



EASSy: a status report

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The EASSy Network

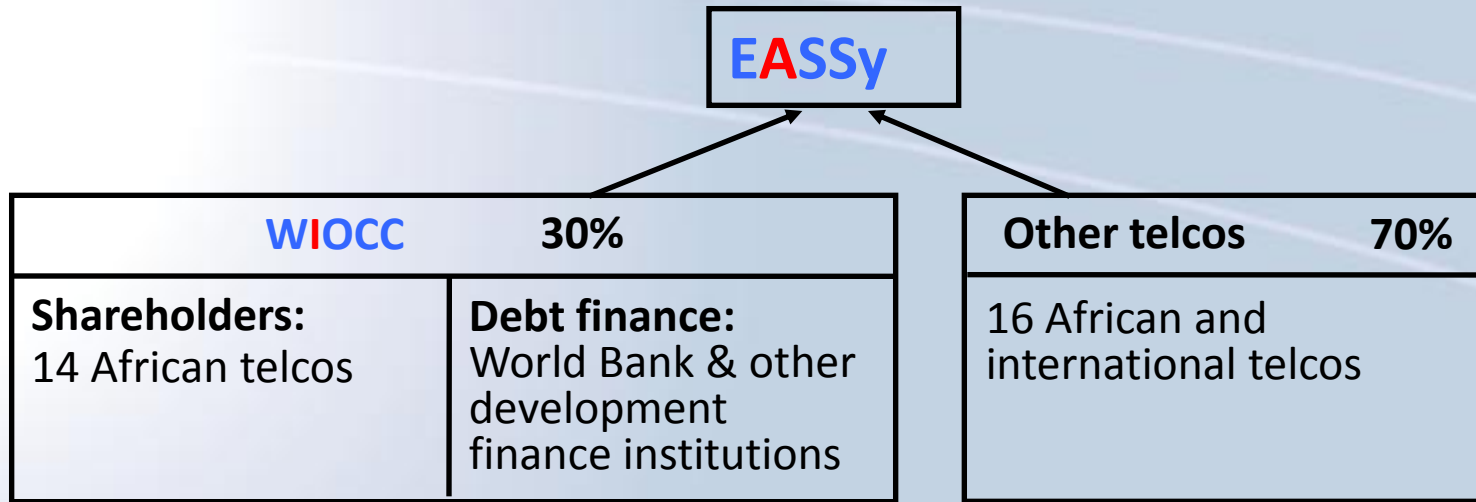
East Africa Submarine Cable System (EASSy) is a 10,800km submarine fibre optic cable system

- Live since July 2010
- 2 fibre pairs at 3.84Tbps capacity
- 9 landing stations:
 - South Africa
 - Madagascar
 - Mozambique
 - Comoros Islands
 - Tanzania
 - Kenya
 - Somalia
 - Djibouti
 - Sudan
- Construction cost \$263 million
- 30Gbps lit; upgrade planned to 70Gbps+
- WIOCC owns 30% of EASSy





WIOCC / EASSy ownership structure



- Carrier and Developmental Financial Institution funded - provides expertise and stability...a true **Public-Private Partnership**



WIOCC / EASSy owners

WIOCC Shareholders

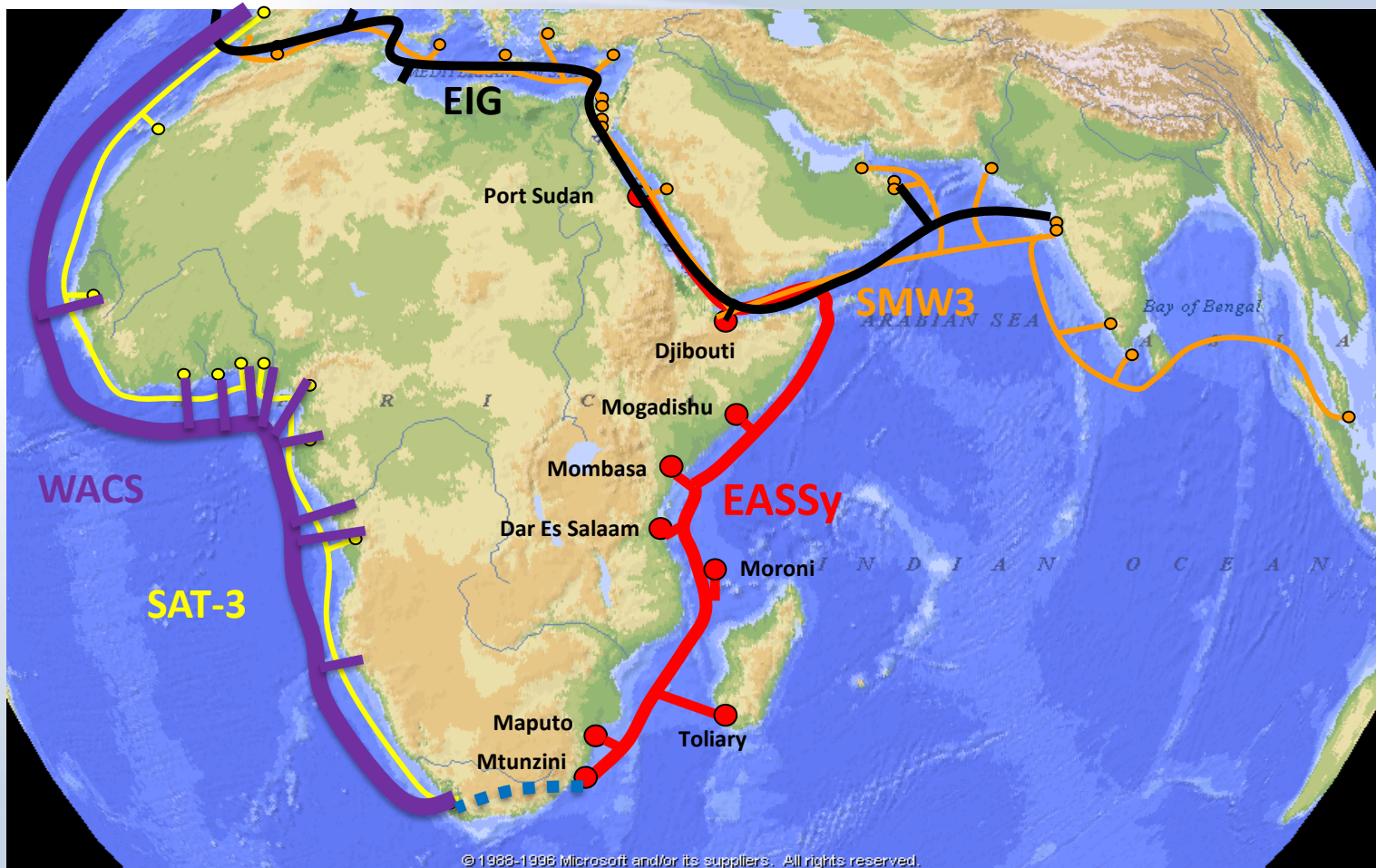
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Government of Seychelles
LPTIC Libya
TDM Mozambique
Gilat Satcom Nigeria
TelOne Zimbabwe

EASSy Consortium Members

WIOCC	British Telecom
Neotel	Saudi Telecom
MTN Group	Etisalat
Bharti Airtel	Telma
TSA - Vodacom	Zamtel
Comoros Telecom	Mauritius Telecom
Botswana Telecom	Sudatel
France Telecom	TTCL



Meeting customers' needs





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WIOCC's 14 shareholders, and EASSy's African consortium members are constructing fibre-optic networks across eastern & southern Africa.

These will extend reach to 20 countries throughout the region.



SEAS cable



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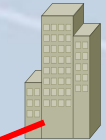
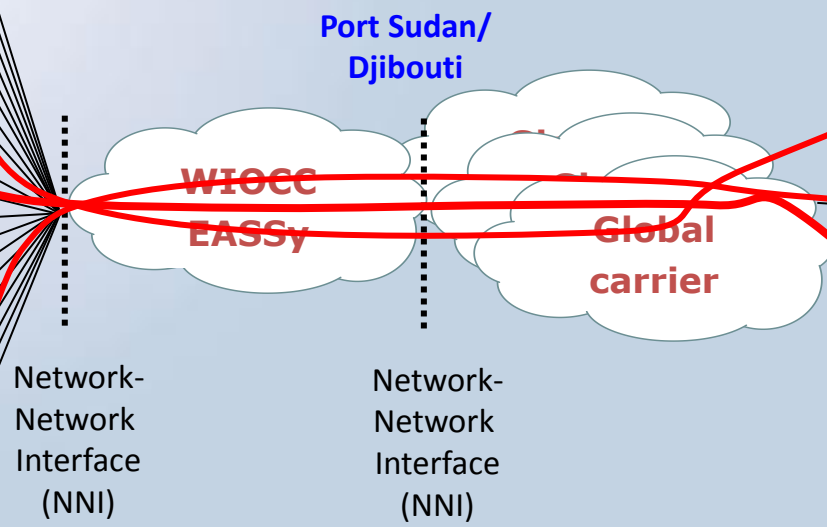
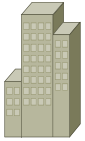
EASSy



THE WORLD



- Botswana
- Burundi
- Comoros
- Djibouti
- Ethiopia
- Kenya
- Lesotho
- Madagascar
- Malawi
- Mayotte
- Mozambique
- Rwanda
- Somalia
- South Africa
- Sudan
- Swaziland
- Tanzania
- Uganda
- Zambia
- Zimbabwe



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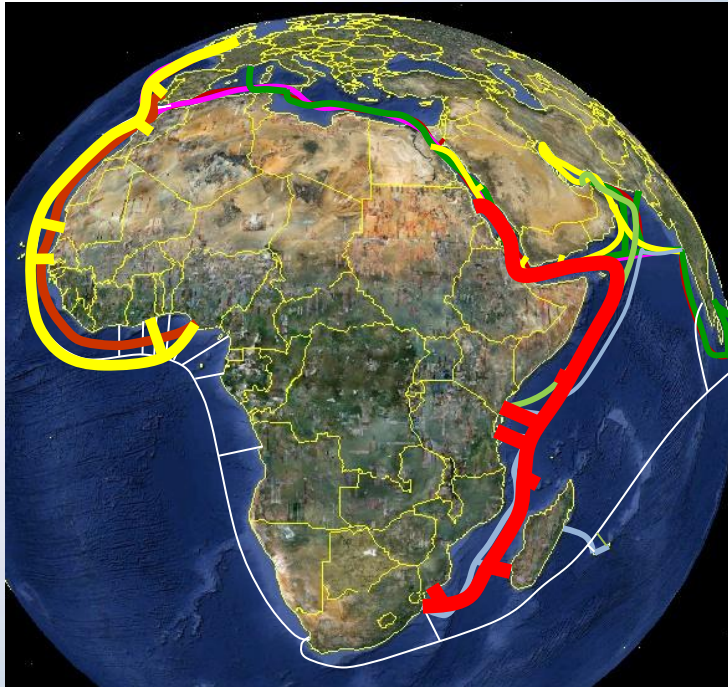
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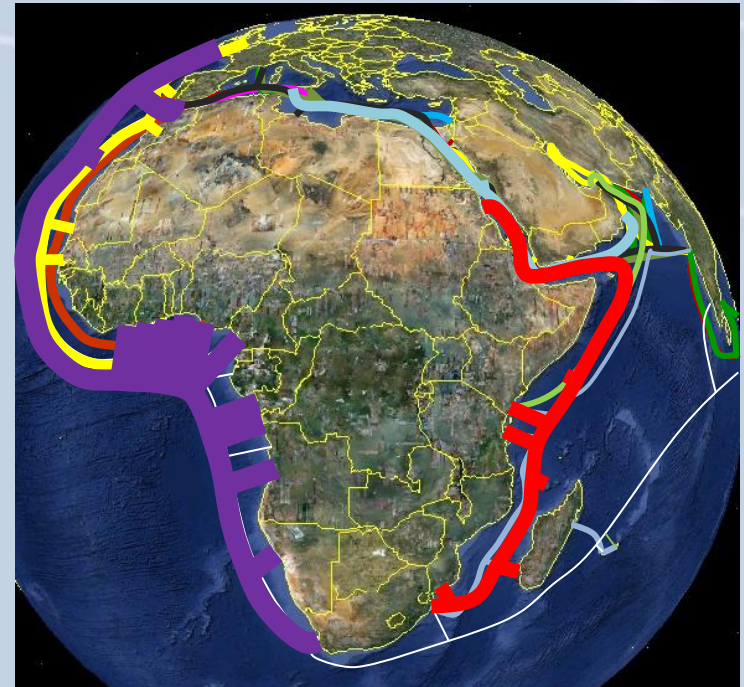
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Africa cable routes: summary



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