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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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**SCHEDULE 13G**

**(Rule 13d-102)**

Information to be Included in Statements Filed Pursuant to § 240.13d-1(b), (c) and (d) and Amendments  
Thereof Filed Pursuant to § 240.13d-2.

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

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21 Vianet Group, Inc.  
(Name of Issuer)

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Class A Ordinary Shares, par value US\$0.00001 per share  
(Title of Class of Securities)

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G91458 102  
(CUSIP Number)

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December 31, 2011  
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- Rule 13d-1(b)
- Rule 13d-1(c)
- Rule 13d-1(d)

1) **NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS**

SMC Synapse Partners Limited

2) **CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP**(a) (b) 3) **SEC USE ONLY**4) **CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION**

British Virgin Islands

5) **SOLE VOTING POWER****NUMBER****OF****SHARES****BENEFICIALLY****OWNED BY****EACH****REPORTING****PERSON****WITH**

18,004,200 Ordinary Shares

6) **SHARED VOTING POWER**

None

7) **SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER**

18,004,200 Ordinary Shares

8) **SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER**

None

9) **AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON**18,004,200 Ordinary Shares<sup>L</sup>10) **CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES**11) **PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)**

5.5%

12) **TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON**

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1) **NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS**

Yoshihisa Ueno

2) **CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP**

(a)

(b)

3) **SEC USE ONLY**

4) **CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION**

Japanese

5) **SOLE VOTING POWER**

**NUMBER  
OF  
SHARES  
BENEFICIALLY  
OWNED BY  
EACH  
REPORTING  
PERSON  
WITH**

18,004,200 Ordinary Shares

6) **SHARED VOTING POWER**

None

7) **SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER**

18,004,200 Ordinary Shares

8) **SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER**

None

9) **AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON**

18,004,200 Ordinary Shares<sup>2</sup>

10) **CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES**

11) **PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)**

5.5%

12) **TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON**

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Schedule 13G

**Item 1(a). Name of Issuer:**

21 Vianet Group, Inc.

**Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:**

M5, 1 Jiuxianqiao East Road  
Chaoyang District  
Beijing 100016, The People's Republic of China

**Item 2(a). Name of Persons Filing:**

SMC Synapse Partners Limited  
Yoshihisa Ueno

Mr. Ueno is the sole director of SMC Synapse Partners Limited and holds of all the voting ordinary shares in SMC Synapse Partners Limited.

**Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office or, if None, Residence:**

SMC Synapse Partners Limited  
P. O. Box 957, Offshore Incorporations Cente  
Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands

Yoshihisa Ueno  
23F Chinachem Johnston Plaza, 1780186 Johnston Road  
Hong Kong

**Item 2(c). Citizenship:**

SMC Synapse Partners Limited: British Virgin Islands

Yoshihisa Ueno: Japanese

**Item 2(d). Title of Class of Securities:**

Class A Ordinary Shares, par value US\$0.00001 per share

**Item 2(e). CUSIP Number:**

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**Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to §§ 240.13d-1(b), or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:**

- (a)  Broker or Dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o);
- (b)  Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
- (c)  Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
- (d)  Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);
- (e)  An investment adviser in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
- (f)  An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
- (g)  A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
- (h)  A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
- (i)  A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
- (j)  A non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J);
- (k)  Group, in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).

**Item 4. Ownership.**

The reporting persons own Class B Ordinary Shares, which are convertible on a one-for-one basis into Class A Ordinary Shares at the option of the holder or upon transfer to a person or entity unaffiliated with the holder. The rights of holders of Class A Ordinary Shares and Class B Ordinary Shares are identical, except with respect to conversion rights (described above) and voting rights. Each Class B Ordinary Share is entitled to ten votes per share, whereas each Class A Ordinary Share is entitled to one vote per share. Six Ordinary Shares are the economic equivalent of one American Depositary Share.

The shares owned by the reporting persons are owned directly by SMC Synapse Partners Limited, of which Mr. Ueno is the sole director and holds all of the voting power.

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 18,004,200 Ordinary Shares
  - (b) Percent of class: 5.5%
  - (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
    - (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 18,004,200 Ordinary Shares
    - (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote: None
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(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 18,004,200 Ordinary Shares

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: None

**Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.**

Not applicable

**Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.**

Not applicable

**Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company or Control Person.**

Not applicable

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<sup>1</sup> Represents Class B Ordinary Shares of the Issuer (the "Class B Ordinary Shares"), which are convertible on a one-for-one basis into Class A Ordinary Shares of the Issuer (the "Class A Ordinary Shares, and together with the Class B Ordinary Shares, the "Ordinary Shares") at the option of the holder or upon transfer to a person or entity unaffiliated with the holder.

<sup>2</sup> Represents Class B Ordinary Shares of the Issuer (the "Class B Ordinary Shares"), which are convertible on a one-for-one basis into Class A Ordinary Shares of the Issuer (the "Class A Ordinary Shares, and together with the Class B Ordinary Shares, the "Ordinary Shares") at the option of the holder or upon transfer to a person or entity unaffiliated with the holder.

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**Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.**

Not applicable

**Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.**

Not applicable

**Item 10. Certification.**

Not applicable

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**SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

**SMC Synapse Partners Limited:**

By: /s/ Yoshihisa Ueno  
Name: Yoshihisa Ueno  
Title: Director  
Date: February 14, 2012

/s/ Yoshihisa Ueno  
Name: Yoshihisa Ueno  
Date: February 14, 2012