The (Light) Path is NOT the Goal; The GOLE is the Goal!

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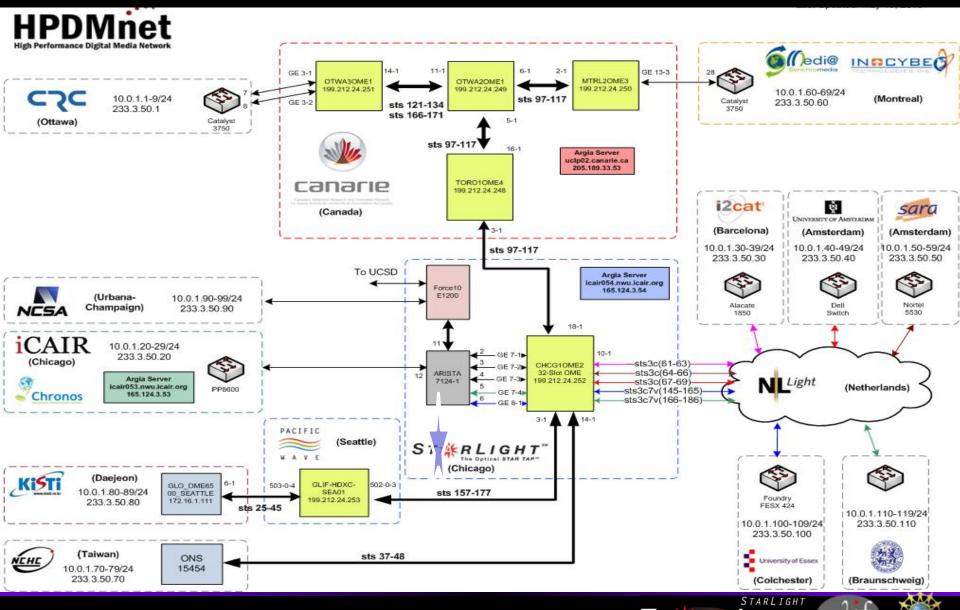
IRNC:ProNet: TransLight/StarLight20 years of NSF-Funded High-Performance International Networking for Advanced Applications (1995-2014)

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IRNC TL/SL 3-Year Deliverables

- Continue enabling multi-national application and middleware experiments on international networks
 - High-Performance Digital Media Network (HPDMnet)
 - iGENI: the GENI-funded international GENI project*
 - SAGE: connecting people and their data at high-res*
 - CineGrid: it's all about visual communications
 - GreenLight International: less watts/terabyte*
 - Science Cloud Communication Services Network (SCCSnet)*: the impending disruption
- Build cooperative partnerships (e.g. MSC-CIEC*)
- Serve GLIF, NLR, and I2 as senior leaders, reviewers
- New services, including many with industrial partners
- Create opportunities for all the students we support*

High Performance Digital Media Network



Joe Mambretti leads HPDMnet for TL/SL international trials TR MINS LIGHT

53 SAGE Collaborators Connect around the World



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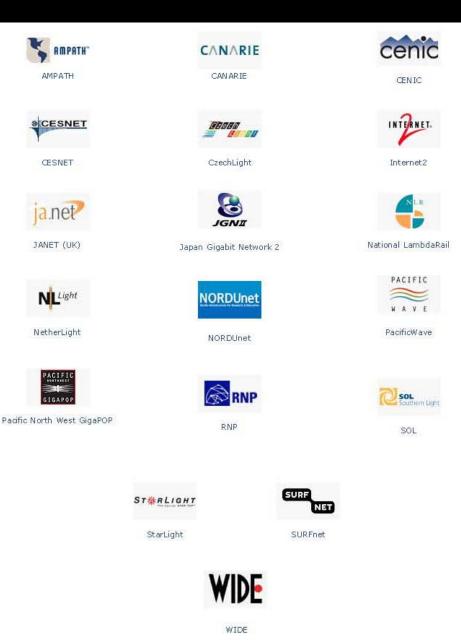
Maxine Brown and Alan Verlo support SAGE for TL/SL

Science Cloud Communication Services Network (SCCSnet)

- The Science Cloud Communication Services Network assists projects that are developing highperformance communication services tailored for computational clouds used by data-intensive scientific applications.
- These projects are addressing the high-volume, high-performance national and international communication requirements of scientific computational clouds versus general consumer and enterprise clouds, which use the commodity Internet.

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CineGrid Network Partners—Worldwide



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CineGrid Network Partners provide bandwidth and open exchanges for computer science and engineering precommercial trials and experiments in labs, at conferences, and large-scale, multinational demonstrations

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Cisco Systems



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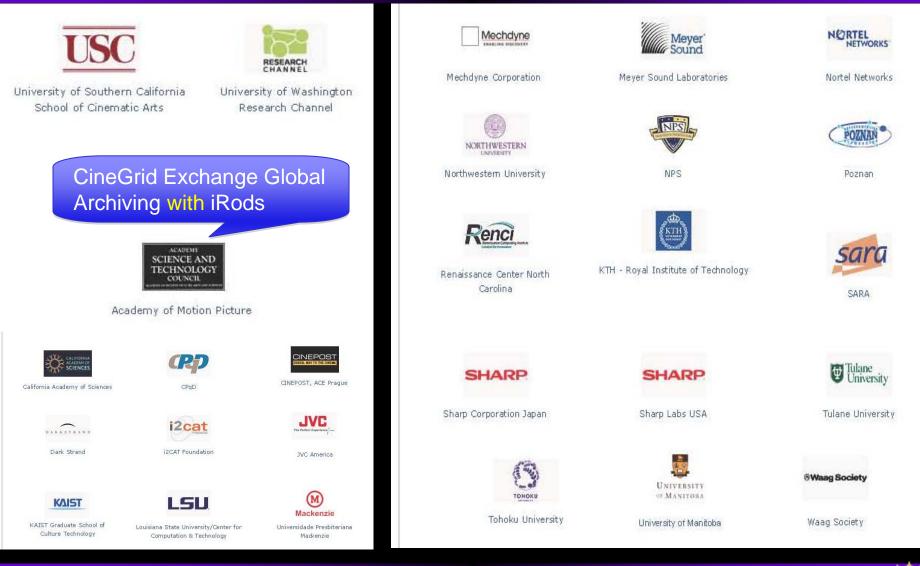
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More CineGrid Members—Worldwide CineGrid at Calit2 December 12-15, 2010



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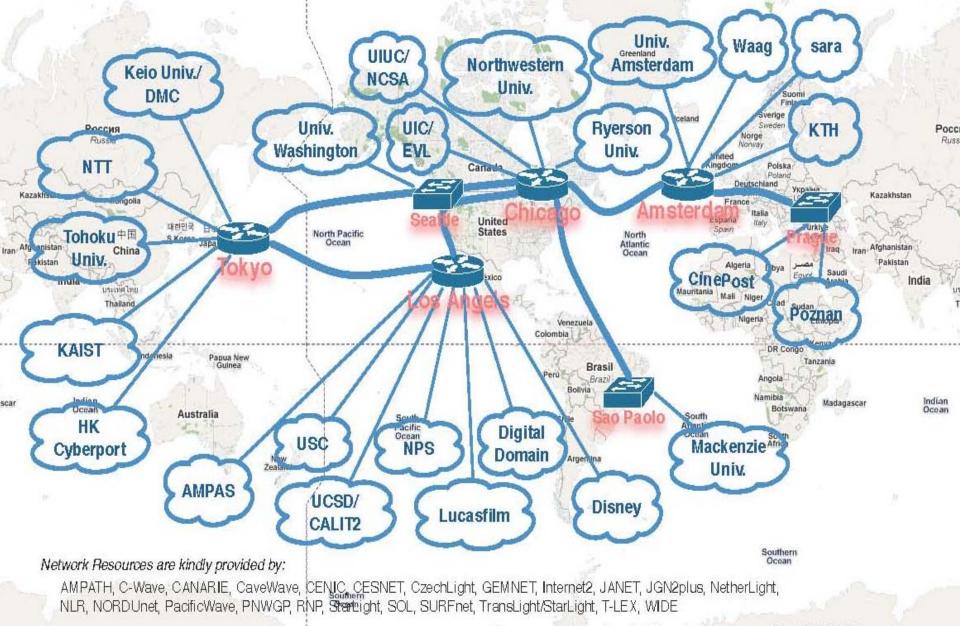
Digital media needs High Bandwidth: 30 fps UDP Pixel Streams with Known Latency

Streaming Video Type	Format	Bandwidth @30FPS
HDV uncompressed 4K JPEG compressed	720p RGB16 JPEG2000	~700 Mbps
HD video	1080p RGB16	~1 Gbps
HD animation	1080p RGB24	~1.5 Gbps
HD animation stereo	1080p RGB24	~3.0 Gbps
4K video & animation 4K with full meta data	2160p RGB24	~6.0 Gbps ~13- 15Gbps

Can't prototype these trials with carriers; need short-term VLANs



CineGrid Network 2010



kaneko@dmc.keio.ac.jp, rev. 0.9, 2010/09/30

UCSD Prof. Amin Vahdat Says:

- Computing and storage will be delivered by a relatively small number of international mega-scale data centers
- Much of the activity will be around networking within and between data centers
- Storage will be redesigned from the ground up
- Network fabric must keep up with end hosts and reduce energy consumption
 - Scheduling algorithms to leverage path diversity
 - Dynamic energy management; optics for energy-efficient networks
- How do we get a glimpse at what we need to know, as scientists and citizens, about IT energy consumption?

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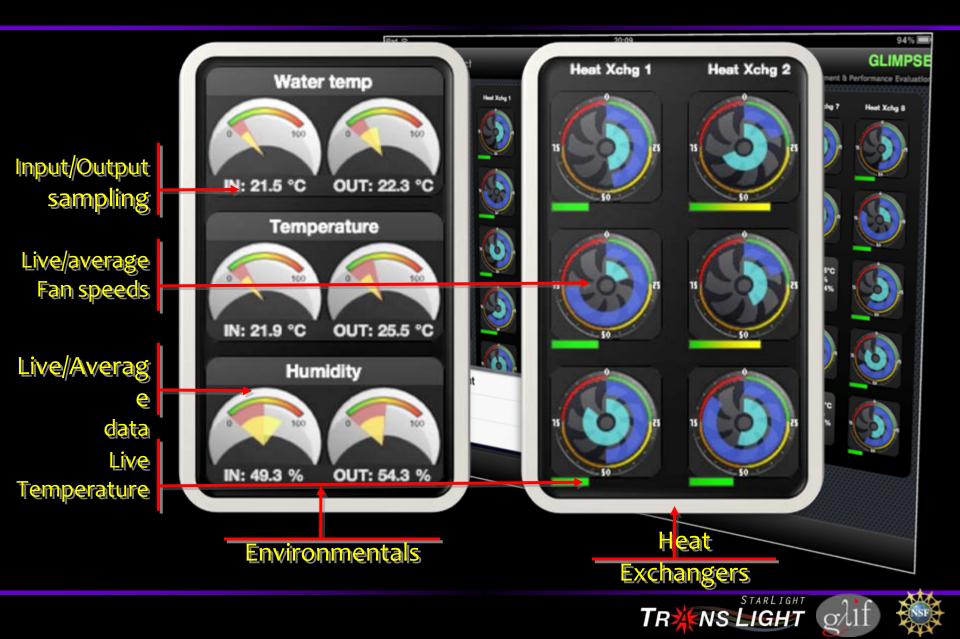




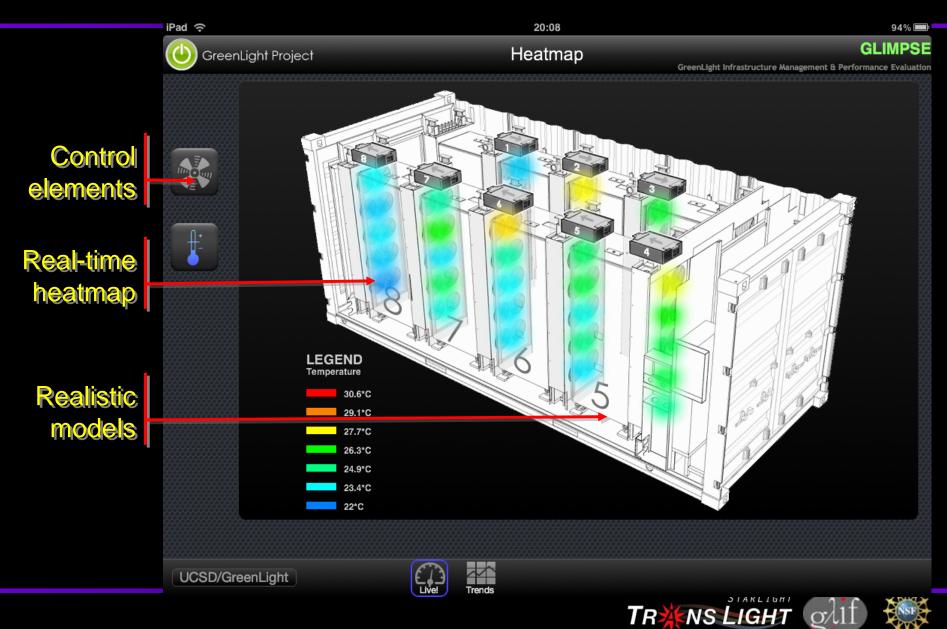
The GLIMPSE Dashboard



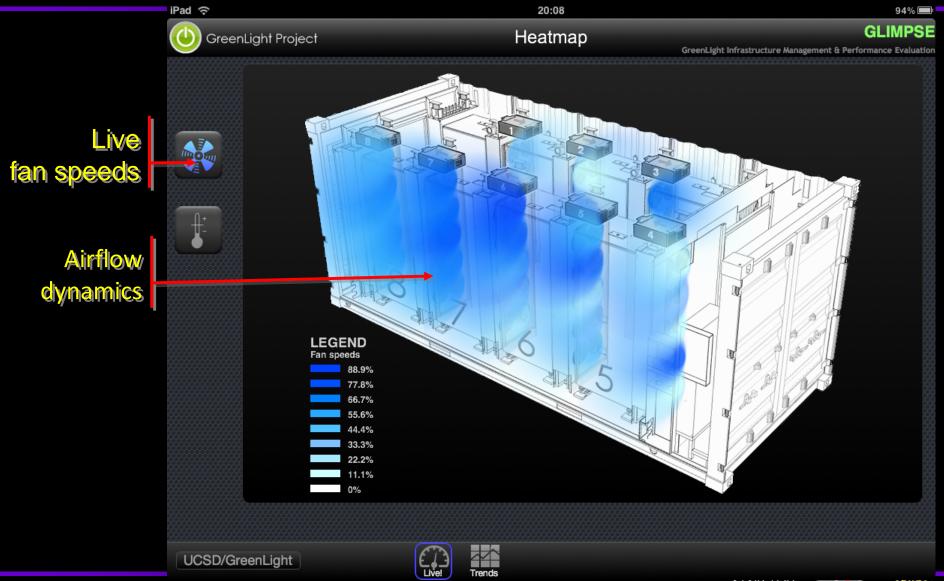
Datacenter vitals



Domain specific views

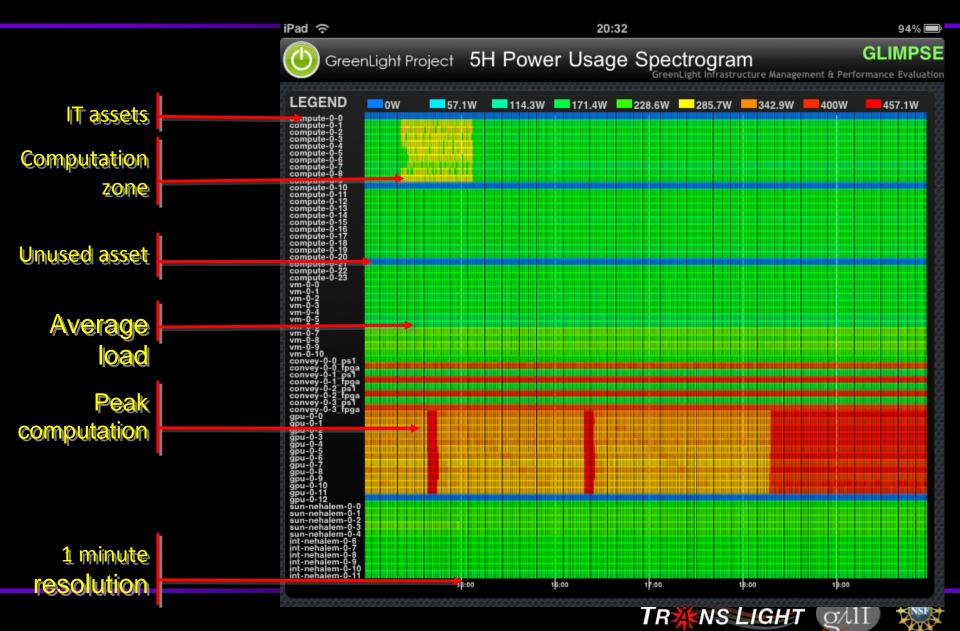


Airflow dynamics





Power spikes



Zoom-in Analysis



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http://greenlight.calit2.net

The Gospel According to St. Arnaud

As I have often said the problem facing this planet is not energy consumption but the type of energy we consume. So while a more energy efficient data center or lower PUE will be of interest to data center operators, it does absolutely nothing in reducing GHG gases.

The Canadian Standards Association is developing standards for reducing carbon impact of data centers (as opposed to energy consumption). Fortunately many of the measurements and techniques are the same as measuring energy efficiency and so GreenLight and your IRNC project can play a critical role in helping address the bigger challenge of saving the planet.

For example in the UK because of carbon taxes (CRC) many datacenter operators including those at universities are looking to relocate their data centers off shore. This of course means high speed optical networks.

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--Bill St. Arnaud, September 26, 2010

GreenLight Extended to Networks: Watts/TB

- Current GreenLight/SDSC/Calit2 switches: accurate measurement of energy cost of networks between servers
 - Ethernet PDUs supply energy measurements
 - Combine with bandwidth statistics on per link basis
 - 100G switches will be instrumented with installation
- WAN terrestrial/undersea costs in long-distance watts/TB
 - More complex: measuring off-campus involves access to production equipment administered by many entities
 - For undersea circuits, the NSF/UCSD OOI initiative will calibrate and measure the energy costs for underwater equipment in our labs

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 GreenGLIF members have software and hardware access to long-distance transmission equipment

Tajana Rosing, Co-PI, leads with much other

Networks Will Reduce Green House Gases

- TL/SL's green and transformative initiatives use high-definition and 4K videoconferencing, reducing air travel*
- Cloud computing may offer 10-20x work/watt efficiency
 - Virtualization and software optimizations
 - Much better total life-cycle cost management than universities
 - Powering of servers in more carbon-neutral facilities
 - Amazon EC2 data & compute (now in service for OOI, connected to CENIC/PNWGP and beyond)
 - Enhances University ICR; reduces carbon offset payments
 - See Jayant Baliga, et al. "Green Cloud Computing: Balancing Energy in Processing, Storage and Transport." *Proceedings of the IEEE*. To be published. <u>DOI:10.1109/JPROC2010.2060451</u>
- Of course, the best GHG-reducing applications are yet to be conceived and tested! Stay tuned!

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• We would like to discuss ideas with people here at GLIF

*Tom's air travel here: ~1.5 kW for a year

TL/SL Needs Help from GLIF GOLEs

- Connect between GOLEs with colocation space
- Make space available for power measurement
- Support persistent bandwidth at all layers to reach our global partners
- Focus on end-to-end performance and advanced services at leading-edge sites and facilities
- Train the next generation of network engineers and application scientists
- Paths are transient; GOLEs are the Goal!



Thanks, GLIF, for 10 Years of GOLEs!

- TL/SL and its loyal constituency look forward to years of collaboration and cooperation GLIF
- The future's so bright we'll have to wear shades!







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