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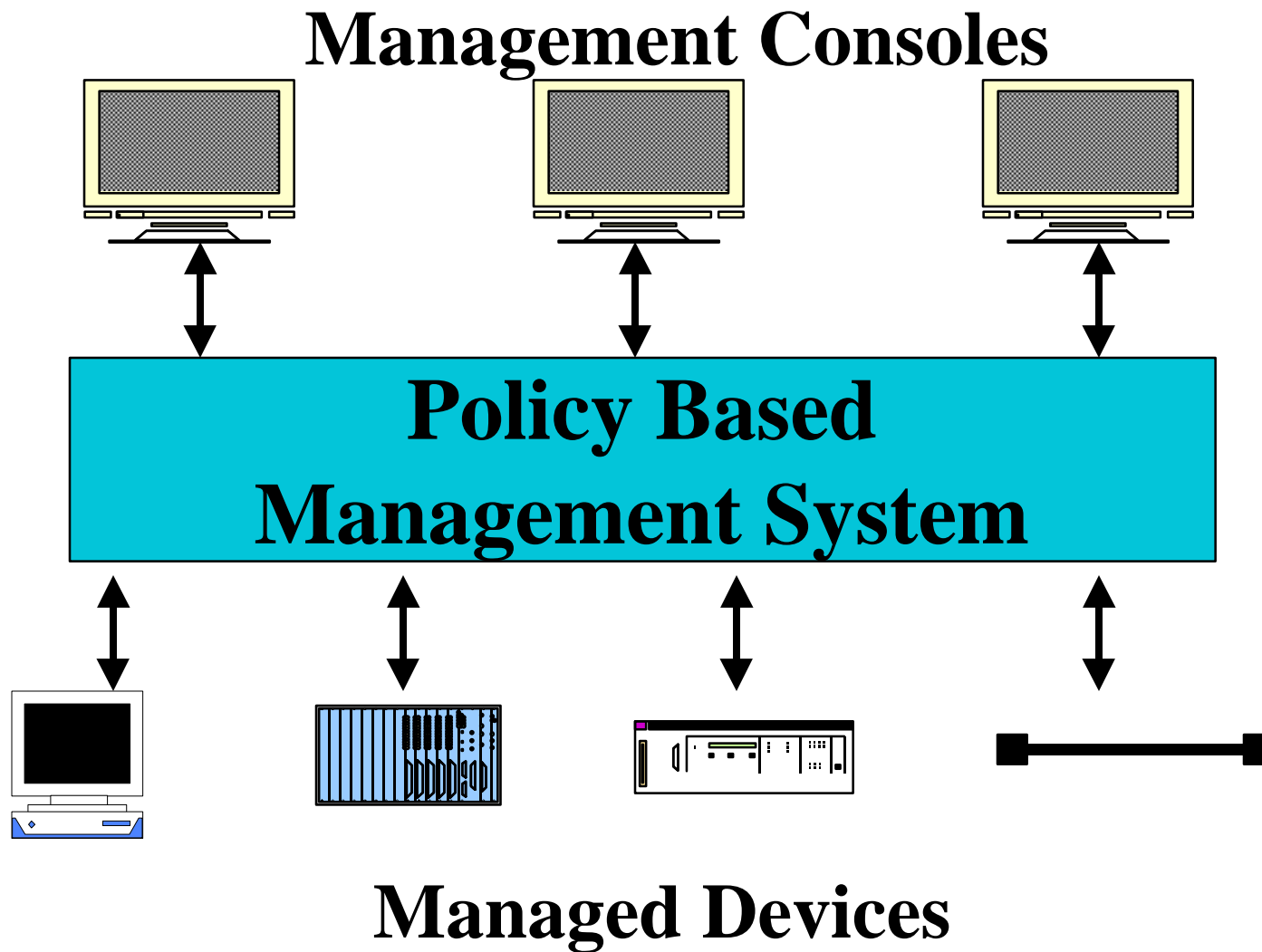
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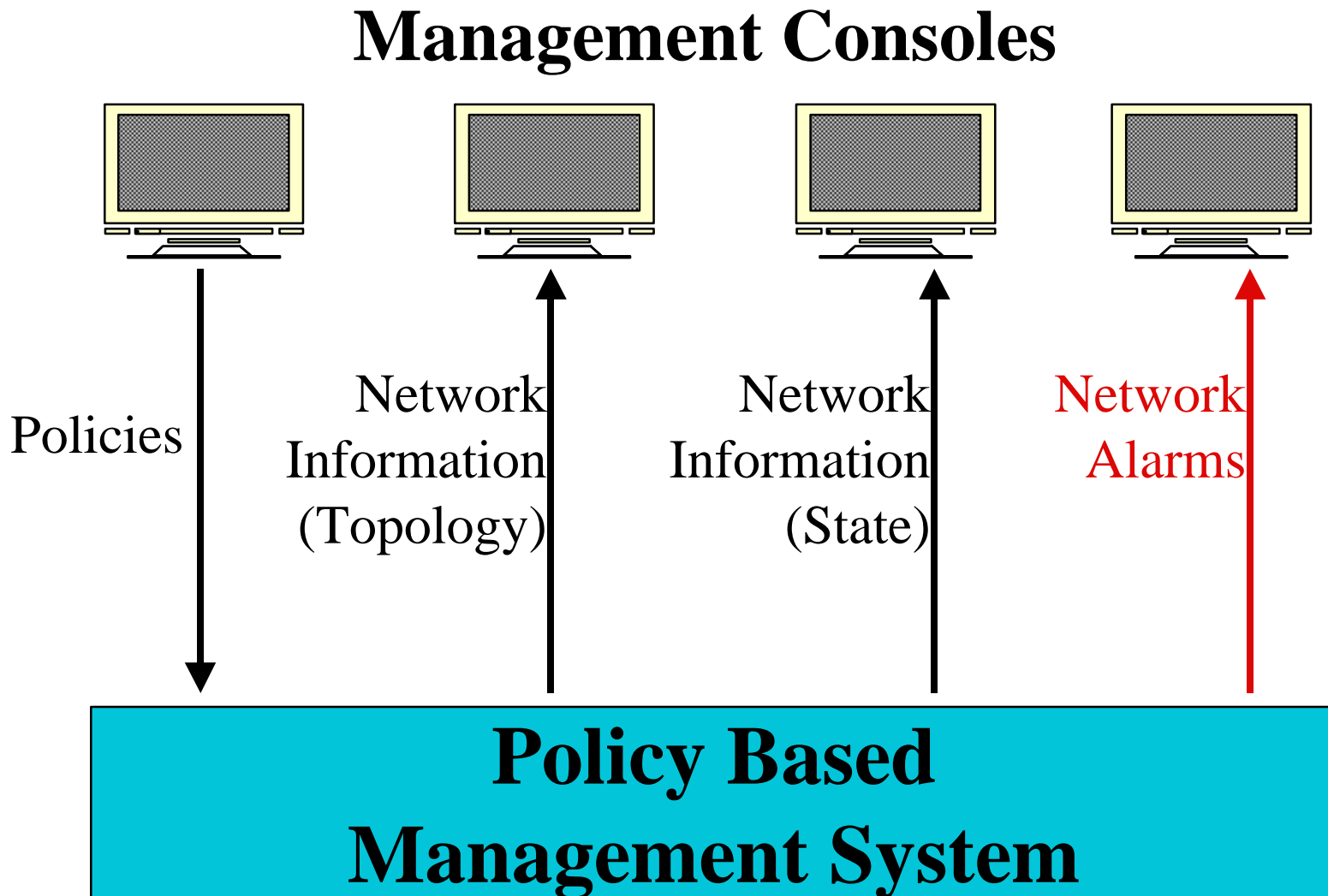
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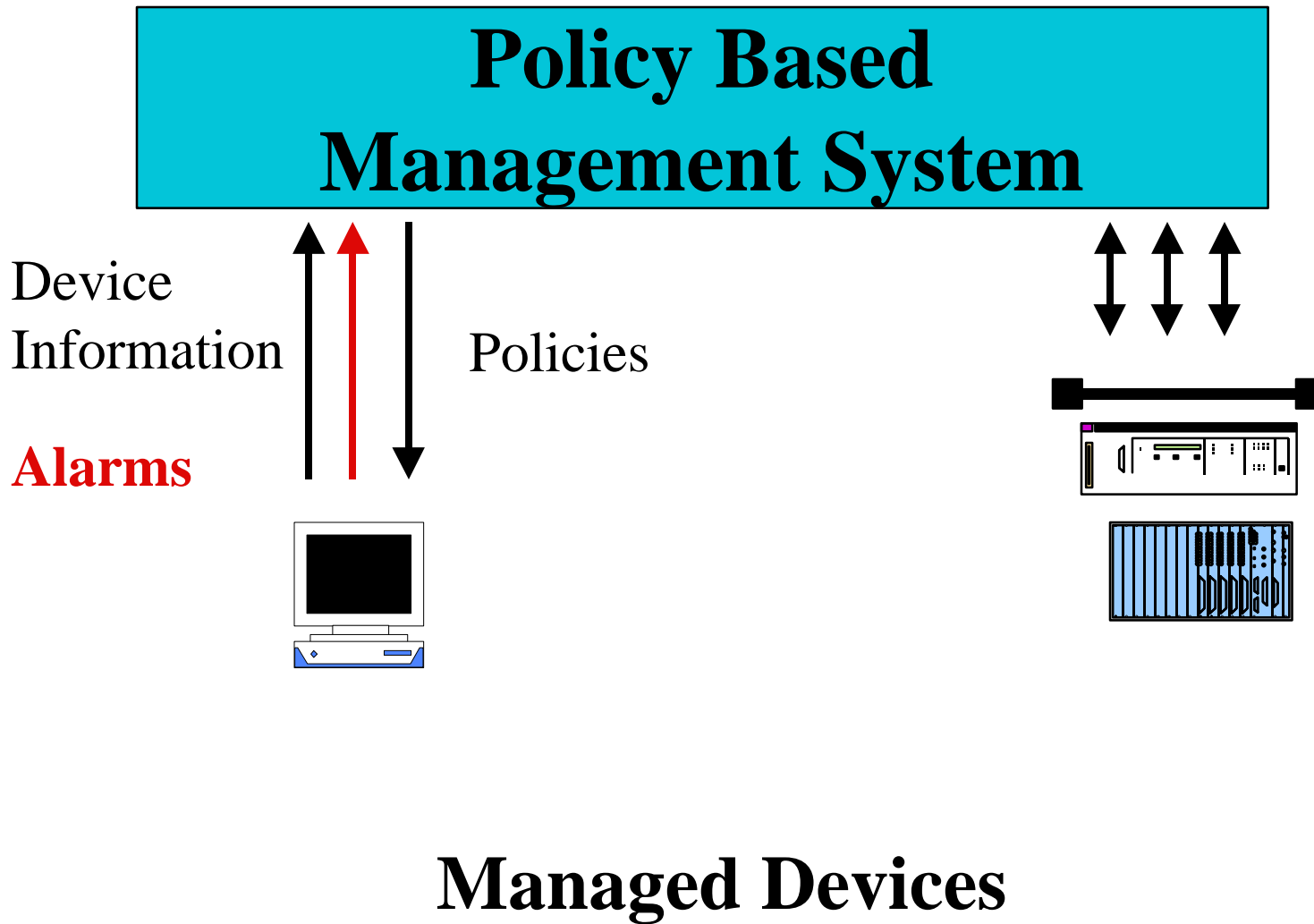
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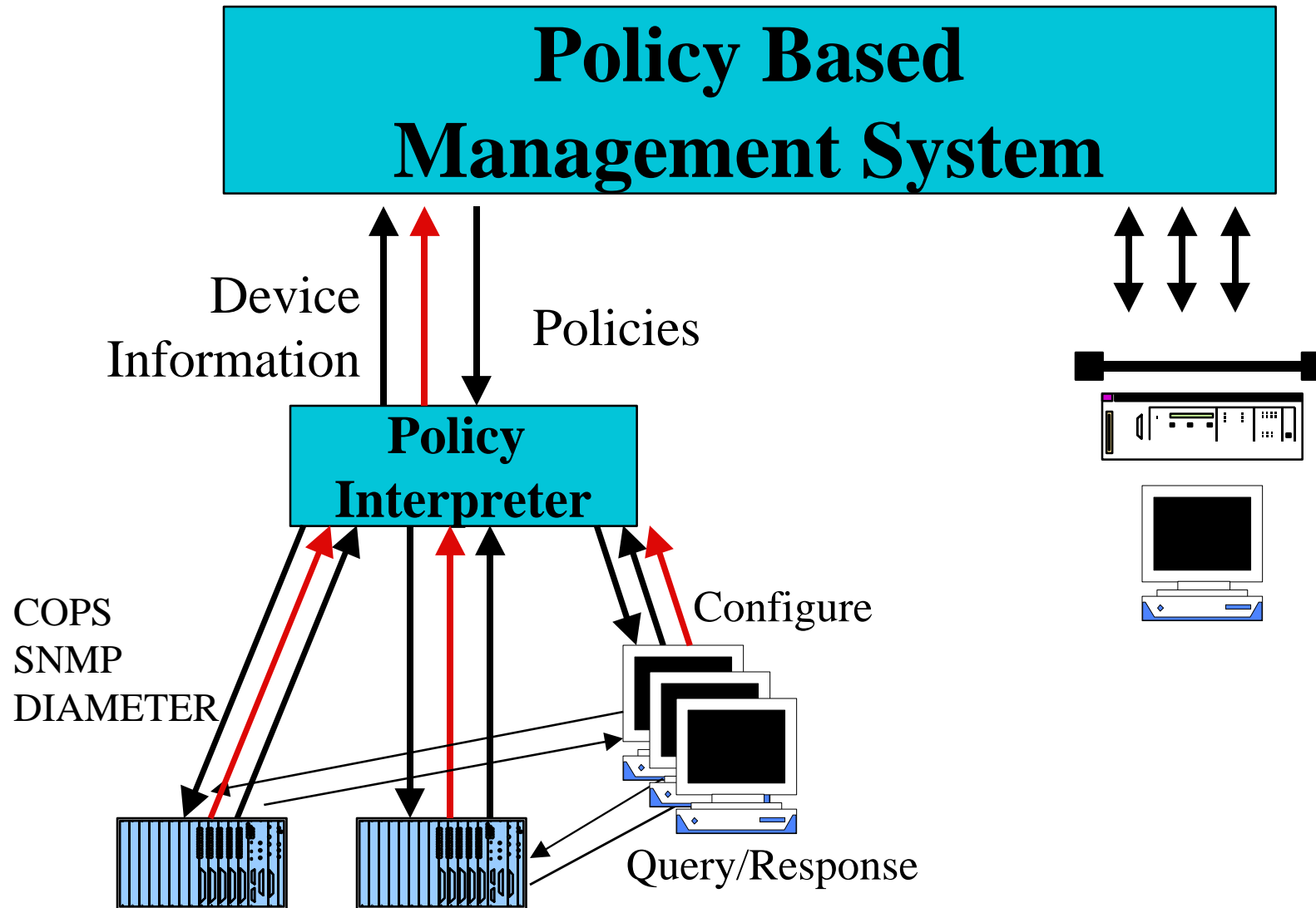
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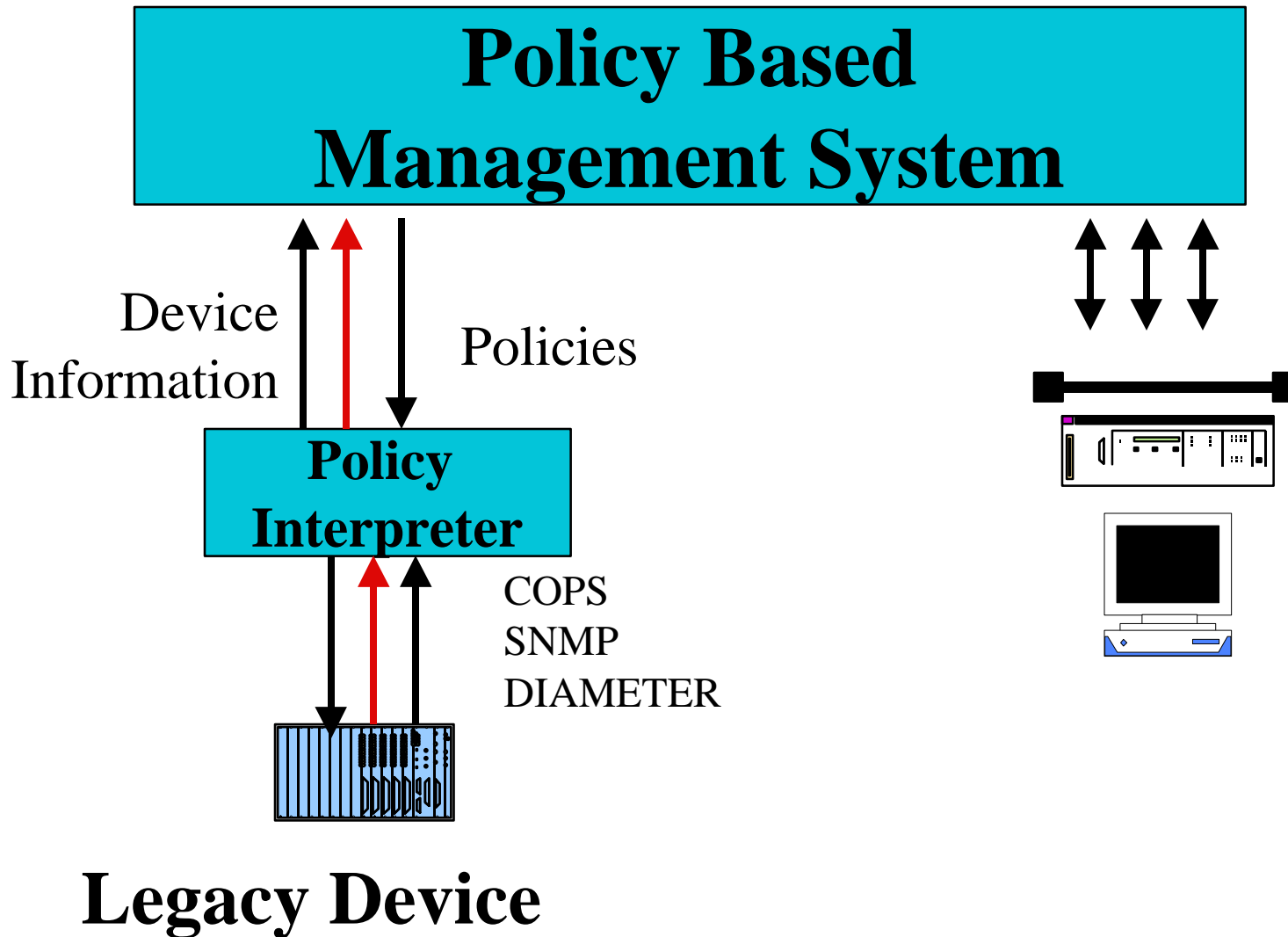
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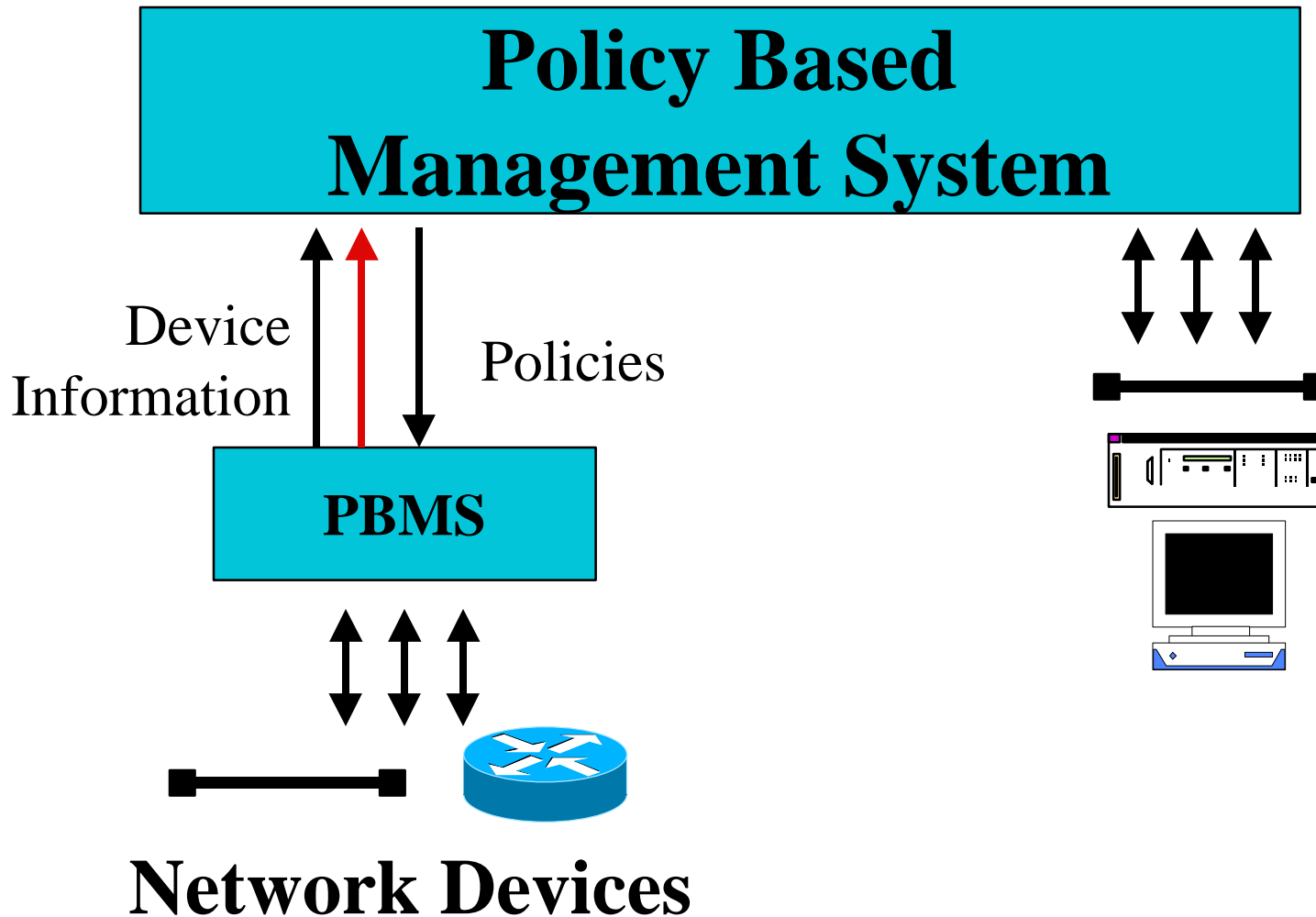
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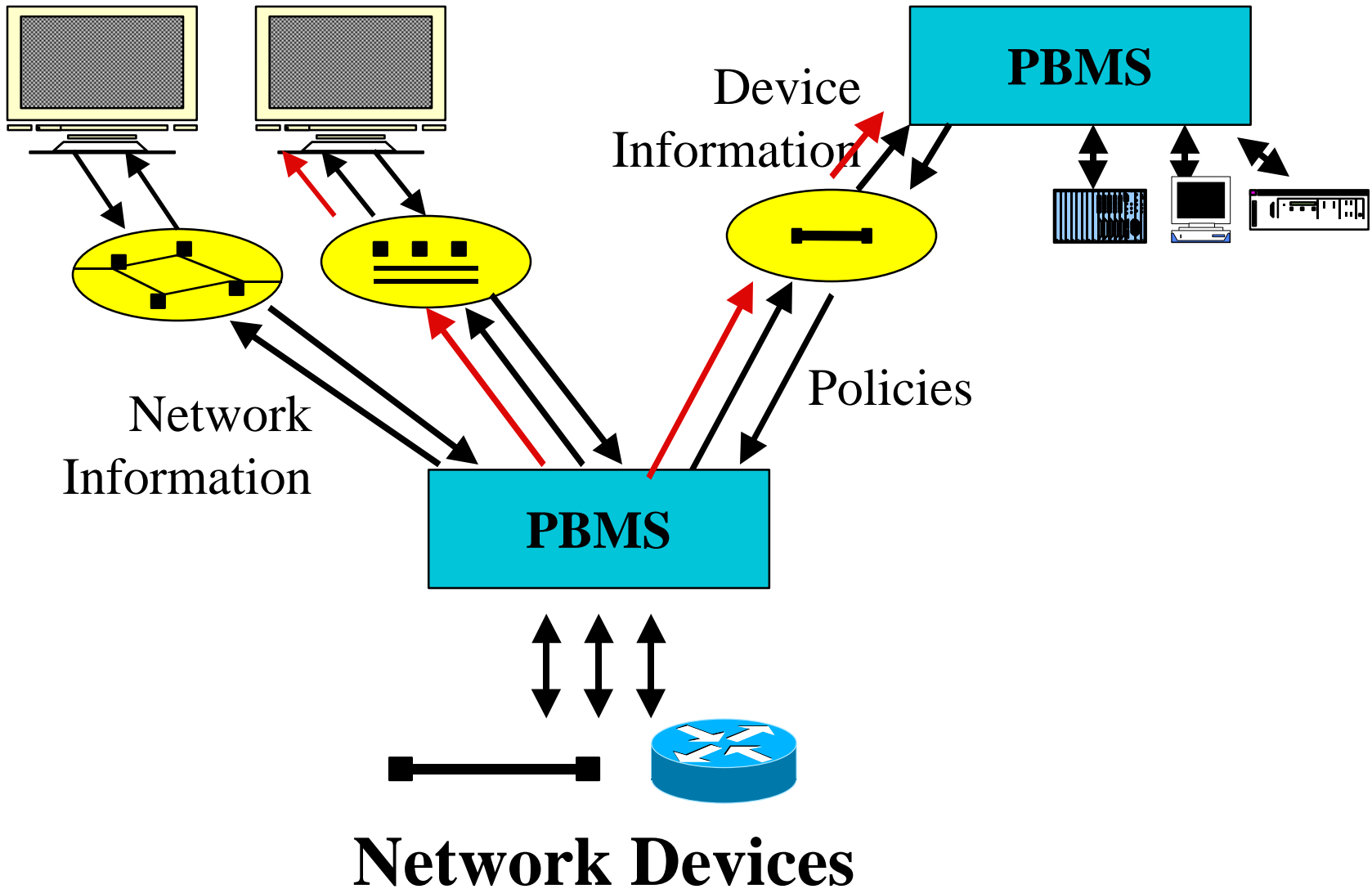
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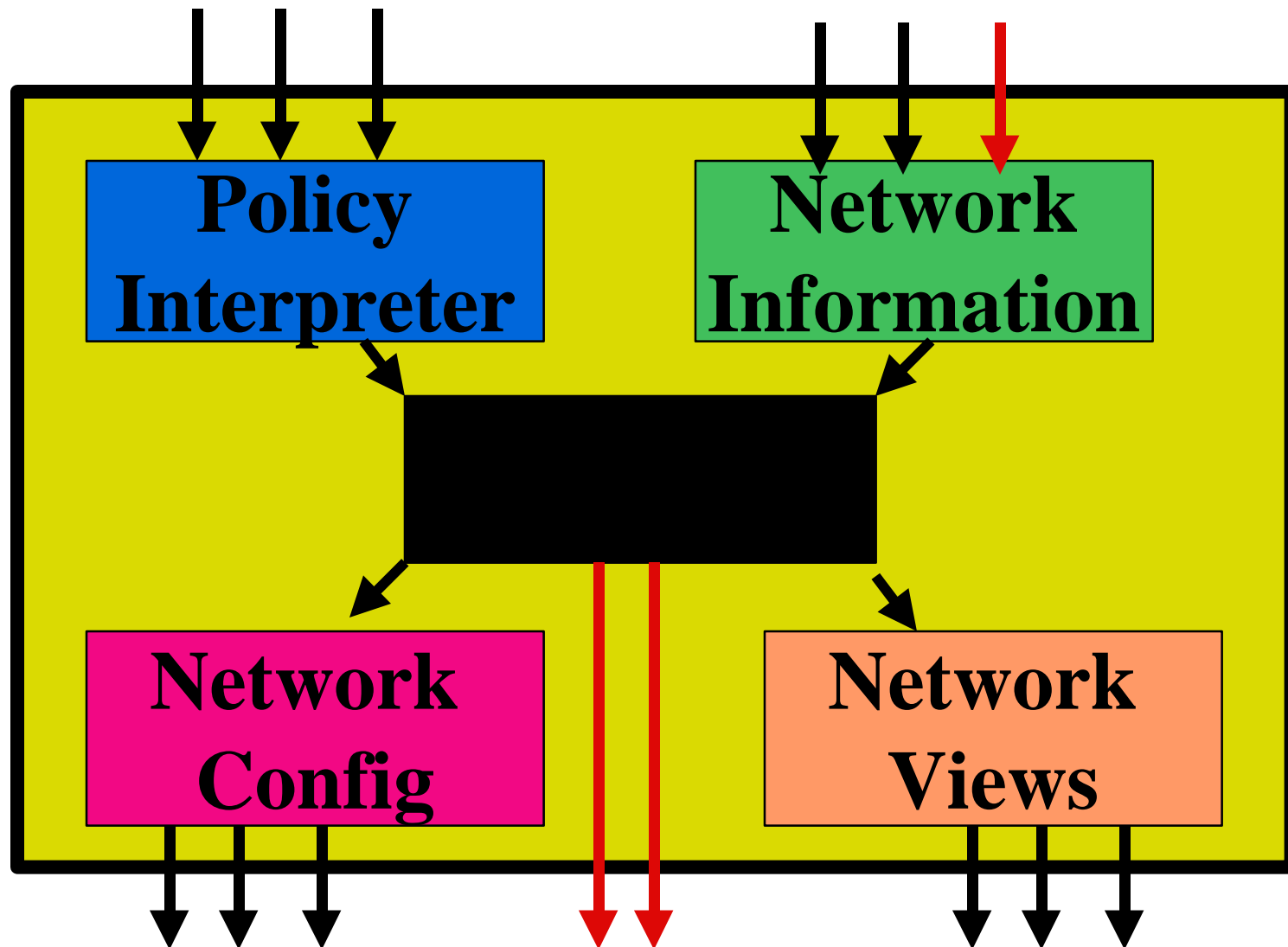
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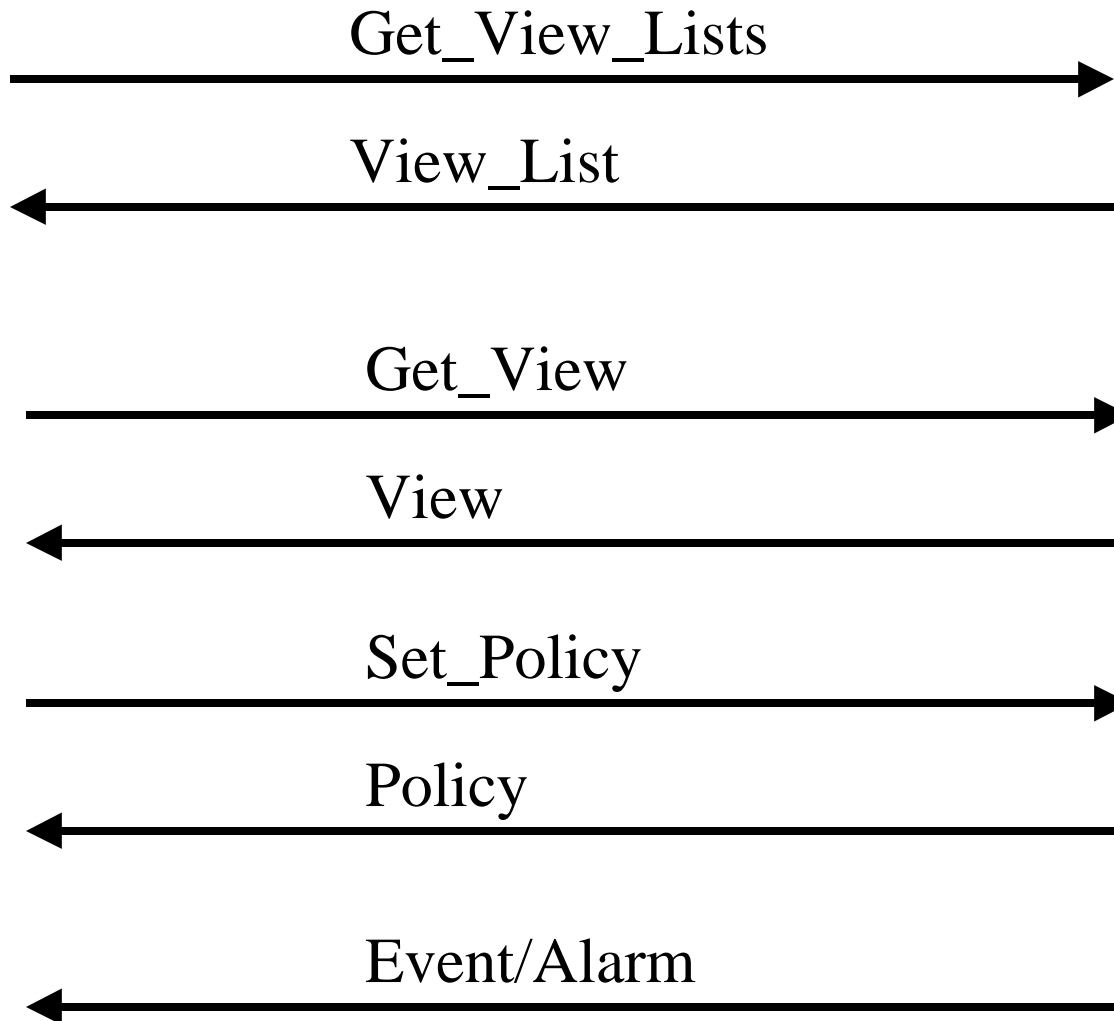
## *PBMS Internals*

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## *Protocol Requirement*

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## *LDAP Compatibility*

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- **LDAP is not the ideal protocol**
  - synchronous
- **LDAP entries are not ideal to hold network info and policies**
  - simple data structure
- **We must still provide functionality through LDAP**
  - LDAP compatible directory could be provided at each interface
  - One LDAP compatible directory with all info
    - » access control controls views

## ***Example: Managing Services in Network***

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### **■ Assume an E-commerce based enterprise**

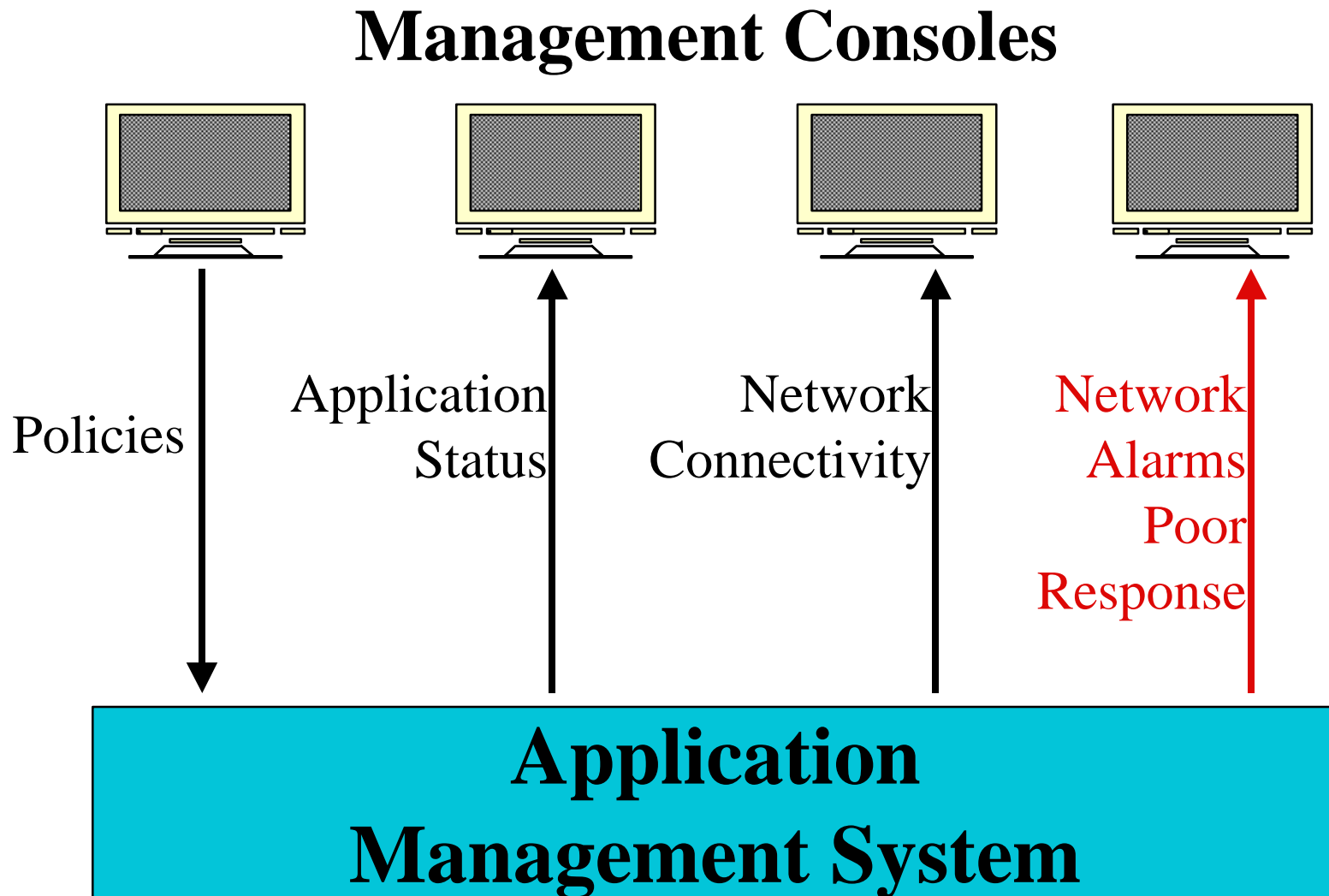
- **Distributed transaction system**
  - » **customer access through Internet**
  - » **VPNs between servers, multiple ISPs**
- **Email, web, and all the other standard stuff**
- **IP Telephony**

### **■ Policies**

- **customer directed to “best” server**
- **ISPs selected by best performance**
- **Application QoS requirements**
  - » **transaction response < 1sec**
- **IP Telephony requirements**
- **decent web response**

## *Example*

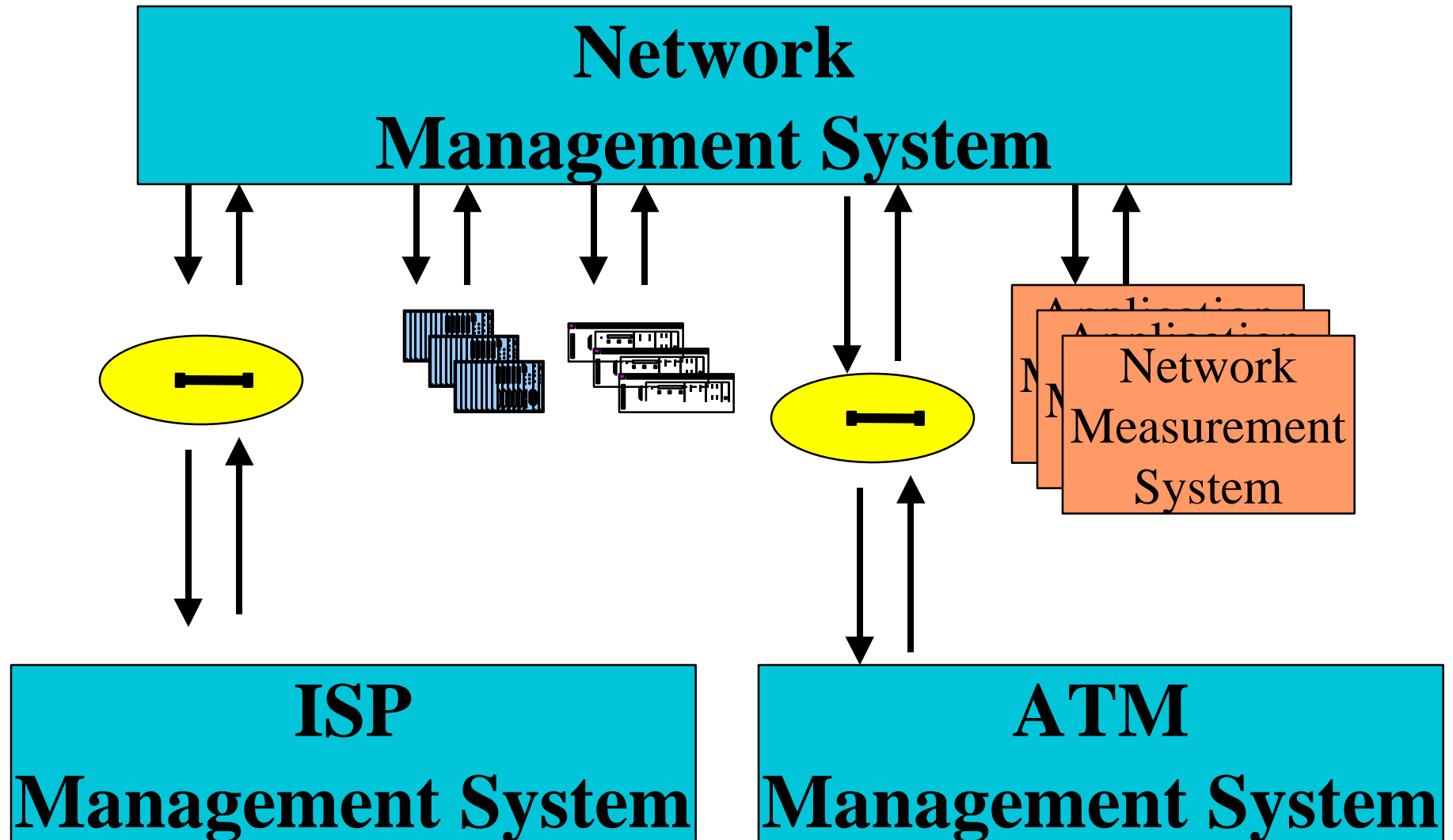
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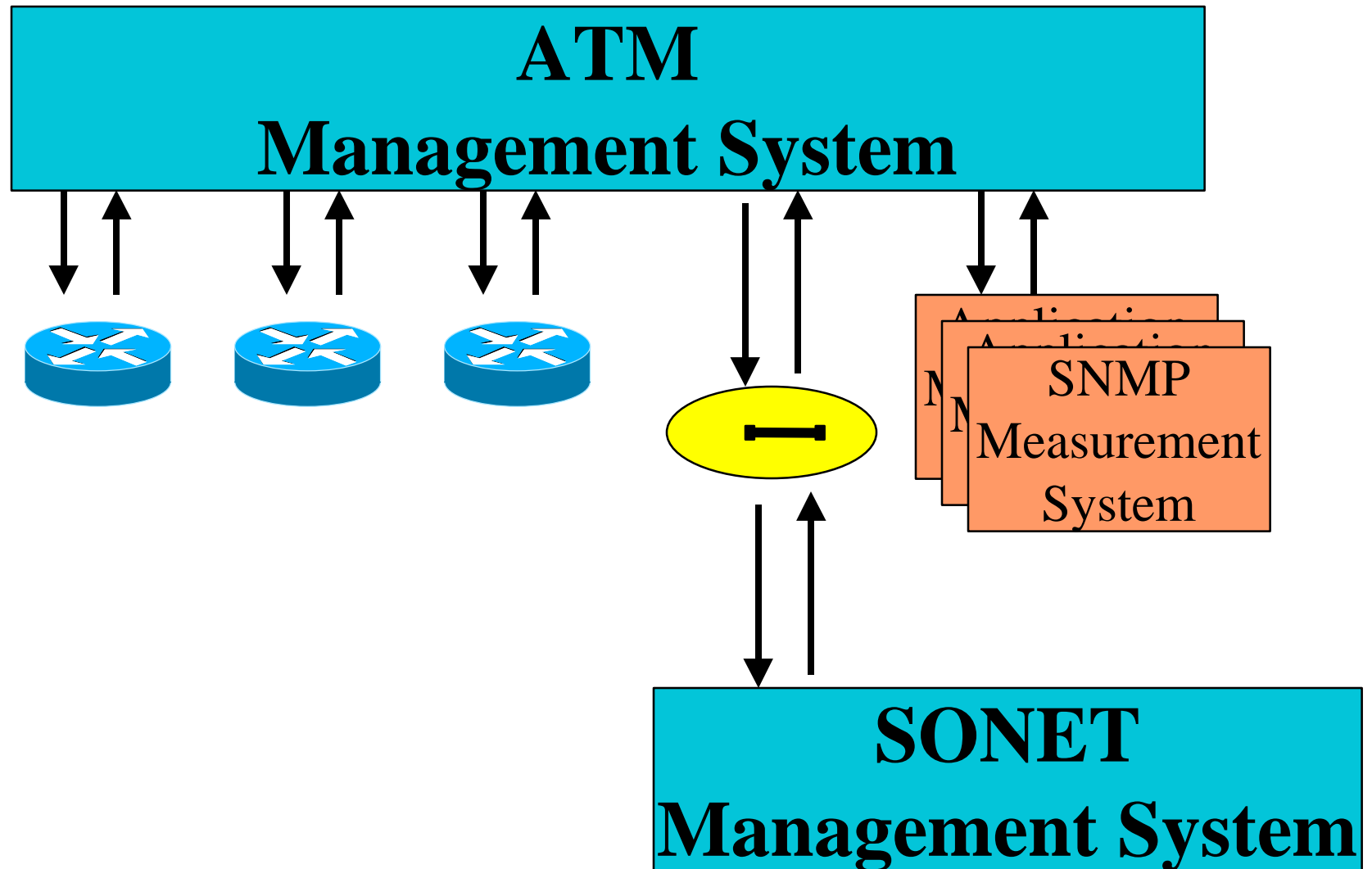
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## *Summary*

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### ■ **Conflicts**

- impossible to completely detect/avoid
- not all policy problems will produce conflicts
- still worth while to check

### ■ **Caching**

- not needed, use multiple PMS
- services may need caching

### ■ **Multiple Views**

- smart directory, simple clients

### ■ **Protocols**

- LDAP insufficient, but useable