

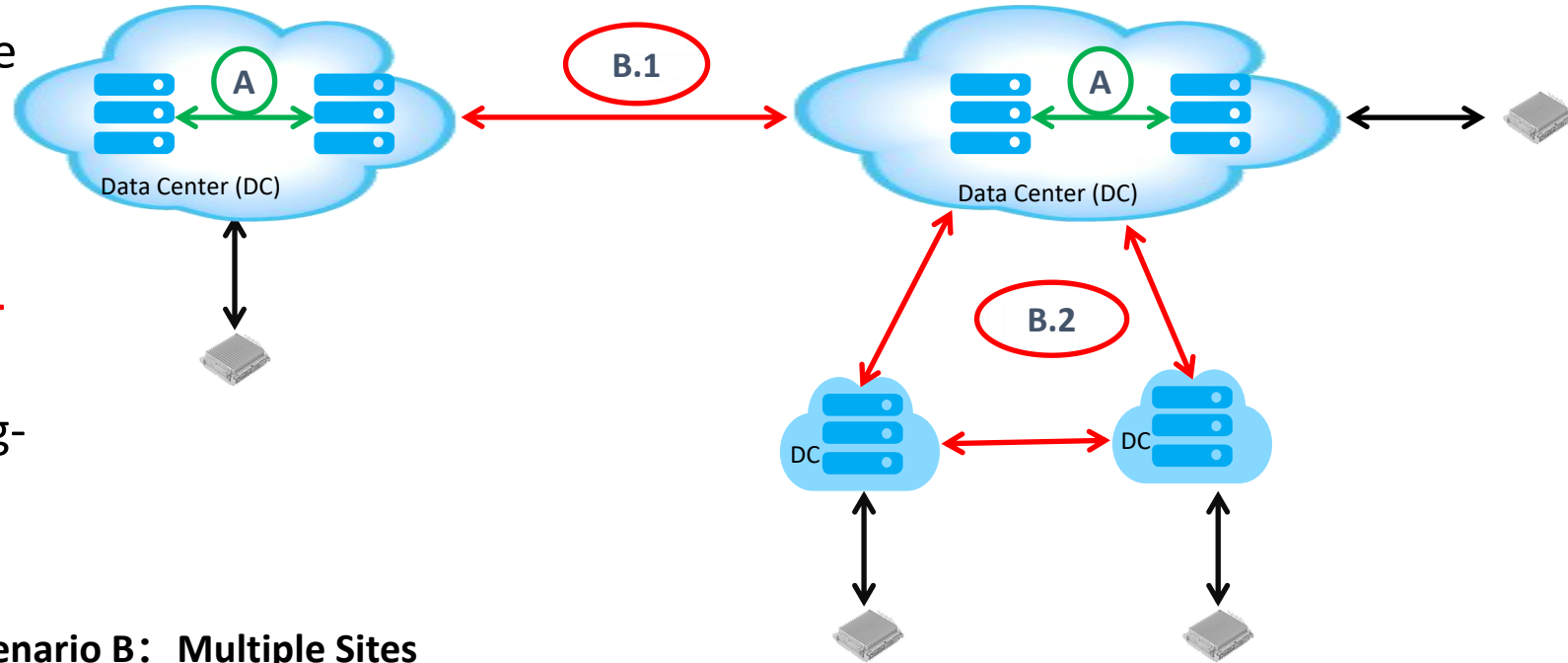
# High-performance WAN

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# Use Cases and Motivation

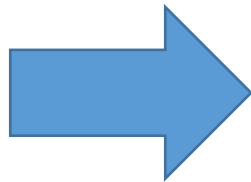
- Aims to discuss the scenarios and use cases that certain services require **effective high-throughput massive data transmission in WANs** which called **High-performance WANs (HP-WAN)**.
- Problems may be considered for long-distance connection and massive elephant flows data transmission.



## Scenario A: Single Site (e.g. <10km)

- HPC
- AI Training

High-performance  
DC Networks  
e.g. AIDC/CCO



## Scenario B: Multiple Sites

- **B.1 Long-distance Transmission between two Sites (e.g. >1000km):**
  - HPC for Scientific Research
  - Distributed Storage
  - Data Express Service
  - Multimedia Content Production
  - Data backup and Disaster Recovery
- **B.2 Multiple DCs Interconnection (e.g. >100km):**
  - Collaborative Training across Multiple DCs

High-performance  
WANs (HP-WAN)

# Objectives and Requirements

- What are the characteristics for HP-WAN?
  - Massive elephant flows data with large burst, concurrent services co-existed with dynamic flows (*e.g. 10G~400Gbit/s*)
  - Long distances, multiple hops, paths and domains between DCs or from a site to DC (*e.g. >100km, >1000km*)
- What are the objectives and goals for HP-WAN?
  - The primary goal is to achieve effective high-throughput transmission which demands higher network performance
    - *ultra-high bandwidth utilization*
    - *ultra-low packet loss ratio*
    - *low latency and jitter*
- What are the gaps for existing technologies?
  - Optic Fiber direct connection (*e.g. OTN*)
    - *limited scale and deployment and high cost, requires using IP network resources*
  - DC Technologies (*e.g. PFC*)
    - *slow feedback and high Round-Trip Time (RTT) latency and jitter, requires improving flow control precision*
  - L3 Routing Technologies (*e.g. ECN/ECMP*)
    - *network is passive and unaware of the status, requires coordination with the end systems*
    - *network resources is insufficient with low utilization rate, requires improving bandwidth utilization*
    - *long-distance transmission requires ultra-low packet loss, latency and jitter guarantees*

# IETF120 Side meeting for High-performance WAN

- HP-WAN Side Meeting Planning
  - Start a discussion about use cases, problems, motivations and requirements of High-Performance Wide Area Networks to achieve high-throughput transmission.
  - **Time: Tuesday 23 July-15: 30~17:30 (Vancouver)**
  - **Location: Prince of Wales/Oxford**
- Open Issues
  - *Is the HP-WAN topic and problem space people want to work on?*
  - *What could the IETF do to help with these problems?*
  - *Which IETF technology is most impacted?*
  - *What are the next steps for HP-WAN discussions?*

Thank you!