

# Optical Networking

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# Bandwidth Demands

- Ever-increasing bandwidth demand has become a major challenge and opportunity for growth within the networking market
- The number of Internet users has skyrocketed alongside application bandwidth intensity
- Internet of Things is projected to exponentially strain networks
- Spectral efficiency gains take time and are expensive
- A solution lies in increasing efficiencies on the transport equipment that allocate traffic via bandwidth management
- Statistical multiplexing is a strategic approach to maximizing bandwidth

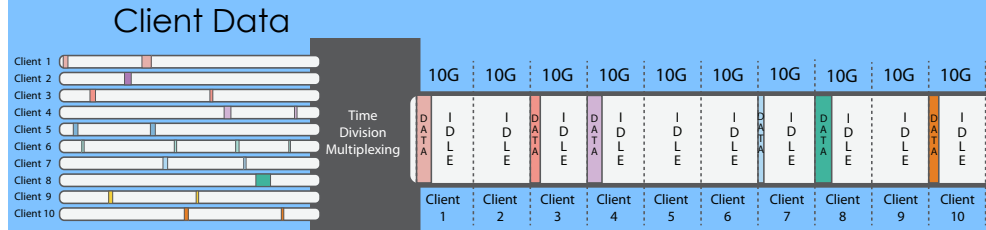
# Layer 1 Statistical Multiplexing

- Statistical multiplexing can greatly increase network performance at Layer 1
- Layer 2+ equipment has traditionally leveraged time-division multiplexing, a mechanism in which all packet flows — even the idle ones — fill up a channel, leading to channel inefficiencies
- By allocating bandwidth for channels with valid data packets, statistical multiplexing intelligently combines input traffic to maximize channel efficiency

# Channel Utilization

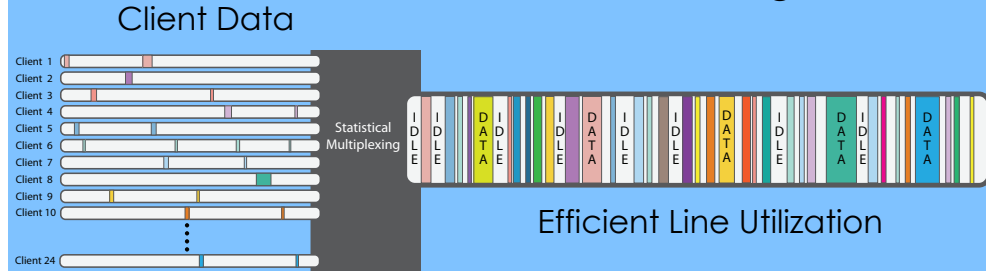
- Typical Channel Utilization
  - Large number of idle frames
  - Idle capacity cannot be reclaimed
  - 15% to 50% line utilization is typical, leaving 50% to 85% of capacity unused
- Statistical Mux Solution
  - Intelligent way of combining customer traffic
  - Use 100% of capacity
  - Minimize idle frames – Fill the Pipe

## 100G Line Utilization using TDM



Inefficient Line Utilization

## 100G Line Utilization using Stat Mux



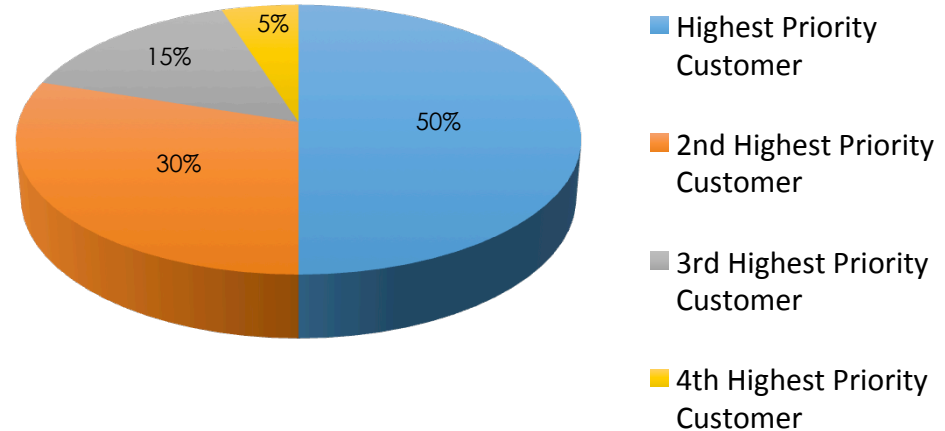
Efficient Line Utilization

More Client Data  
can be added

# Bandwidth Management

- Quality of Service using client priority classification
- Maximize line efficiency, reducing Idle characters
- Deficit Weighted Round Robin scheduling
- Priority is soft-configured during provisioning
- Traffic counters and monitoring
- Analyze traffic patterns

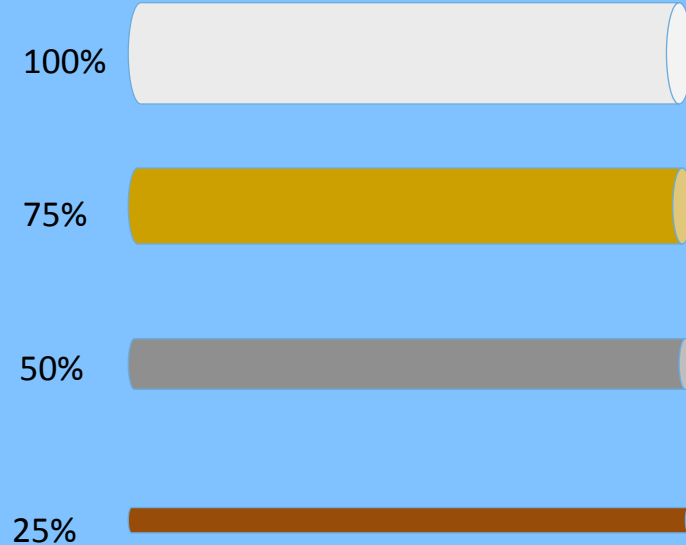
## Configurable Percentage of Usage



# Client Classification

- Increasing the priority level on a client port will allocate more bandwidth to it.
- Class Priority is soft-assigned
- Class 3 is the default setting for all ports and is the lowest priority
- Class 0 is the highest priority

## Bandwidth Shaping



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