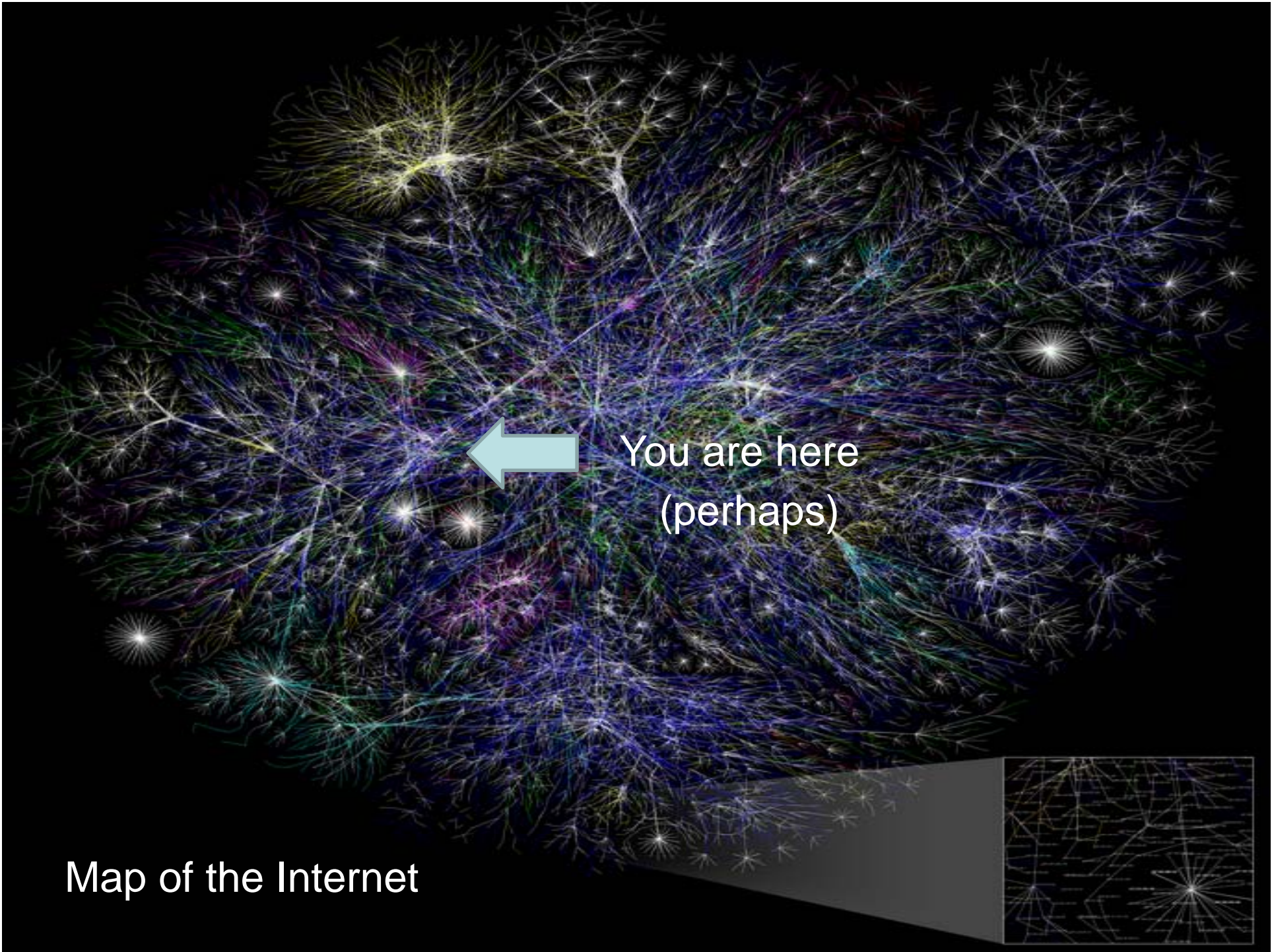
A photograph showing a dense array of orange and yellow network cables plugged into a rack of server equipment. The cables are bundled and organized, with some labeled with white tape. The background shows more of the server rack and a yellow panel.

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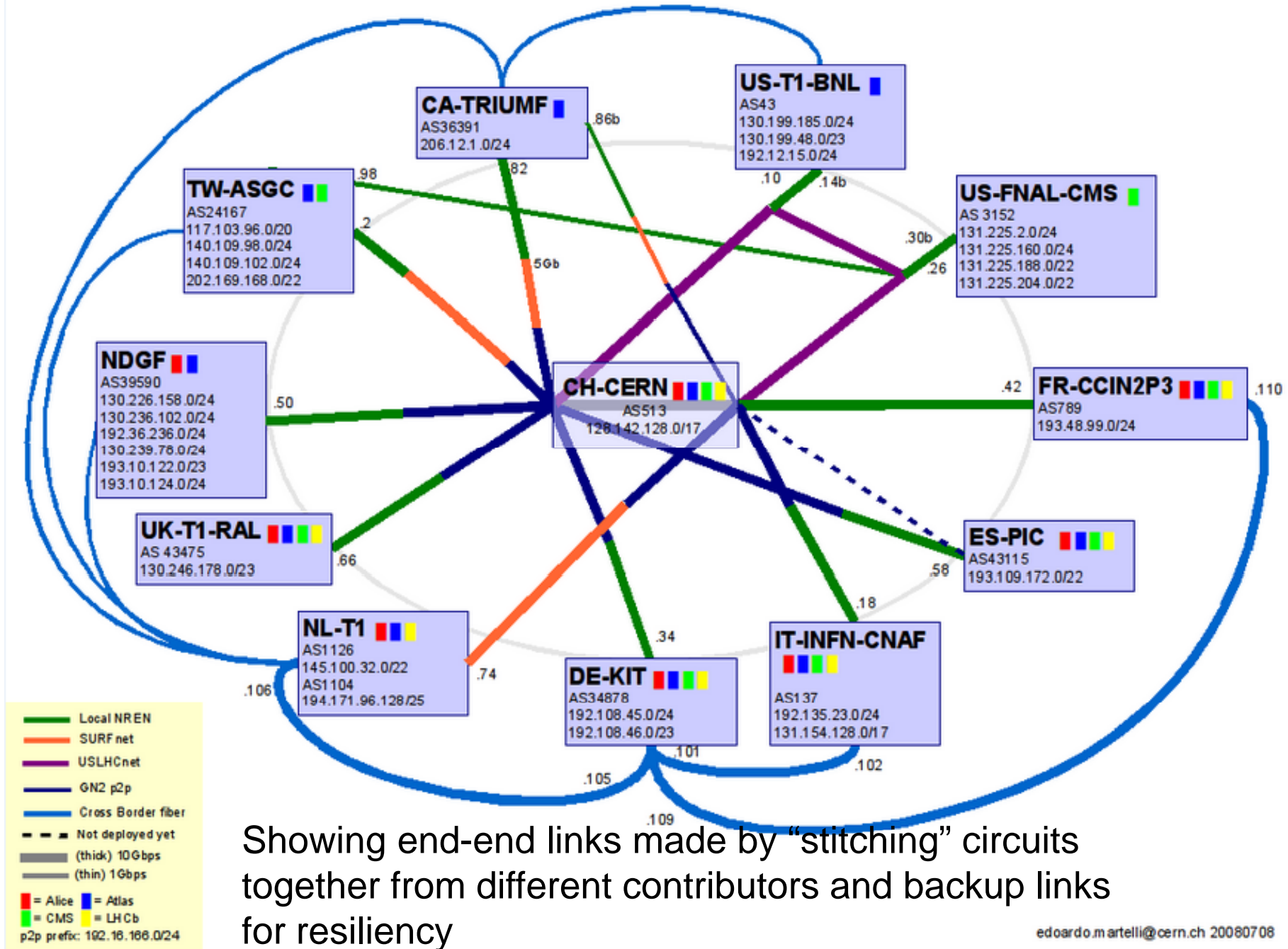


Map of the Internet

LHC Tier0-Tier1 Network Contributors



LHCOPN – current status



Showing end-end links made by “stitching” circuits together from different contributors and backup links for resiliency

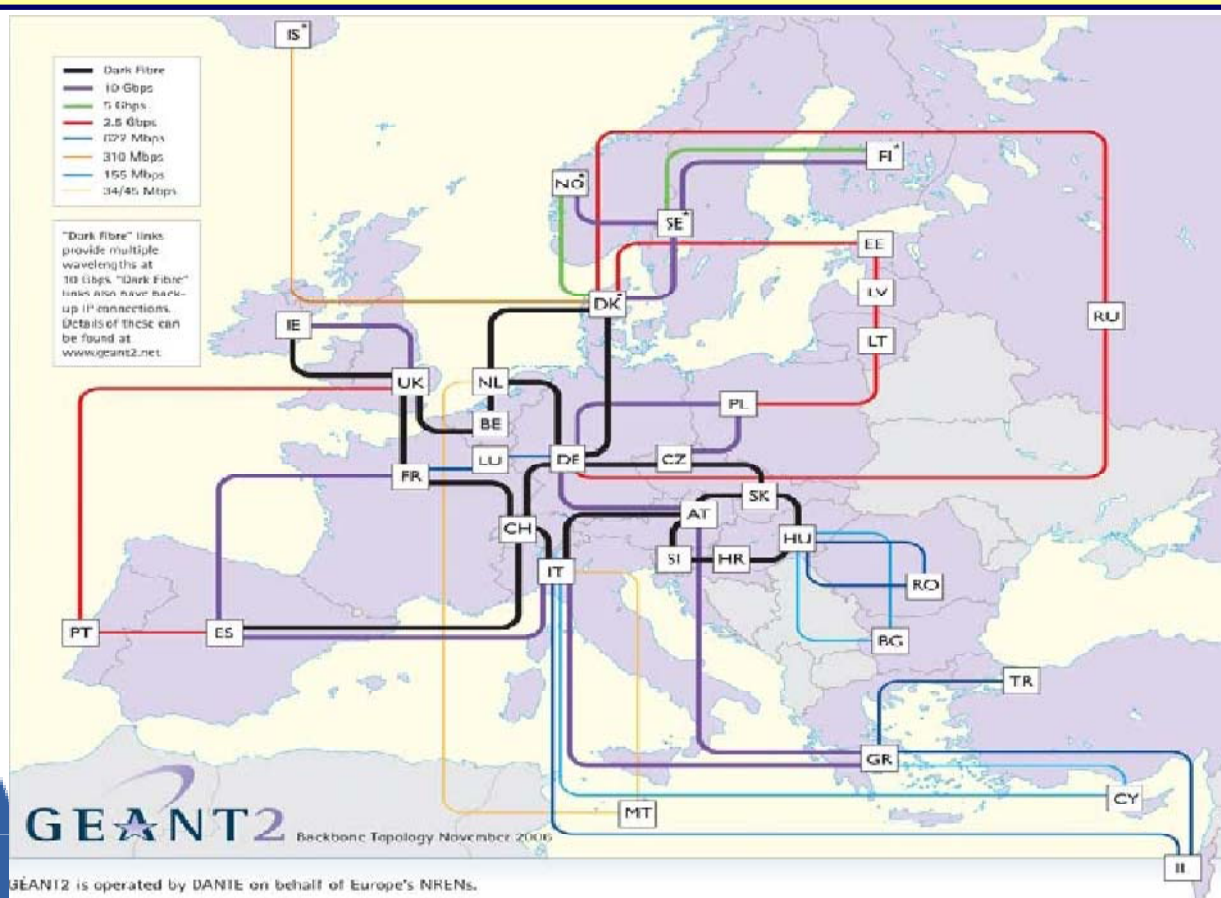
GÉANT2: Consortium of 34 NRENs

22 PoPs, ~200 Sites

38k km Leased Services, 12k km Dark Fiber
Supporting Light Paths for *LHC*, *eVLBI*, et al.

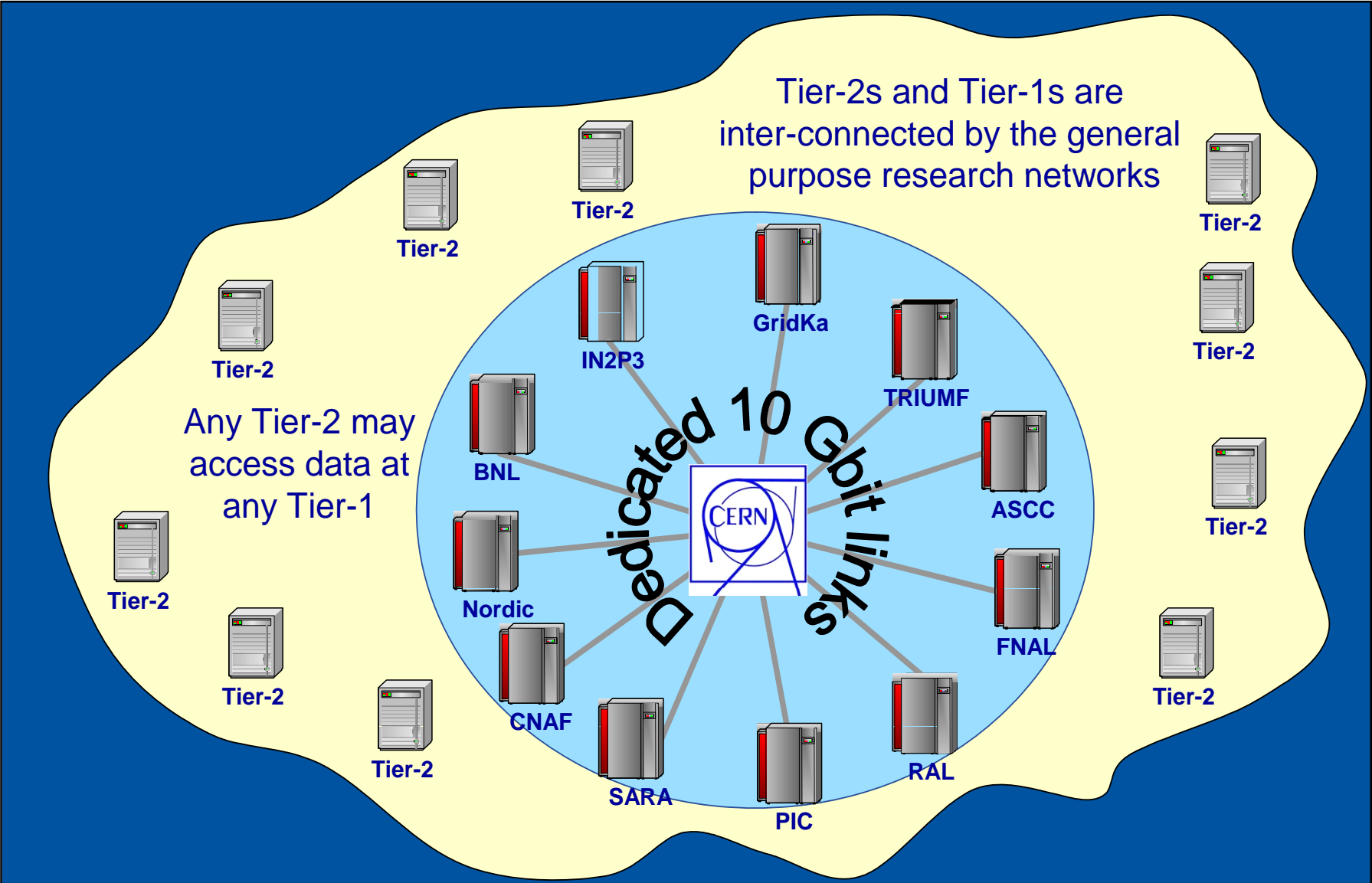
Dark Fiber Core Among
16 Countries:

- ◆ Austria
- ◆ Belgium
- ◆ Bosnia-Herzegovina
- ◆ Czech Republic
- ◆ Denmark
- ◆ France
- ◆ Germany
- ◆ Hungary
- ◆ Ireland
- ◆ Italy,
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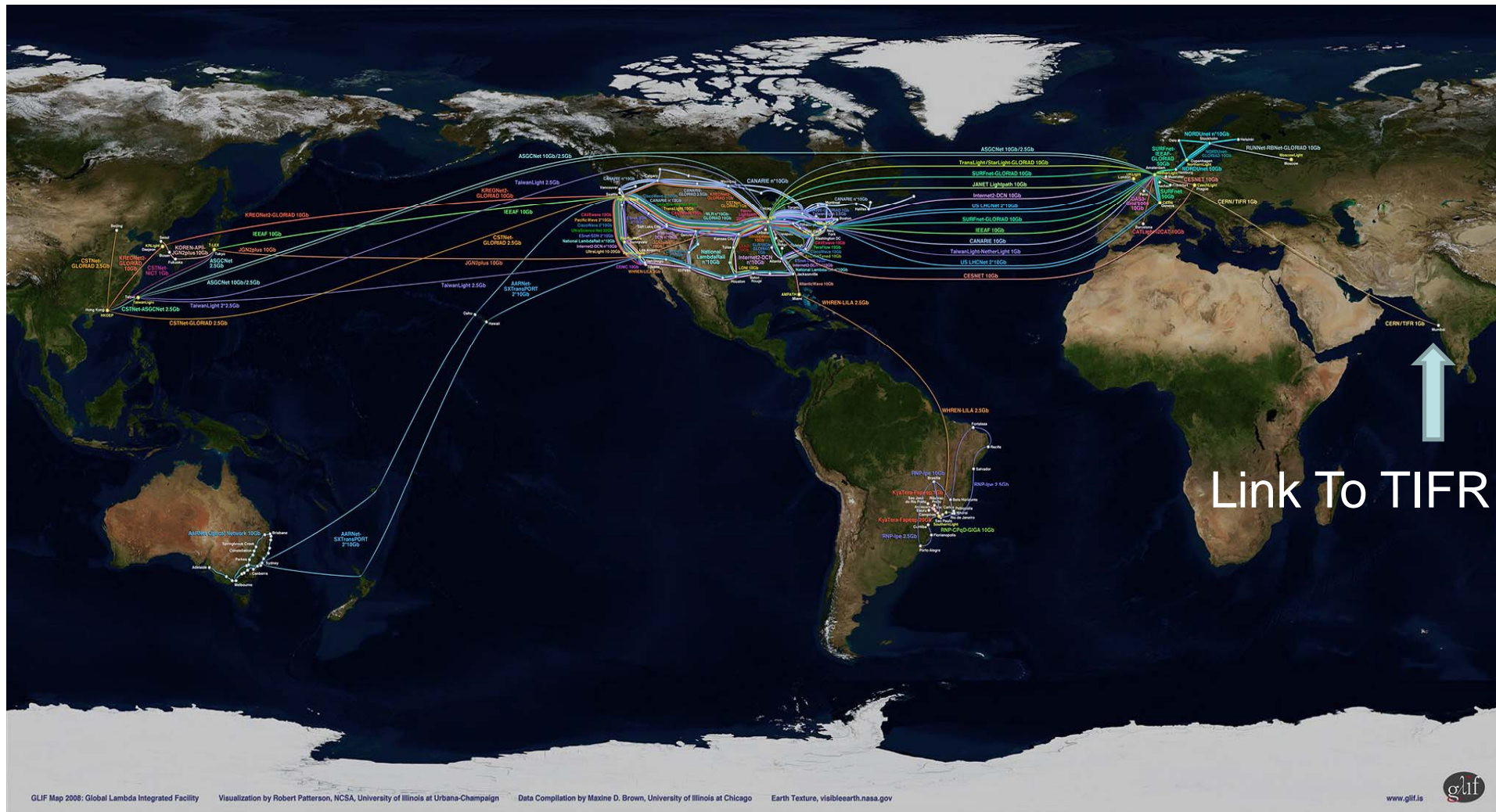
LHC OPN Architecture



Global Lambda Integrated Facility

World Map – May 2008

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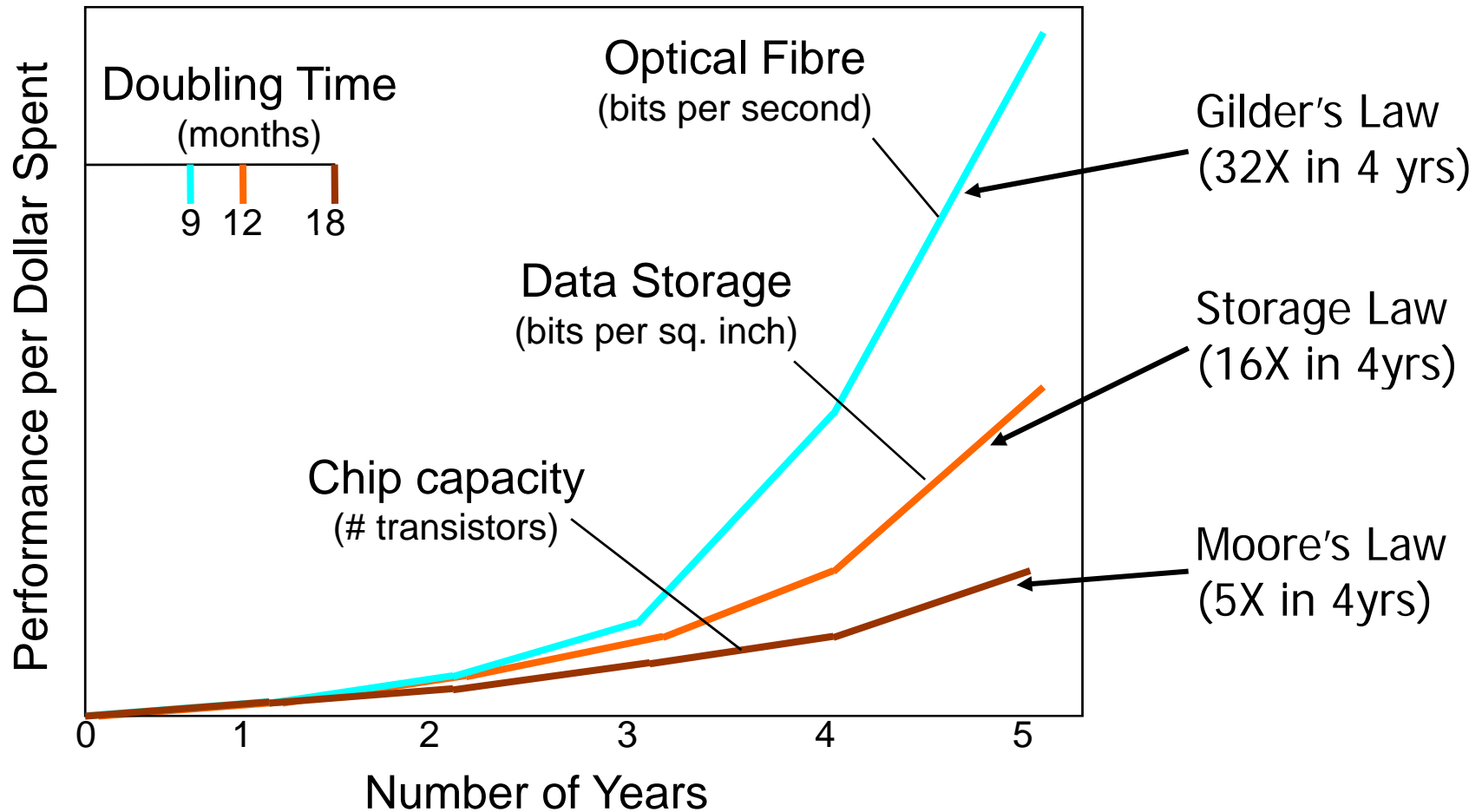
HEP Bandwidth Roadmap for Major Links (in Gbps): USLHCNet Example

<i>Year</i>	<i>Production</i>	<i>Experimental</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
2001	0.155	0.622-2.5	SONET/SDH
2002	0.622	2.5	SONET/SDH DWDM; GigE Integ.
2003	2.5	10-20	DWDM; 1 + 10 GigE Integration
2005-6	10-20	2-10 X 10	λ Switch; λ Provisioning
2007-8	3-4 X 10	\sim10 X 10; 100 Gbps	1st Gen. λ Grids
2009-10	6-8 X 10	\sim20 X 10 or \sim2 X 100	100 Gbps λ Switching
2011-12	\sim20 X 10 or 2 X 100	\sim10 X 100	2nd Gen λ Grids Terabit Networks
2013-5	\simTerabit	\simMultiTbps	\simFill One Fiber



Paralleled by ESnet Roadmap for Data Intensive Sciences

Exponential Growth



Triumph of Light – *Scientific American*. George Stix, January 2001