





## Just Build More Powerful Data Center?

- VHS quality video streaming: 500 kbps (H.264/VC-1)
  - 200,000 viewers = 100 Gbps
  - DTV quality: 1Mbps
  - DVD quality: 1.5-2Mbps
  - HD quality: 6-10Mbps
- Data center capacity: Tera Grid
  - 30 petabyte of storage
  - 40 Gbps backbone: 80k video viewers
  - 70 days to retrieve all data through the backbone network

## Can CDN Help?

- Akamai
  - 20,000 servers, 900 point of presence, 71 countries
  - 300Gbps bandwidth
- Limelight
  - 25 point of presence, hundreds servers per presence
  - 1,000Gbps bandwidth
- Combined: 2.6 million viewers.
- Current TV audience
  - Olympics: 2.5 billion viewers
    - Each viewer may have his/her own interest (different sport event, athlete nationality, etc.)













