

SIGCOMM 2017 NDN Demonstrations

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Topics

- Platforms
 - NDN Testbed
 - Open Network Lab (ONL)
 - Amazon AWS
- NDN Topics
 - Producer/Consumer
 - Caching
 - Validation
 - Adaptive Forwarding
 - Intermittent Links

NDN Testbed

- Currently 37 Nodes on 4 continents and in 15 countries
- Who participates?
 - 32 Universities and Academic institutions
 - 4 Companies
 - 1 Government Agency
- How to join?
 - <https://named-data.net/ndn-testbed/policies-connecting-nodes-ndn-testbed/>
- How to use if your site does not join?
 - <https://named-data.net/codebase/platform/>
 - <http://named-data.net/doc/NFD/current/>

Open Network Lab (ONL)

- Remotely accessible network testbed
 - Operated and maintained by Applied Research Lab in Department of Computer Science and Engineering at Washington University in St. Louis
 - Real Hardware for running repeatable network experiments with trusted results. (NOT simulations)
- Use for NDN
 - NDN installed on each host/VM
 - NFD performance study
 - NDN Testbed Emulation to test new releases
- How to join?
 - <https://onl.wustl.edu/>
 - And “Get an account”



NDN Topics

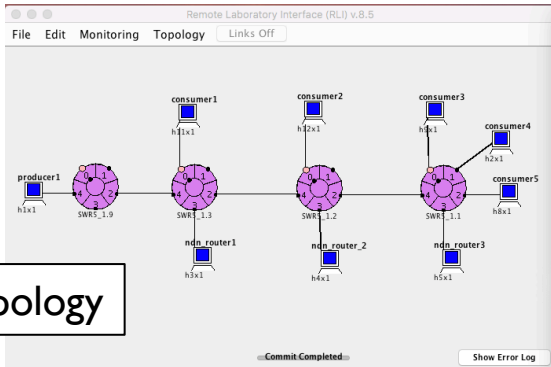
- **Producer/Consumer**
 - Consumer sends Interests asking for Data
 - Producer listens for Interests and sends Data
- **Caching**
 - Forwarding nodes cache data packets in their Content Store
 - Send Data for Interests matching named data in their Content Store
- **Validation**
 - Consumers may validate identity of the publisher of data
- **Adaptive Forwarding**
 - Forwarders adapt forwarding choices based on network conditions
- **Intermittent Links**
 - Using Caching and Adaptive Forwarding data can still be shared between Producers and Consumers when there is not a synchronous End-to-End path

NDN Demonstrations

- ONL: Simple Producer/Consumer illustrating caching
- ONL: Producer/Consumer with intermittent links
- NDN Testbed: Image transfer with Validation

ONL Demonstrations: Here is what you will see...

Topology



File Size Monitor

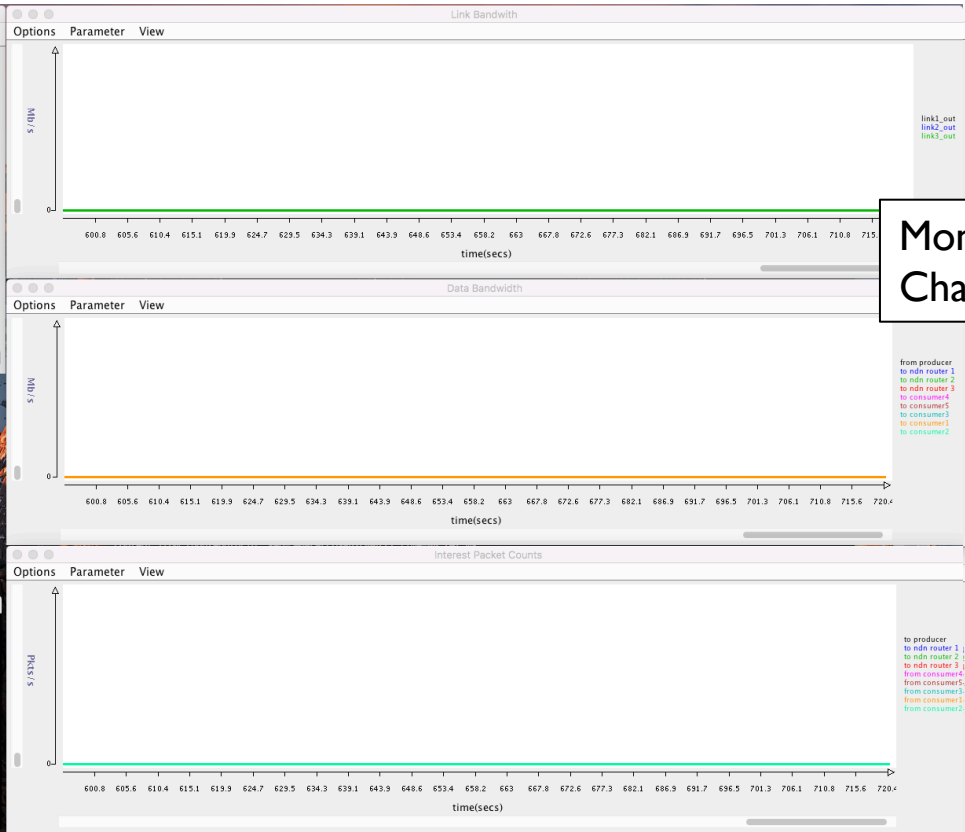
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Thu Aug 17 08:57:27 CDT 2017
PRODUCER : 624 KBs
CONSUMER1: 0 KBs
CONSUMER2: 0 KBs
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Shell Window

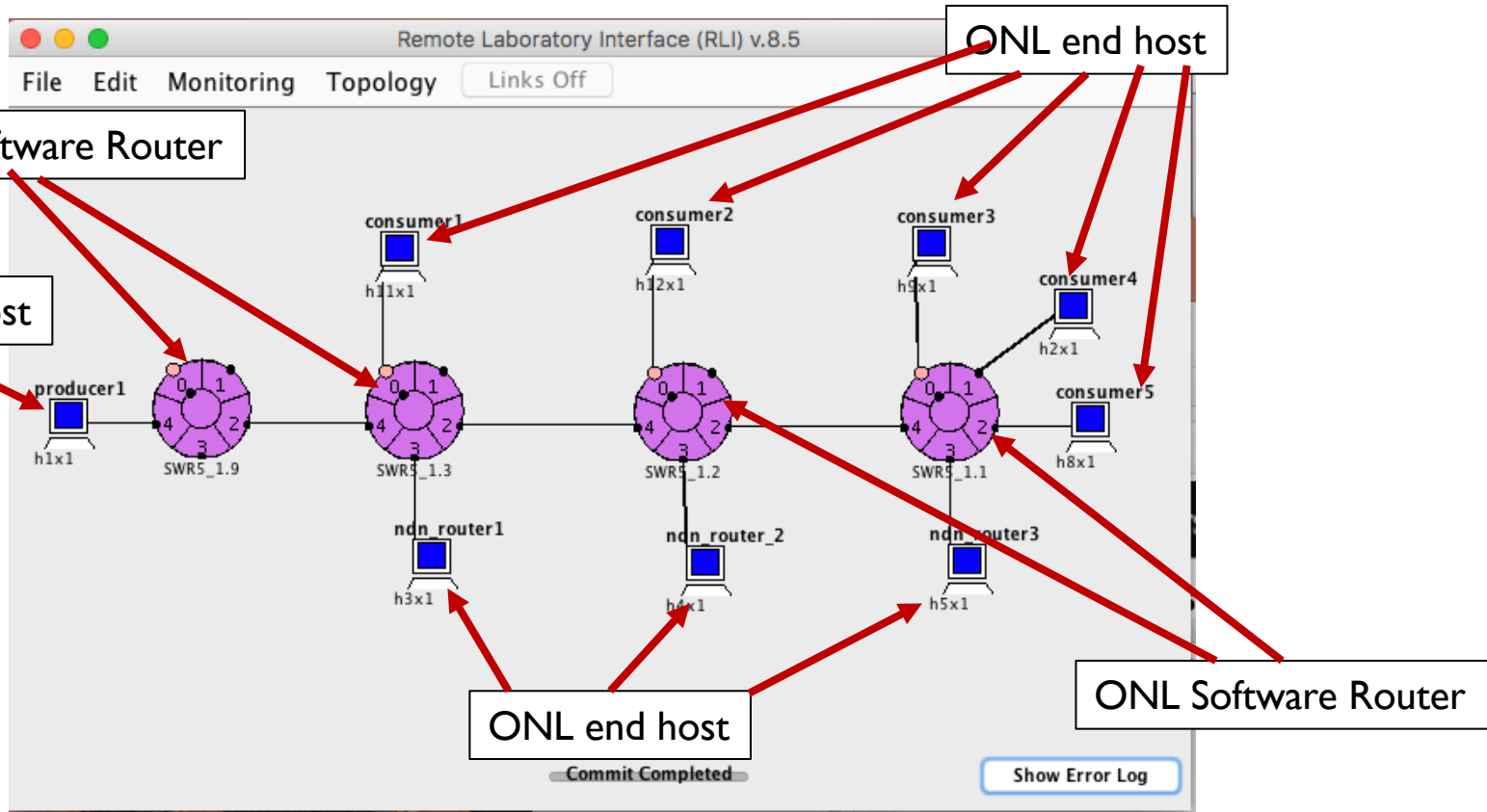
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h4x1: pc2core16
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jdd:
Press enter to start run:
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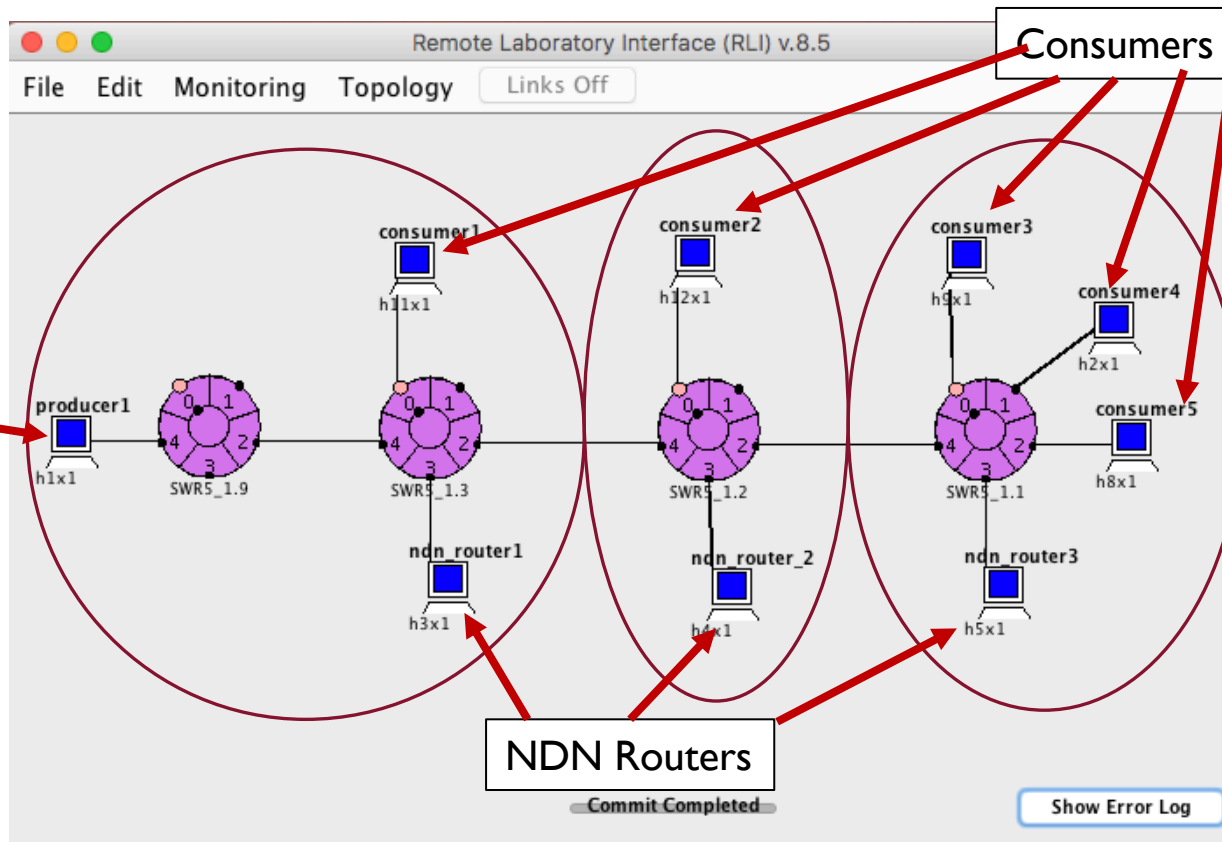
Monitoring Charts



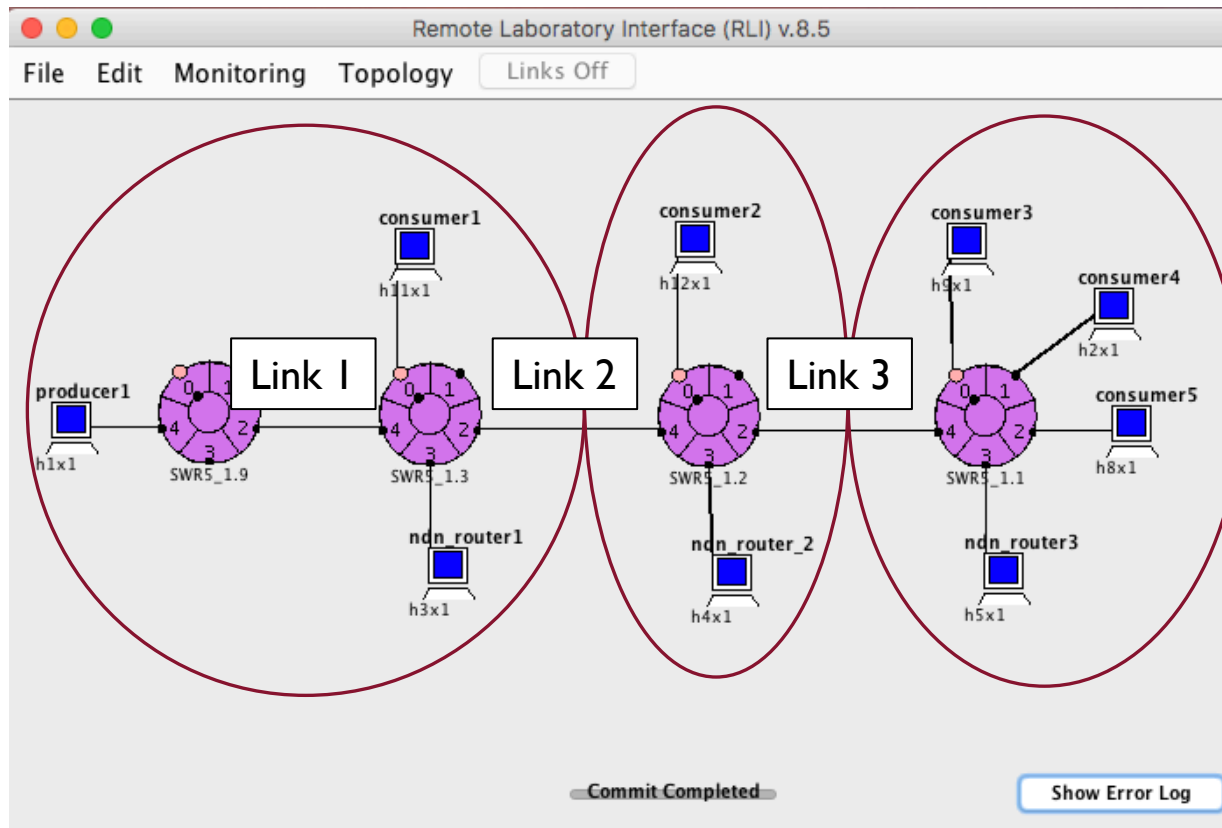
ONL Demonstrations: ONL resources



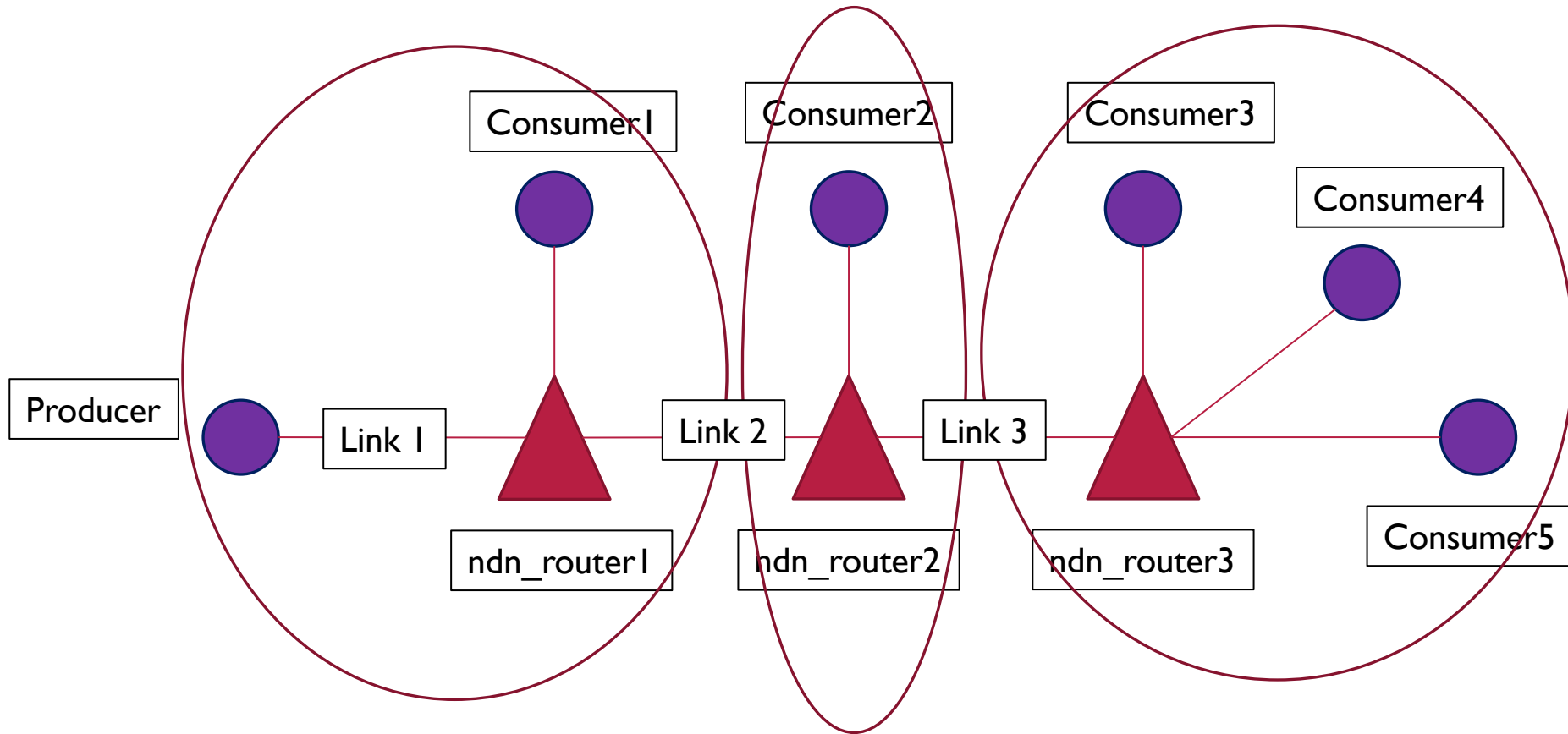
ONL Demonstrations: NDN relationships



ONL Demonstrations: Links we are watching...



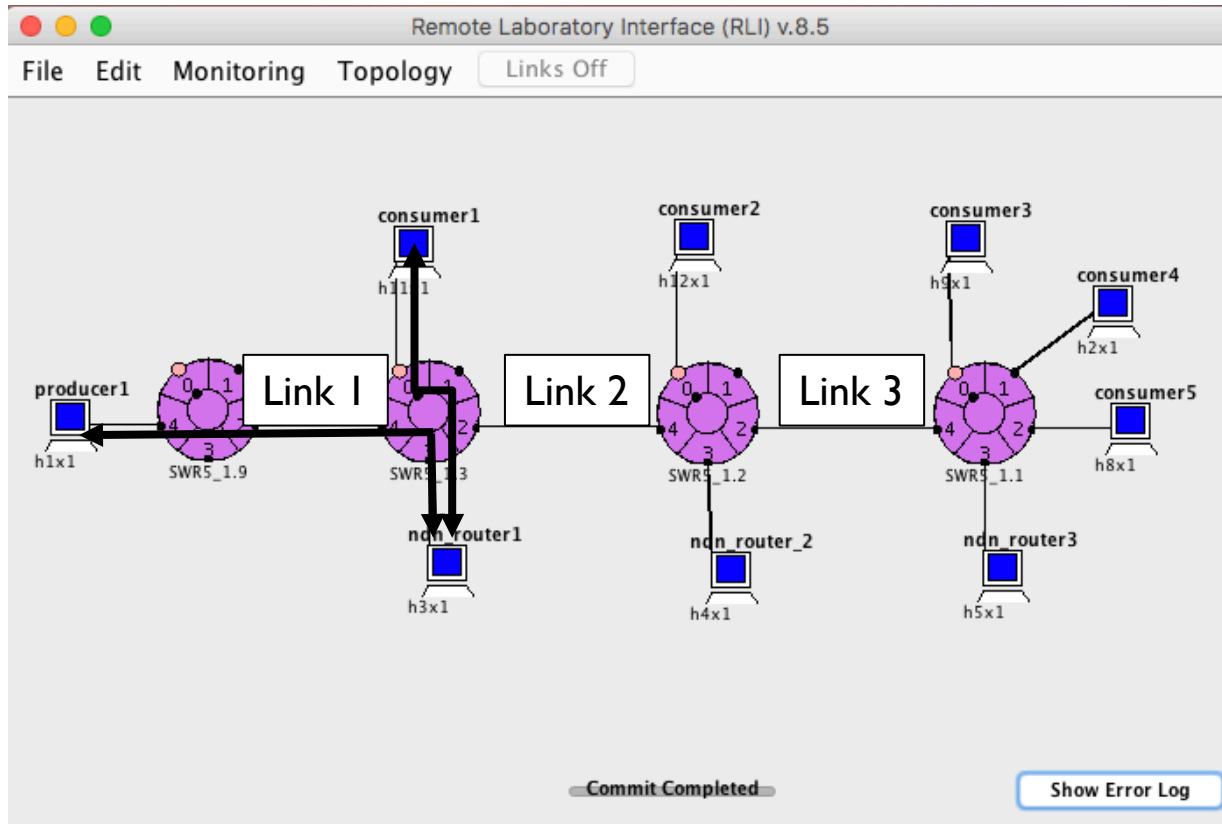
ONL Demonstrations: NDN Topology



NDN Demonstrations

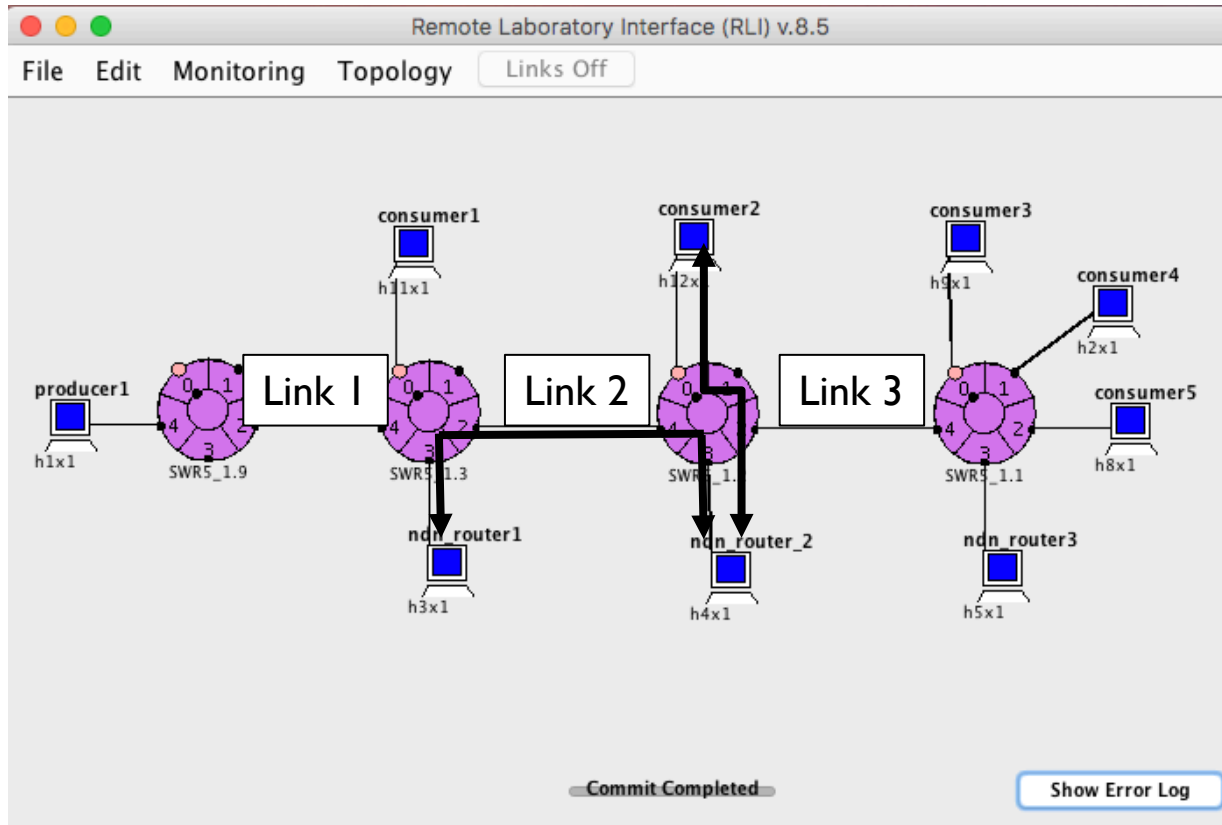
- **ONL: Simple Producer/Consumer illustrating caching**
 - **Producer and Consumers in action**
 - **Visualize that caching is taking place and being used**
 - **ChronoSync is used by Producer and Consumers to share the state of the Data in their namespace.**
 - **Causes some artifacts in the monitoring charts...**
- **ONL: Producer/Consumer with intermittent links**
- **NDN Testbed: Image transfer with Validation**

ONL Demonstrations: First Scenario -- Caching



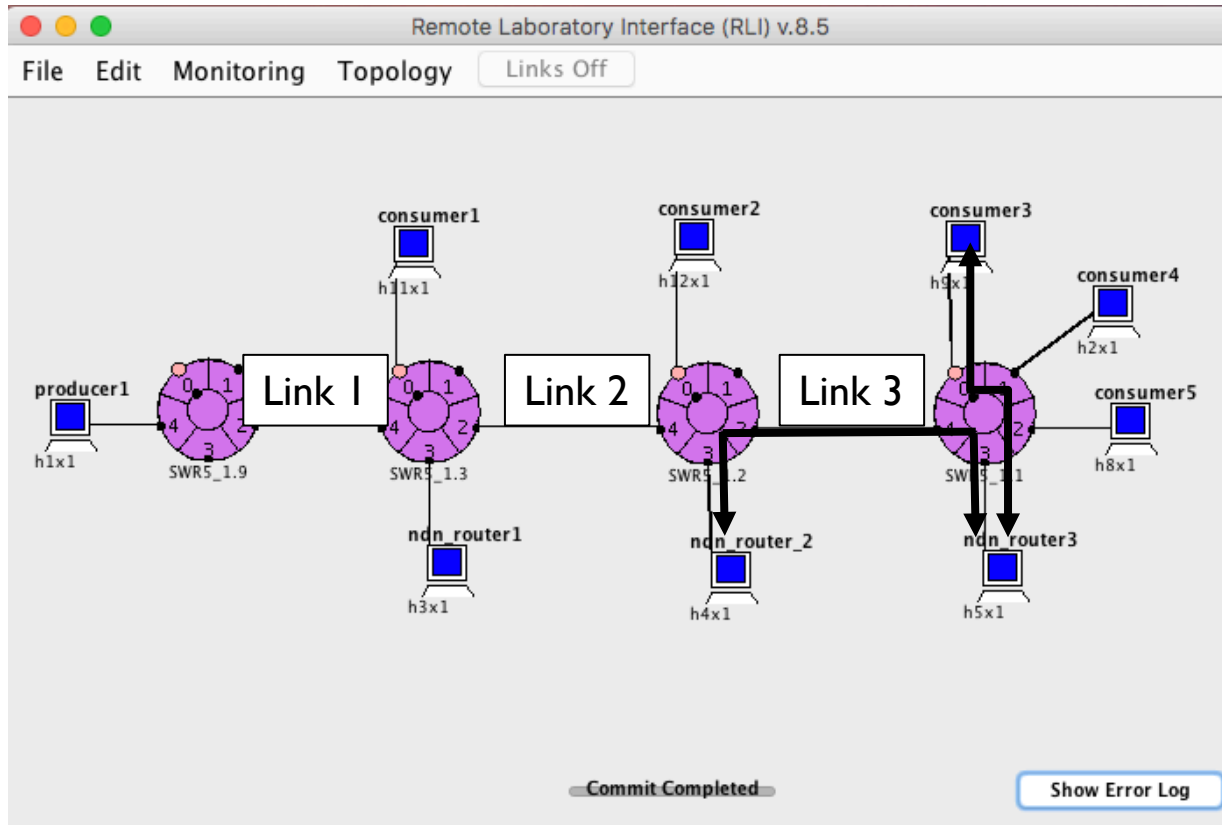
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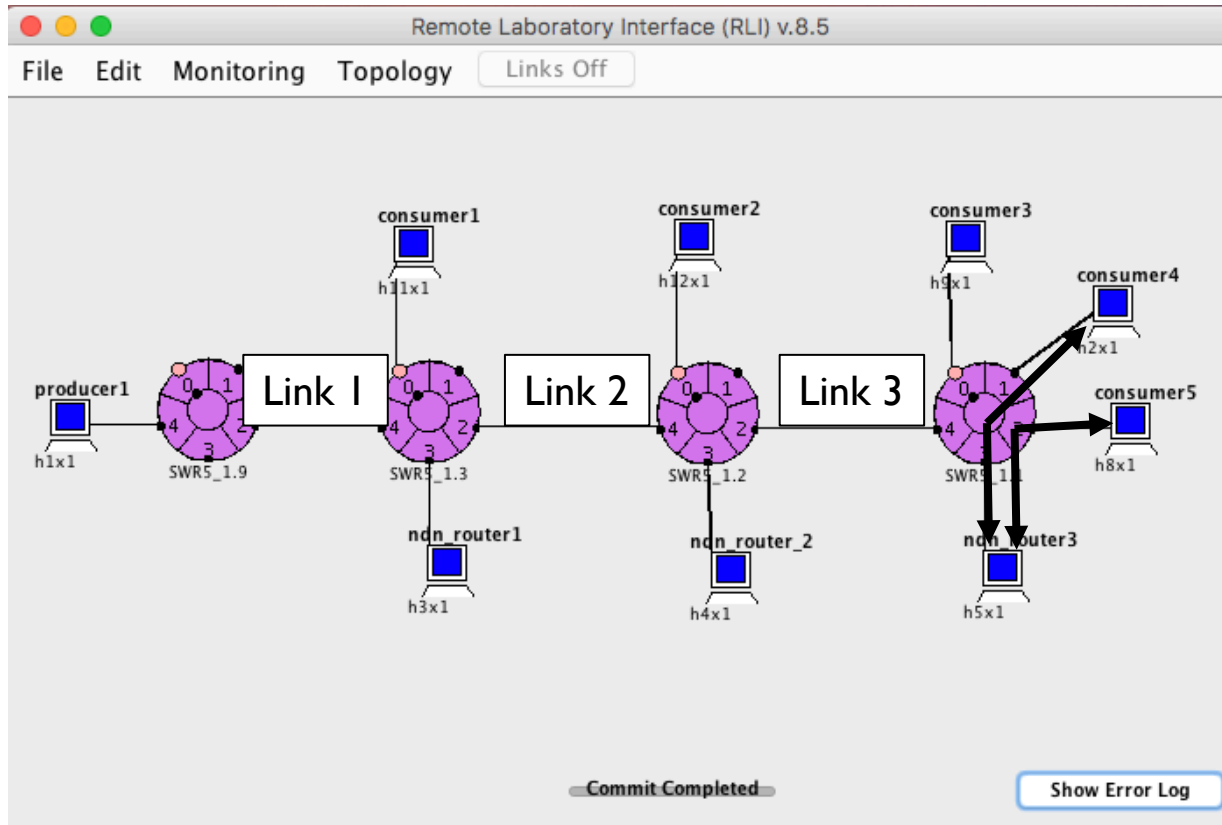
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- Consumer 2

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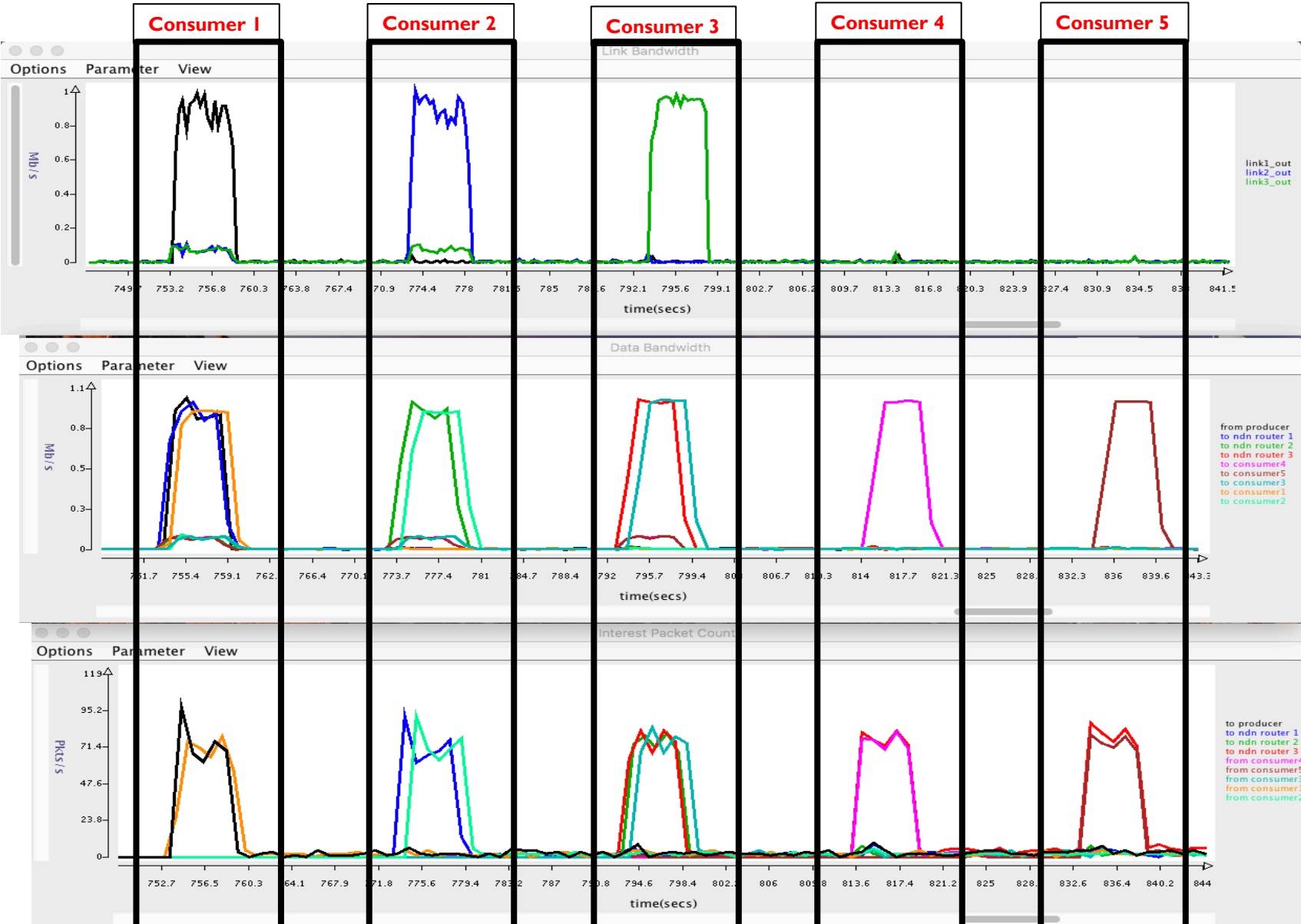
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- Consumer 3

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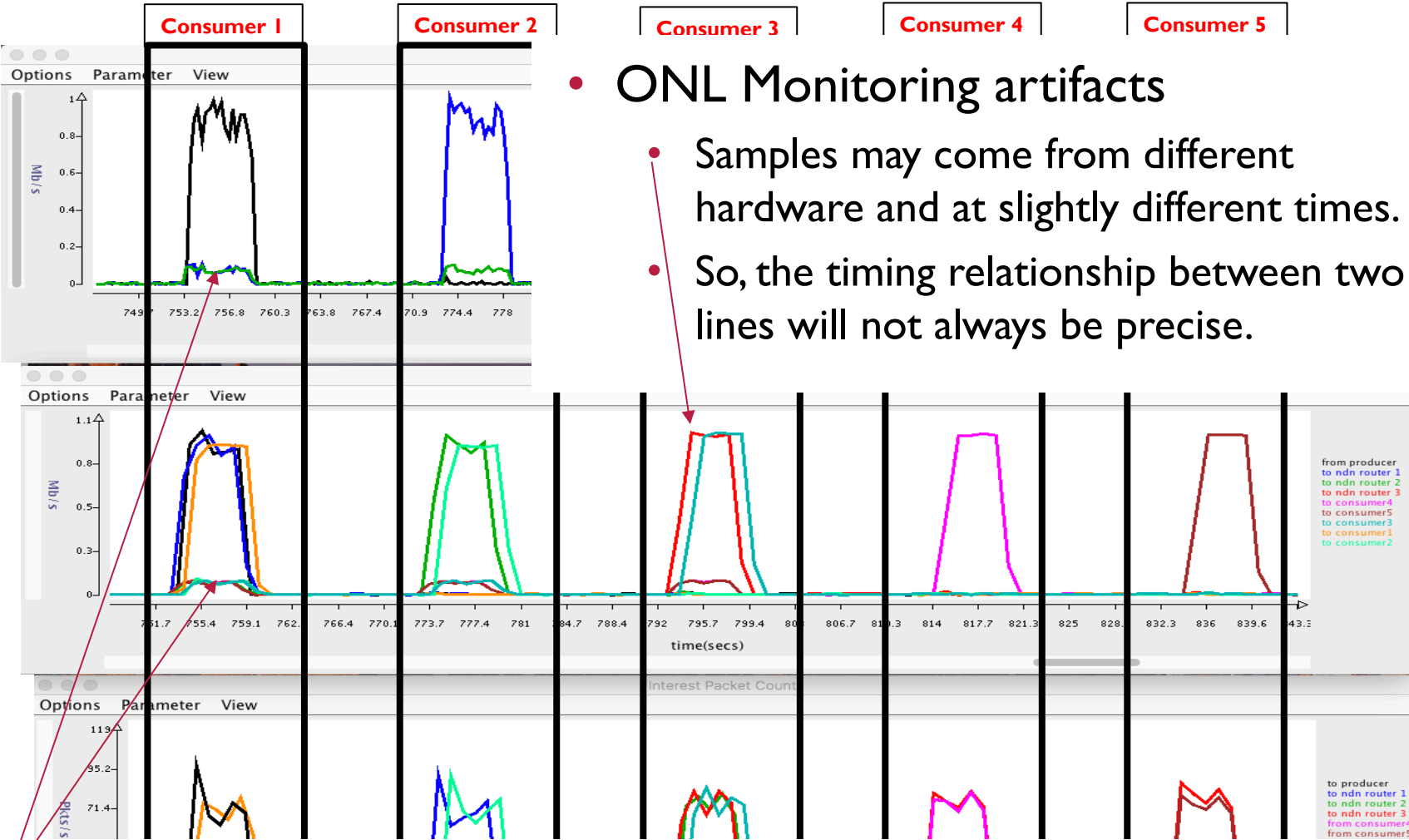


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- Consumer 2
- Consumer 3
- Consumer 4
- Consumer 5

ONL Demonstrations: First Scenario: Charts

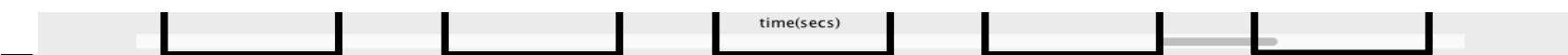


ONL Demonstrations: First Scenario: Charts



- ONL Monitoring artifacts
 - Samples may come from different hardware and at slightly different times.
 - So, the timing relationship between two lines will not always be precise.

• Artifacts like these, are due to ChronoSync.

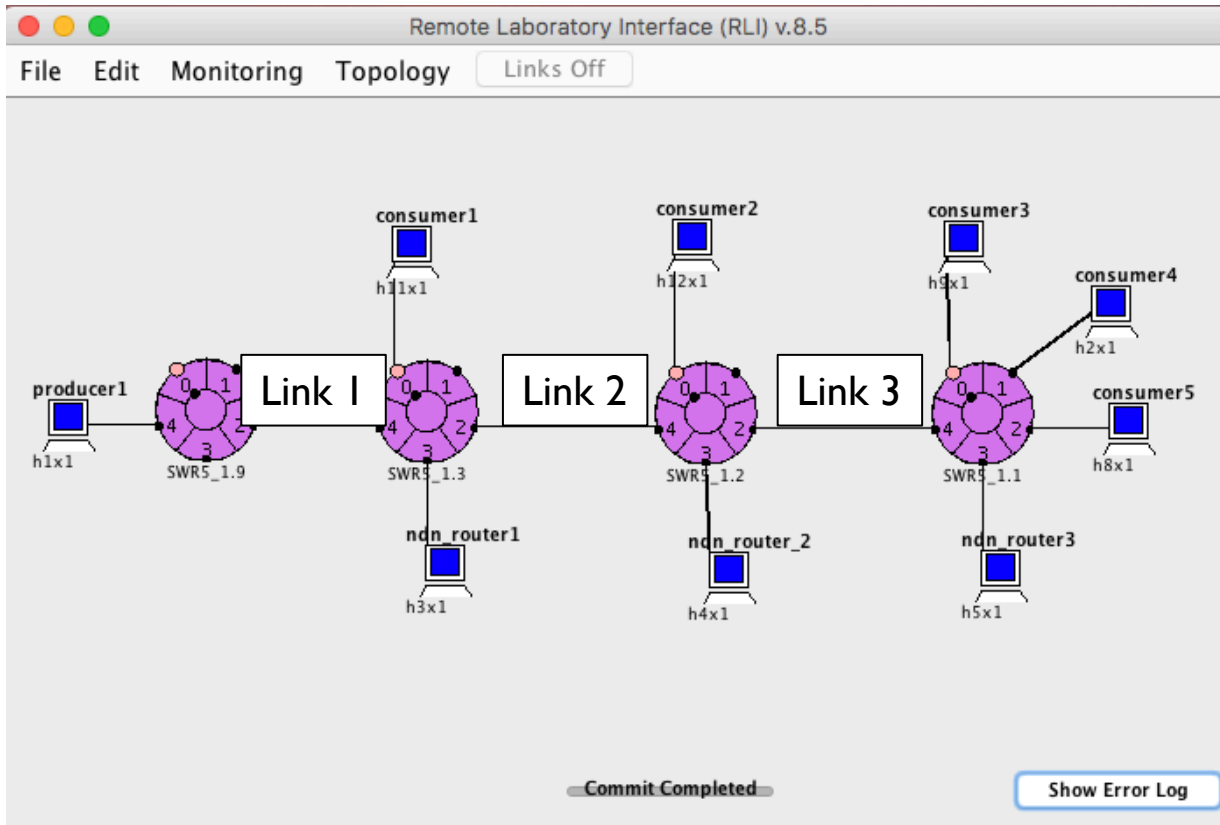


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NDN Demonstrations

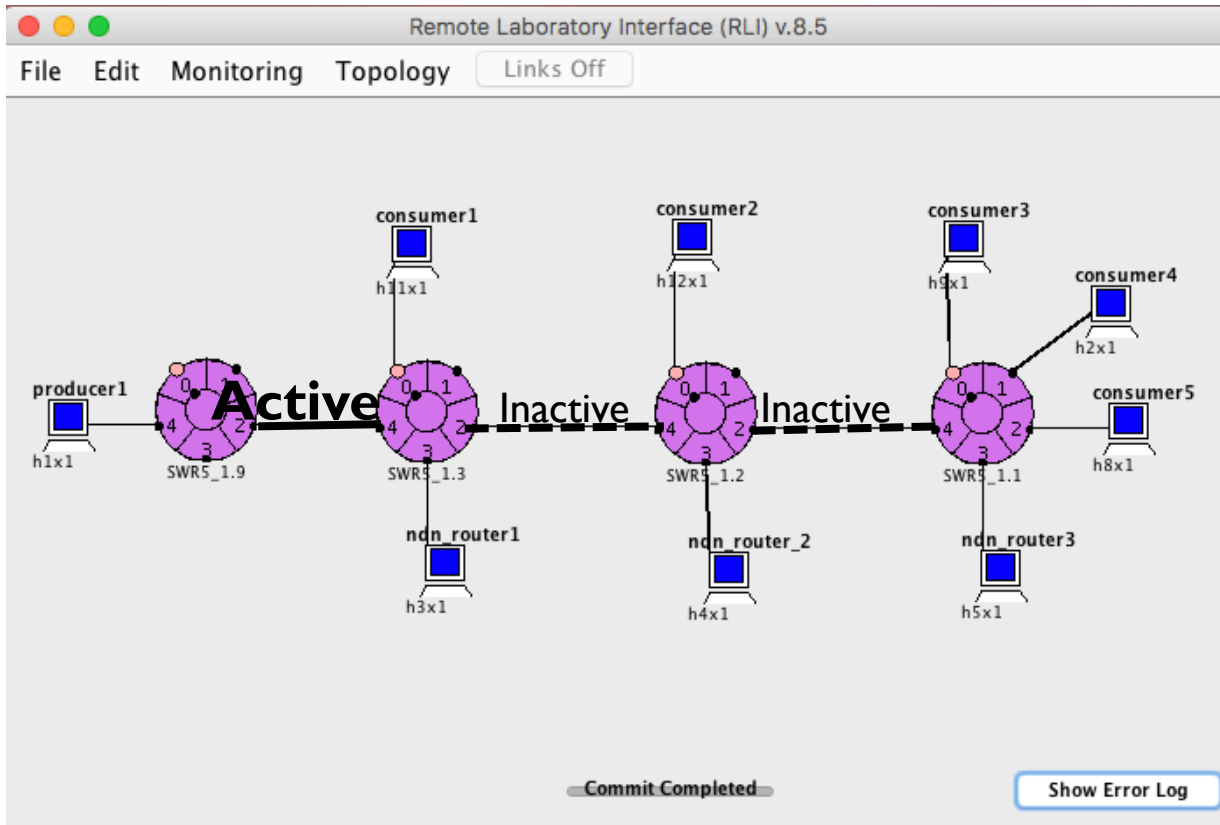
- ONL: Simple Producer/Consumer illustrating caching
- **ONL: Producer/Consumer with intermittent links**
 - In addition to what we saw in previous demo...
 - **Data retrieved without a synchronous end-to-end path.**
 - How would IP handle that?
- NDN Testbed: Image transfer with Validation

ONL Demos: Second Scenario – Intermittent Links



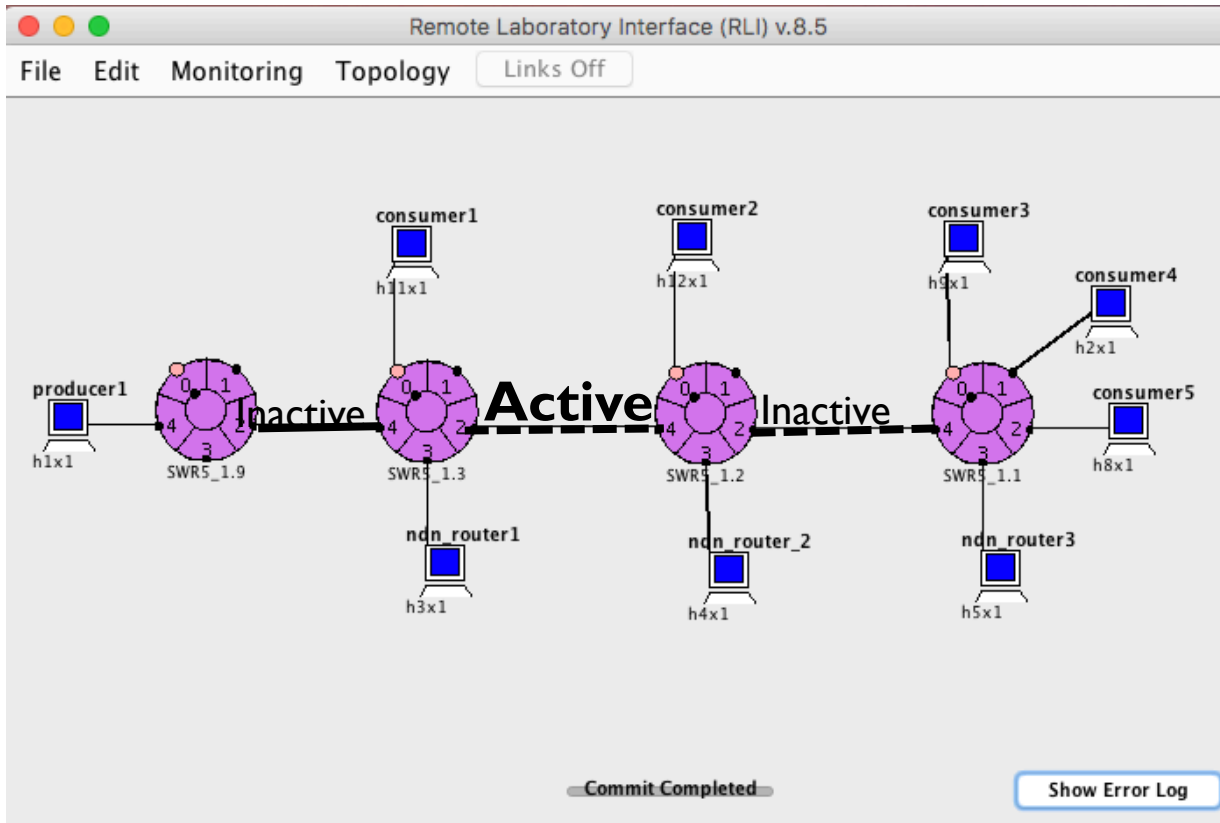
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- One link at a time is up for **two seconds**
- **Never a complete path from producer to all consumers**
- Consumers 1,2,3 start at the same time
- Consumer 4 and 5 start later

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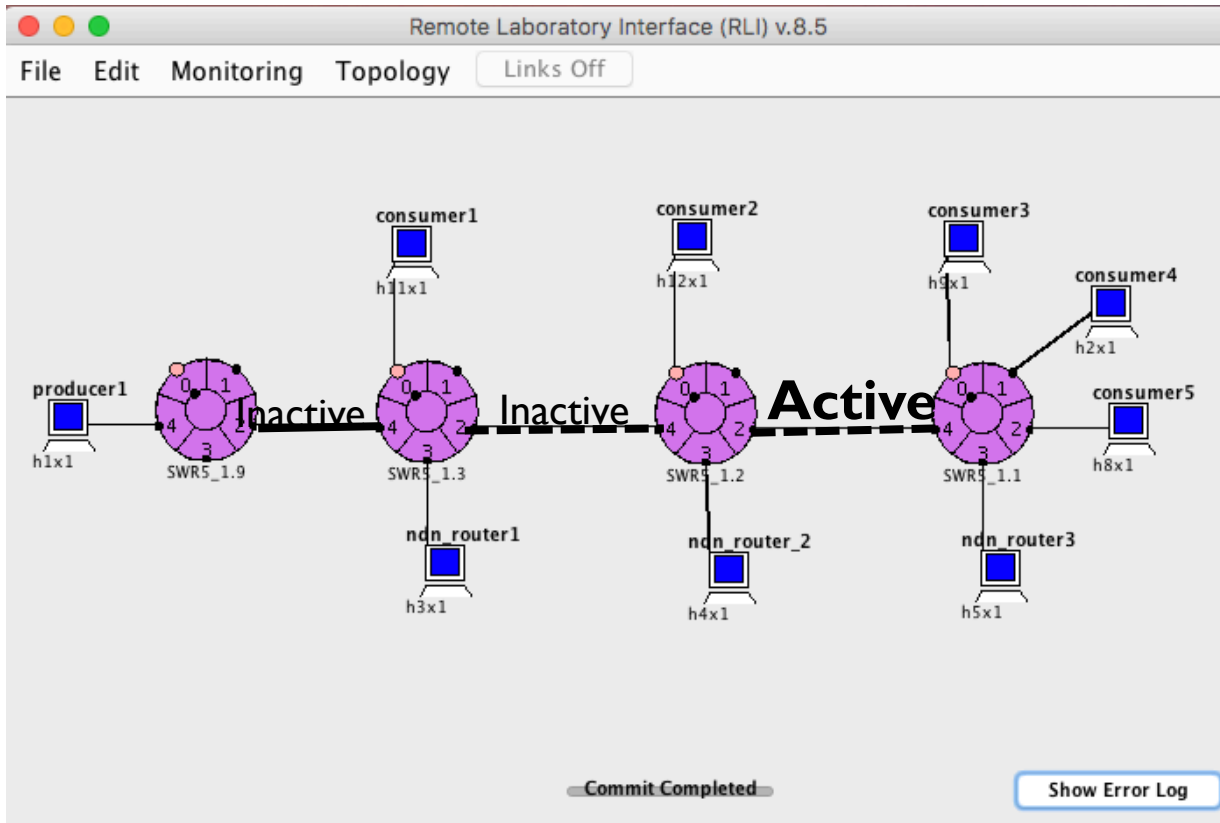
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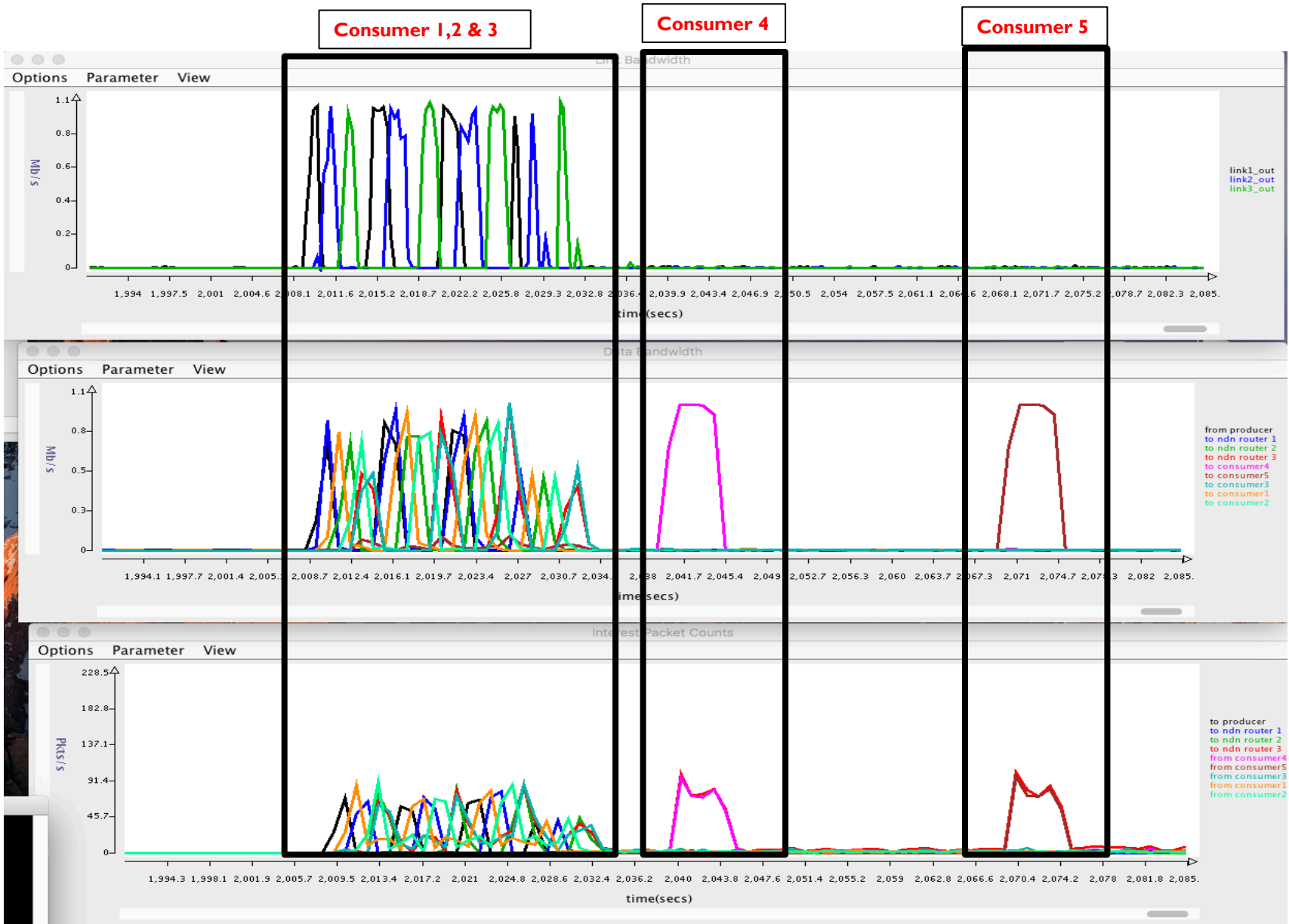
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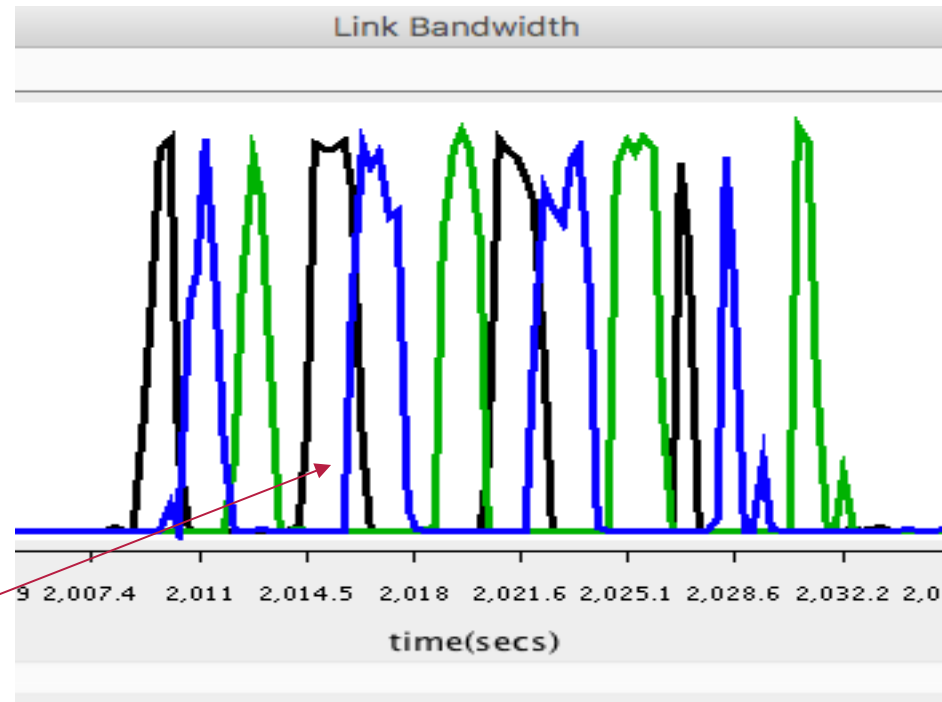


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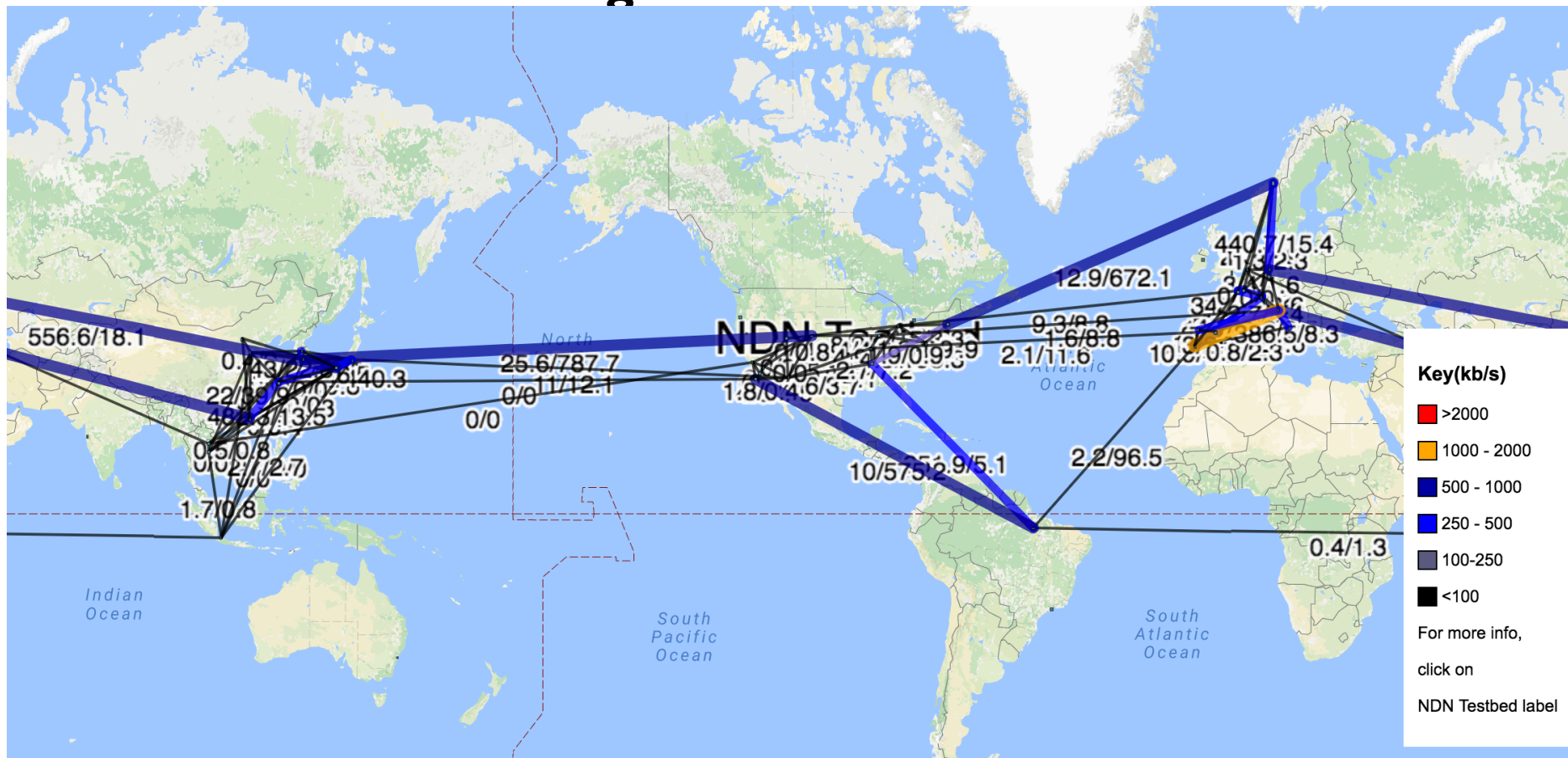


- ONL Monitoring artifacts
 - For the link rate chart we are sampling every 0.3 seconds.
 - Samples may come from different hardware and at slightly different times.
 - During that time, link 1 may be active at beginning and 2 at the end
 - Both would show up as data during that period and their lines may cross when we connect the dots of data points.

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NDN Testbed: Image transfer with Validation

- **Over a world-wide network**
 - **Monitoring via: <http://ndnmap.arl.wustl.edu/>**
- **30+ Consumers retrieving data simultaneously from 4 Producers**
 - **Uses modified ndnputchunks and ndncatchunks for file transfer**
 - **Producers not overloaded with 30 times the requests**
 - **With caching most consumer interests are satisfied by intermediate forwarders.**
- **Each Producer publishes one quadrant of an image**
- **Each Producer signs their data with their own separate key**
- **Each Consumer receives all the data but some Consumers don't have all the certificates to validate the data from all Producers.**

NDN Testbed: Image transfer with Validation

- **On my laptop I will also run 3 Consumers:**
 - **Consumer 1: Can validate quadrant 1 and 3**
 - **Consumer 2: Can validate quadrant 2 and 4**
 - **Consumer 3: Can validate quadrants 1, 2, 3 and 4**



Consumer 1



Consumer 2

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- ... after the demo we'll come back to wrap up & take questions.

Summary: What did we see today?

- Producers and Consumers in action
- Visual evidence of NDN caching
- NDN operating over intermittent links
- Consumers validating Producers' data
- Visual evidence of adaptive forwarding
- NDN on a world-wide scale
- Any questions?