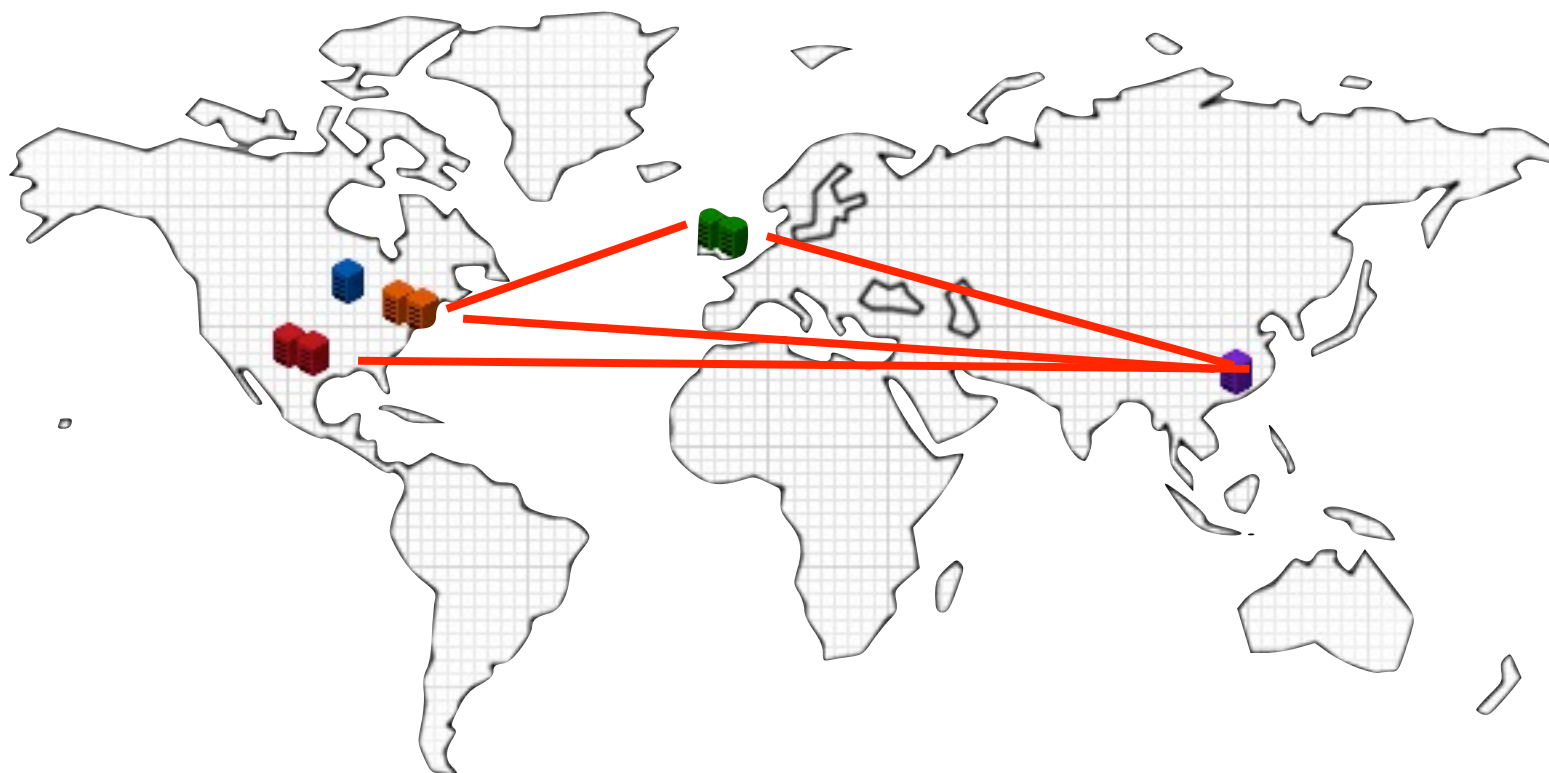
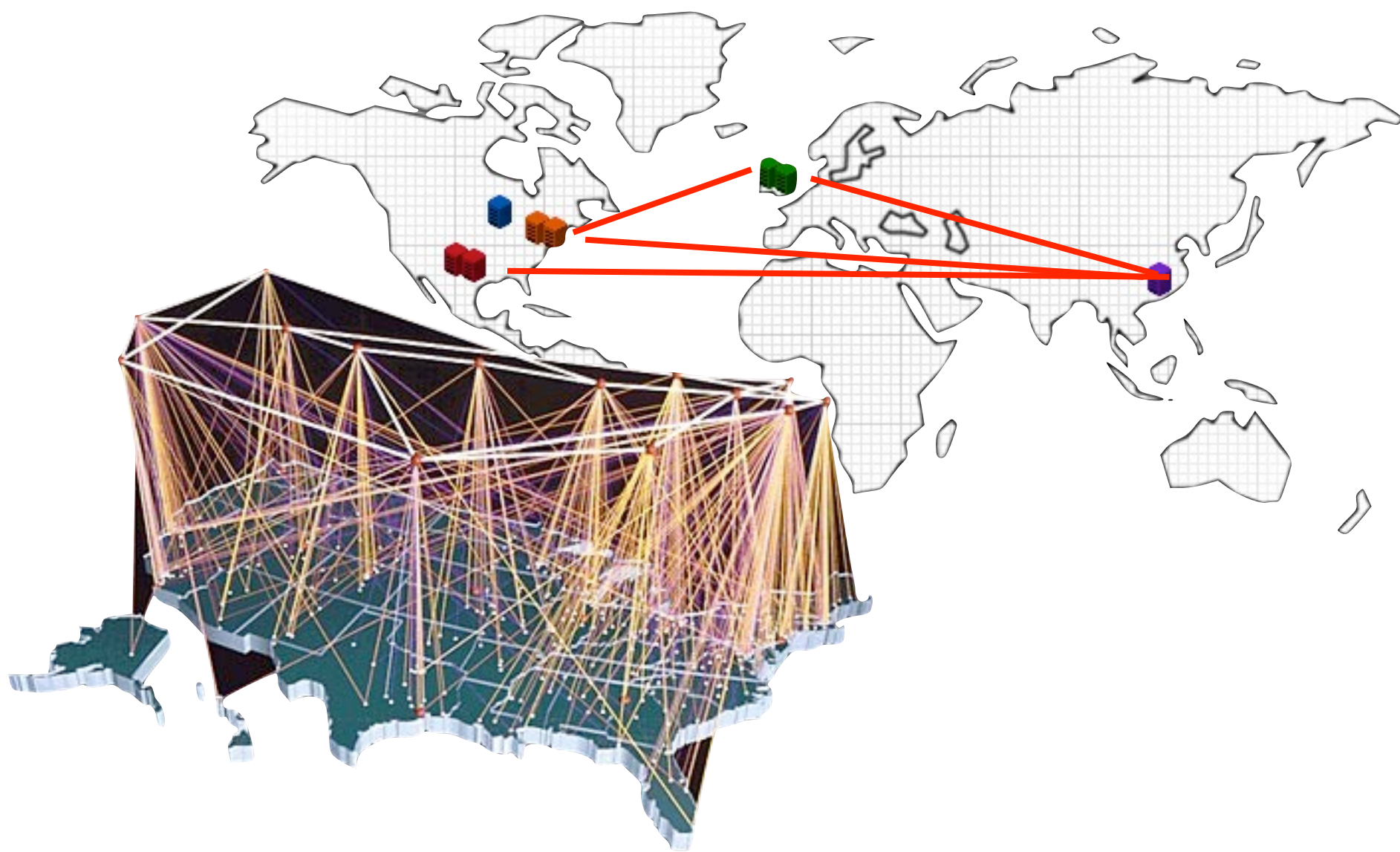


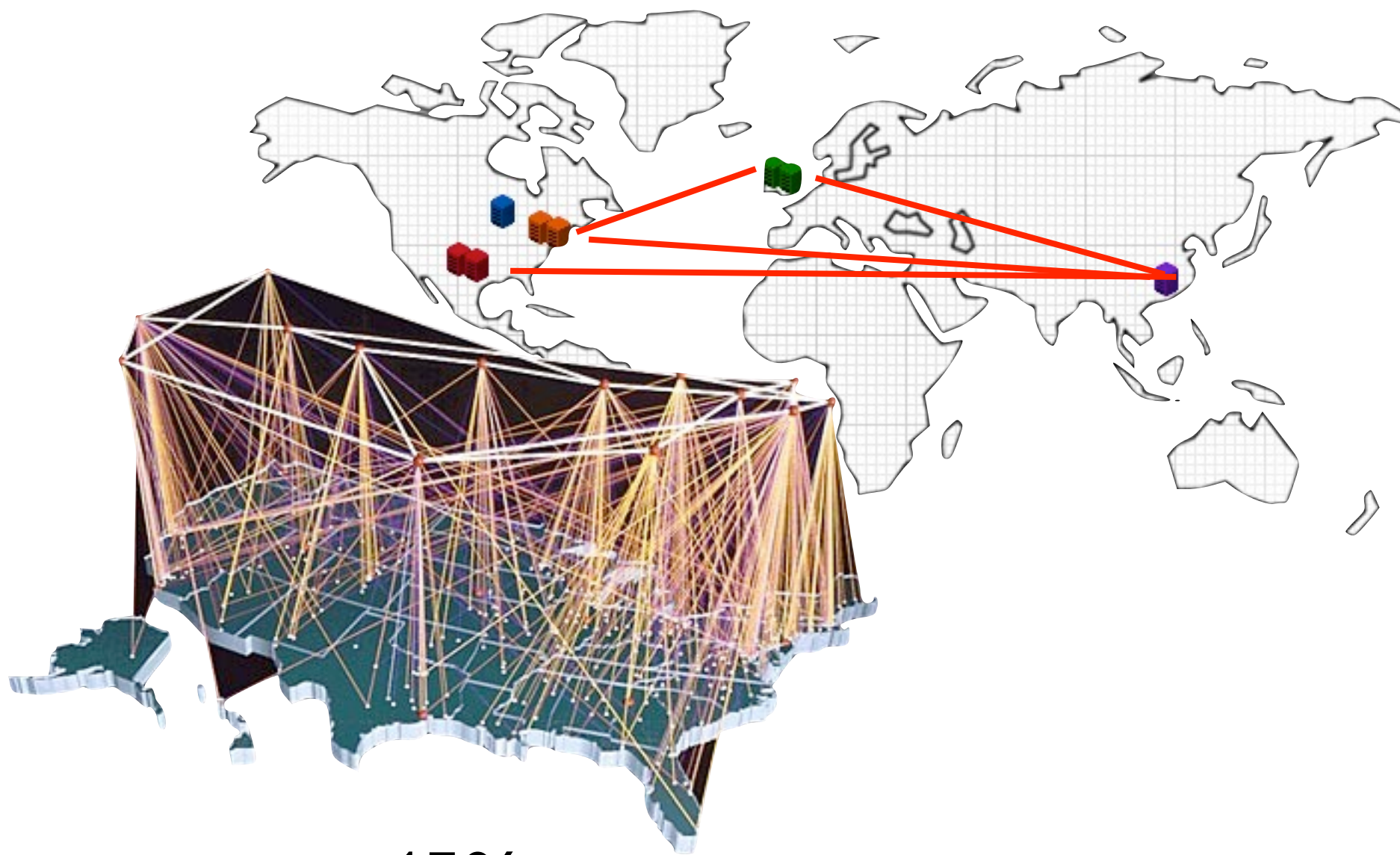
Cost reduction on inter- datacenter delay tolerant network

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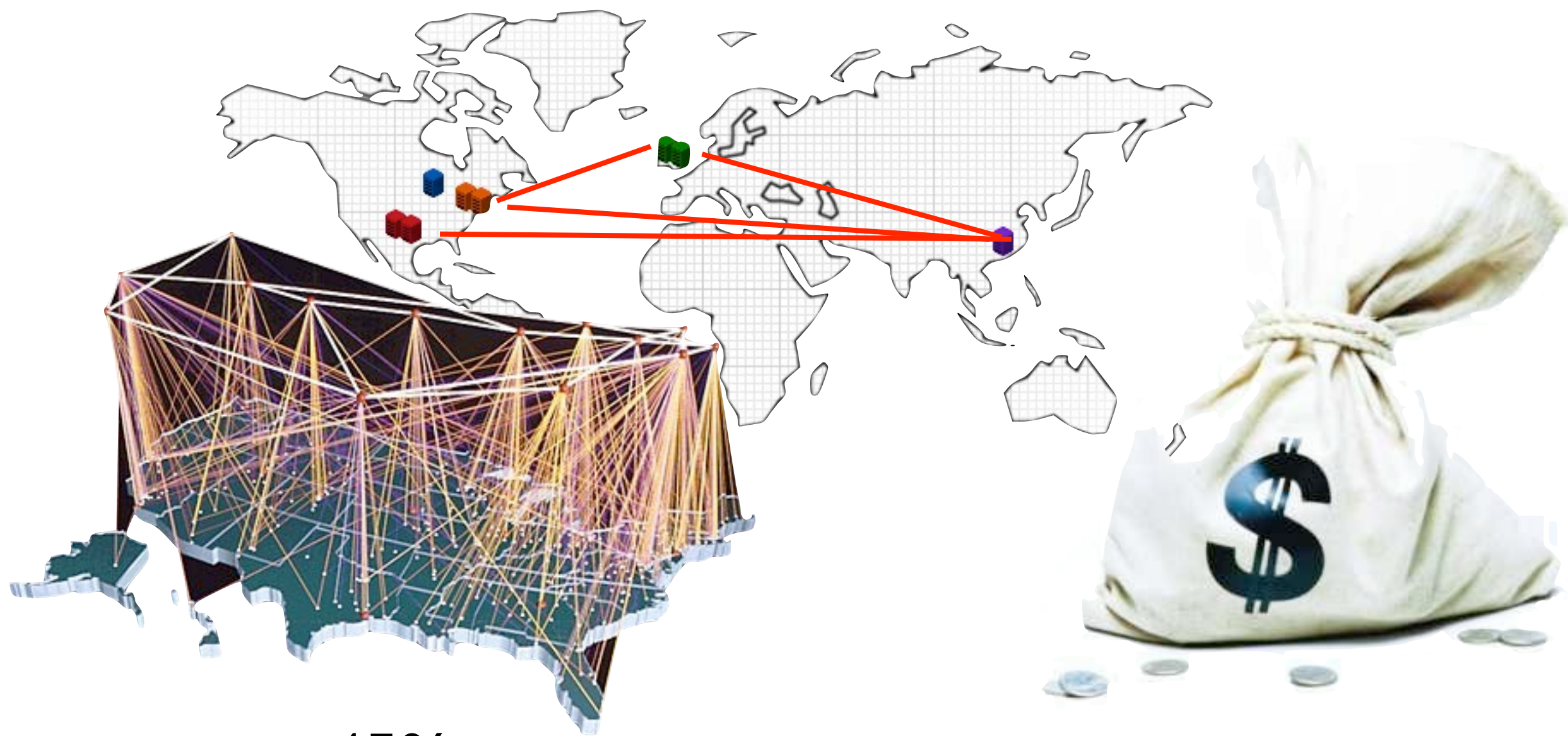




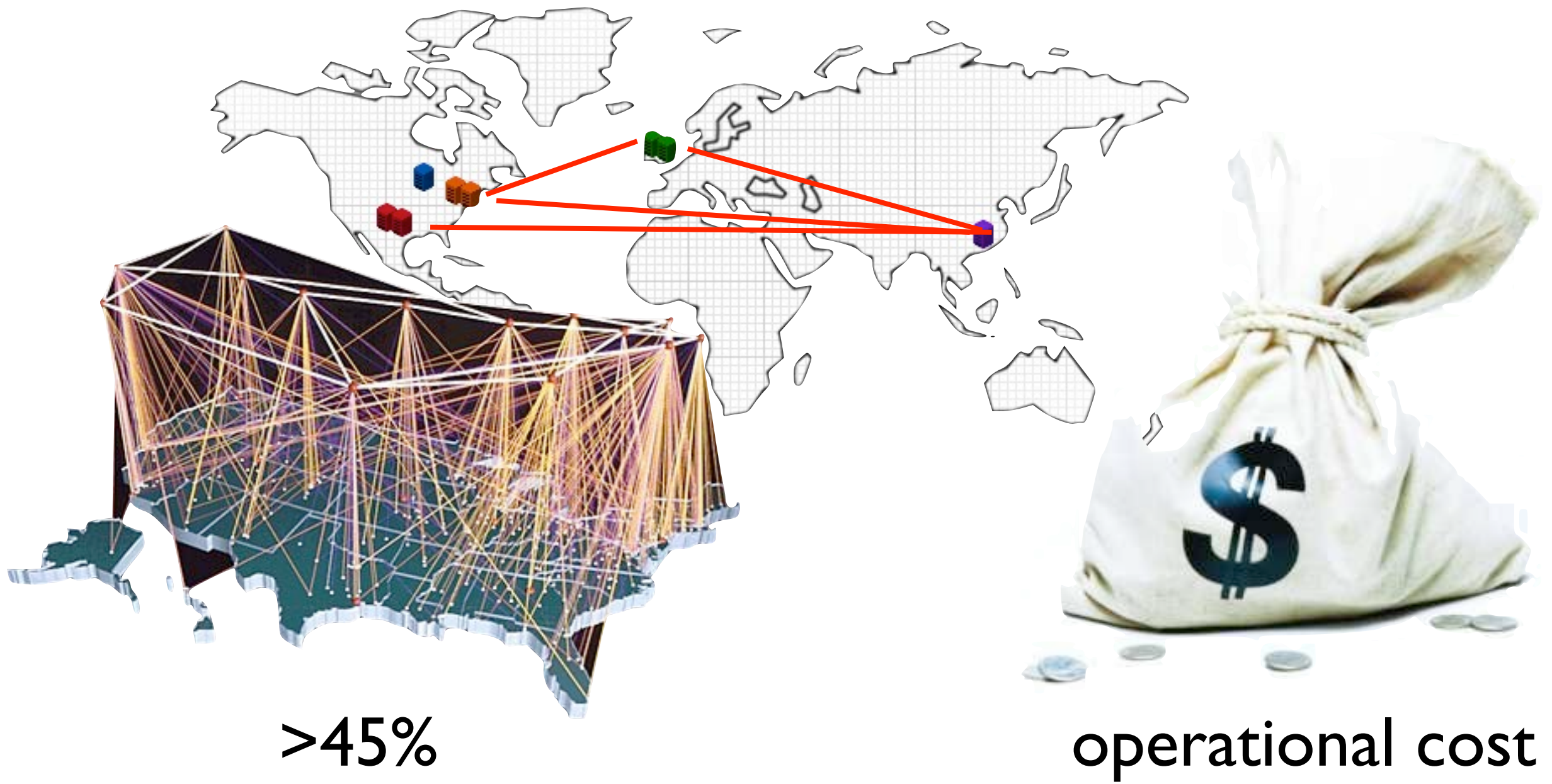




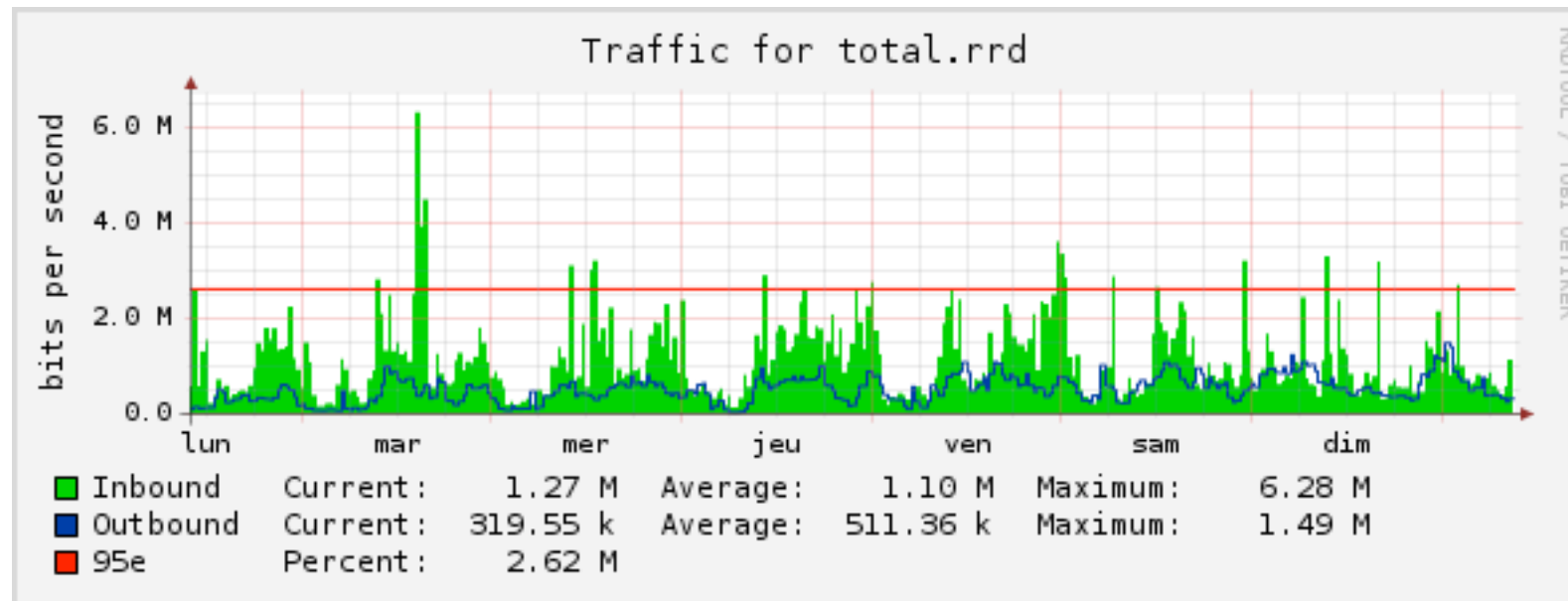
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e.g., 5-minute interval, after sorting

$$95\% \times 365 \times 24 \times 60 \times (1/5) = 99864$$

A waste of money

opportunities

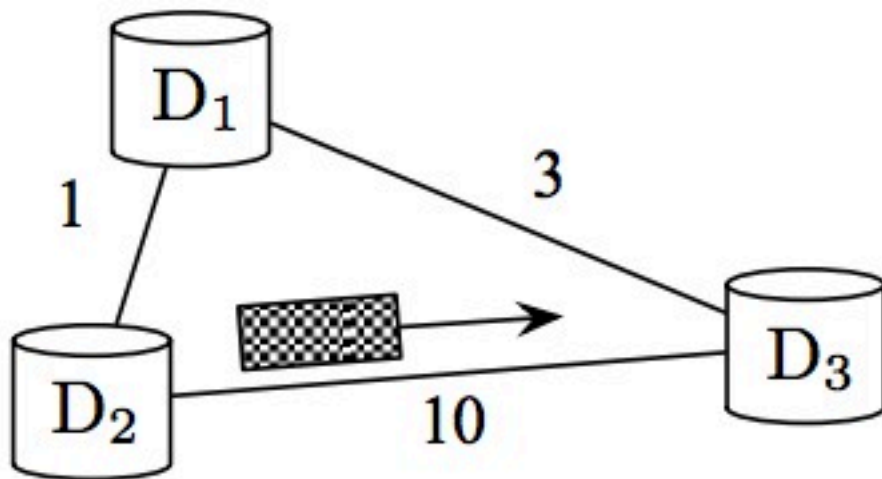
✓ Prices vary across different overlay links

✓ delay tolerant

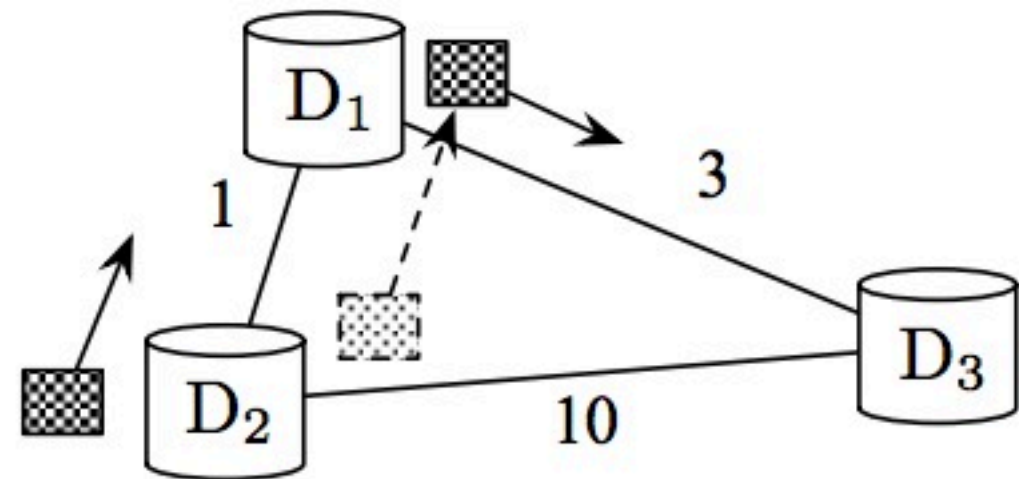
Multi-path + Store&Forward

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$D_2 \rightarrow D_3, 6MB, 15min$



(a) Without routing and scheduling



(b) With routing and scheduling

$$D_2 \rightarrow D_3$$

$$10 \times 2 = 20$$

$$D_2 \rightarrow D_1 \rightarrow D_3$$

$$1 \times 3 + 3 \times 3 = 12$$

Difficult.

- ✓ How to divide the data block?
- ✓ How to relay?

Flow based solution...

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eliminate intermediate storage $\frac{6MB}{15min} = 54.6kbps$

✓ subset of traffic pairs

✓ routing path

Postcard: Minimizing Costs on Inter-Datacenter Traffic with Store-and-Forward

minimize operational cost on inter-datacenter traffic, with **intermediate nodes** being able to help relay data to reduce peak traffic demand.

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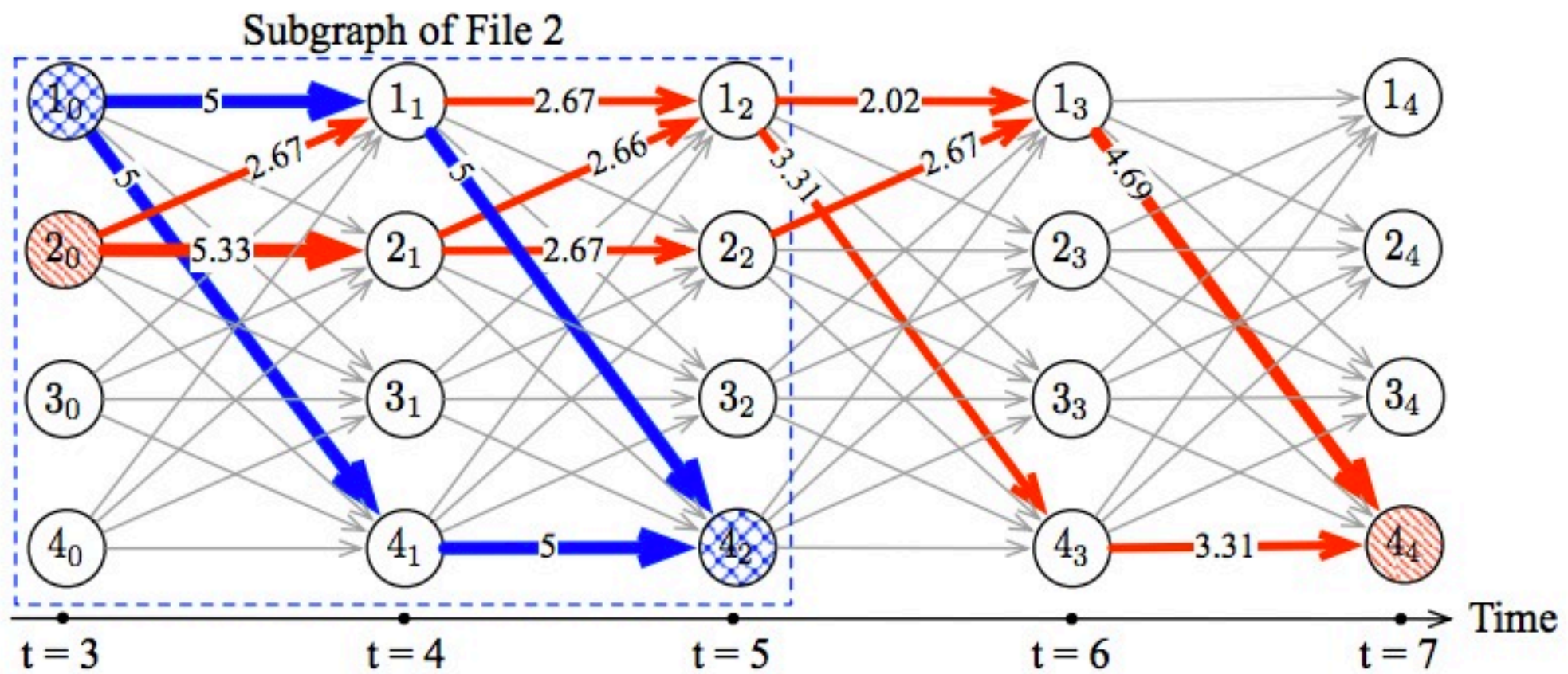
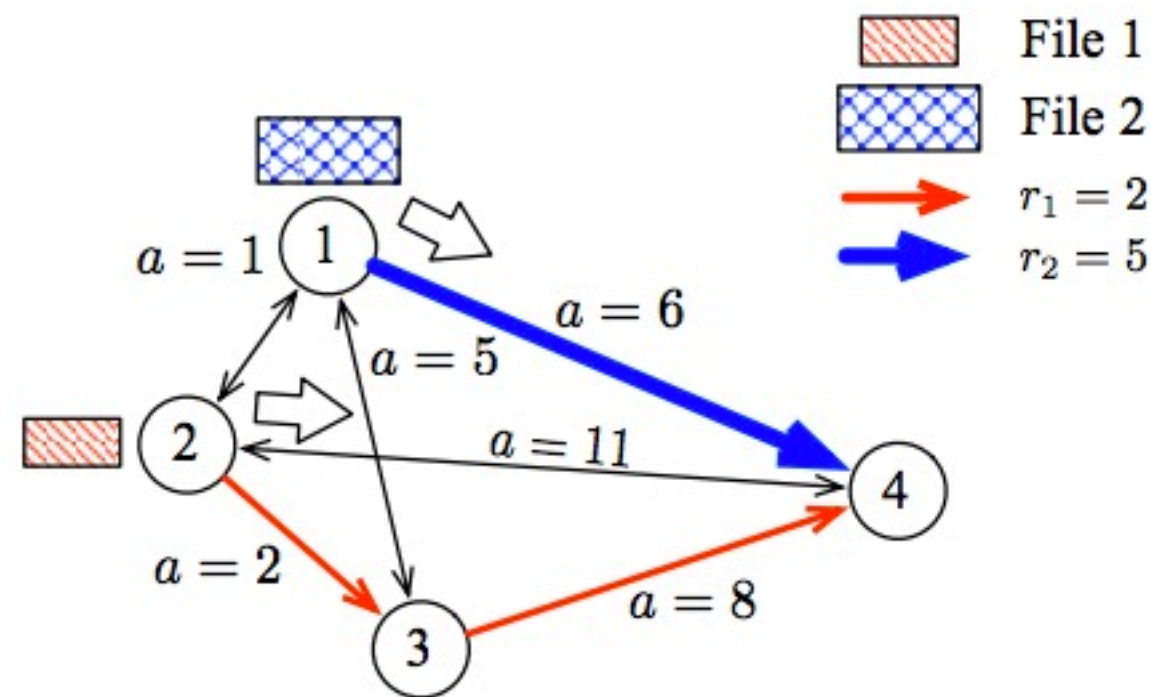
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Time expanded graph

$$\mathcal{G}(t) = (\mathcal{V}(t), \mathcal{E}(t)) \\ [t, t + \max_k T_k]$$

$$\mathcal{G} = (\mathcal{V}, \mathcal{E}) \longrightarrow \begin{aligned} &\{i^n | \forall i \in \mathcal{V}, t \leq n \leq t + \max_k T_k\} \\ &\{i^n j^{n+1} | \forall \{i, j\} \in \mathcal{E}, t \leq n \leq t + \max_k T_k - 1\} \\ &(s_k^t, d_k^{t+T_k}, F_k) \end{aligned}$$



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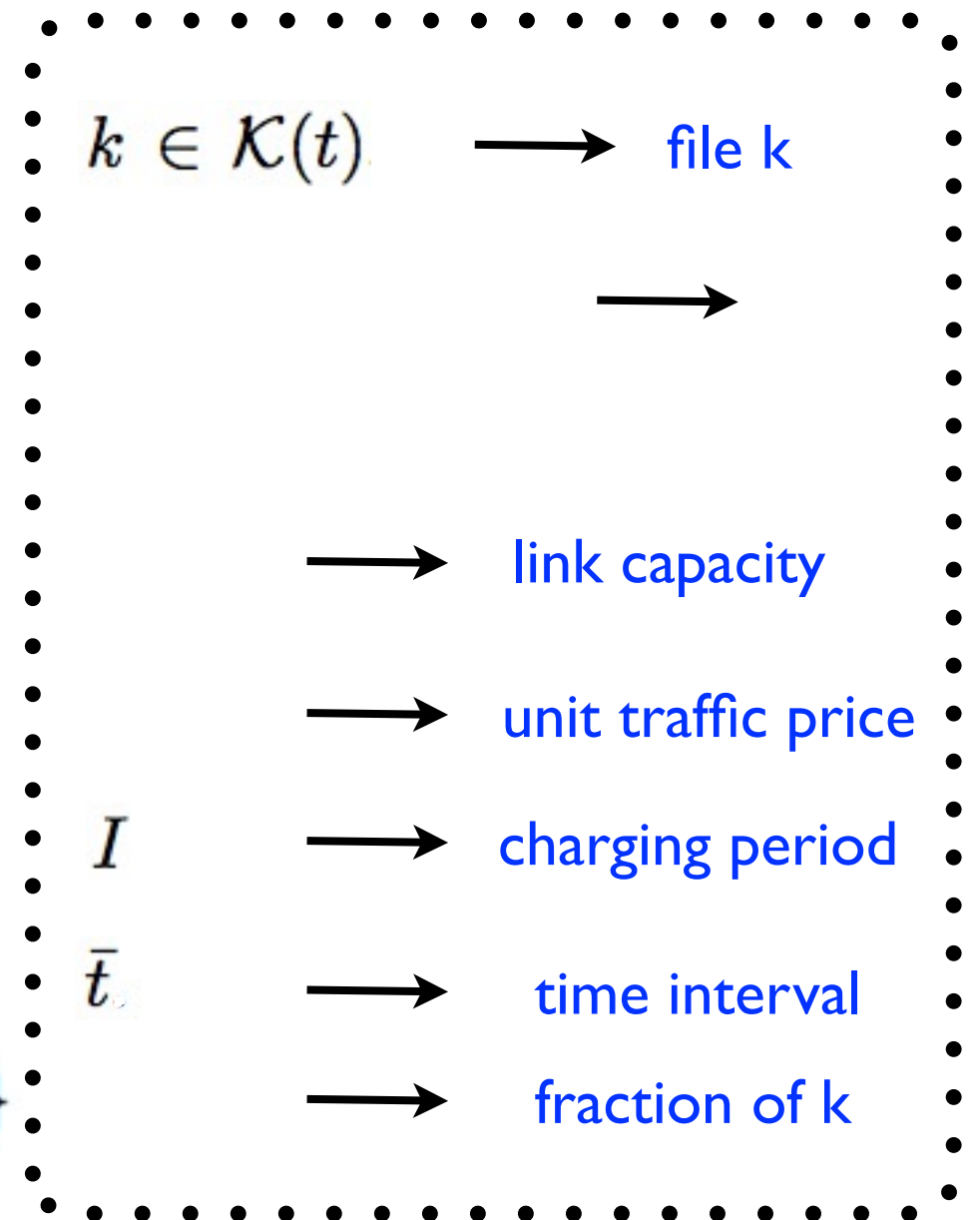
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Comments:

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- ✓ dynamic solution is not possible.
- ✓ actual transmission time is hard to derive
- ✓ node explosion time expanded graph
- ✓ no implementation