AMLIGHT 2015

SAAC Update Chip Cox

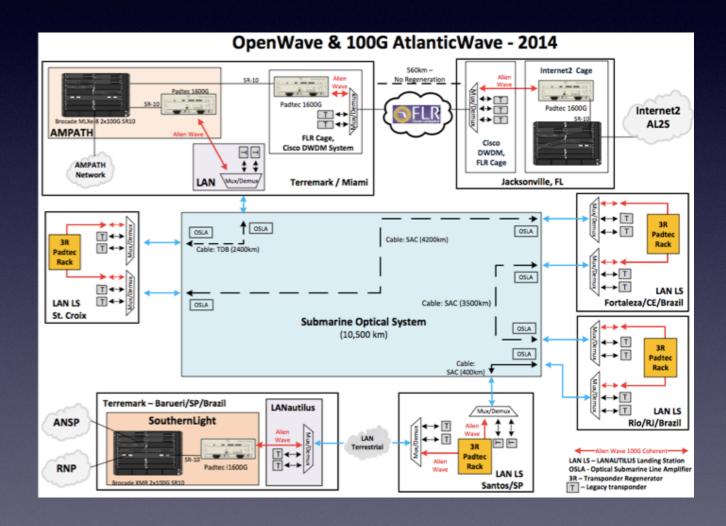


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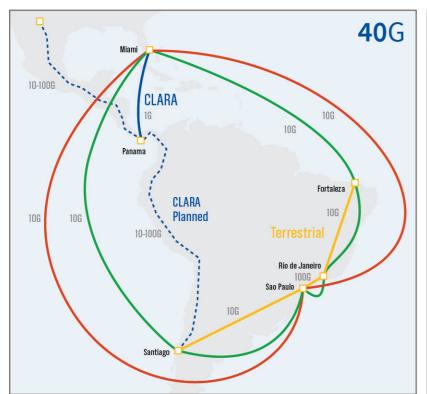
- NSF CISE cooperative agreement for 2015-2020 is in place
- LSST Sub Award is in place
- ANSP matching FAPESP award in place
- RNP planning on similar step by mid year

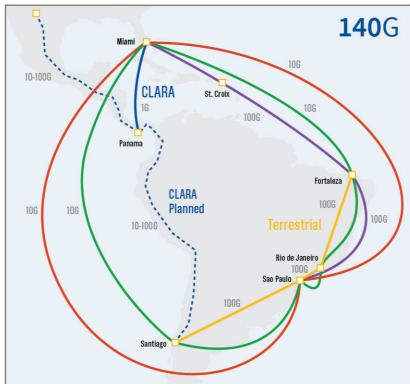
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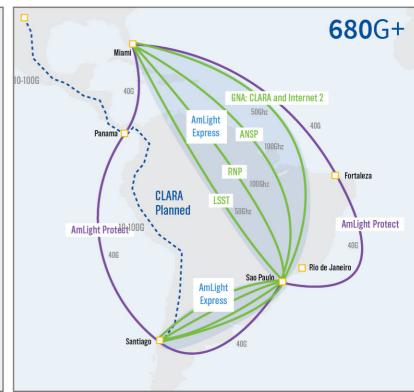
- Fundamental transitional experimentation
 - What we learn will enable our next twenty years
 - Miami-Jacksonville operational.. yesterday!
 - Modeled OSNR challenge St. Croix-FTLZ resulted in DSP API reworking. (Delayed five months)



Backbone: AMLIGHT: Current to 2031







Current 2015-2017 2018-2031

Amlight Strategy

Evolving Capacity



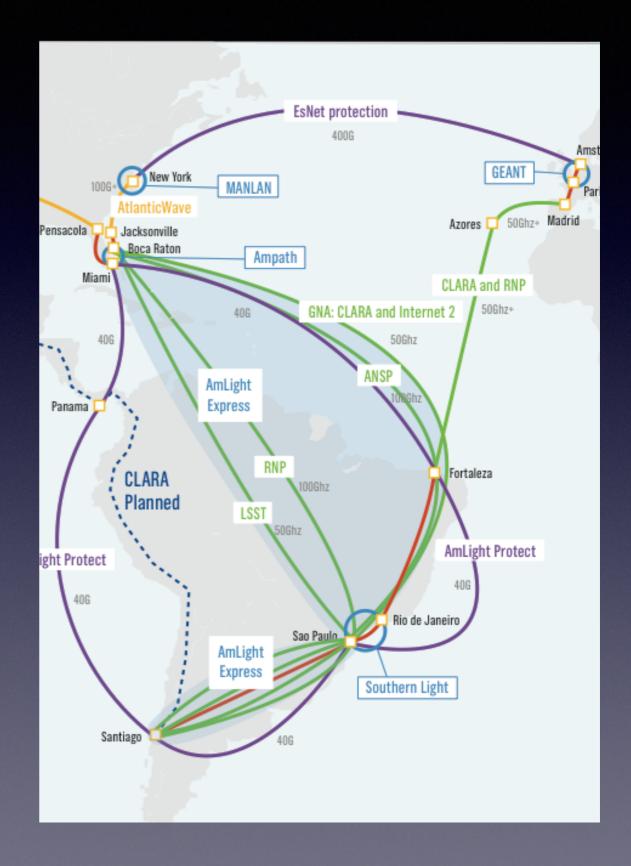
Exciting 1q2016

Negotiations not finalized...

Near Future

A new world of collaborative mutual R&E protections

14 different rings of protection from Chile to the U.S.



Challenges

- Finalize contracts in 2015
- Panama-Costa Rica short submarine hop and Mexico to enable RedCLARA terrestrial backbone
- Valparaiso landing station access
- Rio-Sao Paulo Terrestrial and Submarine ring
- Longterm RNP Sao Paulo-B.A. solution
- Executing AMLIGHT SDX for Boca and Miami Locations, over all switch / optical infrastructure



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