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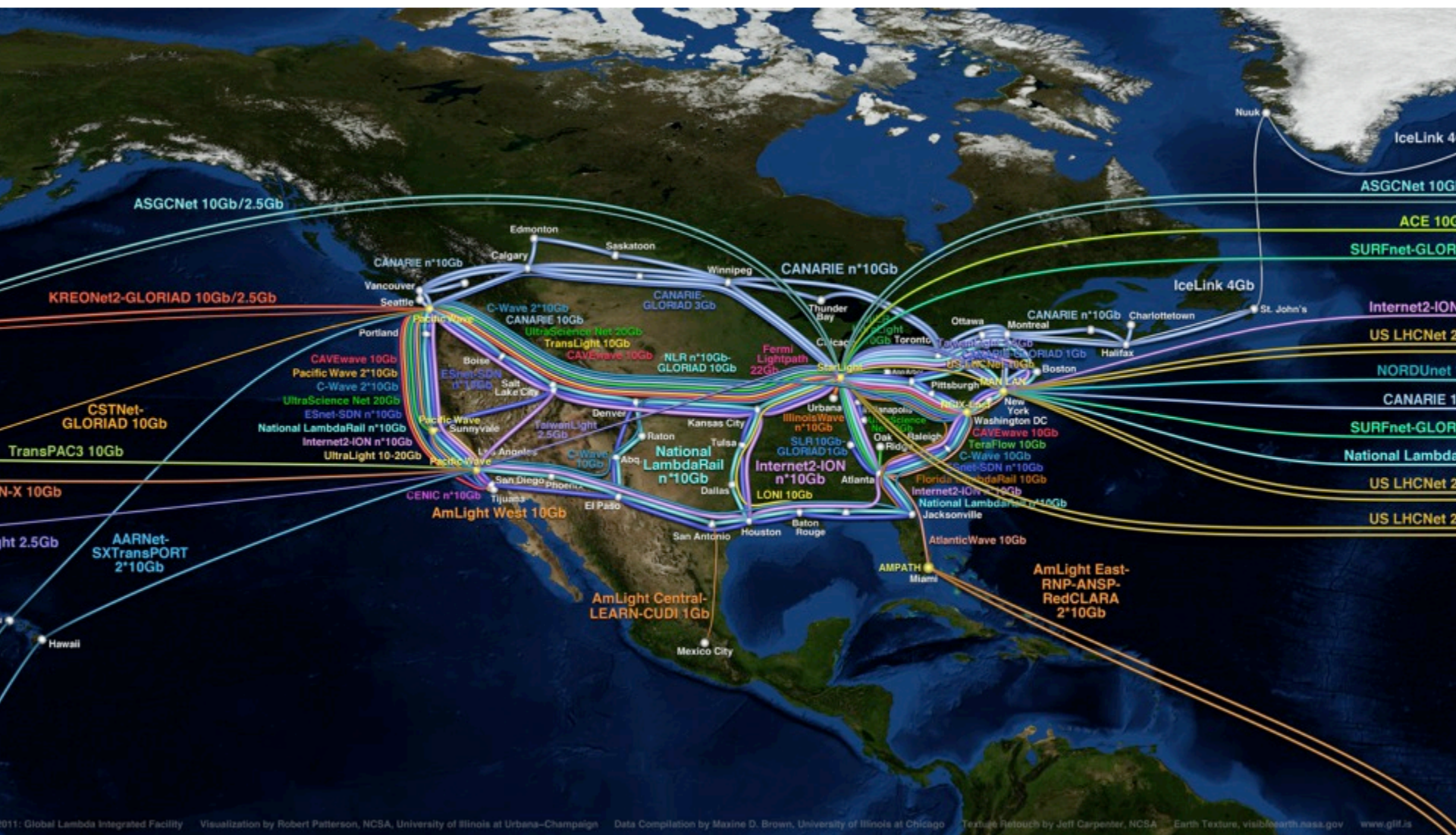
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ESnet's Vision

Scientific progress will be **completely unconstrained** by the physical location of instruments, people, computational resources, or data.

Fact and Figures



High-speed **national** network, optimized for DOE science missions:

- Connecting 40 labs, plants and facilities with >100 networks
- Managing entire path to Lab border (metro, inter-city)
- \$32.6M in FY14, 42FTE
- older than commercial Internet, growing twice as fast

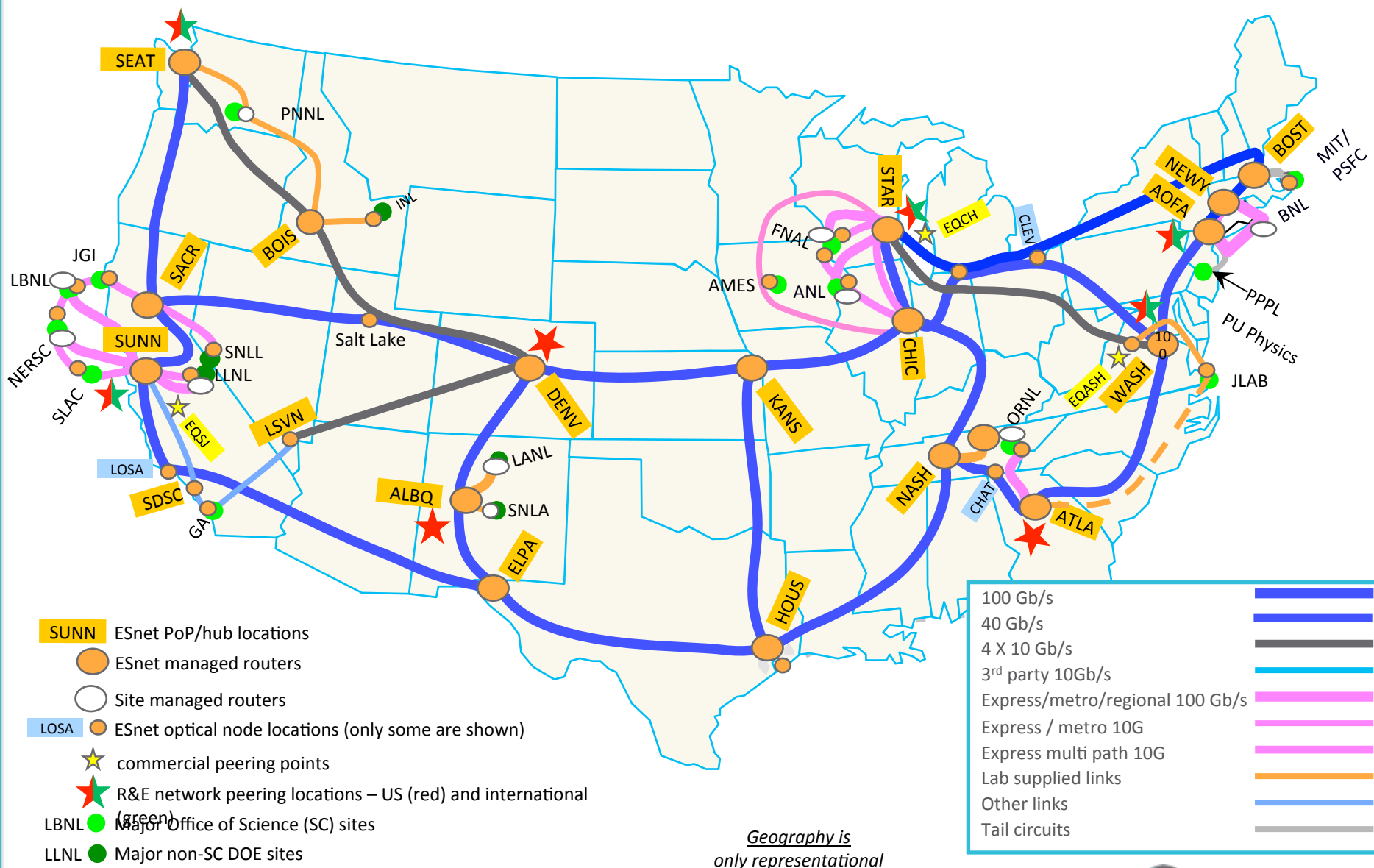
\$62M 'stimulus' funding for 100G upgrade in 2011:

- new era of optical networking, abundant capacity
- fiber assets + access to spectrum shared with Internet2
- world's first 100G network at continental scale

Culture of urgency:

- 4 awards in past 3 years
- R&D100 in FY13
- startup perspective

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100G testbed

Chicago

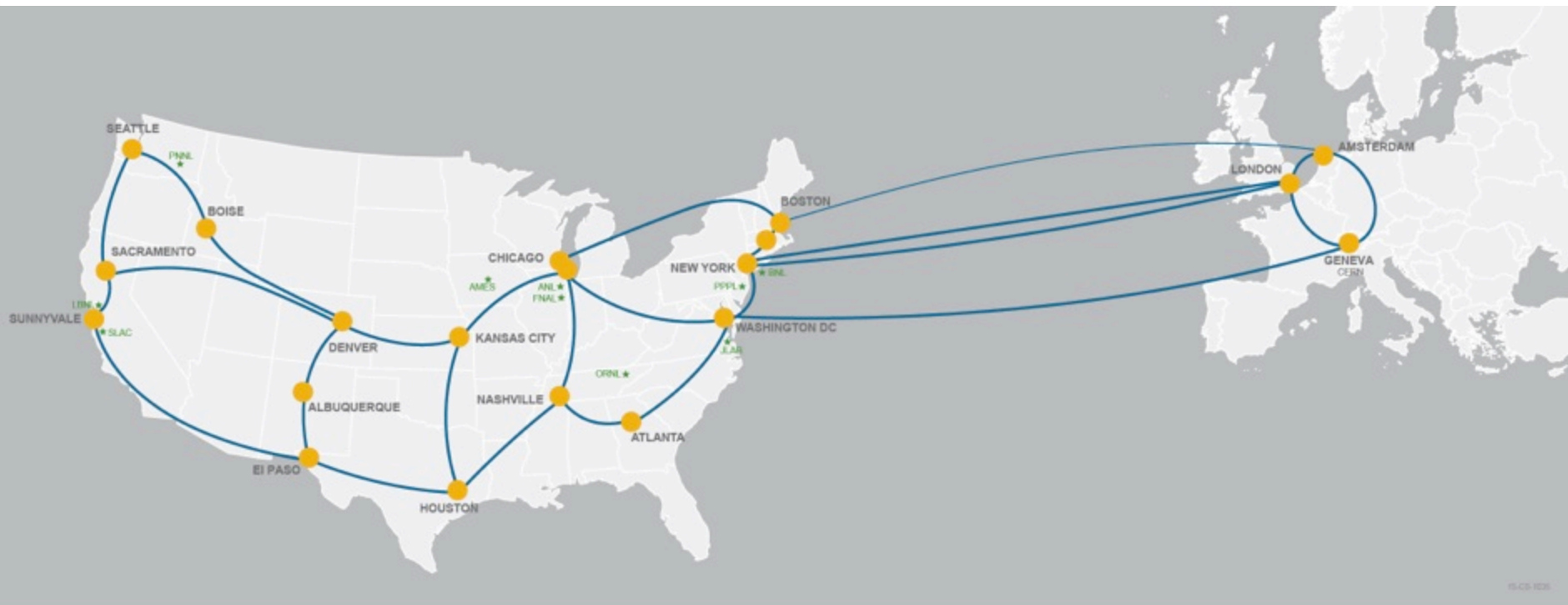
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ESnet expands to Europe (December 2014)



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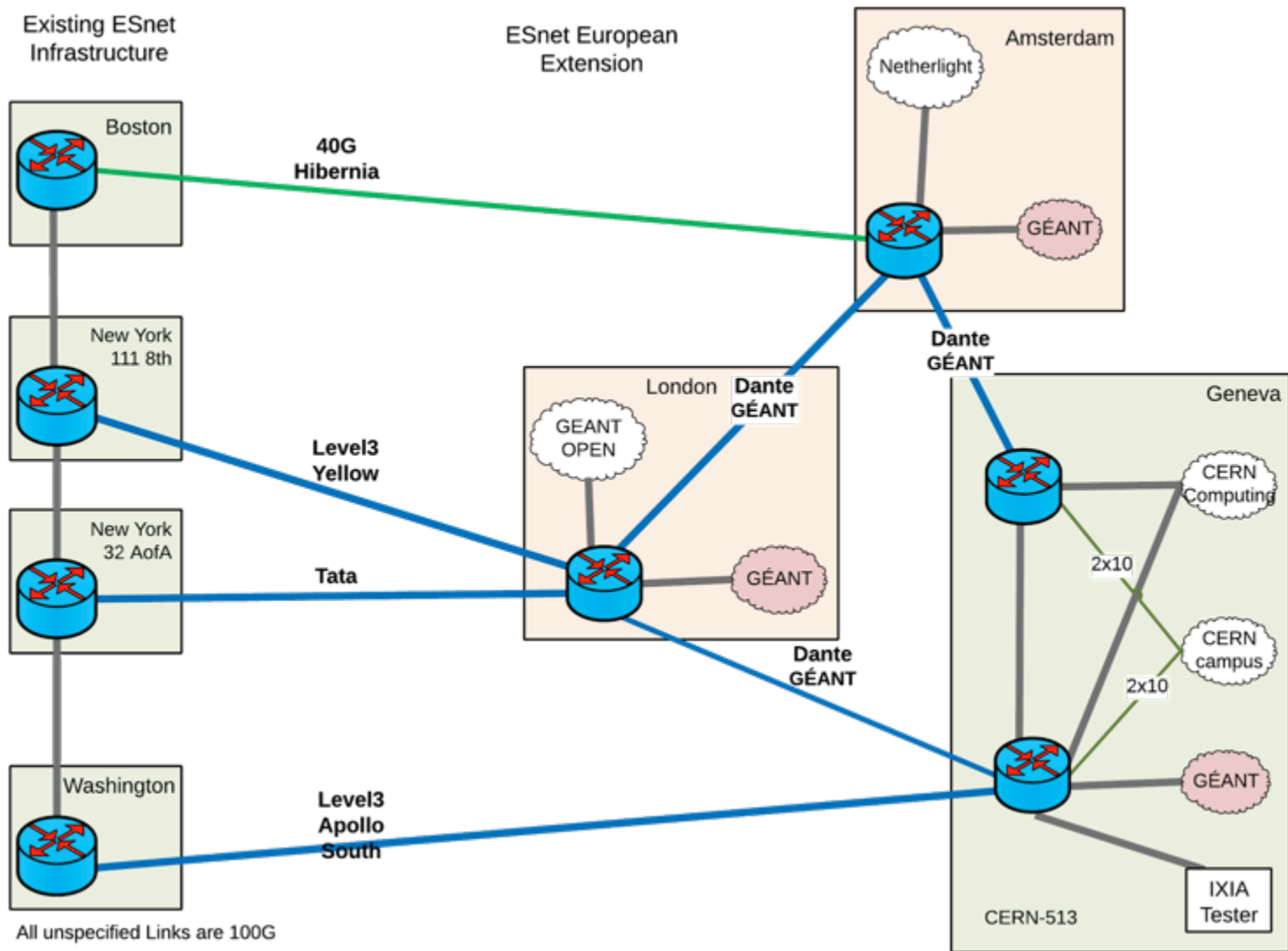
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EEX Architecture



Internet2 Network – Layer 1 Services



Internet2 Network – Layer 2 Services



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Internet2 Network – Layer 3 Services



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Science R&E Trends

First Emerging Trend in US: Super Facilities, Coupled by Networks

Experimental facilities are being transformed by new detectors, advanced mathematics, robotics, automation, advanced networks.

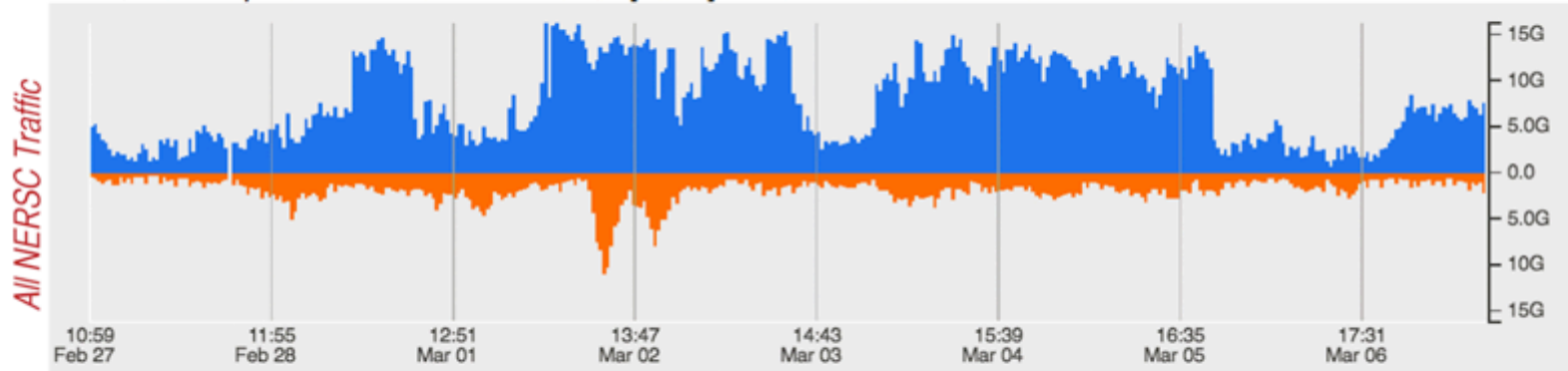


Data flow from single FEL detector *triples* network utilization for major HPC center

From : Wed Feb 27 10:59:00 2013 To : Thu Mar 7 10:59:00 2013

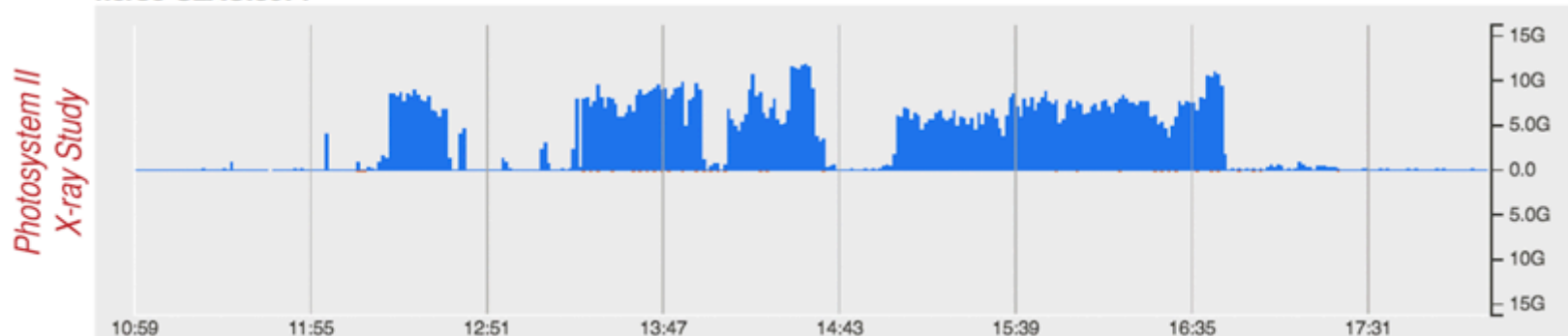
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Total traffic Tip: Double Click to Zoom-In and [SHIFT] Double click to Zoom-Out



Traffic split by : 'Autonomous System (origin)'

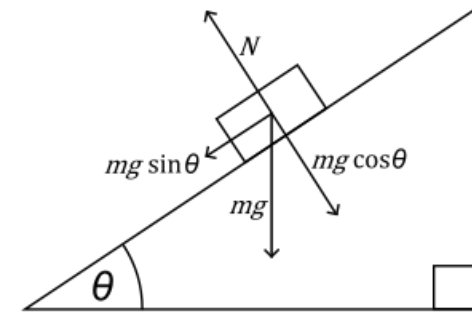
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Second Emerging Trend in US: Science DMZ

Consists of **three key components**, all required:

- “Friction free” network path
 - Highly capable network devices (wire-speed, deep queues)
 - Virtual circuit connectivity option
 - Security policy and enforcement specific to science workflows
 - Located at or near site perimeter if possible
- Dedicated, high-performance Data Transfer Nodes (DTNs)
 - Hardware, operating system, libraries all optimized for transfer
 - Includes optimized data transfer tools such as Globus Online and GridFTP
- Performance measurement/test node
 - perfSONAR



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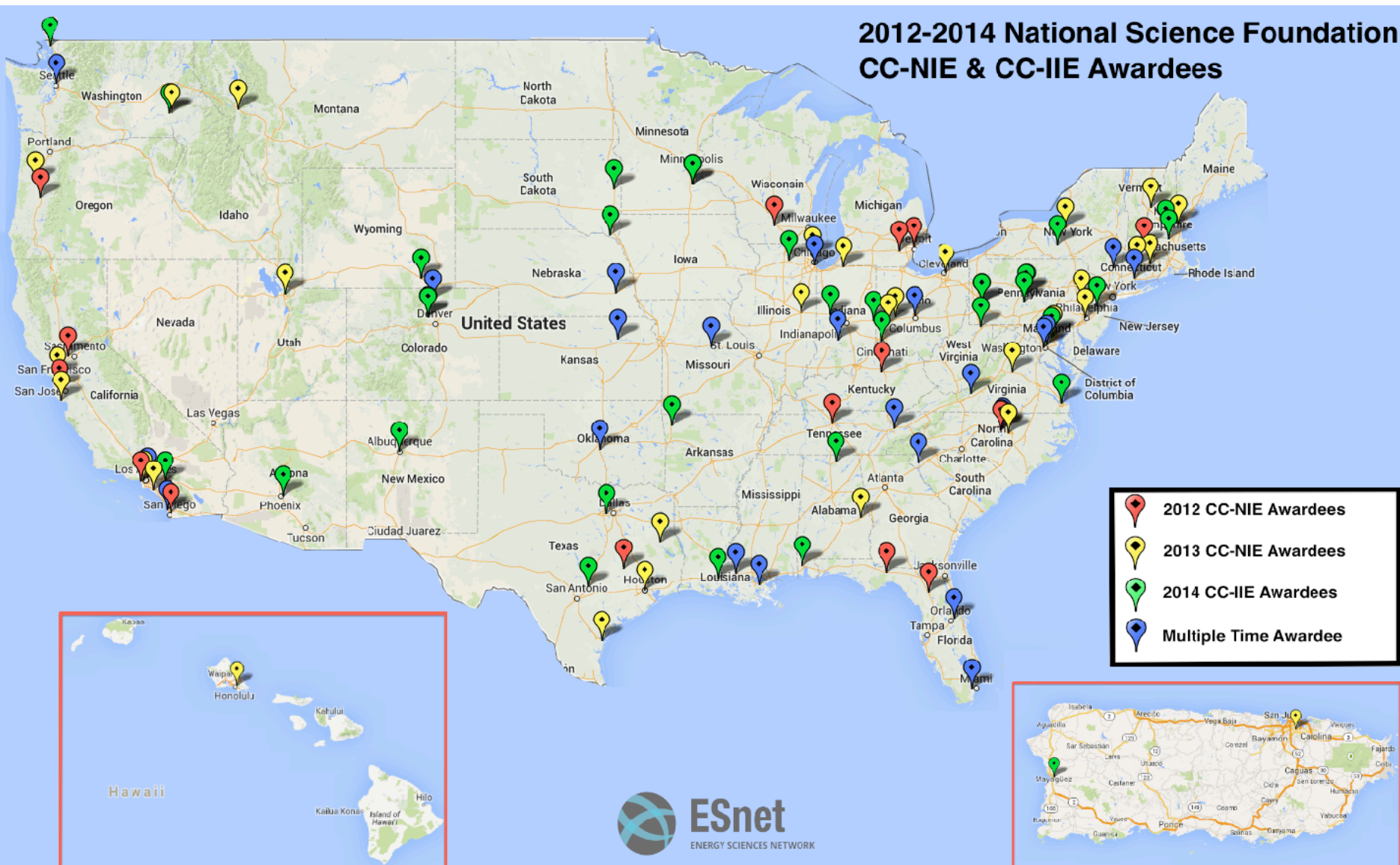


perfSONAR

Details at <http://fasterdata.es.net/science-dmz/>

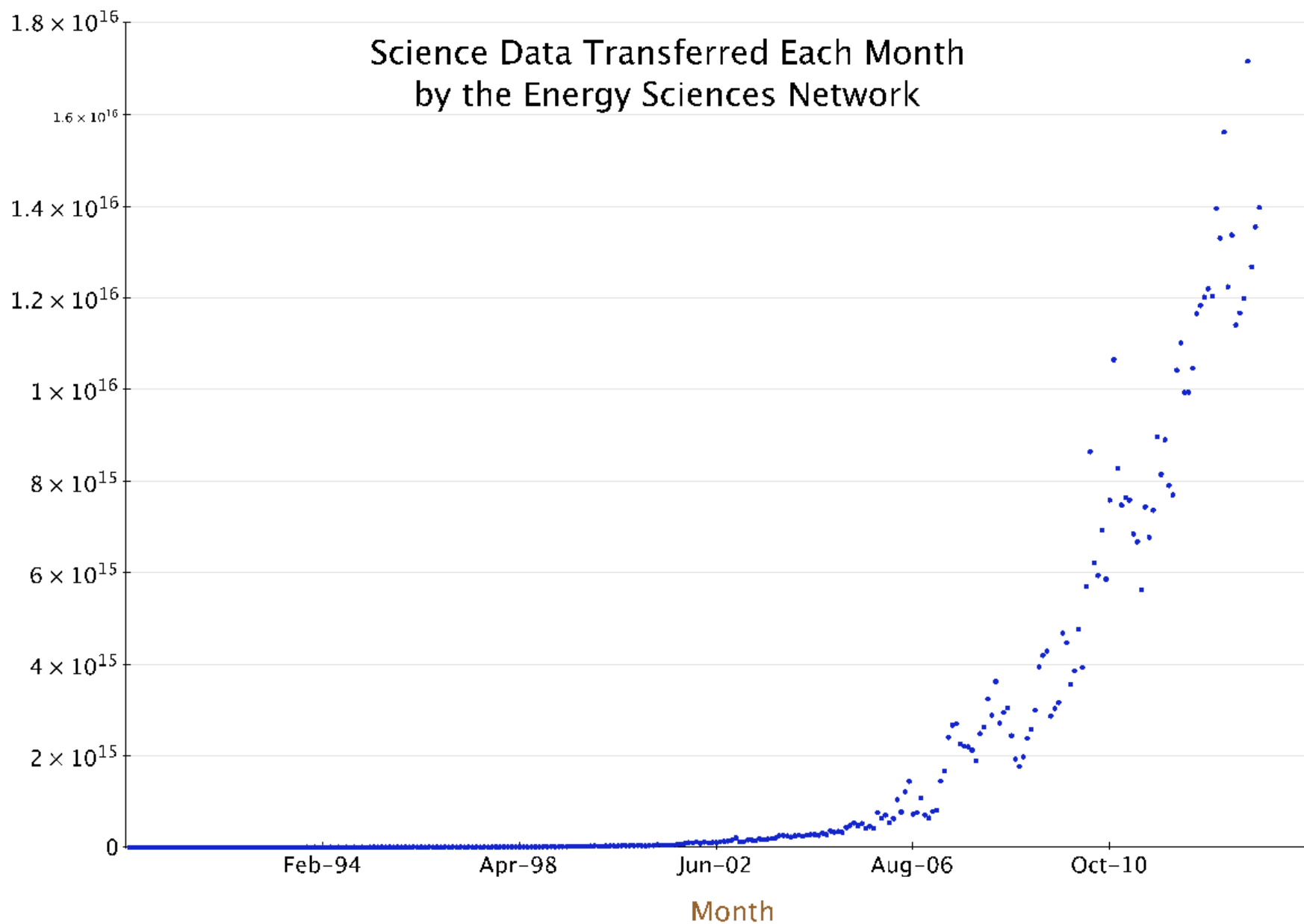


Map of NSF Grants to Promote Science DMZ



Bytes Transferred

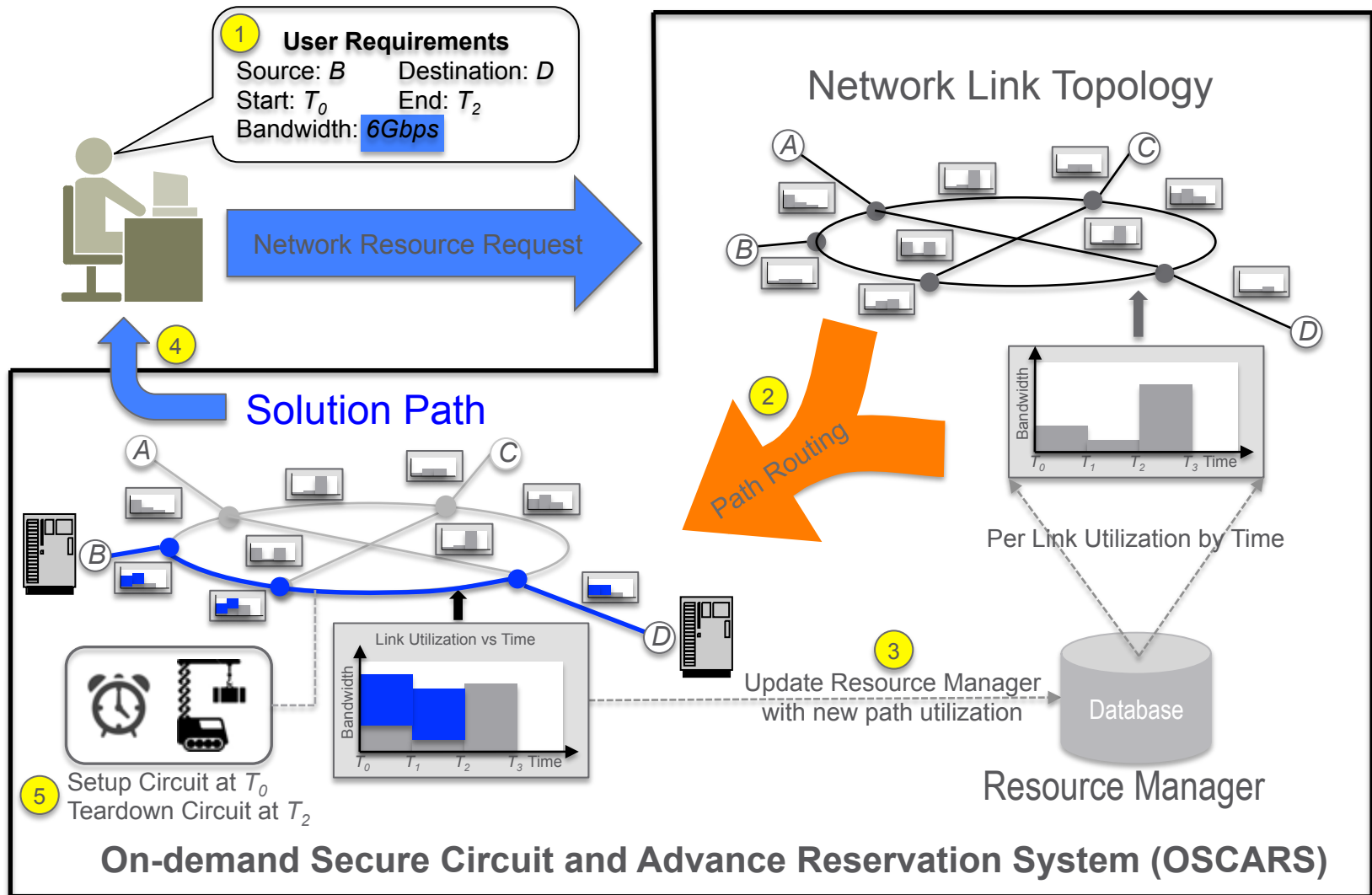
Science Data Transferred Each Month by the Energy Sciences Network



Current APIs

OSCARS Introduction

1. Multi-domain, Dynamic Circuit Service within ESnet
 - **Enforces QoS and Guaranteed Bandwidth**
 - Implements Inter-Domain Control Protocol (IDCP) and Network Services Interface (NSI) multi-domain protocols
 - GUI-based user-interface, and roles/responsibilities
2. Open Source project
 - 40+ R&E networks have OSCARS deployed in some form (production, prototype, tests)
 - In many cases, have to test their own NRM functions (ex. OESS)



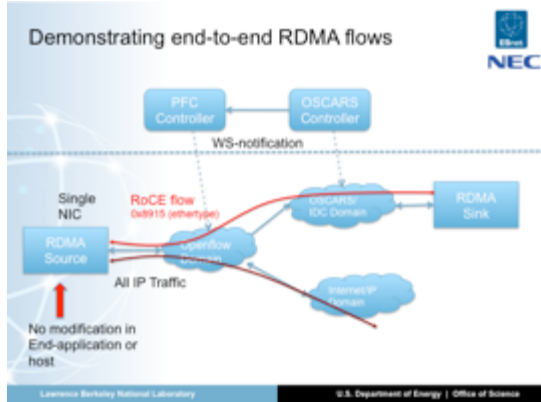
OSCARS Information

- OSCARS v0.6 Project (including NSI Bridge)
 - <http://code.google.com/p/oscars-idc/>
- OSCARS Mailing Lists
 - **oscars-announce** (<https://listserv.es.net/mailman/listinfo/oscars-announce>)
 - This list will be used to announce general information such as upcoming releases and roadmaps.
 - **oscars-dev** (<https://listserv.es.net/mailman/listinfo/oscars-dev>)
 - This list will be used to discuss code development issues, track bugs, and report code commits.
 - **oscars-users** (<https://listserv.es.net/mailman/listinfo/oscars-users>)
 - This list is for the user community to share deployment and usage experiences, as well as submitting enhancement requests and reporting bugs.
 - This mailing list is in the process of being renamed to **oscars-support**

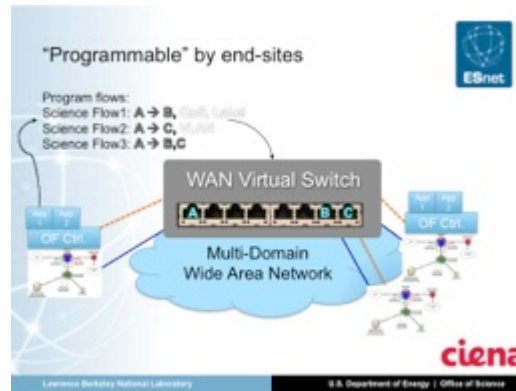
SDN Testbeds

Last three years of SDN investigations

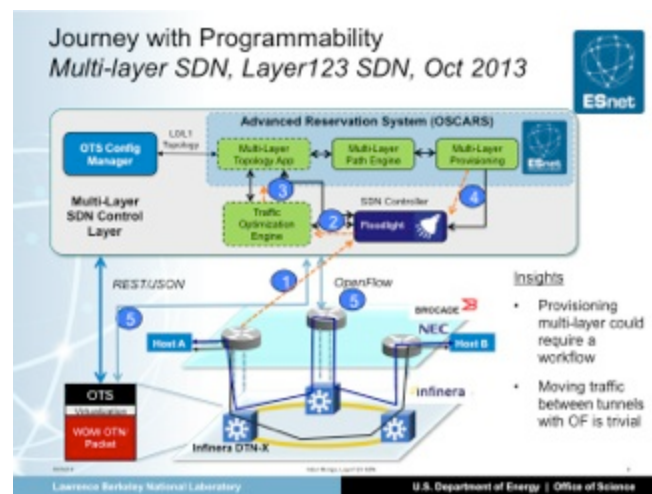
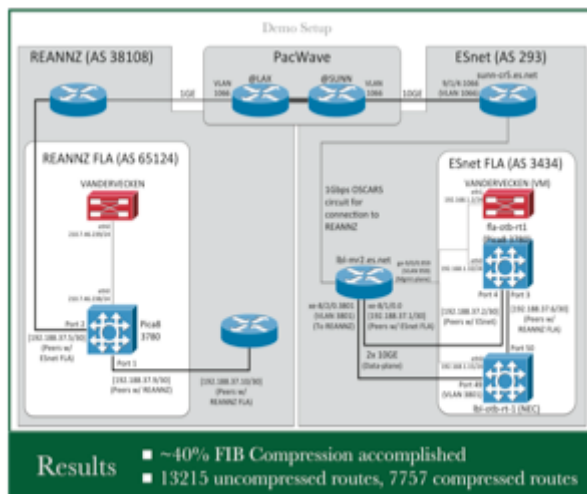
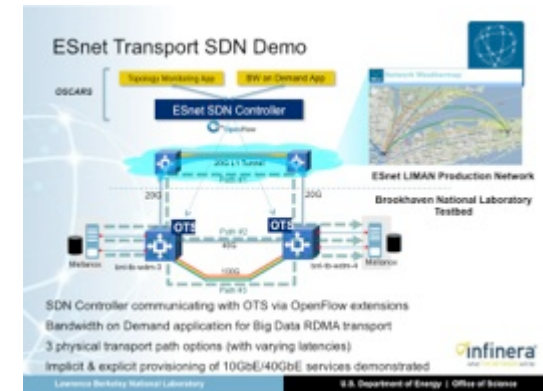
ONS 2011, SC 2011



SC 2012



December 2012



SDN Workshop
'Operationalizing SDN'
December 2013

Treehouse w/REANNZ, Google

ONS March 2013

Layer 123 SDN, Nov 2013



Building a scalable SDN WAN Testbed

1. Prototype for a potential ESnet6 design
2. Multi-domain federation for the science complex
3. International SDN collaboration

Building a scalable SDN WAN Testbed

- Requirements
 - Openflow 1.3 support [Cannot do Guaranteed Bandwidth or QoS with OF 1.0]
 - L2/L3 transport with QoS, MPLS
 - Support for Federation
 - Support internet-scale routing and forwarding table
 - Diagnostic and Troubleshooting capabilities

Corsa Product Introduction

DP6440

4 x 100G CFP2 Ports
24x 10G SFP+ Ports



DP6430

2 x 100G CFP2 Ports
24x 10G SFP+ Ports



100G

DP6420

48 x 10G SFP+ Ports
4 x 40G QSFP+ Ports



10G

DP6410

24 x 10G SFP+ Ports



Open vSwitch + 

OpenFlow 1.3 / 1.4 / 1.5+

- Fully programmable OpenFlow data plane with multiple pipelines
- Embedded OVS based OpenFlow 1.3+ / ovsdb SDN controller interface
- Ultra fast flow setup and control plane interfaces
- Full line rate, OpenFlow ports with multiple flow tables on all ports.

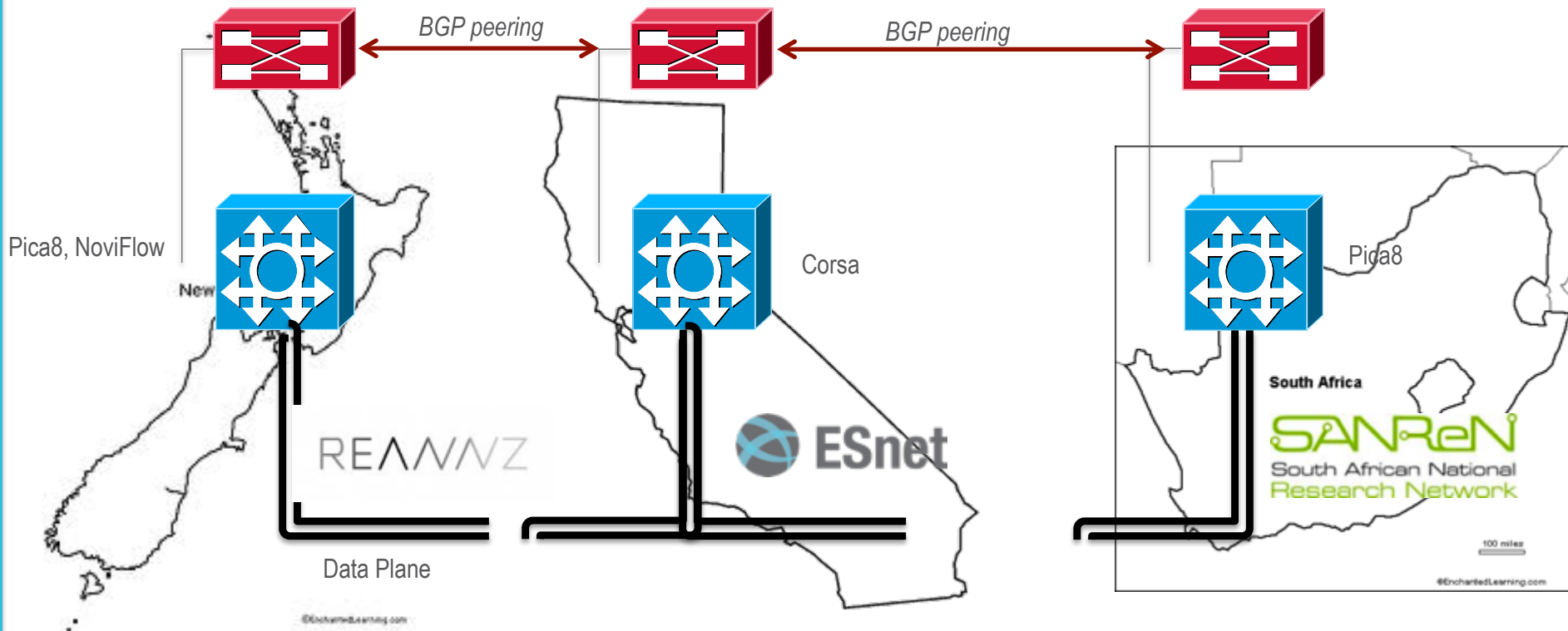
Fills in 5 Key Features Missing From current whitebox OpenFlow Switches

1. Multiple match/action tables
2. Millions of flow entries
3. Large scale packet buffers
4. 100-Gigabit ports with full OpenFlow 1.3
5. Extremely fast flow modifications per second 10k-1M entries per second.
(as opposed to 100 flow mods / sec)

Routing with SDN

ESnet SDX, Multi-continent SDN BGP peering

VANDERVECKEN (VM):
SDN Router



With help from -



SDN BGP Gateway Pipeline: Under the Hood

- A flexible structure with millions of flow entries through multiple tables
- Performs at-scale SDN BGP gateway function to apply policies, and move data quickly and reliably.

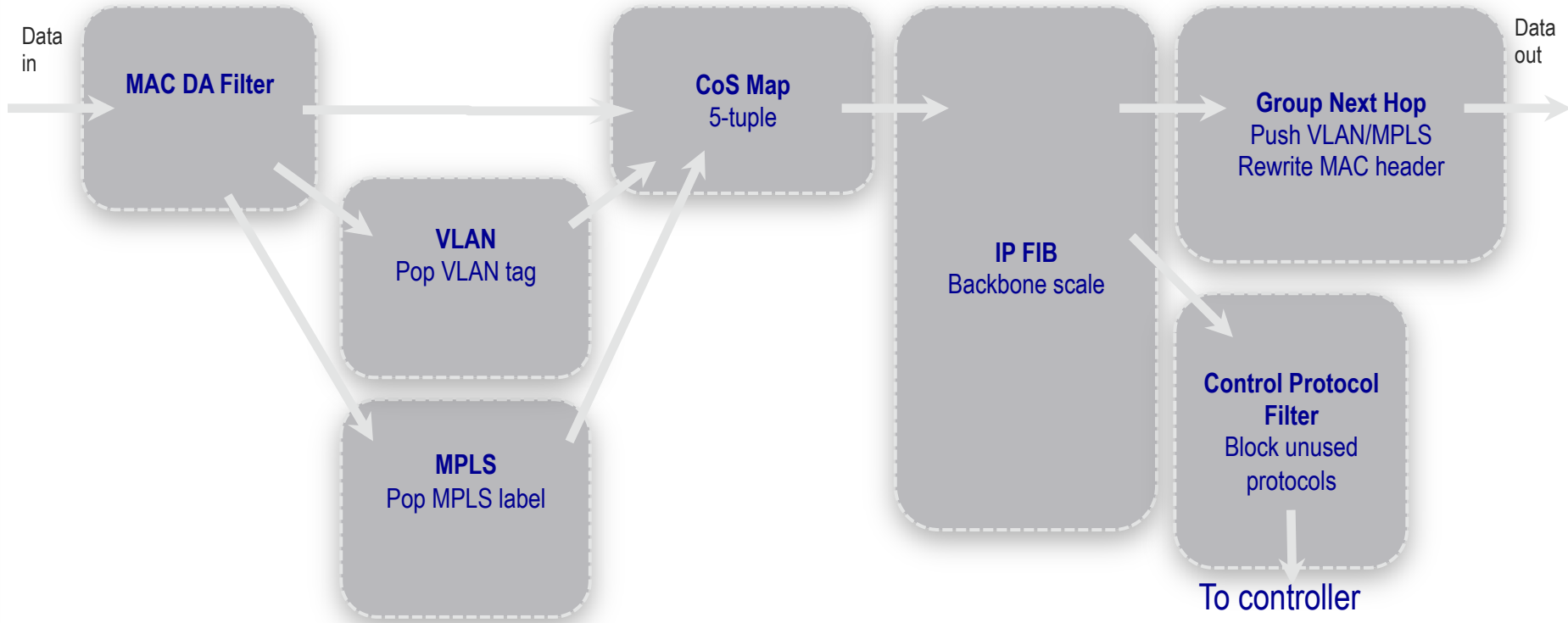
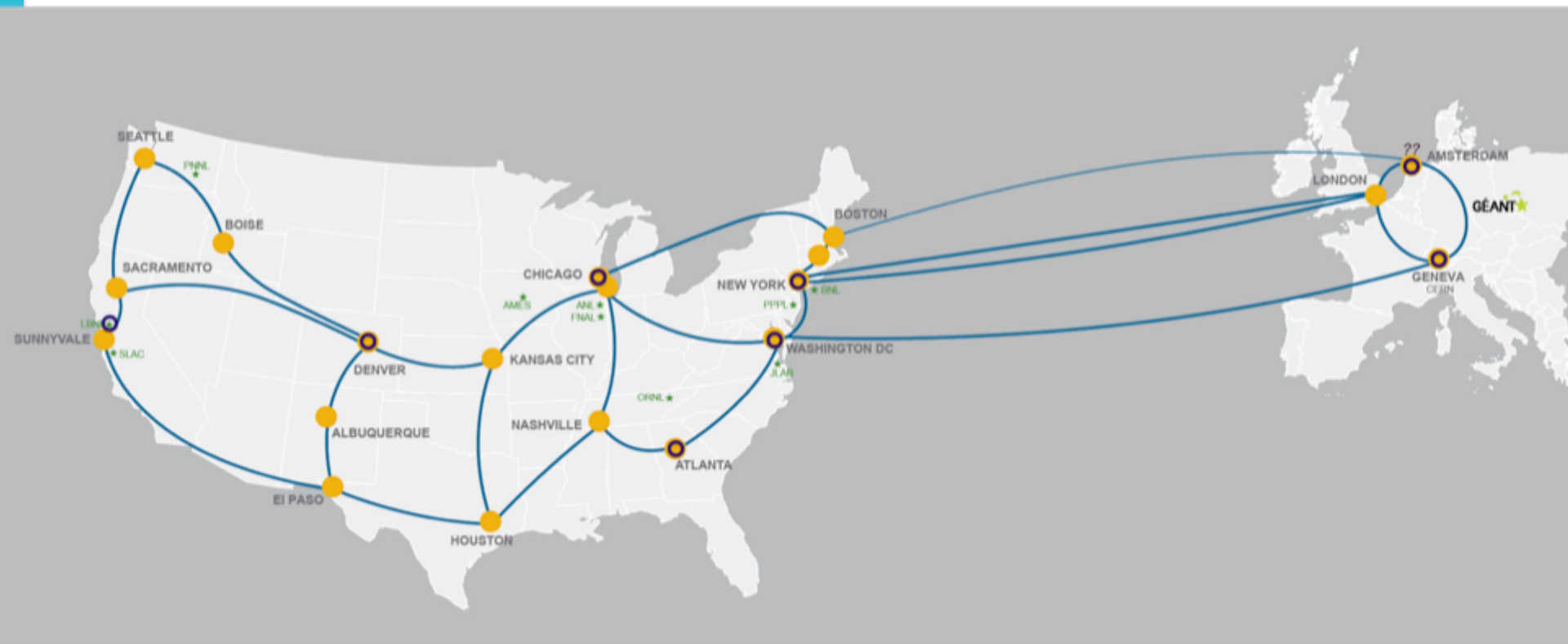


Table definitions shown are for this demo.
Same hardware platform can assume any pipeline structure.

Locations for new SDN testbed *under discussion/planning*

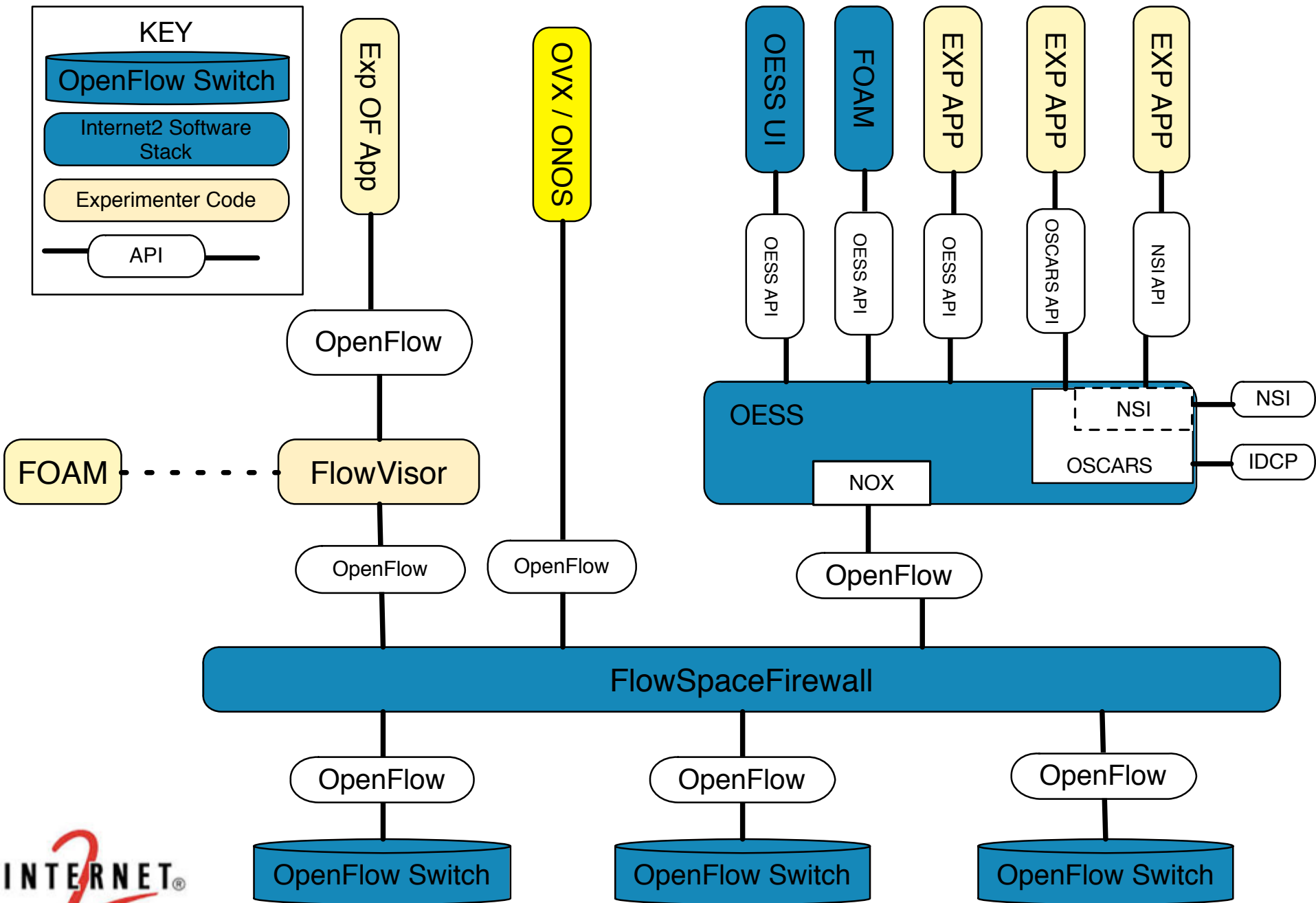
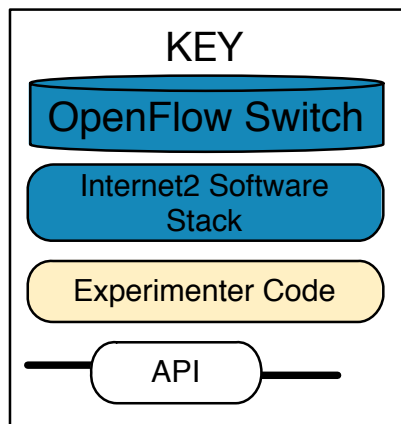


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