



A new Name Server Infrastructure for .de & more

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Motivation



Starting point

13.0 million domains and an average of some 9 billion queries a day being served, but ...

 query load grows steadily every location



and specified performance headroom is not met by

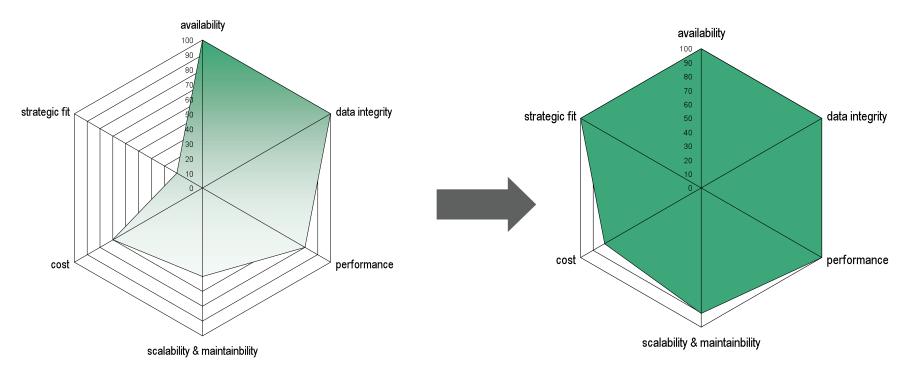
- simply adding additional hardware would lead to inappropriate heterogenity and thus to costly error-prone maintanance processes
- → in contrast, a maintanance process is desired that caters for both simple and fast adoptions, necessary because of
 - even more load / scaling needs
 - additional zones to be served
 - defective hardware





Design critera by priority

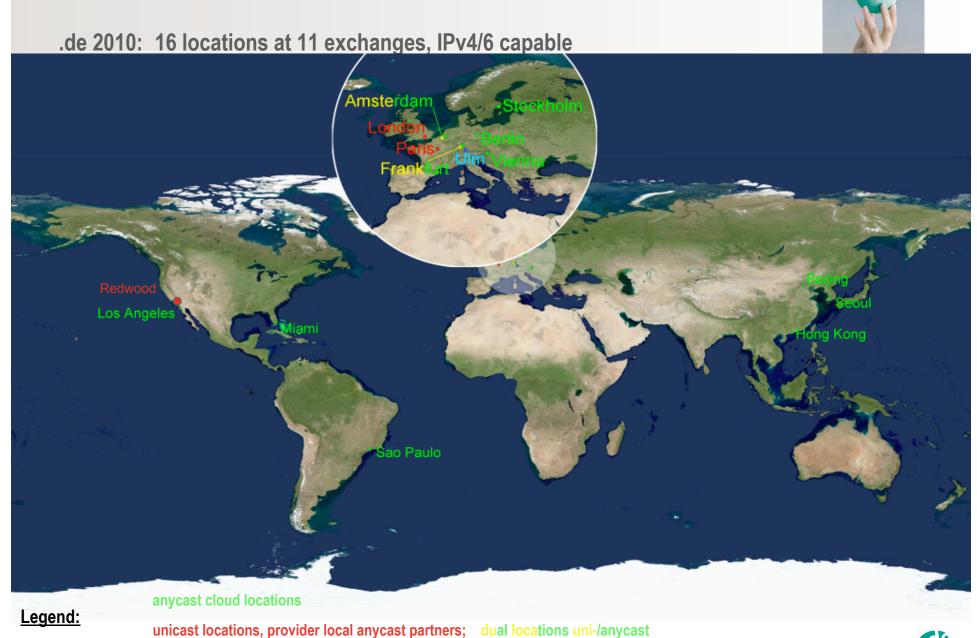
- 1. data integrity and availability
- 2. performance
- 3. scalability and maintainability
- 4. strategic fit
- 5. cost



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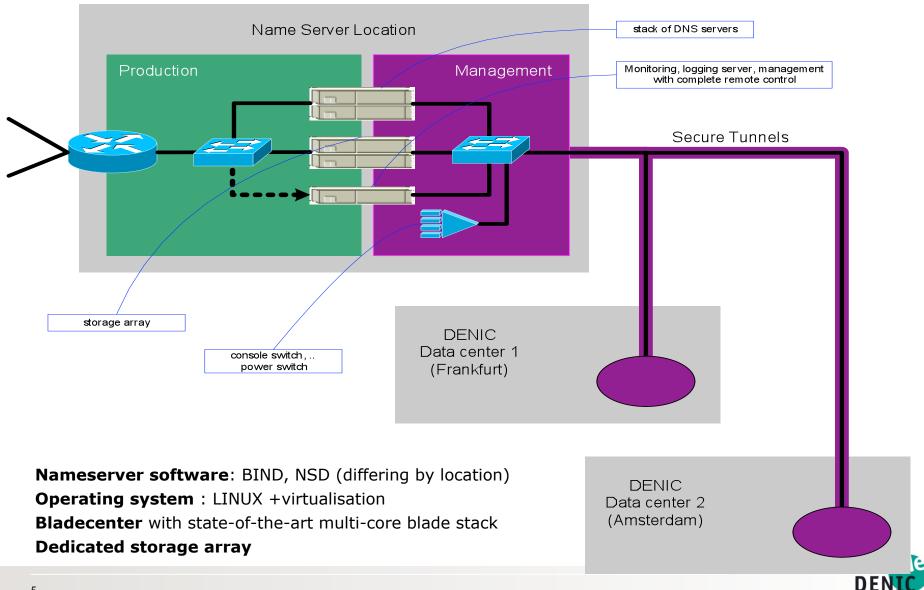
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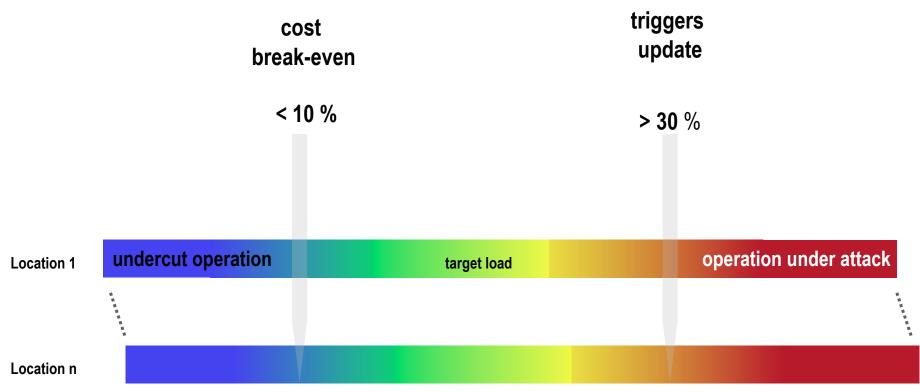


Hardware architecture (schematic)





Initial scaling



→ max overall query load > 3 million q/sec, some 250 billion queries a day





How can this be even more interesting for you?

DENIC has been operating its name server infrastructure for over a decade and has a proven excellent track record of availability and response time

We are offering our name server infrastructure to other ccTLD's

based on a cost sharing model

- → decrease expediture
- to serve the community with an independent neutral DNS delivery
- → (pre-)answer gov. inquiries

• employing high-performance redundant infrastructure

- → reliability
- guaranteed service levels, custom monitoring & quality assurance → defined quality

Primary or Backup DNS Service

Please contact me or DENIC to setup a project to build a name service according to your needs like for example our customer nic.at has done.

... even more locations are in preparation ...



Questions?



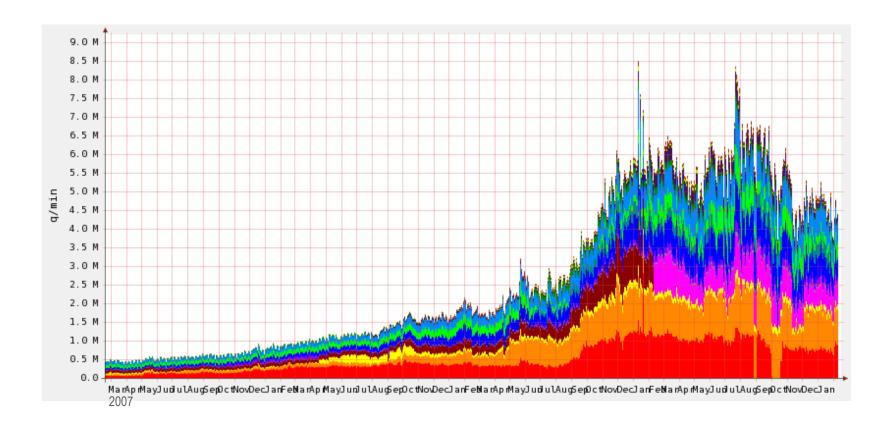


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.de query load (4 years overview until Januar 2010)



max. query load: ~ 8.5 million q/min average query load recently: ~ 6 million q/min

