



# 24/7 Newsgathering

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# Changes in Newsgathering

- Move from “traditional” C band to Ku and Ka band
- Many IT options now available – i.e. BGan, 3G/4G bonding
- Increasing demands of HD over SD
- BUT...
- Need to use the “legacy” fleet of flyaway dishes and trucks – these used for diary events



# Volume – more please

- Need to produce far more
- Increasing number of digital channels, non-linear output
- Cheaper options made available by IP



## Keep it simple...

- The curse of a large, old organisation... jungle of different solutions
- Simplification of hardware (BBC is Mac)
- Simplification of software (sometimes off-the-shelf, sometimes home-grown)
- Move away from the technical user towards the journalist user



# What next?

- Drive towards size/weight reduction
- Price reduction
- Greater compression to obtain ever-higher definition.
- Fewer linear channels, but more content for multimedia services