

IdP hosting as a SWITCH service

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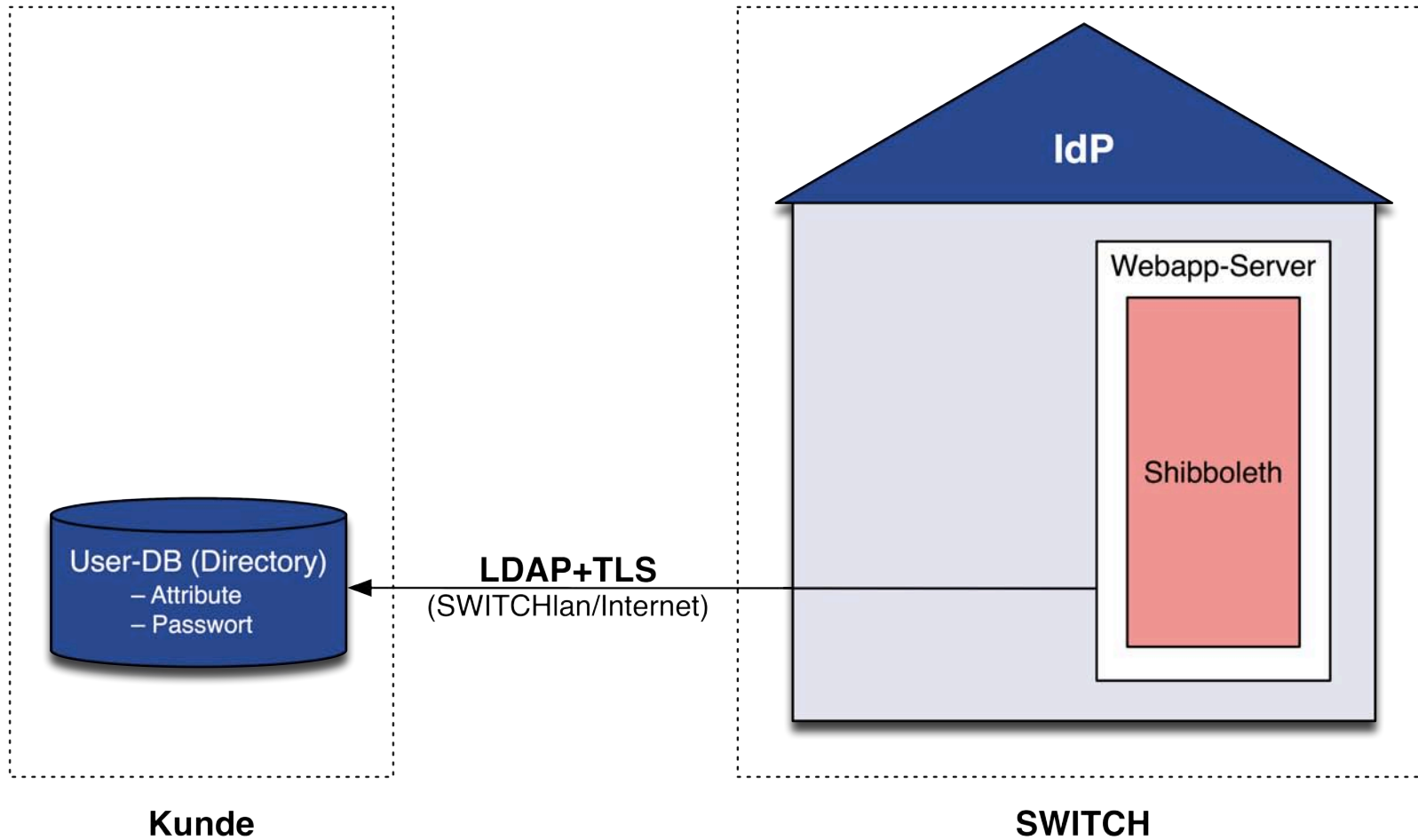
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What happened so far

- discussions with interested parties began in Fall 2009
- broader survey in Q1 2010 (OpCom, FID)
- a couple of “yes, possibly” answers were received

- **June 2010: SWITCH management decides to launch an IdP hosting service**

Architecture and responsibilities



[Integration through protocols other than LDAP upon inquiry]

Approximate roadmap

- implementation will start in Q3 2010
- details still to be defined/fleshed out – if your organization is interested, then **now** is the right time to express your interest / get in touch with us
- availability of production-grade service expected for Q4 / end of year