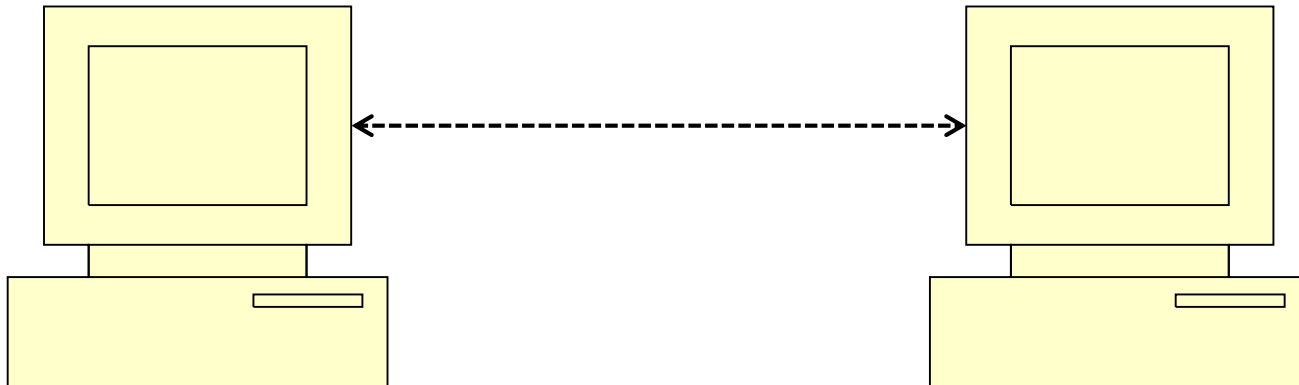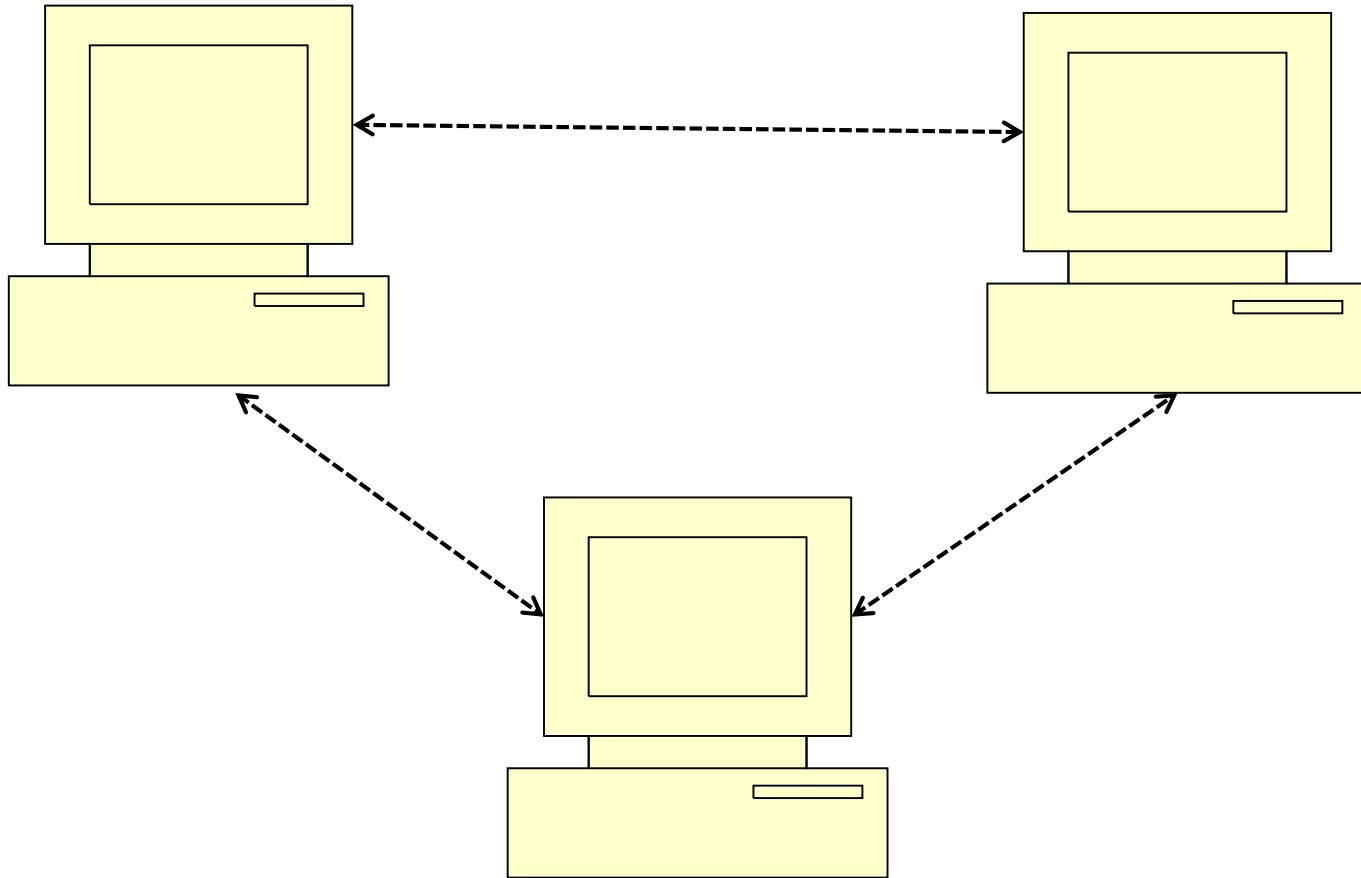# What is the Internet?

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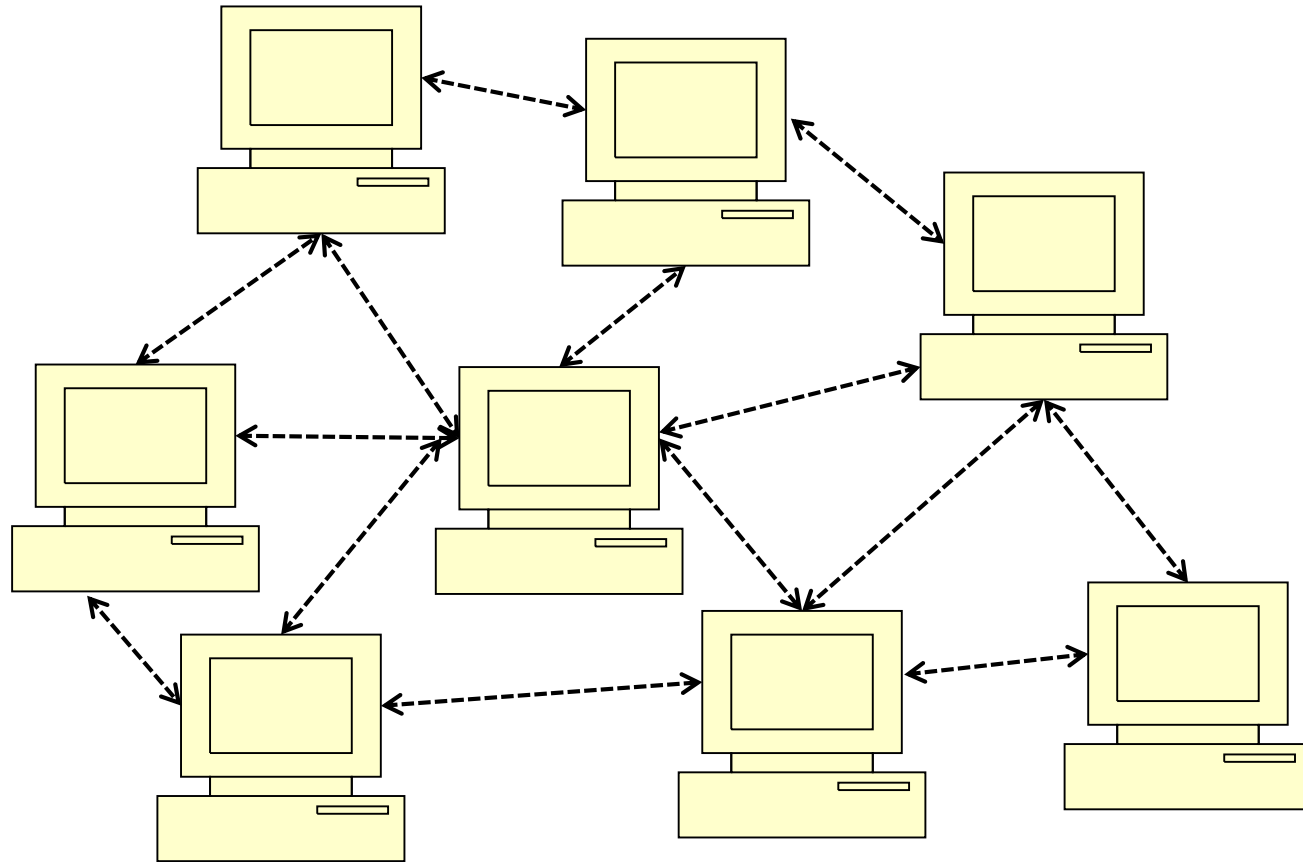
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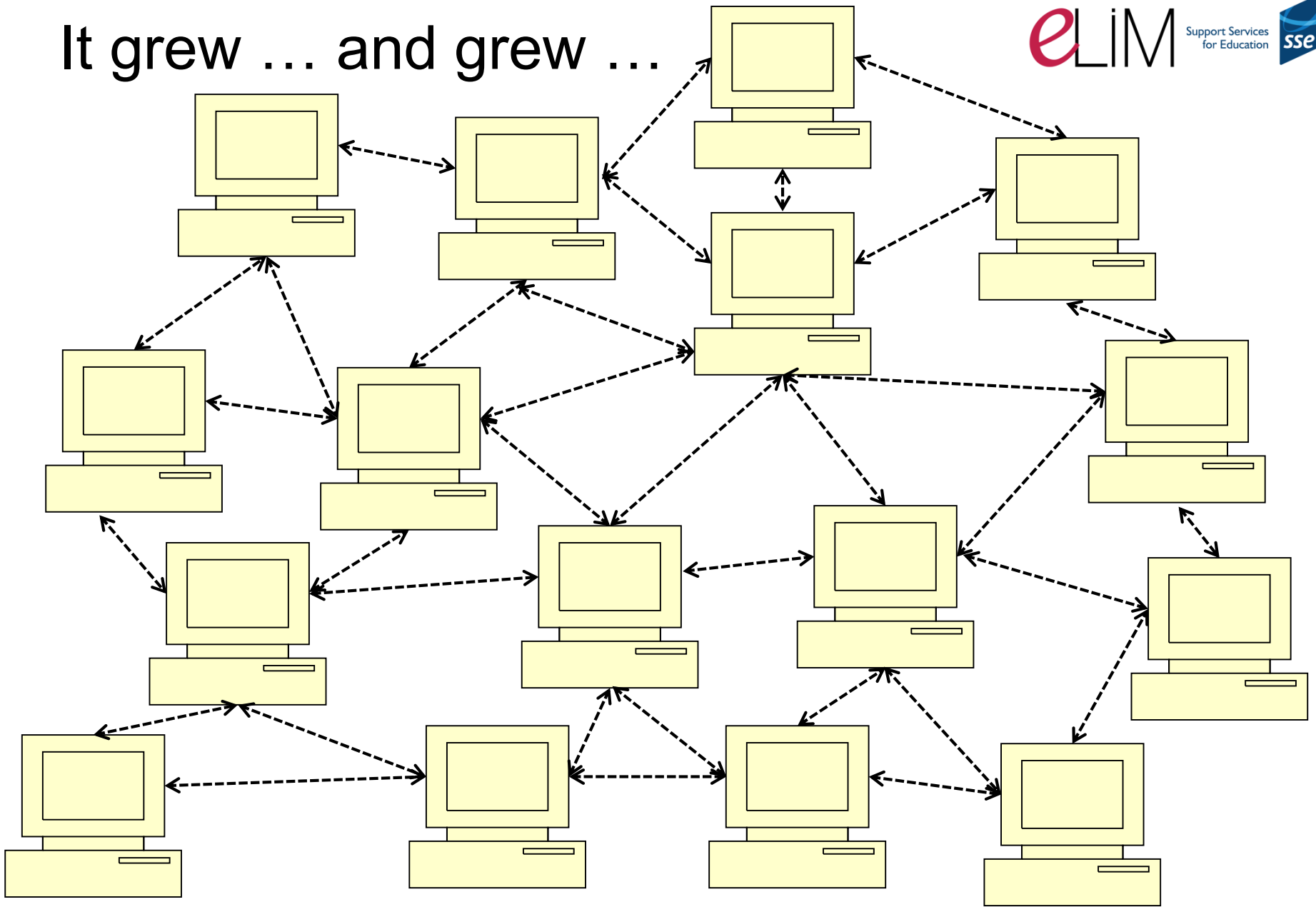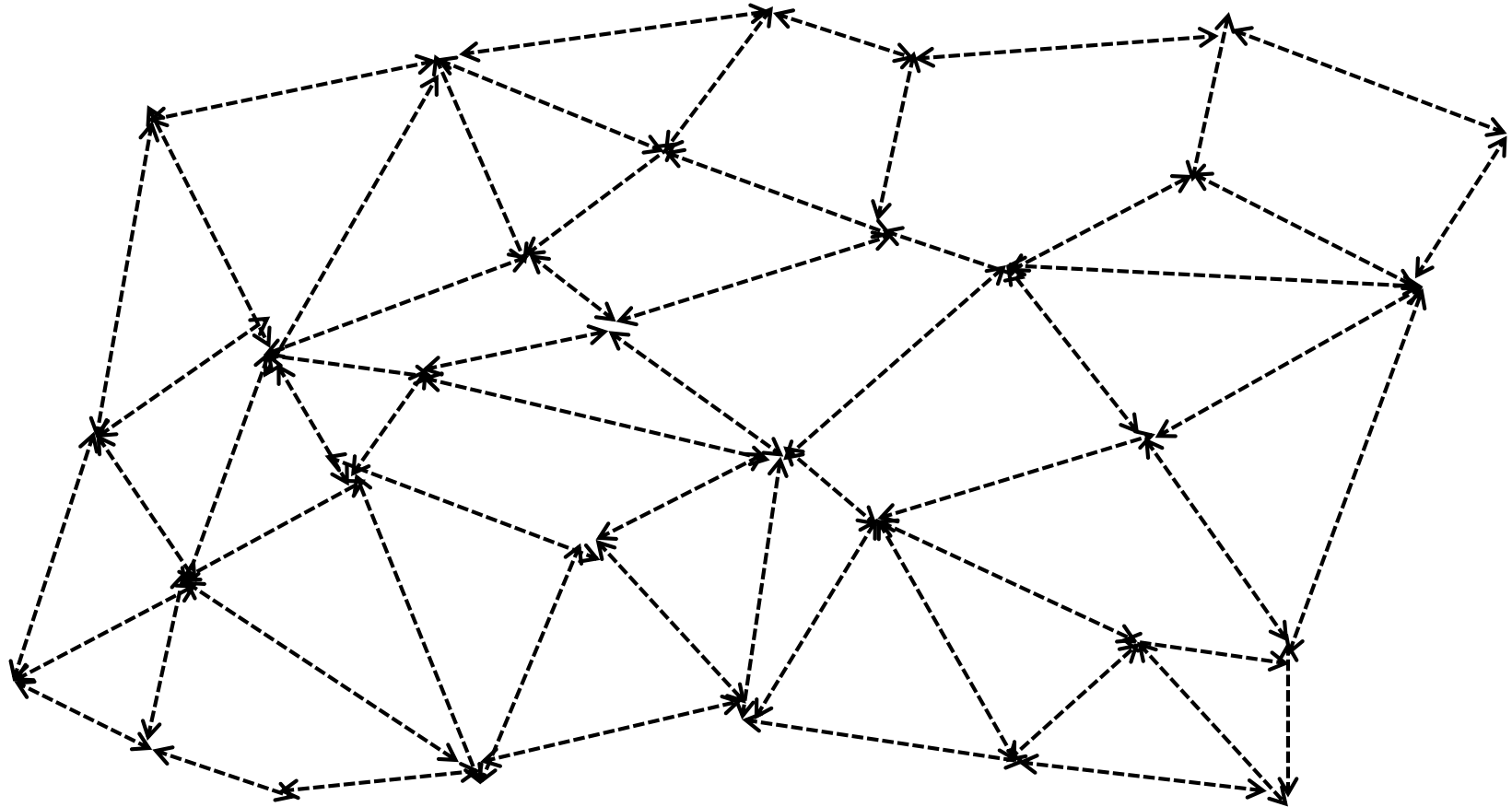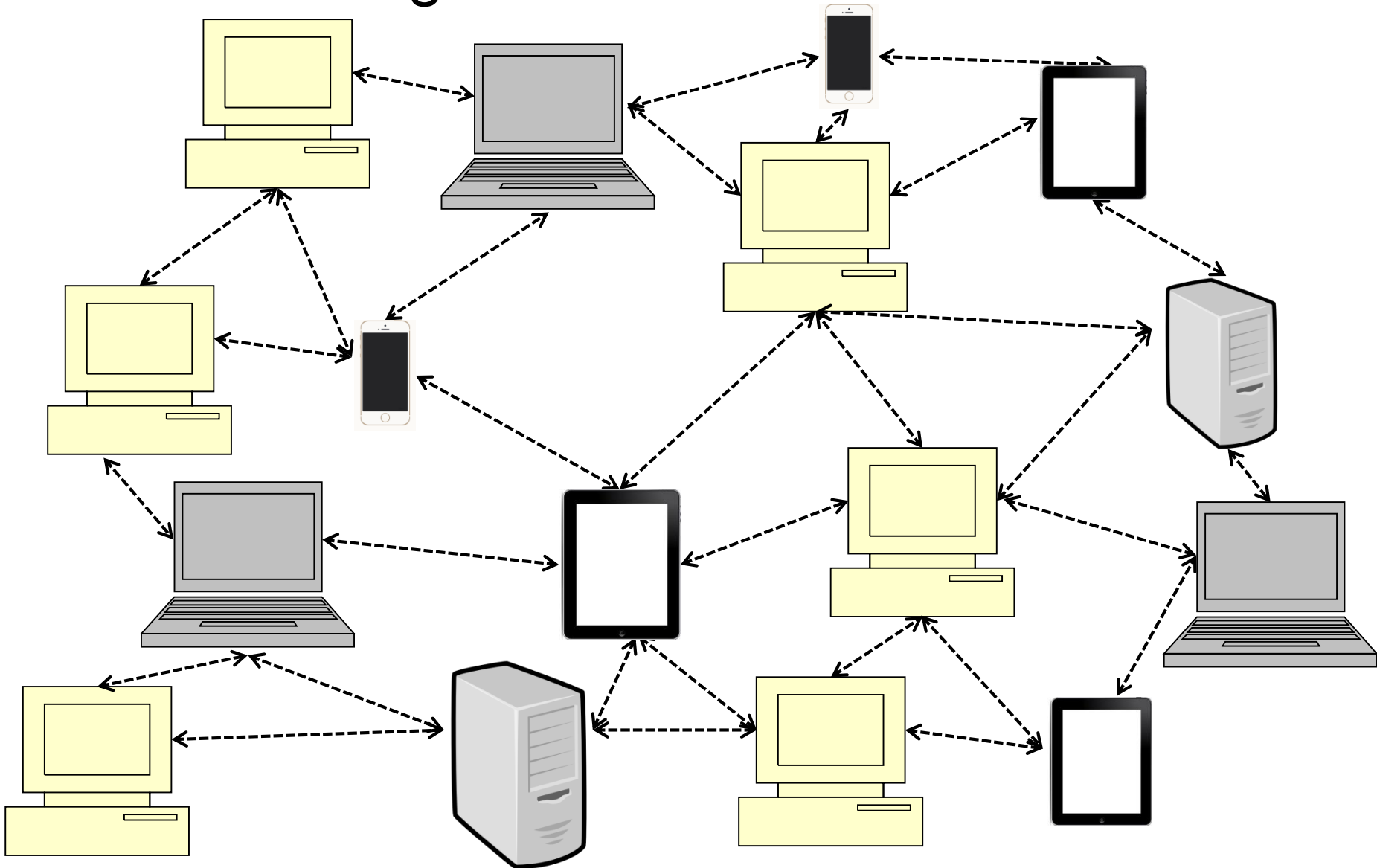
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It grew …

It grew … and grew …

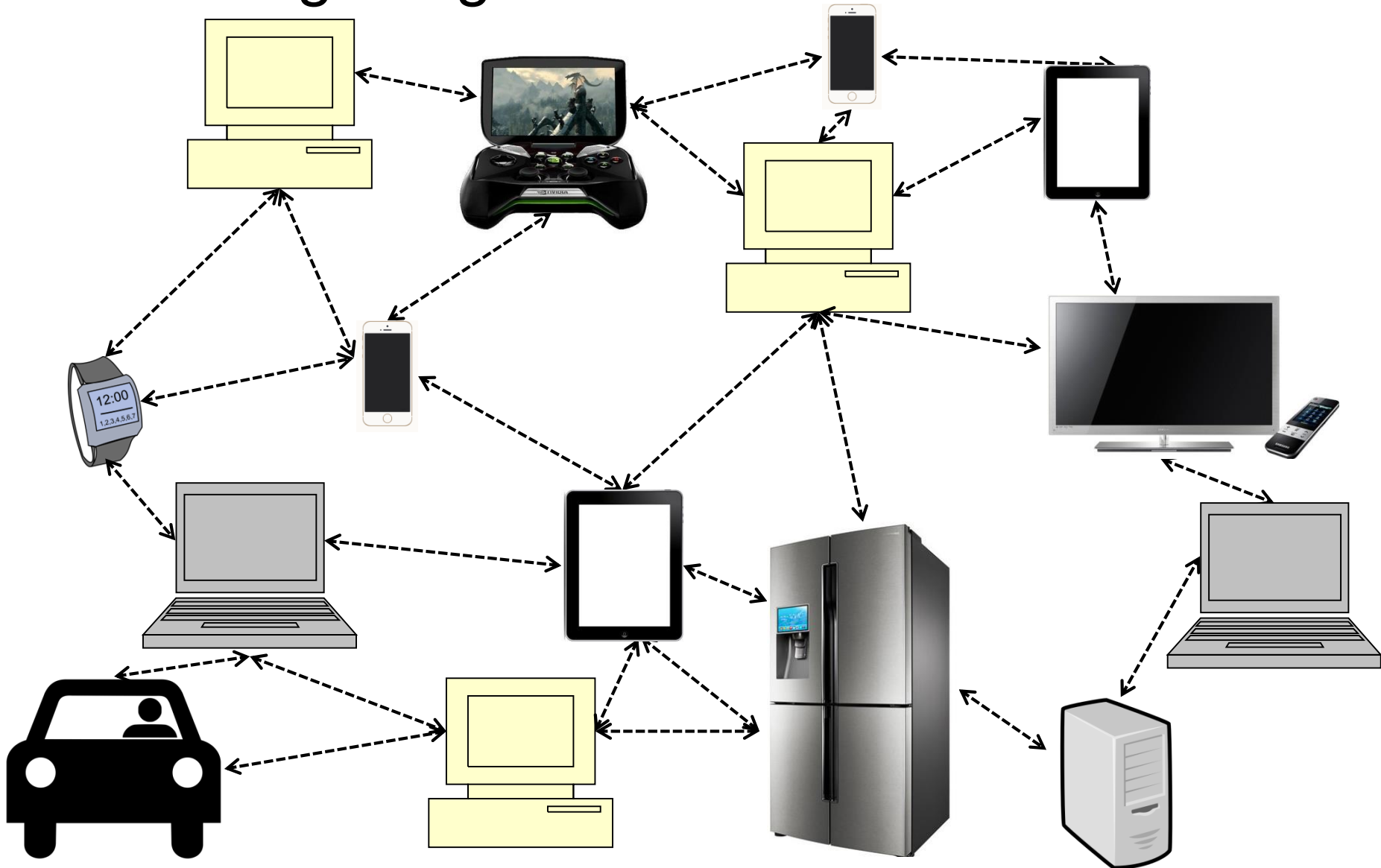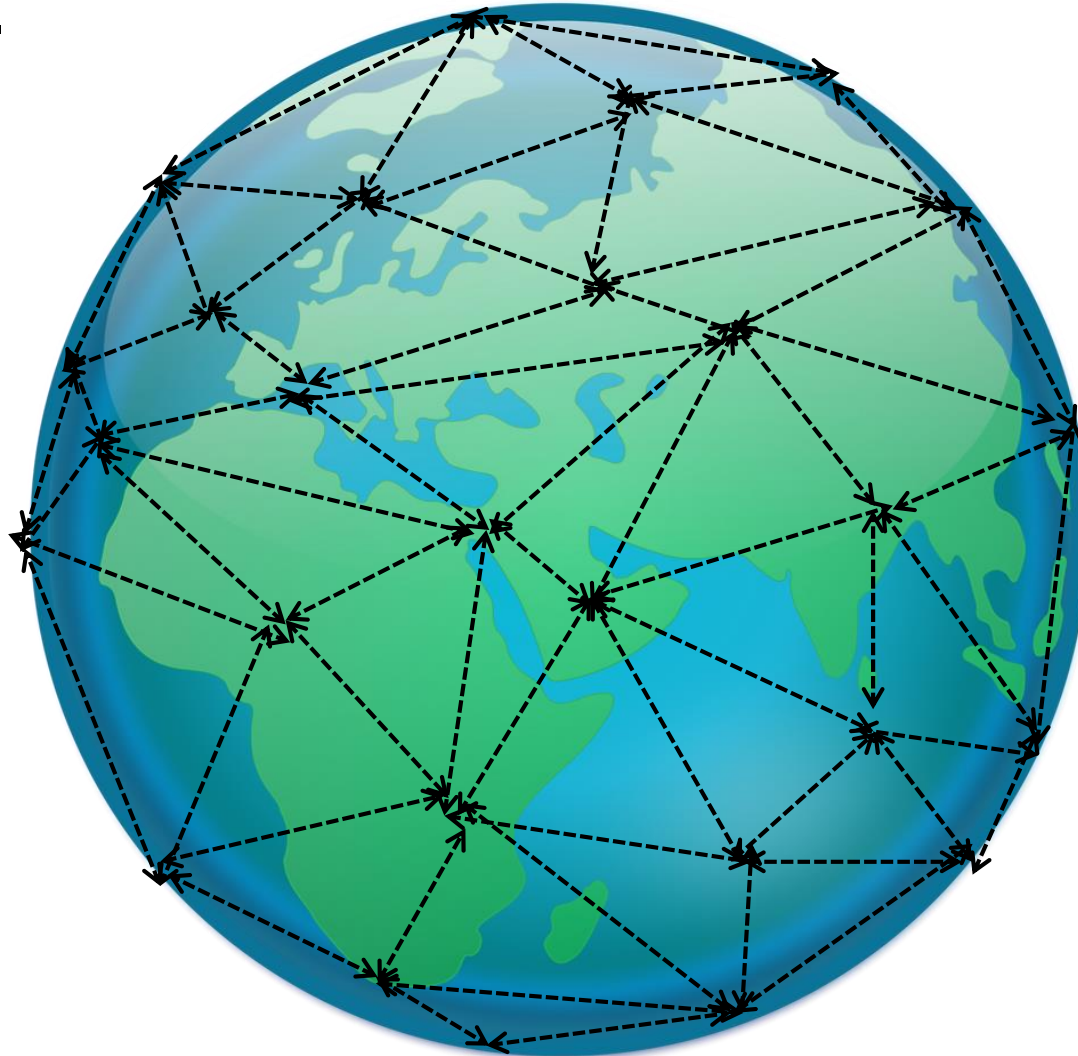# It grew … and made a vast network … the Internet
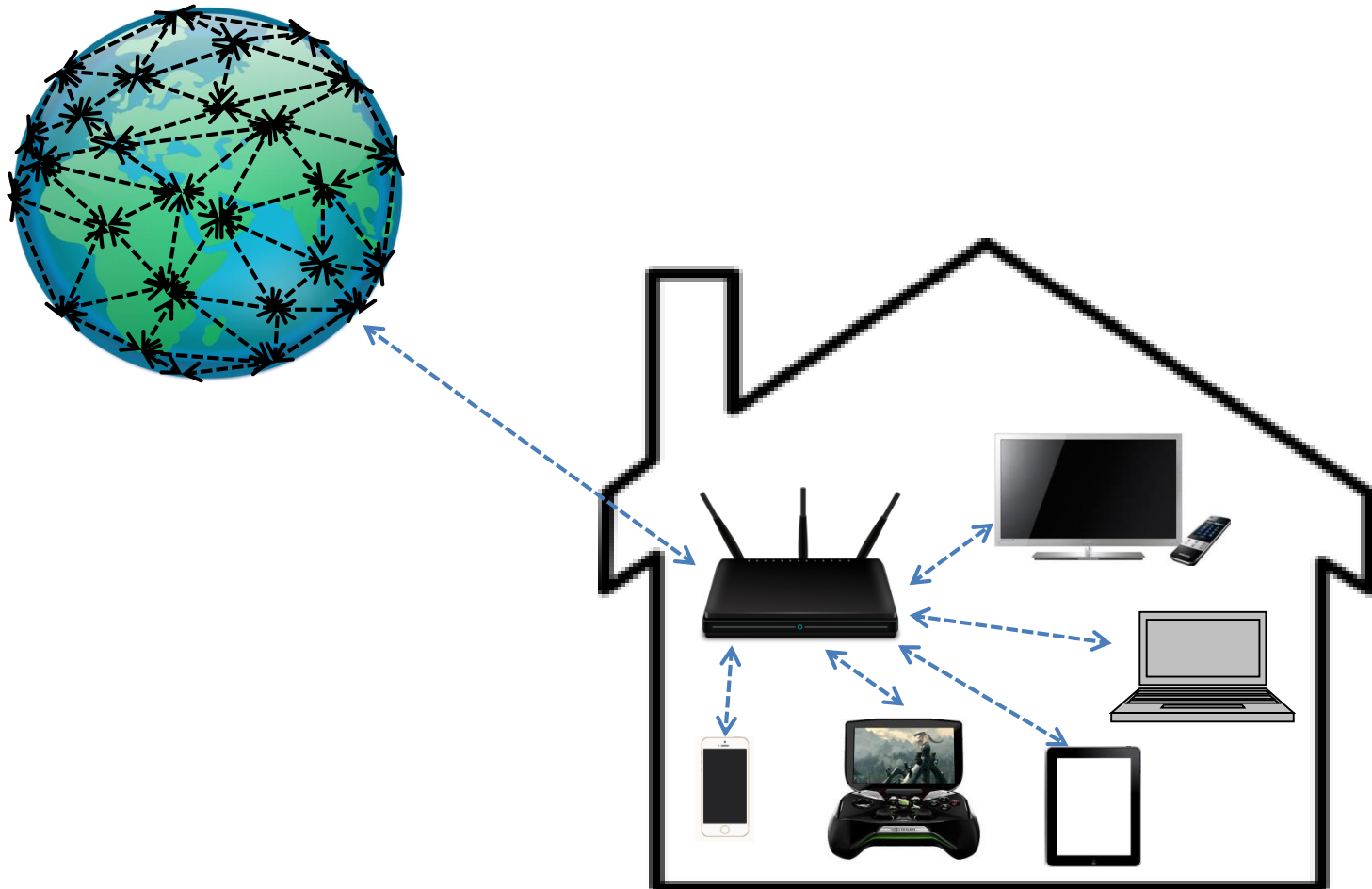
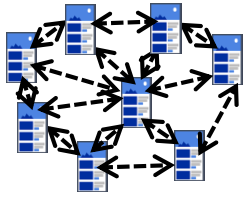# Devices changed over time…

And changed again…

The Internet is a network that continues to grow and joins up devices all over the world.

Look for the router that brings the Internet into your home or into your school

We use different services on the Internet.

We use the World Wide Web to find information on web pages.

We send emails as messages to each other.

We can telephone or video call on the internet.

We watch films and programmes through the internet.

We use search engines to find a web page with the information we need.

We can chat to our friends with instant messengers.

We add posts to a blog.

The World Wide Web is one of the internet services available.

Internet

- Make a list of all the devices that you have at home or school that use the internet.