

# **Research networking: The next phase**

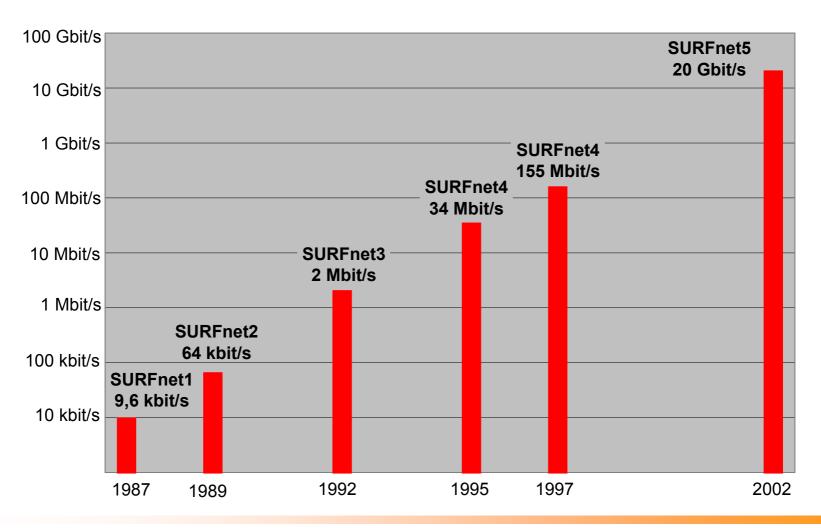
## Kees Neggers SURFnet 20<sup>th</sup> NORDUnet Networking Conference April 17, 2002 Copenhagen





- 1972 First public demonstration of ARPANET
- 1982 Start of Eunet via dial up links
- 1992 Start of Ebone 256 Kbps
- 2002 Start of Lambda Networking 10 Gbps
- **2012** ???

### **History of the SURFnet infrastructure**

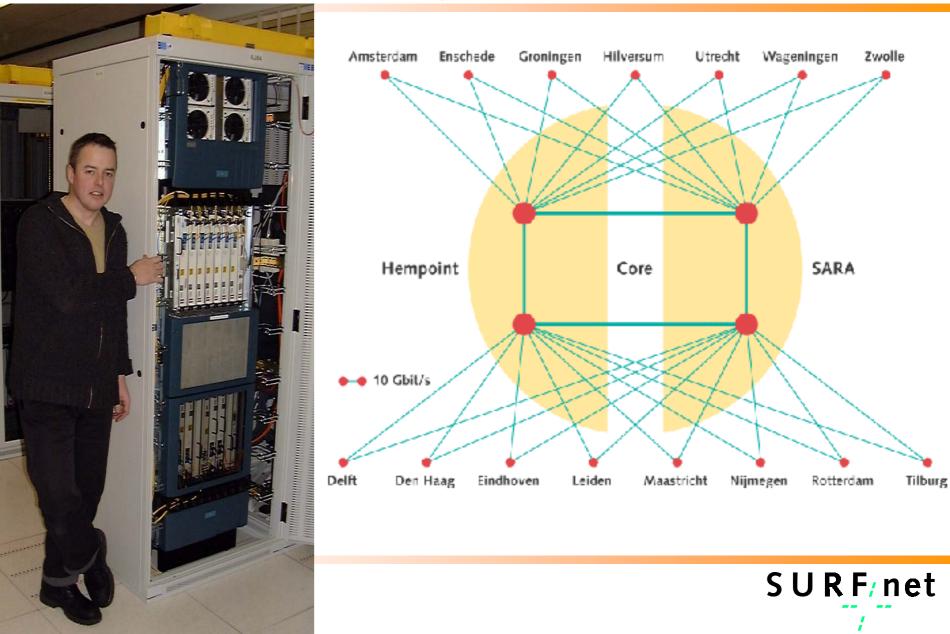


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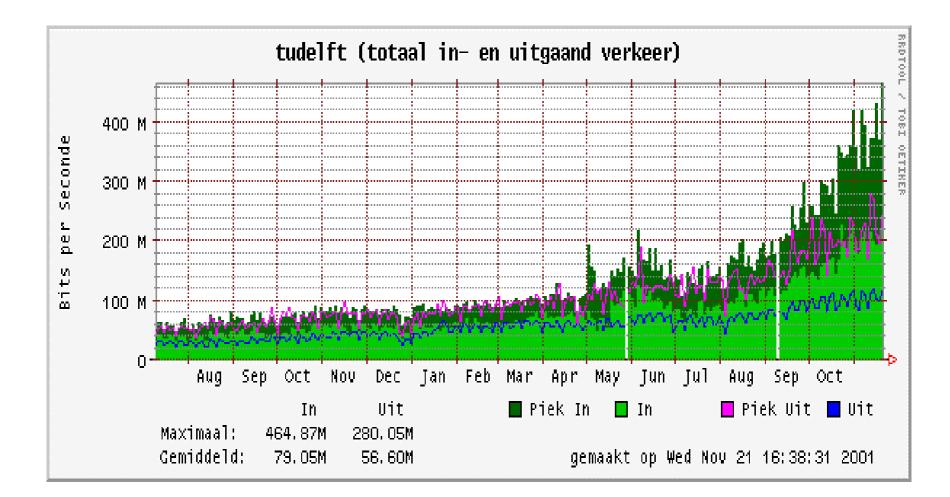
#### SURFnet5 up and running





### **Traffic Growth TUDelft**







- Dense Wave Division Multiplexing supports many 10 or 40 Gbit/s Lambda's per fiber, so where fiber is available, capacity is virtually unlimited
- Optical equipment development is progressing rapidly, despites the economical dip in the telecom market.
- Network is now faster than the computer
- New network paradigm shift looks unavoidable



# Amsterdam Science Park Watergraafsmeer GigaPort





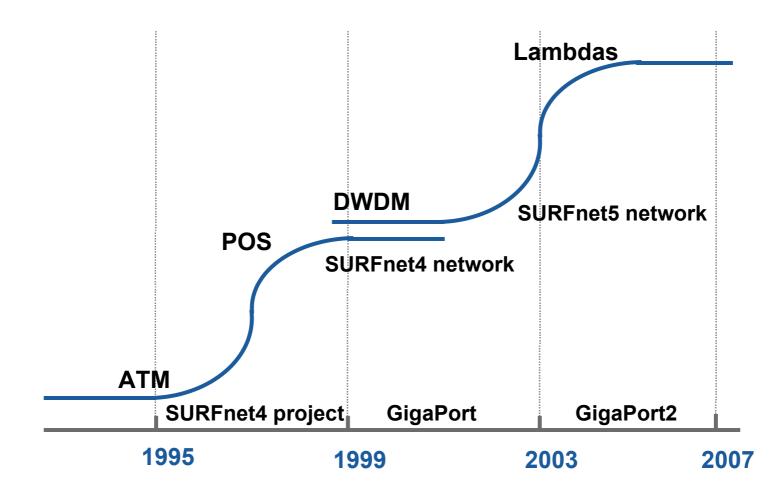






#### New s-curve ahead of us





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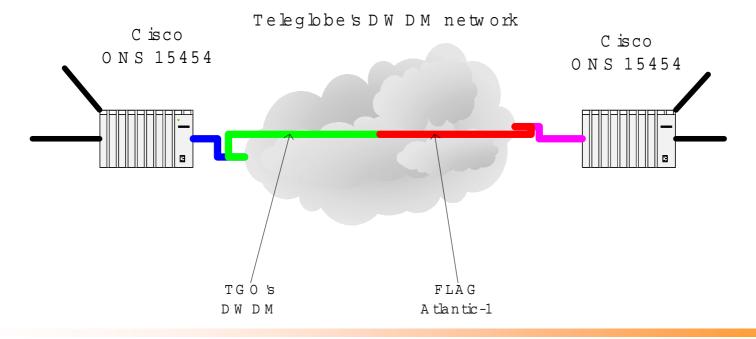
- Next Generation Internet will not be a simple extrapolation of current Internet evolution. Counting on bigger routers and fatter pipes is no longer a realistic option.
- Challenge is how to seamlessly integrate the large amounts of bandwidth that will become available
- International Co-operation is essential
- That's why SURFnet installed a lambda to StarLight as a research facility available for anyone interested in international lambda networking

#### SURFnet's lambda Amsterdam-Chicago

Chicago StarLight location

Am sterdam NetherLight location

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## What/Where is StarLight?

- StarLight is an experimental optical infrastructure and proving ground for network services optimized for
- high-performance applications

StarLight Assists \$32M (FY2002-3) in experimental networks (I-WIRE, TeraGrid, OMNInet, SURFnet, CA\*net4, DataTAG)



Chicago view from 710



710 N. Lake Shore Drive, Chicago Abbott Hall, Northwestern University



#### StarLight/NetherLight



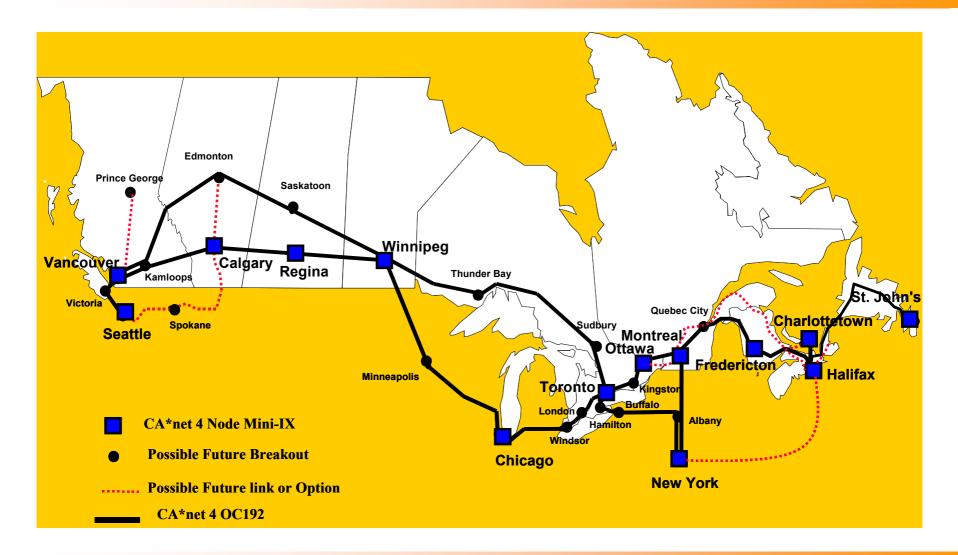






#### CA\*Net4



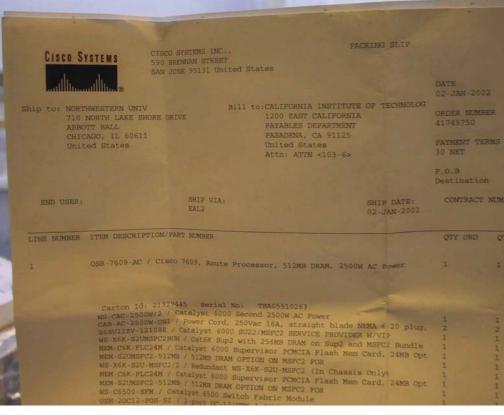




#### **CERN's Coming to StarLight**



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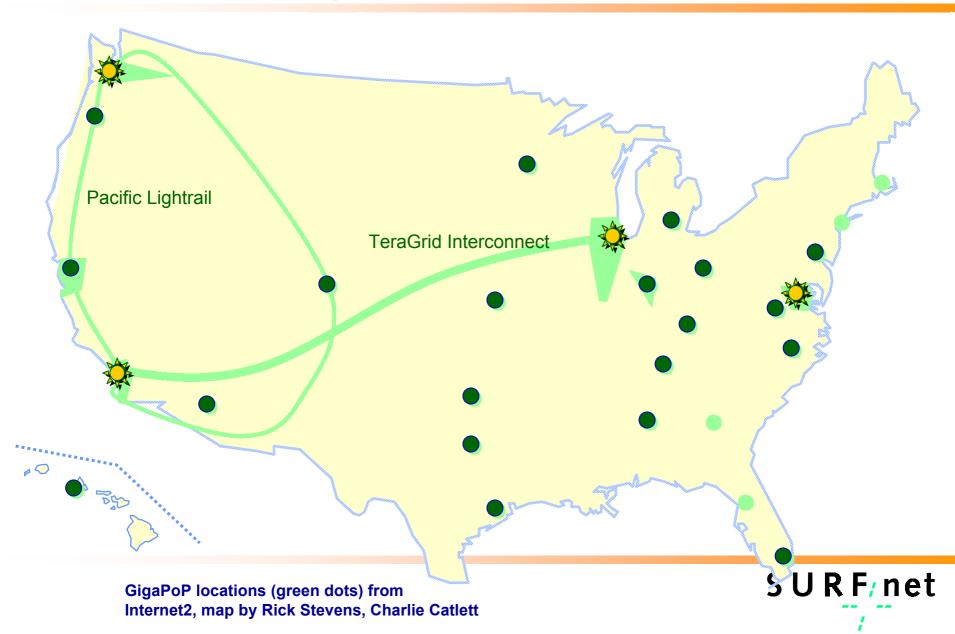
Caltech/CERN packing slip for cartons.

Olivier Martin (CERN), Tim Ward (NU), Richard Hughes-Jones (U Manchester)



#### **Optical networking in the USA**





### **The Global Quilt initiative**





- Tyco Global Network and GEO donations will be made available via IEEAF to Research and Education Community
- 622M SDH +10G  $\lambda$  from Groningen NL to New York 60 Hudson
- Dark fiber pair Amsterdam-Groningen-Hamburg
- 622M SDH +10G  $\lambda$  from US West coast to Japan, Singapore
- Collocation space in Carrier Hotels at cable ends
- Many other projects in various stages



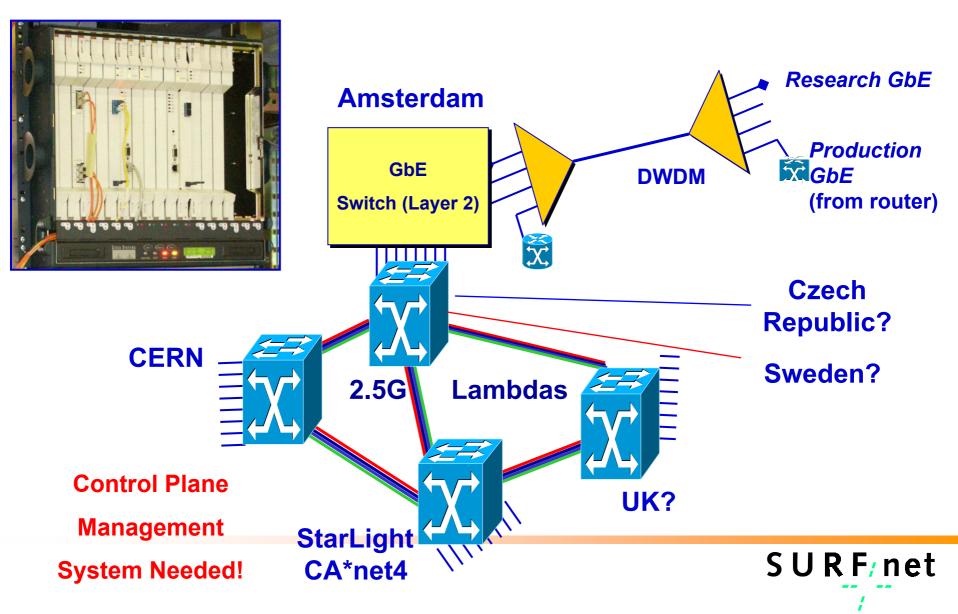




#### 24-26 September 2002 Amsterdam Science and Technology Centre (WTCW) The Netherlands

Maxine Brown University of Illinois at Chicago Cees de Laat University of Amsterdam

#### Lambda/GbE Exchange—iGrid2002



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- Internet evolution has been tremendous over the last 30 years
- Next wave of innovation is emerging
- Research and Academic community is again driving this evolution, in partnership with ICT industry
- It will be interesting to see the result in 2012



## Join the effort





"Bring Us Your Lambdas"

