

CLARA's Technical Management and project status

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Agenda

- RedCLARA's network update
- Links' activations summary
- Engineering activities
- NEG activities
- Dynamic Circuit Provisioning service concept
- Systems activities

RedCLARA's network



Jun/2011

Current RedCLARA's network



Actual (Nov/2011)

Dec/2012



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RedCLARA's network projected (Dec/2012)



Dec/2012



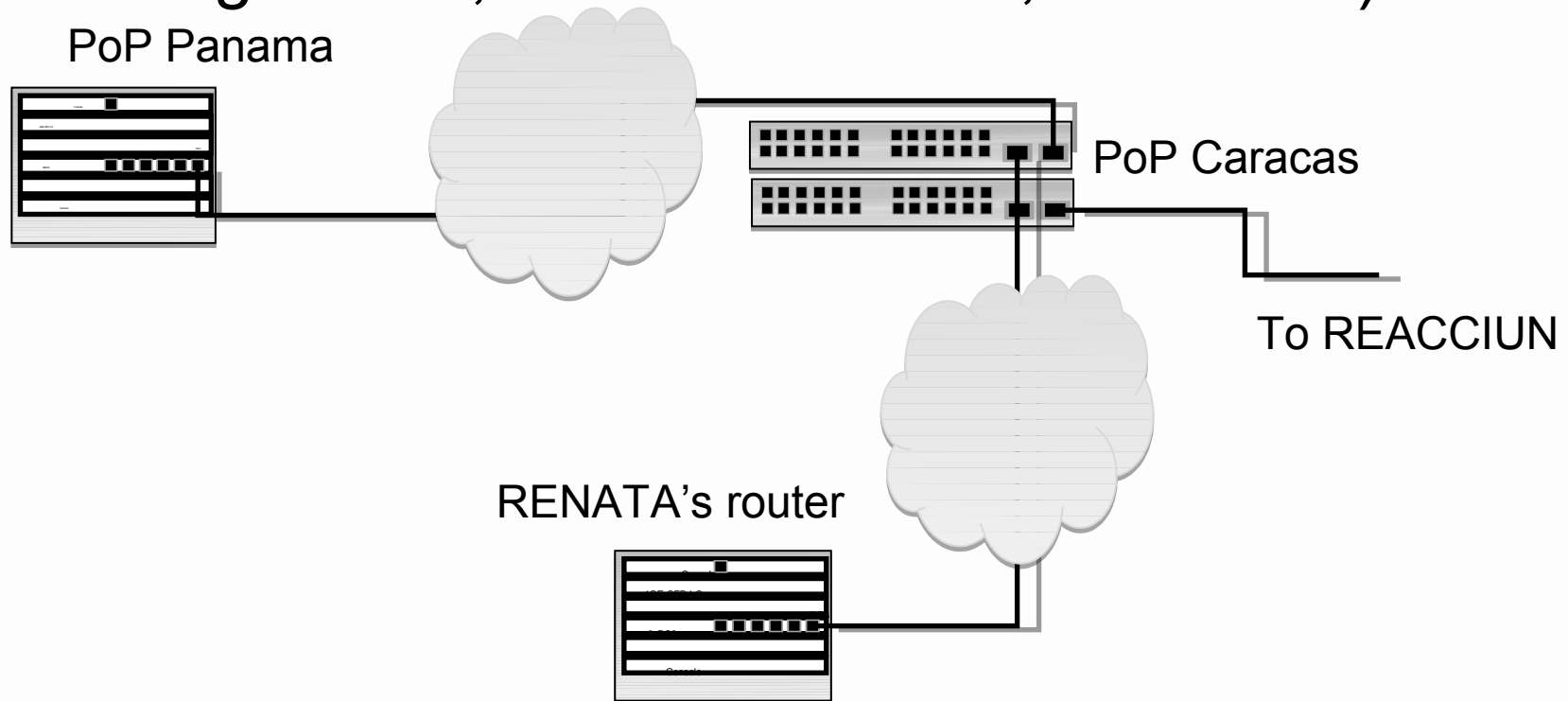
Link's activations

Link	Capacit v	Activation date
Santiago de Chile – Panama City	STM-4	July 6/2011
Sao Paulo – Panama City	STM-4	September 6/2011
Santiago de Chile – Sao Paulo	STM-4	September 6/2011
Guayaquil – Lima	622 Mbps (GEth)	October 3/2011
Bogota – Caracas	622 Mbps (GEth)	October 28/2011
Caracas – Panama City	622 Mbps	October 28/2011

Advances in equipment installation

- **Equipments installed in Caracas
Sep/2011**

(Pending: Brazil, Central-America, Colombia)





Tender procedures

- **STM-4 ring SCL-PTY-CCS-SAO, and BOG-CCS**
(Adj. to Global Crossing Jan/2011)
(Pending. Installation second STM-4 to Madrid, and the 2.5 Gbps link)
- **Lima – Antofagasta**
(Adj. to Telefonica Feb/2011)
(Pending. Fiber path installation in Peru)
- **Dark fiber for Central America**
(Adj. to UFINET in May/2011)
(Pending. Installation of the fiber path)
- **Equipments for Central America**
(Pending adjudication)



NEG summary

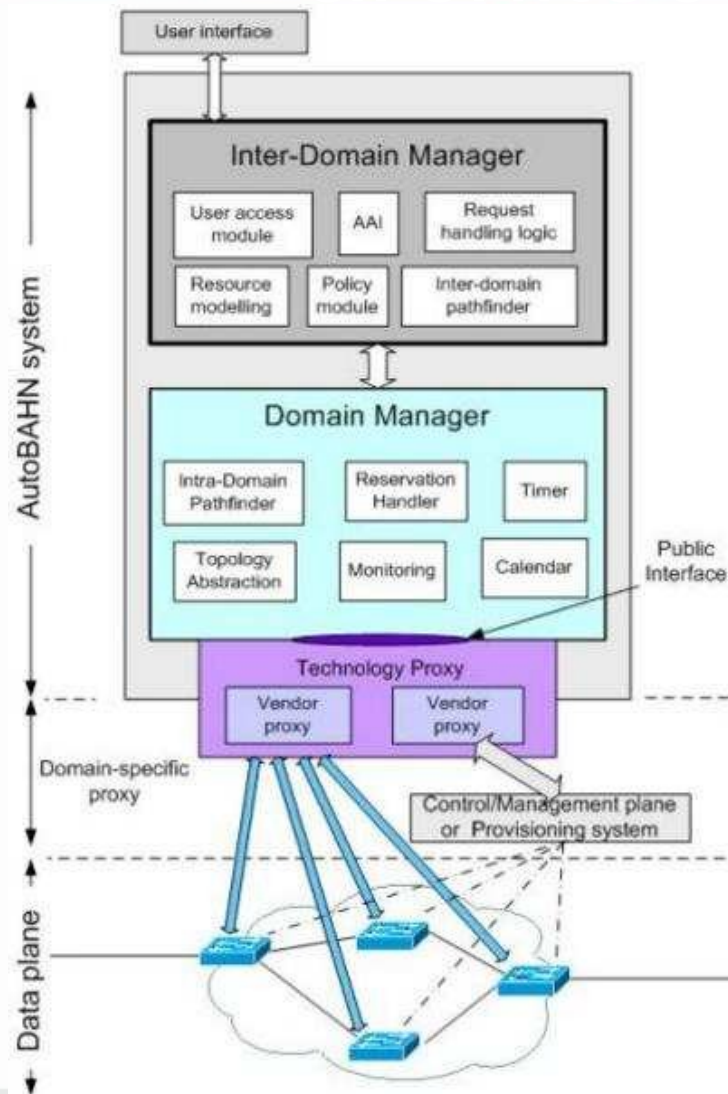
- **Tender procedure for Central America's equipments**
 - Closed in Sep 29/2011, Received proposals, evaluation results on next week.
- **Circuit Provision Service Concept Design**
 - Version 1 completed.
- **Disaster Recovery Plan**
 - Finishing first draft, will be ready by Nov 25
- **Pending link's implementations**
 - Lima – Antofagasta (Equipments ready in Santiago, waiting for path to be ready)
 - Central America (Estimated by February)



Systems and software activities

- **Security plan implementation**
 - In deployment by the SEG.
- **SIVIC reservations system (SAR)**
 - Hiring deployment of the version 1.2
- **Portal**
 - File sharing service (Second testing protocol running, Nov 2011)
 - Video service (Second testing protocol running, Nov 2011)
 - Funds database (In revision by academic relations management)
 - NRENs compendium (In development)
 - Unified Reports system (Hired developer, defining reports system)

GEANT CPS architecture



Dynamic Circuit Service (Static Method)

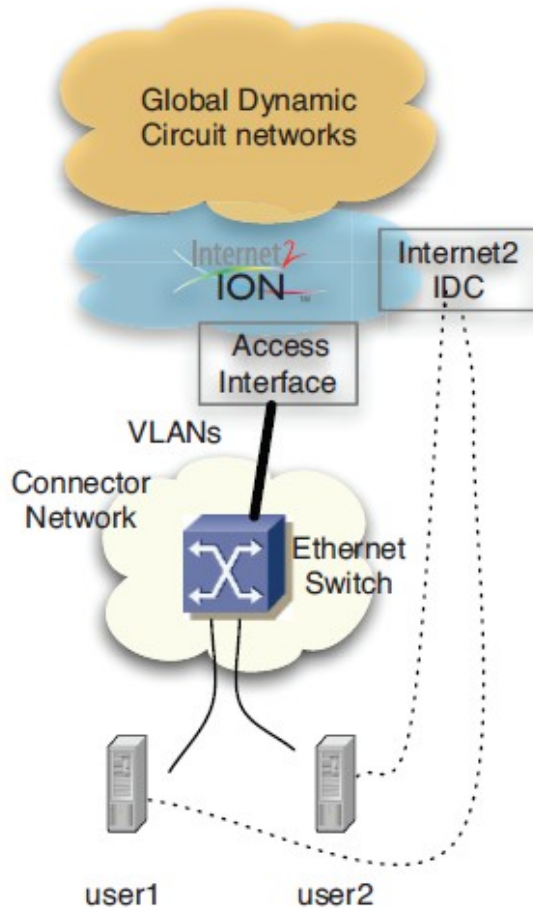


Figure 1.
Connecting to Internet2 ION:
Static method
Connector
creates a VLAN
connection.

- **User request service to the I2 IDC**
- **VLAN's numbering previously defined**
- **Project manager assigned for service delivery with the institution**

Dynamic Circuit Service (Dynamic method)

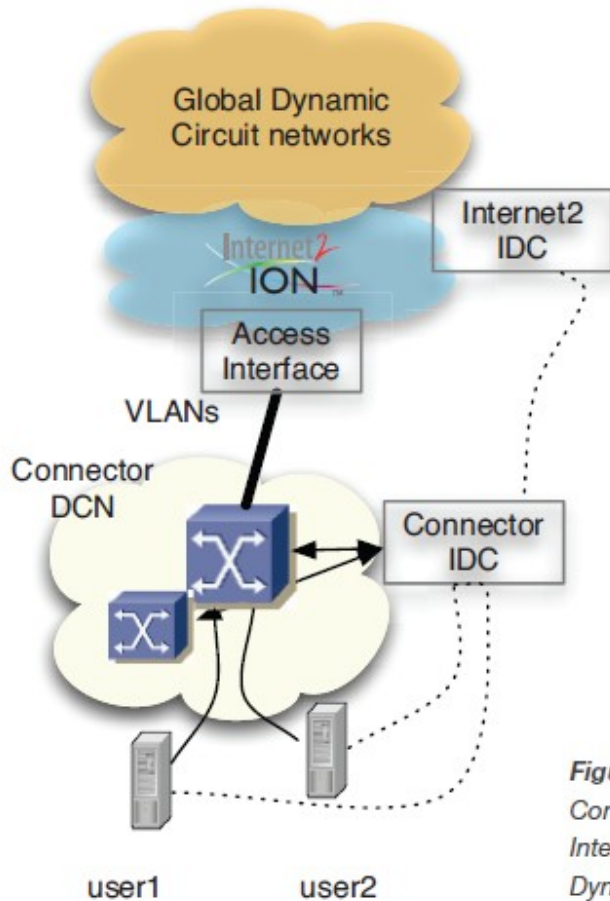


Figure 2.
Connecting to Internet2 ION:
Dynamic method.
Establishing a
local or regional
dynamic circuit
network.

- **User request service through the service pages from its own institution**
- **Circuit request between domains is handled by the IDC**

Dynamic Circuit Provision request pages

about support my profile sign out

internet2 **ion**

Reserve Circuit View Circuits

source destination **time** bandwidth vlan create circuit

Duration: 1 hour

Start Date:

Start Time:

End Date:

End Time:

Duration

Duration indicates how long your circuit will exist. This field automatically updates as you change the start/end time.

Start Date


The day your reserved circuit will begin. You may select today or a day in the future from the calendar or by typing a date in MM/DD/YYYY format.

Start Time

The time at which you would like your circuit to begin on the specified *Start Date*. Enter a time as HH:MM using 24-hour format (i.e. 13:00 instead of 1:00). The time specified will be interpreted in the timezone of your web browser.

Dynamic Circuit Service (Phase 0: Testing

- ***Phase 0, Service Implementation in an Offline backbone***
 - Basic service testing environment will be installed (Dec 2011)
 - Interfacing with Cisco switches, and router
 - Service detail definitions (Service page needs, DC technical definitions)




Dynamic Circuit Service (Phase I)

- ***Phase I, Service Implementation in RedCLARA's backbone***
 - The IDC implementation for the backbone,
 - The definition of the service policies and procedures,
 - The standardization of the service implementation, and manuals to disseminate across the NRENs and institutions,
 - Testing implementation with static VLANs at NREN's level.



Dynamic Circuit Service (Phase II)

- ***Phase II, Implementation on the NRENs***
 - The implementation will cover the installation of the IDC in at least three NRENs, and the configuration of the communication with the RedCLARA's network IDC.



Dynamic Circuit Service (Service support)

- **RedCLARA's federated support system**
 - Service concept draft by Marketing area
 - Centralized support system



Minimum requirements for NREN

- GigaEthernet physical connection
- Project manager
- Responsible for service operation and support