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IGF Workshop 270 Public Policies for an improved interconnection at lower costs.

Sharm El Sheikh November 16th 2009

Agenda

14:00 - Opening. Raúl Echeberría, LACNIC CEO

14:10 – Main Speakers:
-Roque Gagliano, Senior Project Engineer and Policy Officer, LACNIC.

-Augusto Gadelha IT policies Secretary at the Minister of Science and Technologies, Brazil.

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14:40 Panel of commentators:

- Nishal Goburdhan (ISP Sector South Africa).
- Jacquelynn Ruff (Global Carrier Verizon Business).
- Malcolm Hutty (LINX Internet Exchange Point, London).
- Valeria Jordán (Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean - ECLAC - UN)
- Moderator: Lorena Piñeiro (Chilean Council for Transparency)
- •15:10- Open Mic.
- ◆15:30- End of Workshop.



Introduction to Internet Interconnection in 2009.

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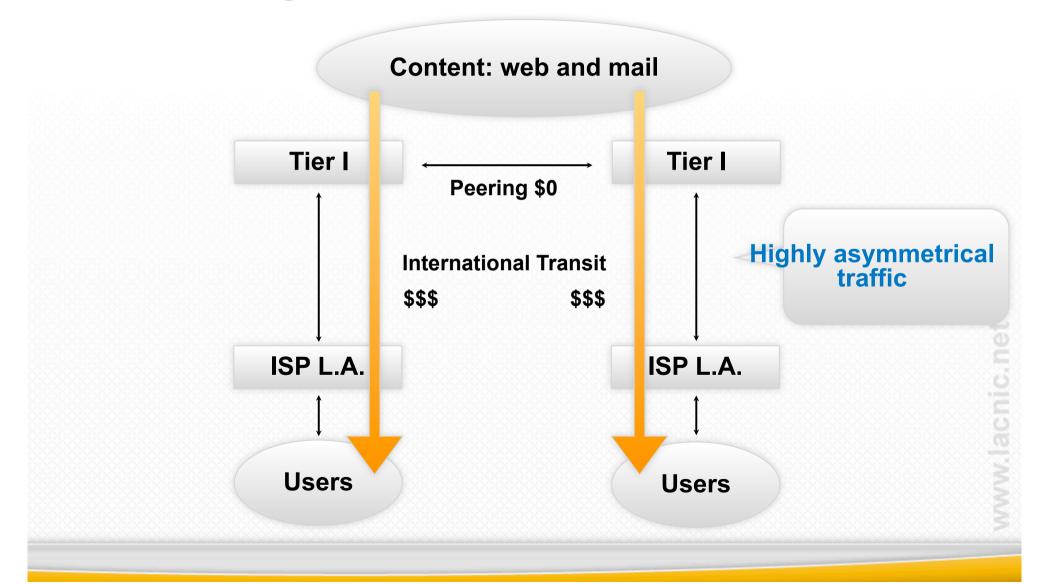
- Interconnection and WSIS.
- Interconnection model 90s in LAC.
- Interconnection actors today.
- Interconnection model today in LAC.
- Possible governmental action areas.



WSIS and Interconnection:

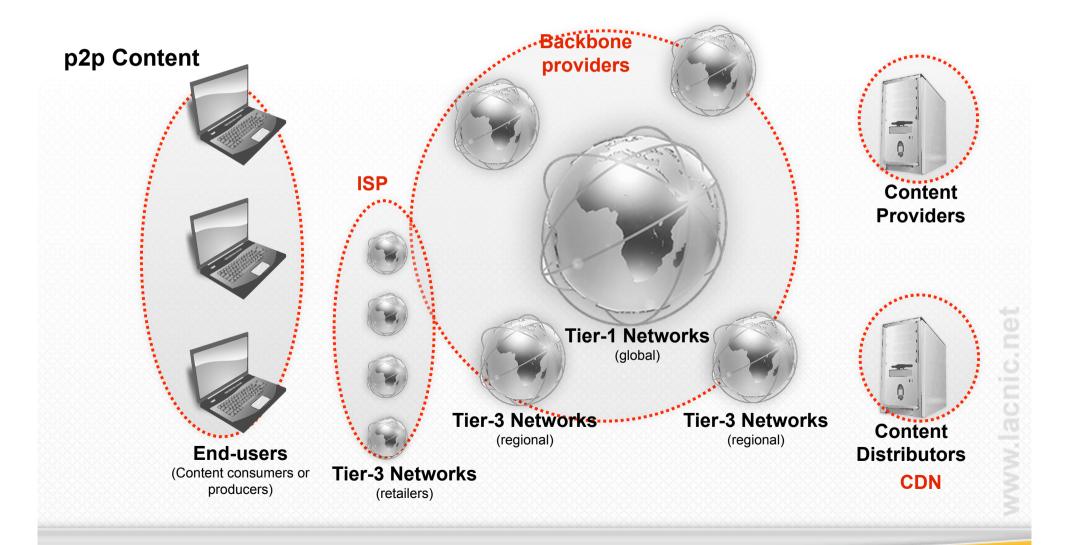
- Interconnection and particularly international transit cost were a main topic at the WSIS.
- Interconnection word 8 times in the Tunis Agenda.
- However interconnection today is much more than the international links.

Interconnection 5-10 years ago for ALAC:

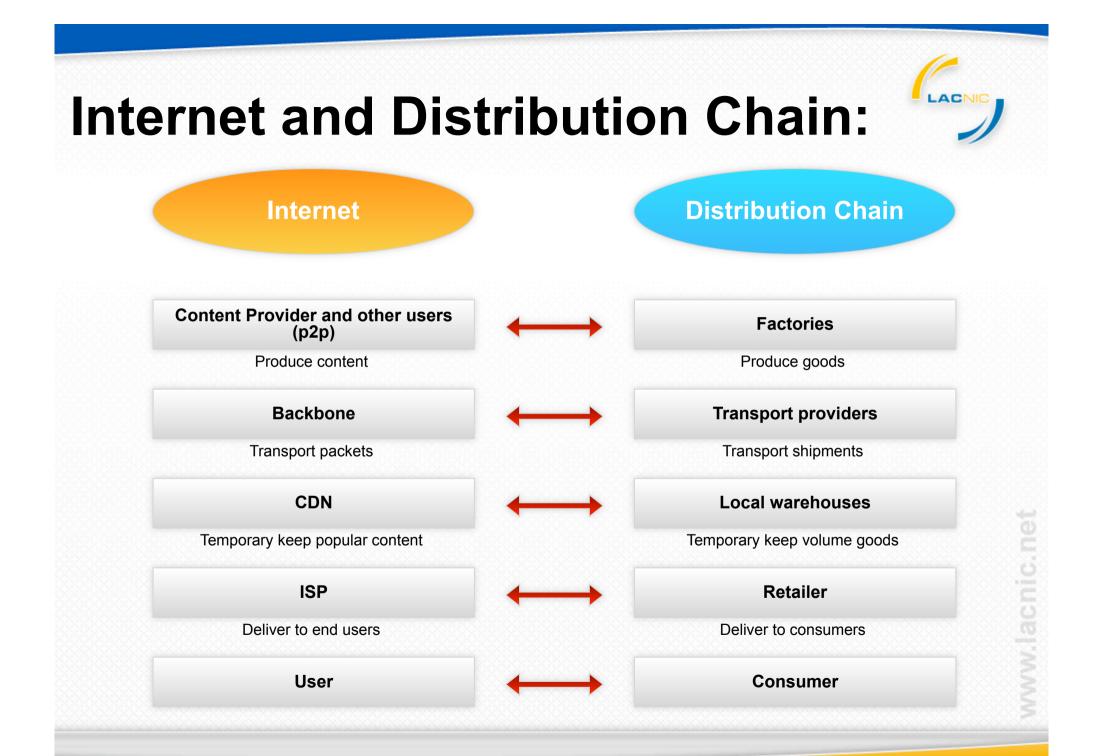


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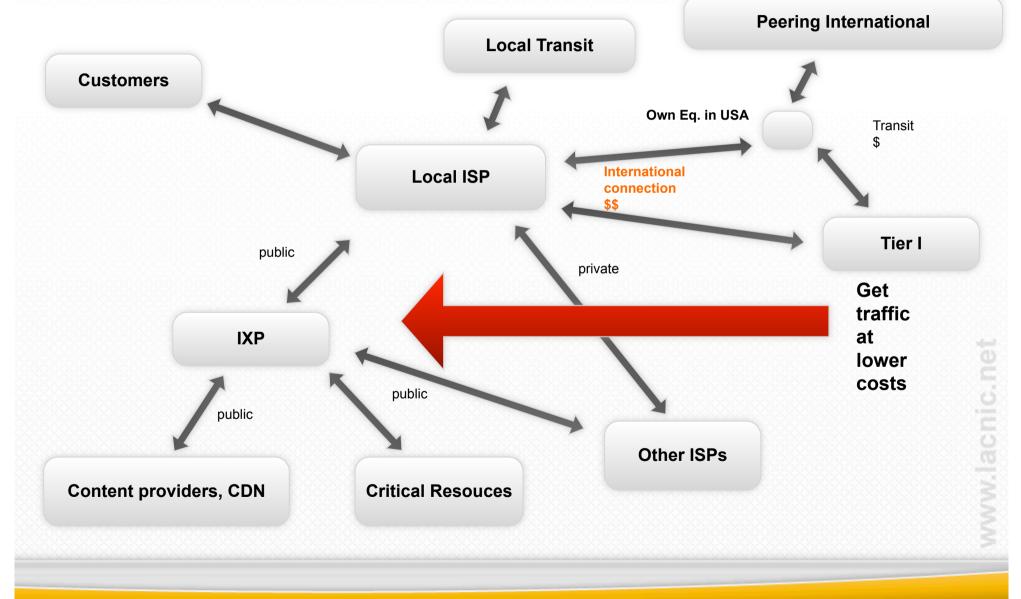


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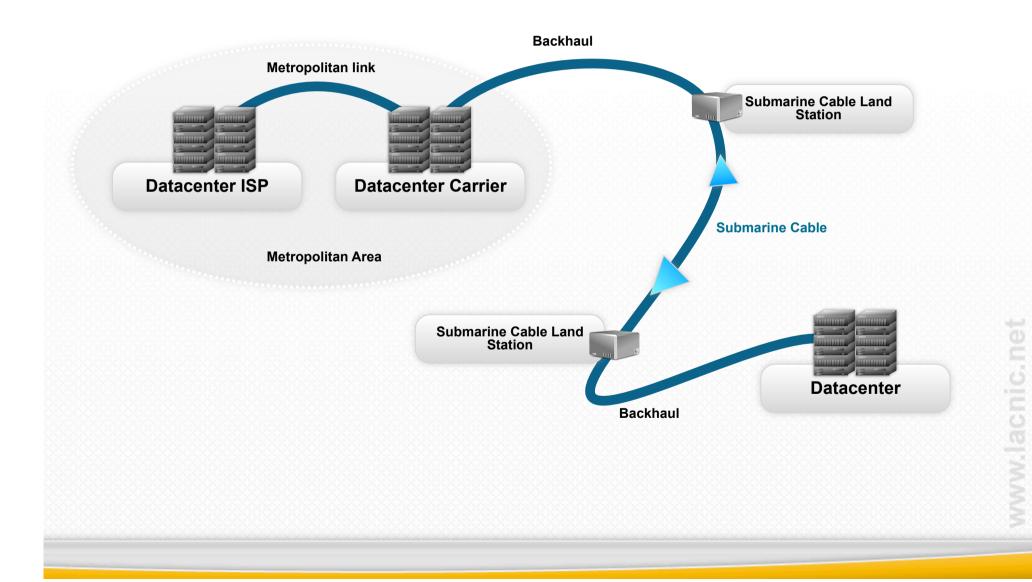
Interconnection today in LAC

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The international loop





Possible local action areas for governments: Increase local content:

- datacenter infrastructure.
- hosting capabilities.
- stimulate presence of content network nodes.
- revisit tax policies.
- Stimulate local, regional and sub-regional traffic exchange.
- Facilitate access to submarine cable buildings (metropolitan infrastructure and "backhaul").
- Facilitate local offer of transit at low cost.



• Thanks.

• "USA is not longer the center of the internet for EUROPE" Henk Steenman (AMS-IX).