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5 main messages:

## - RIPE is not RIPE NCC

- IPv6: Act Now (.org)
- RIPE Policies Need your Participation
- RIPE NCC members are invited into discussion
- Independent Resources Users: decide

DNSSEC is not hot any more: it's just "business as usual":

1. RIPE NCC was among the first organisations to sign all its forward and reverse zones in 2005, and has been successfully running DNSSEC since then.

2. Our DNSSEC infrastructure is ready for an update - we're soon going to update our hardware, software and procedures, and improve upon some of the more error-prone aspects of our system.

3. Outside the RIPE NCC:

-The root will be signed this year:

http://www.icann.org/en/announcements/announcement-2-03jun09-en.htm

- .org & .gov are signed, and will start signing the delegations "soon" :

http://www.ripe.net/ripe/maillists/archives/dns-wg/2009/msg00063.html



The current Internet is too small for all of us.

We are running out of IPv4 addresses. There is only  $\sim$ 30 /8 IPv4 blocks left in IANA free pool. We've been using them globally at the rate of 1 /8 per month.

That gives us about 2 more years to deploy IPv6.

The main advantage of IPv6 addresses is that there is more of them.

That enables for the growth, which is very important for both networks and dinosaurs.

There are other methods to connect more and more users, like NAT and super-size NAT, but IPv6 also enables the preservation of End-to-End principle.



At the same time as the perceived need to move to IPv6, there are also many obstacles to IPv6 deployment.

One of them is usually referred to as "the dinosaur and the egg problem":

- There is no customer demand because there are no IPv6 services available.

- But the service providers (ISPs, vendors, content providers...) are not moving to IPv6 because there is no-one using it yet.

Be the first one to break that vicious circle!

Here are some numbers: Country LIRs IPv4 PI-IPv4 ASN IPv6 (ipv6/ipv4) Ireland 76 138 82 120 23 (~1/3) Hungary 77 176 83 214 14(~1/6) UK710 1450 2209 102 163(~1/4)



Requirements for IPv6:

## •PA Allocation

•Be an LIR

•Have a plan to deploy IPv6

•Announce your allocation as one prefix (must not deaggregate)

(policy proposal to change this: Removing Routing Requirements from the IPv6 Address Allocation Policy:

http://www.ripe.net/ripe/policies/proposals/2009-06.html)

•You will get /32 default allocation

•You can make /48 or /56 assignments to End Users

•LIRs can also make sub-allocations to other ISPs or big customers

•PI assignment

•You can NOT be an LIR

•Policy proposal to change this: "IPv6 Provider Independent (PI) Assignments for LIRs"

•http://www.ripe.net/ripe/policies/proposals/2009-08.html

•You'll get /48



To quote Randy Bush, in his video interview: "Make up your face first".

Enable IPv6 on external services first:

- routers
- Web page
- email
- DNS

Or, as Andy Davidson said it: "start from the edge, and work in".



IPv4-only and IPv6-only hosts can not talk to each other.

For the next 5-10-20 years, we will have a transition period: a Dual-Stack Internet.



Quotes from videos and presentations about IPv6:

"It's not rocket science"

"96 more bits, no magic"

And, as a first female native-IPv6 customer of xs4all in Holland , I can say that it "just works"!

The current deployment figures tell the opposite:

- Global routing table size ratio is 0.5%

-Google measured traffic ratio is 0.25%



Education and information from RIRs: http://www.ipv6actnow.org/ http://getipv6.info http://www.afrinic.net/projects/cvl.htm http://portalipv6.lacnic.net/en http://icons.apnic.net/display/IPv6/Home

IPv6 Deployment Monitoring Survey

http://is-nri.com/take/?i=150597&h=1GwWe3dXXMcPrRrOw5s2yg

Take part in the forum @ IPv6ActNow.org



RIPE NCC courses: LIR, Routing Registry & tools http://www.ripe.net/training/

New: starting in July – IPv6 for LIRs course! http://www.ripe.net/training/ipv6/

In addition to that: video testimonials! http://www.youtube.com/user/RIPENCC & http://IPv6ActNow.org/video/

RIPE NCC E-learning: RIPE Database, PDP, NRO http://www.ripe.net/training/e-learning/ New: DNS basics; soon: DNSSEC



**RIPE Policy Development Process:** 

Open to anyone "Address Policy Working Group" Also: Database, Routing, DNS, IEX, etc

http://www.ripe.net/ripe/policies/

In addition to the IPv6 policies already mentioned, selection of current policies being discussed:

- PI Assignment Size
- IPv4 Allocation and Assignments to Facilitate IPv6 Deployment
- Run Out Fairly
- Use of Final /8
- Ensuring Efficient Use of Historical IPv4 Resources



RIPE NCC Members-only:

- 1) LIRs must decide which "Independent Resources" to keep:
  - for LIRs
  - for their End Users,
  - or not their customer any more.

2) Discuss on Members-Discuss @ripe.net

(un)subscribe through LIRPortal

Web archive: http://www.ripe.net/maillists/ncc-archives/membersdiscuss/2009/index.html

Proposed changes in Charging Scheme 2010

Independent resources: 50 Euro per year
For each assignment, not connected with size
Only PA allocations (IPv4, IPv6) contribute to billing category

Also proposed: electronic voting for membership

3) Certification project in beta-2 to be released soon: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q6TBQr2Spw8

Available through LIRPortal to members only. http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=urYCIC4IOFc



Independent Resources Users need to decide...

According to the policy proposal "2007-01", approved in 2008 , contract is required for every Independent Resource.

Phase one was that RIPE NCC was requiring contract for all the new requests for Independent Resources in 2008.

Phase two is that all the existing holders will have to take some actions regarding their resources (5 options, see slide).

Contract can be between End User and any so-called sponsoring LIR (old, new), Or: between End User and the RIPE NCC (so-called Direct Assignment User, different from an LIR in that that DAUs are not members of the RIPE NCC).

Example of the contract: http://www.ripe.net/membership/lir-end-user-agreement.html

Policy:

http://www.ripe.net/ripe/docs/contract-req.html http://www.ripe.net/membership/lir-end-user-requirements.html

FAQ: http://www.ripe.net/info/faq/rs/independent-resources.html