

A case study:

Protecting DRs broadcasting network

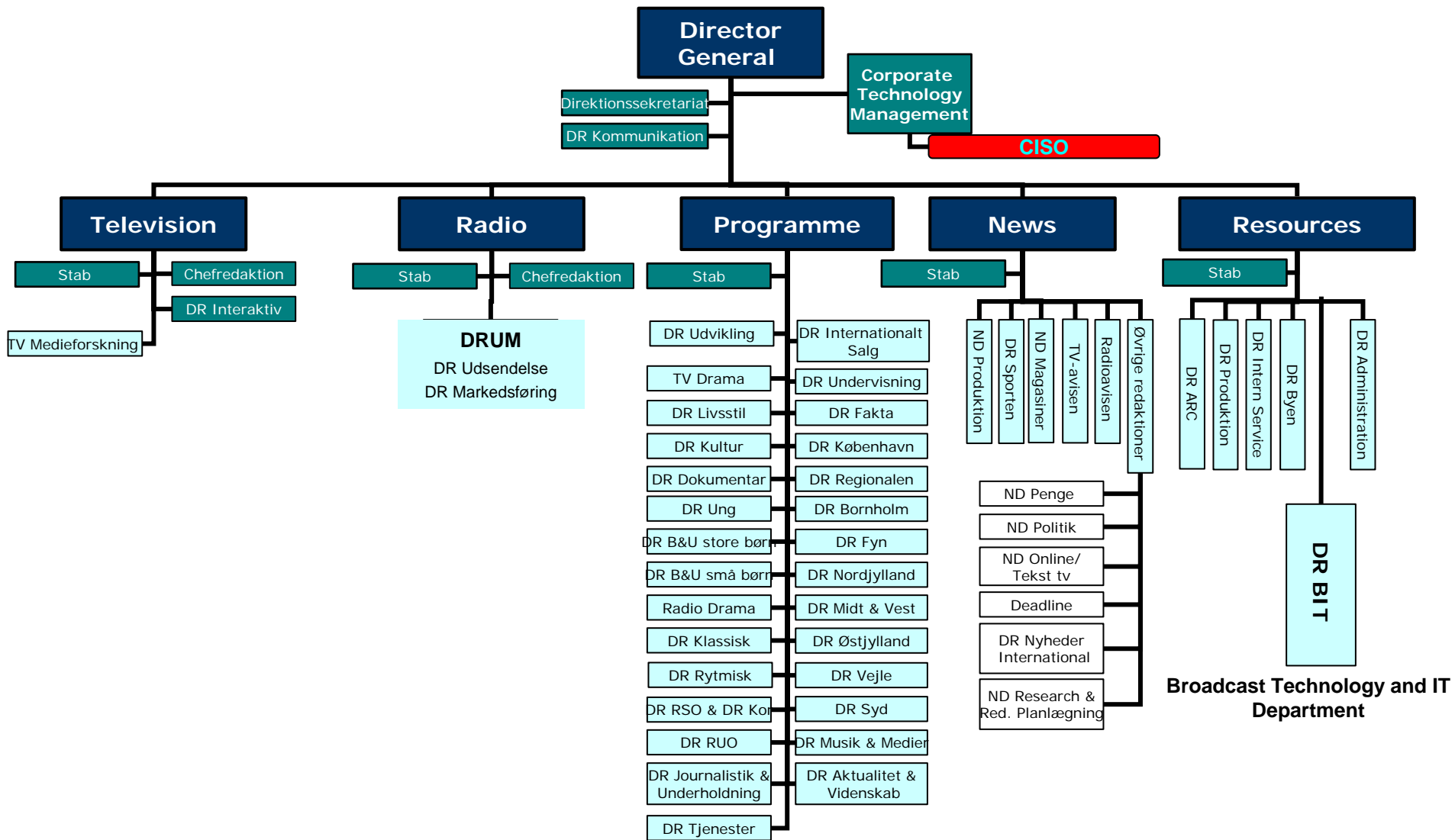
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DRs Organisation

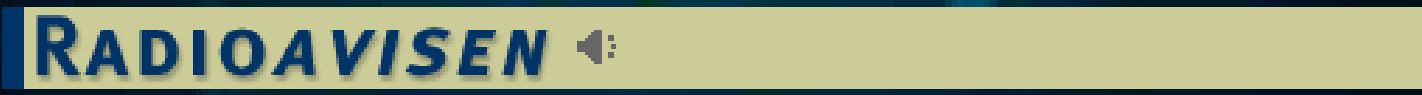


Strategies and policies

- IT Security Policy (based on BS7799)
- IT Security Policy for use of Internet and e-mail
- IT Security Handbook (191 requirements/rules)

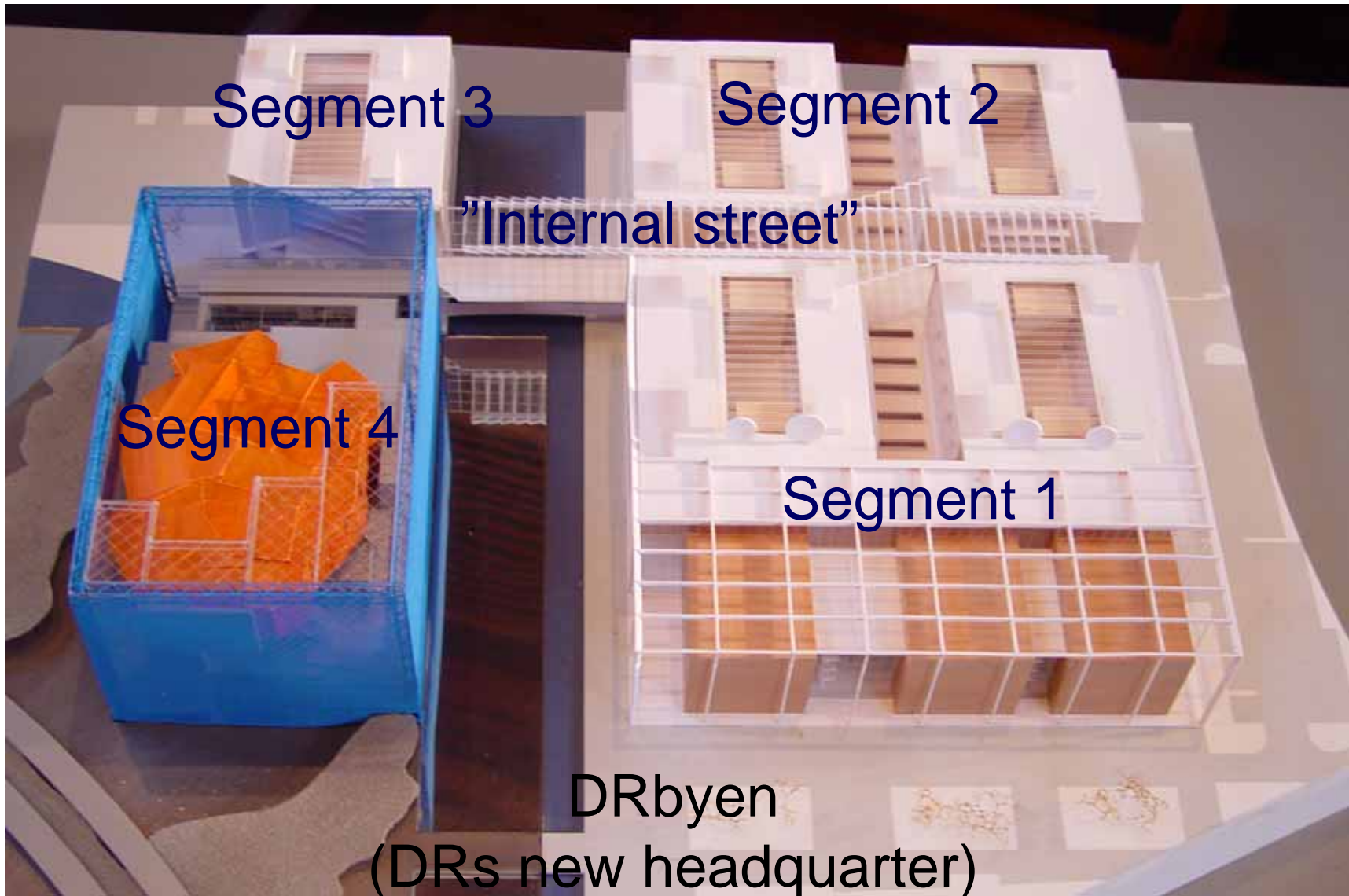
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Digitalisation



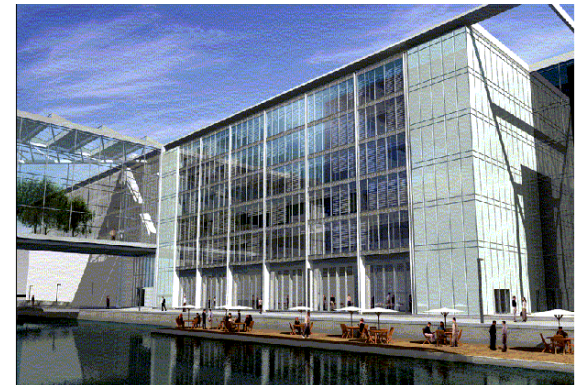
The new DRnet design

Practical experience of security design



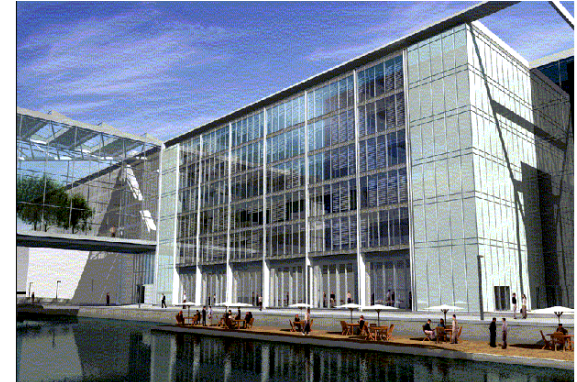
Need of communication

- IT-communication to workstations
- IT-communication to servers
- Synchronic connection of production equipment
- Steering signals to equipment
- Technical monitoring
- Wireless communication
- WAN to other DR location
- Internal broadcasting
- Telephony
- Intercom
- BMS-system (Building Management)



Main requirement

- Performance
- 10.000 user ports with gigabit on copper
- 500 server ports with gigabit on copper
- WLAN
- Stratified architecture with non blocking switch equipment
- Availability (100%)
- No single point of failure
- No service window
- Fast convergence
- Possibility to built out the capacity 4 times up
- End-to-end quality of service (QoS)
- Layer 3 segmentation
- Possibility to manage instantly (round trip delay < 10ms)
- Access security



- and requirement equipment connecting

Communication may not be based on broadcasting

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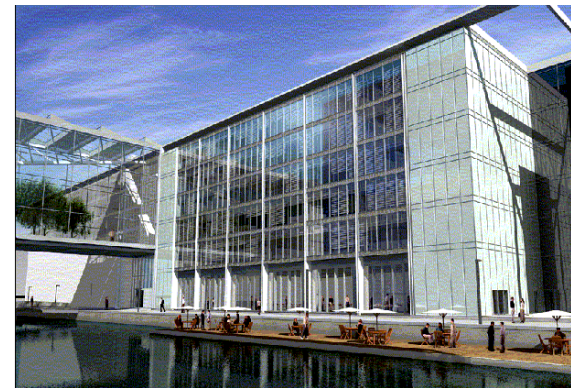
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802.1x

PoE via 802.1af

QoS/CoS via 802.1Q/802.1p

WLAN WI-FI certificated



Only ONE protocol – IP ?

- Advantage:

- Well known and wide spread.
- Easy communication between different equipment.
- Only one type of network.
- 100 % flexibility.
- Simplified maintenance.

- Disadvantage:

- Not instantly.
- Not widespread in the broadcast world.

Only ONE IP network ?

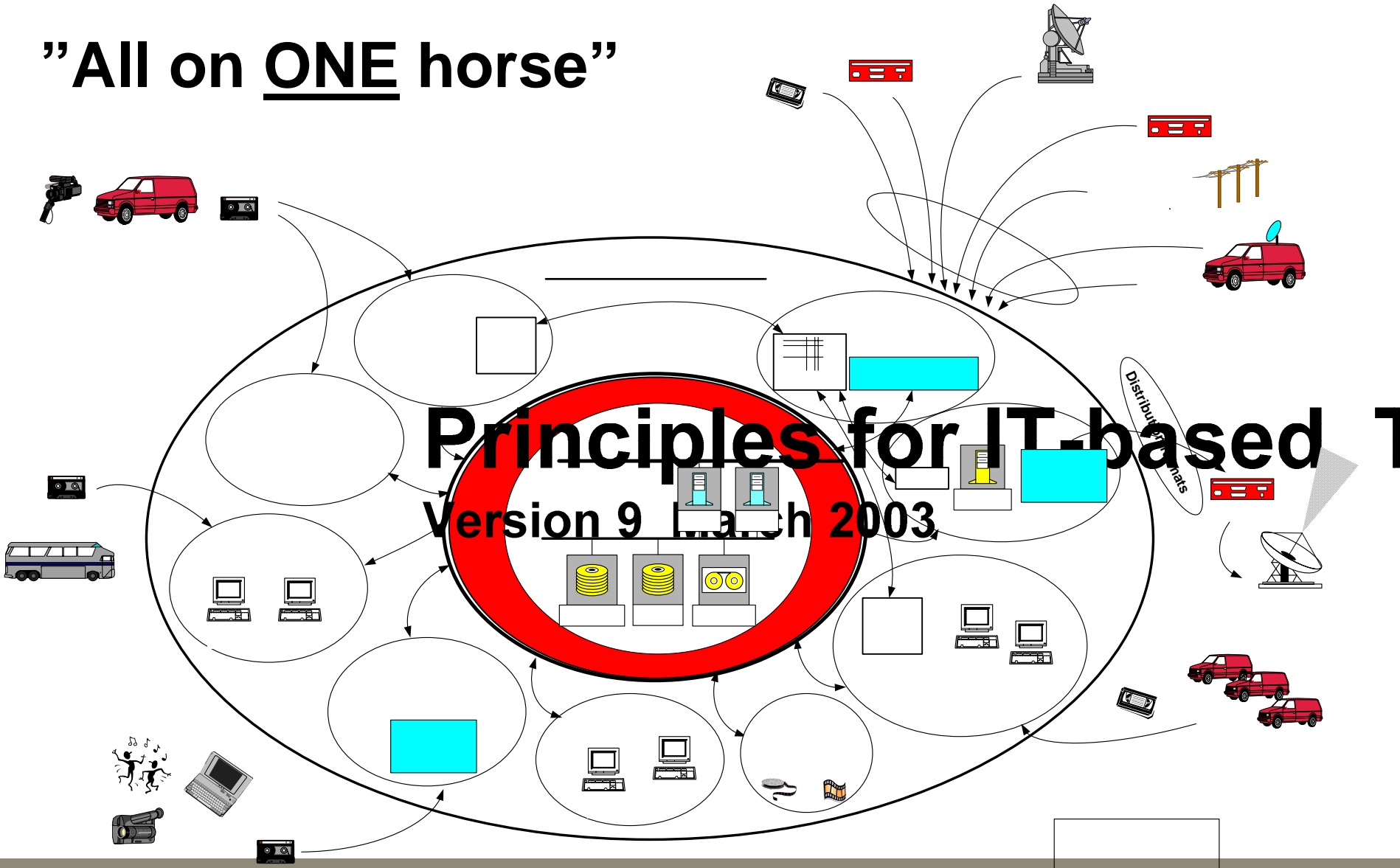
- Advantage:

- 100 % wide spread.
- Reach data everywhere.
- Only one workplace.
- 100 % flexibility.
- Not double up regarding cabling & electronic equipment.

- Disadvantage:

- 100 % wide spread – single point of failure.
- Not 100% separation.

”All on ONE horse”



Fact

IP based communication:

- Asynchrony data transmission
- IP telephony
- Connection to SAN
- Wireless communication (WLAN)

Not IP based

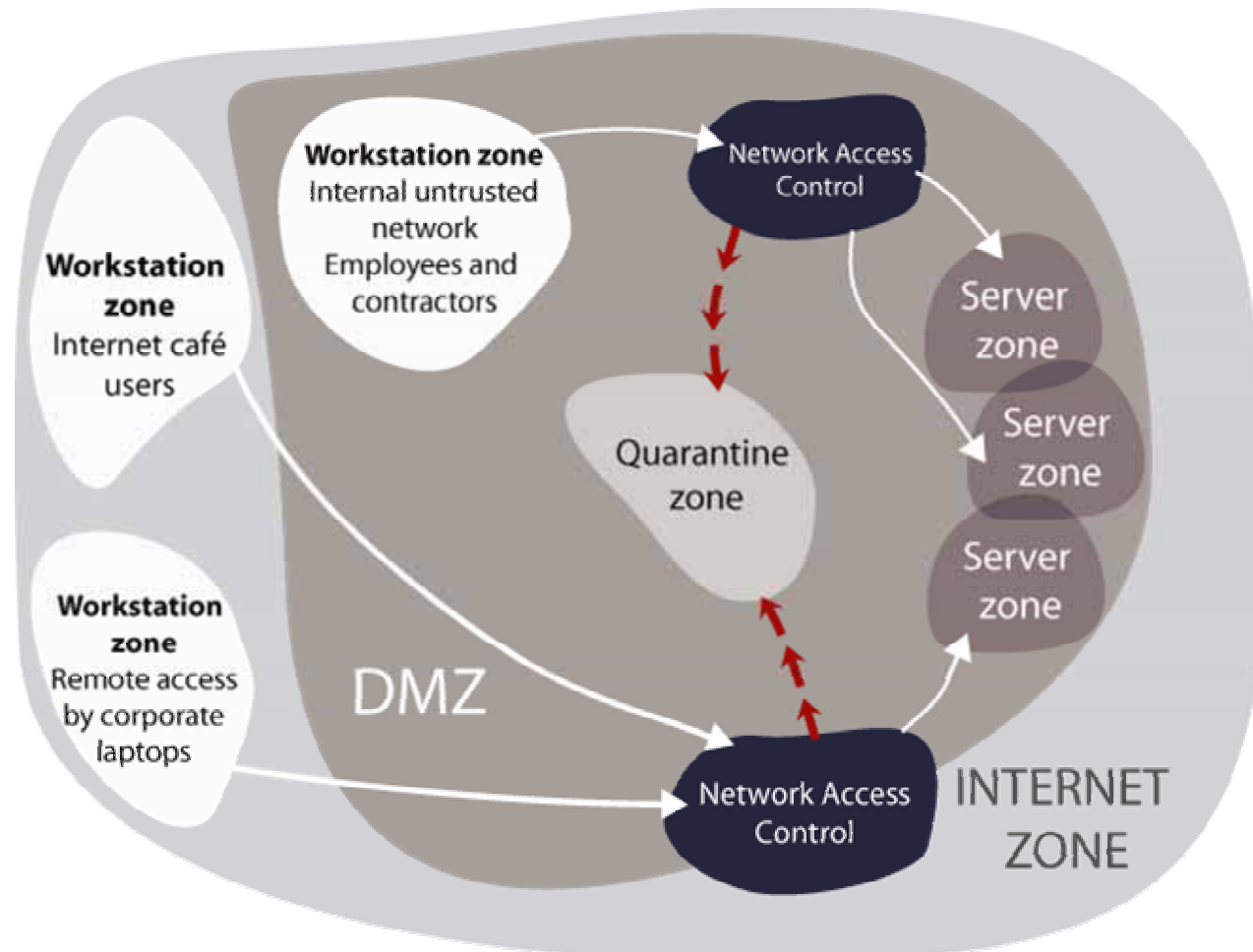
- TV-studioinfrastructure (SDI)
- Audio infrastructure (AES)
- Intercom
- Internal broadcasting

Security elements

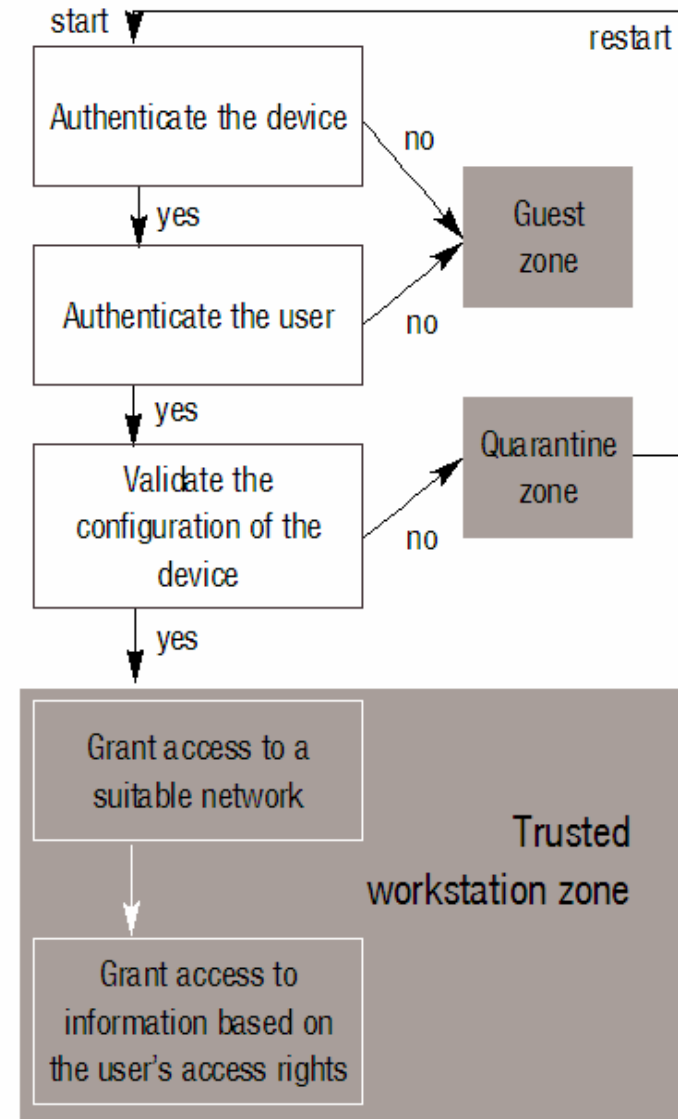
NAC/NAP

Only those devices that meet a minimum set of security criteria can attach to the DRnet.

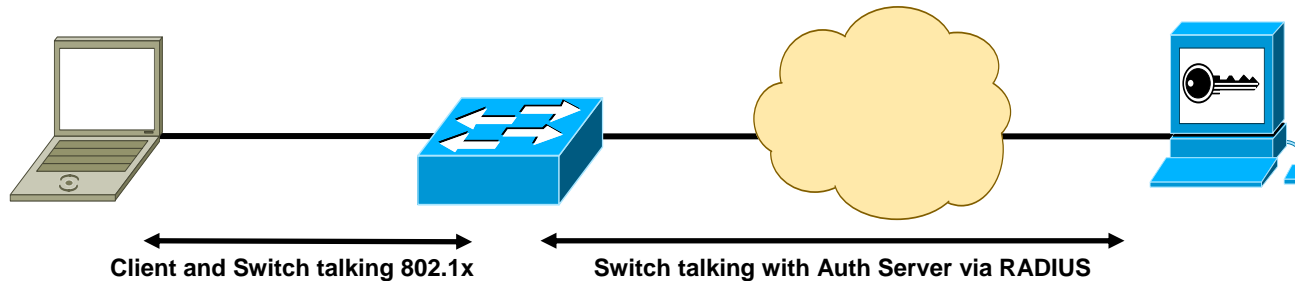
Non-compliant devices can be updated to meet the minimum set of security criteria.



Principles – access granting process



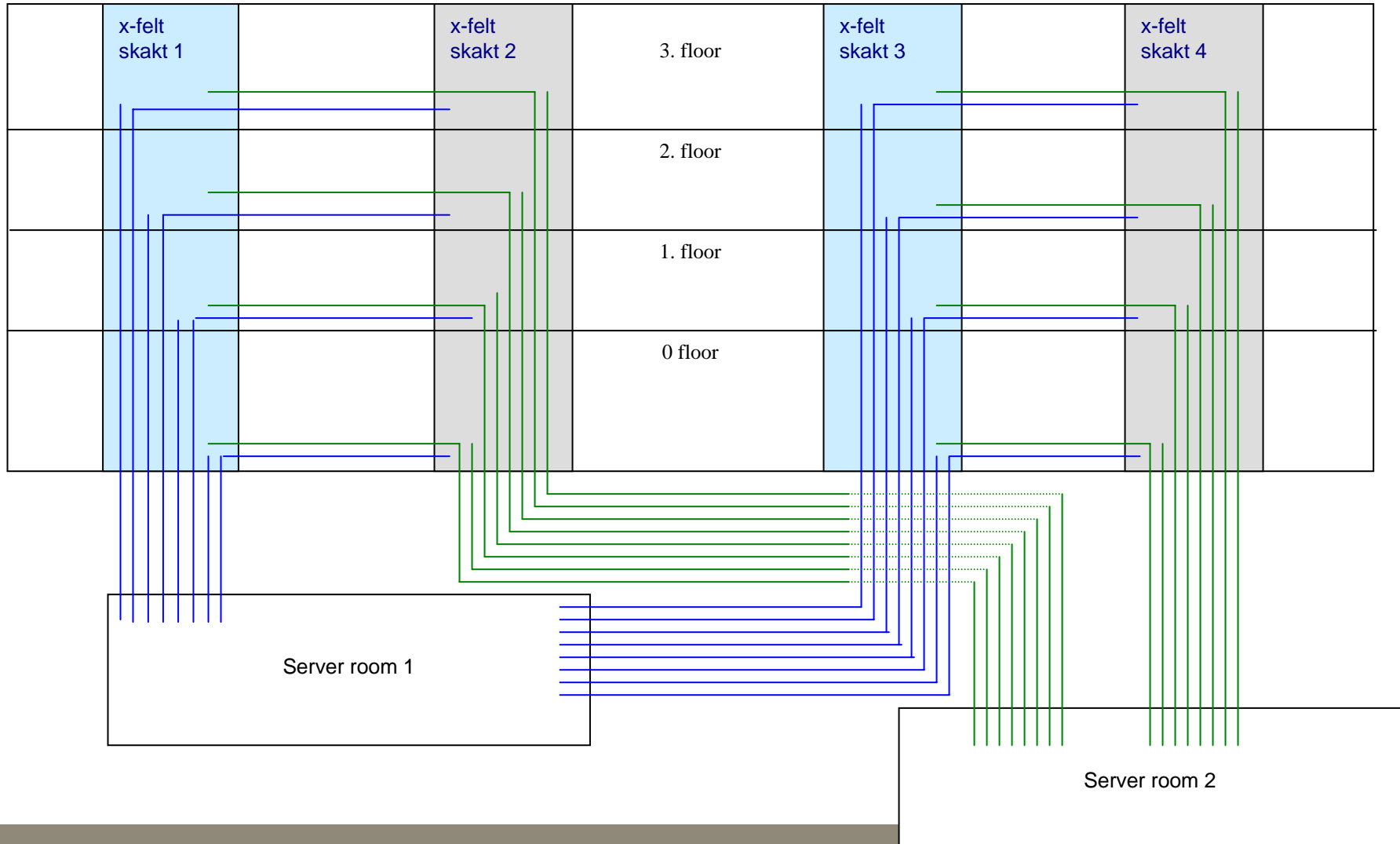
Identity based networking services (IBNS)



Design:

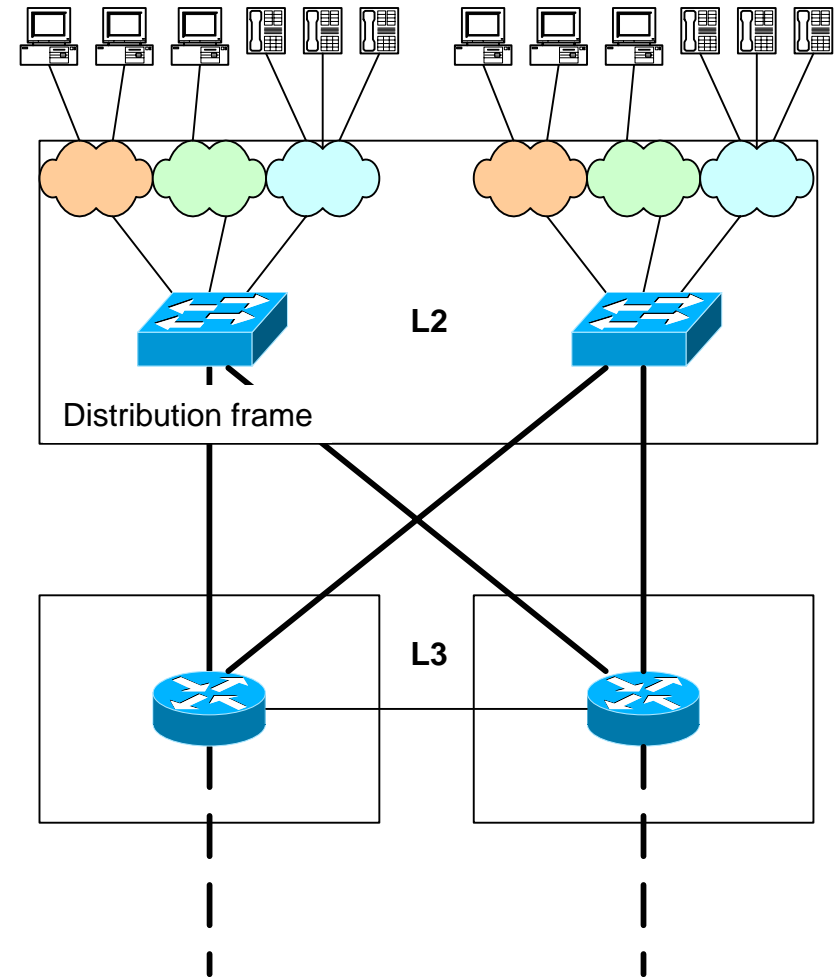
- 802.1x enables in all user Access switches, but can disables specific ports or group of ports (e.g. printers).
- 802.1x enables NOT in server access switches

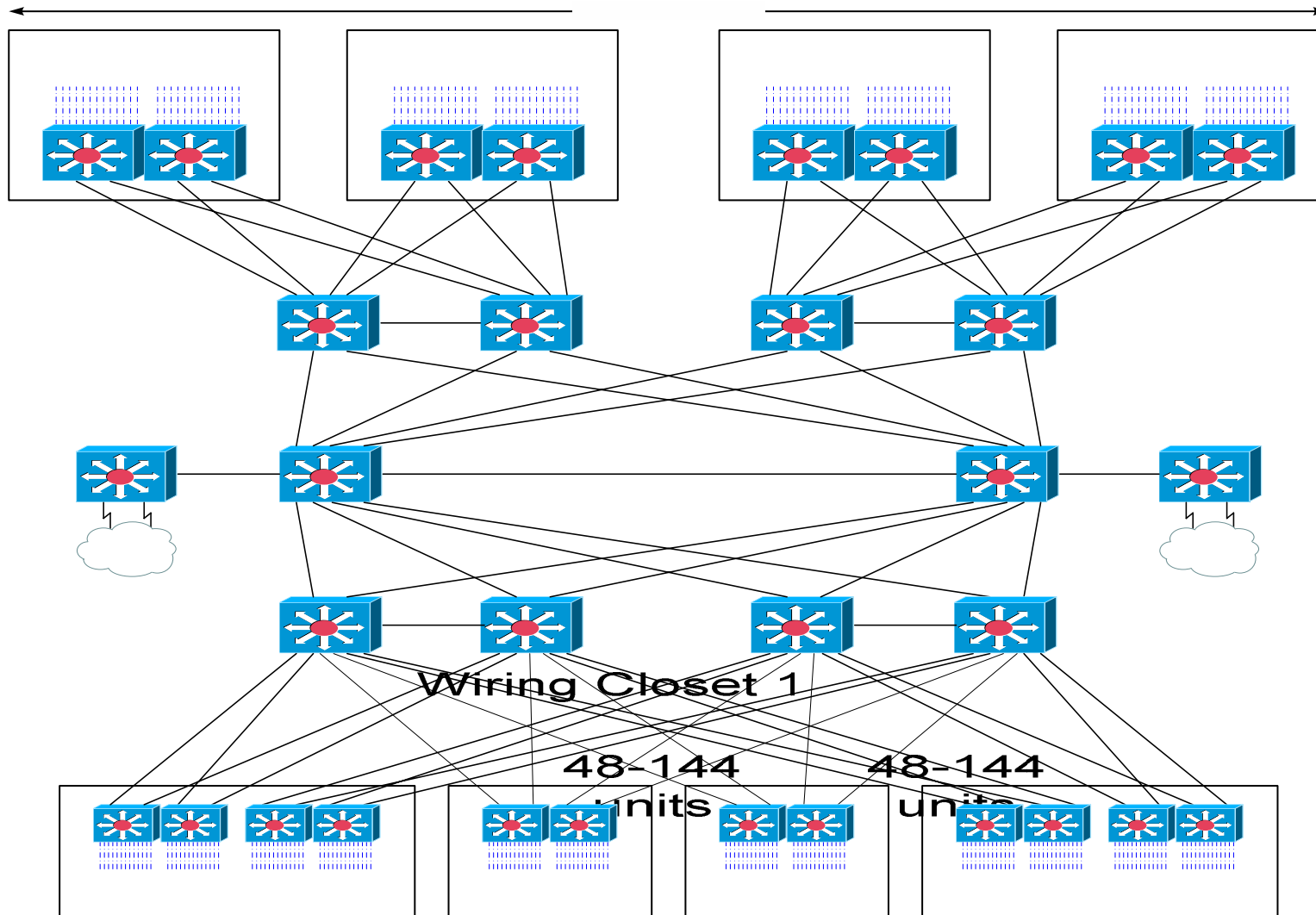
Redundant



Principle for access-layer

- Layer 3 border in distribution
- Redundant in first step
- No wide spread VLAN
- Security
 - IBNS (802.1x)
 - PortFast
 - BPDU Guard
 - RootGuard
 - EtherChannel Guard
 - Uni-Directional Link Detection
 - Loop Guard
 - Port Security
 - DHCP Snooping (planned)
 - Dynamic Arp Inspection (planned)
 - IP Source Guard (planned)





Wiring

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Traffic class	DSCP
Internet network	48
Real-time (voice)	46
Interactive video	34
Streaming	32
Mission critical data	25
Call signalling	24
Transactional data	18
Management	16
Bulk data	10
Scavenger	8
Best effort	0

QoS/Cos

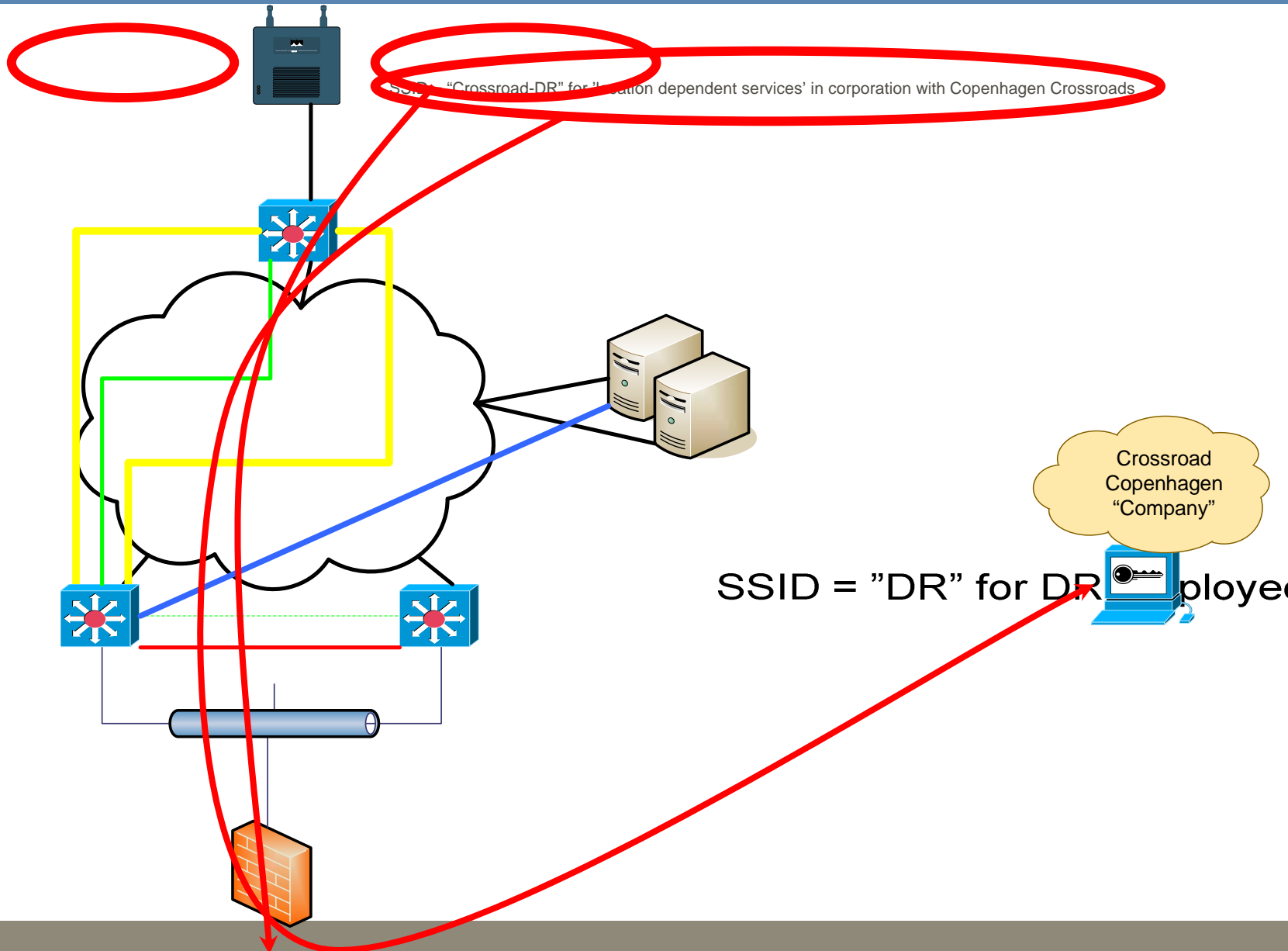
(examples)



DSCP = Differentiated Services Code Point

WLAN

- **Cisco AP1200**
- **100 % all over the headquarter (700+ AP)**
- **No telephone**
- **EAP-TLS/Radius to authentication against WIN AD**
- **WLSM steering the traffic**
- **WLSE steering AP – upgrade, configuration, rouge AP**



Question & answers

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