# eVLBI developments in Metsähovi

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- Simultaneous real-time streaming of data from Onsala and Jodrell Bank to Mh at 512Mbit/s
- Realtime version of the tsunami protocol
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#### **896Mbps capability**

Metsähovi is the only station with a 10Gbps link
 Most stations and JIVE have 1Gbps links
 Could we push 896Mbps over a 1Gbps link?

Seems to work



## 896Mbps-howto

- Use two computers, one streaming at 512Mbps (4BBCs, both sidebands) and other streaming at 384Mbps (4BBCs, 2 LSBs discarded (one byte in four is dropped)
- Using a gigabit switch does not work, the machines are microbursting at >1Gbps aggregate
- So the 512M machine is doubling as a NAT server for the 384M machine

# **Pcevn systems in Europe**

- Fortunately almost every station has some
- Metsähovi has several
- Jodrell Bank and Torun are upgrading to two
- Onsala has one
- Wettzell and Medicina have one, not installed, Noto has also but no fiber yet
- Effelsberg has one
- Very easy to upgrade EVN to 896Mbps realtime capability

#### **Software correlation**

- Adam Deller is packaging the Australian SW correlator for general distribution
- Playstation 3s available from Japan and Hong Kong for 600\$ = 461€
- Some work done in MRO with cell processor emulator
- Role of Jive in the future?

## **Developments with iBob**

- The Berkeley SETI group is porting Linux to iBob
- Mileura recombination experiment
  - Four channels @ 800 Msamples/s
  - 200MHz extracted with digital downconverter
  - 1024-channel polyphase filter bank
  - Corner turn
  - UDP/IP packetizer to 10Gbit/s Ethernet