

Advanced Computer Networks

Content-Centric Networking (III)

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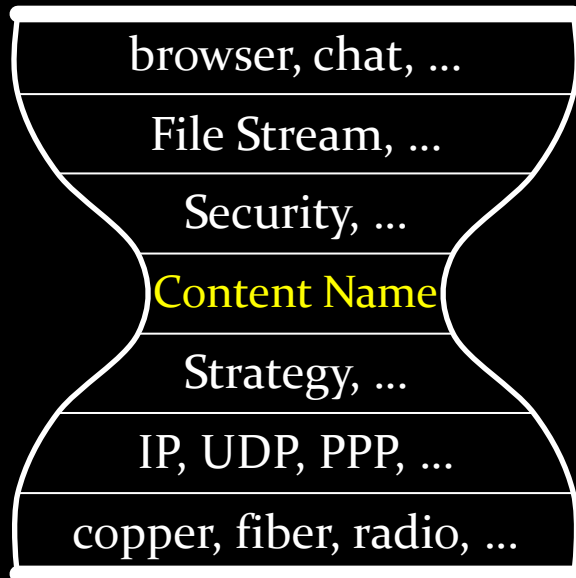
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- **Why COPSS?**
 - Temporal separation between providers (publishers) and consumers (subscribers)
 - NDN cannot achieve this via pure query/response model
 - The add-on systems to mitigate the mismatch also introduces overhead

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Content Name:

/ugoe.edu/jchen/acn14-ICN.pdf/_v1/_s1

Content Descriptors:

/networking/ICN

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Content Name
Selector (order preference, publisher filter, scope, ..)
Nonce

Interest (Request)

Content Descriptor
Selector (order preference, publisher filter, scope, ..)
Nonce

Subscription

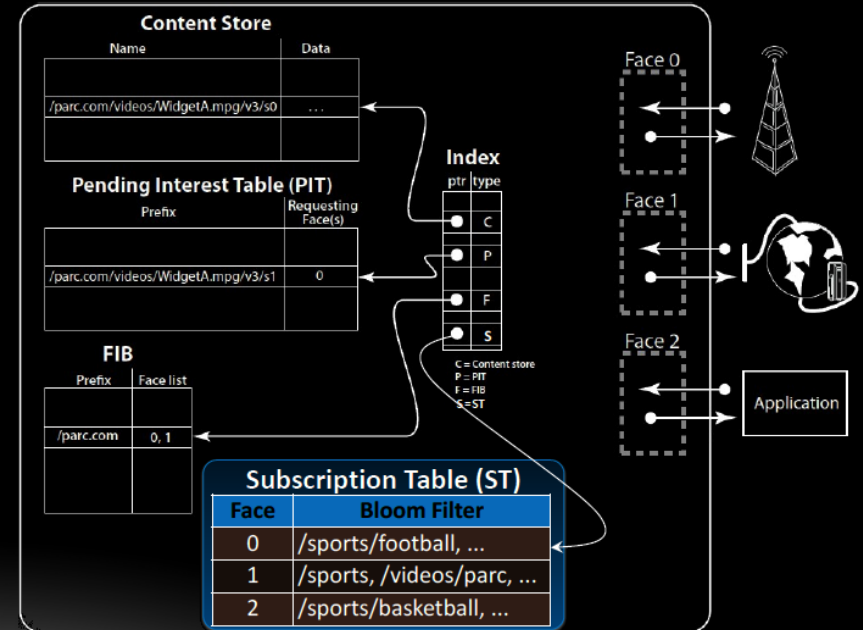
Content Name
Content Descriptors
Signature (digest algorithm, witness, ...)
Signed Info (publisher ID, key locator, stale time, ...)
Data

Data (Response)

or
Publish

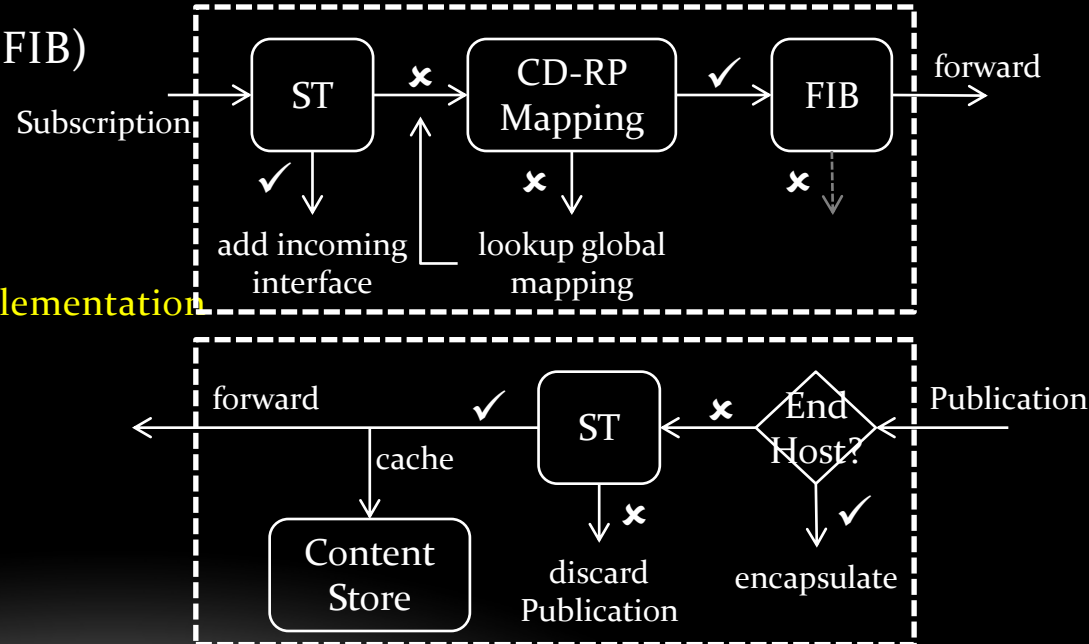
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 - All the publications and subscriptions go through the RP
 - Automatic RP balancing
 - Note: RP is just a name

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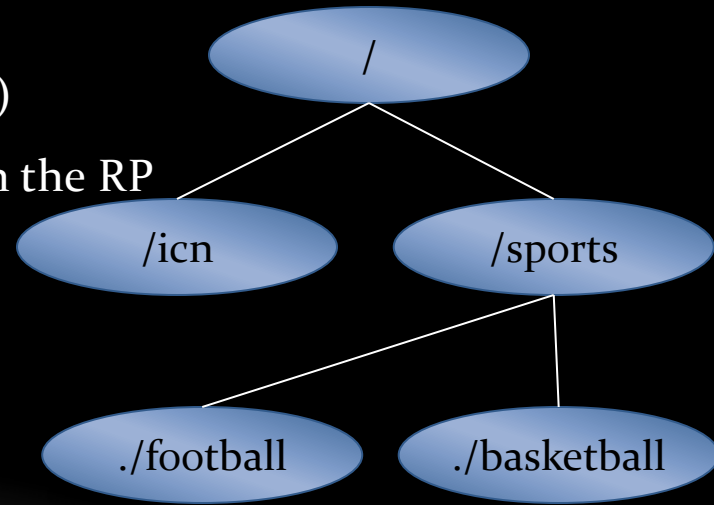
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Prefix	RP Name
/	/RP1
/icn	/RP2
/sports	/RP3
/sports/football	/RP4
/sports/basketball	/RP5

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 - CD-RP lookup like DNS
 - Bloom-Filter ST

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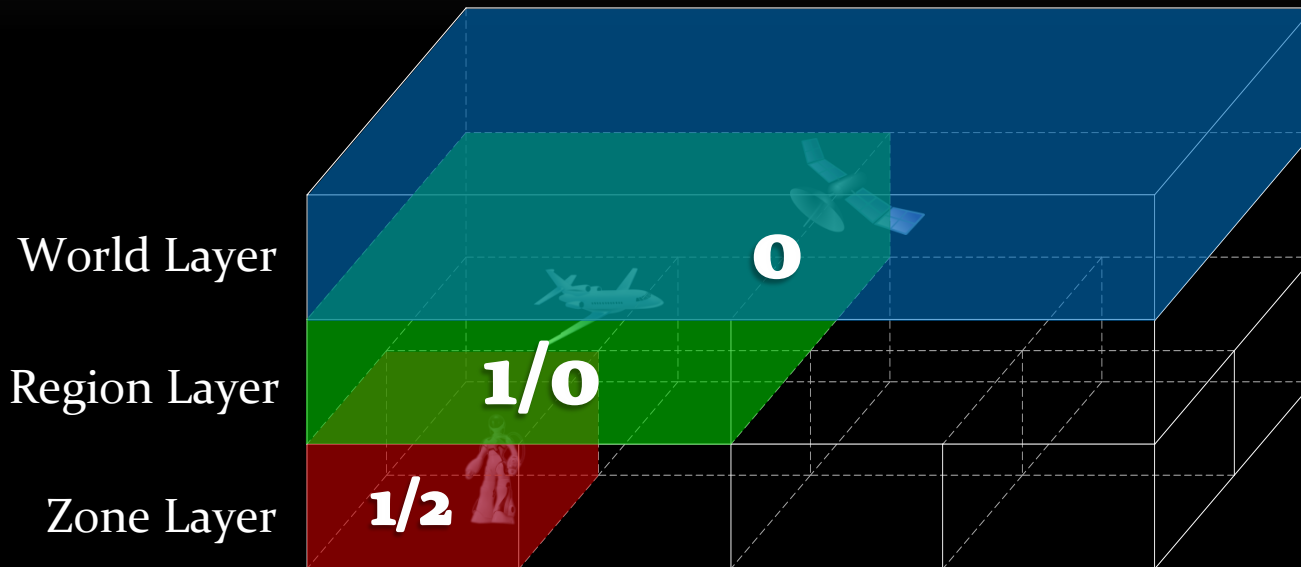
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 - Online gaming needs a communication infrastructure
 - Gaming is content-centric
 - Gaming is pub/sub

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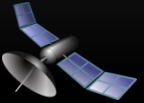
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Satellite:



- Location: 0
- Pub: /0
- Sub: /

Plane:



- Location: 1/0
- Pub: /1/0
- Sub: /1, /0

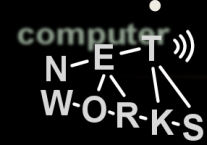
Soldier:



- Location: 1/2
- Pub: /1/2
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- **Two-step communication?**
 - Subscriber interest
 - Policy control



CONGESTION CONTROL

- Survey: Was TCP designed for congestion control?
 - Yes and no...?
- History:
 - TCP – RFC 675 (1974)^[1]
 - Congestion Control – RFC 896 (1984)^[2]
 - TCP Congestion Control – RFC 2001 (1997)^[3], RFC 2581 (1999)^[4], RFC 5681 (2009)^[5]
- Question: Why congestion control??
 - Congestion Collapse!

In **heavily loaded** pure datagram networks with **end to end retransmission**, as switching nodes become congested, the **round trip time** through the net increases and the **count of datagrams in transit** within the net also increases. This is normal behavior under load. As long as there is only one copy of each datagram in transit, congestion is under control. **Once retransmission of datagrams not yet delivered begins, there is potential for serious trouble.** ^[2]

WHY TCP WORKS? (w/o C.C.)

- Basic Send & ACK mode:

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- Now, let's have a window = 22
- Why 22?
 - Available Bandwidth = 20 Mbps
 - RTT (Delay) = 12ms + *
 - $B \times D = \frac{20 \times 1000000b}{1000ms} \times 12ms = 240000b$
 - Packet Size: 12000b
 - Therefore: > 20 packets

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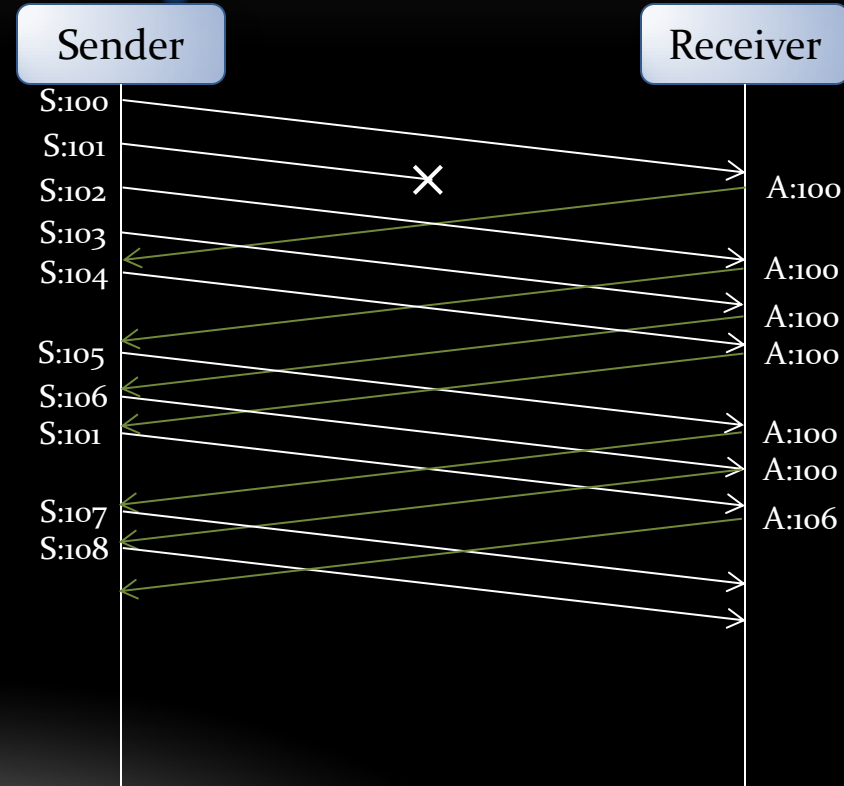
- What about... window size = 40??

WHY TCP DOES NOT WORK? (w/o C.C.)

- It will be more severe under load...

TCP C.C. GENERAL IDEA

- Window Control: AIMD
 - Additive Increase: Increase window **by 1** on successful delivery of 1 window
 - Multiplicative Decrease: Decrease window **by half** on **packet loss**
- Key: Fast Recovery/Retransmit
 - ACK: ACK the last position correct in order
 - On triple duplicate ACK, start fast recovery
 - On the 3rd duplicate ACK
 - $ssthresh = cwnd / 2$
 - $cwnd = ssthresh + 3$
 - Retransmit the missing packet
 - On the following duplicate ACKs
 - $cwnd++$
 - Send new packet if $cwnd$ allows
 - On the 1st non-duplicate ACK
 - $cwnd = ssthresh$
 - Go to congestion avoidance



TCP C.C.GENERAL IDEA

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- Fast Retransmit Demo (competition)

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SOLUTION 1: ICP [6]

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- Thoughts:
 - Apply TCP directly in ICN

SOLUTION 1: ICP [6]

- AIMD:
 - W is increased by α/W on Data reception ($\alpha = 1$)
 - W is decreased to $\beta \times W$ on timer expiration ($\beta < 1$)
- Timer:
 - $\tau = RTT_{min} + (RTT_{max} - RTT_{min})^\delta$
 - Maximum and minimum RTT averaged over a history of samples (20 Data)
 - $\delta = 0.5$
- Issue:
 - RTT can vary drastically due to the caching

SOLUTION 2: CONTUG [7]

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- Thoughts:
 - Solve the issue: different sources might have different delay

SOLUTION 2: CONTUG [7]

- Every source marks the packet with its ID
- Per-source Conceptual $CWND$: $CCWND = \sum_i CCWND_i$
- Per-source RTT Measurement (EWMA):
 - $\overline{RTT}_i = \alpha \times \overline{RTT}_i + (1 - \alpha) \times Sample_i$
- Weak congestion indication (like TCP Vegas): increased RTT estimation

$$ExpectedRate_i = \frac{CCWND_i \times SegSize}{BASERTT_i} \quad ActualRate_i = \frac{CCWND_i \times SegSize}{RTT_i}$$

- $diff < 1$: slow start; $diff < \alpha$: congestion avoidance; $diff > \beta$: linear decrease
- Strong congestion indication: timeout

$$Timeout_i = C \times \overline{RTT}_i \quad Timeout = C \times \text{Max}_{i \in \{0, n\}} RTT_i$$

- Reduce window by half on timeout

SOLUTION 3: MULTI-PATH ICP [8]

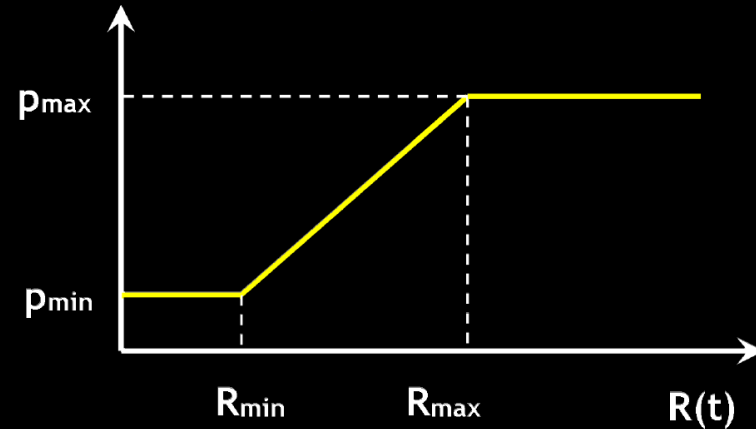
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 - Solve the issue: different sources might have different delay
 - With some privacy

SOLUTION 3: MULTI-PATH ICP [8]

- Route labeling:
 - Source and intermediate routers mark the packet with its ID / face
- Route delay monitoring:
 - Min, max RTT from a specific route
- Per-route probabilistic window decrease (Active Queue Management):
 - $$p_r(t) = p_{min} + (p_{max} - p_{min}) \frac{R_r(t) - R_{r,min}(t)}{R_{r,max}(t) - R_{r,min}(t)}$$
- Issues:
 - Receiver has to know all the paths?
 - What about the new paths?
- Extend reading: [9]



SOLUTION 4: HOBBIS [10]

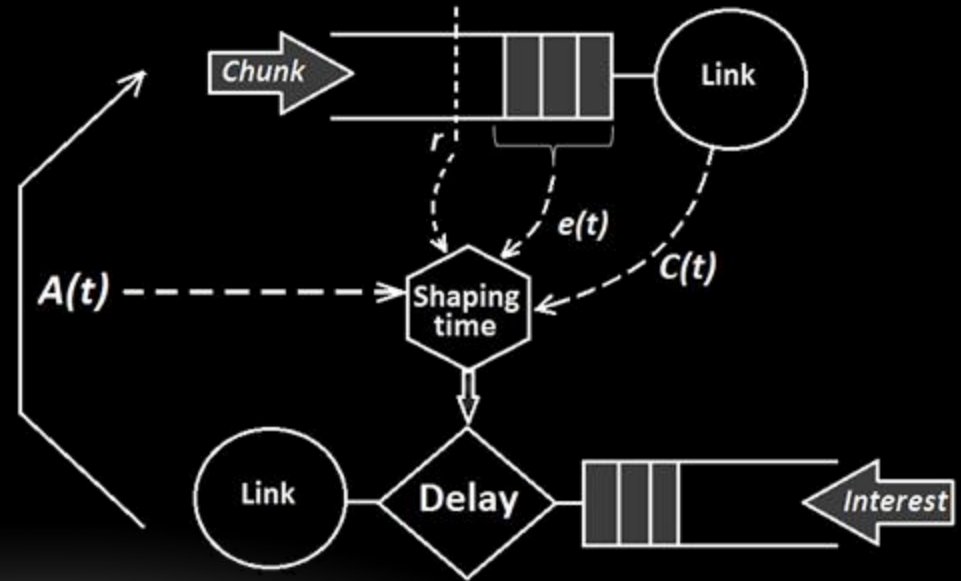
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- Thoughts:
 - Flow fairness controlled directly at the routers

SOLUTION 4: HOBHIS ^[10]

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- **Basic idea:** limit the Interest forwarding to control the return rate after a “Response Delay”

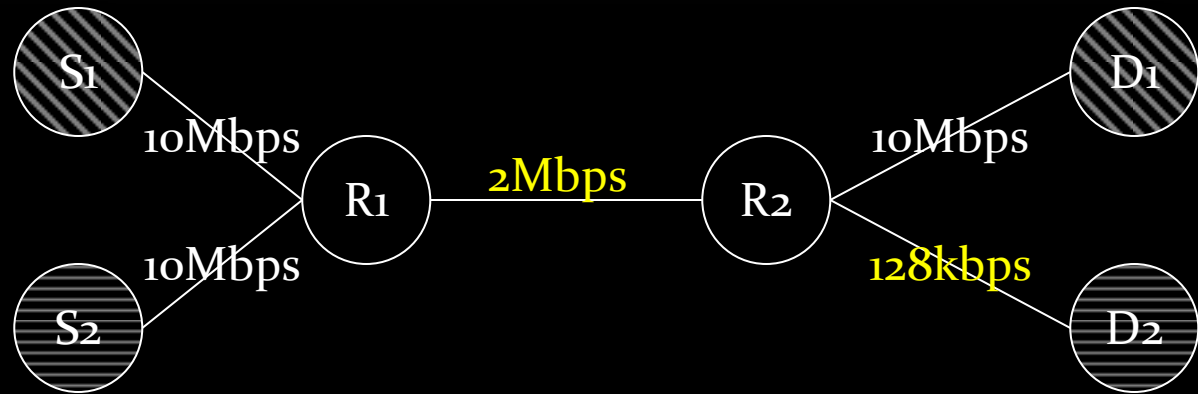


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- **Basic idea:** limit the Interest forwarding to control the return rate after a “Response Delay”
- Assumption:
 - Response Delay “should not change drastically on short time scales as it is like that when the data is stored in a given cache, it should stay there for some time”
- “In order to avoid the losses from Interests when shaping is enforced we need some back-pressure mechanism which is out-of-scope of this paper and will be provided in future work”

SOLUTION 4: HOBHIS [10]

- Issues:
 - Flow state maintenance
 - Efficiency on multiple bottlenecks



- Extend readings:
 - Flow aware traffic control [12]: similar idea, control the flow fairness at the routers
 - Improved HoBHIS [13]: HoBIS + receiver reaction (AIMD)
 - HR-ICP [14]: ICP + bit-bucket (per-flow credit) on the routers
 - CCTCP [15]: Put everything into the packet (route, RTT, etc.)

SOLUTION 6: DEADLINE-BASED [16]

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- Thoughts:
 - Can we use computer scheduling mechanisms to schedule the network?

SOLUTION 6: DEADLINE-BASED [16]

- Idea:
 - Prioritize the packets with short available delay
 - Drop packets that cannot meet the requirement
- Issues:
 - Global clock / Router delay measurement
 - Scheduling issues?

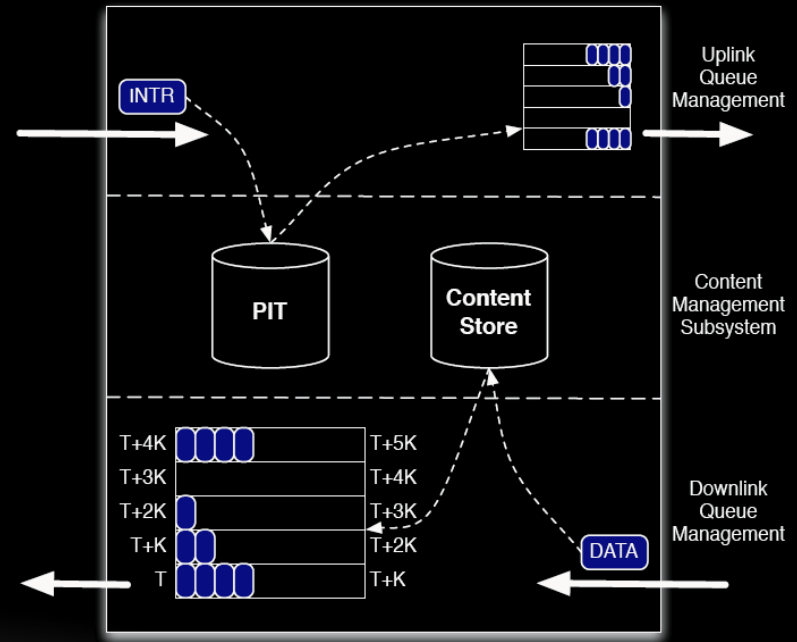
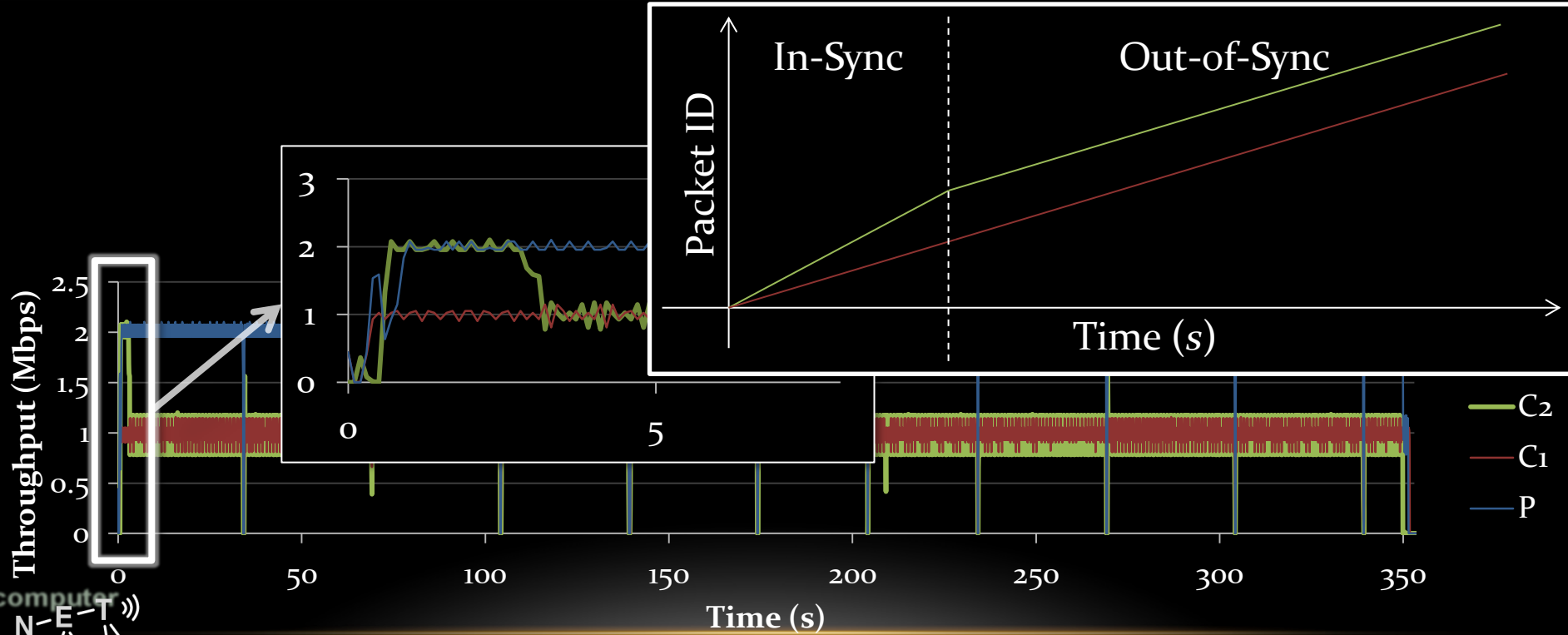
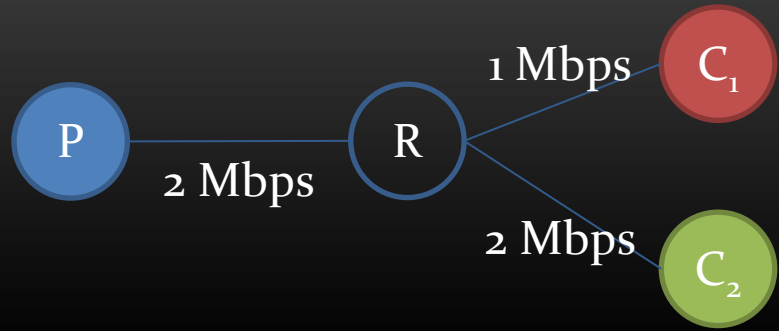


Figure 1: Queuing model for lifetimes.

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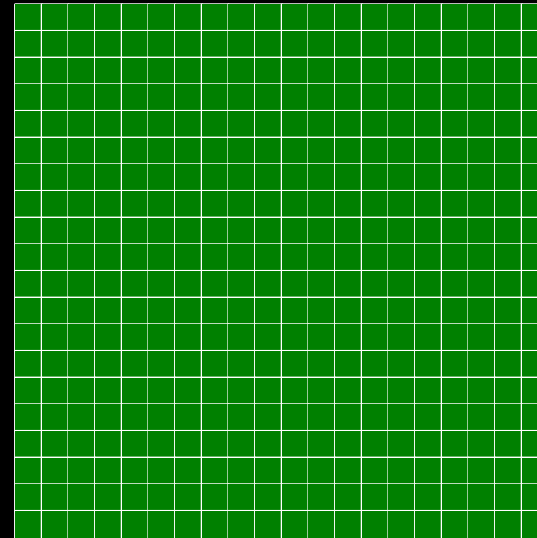
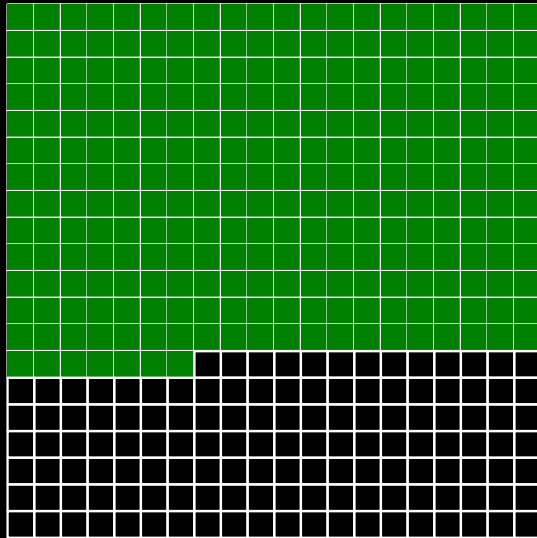
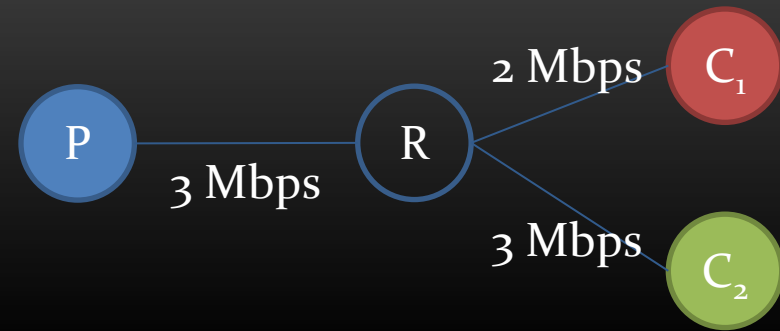
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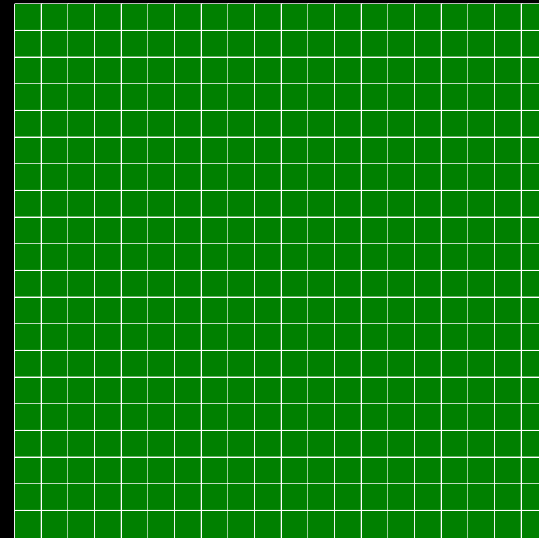
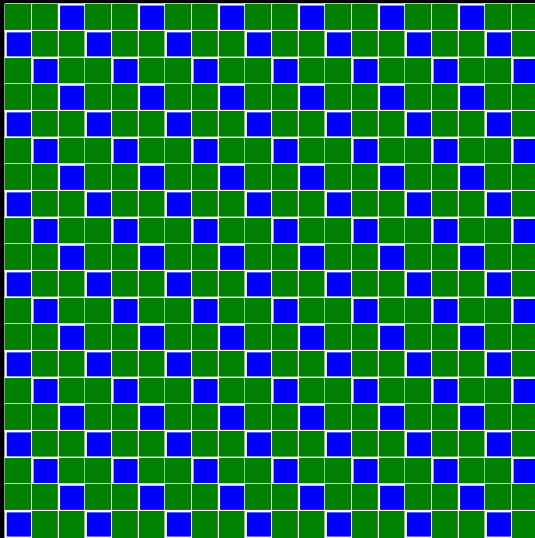
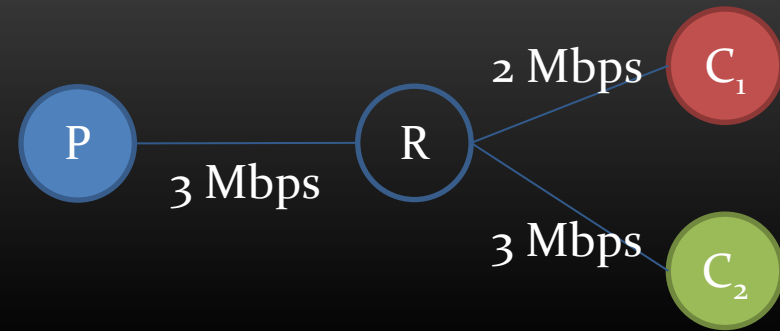
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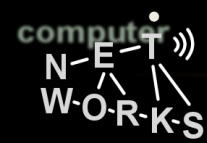
- Issues with ICN congestion control:
 - No fast recovery due to receiver-driven
 - Multiple sources have different delay

- Solutions:

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- Further issues:

Out of sync??



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