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FLOW CONTROL IN A TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

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VERKEHRSREGELUNG IN EINEM FERNMELDENETZWERK

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GESTION DE FLUX DANS UN RESEAU DE TELECOMMUNICATIONS

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[origin: WO9904536A2] The invention relates to a method for controlling overload in a packet switched network, especially in a network where Transmission Control Protocol (TCP) is used as the transport layer protocol. In order to inform the traffic source at a very early stage that the network is getting overloaded or congested, the acknowledgments traveling towards the source are delayed when the load level in the network exceeds a predetermined value.

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