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# New Local Internet Registry

**Webinar**

**RIPE NCC Learning & Development**



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# Agenda

- The Internet Registry (IR) System
- RIPE and the RIPE NCC
- Tools
- Getting Resources



# Section 1

## The Internet Registry System



Internet Assigned Numbers Authority



## All five RIRs are:

- Not-for-profit organisation
- Funded by membership fees
- Policies developed by regional communities
- Neutral, impartial, open, and transparent

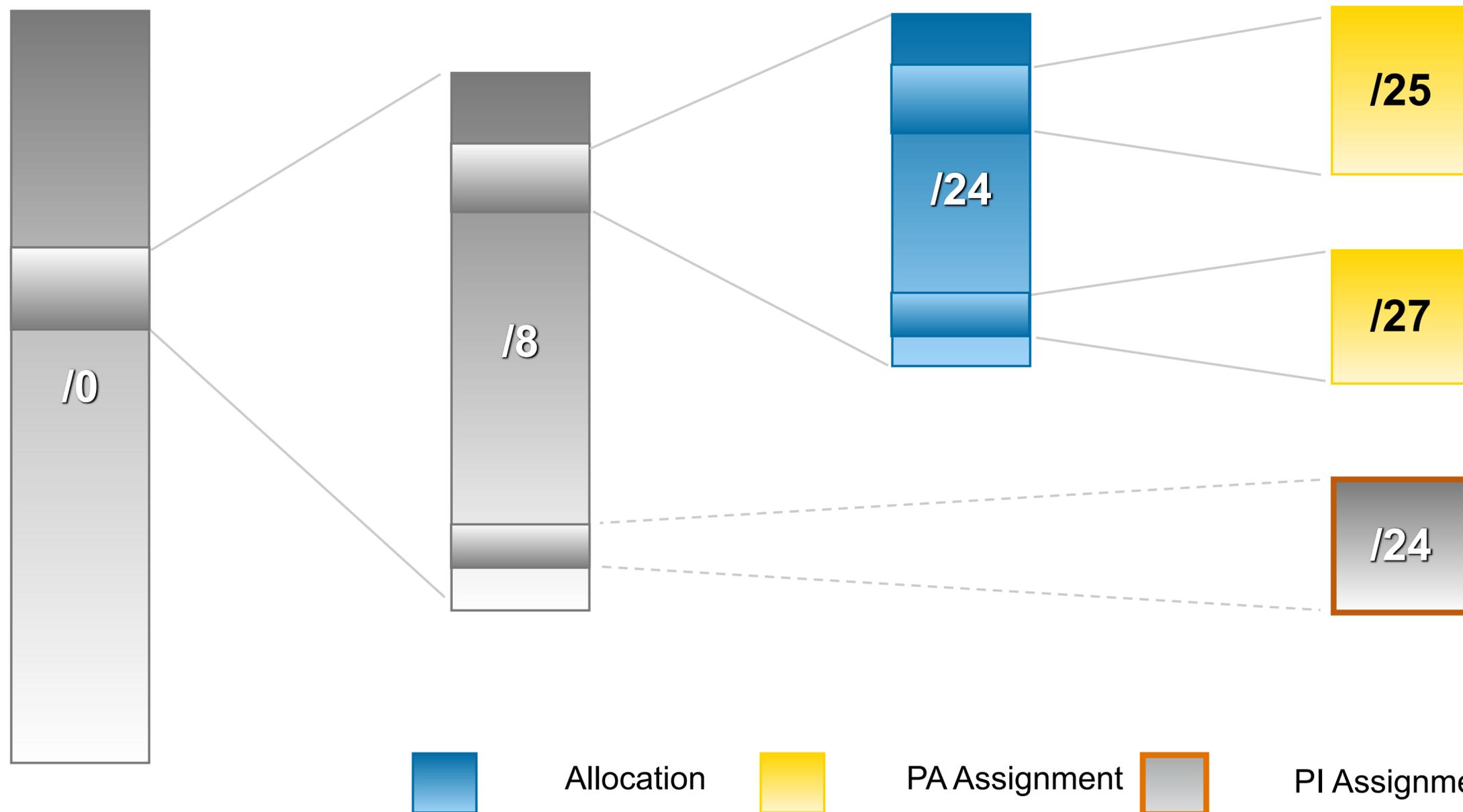
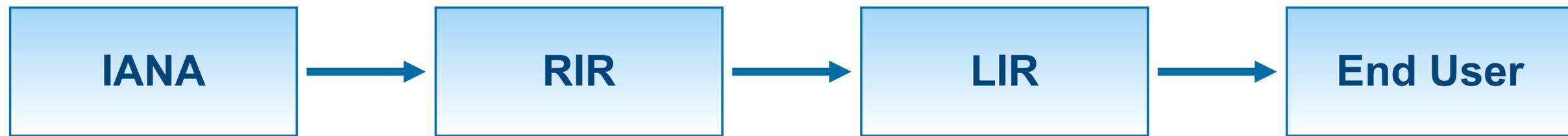




# Goals of the IR System

- Registration
  - Registration Accuracy
- Aggregation
  - Hierarchical Allocation
- Conservation / Fairness
  - Allocation Pool Management

# IPv4 Address Distribution: Current







# Section 2

RIPE and RIPE NCC



# RIPE NCC

- Began operating in 1992
- Not-for-profit membership organisation
- 25,000+ members (Local Internet Registries)
- Neutral, Impartial, Open, Transparent
- Provides administrative support to RIPE
- Distributes IP addresses and AS numbers



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# Take the poll!

What defines the **RIPE community**?

*Please choose the correct answers.*

 1 min.





# Réseaux IP Européens (RIPE)

- Started in 1989
- Discussion forum open to all parties interested
- Not a legal entity and no formal membership
- Develops policies
- Work done in Working Groups
- Activities are performed on a voluntary basis
- Decisions formed by consensus



# Policy Development Process

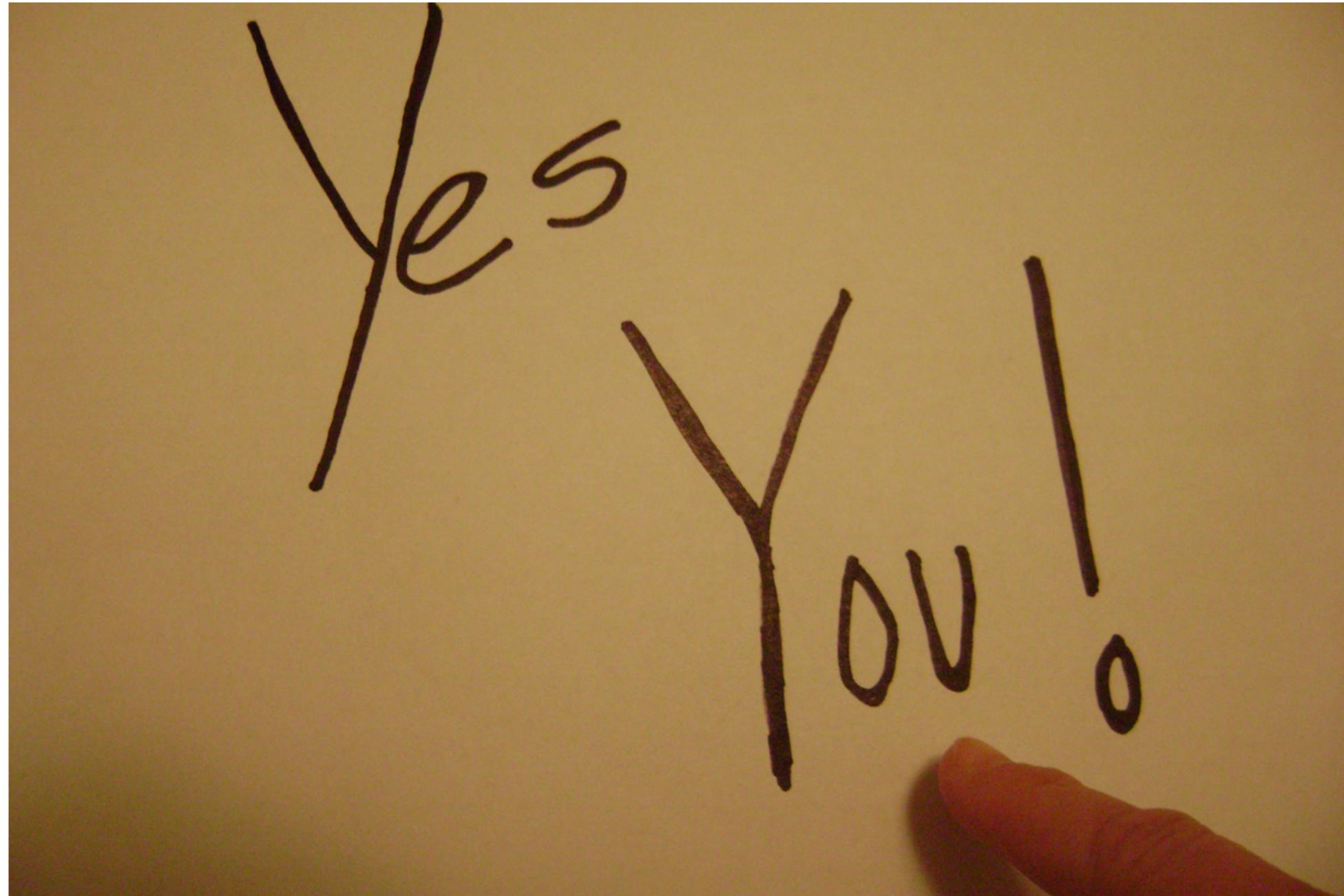


Policies?

What policies?!



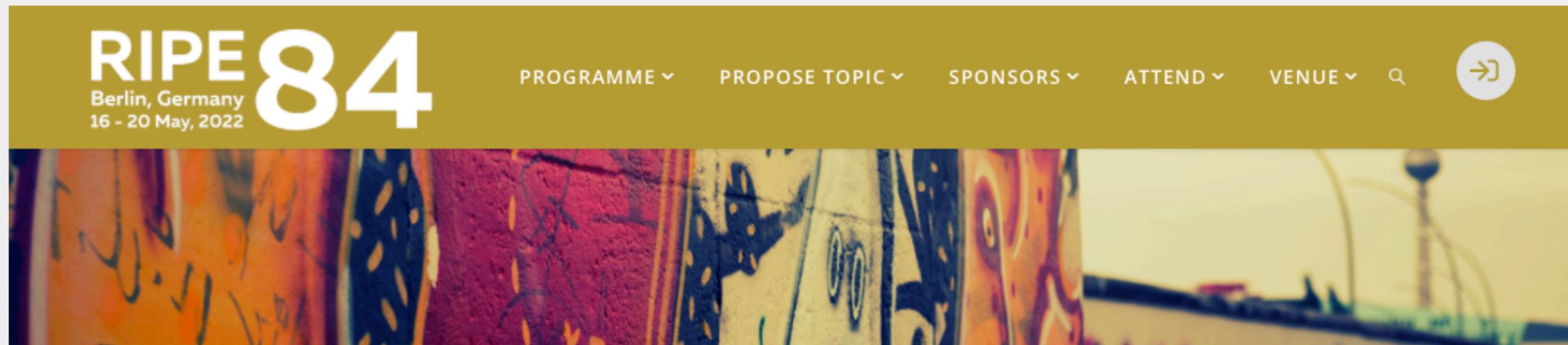
# Who makes the policies?





# Policy Development Process

- Open
- Transparent
- Bottom-up





# RIPE NCC in the PDP

- Secretariat to support the process
- Helps with documentation
- Implements the policies



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# Participating

- Stay up-to-date with new policies
- Join in the policy discussions
- Propose a new policy



Join a discussion:

<https://www.ripe.net/participate/mail/forum/>



# Section 3

Tools



# RIPE Database

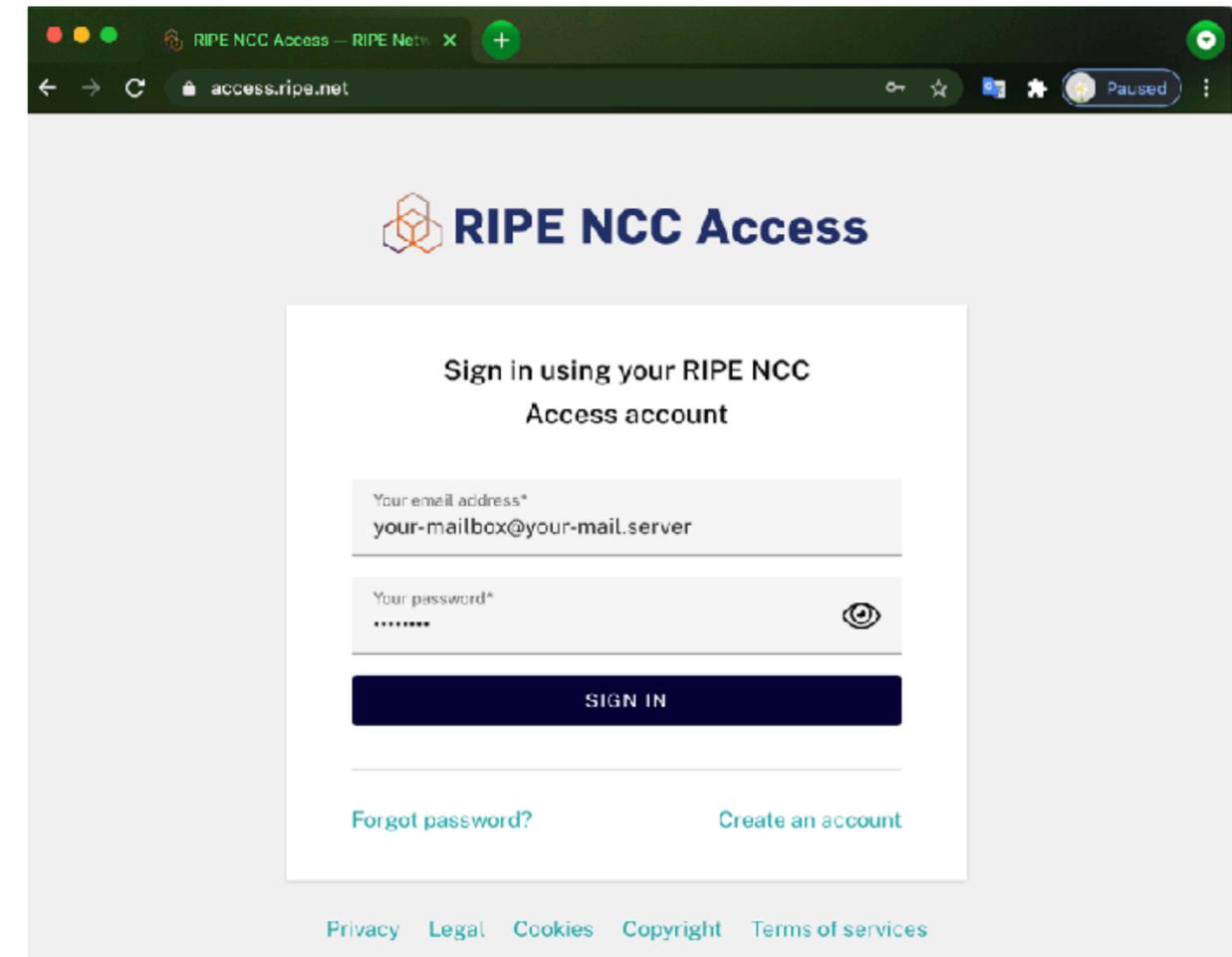
- Registry of **who** holds IP addresses and ASNs
- Keeps **contact** information
  - For troubleshooting, notifying outages, etc.
- Publishing **routing** policies
- Provisioning **reverse DNS**





# RIPE NCC Access

- Single Sign-On for different services
- Anybody can have an Access account
- Free for everybody



<https://access.ripe.net>



# LIR Portal

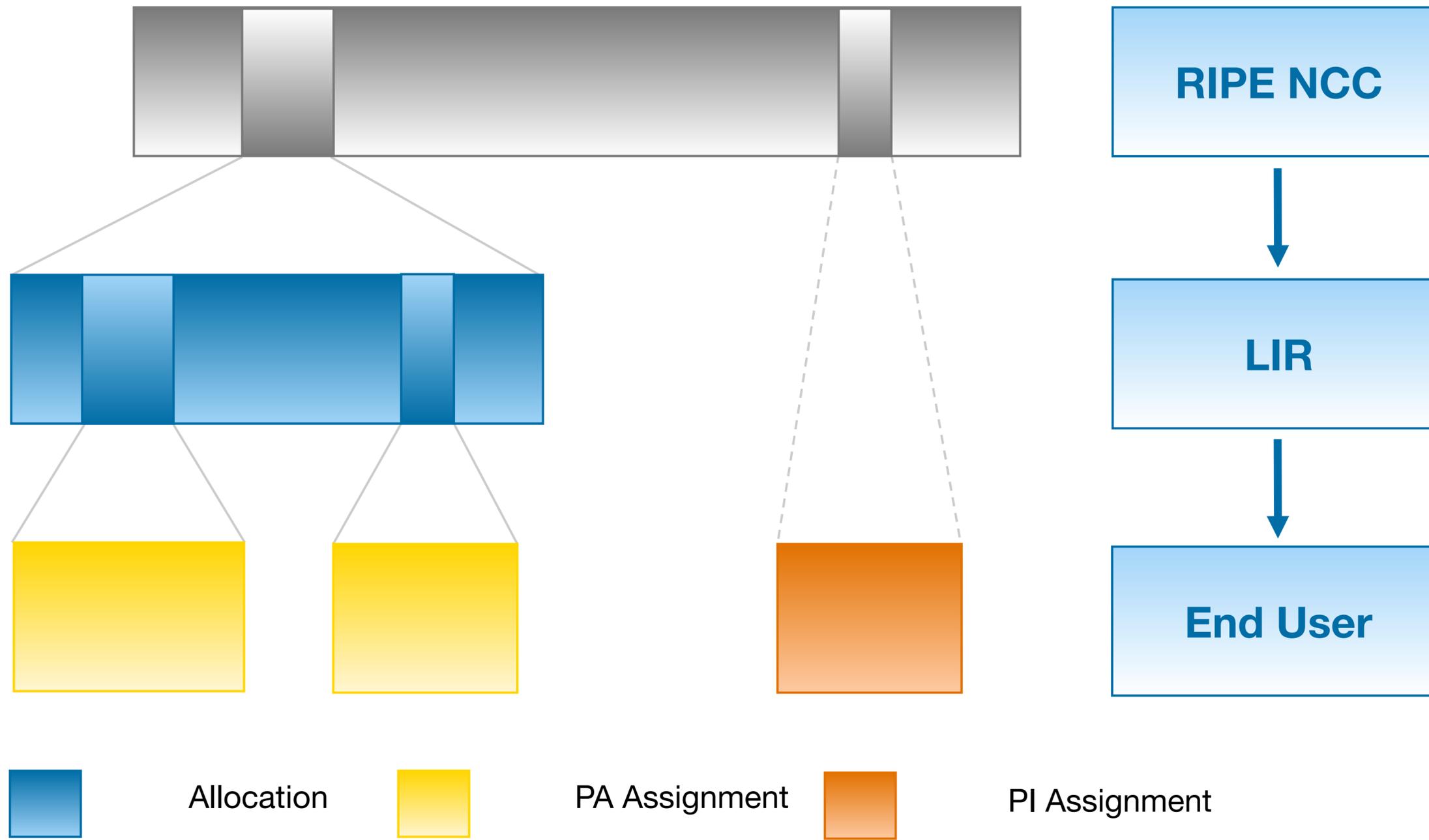
- Manage your LIR data
  - Contact information
  - IP and ASN information
  - Submit request forms: IPv4, IPv6 and ASN
  - Update RIPE Database



# Section 4

Getting Resources

# Allocation and Assignment





# First IPv6 Allocation

- Have **mntner**, **person** and **role** objects ready
- Submit the First **IPv6 Allocation Request** form
  - Have a plan for making assignments within two years
- Minimum allocation size is **/32**
  - Up to a **/29** without additional justification
  - More if justified by customer numbers and the extent of the infrastructure
  - Additional bits based on hierarchical and geographical structure, planned longevity and security levels



# Requesting an IPv6 PI Assignment

- Every PI Assignment must have a **Sponsoring LIR**
- Create **organisation**, **person** and **mntner** objects for the End User
- Send us:
  - PI Assignment Request Form
  - End User Agreement/Contract
  - Company registration document
  - Or picture ID (for a private individual)



# IPv6 PI Assignments

- Cannot be further sub-assigned to other organisations
- Allowed to give separate addresses (not prefixes) to:
  - Visitors, server or appliance, point-to-point link to 3rd party
- Yearly charges for PI Assignments
  - See the RIPE NCC Charging Scheme

```
inet6num: 2001:db8:1234::/48
descr: My First PI Assignment
status: ASSIGNED PI
mnt-by: RIPE-NCC-END-MNT
mnt-by: ENDUSER-MNT
mnt-routes: ENDUSER-MNT
mnt-domains: ENDUSER-MNT
```

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2018: **LIRs start receiving /22 allocations from the recycled space**

Soon continuous /22 are gone; LIRs start receiving /22 allocation equivalents in multiple smaller prefixes (/23—/24)

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November 2019: An equivalent of /22 can no longer be allocated

New policy: **No more than a single /24 for each new LIR**  
**The waiting list is introduced.**



# IPv4 Allocation: The Waiting List

- Submit the IPv4 Allocation Request form
  - Use the same **mntner**, **person/role** objects from the IPv6 allocation
- Each LIR is put on the **first-come-first-served** waiting list to get **one /24** block
  - One /24 block = 256 IPv4 addresses
- Cannot be transferred for **24 months** after receiving it

<https://www.ripe.net/manage-ips-and-asns/ipv4/ipv4-waiting-list>



# IPv4 Transfers

- Transfer PA allocations to another LIR
- PI assignments can also be transferred
- No minimum size
- RIPE NCC evaluates it
- Cannot be transferred again within **24 months**
- Permanent or temporary



**Transfers that happened in the past:**

<https://www.ripe.net/manage-ips-and-asns/resource-transfers-and-mergers/transfer-statistics>



# Transfers: How to Request

- Use the “Request Transfer” wizard
- Include the following information & documents:
  - IPv4 / IPv6 / ASN being transferred
  - company names and contact details
  - company registration papers
  - Transfer Agreement

For PI transfers, sponsoring LIR agreement is needed too.



# IPv4 PI Assignments

- Since reaching the last /8, **no new IPv4 PI assignments**
- No sub-assigning allowed
- Yearly charges for PI Assignments

**RIPE NCC Charging Scheme:**

<https://www.ripe.net/publications/docs/ripe-771>



# Autonomous System Numbers

- Assignment requirements
  - Address space
  - Multihoming
  - One AS Number per network
- For LIR itself
- For End User
  - Sponsoring LIR requests it for End User
- 32-bit is the default
  - 16-bit available on request

## ASN Assignment Criteria:

<http://www.ripe.net/ripe/docs/asn-assignment.html>

## How to request ASN:

<https://www.ripe.net/manage-ips-and-asns/as-numbers/request-an-as-number>



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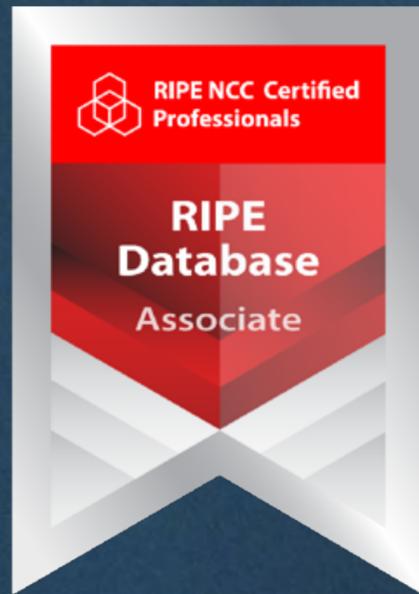
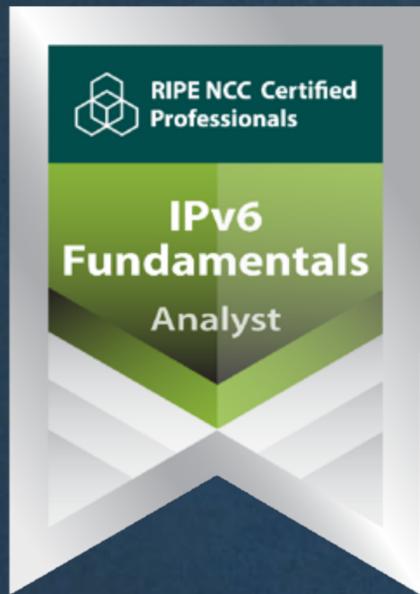


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