



# ..illuminating new ideas and tools **from** the community **for** the community

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## A bit of History



- RIPE NCC started as Coordination Center for the RIPE community
  - RIPE Database, mailing lists, meetings
- Only later it became an RIR
  - Once it was accepted as a neutral place
  - Providing platform for operators to coordinate their activities

#### **RIPE Labs – back to the Roots**





- It is a web site, but more importantly:
  - A platform and a tool for the community
- You can

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- Test and evaluate new tools and prototypes
- Contribute new ideas and research results
- Discover and discuss in forums and blogs

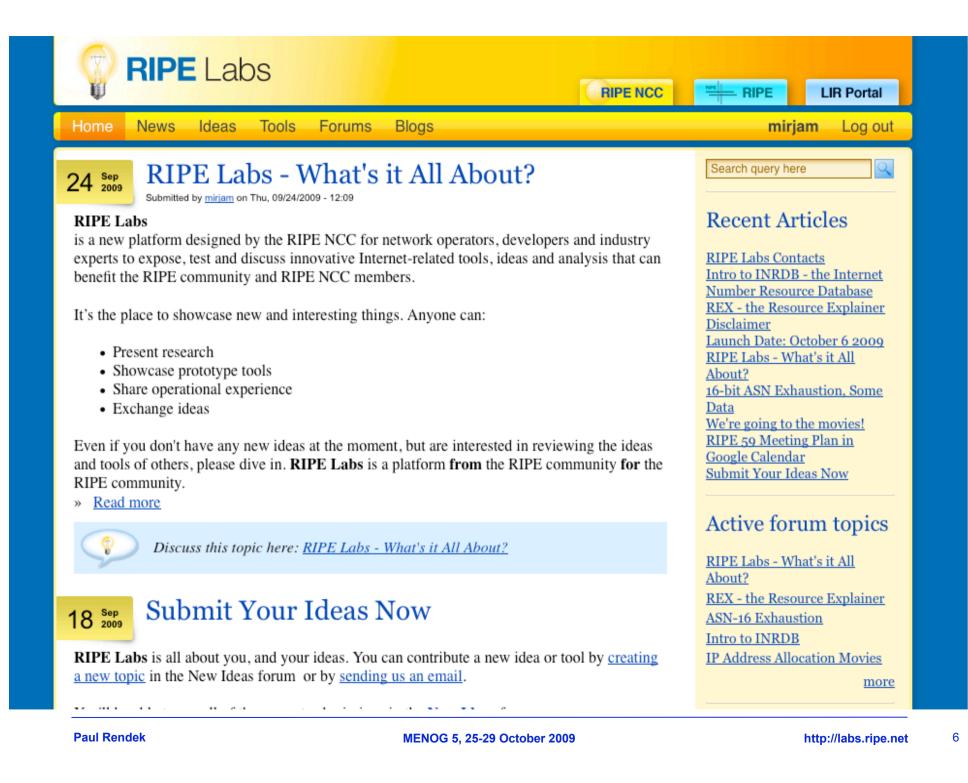


## Why RIPE Labs?



- Faster, tighter innovation cycle
  - Provide useful prototypes to you earlier
  - Adapt to the changing environment more quickly
- Closer involvement of the community
  - Openness
  - Make feedback and suggestions easier and more effective

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### **RIPE Labs Rules**



- Free and civil discussion between individuals
  - Anyone can read RIPE Labs content
  - Please register before contributing
- No service guarantees
  - Content can disappear based on
    - Community feedback
    - Legal or abuse issues
    - Too little resources



# What is currently on RIPE Labs?



- DNS
  - Lameness Measurement Tool
- Internet Resources
  - REX the Resource Explainer
  - Internet Number Resource Database
  - IP Address Usage movies
  - 16-bit ASN Exhaustion some data
- Information Services
  - NetSense next generation visualisation



## **Questions or Comments**



- Please take a look and participate
- Questions or comments
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