

Inter-Carrier MPLS Issues

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What is the driver towards SP Interconnects?

- Enterprise Requirements
 - Generally Multi-National Firms with extensive reach requirement across the globe
- Regional/Domestic Service Providers needing global reach
- Global Service Providers needing regional/domestic reach
- AP, Americas, Europe
 - Need further reach within region

The Challenges

- SLA and QOS
- Each provider's have different:
 - Methods
 - Processes and Procedures
 - Configurations
 - Planning
 - Features
- Customer's expect SLA end to end
- The challenge is making these elements work across both networks