

Human-Centered Grids

supported by Access Grid

Karaoke Grid

- A mode of Entertainment Grid

- ◆ A trans-global Karaoke session was held over Access Grid (AG) as part of SC Global 2003, a distributed int'l conference on the Grid.
- ◆ Special AG nodes, Karaoke Grid nodes were developed and deployed at Phoenix, a karaoke room in service and Waseda University. They formed a globe-wide virtual karaoke room.
- ◆ Over 20 singing sites from 5 countries, Australia, German, Japan, Thailand and the U.S. produced a fabulously exciting session.



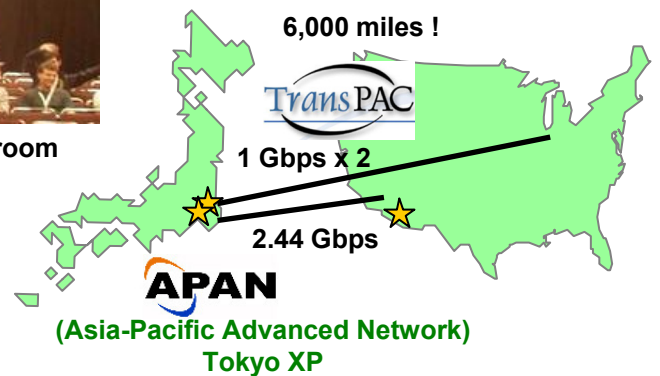
Karaoke-enabled Delivery Grid node (portable and full-featured Access Grid node)

PIG-based Karaoke Grid node (PIG: Personal Interface to the Grid)



Phoenix: SC Global room

Winston-Salem State Univ.



Cafenet - AG-compatible media tool



- ◆ AG-compatible software, but
 - with less latency, -30 msec
 - with a sophisticated and cool user interface
- ◆ Developed by Utagoe, Ltd., enhanced by AIST
 - RTP and RTCP interoperability
 - AGTk (VIC and RAT)
 - www.utagoe.com/en/cafenet.html
- ◆ See me at
 - WIRED CAFÉ SHIBUYA, CAFE246, BOOK246, ...
- ◆ Also at EXPO 2005 AICHI JAPAN
 - Dialogs between citizens of the globe



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