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## **GLIF** Tech Results

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## **GLIF** Tech and Ctrl challenges

• Tech: Manually, now:

- Smooth interworking on technical and human levels
- Ctrl: Automated, as far as we can get it; work to be done:
  - Automated Control Plane
  - Work with Grid community



## **Terms and definitions**

Define currently used terms, "good enough":

• Lambda

- Lightpath
- GLIF Open Lightpath Exchange (GOLE)





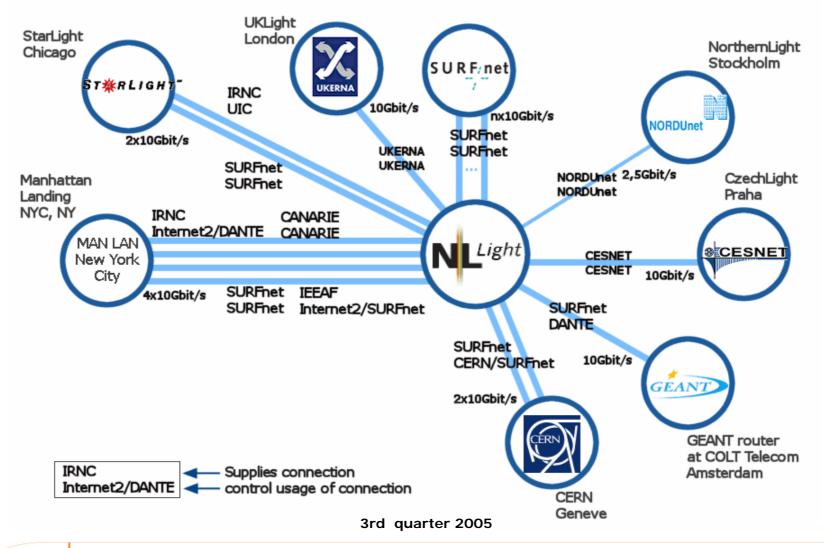
# GLIF Resources, Updates from...

- NetherLight (Erik-Jan)
- NorthernLight (Lars)
- UKLight (John or David S.)
- CERN (David F.)
- MAN LAN (Rick)
- CANARIE-StarLight (René)
- CANARIE-Pacific NorthWest GigaPOP (René)
- T-Lex (Akira)
- GLORIAD-KR 10G Networks (Dongkyun)
- LHCnet (Dan/Yang)
- UltraLight (Dan/Yang)
- PNW GigaPOP (David R.)



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## Lambda connections to NetherLight



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## Resource repository approaches/solutions

Three possible ways forward:

• RDF approach (UvA)

- Database and mapping approach (GLORIAD)
- DNS and mapping approach (IU)



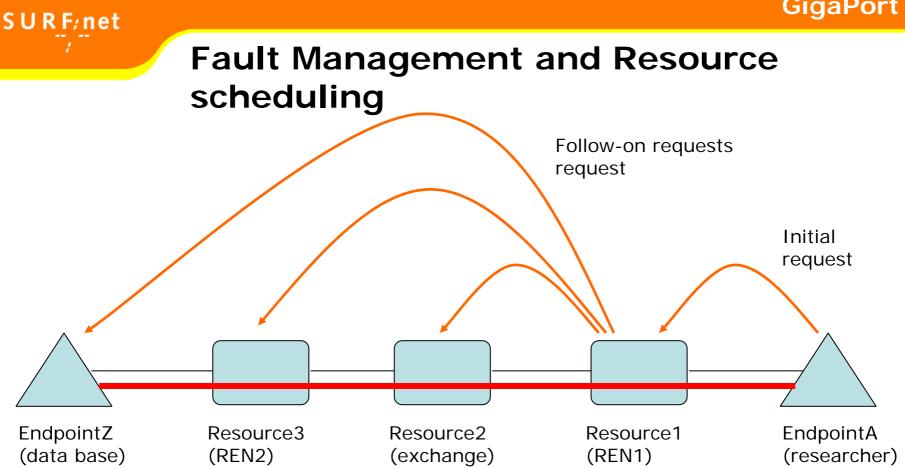
# GLIF Open Lightpath Exchange (GOLE) coordination

- Monthly call for all GOLEs
- Rotating scheme in time
- Chair & Secretary (TERENA)
- Mailing list

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 First call October, with Christian Todorov (Internet2) as chair

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• Treat both important topics, with similarities, separate





### Developments in Transcontinental Ethernet

Excellent tutorial by John Graham of ULCC on:

- VCAT
- LCAS
- GFP-F (Frame mapped)



## Wrap up

- BCP delayed, but for sure still on, new strategy
- Next meeting
- Thanks to:

- My co-chair Rene Hatem of CANARIE
- Secretary Kevin Meynell of TERENA
- All presenters
- All participants