



Development of NRENs in Latin America

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The RedCLARA Evolution and Present Status

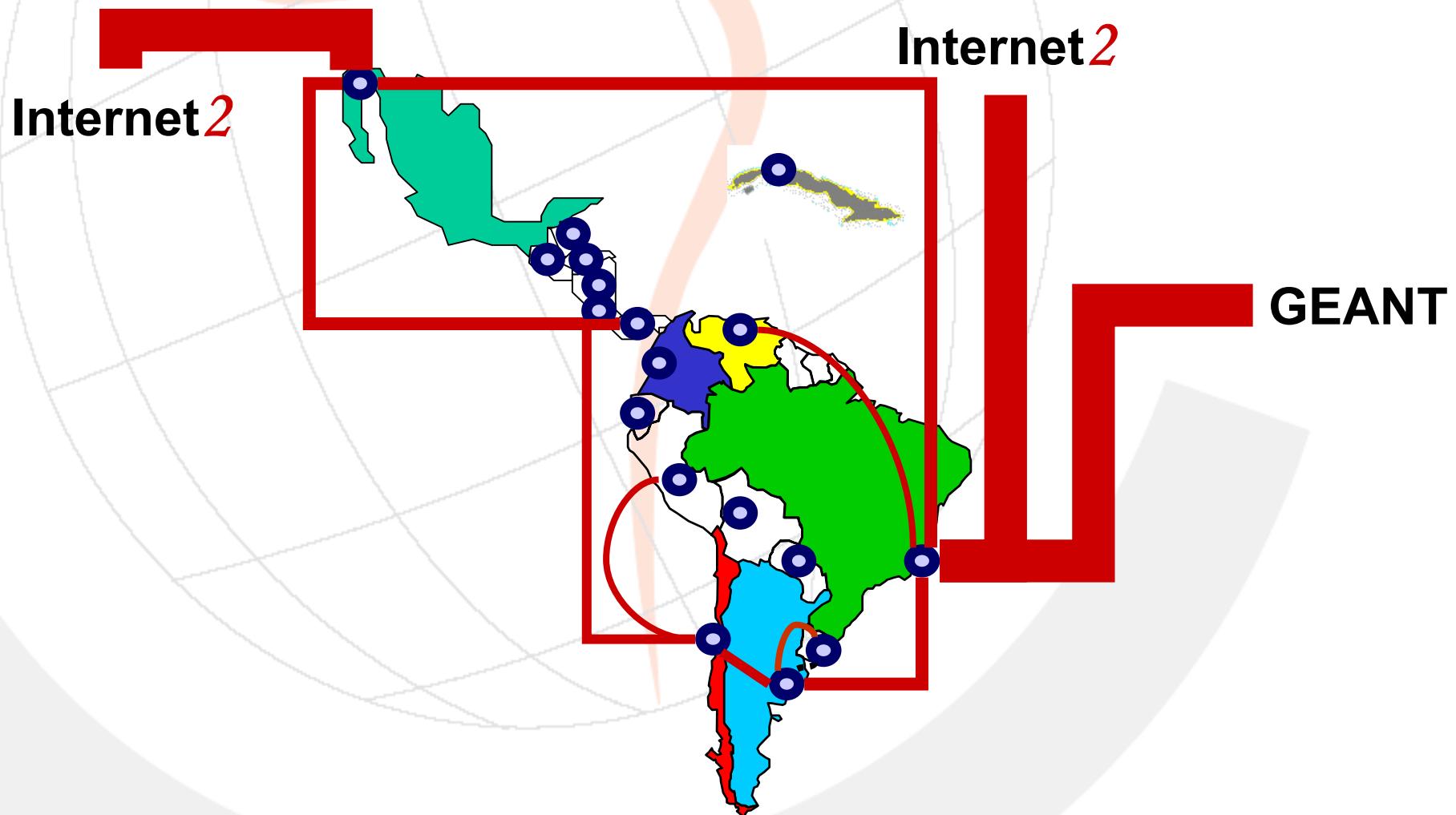


RedCLARA: The LA Network Provided by ALICE





RedCLARA is also connected to the US

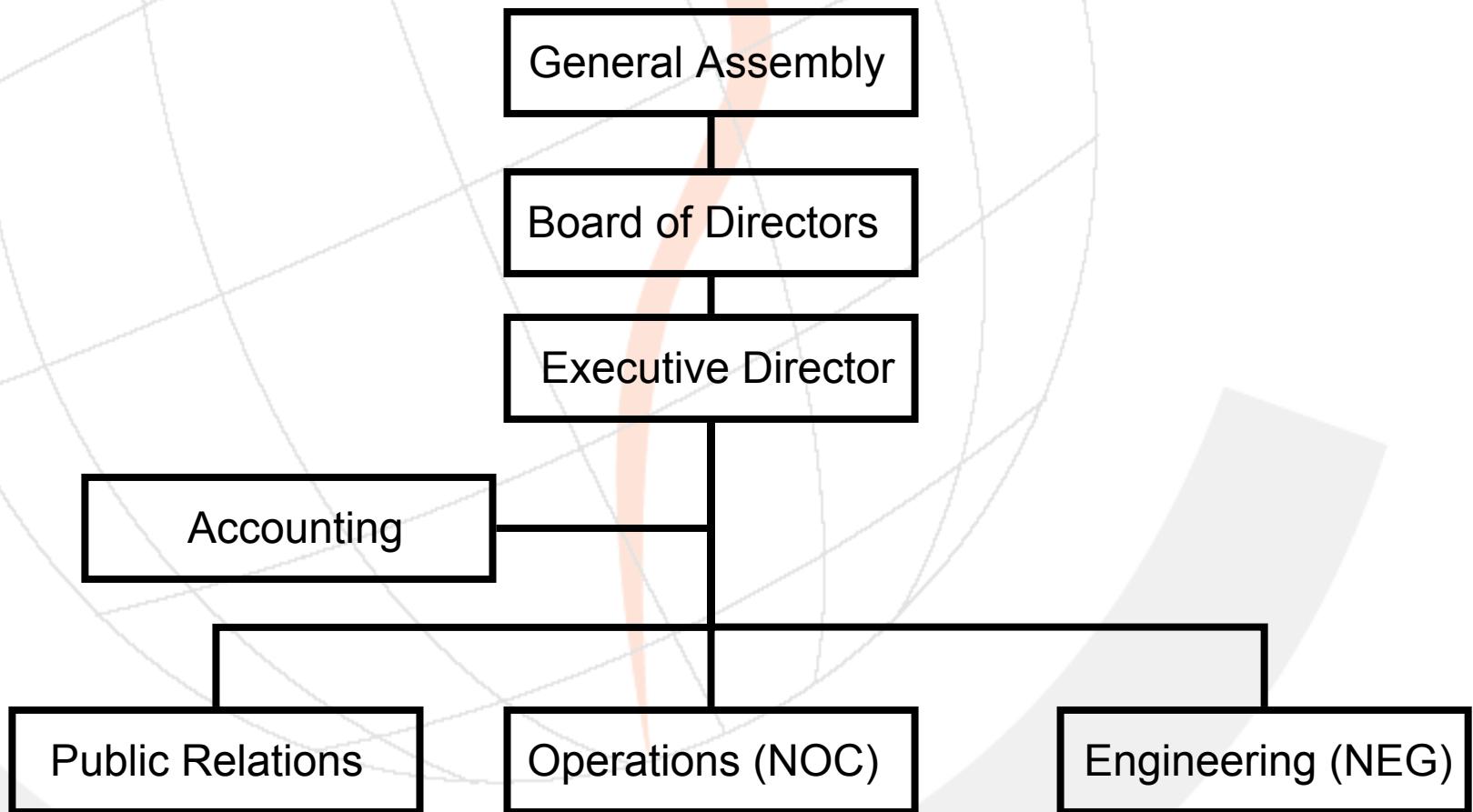




Advances in CLARA, the Organization



The Clara Organization





CLARA Administration Principles

- Small highly professionalized management team
(extremely small for the time being!)
- Subcontract specific functions as needed
 - Accounting and Legal Assistance subcontracted in Uruguay
 - Network Operation to CUDI (Mexican NREN)
 - Network Engineering to RNP (Brazilian NREN)



CLARA Members

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|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| • Argentina | RETINA | Operational |
| • Brazil | RNP | Operational |
| • Bolivia | BOLNET (ADSIB) | Operational |
| • Colombia | RAC | In deployment |
| • Costa Rica | CRNet | Operational |
| • Cuba | RedUniv | Operational |
| • Chile | REUNA | Operational |
| • Ecuador | CEDIA | Operational |
| • El Salvador | RAICES | In deployment |
| • Guatemala | RAGIE | Operational |
| • Honduras | RHUTA | In deployment |
| • Mexico | CUDI | Operational |
| • Nicaragua | RENIE | Operational |
| • Panamá | RedCyt | In deployment |
| • Paraguay | RedUNA | Organizing |
| • Perú | RAAP | Operational |
| • Uruguay | RAU | Operational |
| • Venezuela | REACCIUN | Operational |



**NREN's Created during
2004-2005 Period**

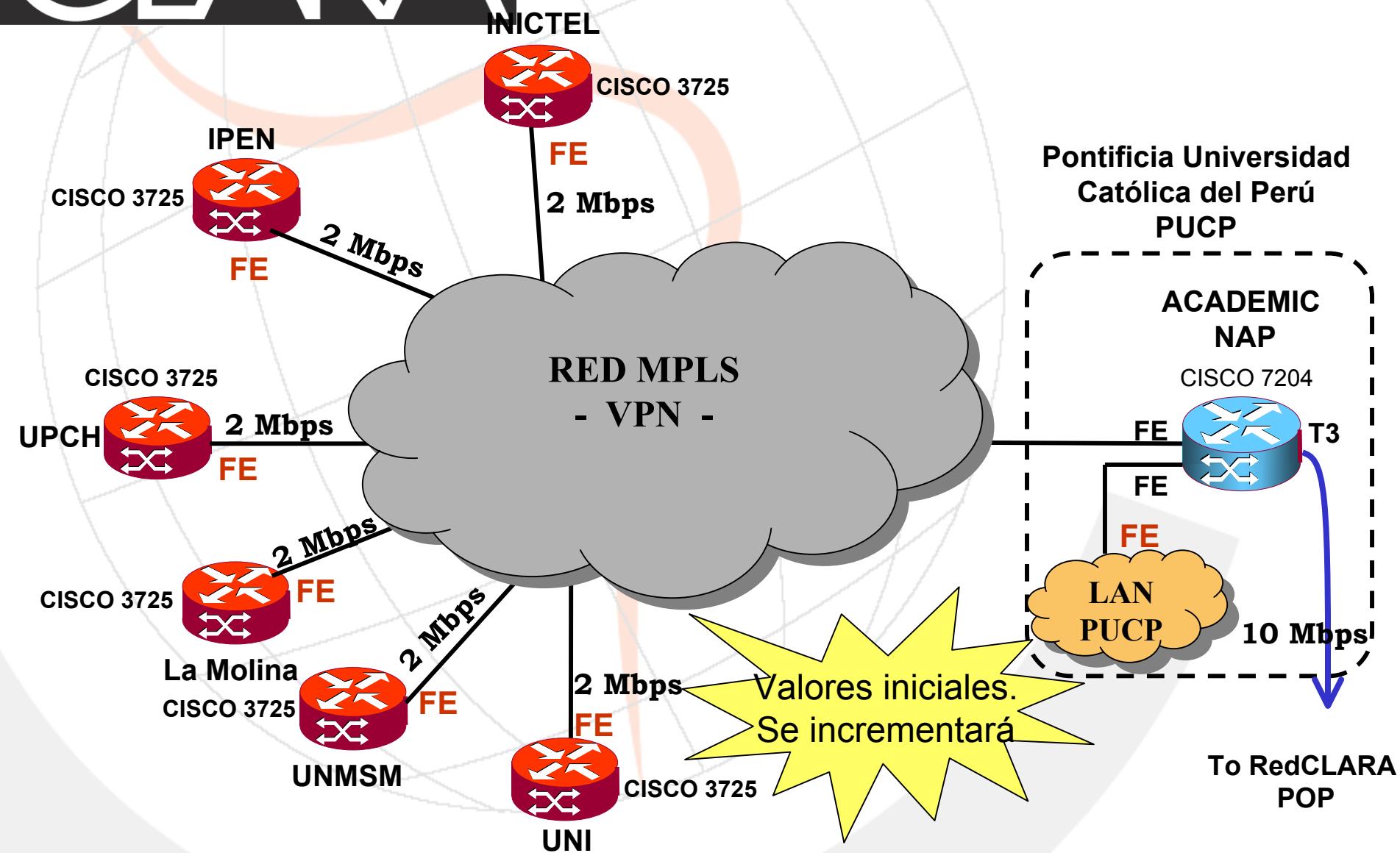


CEDIA: Ecuador Academic Network

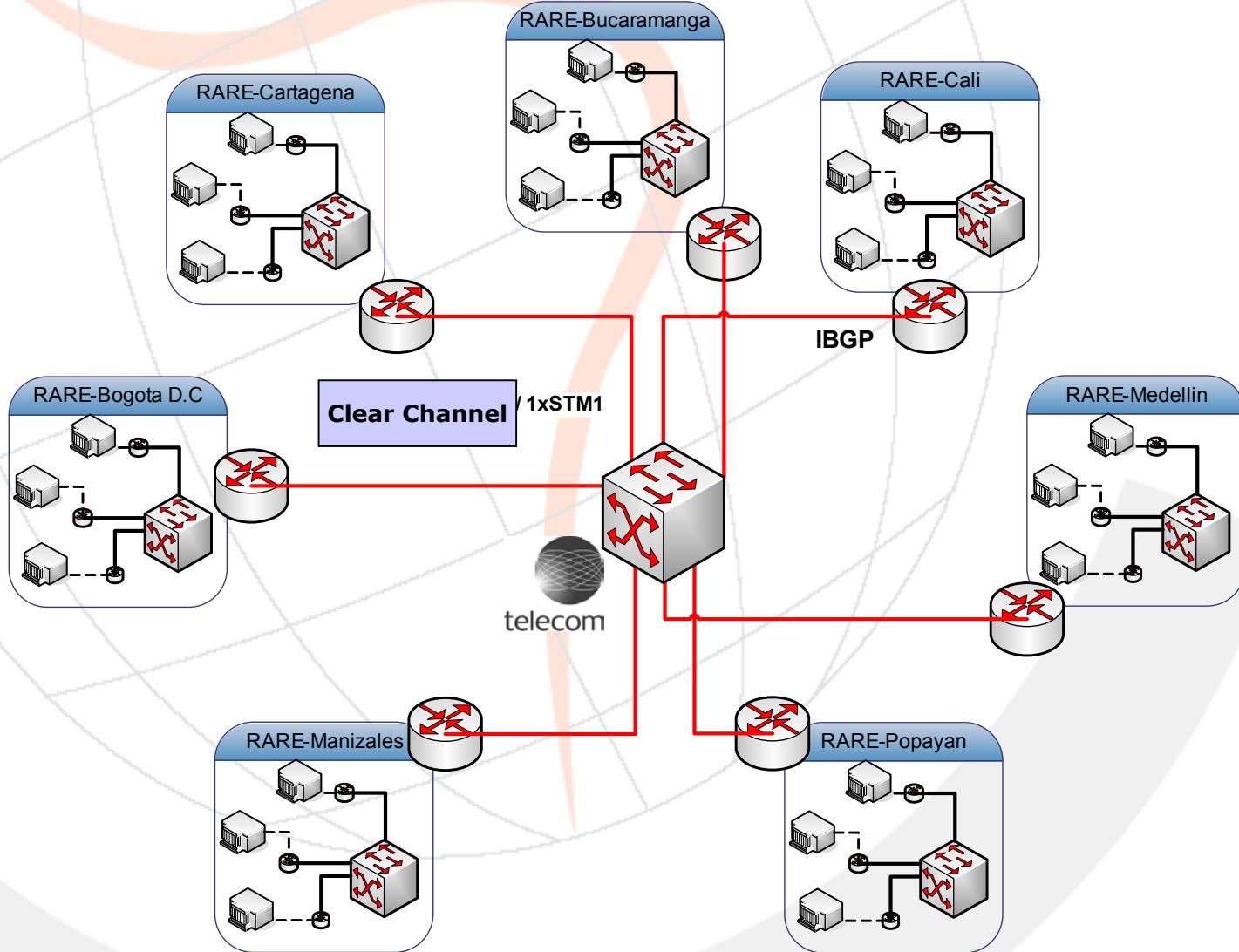




RAAP: Peruvian Network

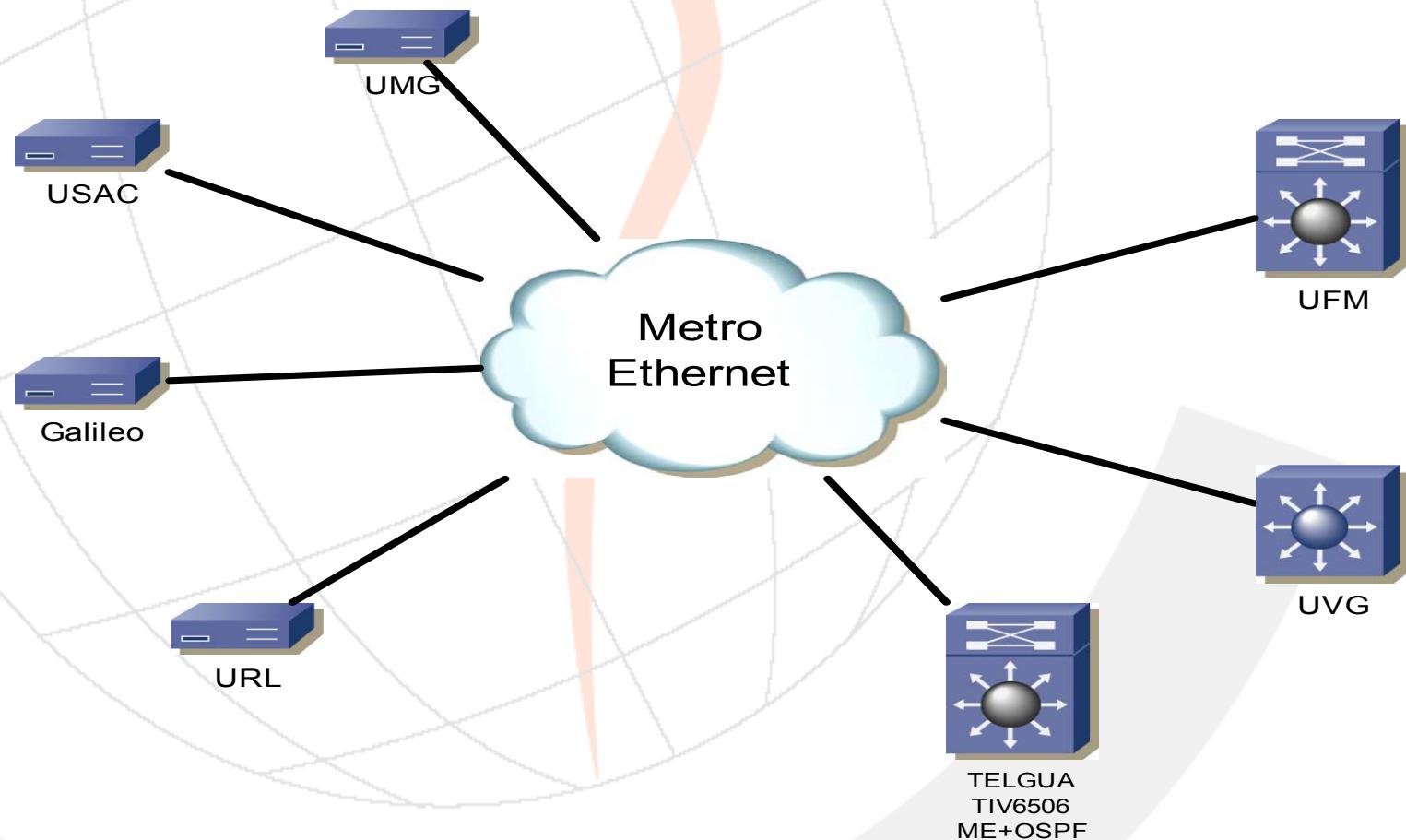


RAC: Colombia's Network



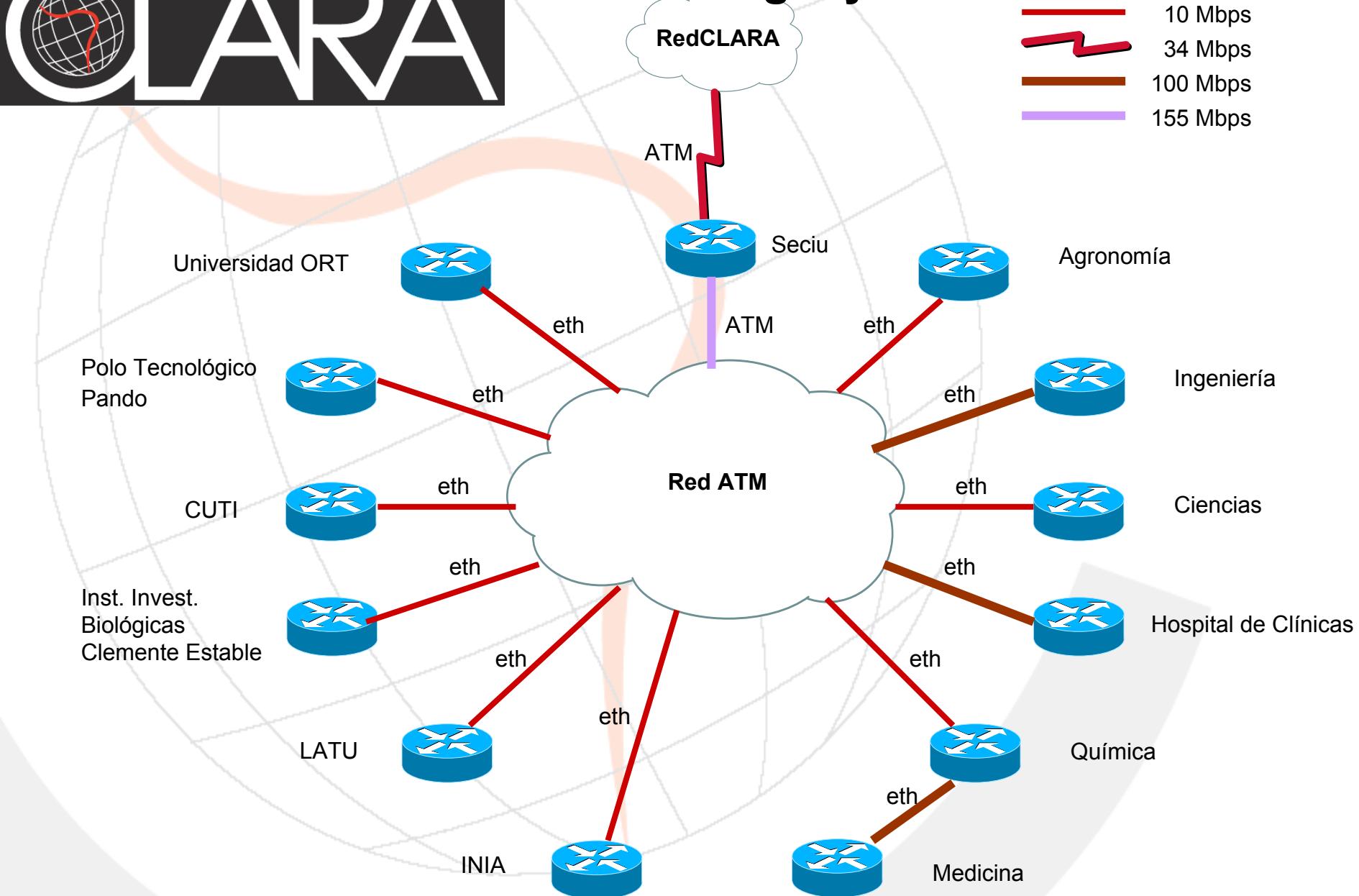


RAGIE: Guatemala's Network



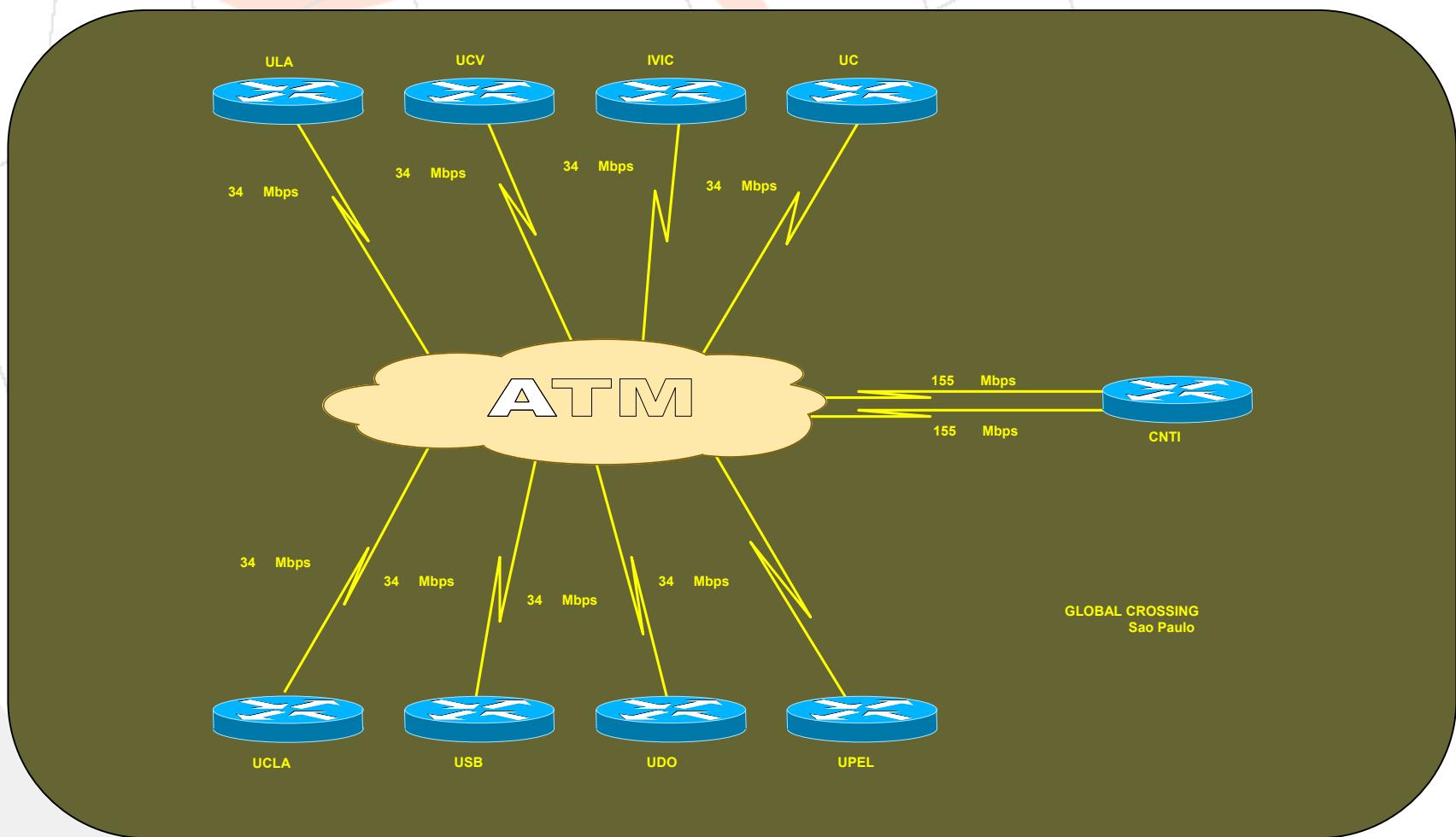


RAU2: Uruguay's Advanced Network



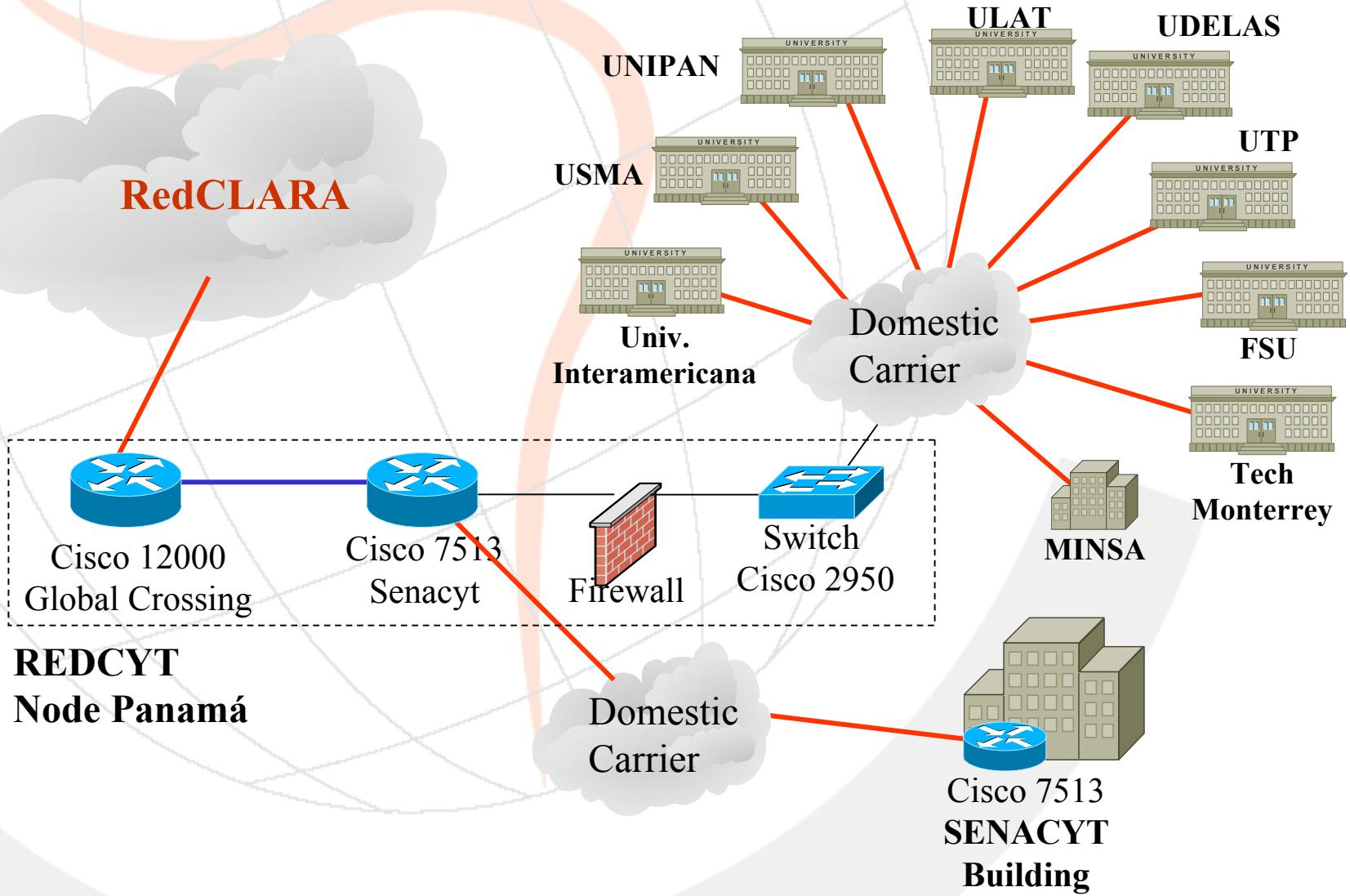


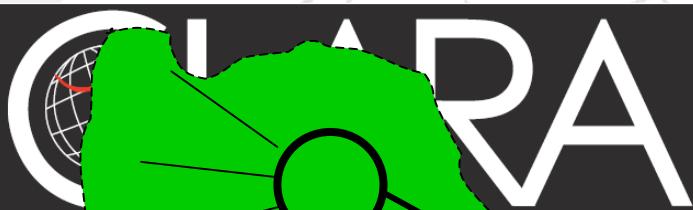
REACCIUN2: Venezuela's Advanced Network



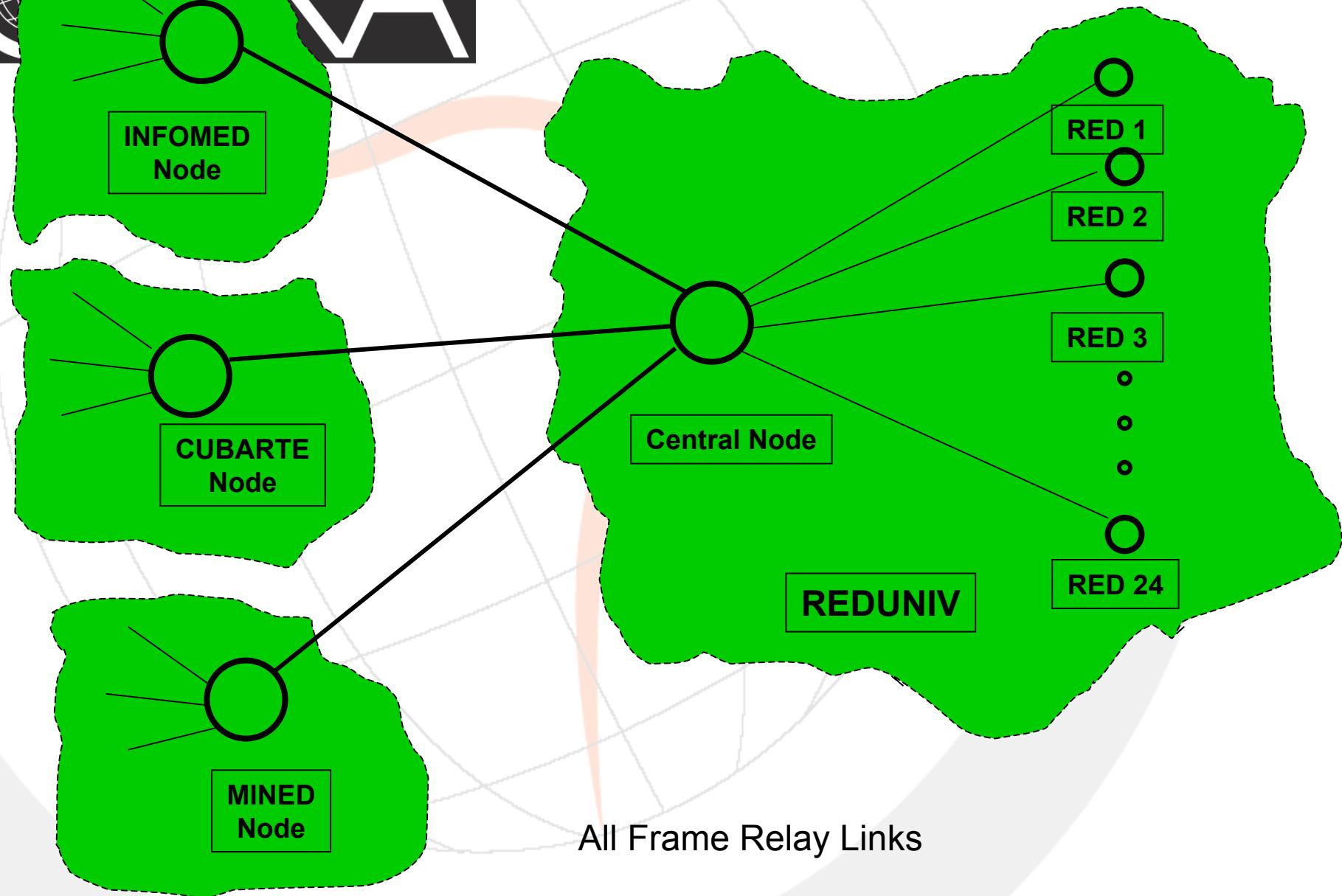


REDCYT: Panama's Network



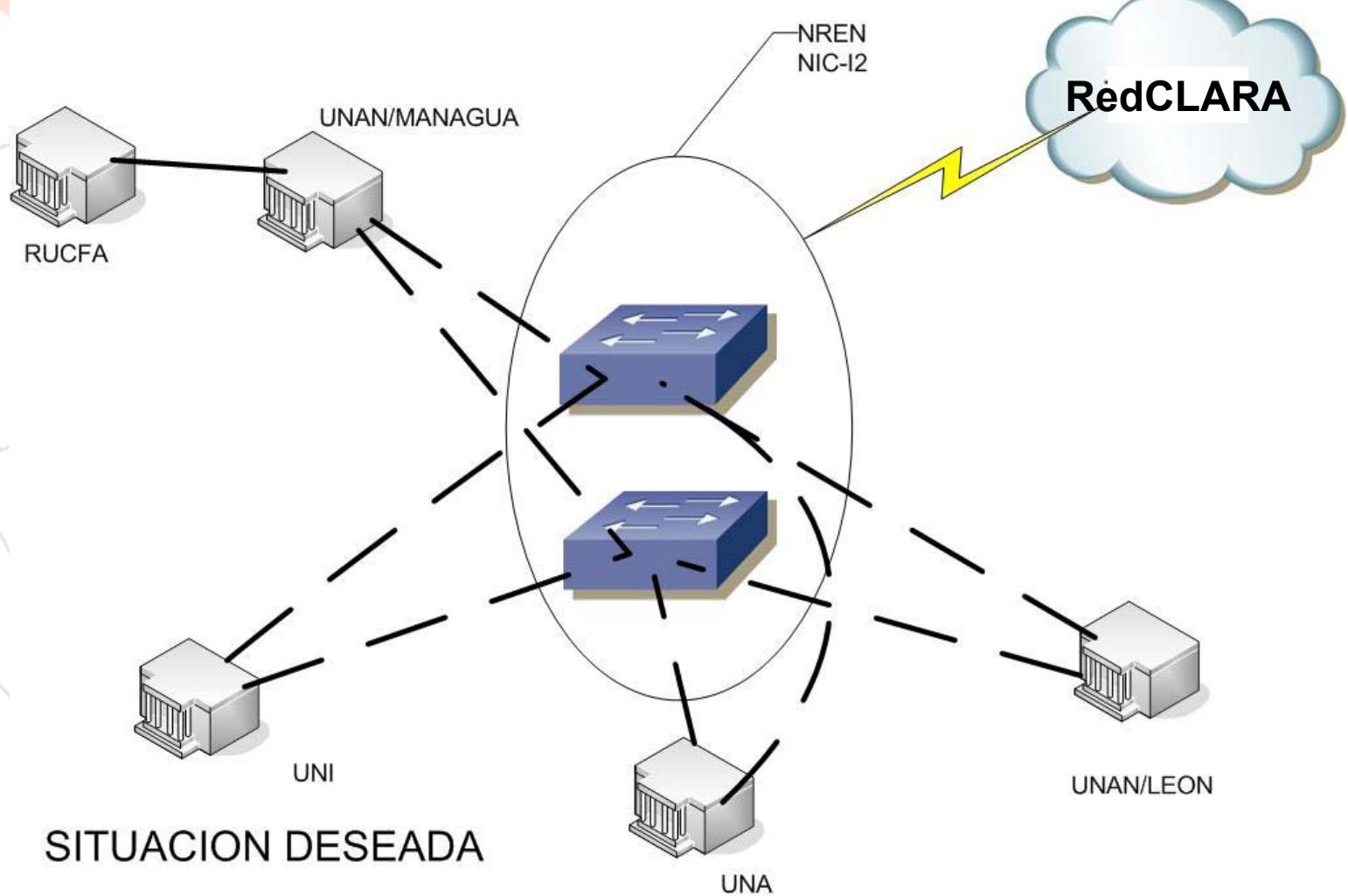


RedUNIV: Cuba's Network



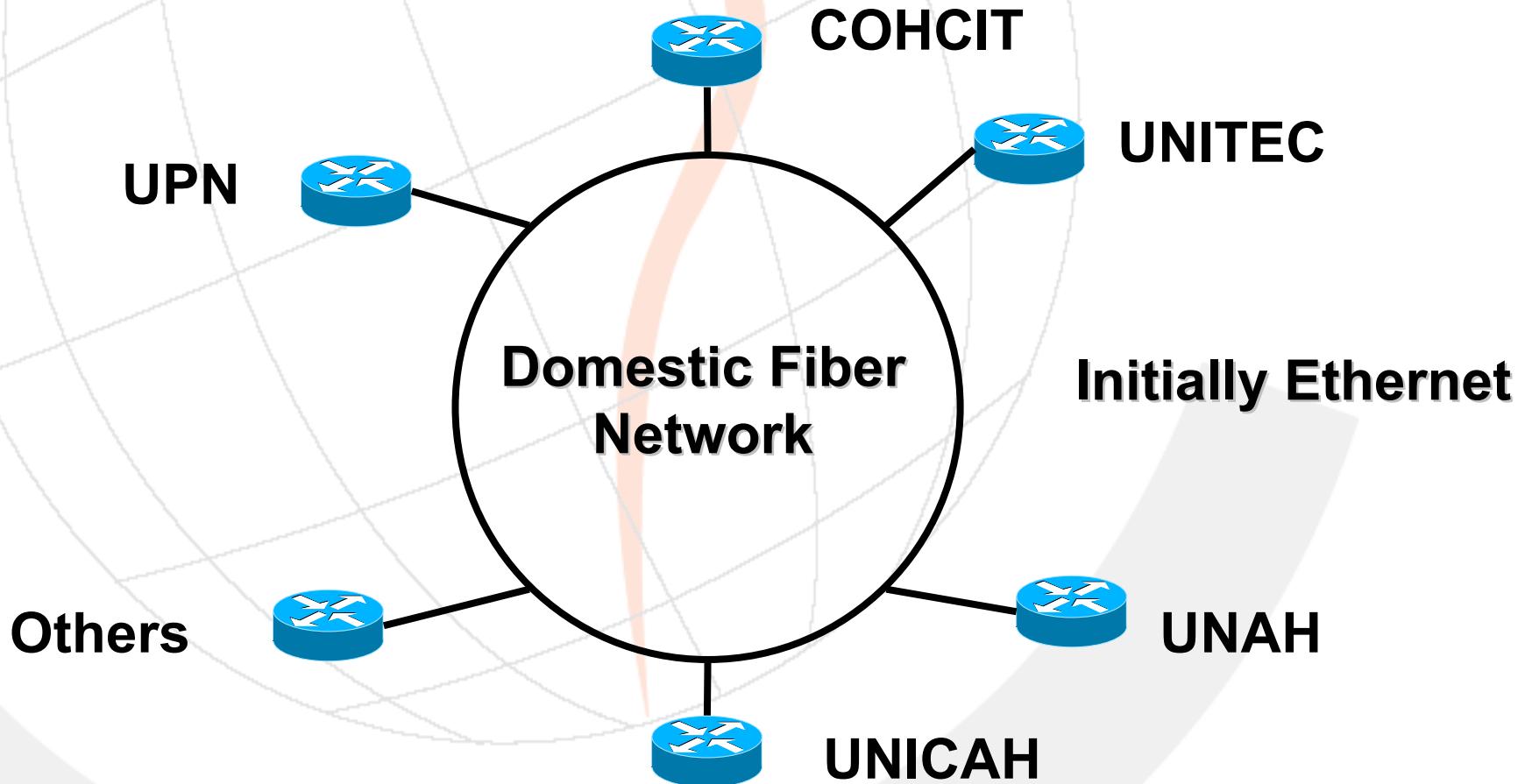


RENIE: Nicaragua's Network





RHUTA: Honduras's New NREN





Final Remarks

- NREN's are being created and deployed all over Latin America
- Domestic Operators are highly involved
- Huge differences between countries, both in technical and funding resources
- But all are getting organized, connected inside their countries and connected to RedCLARA



**“The ALICE dream is
creating a future in LA”**

Free version of Victor Hugo's words