

Methods for Optimizing Data Capacity

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Methods for optimizing data capacity

- Transparent caching
- Traffic shaping
- □ Video compression
- New method Virtual capacity
- Repetitiveness characteristics in the Internet
- Virtual capacity effects on specific applications
- Examples from production networks



Demand for data is ever growing

- □ Worldwide 34% CAGR
- LATAM 48% CAGR
- □ ME & Africa 52% CAGR
- □ Mobile 92% CAGR
- ARPU stays flat



The challenge:

Economical Bandwidth Expansion

PRESENT METHODS FOR OPTIMIZING DATA CAPACITY















Caching analysis from tier-1 operator

| Total Traffic | 1100 Gbps Peak Traffic |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| Part Residential | 66,00% |
| Part HTTP | 58,00% |
| Part Cache relevant | 40,00% |
| Part Cachable | 30,00% |
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| Cache Volume | 50,5296 Gbps |
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| PoPs | 74 |
| Avg Volume/PoP | 0,68 Gbps |
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| Core PoPs | 12 |
| Avg/Core PoP | 4,21 Gbps |



- Good QoE for supported applications and content
- Bandwidth savings
- Long track record

- Application & content specific
- Not effective below0.5-1Gbps
- Constraints on routing
- High maintenance Needs to follow Internet evolution (e.g. protocols, formats)
- Legal concerns









Local CDN PoP







- Good QoE for managed content
- Bandwidth savings
- CDN's investment & maintenance

- Only for managed content
- CDNs won't locate PoPs where it's not economical for their customers
- Controlled by CDN, not by ISP





- Explicit control (non-statistical)
- Revenue generator

- Doesn't generate traffic
- High maintenance
- Legally sensitive





- Limitless compression
- Selective video compression is not sensed

- Negative impact on QoE
- Requires high CPU power
- Redundant with ABR
- Redundant with serverbased throttling



NEW METHOD FOR OPTIMIZING DATA CAPACITY – VIRTUAL CAPACITY











Compressor

De-compressor









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De-compressor



- Operates at bit-stream level.
- Agnostic to protocol and content.
- No spoofing or termination applied.
- Network functions maintained.
- Future proof.
- Legally safe.



| Chunk length for this analysis | 500 Bytes = 4,000 Bits |
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| Estimated number of clips in YouTube | <i>10,000,000,000 = 10</i> ¹⁰ |
| Average files size in YouTube | 5MByte |
| Chunks in average file in YouTube | $5 \times 10^6 / 500 = 10^4$ |
| Number of chunks in YouTube | $10^{10} \times 10^4 = 10^{14}$ |
| Estimated factor to cover the whole Internet | 1,000 |
| Number of chunks in the whole Internet | $10^{14} \times 10^3 = 10^{17}$ |
| Bits required to map all chunks in the Internet | Log ₂ 10 ¹⁷ = 56 bits = 7 Byte |
| Redundancy ratio | 500 Byte / 7 Byte = 71 |



How Repetitive is the Internet?























































Thank You

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