

# What You Make Possible



# Synchronisation in Packet-Based Networks (SyncE/IEEE1588-2008)

BRKSPG-2170

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# Motivation for Synchronisation in Packet-based Networks

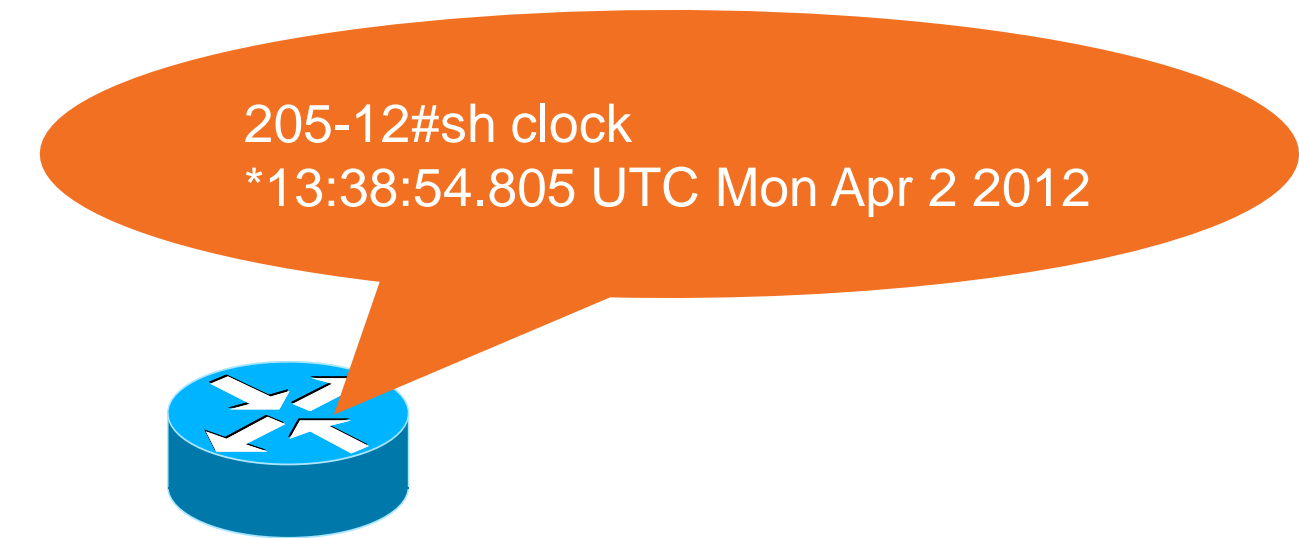
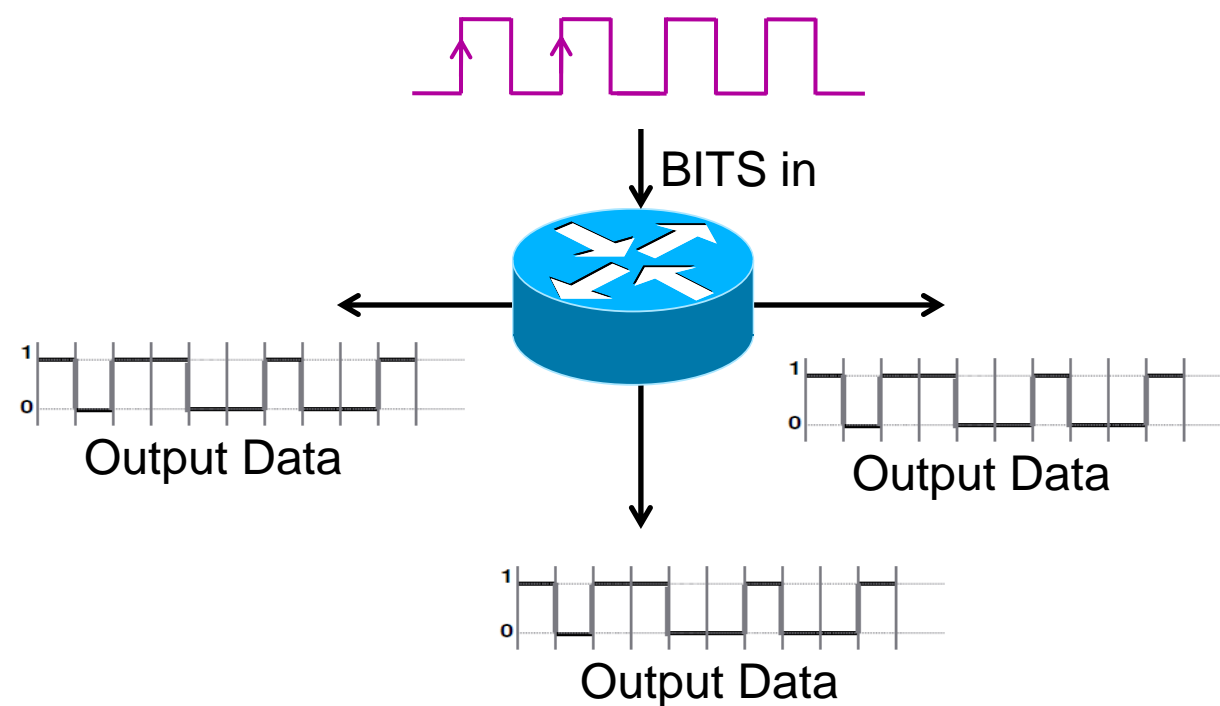


# There are two “Things” to synchronise

Frequency and Time

 Frequency

 Time





Service Providers



Industrial Solutions



Smart Grid

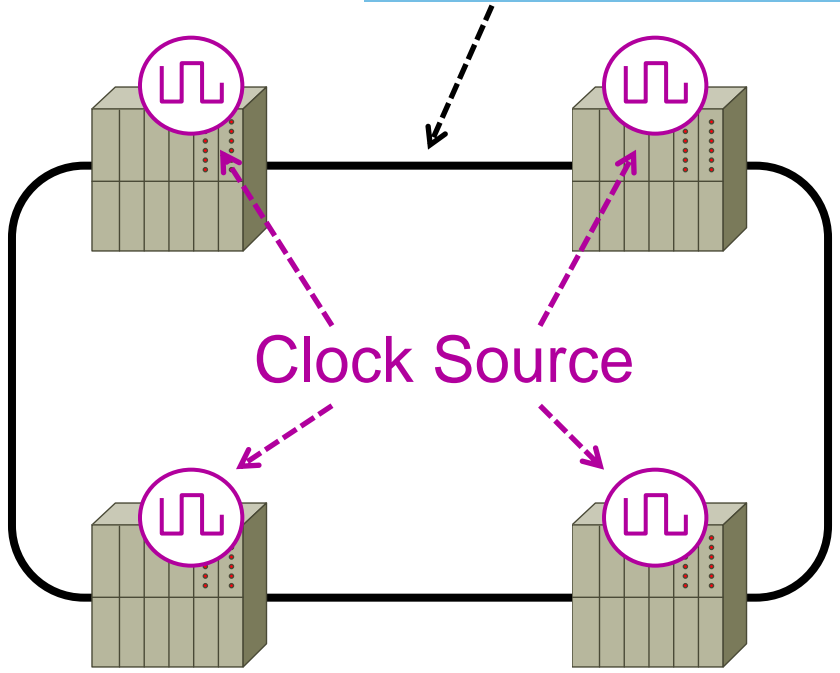
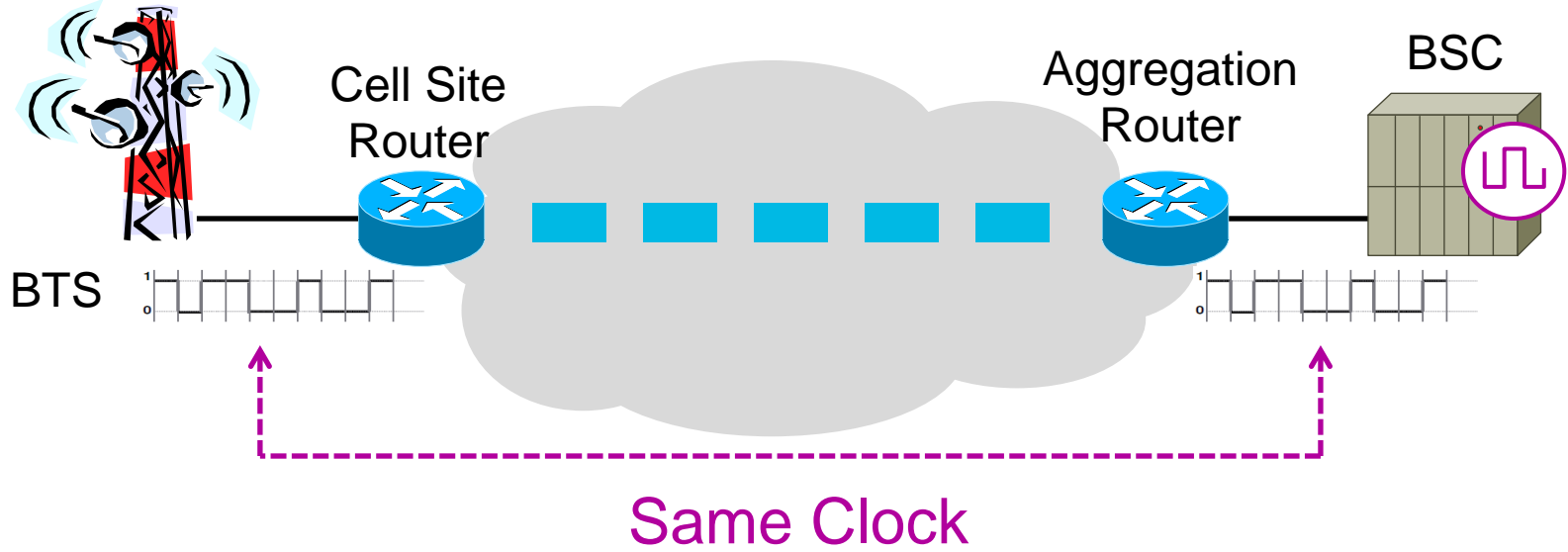
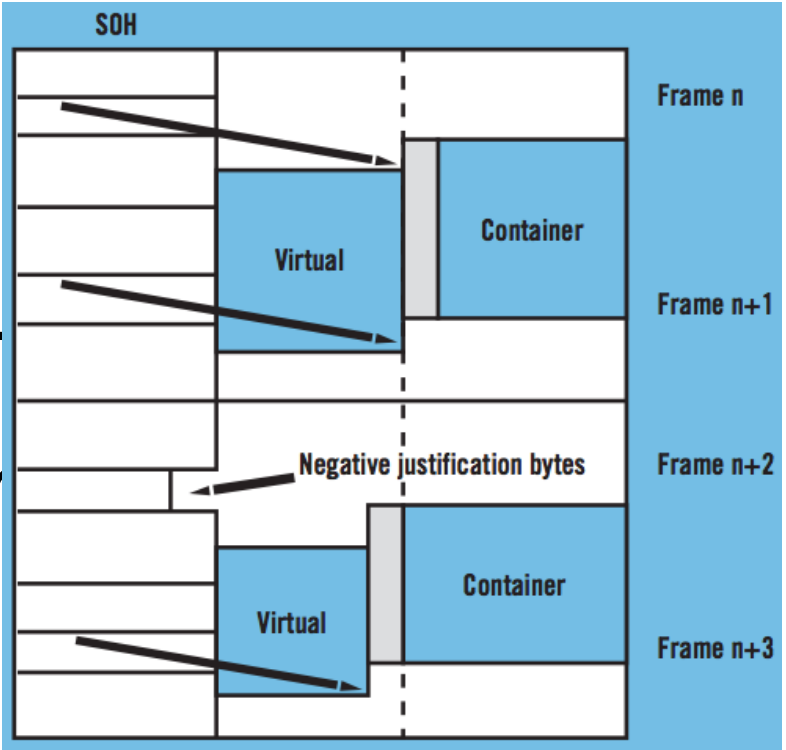


High Frequency Trading

# Why do we need to synchronise Frequency?

## Frequency Applications

- Avoid Slips on TDM Interfaces (E1/T1, ...)
- Make Synchronous Networks work (SONET/SDH)
- 2G and 3G Radio Access Network (RAN) Deployment

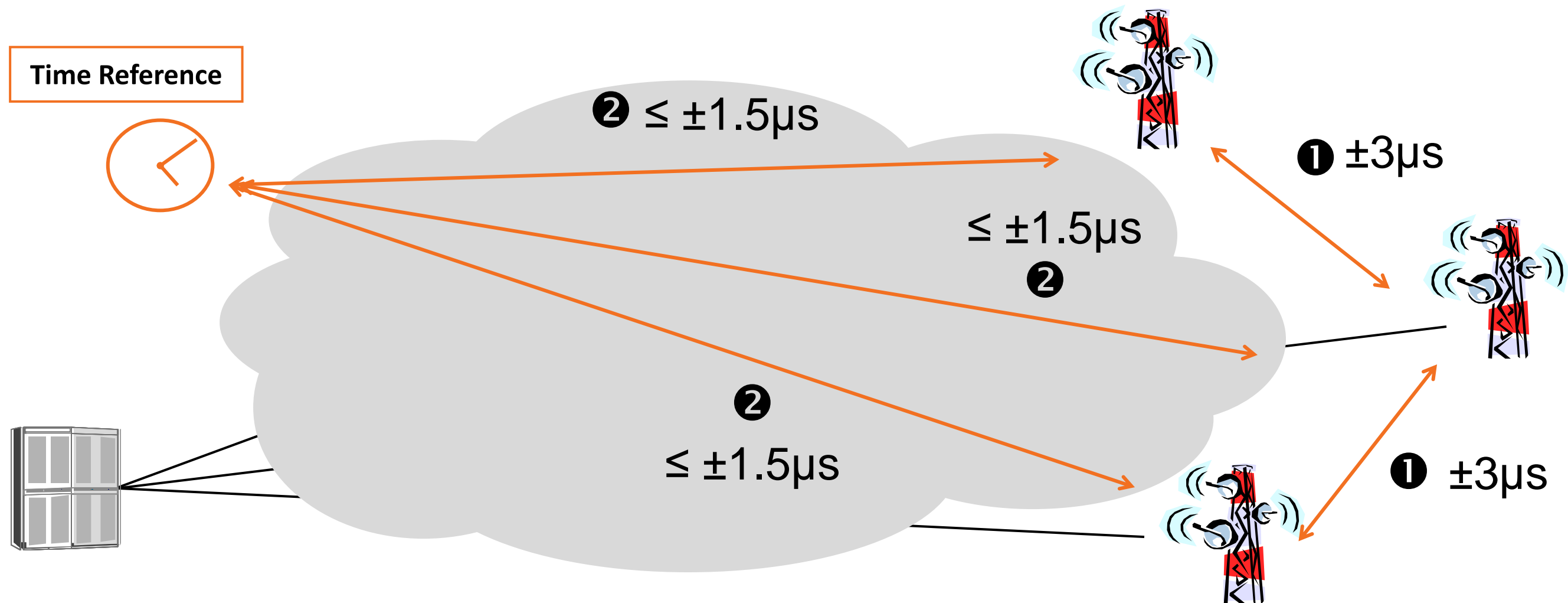


RAN ... Radio Access Network; TDM ... Time Division Multiplexing;  
SONET ... Synchronous Optical Network; SDH ... Synchronous Digital Hierarchy

# Why do we need to synchronise Time?

## Time Applications – Mobile Network LTE TDD

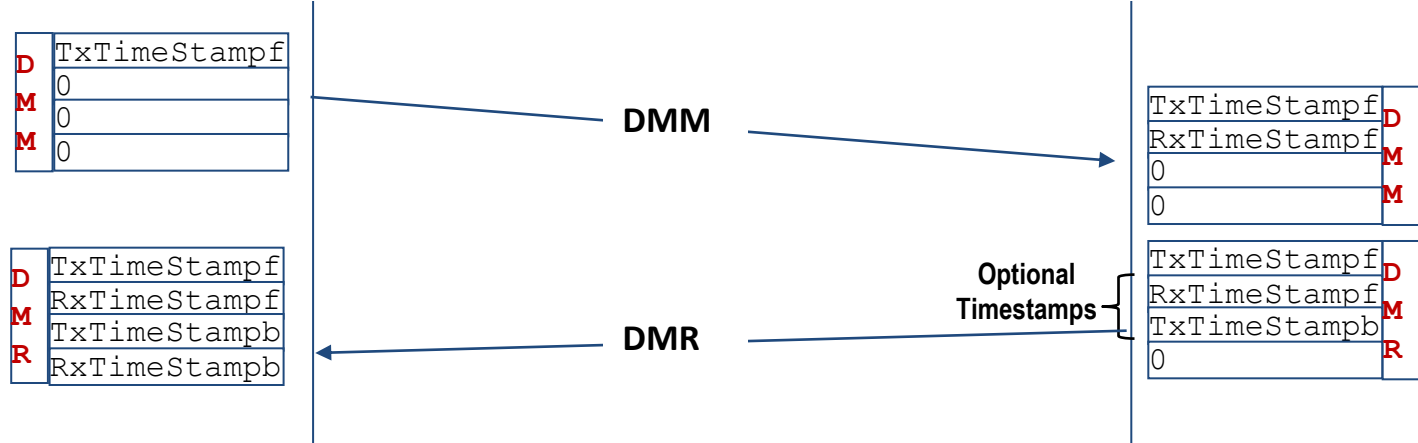
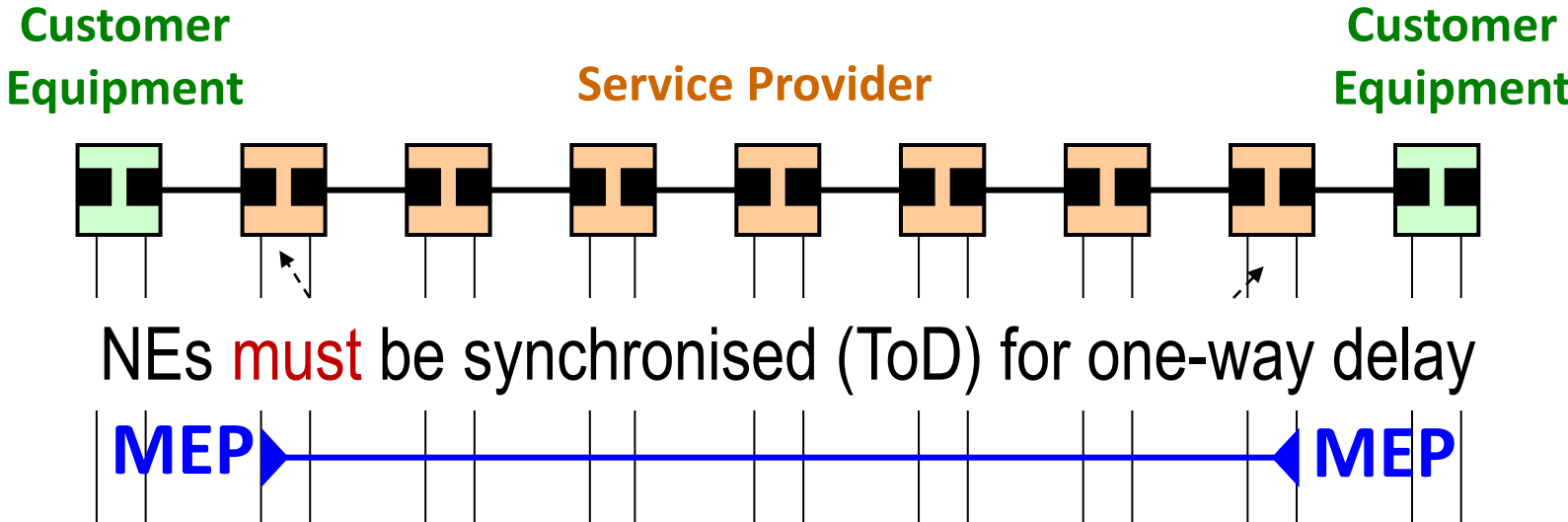
- 1 Ex: Application requirement from 3GPP:  $\pm 3\mu\text{s}$  between BS (WCDMA/LTE TDD)
- 2 Ex: Network objective :  $\leq \pm 1.5\mu\text{s}$  from common reference





# Why do we need to synchronise Time?

## Time Applications – Y.1731 Performance Management



**Two-Way Delay**

$$(RxTimeStampb - TxTimeStampf) - (TxTimeStampb - RxTimeStampf)$$

**One-Way Delay (Forward)**

$$RxTimeStampf - TxTimeStampf$$

**One-Way Delay (Backward)**

$$RxTimeStampb - TxTimeStampb$$

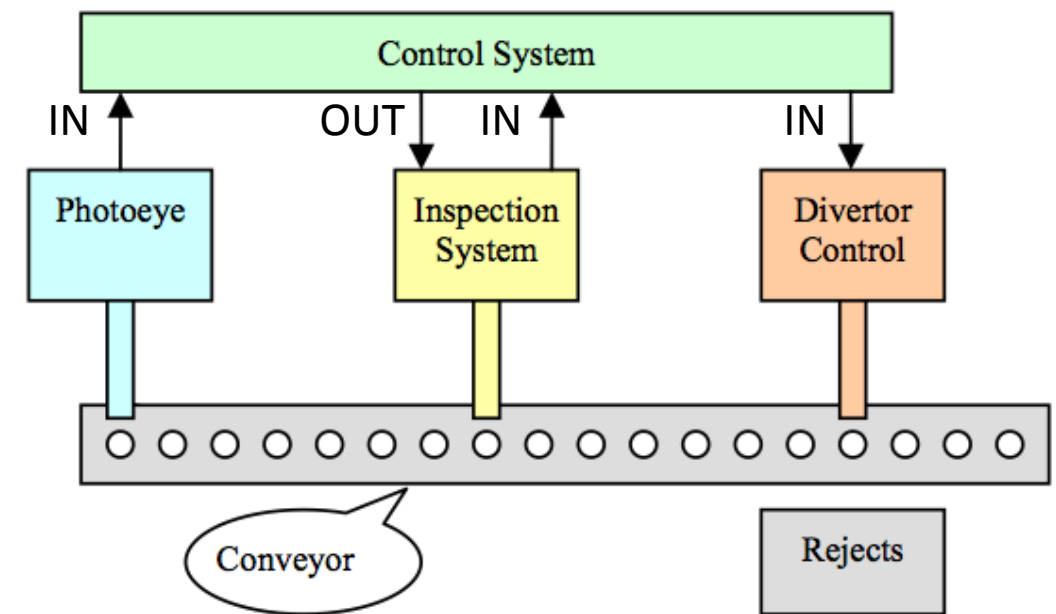
ToD ... Time of Day; NE ... Network Element; MEP ... Maintenance End Point



# Why do we need to synchronise Time?

## Time Applications – Industrial Ethernet

- Traditional Scan-based control operation subject to large input-output jitter
  - Part resolution = 122 msec jitter
  - Maximum speed =  $1/122 = \sim 8$  parts/sec
  - Maximum ppm =  $8 \times 60 = 480$  parts/sec
- Time-based control greatly reduces jitter and maximises conveyor belt output
  - Part resolution = 12.4 msec jitter
  - Maximum speed =  $1/12.4 = \sim 80$  parts/sec
  - Maximum ppm =  $80 \times 60 = 4,800$  parts/sec



Jitter or Delay Source	Delay	Jitter (Scan-based)	Jitter (Time-based)
Input	0.2 msec	10 msec	0
Input Network	1 msec	1 msec	0
Controller	10 msec	100 msec	0
Output Network	1 msec	1 msec	0
Output	0.2 msec	10 msec	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>12.4 msec</b>	<b>122 msec</b>	<b>0</b>

Source: Rockwell, IEEE

# Why you don't want to rely on GNSS only

Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) – aka GPS, COMPASS, Galileo, ...

## ■ Reasons for using GPS

- nearly available everywhere
- A GPS disciplined oscillator can provide time accurate to within 100ns

## ■ Reasons for not using GPS

- see statement on [www.pnt.gov](http://www.pnt.gov), from Nov 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2010
  - GPS should not be used as the unique reference in any critical civilian system
- Reliability (very weak satellite signal)
- Attacks (jamming and spoofing)
- Cost of installation
- Local Distribution (Splitters, Amplifiers, ...)



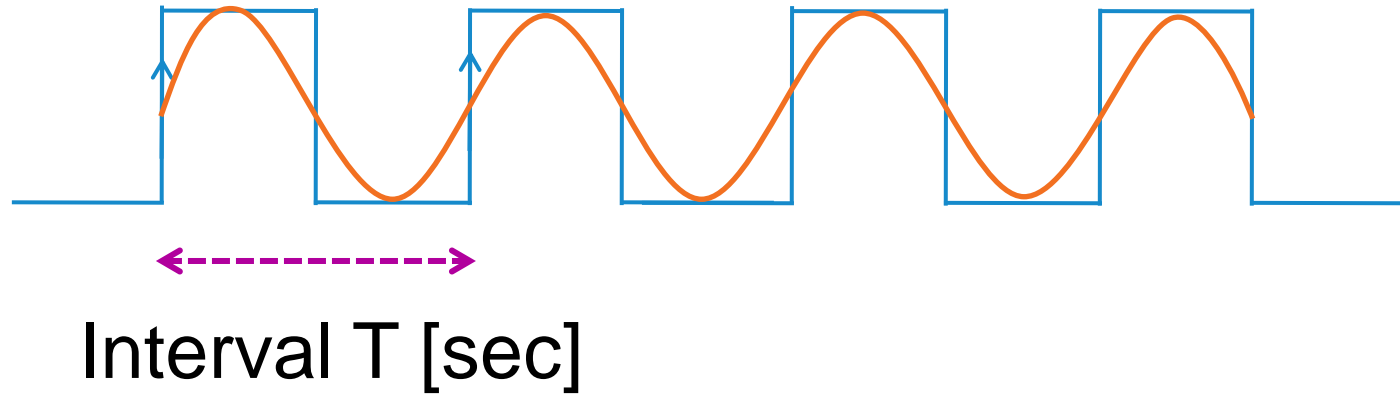
GPS Jammer  
Handheld

# Frequency Synchronisation Overview



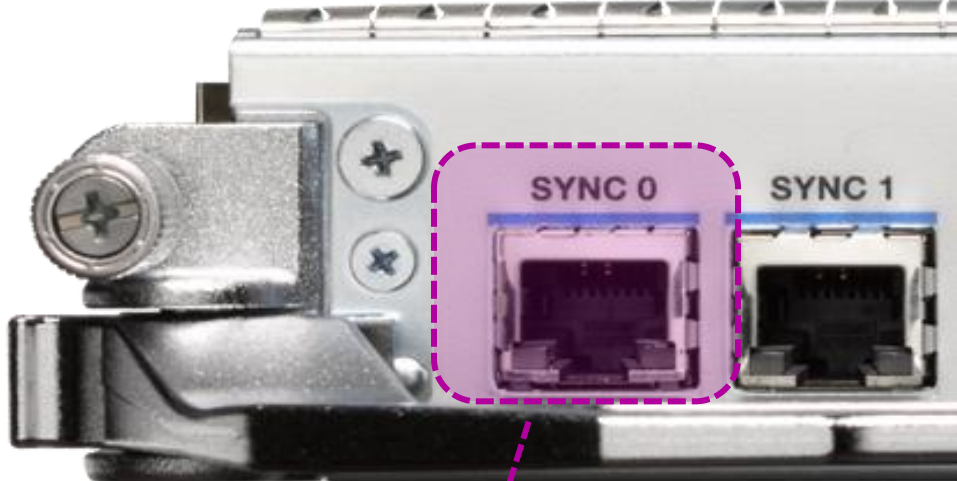
# Frequency – Closer Look

**Frequency = 1 / T [Hz]**



- Typical External Timing Interfaces
  - 2,048 kHz
  - E1/T1 Framed
  - 10 MHz

■ **Sine** or **Square** Waves possible

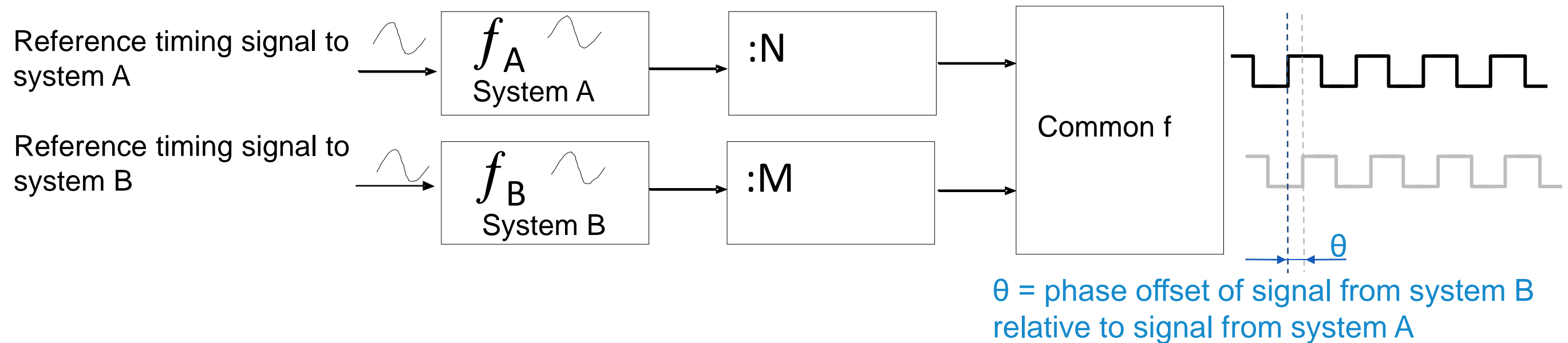


**Typically BITS**  
Pins 1&2 = External Timing Input  
Pins 4&5 = External Timing Output



**Line Interfaces**  
1GE, 10GE, ...

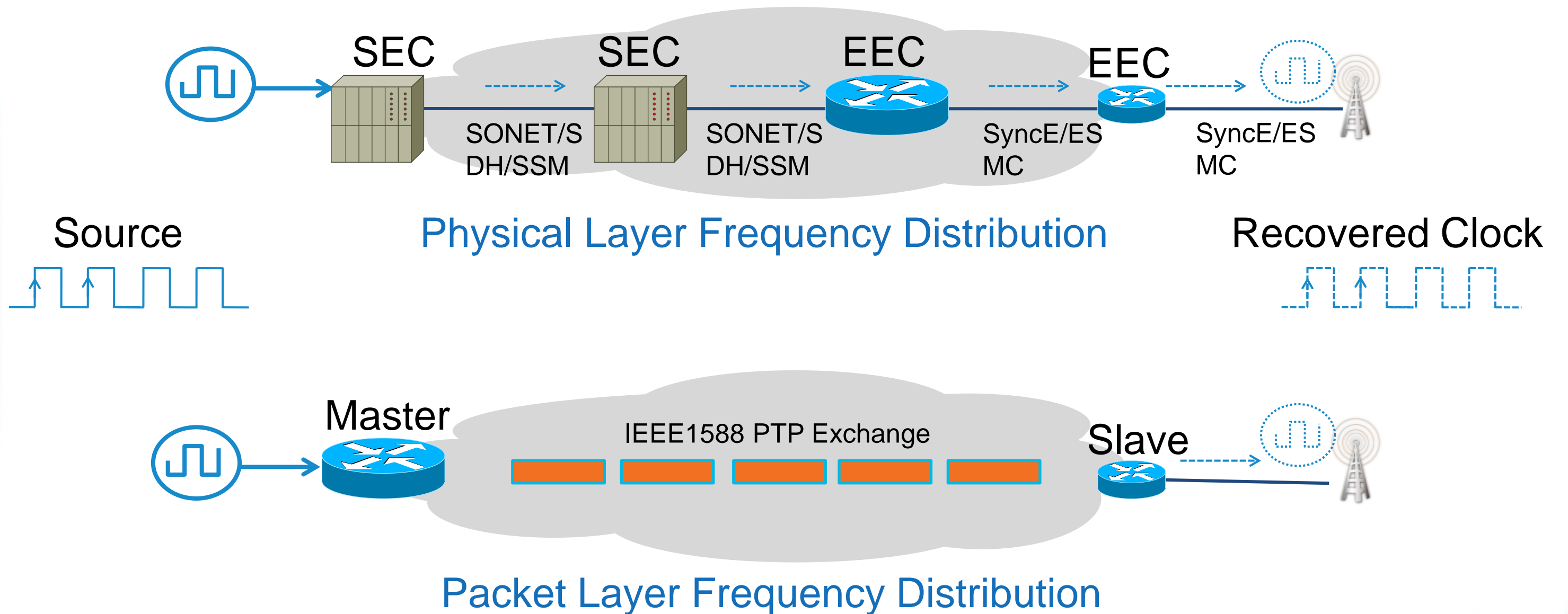
# Frequency Synchronisation



- Two clocks are **frequency synchronised** if the frequency of the two clocks have **common denominator**.
- Two clocks are called plesiochronous if the difference in their common denominator is bounded.
- The difference in **position of rising edges** of the clocks is called **phase offset**.
- Two common frequencies which have constant phase offset are **phase-locked** and **implicitly frequency synchronised**.

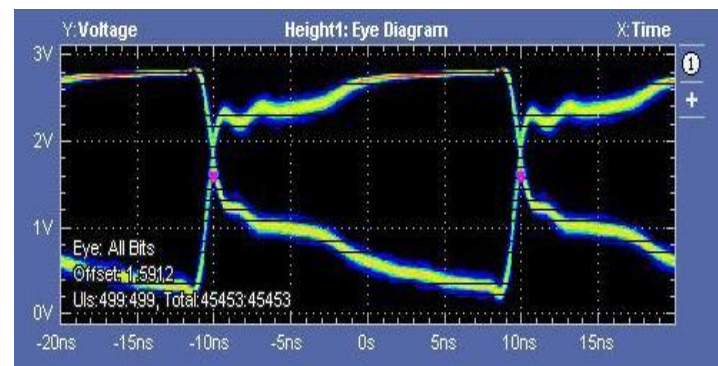
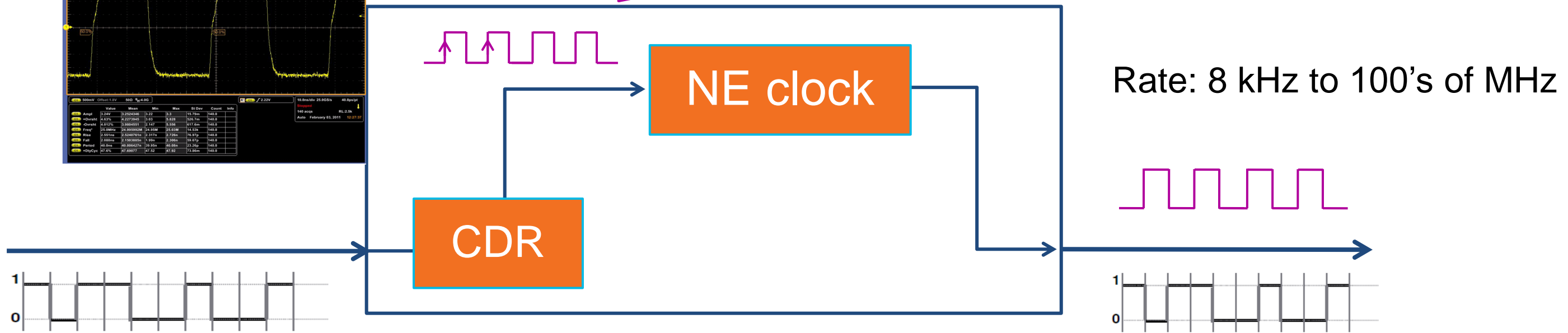
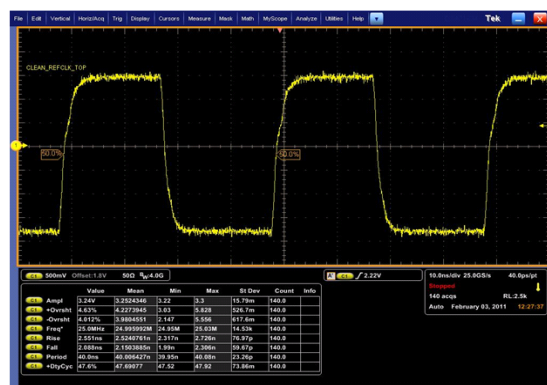
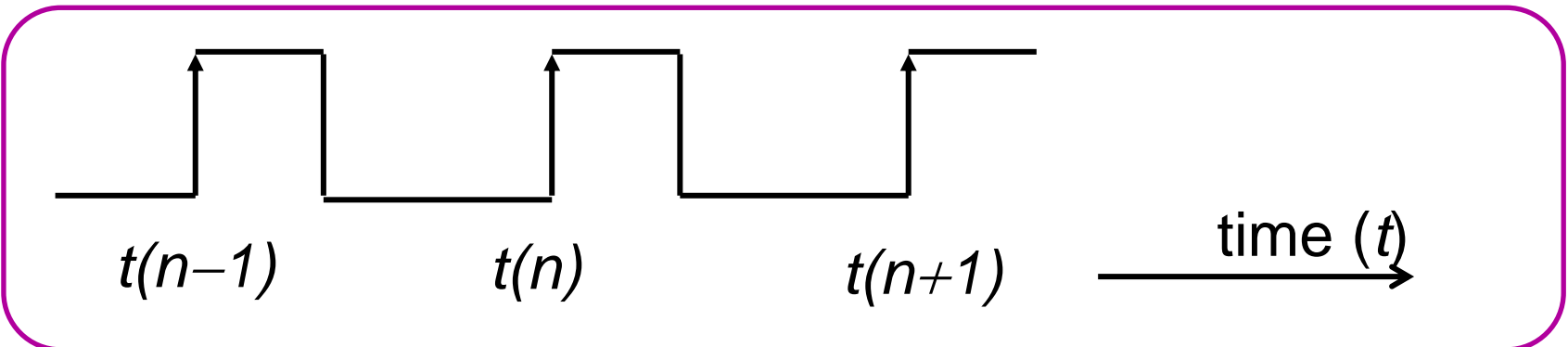
# Frequency Distribution

Physical or Packet Layer distributing Frequency



SEC ... Synchronous Equipment Clock; EEC ... Ethernet Equipment Clock; SSM ... Synchronous Status Messaging  
ESMC ... Ethernet Synchronous Messaging Channel; PTP ... Precision Time Protocol

# Physical Layer Frequency Distribution



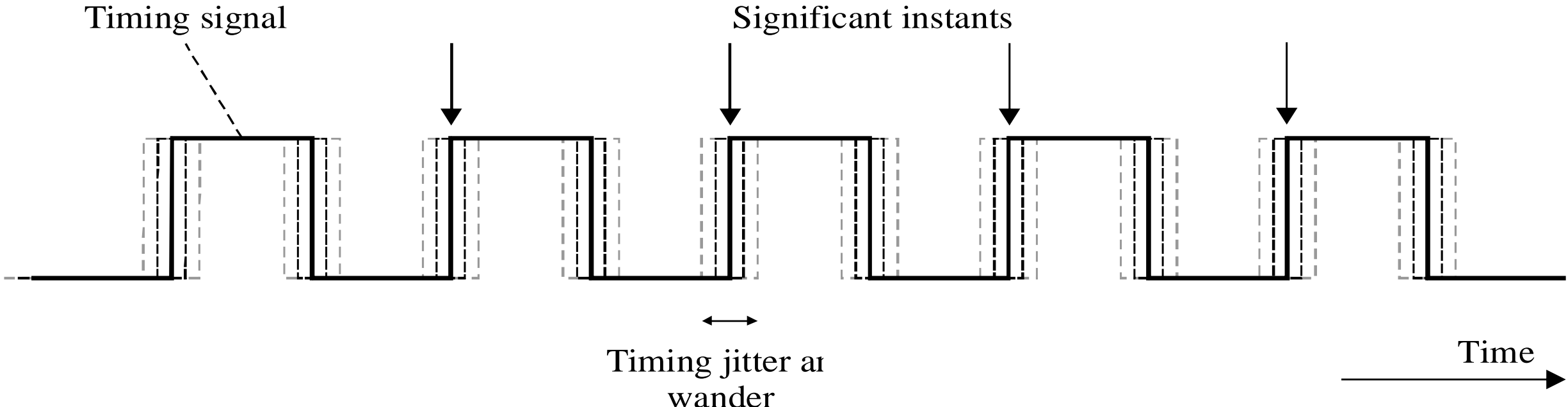
- The timing signal is typically implemented as a periodic digital signal.



# Significant Instants – Physical Distribution

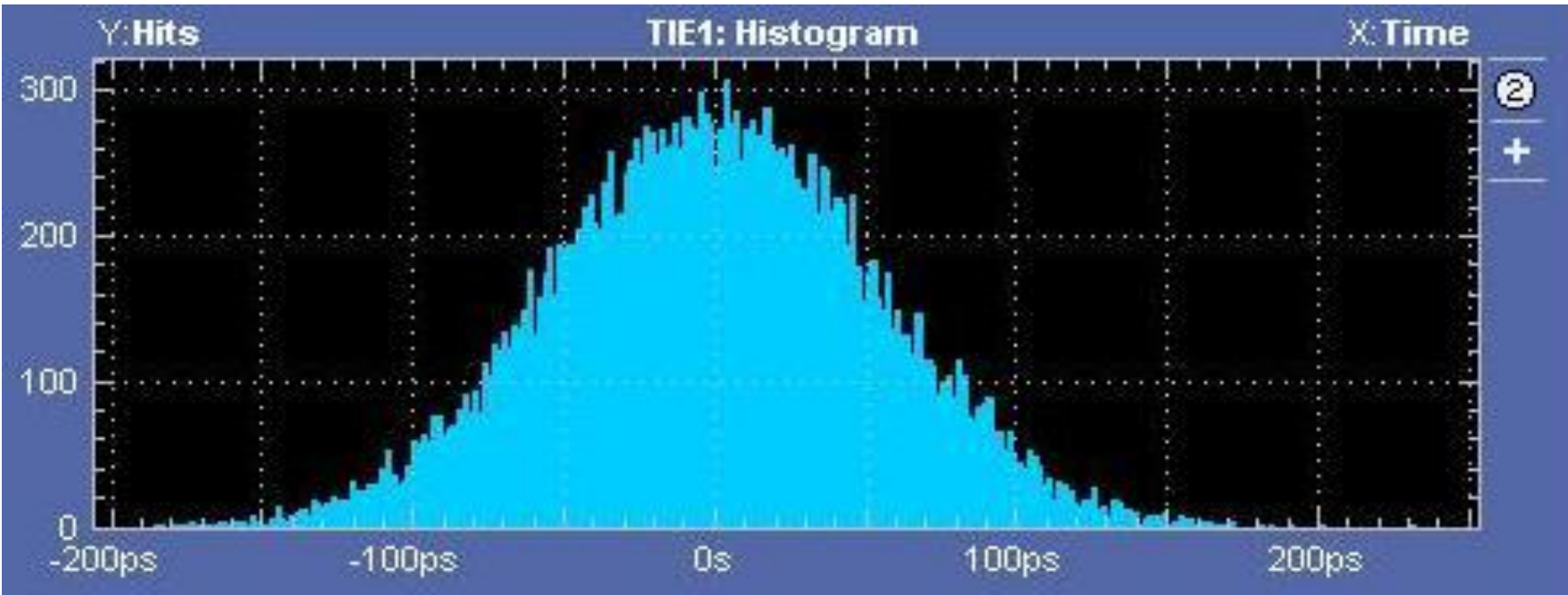
## Timing Signal and Noise

Rate: 8 kHz to 100's of MHz



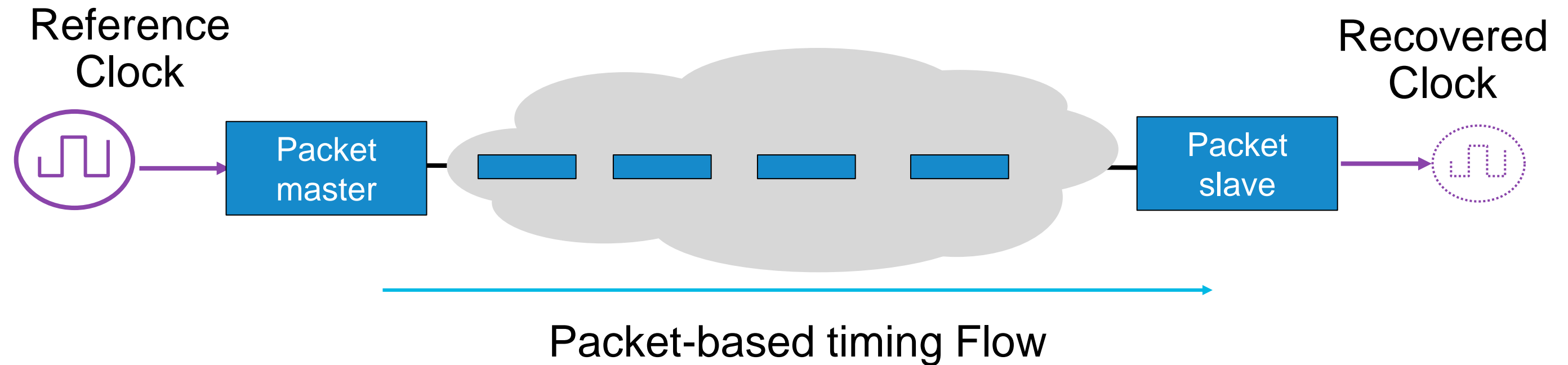
Source: ITU-T G.8260 (201007)

Example : 25 MHz signal



# Packet-based Frequency Distribution

Adaptive Clock Recovery (ACR) or IEEE1588 Precision Time Protocol (PTP)

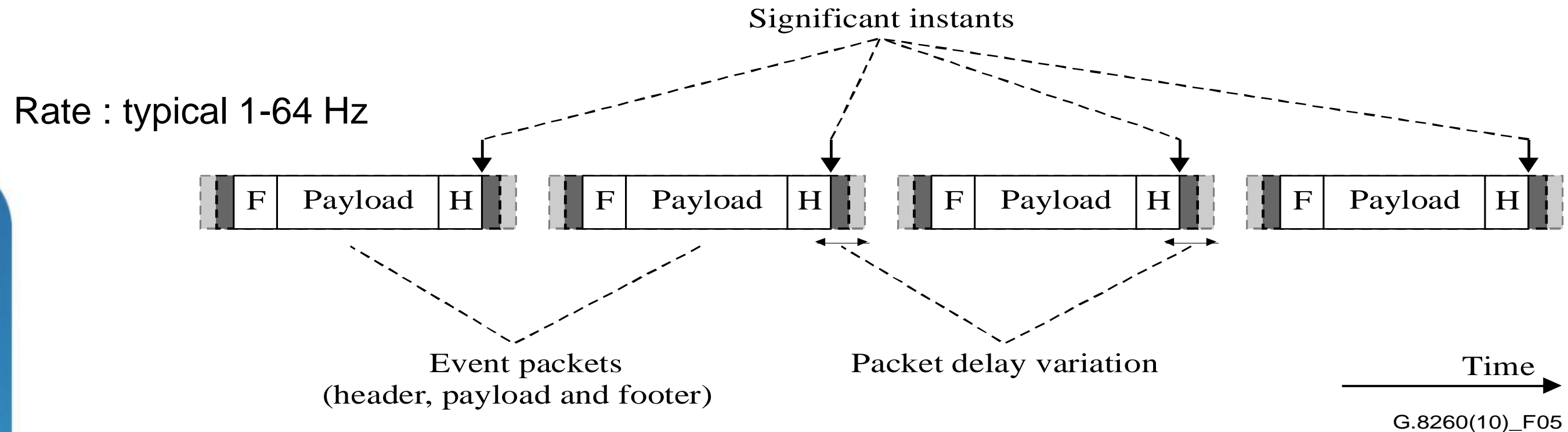


- Three key steps:

- **Generation**: from physical signal to packet
- **Transfer**: timing events (frame or packet flow) transmission over packet network
- **Recovery**: from packet-based signal to physical signal

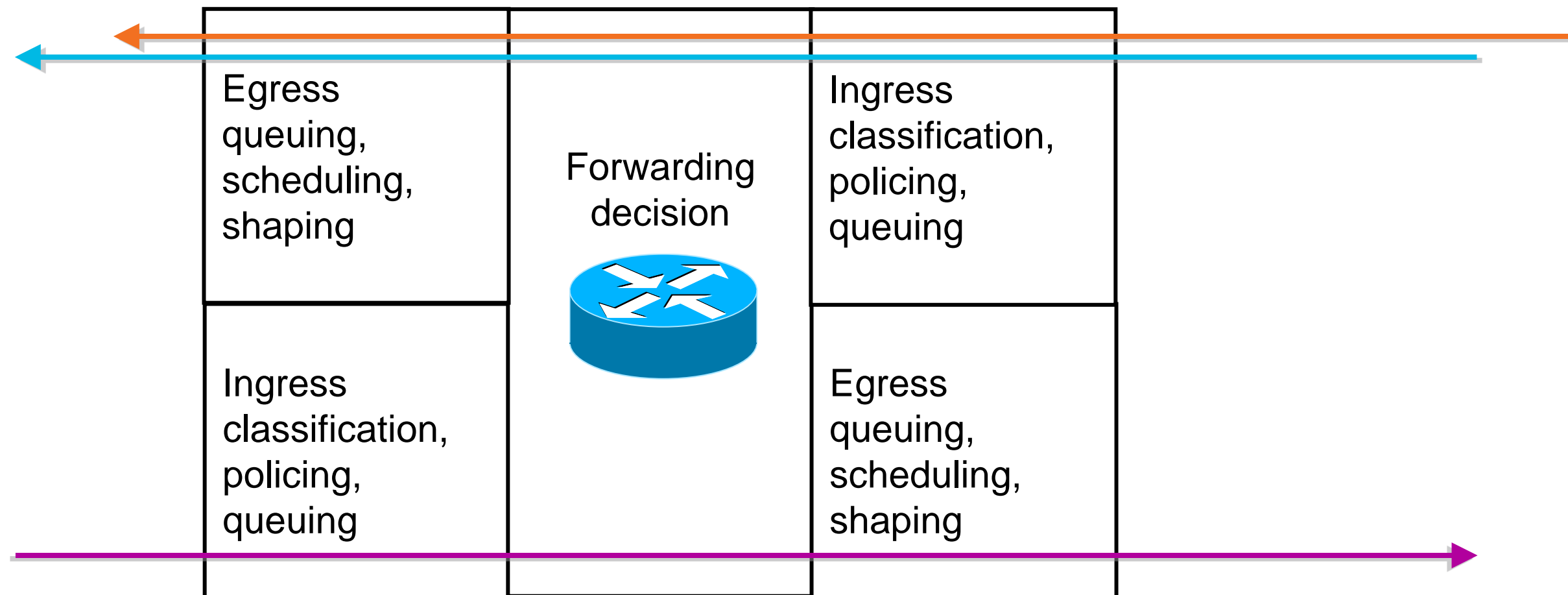
# Significant Instants Packet-based Distribution

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- Timing signal could either be
  - periodic (e.g., CES) or
  - aperiodic (e.g., NTP, PTP) with
- Additional information (e.g., **timestamps**) defining the ideal position in time of the significant instant relative to a master time scale.

# Typical Router/Switch Architecture



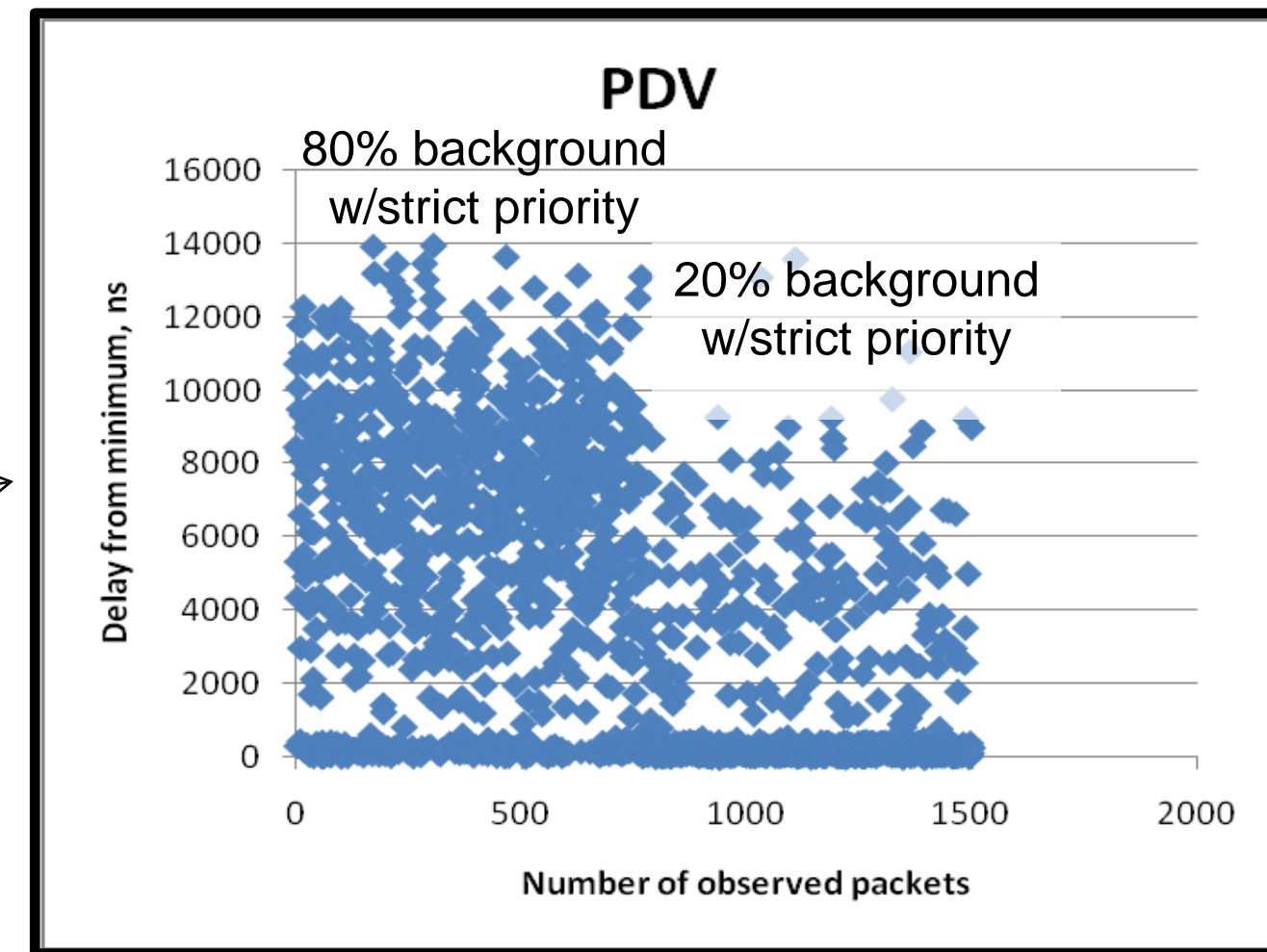
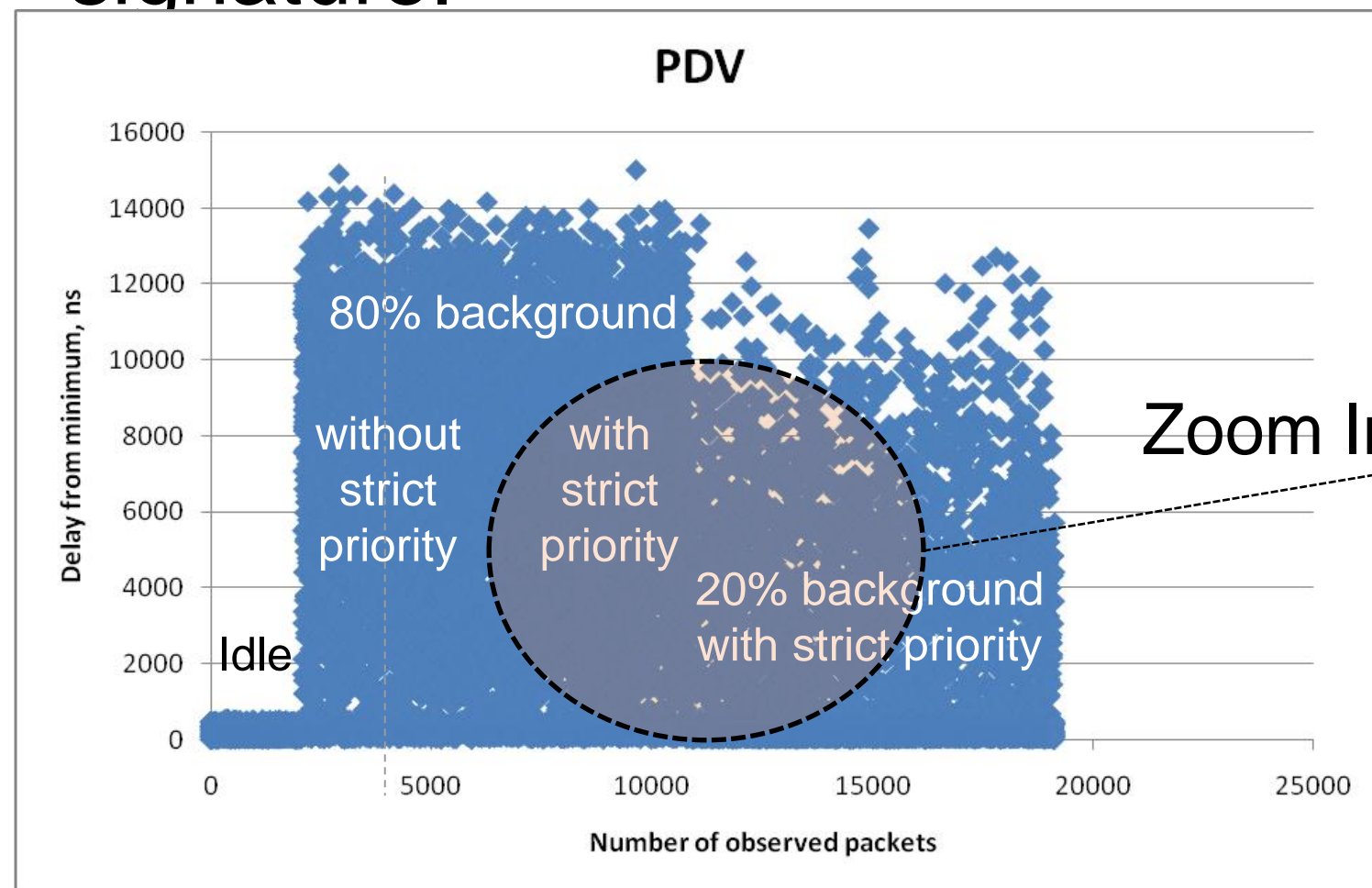
Packet Delay Variation (PDV):  $\text{prop\_time\_pkt\#n} \neq \text{prop\_time\_pkt\#m}$

Asymmetry:  $\text{prop\_time} \neq \text{prop\_time}$

# Equipment Packet Delay Variation

## Traffic Load & QoS

- Each equipment will have its own PDV (and asymmetry) signature.



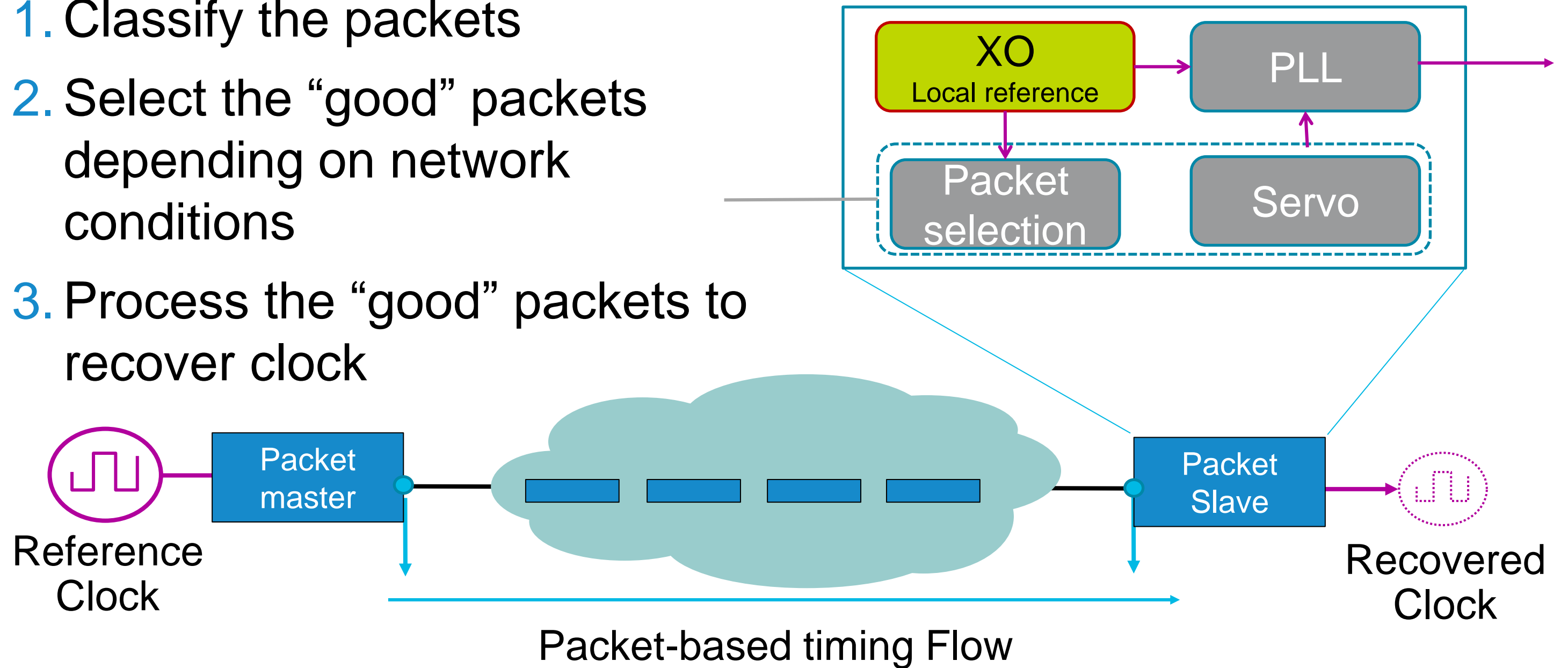
X-axis: number of observed packets

Y-axis: packet delay from the minimum delay observed during measurement

# Packet-based Timing Slave Recovery

## Three major Tasks

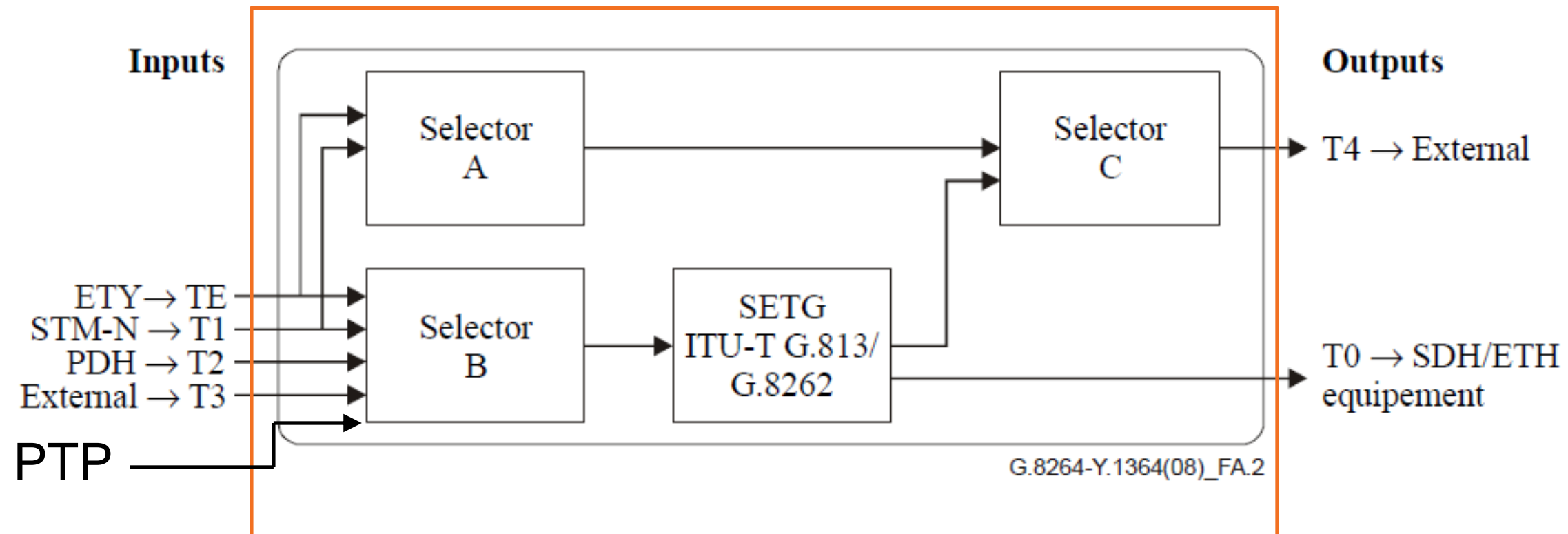
1. Classify the packets
2. Select the “good” packets depending on network conditions
3. Process the “good” packets to recover clock



# Clock Selection inside the Network Element

## SETS - Synchronous Equipment Timing Source

### Network Element (NE)



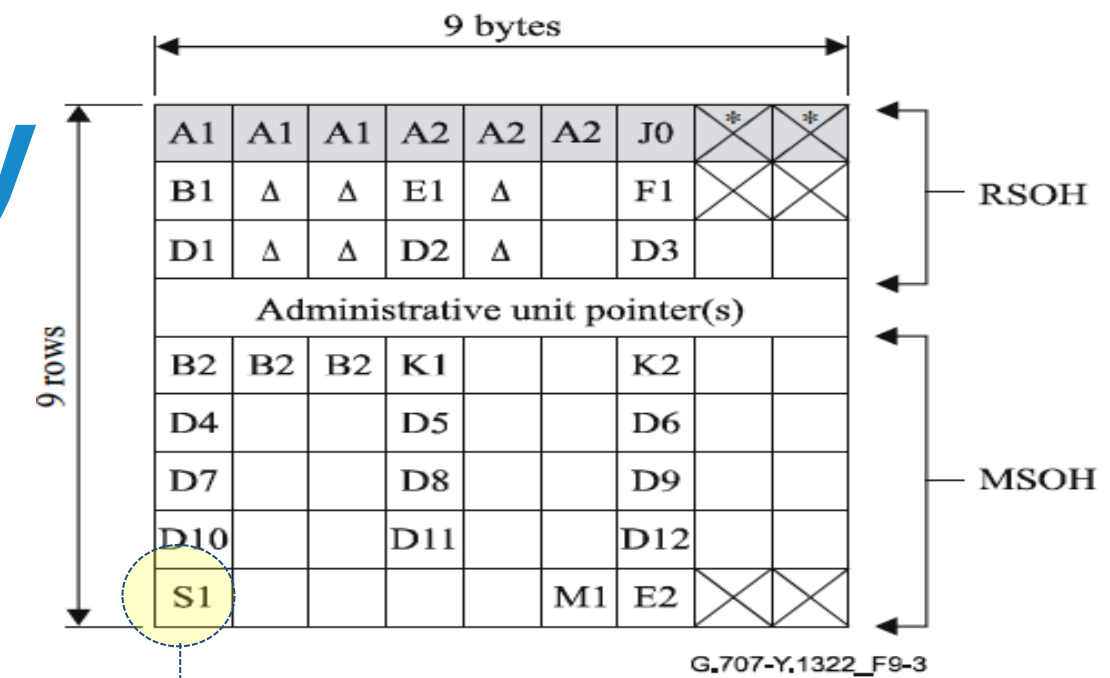
- SETG ... Synchronous Equipment Timing Generator (PLL - Phase Locked Loop)
- Three Selector table to control
  - System Frequency
  - Output Interface Frequency

SETS ... Synchronous Equipment Timing Source; SETG ... Synchronous Equipment Timing Generator

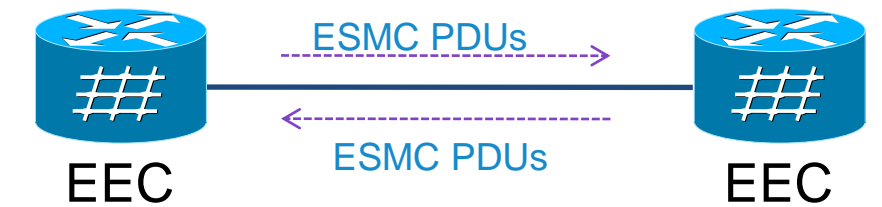
# Quality Level & Traceability

## Quality Level Comparison

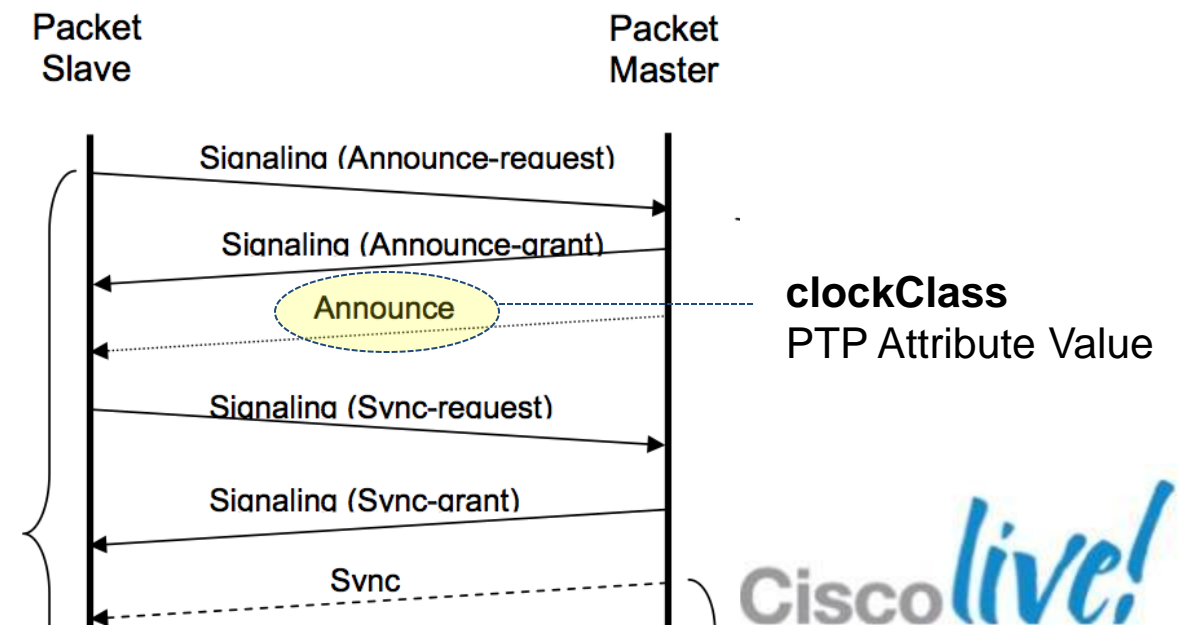
SSM QL	G.781		ESMC		PTP Clock Class
	Option I	Option II	Option I	Option II	
0001		QL-PRS			80
0000		QL-STU			82
0010	QL-PRC				84
0111		QL-ST2			86
0011					88
0100	QL-SSU-A	QL-TNC			90
0101					92
0110					94
1000	QL-SSU-B				96
1001					98
1101		QL-ST3E			100
1010		QL-ST3		QL-EEC2	102
1011	QL-SEC		QL-EEC1		104
1100		QL-SMC			106
1110		QL-PROV			108
1111	QL-DNU	QL-DUS			110



**S1 byte**  
Bits 5-8 are used for SSM



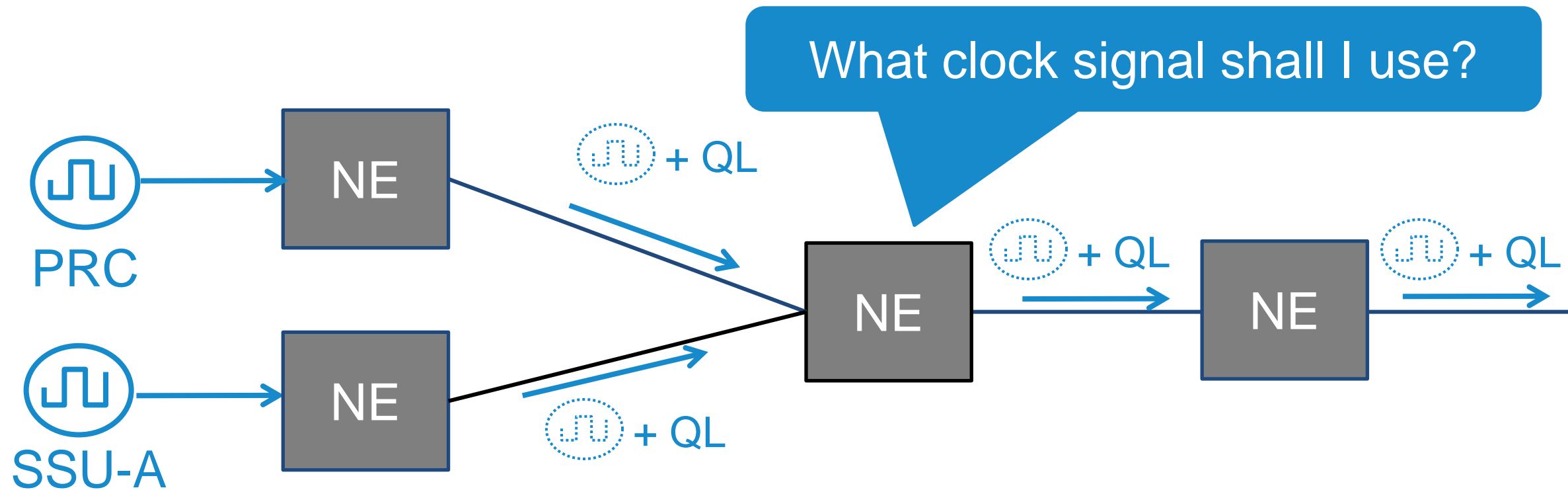
**IEEE802.3 Slow Protocol**  
Informational and Event PDUs with TLVs





# Quality Level & Traceability

Determining the best available Clock



## QL-Disabled Mode

1. External commands
2. Signal Failure
3. Local Priority (per interface)

## QL-Enabled Mode

1. External commands
2. **Quality level**
3. Signal Failure
4. Local Priority (per interface)

References: ITU-T G.871 / G.8261 and Telcordia GR-253-CORE

QL ... Quality Level

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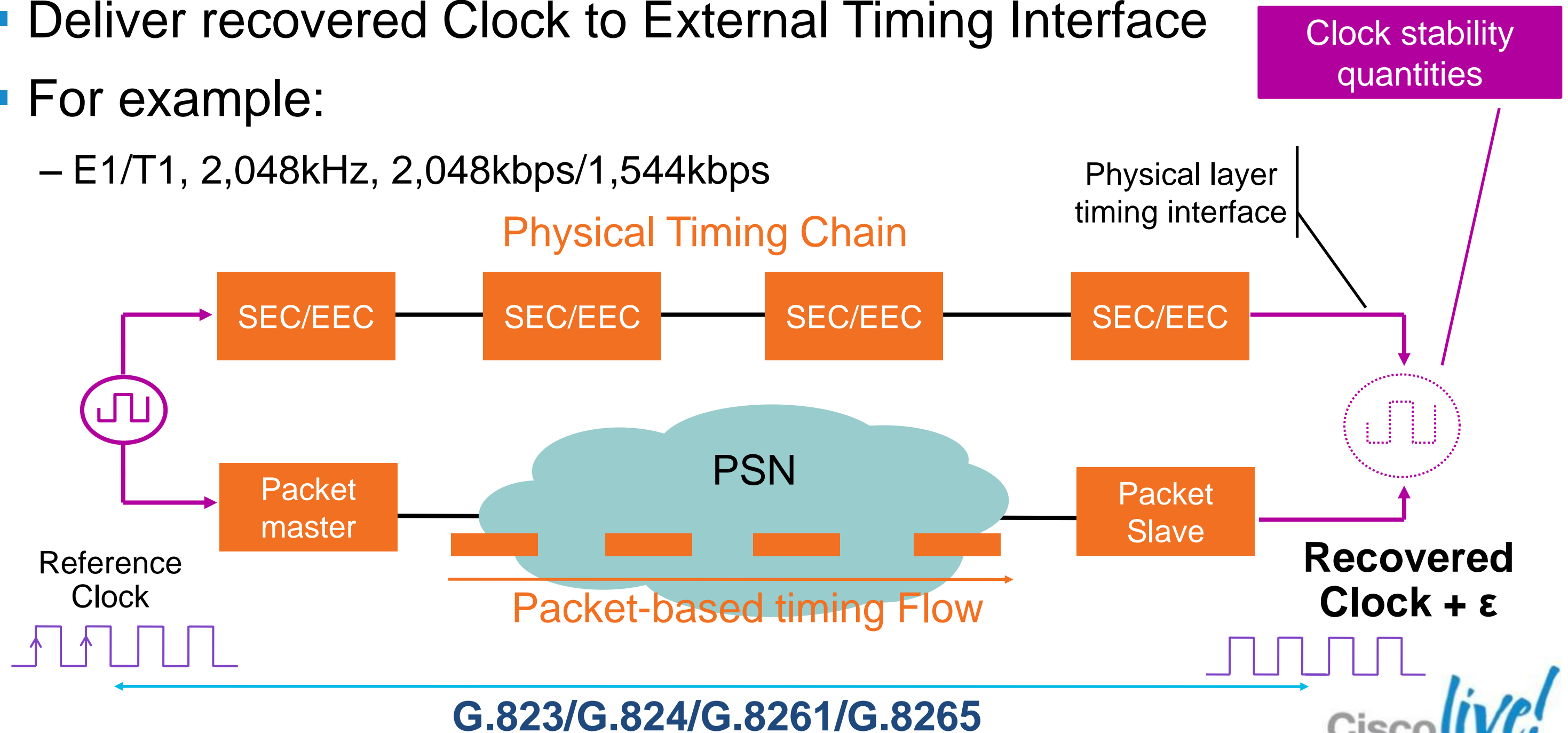
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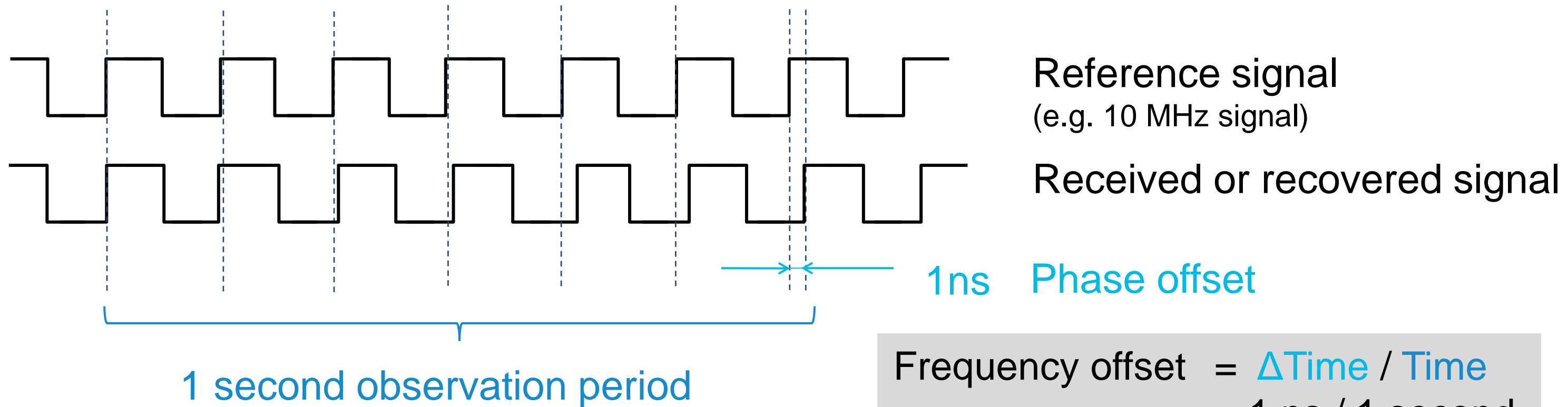
# Physical Signal Re-Generation

## Frequency Distribution

- Deliver recovered Clock to External Timing Interface
- For example:
  - E1/T1, 2,048kHz, 2,048kbps/1,544kbps



# Frequency Accuracy



$$\begin{aligned}\text{Frequency offset} &= \Delta\text{Time} / \text{Time} \\ &= 1 \text{ ns} / 1 \text{ second} \\ &= 1 \times 10^{-9} = 1 \text{ ppb}\end{aligned}$$

Frequency accuracy is a long-term measurement based on the **average** phase accumulation over time.

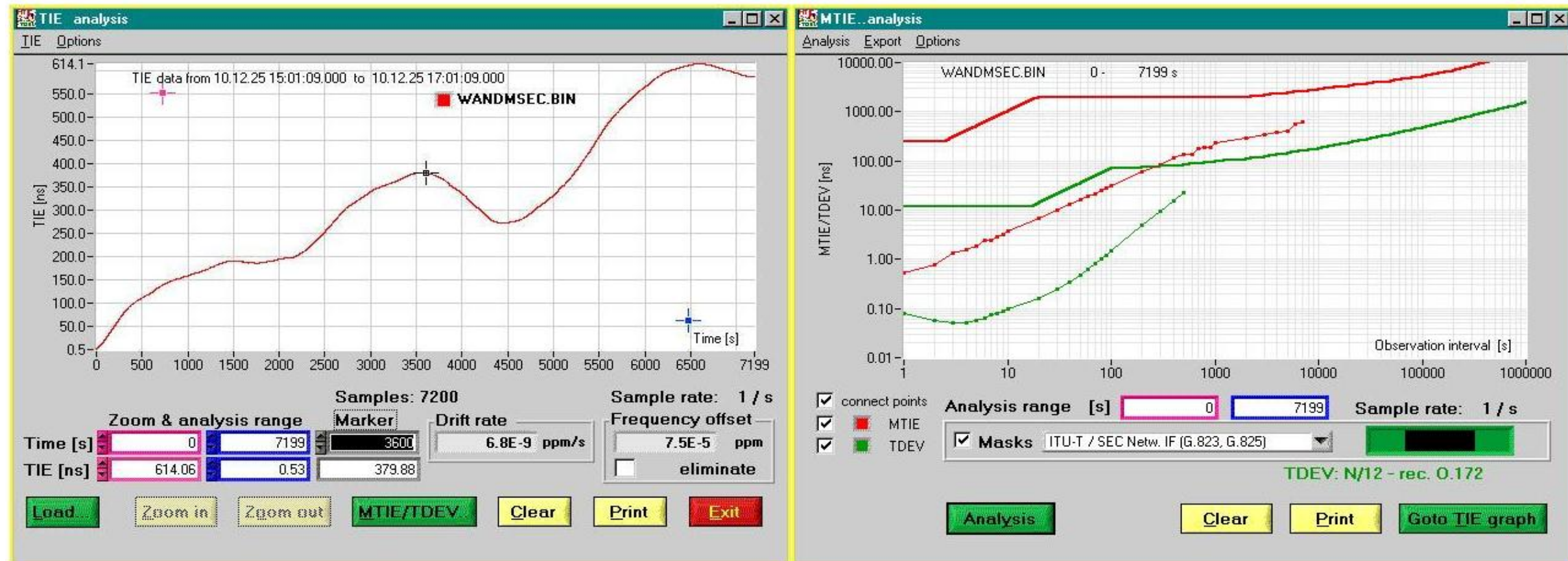
Other examples:

- $50 \mu\text{s} / 1 \text{ second} = 50 \times 10^{-8} = 0.05 \text{ ppb} = 50 \text{ ppm}$
- $1 \mu\text{s} / 100 \text{ seconds} = 1 \times 10^{-5} = 10 \text{ ppb}$

# Validating Frequency Distribution

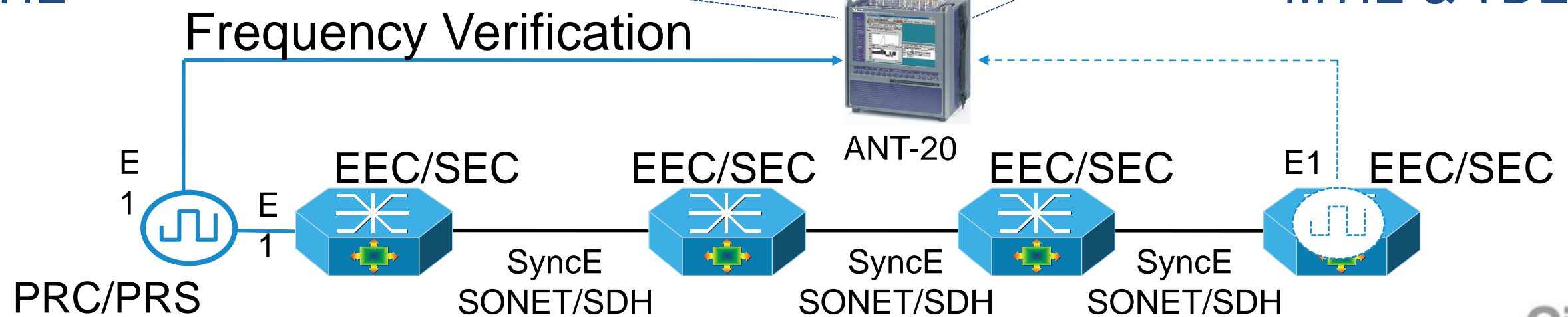
## Typical Test Setup

Masks per G.823/G.824/G.8261



TIE

MTIE & TDEV



# Frequency Distribution Metric (Wander)

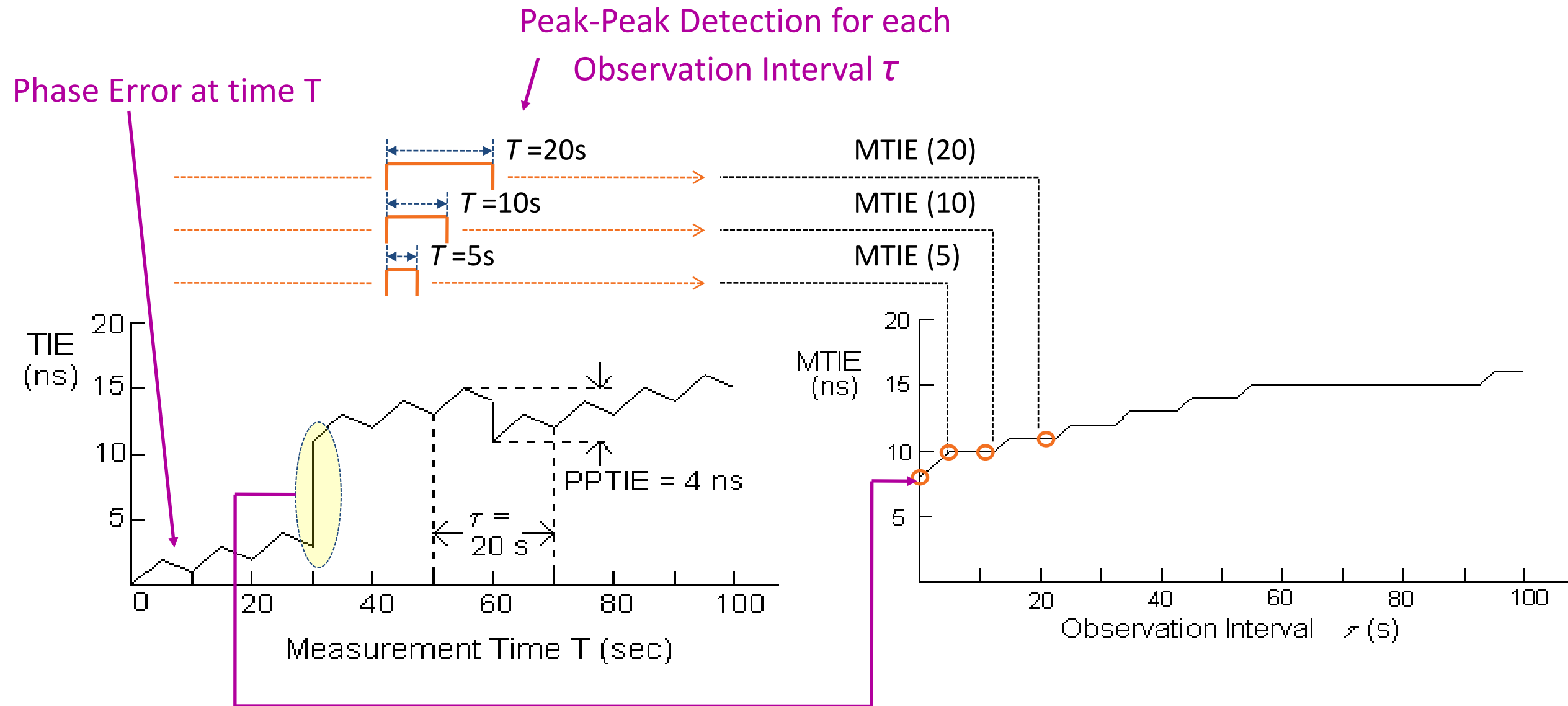
Calculations based on Phase Error Measurements

- TIE (Time Interval Error)
  - Phase Difference measured in ns  
... indicates Accuracy at certain Moment
- MTIE (Maximum TIE)
  - Largest Peak-to-Peak TIE for a particular Observation Interval  
... indicates Accuracy & Stability
- TDEV (Time Deviation)
  - Route Mean Square of Bandpass filtered TIE (statistical representation of TIE variance)  
... indicates Systematic Effects



# TIE and MTIE

## Phase Error and "Peak to Peak" Detection



Phase Error at time T

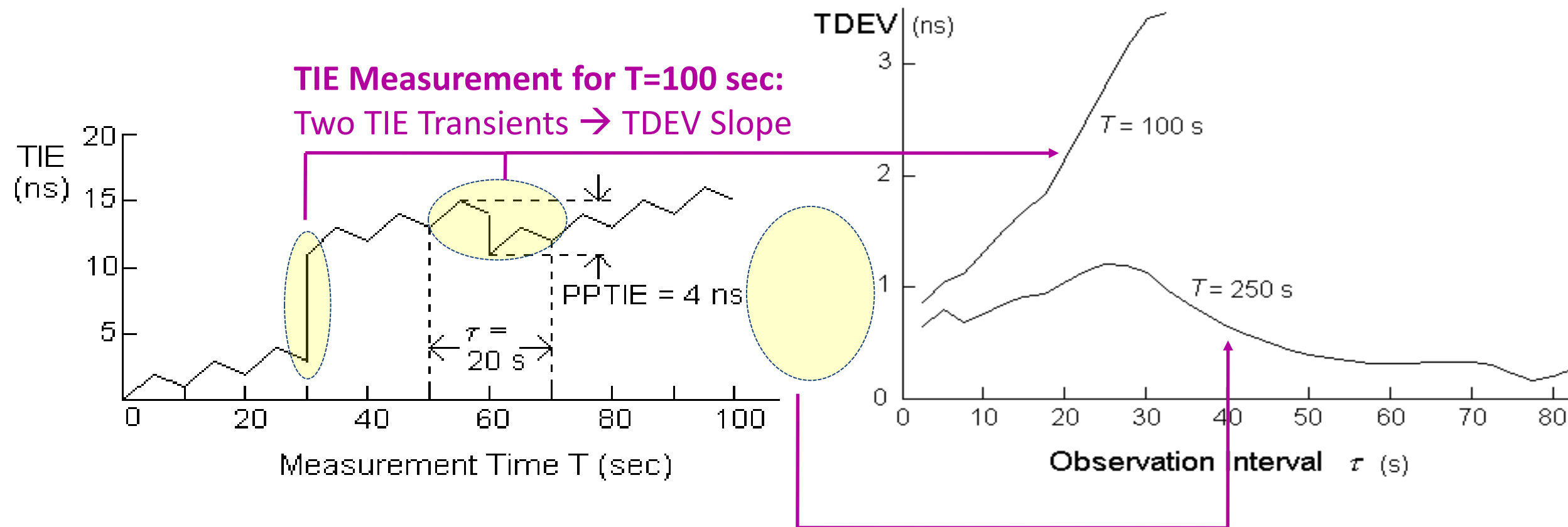
Peak-Peak Detection for each  
Observation Interval  $\tau$

MTIE does start at 8ns due to TIE  
transient at T=30 sec



# TIE and TDEV

## Statistical Measure & Spectral Content of Wander



TIE Measurement for T=100 sec:  
Two TIE Transients  $\rightarrow$  TDEV Slope

TIE Measurement for T=250 sec:  
With no more TIE Transients after  
100 sec  $\rightarrow$  TDEV for T=250 sec

- For TDEV of  $\tau = X$  sec you normally need TIE measurement for around  $3 \cdot X$  sec

# Time Synchronisation Overview

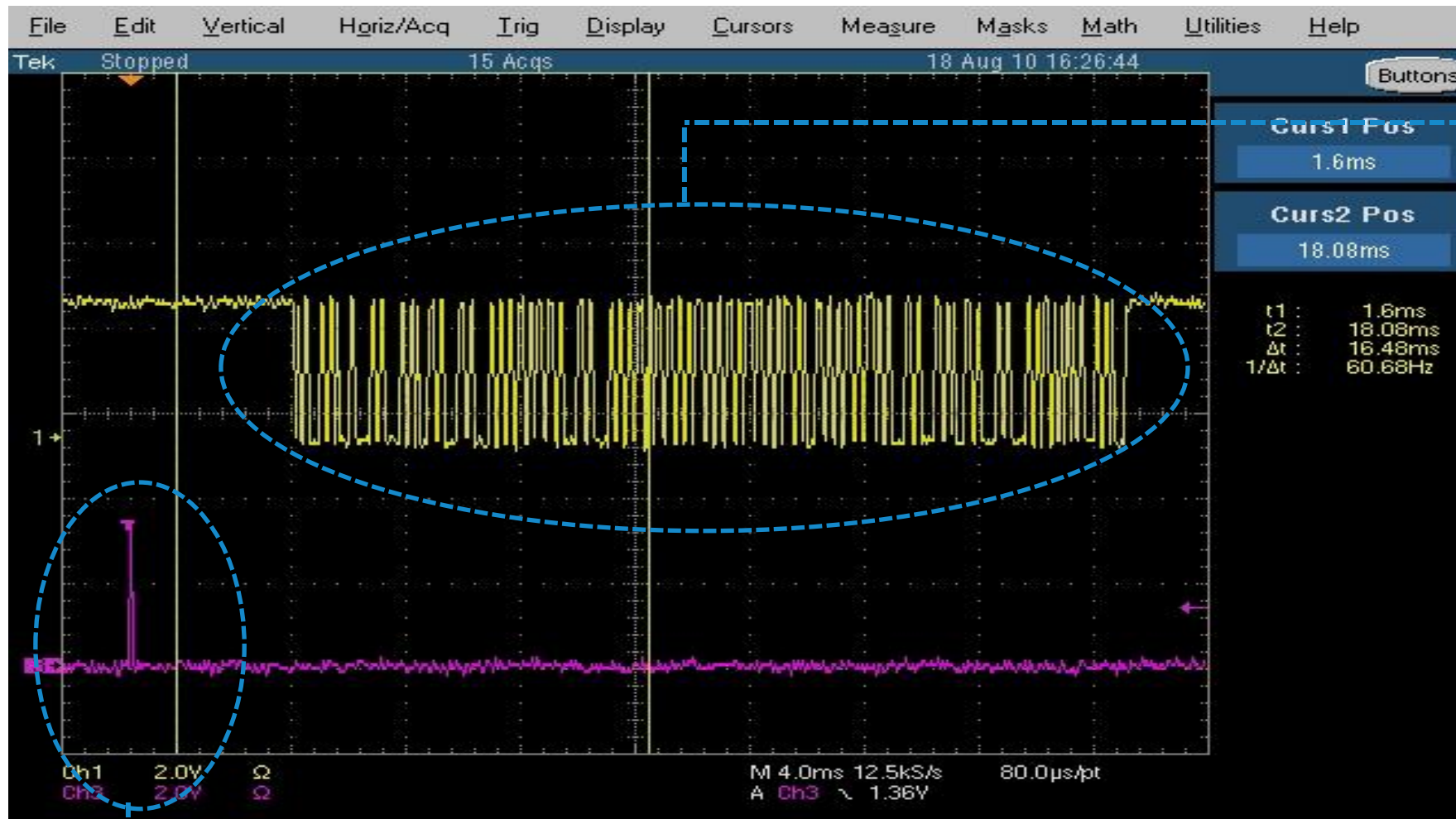




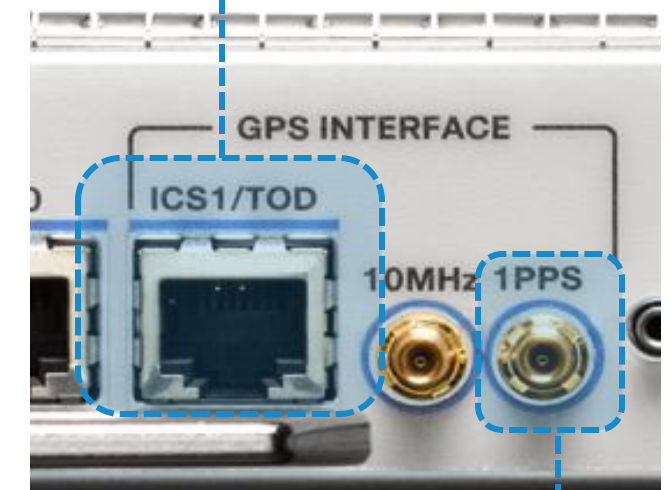
# Time – A closer Look

Time = Phase + Time of Day

\*13:38:54.805 UTC Mon Apr 2 2012



**Time of Day (TOD) Information**  
(serial interface on the RJ45 connector)



1PPS Pulse → **Phase**  
(analog signal on the DIN connector)

# Time of Day Formats

- Many different Formats available

- NTP
- Cisco
- ISO8601
- NMEA
- UBX
- ...

## Cisco Format

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14  
 \* .A. 51498.00/11/15,18:02:30,00000.0,37N22.130,121W55.180.+0042,MN GPS FLT

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1. Satellite availability: * = valid, ! = not valid                   | 8. Leap second indicator  |
| 2. Revision   | 9. Latitude   |
| 3. Modified Julian date (number of days past midnight, Nov. 17, 1858) | 10. Longitude   |
| 4. Year/month/day   | 11. Altitude above mean sea level in meters                           |
| 5. Hours:minutes:seconds  | 12. Alarm severity: EV = event, MN = minor, MJ = major, CL = critical |
| 6. Indicator of time zone offset (+, -, or 0)                         | 13. Alarm source  |
| 7. Time zone offset   | 14. Alarm cause: holdover, BT3 warm-up, or hardware fault             |

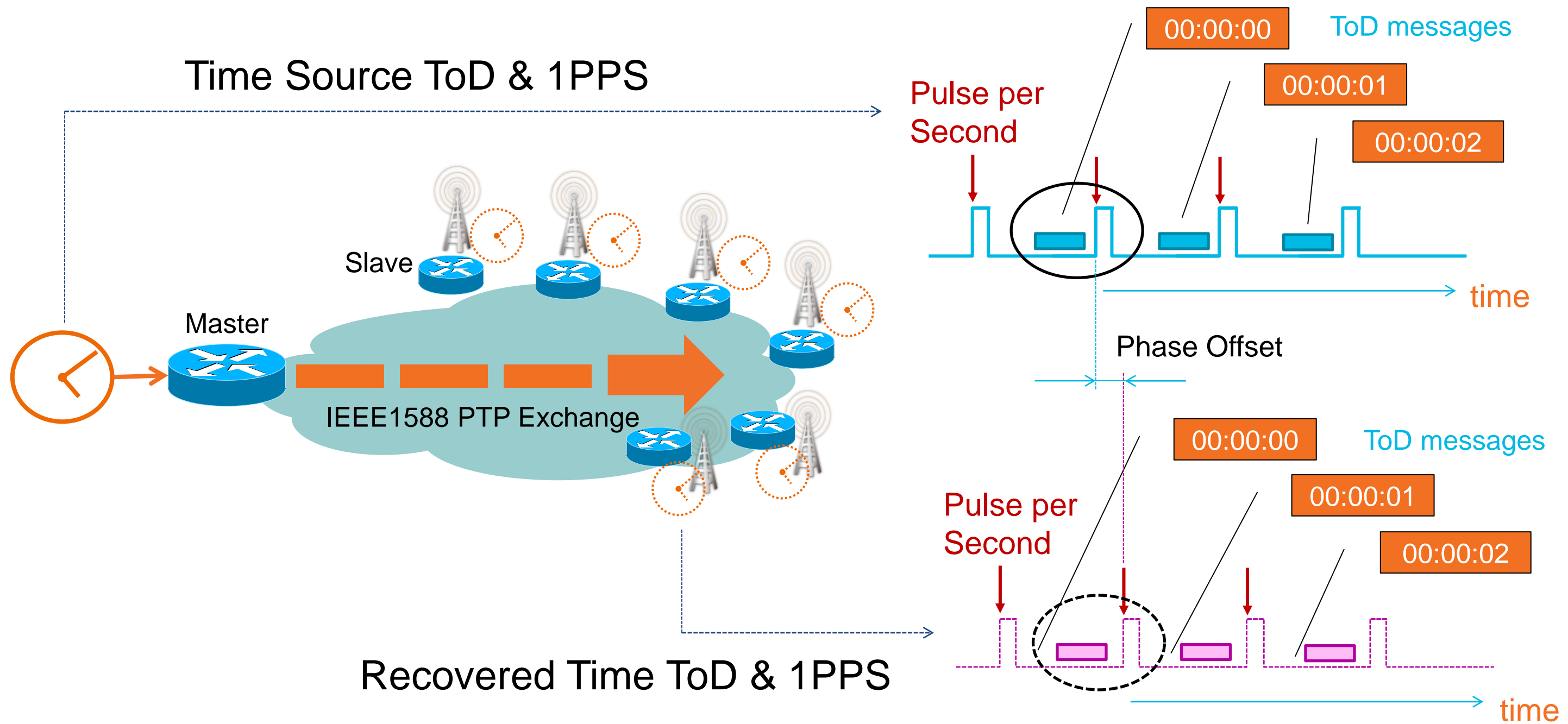
## NTP Format

1 2 3 4 5 6  
 00 225 21:05:29.060 S

1. Alarm field: blank space = receiver has satellite availability; ? = no satellite availability
2. Year (2000 in this example)
3. Day of year (the 225th day of the year in this example)
4. Hours:minutes:seconds.milliseconds
5. Leap second: blank space = no leap second; L = upcoming leap second
6. Daylight savings time indicator: S = standard time; D = daylight savings time

# Time Distribution

Packet Layer distributing Phase & Time of Day



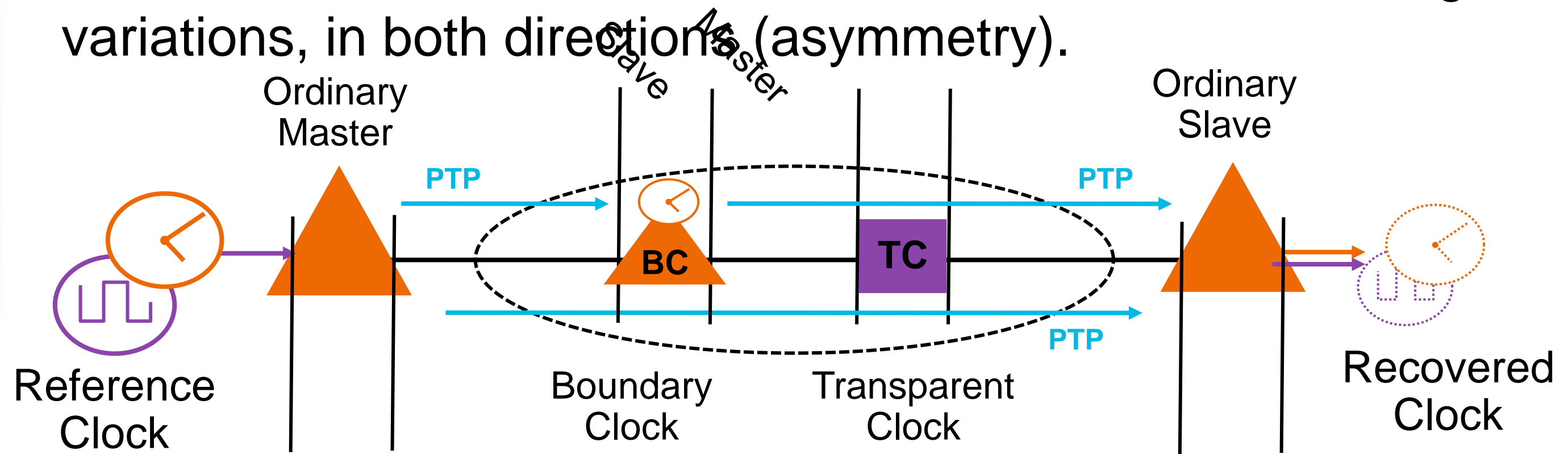
See also ITU-T G.8260

# Introduction to IEEE1588-2008

- Standard for a Precision Clock Synchronisation Protocol for Networked **Measurement and Control** Systems
- Precision Time Protocol (PTP) is, like NTP, a **Two Way Time Transfer protocol (TWTT)**.
- PTP has been designed to obtain **accuracies down to the nanoseconds ... if every elements are correctly implemented.**
- IEEE 1588 has been originally specified for **plug-and-play** time synchronisation solution.
- Original interest for telecom because dedicated standard and “precision” marketing.

# IEEE Std 1588-2008 Clocks

- OC has unique PTP port, either slave or master (defines clock state).
- As network intermediate nodes, BC and TC aim correcting delay variations, in both directions (asymmetry).



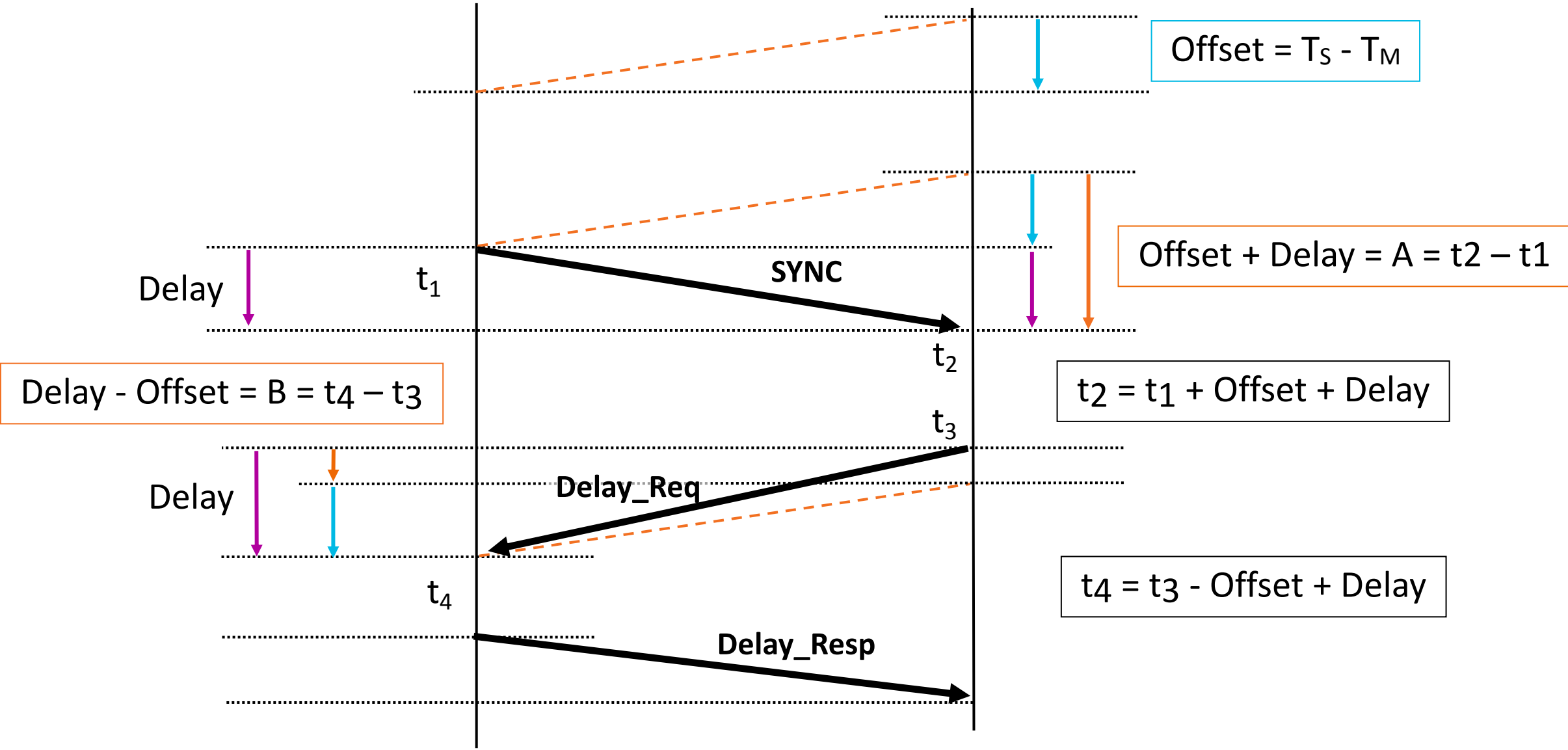
# PTP v2 Messages and Transmission

- A set of **event** messages consisting of:
  - Sync
  - Delay\_Req
  - Pdelay\_Req
  - Pdelay\_Resp
- Mappings: L2 Ethernet, IPv4, IPv6 (others possible)
- Transmission modes: either unicast or multicast (can be mixed)
- Variable rate and timeout values
- Various TLVs and flexible TLV extensions
- A set of **general messages** consisting of:
  - Follow\_Up
  - Delay\_Resp
  - Pdelay\_Resp\_Follow\_Up
  - Announce
  - Signalling
  - Management

# TWTT Protocol Basics

## Basic PTP Message Exchange

Master time =  $T_M$   **MASTER**      **SLAVE**  Slave time =  $T_S = T_M + \text{offset}$



Timestamps known by slave

$t_1, t_2$

$t_1, t_2, t_3$

$t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4$

**Delay** =  $((t_2 - t_1) + (t_4 - t_3)) / 2$

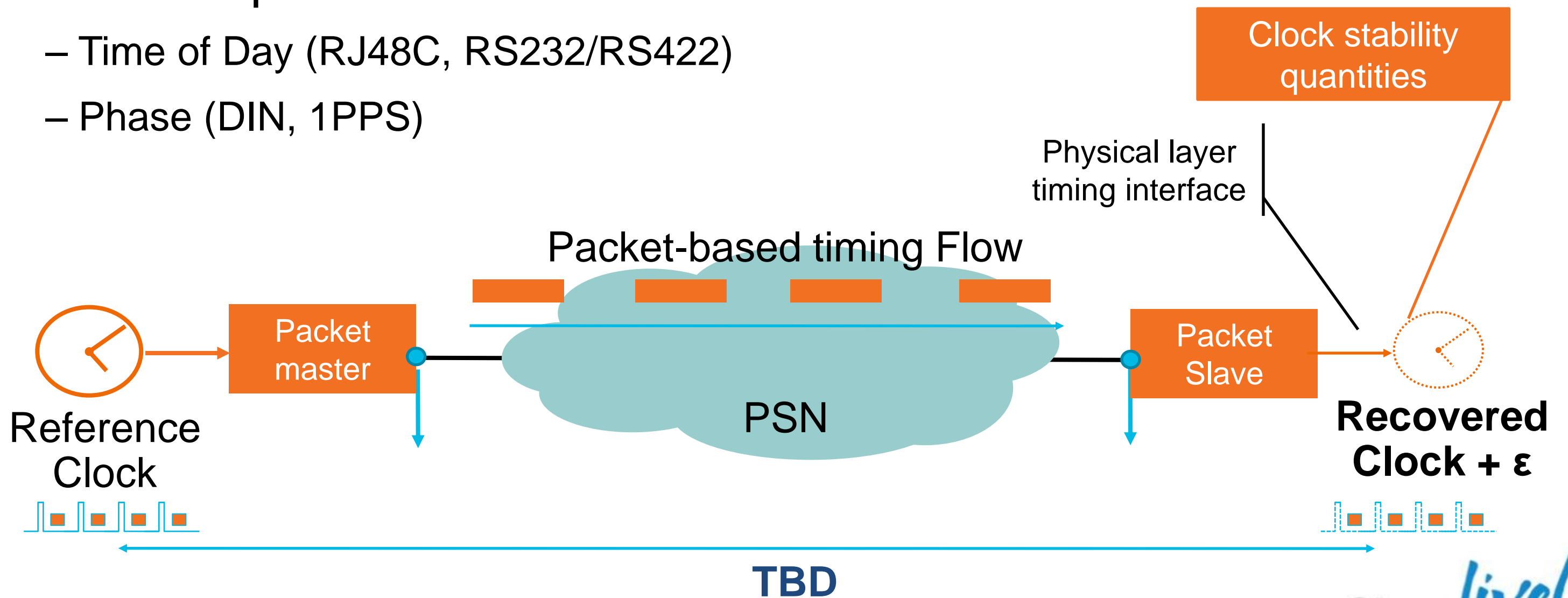
**Offset** =  $((t_2 - t_1) - (t_4 - t_3)) / 2$



# Physical Signal Re-Generation

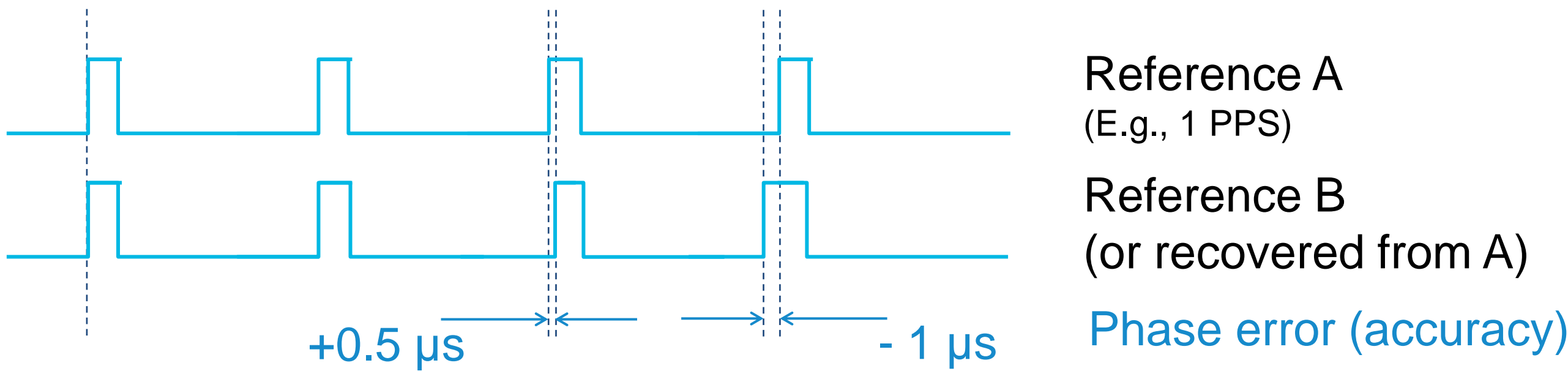
## Time Distribution

- Deliver recovered Clock to External Timing Interface
- For example:
  - Time of Day (RJ48C, RS232/RS422)
  - Phase (DIN, 1PPS)





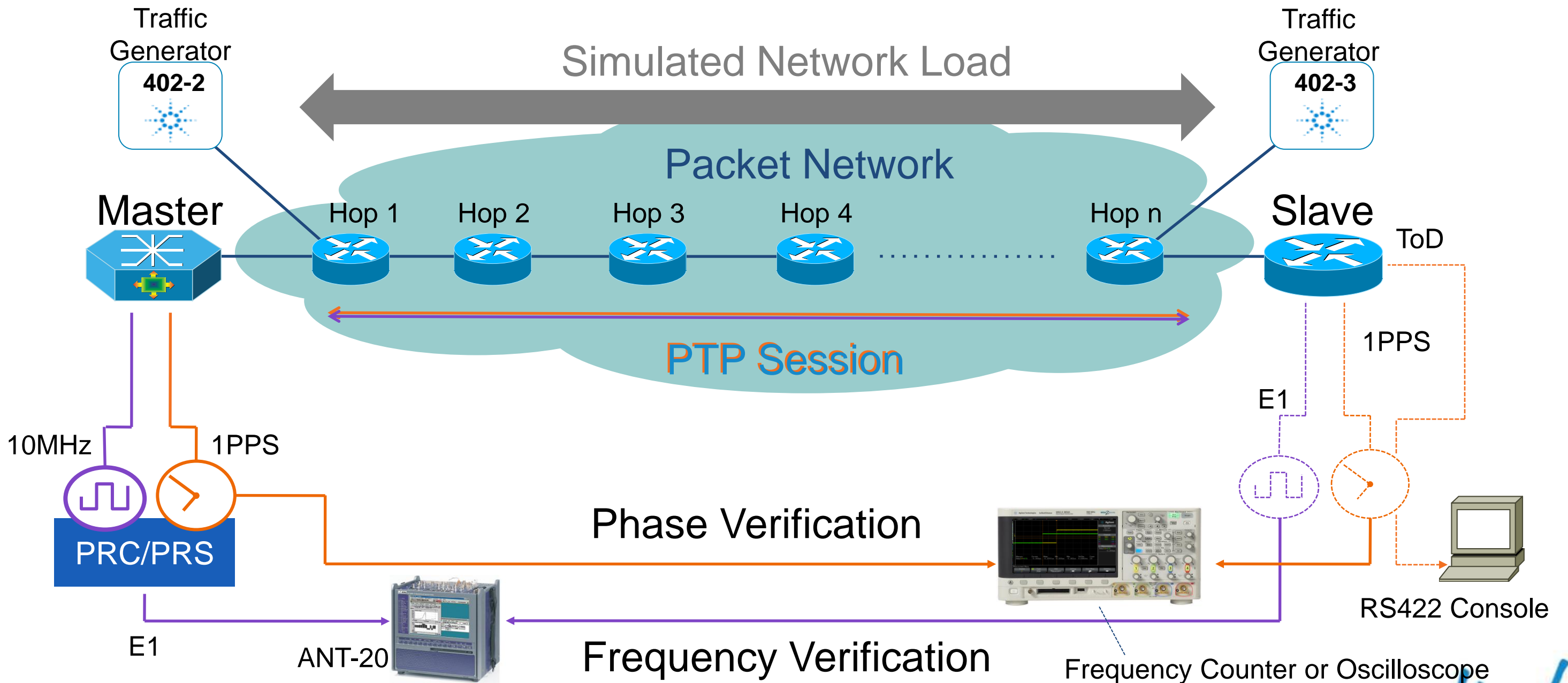
# Phase Synchronisation Accuracy



Phase accuracy requirement defines the maximum deviation relative to the reference

# Typical Test Setup

Evaluating Impact of Hop Count & Network Load



# Synchronisation Support in Cisco Products



# Cisco Industrial Ethernet Products **Rockwell Automation**



	IE3000 Rockwell Stratix 8000	IE3010	IE2000 Rockwell Stratix 5700
Hardware	Base Unit Only <sup>1)</sup>		Cisco Models ending with “-E” Rockwell Models with “P”
SW Version	12.2(46)SE1	Hardware is IEEE1588-2008 ready	IOS 15.0(1)SY
Supported Clock Modes	Boundary Clock E2E Transparent Clock “Forward Mode” <sup>2)</sup>	Software Support to be added in the future	Boundary Clock E2E Transparent Clock “Forward Mode” <sup>2)</sup>
PTP Transport Options	IPv4 Multicast		Layer 2 <sup>3)</sup> IPv4 Multicast

1) Configure “passthrough” to enable PTP on Expansion Modules

2) PTP Packets are not processed by the Switch, treated as normal IP Packets

E2E ... End 2 End

P2P ... Peer 2 Peer

# Cisco Smart Grid Products

IEEE C37.238  
Power Profile  
supported



CGS2520

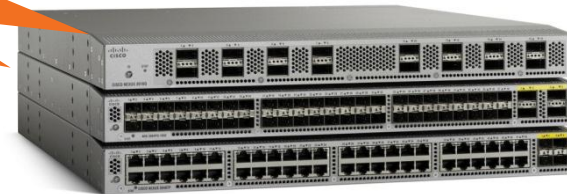
Hardware	Both Copper only and SFP Model
SW Version	12.2(58)EY
Supported Clock Modes	Boundary Clock E2E Transparent Clock P2P Transparent Clock "Forward Mode" <sup>1)</sup>
PTP Transport Options	Layer 2 IPv4 Multicast

1) PTP Packets are not processed by the Switch, treated as normal IP Packets



# High Frequency Trading

Support for  
1. PONG  
2. ERSPAN type3



	Nexus 3000	Nexus 5500	Nexus 7000
Hardware	All Models	All Models	F1-Series Modules
SW Version	NX-OS 5.0(3)U2(2)	NX-OS 5.2(1)N1(1)	NX-OS 5.2
Supported Clock Modes	Boundary Clock	Boundary Clock	Boundary Clock
PTP Transport Options	IPv4 Multicast	IPv4 Multicast	IPv4 Multicast

# PONG

## Determining Network Latency from CLI

### CLI

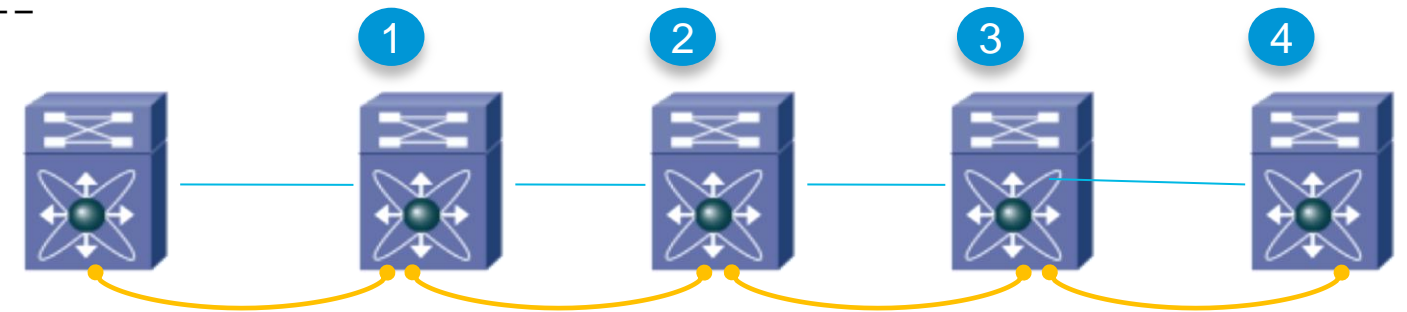
```
switch(config)# pong source 001b.54c2.9a41 destination 001b.54c2.9a43 vlan 1 count 2
```

```
Packet No. 1
```

```
-----  
Hop Switch-id           Switching time (sec, nsec)  
-----  
1     0-1b-54-c2-9a-42   0         4800  
2     0-1b-54-c2-9a-43   0         5920  
3     0-1b-54-c2-9a-42   0         4848  
4     0-1b-54-c2-9a-41   0         6488  
Round trip time: 0sec 22056 nsec
```

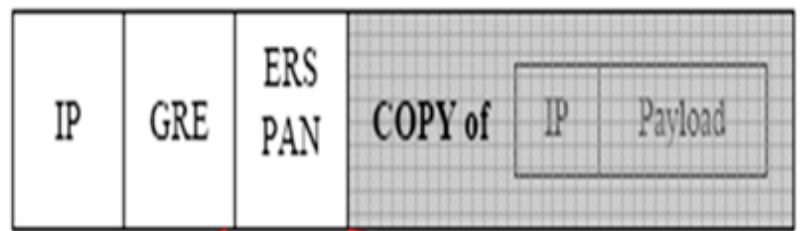
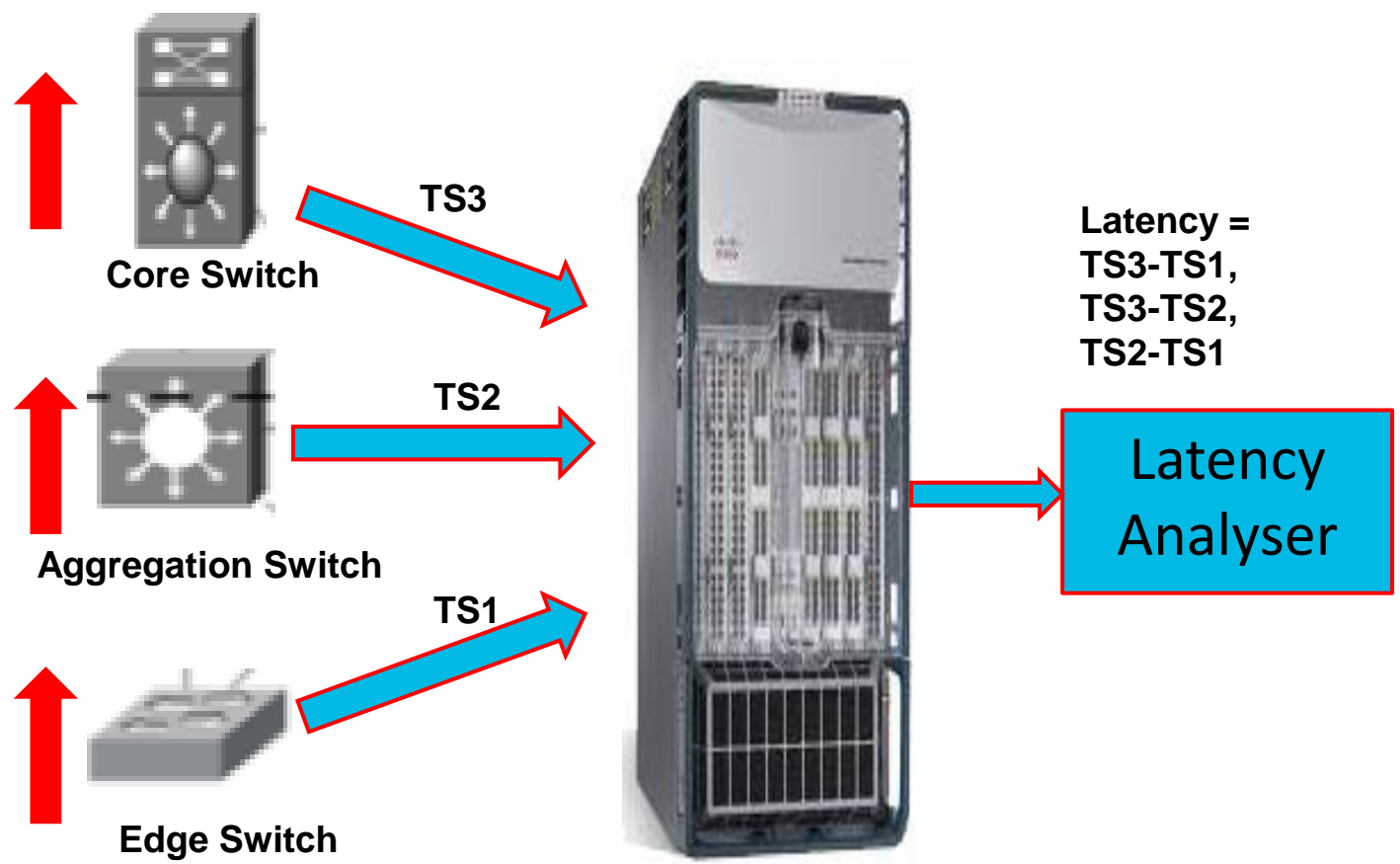
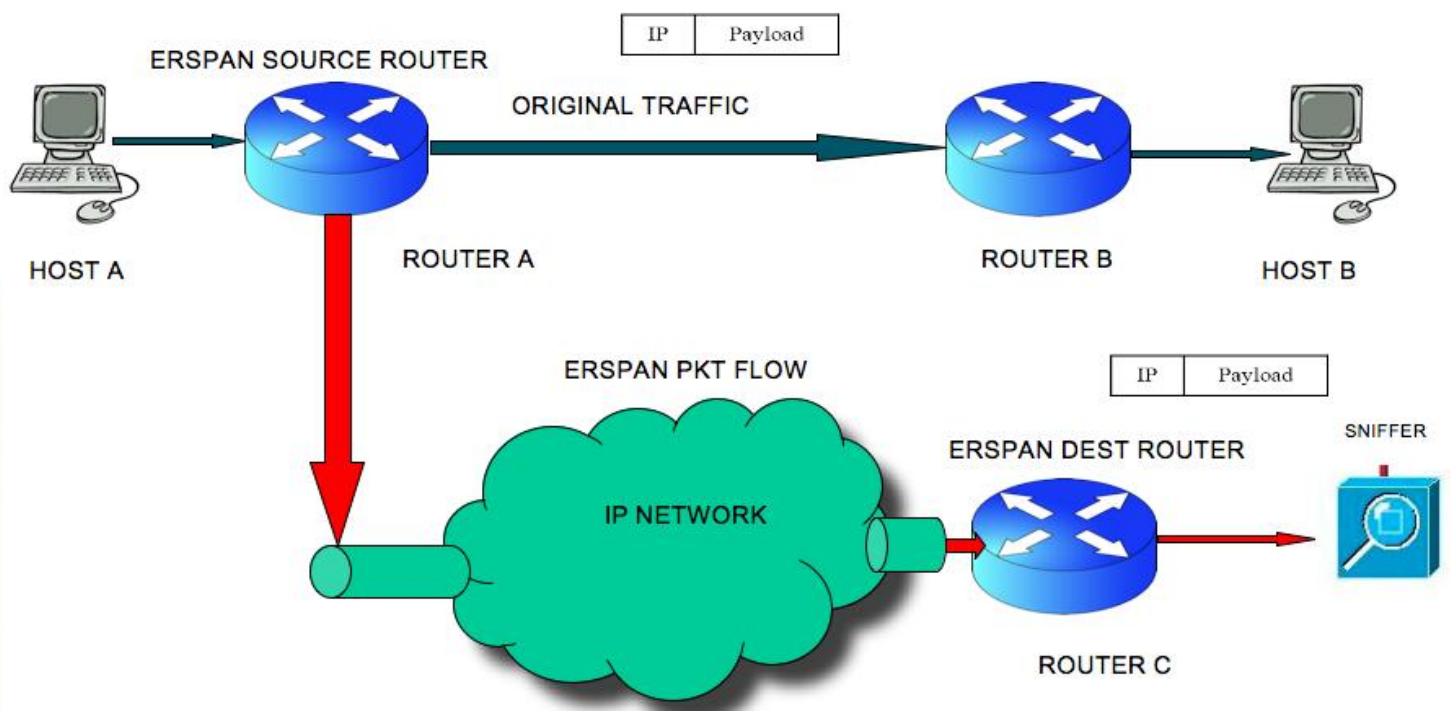
```
Packet No. 2
```

```
-----  
Hop Switch-id           Switching time (sec, nsec)  
-----  
1     0-1b-54-c2-9a-42   0         4792  
2     0-1b-54-c2-9a-43   0         5912  
3     0-1b-54-c2-9a-42   0         4816  
4     0-1b-54-c2-9a-41   0         7120  
Round trip time: 0sec 22640 nsec
```

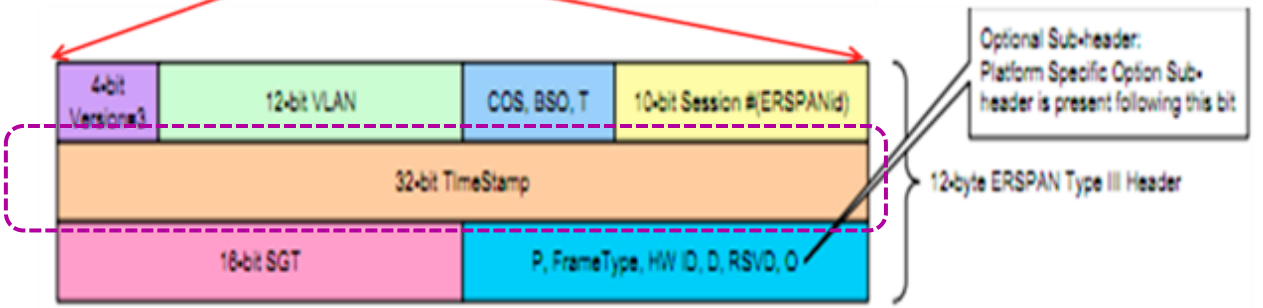


# ERSPAN Type III

## Determining Network Latency using a Latency Analyser



IEEE1588 derived TimeStamp





# Cisco SP Product Portfolio

## Physical Layer Frequency Distribution (SyncE)



ASR9000

Cisco7600

ASR903

ME3600X  
ME3800X

MWR2941  
ASR901

Traffic Interfaces	STM-1/4/16/64 OC-3/12/48/192 1GE <sup>1)</sup> 10GE (LAN & WAN)	E1/T1 STM-1/4/16 OC-3/12/48 1GE <sup>1)</sup> 10GE (LAN & WAN)	E1/T1 STM-1/4 OC-3/12 1GE <sup>1) 2)</sup> 10GE (LAN & WAN)	E1/T1 <sup>5)</sup> STM-1 <sup>5)</sup> OC-3 <sup>5)</sup> 1GE <sup>1) 2)</sup> , 10GE (LAN only)	E1/T1    1GE <sup>1)</sup>
External Timing Interfaces	Input/Output 2048kHz/2048kbps/1544kbps/10MHz <sup>3)</sup>	Input/Output 2048kHz/2048kbps/1544kbps/10MHz	Input/Output 2048kHz/2048kbps/1544kbps/10MHz	Input/Output 2048kHz/2048kbps/1544kbps	Input/Output 2048kHz/2048kbps/1544kbps/10MHz <sup>4)</sup>
SSM	Yes IOS XR 3.9	Yes IOS 15.0(1)S	Yes	Yes IOS 15.1(2)EY	Yes IOS 15.0(1)MR

1) SyncE is not supported with 1GE Copper SFPs    3) 10MHz on RSP440 only    4) 10MHz on ASR901 only  
 2) SyncE in+out support on Fibre SFPs and 1GE Copper Interface Module    5) ME3600X-24CX only



# Cisco SP Product Portfolio

## Packet Layer Frequency & Time Distribution (IEEE1588)



ASR9000

Cisco7600

ASR903

ME3600X-24CX

MWR2941  
ASR901

Hardware	RSP440 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Gen Linecards	SIP-400 SYNCE-SPA	All Interfaces	All Interfaces	All Interfaces
SW Version	IOS XR 4.2.0	IOS 15.0(1)S	IOS XE 3.5	IOS 15.2(4)S	IOS 12.4(19)MR2 <sup>2)</sup> IOS 15.1(2)SNG <sup>3)</sup>
Supported Clock Modes	Ordinary Master Ordinary Slave Boundary Clock	Ordinary Master Ordinary Slave Boundary Clock	Ordinary Master Ordinary Slave Boundary Clock	Ordinary Master Ordinary Slave Boundary Clock	Ordinary Slave Boundary Clock
PTP Transport Options	IPv4 Unicast Negotiation	IPv4 Unicast & Unicast Negotiation IPv4 Mixed Multicast	IPv4 Unicast & Unicast Negotiation	IPv4 Unicast & Unicast Negotiation IPv4 Mixed Multicast	IPv4 Unicast & Unicast Negotiation Ipv4 Mixed Multicast <sup>1)</sup>

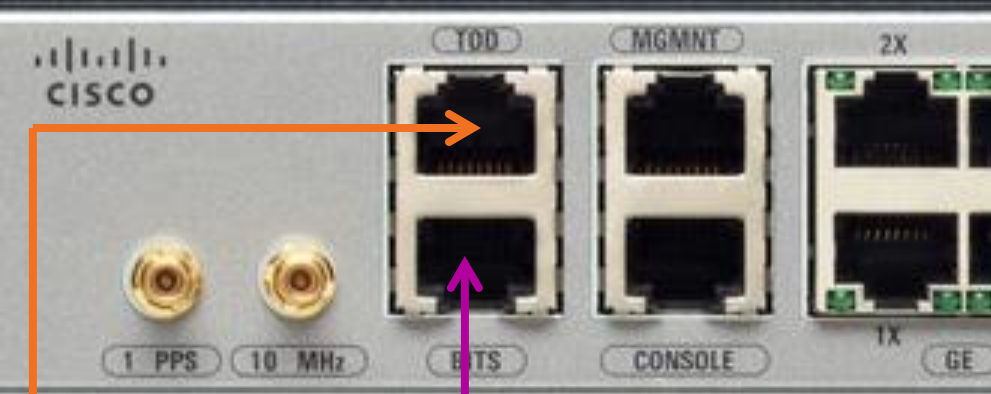
1) MWR2941 only 2) First release to support PTP on MWR2941 3) First Release to support PTP on ASR901



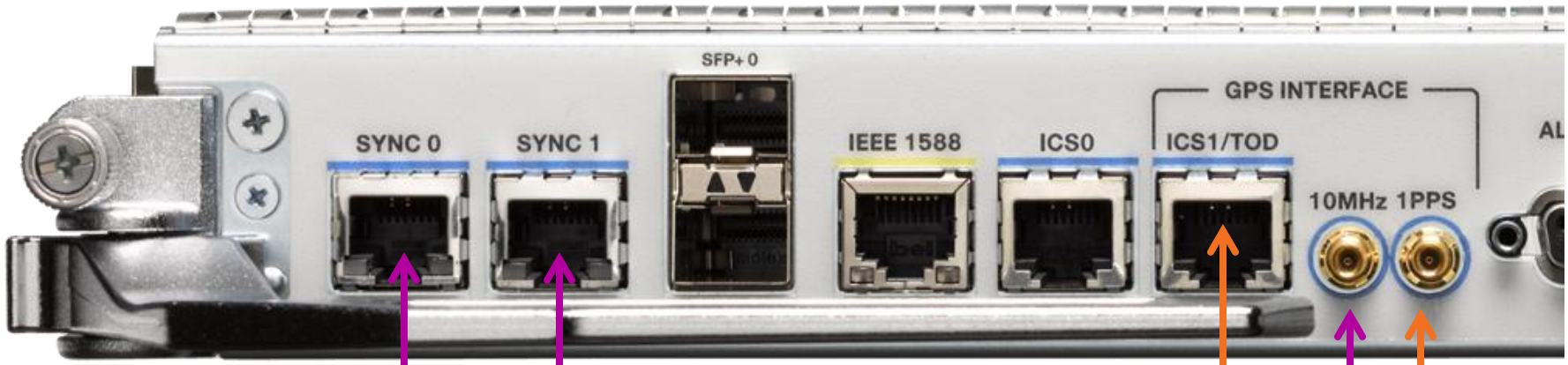
# External Timing Interfaces

## Frequency and Time

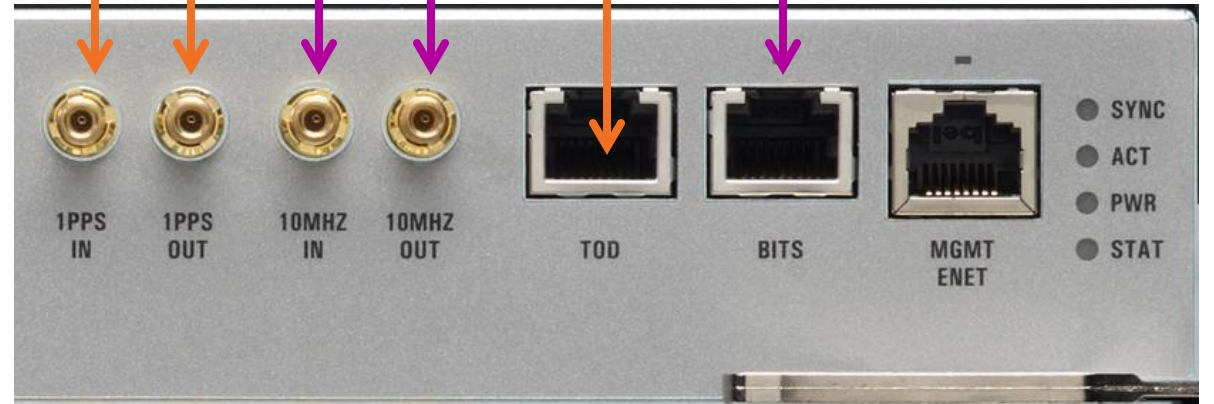
ASR901



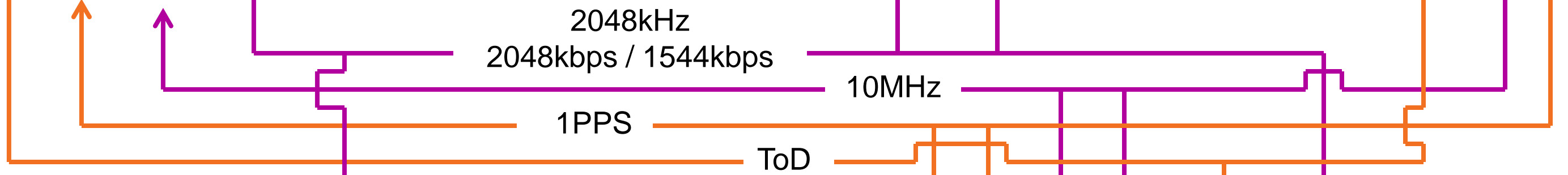
ASR9000 RSP-440



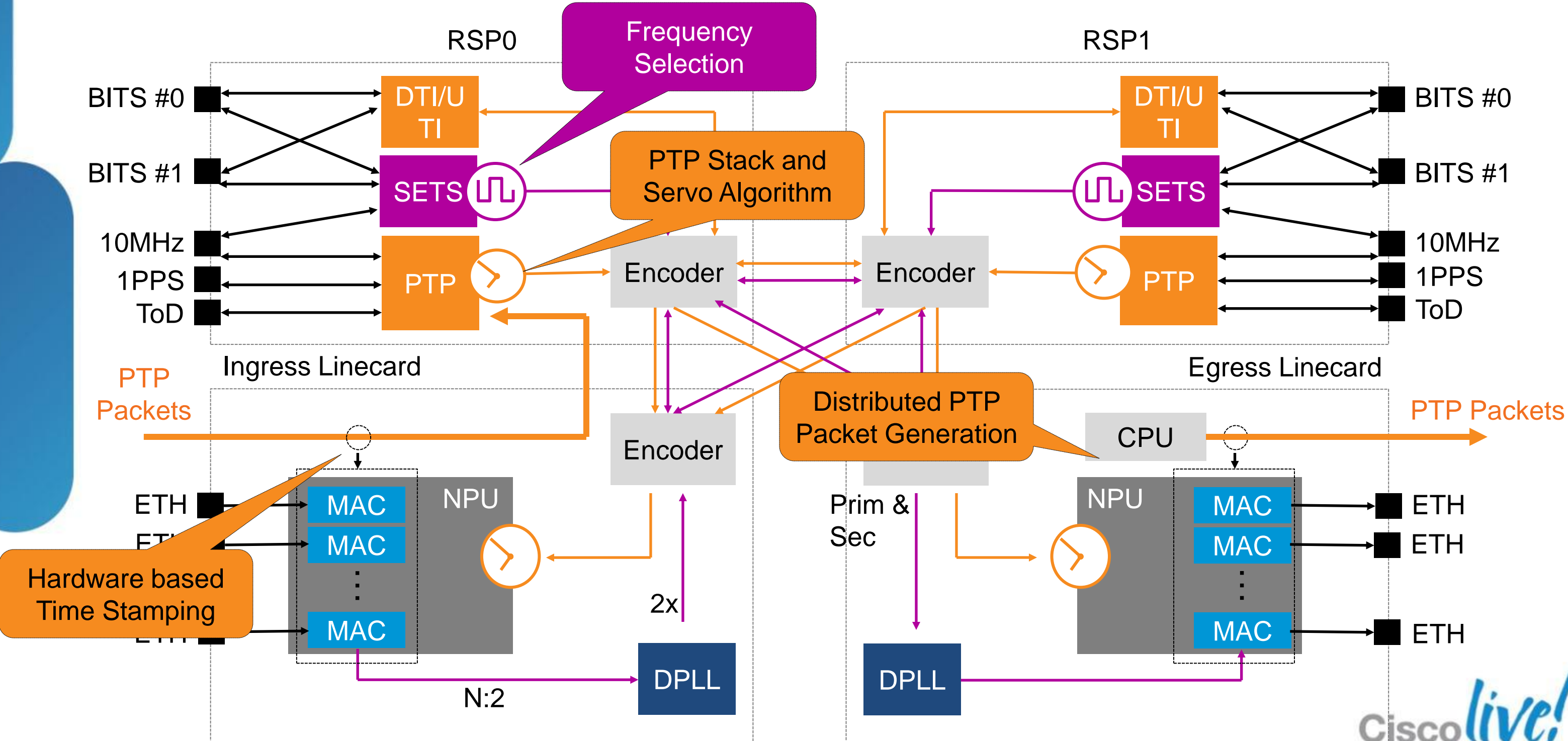
ME3600X/ME3800X



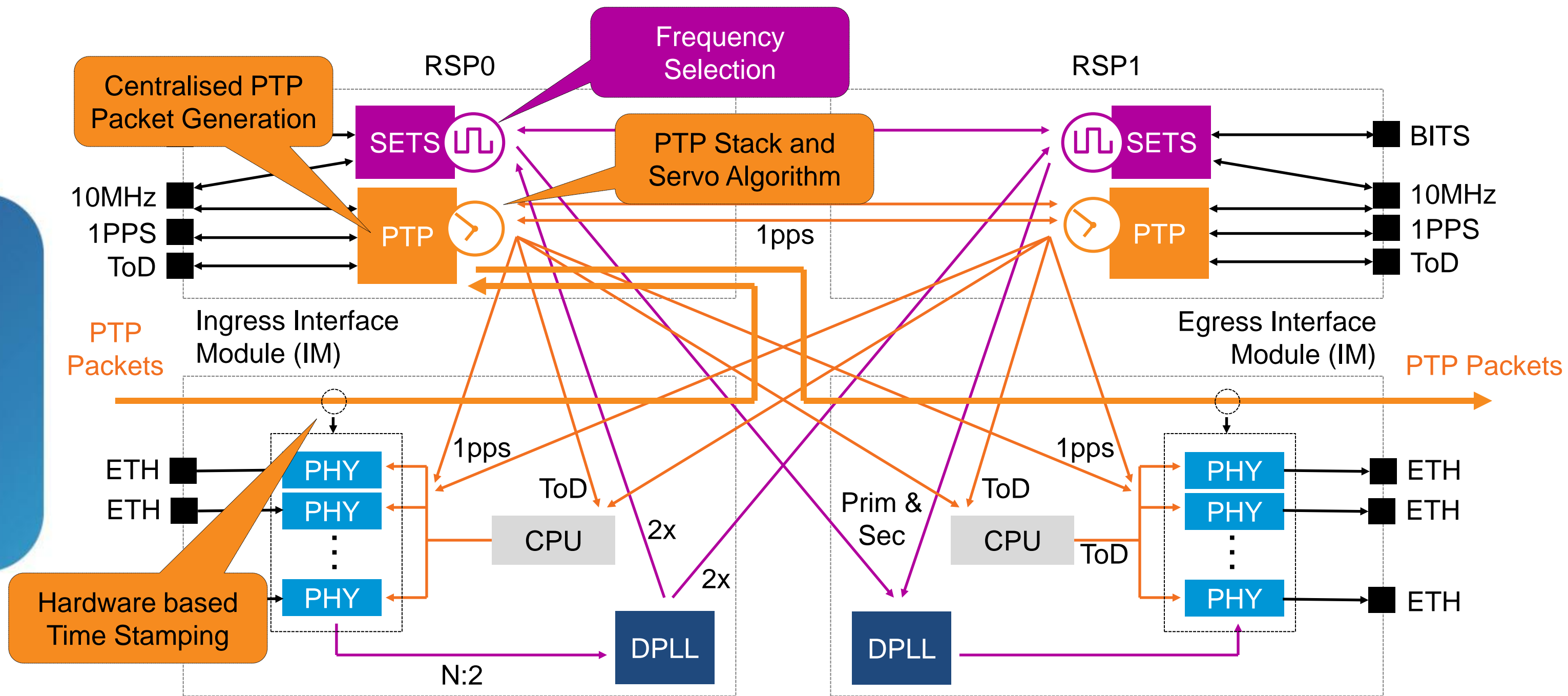
ASR903 RSP1



# ASR9000 Synchronisation Architecture



# ASR903 Synchronisation Architecture



# Deployment Consideration



# IEEE1588-2008 Profiles

## Application specific Parameter Definition

ITU G.8275.1  
Telecom Profile Time

4G Mobile RAN

	IEEE1588 Default Profiles	ITU G.8265.1 Telecom Profile Frequency	IEEE C37.238 Power Profile
<b>Segment</b>	Industrial Solutions High Speed Trading	2G Mobile RAN 3G Mobile RAN	Smart Grid
<b>Profile ID / Version</b>	00-19-A7-00-01-00 / v1.0 00-19-A7-00-02-00 / v2.0	00-19-A7-00-01-00 / v1.0	1C-12-9D-00-00-00 / v1.0
<b>PTP Modes</b>	One-way & two-way One-step & two-step	One-way & two-way One-step & two-step	Two-way One-step & two-step
<b>PTP Transport</b>	IPv4 & Layer 2 Multicast	IPv4 Unicast Negotiation	Layer 2 Multicast
<b>Master Selection</b>	BMCA	Alternate BMCA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• QL (Clock Class)</li> <li>• PTSF</li> <li>• Local Priority</li> </ul>	BMCA
<b>Path Delay Mechanism</b>	Delay request/response Peer-to-Peer	Delay request/response	Peer-to-Peer
<b>Management Option</b>	Mgmt Message per Clause 15	not specified	IEEE C37.238 MIB
<b>Node Types</b>	Ordinary Master/Slave, Boundary and Transparent	Ordinary Master and Slave	Ordinary Master/Slave, Boundary and Transparent

BMCA ... Best Master Clock Algorithm    QL ... Quality Level    PTSF ... Packet Timing Signal Fail

# IEEE1588-2008 Profiles

## Application specific Parameter Definition

ITU G.8275.1  
Telecom Profile Time

	IEEE1588 Default Profiles	ITU G.8265.1 Telecom Profile Frequency	IEEE C37.238 Power Profile
<b>Goals</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Plug &amp; Play Deployment</li> <li>• CIP Sync</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Based on ITU-T G.8265 Architecture</li> <li>• Interoperability with SONET/SDH &amp; SyncE</li> <li>• WAN Operation</li> <li>• Fixed Arrangement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Performance Parameter Mapping for               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ IEC61850</li> <li>○ C37.118</li> <li>○ IRIG-B</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Application</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Migrate Motion Control Systems from Scan or Event based to a Time based to improve Throughput</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Frequency Distribution in Service Provider Packet Networks</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Time Distribution to IED without Distance Limitations</li> <li>• Timestamping of SCADA Data</li> <li>• IRIG-B replacement</li> </ul>
<b>Status</b>	In force	In force	In force

Time Distribution in Service Provider Networks (i.e. LTE TDD)

In development

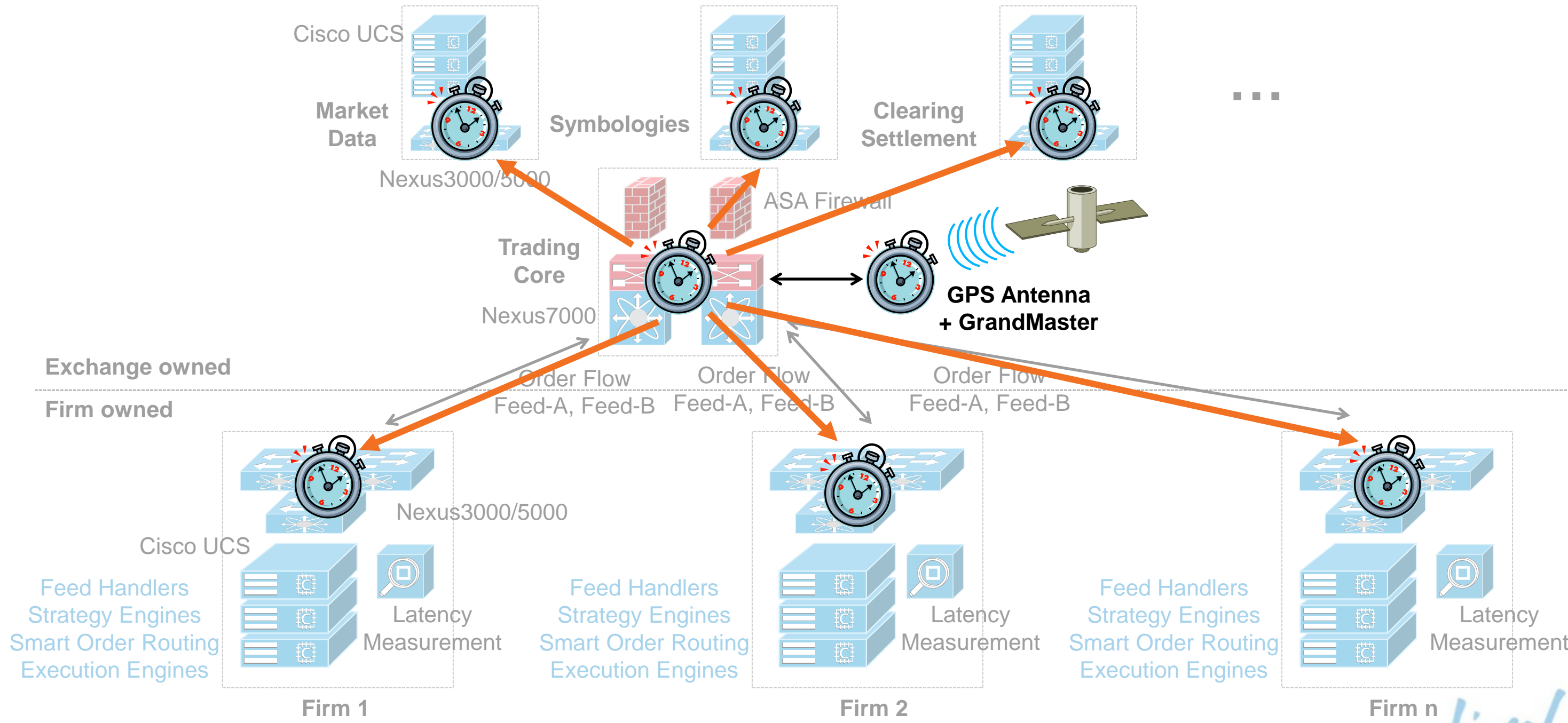


# Deployment Consideration for High Frequency Trading

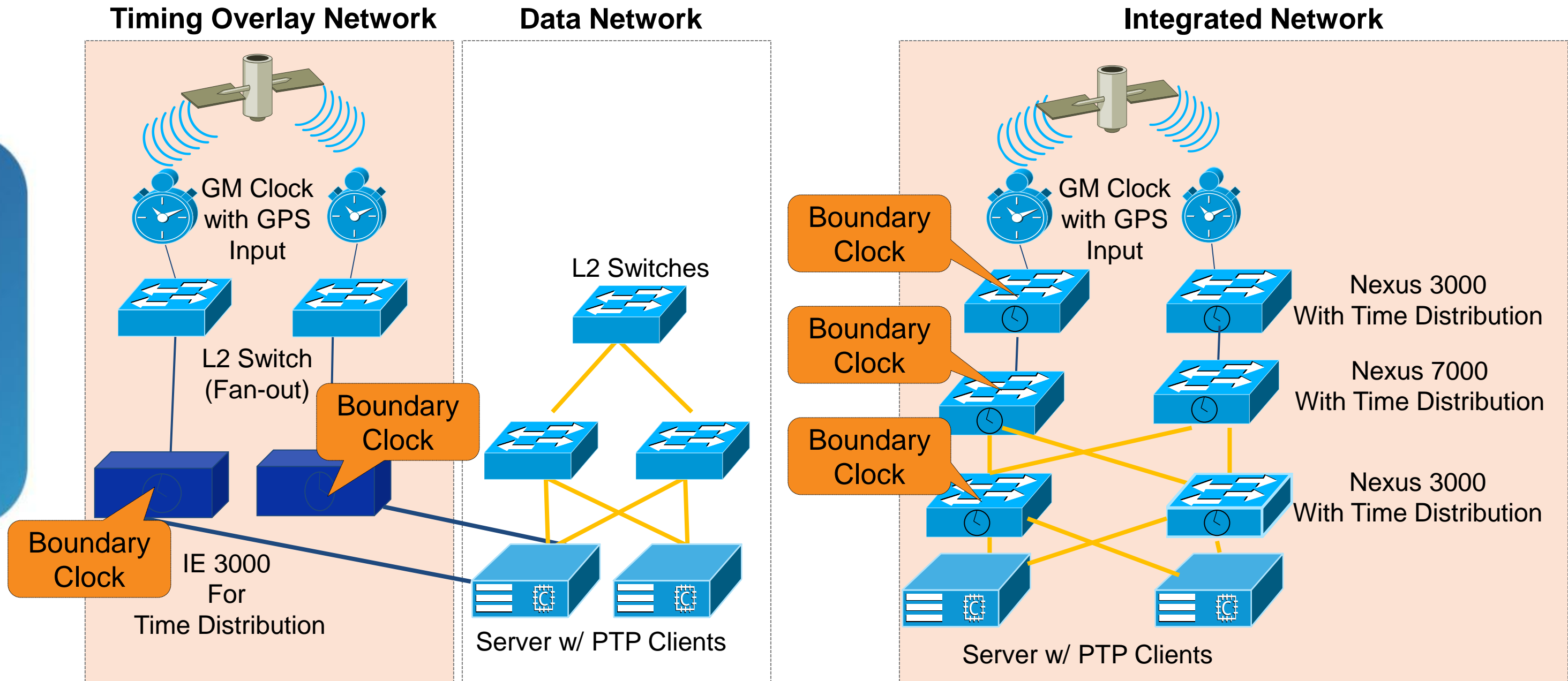


# Typical Execution Venue Architecture

Providing Timing as a Service



# Time Services are already evolving



# Deployment Consideration for Industrial Solutions



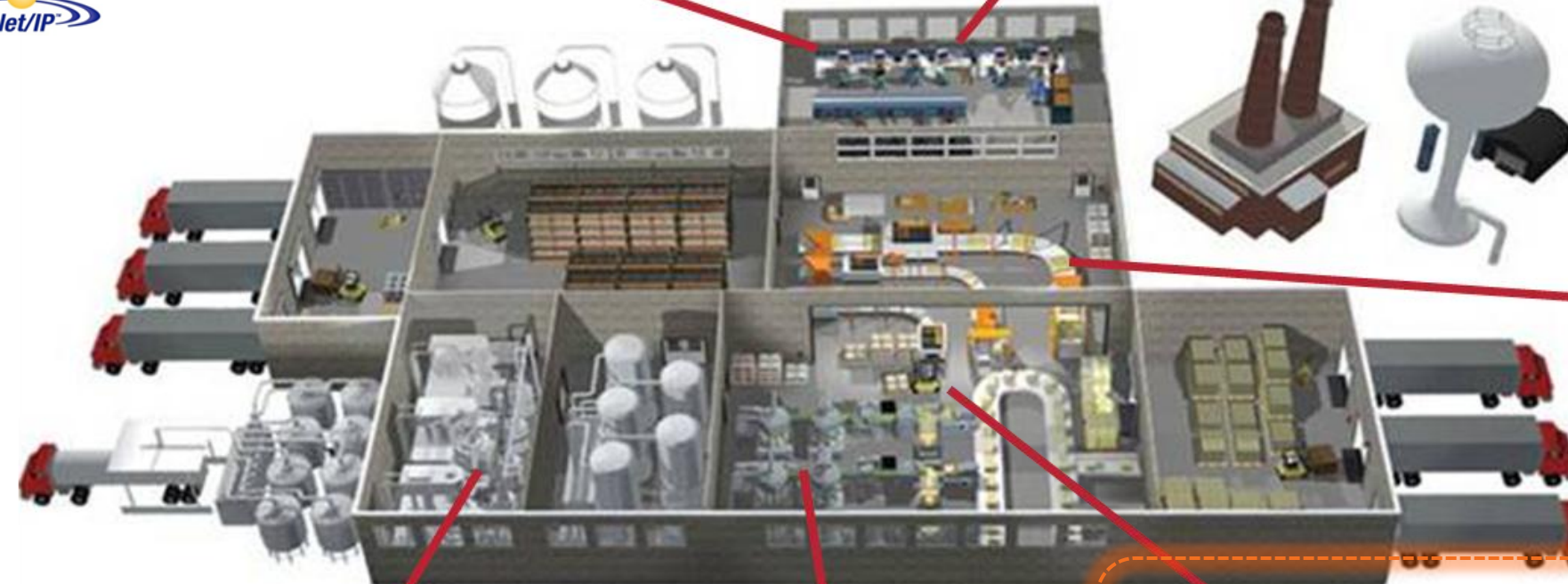
# Plantwide Network Architectures

## Cisco Convergence Plantwide Ethernet (CPwE) Architecture

Level 4 – Data Center



Level 3 - Site Operations



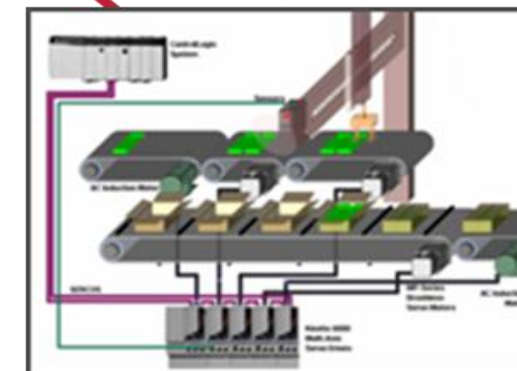
Material Handling



Processing



Filling



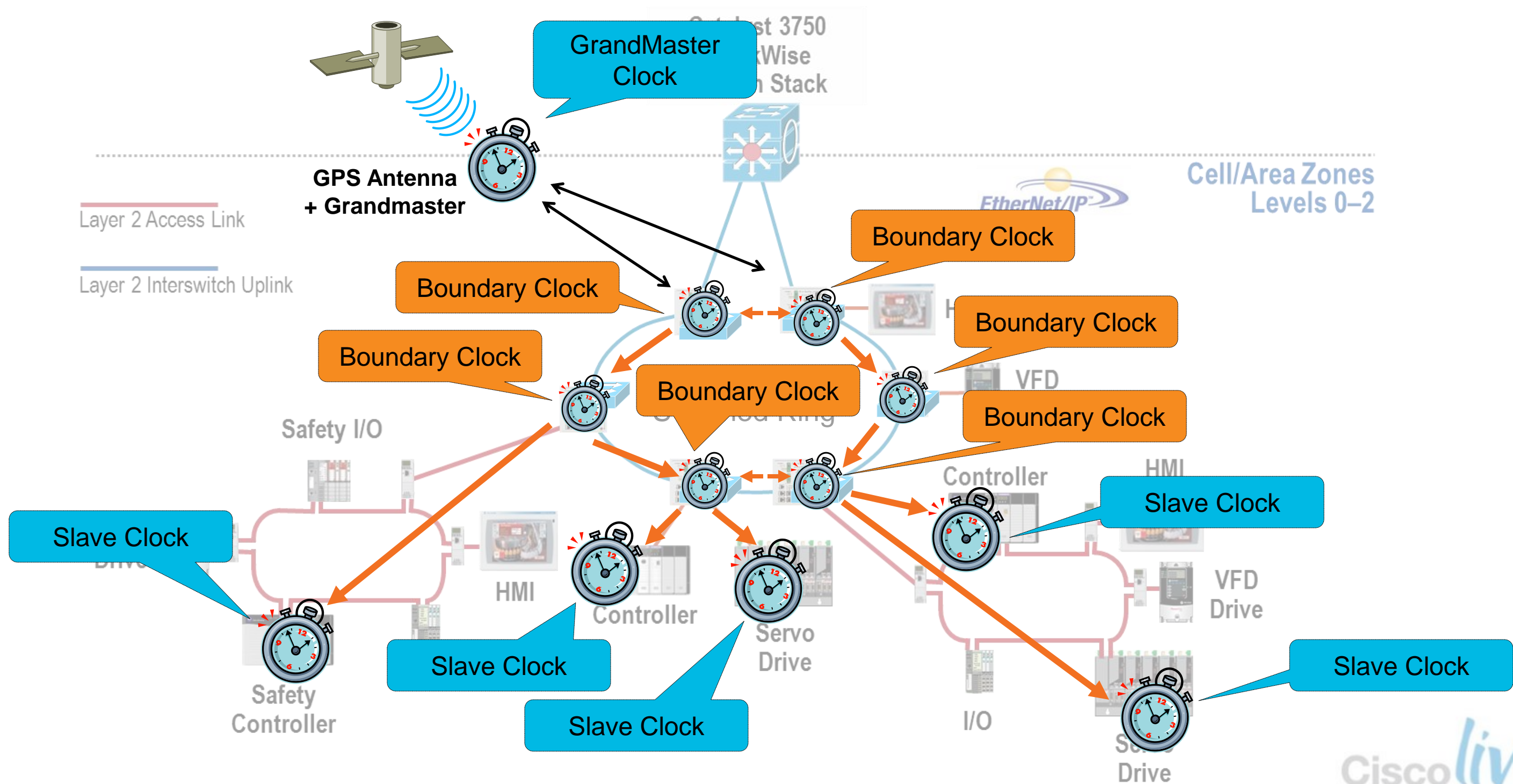
Packaging

Cell/Area Zones  
Levels 0-2



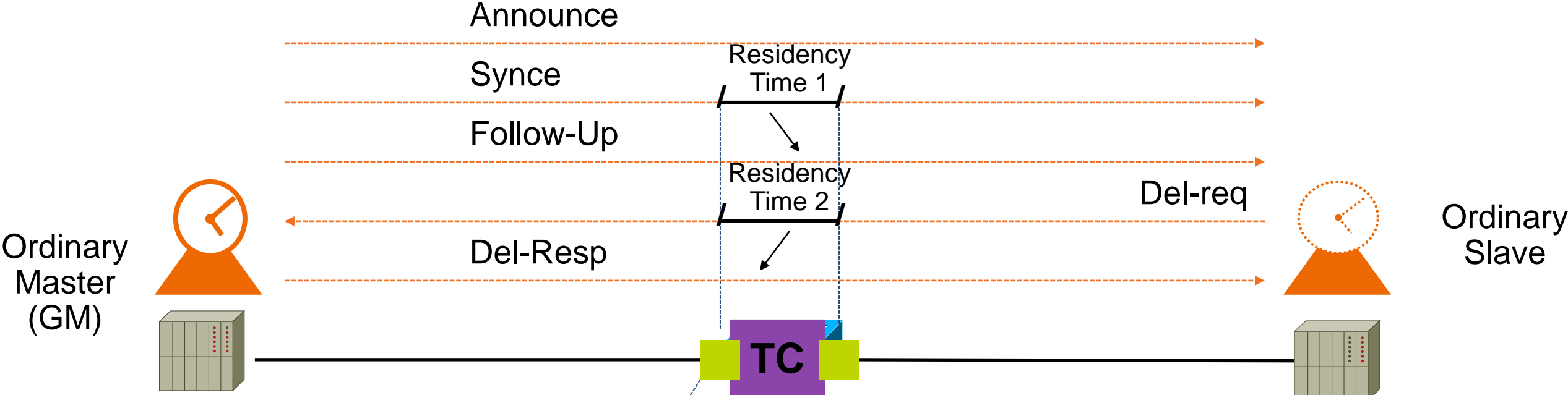
# Machine Solutions – CPwE 2.2

## Boundary Clock – Cisco IE3000 & Rockwell Stratix 8000



# Cisco IE3000 E2E Transparent Clock

## Configuration Example



```
interface gig 1/1  
no ptp enable
```

Interface PTP Parameters

Default=enabled

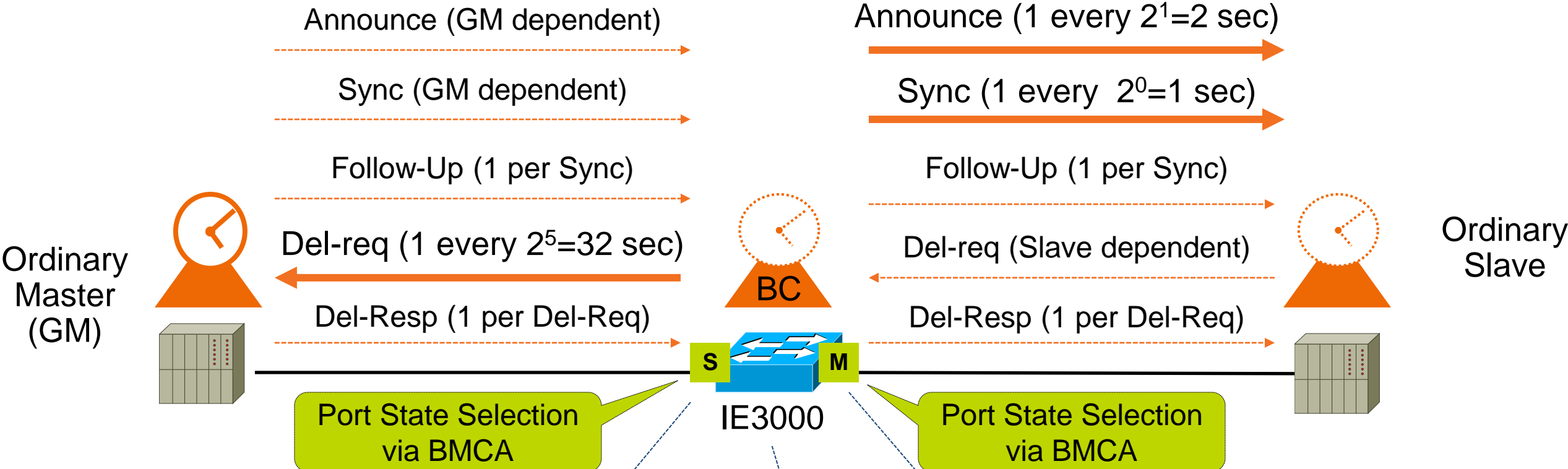
```
ptp mode e2transparent
```

Global PTP Configuration



# Cisco IE3000 Boundary Clock

## Configuration Example



```
interface gig 1/1
 ptp sync limit <50..500000000>
 ptp delay-req interval <-1..6>
 ptp announce timeout <2..10>
! no ptp enable
```

Interface PTP Parameters for Slave Ports

PTP enabled per default

Default=50000

```
interface gig 1/1
 ptp announce interval <0..4>
 ptp sync interval <-1..1>
```

Interface PTP Parameters for Master Ports

```
ptp domain <0..255>
 ptp mode boundary
 ptp priority1 <0..255>
 ptp priority2 <0..255>
```

Default=0, user-defined up to 127

Default=128

### Global PTP Configuration



# Cisco IE3000 Expansion Modules

All PTP Packets to be passed to Base Module



Base Module

Expansion Modules

Per default PTP is only enabled on the Base Module Ports

ptp passthrough  
Global PTP Configuration

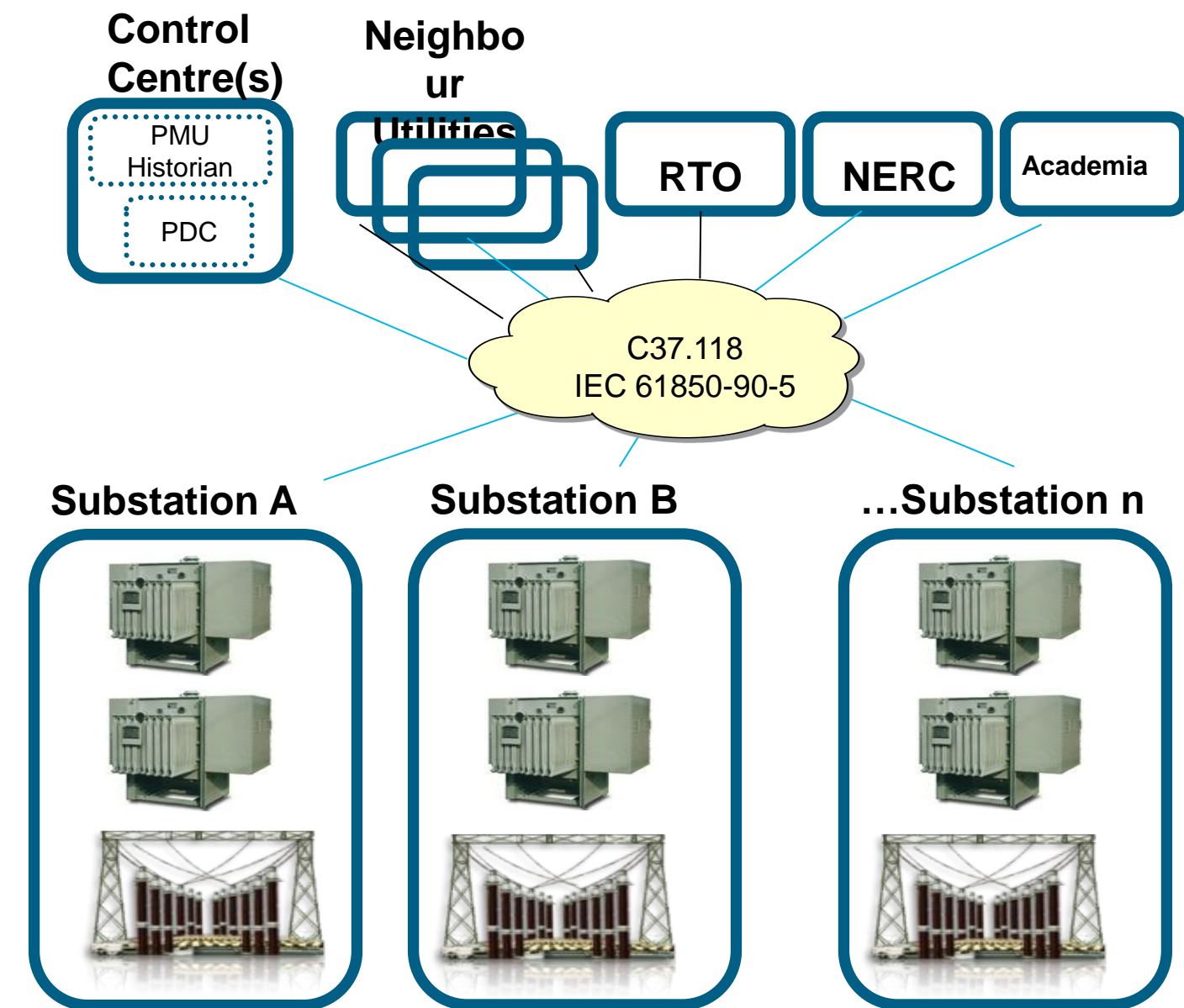
Enables PTP for Expansion Module Ports

# Deployment Consideration for Smart Grid



# Wire Area Measurement System (WAMS)

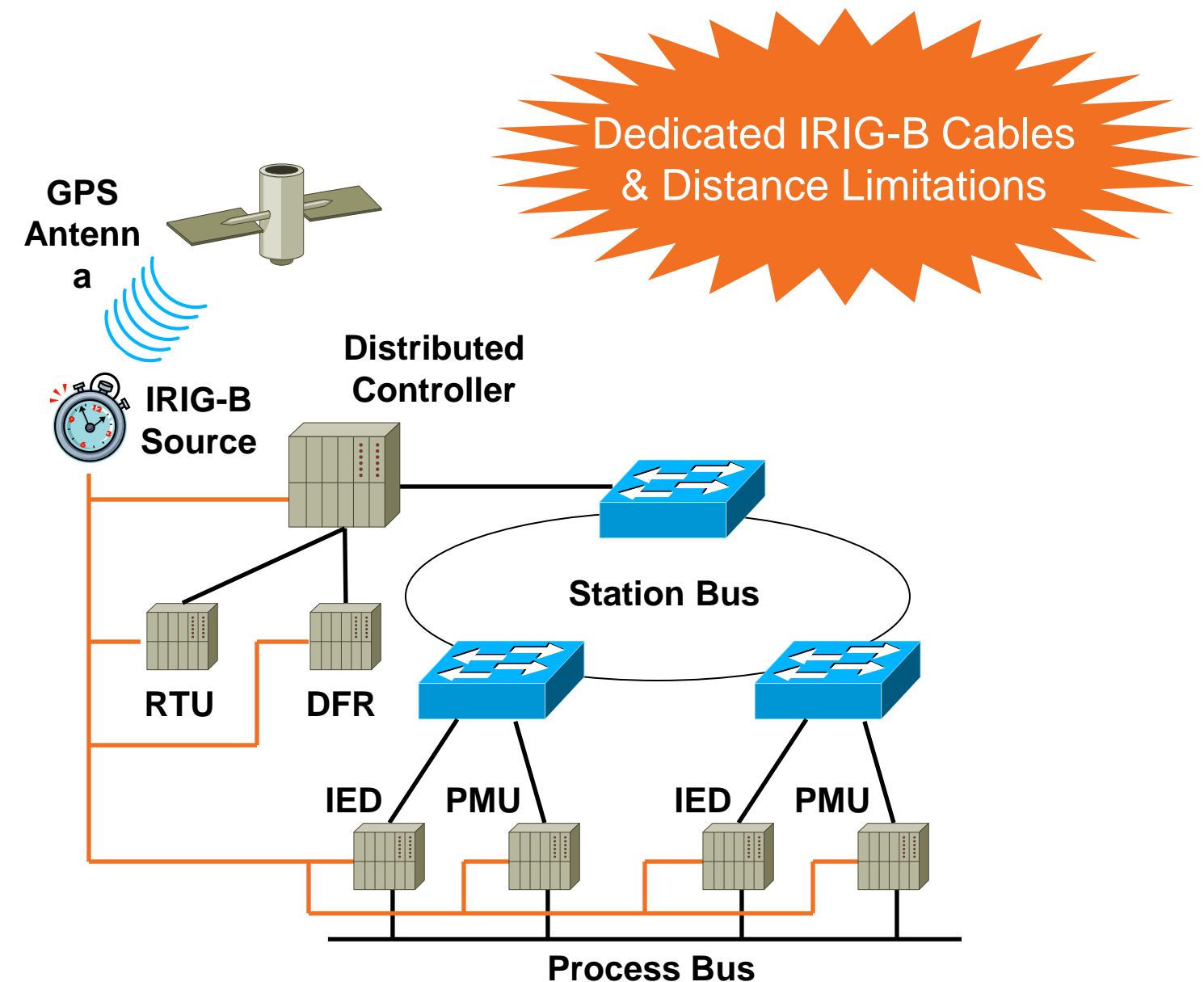
- Why WAMS?
  - Provide accurate measurement of grid state across broad regions of the transmission grid
  - Provides added grid monitoring and (eventually) real time protection & control using Phasor Measurement Units (PMUs)
  - Remediate frequency oscillations, disturbances before they cascade
- Drivers for Change
  - Variable Energy Resources
  - More cross-utility communication and control required among interchange authorities
  - Eventual closed loop control
- Characteristics
  - Low Latency
  - High Bandwidth: 120 samples/sec



# Timing Requirements

Today fulfilled by using IRIG-B or 1PPS

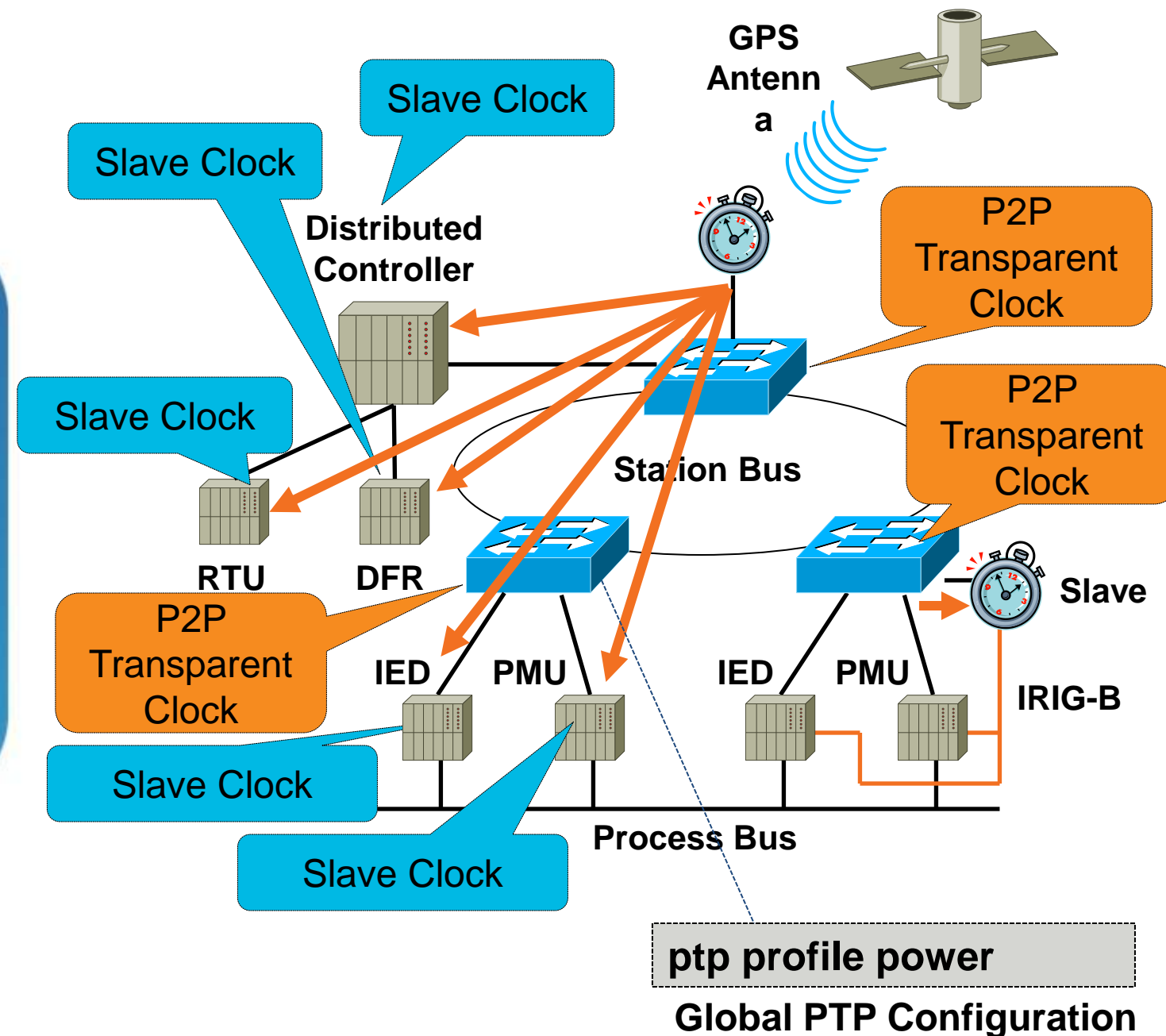
- General Applications (<1msec)
  - Sequence of Events
  - Digital Fault Recorder (DFR)
- High Precision Timing (<10usec)
  - Synchrophasors (C37.118)
  - Sampled Values (IEC 61850-9-2)
  - Distributed DFR Events
- IEC 61850-5-2003
  - Class T1: Events =  $\pm 1$ msec
  - Class T2: Syncrocheck  $\pm 0.1$ msec
  - Class T3: Samples Values  $\pm 25$ usec
  - Class T4: Samples Values  $\pm 4$ usec
  - Class T5: Samples Values  $\pm 1$ usec



RTU ... SCADA Remote Terminal Unit;  
DFR ... Digital Fault Recorder

# Migrating from IRIG-B to IEEE1588-2008

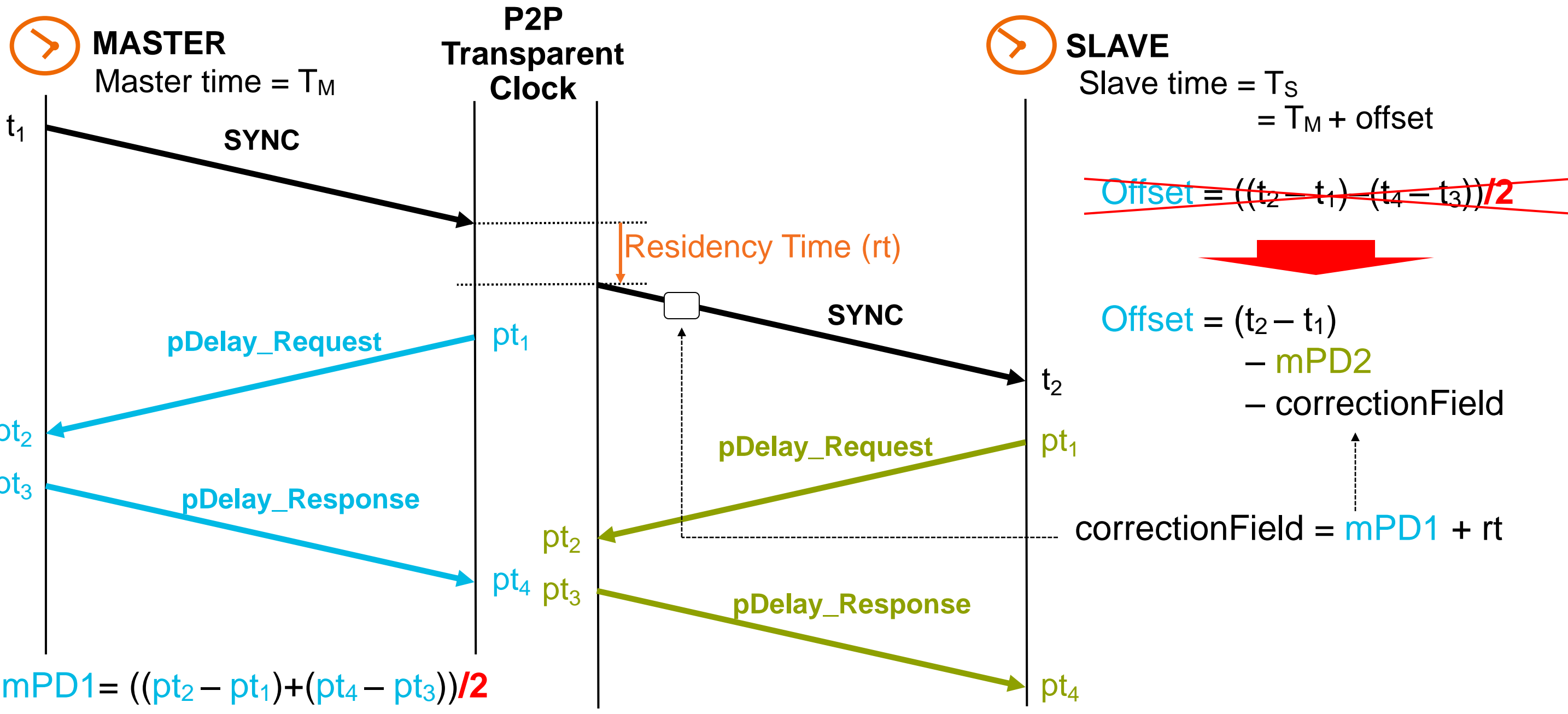
CGS2520 with Transparent Clock as per IEEE C37.238 Power Profile



- PTP Message Transport
  - Layer 2 (Ethertype 0x88F7)
- PTP Domain
  - 0
- Path Delay Mechanism
  - Peer to Peer Transparent Clock
- Clock Type
  - Two Step
- PTP Packet Priority
  - COS = 0
- Slave Performance
  - <1usec for up to 16 hops

1) With Peer Delay Request Mechanism  
RTU ... SCADA Remote Terminal Unit; DFR ... Digital Fault Recorder

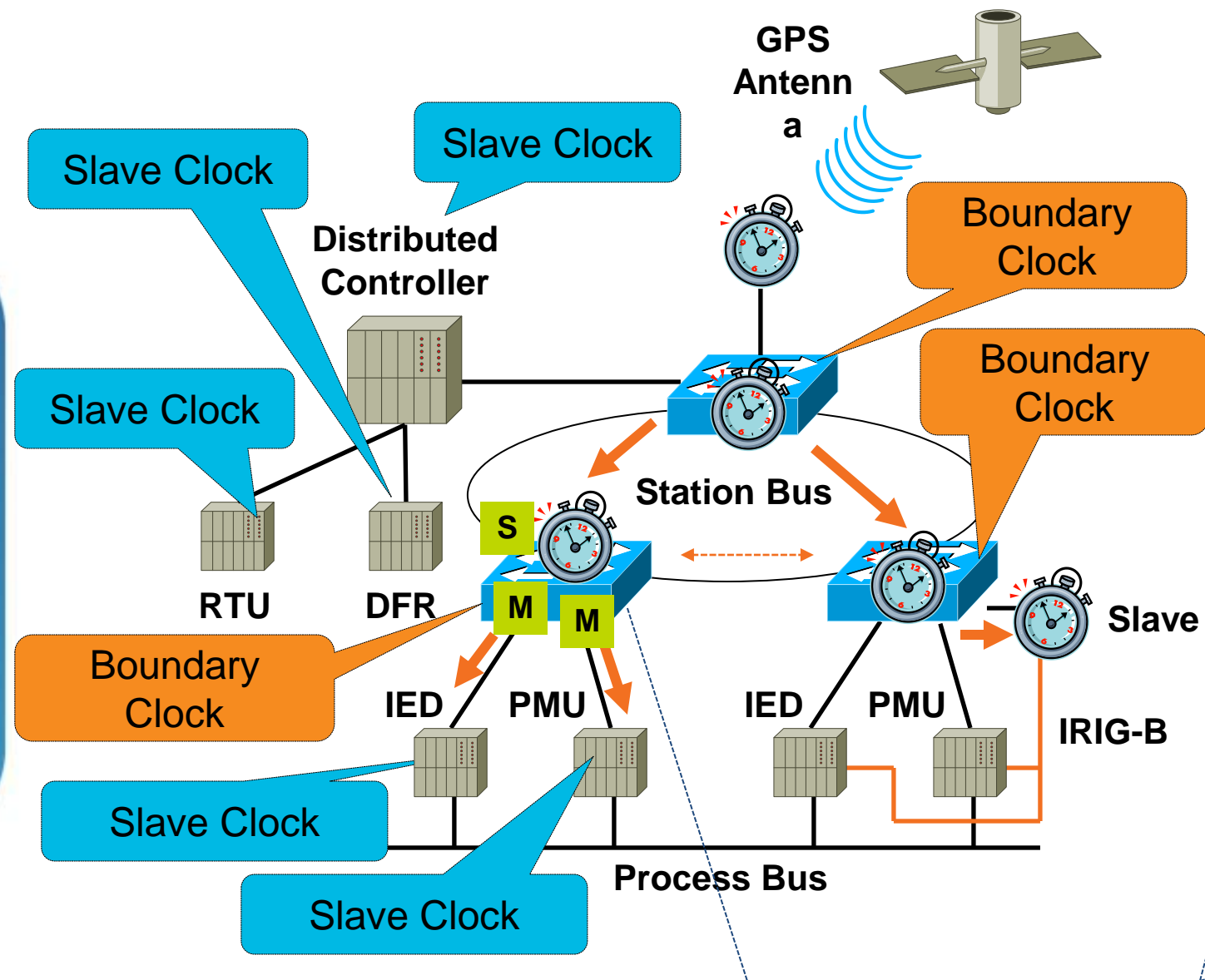
# Peer to Peer Transparent Mode



mPD ... meanPathDelay

# Migrating from IRIG-B to IEEE1588-2008

CGS2520 with Boundary Clock



## Power Profile compliant

### Global PTP Configuration

```
ptp profile power
ptp mode boundary pdelay-req
```



### PTP Port Configuration

```
inter gig 1/1
ptp pdelay-req interval <-5..5>
```

## Not Power Profile compliant

### Global PTP Configuration

```
no ptp profile power
ptp mode boundary delay-req
```



RTU ... SCADA Remote Terminal Unit; DFR ... Digital Fault Recorder



# IEEE C37.238 Power Profile (cont'd)

- Two mandatory TLVs
  - ORGANIZATION\_EXTENSION IEEE\_C37\_238 TLV
    - Communicates: Grandmaster ID, GrandmasterTimeInaccuracy, NetworkTimeInaccuracy
  - ALTERNATE\_TIME\_OFFSET\_INDICATOR TLV
- IEEE C37.238 MIB
  - Time Error Estimate
  - Traceability
  - Grandmaster ID
- Mapping of C37.238 Performance Parameters into
  - IEC61850 Parameters
  - C37.118 Parameters

# Deployment Consideration for Service Providers

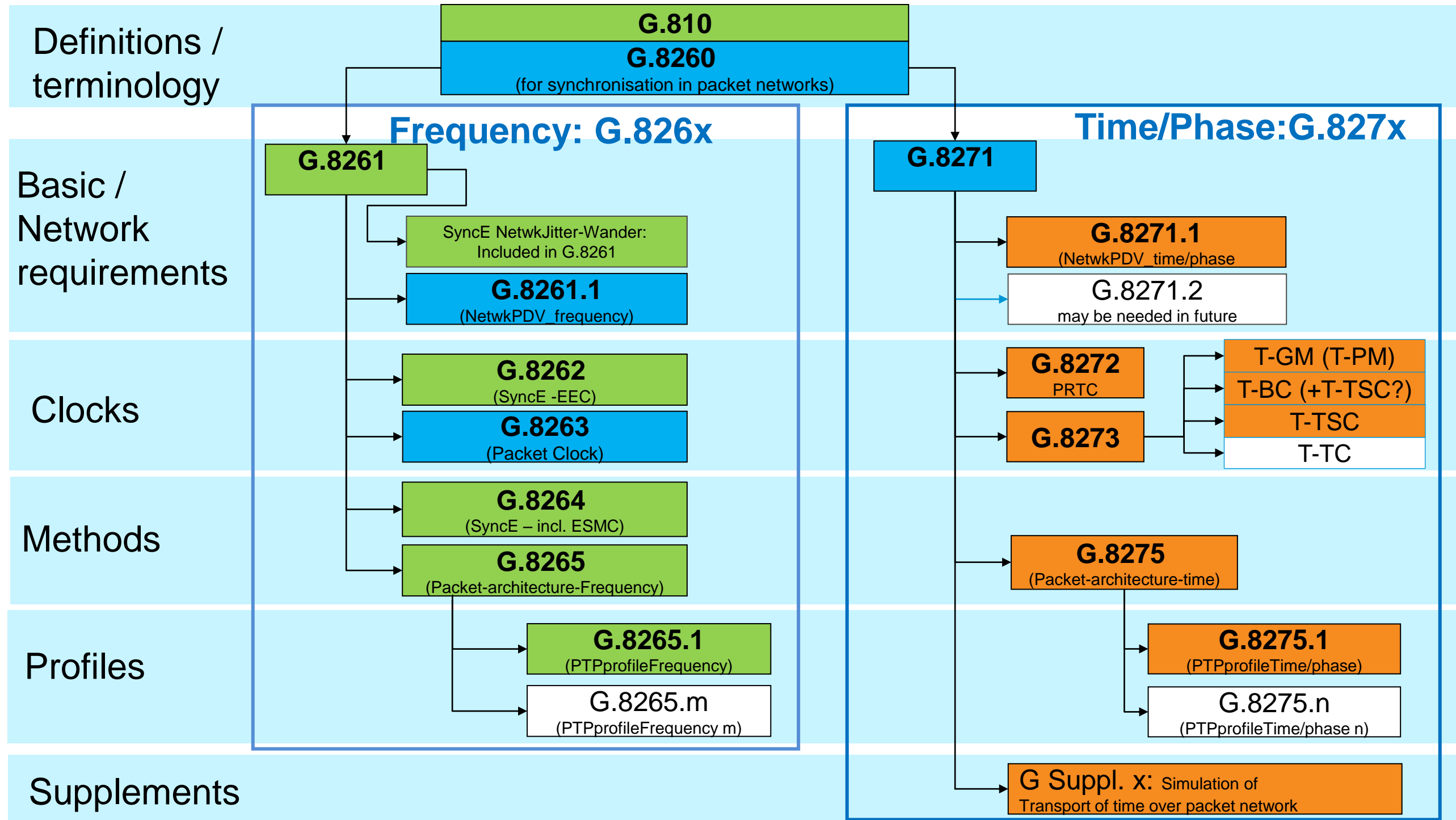


# Applications driving Synchronisation

Technology	Frequency Read: better than...	Phase or Time Synchronisation Read: less than...
GSM	Macro BS: $\pm 50$ ppb Pico BS: $\pm 100$ ppb	N/A
WCDMA (and LTE) FDD	WideArea BS: $\pm 50$ ppb Medium/LocalArea BS: $\pm 100$ ppb Home BS: $\pm 250$ ppb OBSAI: $\pm 16$ ppb	N/A
WCDMA TDD	WideArea BS: $\pm 50$ ppb LocalArea BS: $\pm 100$ ppb	$\pm 2.5$ $\mu$ s between base stations
TD-SCDMA	WideArea BS: $\pm 50$ ppb LocalArea BS: $\pm 100$ ppb	$\pm 3$ $\mu$ s between base stations
LTE TDD	WideArea BS: $\pm 50$ ppb LocalArea BS: $\pm 100$ ppb	$\pm 3$ $\mu$ s between base stations May range from $\pm 0.5$ $\mu$ s to $\pm 50$ $\mu$ s
CDMA2K	Macro Cell BS: $\pm 50$ ppb Pico Cell BS and Femto Cell: $\pm 100$ ppb	ToD (UTC) sync <i>should</i> be less than 3 $\mu$ s and <i>shall</i> be less than 10 $\mu$ s
WiMAX Mobile	Up to $\pm 1$ ppb Average target : $\pm 15$ ppb	Usual values between $\pm 0.5$ $\mu$ s and $\pm 5$ $\mu$ s
LTE-Advanced Services	$\pm 5$ ppb (CoMP)	CoMP, relaying function, carrier aggregation $\pm 0.5$ $\mu$ s [ $\pm 1$ $\mu$ s]
Multi-Media Bcast SFN Service	$\pm 50$ ppb	$\pm 1$ $\mu$ s
DVB SFN	Up to $\pm 1$ ppb	General agreement : $\pm 1$ $\mu$ s
TDM transmission	G.823/G.824/G.8261	N/A
Network Monitoring	N/A	$\pm 1$ to 100 $\mu$ s ToD synchronisation for 10 $\mu$ s to 1 ms measurement accuracy

# ITU-T SG15 Q13 Work Plan

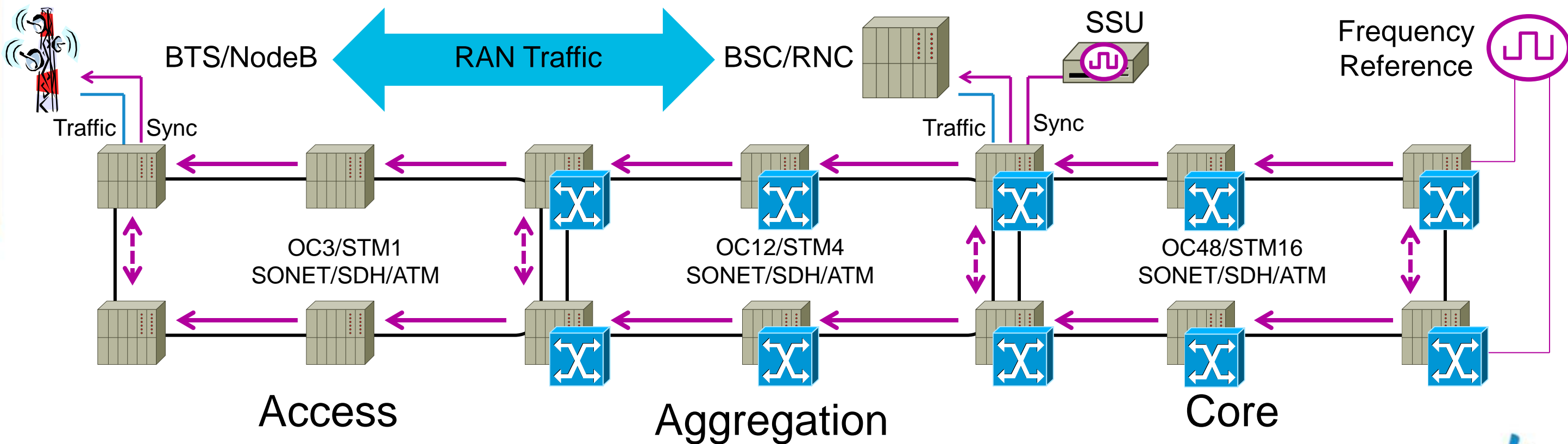
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PRTC ... Primary Reference Time Clock, T-GM ... Telecom Grandmaster; T-BC ... Telecom Boundary Clock;  
T-TC ... Telecom Transparent Clock; T-TSC ... Transparent Time Slave Clock;

# SyncE + End2End IEEE1588

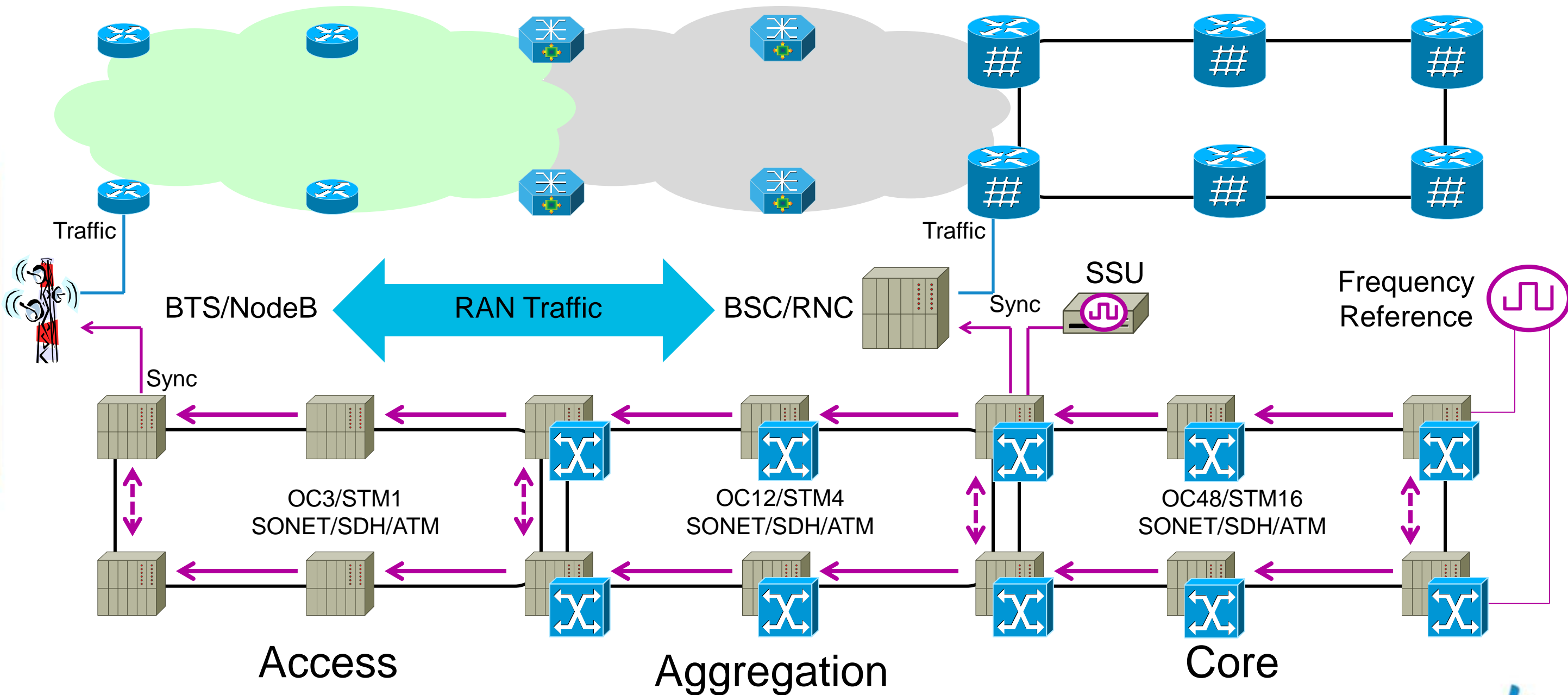
SP Mobile 2G and 3G RAN Transport Evolution



BTS ... Base Transceiver Station; BSC ... Base Station Controller

# SyncE + End2End IEEE1588

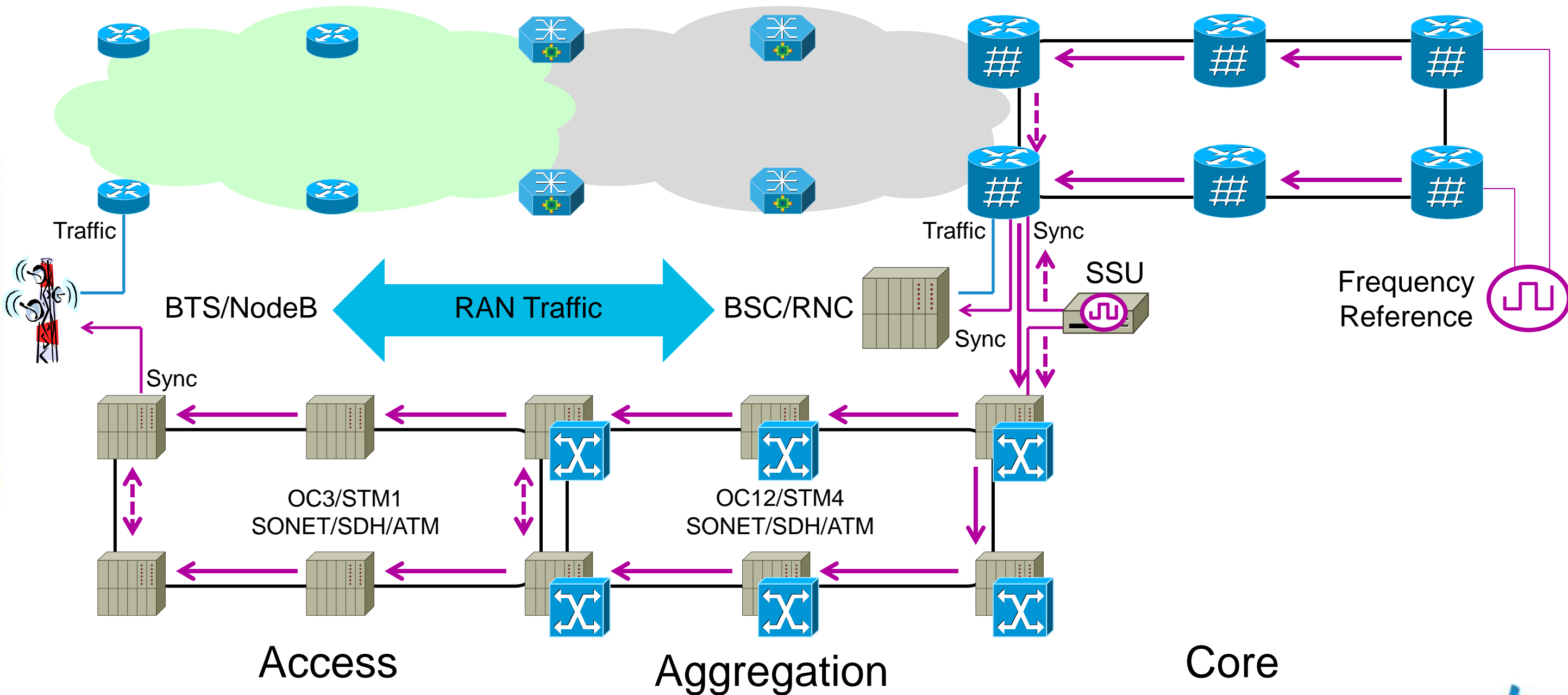
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# SyncE + End2End IEEE1588

SP Mobile 2G and 3G RAN Transport Evolution



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# SETS Configuration Options

Cisco IOS XR

- Enabling Frequency Synchronisation

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:201-14(config)#frequency synchronization
```

- Selecting SSM Option

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:201-14(config-freqsync)#quality itu-t option ?
```

- 1 ITU-T QL option 1
- 2 ITU-T QL option 2

- Selecting Generation 1 or 2 for Option 2

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:201-14(config-freqsync)#quality itu-t option 2 ?
```

```
generation ITU-T QL option 2 generation
```

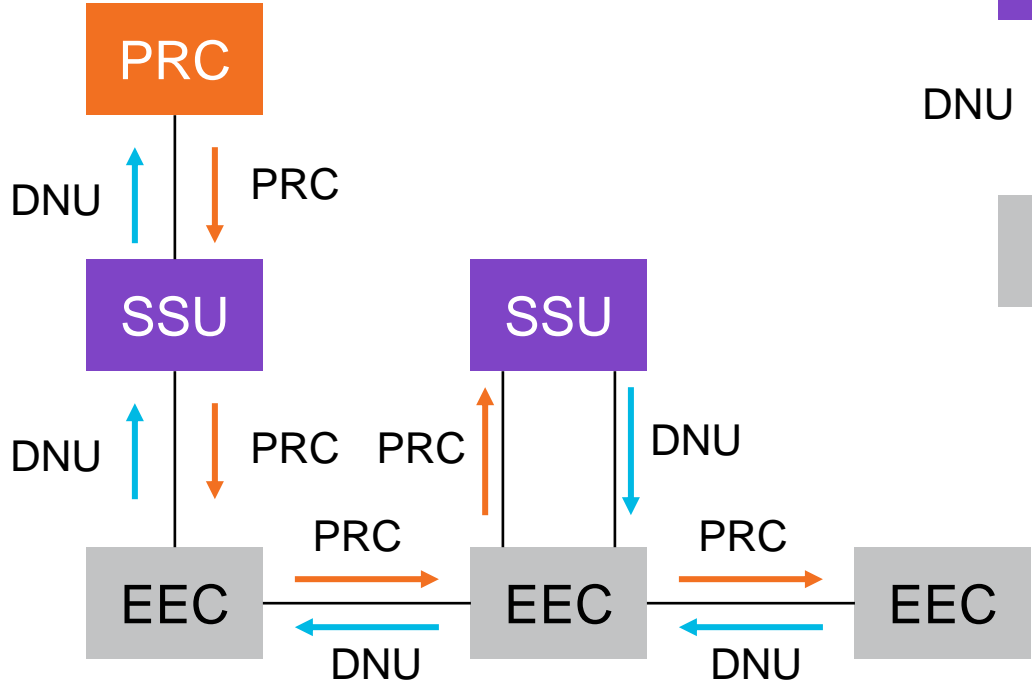
```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:201-14(config-freqsync)#quality itu-t option 2 generation ?
```

- 1 ITU-T QL option 2, generation 1
- 2 ITU-T QL option 2, generation 2

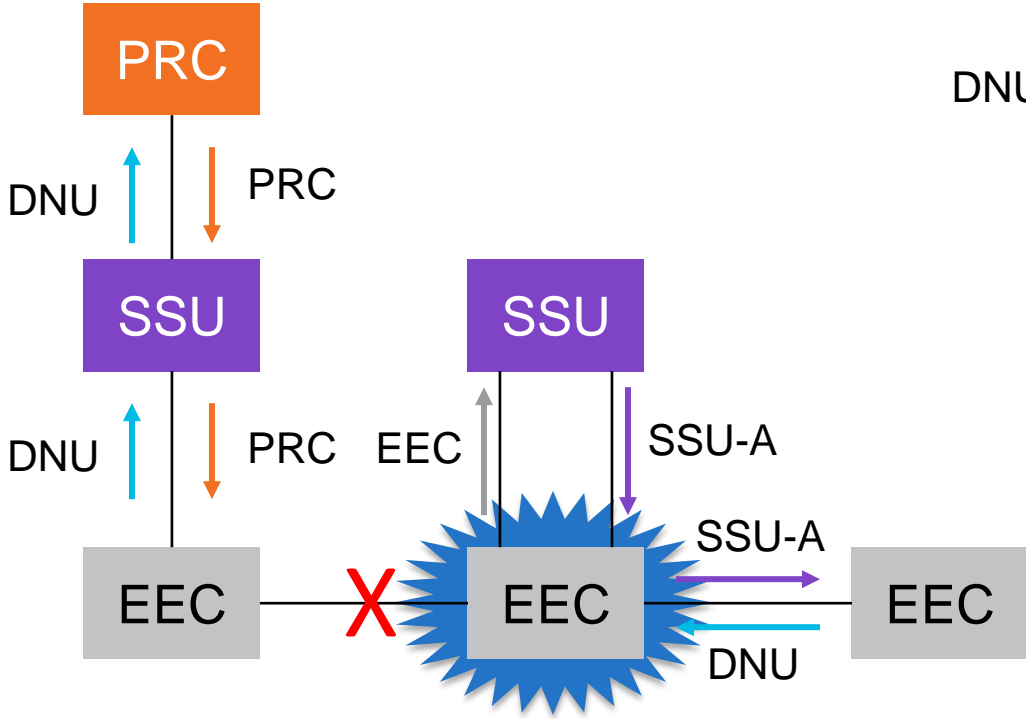


# Chain of SyncE Clocks

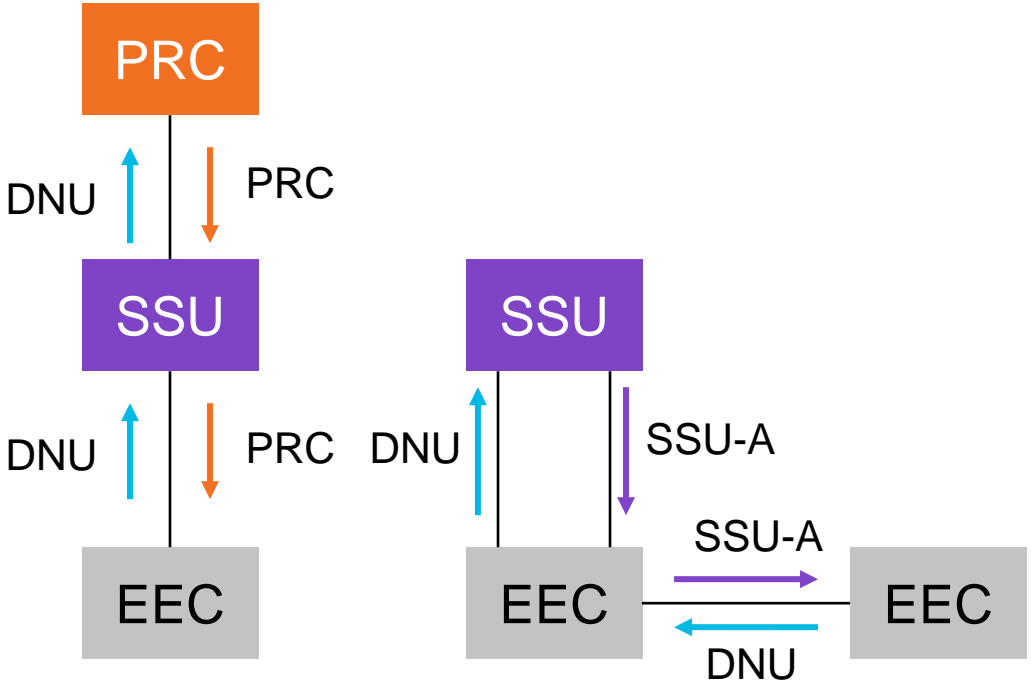
Signalling upon Failure and Chain Convergence



Before the Failure  
(PRC traceable)



Transient State

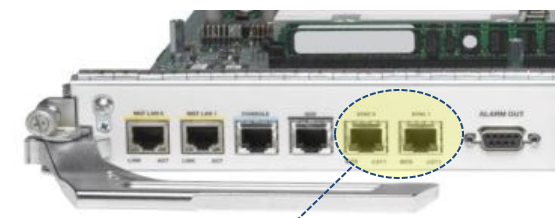


Restored Chain  
(SSU-S traceable)

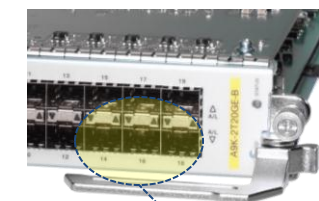
You want to avoid/minimise Holdover of SECs !!

# Node connected to SSU

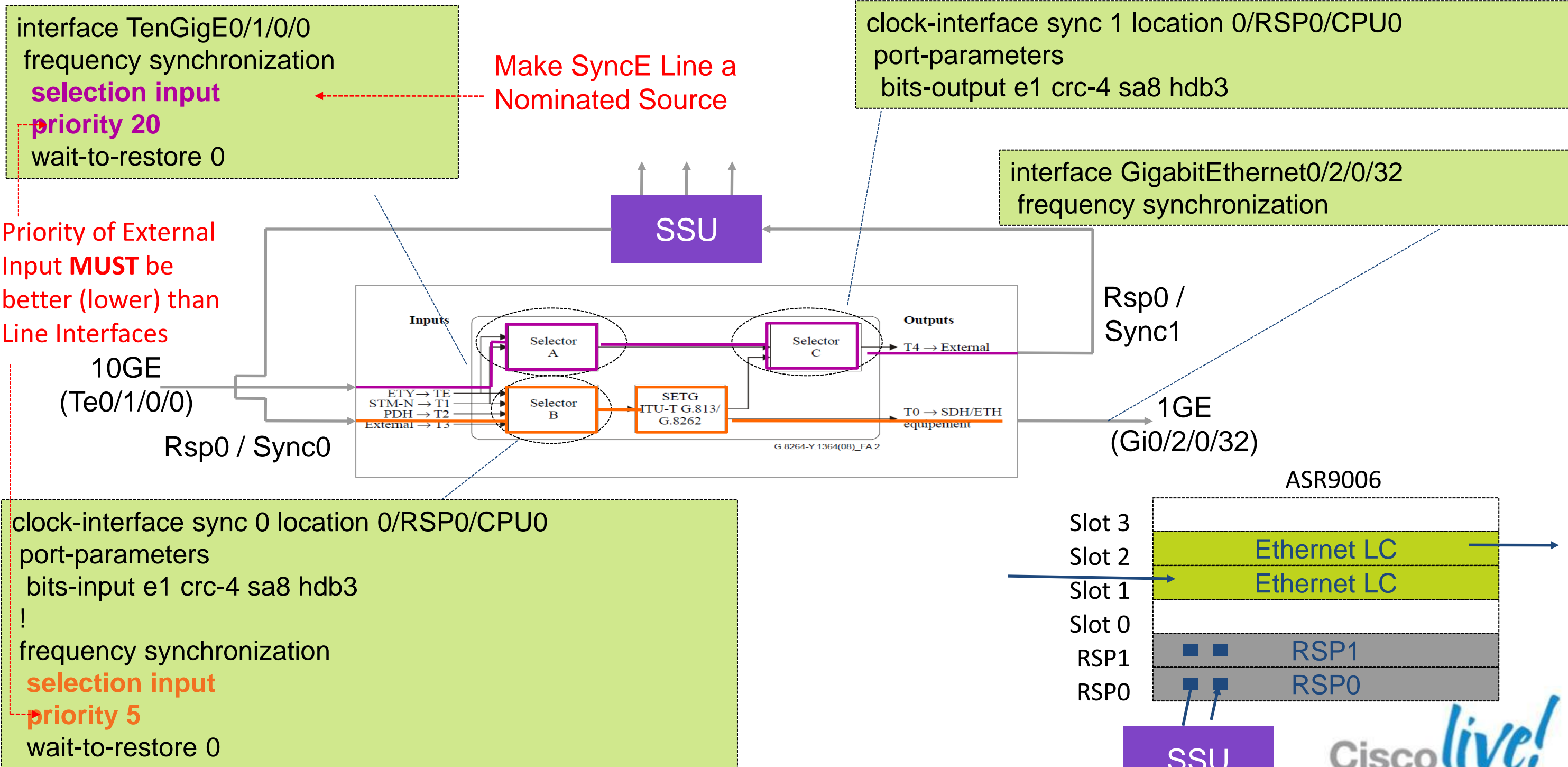
## Cisco IOS XR Configuration



Timing Inputs



Sync Line Interface



Priority of External Input **MUST** be better (lower) than Line Interfaces

Make SyncE Line a Nominated Source

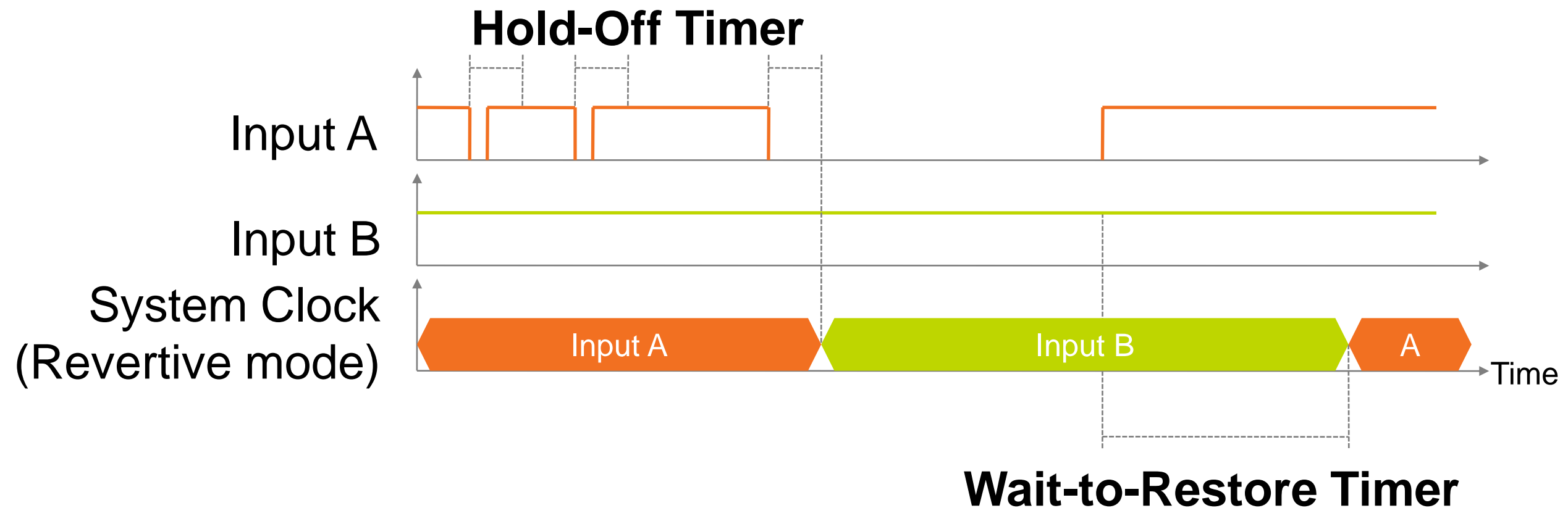
clock-interface sync 0 location 0/RSP0/CPU0  
port-parameters  
bits-input e1 crc-4 sa8 hdb3  
!  
frequency synchronization  
selection input  
priority 5  
wait-to-restore 0





# Configurable Timers

Ensuring SETS Stability



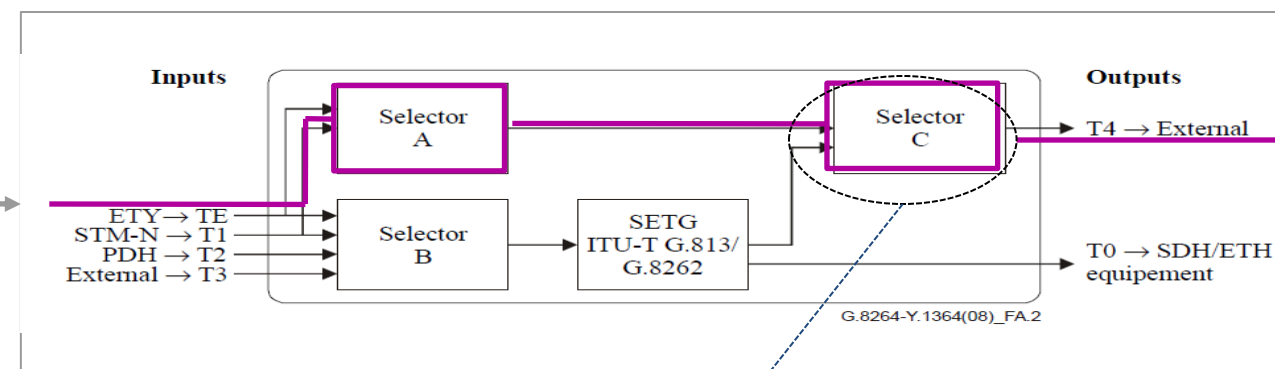
- Hold-Off Timer dampens short Activations of Input Signal Fail
- Wait-to-Restore Timer does ensure Input is fault-free again

# Node connected to SSU

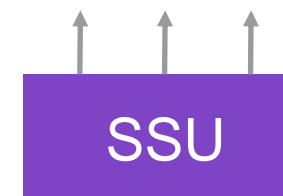
## Cisco IOS XR Verification



10GE  
(Te0/1/0/0)



Other Nodes in CO



Rsp0 /  
Sync1

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:201-14#show frequency synchronization selection
```

```
Thu Apr 14 13:22:44.065 UTC
```

```
Node 0/RSP0/CPU0:
```

```
=====
```

```
...
```

```
Selection point: T4-SEL-C (2 inputs, 1 selected)
```

```
Last programmed 00:00:14 ago, and selection made 00:00:07 ago
```

```
Next selection points
```

```
SPA scoped : None
```

```
Node scoped : None
```

```
Chassis scoped: None
```

```
Router scoped : None
```

```
Used for local clock interface output
```

```
S Input          Last Selection Point      QL Pri Status
```

```
=====
```

```
1 TenGigE0/1/0/0          0/RSP0/CPU0 T4-SEL-A 1   PRC 20 Locked
```

```
Sync0 [0/RSP0/CPU0]      0/RSP0/CPU0 T0-SEL-B 1   PRC 5 Available
```

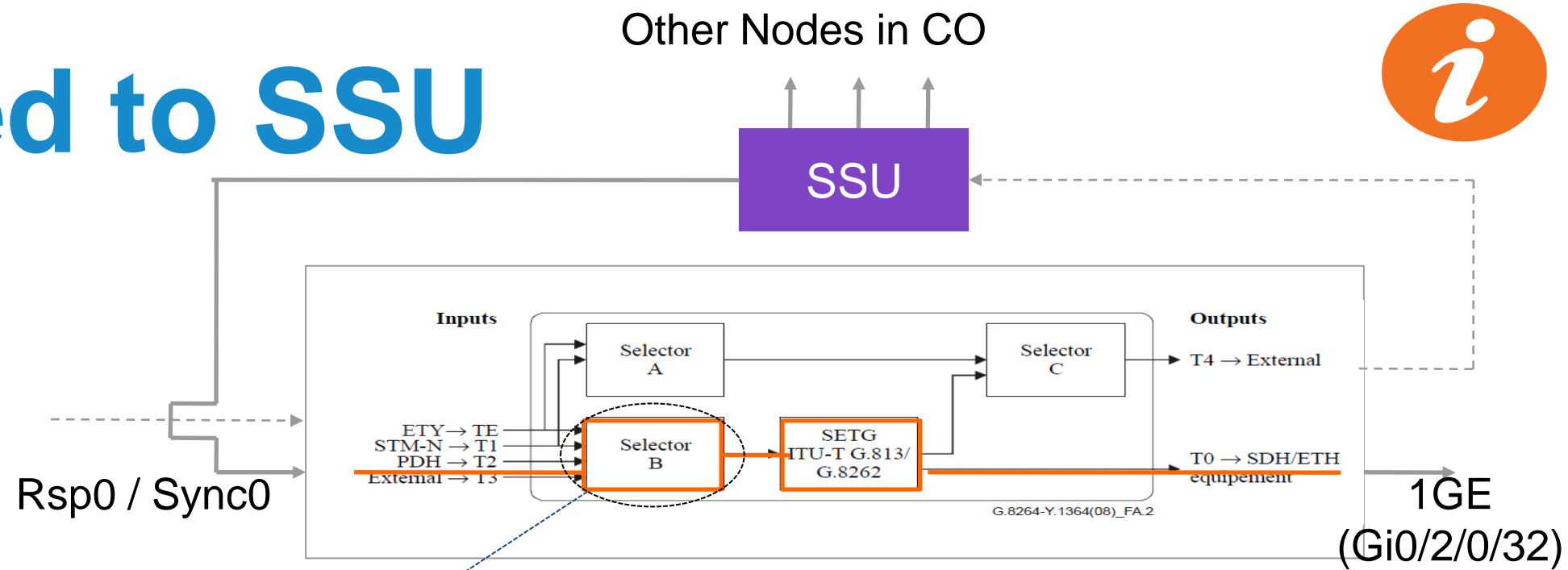
**Implicit Implementation:**  
External Input will never  
drive External Output





# Node connected to SSU

## Cisco IOS XR Verification



```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:201-14#show frequency synchronization selection
```

```
Thu Apr 14 13:22:44.065 UTC
```

```
Node 0/RSP0/CPU0:
```

```
=====
```

```
Selection point: T0-SEL-B (3 inputs, 1 selected)
```

```
Last programmed 00:00:15 ago, and selection made 00:00:07 ago
```

```
Next selection points
```

```
SPA scoped : None
```

```
Node scoped : T4-SEL-C
```

```
Chassis scoped: LC_TX_SELECT
```

```
Router scoped : None
```

```
Used for local line interface output
```

S	Input	Last Selection Point	QL	Pri	Status
1	Sync0 [0/RSP0/CPU0]	n/a	PRC	5	Locked
	TenGigE0/1/0/0	0/1/CPU0 ETH_RXMUX	1	PRC	20 Available
	Internal0 [0/RSP0/CPU0]	n/a	SEC	255	Available

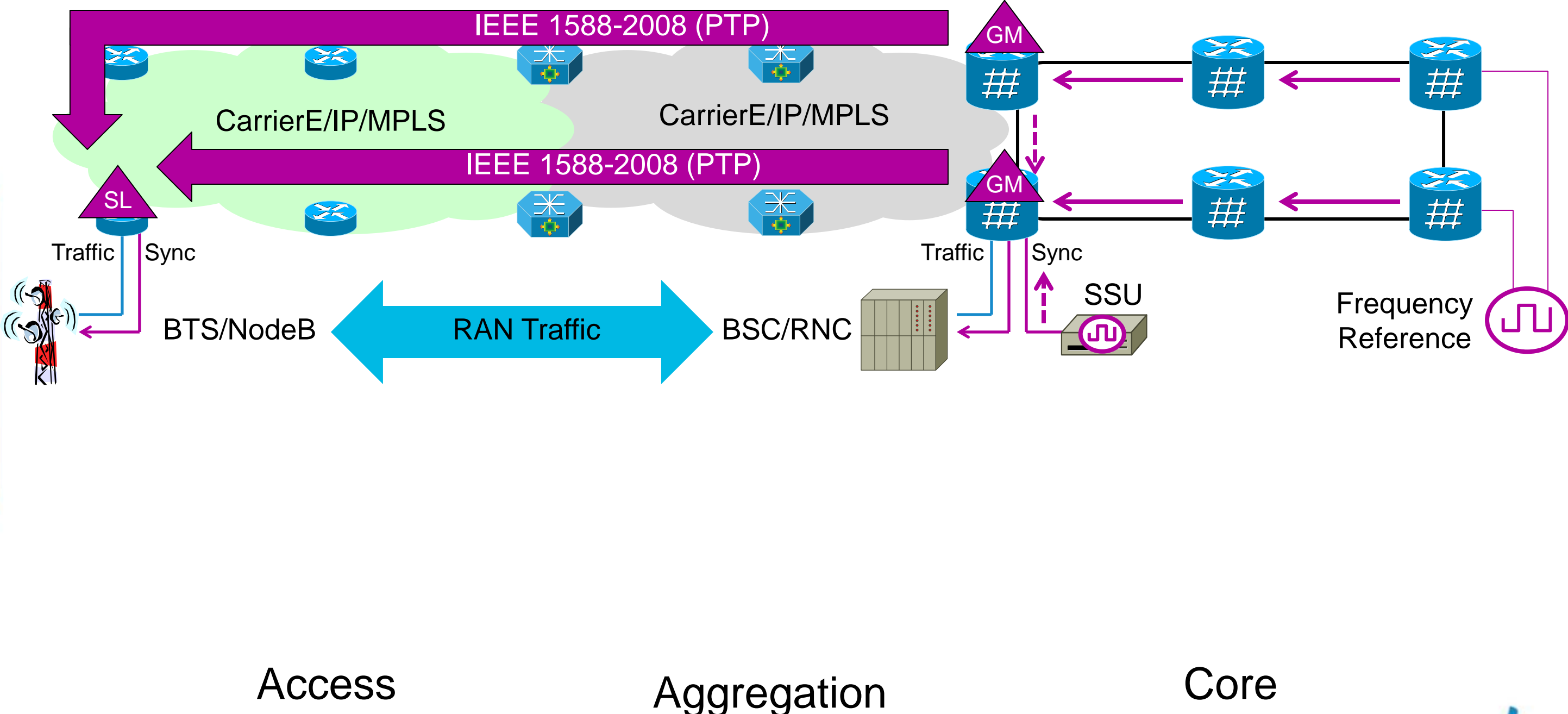
```
=====
```

External Input preferred due to local priority



# SyncE + End2End IEEE1588

SP Mobile 2G and 3G RAN Transport Evolution



BTS ... Base Transceiver Station; BSC ... Base Station Controller



# 1<sup>st</sup> Telecom Profile: ITU-T G.8265.1

## Frequency Distribution

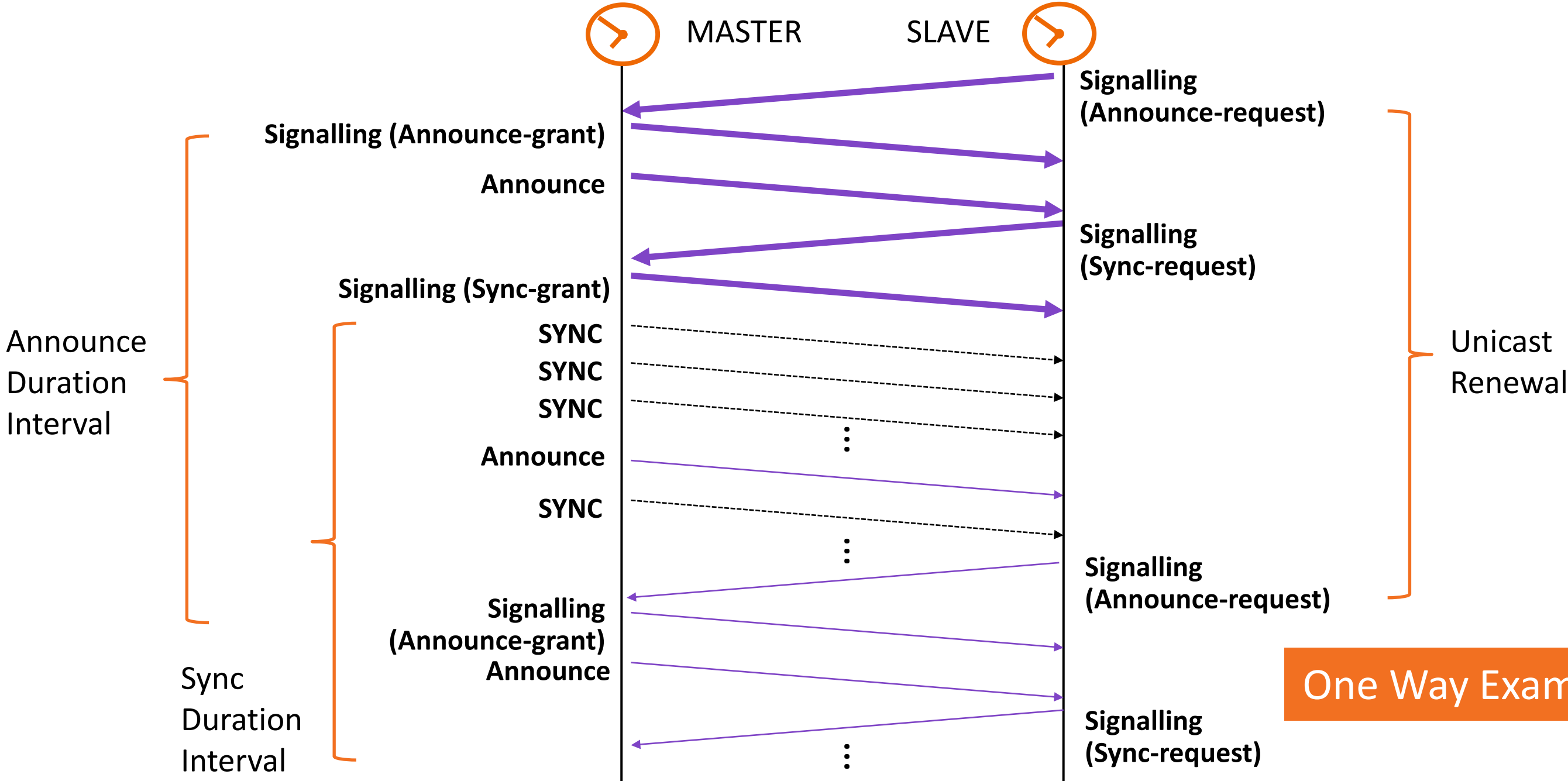
- Supports Frequency Delivery, with no Network Assistance (to PTP)
  - Operation across **managed Wide Area Networks** (WANs)
  - Slave and Master only (End-to-End PTP) Model
  - IPv4 **negotiated unicast** transport (defined in IEEE1588-2008 as option),
- Seamless Interoperability with existing Networks
  - SONET/SDH (G.813)
  - SyncE (G.8262)
  - Quality Level for Traceability (G.781)
- Protection Scheme inline with Telecom Best Practices
  - **Static** master and slave **port state**
  - Clock selection (based on G.781 model) based on **QL Values and Local Priorities**

BMCA ... Best Master Clock Algorithm

WAN ... Wide Area Network

# PTP Negotiation Message Exchange

Option to IEEE1588-2008, used by G.8265.1 <sup>1)</sup>

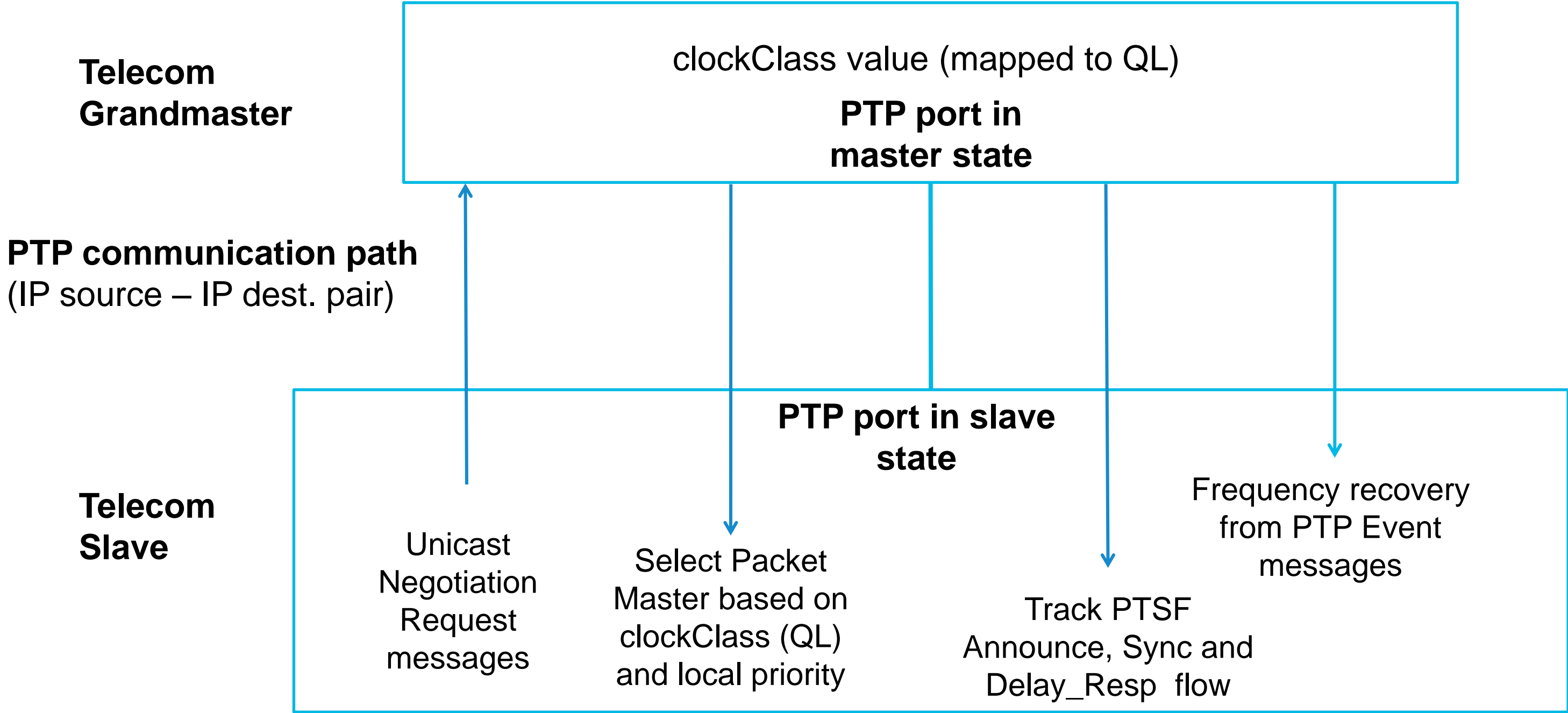


One Way Example!



# Simplified Functional Model of G.8265.1

IEEE1588-2008 End2End Master/Slave Model



# PTP Negotiation Message Exchange

Option to IEEE1588-2008, used by G.8265.1

- Slaves send requests to Master to establish PTP exchange

	One Way	Two Way
Announce	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Sync	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Delay_Response		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

- Requests can be sent via multiple messages or by packing multiple TLVs in a single request message
- Messages include information on the **desired message rates**
- Master **can grant, reject or proposes other values**
- G.8265.1 Master needs to support both one- and two-way
- G.8265.1 Slave needs may use one-way or two-way



# Quality Level

## Mapping between SSM/G.781 QL and the PTP clockClass Attribute

SSM QL	G.781		ESMC		PTP Clock Class
	Option I	Option II	Option I	Option II	
0001		QL-PRS			80
0000		QL-STU			82
0010	QL-PRC				84
0111		QL-ST2			86
0011					88
0100	QL-SSU-A	QL-TNC			90
0101					92
0110					94
1000	QL-SSU-B				96
1001					98
1101		QL-ST3E			100
1010		QL-ST3		QL-EEC2	102
1011	QL-SEC		QL-EEC1		104
1100		QL-SMC			106
1110		QL-PROV			108
1111	QL-DNU	QL-DUS			110

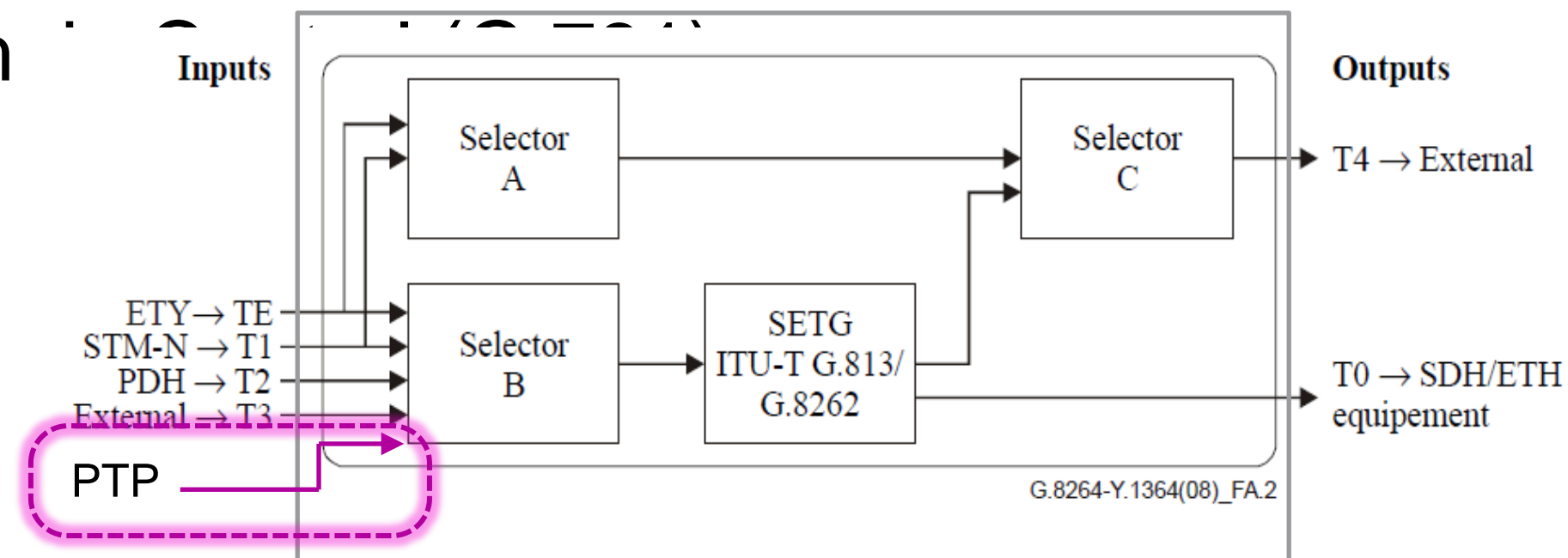
The default value should correspond to the holdover quality of the master.



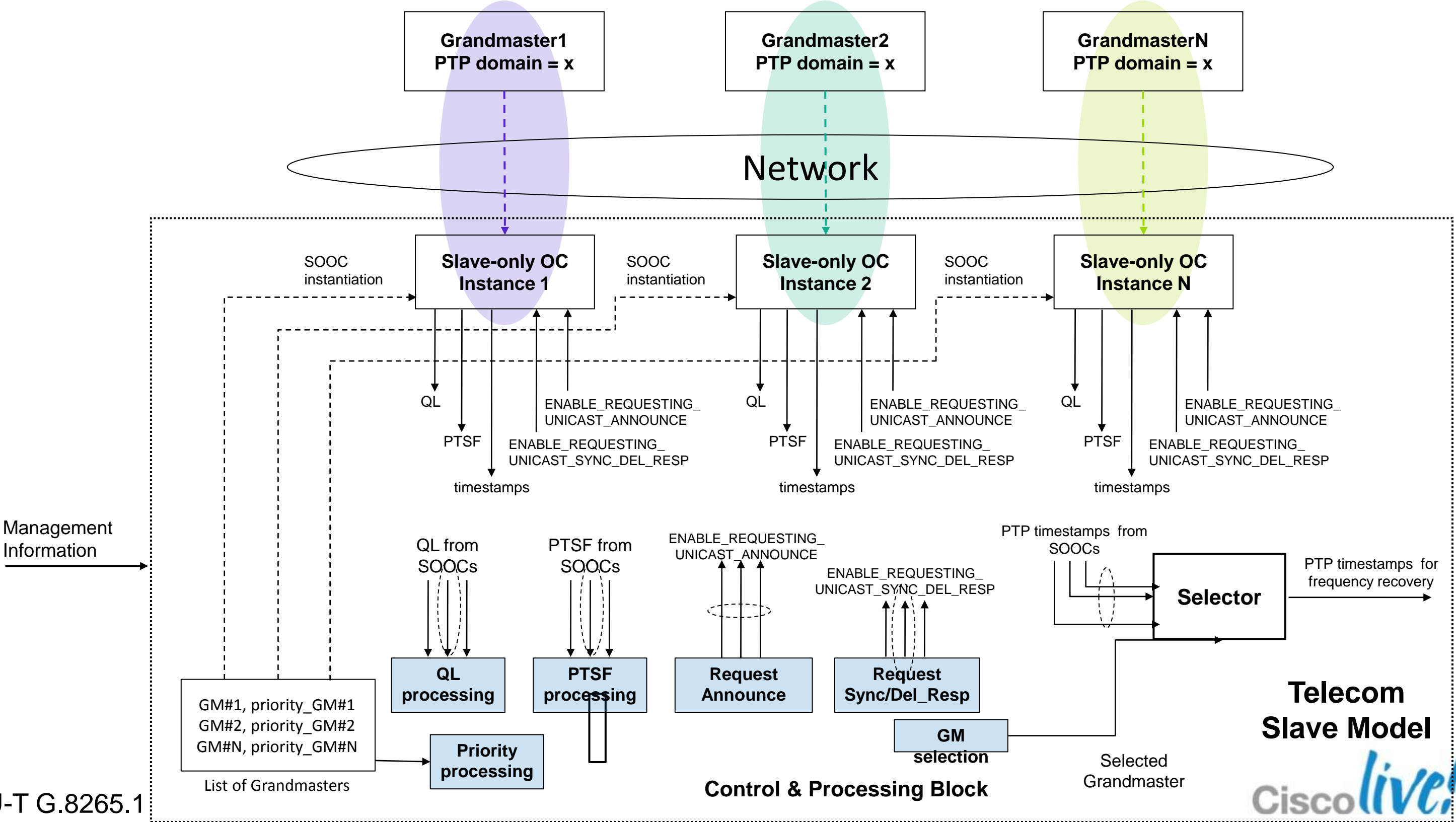


# Clock Selection Process

- The following parameters contribute to the master selection process:
  - Quality Level (in clockClass parameter)
  - Packet Timing Signal
  - Priority
- Leveraging Experience from SONET/SDH/SyncE PHY-layer Timing Channels



# ITU-T Telecom Slave



Source: ITU-T G.8265.1

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# ASR9000 PTP Master Example

Gateway between SyncE and IEEE15880

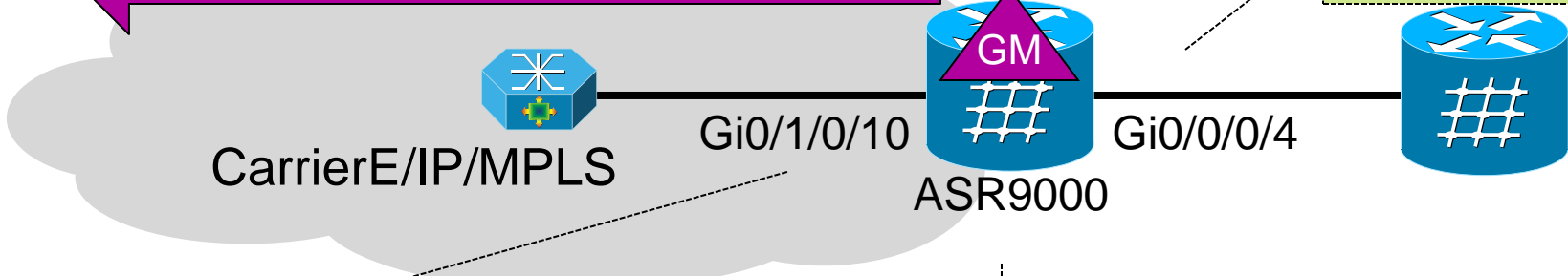


Drive System Frequency by SyncE Line



```
interface gi 0/0/0/4
frequency synchronization
selection input
priority 10
wait-to-restore 0
```

Interface Freq-Sync Configuration



### Interface PTP Configuration

```
interface gi 0/1/0/10
ipv4 address 2.205.209.2/30
ptp
profile Master
```

PTP has to be configured per port

Number of Del-req Messages per Second sent by the Master

### Global PTP Configuration

```
ptp
clock domain <0..255>
clock priority1 <0..255>
clock priority2 <0..255>

ptp profile Master
announce interval <1..16>
sync frequency <1..64>
delay-request frequency <1..64>
```

Default = 0, user-defined up to 127

Priority must be lower value than on Slaves

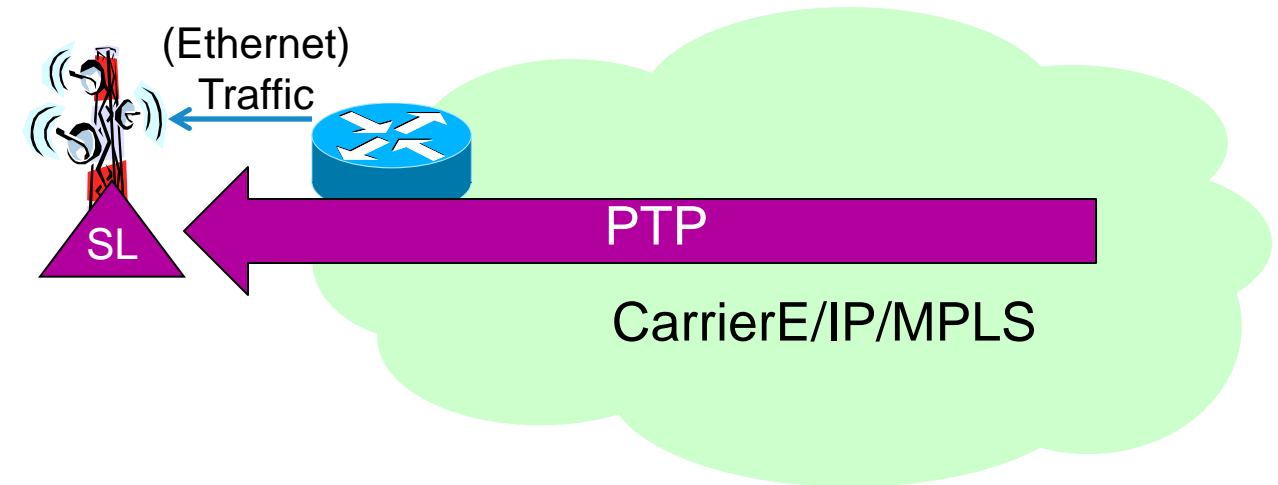
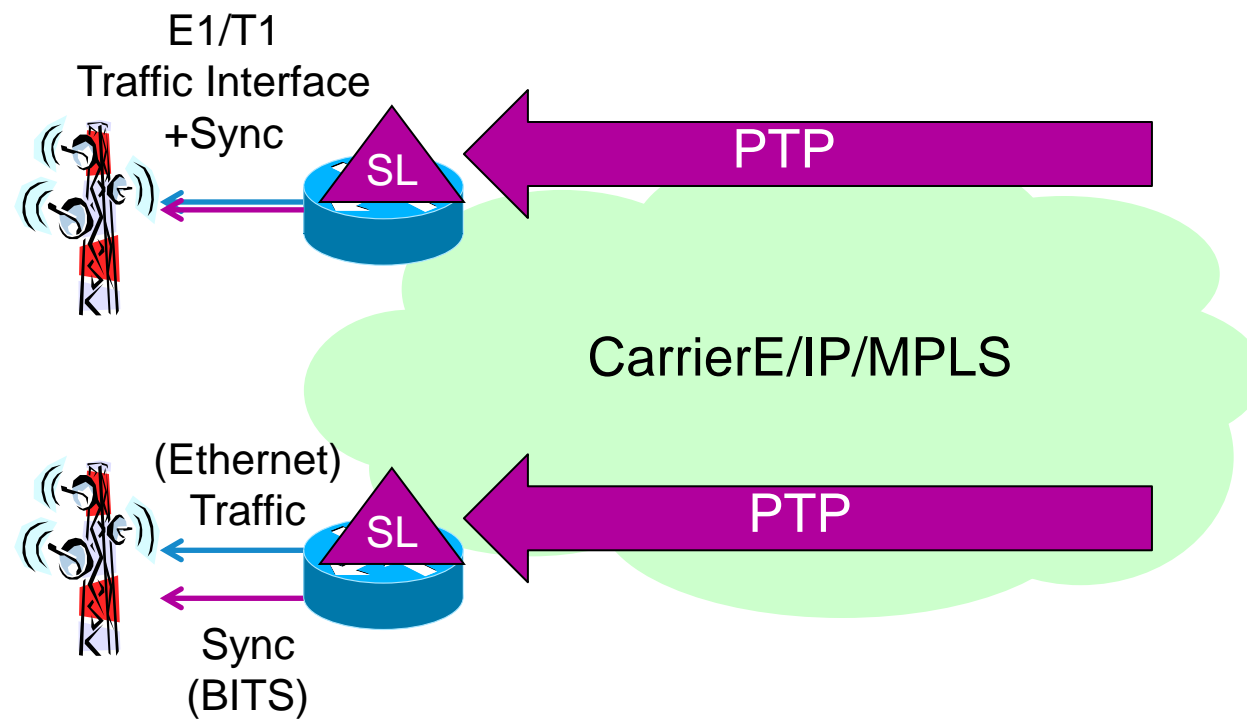
Seconds between Announce Messages

Max. Sync Messages per Second to be granted



# IEEE1588-2008 Cell Site Design Options

## Ordinary Slave on Base Station vs Cell Site Router



- “Legacy” Base Stations
  - Frequency Recovery on Cell Site Router (CSR)
  - E1/T1 Clock is driven by CSR System Frequency

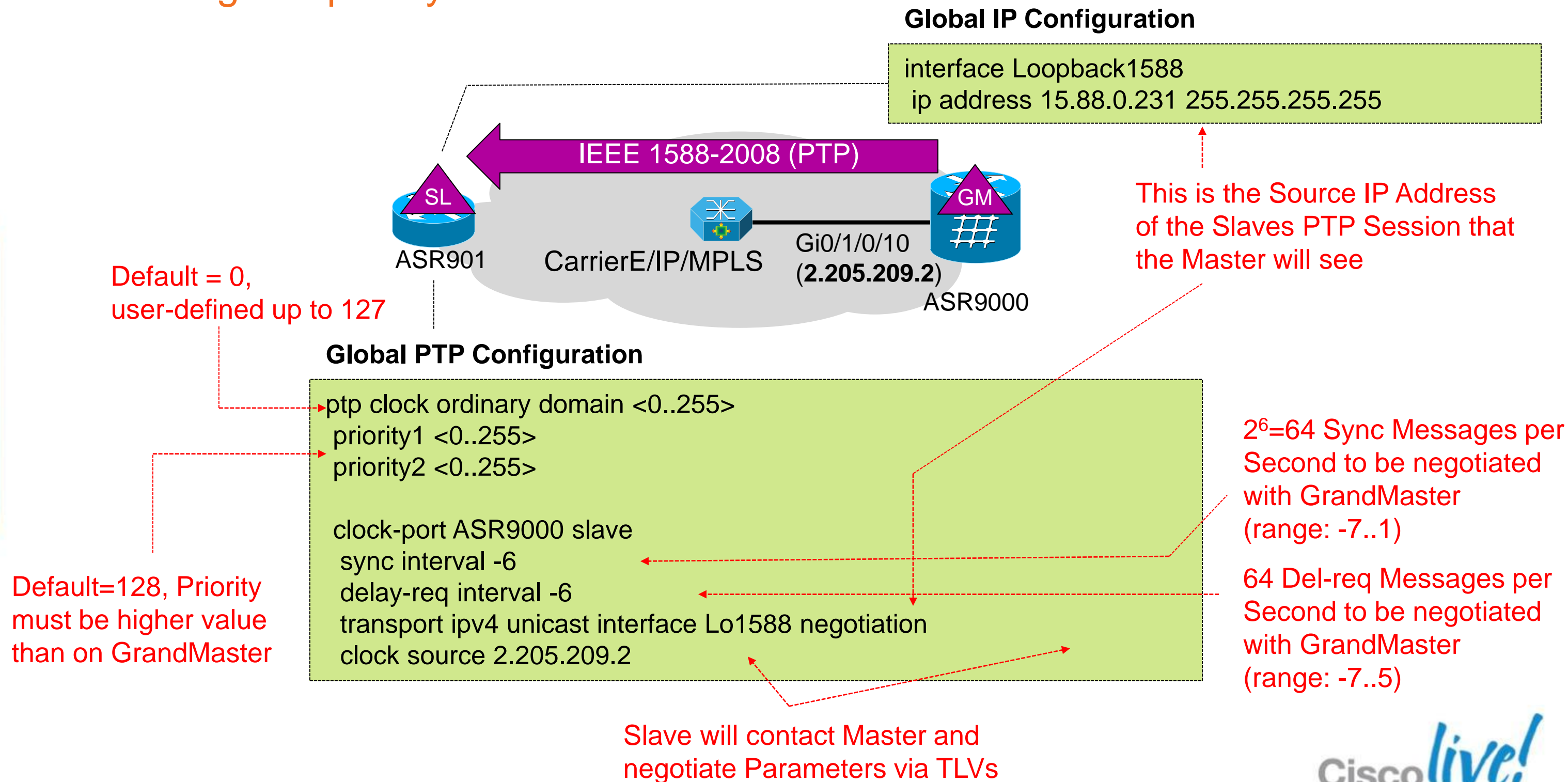
- Ethernet Base Stations

- Need external Timing Interface to provide Frequency

- Ordinary Slave implemented on Base Station directly
- CSR is part of the “RAN cloud” which is transparent to IEEE1588

# ASR901 PTP Slave Example

## Recovering Frequency via IEEE1588





# ASR901 PTP Slave Example

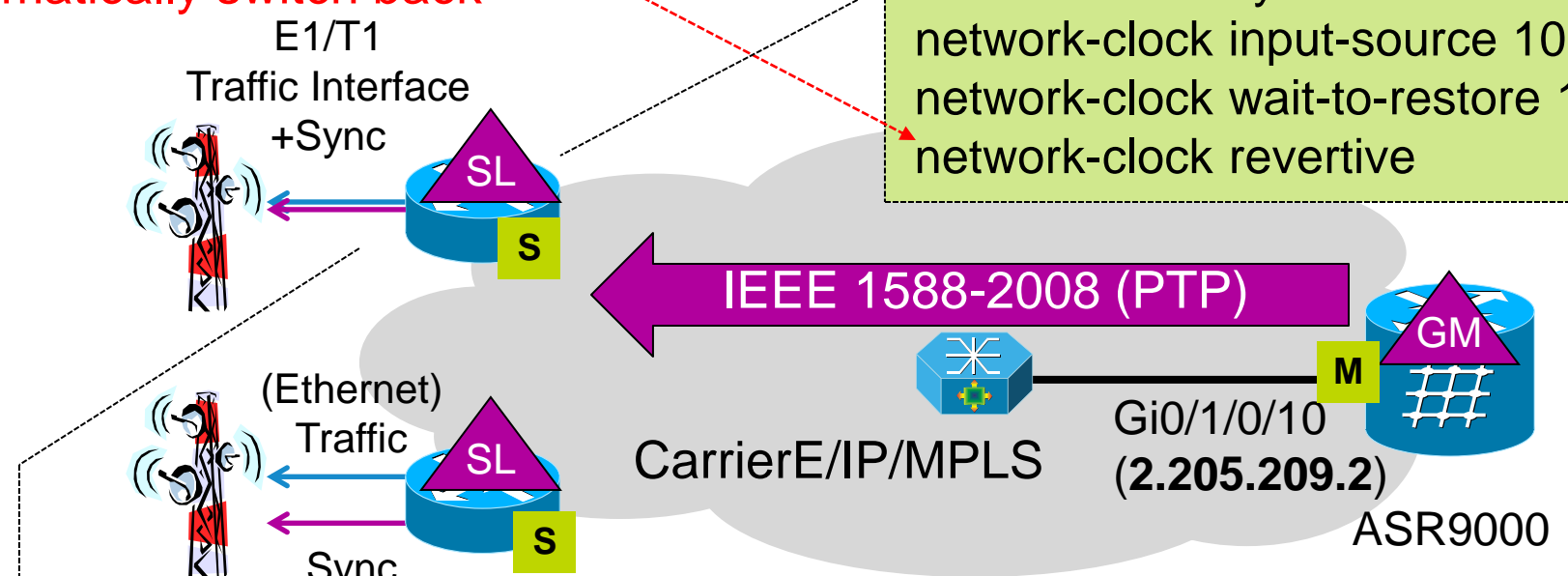
## SETS and Frequency Distribution to Base Station

Enable G.781 compliant Clock Selection

Wait 100 seconds before considering a restored Input for Selection again (default=300sec)  
"Revertive" → automatically switch back

### Common Global Network-Clock Configuration

```
network-clock synchronization automatic
network-clock synchronization mode QL-enabled
network-clock input-source 10 interface ToP0/12
network-clock wait-to-restore 100 global
network-clock revertive
```



Configure IEEE1588 recovered Frequency as valid Source

### Frequency provided via External Timing Output (BITS)

```
network-clock output-source system 10 External 0/0/0
```

All E1/T1 Interfaces are using System Frequency per default

```
ASR901#show controllers e1 0/0
E1 0/0 is up.
Applique type is Channelized E1 - balanced
...
Framing is crc4, Line Code is HDB3, Clock Source is Internal
```

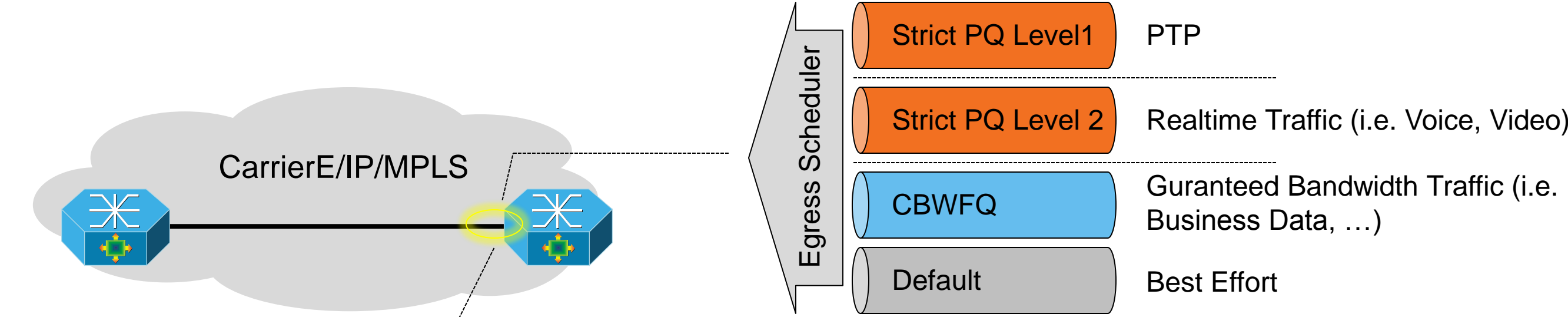


# IEEE1588 Transport in Access/Aggregation

- Security
  - EoMPLS
  - VPLS
  - L3 MPLS VPN
- Packet Delay Variation
  - Packet Marking
  - Priority Queuing
- Performance/SLA Monitoring
  - IP SLA
  - Y.1731
- Transport Caveats such as Microwave Links

# Quality of Service for IEEE1588-2008

## Queuing - Guaranteed Transport for PTP



```
interface GigabitEthernet2/30
service-policy output ptp
```

```
class-map match-all ptp
match dscp ef

policy-map ptp
class ptp
  police cir percent 5
  priority level 1
class voice
  police cir percent 10
  priority level 2
class business
  bandwidth percent 50
class class-default
  random-detect
```

QoS is activated by referencing the policy-map under the interface

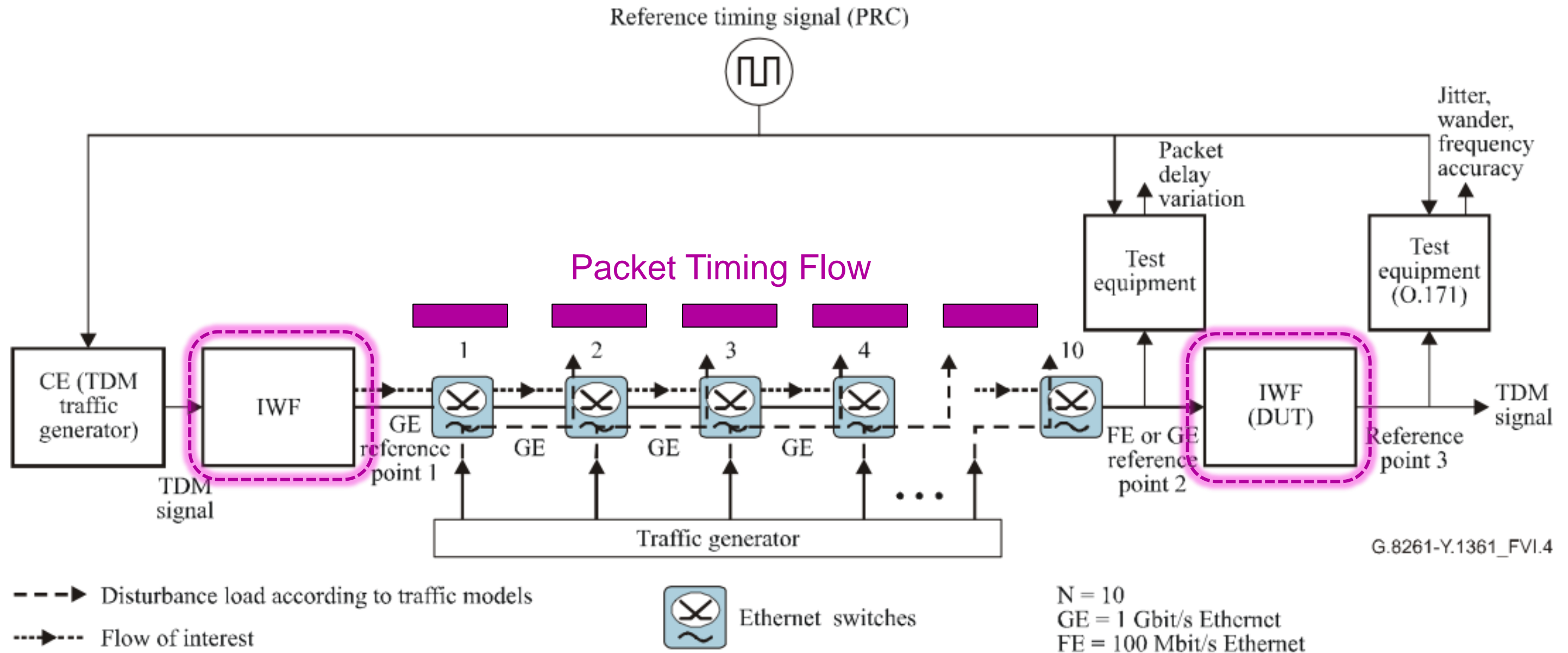
Strict PQ  
CBWFQ  
WRED

QoS is defined via  
1. class-maps (Traffic?)  
2. policy-maps (Action?)

CBWFQ ... Class Based Weighted Fair Queuing  
PQ ... Priority Queuing WRED ... Weighted Random Early Discard

# ITU-T Rec for Evaluating Impact of PDV

## G.8261 – Timing and Synchronisation Aspects in Packet Network



# Simulated Network Load

ITU-T G.8261 – Timing & Sync Aspects in PSNs

- Appendix VI.5 – Test for Two Way Protocols
- Baseline Test (no Network → Master/Slave back to back)
- Performance Tests (Network & Load)

— Master→Slave  
— Slave→Master

Test Case	Description	Network Load
12	Static Packet Load	
13	Sudden large and persistent Load Changes	
14	Slow Load Change over extremely long Time	
15	Temporary Network Outage	
16	Temporary Congestion	
17	Routing Changes caused by failures	

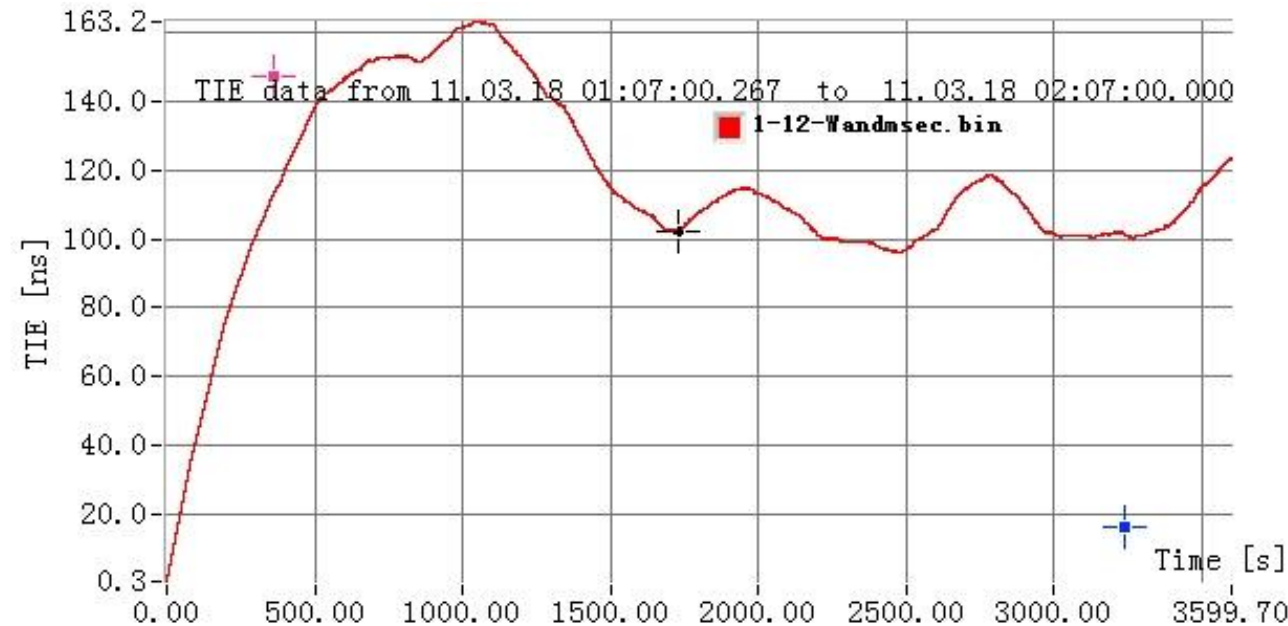
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# G.8261 – Test Case 12 Results

OC Slave, MWR2941, Cisco IOS 15.1(1)MR, 10 hops

## Frequency - TIE

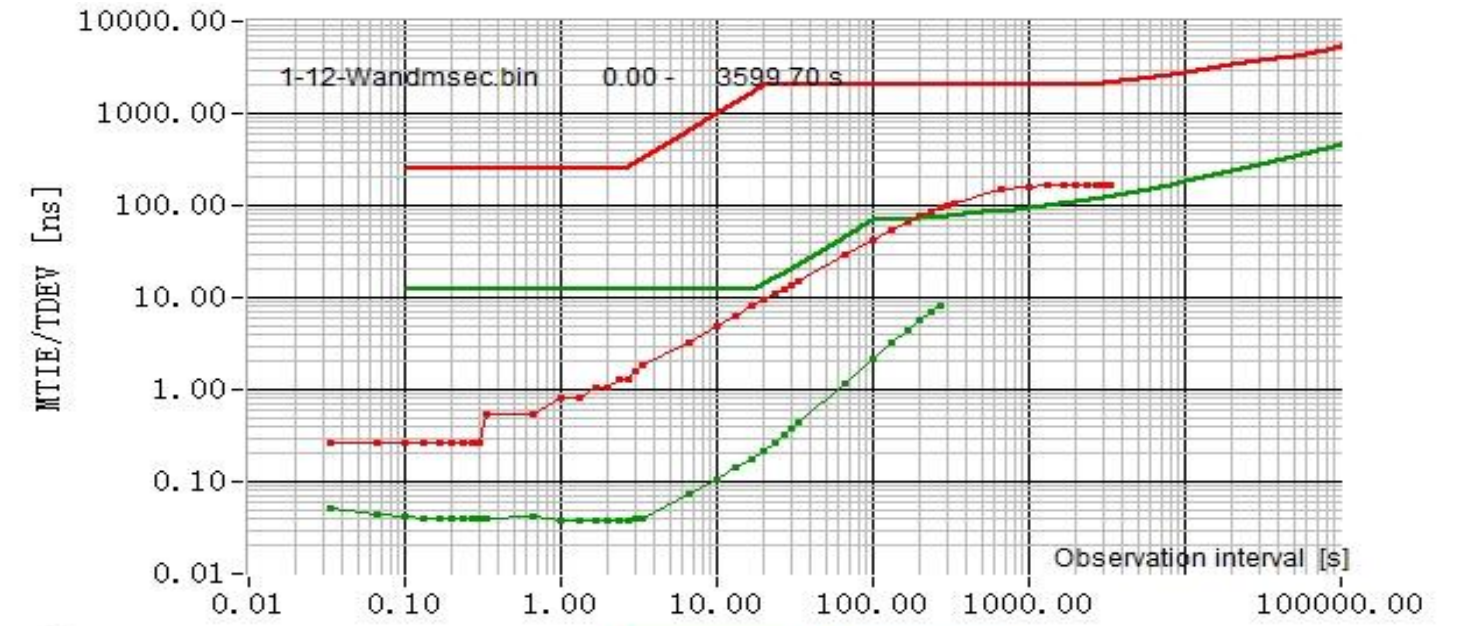


Samples: 107992      Sample rate: 30 / s

Zoom & analysis range		Marker	Drift rate	Frequency offset
Time [s]	0.00 - 3599.70	1729.00	-2.2E-8 ppm/s	-3.4E-6 ppm
TIE [ns]	163.18 - 0.26	102.26		<input type="checkbox"/> eliminate

Comment: 2011/05/16 16:51:11.000

## Frequency – MTIE/TDEV



Analysis range [s]: 0.00 - 3599.70      Sample rate: 30 / s

connect points

MTIE

TDEV

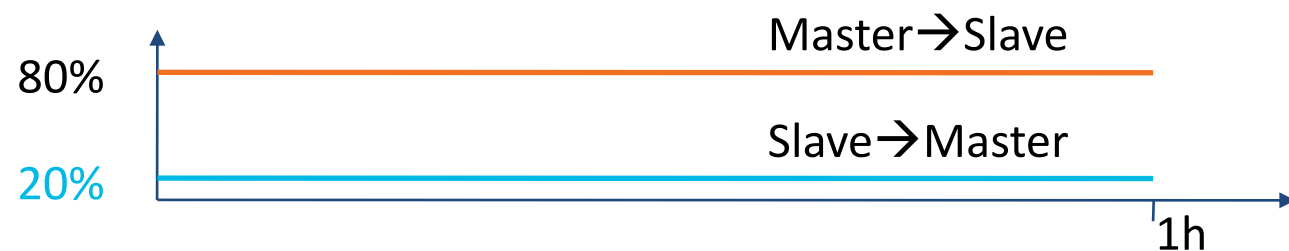
Masks: ITU-T / SEC Netw. IF (G.823, G.825)

**Passed**

TDEV: N/12 - rec. 0.172

Comment: 2011/05/16 16:55:08.000

## Network Load



OC ... Ordinary Clock

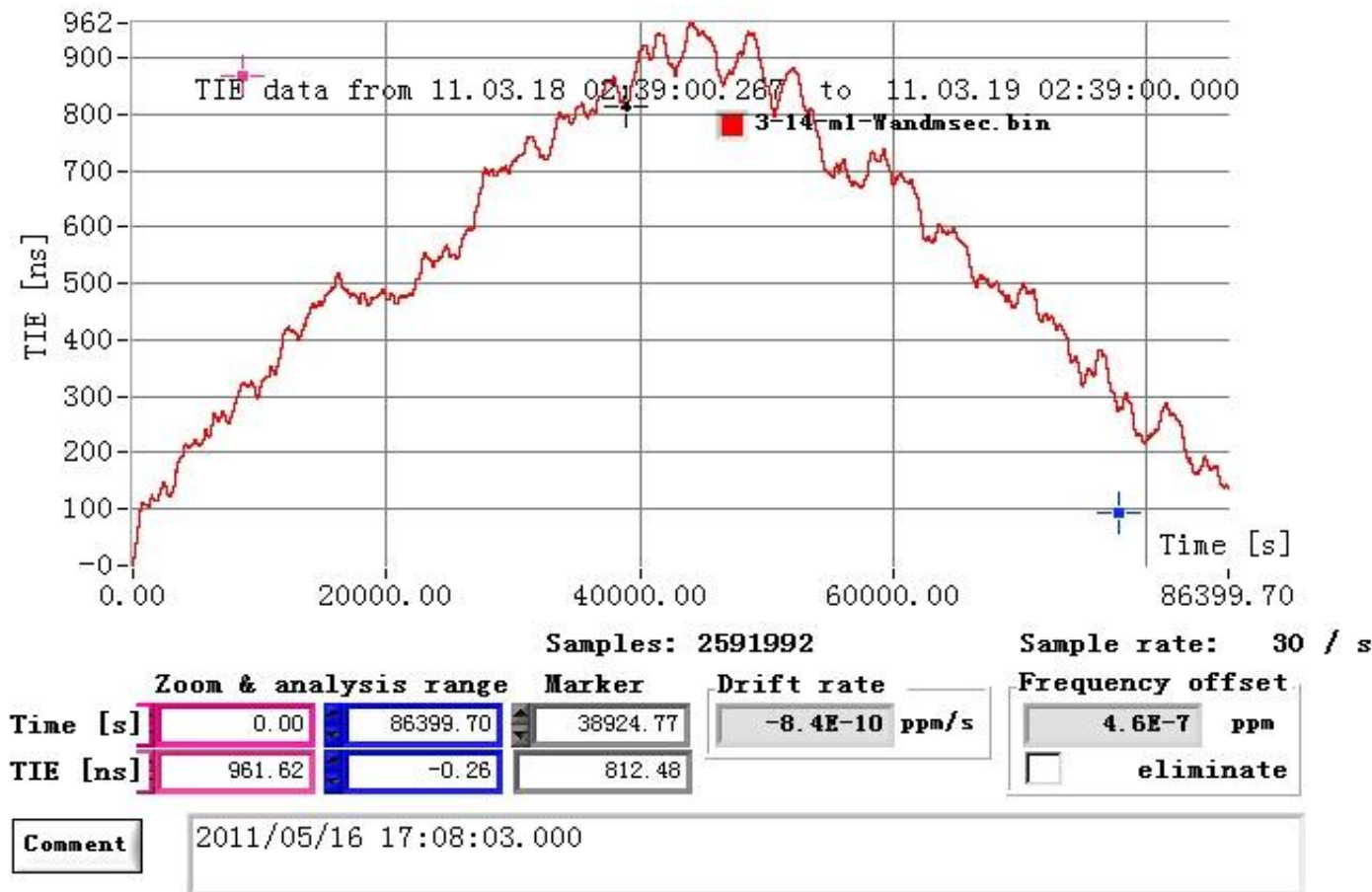




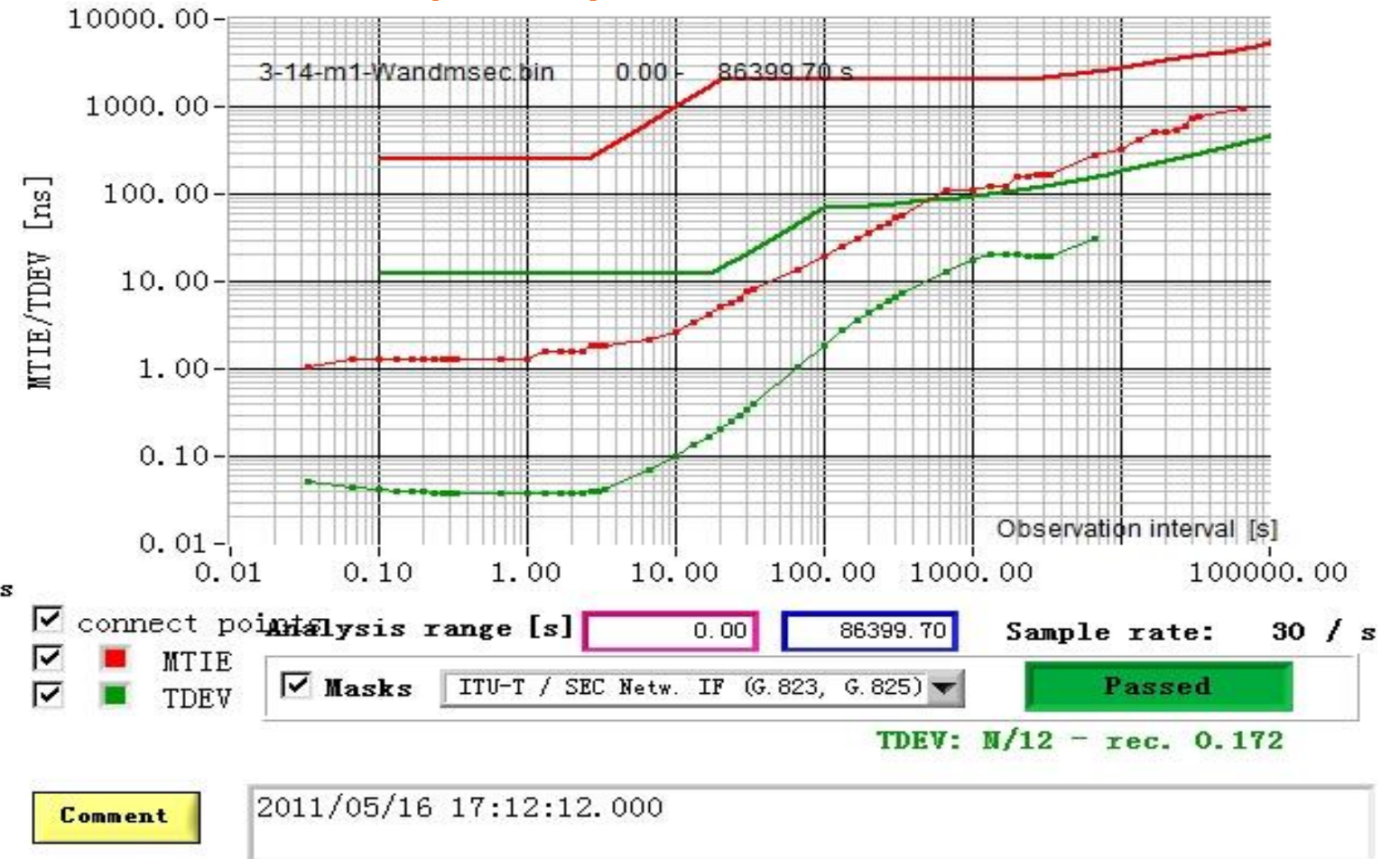
# G.8261 – Test Case 14 Results

OC Slave, MWR2941, Cisco IOS 15.1(1)MR, 10 hops

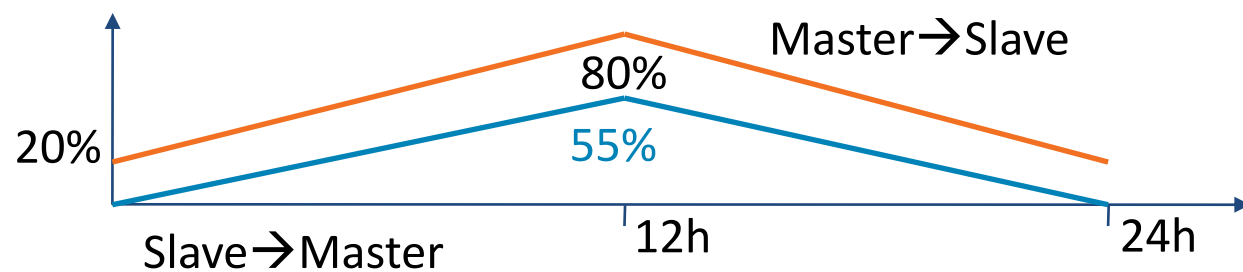
### Frequency - TIE



### Frequency – MTIE/TDEV



### Network Load

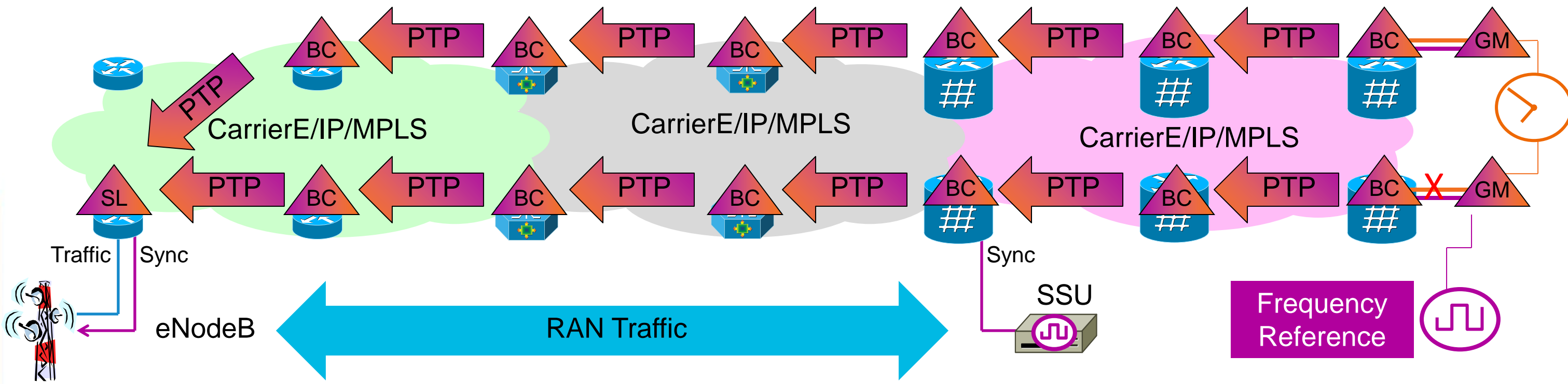


OC ... Ordinary Clock



# IEEE1588 Hop-by-Hop Mode

SP Mobile 4G RAN Transport Evolution (LTE/WCDMA TDD)



Access

Aggregation

Core

eNodeB ... Enhanced NodeB

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# 2<sup>nd</sup> Telecom Profile: ITU-T G.827x

## Time/Phase Transfer

Work in progress !!  
Only early draft

- Full network assistance for IEEE1588/PTP
- Hop-by-hop distribution model: chain of Telecom BCs (T-BCs)
- Physical layer frequency (hybrid mode) recommended
  - T-TSC and T-BC syntonisation and holdover
- Mapping: Ethernet (confirmed), IP (to be discussed)
- Transmission: Layer 2 multicast (confirmed), IP (to be discussed)
- Mode: two-way only, one- and two-step
- BMCA: TBD
  - Master and Slave Port State again static on T-TSC and T-GM as in G.8265.1
- Network limit and node characterisation: TBD
  - G.827x Specifications (work in progress)

T-TSC ... Telecom Time Slave Clock    T-BC ... Telecom Boundary Clock

T-GM ... Telecom Grand Master

# ASR903 Boundary Clock Example

## Global IP Configuration

```
interface Loopback102  
ip address 15.88.2.234 255.255.255.255
```

Boundary Clock Master Port that will grant downstream BCs or Ordinary Slave requests

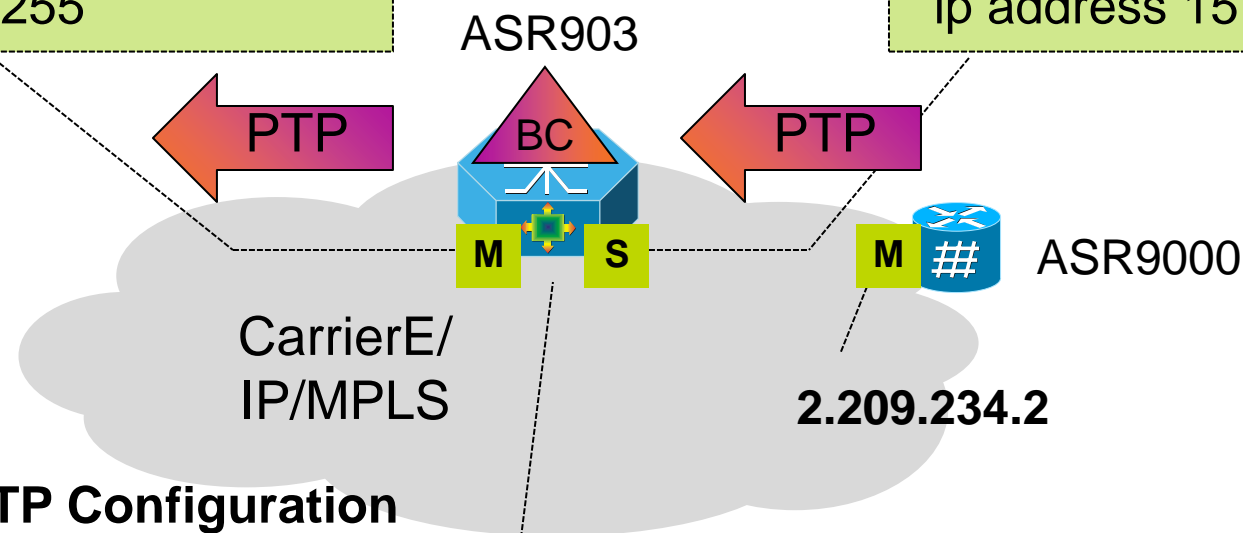
## Global IP Configuration

```
interface Loopback101  
ip address 15.88.1.234 255.255.255.255
```

Slave Port of Boundary Clock will contact upstream BC or GM

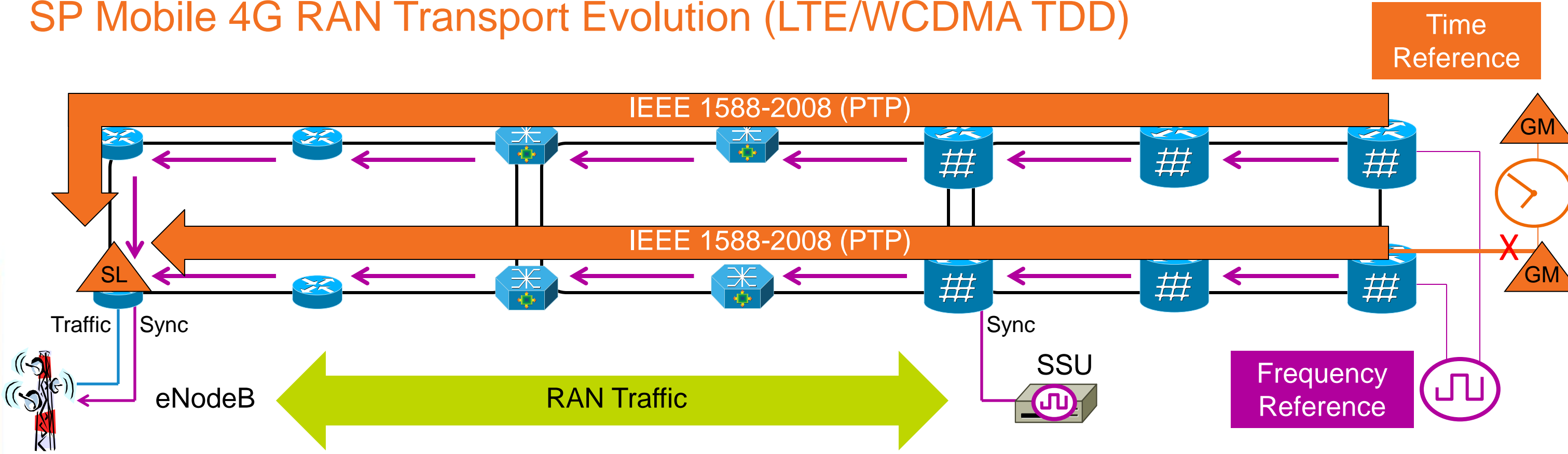
## Global PTP Configuration

```
ptp clock ordinary domain <0..255>  
priority1 <0..255>  
priority2 <0..255>  
  
clock-port ASR9000 slave  
sync interval -6  
delay-req interval -6  
transport ipv4 unicast interface Lo101 negotiation  
clock source 2.209.234.2  
  
clock-port ASR90x master  
sync interval -6  
delay-req interval -6  
transport ipv4 unicast interface Lo102 negotiation
```



# IEEE1588 End2End Hybrid Mode

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Access

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# Node connected to NodeB or BTS

## Cisco IOS Configuration – ME3600/3800X

### ■ SETS Configuration Options similar to Cisco7600

```
network-clock input-source 10 interface TenGigabitEthernet0/1
network-clock input-source 20 interface TenGigabitEthernet0/2
```

```
network-clock synchronization automatic
network-clock synchronization mode QL-enabled
```

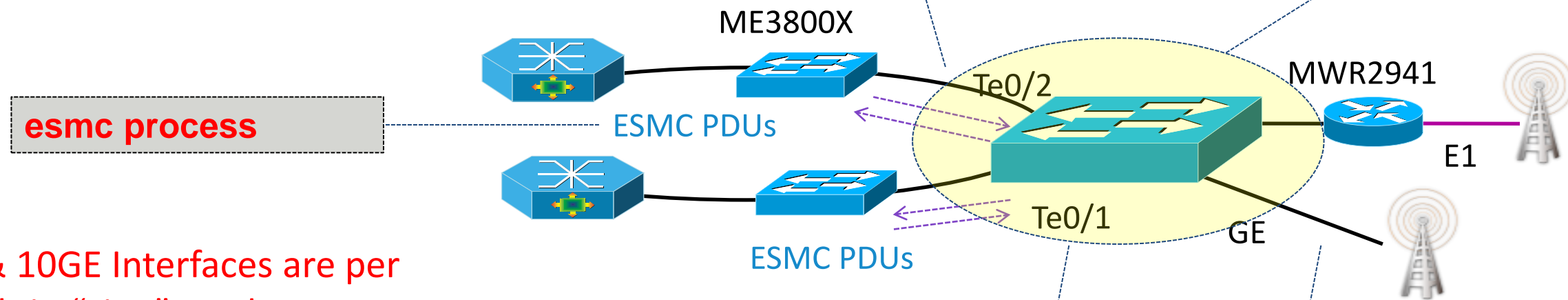
**esmc process**

1GE & 10GE Interfaces are per default in "Line" Mode

```
interface TenGigabitEthernet0/1
synchronous mode
interface TenGigabitEthernet0/2
synchronous mode
```

```
interface GigabitEthernet0/2
synchronous mode
```

If not "selected" Source Interface takes Clock from System (Internal)





# Node connected to NodeB or BTS

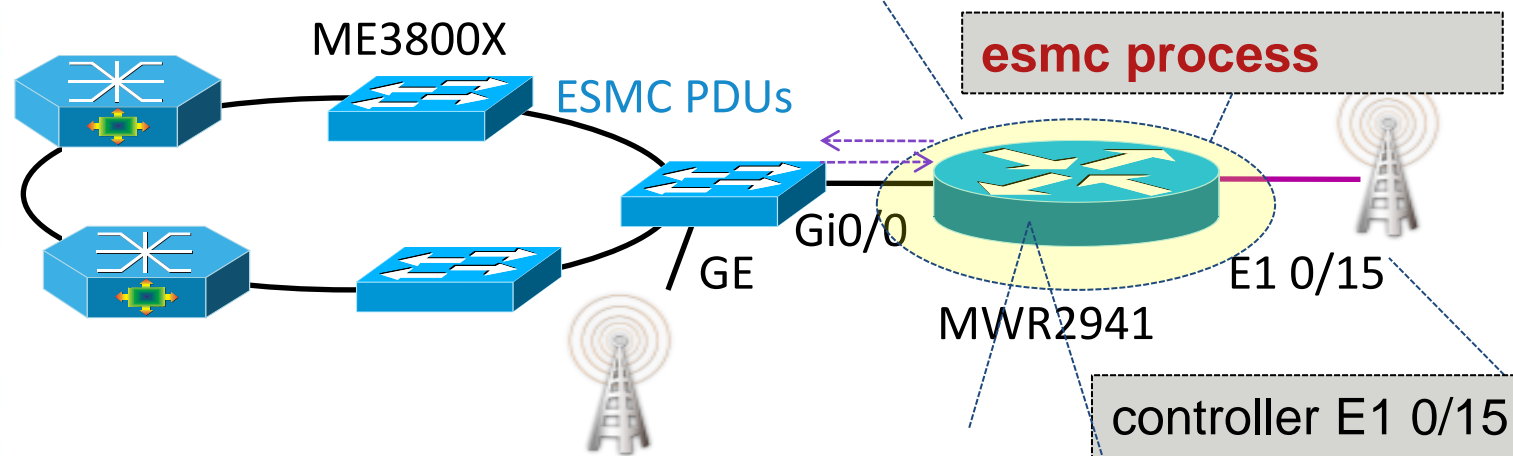
## Cisco IOS Configuration – MWR2941

G.781 Compliant Clock Selection

```

network-clock synchronization automatic
network-clock synchronization mode QL-enabled
network-clock-select hold-timeout infinite
network-clock-select mode nonrevert

```



```

interface GigabitEthernet0/0
synchronous mode

```

```

network-clock input-source 10 interface GigabitEthernet0/0

```

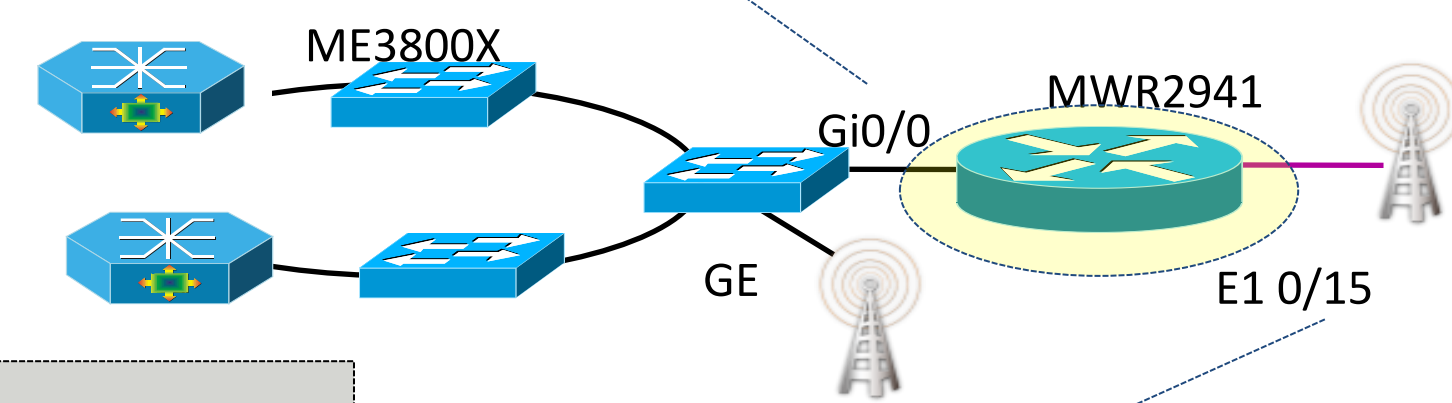
- ESMC supported
- No concurrent support of IEEE1588-2008 and SyncE

Priority Based Clock Selection

```

network-clock-select 10 SYNCE 0

```



```

controller E1 0/15
clock source internal

```

- No ESMC support
- Concurrent support of IEEE1588-2008 and SyncE



# Node connected to NodeB or BTS

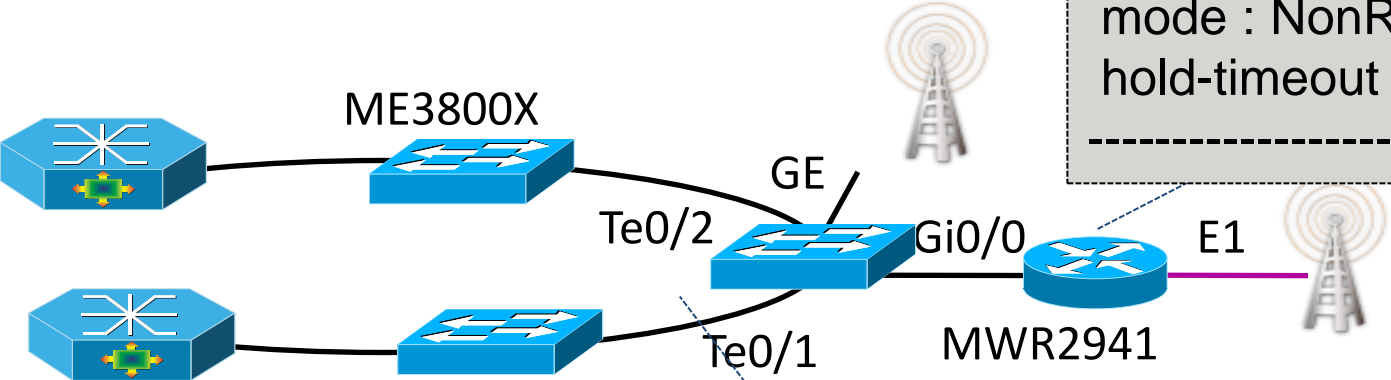
## Cisco IOS Verification – ME3600/3800X & MWR2941

```

205-13#sh network-clocks
Network Clock Configuration
Priority Source      Status Type  Selected
-----
10   Gi0/0             OK   SYNCE Y
-----

Current Clock State: LOCK
clock input Stratum level: 3
mode : NonRevertive
hold-timeout : infinite
-----

```



Priority Based Clock Selection

G.781 Compliant Clock Selection

```

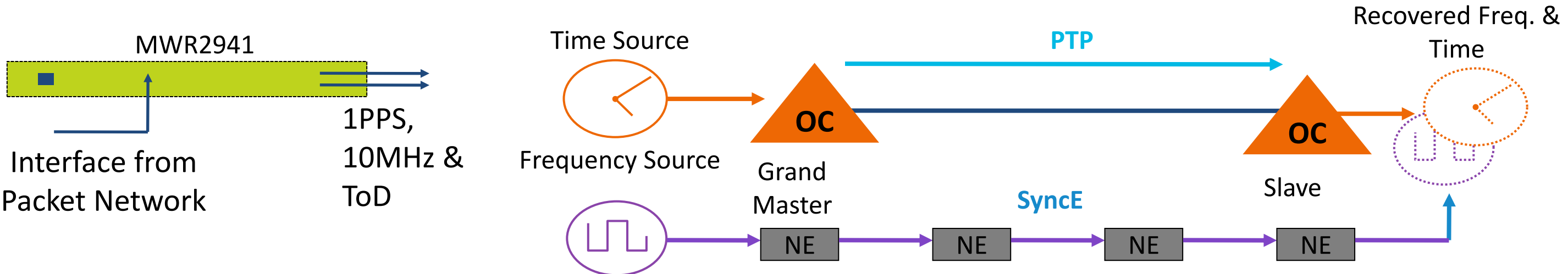
203-15#show network-clocks synchronization
...
Nominated Interfaces
Interface      SigType  Mode/QL  Prio QL_IN ESMC Tx ESMC Rx
Internal      NA       NA/Dis   251  QL-SEC  NA   NA
*Te0/1       NA       Sync/En  10   QL-PRC  -    -
Te0/2        NA       Sync/En  20   QL-PRC  -    -

```



# IEEE1588-2008 Hybrid Mode

## Cisco IOS Configuration – MWR2941

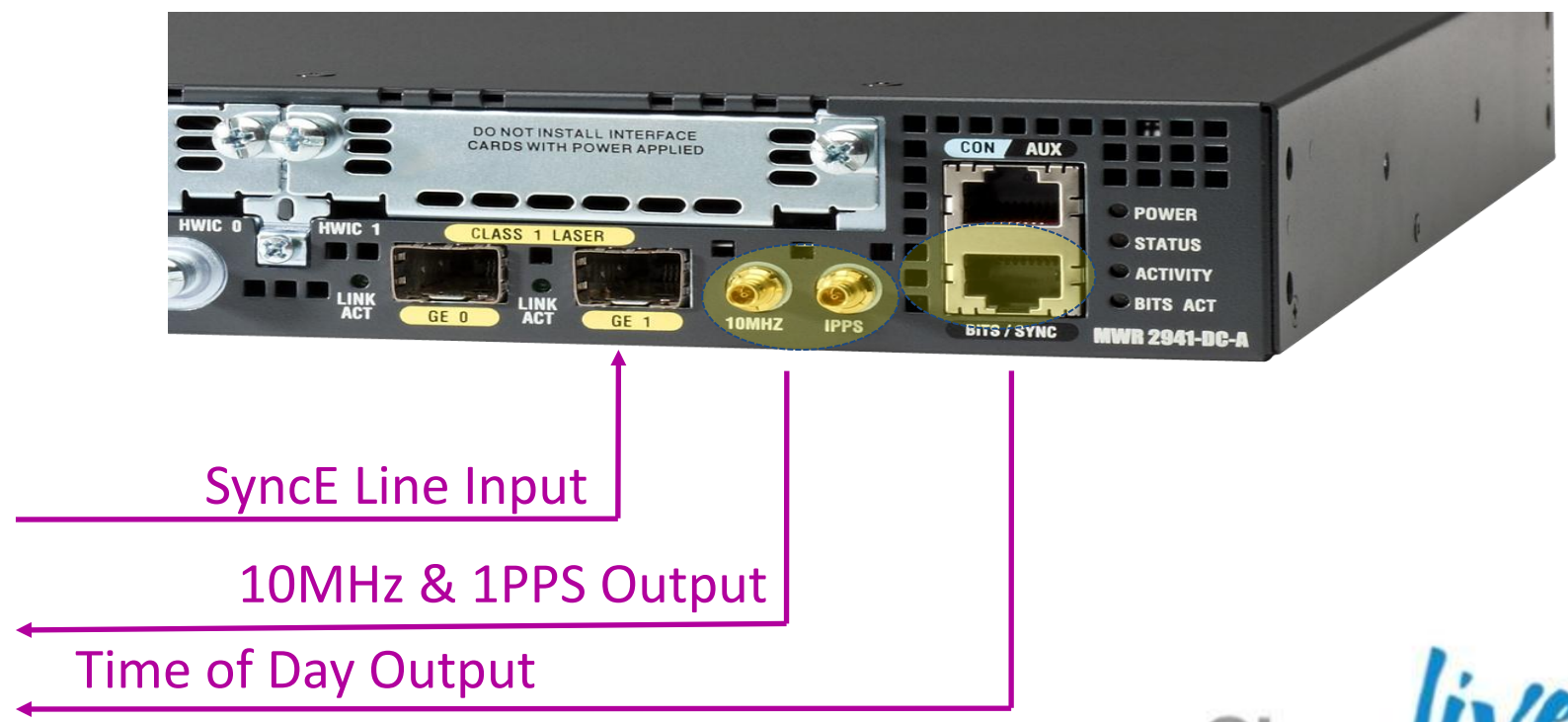


### ■ Configuration

```
interface Vlan213
 ptp sync interval -6
 ptp delay-req interval -6
 ptp slave unicast negotiation hybrid
 ptp clock-source 25.1.0.2
 ptp enable
```

```
network-clock-select 1 SYNCE 1
```

```
ptp output 10M 1pps
 ptp tod ntp
```





# IEEE1588-2008 Hybrid Mode

Cisco IOS Verification – MWR2941

## ■ SyncE Line Interface coming up

```
*Feb 22 23:58:07.935: %LINEPROTO-5-UPDOWN: Line protocol on Interface GigabitEthernet0/1, changed state to up
*Feb 22 23:58:14.944: %NET_CLK_SEL-6-NETCLK_STATE_CHANGE: Network clock state change to LOCK (Gi0/1)
```

## ■ Bring Interface VLAN up to enable PTP

```
*Feb 22 23:59:42.898: %LINEPROTO-5-UPDOWN: Line protocol on Interface Vlan213, changed state to up
```

## ■ PTP recovering Time and aligning to SyncE Frequency

```
*Feb 23 00:04:27.105: %TOP_MODULE-6-CLK_STATUS_CHANGE: Hybrid clock status changed to WAIT_FOR_DPLL
*Feb 23 00:04:27.109: %TOP_MODULE-5-APPL_UPDOWN: Timing over packet application is up on Vlan213
*Feb 23 00:04:29.783: %TOP_MODULE-6-CLK_STATUS_CHANGE: Hybrid clock status changed to WAIT_FOR_CLOCKSTREAM
*Feb 23 00:04:30.622: %TOP_MODULE-6-CLK_STATUS_CHANGE: Hybrid clock status changed to WAIT_FOR_ALIGN
*Feb 23 00:04:44.882: %TOP_MODULE-6-CLK_STATUS_CHANGE: Hybrid clock status changed to START_REALIGN
*Feb 23 00:04:48.238: %TOP_MODULE-6-CLK_STATUS_CHANGE: Hybrid clock status changed to DONE_REALIGN
```



# Summary and Conclusion



# What we have discussed

- Motivation for Synchronisation in Packet-based Networks
- Frequency and Time Synchronisation Overview
- Synchronisation Support in Cisco Products
- Deployment Considerations for
  - Industrial Solutions
  - Smart Grid
  - High Speed Trading
  - Service Providers
- Summary and Conclusion

# Key Take Aways (1/2)

- Synchronisation has **two aspects**
  - Frequency
  - Time
- Need for Synchronisation is growing and growing
  - **Service Providers** → Mobile Networks
  - **Industrial Solutions** → more efficient Manufacturing
  - **Smart Grid** → replacing legacy Time Distribution with Ethernet
  - **High Frequency Trading** → Regulatory and Market Differentiation

# Key Take Aways (2/2)

- Use **Physical Frequency Distribution** where ever possible
  - SyncE, SONET/SDH
- **IEEE1588-2008** provides a “Toolbox” and **Profiles** define Framework for various Use Cases
  - IEEE1588-2008 Default Profile → Industrial Solutions & High Frequency Trading
  - ITU-T G.8265.1 PTP Profile for Frequency Synchronisation → Service Providers
  - IEEE C37.238-2011 PTP Profile for Power Systems Applications → Smart Grid
- When using IEEE1588-2008 evaluate
  - Packet Network **QoS** Configuration
  - Network **Security** (L2/L3 VPN, Access-Lists, ...)
  - Packet Delay Variation (**PDV**)

# Q & A



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