

Network Tuning for Rapid Transmission of Multispectral Images for Relief Efforts in Haiti

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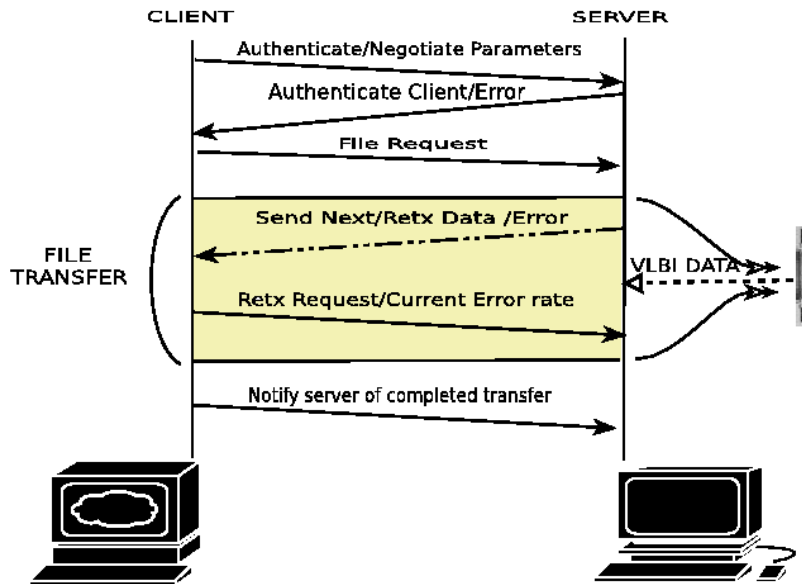
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Testing Timeline

- ▶ 2010-01-19 11:00 First contact
- ▶ 2010-01-19 23:19 First problem (4.8 Mbps)
- ▶ 2010-01-19 23:33 Humberto Ortiz suggests parallel TCP or UDP
- ▶ 2010-01-20 09:13 Ramon Sierra suggests TCP tuning
- ▶ 2010-01-20 10:51 Jose Conde suggests checking packet shaper
- ▶ 2010-01-20 12:04 Paul Boven suggests tsunami
- ▶ 2010-01-20 noon Pablo Rebollo corrects sflows problem on Foundry switch.
- ▶ 2010-01-20 13:00 Centennial raises UPR Bandwidth caps
- ▶ 2010-01-20 13:30 39.2 Mbps parallel TCP w/ iperf
- ▶ 2010-01-20 22:10 File truncation reported by Paul Mezzanini
- ▶ 2010-01-21 12:58 RIT bandwidth caps raised by NYSERNET

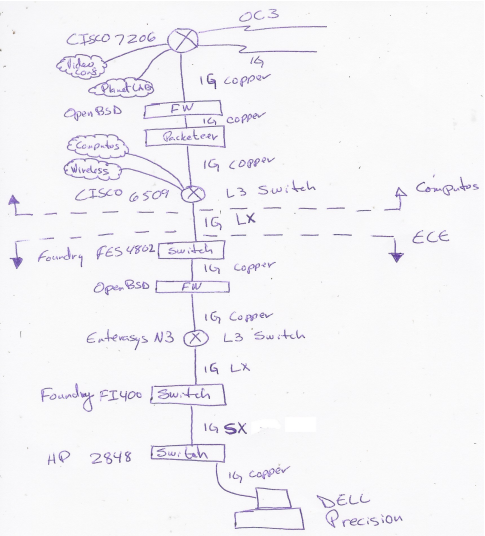
Tsunami-udp



Production Timeline

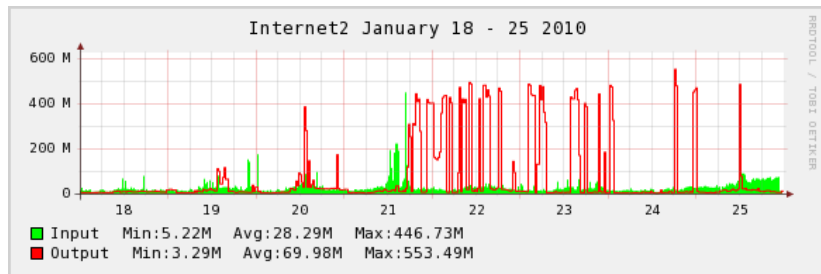
- ▶ 2010-01-19 11:00 First contact
- ▶ 2010-01-21 Overnight transfer with rsync
- ▶ 2010-01-22 18:05 Achieved 389 Mbps using tsunami (UDP)
- ▶ 2010-01-22 Overnight transfer with tsunami, file truncated
- ▶ 2010-01-23 21:54 Martin Melendez removes “Monitoring” packeteer from path
- ▶ 2010-01-24 00:40 Transferred 100 GB in 45 minutes; max rate 394 Mbps
- ▶ 2010-01-25 00:41 Transferred 112 GB in 40 minutes

Mayagüez network



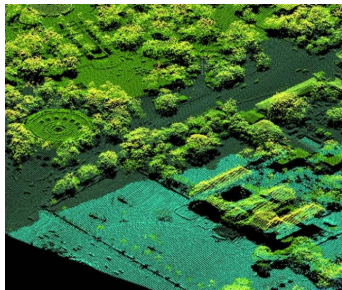
Pablo Rebollo

Traffic graphs



Ramon Sierra

Image products



<http://ipler.cis.rit.edu/projects/haiti> and RIT's Carlson Center for Imaging Science

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