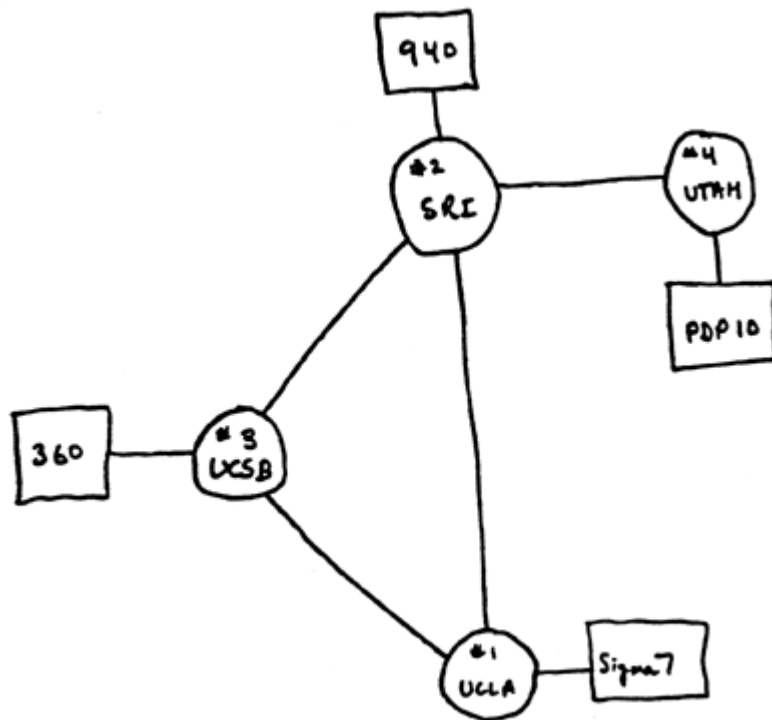


# CSCE 560

## Introduction to Computer Networking



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The first four nodes that formed the ARPANET - Dec 1969

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# Chapter 1: Introduction

## Our goal:

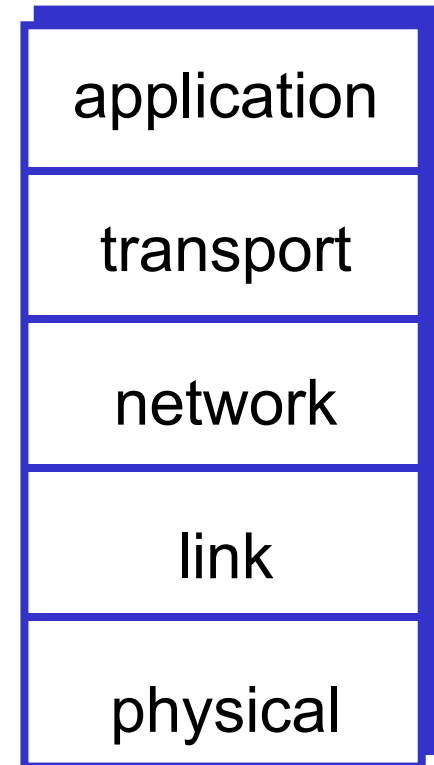
- ❑ Get “feel” and terminology
- ❑ More depth and details *later* in course
- ❑ Approach:
  - ❖ Use Internet as example

## Overview:

- ❑ What's the Internet
- ❑ What's a protocol?
- ❑ Network edge
- ❑ Network core
- ❑ Access net, physical media
- ❑ Internet/ISP structure
- ❑ Performance: loss, delay, throughput
- ❑ Protocol layers, service models

# How to Teach Networks?

- ❑ Traditional Bottom-up approach
  - ❖ Tanenbaum book
- ❑ Top-down approach
  - ❖ Kurose/Ross book
  - ❖ Applications motivate networks
- ❑ Will try to follow top-down approach



# Chapter 1: Roadmap

1.1 What is the Internet? → See supplemental slides

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end systems, access networks, links

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1.6 Networks under attack: security → See supplemental slides

1.7 History → See supplemental slides

# What's a Protocol?

## Human protocols:

- ❑ "What's the time?"
- ❑ "I have a question"
- ❑ Introductions

## Network protocols:

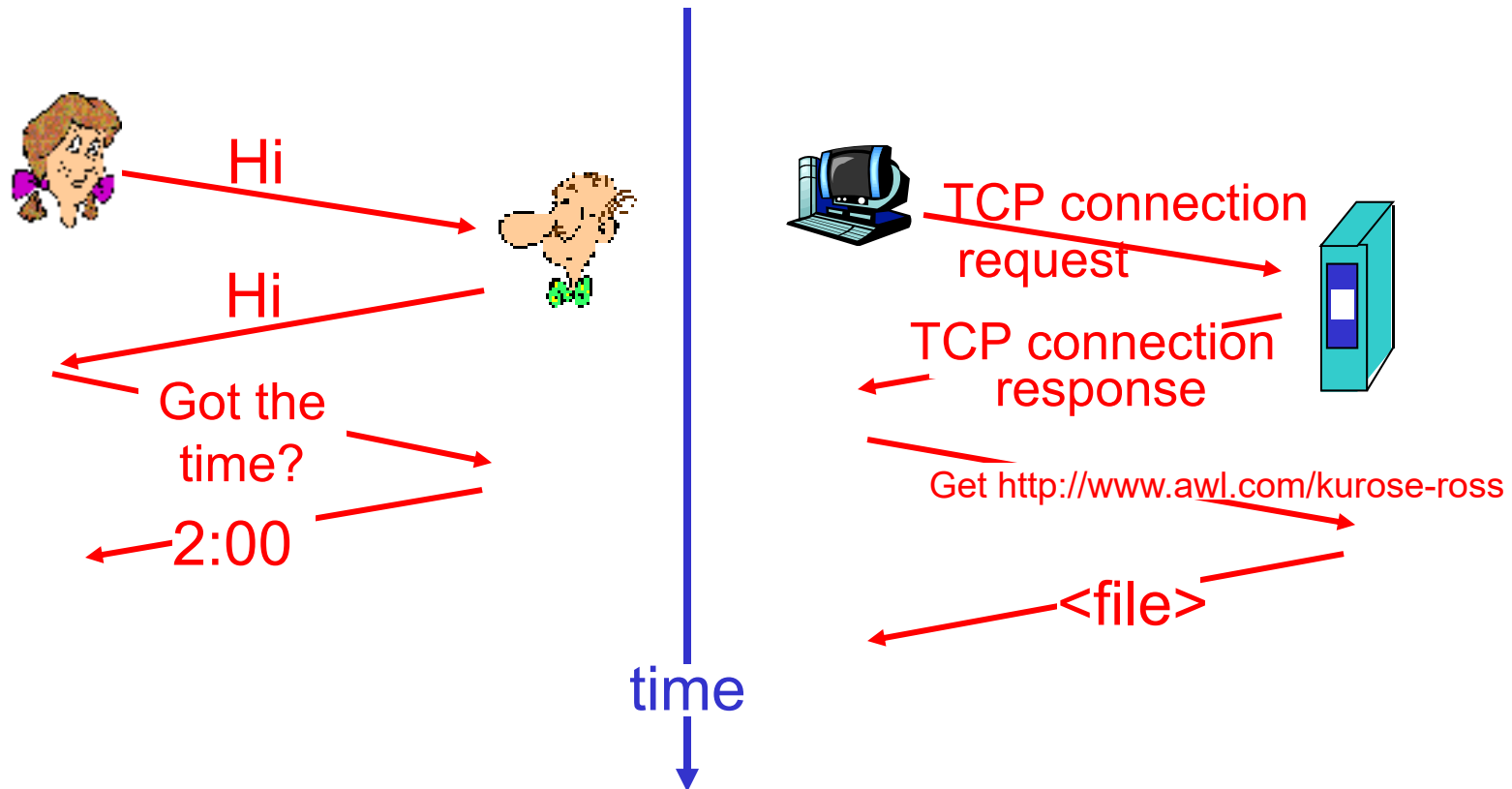
- ❑ Machines rather than humans
- ❑ All communication activity in Internet governed by protocols

*Protocols define*

- ✓ *format*
- ✓ *order of msgs sent and received among network entities*
- ✓ *actions taken on msg transmission & receipt*

# What's a Protocol?

A human protocol and a computer network protocol:



Q: What if the two protocols are different?

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# A Closer Look At Network Structure

## □ Network edge:

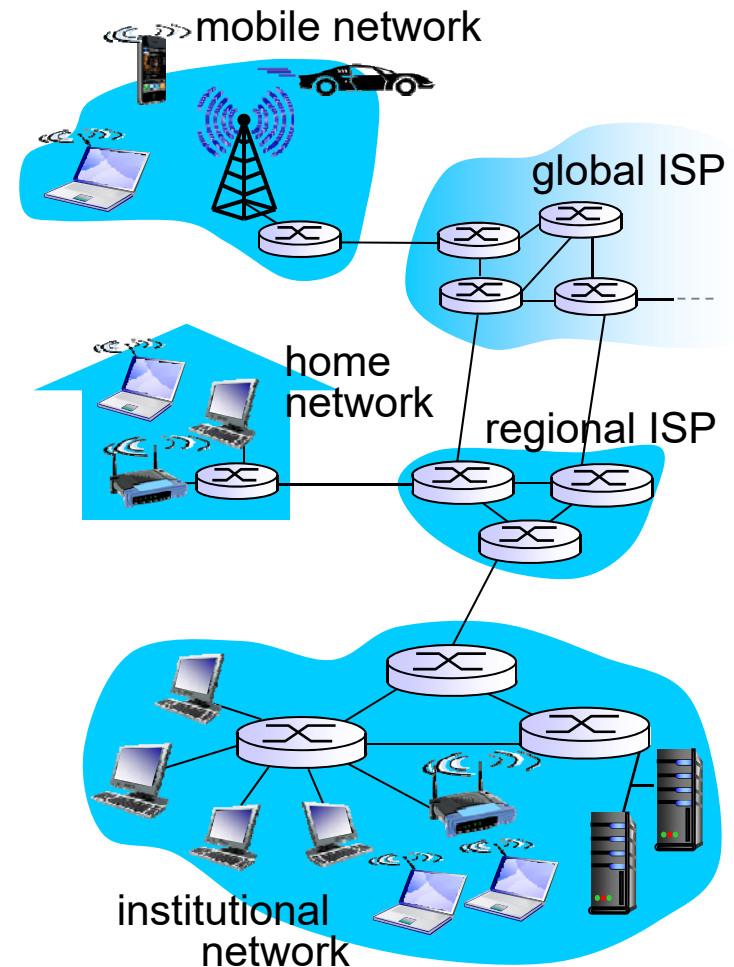
- ❖ Applications
- ❖ Hosts: clients and servers
- ❖ Servers often in data centers

## □ Network core:

- ❖ Interconnected routers
- ❖ Network of networks

## □ Access networks, physical media:

- ❖ Wired, wireless communication links





# The Network Edge

## □ End systems (hosts):

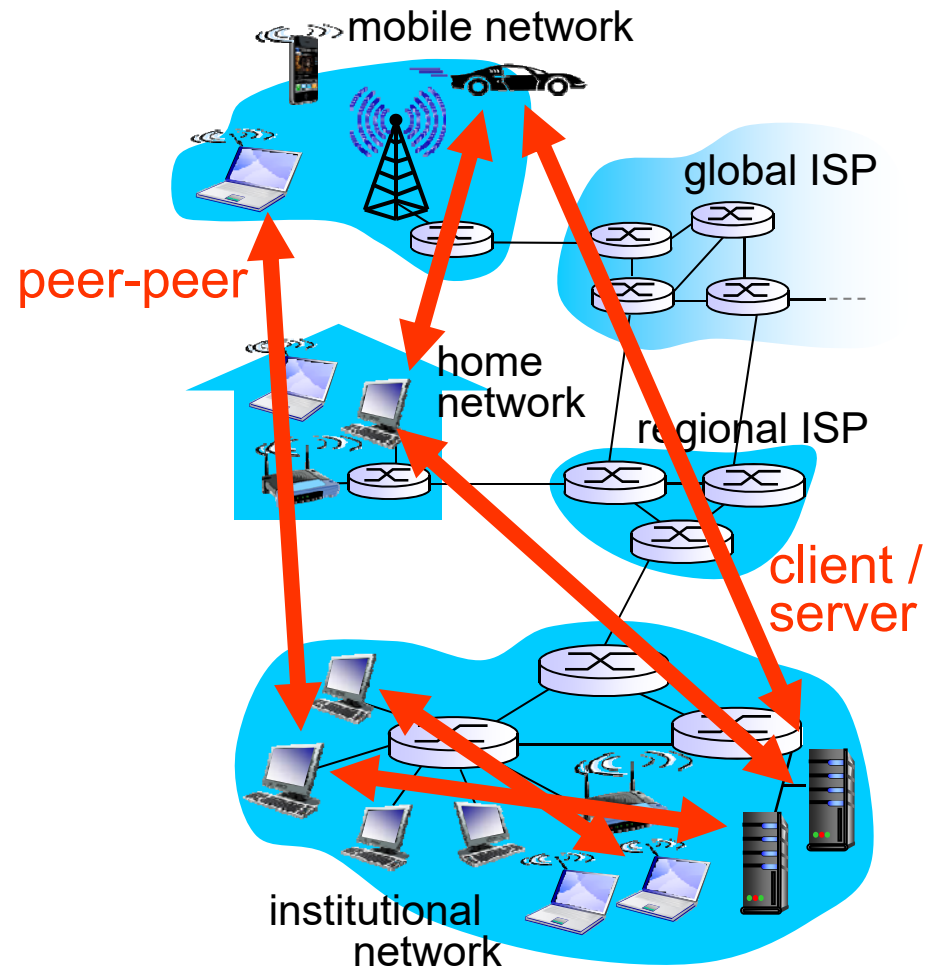
- ❖ Your computer
- ❖ Run application programs
  - Web, email
- ❖ At the "edge of network"

## □ Client/Server model

- ❖ Client requests and receives service from always-on server
- ❖ Web browser/server
- ❖ Email client/server

## □ Peer-peer model:

- ❖ Minimal (or no) use of dedicated servers
- ❖ Gnutella, KaZaA, Skype



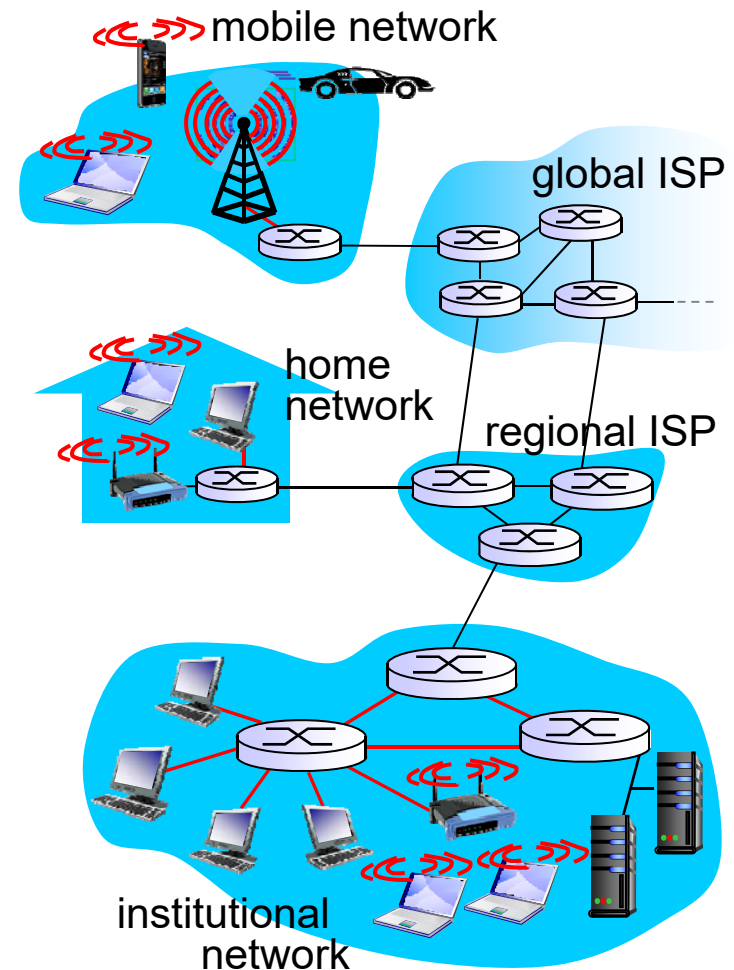
# Access Networks and Physical Media

*Q: How to connect end systems to edge router?*

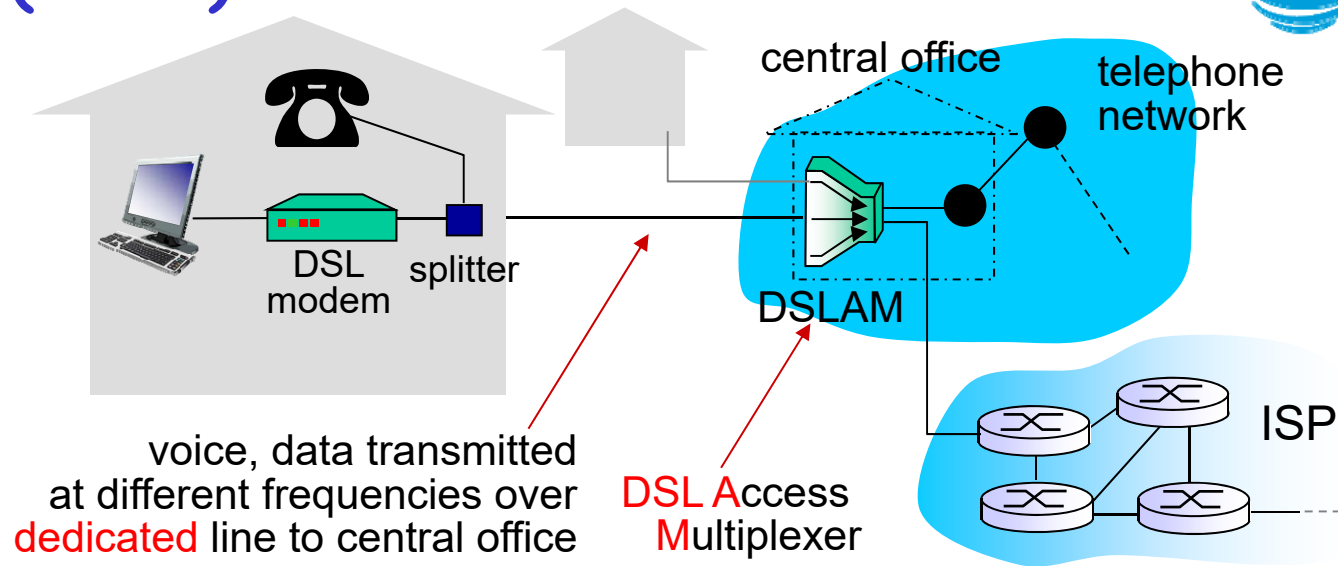
- ❑ Residential access nets
- ❑ Institutional access networks (school, company)
- ❑ Mobile access networks

*Keep in mind:*

- ❑ Bandwidth (bits per second) of access network?
- ❑ Shared or dedicated?



# Residential Access: Digital Subscriber Line (DSL)



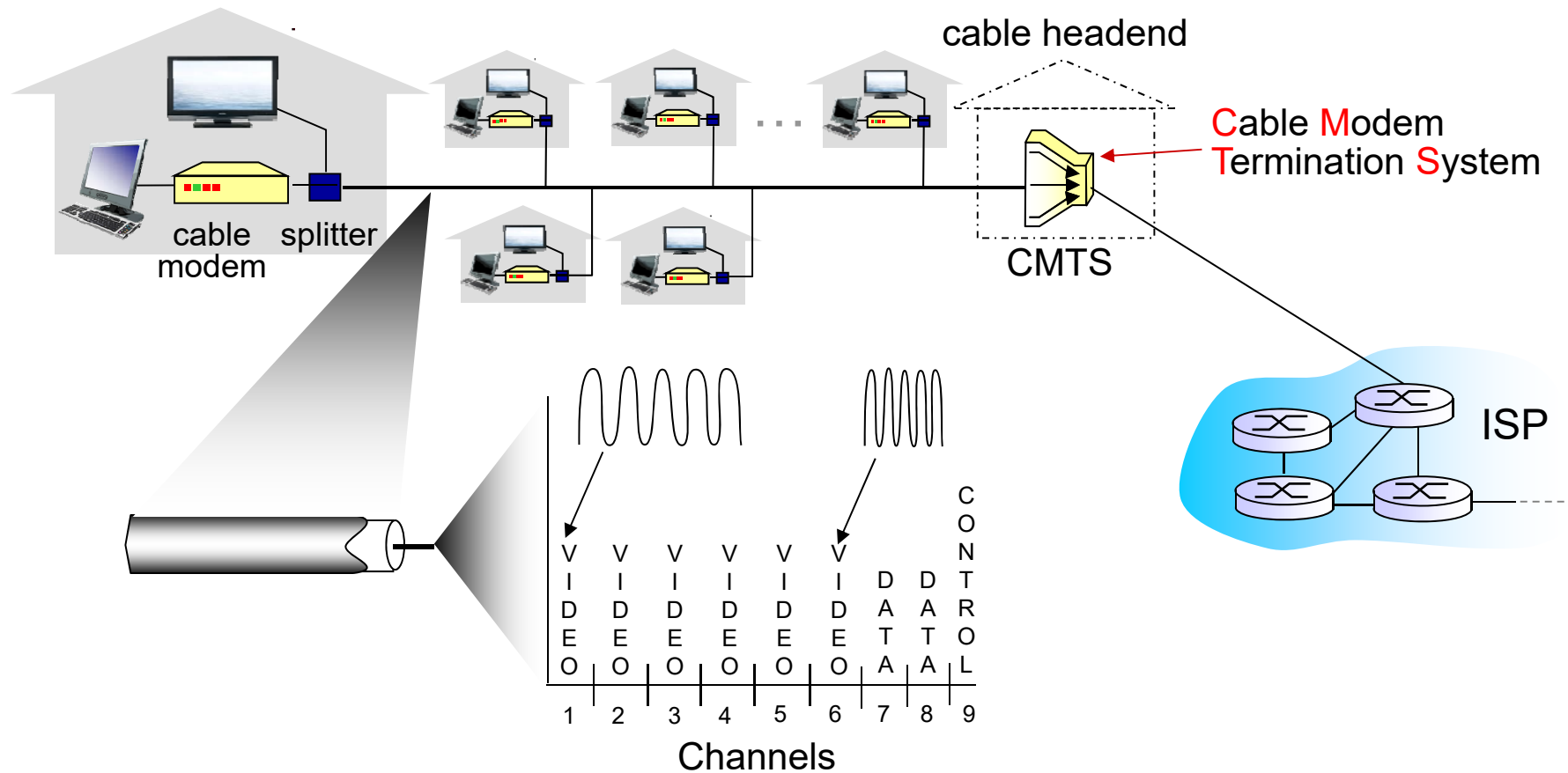
- ❖ Uses existing phone lines but limits distance btw user & ISP modem
  - ❖ Data over DSL phone line goes to Internet
  - ❖ Voice over DSL phone line goes to telephone net
- ❖ 2.5 Mbps upstream transmission rate (typically < 1 Mbps)
- ❖ 24 Mbps downstream transmission rate (typically < 10 Mbps)

# Residential Access: Cable Modems

- **HFC: Hybrid Fiber Coax**
  - ❖ Asymmetric:
    - 100 Mbps downstream
    - 5 Mbps upstream
- **Network** of cable and fiber attaches homes to ISP router
  - ❖ Homes share access network to cable headend
    - That's why your cable modem activity light blinks even when you are not using the modem 😊
- Deployment: available via cable companies

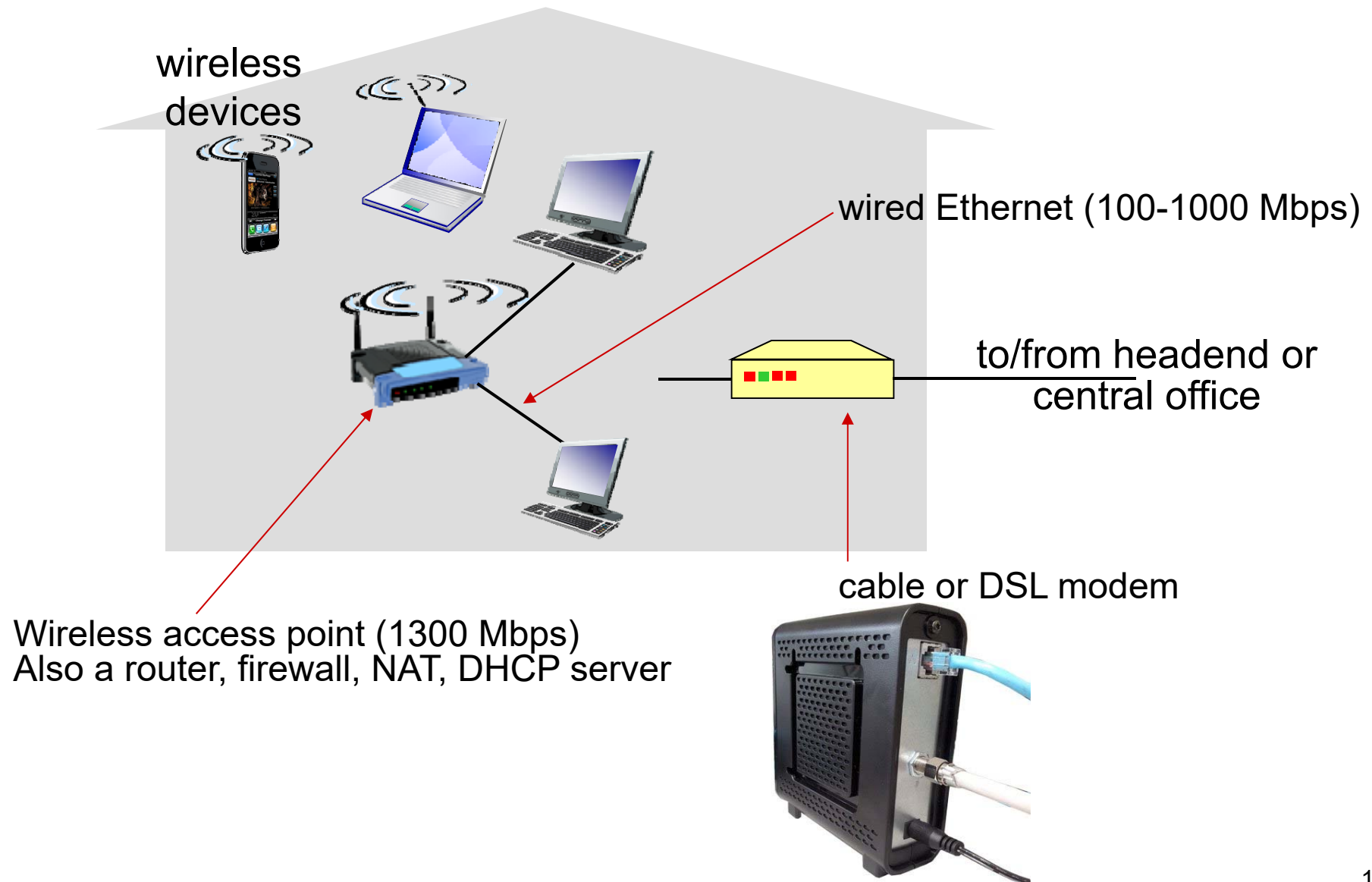


# Residential Access: Cable Modems



*frequency division multiplexing:* different channels transmitted in different frequency bands

# Home Networks



# High Speed Networking! 56 Kbps Access

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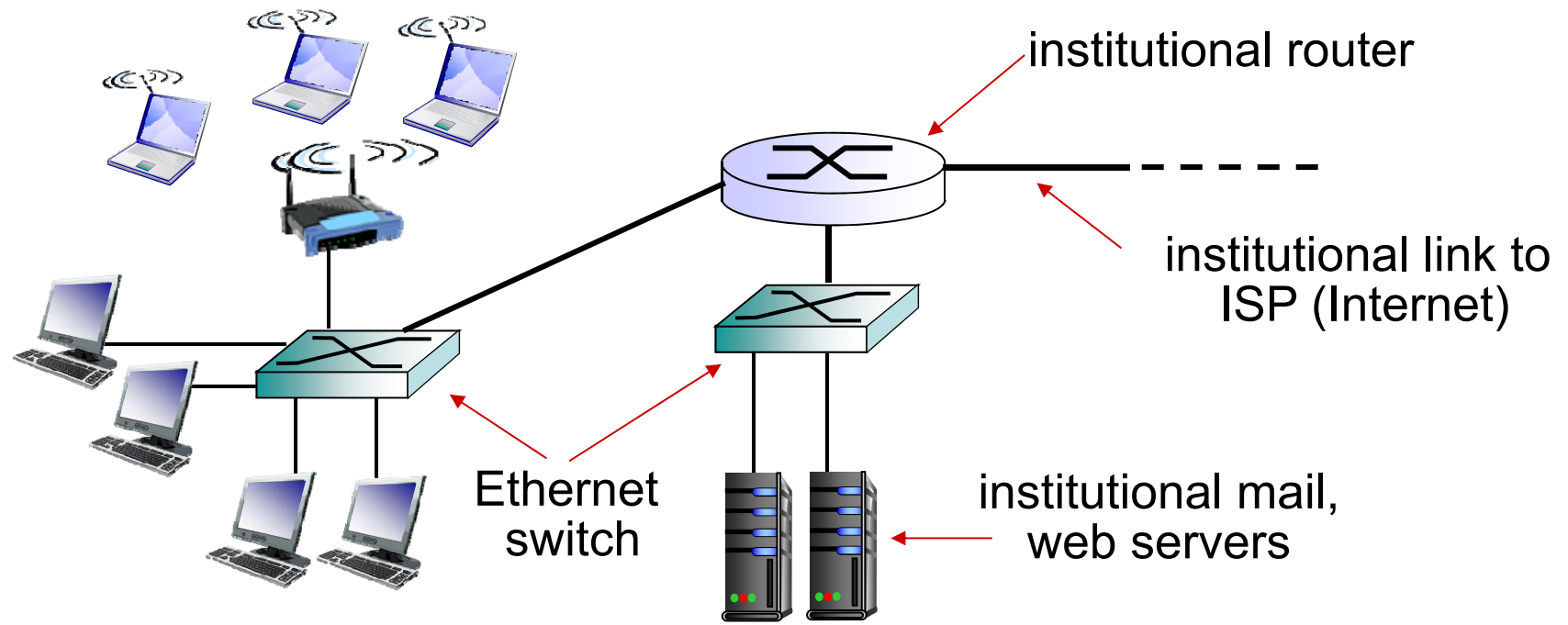
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# Enterprise Access Networks (Ethernet)



- ❑ Typically used in companies, universities, etc.
- ❑ 100 Mbps, 1 Gbps, 10 Gbps transmission rates
- ❑ Today, end systems typically connect into Ethernet switch



# Wireless Access Networks

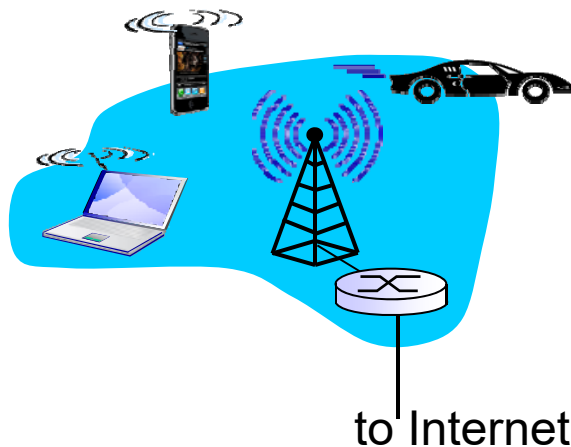
- ❑ Shared wireless access network connects end system to router
  - ❖ Via base station aka "access point"

- ❑ **Wireless LANs:**

- ❖ Within building (100 ft)
- ❖ 802.11b (WiFi) 11 Mbps
- ❖ 802.11a,g 54 Mbps
- ❖ 802.11n 150 Mbps
- ❖ 802.11ac 1300 Mbps

- ❑ **Wide-area wireless access**

- ❖ Provided by telco operator
- ❖ 3G and 4G over wide area
- ❖ Covered in CSCE 660

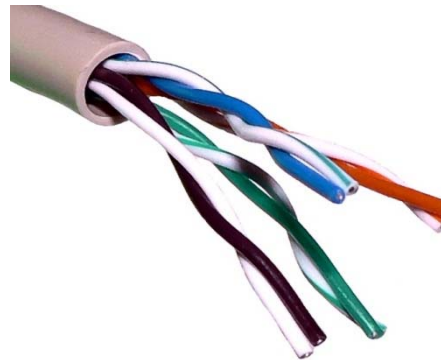


# Physical Media

- ❑ **Bit:** propagates between transmitter/rcvr pairs
- ❑ **Physical link:** what lies between transmitter & receiver
- ❑ **Guided media:**
  - ❖ Signals propagate in solid media: copper, fiber, coax
- ❑ **Unguided media:**
  - ❖ Signals propagate in free space
    - e.g., radio

## Twisted Pair (TP)

- ❑ Two insulated copper wires
  - ❖ Cat 3: traditional phone wires, 10 Mbps Ethernet
  - ❖ Cat 5: 100-1000 Mbps Ethernet
  - ❖ Cat 6: 10 Gbps Ethernet

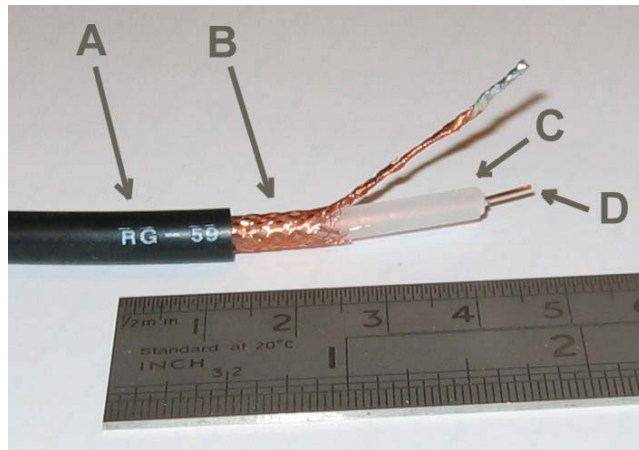


Unshielded twisted pair cable

# Physical Media: Coax, Fiber

## Coaxial cable:

- ❑ Two concentric copper conductors
- ❑ Bidirectional
- ❑ Baseband:
  - ❖ Single channel on cable
  - ❖ Legacy Ethernet
- ❑ Broadband:
  - ❖ Multiple channels on cable
  - ❖ Cable TV



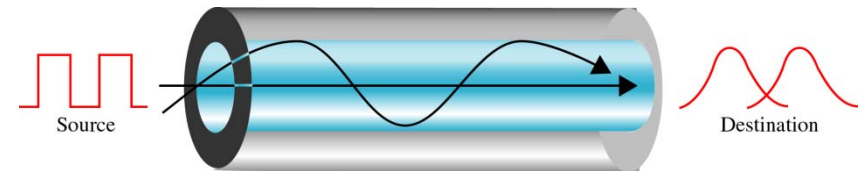
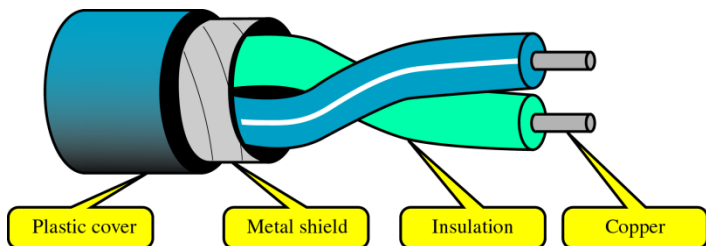
## Fiber optic cable:

- ❑ Glass fiber carrying light pulses, each pulse = bit
- ❑ High-speed operation:
  - ❖ High-speed point-to-point transmission
  - ❖ 10's-100's Gbps
- ❑ Low error rate: repeaters spaced far apart; immune to electromagnetic noise

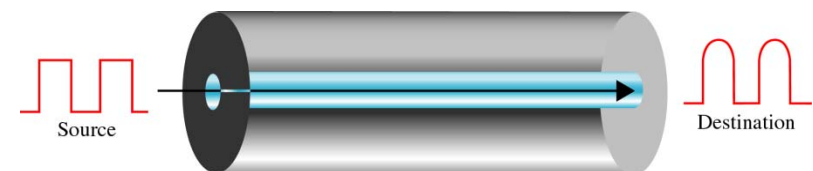
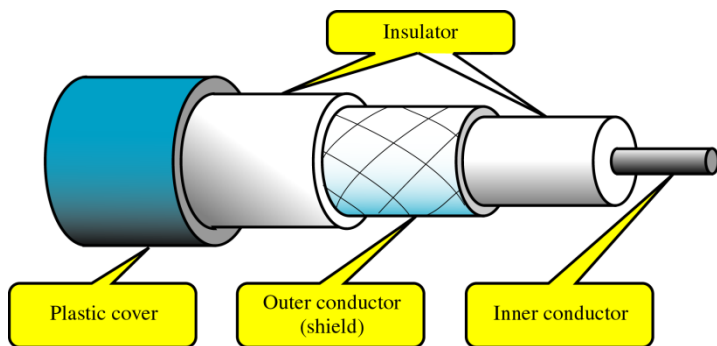


# Physical Media: Cables

Cable	Typical Bandwidth	Distances
Cat 5 (BASE T)	10-100 Mbps	100 m
Cat 5e (BASE T)	1000 Mbps	100 m
Thin-net coax (BASE2)	10-100 Mbps	200 m
Thick-net coax (BASE5)	10-100 Mbps	500 m
Multimode fiber	100 Mbps / 10 Gbps	2 km / 550m
Single mode fiber	10 Gbps	80 km



Multimode (50-80 microns)  
Orange cable



Single mode (7-10 microns)  
Yellow cable

# Physical Media: Radio

- ❑ Signal carried in electromagnetic spectrum
- ❑ Bidirectional
- ❑ Effects of propagation:
  - ❖ Reflection
  - ❖ Obstruction by objects
  - ❖ Interference



## Radio link types:

- ❑ **Terrestrial microwave**
  - ❖ Up to 45 Mbps channels
- ❑ **LAN** (e.g., WiFi)
  - ❖ 2, 11, 54, 1300 Mbps
- ❑ **Wide-area** (e.g., cellular)
  - ❖ 3G : ~ 500 Kbps
  - ❖ 4G : ~ 5 Mbps
  - ❖ 5G : ~ 100 Mbps (goal)
- ❑ **Satellite**
  - ❖ Kbps to 45 Mbps channel
  - ❖ ~ 270 msec end-end prop. delay
  - ❖ Geosynchronous vs low orbit

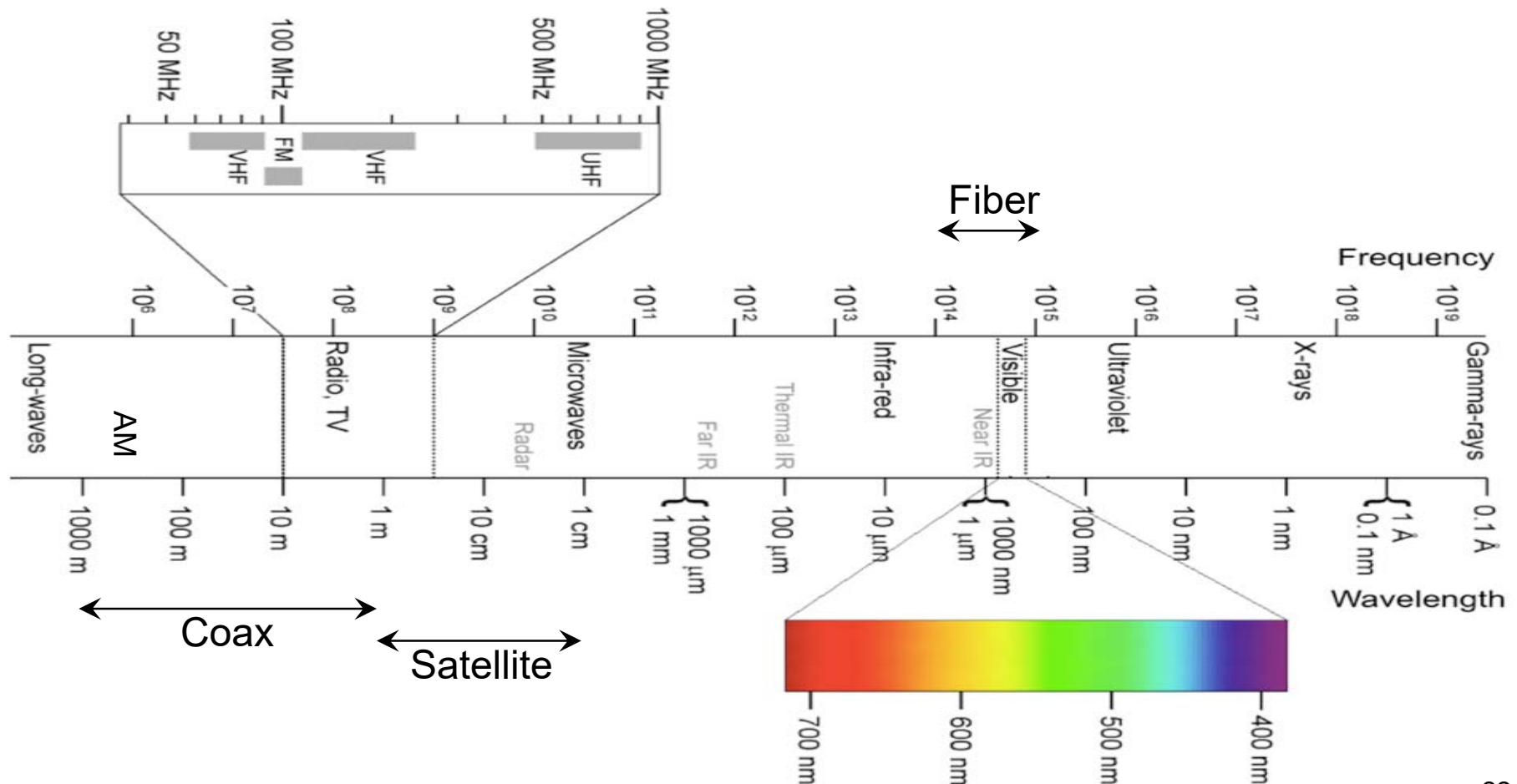
# Physical Media: Radio



2.4 GHz  $\rightarrow$  12.5 cm  
~5 in

- Relationship between speed of light ( $c$ ), frequency ( $f$ ), and wavelength ( $\lambda$ )

❖  $\lambda = c/f$  where  $c = 3 \times 10^8$  m/s (air);  $2 \times 10^8$  m/s (wire)



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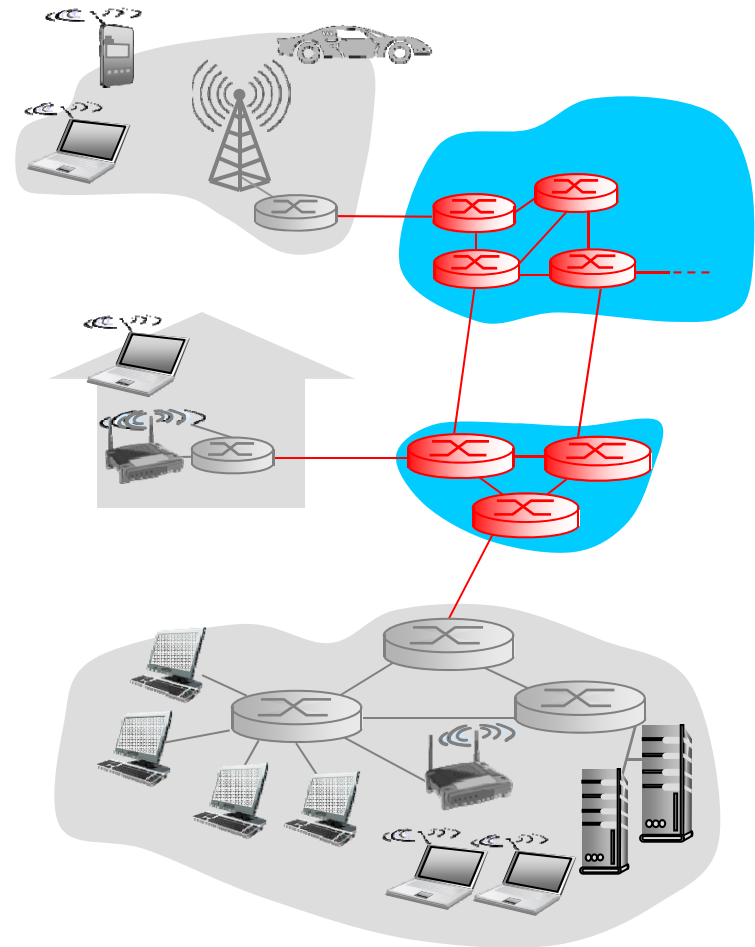
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# The Network Core

- ❑ Interconnected routers
- ❑ The fundamental question: how is data transferred through the network?
  - ❖ **Circuit switching**: dedicated circuit per call
    - Telephone network
  - ❖ **Packet switching**: data sent thru net in discrete "chunks"

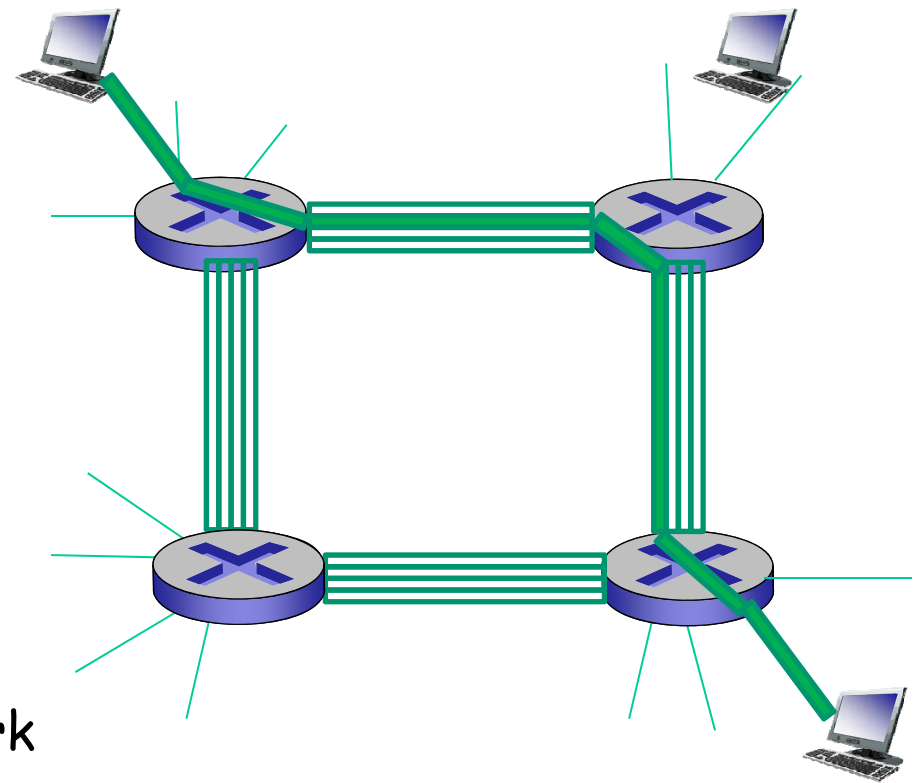




# Network Core: Circuit Switching

End-end resources reserved for "call"

- ❑ In diagram, each link has four circuits
  - ❖ Call gets 2<sup>nd</sup> circuit in top link and 1<sup>st</sup> circuit in right link
- ❑ Dedicated resources: no sharing
- ❑ Circuit-like (guaranteed) performance
- ❑ Call setup required
- ❑ Public Switched Telephone Network
  - ❖ Plain old telephone service (POTS)

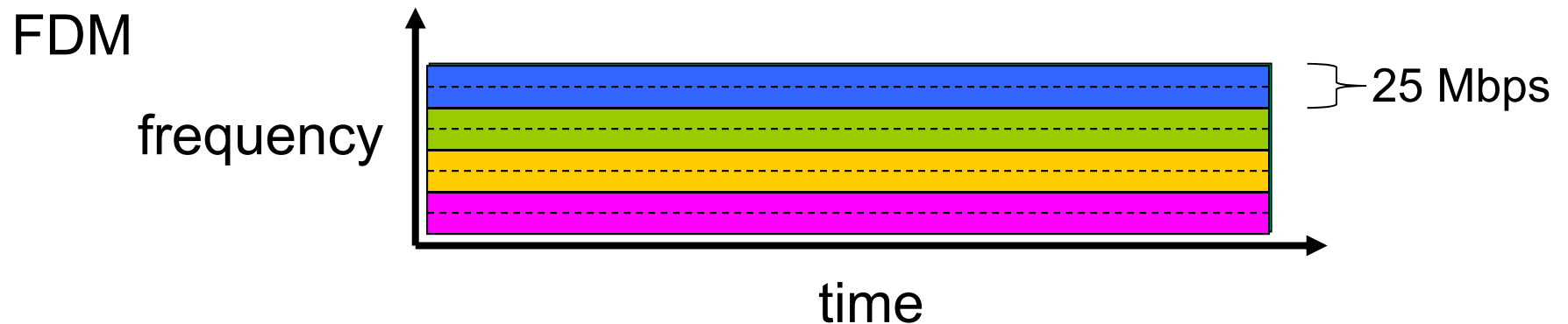
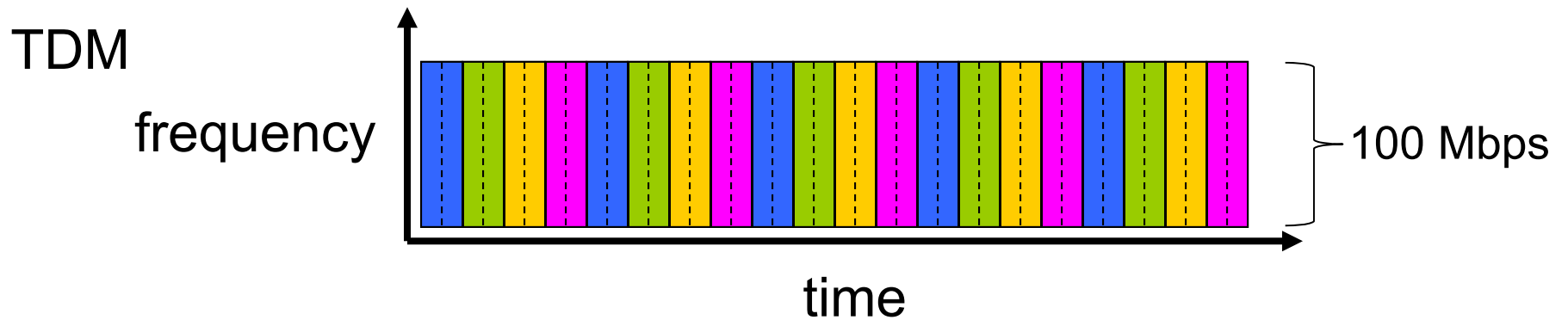


# Network Core: Circuit Switching

- ❑ Network resources (e.g., link bandwidth) **divided into "pieces"**
- ❑ Pieces allocated to calls
- ❑ Resource piece **idle** if not used by owning call (no sharing)
- ❑ Dividing link bandwidth into "pieces" -- multiplex different calls
  - ❖ Time division multiplexing (TDM)
  - ❖ Frequency division multiplexing (FDM)

# Circuit switching: TDM versus FDM

Example:  
4 users



# Circuit Switching Example

- How long does it take to send a file of 640,000 bits from host A to host B over a circuit-switched network?
  - ❖ All links are 1.536 Mbps
  - ❖ Each link uses TDM with 24 slots/sec
  - ❖ 500 msec to establish end-to-end circuit

Transmission rate:	$1.536 \text{ Mbps} / 24 = 64 \text{ kbps}$
Transmission time:	$640,000 \text{ bits} / 64 \text{ kbps} = 10 \text{ sec}$
Total time:	$10 \text{ sec} + 500 \text{ msec} = 10.5 \text{ sec}$

Ignores propagation delay

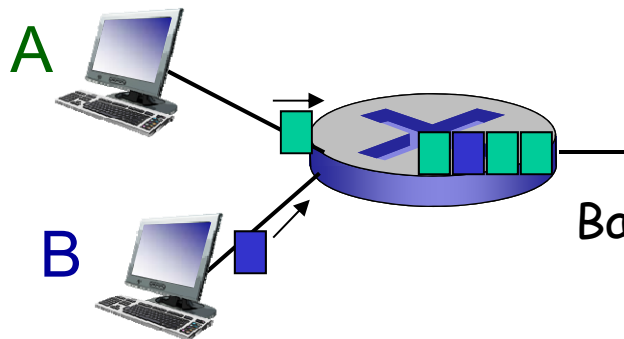
# Network Core: Packet Switching

Each end-end data stream  
divided into *packets*

- ❑ Packets are numbered and addressed and sent through the network one at a time
- ❑ A's packets and B's packets share network resources
- ❑ Each packet uses **full** link bandwidth
- ❑ Resources used *as needed*

Resource contention:

- ❑ Aggregate resource demand can exceed amount available
- ❑ Congestion: packets queue, wait for link to become available
- ❑ Store and forward: packets move one hop at a time
  - ❖ Node receives complete packet before forwarding
  - ❖ Allows Pipelining
    - Overlap sending and receiving of packets on multiple links

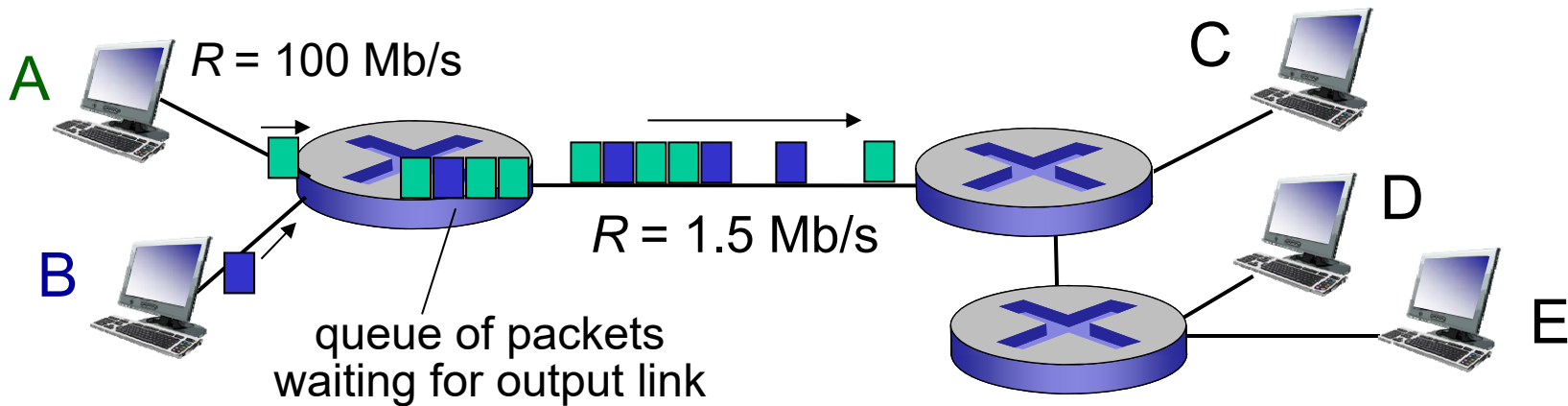


Bandwidth divided into "pieces"

Dedicated allocation

Resource reservation

# Packet Switching: Queuing Delay, Loss



## Queuing and Loss:

- ❑ If arrival rate (in bits per second) to link exceeds transmission rate of link for a period of time:
  - ❖ Packets will queue, wait to be transmitted on link
  - ❖ Packets can be dropped (lost) if memory (buffer) fills up

# Two Key Network-Core Functions

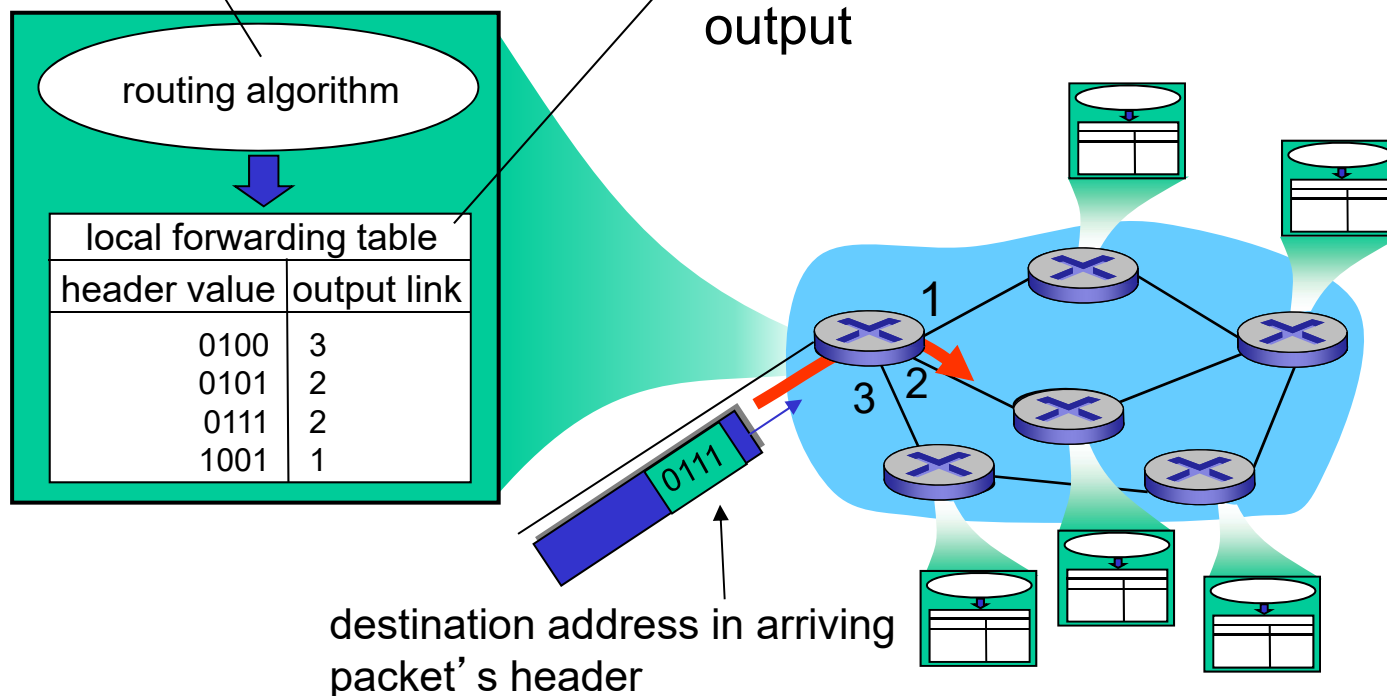
**Goal:** move packets through routers from source to destination

**Datagram network:**

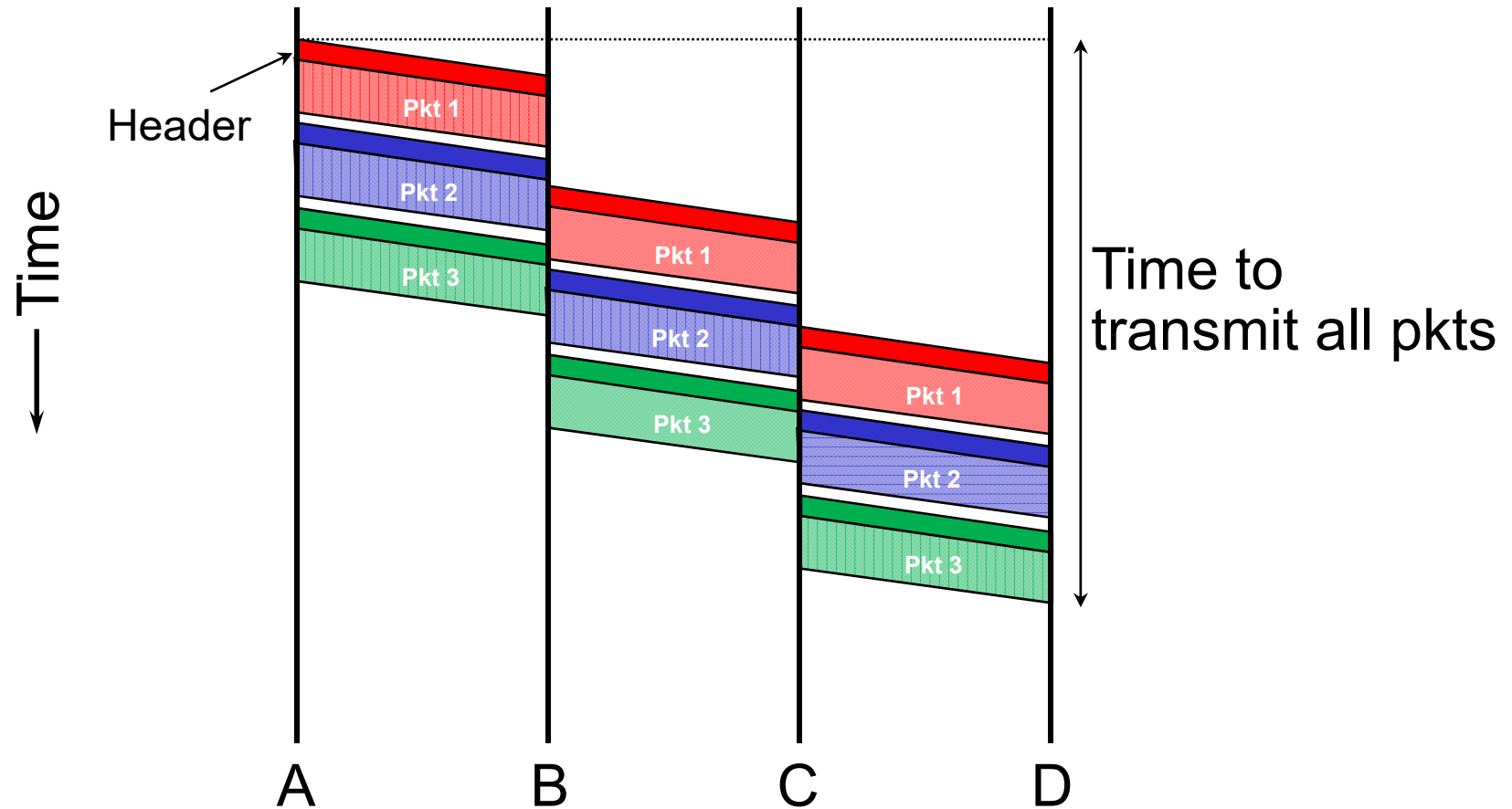
*Destination address in packet determines next hop*

**Routing:** determines source-destination route taken by packets

**Forwarding:** move packets from router's input to appropriate router output

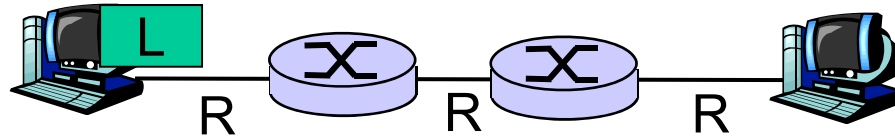


# Packet Switching (Exploiting Pipelining)





# Packet Switching: Store-and-forward



- Takes  $L/R$  seconds to transmit (push out) packet of  $L$  bits onto link of  $R$  bps

- **Store and forward**  
Entire packet must arrive at router before it can be transmitted on next link:

- Delay =  $3L/R$  (assuming zero propagation delay) } more on prop. delay soon ...

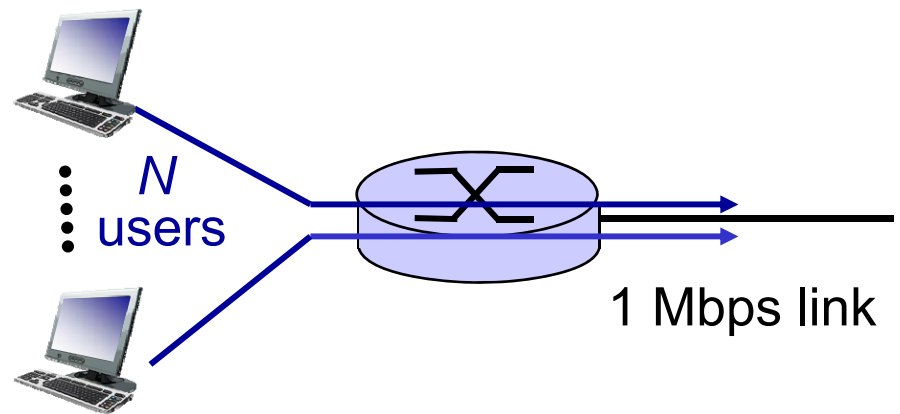
## Example:

- $L = 7.5$  Mbits
- $R = 1.5$  Mbps
- delay = 15 sec

# Packet Switching Versus Circuit Switching

Packet switching allows more users to use network!

- Assume:
  - ❖ 1 Mbps link
  - ❖ Each user:
    - 100 kbps when "active"
    - Active 10% of time
- Circuit-switching:
  - ❖ Supports 10 users
- Packet switching:
  - ❖ With 35 users, probability of more than 10 users active at once is less than 0.0004



Q: How did we get value 0.0004?  
A: See problem 8 in text ☺

# Packet Switching Versus Circuit Switching

Is packet switching a “slam dunk winner?”

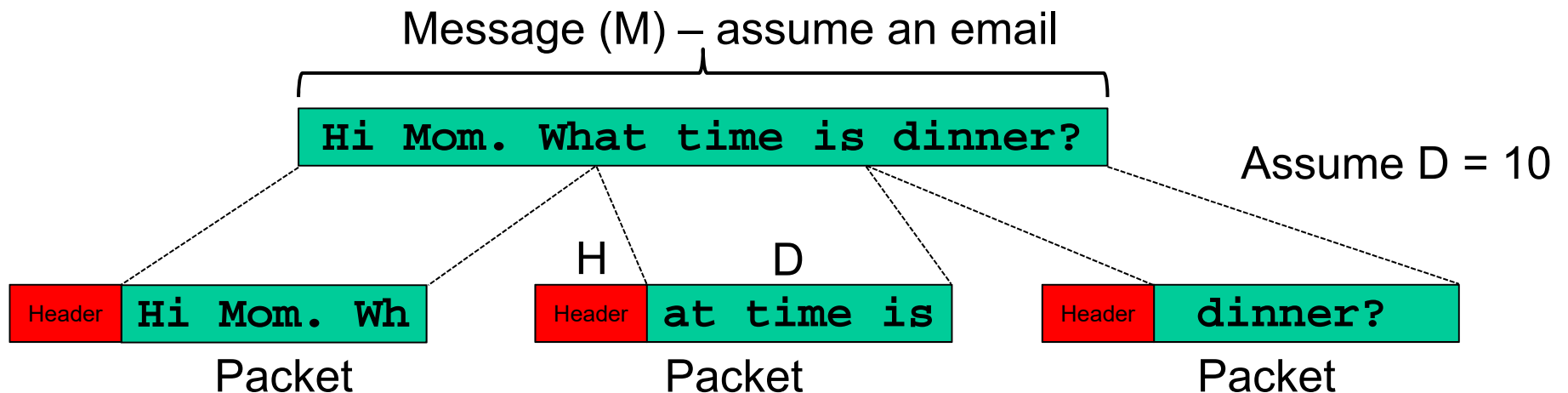
- Great for bursty data
  - ❖ Resource sharing;     Simpler, no call setup
  - ❖ Link fully utilized if there is **any** data to transmit by anyone
  - ❖ Delay can be significantly reduced
  - ❖ Utilization can be significantly increased
- **Excessive congestion** → packet delay and loss
  - ❖ Protocols needed for reliable data transfer, congestion control
  - ❖ Greater variance in delay due to queuing delays
  - ❖ *Flow control* needed to prevent buffer overflows
- **Q: How to provide circuit-like behavior?**
  - ❖ Bandwidth guarantees needed for audio/video apps
  - ❖ Still an unsolved problem (Chapter 9)

# Packet Switching Time

□ **Goal:** Determine time required to move a fixed amount of data

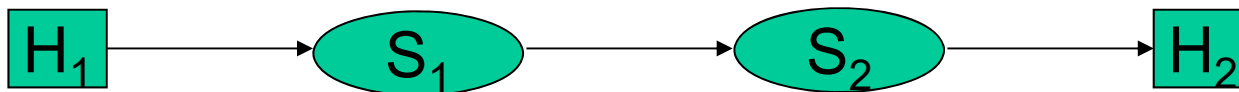
We'll ignore propagation delay in this example

- ❖ Per-link bandwidth:  $B$  (bps)
- ❖ Number of switches:  $S$
- ❖ Number of bytes in the message:  $M$  (bytes)
- ❖ Size of data within a packet:  $D$  (bytes)
- ❖ Size of the header:  $H$  (bytes)



# Packet Switching Time

- Delay = Transmission + "Forwarding" delays
- Transmission delay (aka bandwidth delay)
  - ❖ Time to push all the packets into the network (from  $H_1$  to  $S_1$ )
  - ❖ Time required by the NIC to push all bits onto the wire
- "Forwarding" delay
  - ❖ Time for the last packet (bit) to cross network



# Packet Switching Time

Transmission delay

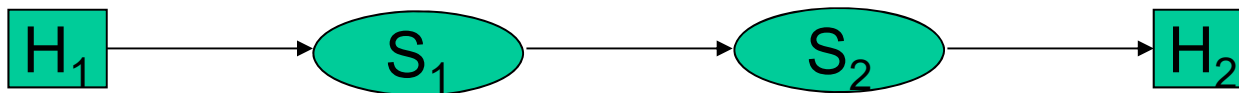
“Forwarding” delay for last packet

Number of packets

Number of switches

$$\left\lceil \frac{M}{D} \right\rceil \left[ \frac{8(D+H)}{B} \right] + S \left[ \frac{8(D+H)}{B} \right]$$

Time for each packet to be transmitted on each link



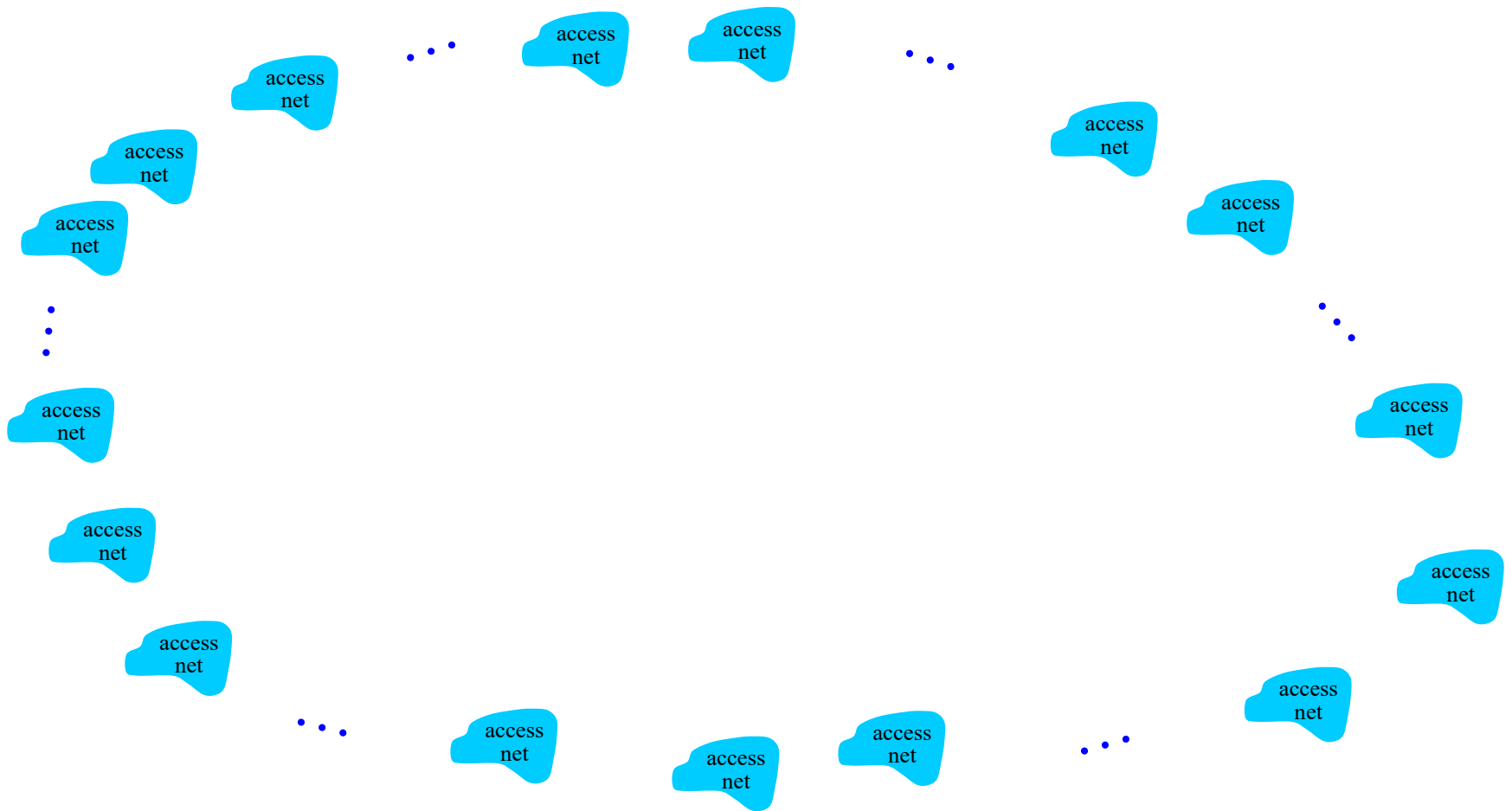
Try M=1,500 bytes, D=500 bytes, B=4,000 bps, no header

# 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

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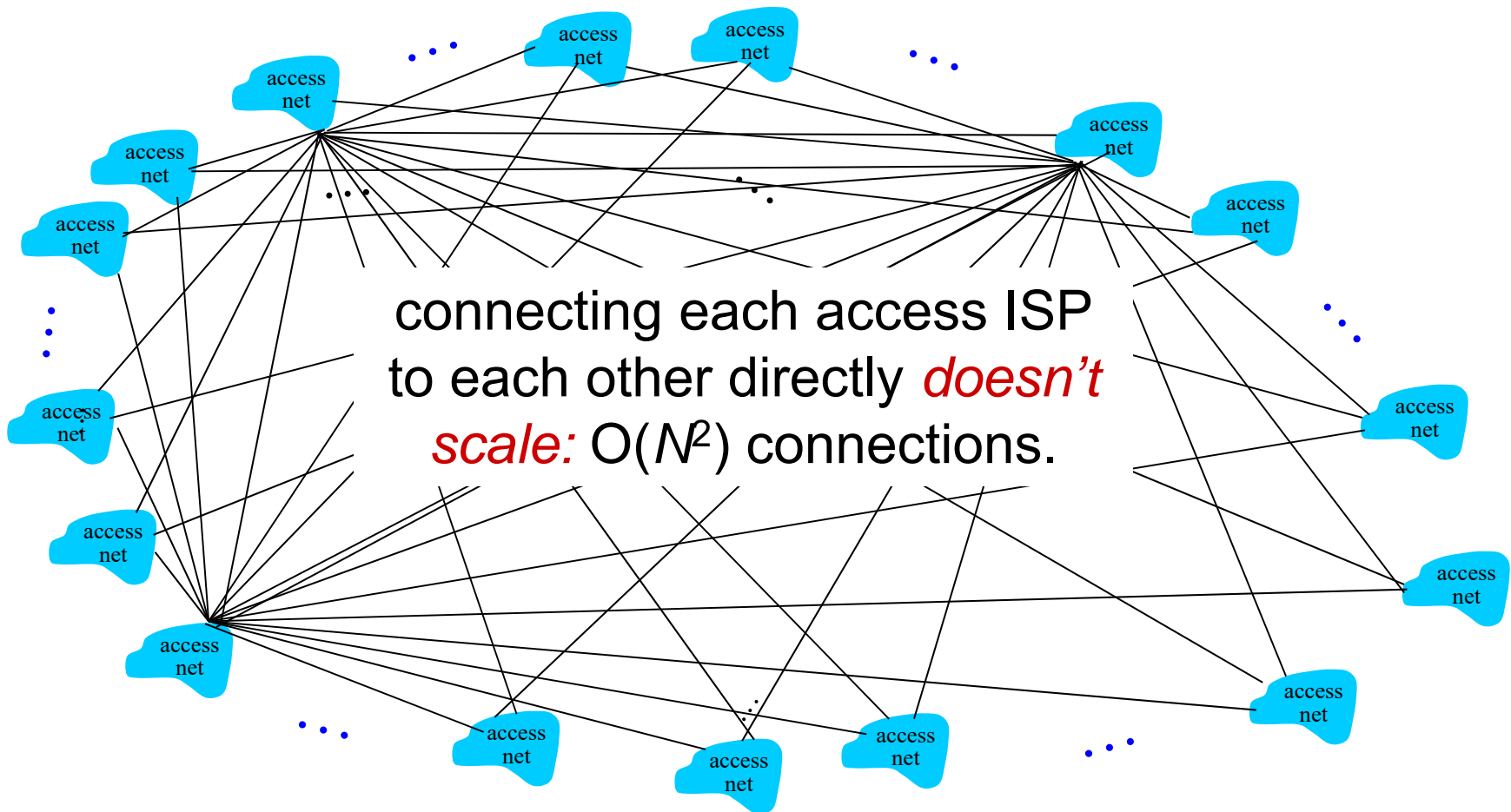
**Question:** given *millions* of access ISPs, how to connect them together?





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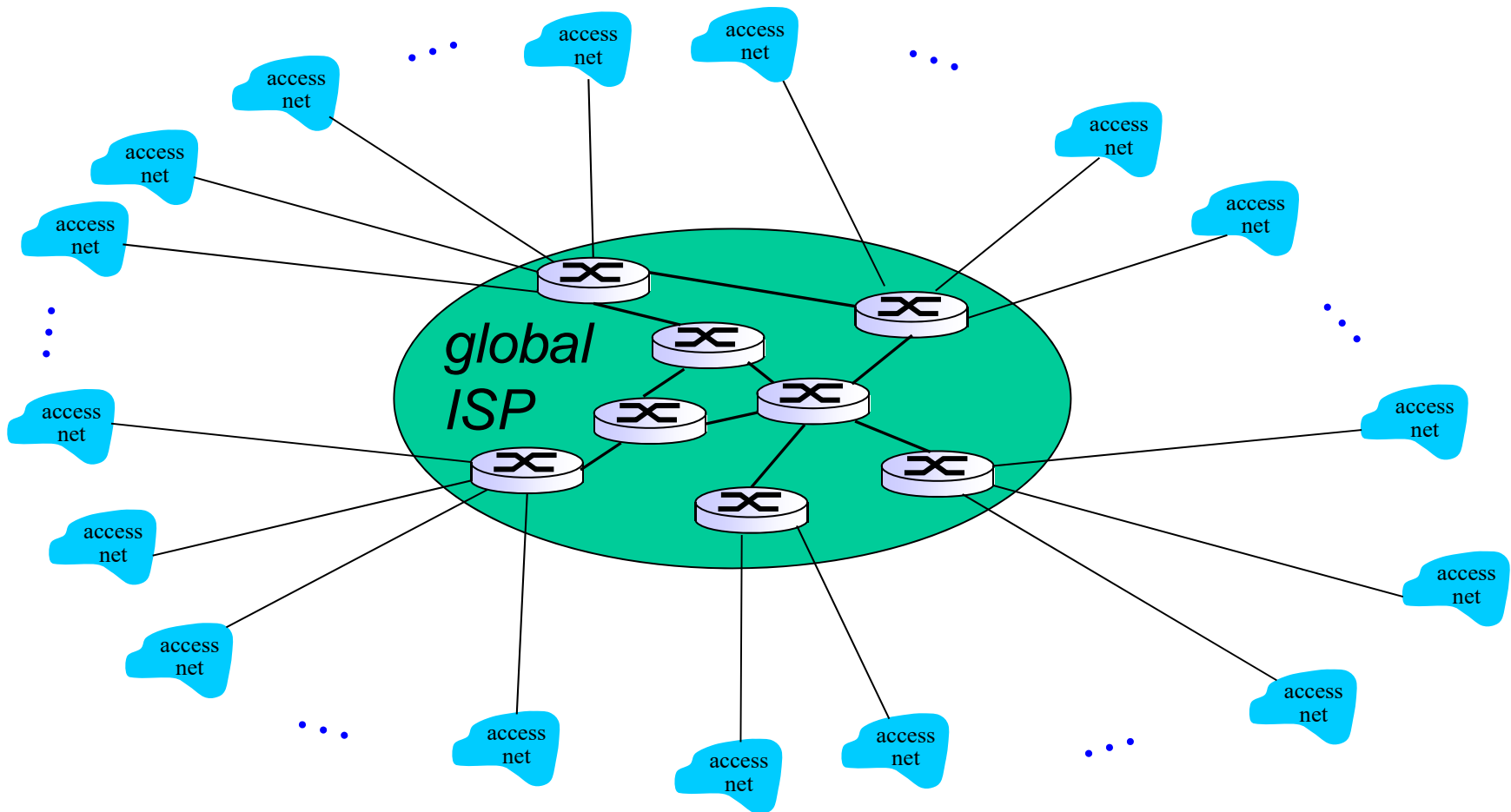
**Option:** connect each access ISP to every other access ISP?



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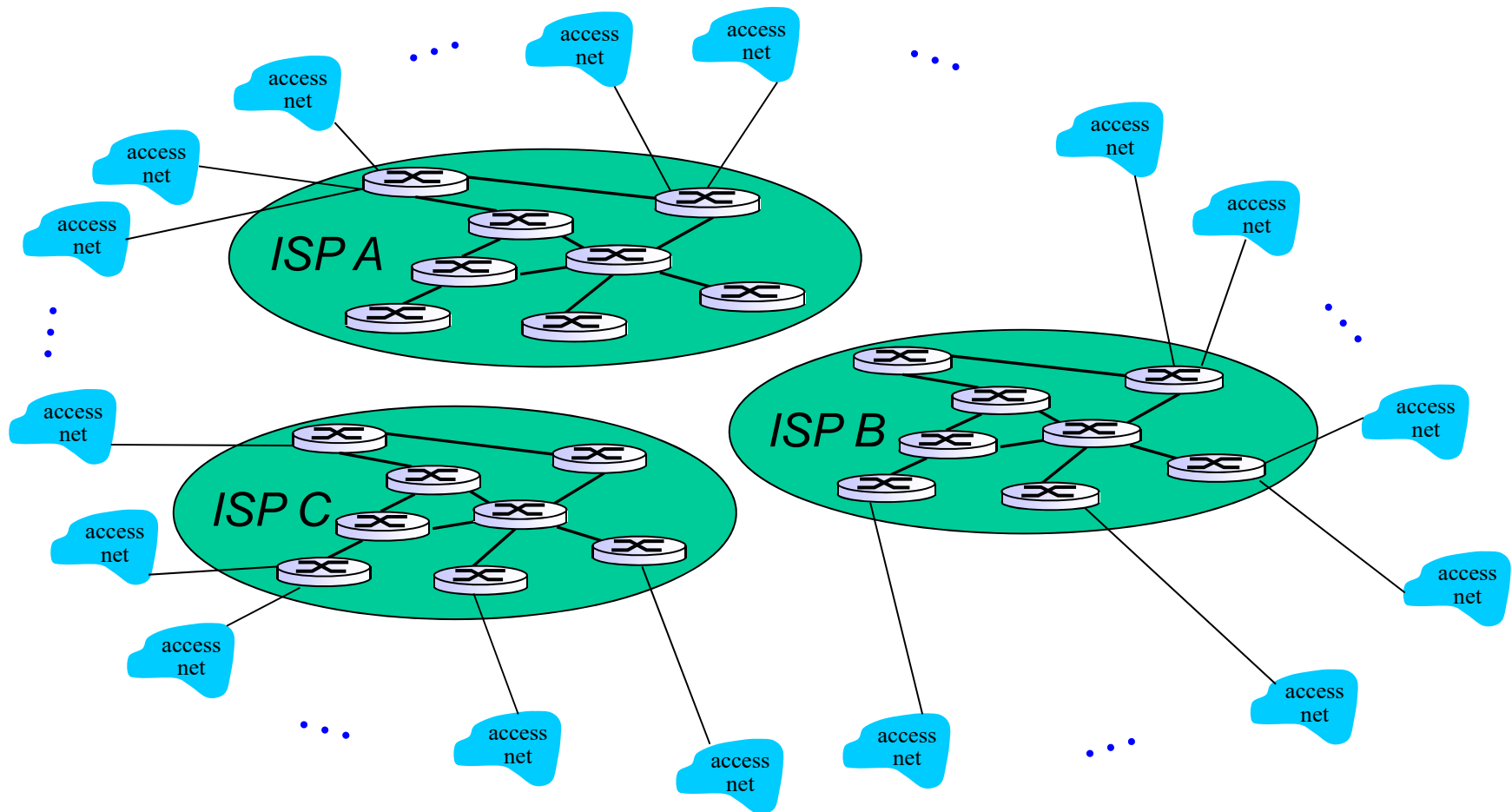
**Option:** connect each access ISP to a **single** global transit ISP?

**Customer** and **provider** ISPs have economic agreement



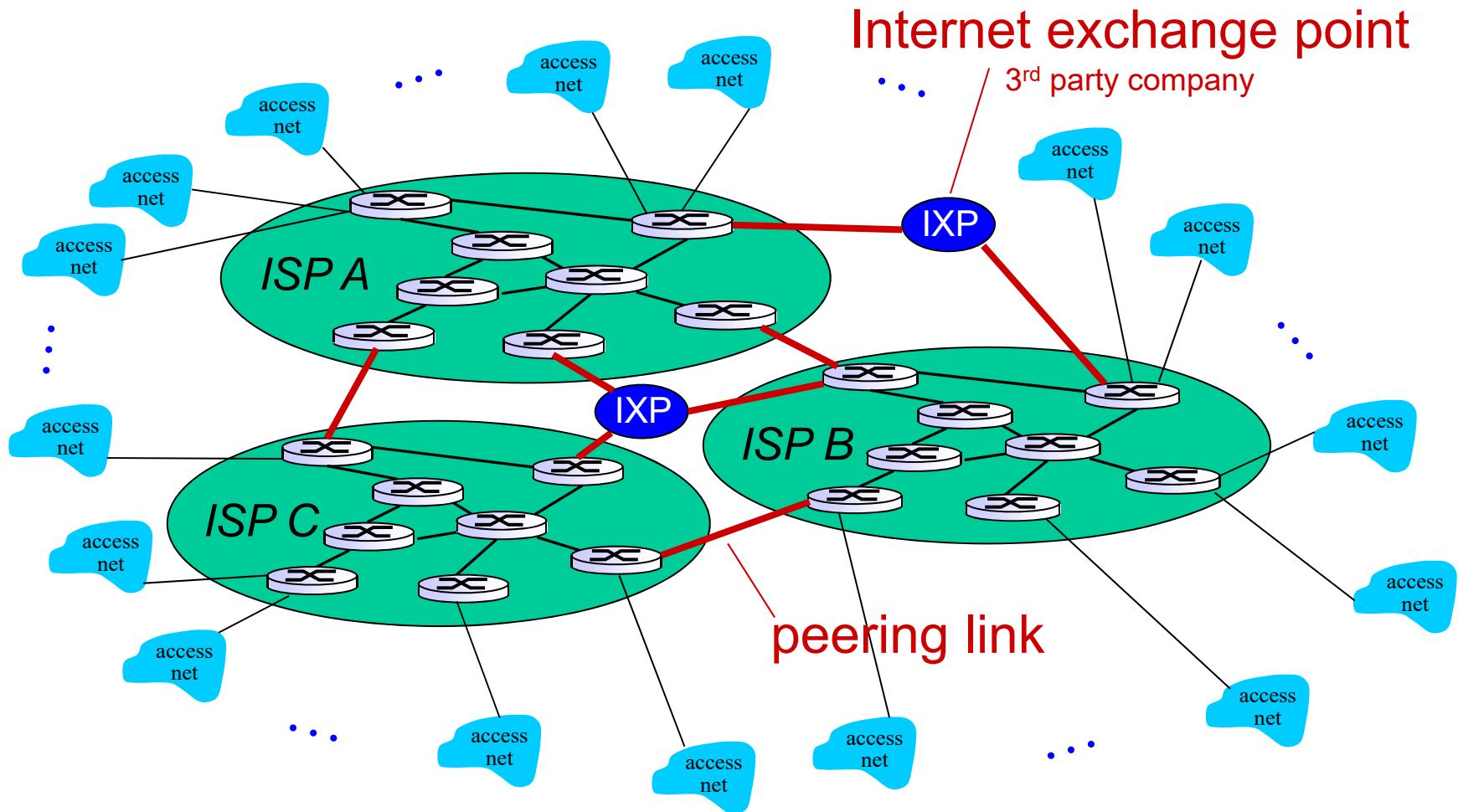
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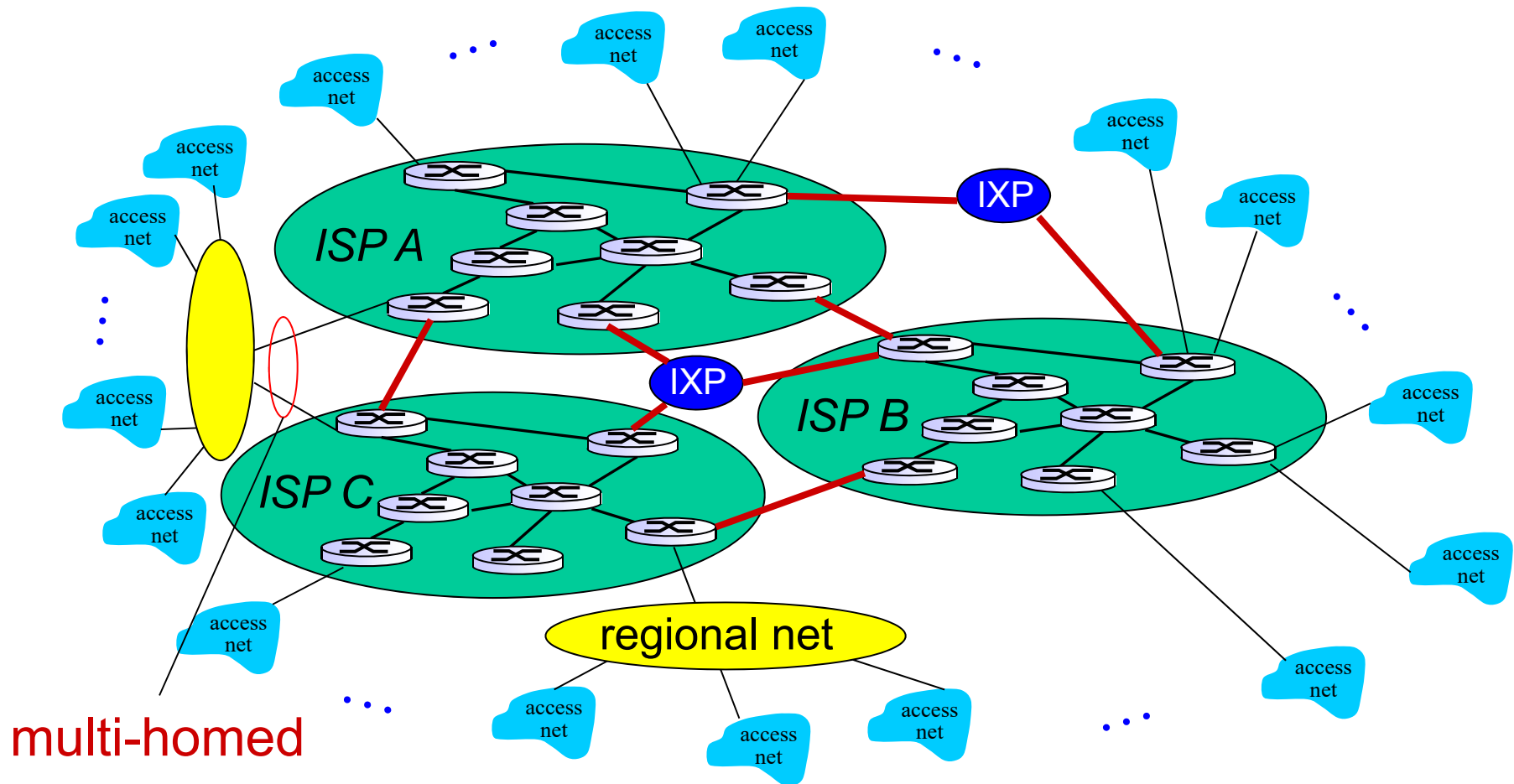
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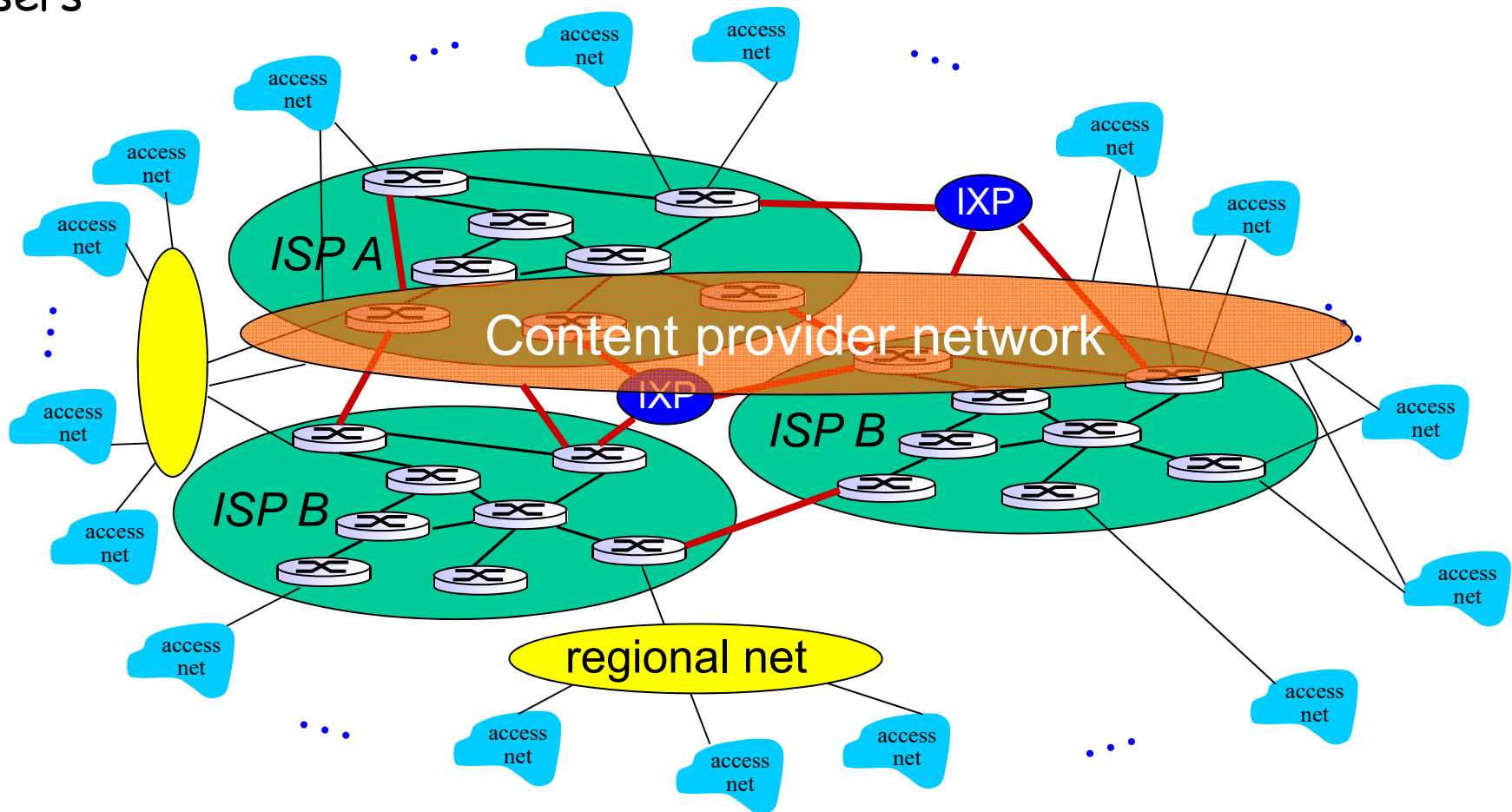
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... and regional networks may arise to connect access nets to ISPs

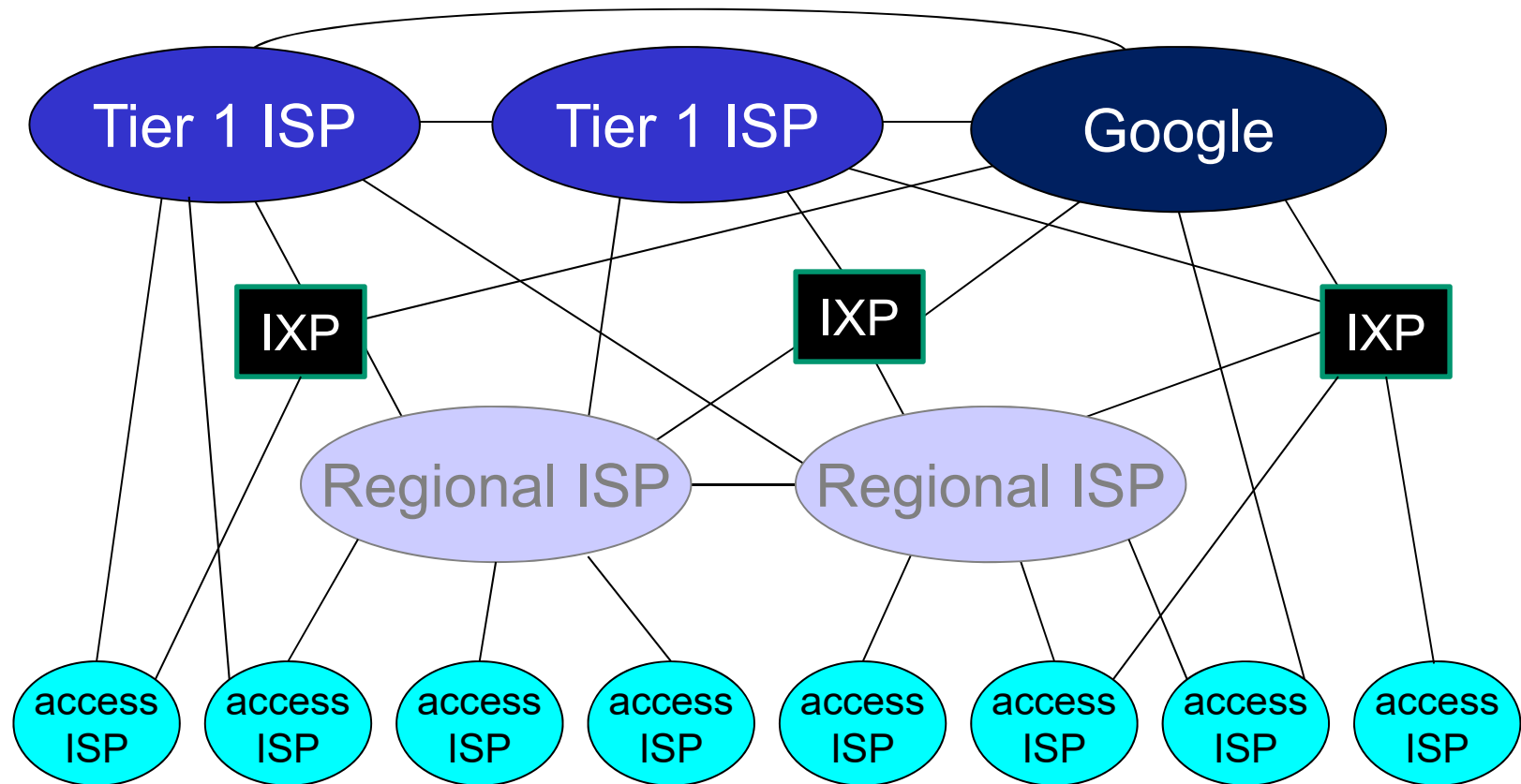


# Internet Structure: Network of Networks

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

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"BEFORE YOU MARRY A PERSON  
YOU SHOULD FIRST MAKE THEM  
USE A COMPUTER WITH SLOW  
INTERNET TO SEE WHO  
THEY REALLY ARE."

WILL FERRELL

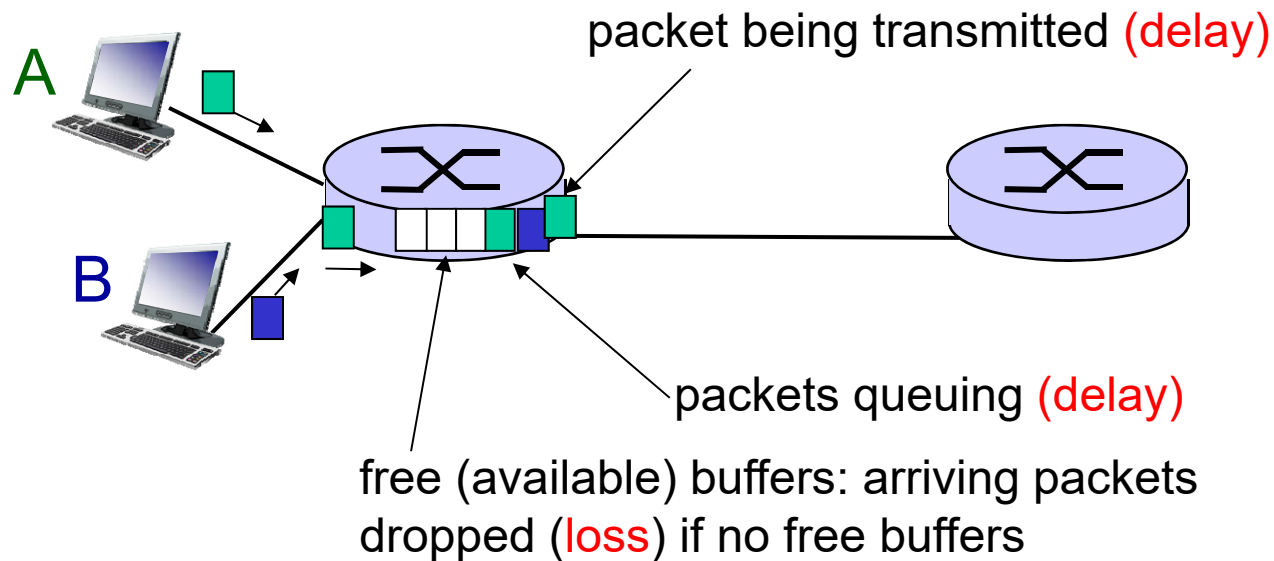




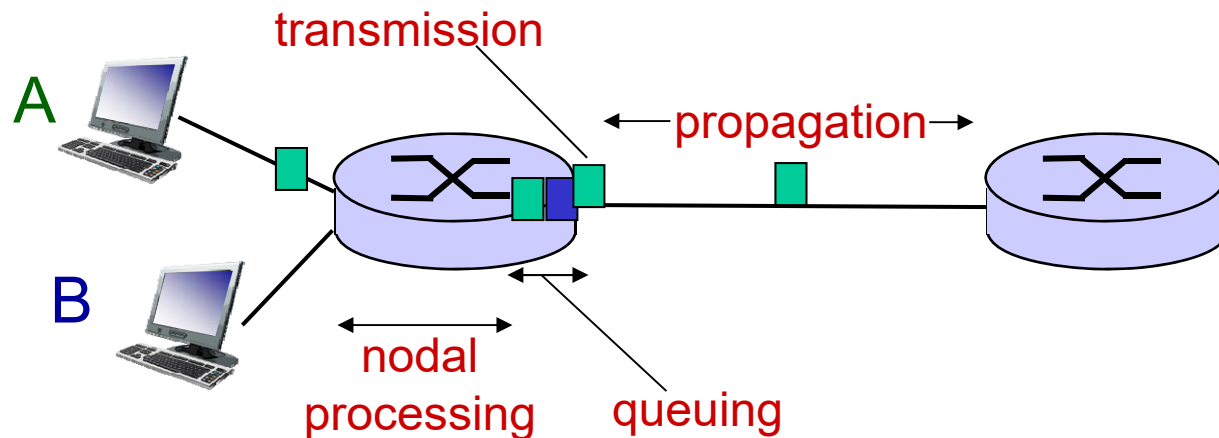
# How Do Loss and Delay Occur?

Packets *queue* in router buffers

- ❑ Packet arrival rate to link (temporarily) exceeds output link capacity
- ❑ Packets queue and wait for turn
- ❑ Lost packet may be retransmitted by previous node, by source end system, or not at all



# Four Sources Of Packet Delay



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

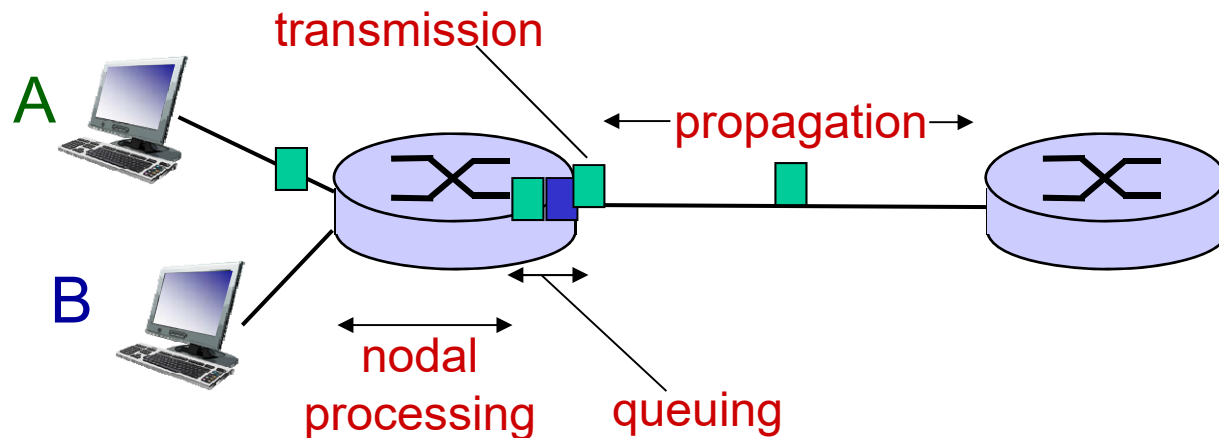
## $d_{\text{proc}}$ : nodal processing

- Check bit errors
- Determine output link
- Typically  $\ll$  usec
  - Often ignored

## $d_{\text{queue}}$ : queuing delay

- Time waiting at output link for transmission
- Time depends on congestion level of router

# Four Sources Of Packet Delay



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

$d_{\text{trans}}$ : transmission delay:

L: packet length (bits)

R: link bandwidth (bps)

$$d_{\text{trans}} = L/R$$

$d_{\text{prop}}$ : propagation delay:

d: length of physical link

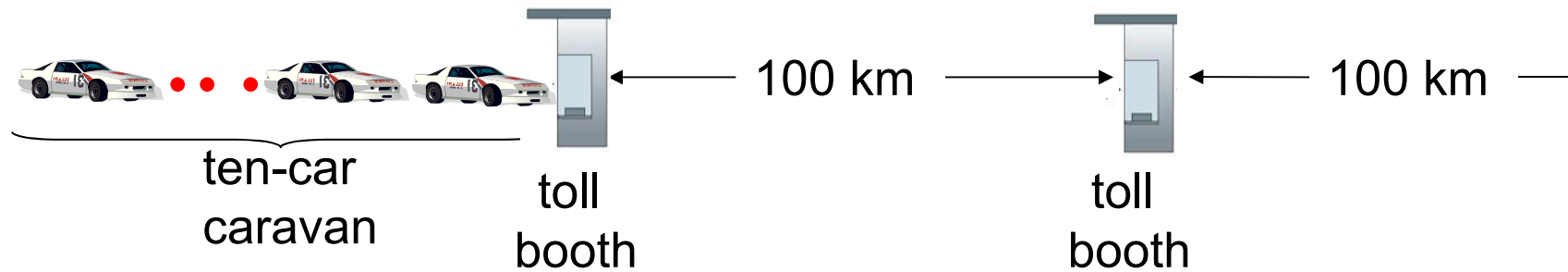
s: propagation speed in medium

( $\sim 2.8 \times 10^8$  m/sec)

$$d_{\text{prop}} = d/s$$

$d_{\text{trans}}$  and  $d_{\text{prop}}$   
very different

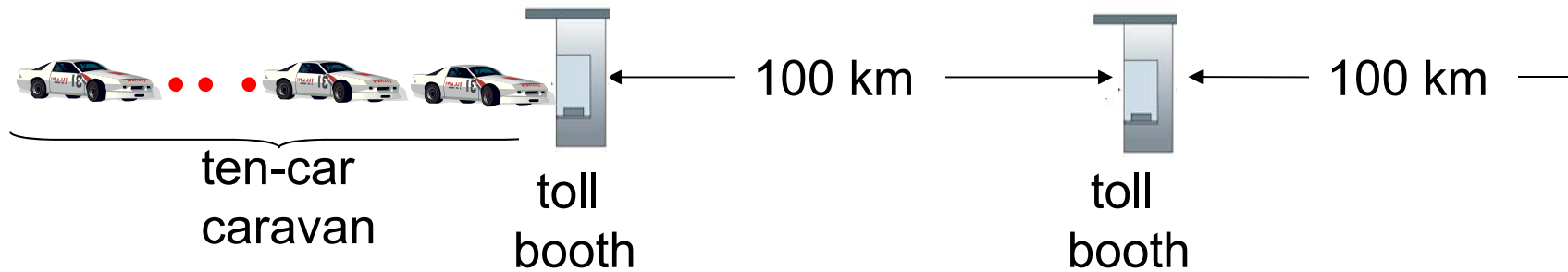
# Caravan Analogy



- ❑ Car ~ bit; caravan ~ packet
- ❑ Cars "propagate" at 100 km/hr
  - ❖ Propagation delay
- ❑ Toll booth takes 12 sec to service a car
  - ❖ Transmission delay
- ❑ Q: How long until caravan is lined up before 2nd toll booth?

- ❑ Time to "push" entire caravan through toll booth onto highway =  $12 \times 10 = 120$  sec
  - ❑ Transmission delay
- ❑ Time for last car to propagate from 1st to 2nd toll booth:  
 $100\text{km} / (100\text{km/hr}) = 1$  hr
  - ❑ Propagation delay
- ❑ A: 62 minutes

# Caravan Analogy (more)



- ❑ Cars now "propagate" at 1000 km/hr
- ❑ Toll booth now takes 1 min to service a car
- ❑ **Q: Will cars arrive at 2nd booth before all cars serviced at 1st booth?**
- ❑ **Yes!** After 7 min, 1st car at 2nd booth and 3 cars still at 1st booth.
- ❑ 1st bit of packet can arrive at 2nd router before packet is fully transmitted at 1st router!

# Nodal Delay Using Flow Control

- If we are using some type of flow control
  - ❖ ARQ (Automatic Repeat reQuest) or windowing, delay is:

$$d_{nodal} = d_{proc} + d_{queue} + d_{trans} + 2d_{prop} + d_{ack}$$

where  $d_{ack}$  is the time for the receiver to generate and transmit an acknowledgement

# Delay Considerations (Example)

- Processing overhead -- assume  $d_{\text{proc}} = 1 \mu\text{s}$
- Queuing delay -- assume  $d_{\text{queue}} = 0$
- Transmission time
  - ❖ Assume  $L = 1,000$  bit message
  - ❖ Assume  $C = 10$  Mbps link
  - ❖ Transmission time:  $d_{\text{trans}} = L/C = 100 \mu\text{s}$
- Propagation delay
  - ❖ Speed of light is  $c = 2 \times 10^8$  m/s in optical fiber
  - ❖ Assume  $D = 1$  km (1000 m)
  - ❖ Propagation delay  $d_{\text{prop}} = D/c = 5 \mu\text{s}$
- Latency is  $d_{\text{nodal}} = 1 + 0 + 100 + 5 = 106 \mu\text{s}$ 
  - ❖ Transmission time dominates in this example

# Delay Considerations

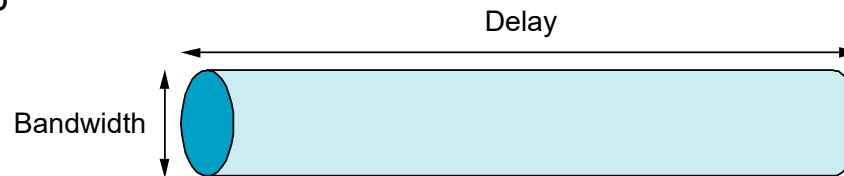
- What happens at high speeds (gigabit speeds)?
  - ❖ The tradeoff between bandwidth and latency (delay) changes
    - Latency does not improve at the same rate as bandwidth
    - Speed-of-light limitations
      - Round-trip **propagation** delay the same for 1 Mbps and 1 Gbps links
  - ❖ Bandwidth available on the network starts to rival bandwidth available *inside* the computers that are connected to the network
    - Potential bottlenecks are now within the host

PCI express bus – 5 Gbps



# Bandwidth x Delay Product

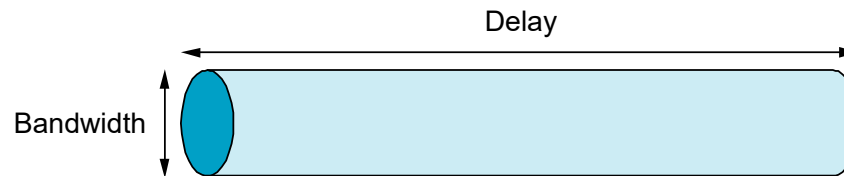
- If acks **are not** required
  - ❖ Volume is the number of bits the pipe (link) holds
  - ❖ Delay =  $d_{\text{prop}}$



<b>B-D without acks</b>	Bandwidth (bps)	Delay (ms) (made up examples)	b x d in bytes
Gigabit Ethernet	1G	0.150	18,750
100 Mbit Ethernet	100M	0.7	8,750
Dialup Modem+Internet	56K	180	1,260
Cable Modem+Internet	4M	180	67,500

# Bandwidth x Delay Product

- If acks **are** required
  - ❖ Volume corresponds to number of bits sender should send before acknowledgement is received by sender
  - ❖ Delay = round trip time (RTT) =  $2d_{\text{prop}}$
- Sender should attempt to send  $B \times D$  bits to fill the pipe to fully utilize the network



# Bandwidth-Delay Product **with Acks**

- Send a 64 KB file on 1 Gbps link

$$64 \text{ KB} = 64 \times 2^{10} =$$

$$65,536 \text{ B} = 524,288 \text{ bits}$$

- Transmit time =  $524,288 / 1 \times 10^9 = 524.288 \text{ } \mu\text{sec}$

- This protocol requires an acknowledgment for each byte

Unrealistic

- B-D product is

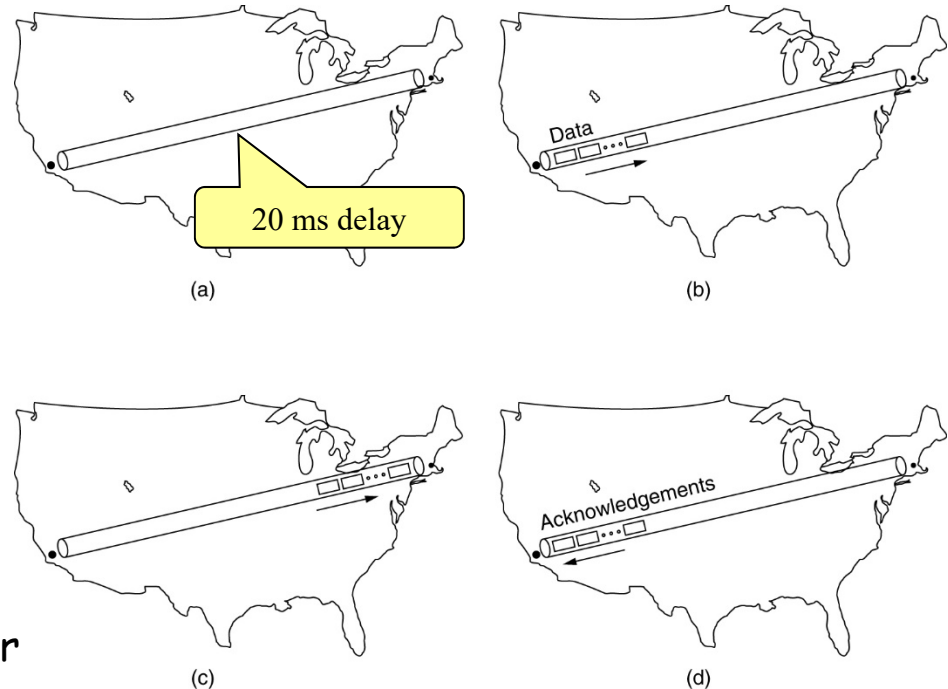
$$1 \times 10^9 \text{ bps} \times 40 \text{ ms} = 40 \text{ Mb}$$

- Corresponds to number of bits sender should send before acknowledgement is received by sender

$$\text{RTT} = 20 \text{ ms} \times 2$$

- We only used  $524,288 \text{ b} = 512 \text{ Kb}$

- 1.3% efficient  $\leftarrow 524,288 / 40 \text{ M}$



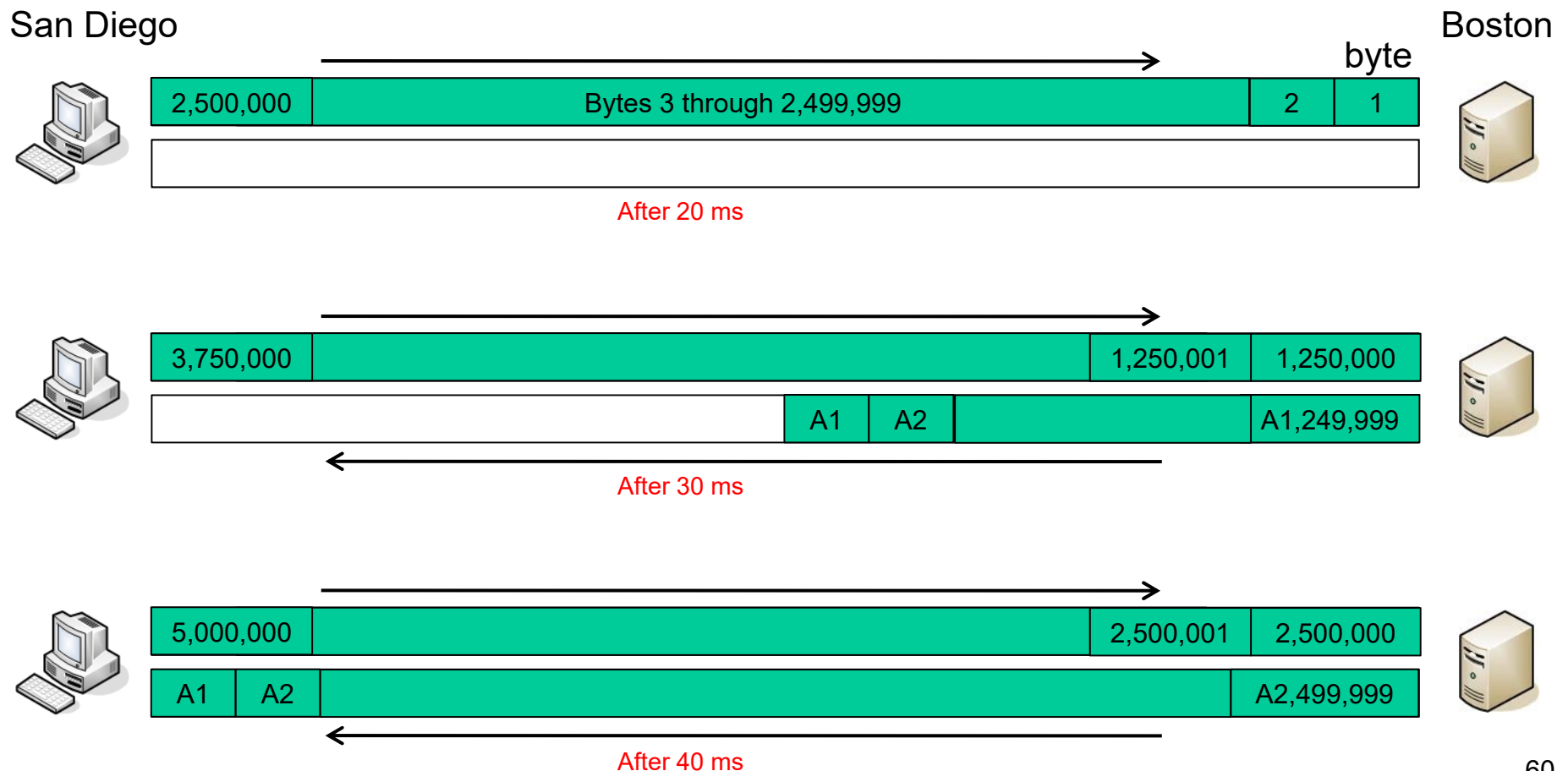
The state of transmitting 524,288 bits from San Diego to Boston

(a) At  $t = 0$ , (b) After  $524 \text{ } \mu\text{sec}$ ,

(c) After  $20 \text{ msec}$ , (d) after  $40 \text{ msec}$ .

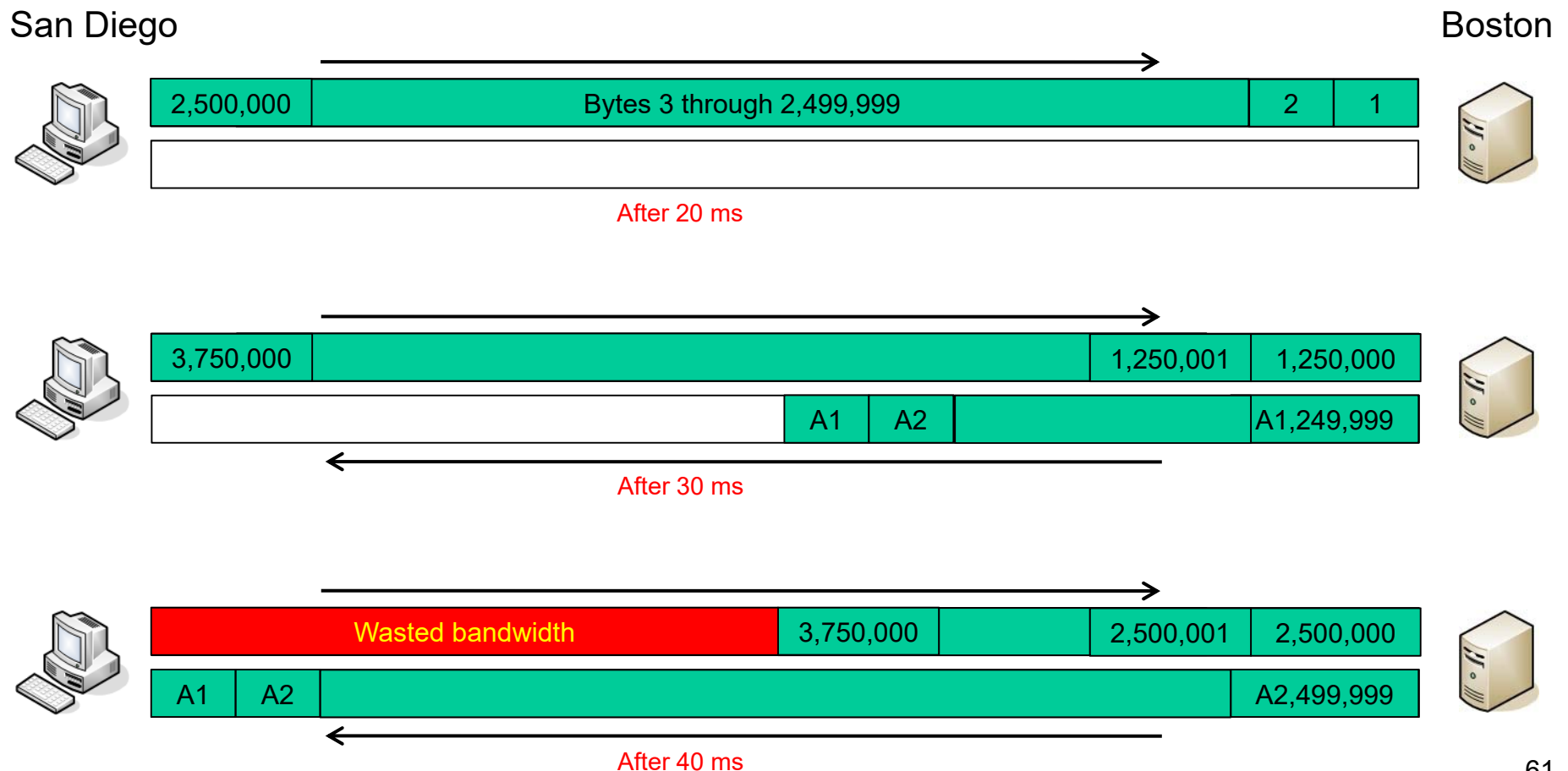
# Bandwidth-Delay Product **with** Acks

- Best performance → make sender's **window** as large as B-D product
  - ❖ Sender has permission to send 40 Mb (5 MB) before receiving the ACK for the first byte



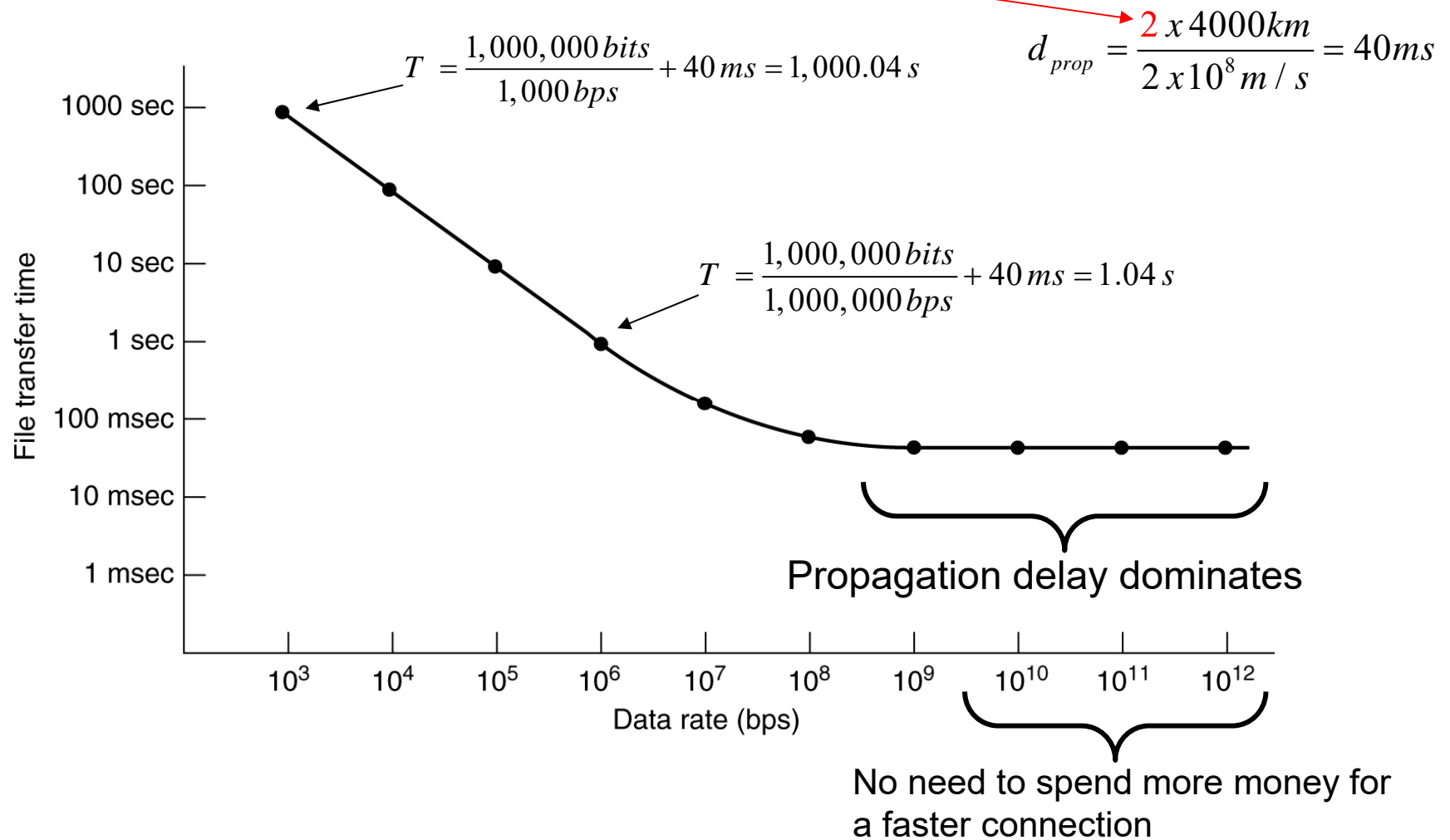
# Bandwidth-Delay Product **with** Acks

- What happens if the sender's window is smaller than B-D product?
  - ❖ Let window = 30 Mb (3.75 MB)

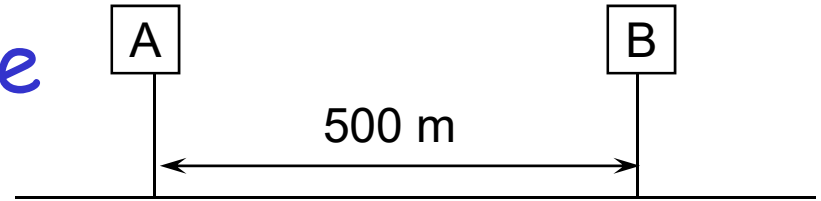


# Protocols for Gigabit Networks: B-D in Action

Time to transfer & **acknowledge** a 1,000,000 bit file over a 4000-km line



# Processing Delay Example



## □ Given

- ❖ Protocol processing time =  $40 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s}$
- ❖ Packet length = 1500 bytes
- ❖ Channel capacity = 100 Mbps
- ❖ Propagation delay factor =  $5 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s/km}$  (aka  $2 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$ )

## □ How long to format the data, add header, and calculate CRC?

- ❖ Given in the problem definition  $40 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s}$

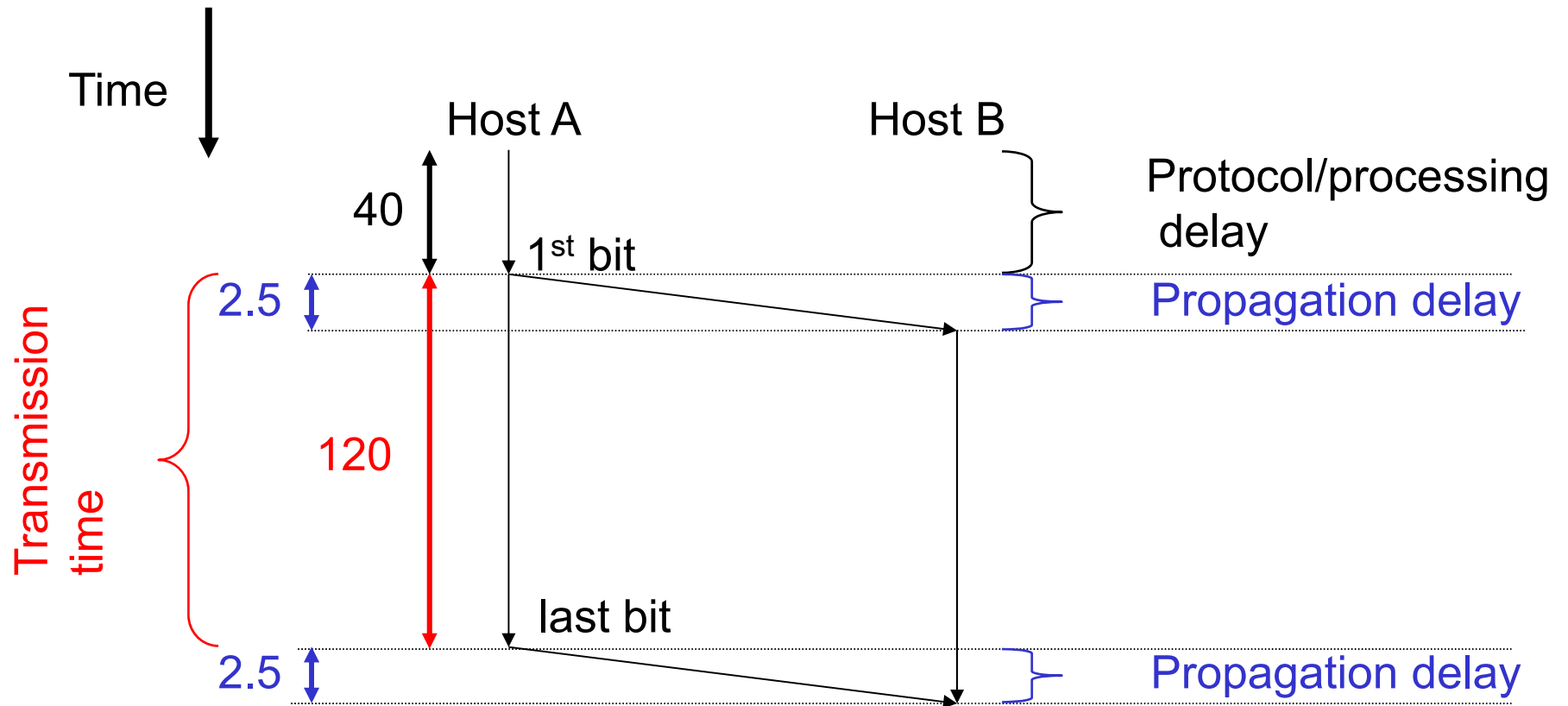
## □ How long does it take a single bit to travel on the link from A to B?

- ❖ Propagation delay =  $500 \text{ m} / 2 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s} = 2.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s}$

## □ How long does it take A to transmit an entire packet onto the link?

- ❖  $(1500 \text{ bytes} * 8 \text{ bits/byte}) / 100 \times 10^6 \text{ bps} = 120 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s}$

## Processing Delay Example (2)

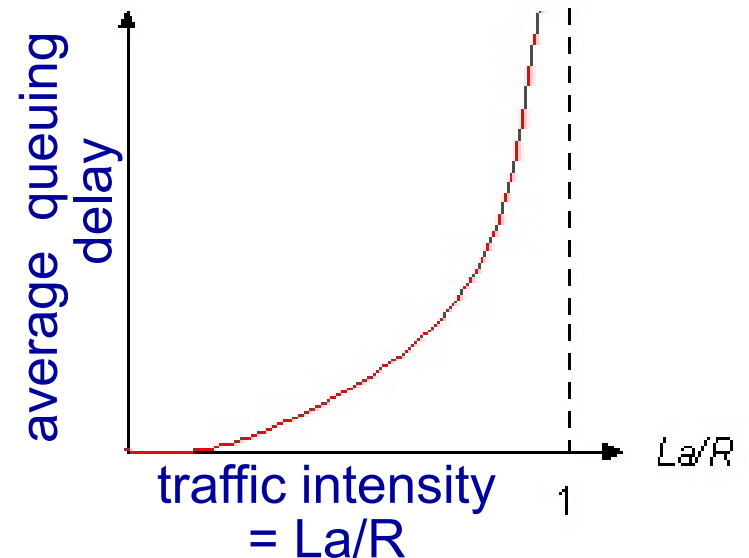


$$\text{Total time: } 40 + 120 + 2.5 = 162.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{ sec}$$



# Queuing Delay

- ❑  $R$  = link bandwidth (bps)
- ❑  $L$  = packet length (bits)
- ❑  $a$  = average packet arrival rate
- ❑  $I = La/R$  = traffic intensity
- ❑  $I \sim 0$ : average queuing delay small
- ❑  $I \rightarrow 1$ : delays become large
- ❑  $I > 1$ : more "work" arriving than can be serviced, average delay infinite!



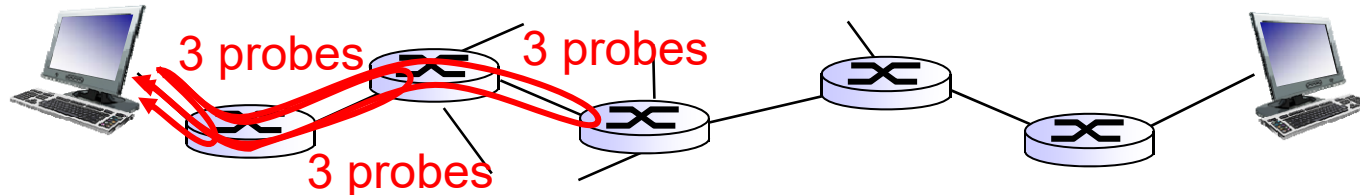
$La/R \sim 0$



$La/R \rightarrow 1$

# "Real" Internet Delays and Routes

- ❑ What do "real" Internet delay & loss look like?
- ❑ **Traceroute** program: provides delay measurement from source to router along end-end Internet path towards destination
- ❑ For all  $i$ :
  - ❖ Sends three packets that will reach router  $i$  on path towards destination
  - ❖ Router  $i$  will drop the packet and return a special ICMP packet to sender
  - ❖ Sender times interval between transmission and ICMP reply



# "Real" Internet Delays and Routes


tracert - Windows

traceroute - Linux

On gaia.cs.umass.edu computer, author opened command shell


```
# traceroute www.eurecom.fr
```

Three delay measurements from  
gaia.cs.umass.edu to cs-gw.cs.umass.edu



```
1 cs-gw (128.119.240.254) 1 ms 1 ms 2 ms
2 border1-rt-fa5-1-0.gw.umass.edu (128.119.3.145) 1 ms 1 ms 2 ms
3 cht-vbns.gw.umass.edu (128.119.3.130) 6 ms 5 ms 5 ms
4 jn1-at1-0-0-19.wor.vbns.net (204.147.132.129) 16 ms 11 ms 13 ms
5 jn1-so7-0-0-0.wae.vbns.net (204.147.136.136) 21 ms 18 ms 18 ms
6 abilene-vbns.abilene.ucaid.edu (198.32.11.9) 22 ms 18 ms 22 ms
7 nycm-wash.abilene.ucaid.edu (198.32.8.46) 22 ms 22 ms 22 ms
8 62.40.103.253 (62.40.103.253) 104 ms 109 ms 106 ms
9 de2-1.de1.de.geant.net (62.40.96.129) 109 ms 102 ms 104 ms
10 de.fr1.fr.geant.net (62.40.96.50) 113 ms 121 ms 114 ms
11 renater-gw.fr1.fr.geant.net (62.40.103.54) 112 ms 114 ms 112 ms
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trans-oceanic link

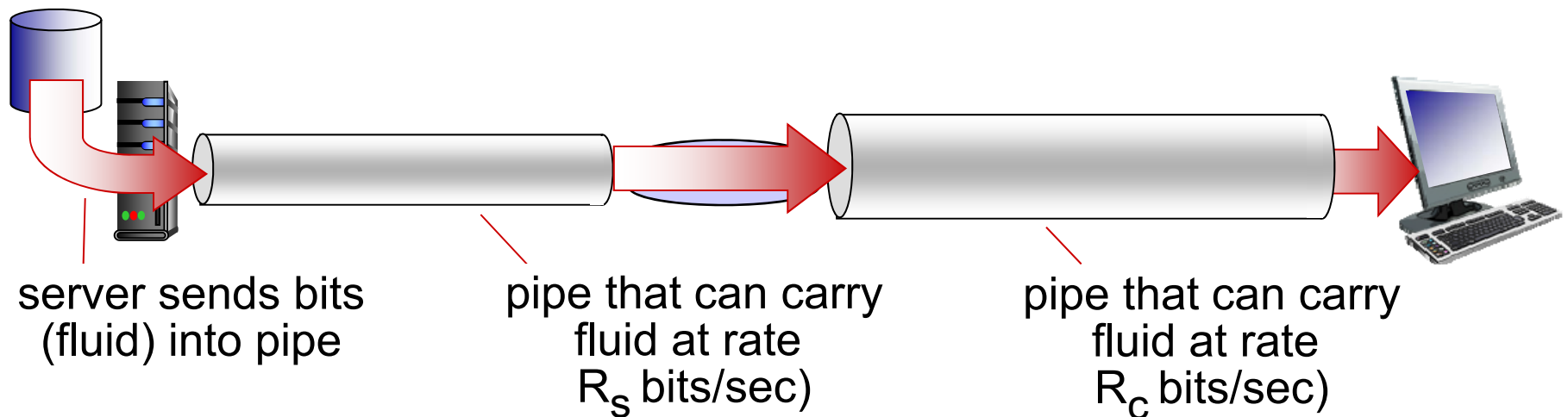


\* means no response (probe lost or router not replying)

# Throughput

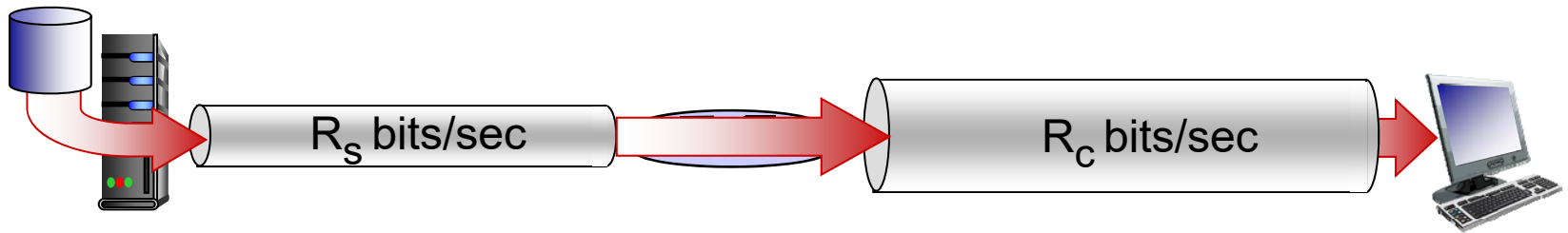
**Throughput:** rate (bits/time unit) at which bits transferred between sender/receiver

- ❖ **Instantaneous:** rate at given point in time
- ❖ **Average:** rate over long(er) period of time

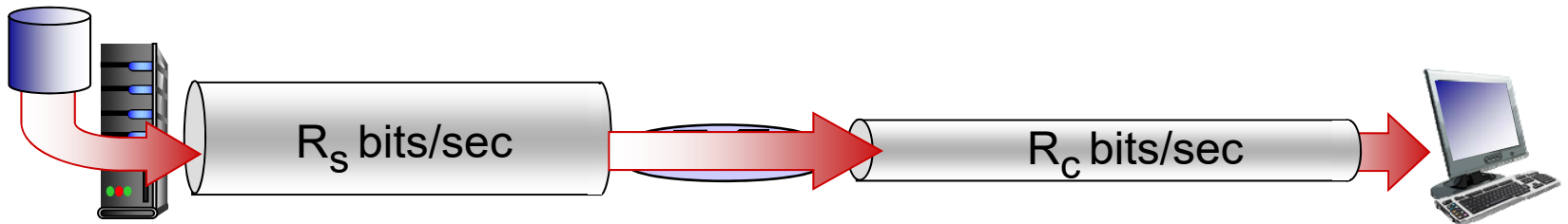


# Throughput (more)

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



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

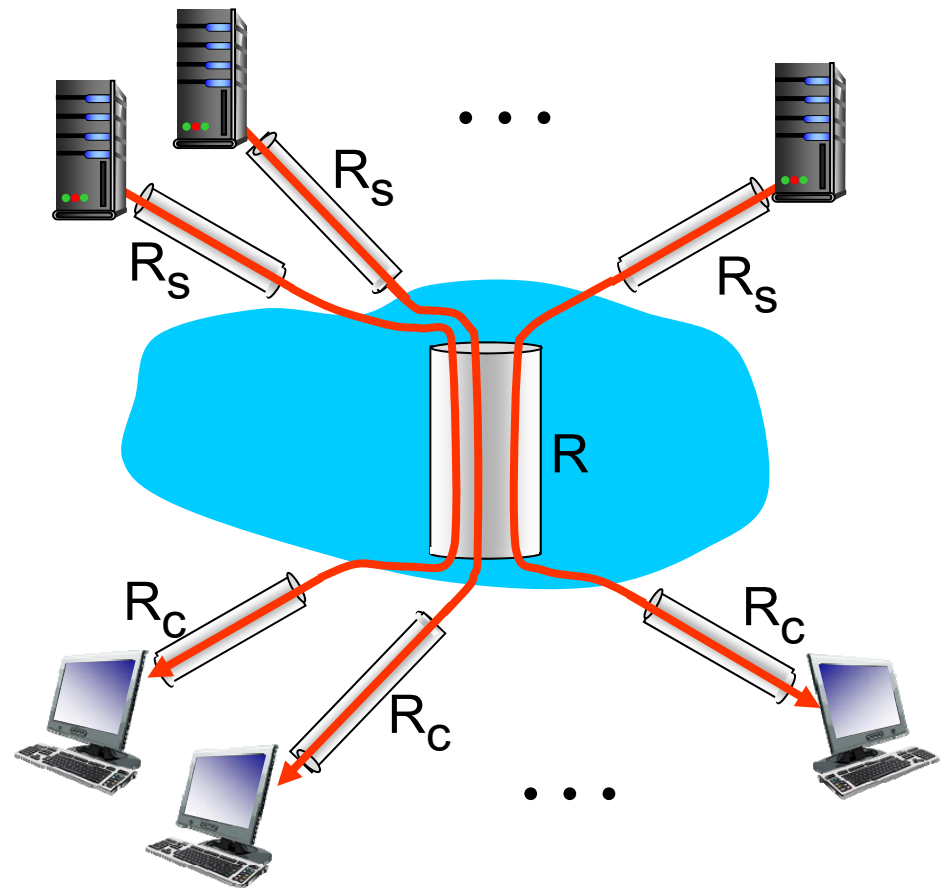


*bottleneck link*

Link on end-end path that constrains end-end throughput

# Throughput: Internet Scenario

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



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

# Chapter 1: Roadmap

1.1 What *is* the Internet?

1.2 Network edge

- end systems, access networks, links

1.3 Network core

- circuit switching, packet switching, network structure

1.4 Delay, loss and throughput in packet-switched networks

1.5 Protocol layers, service models

1.6 Networks under attack: security

1.7 History

# Protocol "Layers"

## Networks are complex!

- Many "pieces":
  - ❖ hosts
  - ❖ routers
  - ❖ links of various media
  - ❖ applications
  - ❖ protocols
  - ❖ hardware, software

## Question:

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

Or at least our discussion of  
networks?



# Why Layering?

Dealing with complex systems:

- Explicit structure allows identification, relationship of complex system's pieces
  - ❖ Provides a layered **reference model** for discussion
- Modularization eases maintenance, updating of system
  - ❖ Change of implementation of a layer's service transparent to rest of system
  - ❖ System can evolve since layers can be changed (as long as service and interface do not change)

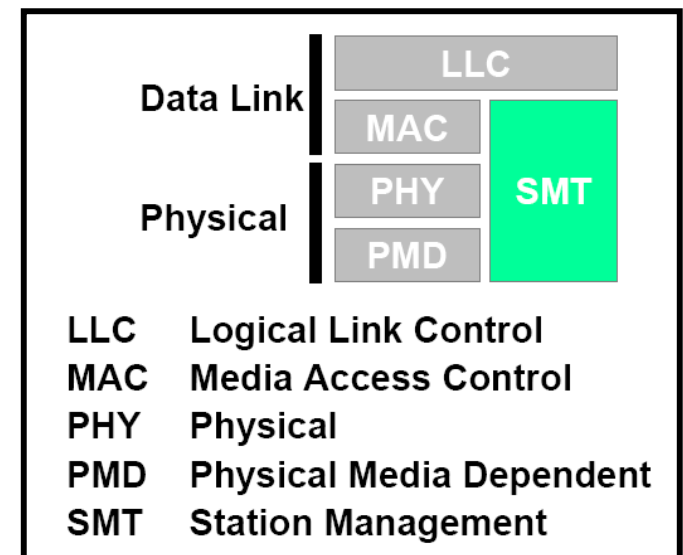
# Arguments Against Layering

## □ Design

- ❖ Some functions don't fit in one layer
  - Fiber Distributed Data Interface (FDDI) station management--needs to access and operate at multiple layers
  - Generally: network management

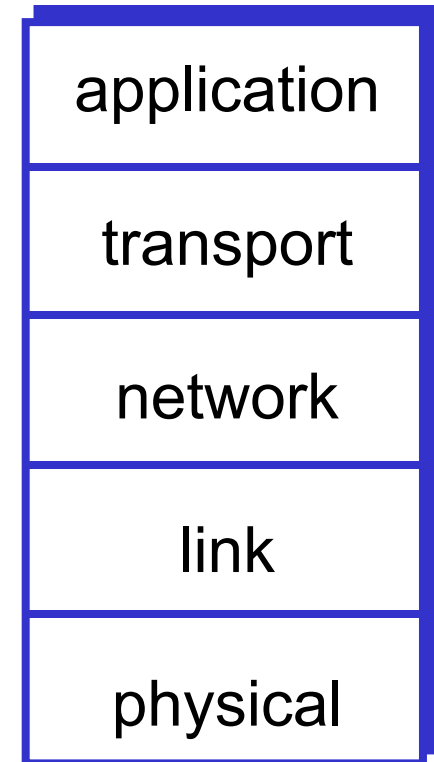
## □ Performance

- ❖ Possible performance penalties from crossing layers:
  - memory-to-memory copies

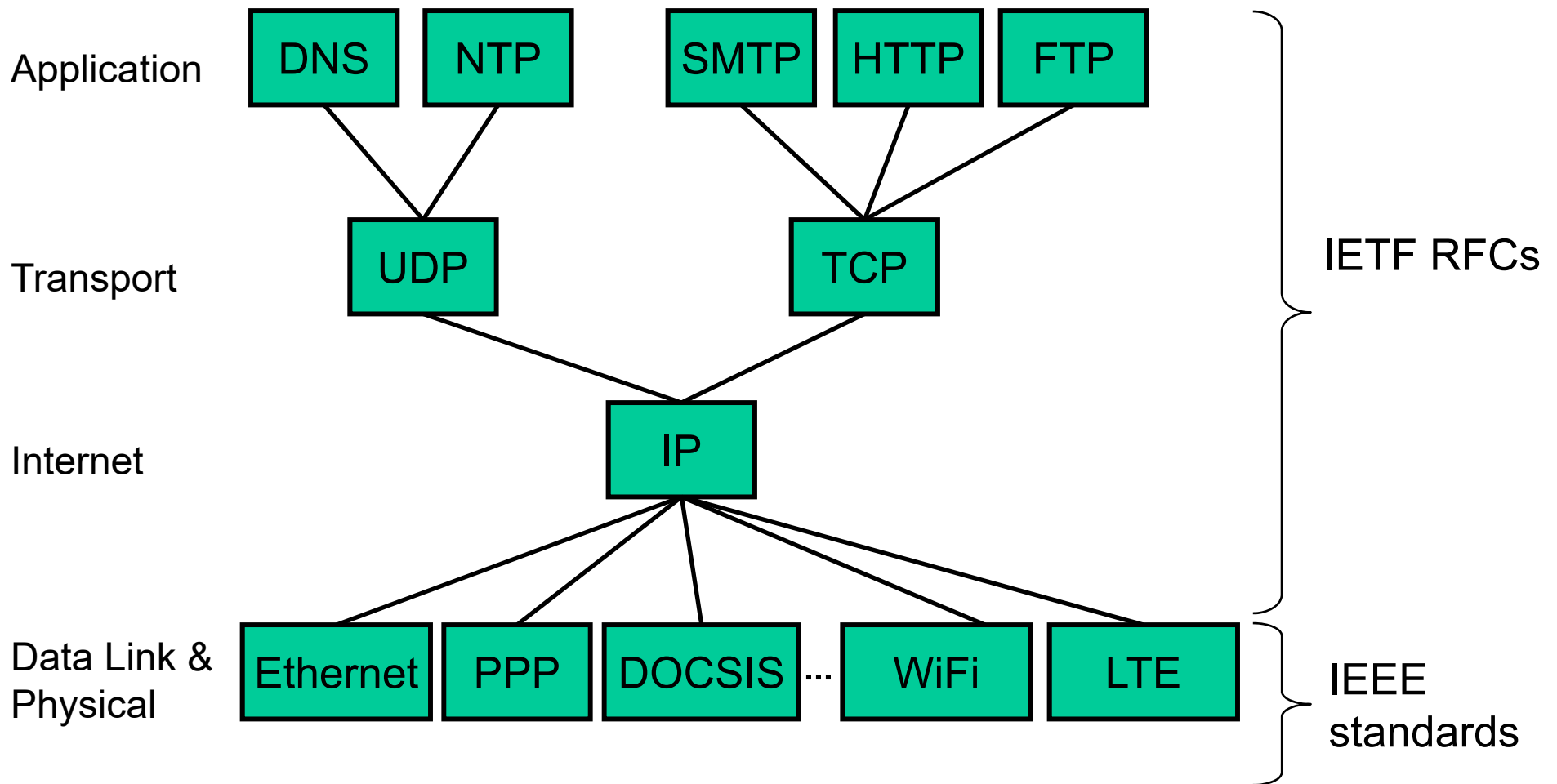


# Internet Protocol Stack

- ❑ **Application:** supporting network applications
  - ❖ FTP, SMTP, HTTP, DNS
- ❑ **Transport:** process - process data transfer
  - ❖ TCP, UDP
- ❑ **Network:** routing of datagrams from source host to destination host
  - ❖ IP, routing protocols
- ❑ **Link:** data transfer between neighboring network elements
  - ❖ Ethernet, IEEE 802.11 (WiFi), PPP
- ❑ **Physical:** bits "on the wire"



# TCP/IP Hourglass View



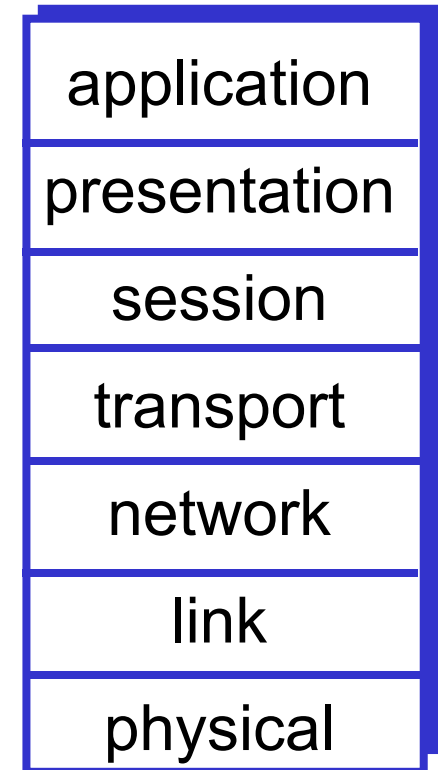
DOCSIS - Data Over Cable Service Interface Specification

IETF - Internet Engineering Task Force

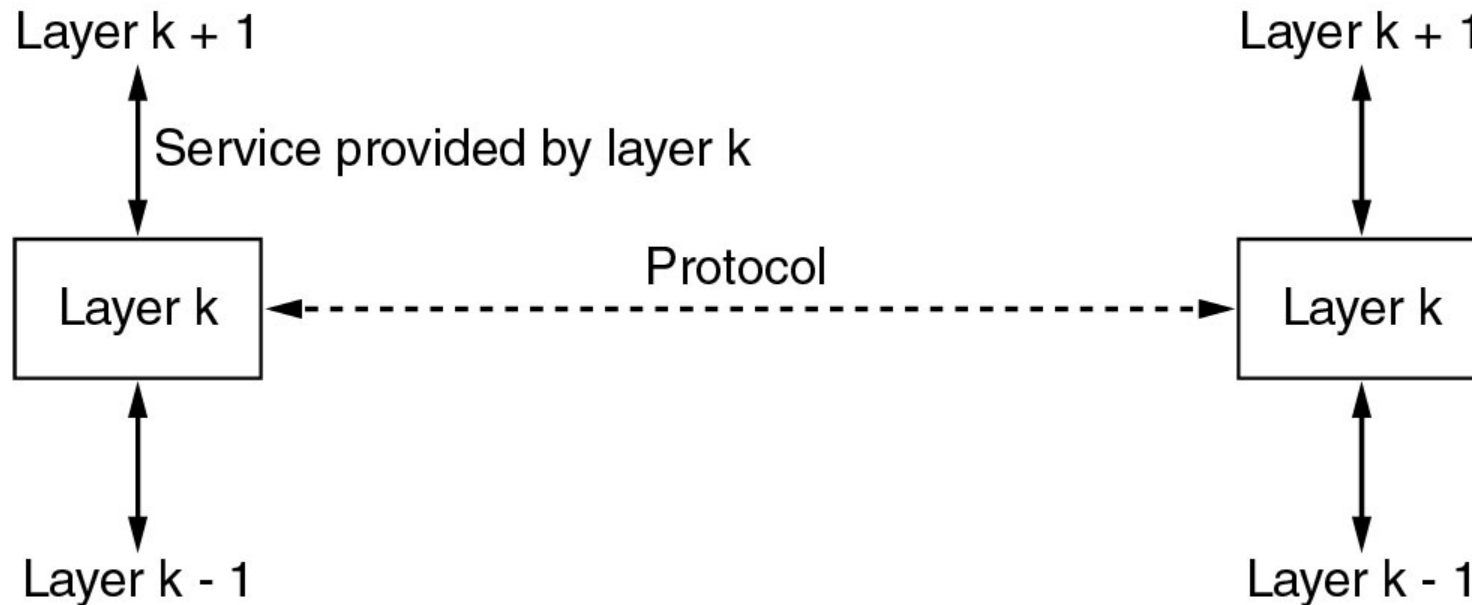
IEEE – Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers

# ISO/OSI Reference Model

- ❑ **Presentation:** allow applications to interpret meaning of data,
  - ❖ 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

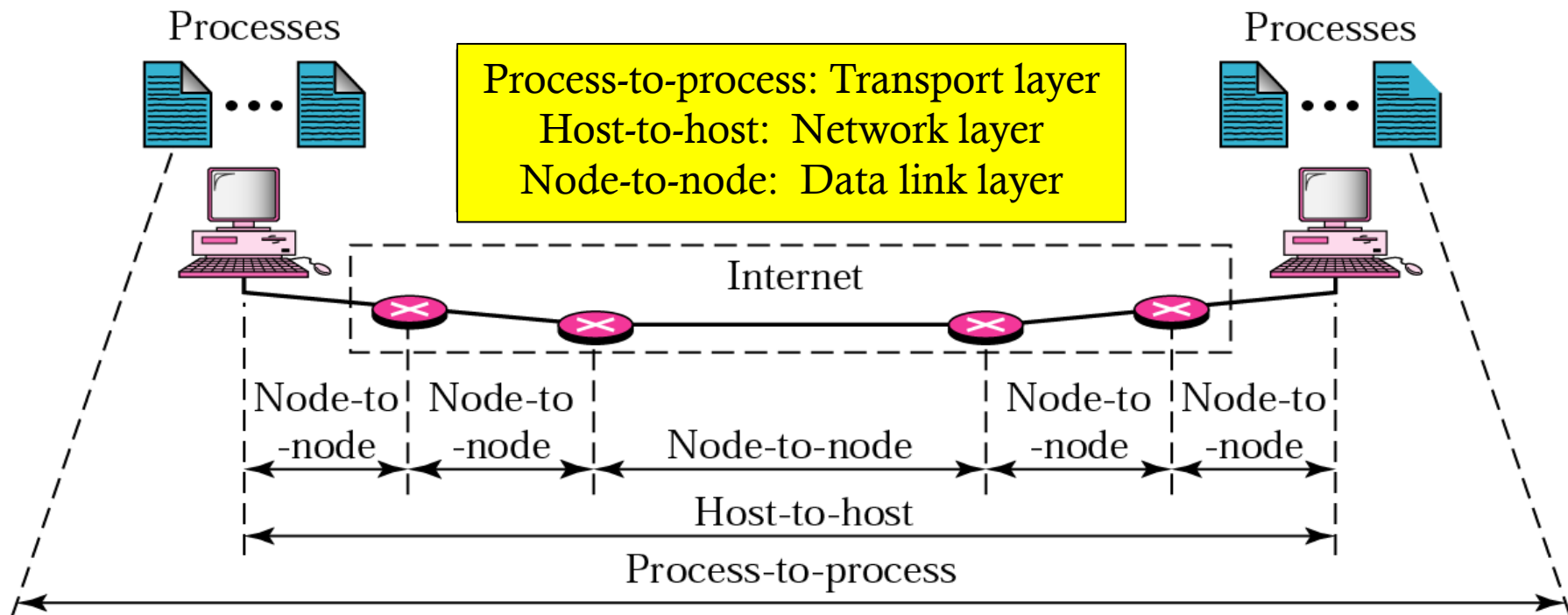


# Services vs. Protocols



- ❑ Vertical component (Interface/Service between layers)
  - ❖ Layer  $k$  provides services to layer  $k+1$  and uses services provided by  $k-1$
- ❑ Horizontal component (Protocol between peers)
  - ❖ Layer  $k$  may interact with peer layer  $k$  **only via protocols**

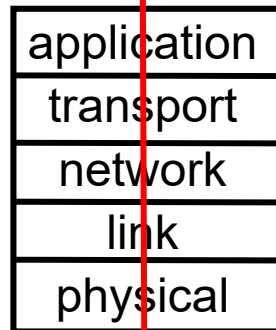
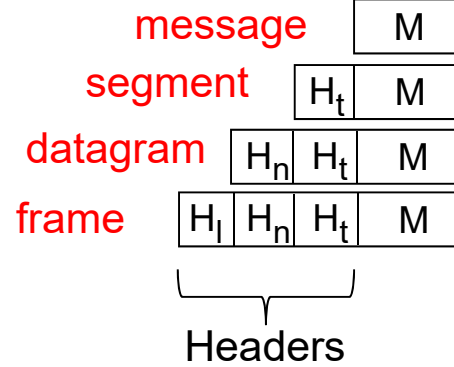
# Internet Protocol Relationships



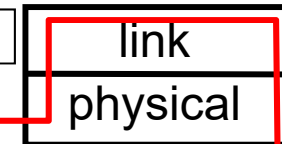
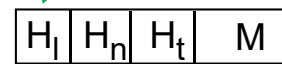
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source

# Encapsulation

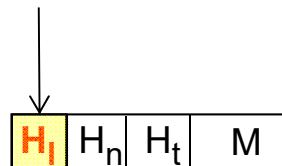


Inspect MAC

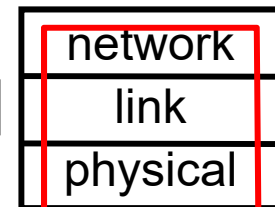
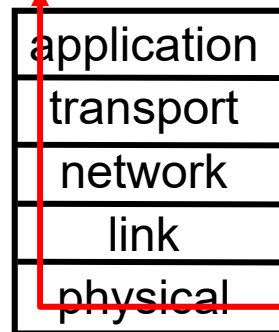
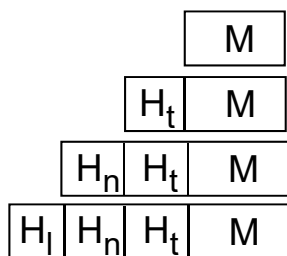


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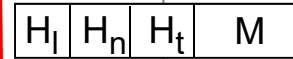
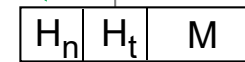
New link header – new MAC



destination



Inspect IP



router

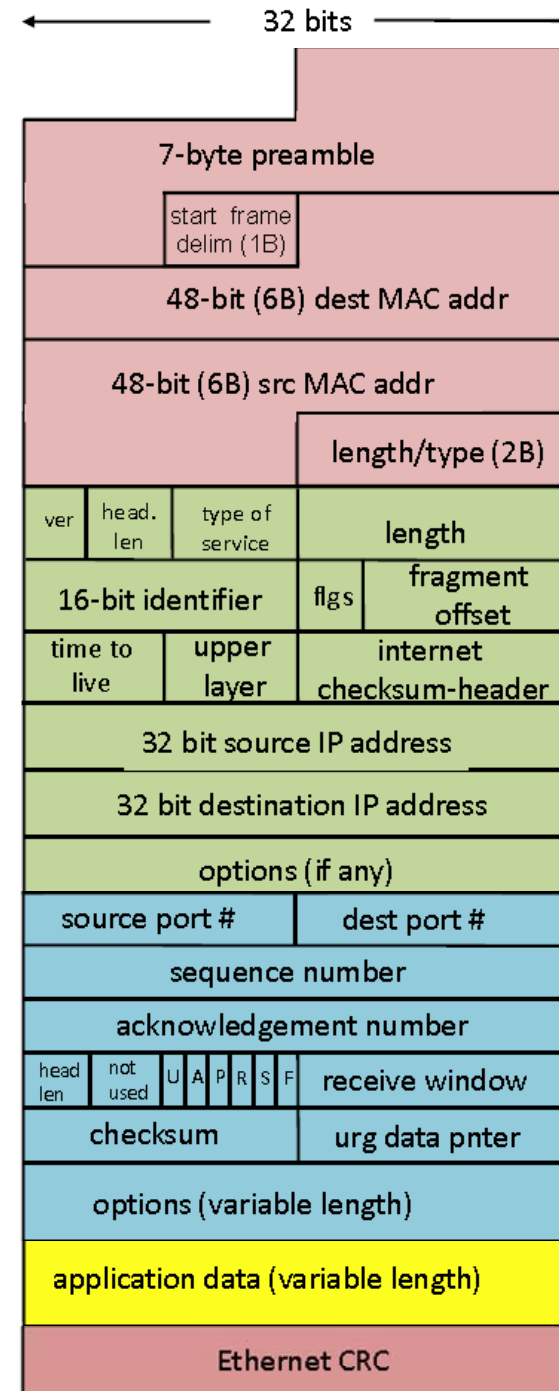
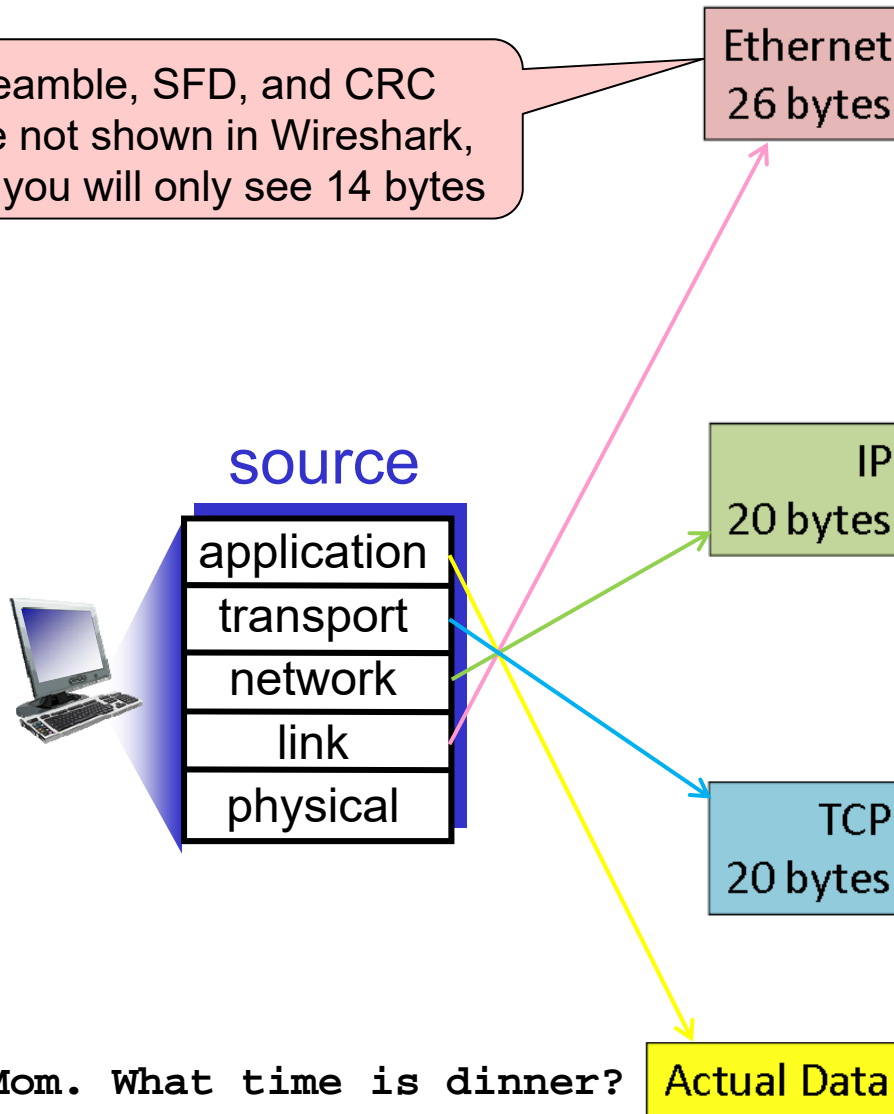
Inspect MAC and remove H\_l





# Encapsulation

Preamble, SFD, and CRC are not shown in Wireshark, so you will only see 14 bytes



Hi Mom. What time is dinner? Actual Data