



Net Neutrality

Regulação de Redes e Regulação de conteúdos
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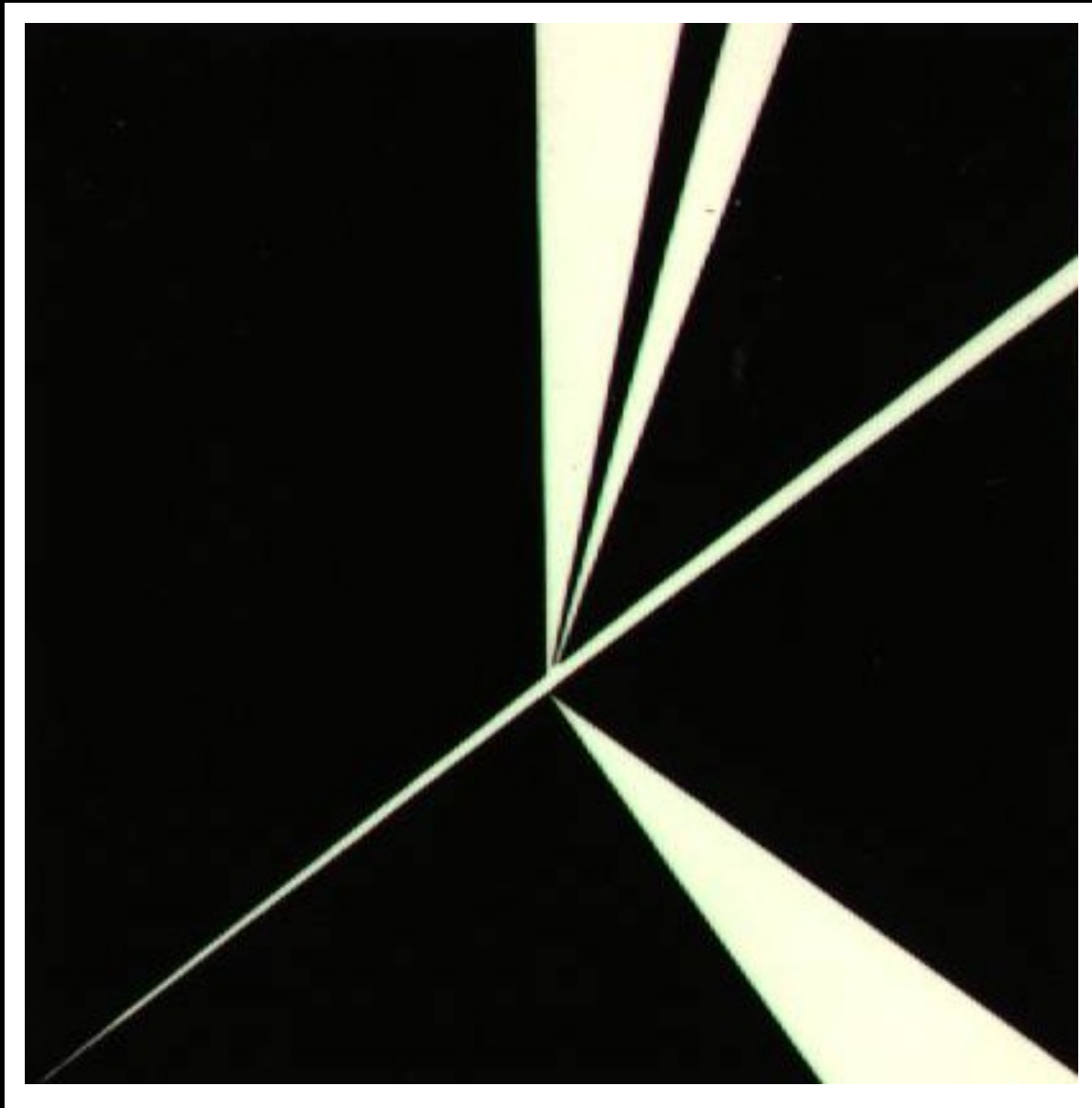
Superior software that gives you
THE POWER TO KNOW.



«The man is himself and his circumstances»

Ortega y Gasset

Professor
Researcher
Entrepreneur



Quadrante 1, 1957, Almada Negreiros

The computers did not have network cards

PUUG - Portuguese Unix Users Group two doors to my left

The emails were sent by naming all the servers they should pass through...

and it became one of the wonderful achievements of
technology



ATLANTIS, 1971, Bartolomeu Cid

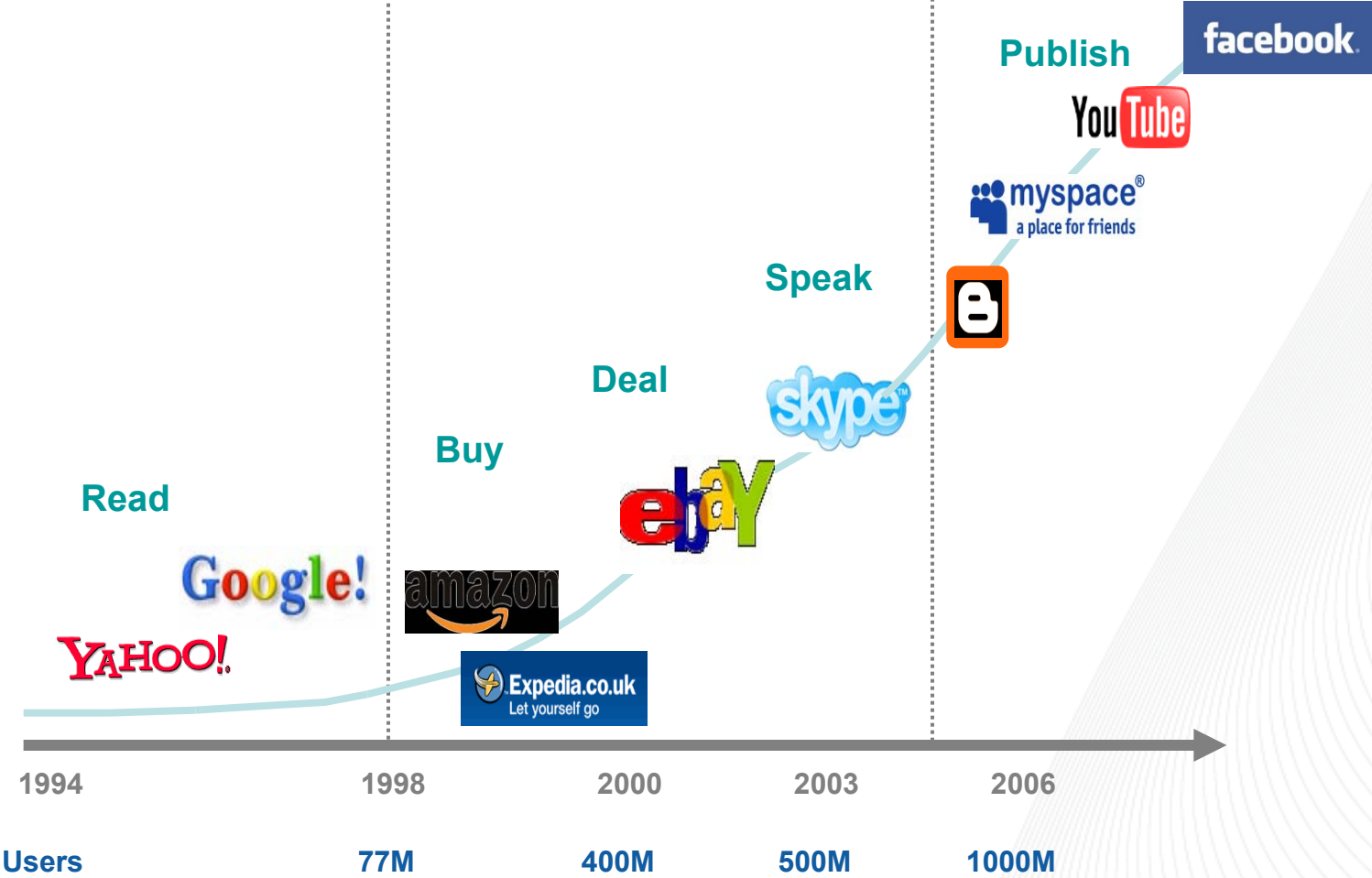
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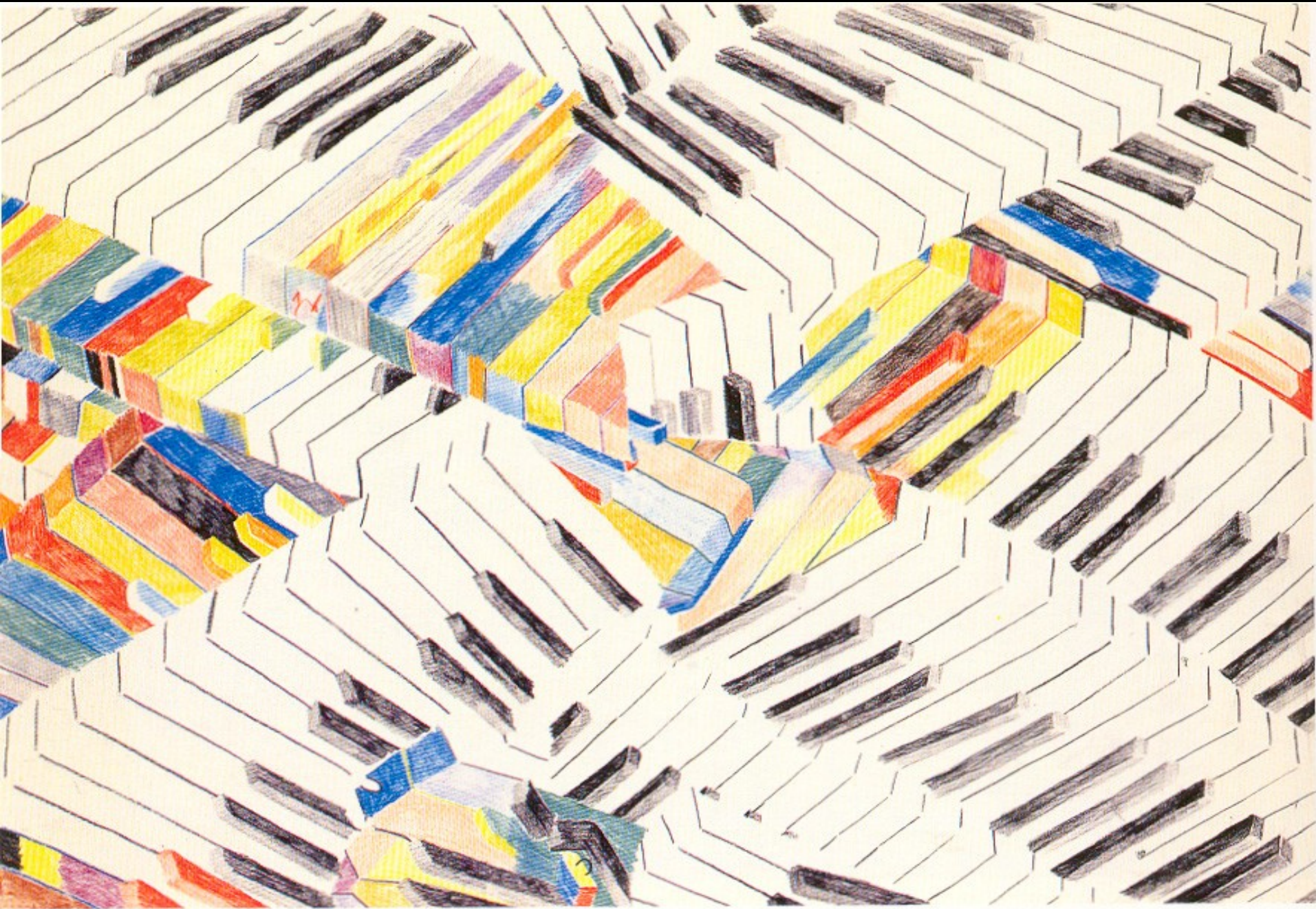
“Why should we regulate such a great place of freedom?”

Information

Distribution /Communication

Community





s/t, 1971, Rui Leitão



Stripped of all mystique..

Internet is a delivery mechanism for messages and information.

Billions of users are accessing tens of billions of web sites





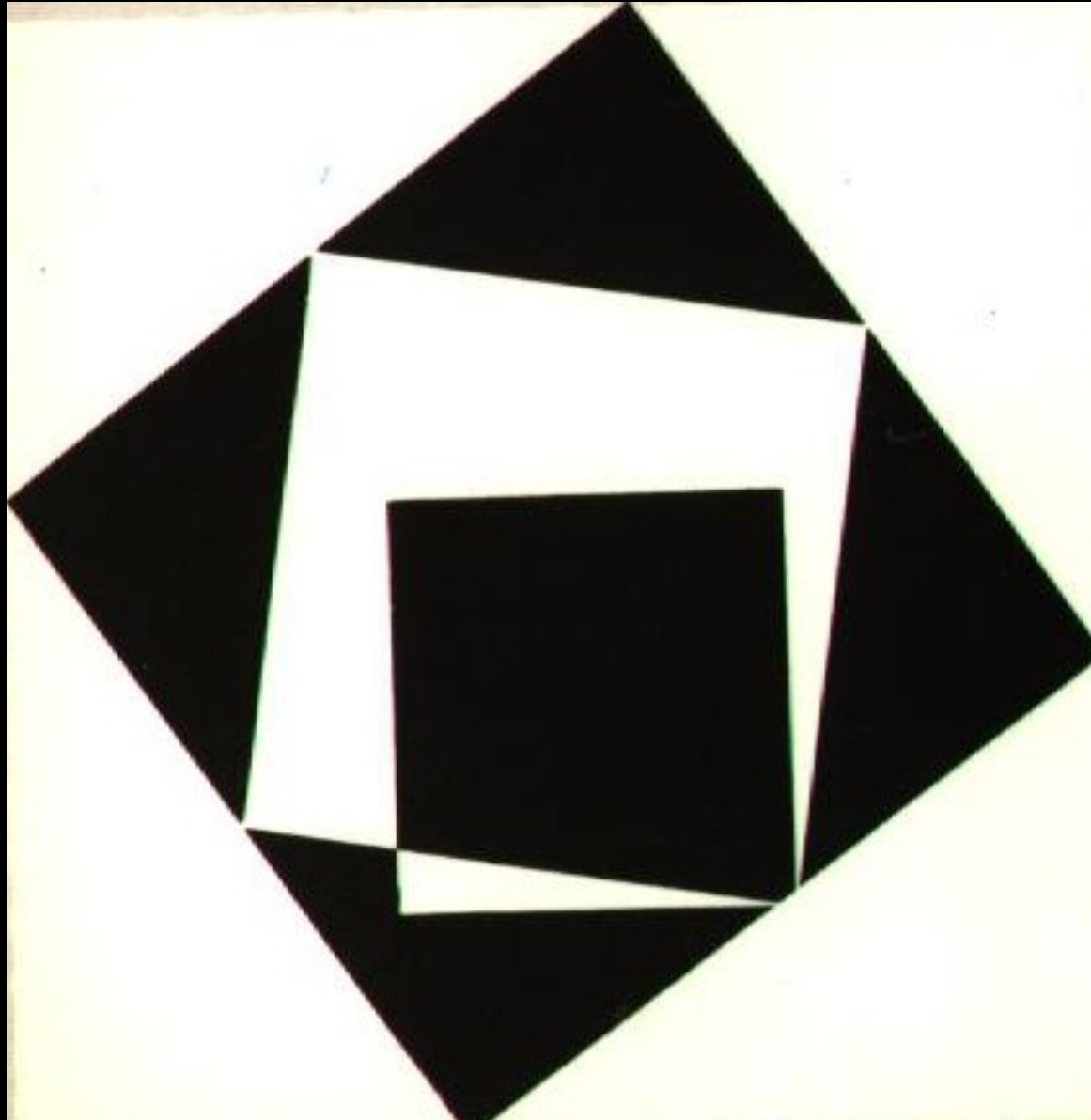
Le Héros, 1939, Vieira da Silva

Internet infrastructure is now owned and operated by private corporations

What if, in a environment without competition, one ISP decides to **filter applications... In particular "our" application???**

There are activities that require regulation, and at least ISPs must be regulated to ensure:

- Freedom of access
- Quality of services



Porta da Harmonia, 1957, Almada Negreiros

“Notice and take down” procedures

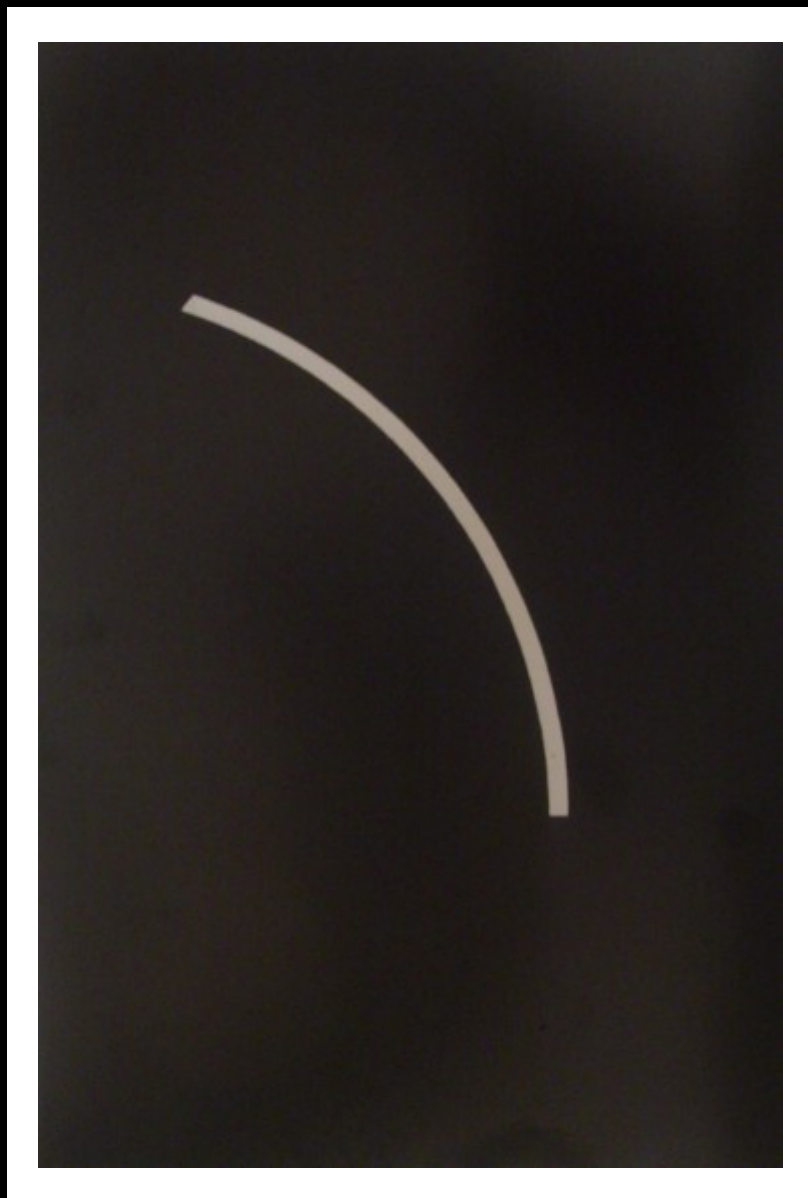
Aren't sectorial regulations (adapted to Internet) enough to ensure the rest?

The system will find its way...

In cloud computing information can be shared in multiple places. What is the jurisdictional authority?

New challenging network typologies (peer-to-peer) can solve ISP problems

And in the Internet, up to now, the users have found their way...



Pintura Geométrica 2r, 1957, Almada Negreiros

“Life is what happens to you while you're
busy making other plans”

«A vida é aquilo que acontece enquanto
planeamos o futuro»

Jonh Lennon



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