

# A Technique for Moving Large Datasets over High-Performance Long Distance Networks

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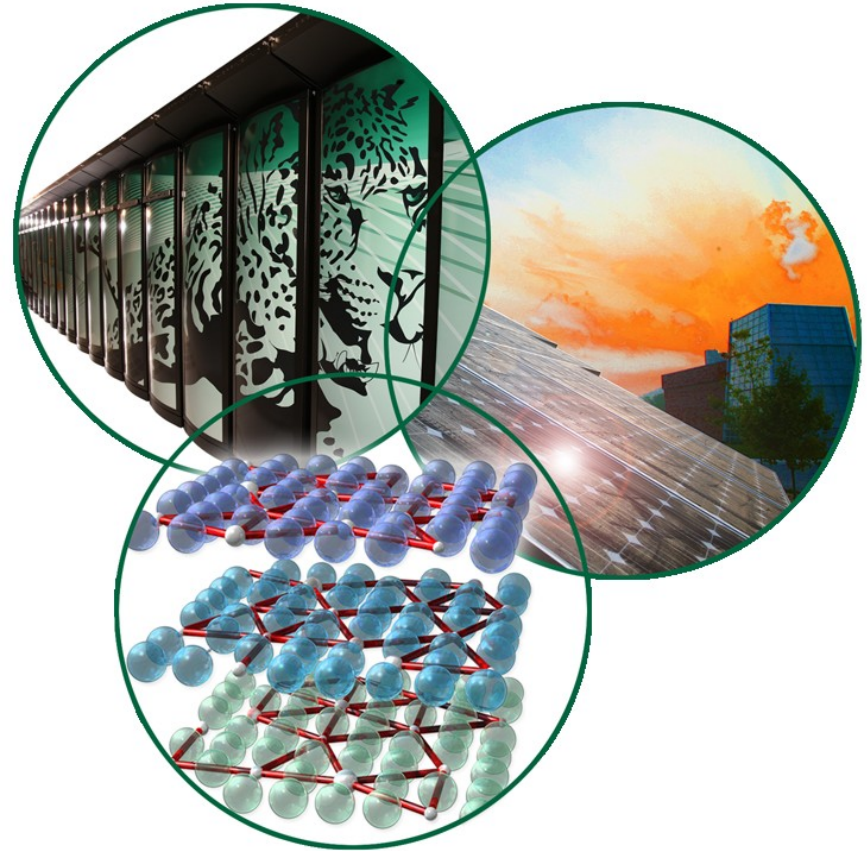
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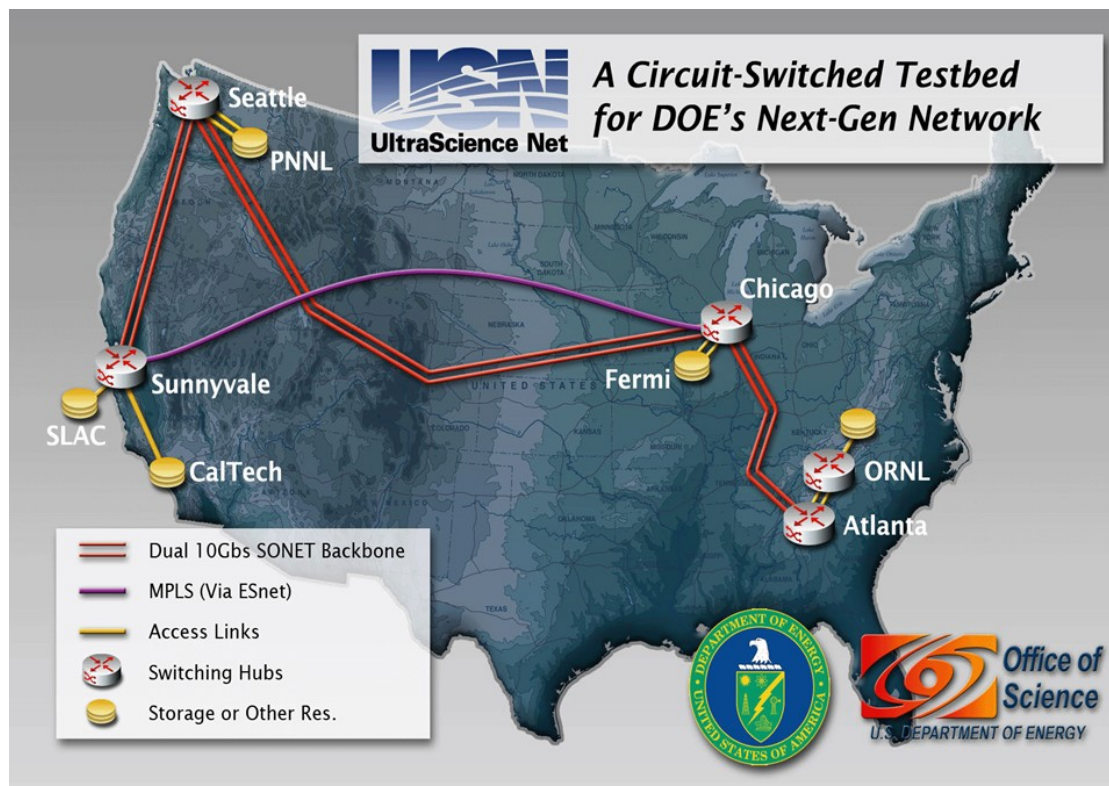
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# Network Overview

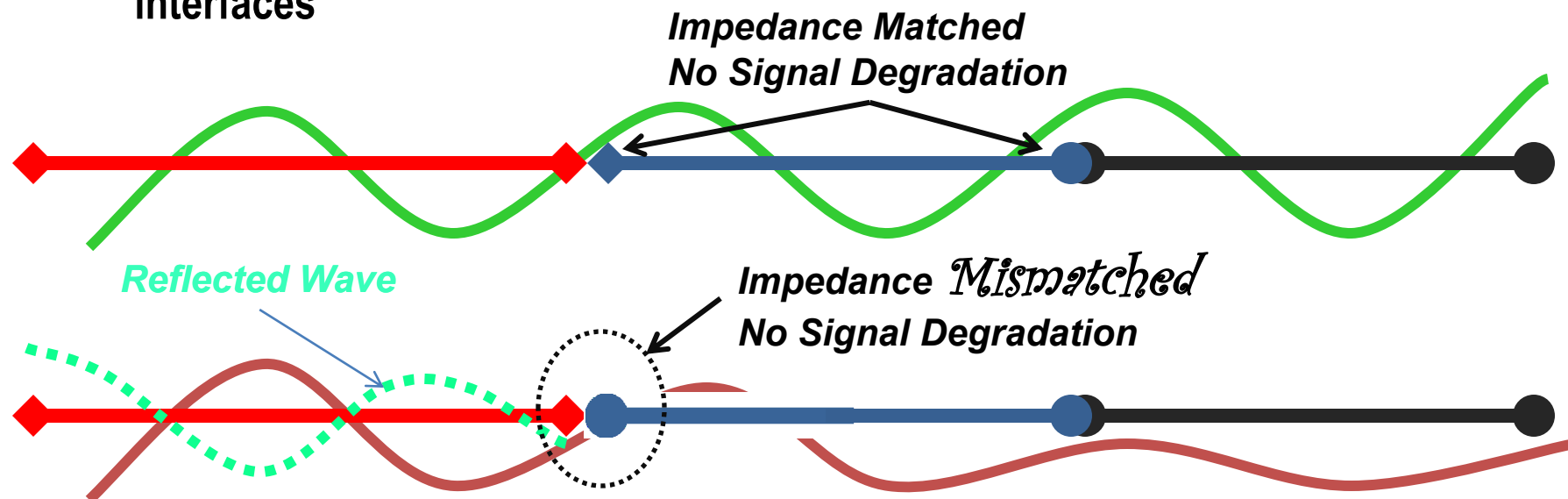


- Easily configurable dedicated network
- 2 dedicated lambdas (1 for each loop endpoint)
  - 9.6 Gbps

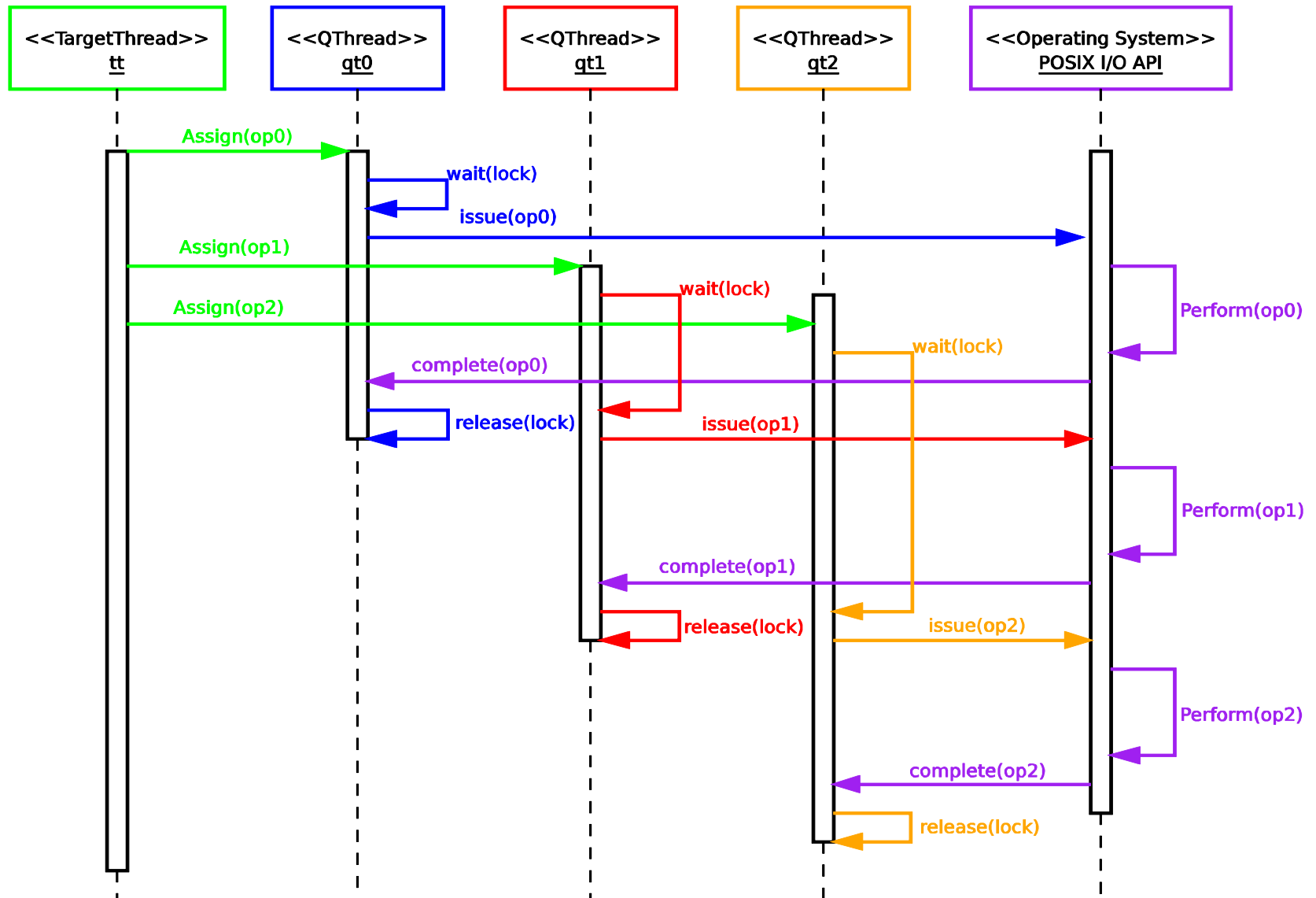
# Impedance Matching

## • Analogy to Transmission Line Impedance Matching

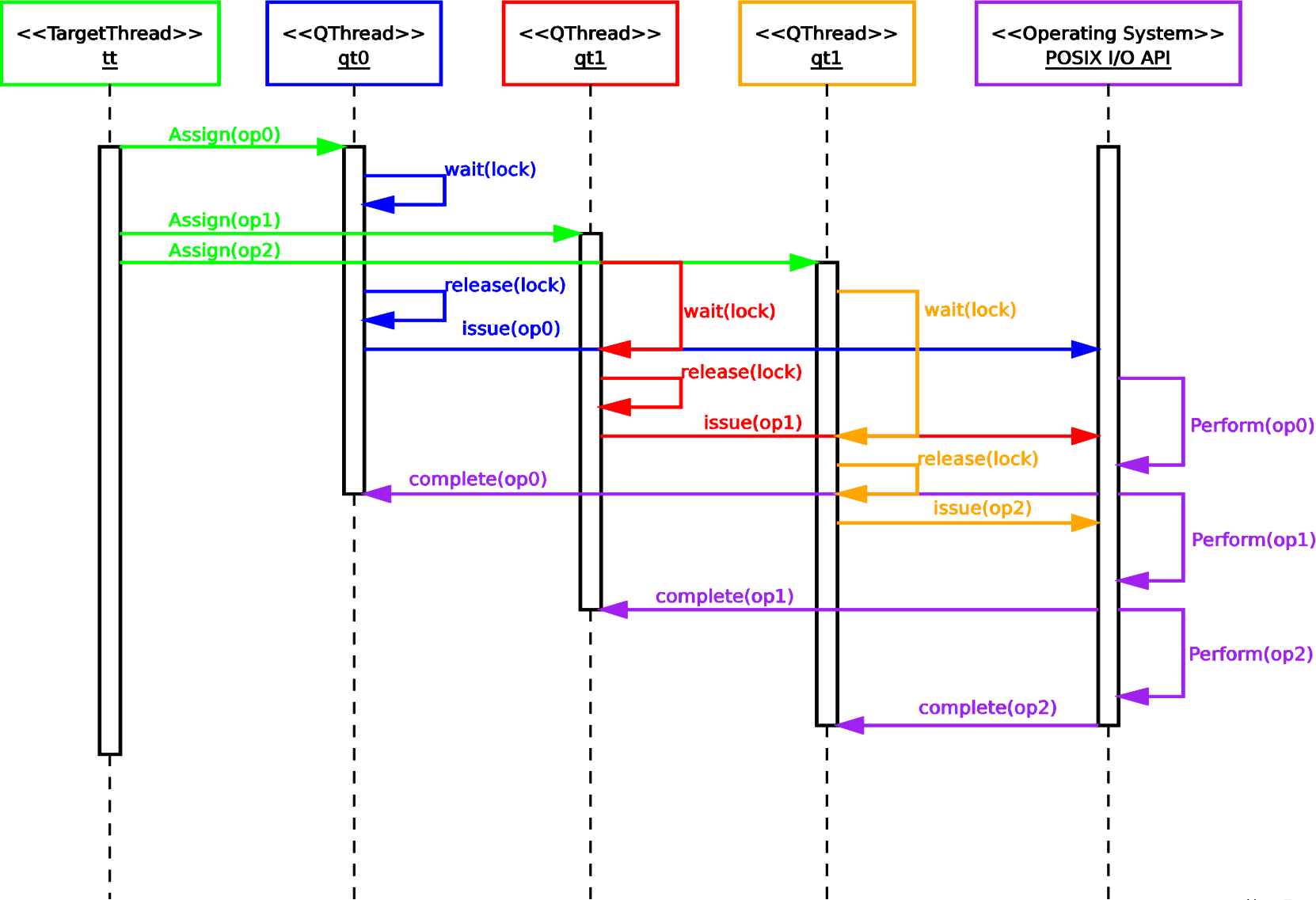
- Consider a transmission line composed of 3 segments connected at 4 points
- The Impedance at the connection points must be matched properly in order to maintain maximum amplitude of a the signal from one end to the other
- An impedance mismatch results in a decrease in the signal strength/amplitude and signal noise from reflections at the mismatched interfaces



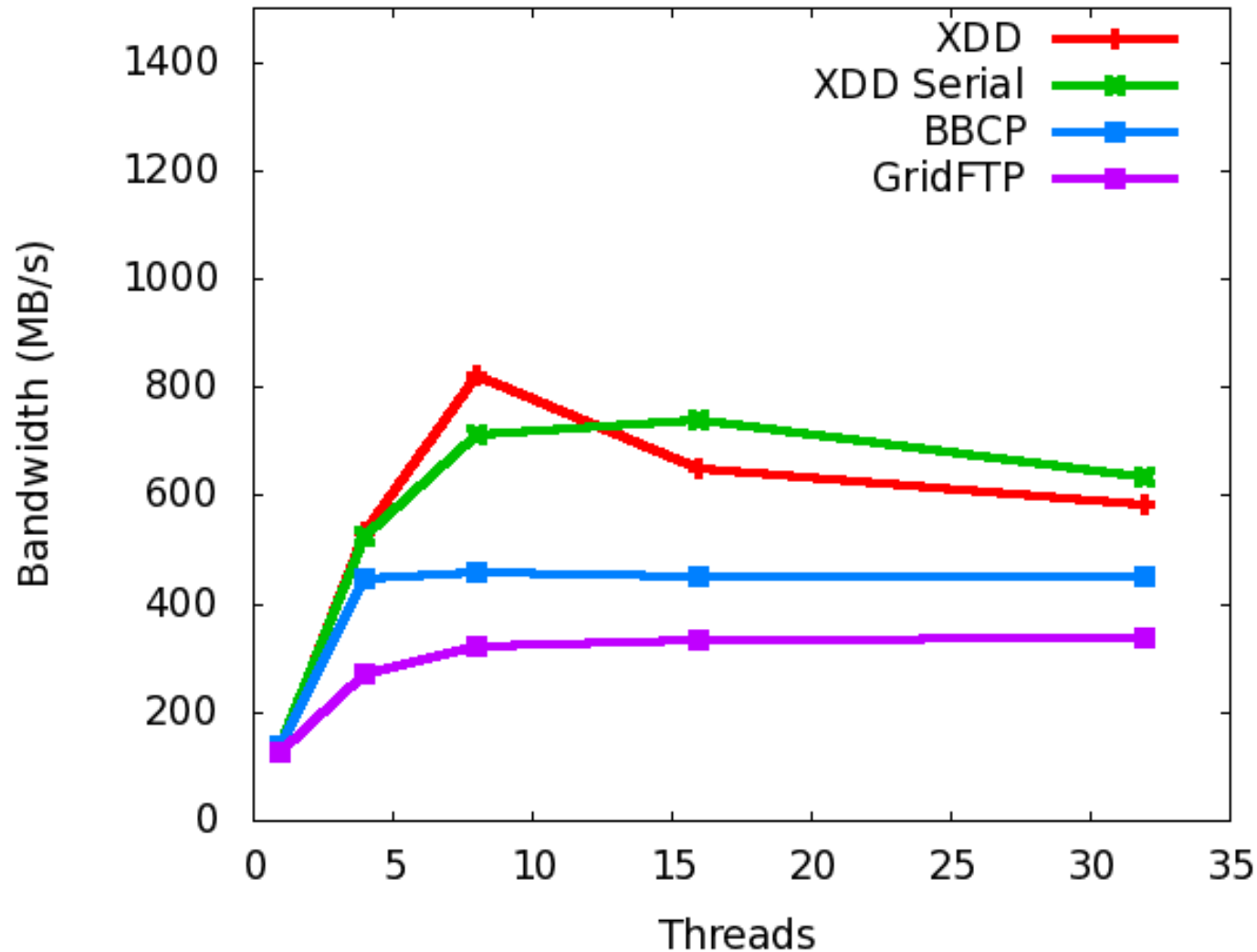
# Serial Ordering



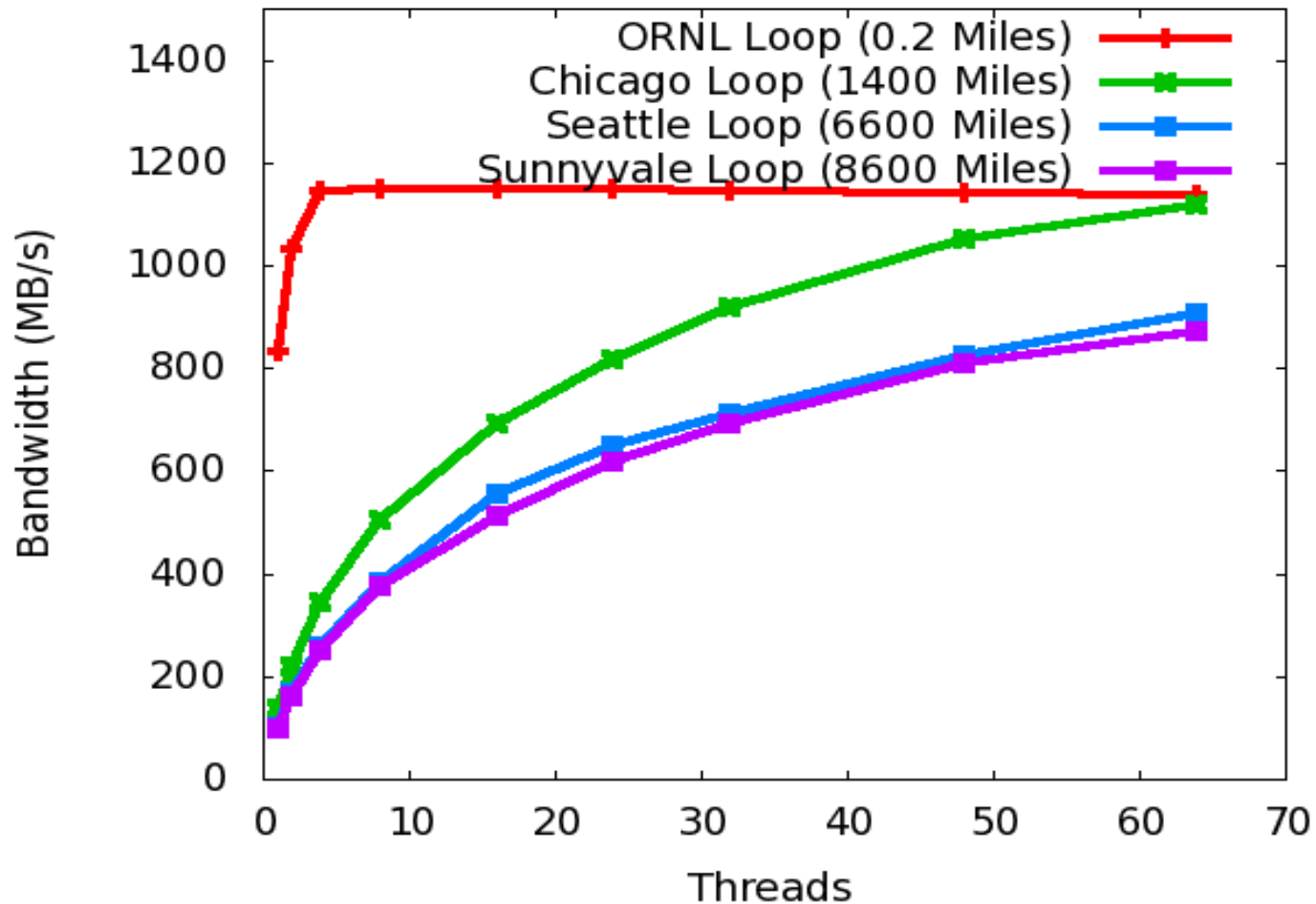
# Loose Ordering



# File Transfer Performance Sunnyvale Loop



# File Transfer Multi-host Performance



**Two source endpoints and two destination endpoints**

# Future Work

- **Further exploration serial scheduling**
- **40Gbit networks**
  - Multi-NIC works now
- **Parallel file system transfer scheduling**
- **Zero copy networking**
  - Infiniband
  - UDT
- **Dynamic Thread Matching**
- **Multiple file copy**



# Thank You!