



Consume Local Towards Carbon-free Content Delivery

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Works before Brexit

- Take-away TV: Recharging Work Commutes with Greedy and Predictive Preload of TV Content**
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- SCORE: Exploiting global broadcasts to create offline access**
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- Video-on-Demand Streaming: Peer-friendly Peer-assisted Content Delivery**
 Dmytro Karamshuk, Nishanth Sastry, Jigna Chandaria
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- On Factors Affecting the Adoption of a Nation-wide TV Streaming Service**
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- Understanding and decreasing the network footprint of over-the-top on-demand delivery of TV content**
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 22nd International World Wide Web Conference (WWW), 2013

Content caching and sharing at the edge works like a charm!



During Brexit ('16 - present)

- **[Honourable Mention] Facebook (A)Live? Are live social media broadcasts?**
Aravindh Raman, Gareth Tyson and Nishanth Sastry
WWW 2018
- **[Best Paper Award] Wi-Stim: Stimulating Edge Networks**
Aravindh Raman, Nishanth Sastry, Jigna Chandaria
ACM SIGCOMM 2017
- **Consume Local: On Free Content Delivery**
Aravindh Raman, Nishanth Sastry, Andrew Secker, Jigna Chandaria
IEEE ICDCS 2018

Good to cache and share at the edge!
 What for the Edge?





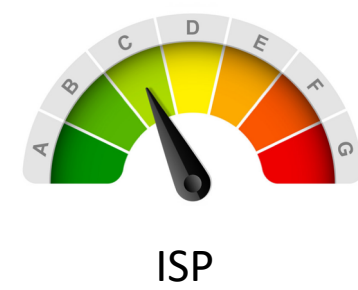
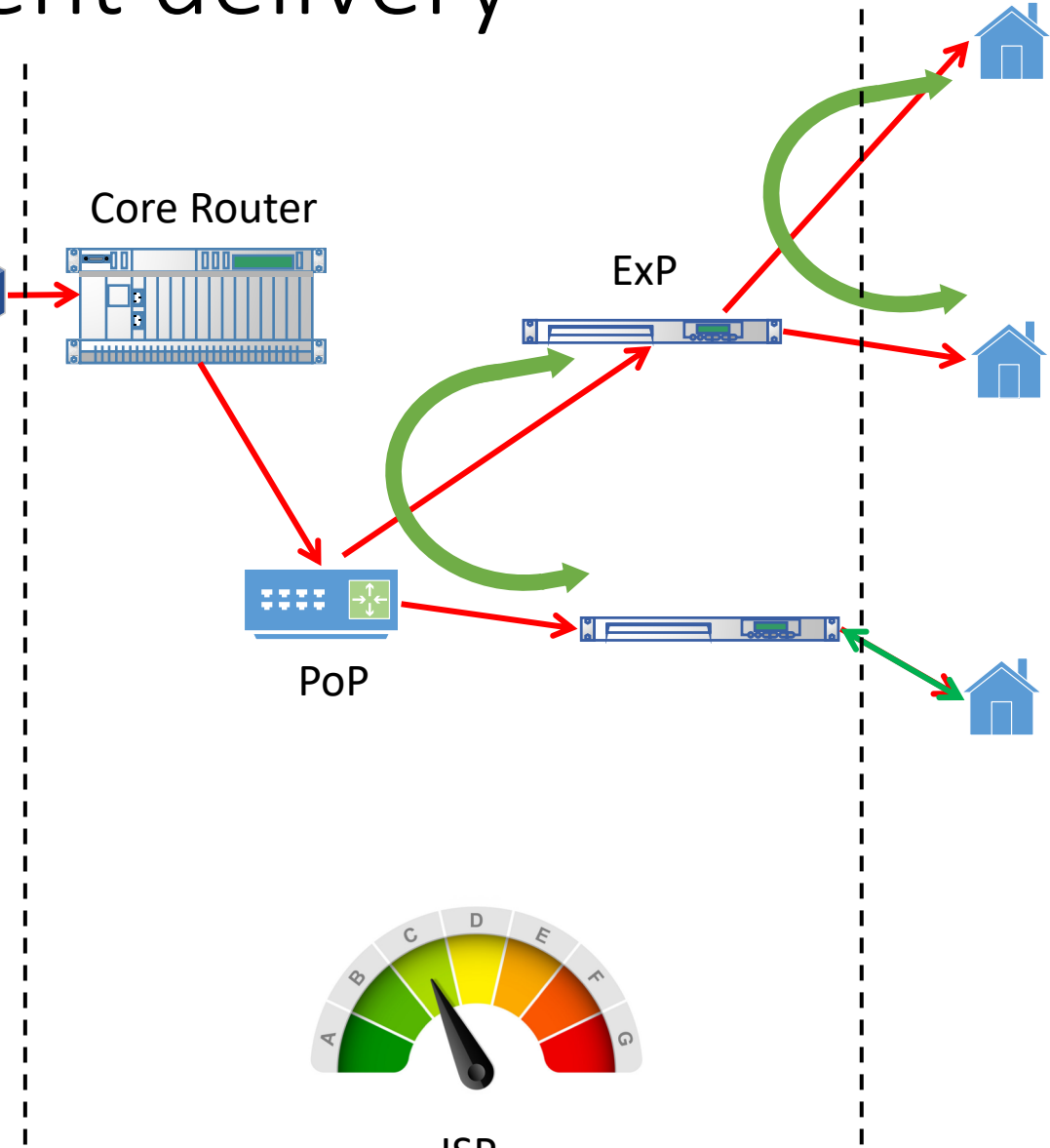
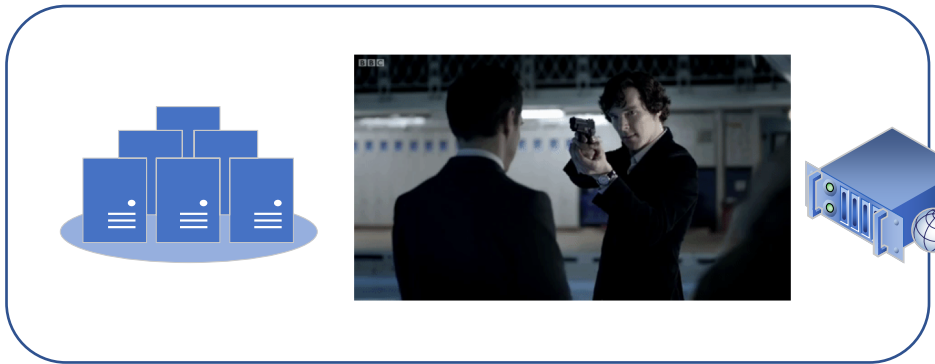
Why would users participate?

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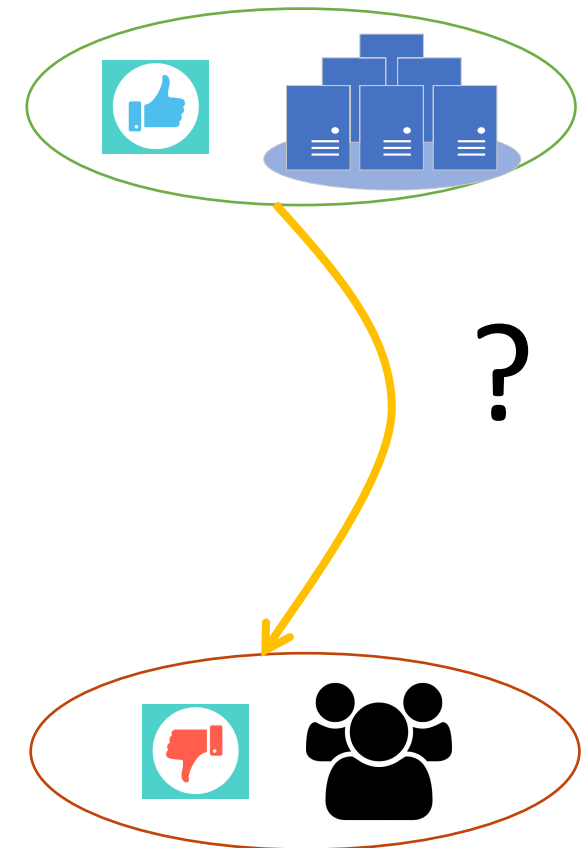
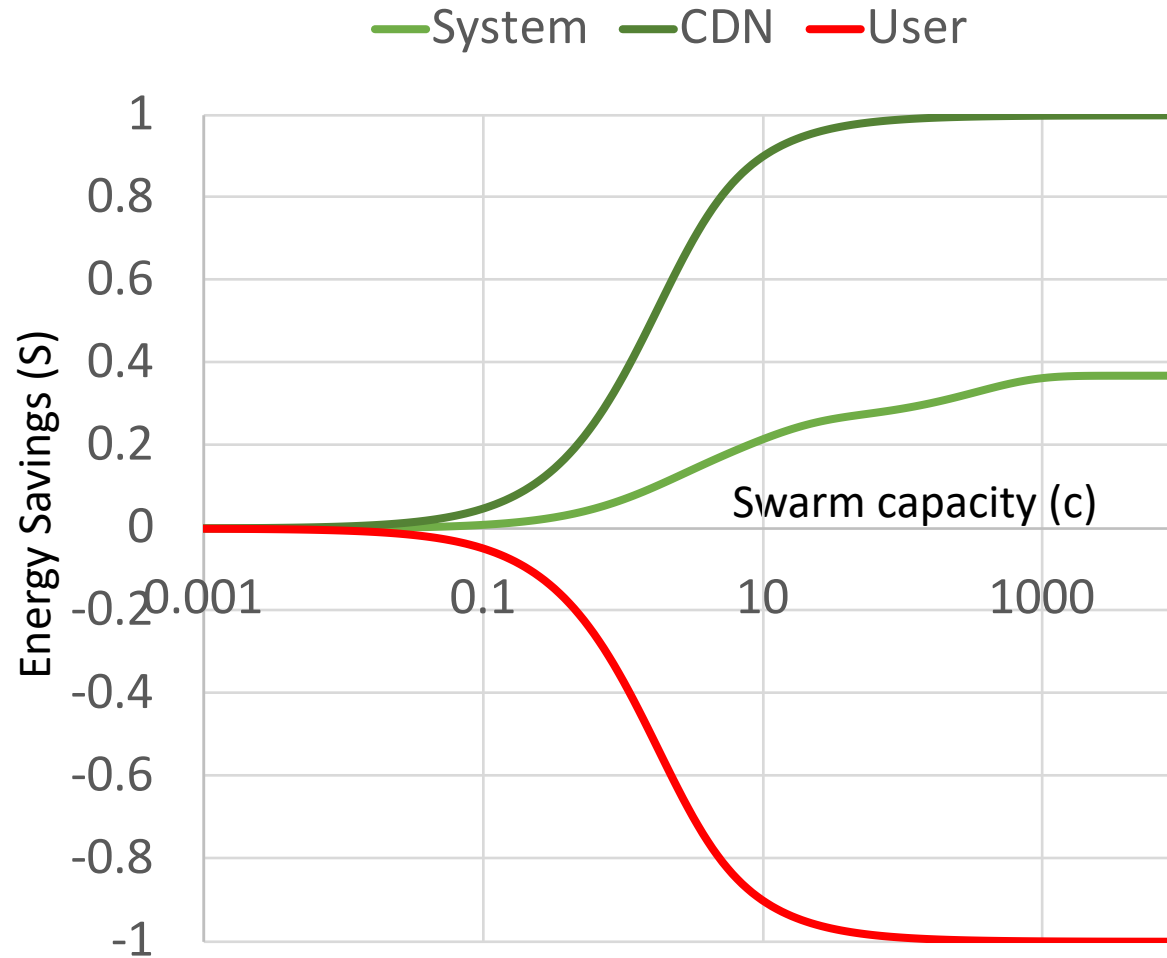
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In 38th IEEE International Conference on Distributed Computing Systems (ICDCS), Austria (2018)

Peer-assisted Content delivery



Savings at System level



Energy savings

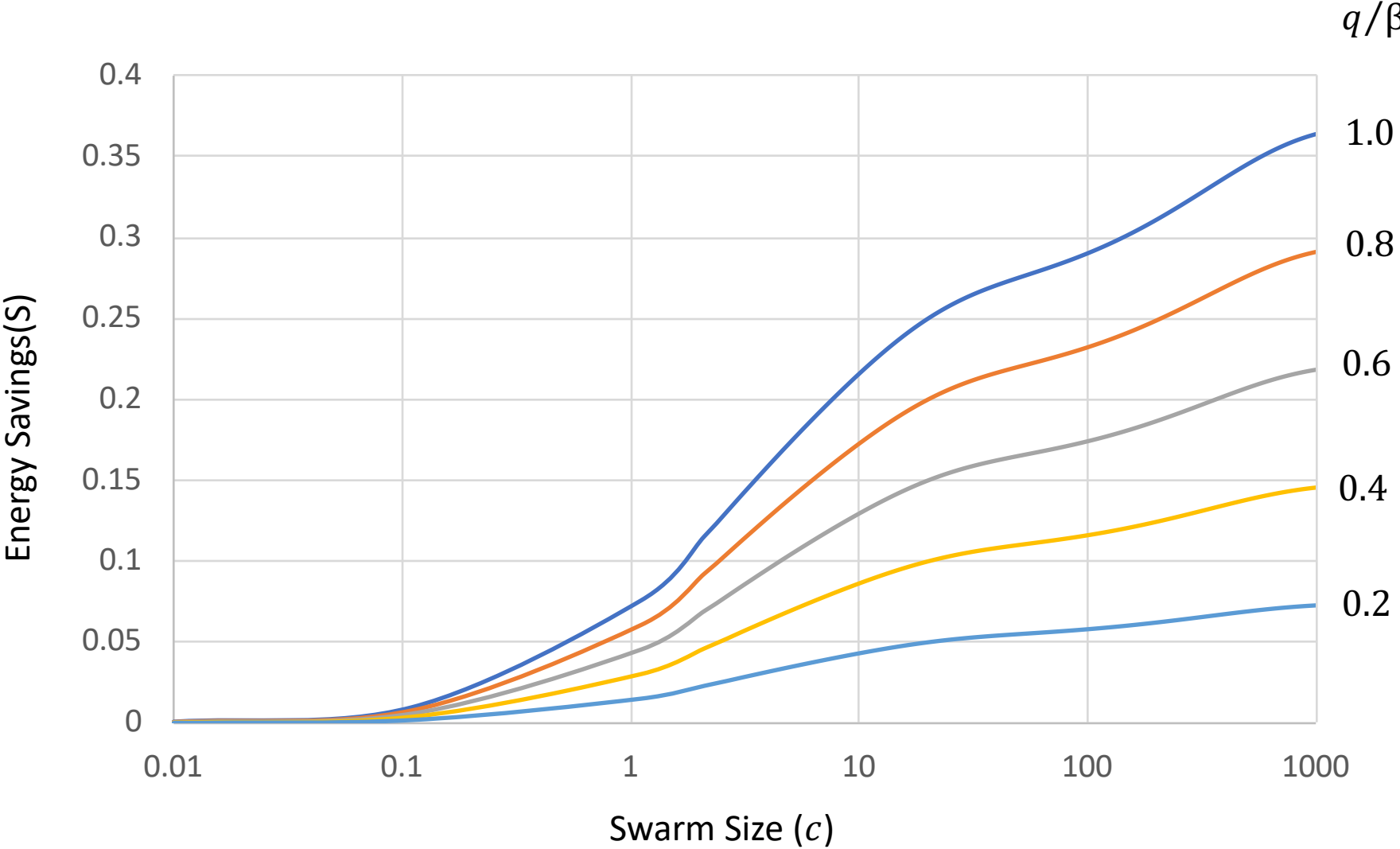
Modelling

Energy consumed = Energy consumed by user traffic thru' (traditional CDN + peer-assisted)

$$\text{Energy Savings (S)} = 1 - \frac{\psi_s ((1 - G) * T_U) + \psi_p (G * T_U)}{\psi_s (T_U)}$$

$$S = \frac{q(c + e^{-c} - 1)(\psi_s - \psi_p^m)}{\beta c \psi_s} - \frac{q X PUE}{\beta c \psi_s} X \left[(\gamma_{POP} - \gamma_{EXP}) f(p_{EXP}, c) + (\gamma_{core} - \gamma_{POP}) f(p_{POP}, c) + (\gamma_{core}) f(p_{core}, c) \right]$$

Theoretical Savings



Dataset



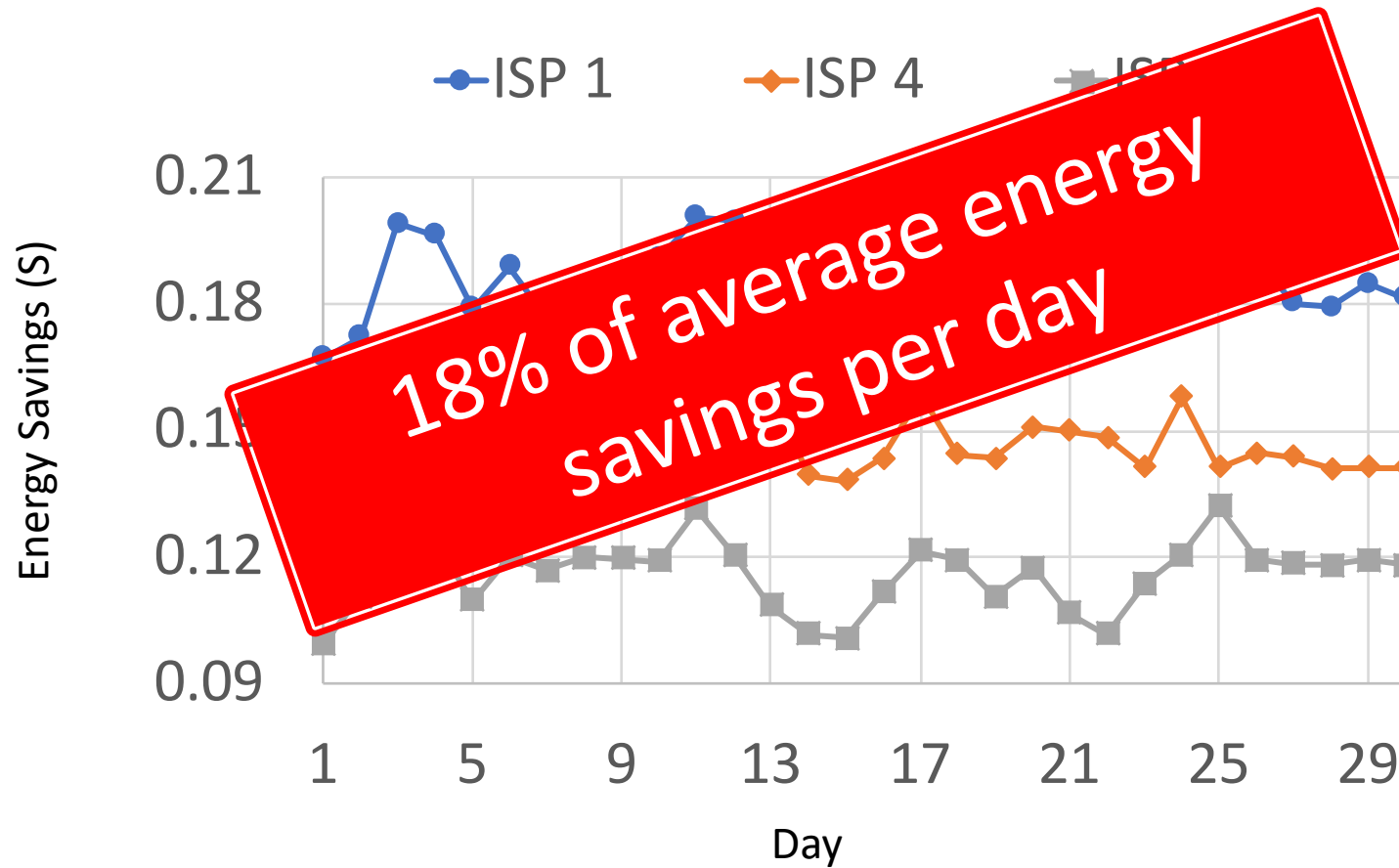
Population: **8M**

3M users/month

1.5M IPs/month

23.5M sessions/month

Actual Savings



Converting Savings to Incentivise Users

Carbon Credits

 Your flight:

From: New York (US), JFK to: Frankfurt (DE), FRA, Roundtrip, Business Class,
ca. 12,400 km, 1 traveler

CO₂ amount: 1.8 t



Portfolio: lufthansa

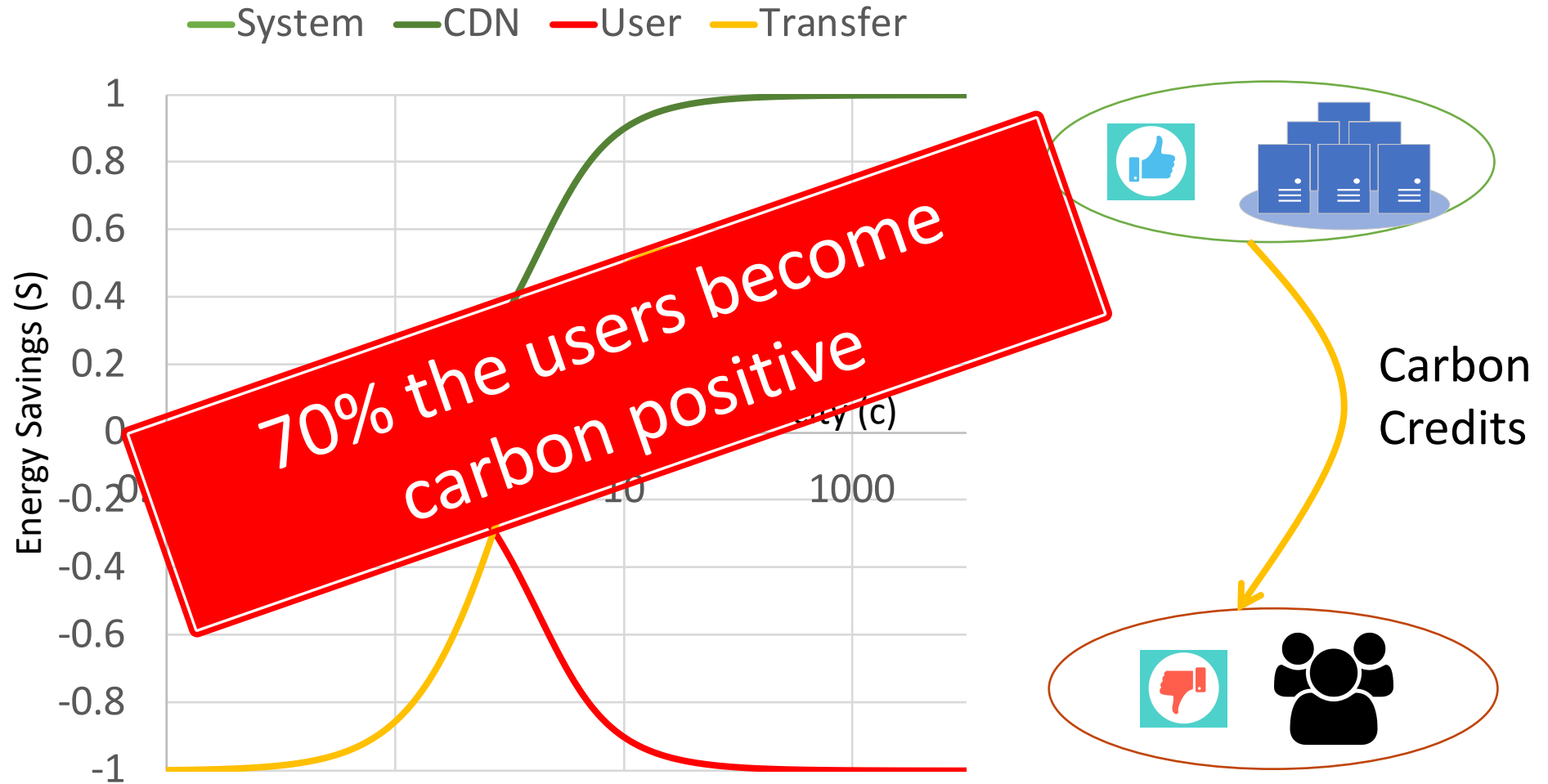
Your contribution to carbon offsetting: USD 46.00

This will support the two climate protection projects "Solar Lighting in rural Ethiopia" and "Energy-efficient Cook Stoves for Siaya Communities, Kenya".

Carbon Credit Transfers

$$CCT = \frac{PUE * (Y_s * G) - l Y_m (1 + G)}{l Y_m (1 + G)}$$

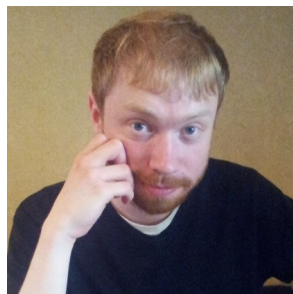
Incentivizing Users at System level



Upto 30% of
energy
savings



Go Green and
carbon-free



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Future Works (Post Brexit?)

- Federated Application(s) at the edge
 - Inference
 - Learning
 - Social network
 - Broadcasts
 - AR/VR

