

# **Network Impact of P2P-TV Zapping**

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#### Introduction

- Strong increase of audio/video services in the Internet ▷ wide distribution by expensive CDN infrastructure
- ▷ local distribution by residential operators
- Alternative with P2P-TV applications
  - ▷ different from usual file sharing P2P : hard time constraints ▷ P2P-TV overlay depend on content and user behavior
- ► IPTV user behaviors are zapping or steady [Cha & all, IMC'08] ▷ most previous P2P-TV analysis works focus on steady state
  - our work focuses on transient state and zapping behavior

#### Experimentation

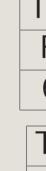
- ► 4 popular P2P-TV applications
  - ▷ SOPCast, PPStream, PPLive and UUSee
- ► 5 popular TV channels
- ▷ CCTV1, CCTV2, CCTV4, CCTV10 and CCTV13
- ► 2 different locations: Paris and Tokyo (broadband access)
- ▶ 2 measurement periods (June and September 2011)

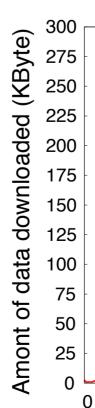
#### Measurement

- Black-box analysis
  - proprietary applications (internal mechanisms unknown)
  - ▷ capture of all the traffic of one peer
- One channel preliminary results
  - ▷ active peers (other peers with whom the measured peer exchange)
  - traffic split (upload/download, signaling/video...)
  - ▷ traffic distribution (top ten peers)
- ► Five channel capture
  - peer and traffic distribution among channels
- Anonymised traces availables at
  - > http://content.lip6.fr/traces/

### **Conclusion and further works**

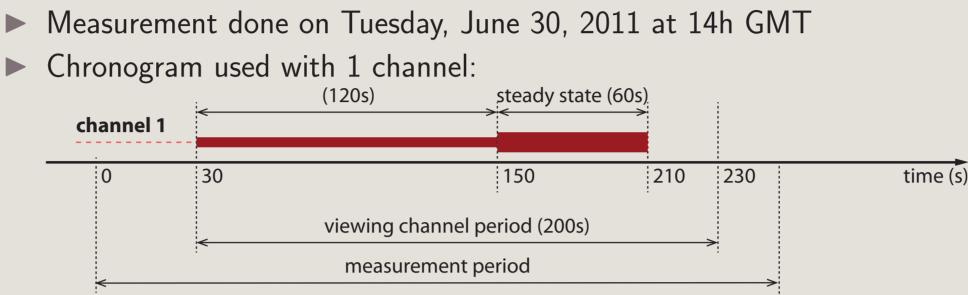
- Overload estimation in transient state: only preliminary results
- France and Japan results similar
- ► Further works
  - $\triangleright$  statistical results over the whole dataset
  - ▷ deeper application behavior analysis
  - ▷ combination with adverse network situations





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# Example with SOPCast, 1 channel (CCTV1)

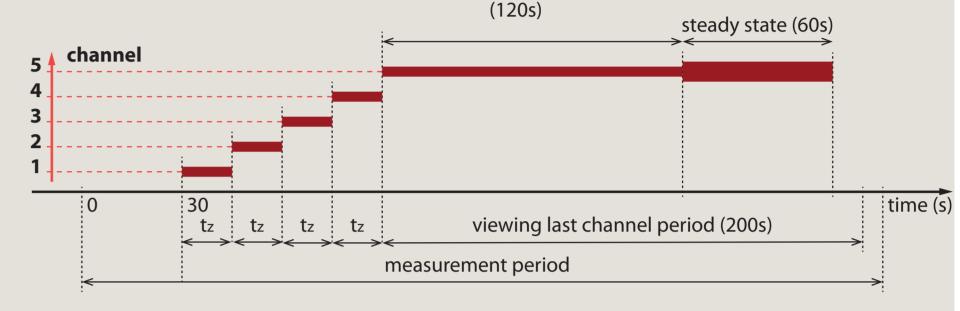


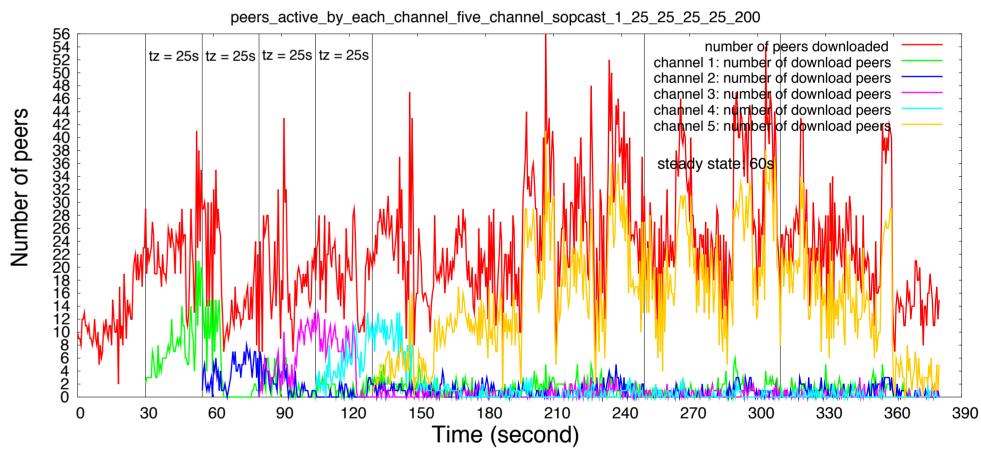
Numerical results (simple signaling/video split based on packet size):

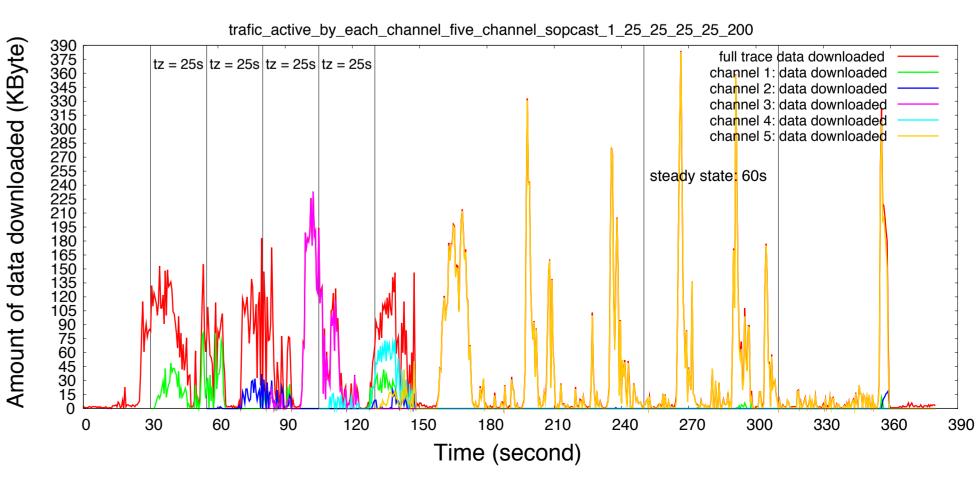
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60s	8073		60		4042		3841	
Trace	Sig.DI.(KB)	Vid	.DI.(KB)	%	Sig.Up.(KB)	Vid	.Up.(KB)	%
Full	2165	16049		12	15216	7481		49
60s	419	3623		10	2632		1209	46

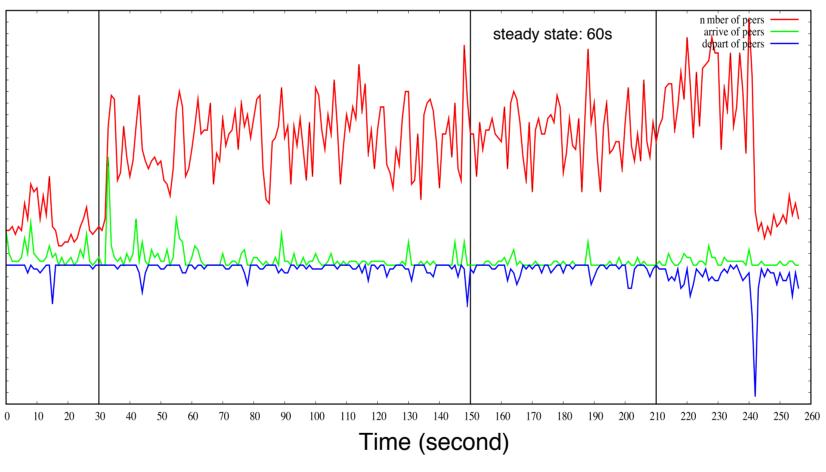
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# Example with SOPCast, 5 channels, zapping time = 25s

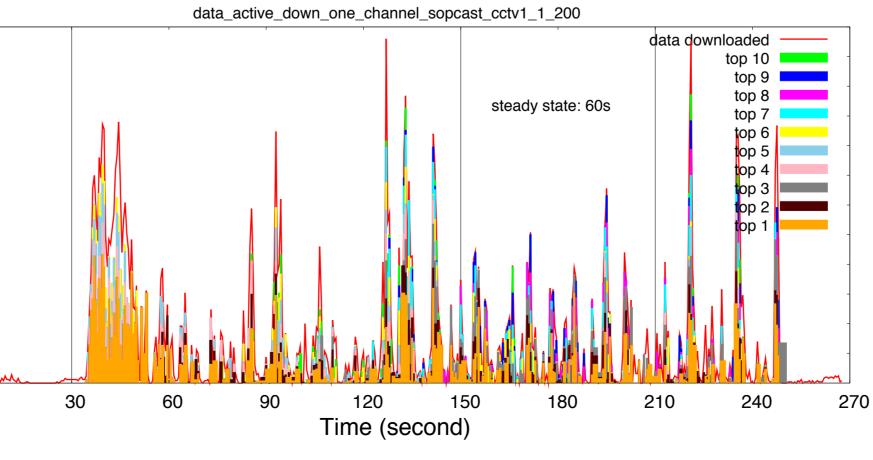






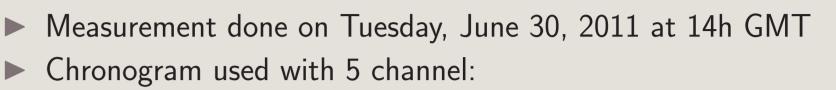












#### Peer distribution among channels:

Full	CH 1	CH 2	CH 3	CH 4	CH 5
601	74	48	50	50	228



Fig. 4. Traffic per channel with SOPCast zapping among 5 channels