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# Transport and Access Networks

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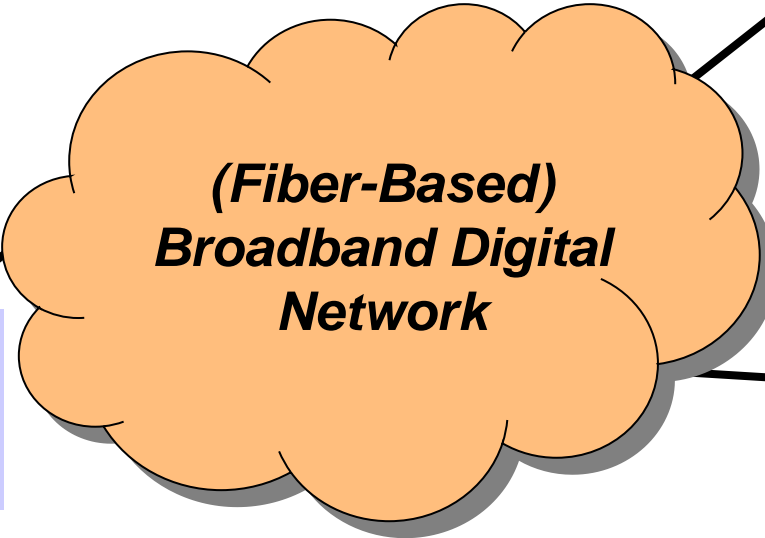
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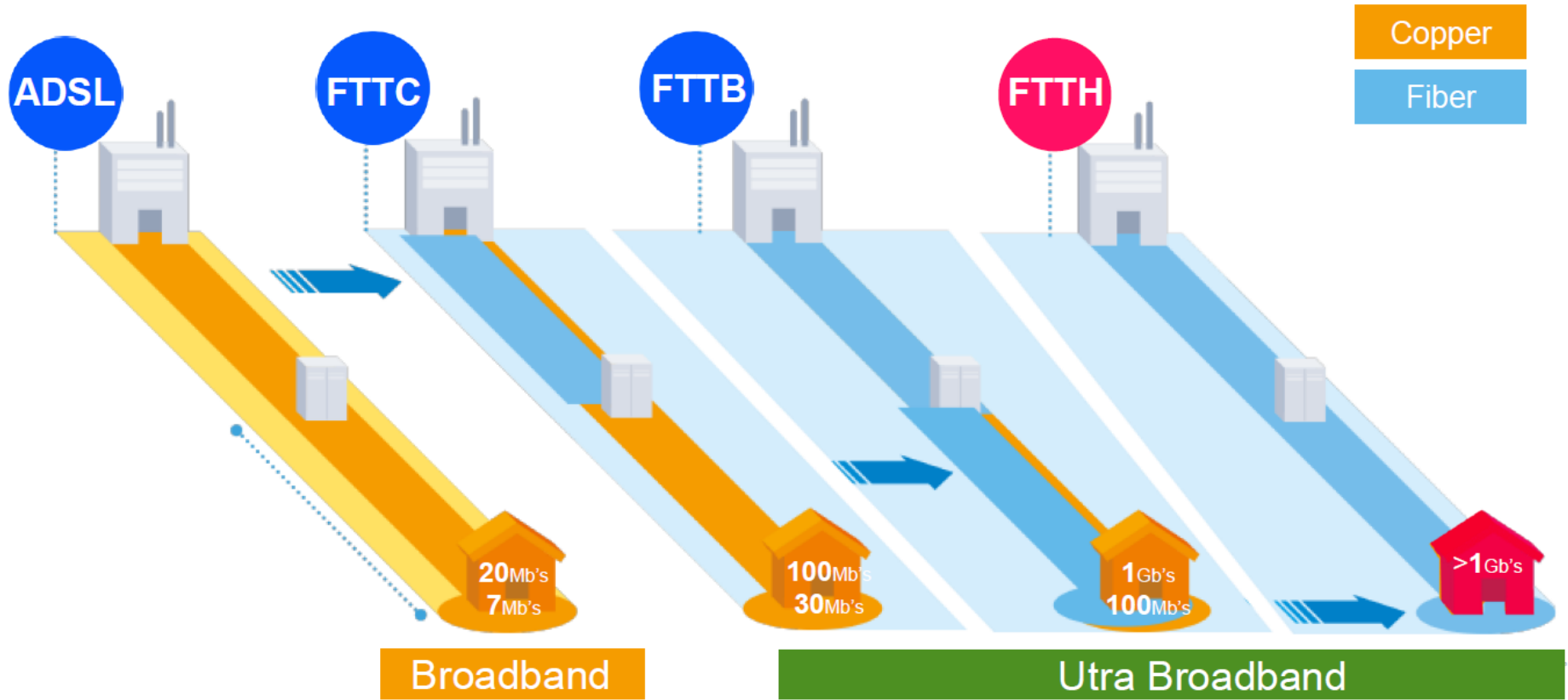
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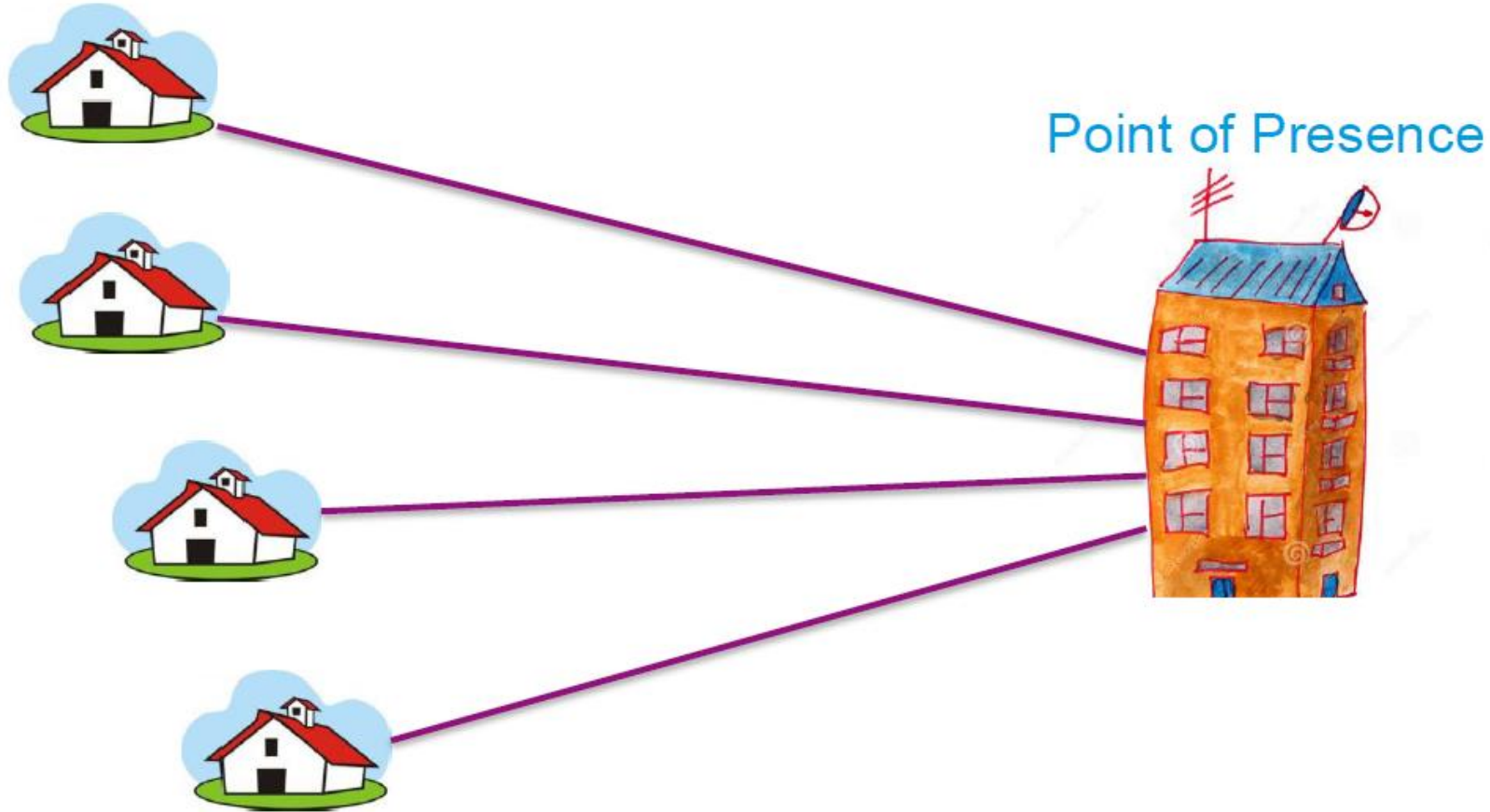
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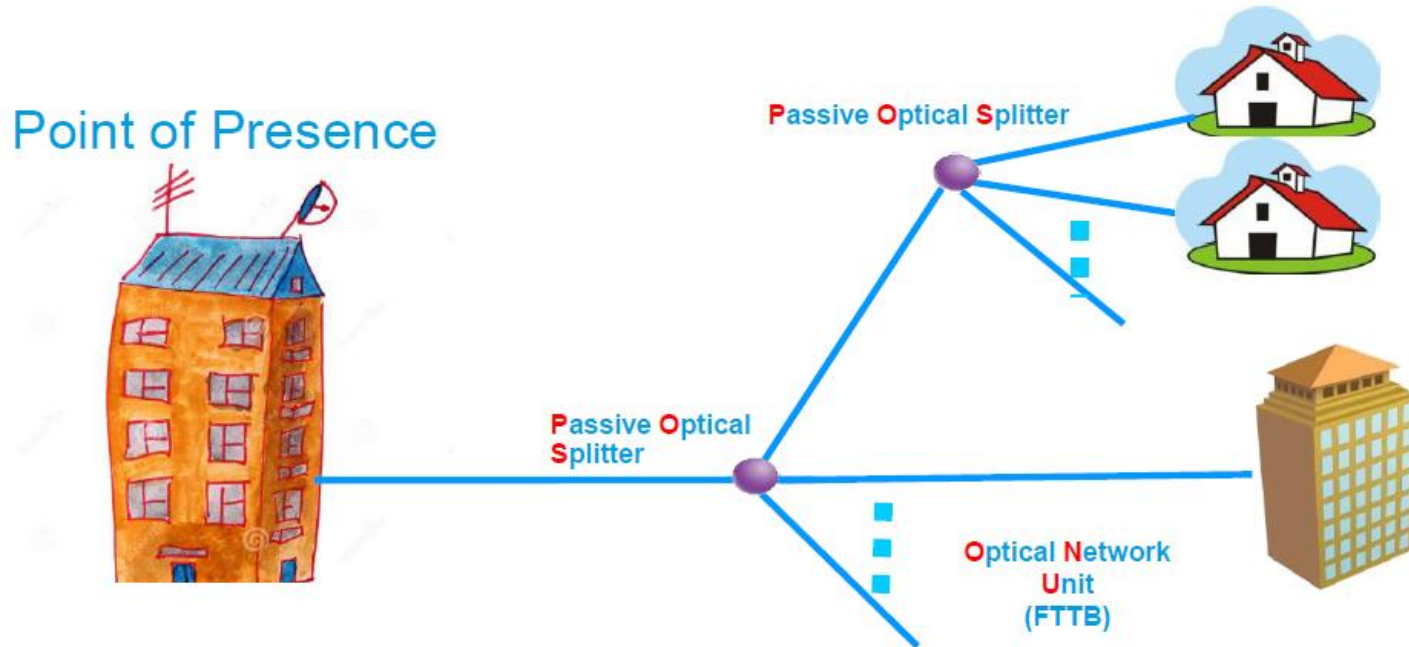


# Point-to-Point Architecture

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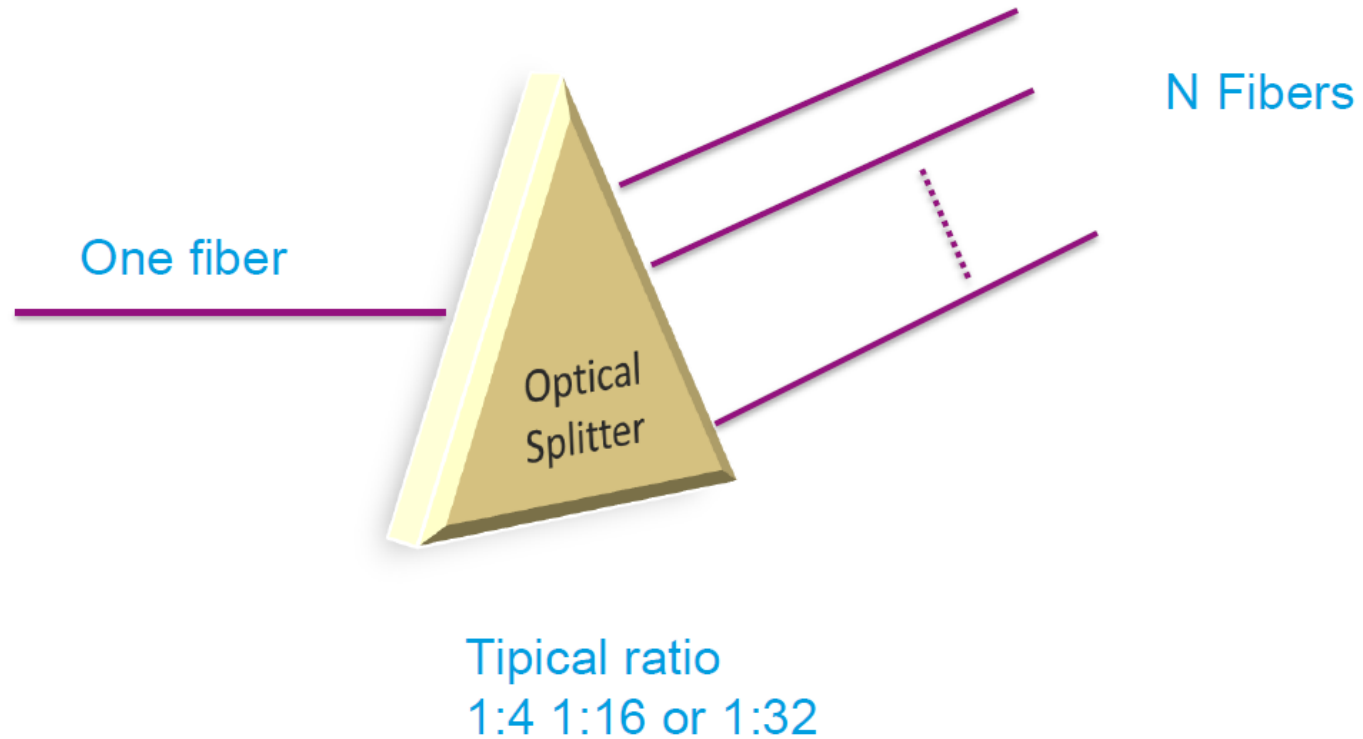


# Point-to-Multipoint Architecture: Passive Optical Network



**Dominant Technology: Gigabit Passive Optical Network GPON**

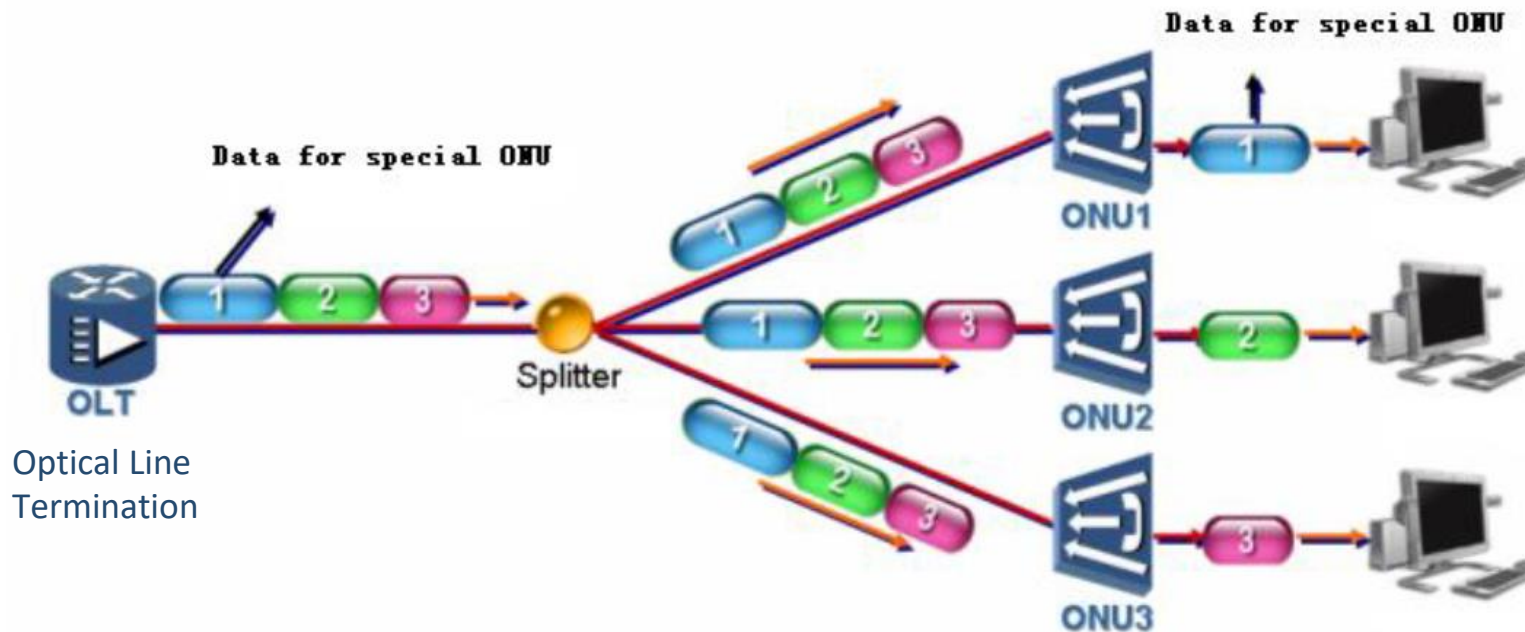
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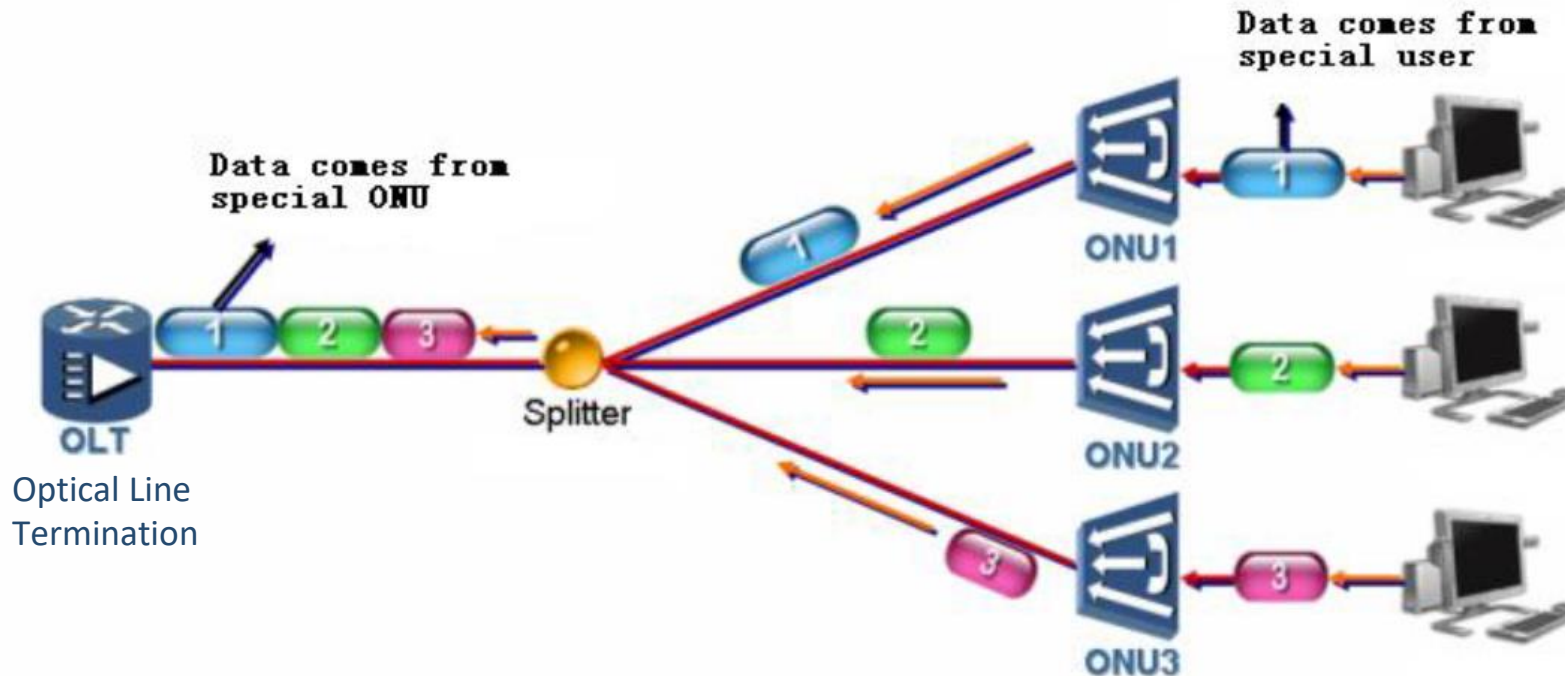
# Downstream TDM Multiplexing (Broadcast)



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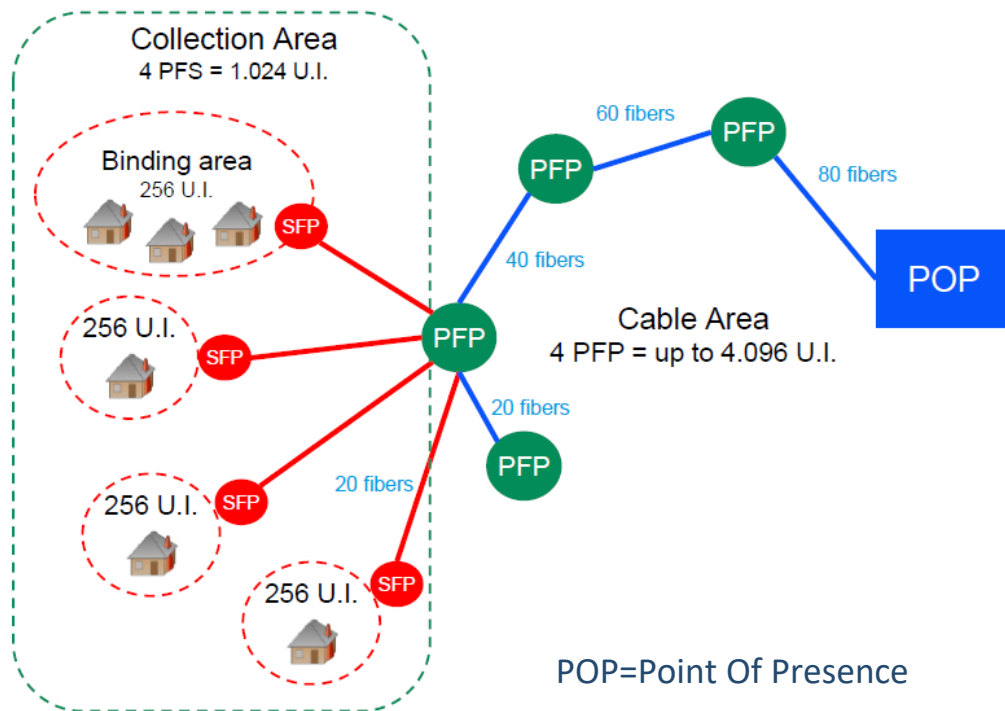


# Upstream TDMA



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# Sample Network Architecture: OPEN FIBER's Gigabit PON



## Definitions

- **Cable Area:** House-Holds area served by the same cable.
- **Collection Area:** House-Holds area served by the same Primary Flexibility Point.
- **Binding area:** House-Holds area served by the same Secondary Flexibility Point.

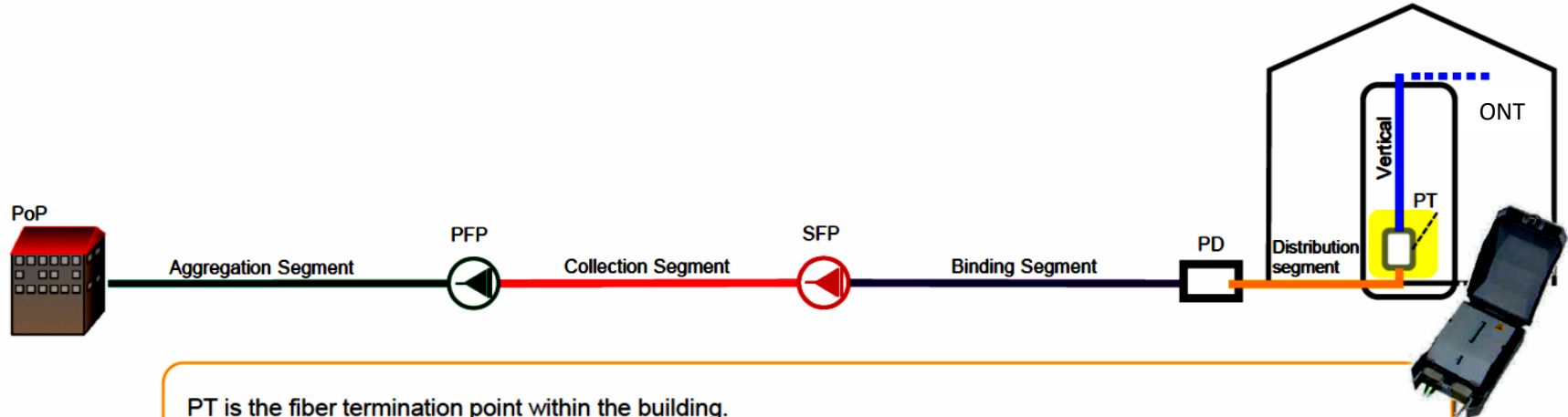
POP=Point Of Presence

PFP=Primary Flexibility Point

SFP=Secondary Flexibility Point

U.I.=Unità Immobiliare (Residential Unit)

# The Vertical Segment/Termination Point (PT)



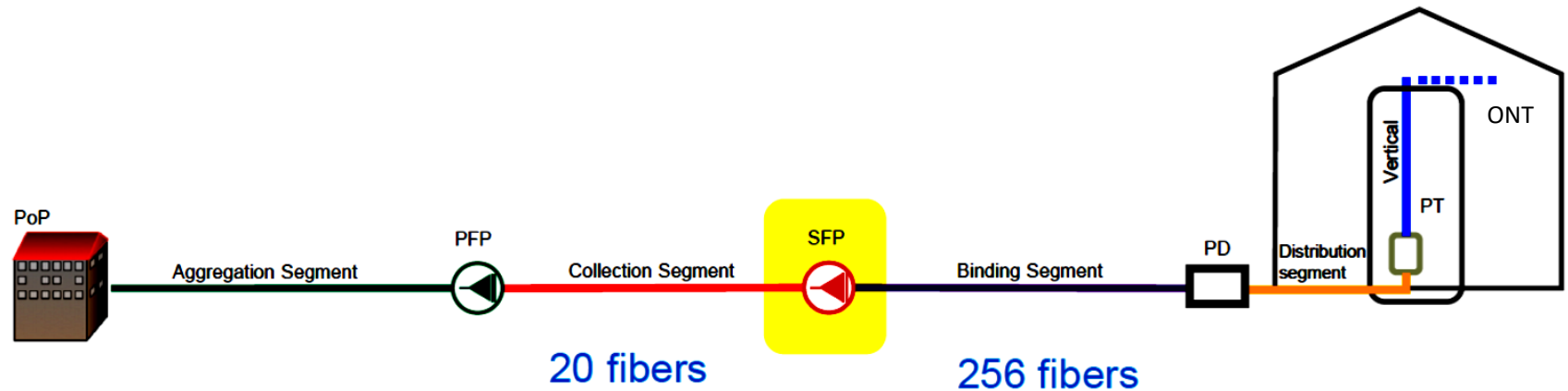
PT is the fiber termination point within the building.

During construction, for costs reduction, only one fiber is terminated for testing purposes. Subsequent connections will be made directly during delivery phase.

The Vertical segment is realized, where possible, simultaneously during construction of the network.



# The SFP



In the Open Fiber network the SFP usually is an outdoor cabinet with 20 splitters 1:16 inside. This is due to the needed flexibility to easily provide a dedicated GPON to at least 5 different OLOs. The cabinet is also engineered to host:

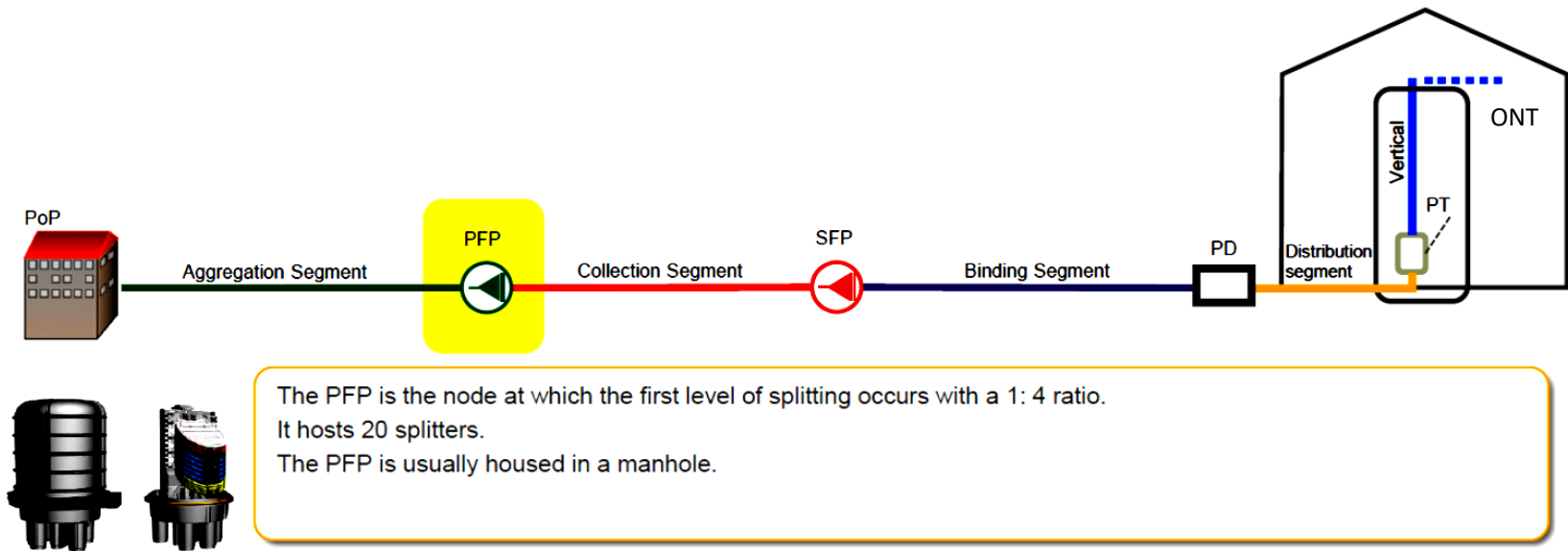
- splitters for GPON connections.
- ODF for permutation.
- Area to perform junctions toward households.
- Area to perform junctions toward business buildings with P2P architecture.

OLO=Optical Local Operator

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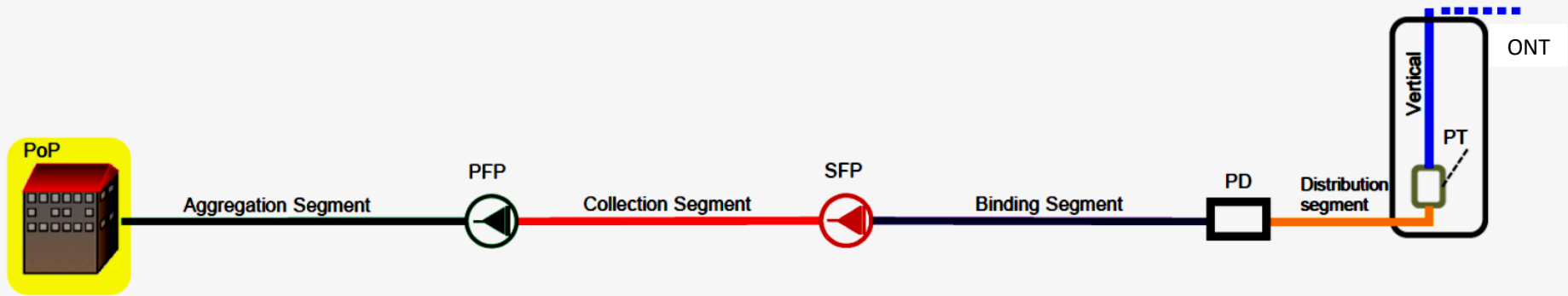
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# The PoP



The Open Fiber POP is able to connect around 70,000 HouseHolds. There are two different type of POP:

- Outdoor, made using shelters or cabinets on concrete platforms.
- Indoor, set up in special rooms.

The Open Fiber POP includes two segregated areas:

- An area reserved for Open Fiber personnel, which contains optical distribution frames and active transport equipment
- An area dedicated to the housing of OLO devices (OLT)



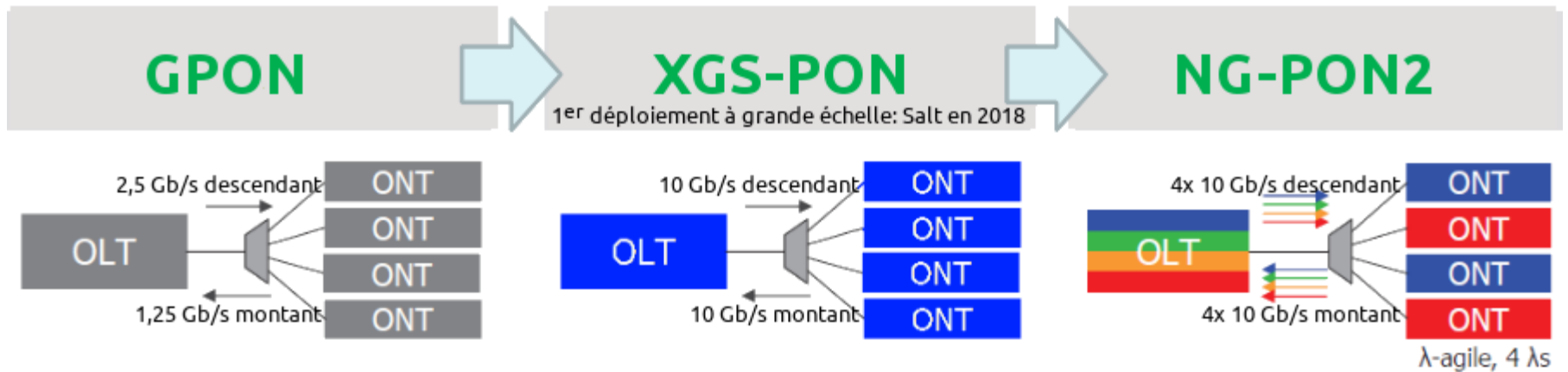
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