N3 NHS-HE Forum - Edinburgh

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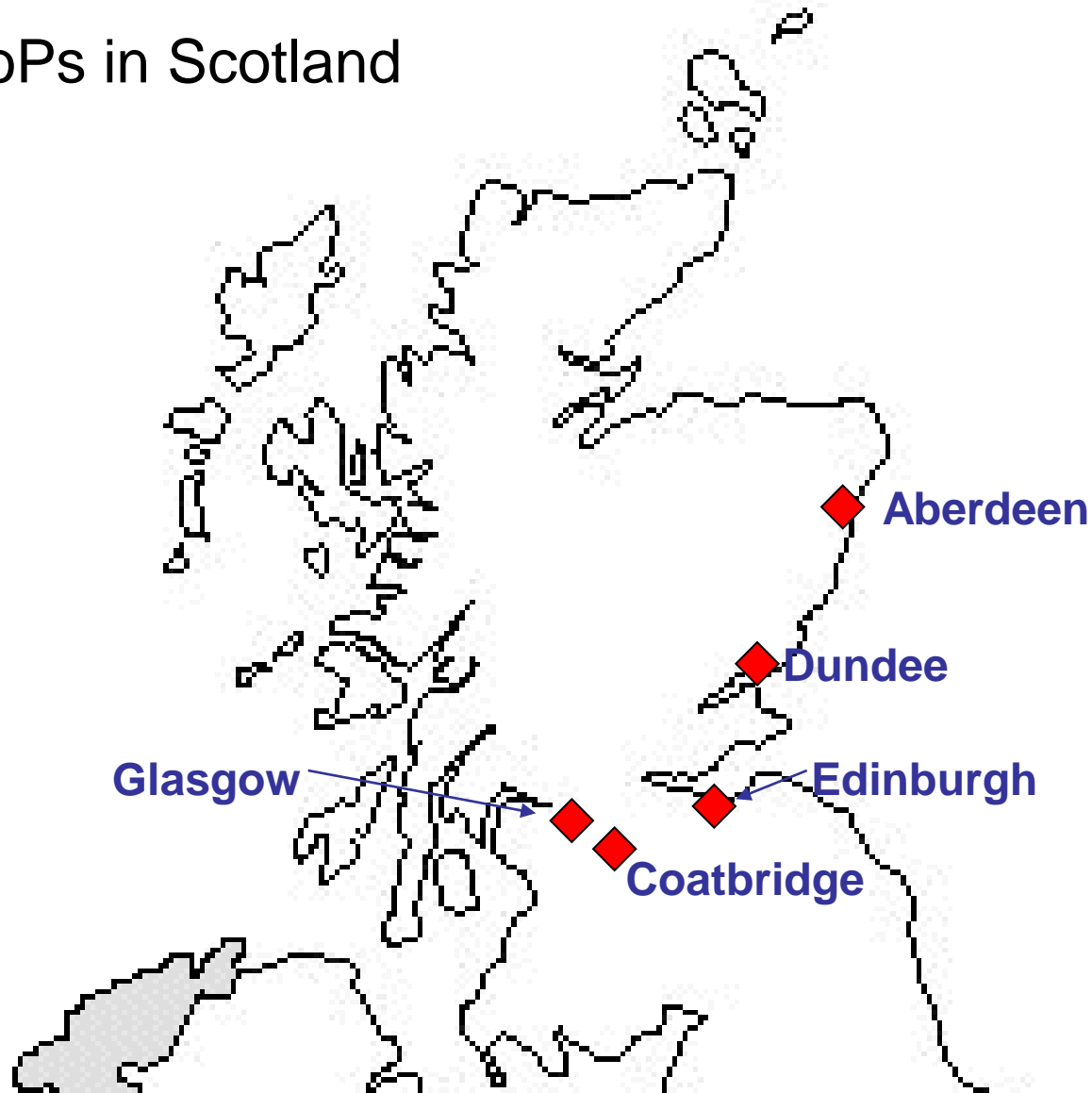
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Agenda

- The Network
- N3 in Scotland
- Non-NHS N3 (commercial 3rd party)

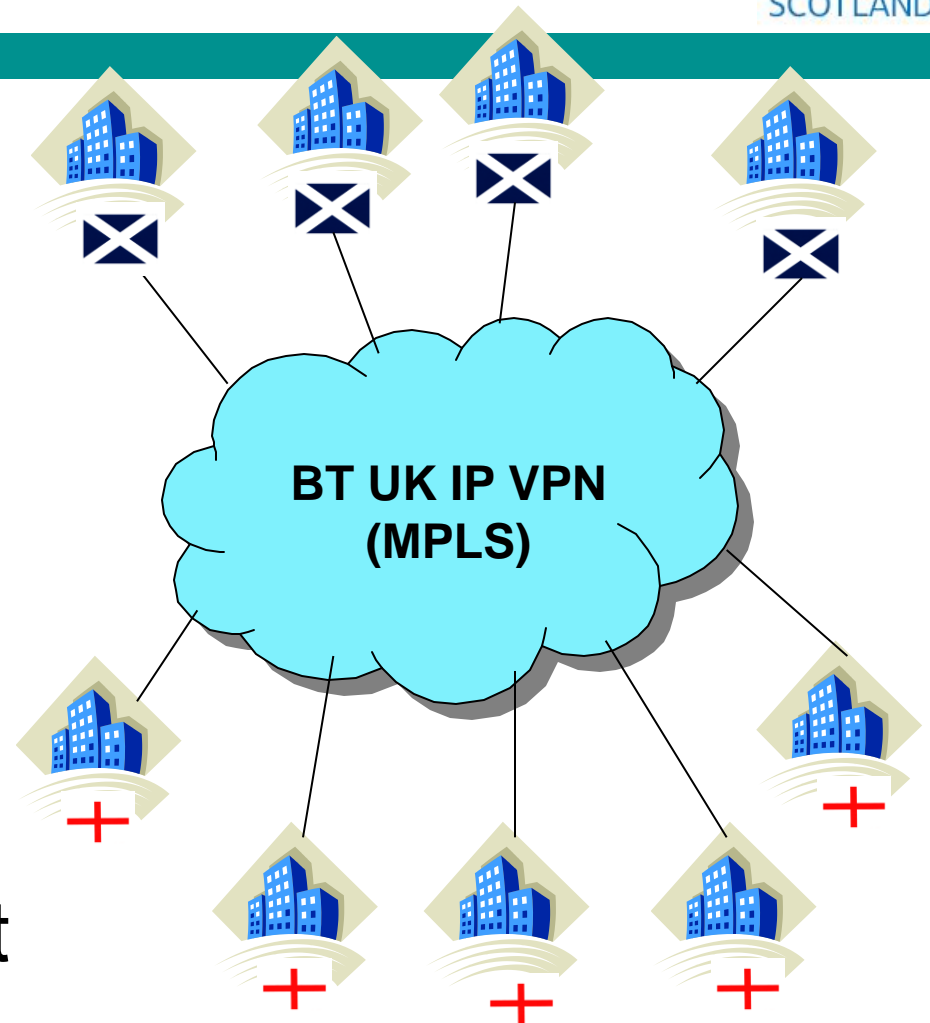# N3 Scotland Core

5 N3 PoPs in Scotland
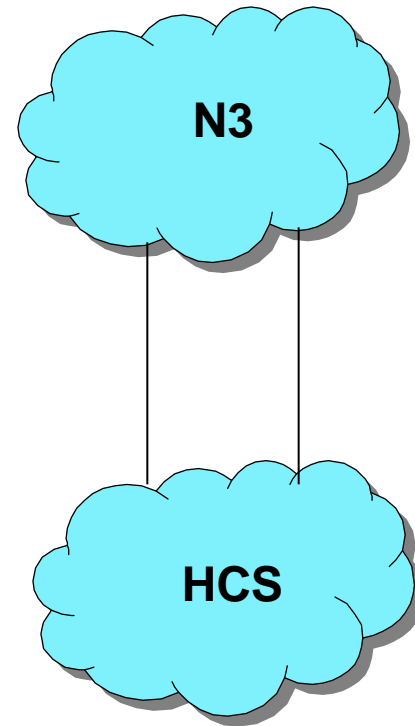
Aberdeen

Dundee

Glasgow

Edinburgh

Coatbridge

N3 Scotland Core

- Uses same MPLS VPN as England

- No connectivity restrictions

- Uses same PoP layout as England

- Uses same Internet Gateway

BT UK IP VPN (MPLS)

N3 – HCS (N2) Gateway

- N2 in Scotland is called HCS

- N2 orders no longer accepted.

- Resilient gateway in place to allow interworking

N3

HCS

[Grossly simplified diagram!]

N3 in Scotland

- Over 3000 connections - Shetland to Borders
- GPs
- Community pharmacies
- Major Acute
- Small & Medium size hospitals
- Dentists
- SAS
- NHS24
- Non NHS
- COINS
- Voice
- Remote VPN connections 400+

N3 & non nhs organisations

- 55 connections in Scotland
  - Capito
  - Dacoll
  - Clinisys solutions

- 375 – UK in total

- Registration process
  - Call 0800 085 0503 option 3
  - Emailed connection protocol
    - Register expression of interest – http://www.n3.nhs.uk/n3scotland/
    - Complete access agreement
    - Complete NHS security statement of compliance -

Thanks
Q & A

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