

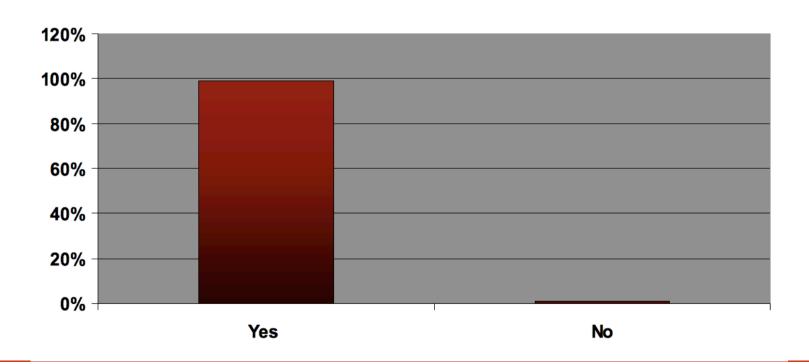
RIPE 59 update

The first days: Pheon-Ix

- We are a group a individual from different companies with the same goal
- Pheon-Ix working group created by Maurice Dean (Google),
 Christian Kaufmann (Akamai), Nicolas Strina (Jaguar Network),
 Raphael Maunier (Neotelecoms)
- We started to talk to the existing peering point in Paris
- We made a survey with more than 70 answers
- We needed help from the « outside »
- We decided to move with companies not individual anymore

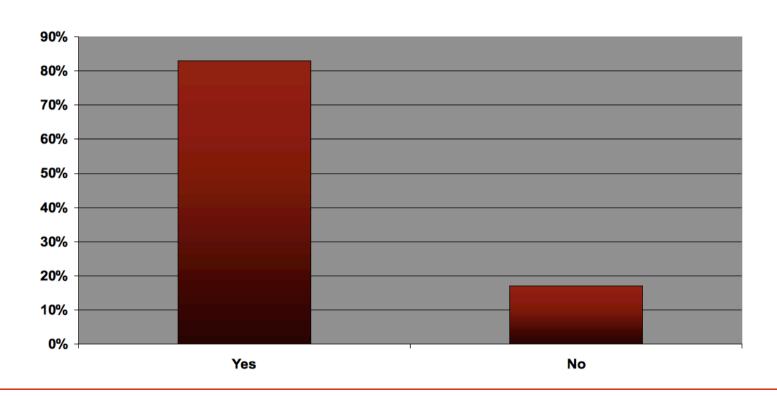


Do you think it is the right approach to consolidate existing exchange infrastructure?



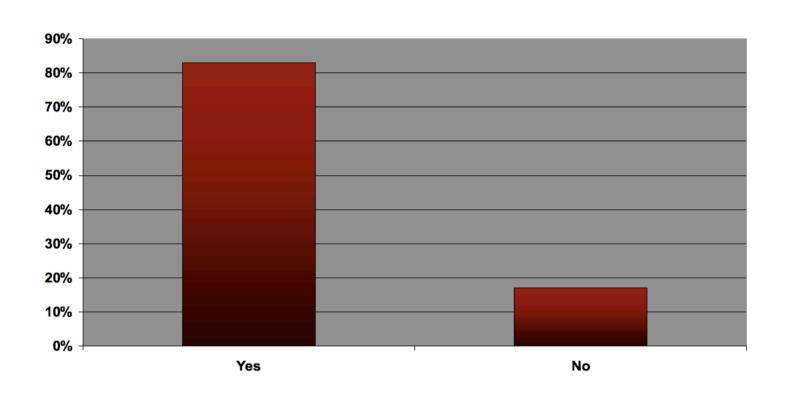


Are you prepared to pay a market rate for your port?



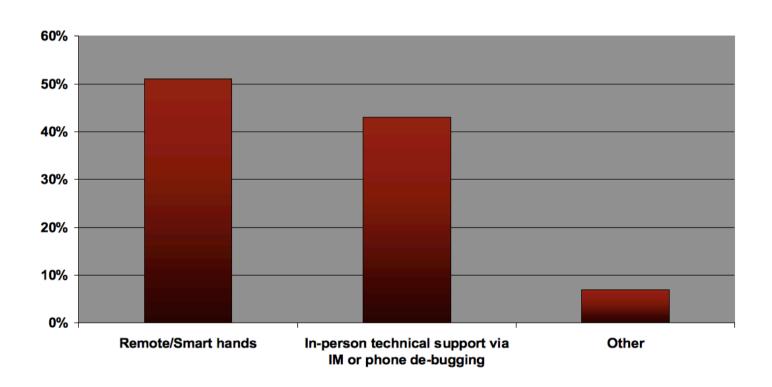


Is a support organisation required for the exchange point?





24/7/365 operations team





Which organisation today?

- The initial working group has federated companies to support the project: Google, Akamai, Jaguar Network, Neo Telecoms and Interxion
- Working group name changed to France-IX
- A legal status has been chosen : Groupement d'Intérêt Economique (GIE) (Economic Interest Group, abbreviated EIG)
- This status for the French law means an organisation owned by its variable quantity of members, but considered as a company for legal and fiscal issues



What is the status today?

- First POPs are defined
- We have the support from the main neutral carrier hotels for the colo space
- We already have hardware: Force 10
- We already have the fiber network between carrier hotels
- We also have budgets for marketing and staff

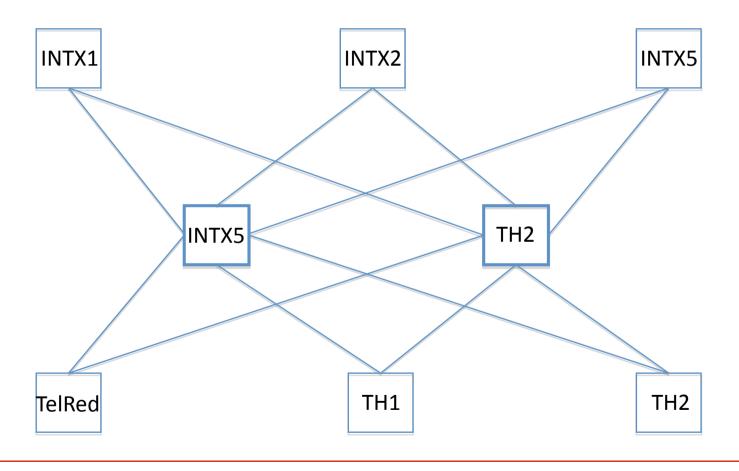


What are the next steps?

- Deployment of first POPs in the coming weeks
- Migration or connection of peers already present in the POPs
- Official launch in December
- Communication and marketing to other parties about the peering point (foreign telcos, etc..)
- Extension to new POPs in Paris
- Discussions with other peering points in Paris to federate them around FrancelX
- Apply to be a Euro-IX Member

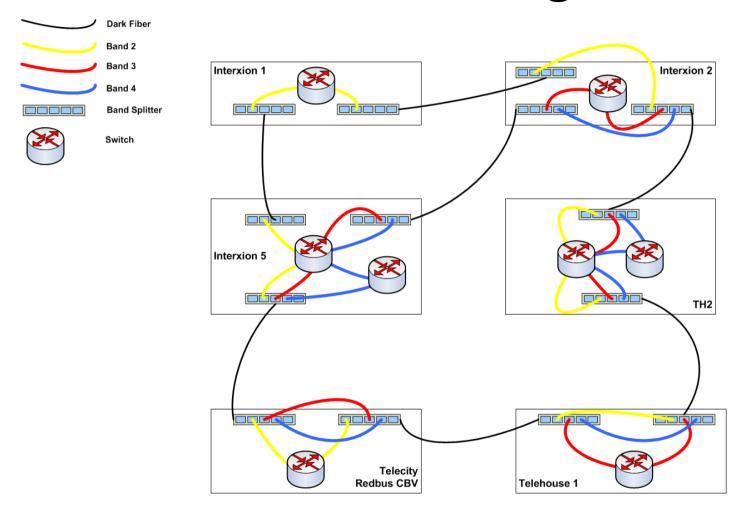


Phase 1





Fibers and WDM configuration







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