

# MD1230 Family

## Data Quality Analyzer

# **MD1230B**

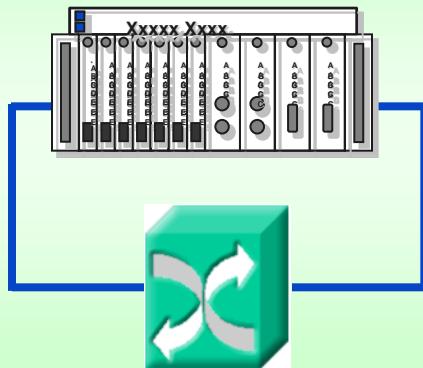
# **Product Introduction**

**Version 4.00**

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# *What is the MD1230B Family?*

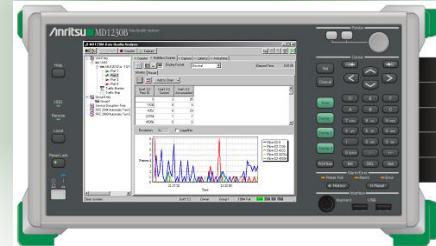
## Performance Tests



## Network Monitoring



## Dual Use



**MD1230B**

# MD1230B Overview

## External Specifications

320 (W) x 350 (D) x 170 (H) mm, 15 kg

## OS

Windows® XP professional

## Front Panel

Pointing device

More USB ports (2)

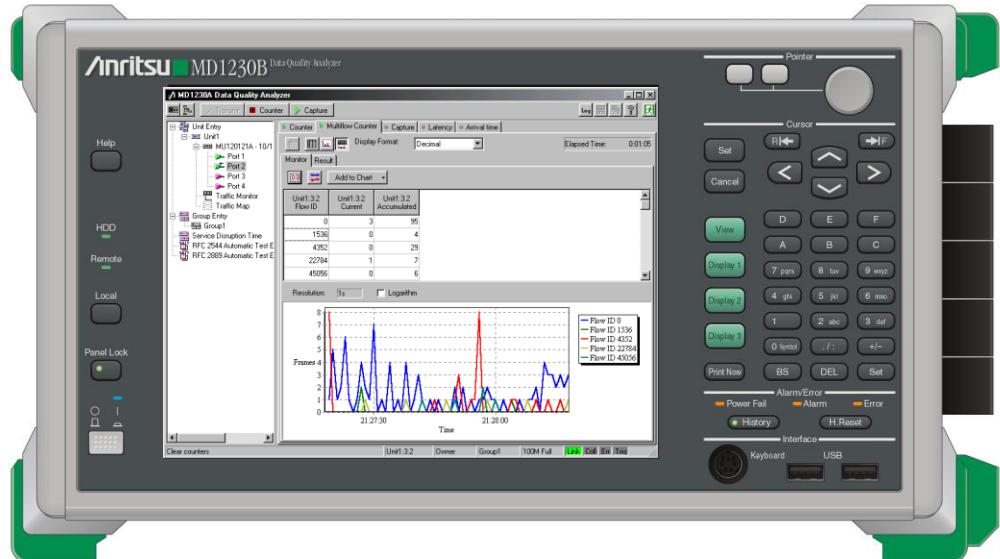
Alphabetic input keys

## Bigger Power Supply

650 VA

## Five interface module slots

- ◊ Ethernet (10/100/1000 M, 1 GbE, 10 GbE)

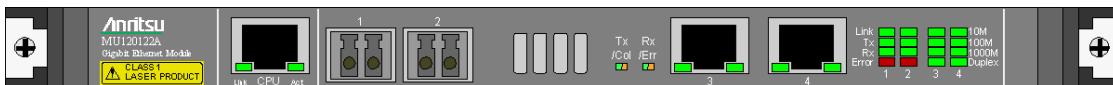


# Interface Modules

## Power Protocol Modules



MU120121A 10/100/1000M Ethernet Module



MU120122A Gigabit Ethernet Module

## Express Flow Modules



MU120131A 10/100/1000M Ethernet Module



MU120132A Gigabit Ethernet Module



MU120138A 10 Gigabit Ethernet Module

## Application Tests

Traffic Impairment Emulator

Routing Protocol  
(OSPFv2/v3, BGP4+,  
MPLS, PIM-SMv2)

Multicast (IGMP/IGAP,  
MLD/MLDA)

## Enhanced Performance Tests

10M/100M/1000M

I/F(MU120131A),

Multi-flow Counter, Multiple VLAN,

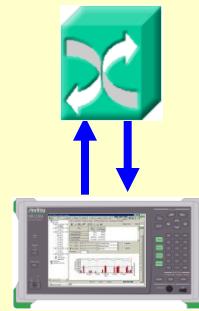
Clock Tolerance, 1 ms

Traffic Monitor(excludes 10GbE I/F), PON, Multiport

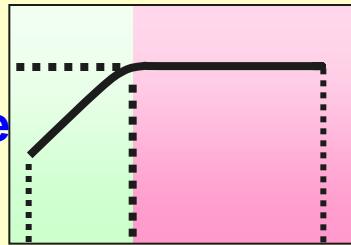
# Applications

- Four Major Functions in One Tester

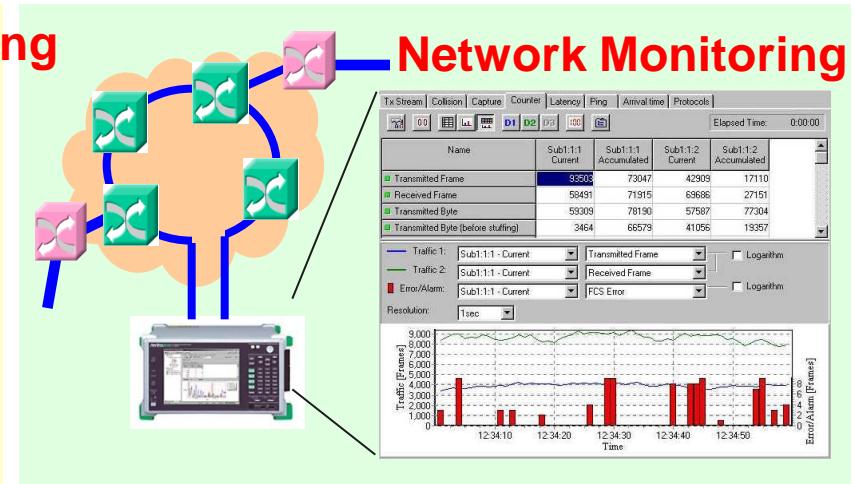
## Traffic Generation and Performance Testing



Rate

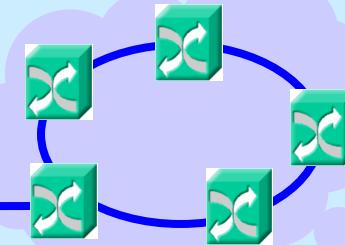


RFC2544, RFC2889 Frame Length



## Protocol Emulation

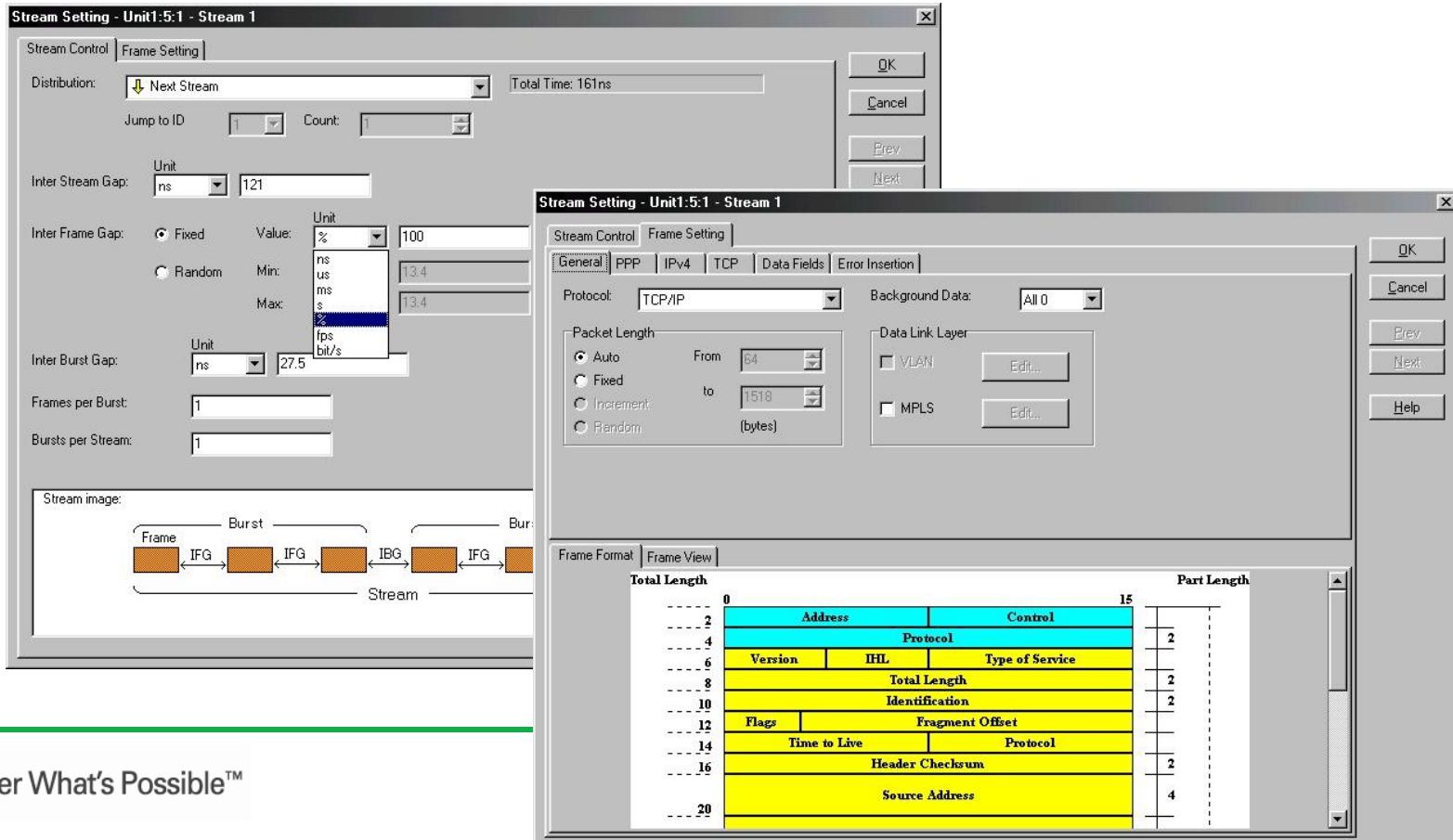
BGP4  
IGMP  
ARP  
MPLS  
OSPF  
PING  
PPP  
IGAP



# Features—Full-Wire-Speed Packet Generation

## Layer 2/3/4 Traffic Generation

- ◆ Full-wire-speed measurements
- ◆ Packet lengths: Supports both Short and Jumbo frames



# **Features—Counters and Monitoring**

## **Real-time Counting and Monitoring**

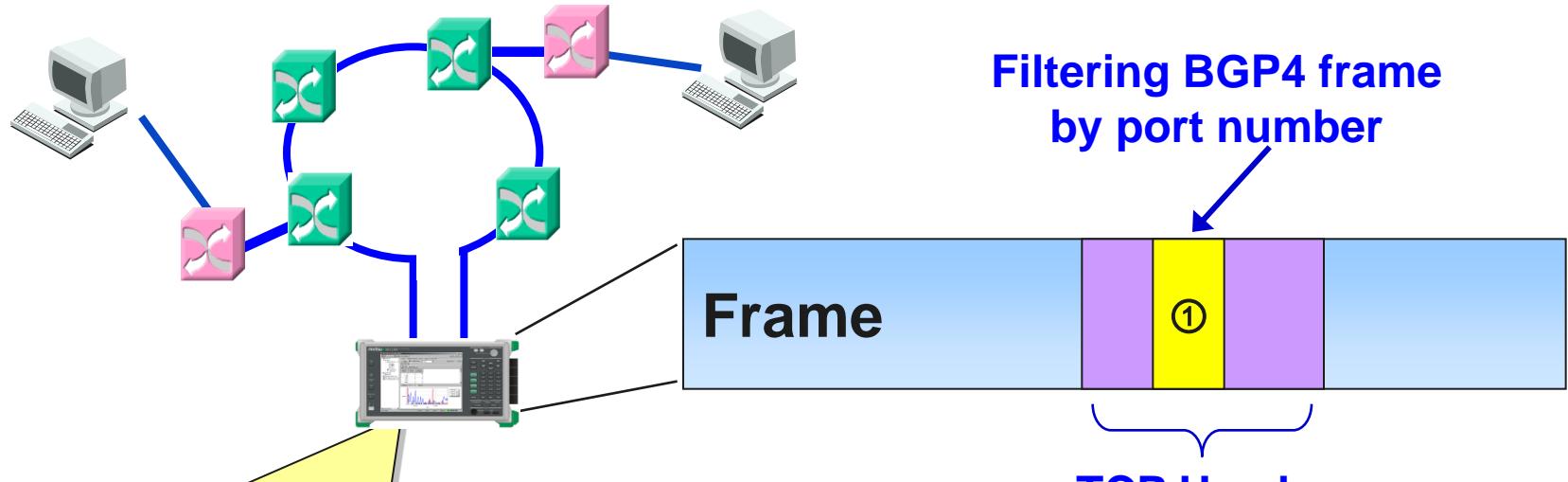
- ◆ **Packet inter-arrival time (Packet Jitter)/Packet Latency**
- ◆ **Many packet counters**
  - ❖ 8 levels of QoS counters (VLAN, DiffServ)
  - ❖ Transmitted Frame/Byte, Received Frame/Byte
  - ❖ Errors (Fragments, Undersize, Oversize, FCS, Collision, IP/TCP header checksum, etc.)
  - ❖ Multi-flow Counter (Up to 255 flows)
- ◆ **User-edited filter counters**
  - ❖ Filtered traffic measured using two user-edited 32/128-bit data pattern filters per port

# Features—Filter and Capture Controls

## Filter and Capture Controls

- ◆ Extensive controls for data capture and filter

- ◆ Example: Troubleshooting network routing problems



Use capture control to  
select only BGP4 frame.

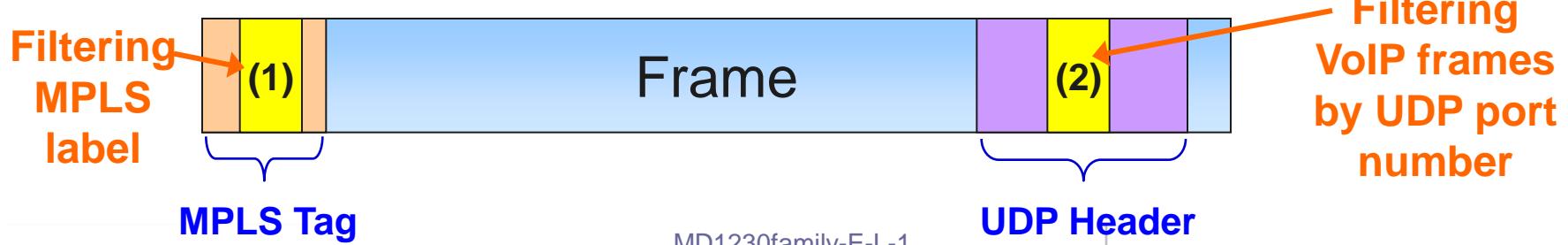
# Features—Filter and Capture Controls

## Filter and Trigger Conditions for Data Capture

### ◆ Independent settings for each port

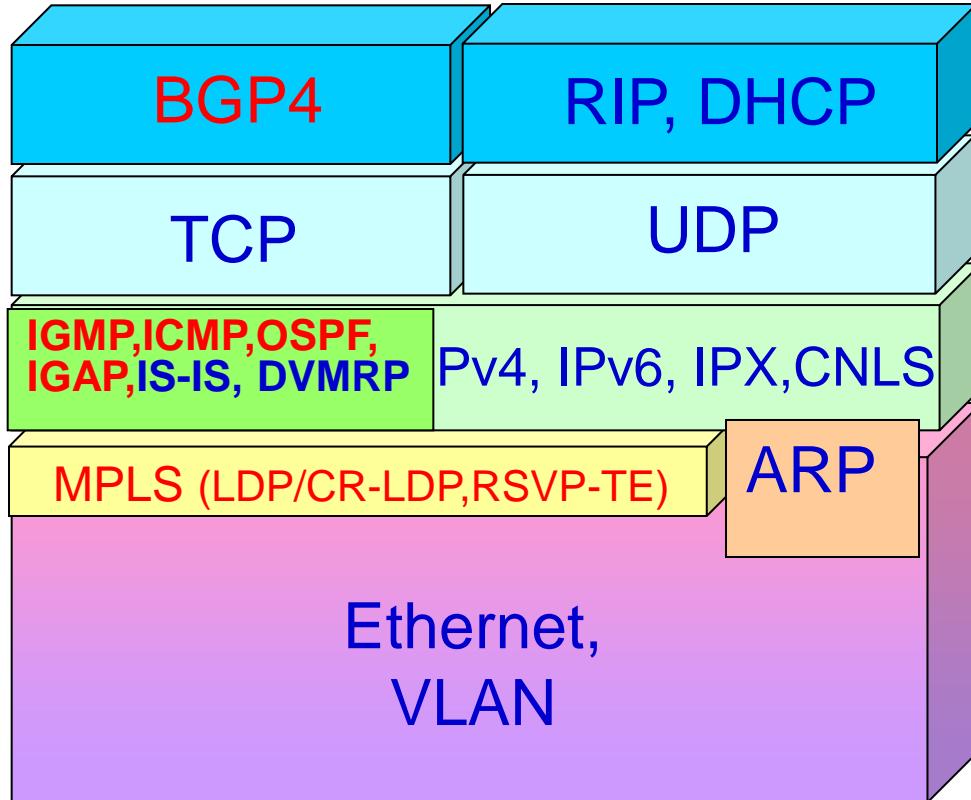
- ❖ Source IP/MAC address
- ❖ Destination IP/MAC address
- ❖ Two user-defined 32-/128-bit patterns at any offset
- ❖ Various errors
- ❖ Latency overflow (Trigger function only)
- ❖ Traffic overflow (Trigger function only)
- ❖ External trigger input (Trigger function only)

### Example: Monitoring only VoIP frames in MPLS networks



# Features—Protocol Support

## Layer 2 to 4 Protocols Captured and Decoded



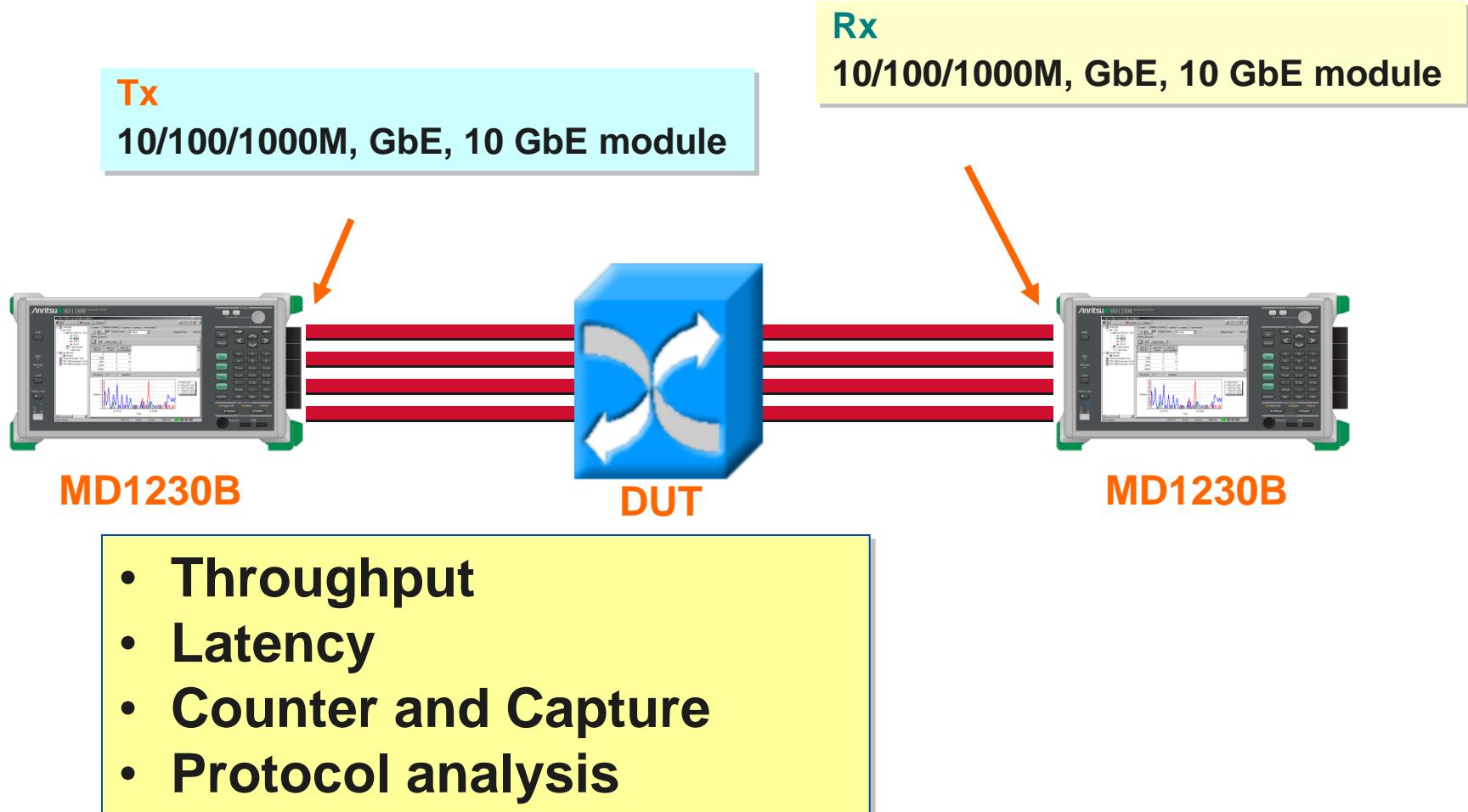
+ **Ethereal/Wireshark  
300 + Decode**

Module	Capture Buffer (per Port)
10/100/1000M Ether	16 MB
1 GbE	16 MB
10 GbE	256 MB

## Standard Protocol Decode Table

# *Applications—Performance Testing*

## Performance Testing



# *Applications—Automatic Testing (RFC2544)*

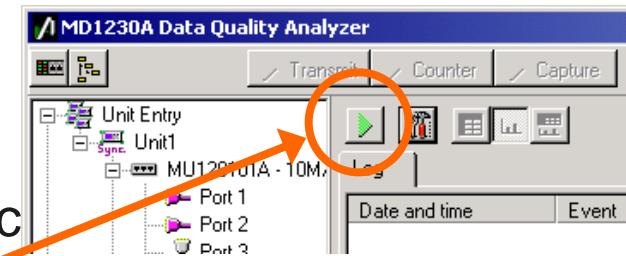
## Automatic Testing (RFC2544)

### ◆ RFC2544

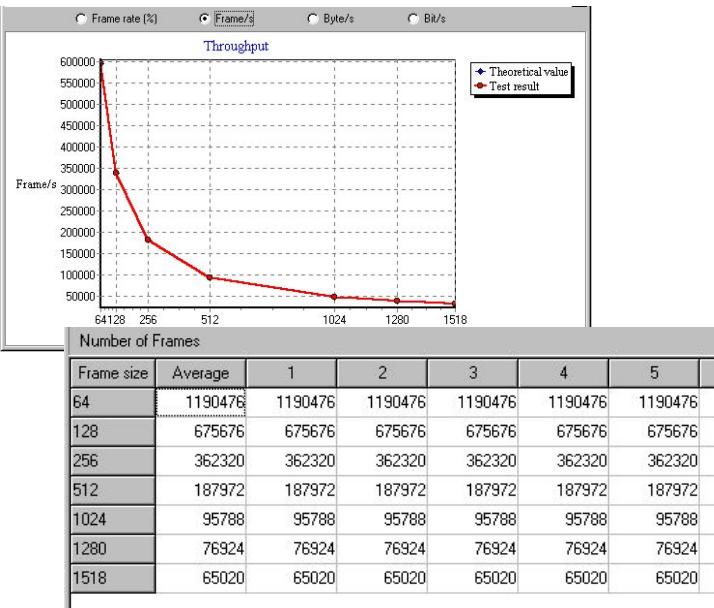
- ❖ Standard benchmark test for networking devices
  - Sequence testing for up to 8 hours



### One-click Operation



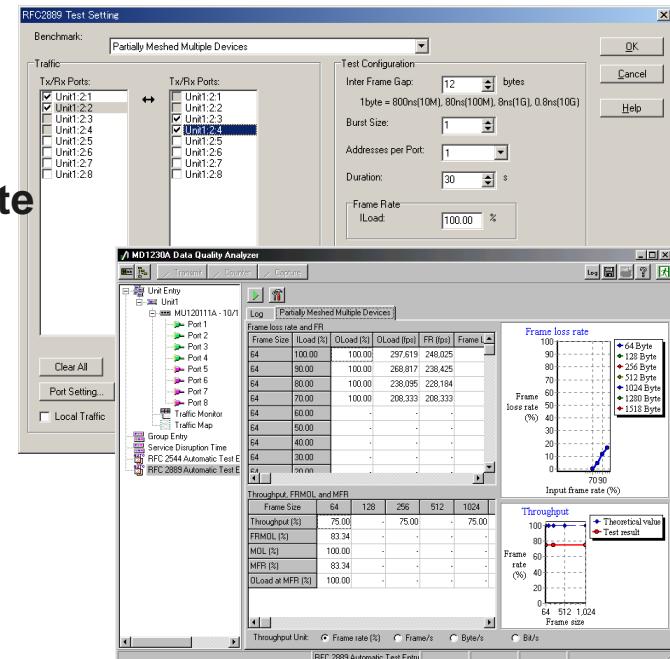
- ❖ Greatly improved testing efficiency
  - No need to start each test separately
- Throughput
  - Back to Back Frames
- Frame Loss Rate
  - System Recovery
- Latency
  - Reset



### Measurement Items

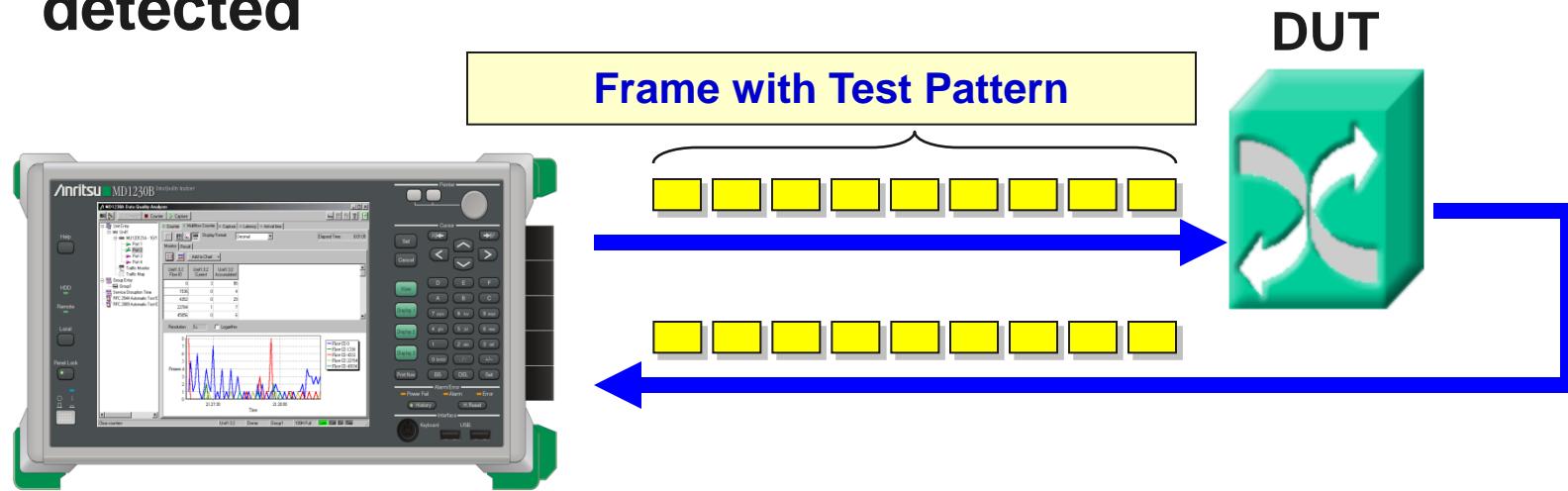
- ◆ Extends methodology defined for benchmarking network interconnecting devices in RFC 2544 to switching devices

1. Fully Meshed Throughput, Frame Loss and Forwarding Rates
2. Partially Meshed One-to-Many/Many-to-One
3. Partially Meshed Multiple Devices
4. Partially Meshed Unidirectional Traffic
5. Congestion Control
6. Forward Pressure and Maximum Forwarding Rate
7. Address Caching Capacity
8. Address Learning Rate
9. Errored Frames Filtering
10. Broadcast Frame Forwarding and Latency



## Packet BER Measurement Function

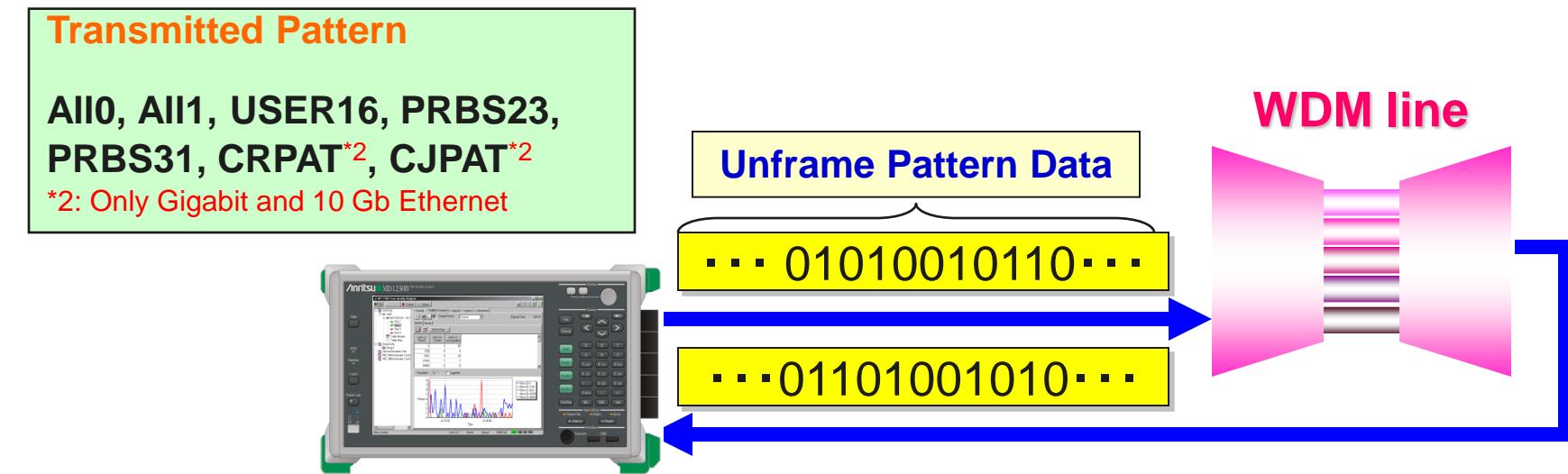
- ◆ PRBS pattern filled into data field of Ethernet frame at Tx side
- ◆ BER calculated at Rx side
- ◆ Measurement incremented when Packet Loss, Transmission in Reverse Order, or Double Delivery detected



# *Applications—BER Measurement*

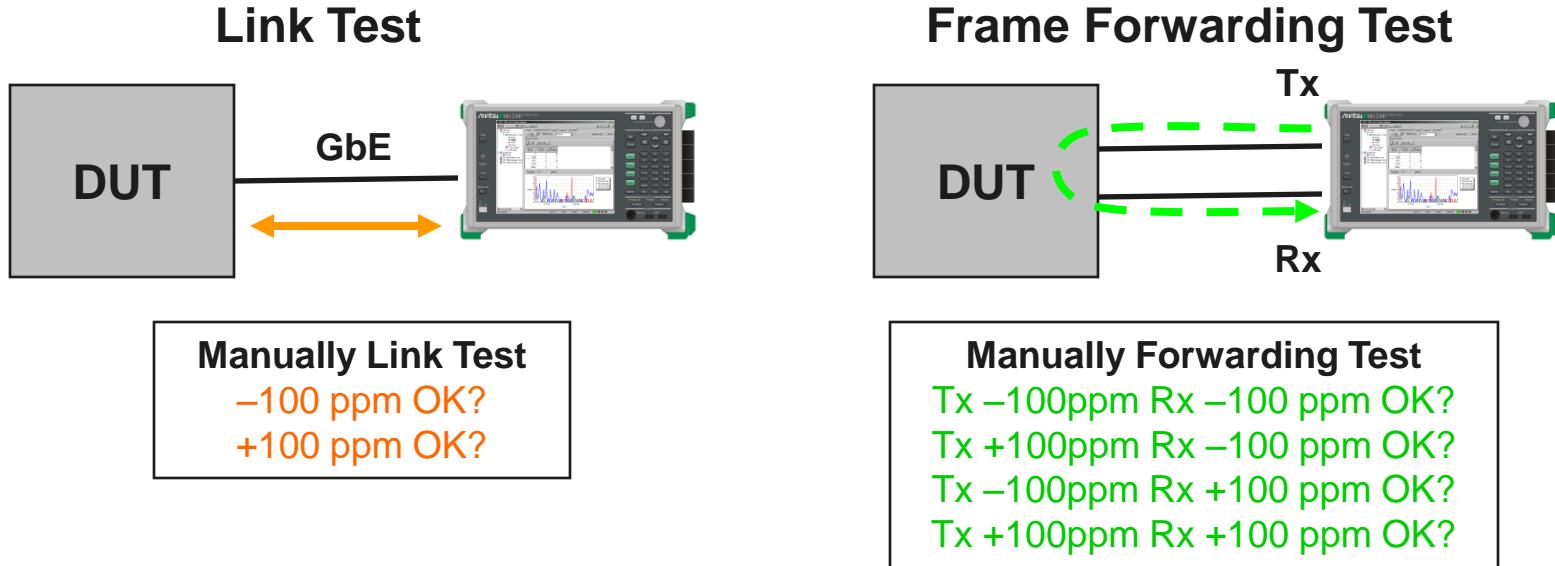
## Unframe BER Measurement Function

- ◆ Carriers prefer to measure BER of communication line
  - ❖ Ethernet Module: Preamble and inter-frame gap inserted in unframe test pattern
- ◆ Error insertion function: Single Error and Rate Error



# Variable Clock

- Power Protocol Modules with Variable Clock
  - ◆ Range: -100 to +100 ppm (clock accuracy: -4 to +4 ppm)

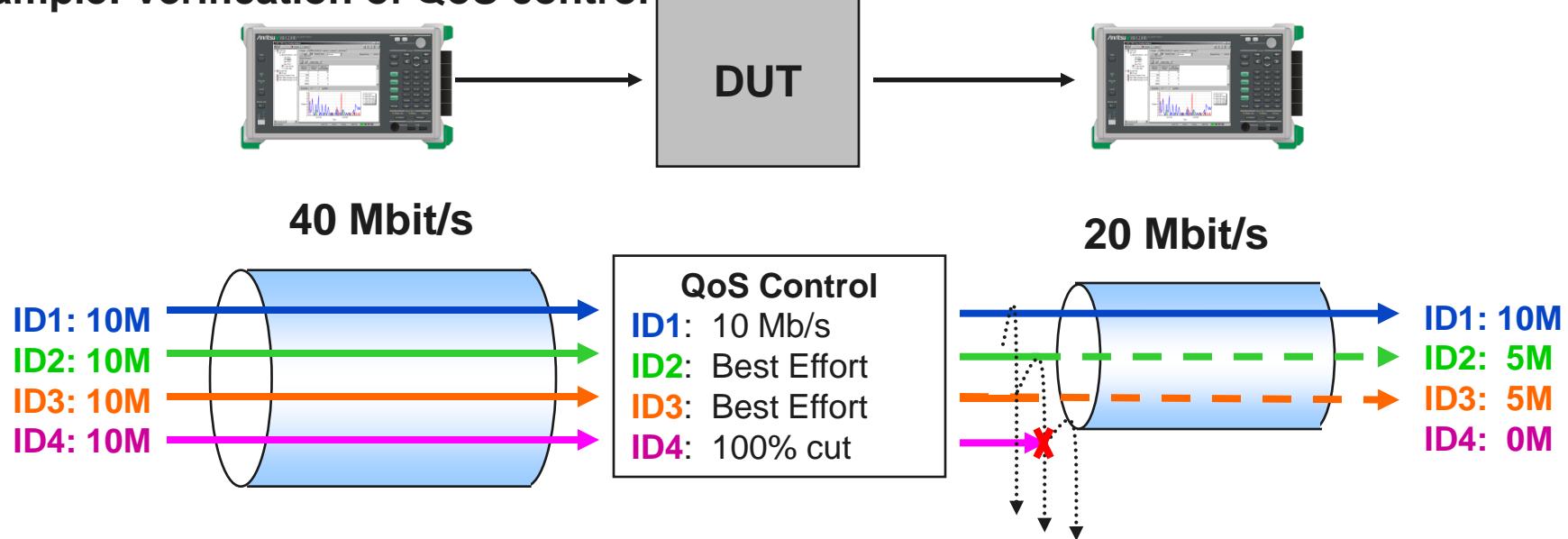


Clock tolerance checks from -100 to +100 ppm

# Flow Verification with Multi-flow Counter

Real-time counting at each individual ID using multi-flow counter

Example: Verification of QoS control

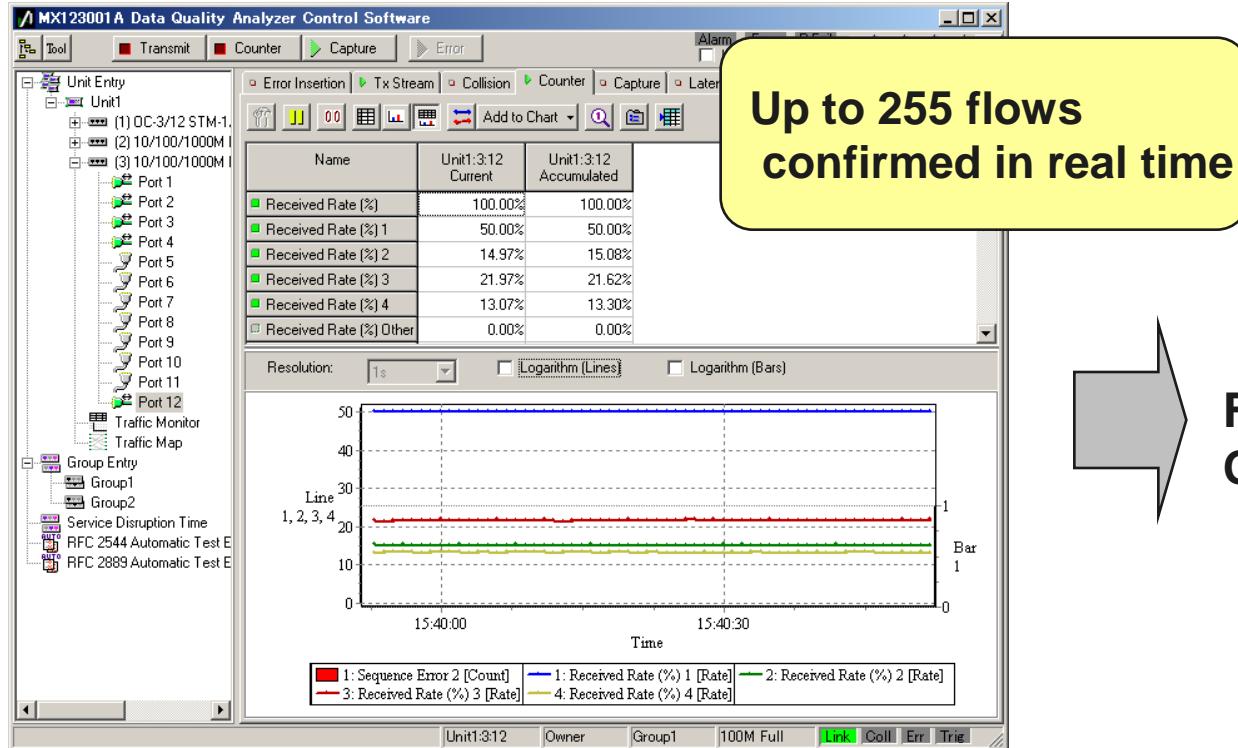


Totaling for specific ID, such as VLAN ID, and measurement by putting up Flow ID when transmitting according to Flow ID

Note: Only supports Ports 1, 2

# Multi-flow Counter Screen

255 flow real-time count function\*

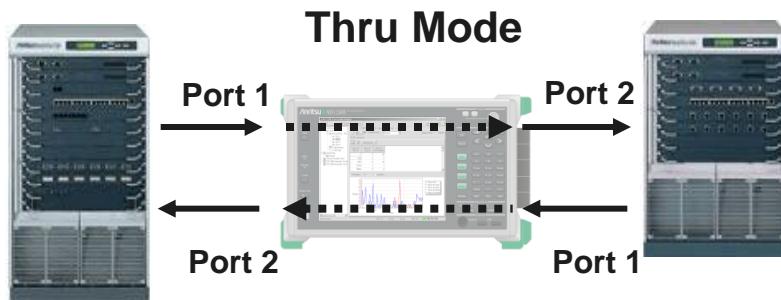


Flow confirmation after  
QoS controlled

\*: MU120131A/32A/38A

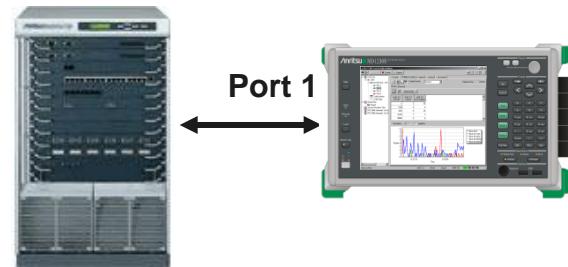
## Auto Negotiation Analysis

### Auto negotiation analysis



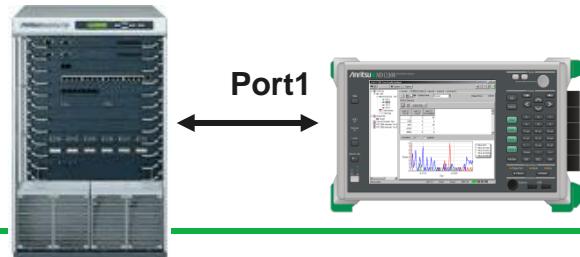
- Confirming auto negotiation sequence
- Confirming interoperability
- Troubleshooting

### Code data transmission function



- Confirming auto negotiation sequence
- Checking illegal code reception

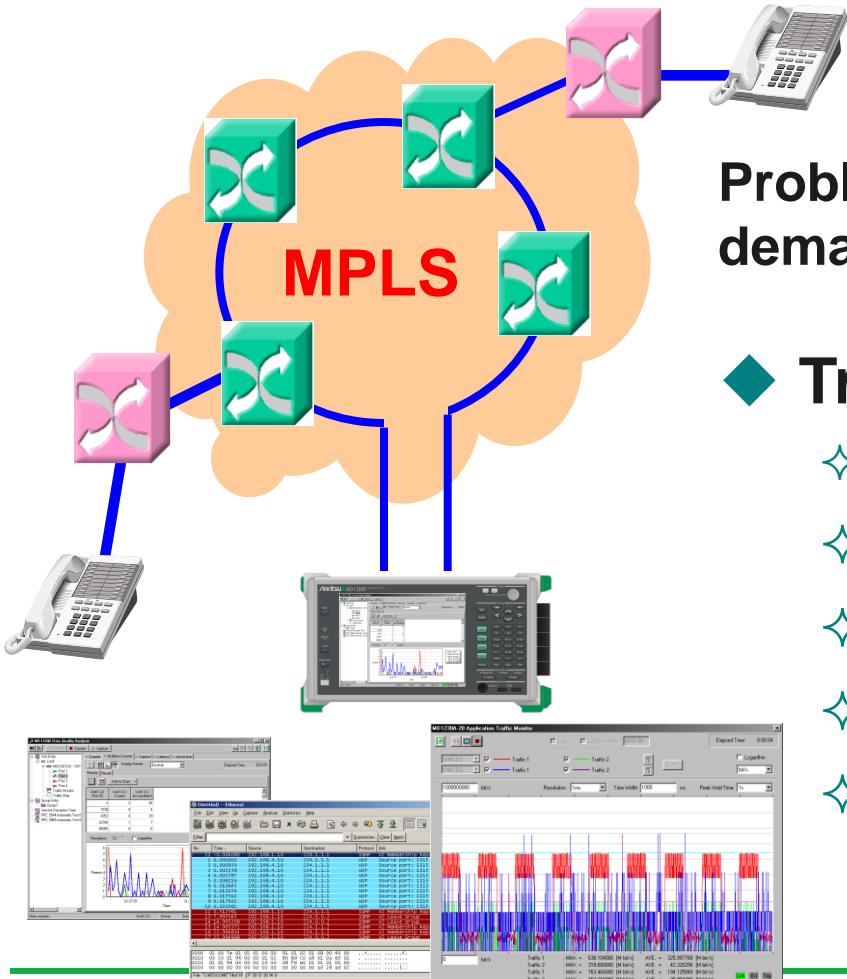
### Link timer test



- Confirming operation by changing auto negotiation time

# *Applications—Troubleshooting*

## Real-Time Monitoring of In-Service Traffic



Problems on an in-service network demand quick detection and repair

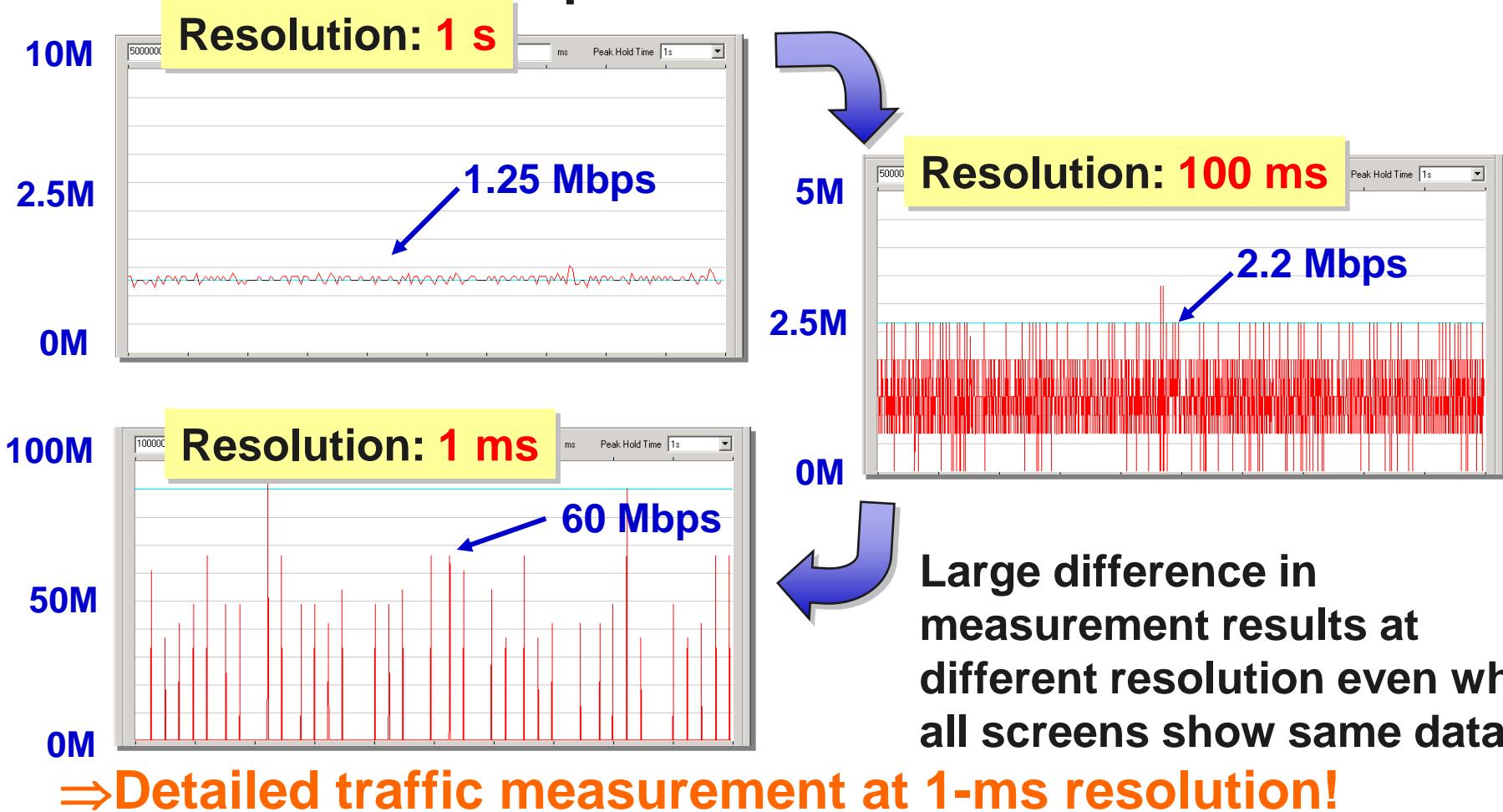
- ◆ Troubleshooting applications
  - ❖ Through mode
  - ❖ Monitor mode
  - ❖ Traffic monitoring
  - ❖ High-Resolution Traffic monitoring
  - ❖ Capture and analysis

## **Enhanced IPv6 Support**

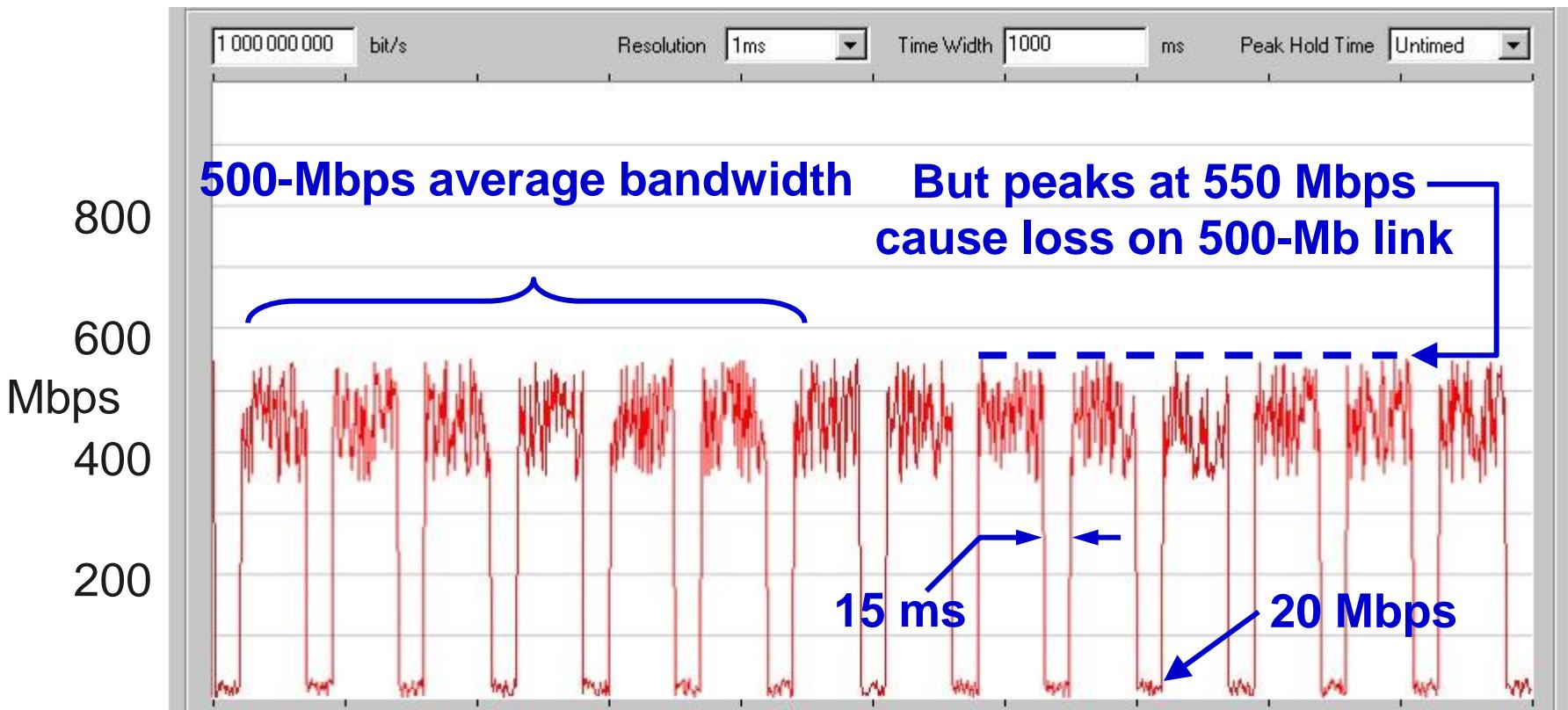
### ◆ Added following IPv6 functions

- ❖ Support for ICMPv6 response to NS, echo reply, router detection, etc.
- ❖ MLD Emulation
- ❖ Communication confirmation using ping6
- ❖ IPv6 support for RFC2544
- ❖ IPv6 support for **Torahicccmonita/map** (traffic monitoring/mapping)
- ❖ Following combinations added to transmission stream:
  - IPv6 over IPv4              ➤ ICMPv6/IPv6 over IPv4
  - TCP/IPv6                      ➤ TCP/IPv6 over IPv4
  - UDP/IPv6                      ➤ UDP/IPv6 over IPv4
  - ICMPv6/IPv6

Traffic results depend on measurement resolution



## Example: Average bandwidth measurements inadequate for time-sensitive data

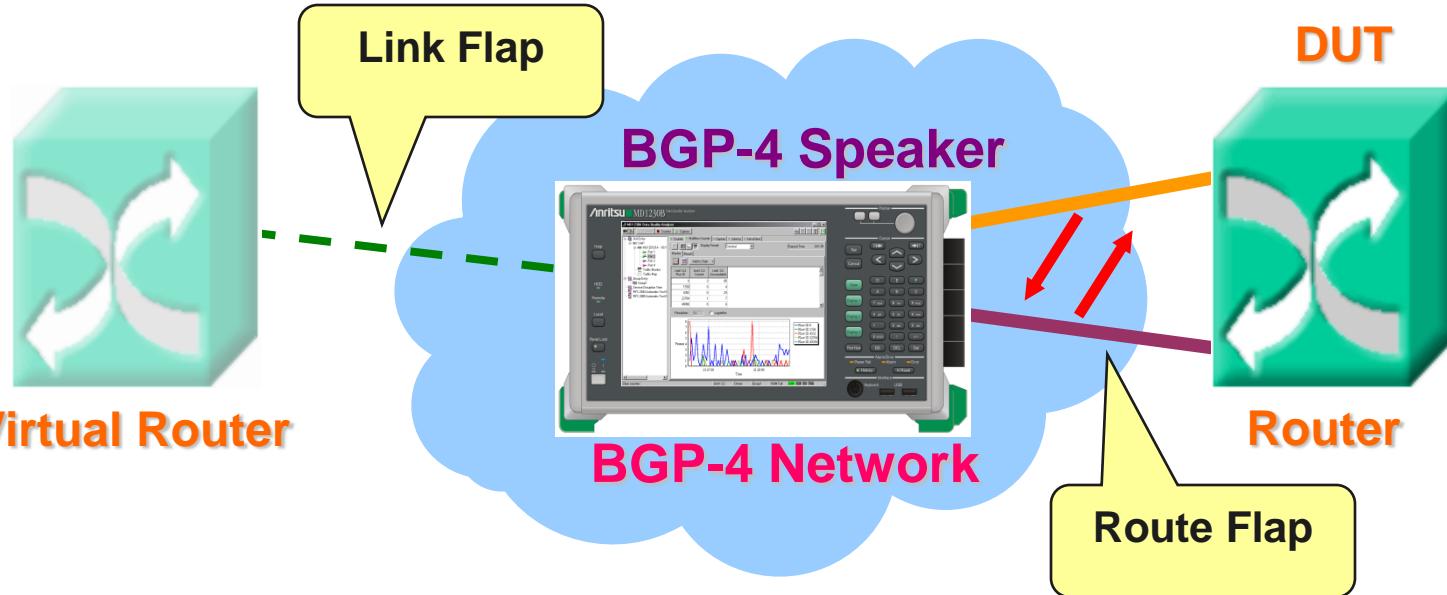


# *Applications—Protocol Emulation*

## Protocol Emulation

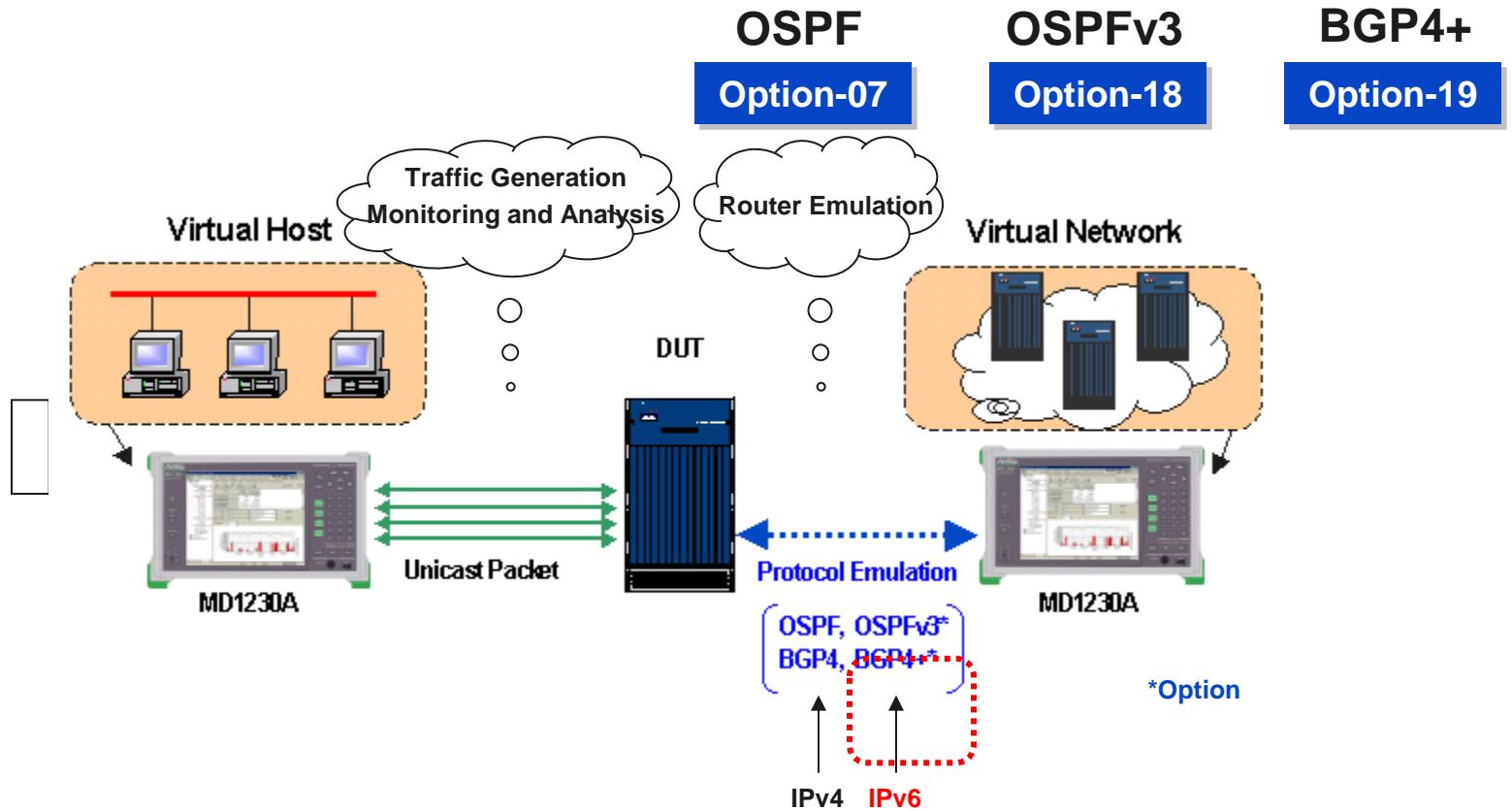
### ◆ Supported protocols

PPP, ARP, PING (ICMP for IPv4/IPv6), IGMP, BGP-4, OSPF<sup>\*1</sup>, MPLS (LDP/CR-LDP)<sup>\*1</sup>, MPLS (RSVP)<sup>\*1</sup>, MLD<sup>\*1</sup>



\*1: OSPF, MPLS (LDP/CR-LDP), MPLS (RSVP), MLD are options

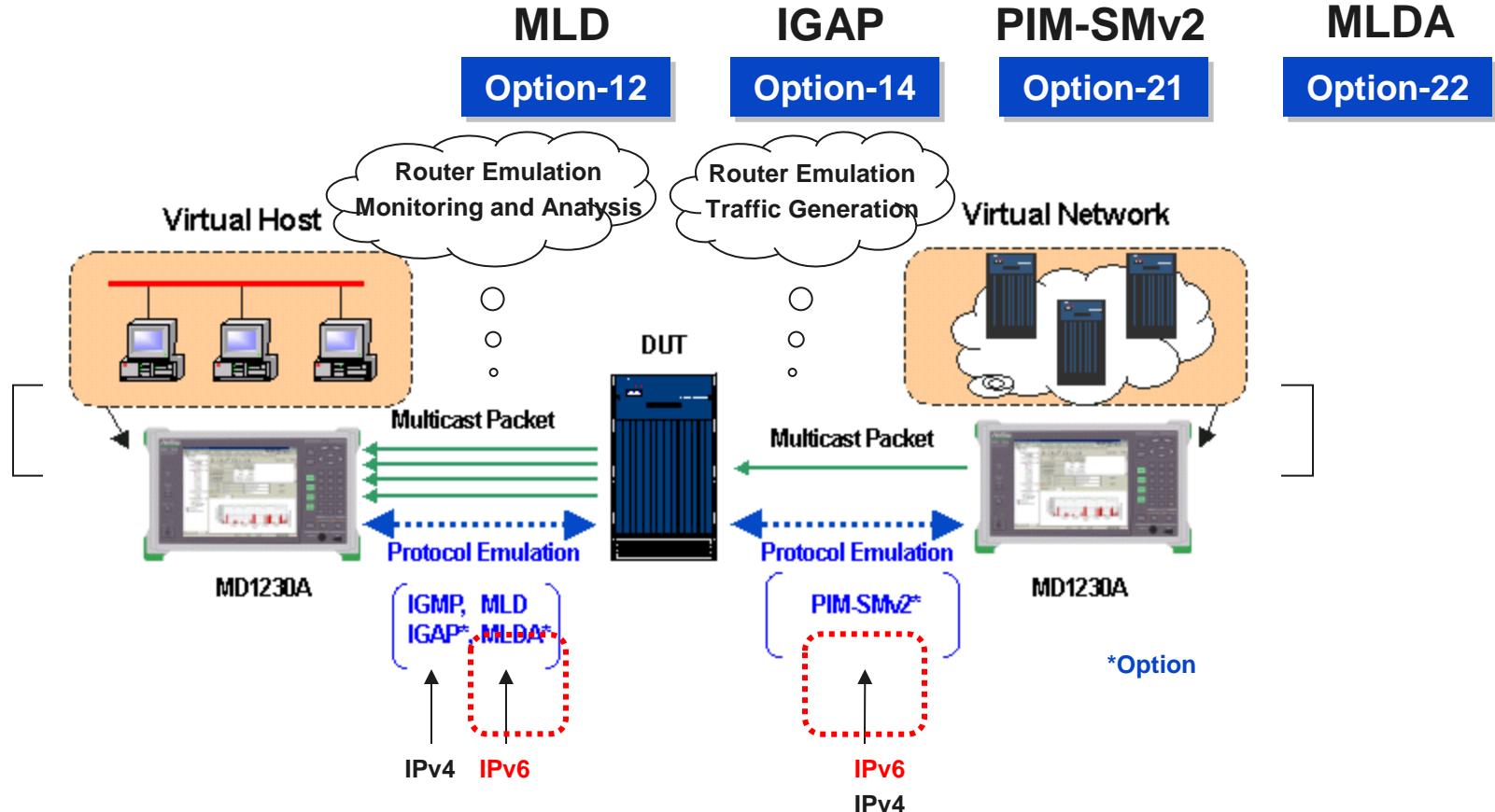
# Routing Protocol Emulation



Added **OSPFv3/BGP4+** Routing Protocol Option for IPv6 in addition to OSPF/BGP4. IPv6 Router Performance Test achieved by Emulation of Virtual Network and Virtual Host.

\*Option-12 IPv6 Enhancing Option required for IPv6 evaluation

# Multicast Protocol Emulation

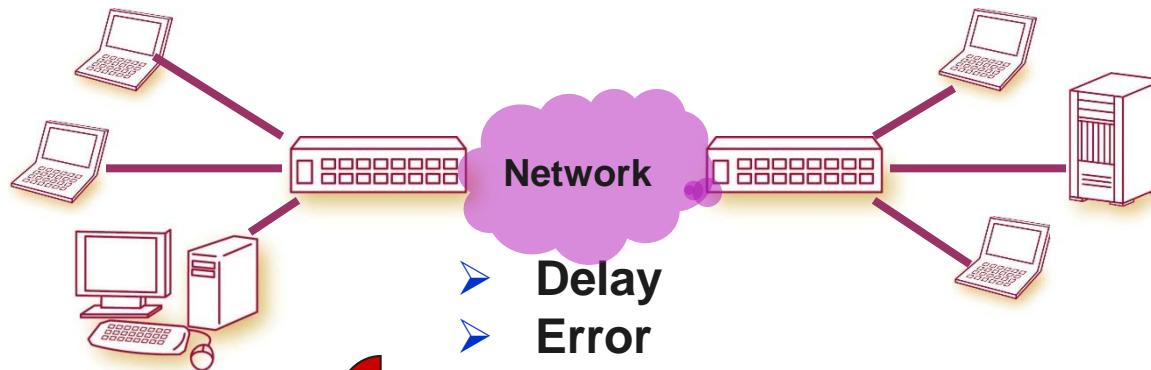


Added **MLD/MLDA** and **PIM-SMv2** Protocol Option for IPv6 in addition to IGMP/IGAP. IPv6 Multicast Network Performance Test achieved by Emulation of Virtual Network and Virtual Host.

\* "Option-12 IPv6 enhancing option" is necessary for the evaluation of IPv6.

# Traffic Impairment Emulator

Option-17



**Simulate**   
Through Mode

- Delay
- Error
- Replaced Frames

- ✓ Delay and Jitter
- ✓ Frame Loss
- ✓ Overwrite & Error Insertion



**Simulate actual network phenomena, such as Delay and Error.**

\* MU120121A/22A is required for the Traffic Impairment Emulator.

# Report Function

The figure displays three screenshots of network monitoring software:

- Counter 20060512\_195021 – Microsoft Internet Explorer:** Shows a report for a single port. It includes sections for Information (MD1231A IP Network Analyzer, Version 6.0.0.07, 2006/05/12 19:50:21), Port Settings (Unit 1:2, detailed configuration for ownership, mode, MAC address, and various protocols like ARP, ICMP, BGP4, and IEEE 802.3), and a Counter Chart showing traffic over time.
- MX123001A Data Quality Analyzer Control Software:** A screenshot of the main application window. It shows a tree view of network units and ports, and a central table of data quality metrics. A red circle highlights a button labeled "Pause" in the toolbar, which is associated with the "New Pause function".
- Counter 20060512\_195021 – Microsoft Internet Explorer:** Another instance of the report interface, showing a different set of counter data and a similar chart.

## HTML-format report file

- **HTML-format report file (can be displayed and printed at external PC)**
- **Supports Counter, Multi-flow counter, Latency, Capture, RFC2544, RFC2889 (Measurement results can be saved as a graph with measurement conditions for later analysis.)**
- **A new Pause function assists saving of results during measurement.**

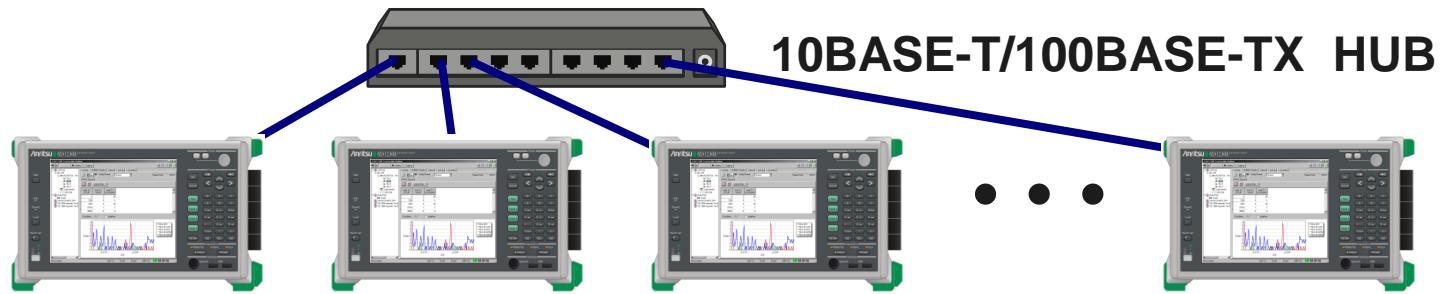
# *Interface Extendability*

## **Port Extendibility**

- ◆ Any interface module can be installed at any position in any combination.

➤ MD1230B: 5 slots

- ◆ One MD1230B can control up to 8 Ethernet-linked testers.

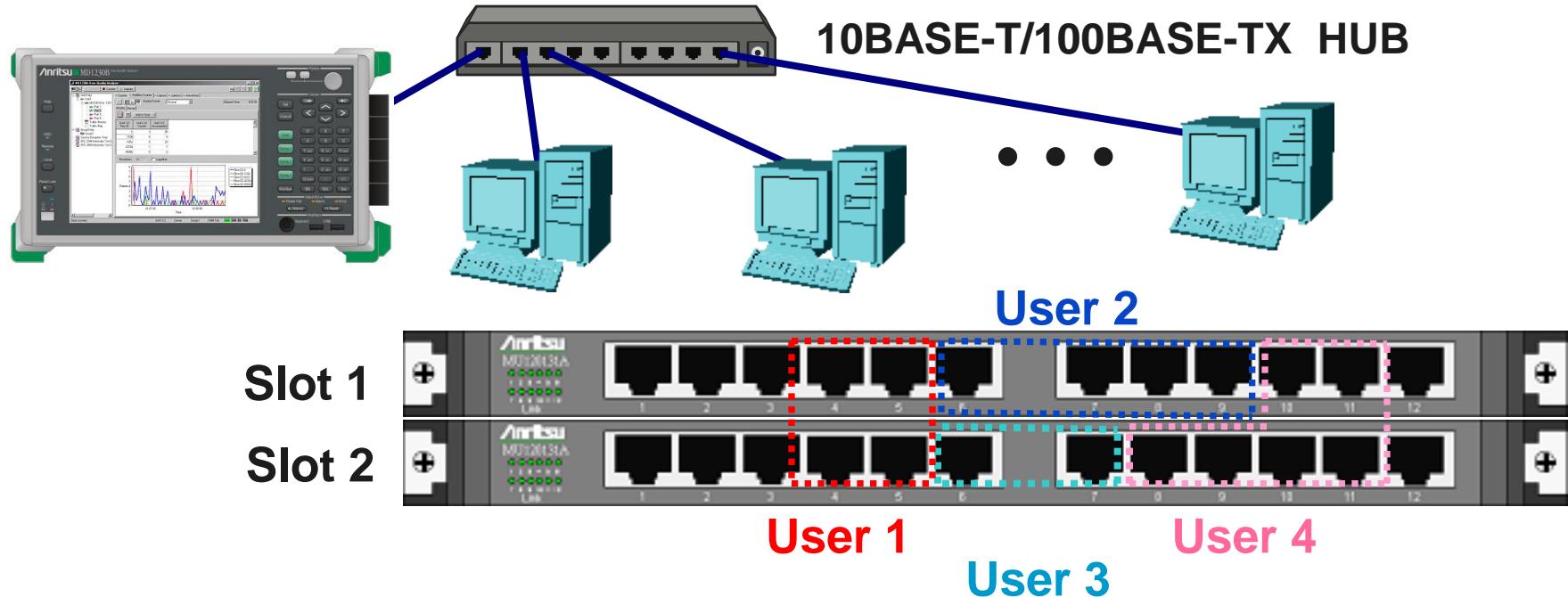


# User Access

## Remote Control

### ◆ Simultaneous access from 8 remote users

- ❖ Remote PCs linked to MD1230A via Ethernet
- ❖ All running same Windows GUI (MX123001A)
- ❖ Independent settings for each port



# **Appendix A—Plug-in modules**

Type	Module Name
MU120121A*	10/100/1000M Ethernet Module
MU120122A*	Gigabit Ethernet Module
MU120131A	10/100/1000M Ethernet Module
MU120132A	Gigabit Ethernet Module
MU120138A	10 Gigabit Ethernet Module

\*: MU120121A and MU120122A are custom-made products.

# Appendix A—Options

Option Name	MD1230B	MX123001A
RS-232C Control	MD1230B-01	MX123001A-07
GPIB Control	MD1230B-02	MX123001A-09
Ethernet Control	MD1230B-03	MX123001A-10
OSPF Protocol	MD1230B-07	
MPLS(LDP/CR-LDP) Protocol	MD1230B-08	
MPLS(RSVP) Protocol	MD1230B-09	
RFC2889 Benchmarking Test	MD1230B-10	
Packet BER Test	MD1230B-11	
IPv6 Expansion	MD1230B-12	
IGAP Protocol	MD1230B-14	
Auto Negotiation Analysis	MD1230B-15	
Traffic Impairment Emulator	MD1230B-17	
OSPFv3 Protocol	MD1230B-18	
BGP4+ Protocol	MD1230B-19	
Application Traffic Monitor	MD1230B-20	
PIM-SMv2 Protocol	MD1230B-21	
MLDA Protocol	MD1230B-22	
Spanning Tree/Link Aggregation	MD1230B-23	
Ethernet OAM	MD1230B-28	

# **Appendix A—Module Options**

Option Name	MU120131A	MU120132A	MU120138A
Clock Measurement	MU120131A-01	MU120132A-01	MU120138A-01
PoE	MU120131A-02		
Link Fault Signalling			MU120138A-03

### **Control Software (Sold Separately)**

#### **◆ MX123001A Data Quality Analyzer Control Software**

- ◆ With Windows® 2000/XP/7 OS installed
- ◆ Up to eight remote PCs can control up to 8 Ethernet-linked units in MD1230B
- ◆ 5 and 8 licenses

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