

Peering Asia 2.0

# Journey Stepping Toward Peering World and Cloud Gateway

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# Largest Carrier-Neutral Data Centre Service Provider in Hong Kong

**18**  
Years+

Proven  
Record

**5**

Data  
Centres

**1.5**  
Million  
ft<sup>2</sup> GFA

**1st High-tier  
Greenfield**

Data Centre In  
Tsueng Kwan O

**New Land**

Acquired In  
Tsuen Wan



# Internet Data Centre – Connecting the World

200+

Telcos, ISP,  
Cloud Providers

12,000+

Cross-connect

Covering Major

**BELT AND ROAD**

Countries



# Peering World & Cloud Gateway by ISP / OTT?



## Peering World



### BENEFITS

Cost Saving

Network Performance

### CHALLENGES ?

Who is the Peering Target?

Network Resilience?

Multi-Home Issues?



## Cloud Gateway



### BENEFITS

Secure Cloud Connectivity

Cost Saving in Cloud Usage

### CHALLENGES ?

BGP Policy

Private or Public Peering

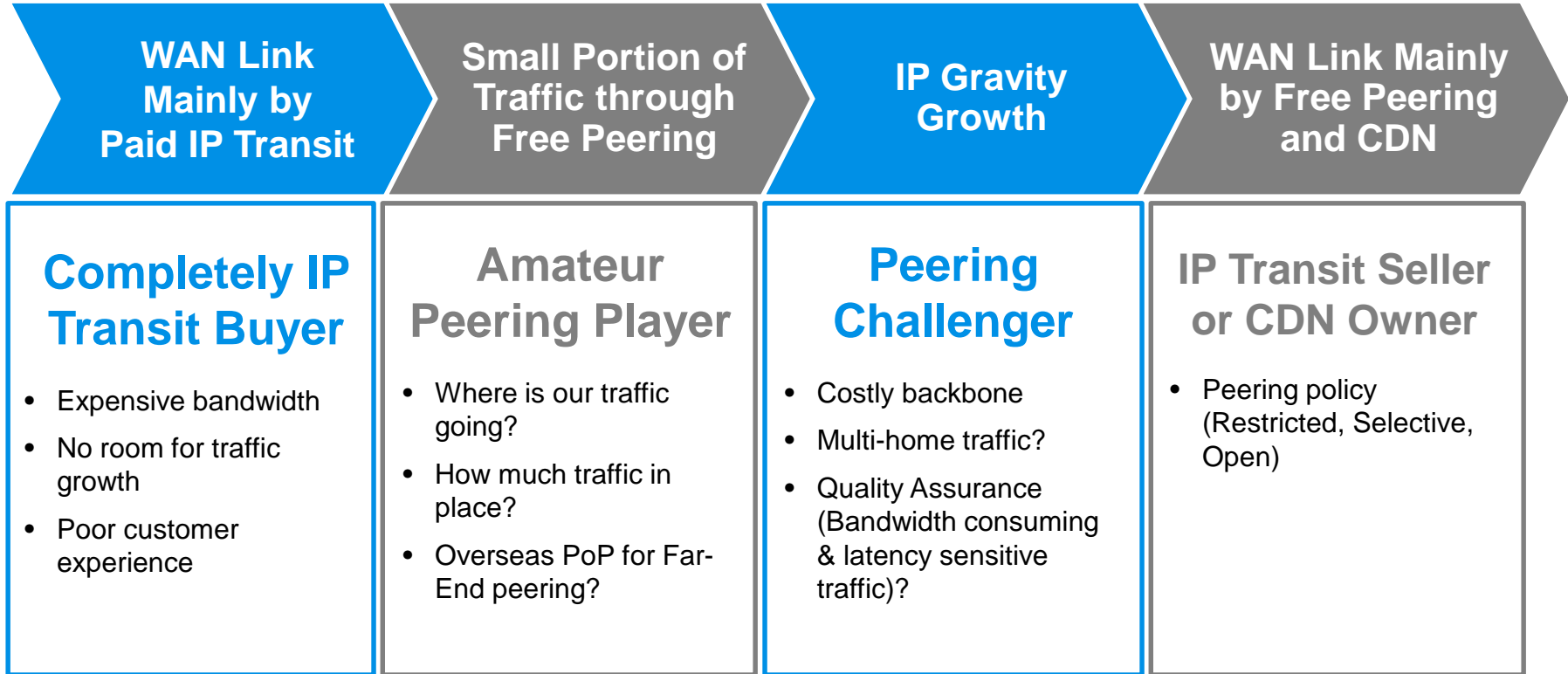
Multi-Cloud Environment?



# What's happening in an Internet Data Centre?



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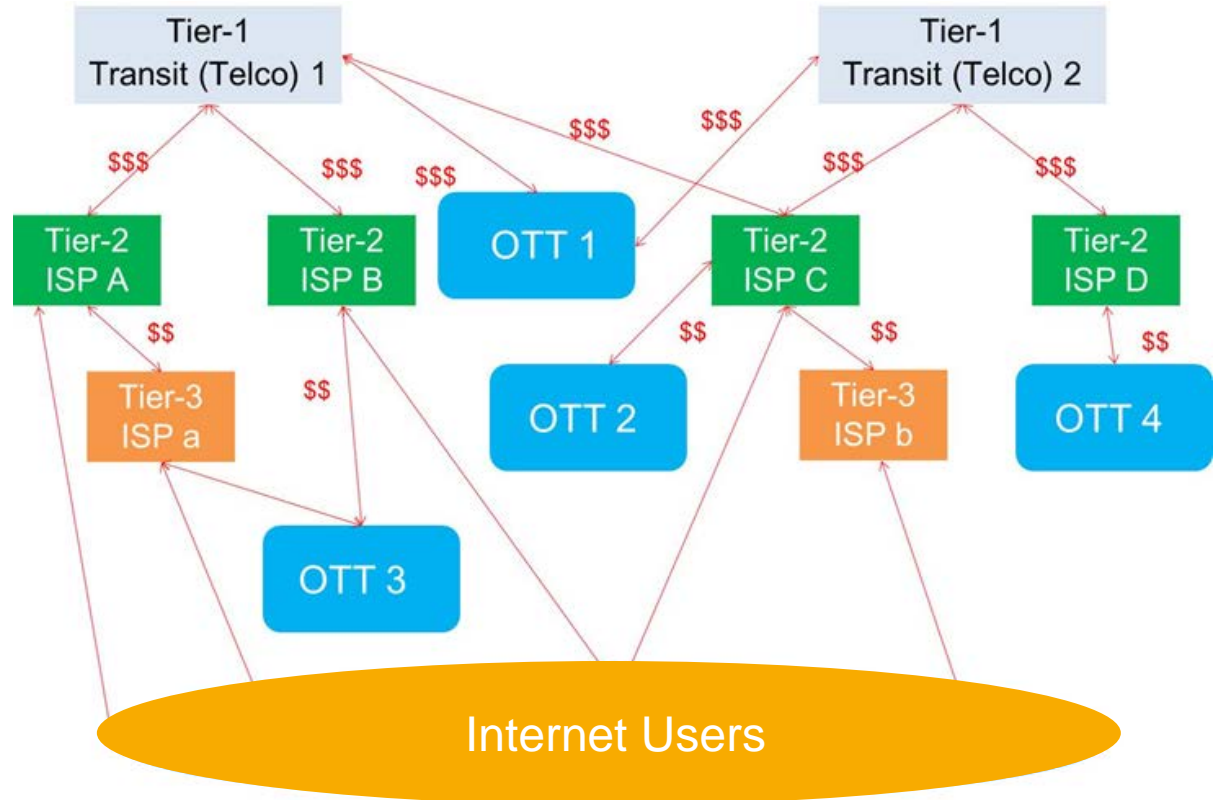


# Internet without Peering in the Past

**WAN Link  
mainly by  
Paid IP Transit**

## Completely IP Transit Buyer

- Expensive bandwidth
- No room for traffic growth
- Poor customer experience





# Incentives & Motivations for Peering

## Lower Transit Costs

IP Transit MRC (Asia Market)	USD / Mbps
Mainland China (South)	>100
Mainland China (North)	>60
Taiwan	>20
Intra-Asia Pacific	>10
US / Europe	>5

## Lower Latency, Better Performance

Asia - US	SE Asia / North Asia - HK
RTD >200ms	RTD >40ms

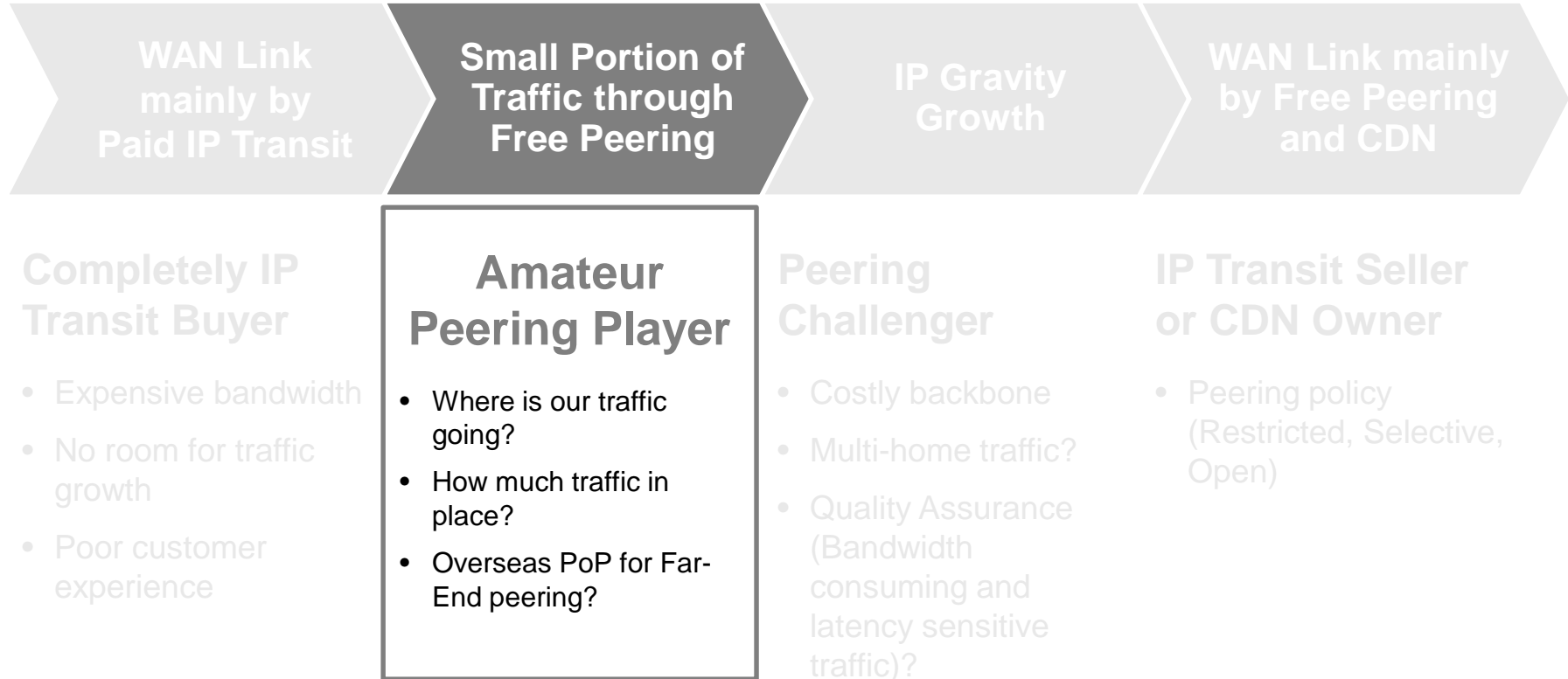
## Burstable Traffic Capability

Volatile traffic pattern of  
Video /  
Cloud /  
Patch Download

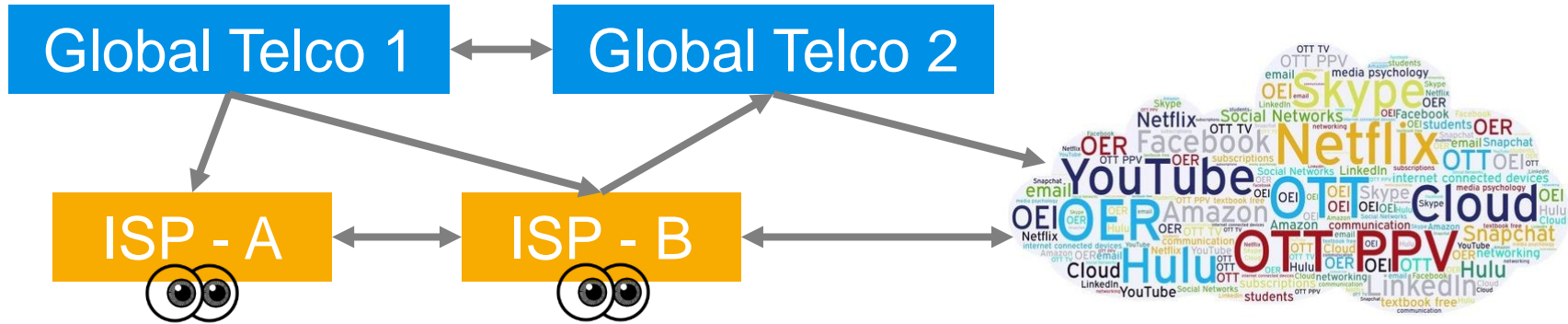
## Marketing Benefits / Further CDN Collaboration

- OTT / ISP Marketing Promotion (e.g. Video-on-Demand collaborations)
- Edge Node / CDN Collaborations

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# Traffic Kept Growing

## High-bandwidth Consuming Applications

- Cost Increase
- Performance Degrade

# ISP - ISP

## Peering Consideration

- Balanced In/Out Traffic
- Local / Remote Peering  
Or Mid-point Peering

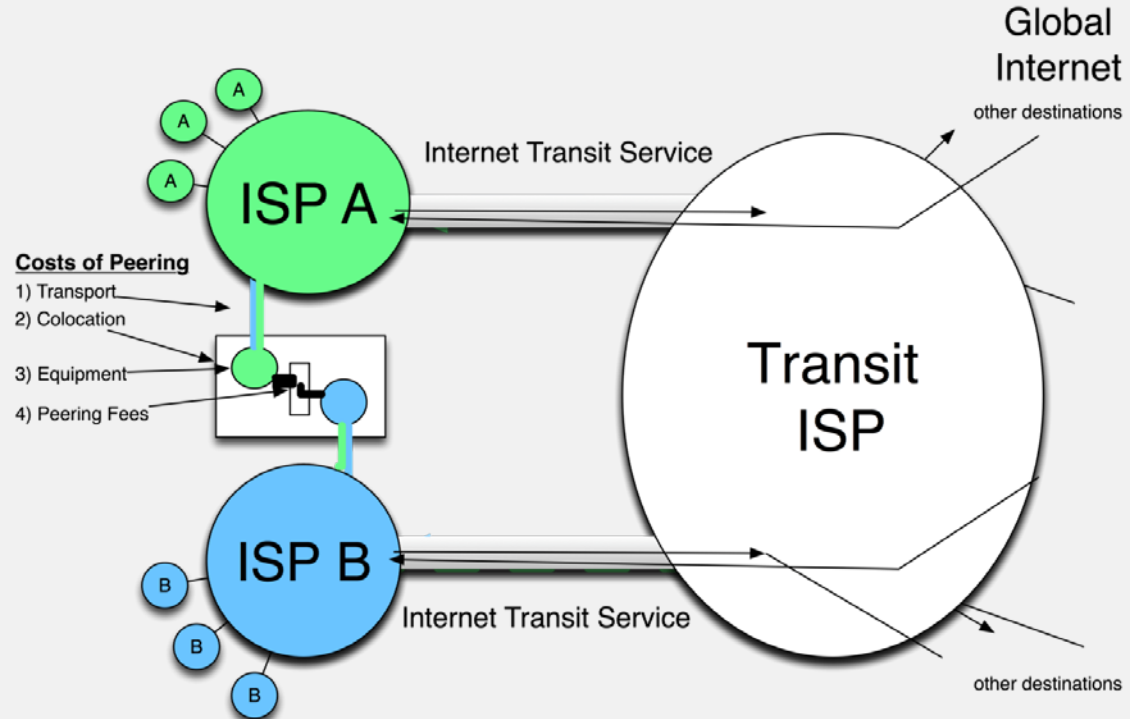
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## Peering Consideration

- OTT Popularity
- Hit Ratio
- Bandwidth Consuming Or Latency Sensitive

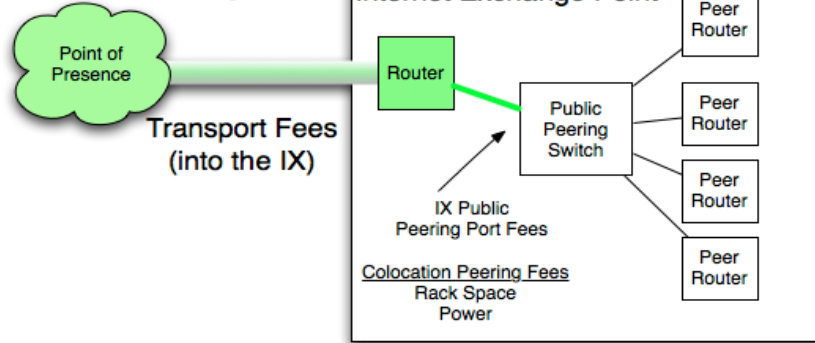
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## PoP Set up



# Considerations before Peering

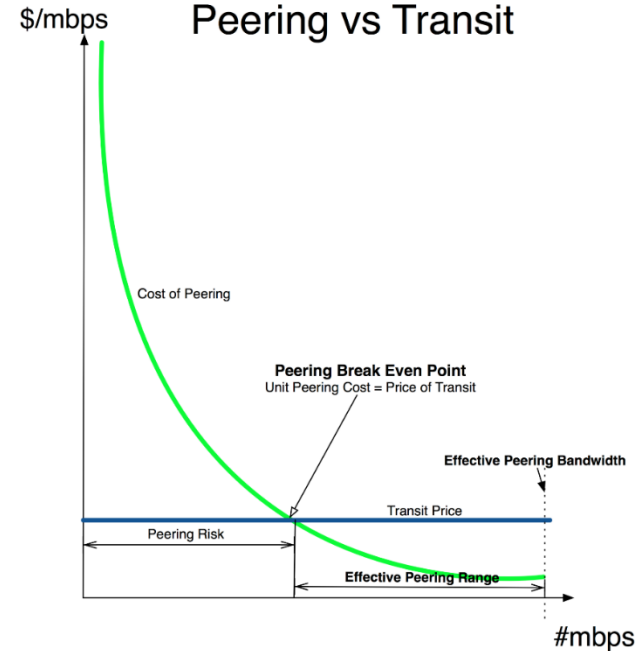
## Cost of Peering



Peering is  
**NOT  
FREE**

1. Transport Fees
2. Colocation Fees
3. Routing Equipment
4. Peering Fees (Port, membership, etc.)

## Peering vs Transit





# Journey to Peering World – Peering Locator

## Peering Start up

- Unknown Traffic / Quality Information
- Difficult decision to change from Transit to Peering

## Traffic Ramp Up

- Traffic / Quality Information well understood
- Decision between Public and Private Peering

## Peering Scale up

### PUBLIC PEERING

- To manage peering session in a more flexible way
- To enjoy the Aggregation Benefits
- To determine / stimulate the volume of peering traffic to minimize the peering risk

### TRANSITION

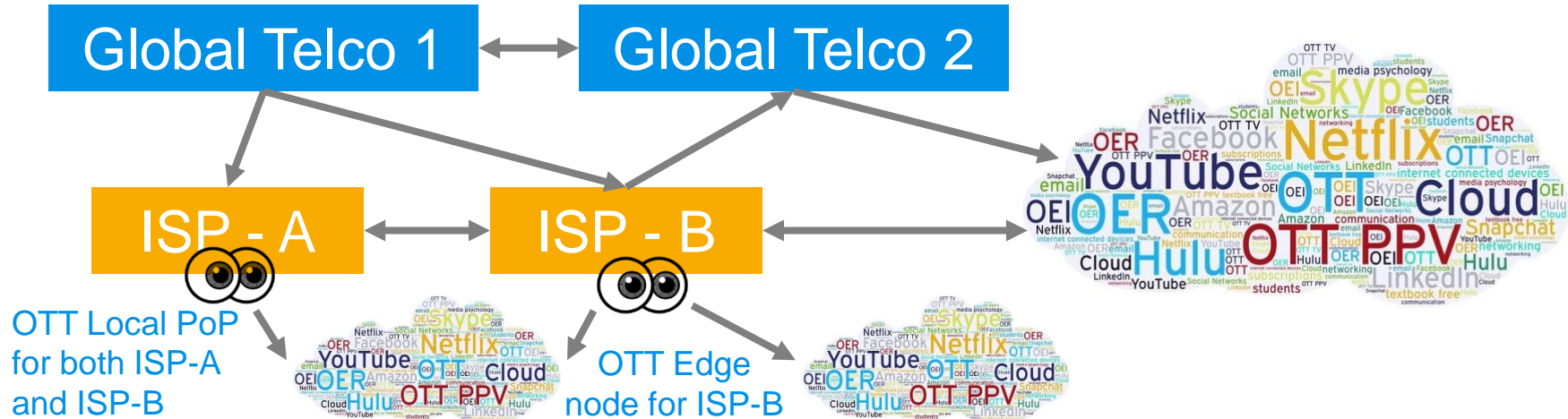
### PRIVATE PEERING

- Traffic growth made it financially justified
- Better Network monitoring and Traffic Management for trouble-shooting
- Higher Availability and Reliability

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## IP Gravity due to Better Customers' Experience

1. Backbone Cost Increase
2. Backbone Resilience Needs
3. Complexity in Traffic Management
  - Multi-Home issue (Paid Transit Versus Peering Link)
  - Multiple VLAN during Peering Upgrade

## Possible Solutions

- Local PoP for CDN Set Up
- Traffic Separation (By User Group or By Applications)

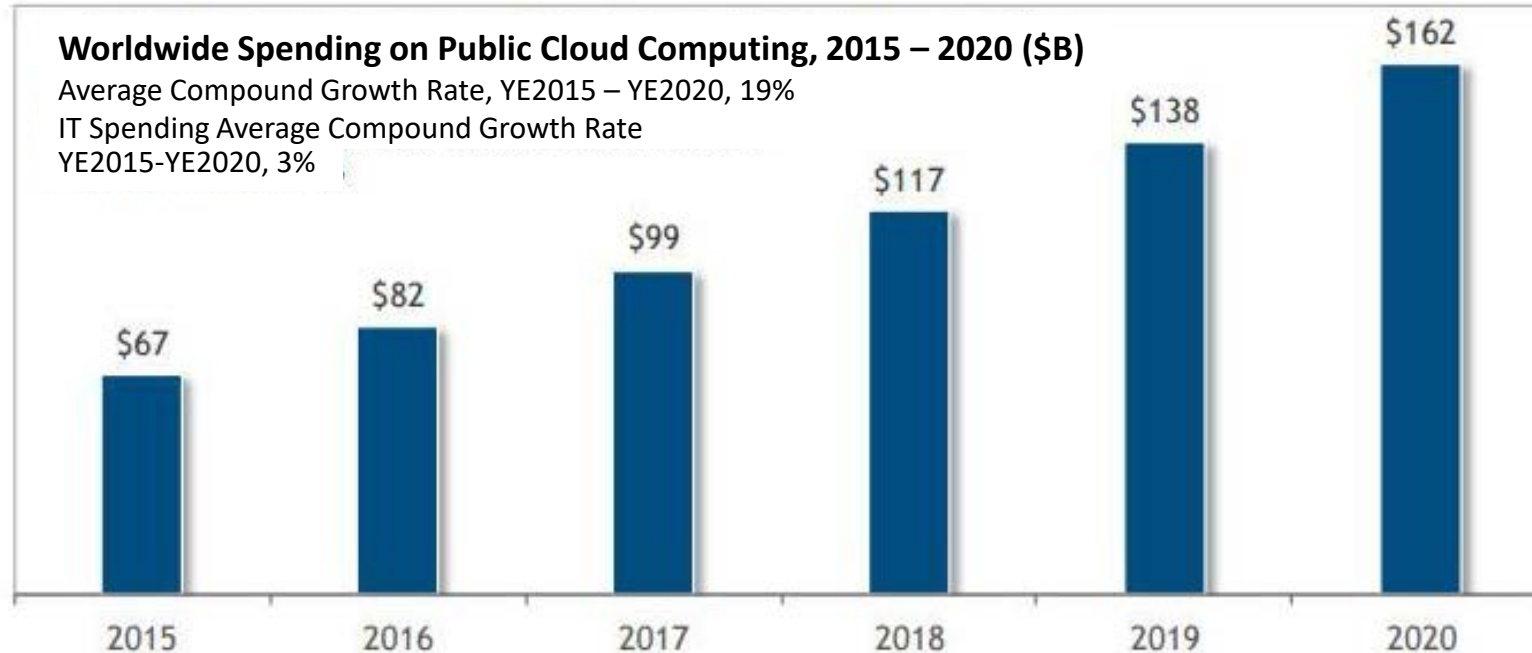
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# Explosive growth in Cloud Adoption

## for Digital Transformation

## The Rapid Growth of Cloud Computing, 2015 - 2020

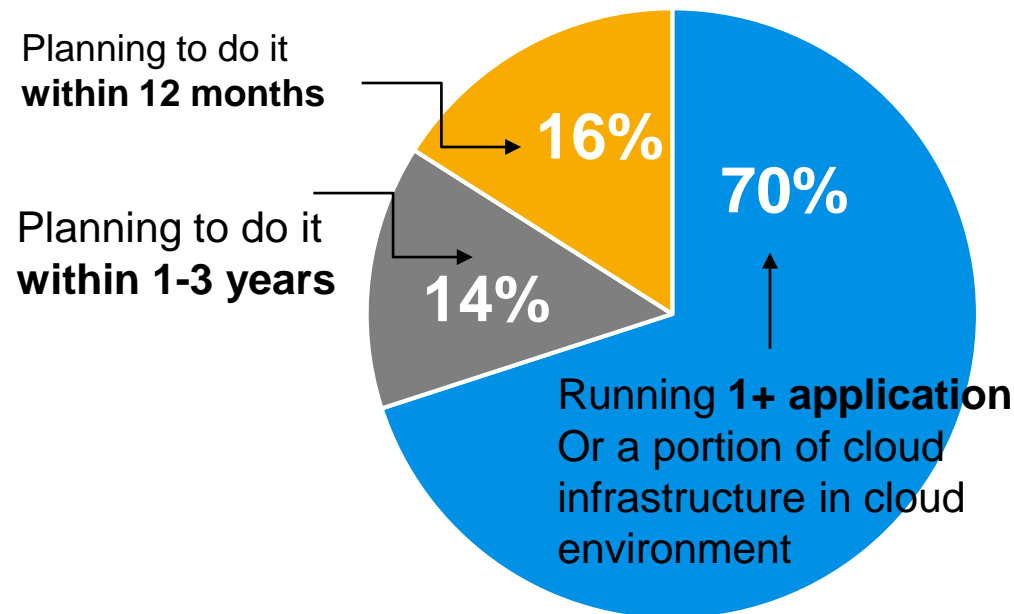


**Source:**  
IDC, 2016



# Cloud Adoption comparison between US & Asia

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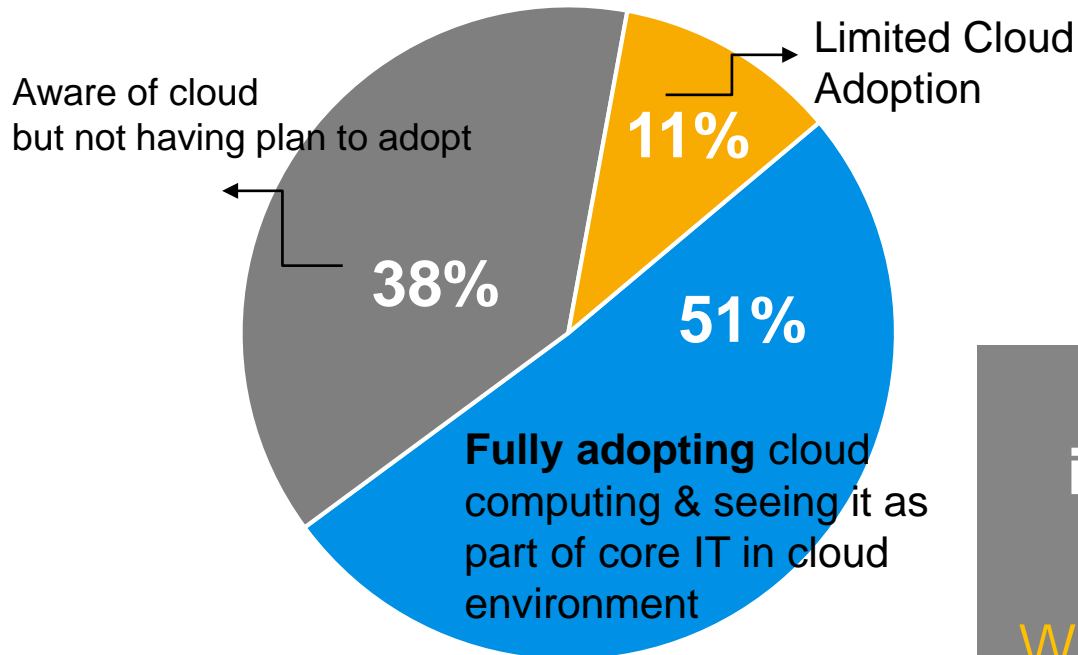
## In the US

- Almost all Enterprises have cloud deployment strategy
- Significant number of the enterprises are running their applications on cloud environment

Sample of 925 IT executives in the US  
Source: IDG, 2016

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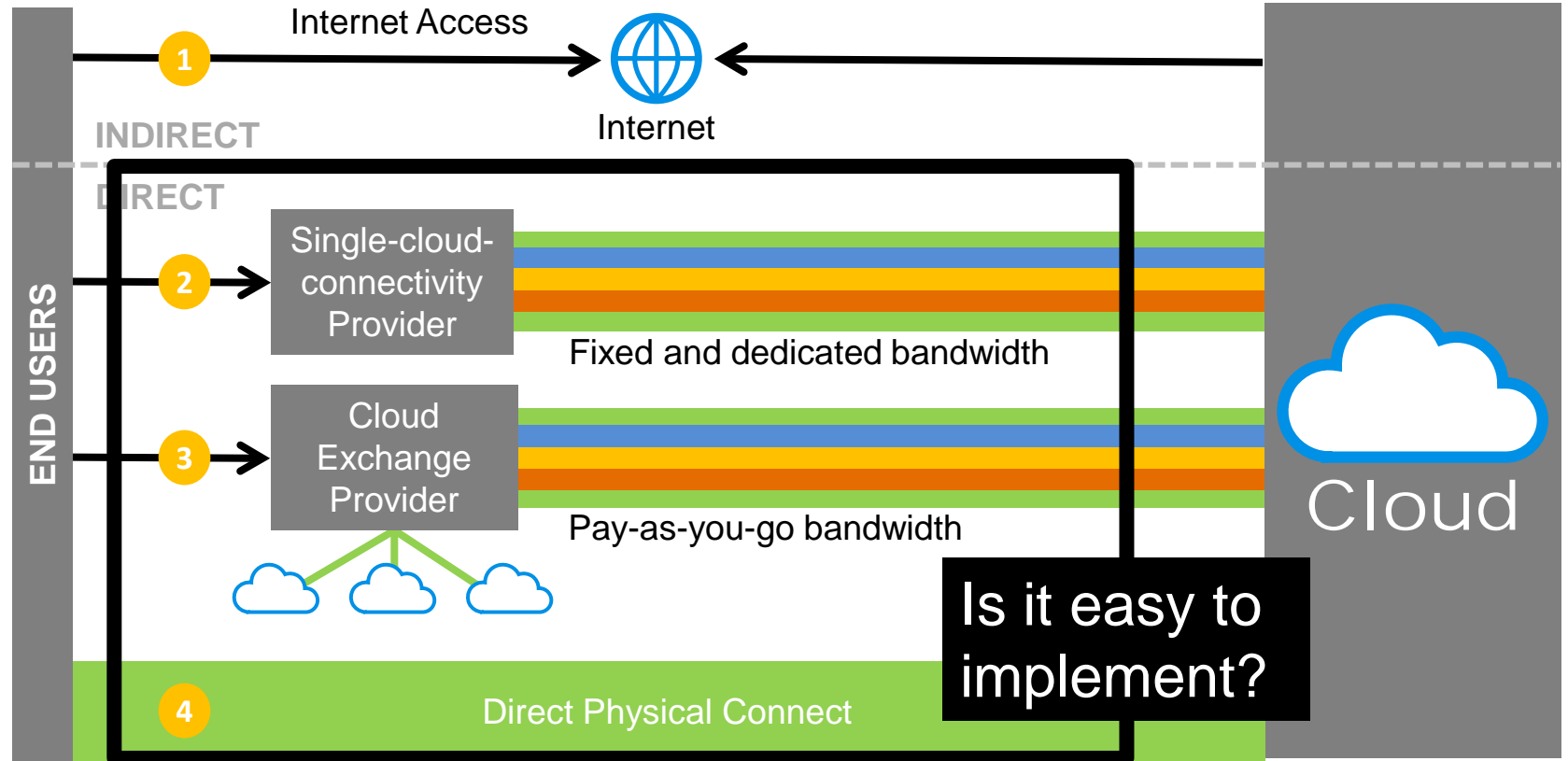
- Much slower adoption
- Quite a portion of enterprises have no plan to adopt cloud

Cloud adoption  
in Asia is lagging  
behind US

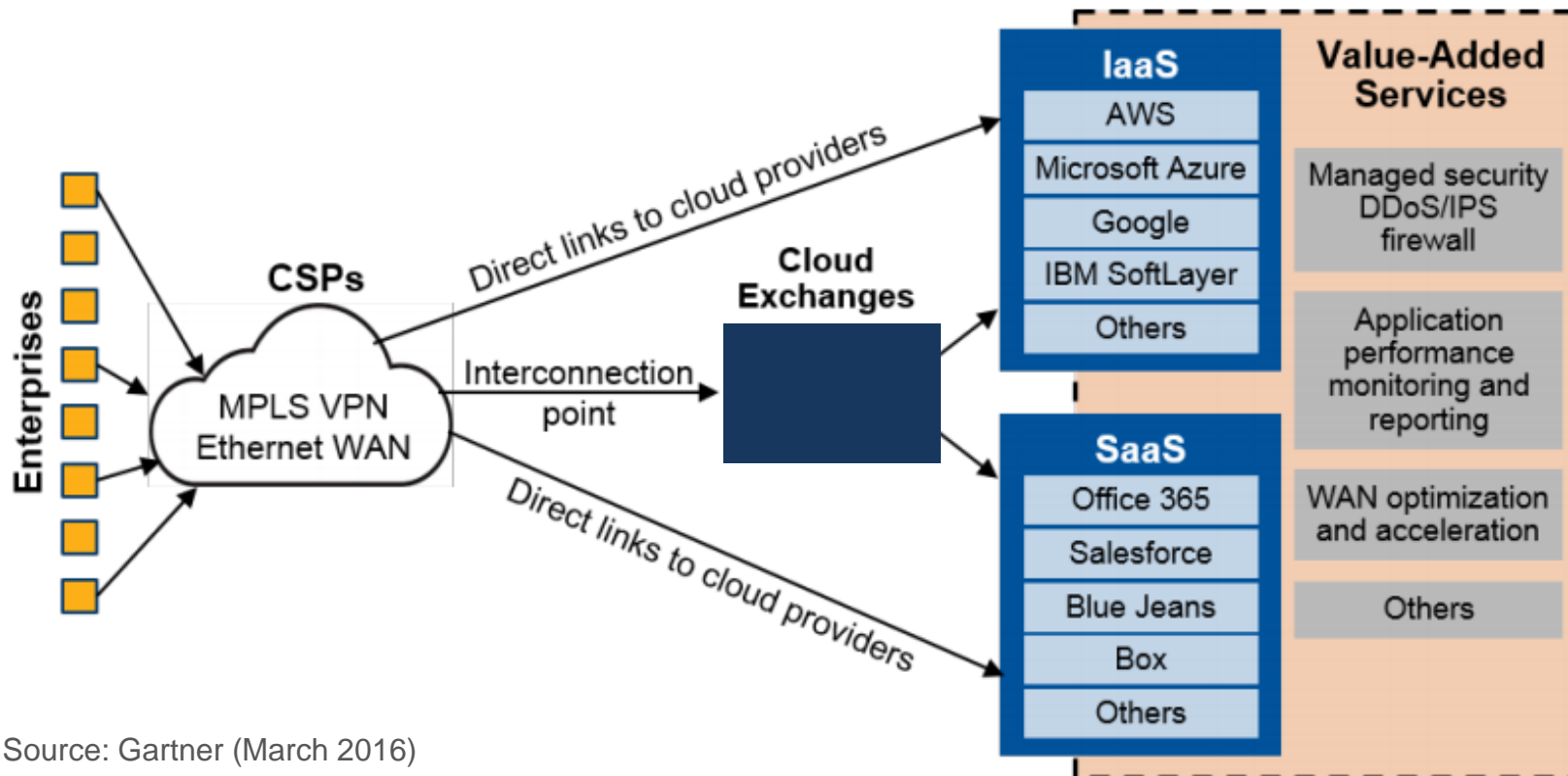
What is the hurdle?

Sample of 65 IT executives in the HK & SG  
Source: Workday & ServiceNow, 2016

# Journey to Cloud Gateway



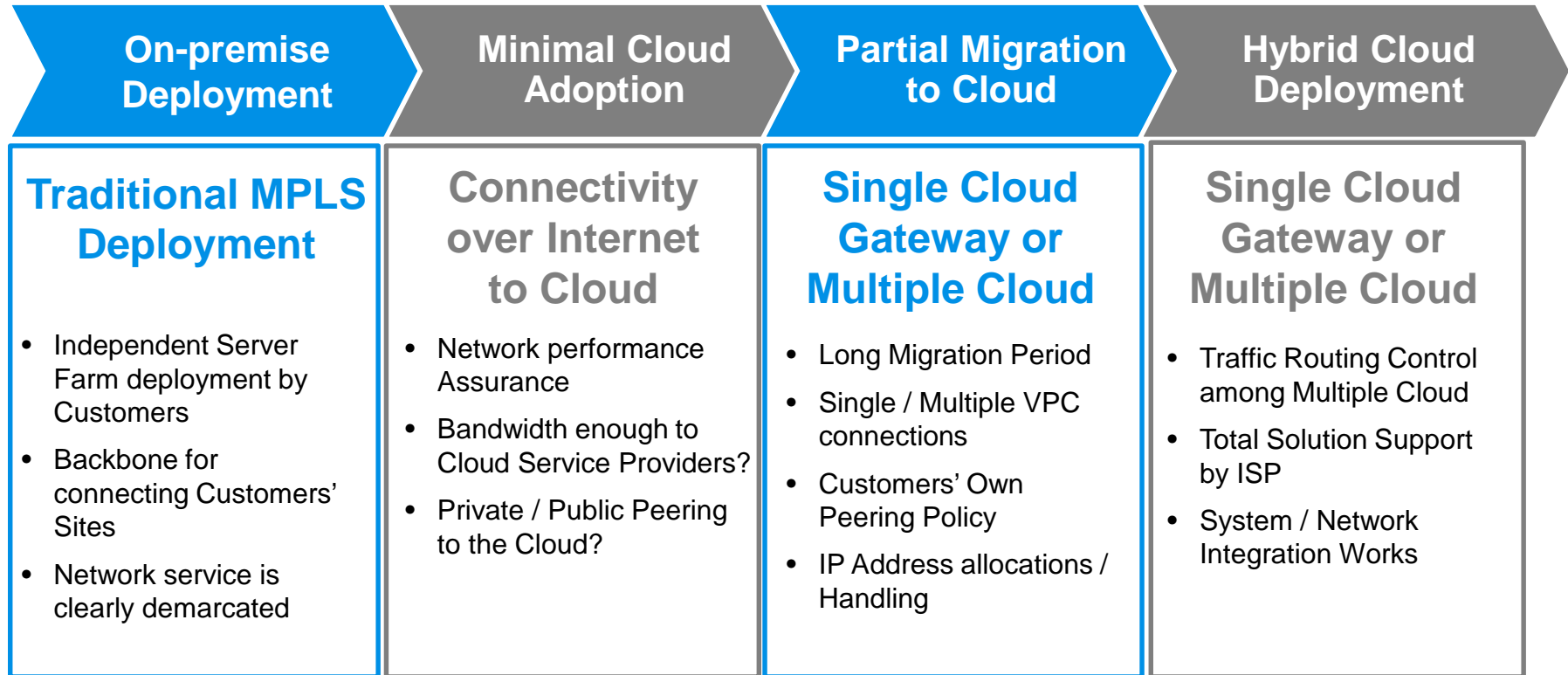
# Typical Direct Cloud Connect Approach



Source: Gartner (March 2016)

# Journey to Cloud Gateway

for ISP support to End-Customers





# Typical Enterprise Network Deployment

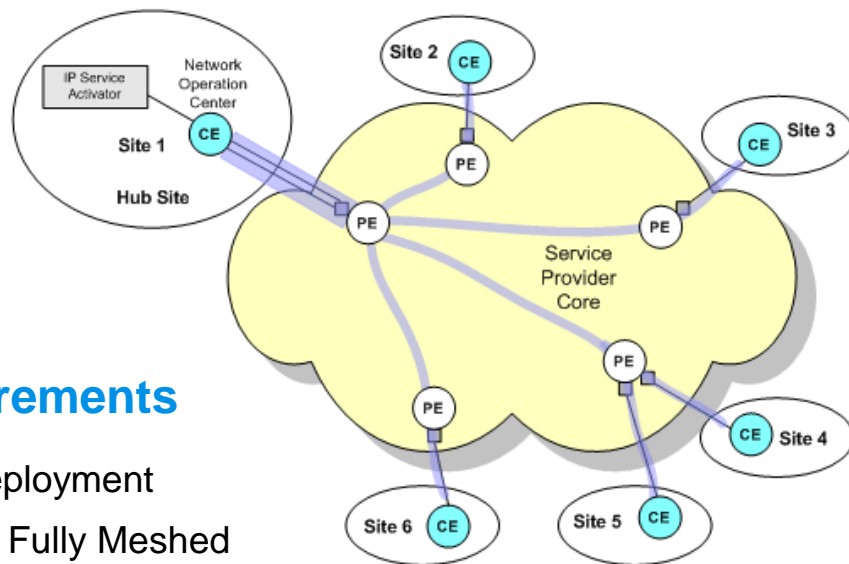
## On-premise Deployment

### Traditional MPLS Deployment

- Independent Server Farm deployment by Customers
- Backbone for connecting Customers' Sites
- Network service is clearly demarcated

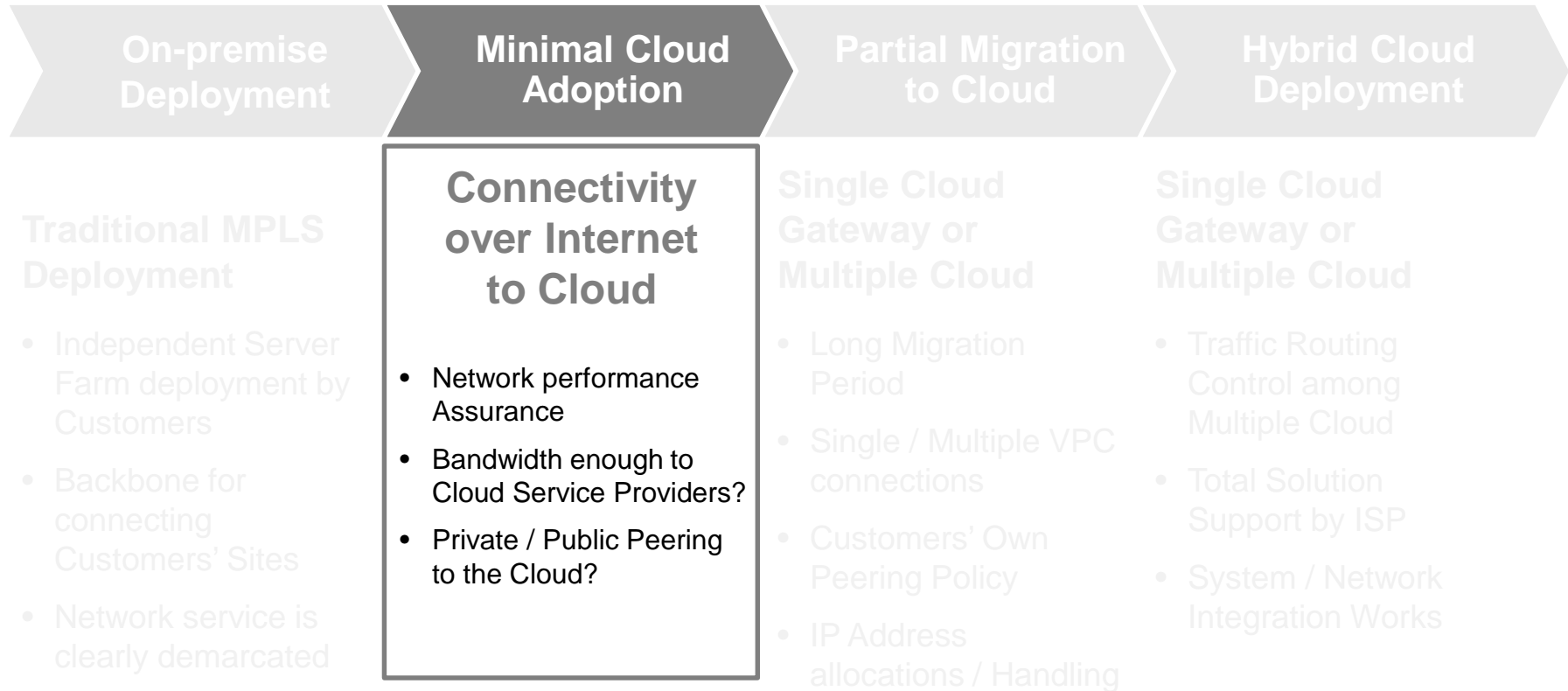
### Network Requirements

- VPLS / MPLS Deployment
- Spoke-and-Hub / Fully Meshed
- Highly scalable and Class-Of-Service expected
- Point-to-Point / Point-to-Multi-point Connection
- Clear Demarcation between Network and Server Farm



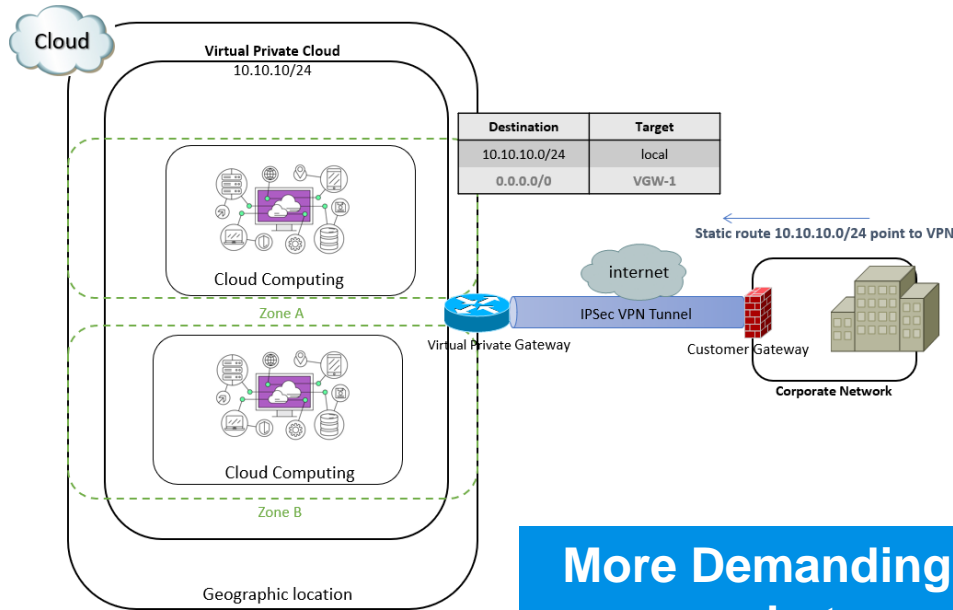
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# Connectivity at Cloud service

## (VPN over Internet Access)

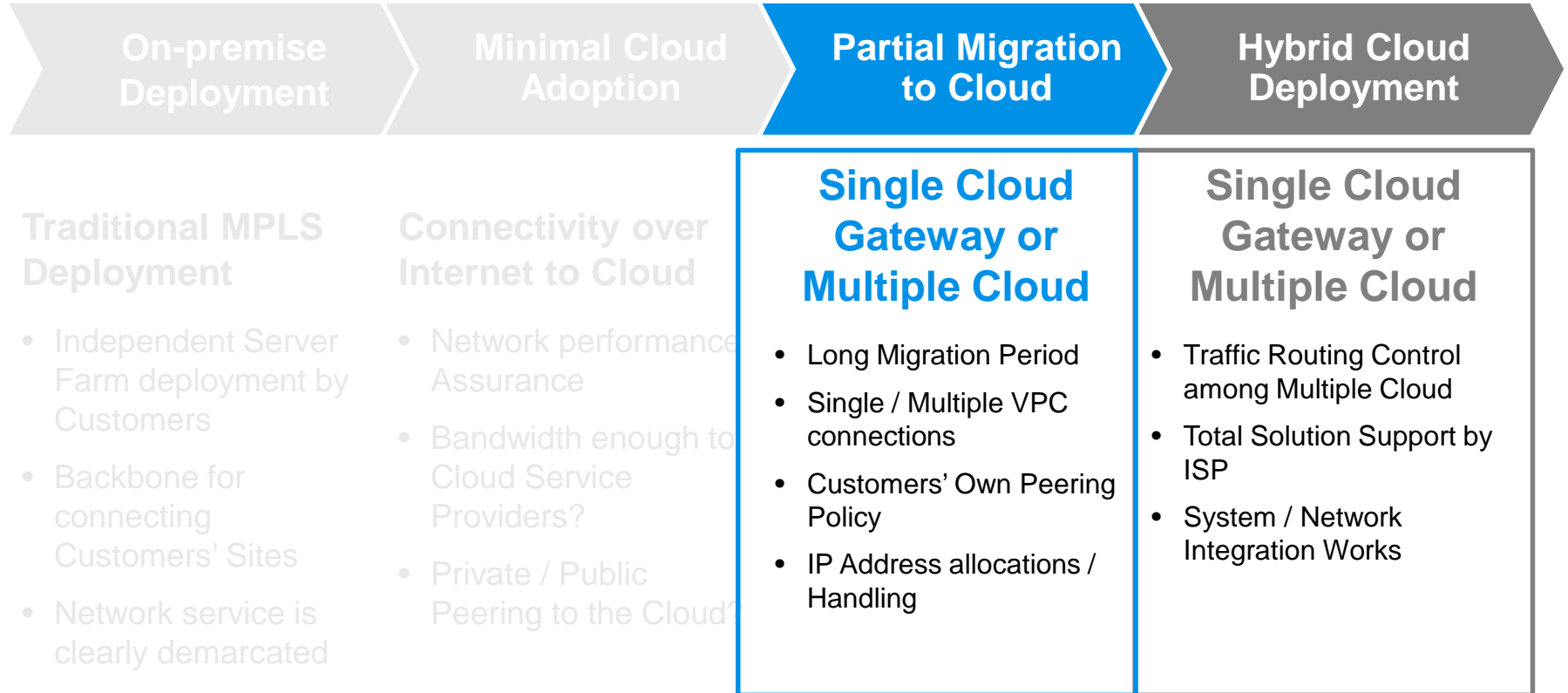


- Network / Server Farm is still independent with each other.
- Does the ISP have sufficient / resilient Peering link with the cloud service provider?
- What if something goes wrong in between ISP and the cloud service provider?
- Customers should have their own Peering Policy, somehow any trouble will be attributed to ISP.

**More Demanding in turning up Peering / NNI Link between ISP and Cloud Players**

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# Dominant Deployment Model

Hybrid Cloud + Colocation



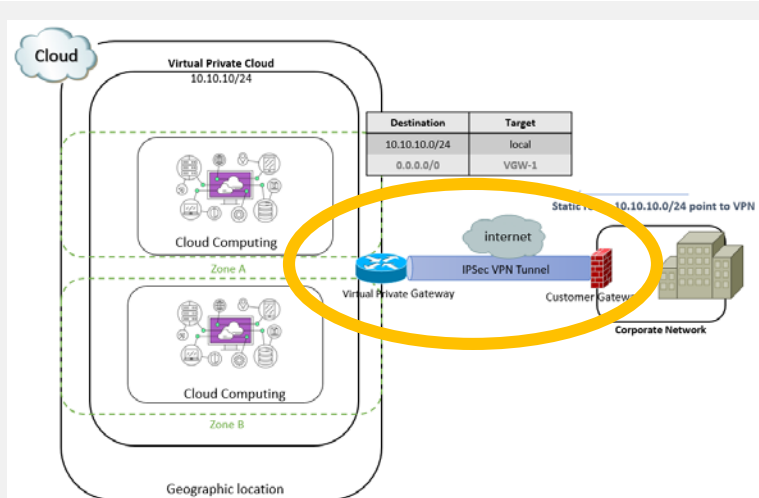
## Driving Force for Hybrid Cloud + Colocation

- Long Migration Period due to Technology Refreshment Cycle, i.e. Stringent Connectivity Requirement, e.g. Latency, Packet Loss, etc.
- Full migration to cloud is not acceptable, because sensitive / privacy data **MUST** be kept on-premise.
- Ordinance / Regulatory compliance for data kept locally.



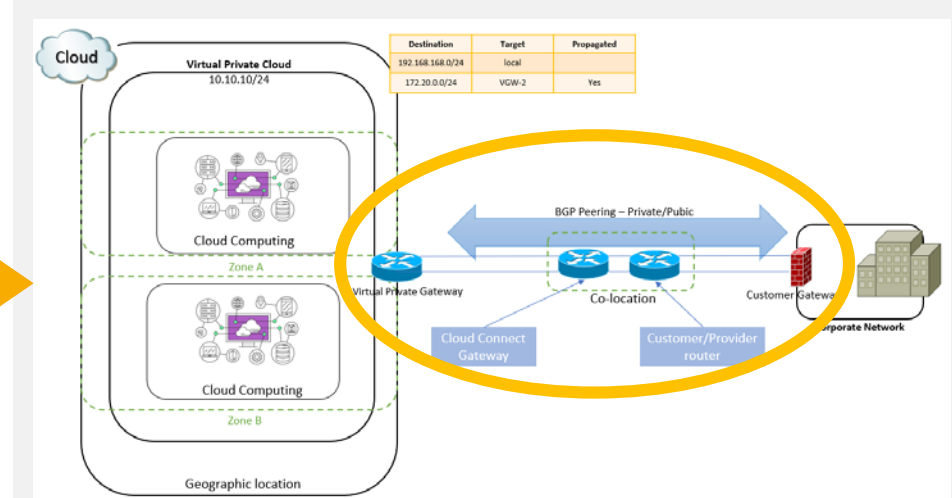
# Connectivity at Cloud Service

## VPN Transform into Dedicated Connection



### Site-to-site VPN

- End-Customers forms VPN tunnel over Internet.
- Speed and Latency requirement is stringent

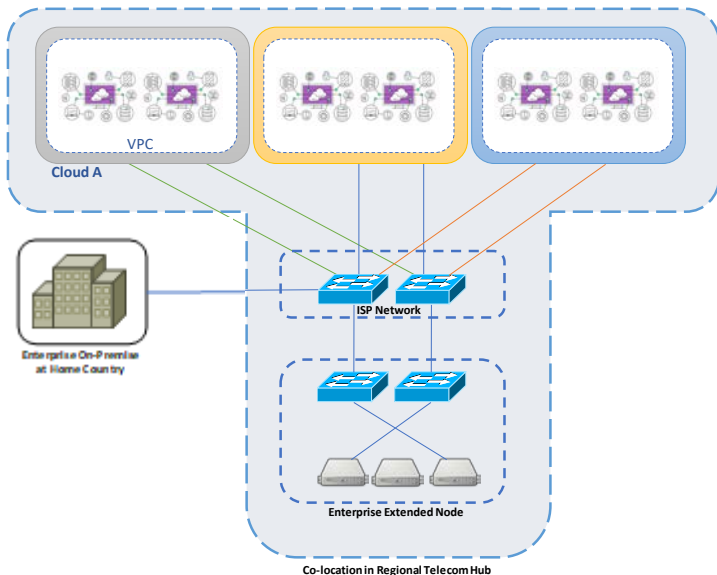


### Dedicated Connection

- End-Customers requires Direct / Dedicated Connection to Cloud.
- Total solution on End-to-End Connectivity, including the failover design, expected.

# How can a Regional ISP survive from this model?

Hybrid Cloud + Colocation + Long-haul Connectivity



## Typical Use Case By Regional ISP

- More Secure and Reliable Cloud Connections **[From Home Country]**
- Economy Solution for Multi-Cloud Connectivity **[Cost savings in Long-haul Connectivity]**

## Value Proposition

- Connectivity Provider
- 1-Stop-Solution at 2 Cloud across geo-locations
- Multiple Cloud Connectivity

## Areas to be covered by ISP

### 1. Enterprise On-Premise Connections

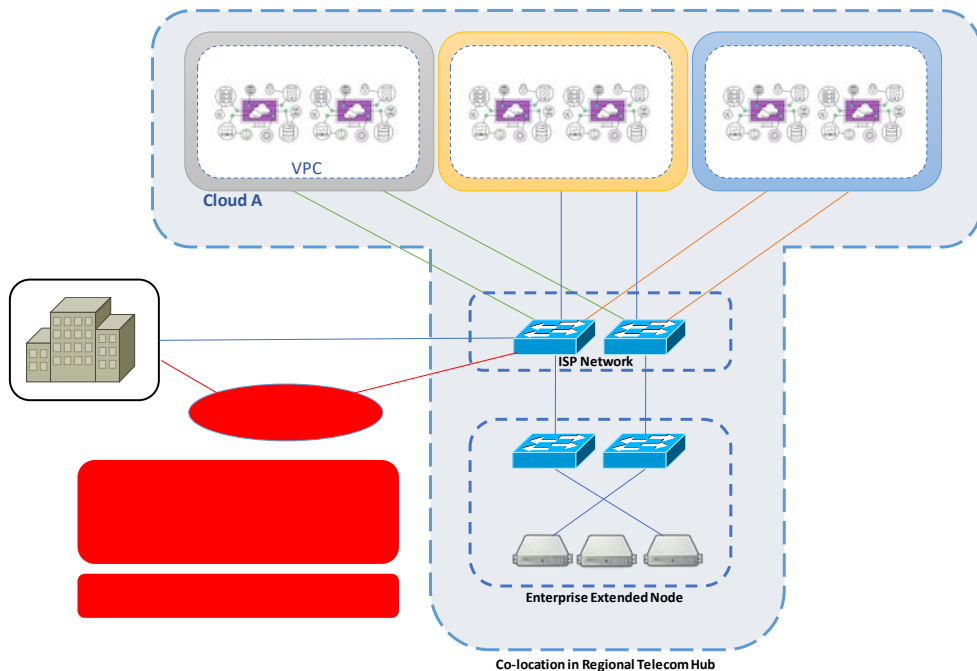
To support transacting requirement between On-premise node to Cloud

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## Colocation Site for Enterprise Node

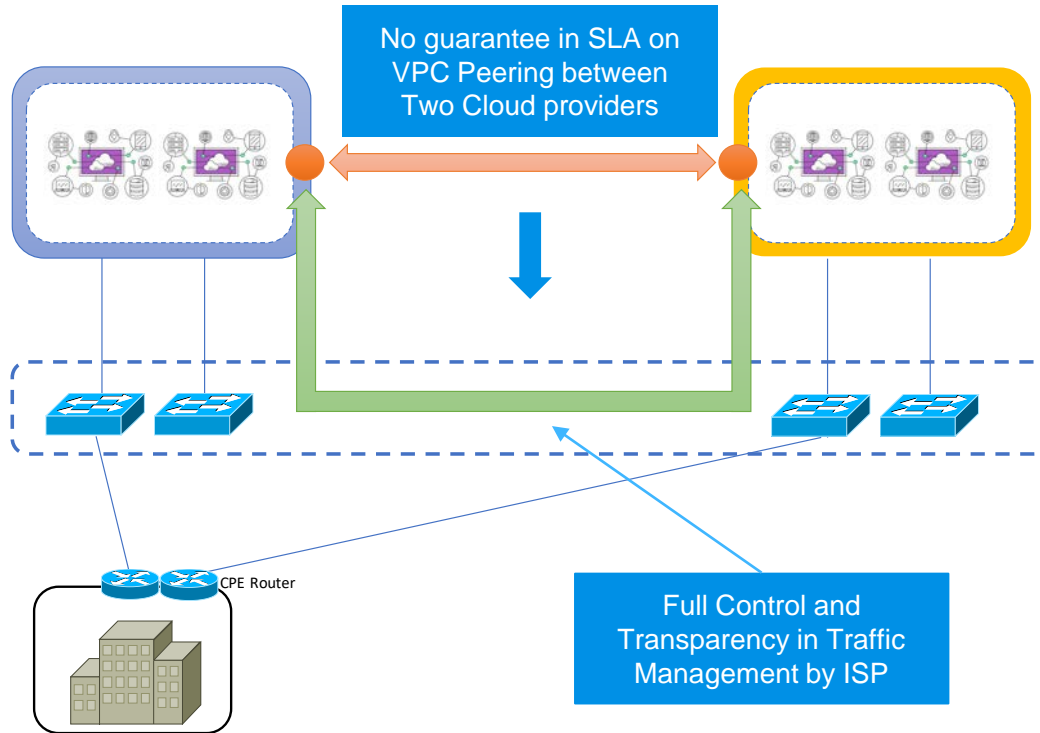
- Latency sensitive and high usage workloads can be accommodated
- Less expensive and More Robustness Cross-border Solution



- Less Expensive DIA Service is enough
- More Robustness Solution

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## VPC Peering within ISP Own Network

- PoP at Regional Hubs
- Backbone deployed from Home Country to Regional Hubs

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- Full Control in Network Path and Performance
  - Transparency to End-Customers

# Internet Data Centre is the Key

Support Journey To Peering World And Cloud Gateway



Capacity Sales  
& Purchase



Internet  
Peering



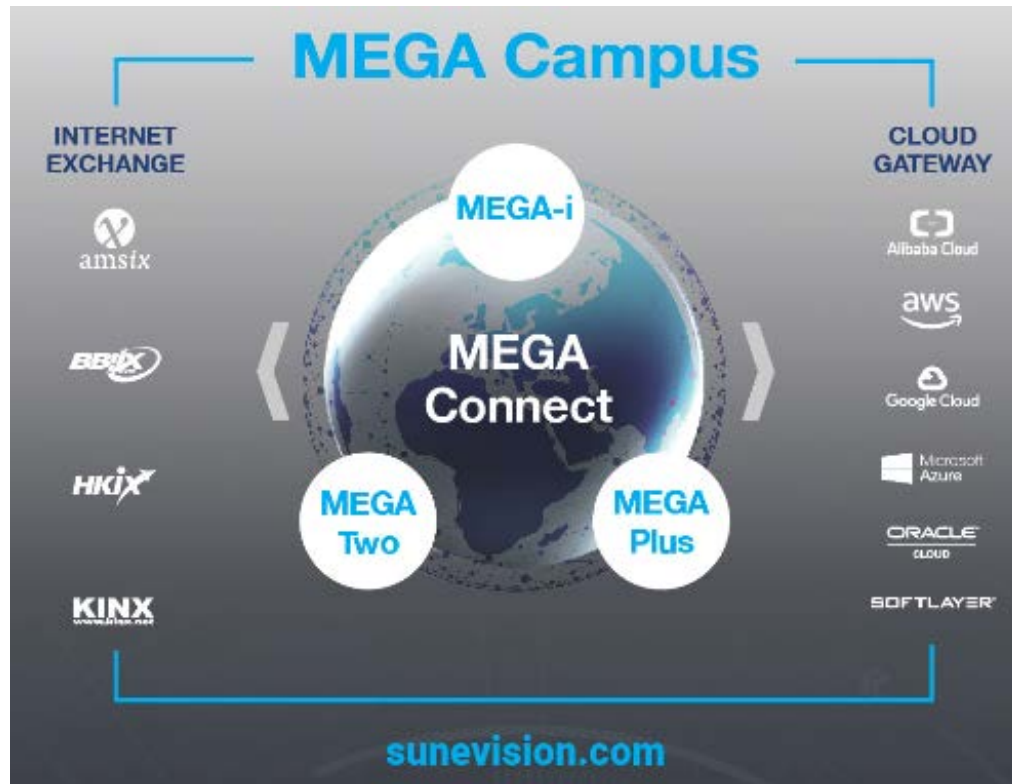
Cloud Service  
Access

# Internet Data Centre Ecosystem



# Typical Deployment Model

Hybrid Cloud + Colocation



## PoP

### Multiple Connections Supported by MEGA Connect

- Multi Cloud Vendors
- Direct Connect
- Connecting With Major ISPs / Upstream Carriers
- Connect To iAIX



# Journey is Challenging, but Benefits Worth to Proceed

## PEERING

- Transform from to IP Transit / CDN Seller
- Use **Online Tools** to Locate Peering Partners
- Leverage **Network Density Hub**

## CLOUD PEERING

- Overcome **Geographical Hurdles** in Asia Pacific
- Embrace **Uses Case** in Colo / Hybrid Cloud

## COLOCATION

## HIGH NETWORK DENSITY

## CAN DEFINITELY HELP





【道德經】老子  
千里之行，始於足下。

**Morality - Laozi**

“A thousand mile journey begins with the first step”

# Thank You!



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