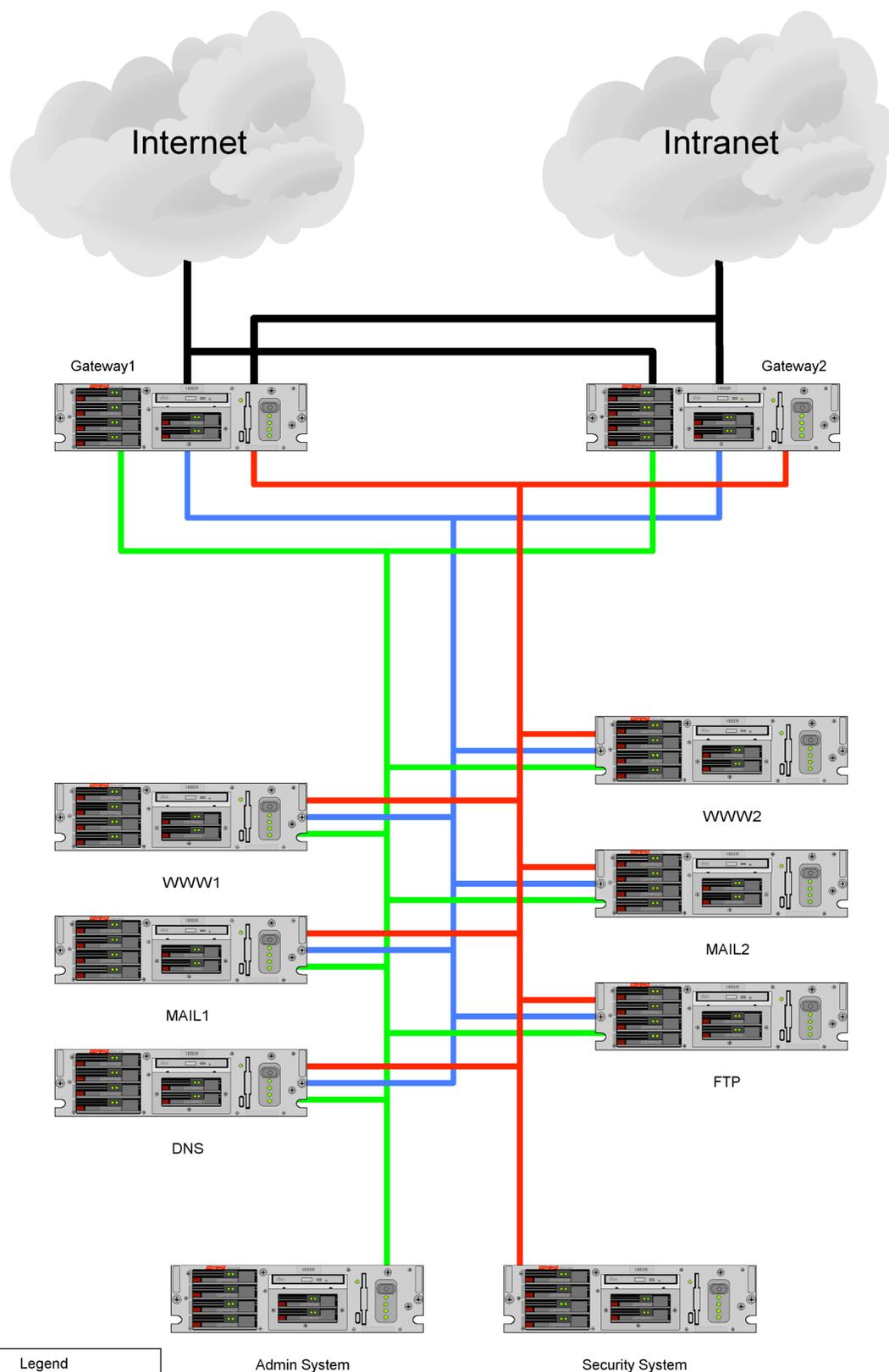


## The Poly<sup>2</sup> Project (Poly-Computer \* Poly-Network)



### Design Goals

- Modularity
- Fault Tolerance
- Scalability
- Service Isolation
- Least Privilege
- Economy of Mechanism
- Least Common Mechanism
- Defense in Depth

### Phases

- 1) Default O/S
- 2) System Profiling
- 3) Multi-system
- 4) Reduced Libraries
- 5) Reduced Kernel
- 6) Burn to CD

### Implementation

- Commodity Hardware
- Application Specific O/S
- Customized Kernel
- Separation of Internal Traffic
- Stripped Library Calls
- Minimal Software

### Impact

- Improved Performance
- Data Diode
- Attack Isolation
- Intrusion/Anomaly Detection
- Forensics
- High Availability

### Evaluation

- Metrics-based assessment of assurance in comparison with:
  - Virtualized server architecture (SODA)
  - Traditional server architecture



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