

GENI Optical Workshop: Summary from a Networking Perspective

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Summary (Networking Perspective)...



Tom Koch:

- PICs → high-density switches
- power-aware networking/computing
- self-configurable interfaces (?)

Franko Kueppers:

- (critical-services)-driven architectures
- resilience (cross-layer protection)
- power efficiency (cost)
- guaranteed data integrity
- drivers (IPTV, FTTX, w/l, ≥100G)
- real-world networks are "multi-domain"
- carrier Fthernet
- customer-controlled "pipes"
- optical multicast support

Ruth Ann Mullen:

- hierarchical network topologies, meshes, ...
- power, cost, photonic integration, survivability, events, multicast support, pay-as-you-grow,
- network engineering, ...

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- Keren Bergman:
 - cross-layer (CL) design
 - "dual role" of optics
 - hybrid arch (dynamic ckt s/w + optical pkt s/w + broadcast)
 - manage QoS
 - security, survivability, multi-path routing, CL TE,
- Stojan Radic:
 - optical edge architecture
 - FTTX, ...
 - unprotected to protected arch.
 - service-oriented arch.
 - extended reach PON
 - wireless support
 - multicast, amplify, and select

Optical Networks: The Road Ahead



Broadband Access

- (X) PONs
 - WDM in PONs
 - Long-Reach Broadband Access
 - Hybrid wireless-optical access
- (X) Metro: The vanishing breed?

Backbone Networks

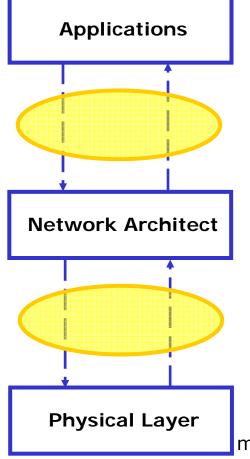
- DOCS ("dial for bandwidth")
- (X) Robust Network Design (multilayer, multi-domain, multipath, etc.)
- Ethernet Everywhere (e2e)

- (X) Network Engineering (NE) (vs. TE vs. NP)
- (X) Higher-density switches!

Optical Networking:







("Customer" needs)

Differentiated Services:

Bandwidth: OC-192, OC-48, ..., STS-1, VT1.5, ...

Failure-Recovery Delay: The "50-ms myth!"

Network Economics: Pricing, SLA, ...

(Chip, I, ...)

- + <u>routing protocols to combat optical channel</u> <u>impairments</u>
- + breakthroughs needed in device technologies?
 - optical RAM, ultra-wideband amp, "tunable" AWG, ...

(optical/wireless channel) -materials, devices, subsystems

Telecom Nets: "End-to-End" Ethernet?



