

## Camiant QAM Manager Zeroes in on Bandwidth Management

Policy control specialist Camiant announced its new Universal Edge Resource Manager (UERM), designed to enable cable operators to maximize bandwidth efficiency across services, including switched digital video and video-on-demand.

Traditionally, cable networks have been architected with dedicated QAMs tied to a particular channel or service, such as VOD, VoIP or high-speed Internet. This architec-

ture resulted in inefficient use of network resources as unused bandwidth remained idle during periods when it could have been utilized to deliver more popular services or programming.

Camiant's UERM enables QAM sharing, enabling bandwidth to be distributed as needed across an expanded host of services including switched digital video or Modular-CMTS.

The edge resource manager plays a significant role in switched digital video and VOD deployments, ensuring that bandwidth is made available in dynamic response to those programs being actively requested by subscribers.

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