

ELEVATING VIDEO IP NETWORK OBSERVABILITY

Enabling broadcasters to navigate the complexities of IP-based distribution with unprecedented precision and reliability

The Alvalinks Cloudrider™ proactively analyzes the health of the network; gathers real-time stats, IP flows, and toolsets to evaluate the broadcast and media network performance. Alvalinks provides the first true network observability SAAS platform designed for media applications.

The impact is dramatic improvements in network reliability for video contribution. Broadcasters and media organizations can now enjoy operational efficiency, fast test and troubleshoot, and a robust platform for delivering high-quality live video over IP and the cloud.

"Alvalinks offers real-time, continuous monitoring of network performance and paths in hybrid Cloud and On-prem networks. The ability to characterize the networks in terms of key performance metrics allows operational teams to make quick decisions on the best way to utilize their infrastructure and get ahead of any potential network disruptions"

Jay Cherian, Solutions Architect, Media and Entertainment, Google Cloud



Accurate Network Intelligence

From source to destination, link management via micro agents deployed along the stream



Path & Error Visualization

In-depth real time and continuous network analysis, event correlation and network-to-stream information



Stream Emulation

Accurately detects dynamic network behavior, and ensures network readiness

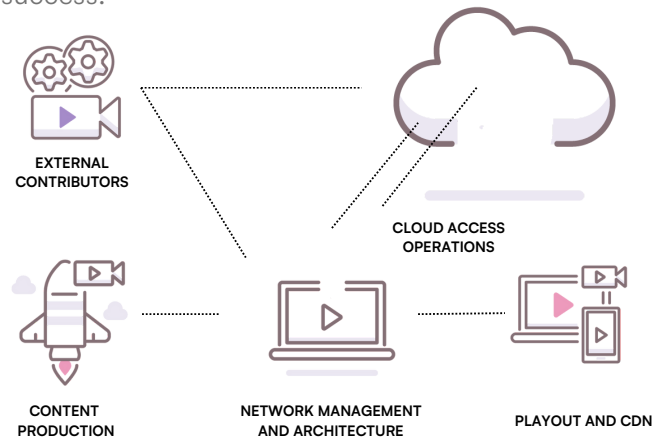
Mapping the Challenges

IP networks are not designed to accommodate the demands of live video streaming. The inherent uncertainties and instabilities of IP networks and clouds pose significant hurdles, including: latency, jitter, packet loss, and reroutes, which can jeopardize the quality and reliability of live streams. As broadcasters increasingly leverage multiple networks, the internet, and cloud services, the challenges only multiply, necessitating robust solutions to address these issues effectively.

"Cloudrider technology addressed our visibility issues head-on, giving us the real-time data and historical information we need to understand network behavior and ensure quality of service."

Ralf Jacob, EVP of Broadcast Operations & Technology, TelevisaUnivision

Alvalinks' CloudRider addresses the critical issues and tasks at every junction, empowering teams with the RIGHT tools to perform their everyday tasks and achieve ongoing reliable and consistent success.



SHINE LIGHT ON YOUR VIDEO NETWORK WITH ALVALINKS



CONTENT PRODUCTION

Dynamic Environments, Critical Tests, Time-consuming Complexity, Pre-broadcast Setup, Real-time Adjustments, Adequate Toolsets



CLOUD ACCESS OPERATIONS

Cloud Complexity, Dynamic Traffic, High Expectations Resource Availability, Intercloud Processing, Dynamic Networks



NETWORK MANAGEMENT AND ARCHITECTURE

Quality of Service, Traffic shaping and management Redundant Network Design, Service Provider Management Failover Testing, Capacity Planning and Scalability



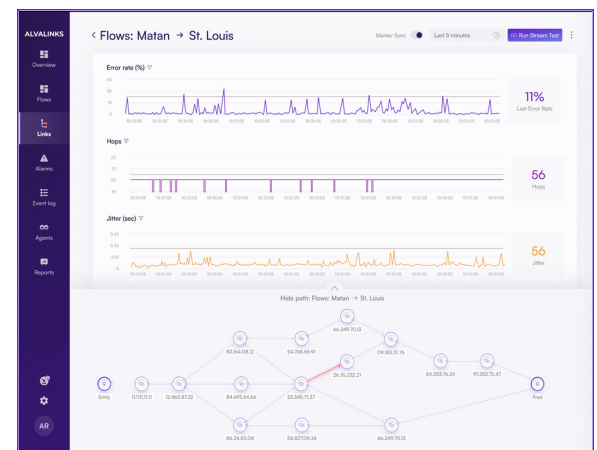
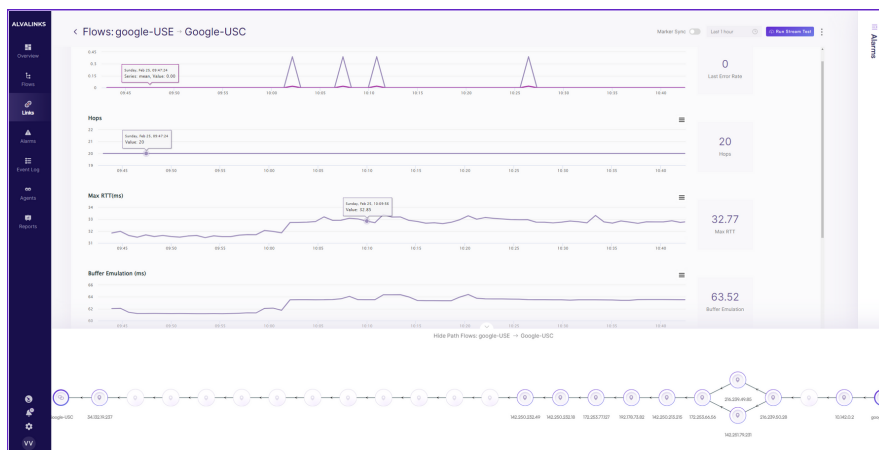
EXTERNAL CONTRIBUTORS

Lack of Visibility, Responsibility and troubleshooting, Quality of Service, Comparability



PLAYOUT AND CDN

Multi-distribution mechanisms, Visibility, Cost and deployment optimization



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