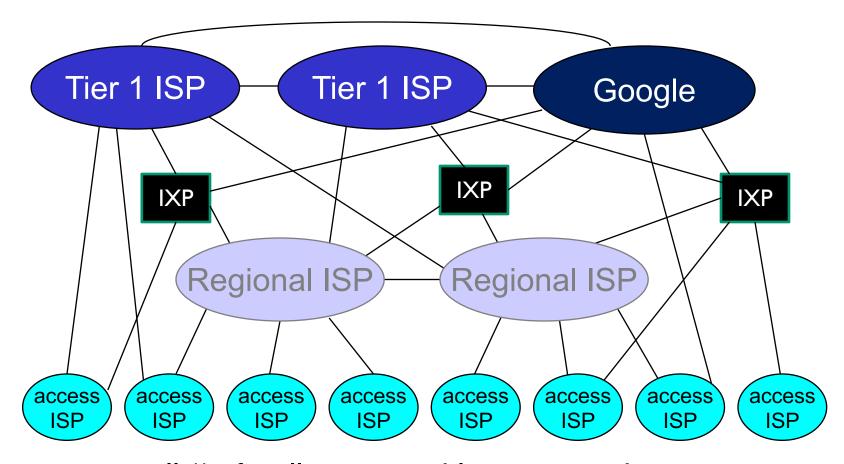
Introduction Review

What is a protocol?

What is bandwidth?

Internet structure: network of networks



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

What are the 4 components of networking delay?

What's the service model for each layer?

application

transport

network

link

physical

Internet protocol stack

- application: supporting network applications
 - FTP, SMTP, HTTP
- transport: process-process data transfer
 - TCP, UDP
- network: routing of datagrams from source to destination
 - IP, routing protocols
- link: data transfer between neighboring network elements
 - Ethernet, 802.111 (WiFi), PPP
- physical: bits "on the wire"

