Guaranteeing Deterministic End-to-End Delay

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Introduction

Backgrounds

- There is going to have a consensus solution on ResE.

Message

- Any architectural concept for a proposal on Residential Ethernet should guarantee deterministic end-to-end delay.
- If could not make sure with any dynamic resource control, static bandwidth reservation might be a possible solution.

Focus on

- Goals to achieve in Residential Ethernet with paying
- Can get deterministic delay without doubt?
- Why not static bandwidth reservation ?

Goals to achieve in Residential Ethernet

Deterministic latency & low jitter

- no frame loss
- deterministic latency in queues under any circumstances

Approach in RESG

- synchronized cycle
- forward frames based on cycle
- reserve bandwidth
- signaling for resource control
- monitoring, shaping, and discarding frames

Pay for achieving goals

New function modules

- Local clock synchronization
- Queue & scheduling for isochronous channel
- Signaling module
- State management

Controversy

- Complexity, costs
- Interoperability

Achieving deterministic latency

Realities

- Self-similar traffic
 - size of packets in TCP flows
 - burstness
- To maximize link utilization
 - unused bandwidth
 - statistical multiplexing

Deterministic latency in queue

- Find an equilibrium point, whenever situation changed
- Focus on services which keep away from two constraints
 - Constant bit rate services (audio, uncompressed video, ...)

Synchronous cycle from end-to-end

Preserve application frames' inter-arrival time at end-to-end
Guarantee bytes/cycle, consecutive cycles, inter-frame cycles



Guaranteeing deterministic E2E latency

Deterministic processing of frames

- Reserve peak bandwidth
 - Assign bytes on periodical consecutive cycles
 - Guarantee
- Not queuing, 1 cycle preemptive buffering
- No shaping, cut-through forwarding

Proposal

- Assign a class for this kind of services

Conclusions

- It would be unable to avoid adding new features on legacy Ethernet to support deterministic endto-end latency.
- Residential Ethernet, bandwidth controlled in synchronized cycle, will be operated in a simple manner for supporting services which generate constant-bit-rate frames arrived uniformly.
- It is suggested to let ResE manage such kind of services separately.

Thanks for your attention !!

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