Satellite Networks Pose New Benefits for OTT Service Distribution

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- IntelsatOne infrastructure provides end-to-end control, flexibility and customer outsourcing

•Over 5,000 channels, with nearly 700 in HD

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Revenue Potential for OTT Services

Chart 02: Do you see offering OTT services as a viable revenue opportunity today? (all survey respondents)



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Most Significant Technical Challenges

Chart 06: What are the most significant technical challenges for your business in offering OTT services today?



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Most Important Performance Factors

Chart 07: What performance-based metrics drive your OTT business decisions?



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Importance of Live/Linear Programming

Chart 14: How important is live event content (e.g., sporting events, awards shows) acquisition to your business plan?



Chart 15: How important is live-linear content (e.g., broadcast TV channels, local "must carry" stations) acquisition to your business plan?





Monetization Strategies



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Background

- Over-the-Top (OTT) service distribution a direct to consumer service deliverable by CDNs
- Commercial CDNs predominantly rely on the Internet, a "network of networks" for worldwide distribution
- The current is infrastructure has enabled multiscreen services as a viable business, although largely as on-demand services
- Multiscreen live/linear events such as the Olympics and FIFA World Cup show great potential for mass audiences that could be served by advertising
- As OTT services continue to scale, including with live/linear services, current infrastructure has limits for sustainable QoS key factor for advertising models



The Challenges of Live/Linear Services

- An advertising-based live/linear model requires a quality of service that is *consistently* high to maintain viewer's engagement throughout the programming and the advertising
- As audience sizes vary greatly, current CDN cost models that are variable cannot support advertisingbased business models
- Peering costs and bandwidth manageability key components to successful OTT services delivery today

The location of a content delivery network's "edge" can play a significant role in controlling costs and insuring QoS



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As Premium Programming Proliferates

- The primary goal is to support mass audiences for success of live/linear advertising-based models
- The category of live/linear services would include establishment of 24x7 programming and using premium (primetime) programming
- Consider the following (US statistics for top 10 networks / programmers):
 - The average TV household minute for one channel, is between 500k and 1.5M viewers
 - Assuming 10% penetration of OTT services would be between 50k and 150k viewers to second screens
 - Multiple providers with multiple channels each
 - Potential for this programming to have successful programming overlapping, such as during primetime

The ingress into the last mile must be managed efficiently to support successful technical and business models for premium programming



The Distributed Peering Concept





Summary

- Satellite can provide homogeneous, private network delivery to the last mile
- A satellite network using multicast for live liner services combined with a single peering layer can lead to more stabilized costs for delivery and more simply managed QoS
- A satellite-based approach may be used to ease traffic ingress into the last mile, and create a more unified scaling architecture across both the middle mile and last miles
- This approach may help stabilize quality of service for OTT services into the last mile
- This distribution model is designed to de-risk the media company business models for advertising-based, live/linear premium programming services

This model to entice media companies to bring new premium programming and increased traffic into the region

