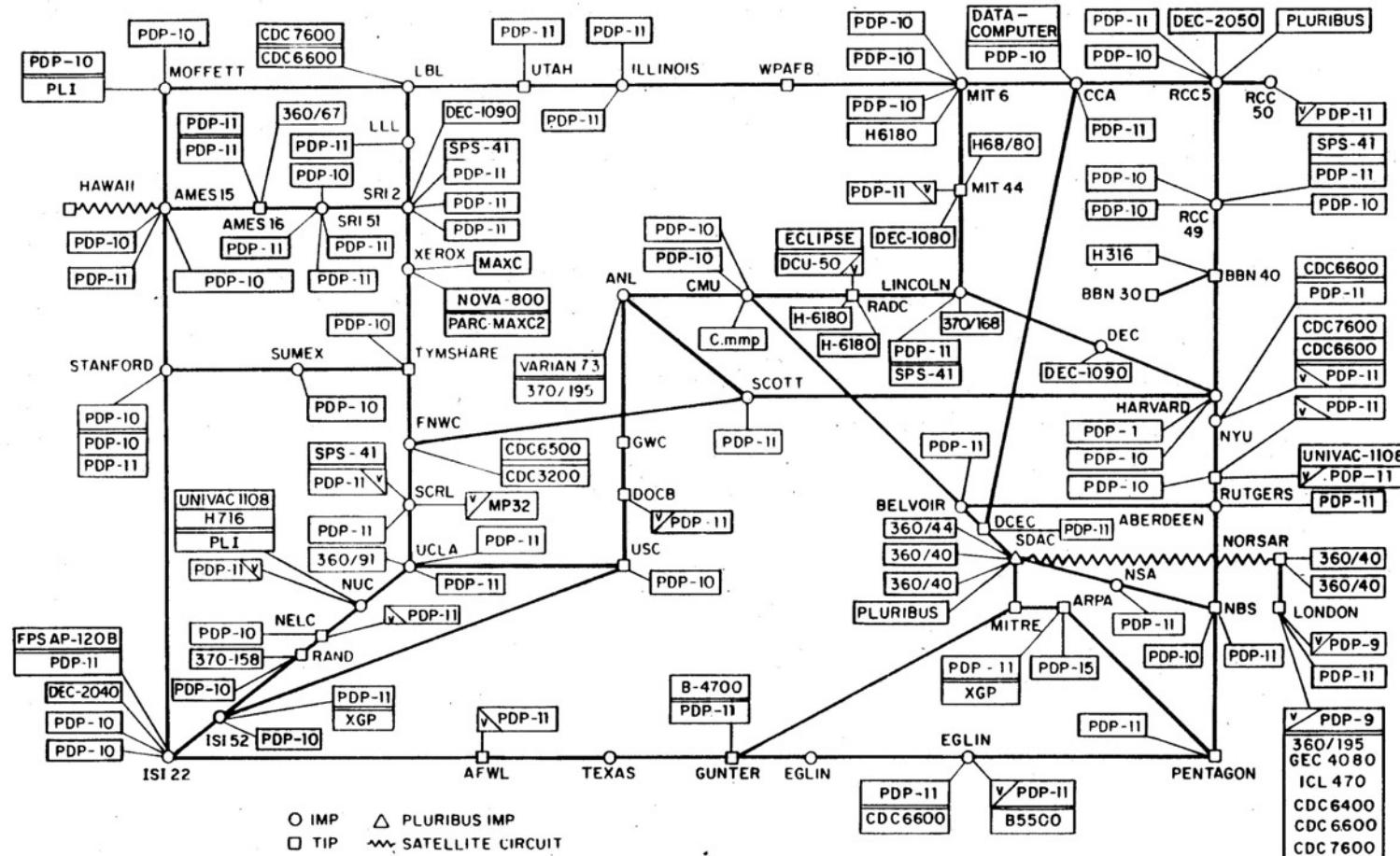


Software-Defined Wide-Area Networks

(Private Networks)



ARPANET 1977

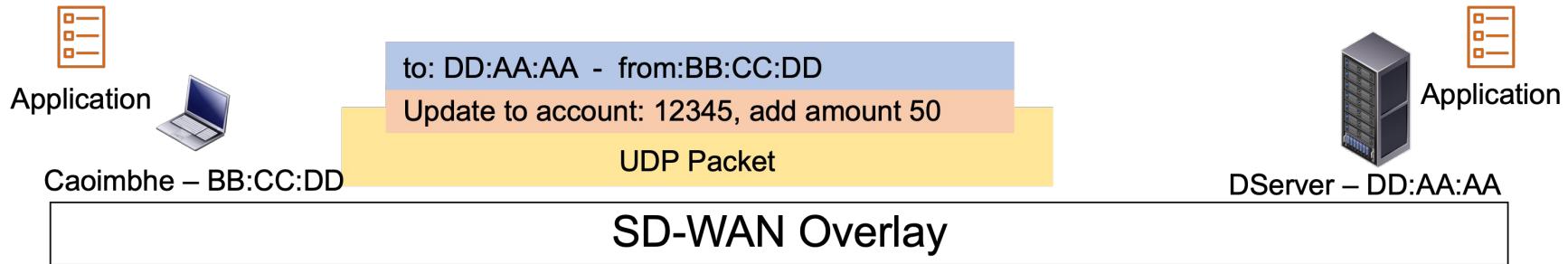


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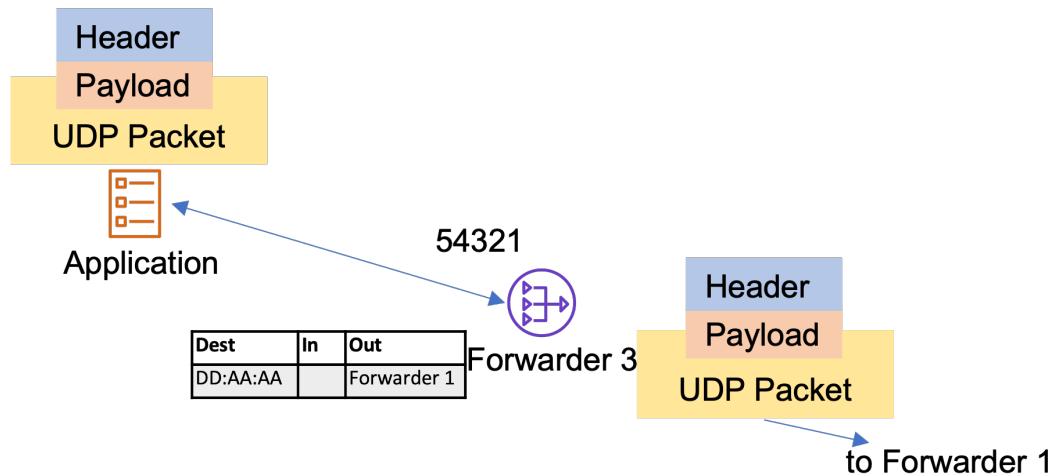
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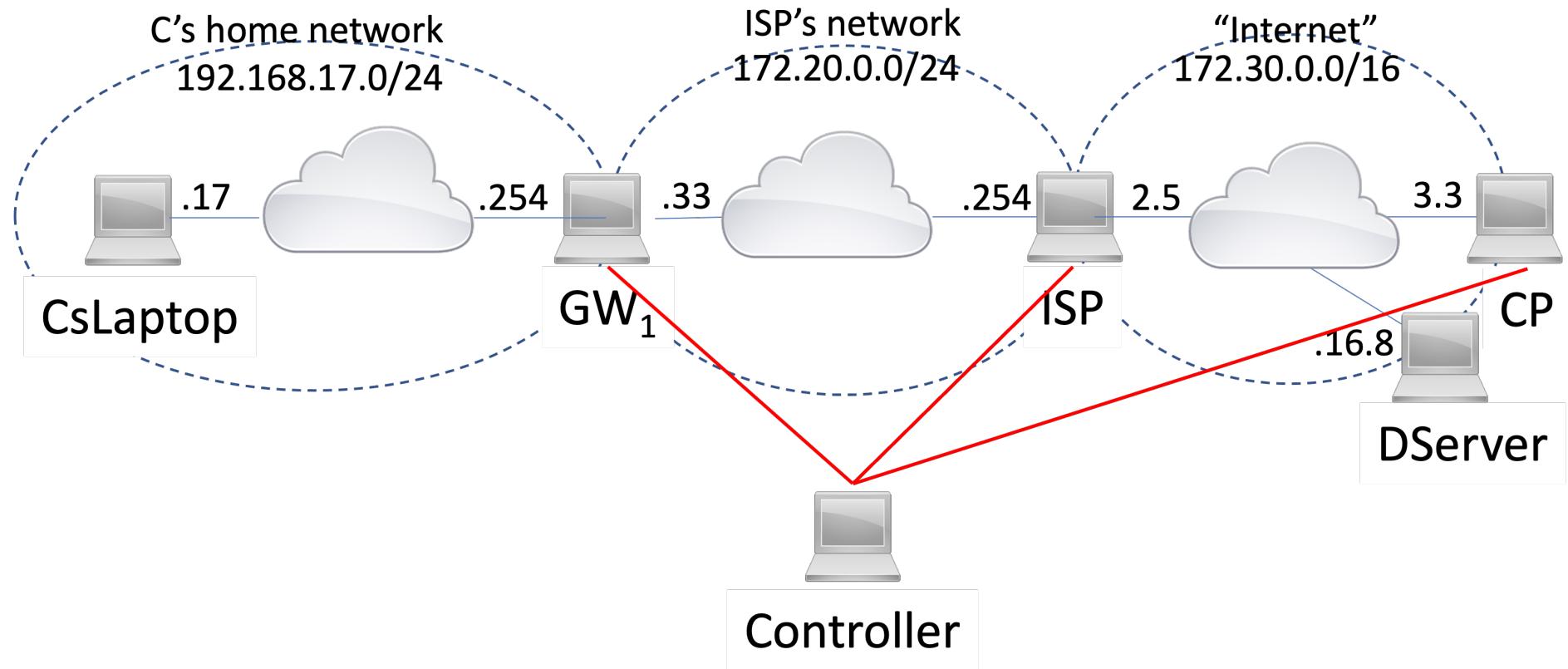
Conceptual Idea of the Overlay



DServer = Deployment Server

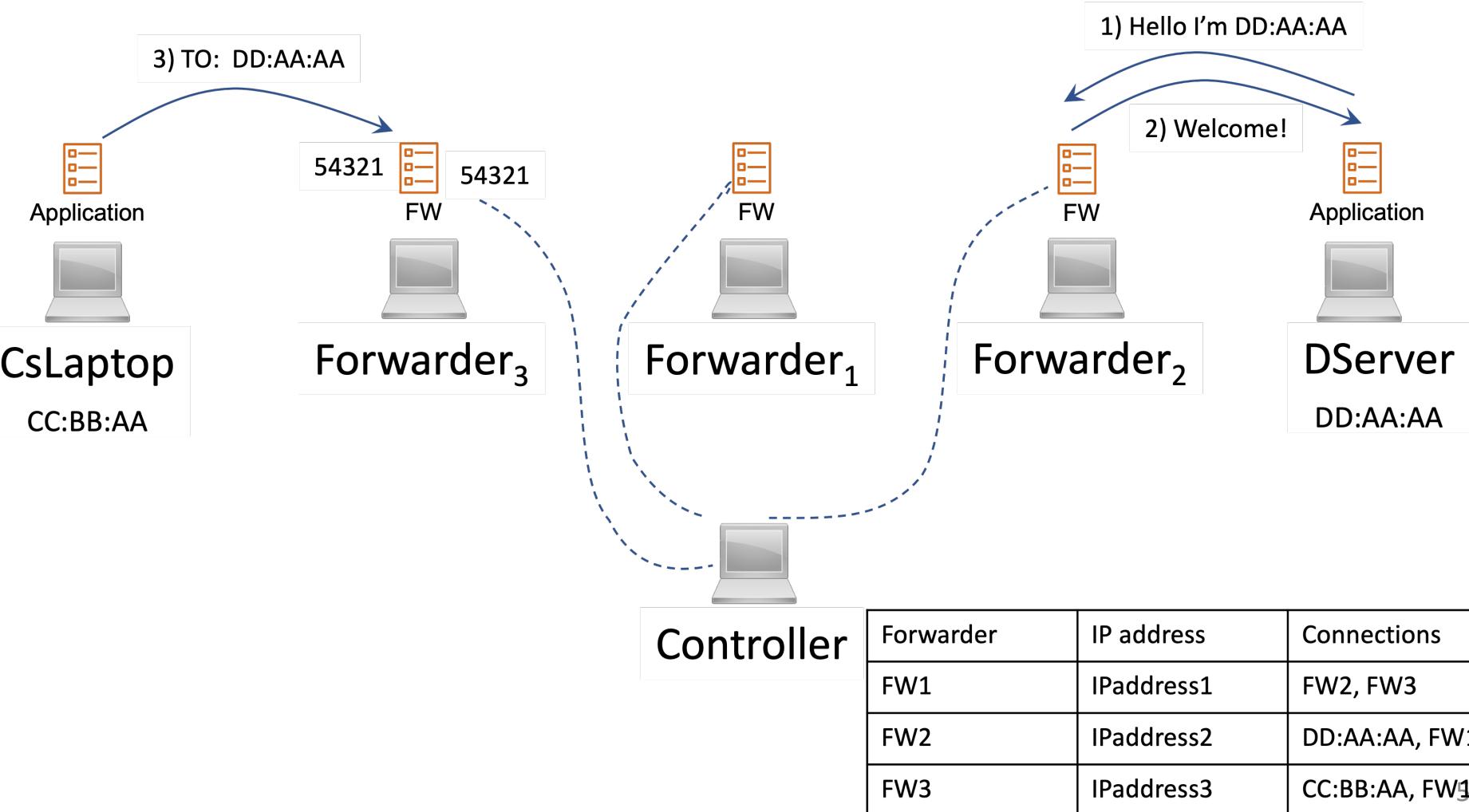


Assignment 2: Possible Topology



Controller fills Tables of Forwarders

e.g. implementations for Forwarder, Controller, and Application





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Revitalizing the Public Internet By Making it Extensible

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