



SIX - Seattle Internet Exchange



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Who's There?

- 13 Connected: AboveNet Communications, Alternate Access, Altopia, Autonomous Networks, Compass Communications, Cortland Electronics, interGlobe Networks, Jazzie Systems, SAVVIS Communications, Semaphore, Sense Networking, ServNet, WolfeNet
- 3 Pending: Conxion, Epoch Internet, GoodNet

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Strategic Location

- Westin Office Building in Seattle
- Telecom Mecca of the Northwest
- 19th Floor next to T1/T3/Fiber meet-me rooms

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Interconnect Technology

- Cisco Catalyst Fast Ethernet Switch
- Connect via 10BaseT or 100BaseTX using Cat5
- Migration plan is to connect multiple switches via Gigabit Ethernet

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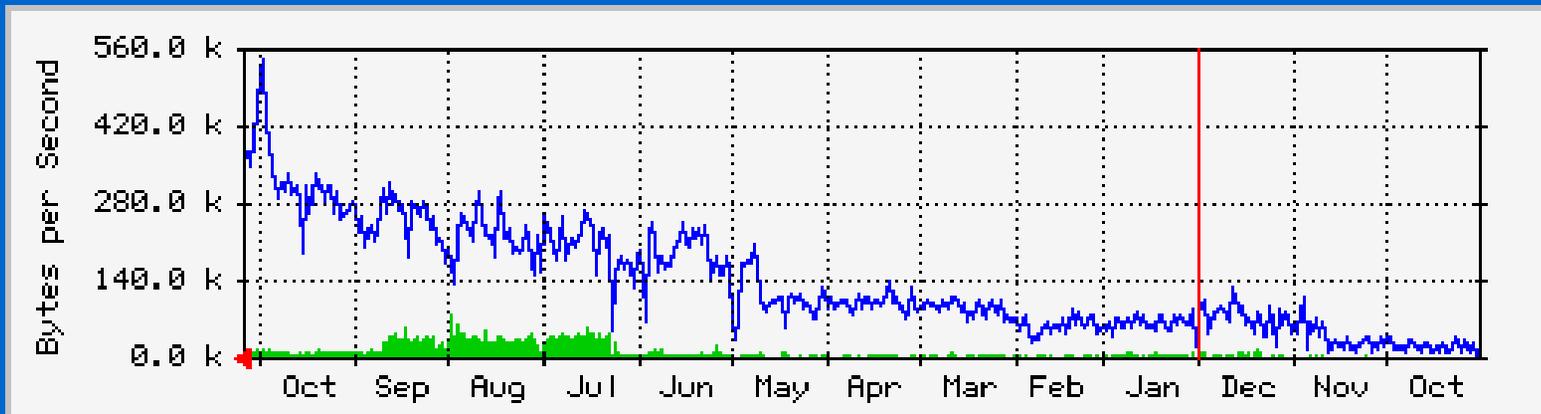
Misc

- Peering is bilateral - there is no MLPA
- Cooperative Effort - Donated Equipment
- No route server
- No instrumentation

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Sample Growth Chart

- Altopia SIX traffic growth from 10/97 to present





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