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SKAT is a DPI device similar to CISCO SCE. It operates as a bridge with no IP addresses assignment. It means it is invisible in a network. Its delay is no higher than 30  $\mu$ s (16  $\mu$ s according to tests). Therefore it is almost indistinguishable from the direct connection. [Check SKAT connection schemes for details](#)