



# MonALISA

*MONitoring Agents using a Large  
Integrated Services Architecture*

**Framework to monitor, control and optimize  
distributed systems**

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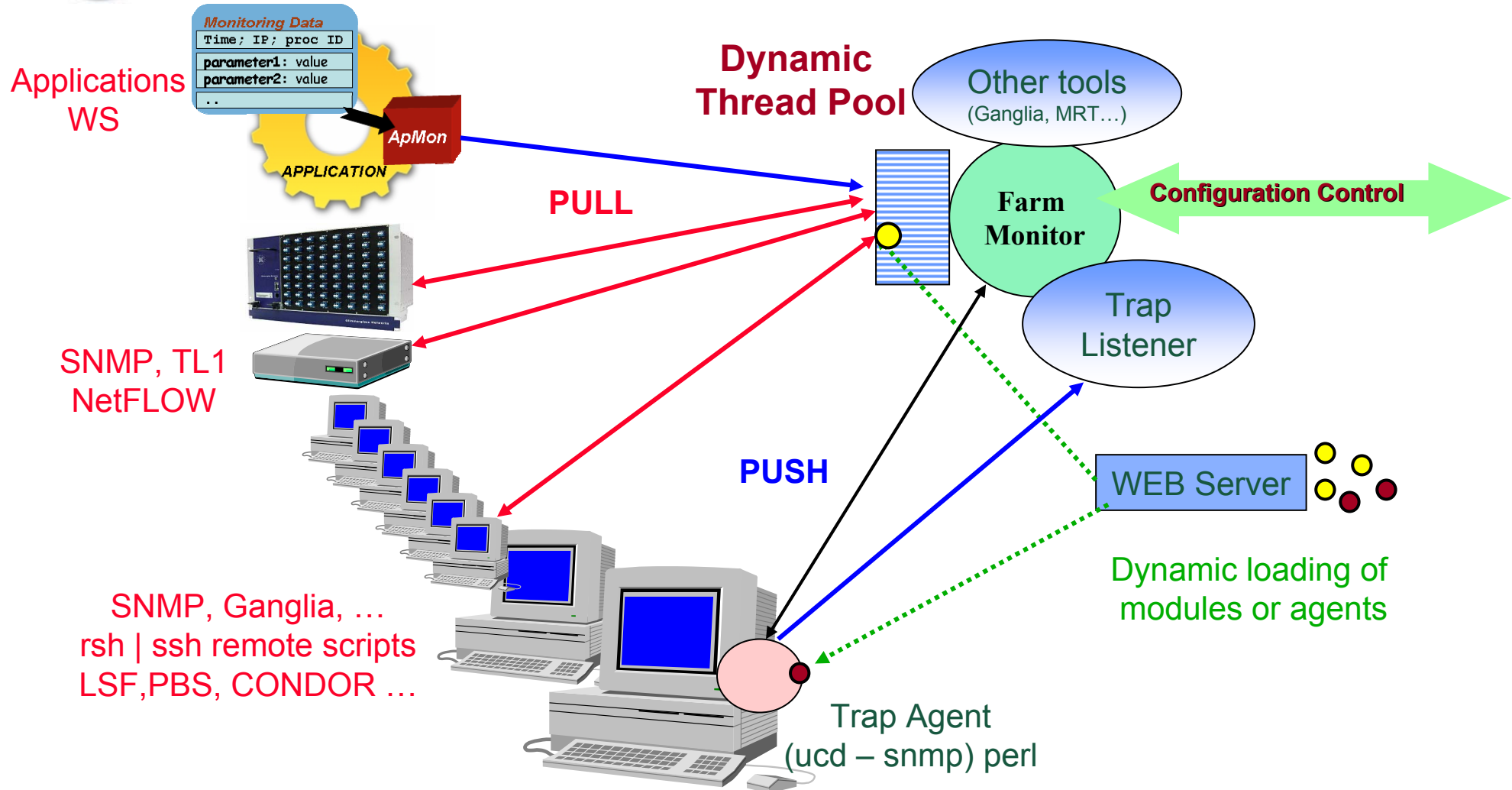
# Monitoring Services



- **An essential part of managing a global Data Grid is a monitoring system that is able to monitor and track the many site facilities, networks, and the many tasks in progress, in real time.**
  - **System information for nodes and clusters**
  - **Network information Wan and LAN**
  - **Application monitoring**
- **The monitoring information gathered also is essential for developing the required higher level services, and components of the Grid system that provide decision support, and eventually some degree of automated decisions, to help maintain and optimize workflow through the Grid.**
- **The MonALISA system is designed as an ensemble of autonomous multi-threaded, self-describing agent-based subsystems which are registered as dynamic services, and are able to collaborate and cooperate in performing a wide range of monitoring tasks and decisions in large scale distributed applications.**

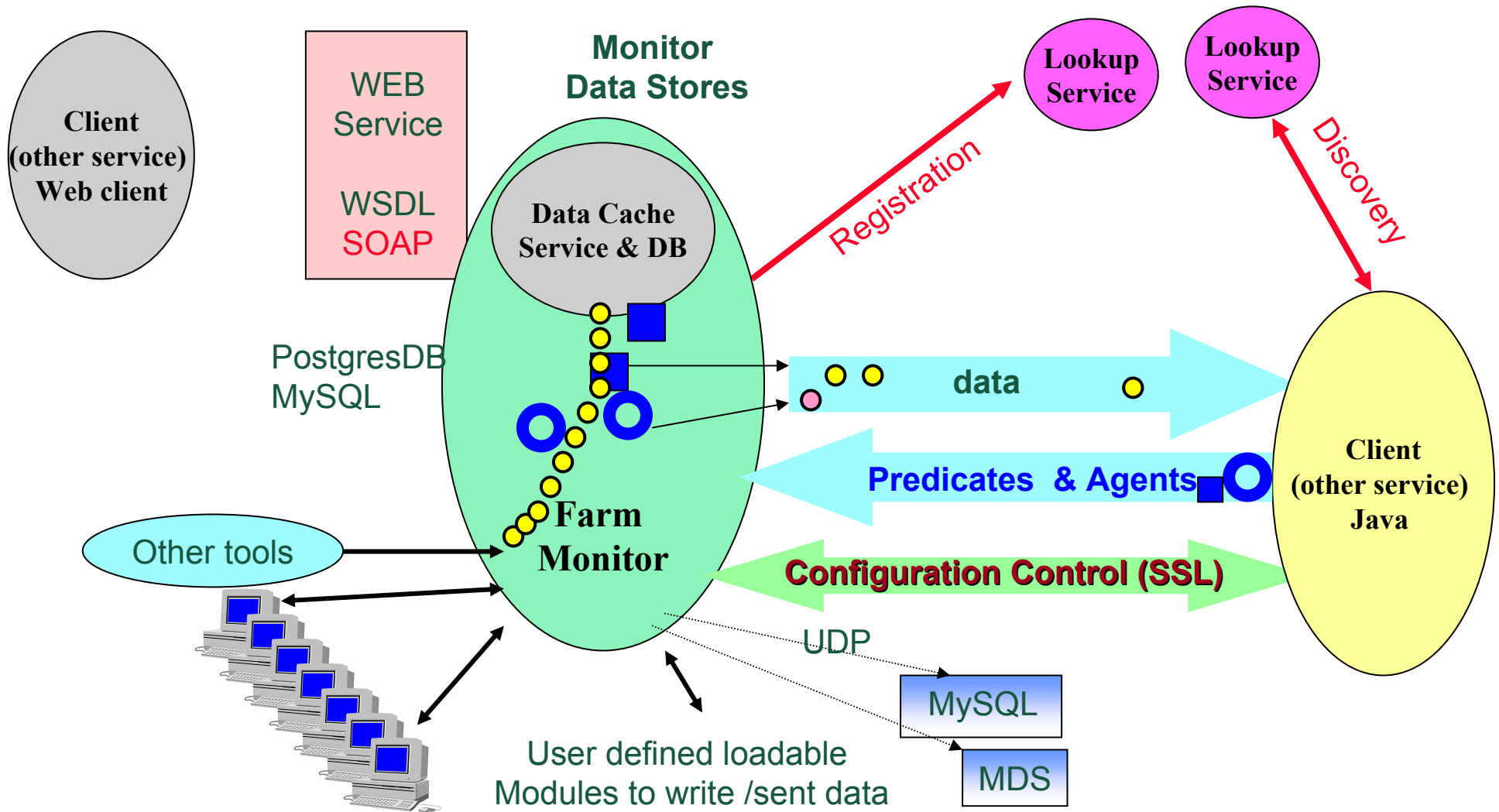


# Monitoring: Data Collection



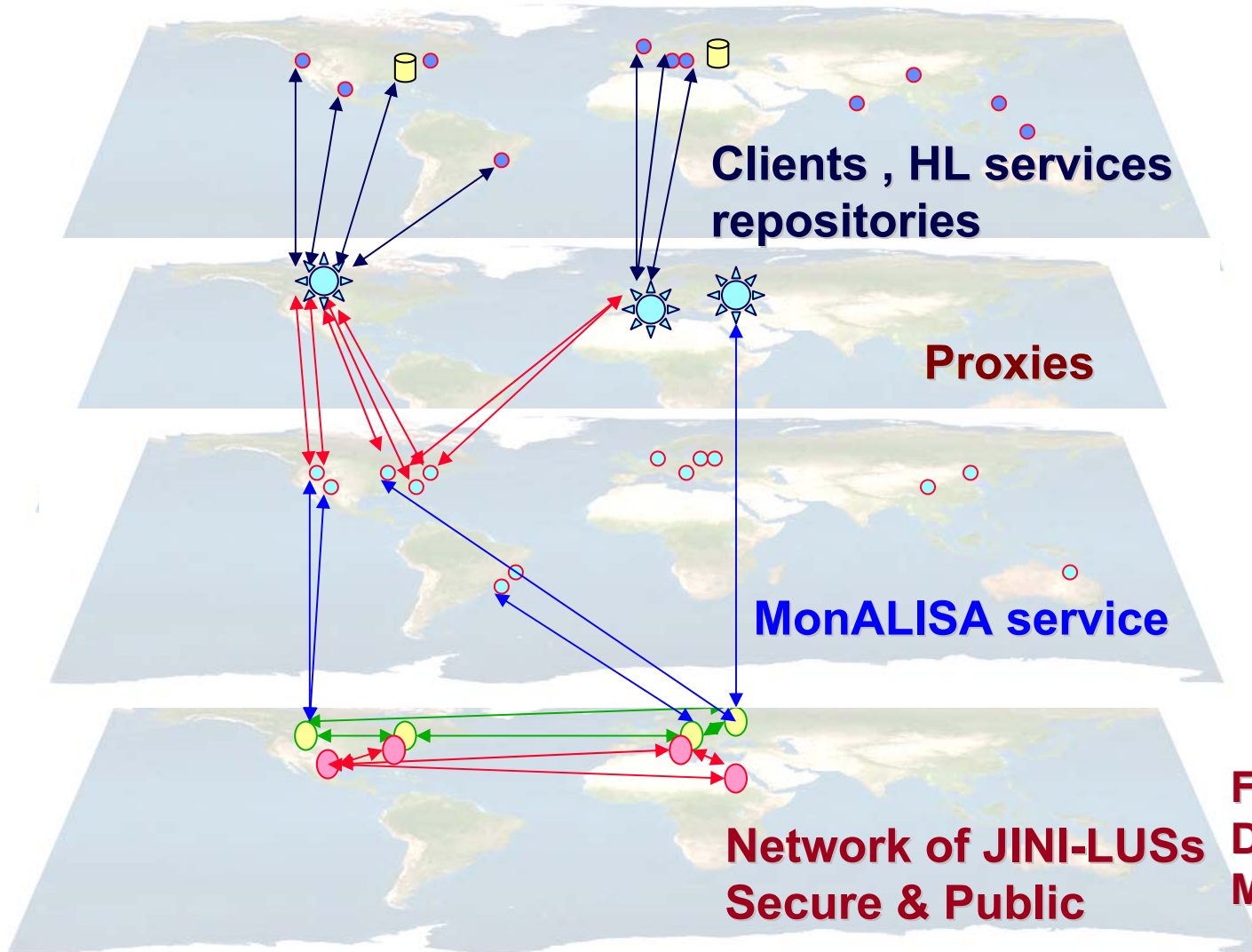


# Service Monitor UNIT & Data Handling





# MonALISA Discovery System & Services



**Global Services or Clients**

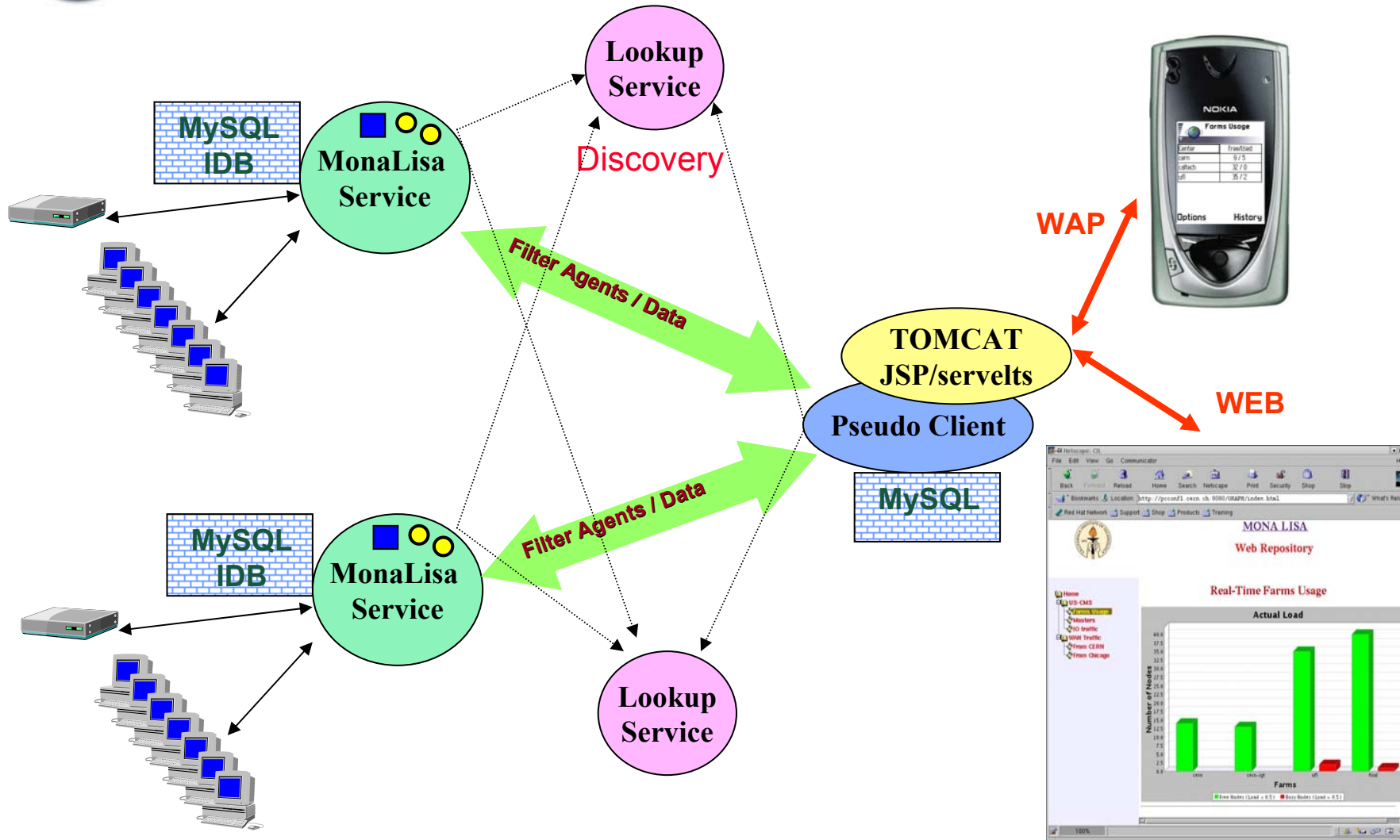
**Dynamic load balancing  
Scalability & Replication  
Security**

**Distributed Information System.**

**Fully Distributed Discovery  
Dynamic - based on a lease  
Mechanism and REN**



# Pseudo – Clients & Dedicated Repositories







# Communities using MonALISA

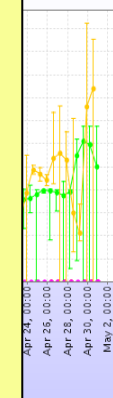


- ❖ Grid 3
- ❖ CMS sites
- ❖ CMD – DC04
- ❖ CDF
- ❖ D0SAR
- ❖ ABILENE backbone
- ❖ GLORIAD
- ❖ STAR
- ❖ ALICE
- ❖ VRVS System
- ❖ RoEduNET backbone
- ❖ Internet2 PIPES
- ❖ OSG



It has been used for Demonstrations at:

- SC2003
- Telecom 2003
- WSIS 2003
- SC 2004



**~180 Sites running MonALISA**  
**10 000 nodes / 150 000 parameters**

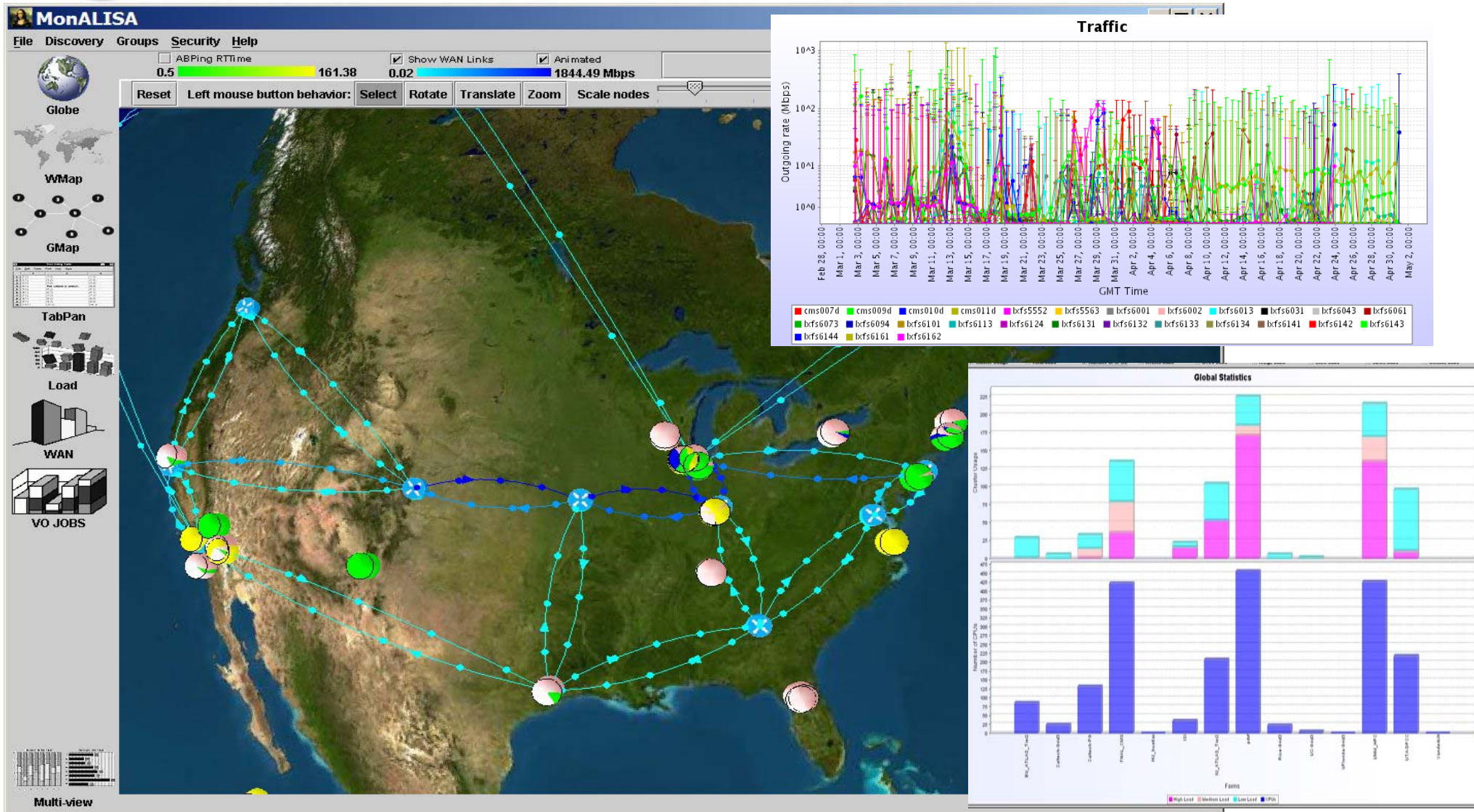
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# Monitoring I2 Network Traffic, Grid03 Farms (~ 2800 CPUs) and Jobs



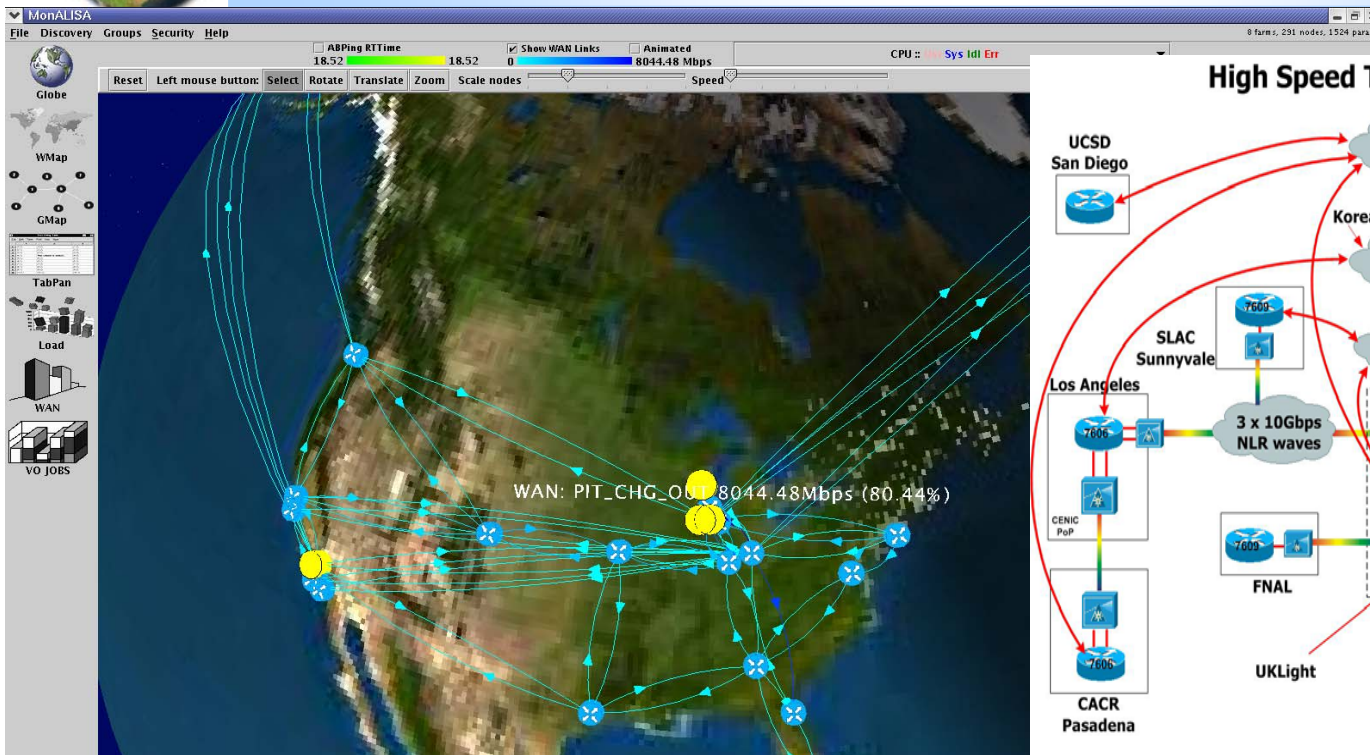
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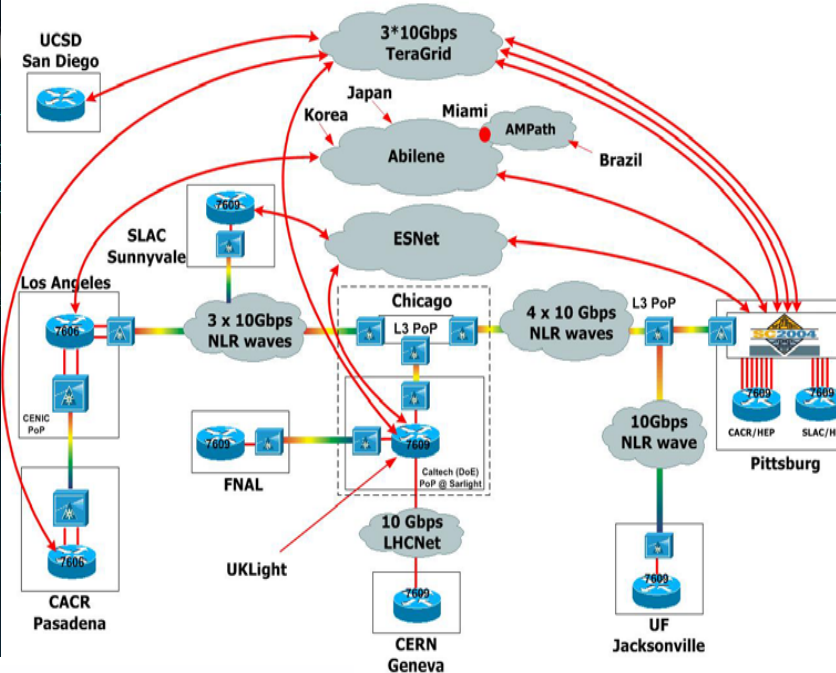




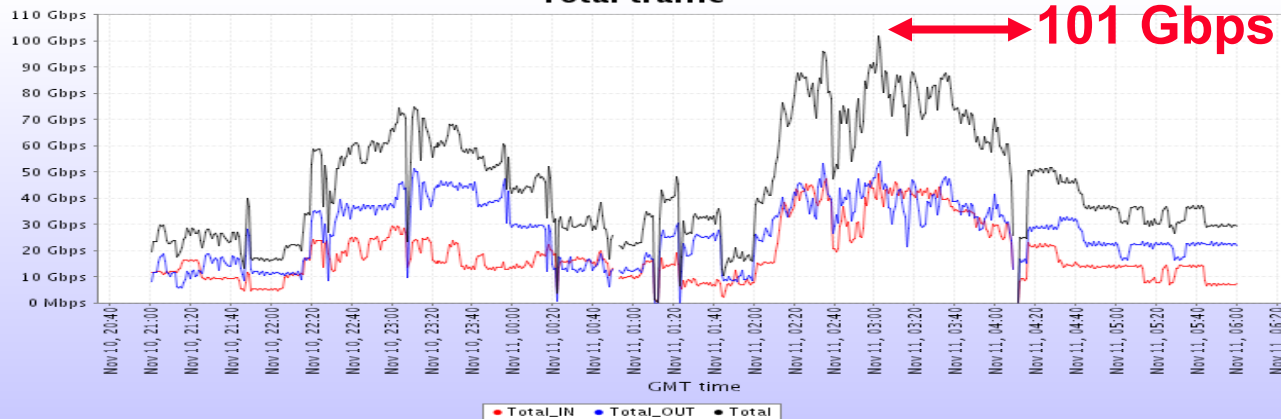
# SC2004



## High Speed TeraByte Transfers for Physics



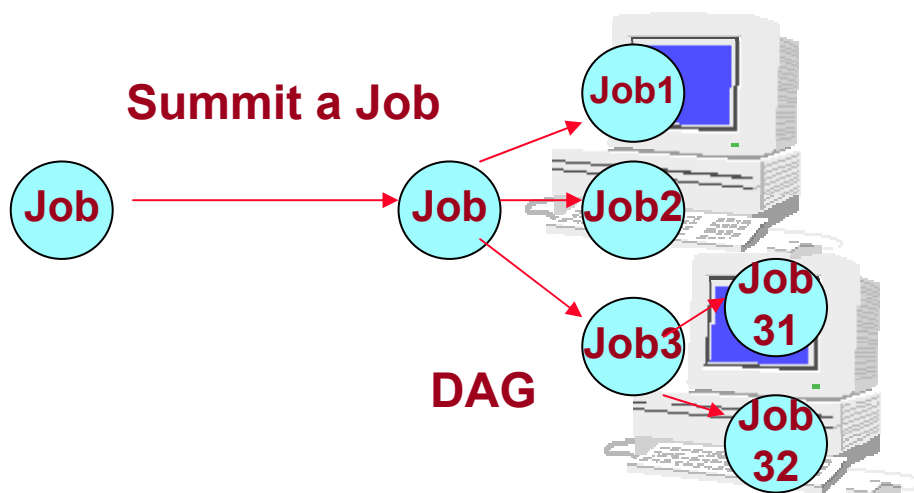
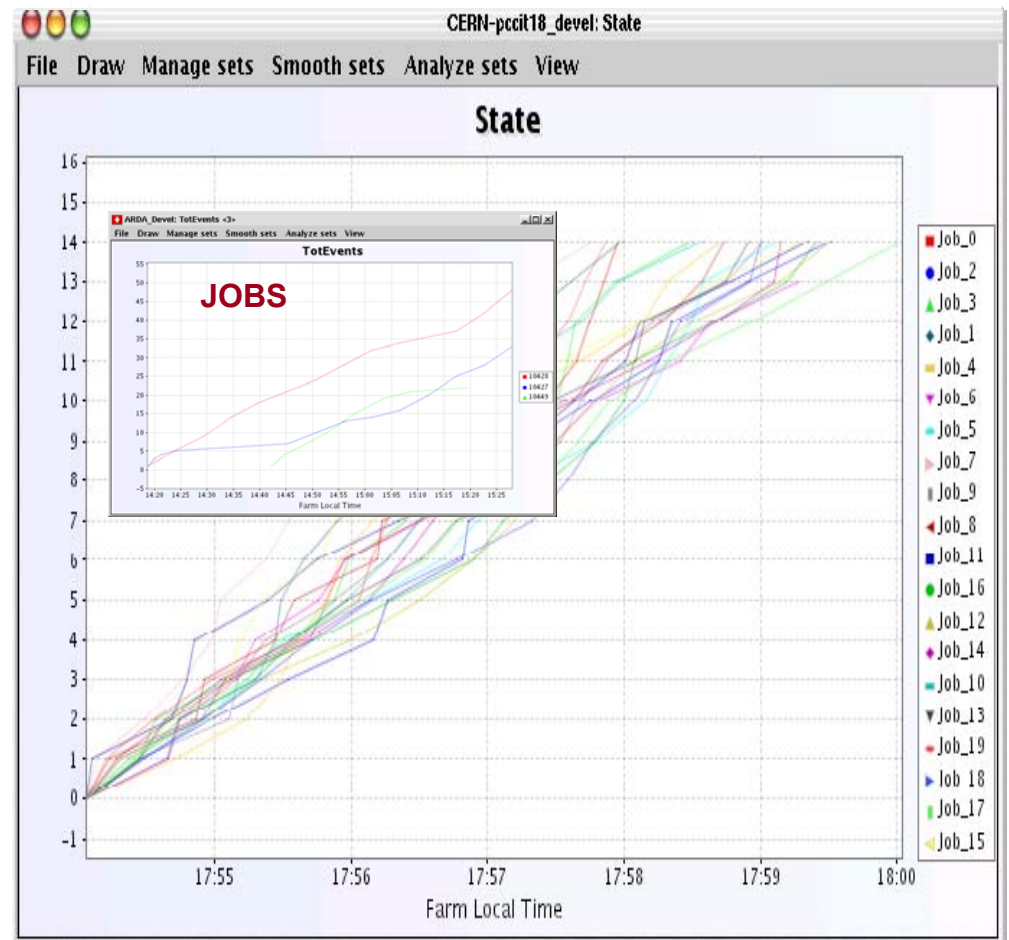
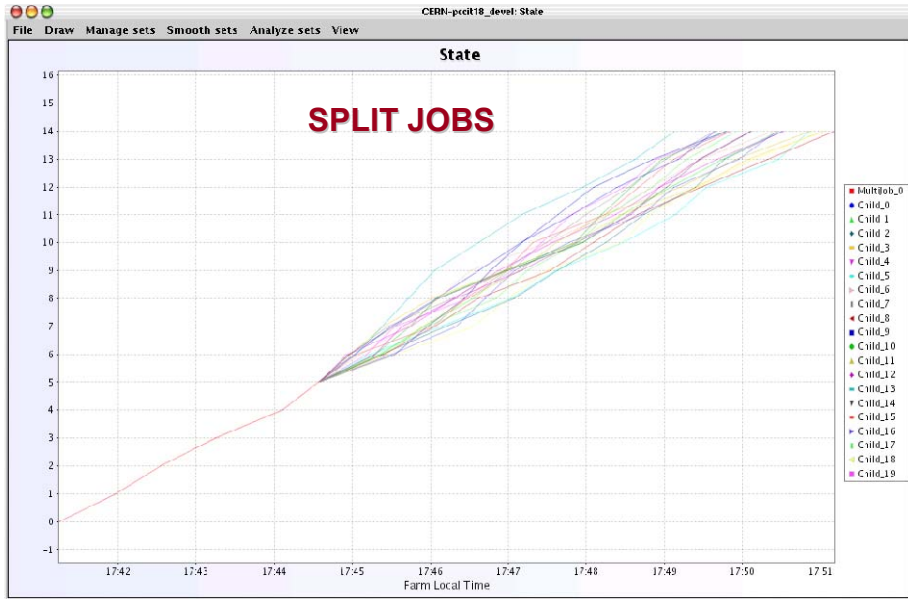
Total traffic



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# Monitoring the Execution of Jobs and the Time Evolution

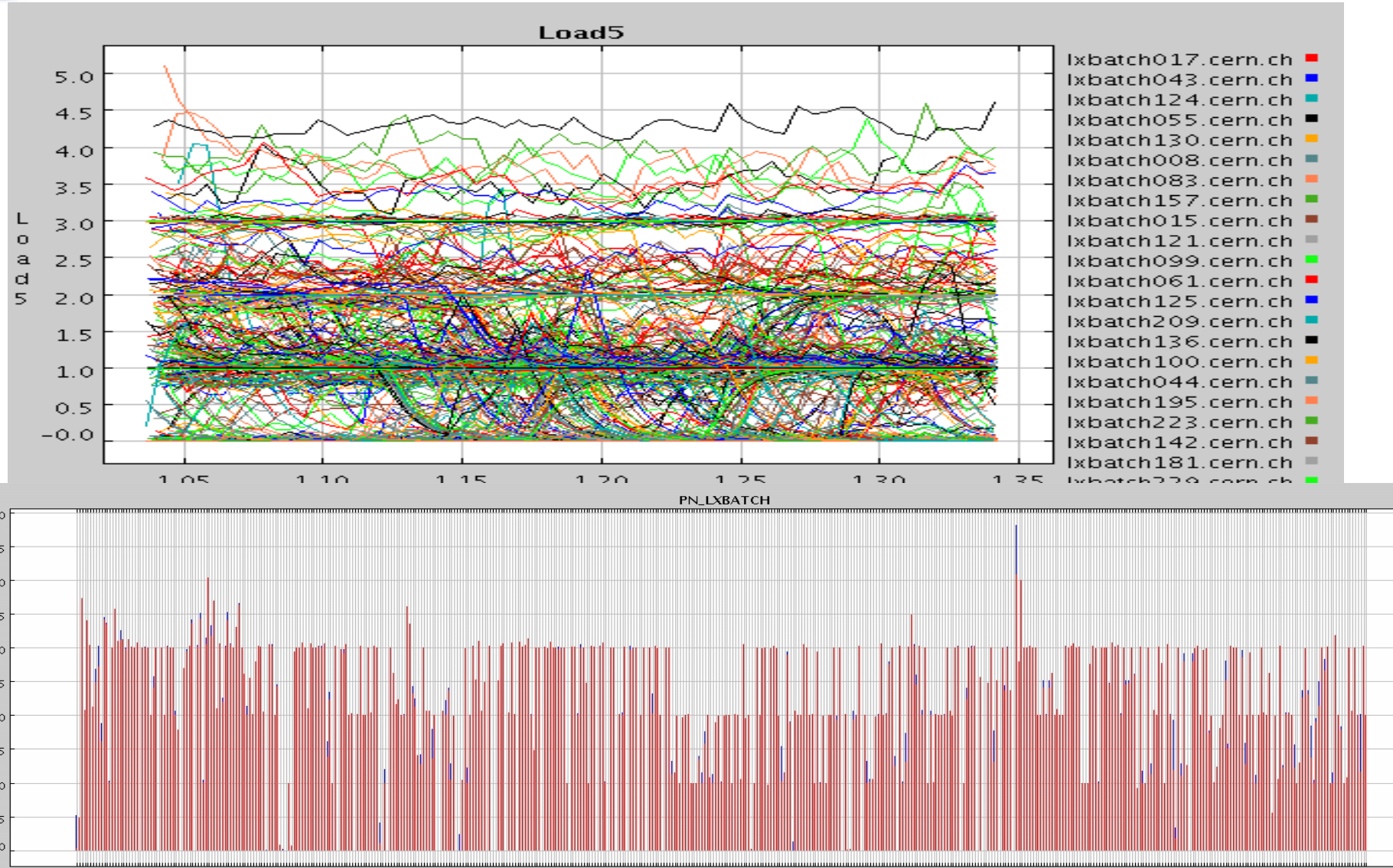






# Real-time Data for Large Systems

## “lxbatch” cluster at cern ~ 1200 nodes



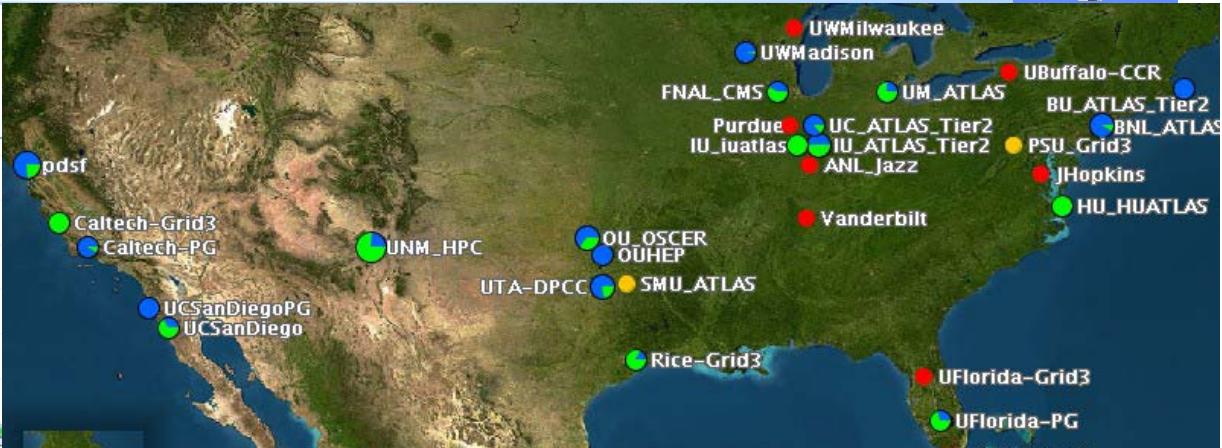
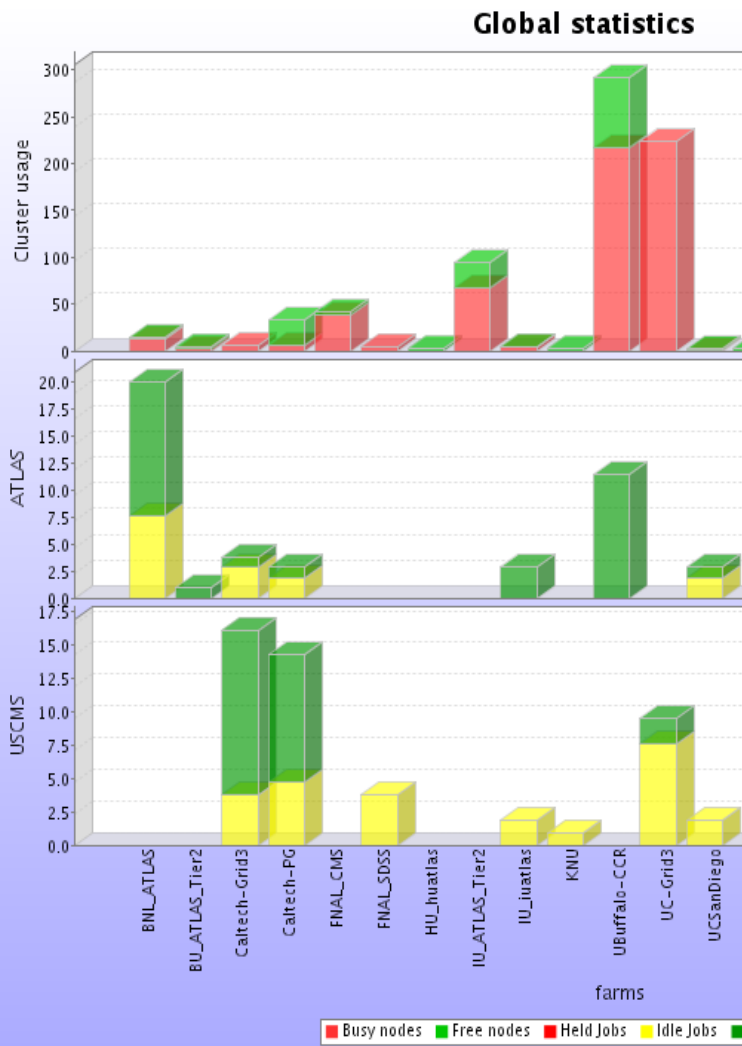
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# MonALISA repositories

## Grid03 : ~ 40 Sites in US + Korea



| Farm               | Load5 |         | Master                |     |      |                       |      | Farm info |              |      |             |            |             |            |    |
|--------------------|-------|---------|-----------------------|-----|------|-----------------------|------|-----------|--------------|------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|----|
|                    | Last  | Average | Current CPU usage (%) |     |      | Average CPU usage (%) |      | No. CPUs  | No. of nodes |      |             |            |             |            |    |
|                    |       |         | user                  | sys | nice | idle                  | user | sys       | nice         | idle | Busy (last) | Busy (avg) | Idle (last) | Idle (avg) |    |
| ASCC_Grid3_Testbed | 0.03  | 0.029   | 1                     | 1   | 0    | 98                    | 2    | 1         | 0            | 98   | 4           | 0          | 0           | 2          | 2  |
| BNL_ATLAS          | 3.88  | 2.671   | 18                    | 18  | 0    | 64                    | 13   | 6         | 0            | 81   | 172         | 79         | 79          | 7          | 7  |
| BNL_ATLAS_BAK      | 0.23  | 0.762   | 16                    | 4   | 0    | 80                    | 15   | 4         | 1            | 80   | 172         | 79         | 79          | 7          | 7  |
| BU_AGT_Tier2       | 0.72  | 0.915   | 1                     | 3   | 0    | 96                    | 1    | 3         | 0            | 96   | 62          | 1          | 1           | 15         | 15 |
| BU_ATLAS_Tier2     | 2.74  | 3.019   | 8                     | 9   | 0    | 83                    | 7    | 6         | 0            | 87   | 114         | 29         | 29          | 0          | 0  |
| Caltech-Grid3      | 0.12  | 0.143   | 2                     | 1   | 0    | 97                    | 2    | 1         | 0            | 98   | 24          | 0          | 0           | 6          | 6  |
| Caltech-PG         | 0.53  | 0.228   | 2                     | 1   | 0    | 97                    | 2    | 1         | 0            | 97   | 132         | 30         | 30          | 3          | 3  |
| FNAL_CMS           | 3.31  | 4.616   | 10                    | 11  | 0    | 79                    | 12   | 12        | 0            | 76   | 98          | 31         | 33          | 43         | 41 |
| FNAL_CMS2          | 0.13  | 0.316   | 1                     | 1   | 0    | 98                    | 3    | 2         | 0            | 95   | 112         | 43         | 43          | 15         | 15 |
| HU_HUATLAS         | 0.22  | 0.163   | 4                     | 1   | 0    | 95                    | 4    | 1         | 0            | 95   | 2           | 0          | 0           | 2          | 2  |
| IU_ATLAS_Tier2     | 8.34  | 9.434   | 22                    | 31  | 2    | 45                    | 18   | 32        | 2            | 49   | 208         | 53         | 53          | 51         | 51 |
| IU_iuatl原因         | 0.09  | 0.688   | 4                     | 1   | 0    | 95                    | 13   | 3         | 0            | 84   | 1           | 0          | 1           | 1          | 0  |
| KNU                | -     | -       | 49                    | 51  | 0    | 0                     | 38   | 61        | 0            | 0    | 2           | 8          | 8           | 10         | 10 |
| OUHEP              | 2.23  | 3.214   | 17                    | 7   | 76   | 0                     | 12   | 8         | 77           | 4    | 19          | 14         | 14          | 0          | 0  |
| OU_OSCER           | 1.8   | 1.908   | 0                     | 1   | 1    | 98                    | 1    | 3         | 3            | 93   | 272         | 89         | 114         | 47         | 22 |
| PSU_Grid3          | 6.4   | 9.263   | 55                    | 12  | 0    | 33                    | 44   | 19        | 0            | 37   | -           | -          | -           | -          | -  |
| Purdue-Physics     | 5.65  | 5.79    | -                     | -   | -    | -                     | -    | -         | -            | -    | 43          | 13         | 13          | 10         | 10 |
| Rice-Grid3         | 4.21  | 3.472   | 13                    | 12  | 0    | 75                    | 7    | 14        | 0            | 80   | 22          | 1          | 1           | 5          | 5  |
| SLACdev            | 0.02  | 0.198   | 3                     | 1   | 0    | 96                    | 3    | 2         | 0            | 96   | 2           | 0          | 0           | 1          | 1  |
| SMU_ATLAS          | 3.99  | 4.568   | 13                    | 7   | 80   | 0                     | 9    | 3         | 38           | 31   | -           | -          | -           | -          | -  |
| UCSanDiego         | 0.04  | 0.169   | 4                     | 1   | 0    | 95                    | 7    | 1         | 0            | 92   | 3           | 1          | 1           | 2          | 2  |
| UCSanDiegoPG       | 0.72  | 0.776   | 3                     | 9   | 0    | 87                    | 4    | 8         | 0            | 88   | 84          | 21         | 21          | 0          | 0  |
| UC_ATLAS_Tier2     | 1.01  | 3.472   | 6                     | 5   | 0    | 89                    | 7    | 7         | 0            | 86   | 80          | 32         | 32          | 5          | 5  |
| UFlorida-PG        | 42.05 | 41.82   | 31                    | 5   | 0    | 64                    | 27   | 4         | 0            | 69   | 82          | 12         | 12          | 29         | 29 |
| UM_ATLAS           | 4.03  | 2.602   | 20                    | 35  | 0    | 45                    | 11   | 29        | 0            | 60   | 33          | 3          | 4           | 9          | 8  |

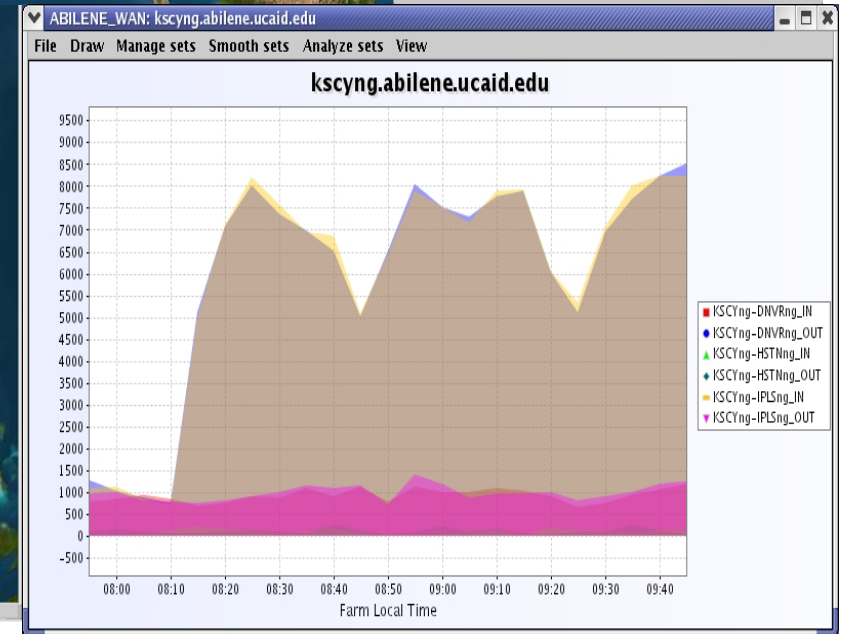
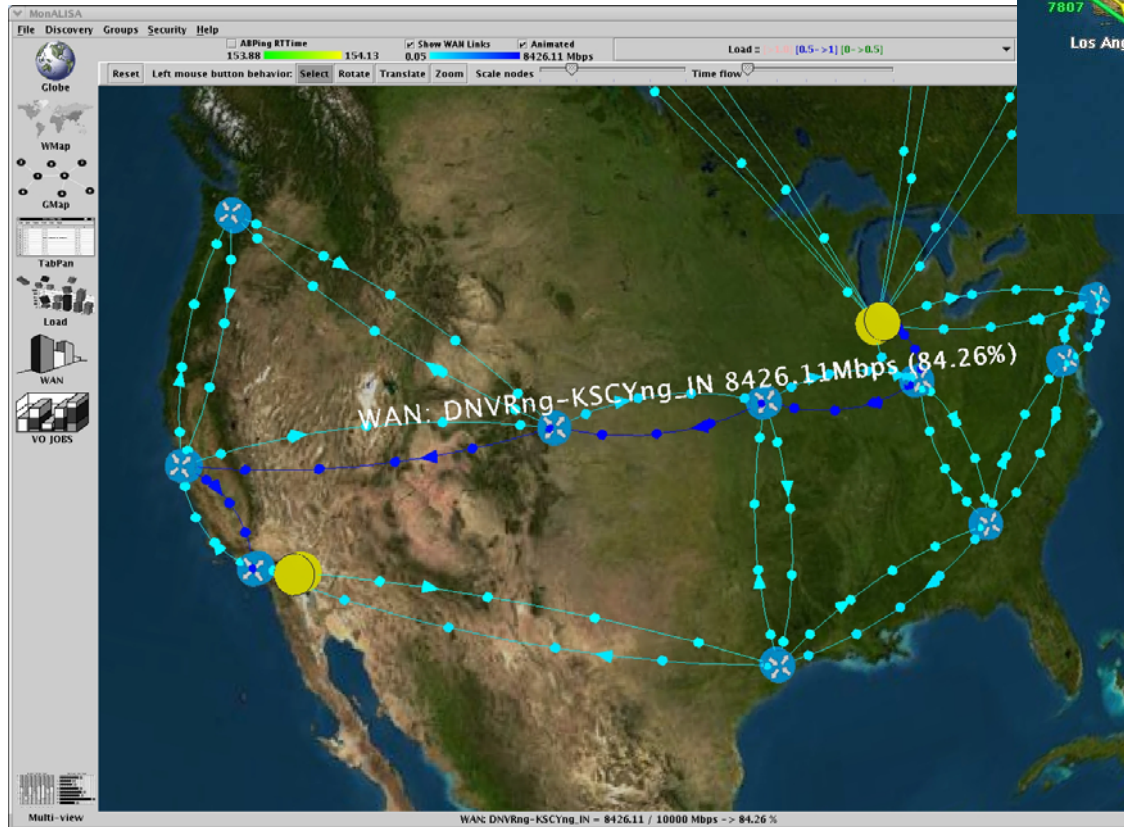
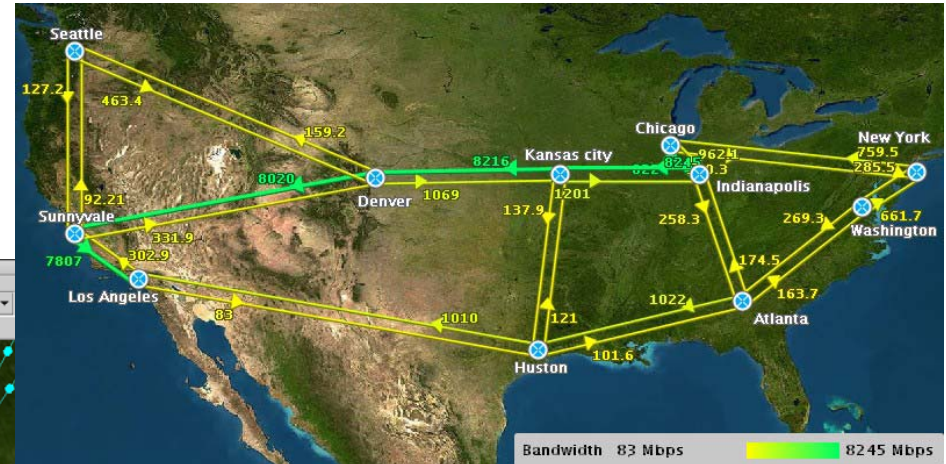




# Monitoring ABILENE backbone Network



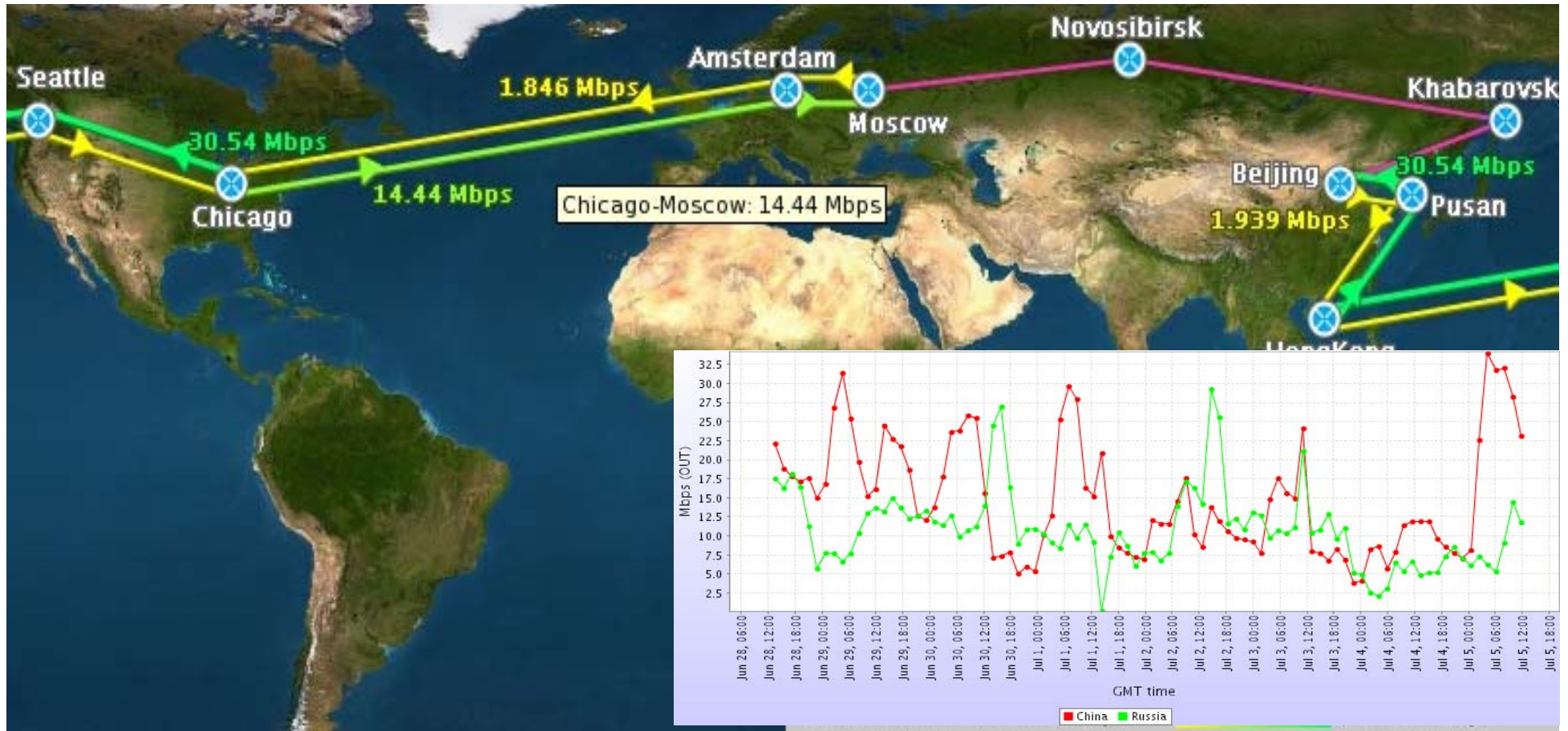
- ◆ Test for a Land Speed Record
- ◆ ~ 7 Gb/s in a single TCP stream from Geneva to Caltech





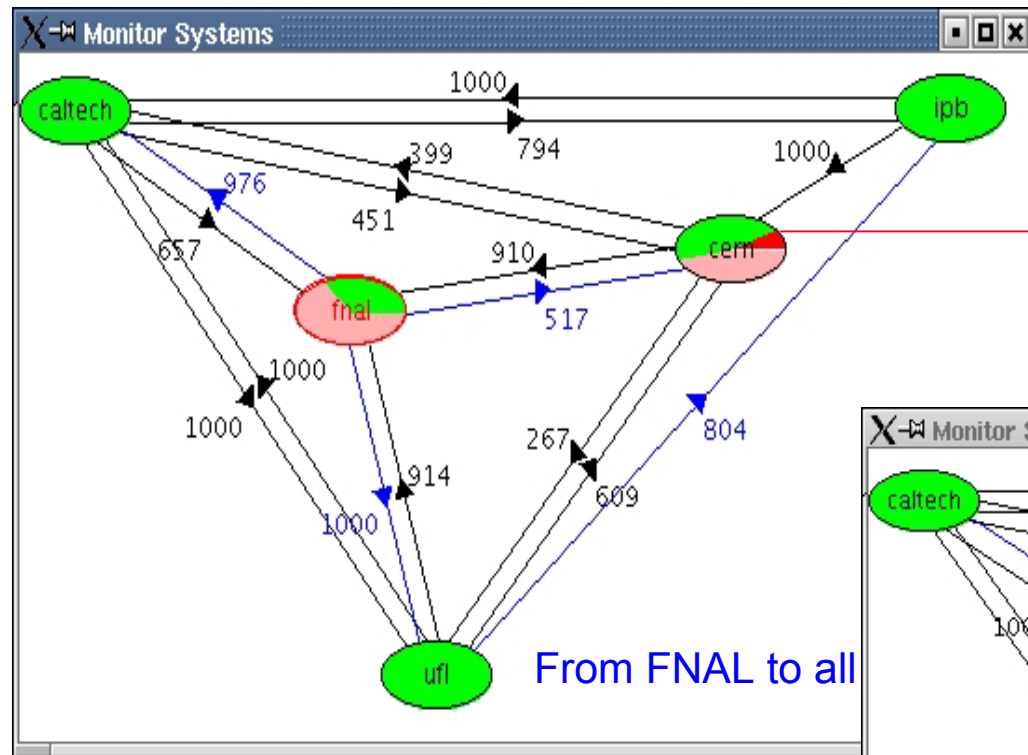


# The GLORAI Network

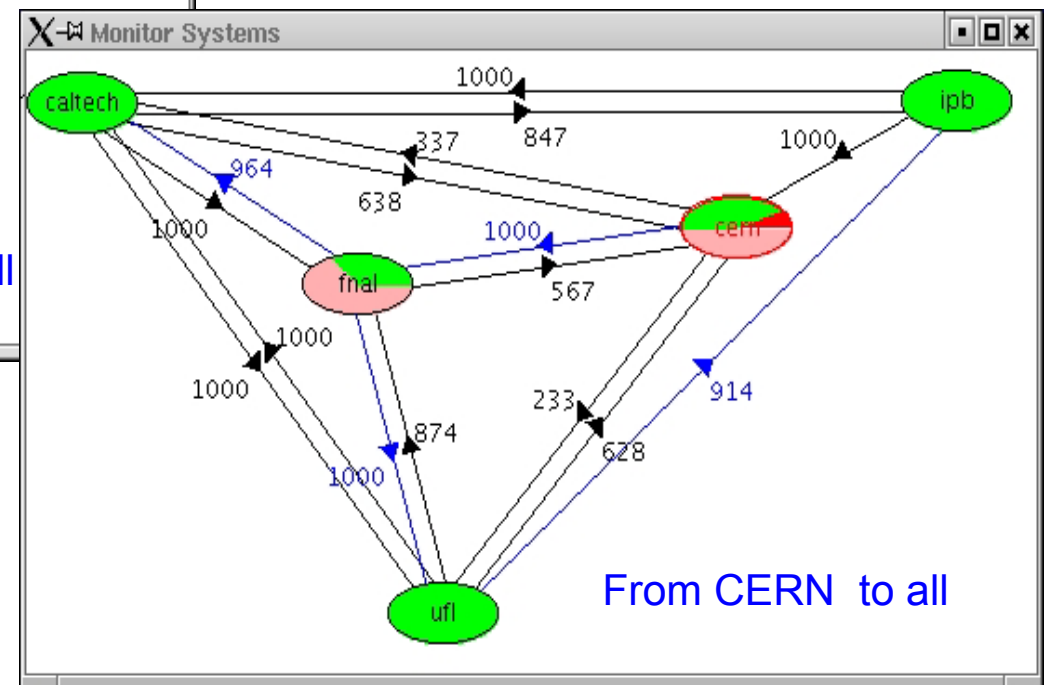




# Agents for Global Optimization



Simple "Global Load" filter agent

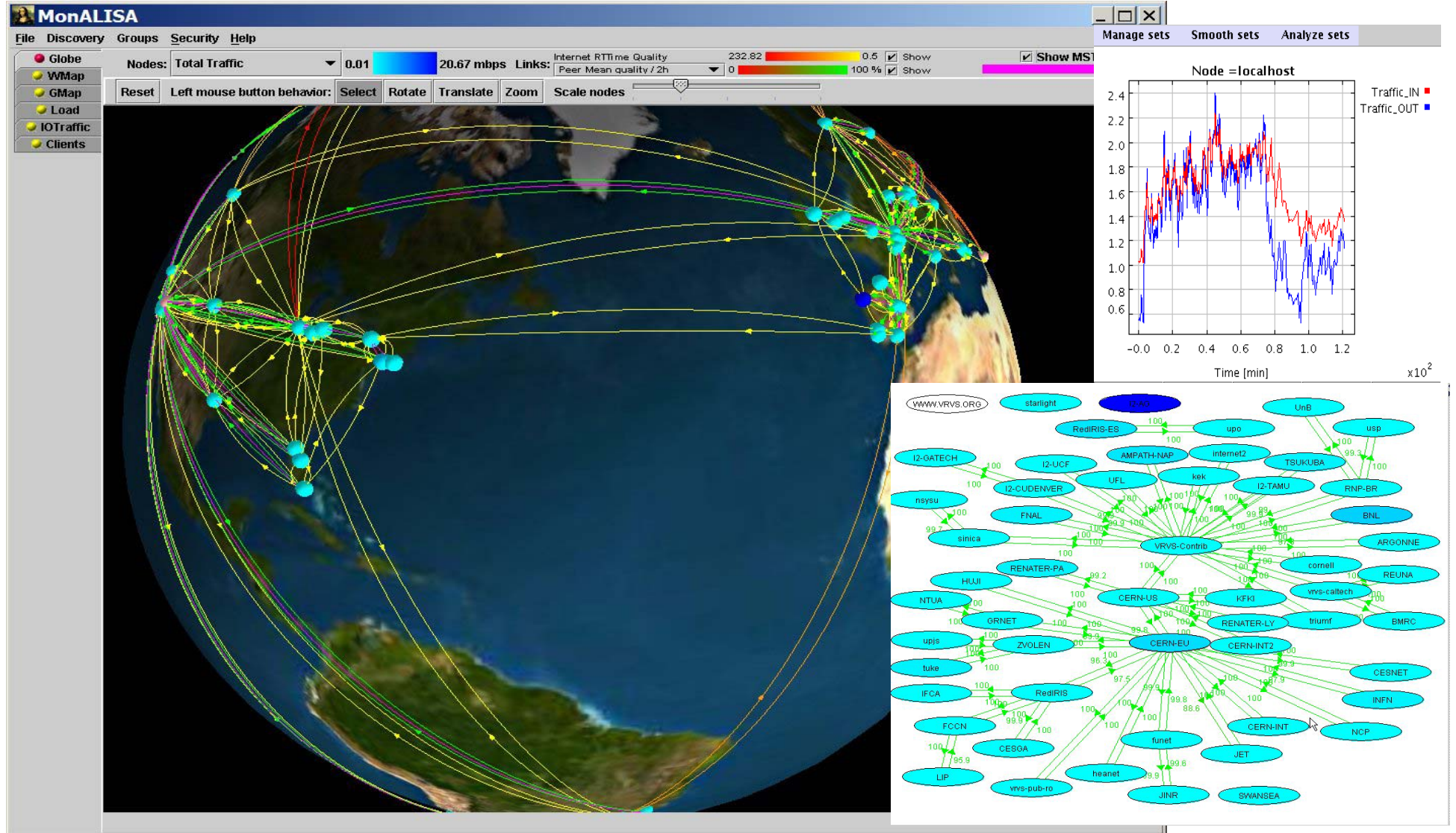


Maximum Flow Data Replication Path Agent Deployed to each RC and evaluates the best path for real-time data replication





# Monitoring VRVS Reflectors Communication Topology & Dynamic MST



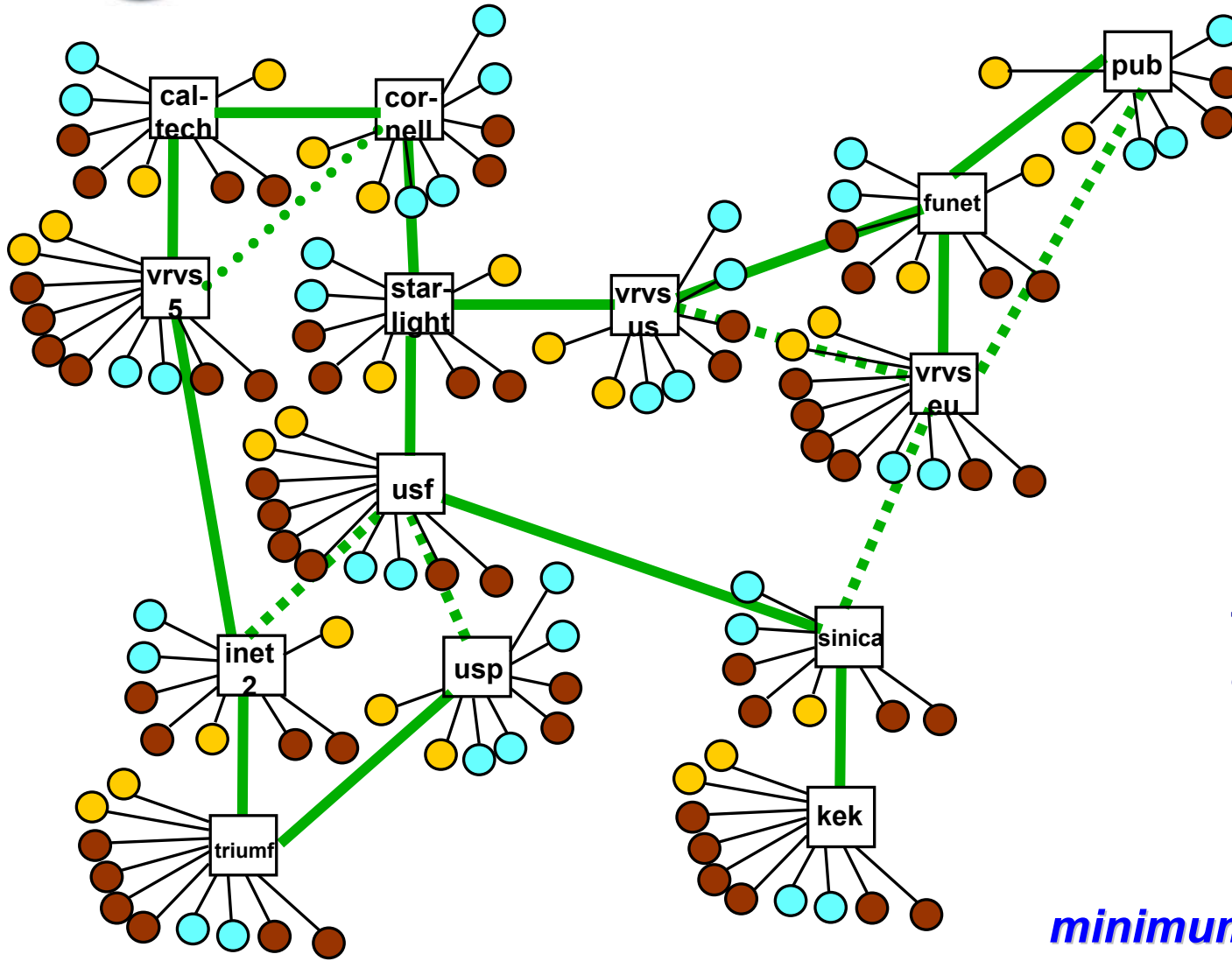
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# The VRVS Architecture

<http://www.vrvs.org>



**Reflectors** are hosts that interconnect users by permanent IP tunnels.

The active IP tunnels must be selected so that there is no cycle formed.



**Tree**

The selection is made according to the **assumed** network links performance.

$$w(T) = \sum_{(v,u) \in T} w((v,u))$$

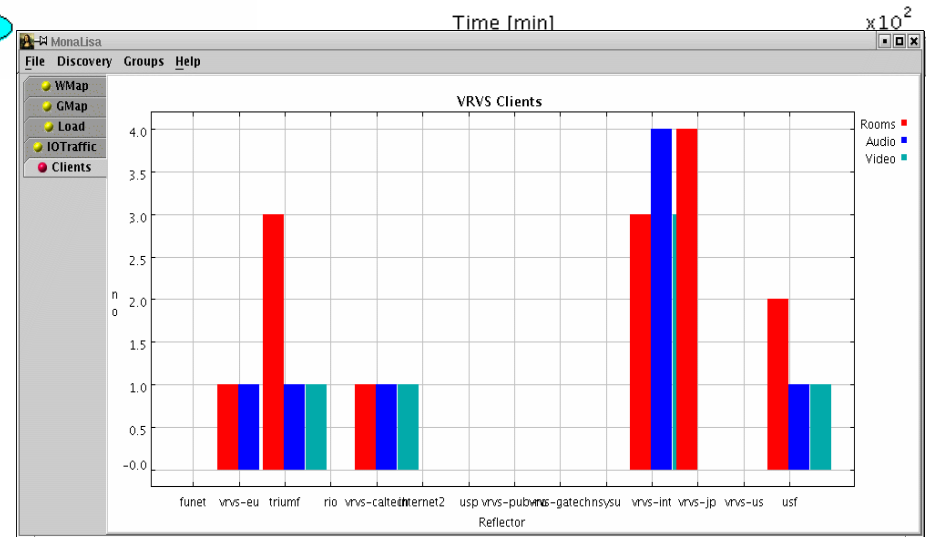
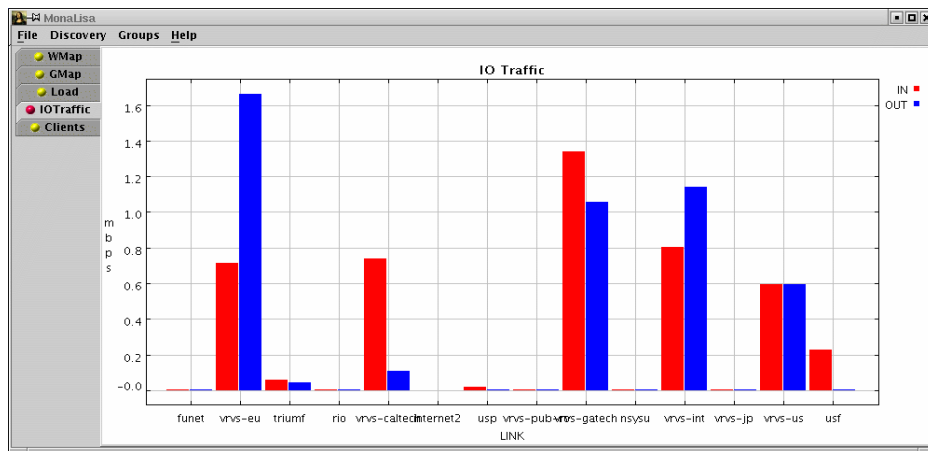
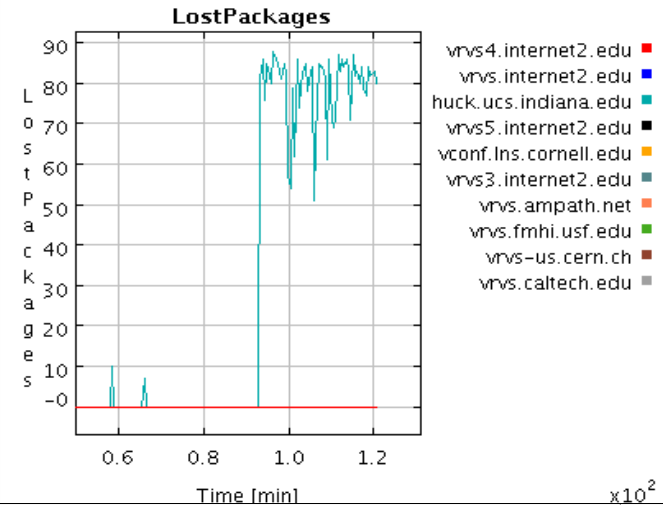
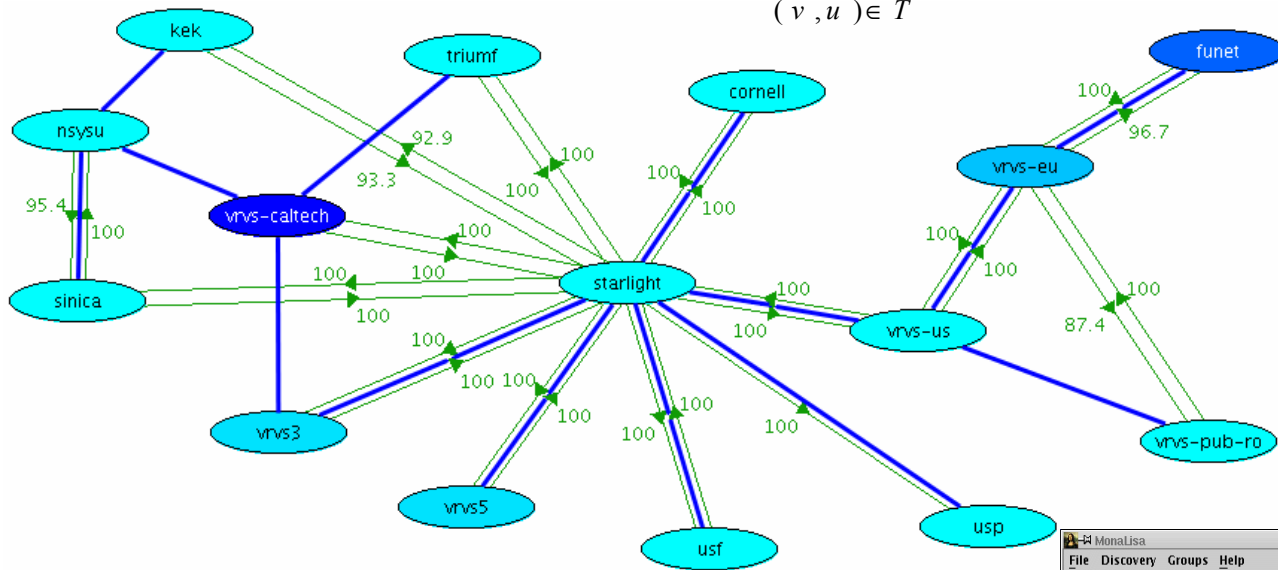
**minimum-spanning tree (MST)**



# Monitoring VRVS Reflectors ; Agents for Creating a Dynamic Minimum Spanning Tree



$$w(T) = \sum_{(v,u) \in T} w((v,u))$$







## Current Developments



- ◆ **GRID Scheduler for STAR and Sphinx**
- ◆ **LISA (host monitoring, end to end network performance measurements and optimization for distributed applications– load balancing; best connectivity)**
- ◆ **LAN topology discovery (using Level 2/3)**
- ◆ **WAN topology discovery and monitoring**
- ◆ **NetFlow measurements**
- ◆ **Snort based DIDS; Development of filters to detect attacks at the site and propagate this information to peer systems**
- ◆ **Lightweight Network Bandwidth measurement tools**
- ◆ **ApMon with background application and system monitoring**
- ◆ **Agents that create on demand optical paths or trees**