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**AMENDMENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM**

**IFB 003-2022  
E-Rate Internet Access Service – Broadband Internet Access Service  
ADDENDUM 1**

December 16, 2021

Please review the attached document (All Notice/Amendments can be reviewed on our website). Please sign **this acknowledgement page and only return this page**, attention to **KATHRINA O. BAYSON** via fax (671) 472-5001 or via email to [kobayson@gdoe.net](mailto:kobayson@gdoe.net).

I, \_\_\_\_\_, an authorized representative of the company named below, acknowledge receipt of **ADDENDUM 1**, for **IFB 003-2022 E-Rate Internet Access Service – Broadband Internet Access Service**. Number of pages: **13** (including this coversheet).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Company Name (Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Time and Date



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**ADDENDUM 1**

**Prospective Bidders:**

Please refer to our **Invitation for Bid No. 003-2022 E-Rate Internet Access Service – Broadband Internet Access Service**, a copy of which was obtained by your company for consideration.

Please see below response to questions submitted by Prospective Bidder(s):

**Docomo Pacific**

1. In reference to 2.3.1.10., aside from the required standard jumper cable, please advise if the bidder will be required to furnish the 10G SFP+ module for the respective routers or if GDOE already has 10G SFP+ modules in place. If 10G SFP+ modules are in place at both locations, please confirm the type of 10G SFP+. E.g., 10GBASE-T, 10GBASE-SR, 10GBASE-SR, etc.

***GDOE Response: Yes, the Bidder will furnish the 10G SFP+ modules for all required ports.***

2. In reference to 2.3.1.11., please confirm if the SFP noted will be for the bidder's equipment or GDOE's equipment.

***GDOE Response: The SFP will be for the Bidder's equipment and GDOE's equipment.***

3. Kindly request for a copy of the current vendor invoice

***GDOE Response: See Addendum 1, Attachment A – Current Broadband Service Invoice.***

4. Will the bid opening be in person or online?

***GDOE Response: Bid Opening will be via video conference. Please refer to Section 3.1.5 of the IFB for video conference link.***

5. Please confirm if the wages for the wage determination that is included in the bid packet sufficient for bid submittal?

***GDOE Response: It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure that the most recent wage determination is included in their bid submission.***

6. If Bid packet was downloaded from online, please confirm if there is a fee for the bid packet downloaded?

***GDOE Response: A \$10.00 fee is only required for hard-copy pick-ups.***

7. Please confirm if an appointment is required to submit bid?

***GDOE Response: GDOE is currently open to the public. Appointment is not required at this time. Please refer to Section 3.1.4 of the IFB.***

8. On the bid form, please confirm if the total bid pricing submitted should be based on 6000Mbps (with 50% bursting) or 9000Mbps (inclusive of 50% bursting)

***GDOE Response: The total bid price submitted should be based on 6000 Mbps with 50% bursting and the one-time installation charge.***

9. Please confirm when GDOE plans to make award and when the effective date will be?

***GDOE Response: Award will be made upon completion of the review and evaluation of all submissions. Effective date shall be no earlier than July 1, 2022. Refer to Section 3.2.4 of the IFB.***

**GTA**

10. Please confirm that this IFB is not a Multi-Step bid.

***GDOE Response: This IFB is not a Multi-Step Bid.***

11. Please confirm if GDOE requires that fiber infrastructure be fully buried for both locations.

***GDOE Response: Not a requirement.***

12. Should buried fiber be required, please advise if GDOE will accept an aerial fiber transport as a temporary solution connecting to JFK, if Government permitting build is delayed.

***GDOE Response: GDOE accepts aerial fiber transport.***

13. In reference to 2.2. Purpose, please provide the most recent invoice of GDOE's current broadband service.

***GDOE Response: See Addendum 1, Attachment A – Current Broadband Service Invoice.***

14. Referencing 2.3.1.9 please provide GDOE's current port configuration. Please confirm that the current configuration shall be set up at both locations.

***GDOE Response: See port configuration table below.***

LOCATION / GDOE'S EQUIPMENT	NUMBER OF PORTS
<b>Central Data Center – Tiyan NOC</b>	
Sonicwall 15700 Active	3
Sonicwall 15700 Standby	3
Sonicwall 9650 Active	1
Sonicwall 9650 Standby	1
<b>Northern Data Center – JFK HS</b>	
Sonicwall 15700 Active	2
Sonicwall 15700 Standby	2

15. Referencing 2.3.1.21. please clarify why GDOE is requesting ISP to provide a read-only access to the Switch/ and or route that is connected to the GDOE network.

***GDOE Response: The read-only access is to better monitor GDOE's broadband activities at the ISP's switch/router that is connected to the GDOE network.***

16. In reference to 2.3.3.8, please confirm when services will be awarded to meet the E-Rate and USAC delivery timeline.

***GDOE Response: Award will be made upon completion of the review and evaluation of all submissions. Effective date shall be no earlier than July 1, 2022. Refer to Section 3.2.4 of the IFB.***

17. Referencing 2.3.1.1.3, Please confirm if the maximum increase will be within the required 6000mbps with 50% burstable CIR.

***GDOE Response: Confirmed. The maximum increase capacity between the two locations (Central Data Center – Tiyan NOC and Northern Data Center – JFKHS) will be within the required aggregated broadband capacity of 6000 Mbps with 50% bursting.***

18. Should bandwidth requirements increase over the required 6000mbps with 50% burstable, please revise bid form to reflect optional bandwidth requirements for the bidder for future increases.

***GDOE Response: The aggregated bandwidth capacity will not increase over 6000 Mbps with 50% bursting within the term of the award.***

19. Referencing 2.3.1.31.1., Will GDOE provide a port on their Sonicwall Firewall so that we can have a seamless continuation of service?

***GDOE Response: Yes.***

20. Please confirm the term of this award

***GDOE Response: Please refer to Section 2.3.3.6. and Section 3.2.4 of the IFB for the term of this award***

21. Please provide the past 12 months broadband internet usage report.

***GDOE Response: See Addendum 1, Attachment B – Broadband Internet Usage Report.***

All else remains the same.

Sincerely,

  
CARMEN T. CHARFAUROS  
Supply Management Administrator

**Addendum No. 1**  
**IFB 003-2022 E-Rate Internet Access Service – Broadband**  
**Internet Access Service**

**ATTACHMENT A**  
**Current Broadband Service Invoice**



185 Ilipog Drive, Ste. 204A  
Tamuning, Guam 96931  
Phone: 671-300-0200  
Fax: 671-300-0265

## *Invoice*

**Invoice #:** 220725  
**Invoice Date:** 12/01/2021  
**Terms:** Due Upon Receipt

**Bill To:**  
Department of Education  
Government of Guam  
500 Mariner Avenue  
Barrigada, GU 96913-1608

**Ship To:**  
Financial, Student, Administrative  
Information Systems (FSAIS)  
500 Mariner Avenue  
Barrigada, GU 96913-1608  
ATTENTION: Data Processing Manager  
and/or E-Rate Contact Person

IFB 008-2019 Broadband Internet Access  
Vendor: 10157  
Vendor SPIN: 143026234  
Vendor EIN: 96-0001523

### **Services Rendered:**

Broadband Internet Access: (2GB w/50% bursting) December 01-31, 2021 service period	\$11,760.00
<b>Total Amount Due to Pacific Data Systems</b>	<b>\$11,760.00</b>

**I certify that the above bill is just and correct;  
that payment therefor has not been received.**

**Pacific Data Systems**

by: \_\_\_\_\_

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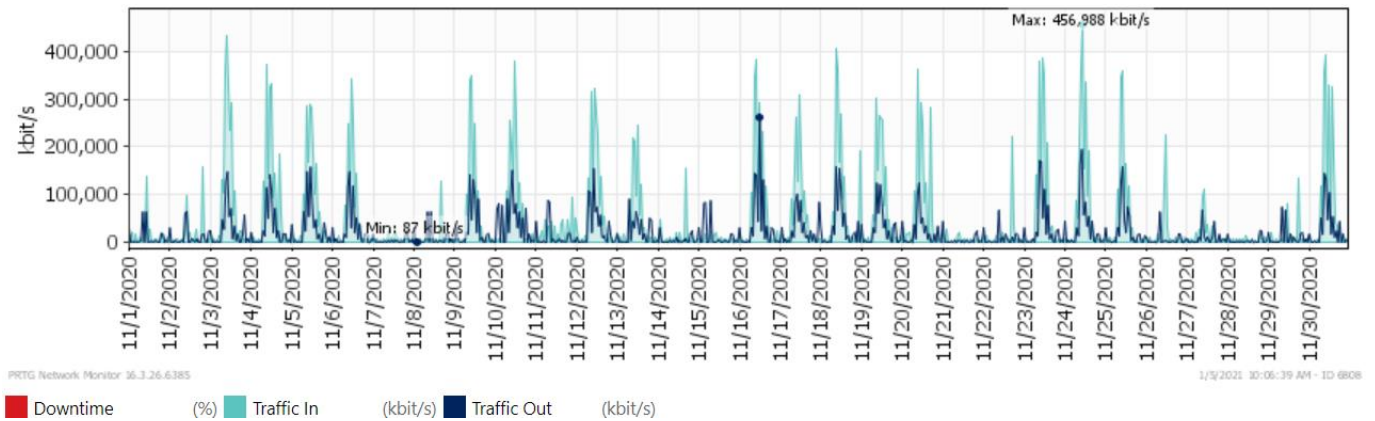
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**ATTACHMENT B**  
**Broadband Internet Usage Report**

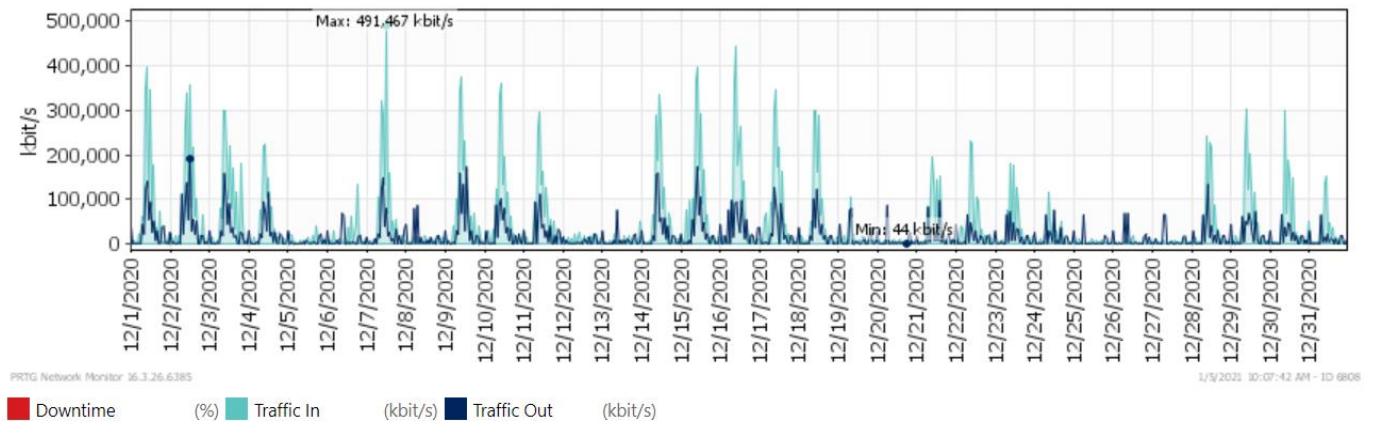
**Usage Report**  
**November 2020 – November 2021**  
**GDOE Aggregate**



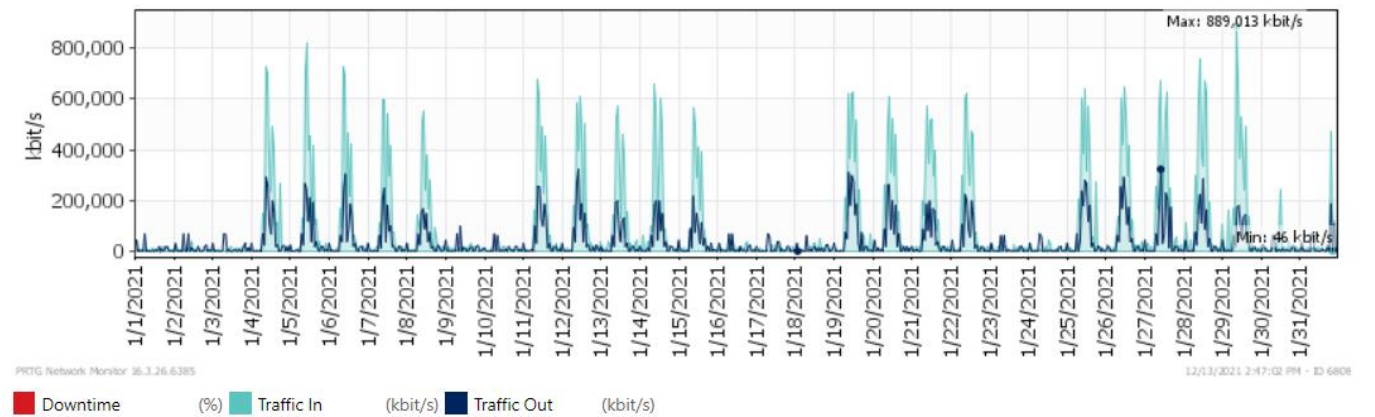
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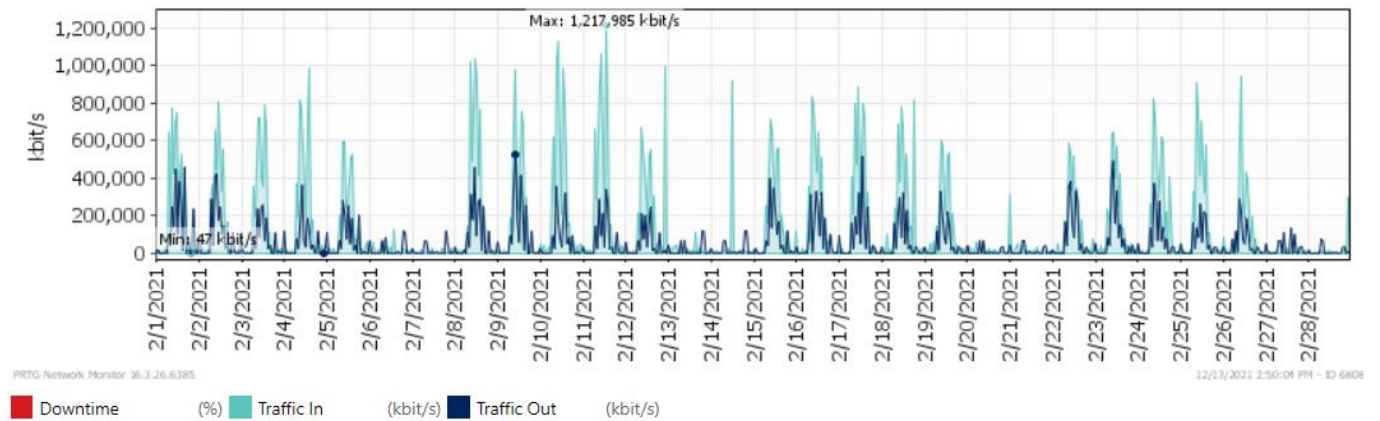
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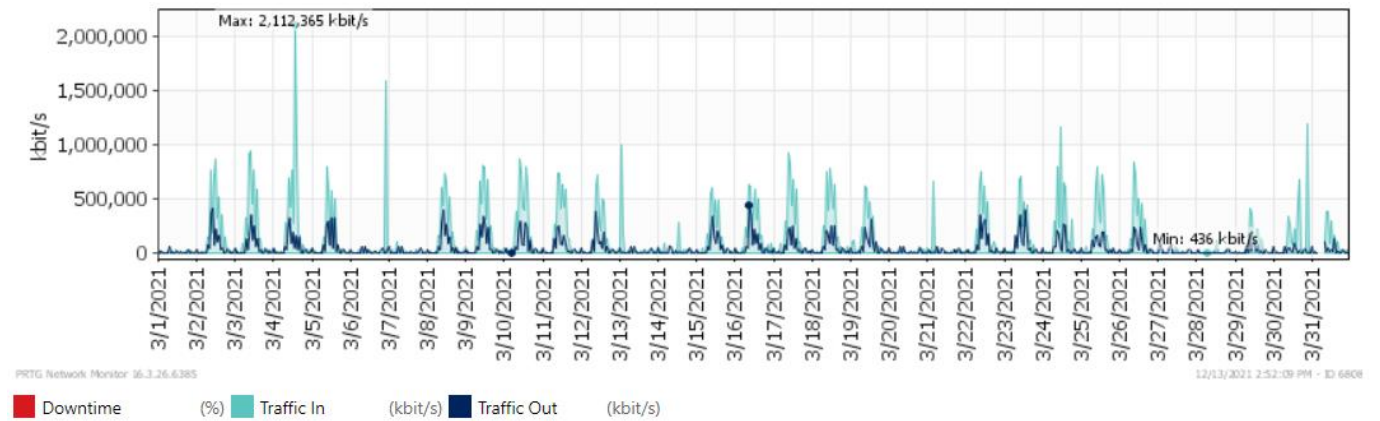
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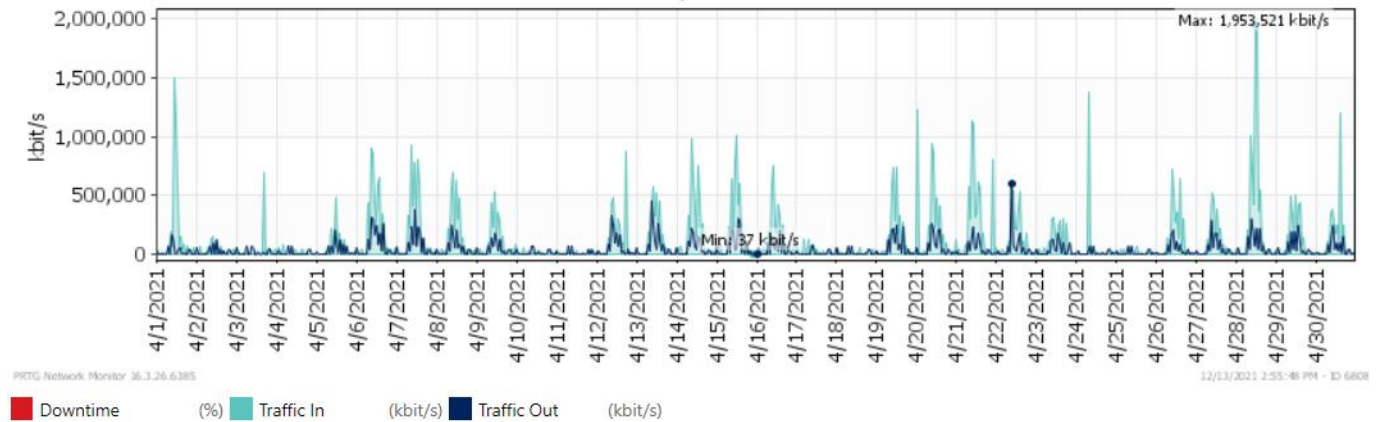
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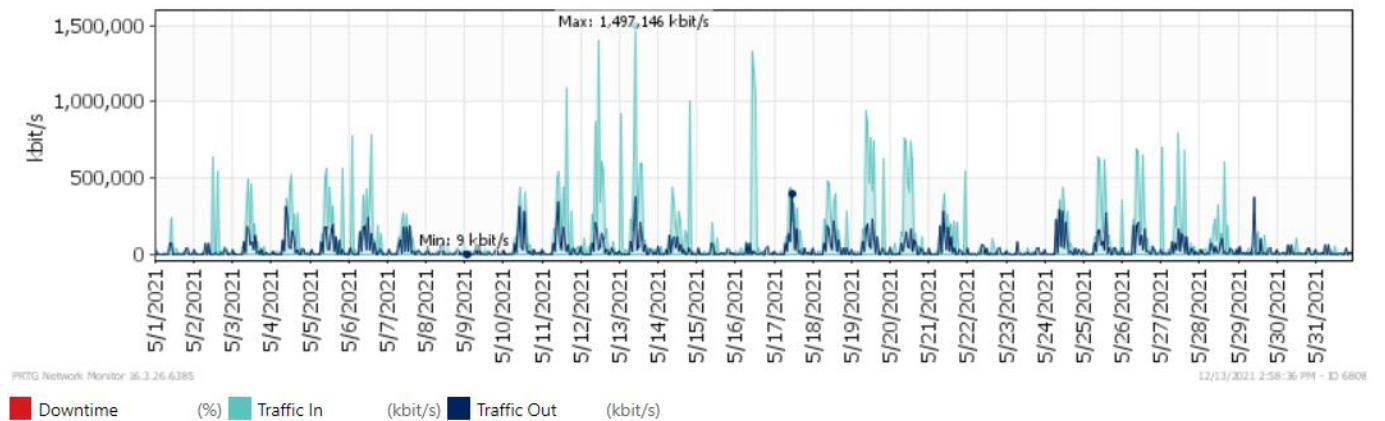
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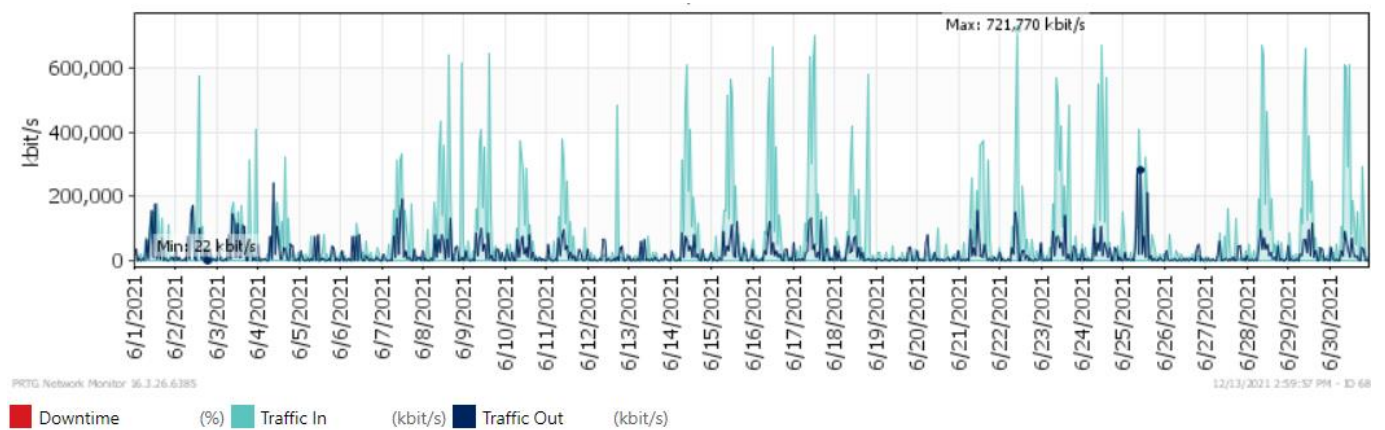
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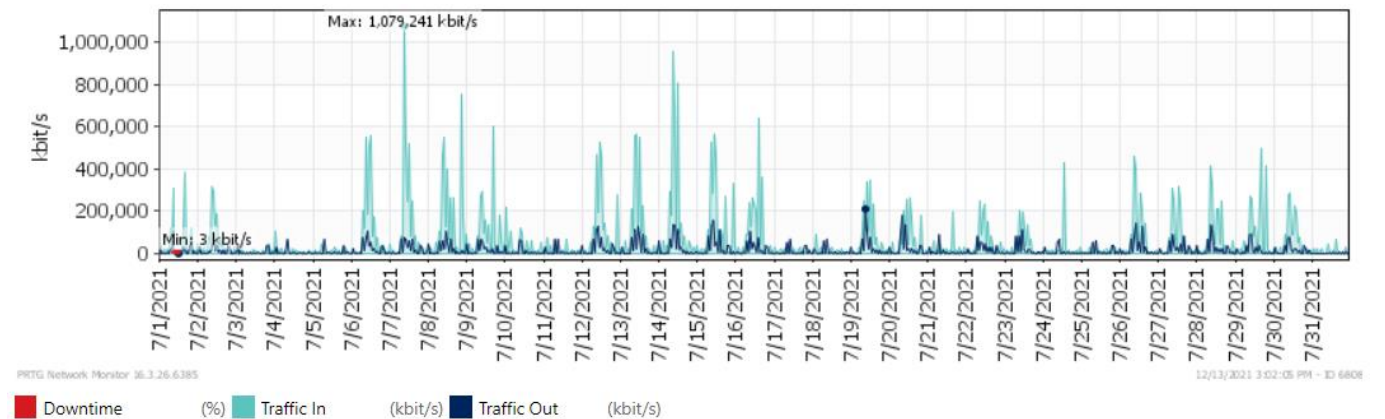
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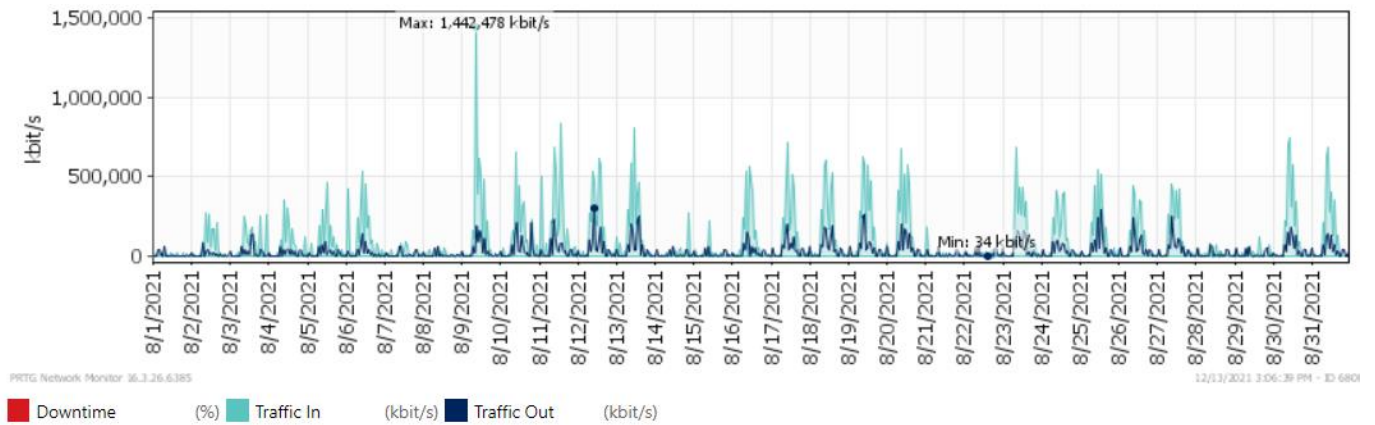


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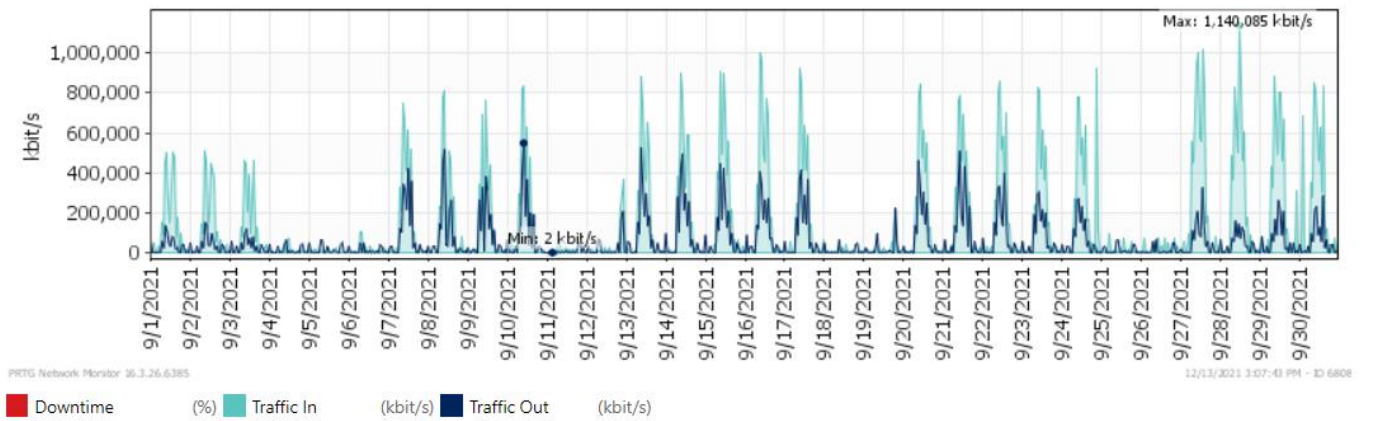




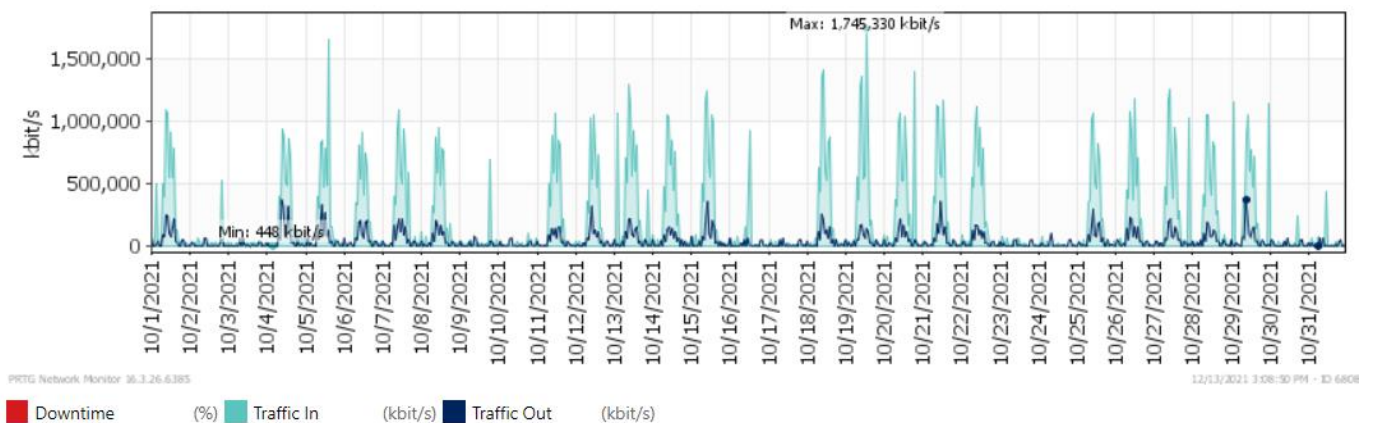
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## September



## October



## November

