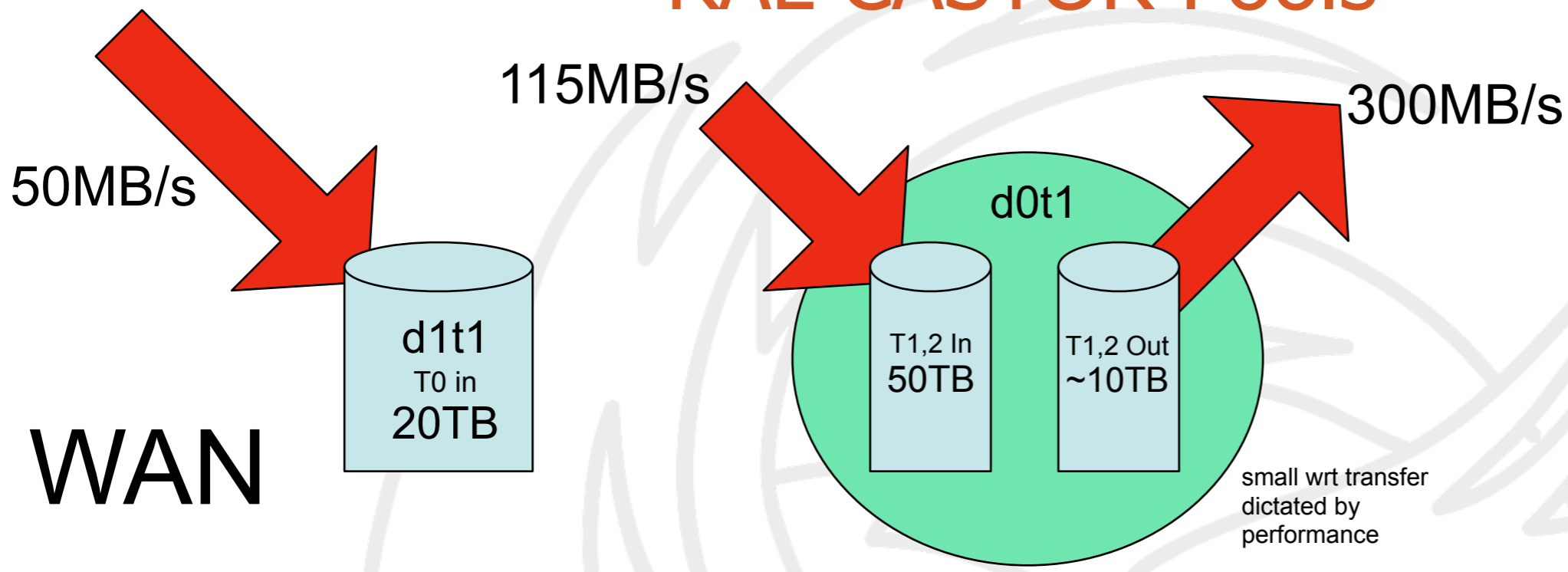
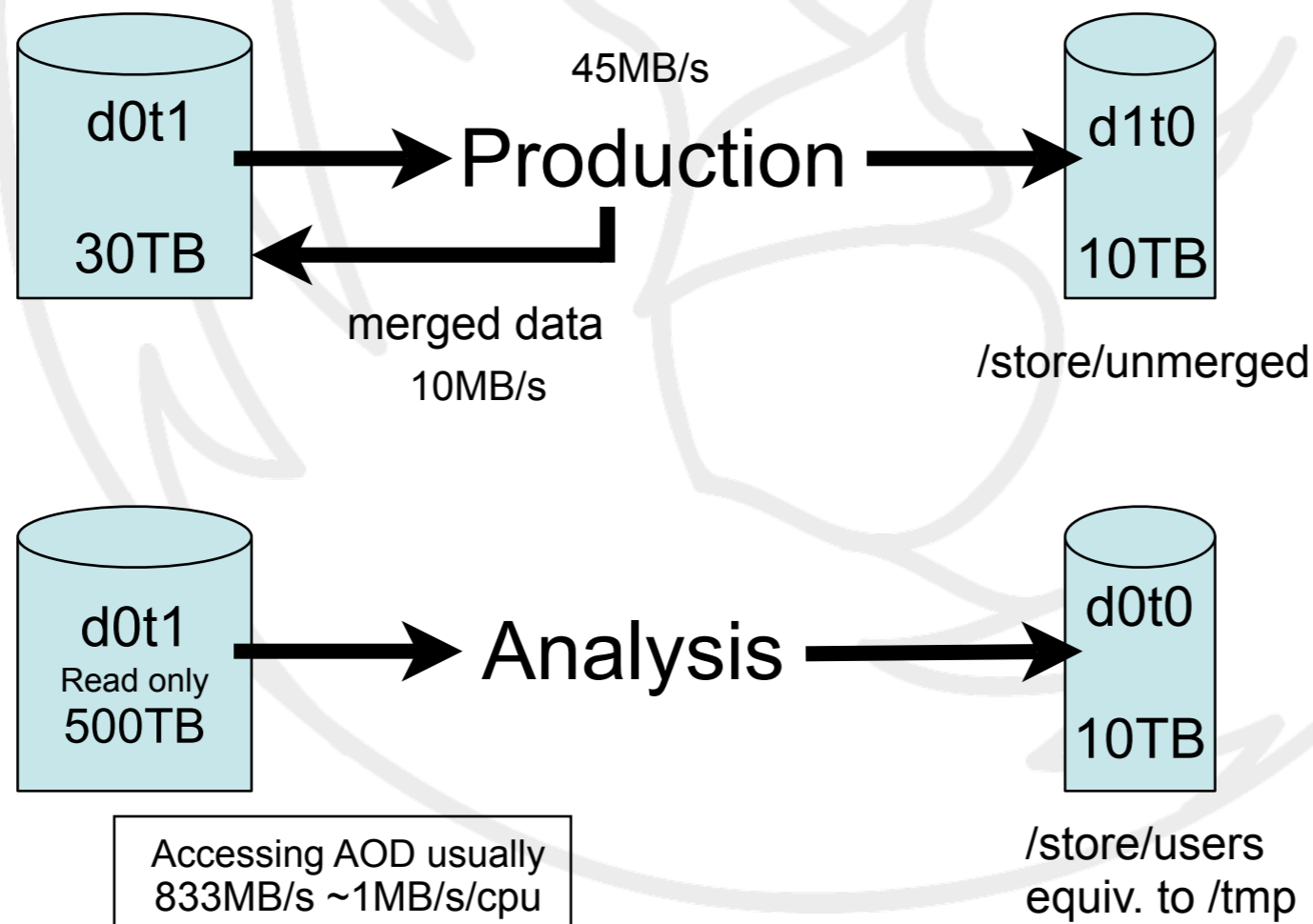


RAL CASTOR Pools



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Data Types:

AOD - summary data. On disk always. Periodically in transfer to T1,2 at high rate.

RECO - Produced at T0, reprocessed at T1's 3* per year. Should be on disk.

SIMRECO - Produced at T2's, should be on tape at least.

RAW - Data from detector, transferred from T0. On disk.

SIMRAW - Produced at T2's, should be on tape at least.

RECO, SIMRECO, RAW and SIMRAW are custodial data and must be stored on tape.

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- Disk to disk copies implicit, where possible, other wise staged from tape
- Need detailed study of inter-pool flows
 - D1T1 for the T0 import required for speedy access for disk to disk transfer
 - Can we live without this, using pinning?
- T1,2 export pool likely to get thrashed
 - Pool drained ~3 times a day
- Pinning required in some places?
 - Need to discuss/confirm