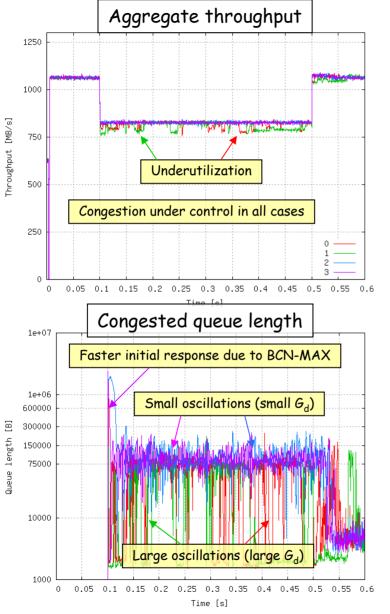
# 802.1au BCN evaluation: BCN-MAX Dynamic Range

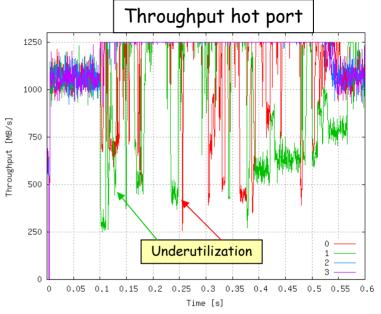
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## Simulation Setup

- 16 ports, single-stage
- Load = 85%
- Uniform destination distribution
- 1500 B frames
- Partitioned memory
- · Lossless operation
  - PAUSE applied on a per input basis based on local high/low watermarks
  - watermark<sub>high</sub> = M rtt\*bw
  - watermark<sub>low</sub> = watermark<sub>high</sub> / 2
- W = 2.0
- M = 300 KB
- $Q_{eq} = M/4$
- $Q_{sc} = (watermark_{high} + watermark_{low})/2$
- $G_{d0} = 1 / ((2W+1) * Q_{eq}) = 4/(5*Q_{eq})$
- $G_i = 400 * G_d$
- $R_u = R_{min} = 10 \text{ Mb/s}$
- No BCN(0,0), no self-increase

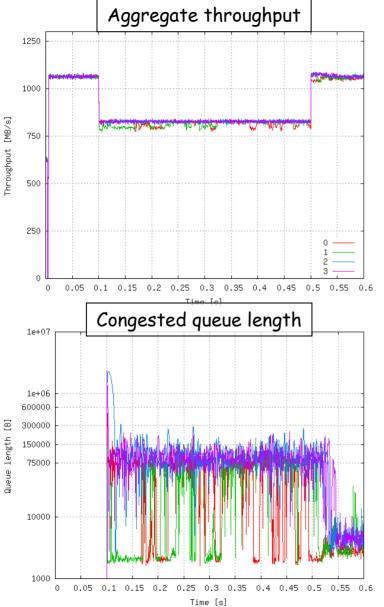
# BCN-MAX: Single-stage IG hotspot, N = 16 (PM)

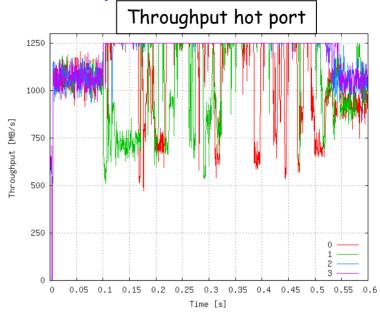




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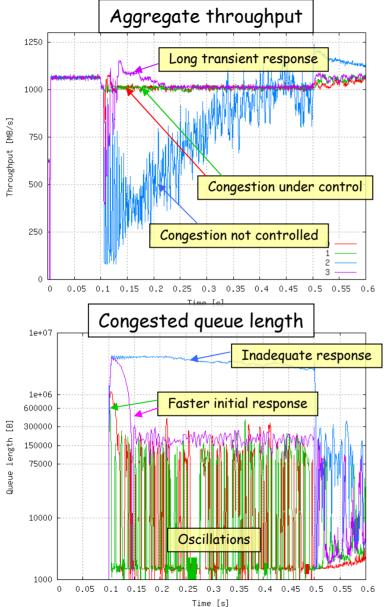
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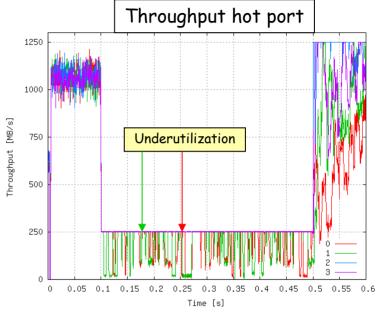




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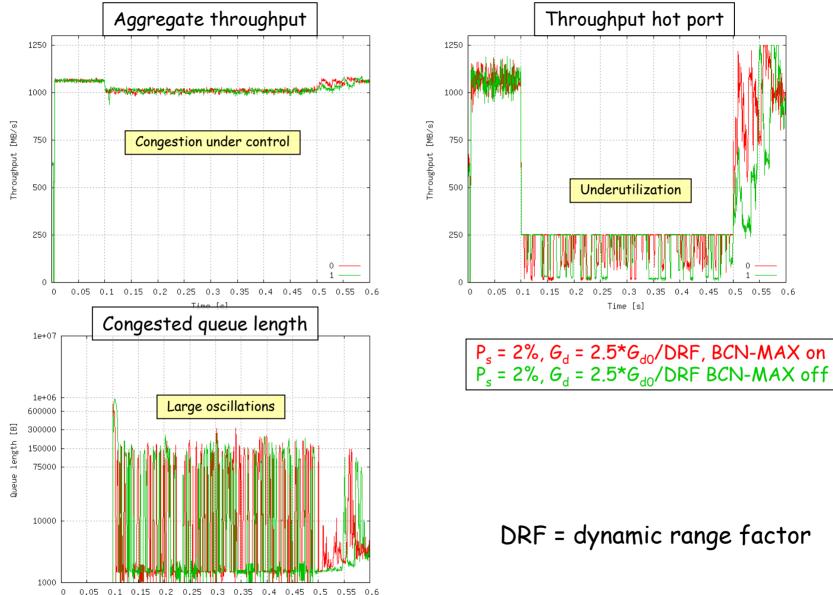
# BCN-MAX: Single-stage OG hotspot, N = 16 (PM)





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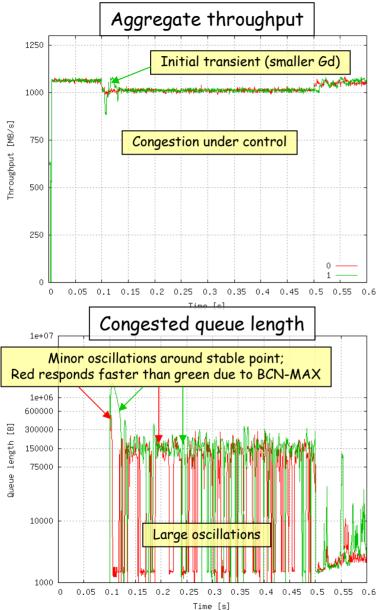
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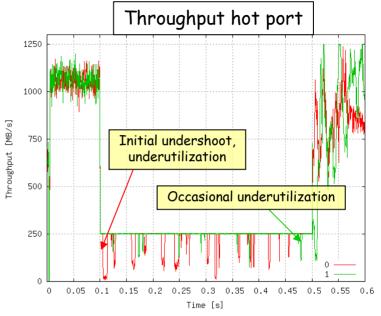


DRF = dynamic range factor

Time [s]

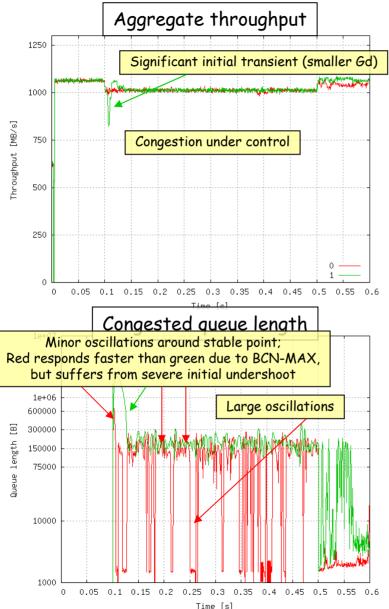
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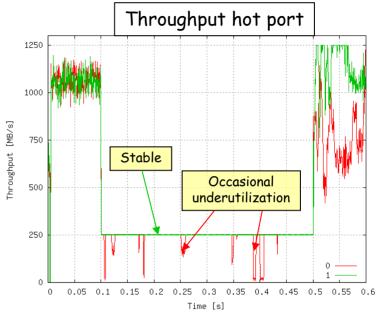




 $P_s = 2\%$ ,  $G_d = 2.5*G_{d0}/DRF$ , BCN-MAX on  $P_s = 2\%$ ,  $G_d = 2.5*G_{d0}/DRF$ , BCN-MAX off

### Dynamic range: Single-stage OG hotspot, N = 16, DRF = 4





 $P_s = 2\%$ ,  $G_d = 2.5*G_{d0}/DRF$ , BCN-MAX on  $P_s = 2\%$ ,  $G_d = 2.5*G_{d0}/DRF$  BCN-MAX off