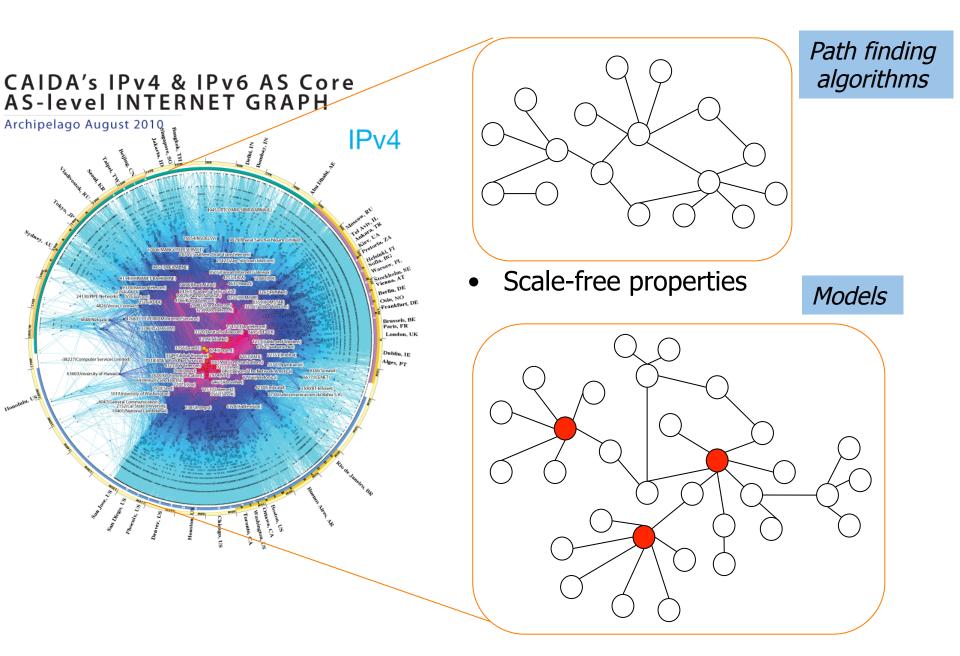
Towards the Future Internet

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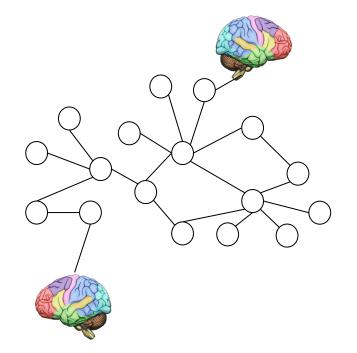
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Two features of the current Internet

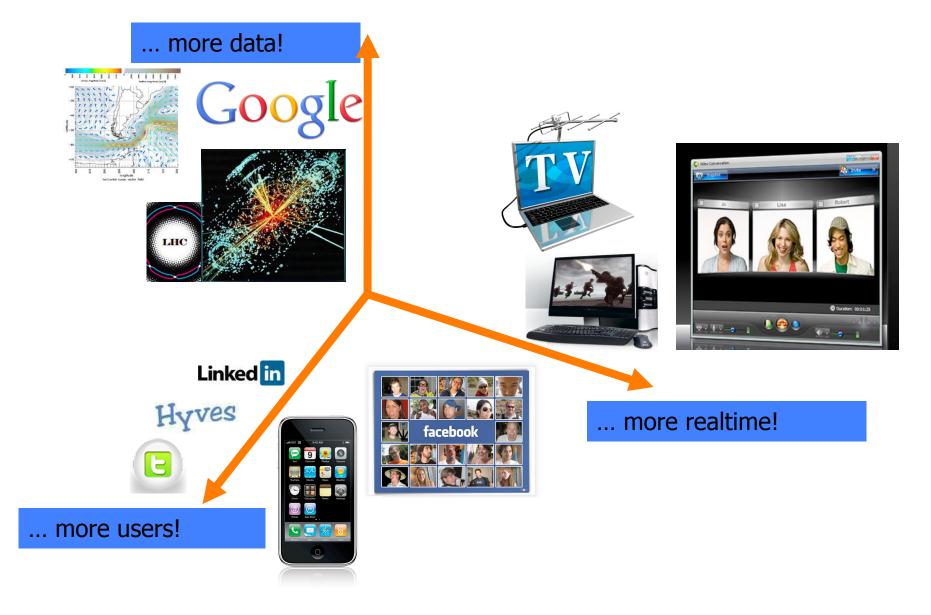
• Best effort delivery • End to end principle.





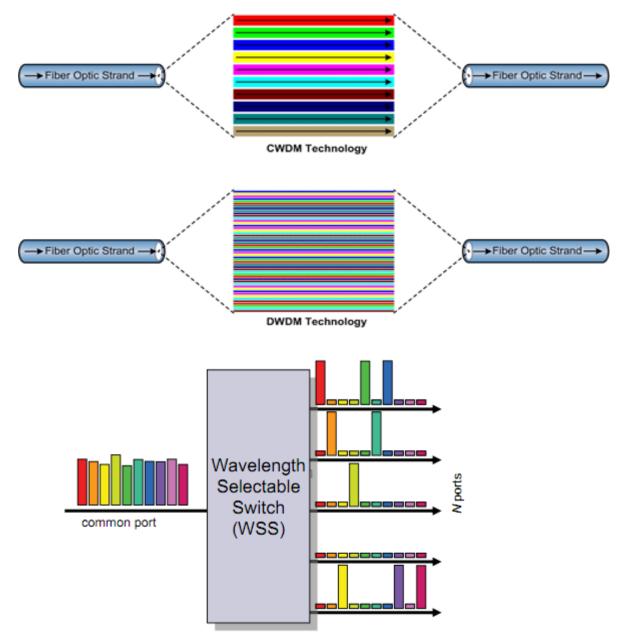
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Many demands....



Optical transmission

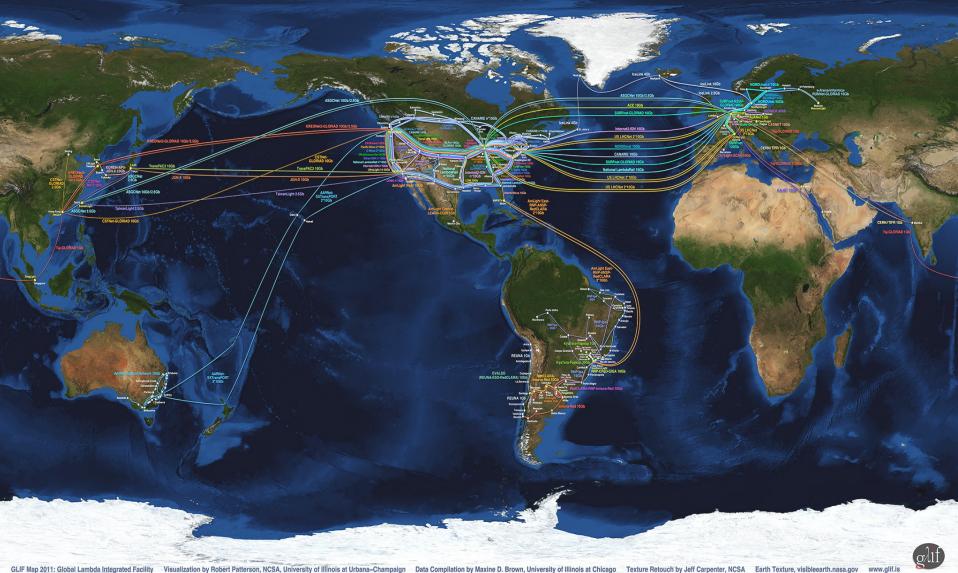
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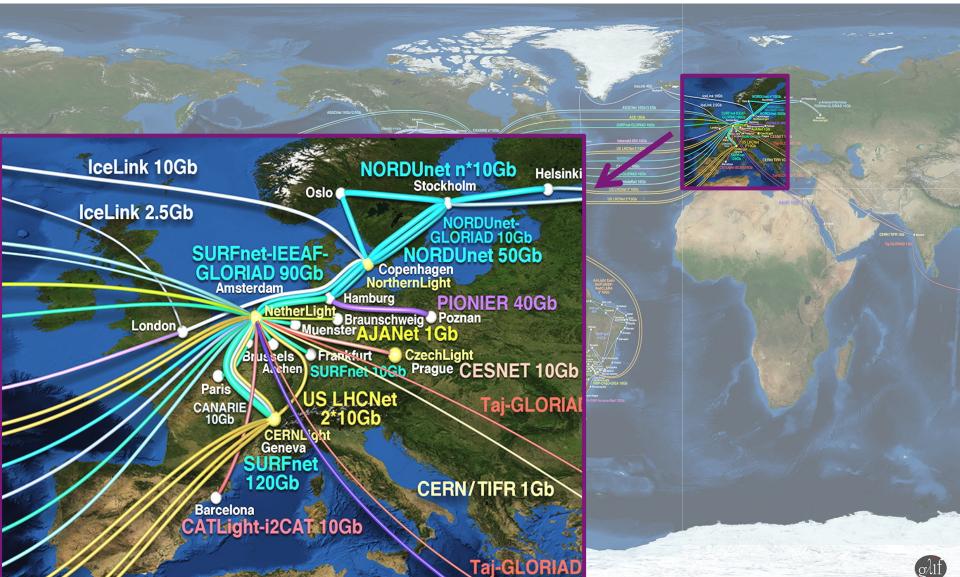
Virtualization



The GLIF – lightpaths around the world



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Our research : a new model for the internet

What we have now

Best effort delivery



What we want

- **Deterministic** behavior
- Flexible and dynamic communication

End to end principle

- More intelligence in the network
- Solve the computing problem (including storage and CPU) not just the communication problem

How?

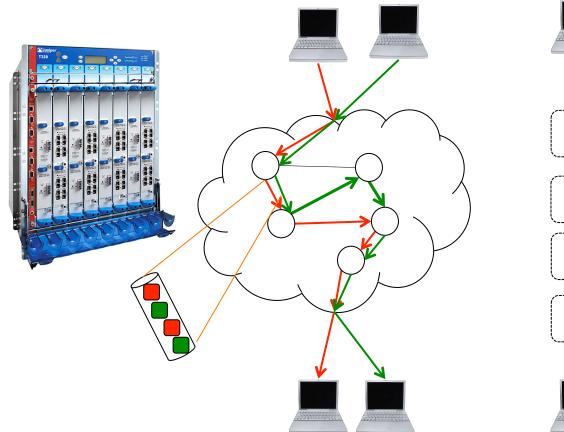
Hybrid networks

Smart infrastructures

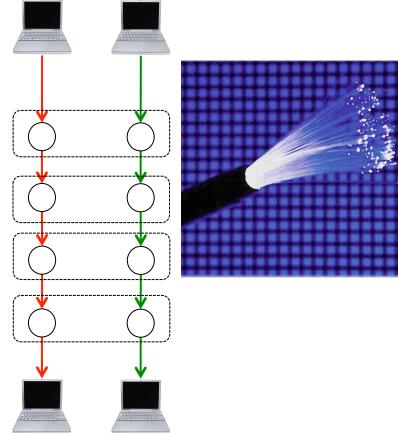
Information models

Hybrid networks – allow both packet and circuit switching

Packet switching



Circuit switching



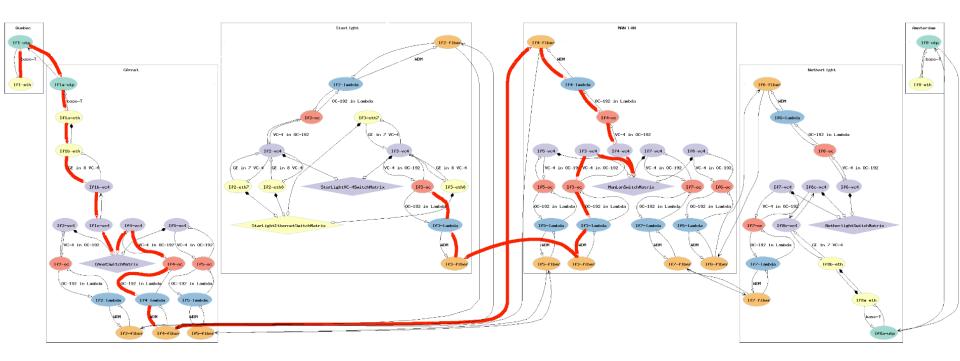
A good analogy is traffic on highways;

With circuits, you can achieve high bandwidth and guaranteed response times for applications that need it

Path finding in multi-layer multi-domain networks

Finding paths/circuits poses new challenges and needs research:

- Heterogeneous hardware (*multi-layer*)
 - Technology agnostic algorithm
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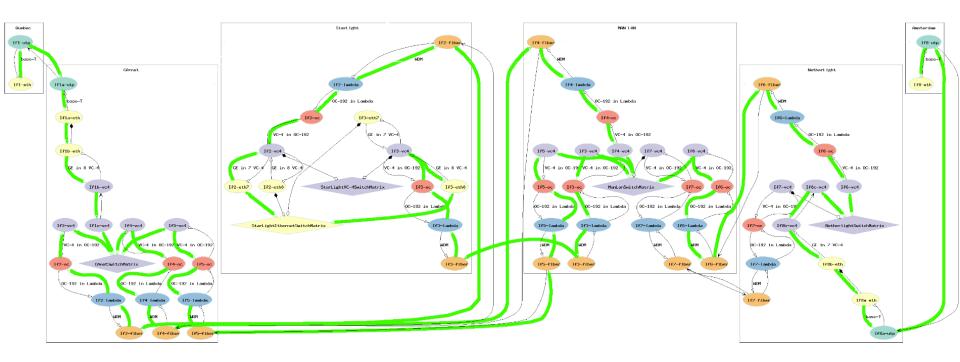


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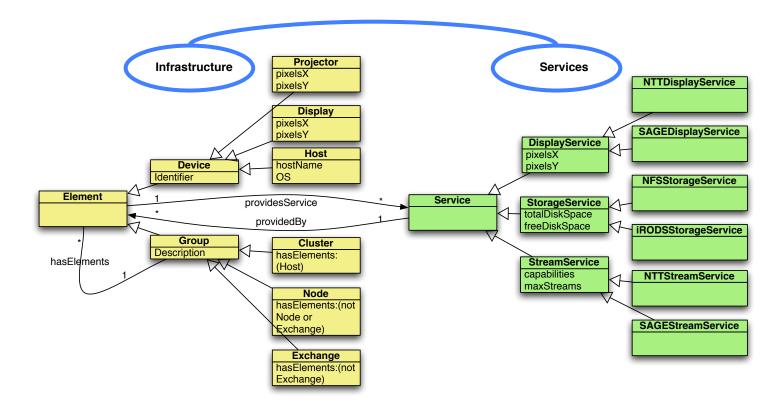
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Information Modeling

Define a common information model for *infrastructures* and *services*. Base it on Semantic Web.



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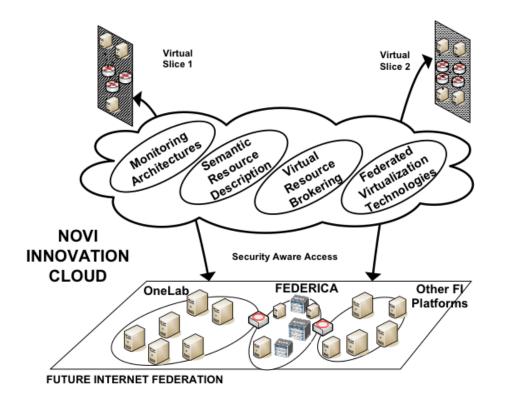
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Networking Innovations Over Virtualized Infrastructures

You can gain more by take all pieces of the puzzle into account.

- 1. describe *all* computing resources (networks, computing and storage facilities)
- 2. optimize the computing problem, instead of only its network aspect



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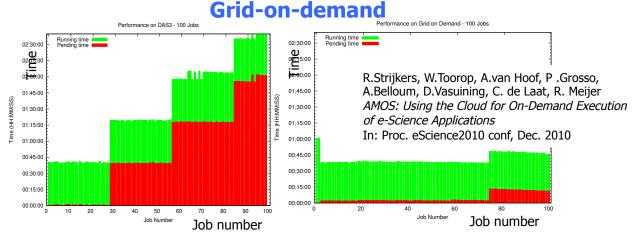
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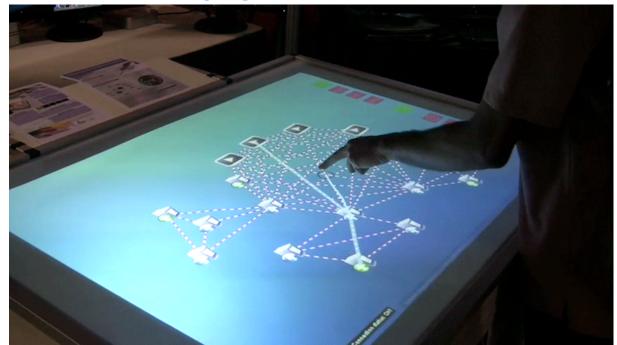
Demonstration of optimizing the computing problem ("Clouds")

If computing is 'infinite' and movable, then workflows and applications can **program** the network.

You can also introduce new metrics when creating and optimizing these infrastructures (*e.g* power consumption)



User programmable networks



- The current Internet is a communication facility.
- Hybrid networks allow enormous improvements in service quality,

but require new approaches to path finding algorithms and infrastructure descriptions.

 The Future Internet is an integrated information and application facility.
We want to solve the combined allocation of communications paths, computing and storage.

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