

BGP Routing & IXP Workshop

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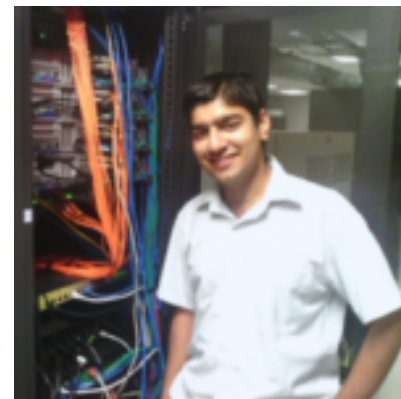
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Agenda : Day 1

Session	Agenda
1000 - 1130	What is an IX, How to build and IXP
1200 - 1330	Internet Routing Basic
1430 - 1600	IPv6 Protocol Architecture
1630 - 1730	IGP Routing Protocol & Hands-on lab exercise

Agenda : Day 2

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1000 - 1130	BGP Routing Protocol Operation
1200 - 1330	Attributes and Path Selection Process
1430 - 1600	Hands On Lab Exercise: iBGP Peering- What is Exchange Point?
1630 - 1730	Hands On Lab Exercise: eBGP Peering- What is Exchange Point?

Agenda : Day 3

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0930 - 1030	IXP Design Considerations
1100 - 1230	Hands On Lab Exercise: IXP Configuration
1330 - 1500	Route Collectors & Servers
1530 - 1700	IXP BCP and What can go wrong?

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Structure of the Course

Day 3 : Stage 4

- Building a Demo IXP
 - Some presentation on Route Server
 - Will connect network on the IX

Day 2 : Stage 3

- Building BGP Concept
 - Introduction to BGP
 - BGP Path control
 - Hands-On Exercise

Day 1 : Stage 2

- Building the concept of Routing
 - Routing Introduction
 - How Internet Works?
 - Glue it together with Internet context
 - Some Hand-on Exercise

Day 1 : Stage 1

- Demystifying IXP Concept
 - What is IXP?
 - Value of Peering
 - How to Build an IXP?

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- Cisco System
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Overview

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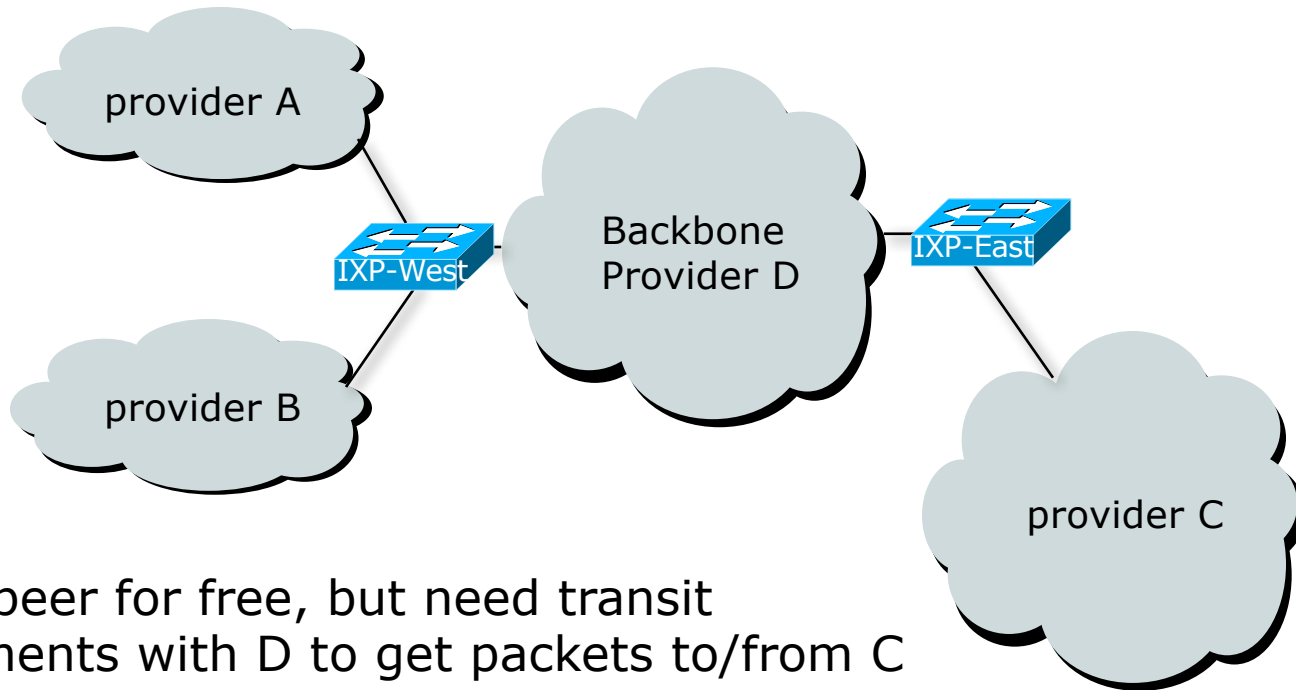
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What is an Internet Exchange Point (IXP)?

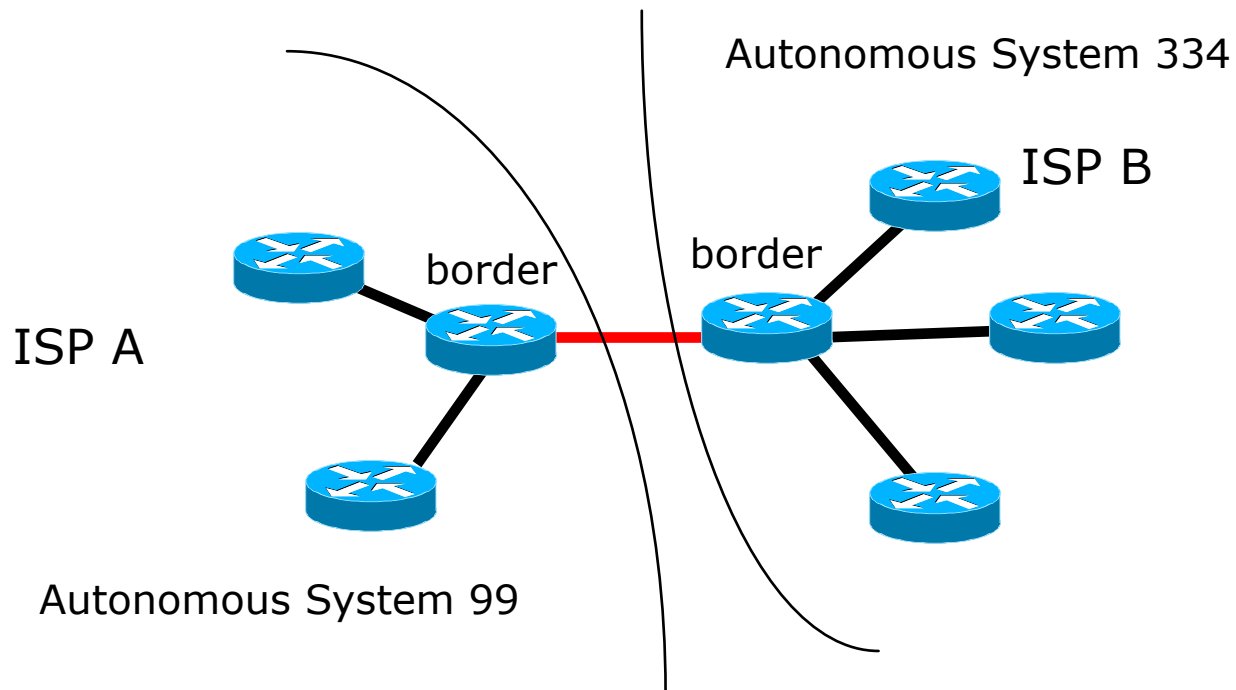
- The Internet is an interconnection of networks
 - Each controlled by separate entities
 - Generally called Internet Service Providers (ISPs)
 - Grouped by Autonomous Systems (AS) number
- Transit
 - Where ISP will pay to send/receive traffic
 - Downstream ISP will pay upstream ISP for transit service
- Peering
 - ISPs will not pay each other to interchange traffic
 - Works well if win win for both
 - Reduce cost on expensive transit link

Peering and Transit example



A and B peer for free, but need transit arrangements with D to get packets to/from C

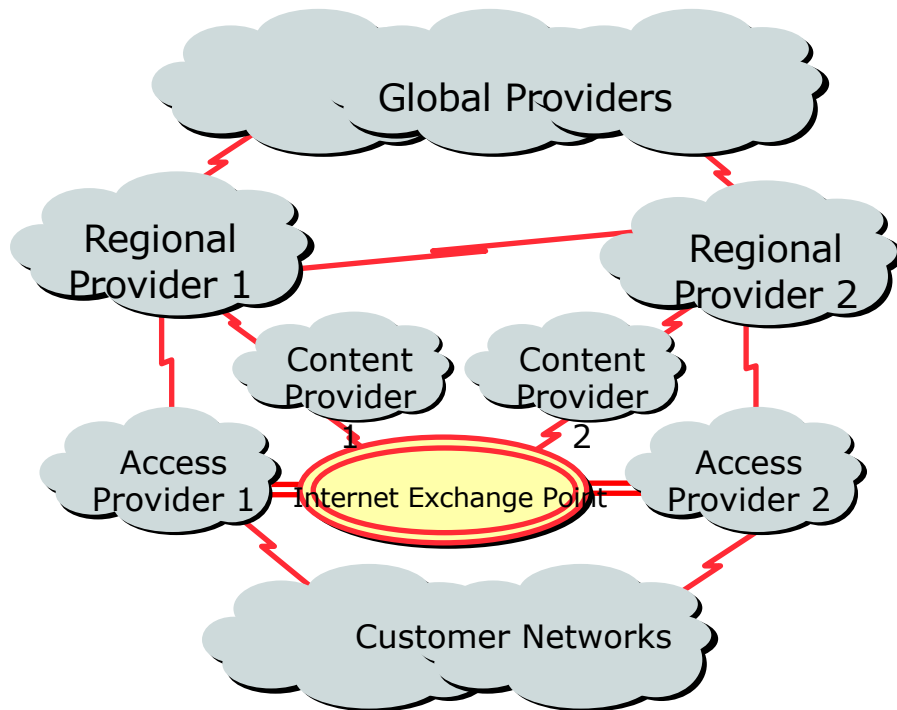
Private Interconnect



Public Interconnect

- A location or facility where several ISPs are present and connect to each other over a common shared media
- Why?
 - To save money, reduce latency, improve performance
- IXP – Internet eXchange Point
- NAP – Network Access Point

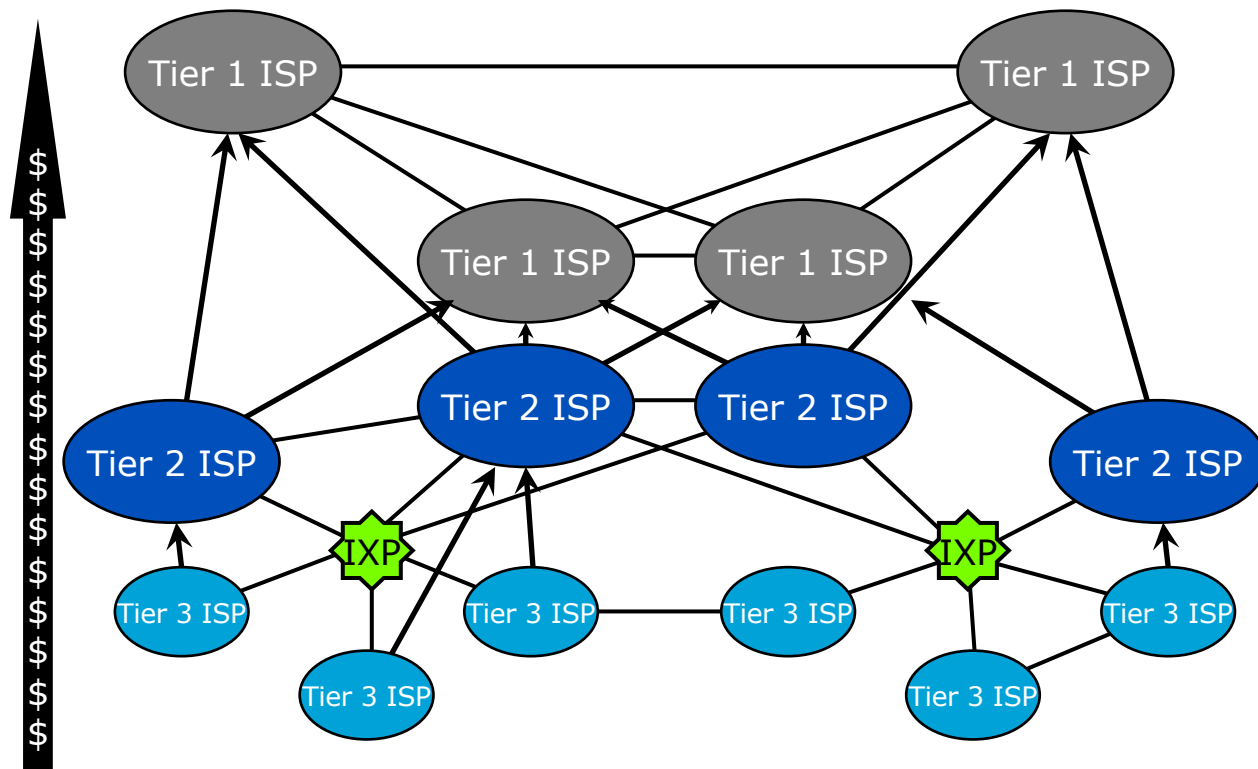
High Level View of the Global Internet



Detailed View of the Global Internet

- Global Transit Providers
 - Connect to each other
 - Provide connectivity to Regional Transit Providers
- Regional Transit Providers
 - Connect to each other
 - Provide connectivity to Content Providers
 - Provide connectivity to Access Providers
- Access Providers
 - Connect to each other across IXPs (free peering)
 - Provide access to the end user

Categorizing ISPs



Inter-provider relationships

- Peering between equivalent sizes of service providers (e.g. Tier 2 to Tier 2)
 - Shared cost private interconnection, equal traffic flows
 - No cost peering
- Peering across exchange points
 - If convenient, of mutual benefit, technically feasible
- Fee based peering
 - Unequal traffic flows, “market position”

Internet Exchange Point- Why peer?

- Consider a region with one ISP
 - They provide internet connectivity to their customers
 - They have one or two international connections
- Internet grows, another ISP sets up in competition
 - They provide internet connectivity to their customers
 - They have one or two international connections
- How does traffic from customer of one ISP get to customer of the other ISP?
 - Via the international connections

Internet Exchange Point- Why peer?

- Yes, International Connections...
 - If satellite, RTT is around 550ms per hop
 - So local traffic takes over 1s round trip
- International bandwidth
 - Costs significantly more than domestic bandwidth
 - Congested with local traffic
 - Wastes money, harms performance

Internet Exchange Point- Why peer?

- Solution:
 - Two competing ISPs peer with each other
- Result:
 - Both save money
 - Local traffic stays local
 - Better network performance, better QoS,...
 - More international bandwidth for expensive international traffic
 - Everyone is happy

Internet Exchange Point- Why peer?

- A third ISP enters the equation
 - Becomes a significant player in the region
 - Local and international traffic goes over their international connections
- They agree to peer with the two other ISPs
 - To save money
 - To keep local traffic local
 - To improve network performance, QoS,...

Internet Exchange Point- Why peer?

- Private peering means that the three ISPs have to buy circuits between each other
 - Works for three ISPs, but adding a fourth or a fifth means this does not scale
- Solution:
 - Internet Exchange Point

Internet Exchange Point

- Every participant has to buy just one whole circuit
 - From their premises to the IXP
- Rather than $N-1$ half circuits to connect to the $N-1$ other ISPs
 - 5 ISPs have to buy 4 half circuits = 2 whole circuits → already twice the cost of the IXP connection

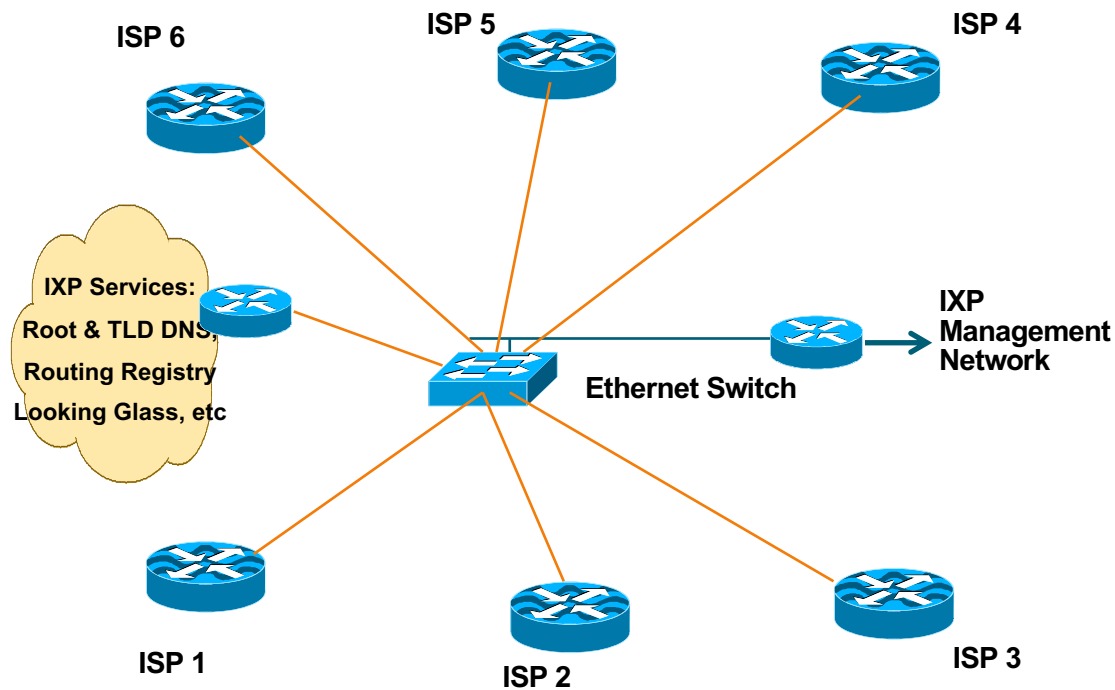
Internet Exchange Point

- Solution
 - Every ISP participates in the IXP
 - Cost is minimal – one local circuit covers all domestic traffic
 - International circuits are used for just international traffic – and backing up domestic links in case the IXP fails
- Result:
 - Local traffic stays local
 - QoS considerations for local traffic is not an issue
 - RTTs are typically sub 10ms
 - Customers enjoy the Internet experience
 - Local Internet economy grows rapidly

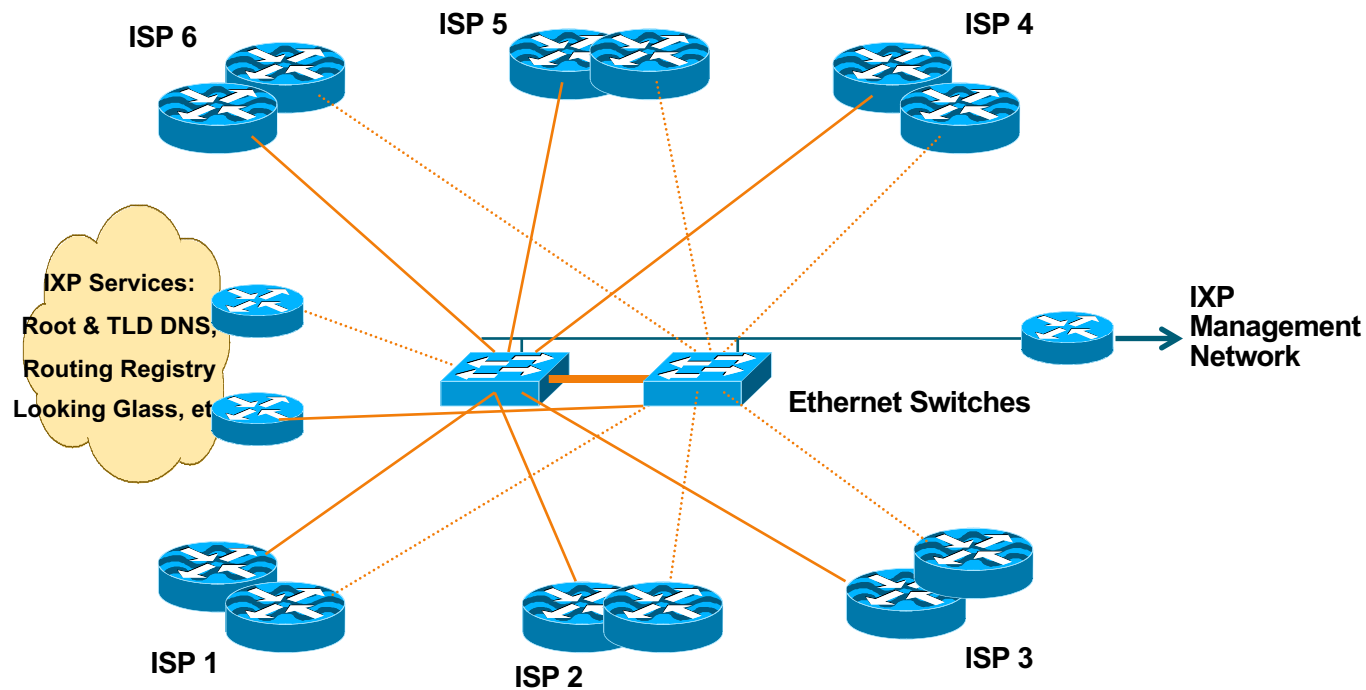
Internet Exchange Points

- Layer 2 exchange point
 - Ethernet (100Gbps/10Gbps/1Gbps/100Mbps)
 - Older technologies include ATM, Frame Relay, SRP, FDDI and SMDS
- Layer 3 exchange point
 - Router based
 - Has historical status now

Layer 2 Exchange



Layer 2 Exchange



Layer 2 Exchange

- Two switches for redundancy
- ISPs use dual routers for redundancy or loadsharing
- Offer services for the “common good”
 - Internet portals and search engines
 - DNS Root & TLDs, NTP servers
 - Routing Registry and Looking Glass

Layer 2 Exchange

- Requires neutral IXP management
 - Usually funded equally by IXP participants
 - 24x7 cover, support, value add services
- Secure and neutral location
- Configuration
 - Private address space if non-transit and no value add services
 - Otherwise public IPv4 (/24) and IPv6 (/64)
 - ISPs require AS, basic IXP does not

Layer 2 Exchange

- Network Security Considerations
 - LAN switch needs to be securely configured
 - Management routers require TACACS+ authentication, vty security
 - IXP services must be behind router(s) with strong filters

“Layer 3 IXP”

- IX will provide layer two connection/switch port to ISPs
- Each ISP will peer with a route server on the IX
- Route server will collect and distribute directly connected routes to every peers

Layer 2 versus Layer 3

- Layer 3
 - IXP team requires good BGP knowledge
 - Rely on 3rd party for BGP configuration
 - One peering will get all IXP routes
 - Less freedom on who peers with whom
 - Usually competes with IXP membership
 - Tends to be distributed over wide area
 - IXP can grow faster

Layer 2 versus Layer 3

- Layer 2
 - IXP team does not need routing knowledge
 - Easy to get started
 - More complicated to distribute over wide area
 - ISPs free to set up peering agreements with each other as they wish



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ISP Goals

- Minimise the cost of operating the business
- Transit
 - ISP has to pay for circuit (international or domestic)
 - ISP has to pay for data (usually per Mbps)
 - Repeat for each transit provider
 - Significant cost of being a service provider
- Peering
 - ISP shares circuit cost with peer (private) or runs circuit to public peering point (one off cost)
 - No need to pay for data
 - Reduces transit data volume, therefore reducing cost

Transit – How it works

- Small access provider provides Internet access for a city's population
 - Mixture of dial up, wireless and fixed broadband
 - Possibly some business customers
 - Possibly also some Internet cafes
- How do their customers get access to the rest of the Internet?
- ISP buys access from one, two or more larger ISPs who already have visibility of the rest of the Internet
 - This is transit – they pay for the physical connection to the upstream and for the traffic volume on the link

Peering – How it works

- If two ISPs are of equivalent sizes, they have:
 - Equivalent network infrastructure coverage
 - Equivalent customer size
 - Similar content volumes to be shared with the Internet
 - Potentially similar traffic flows to each other's networks
- This makes them good peering partners
- If they don't peer
 - They both have to pay an upstream provider for access to each other's network/customers/content
 - Upstream benefits from this arrangement, the two ISPs both have to fund the transit costs

Example: South Asian ISP @ LINX

- Date: October 2011
- Facts:
 - Route Server plus bilateral peering offers 81k prefixes
 - IXP traffic averages 55Mbps/15Mbps
 - Transit traffic averages 35Mbps/3Mbps
- Analysis:
 - 61% of inbound traffic comes from 81k prefixes available by peering
 - 39% of inbound traffic comes from remaining 287k prefixes from transit provider

Example: South Asian ISP @ HKIX

- Date: October 2011
- Facts:
 - Route Server plus bilateral peering offers 34k prefixes
 - IXP traffic is 130Mbps/30Mbps
 - Transit traffic is 125Mbps/40Mbps
- Analysis:
 - 51% of inbound traffic comes from 42k prefixes available by peering
 - 49% of inbound traffic comes from remaining 326k prefixes from transit provider

Example: South Asian ISP

- Summary:
 - Traffic by Peering: 185Mbps/45Mbps
 - Traffic by Transit: 160Mbps/43Mbps
 - 54% of incoming traffic is by peering
 - 52% of outbound traffic is by peering

Example: South Asian ISP

- Router at remote co-lo
 - Benefits: can select peers, easy to swap transit providers
 - Costs: co-lo space and remote hands
- Servers at remote co-lo
 - Benefits: mail filtering, content caching, etc
 - Costs: co-lo space and remote hands
- Overall advantage:
 - Can control what goes on the expensive connectivity “back to home”

Value propositions

- Peering at a local IXP
 - Reduces latency & transit costs for local traffic
 - Improves Internet quality perception
- Participating at a Regional IXP
 - A means of offsetting transit costs
- Managing connection back to home network
- Improving Internet Quality perception for customers

Summary

- Benefits of peering
 - Private
 - Internet Exchange Points
- Local versus Regional IXPs
 - Local services local traffic
 - Regional helps defray transit costs

Worked Example

Single International Transit

Versus

Local IXP + Regional IXP + Transit

Worked Example

- ISP A is local access provider
 - Some business customers (around 200 fixed links)
 - Some co-located content provision (datacentre with 100 servers)
 - Some consumers on broadband (5000 DSL/Cable/Wireless)
 - Some consumers on dial (1000 on V.34 type speeds)
- They have a single transit provider
 - Connect with a 16Mbps international leased link to their transit's PoP
 - Transit link is highly congested

Worked Example (2)

- There are two other ISPs serving the same locality
 - There is no interconnection between any of the three ISPs
 - Local traffic (between all 3 ISPs) is traversing International connections
- Course of action for our ISP:
 - Work to establish local IXP
 - Establish presence at overseas co-location
- First Step
 - Assess local versus international traffic ratio
 - Use NetFlow on border router connecting to transit provider

Worked Example (3)

- Local/Non-local traffic ratio
 - Local = traffic going to other two ISPs
 - Non-local = traffic going elsewhere
- Example: balance is 30:70
 - Of 16Mbps, that means 5Mbps could stay in country and not congest International circuit
 - 16Mbps transit costs \$50 per Mbps per month traffic charges = \$250 per month, or \$3000 per year for local traffic
 - Circuit costs \$100k per year: \$30k is spent on local traffic
- Total is \$33k per year for local traffic

Worked Example (4)

- IXP cost:
 - Simple 8 port 10/100 managed switch plus co-lo space over 3 years could be around US\$30k total; or \$3k per year per ISP
 - One router to handle 5Mbps (e.g. 2801) would be around \$3k (good for 3 years)
 - One local 10Mbps circuit from ISP location to IXP location would be around \$5k per year, no traffic charges
 - Per ISP total: \$9k
 - Somewhat cheaper than \$33k
 - Business case for local peering is straightforward - \$24k saving per annum

Worked Example (5)

- After IXP establishment
 - 5Mbps removed from International link
 - Leaving 5Mbps for more International traffic – and that fills the link within weeks of the local traffic being removed
- Next step is to assess transit charges and optimise costs
 - ISPs visits several major regional IXPs
 - Assess routes available
 - Compares routes available with traffic generated by those routes from its Netflow data
 - Discovers that 30% of traffic would transfer to one IXP via peering

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How to Build an IXP?

- The IXP Core is an Ethernet switch
- Has superseded all other types of network devices for an IXP
 - From the cheapest and smallest 12 or 24 port 10/100 switch
 - To the largest 192 port 10GigEthernet switch

How to Build an IXP?

- Each ISP participating in the IXP brings a router to the IXP location
- Router needs:
 - One Ethernet port to connect to IXP switch
 - One WAN port to connect to the WAN media leading back to the ISP backbone
 - To be able to run BGP

How to Build an IXP?

- IXP switch located in one equipment rack dedicated to IXP
 - Also includes other IXP operational equipment
- Routers from participant ISPs located in neighbouring/adjacent rack(s)
- Copper (UTP) connections made for 10Mbps, 100Mbps or 1Gbps connections
- Fibre used for 10Gbps and 40Gbps

Peering

- Each participant needs to run BGP
 - They need their own AS number
 - **Public** ASN, **NOT** private ASN
- Each participant configures external BGP directly with the other participants in the IXP
 - Peering with all participants
 - or
 - Peering with a subset of participants

Routing

- ISP border routers at the IXP generally should NOT be configured with a default route or carry the full Internet routing table
 - Carrying default or full table means that this router and the ISP network is open to abuse by non-peering IXP members
 - Correct configuration is only to carry routes offered to IXP peers on the IXP peering router
- Note: Some ISPs offer transit across IX fabrics
 - They do so at their own risk – see above

Routing (more)

- ISP border routers at the IXP should not be configured to carry the IXP LAN network within the IGP or iBGP
 - Use next-hop-self BGP concept
- Don't generate ISP prefix aggregates on IXP peering router
 - If connection from backbone to IXP router goes down, normal BGP failover will then be successful

Address Space

- Some IXPs use private addresses for the IX LAN
 - Public address space means IXP network could be leaked to Internet which may be undesirable
 - Because most ISPs filter RFC1918 address space, this avoids the problem
- Some IXPs use public addresses for the IX LAN
 - Address space available from the RIRs
 - IXP terms of participation often forbid the IX LAN to be carried in the ISP member backbone

APNIC Policy on IXP Address Space

- The End-User Assignments policy caters for IXPs Public Address space under IXP Address Assignment
- It requires the IXP with minimum 3 ISPs connected and have clear and open policy for joining
- The minimum IXP Assignment is /24 of IPv4 and /48 for IPv6

Hardware

- Try not to mix port speeds
 - if 10Mbps and 100Mbps connections available, terminate on different switches (L2 IXP)
- Don't mix transports
 - if terminating ATM PVCs and G/F/Ethernet, terminate on different devices
- Insist that IXP participants bring their own router
 - moves buffering problem off the IXP
 - security is responsibility of the ISP, not the IXP

Services Offered

- Services offered should not compete with member ISPs (basic IXP)
 - e.g. web hosting at an IXP is a bad idea unless all members agree to it
- IXP operations should make performance and throughput statistics available to members
 - Use tools such as MRTG to produce IX throughput graphs for member (or public) information

Services to Offer

- ccTLD DNS
 - the country IXP could host the country's top level DNS
 - e.g. "SE." TLD is hosted at Netnod IXes in Sweden
 - Offer back up of other country ccTLD DNS
- Root server
 - Anycast instances of I.root-servers.net, F.root-servers.net etc are present at many IXes
- Usenet News
 - Usenet News is high volume
 - could save bandwidth to all IXP members

Services to Offer

- Route Collector
 - Route collector shows the reachability information available at the exchange
 - Technical detail covered later on
- Looking Glass
 - One way of making the Route Collector routes available for global view (e.g. www.traceroute.org)
 - Public or members only access

Services to Offer

- Content Redistribution/Caching
 - For example, Akamised update distribution service
- Network Time Protocol
 - Locate a stratum 1 time source (GPS receiver, atomic clock, etc) at IXP
- Routing Registry
 - Used to register the routing policy of the IXP membership (more later)



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1: How Does Routing Work?

- Internet is made up of the ISPs who connect to each other's networks
- How does an ISP in Kenya tell an ISP in Japan what customers they have?
- And how does that ISP send data packets to the customers of the ISP in Japan, and get responses back
 - After all, as on a local ethernet, two way packet flow is needed for communication between two devices

2: How Does Routing Work?

- ISP in Kenya could buy a direct connection to the ISP in Japan
 - But this doesn't scale – thousands of ISPs, would need thousands of connections, and cost would be astronomical
- Instead, ISP in Kenya tells his neighbouring ISPs what customers he has
 - And the neighbouring ISPs pass this information on to their neighbours, and so on
 - This process repeats until the information reaches the ISP in Japan

3: How Does Routing Work?

- This process is called “Routing”
- The mechanisms used are called “Routing Protocols”
- Routing and Routing Protocols ensures that the Internet can scale, that thousands of ISPs can provide connectivity to each other, giving us the Internet we see today

4: How Does Routing Work?

- ISP in Kenya doesn't actually tell his neighbouring ISPs the names of the customers
 - (network equipment does not understand names)
- Instead, he has received an IP address block as a member of the Regional Internet Registry serving Kenya
 - His customers have received address space from this address block as part of their “Internet service”
 - And he announces this address block to his neighbouring ISPs – this is called announcing a “route”

Routing Protocols

- Routers use “routing protocols” to exchange routing information with each other
 - **IGP** is used to refer to the process running on routers inside an ISP's network
 - **EGP** is used to refer to the process running between routers bordering directly connected ISP networks

What Is an IGP?

- Interior Gateway Protocol
- Within an Autonomous System
- Carries information about internal infrastructure prefixes
- Two widely used IGPs in service provider network:
 - OSPF
 - ISIS

Why Do We Need an IGP?

- ISP backbone scaling
 - Hierarchy
 - Limiting scope of failure
 - Only used for ISP's **infrastructure** addresses, not customers or anything else
 - Design goal is to **minimise** number of prefixes in IGP to aid scalability and rapid convergence

What Is an EGP?

- Exterior Gateway Protocol
- Used to convey routing information between Autonomous Systems
- De-coupled from the IGP
- Current EGP is BGP

Why Do We Need an EGP?

- Scaling to large network
 - Hierarchy
 - Limit scope of failure
- Define Administrative Boundary
- Policy
 - Control reachability of prefixes
 - Merge separate organisations
 - Connect multiple IGPs

Interior versus Exterior Routing Protocols

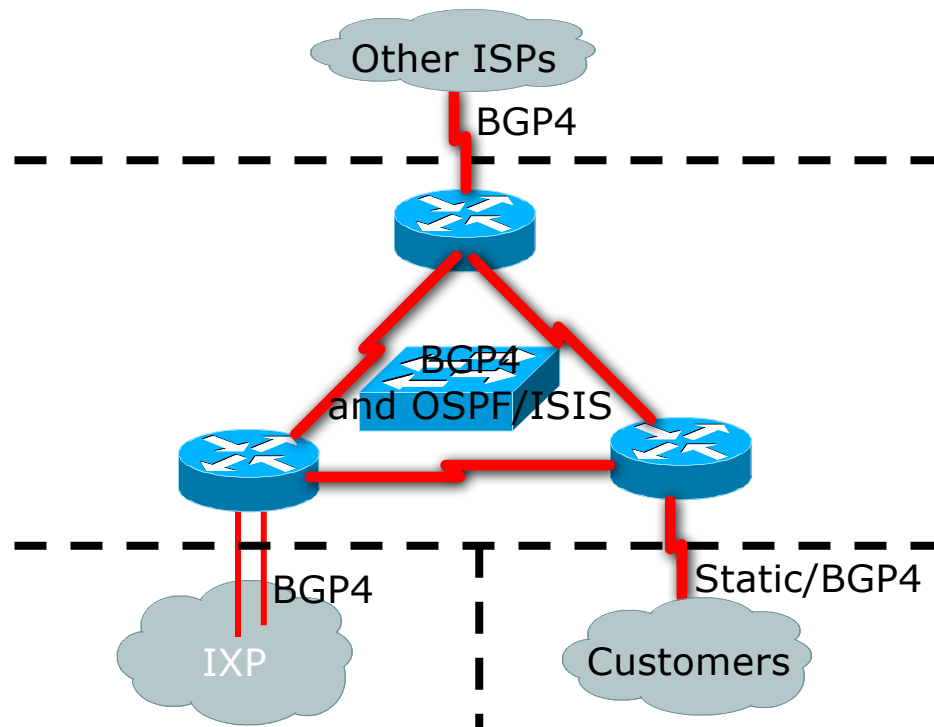
- **Interior**

- Automatic neighbour discovery
- Generally trust your IGP routers
- Prefixes go to all IGP routers
- Binds routers in one AS together
- Carries ISP infrastructure addresses only
- ISPs aim to keep the IGP small for efficiency and scalability

- **Exterior**

- Specifically configured peers
- Connecting with outside networks
- Set administrative boundaries
- Binds AS's together
- Carries customer prefixes
- Carries Internet prefixes
- EGPs are independent of ISP network topology

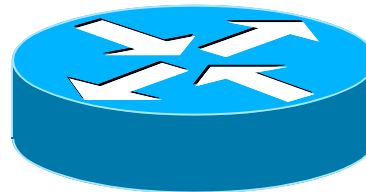
Hierarchy of Routing Protocols



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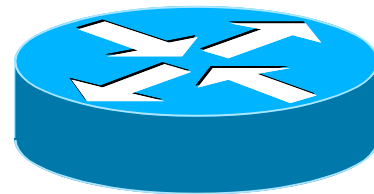
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Internal Enhanced IGRP	90
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IS-IS	115
RIP	120
EGP	140
External Enhanced IGRP	170
Internal BGP	200
Unknown	255

What does a Router do?



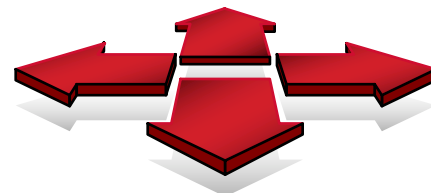
A day in a life of a Router

- Find path
- Forward packet, forward packet, forward packet, forward packet...
- Find alternate path
- Forward packet, forward packet, forward packet, forward packet...
- Repeat until powered off



Routing versus Forwarding

- Routing = building maps and giving directions
- Forwarding = moving packets between interfaces according to the “directions”

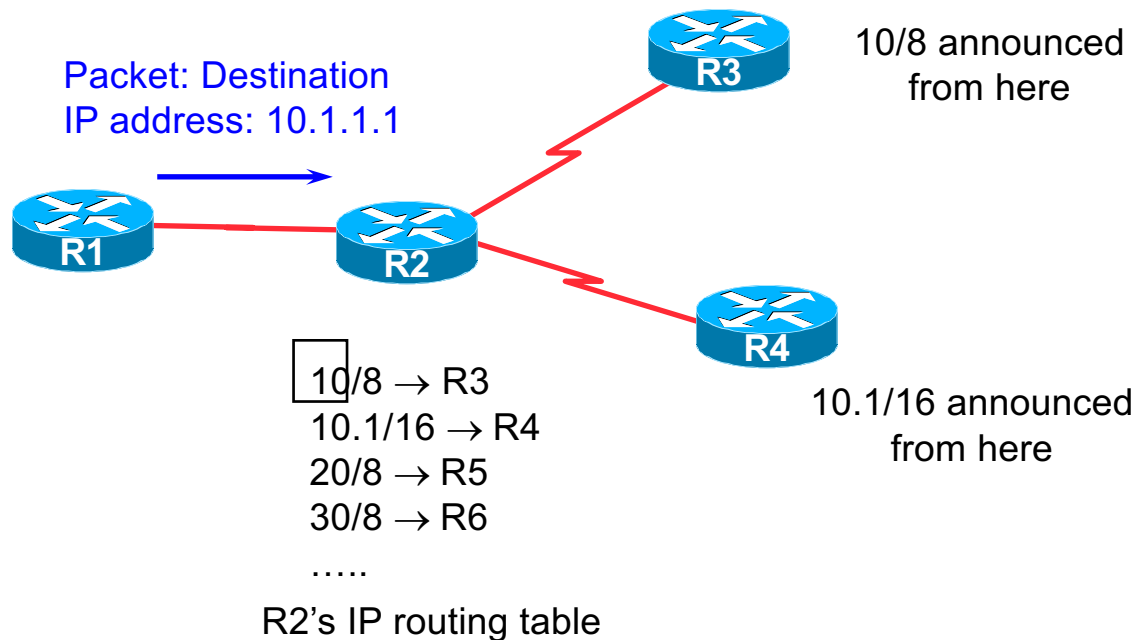


IP Route Lookup

- Based on destination IP address
- “longest match” routing
 - More specific prefix preferred over less specific prefix
 - **Example:** packet with destination of 10.1.1.1/32 is sent to the router announcing 10.1/16 rather than the router announcing 10/8.

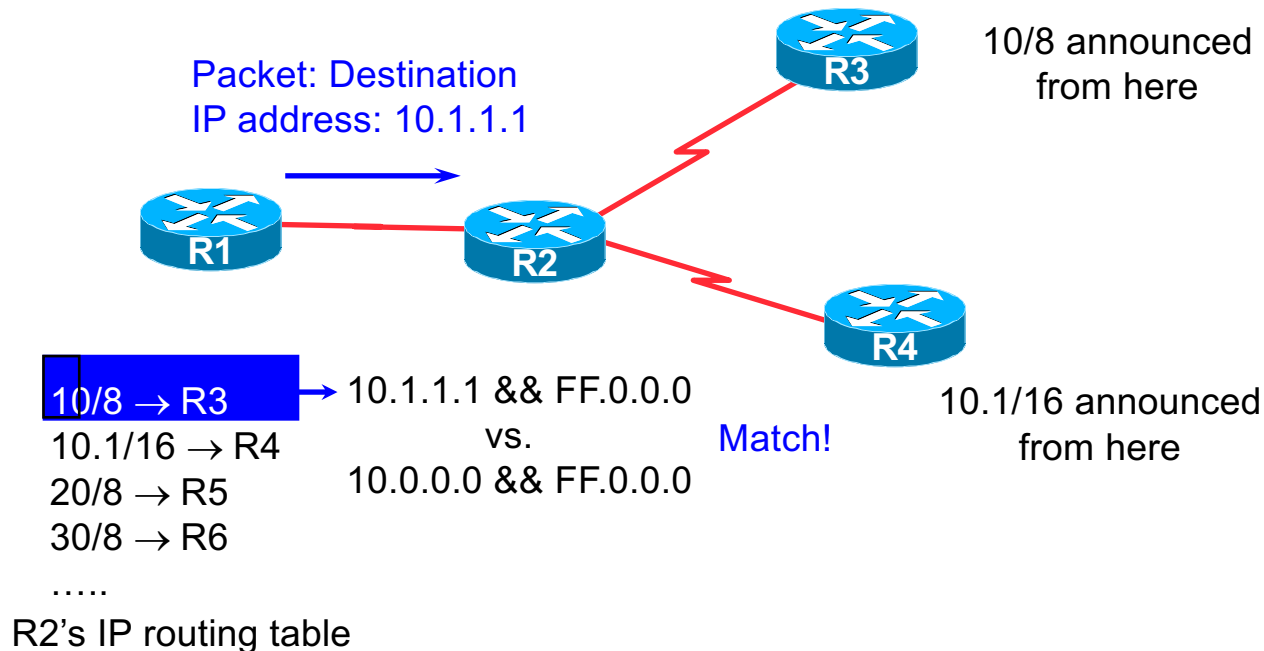
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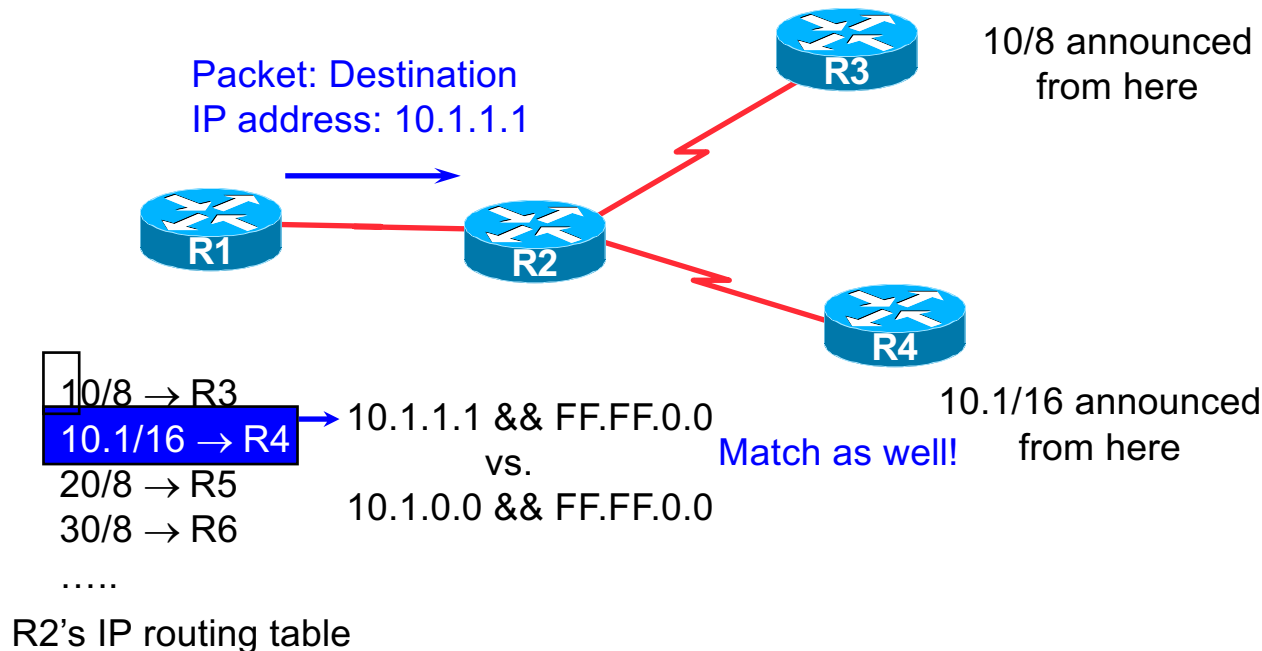
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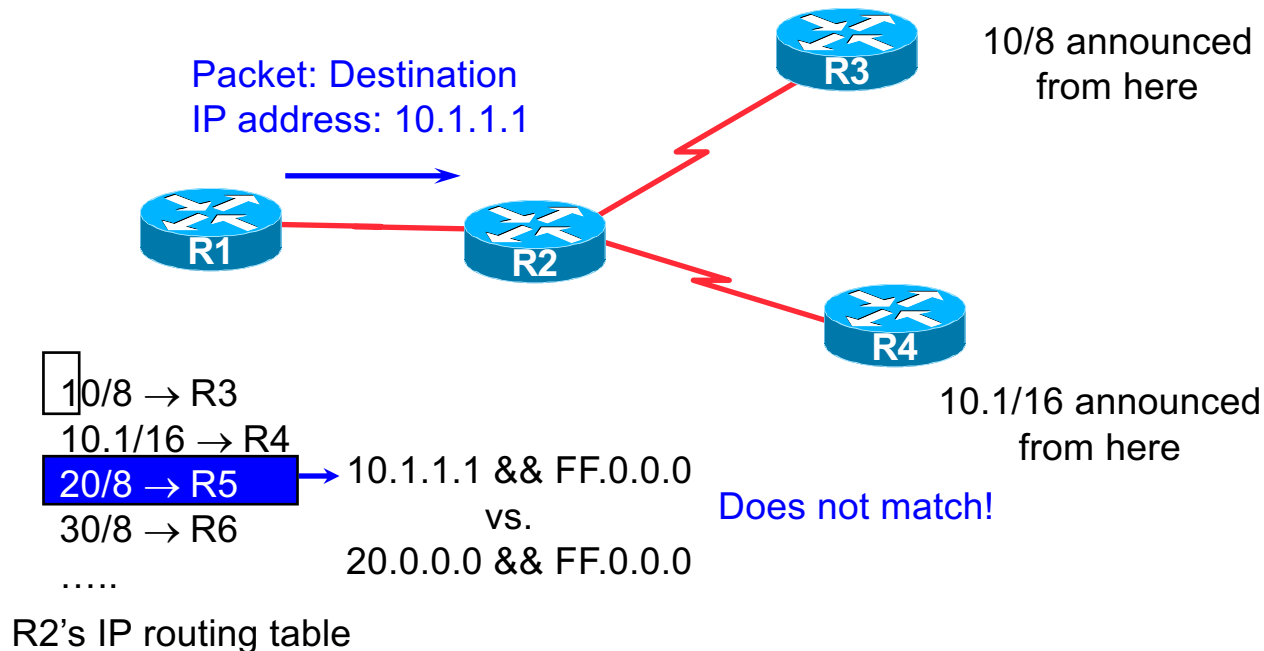
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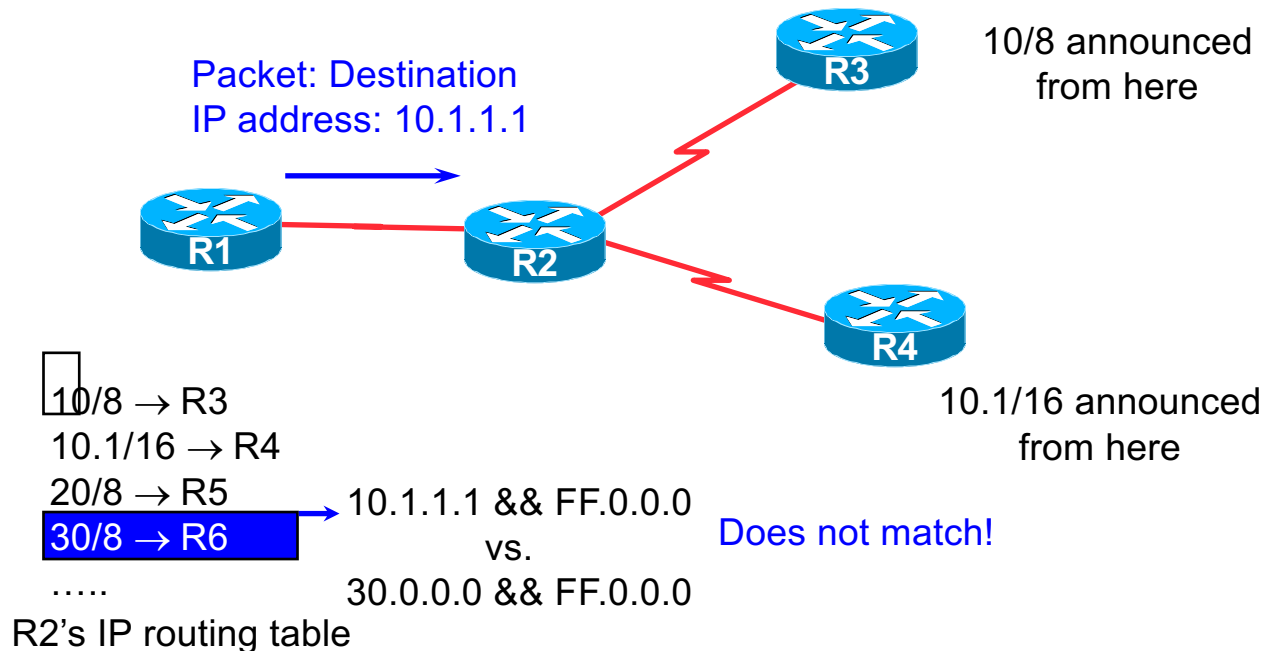
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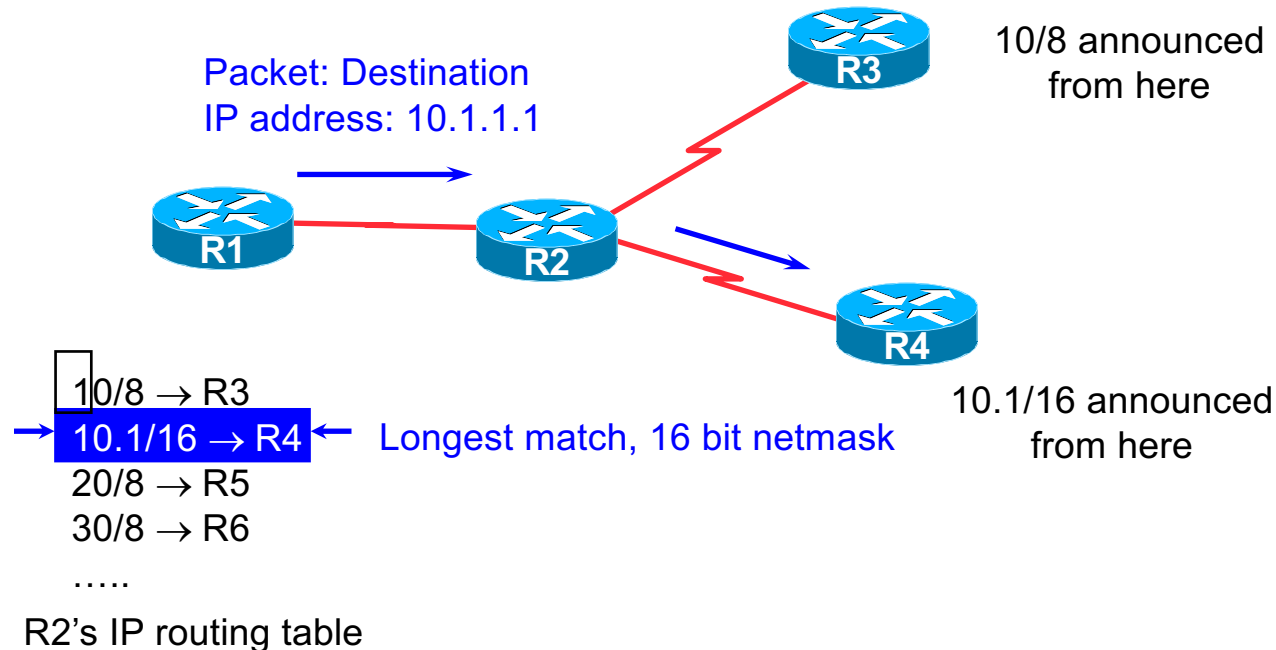
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RIBs and FIBs

- RIB is the Routing Table
 - It contains a list of all the destinations and the various next hops used to get to those destinations – and lots of other information too!
 - One destination can have lots of possible next-hops – only the best next-hop goes into the FIB
- FIB is the Forwarding Table
 - It contains destinations and the interfaces to get to those destinations
 - Used by the router to figure out where to send the packet
 - Careful! Some people still call this a route!

Explicit versus Default Routing

- Default:
 - simple, cheap (cycles, memory, bandwidth)
 - low granularity (metric games)
- Explicit (default free zone)
 - high overhead, complex, high cost, high granularity
- Hybrid
 - minimise overhead
 - provide useful granularity
 - requires some filtering knowledge

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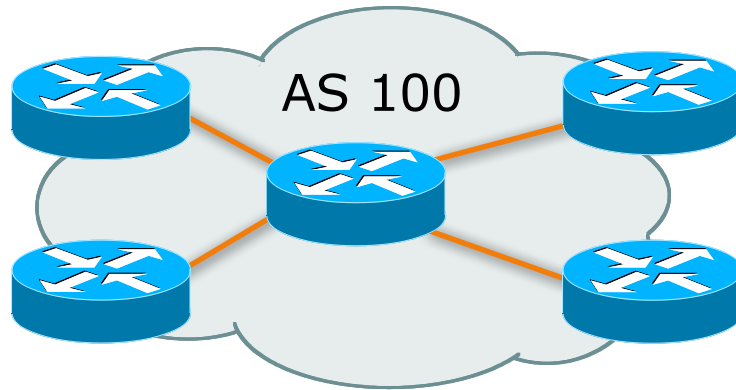
- How packets leave your network
- Egress traffic depends on:
 - route availability (what others send you)
 - route acceptance (what you accept from others)
 - policy and tuning (what you do with routes from others)
 - Peering and transit agreements

Ingress Traffic

- How packets get to your network and your customers' networks
- Ingress traffic depends on:
 - what information you send and to whom
 - based on your addressing and AS's
 - based on others' policy (what they accept from you and what they do with it)

Autonomous System (AS)

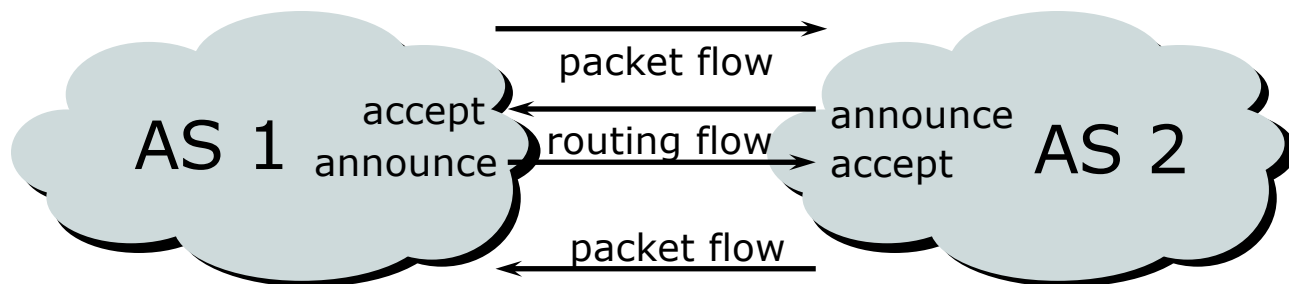
- Collection of networks with same routing policy
- Single routing protocol
- Usually under single ownership, trust and administrative control



Definition of terms

- **Neighbours**
 - AS's which directly exchange routing information
 - Routers which exchange routing information
- **Announce**
 - send routing information to a neighbour
- **Accept**
 - receive and use routing information sent by a neighbour
- **Originate**
 - insert routing information into external announcements (usually as a result of the IGP)
- **Peers**
 - routers in neighbouring AS's or within one AS which exchange routing and policy information

Routing flow and packet flow



For networks in AS1 and AS2 to communicate:

AS1 must announce to AS2

AS2 must accept from AS1

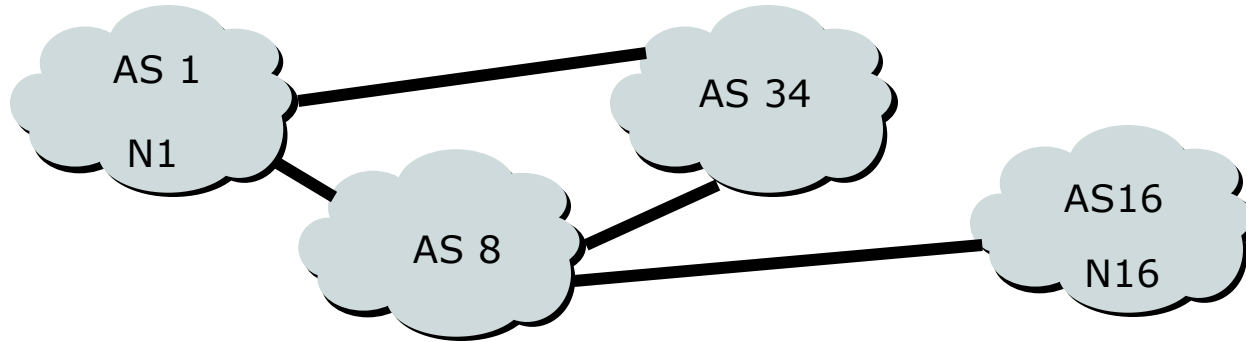
AS2 must announce to AS1

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Routing flow and Traffic flow

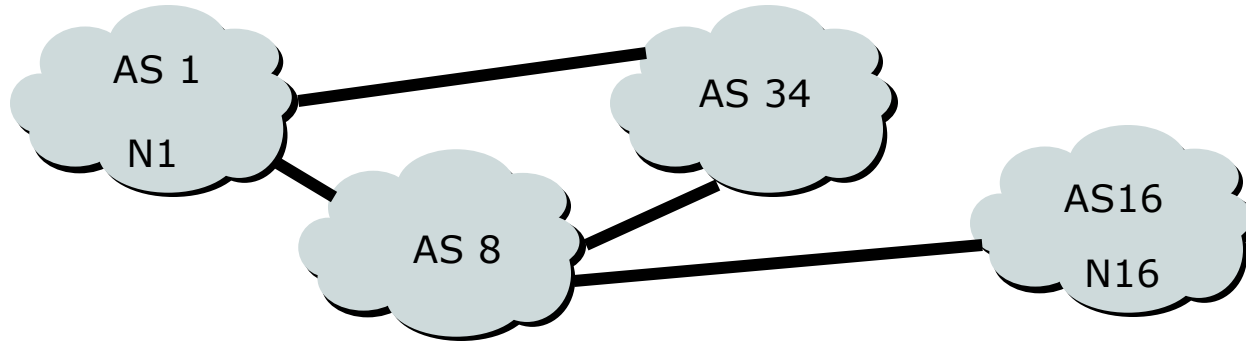
- Traffic flow is always in the opposite direction of the flow of Routing information
 - Filtering outgoing routing information inhibits traffic flow inbound
 - Filtering inbound routing information inhibits traffic flow outbound

Routing Flow/Packet Flow: With multiple ASes



- For net N1 in AS1 to send traffic to net N16 in AS16:
 - AS16 must originate and announce N16 to AS8.
 - AS8 must accept N16 from AS16.
 - AS8 must forward announcement of N16 to AS1 or AS34.
 - AS1 must accept N16 from AS8 or AS34.
- For two-way packet flow, similar policies must exist for N1

Routing Flow/Packet Flow: With multiple ASes

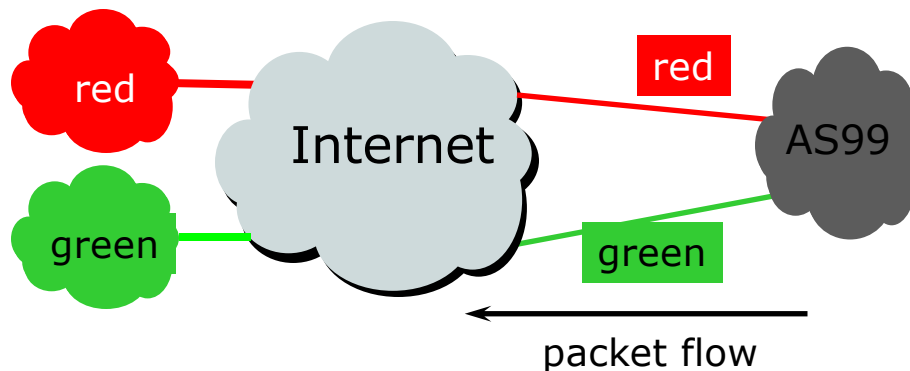


- As multiple paths between sites are implemented it is easy to see how policies can become quite complex.

Routing Policy

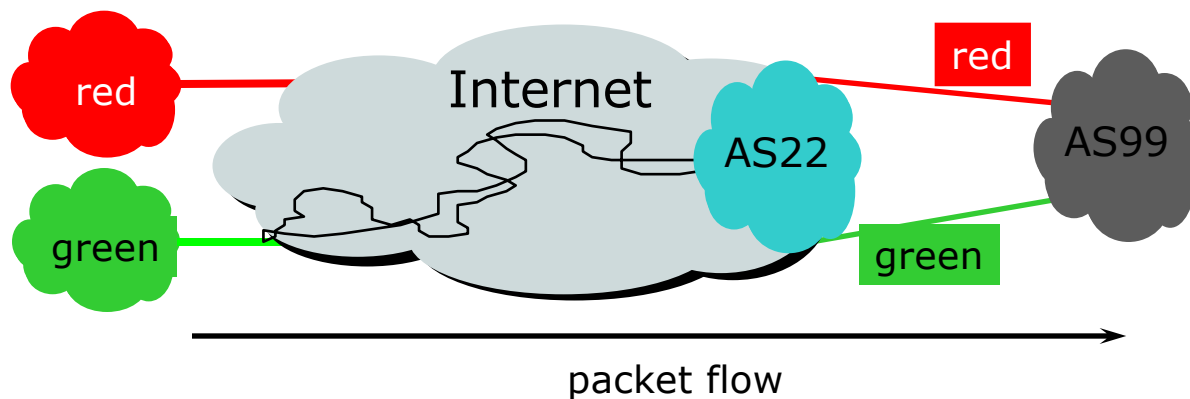
- Used to control traffic flow in and out of an ISP network
- ISP makes decisions on what routing information to accept and discard from its neighbours
 - Individual routes
 - Routes originated by specific ASes
 - Routes traversing specific ASes
 - Routes belonging to other groupings
 - Groupings which you define as you see fit

Routing Policy Limitations



- AS99 uses red link for traffic to the red AS and the green link for remaining traffic
- To implement this policy, AS99 has to:
 - Accept routes originating from the red AS on the red link
 - Accept all other routes on the green link

Routing Policy Limitations



- AS99 would like packets coming from the green AS to use the green link.
- But unless AS22 cooperates in pushing traffic from the green AS down the green link, there is very little that AS99 can do to achieve this aim

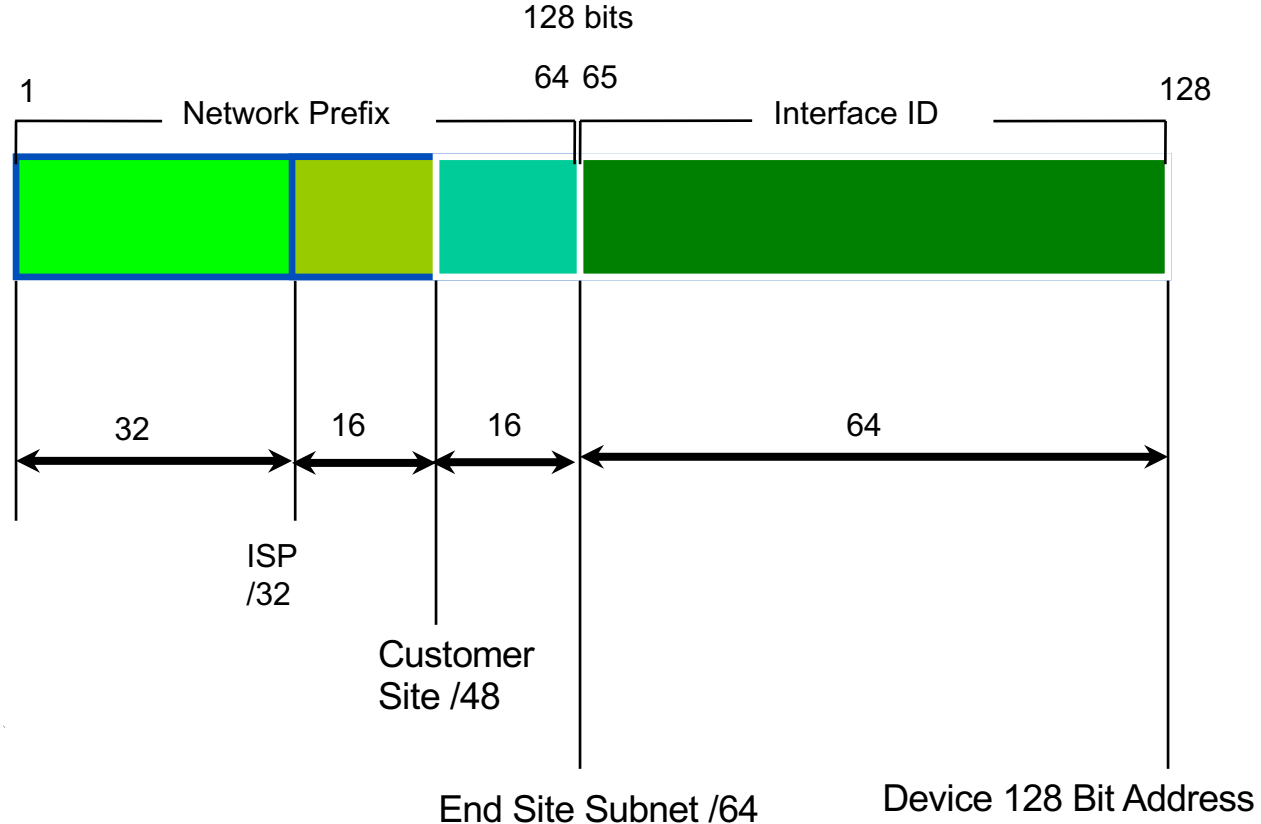
IPv6 Addressing

- An IPv6 address is 128 bits long
- So the number of addresses are 2^{128}
=340282366920938463463374607431768211455
(39 decimal digits)
=0xffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffff (32 hexadecimal digits)
- In hex 4 bit (nibble) is represented by a hex digit
- So 128 bit is reduced down to 32 hex digit

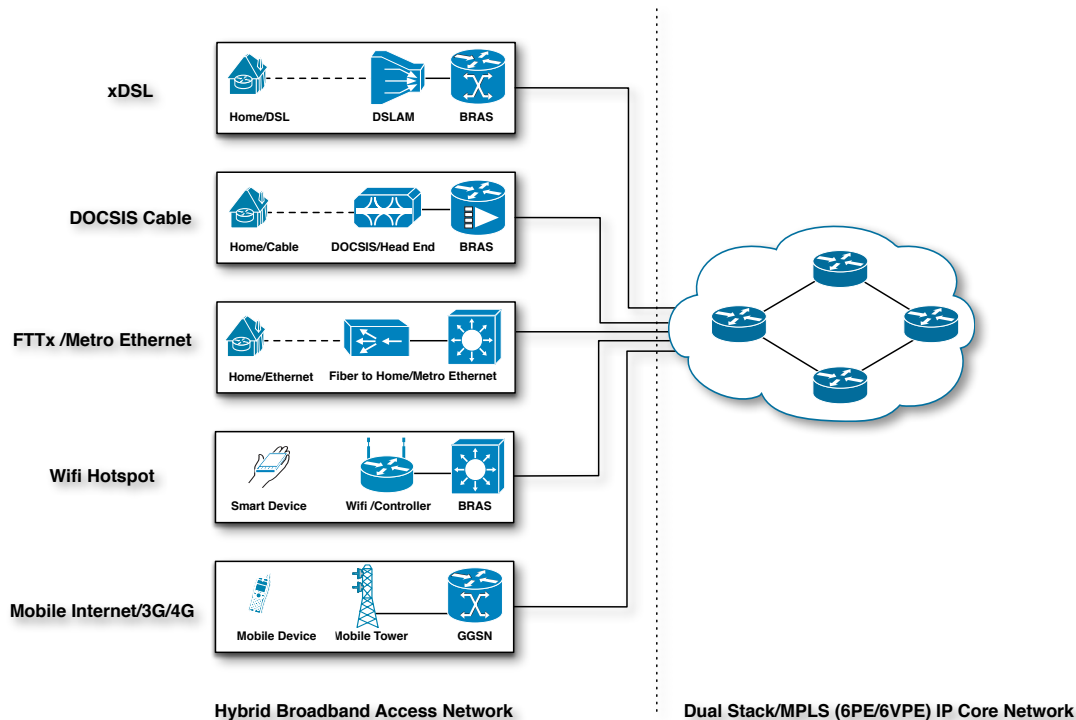
IPv6 Address Representation

- Hexadecimal values of eight 16 bit fields
 - X:X:X:X:X:X:X:X (X=16 bit number, ex: A2FE)
 - 16 bit number is converted to a 4 digit hexadecimal number
- Example:
 - FE38:DCE3:124C:C1A2:BA03:6735:EF1C:683D
 - Abbreviated form of address
 - 4EED:0023:0000:0000:0000:036E:1250:2B00
 - →4EED:23:0:0:0:36E:1250:2B00
 - →4EED:23::36E:1250:2B00
 - (Null value can be used only once)

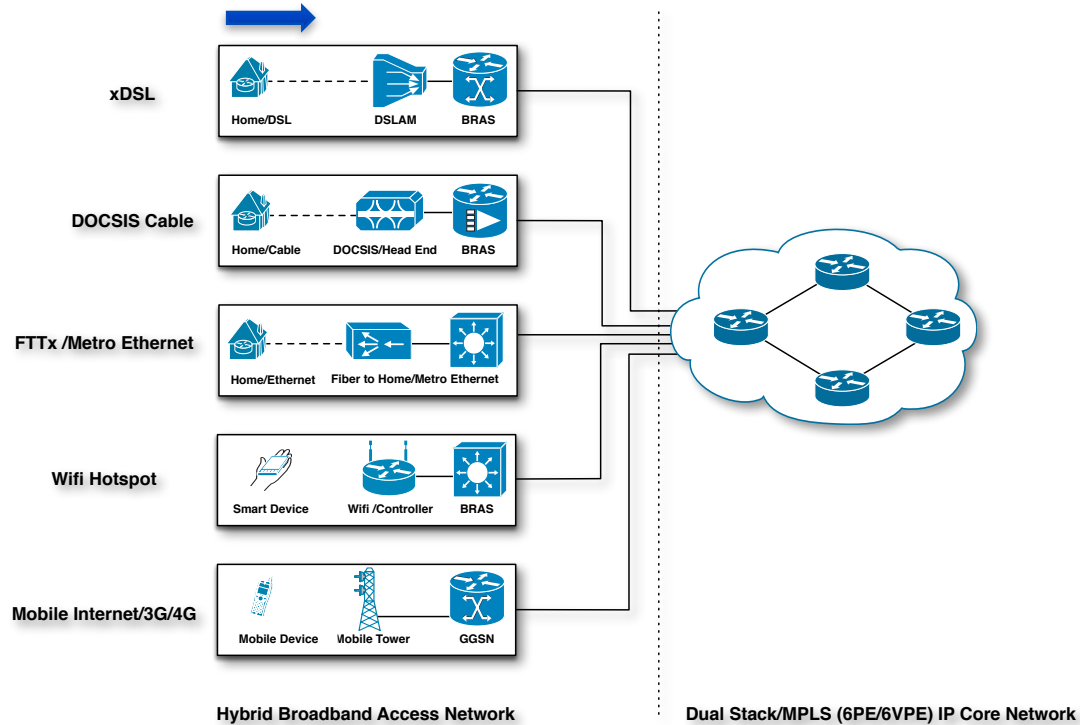
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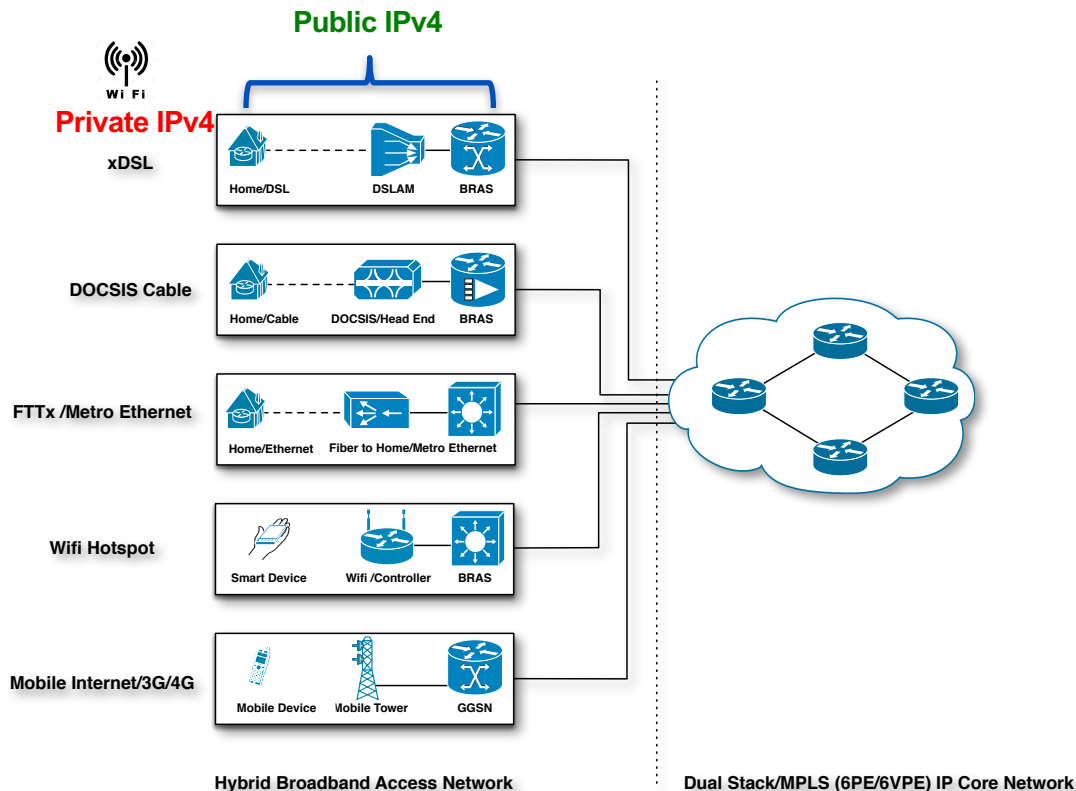
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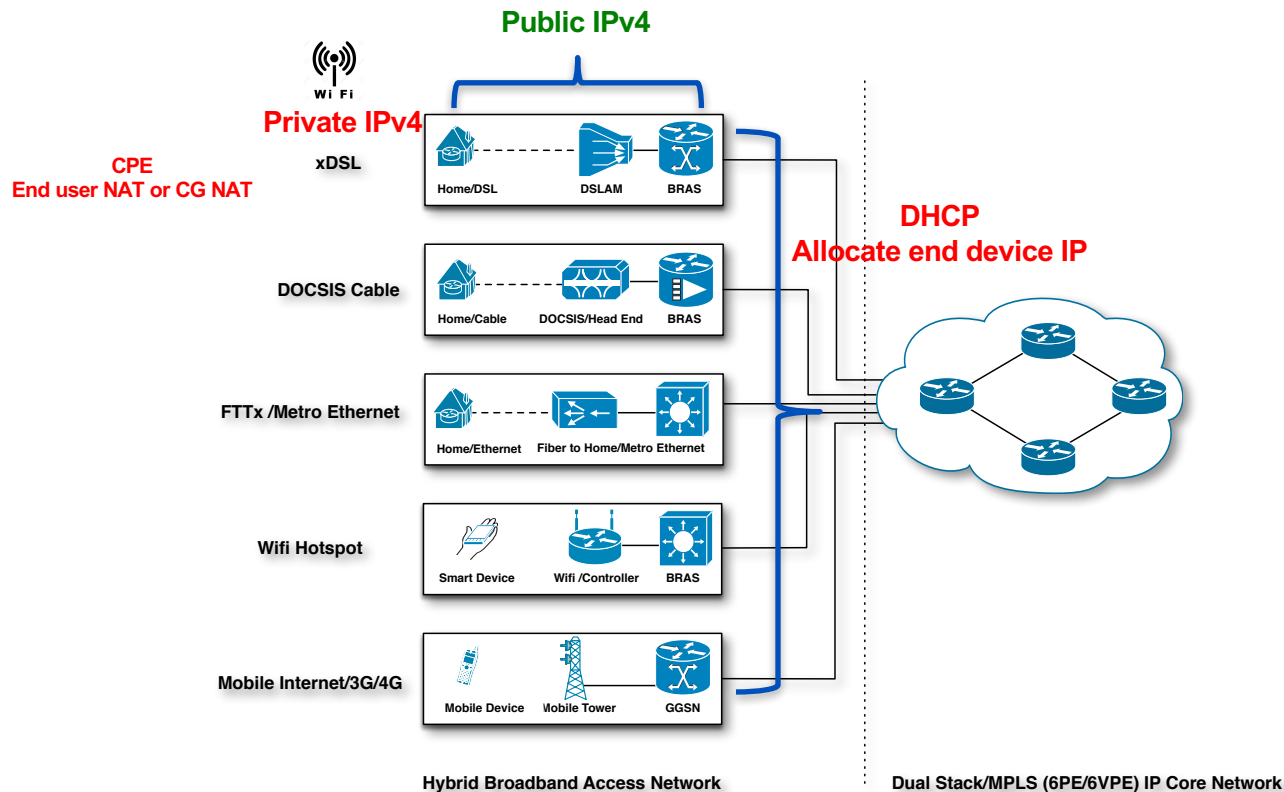
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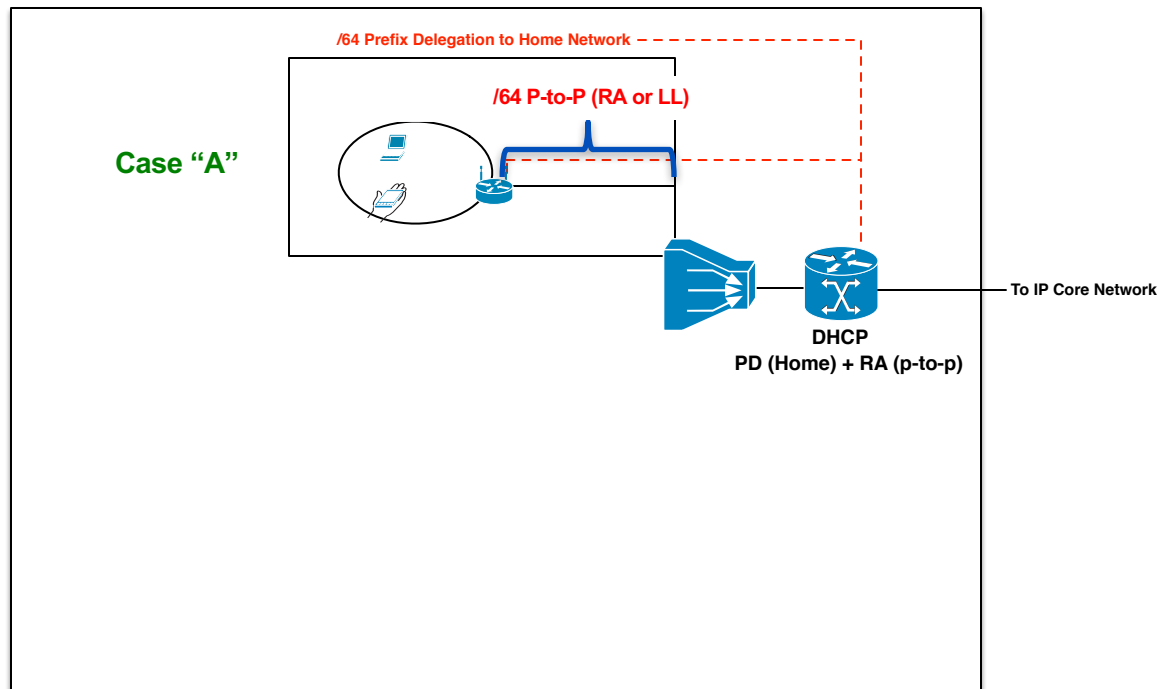
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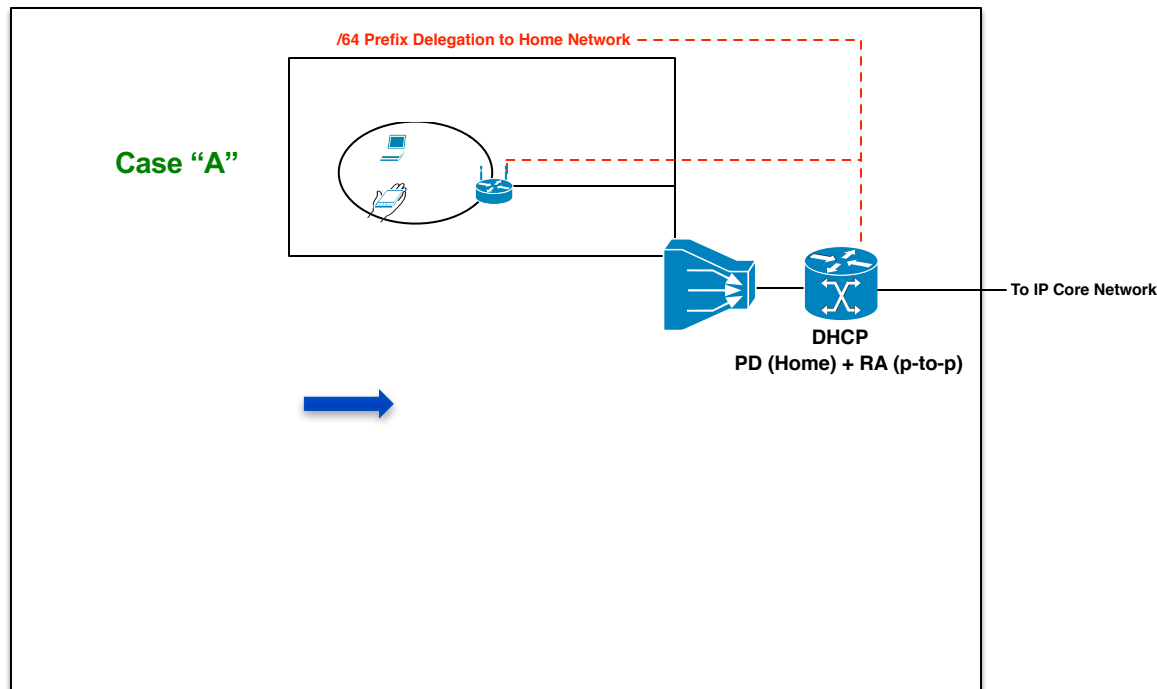
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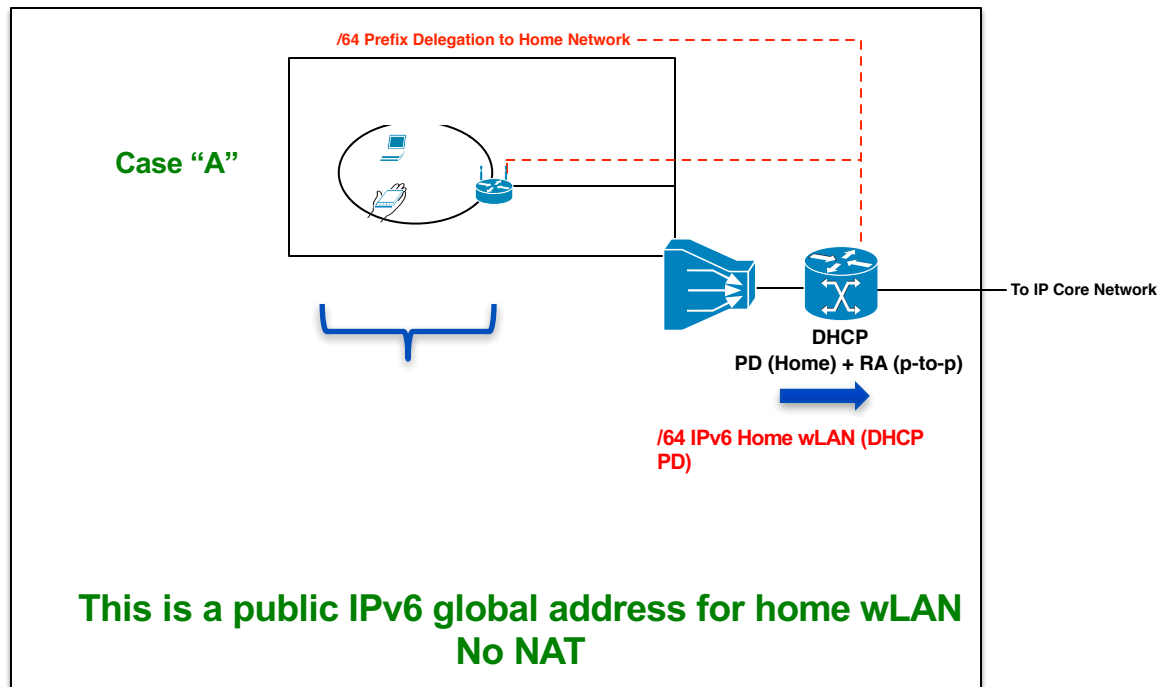
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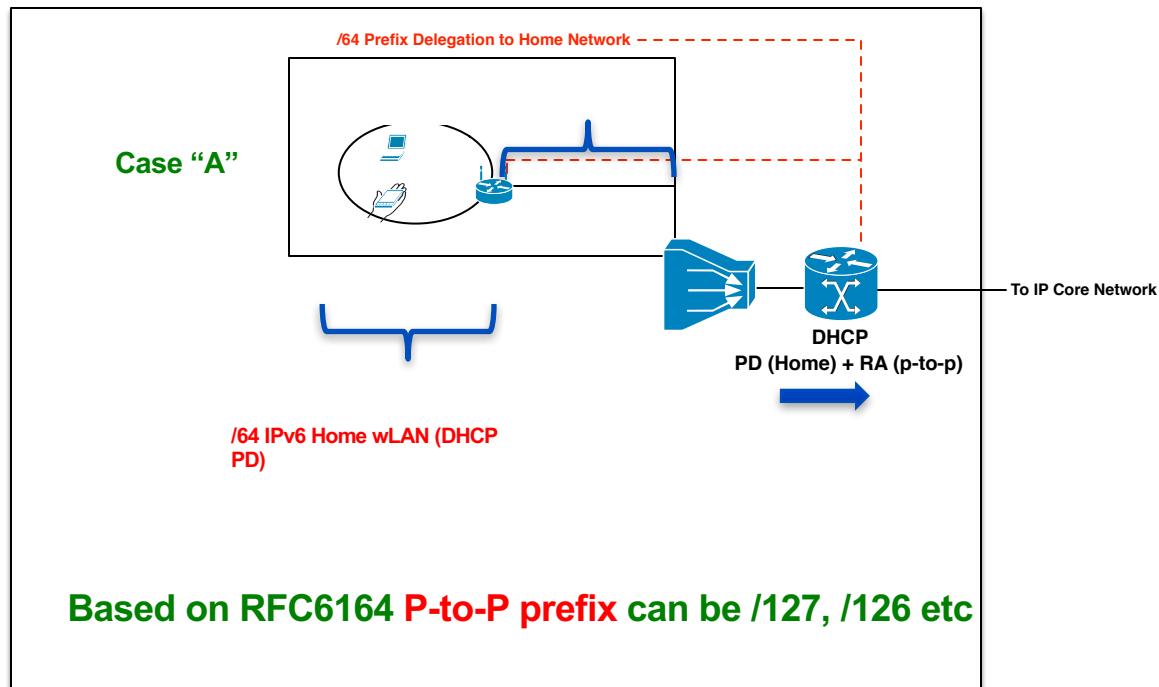
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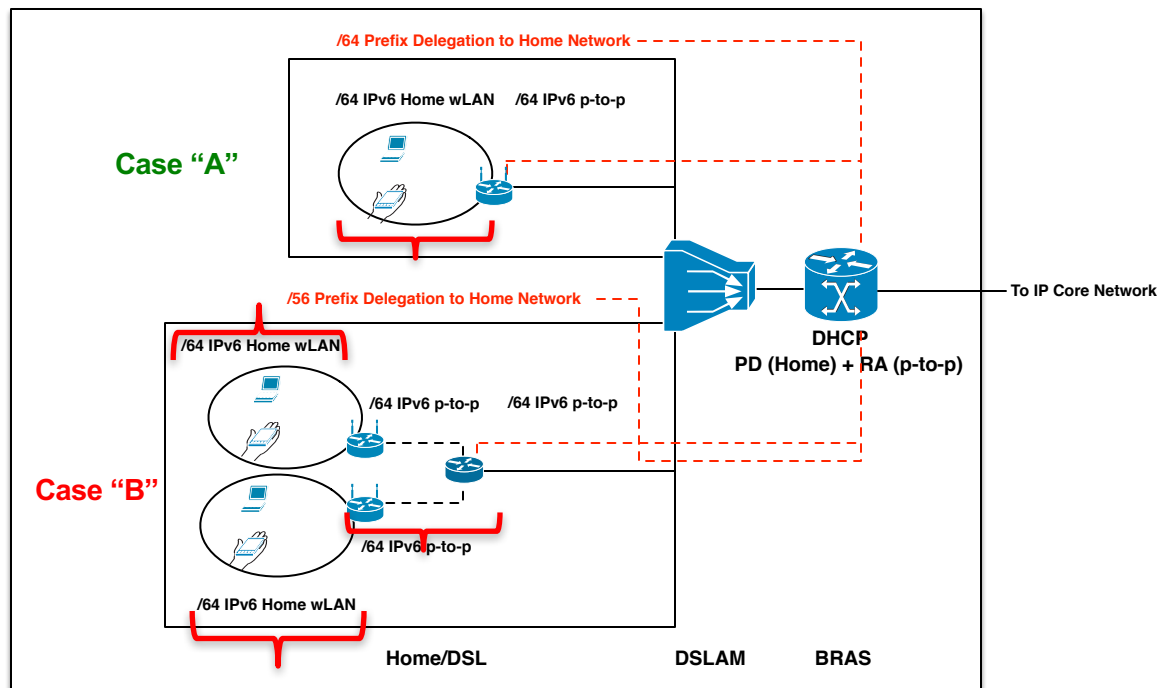
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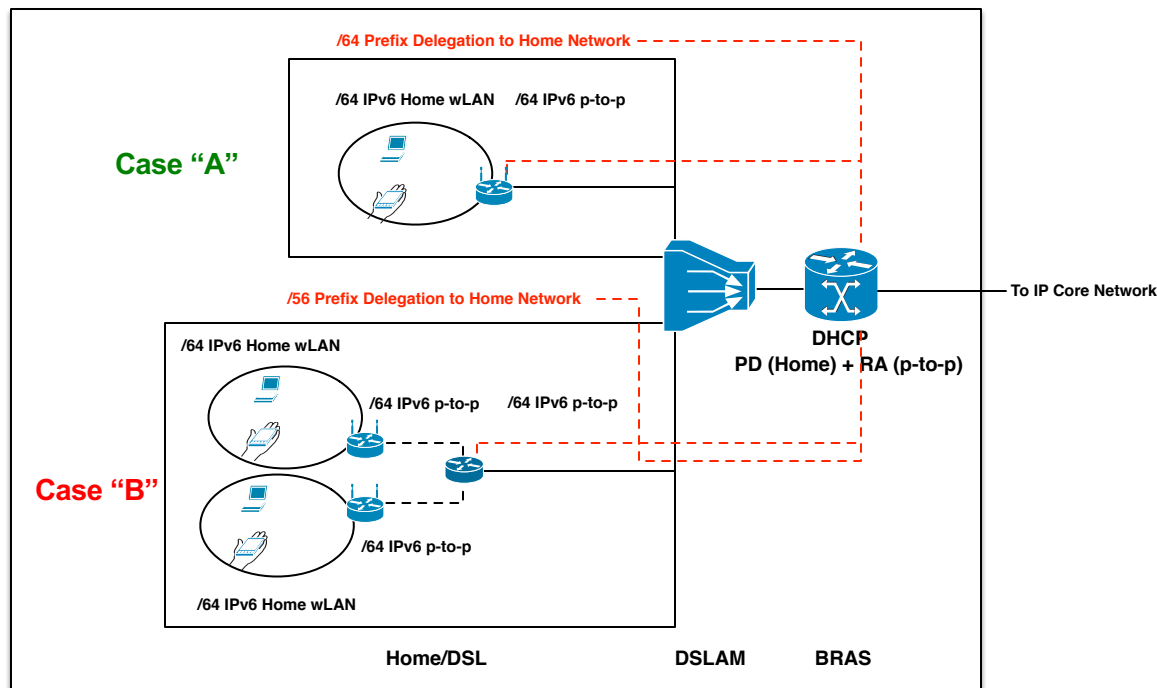
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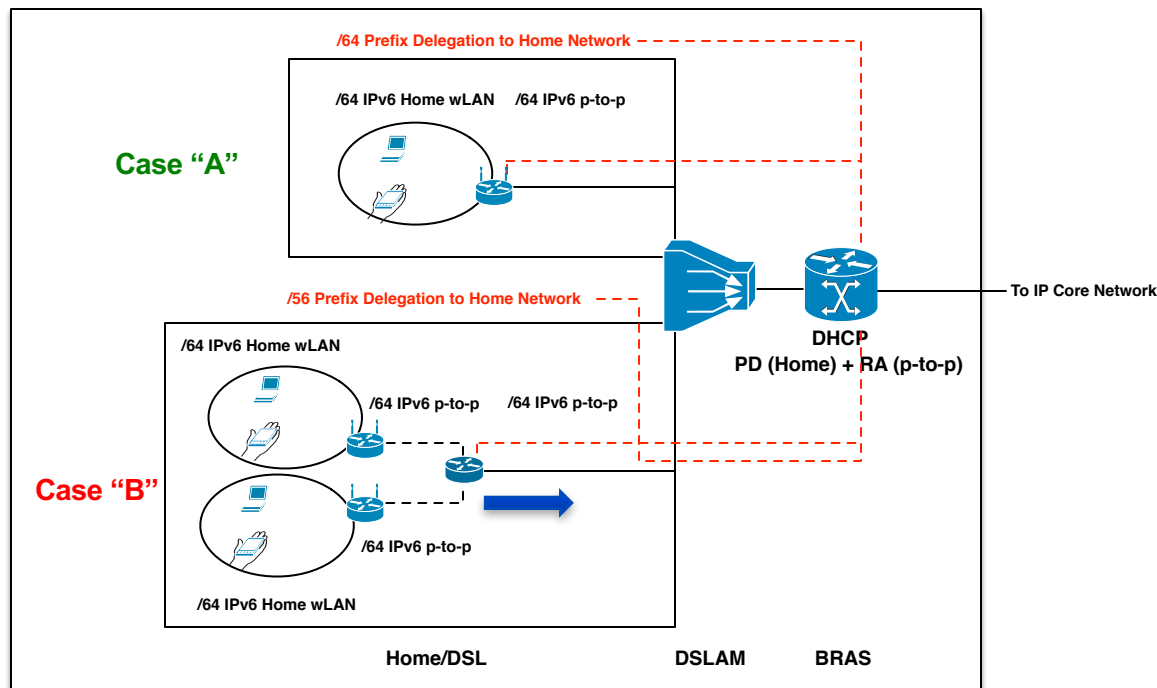
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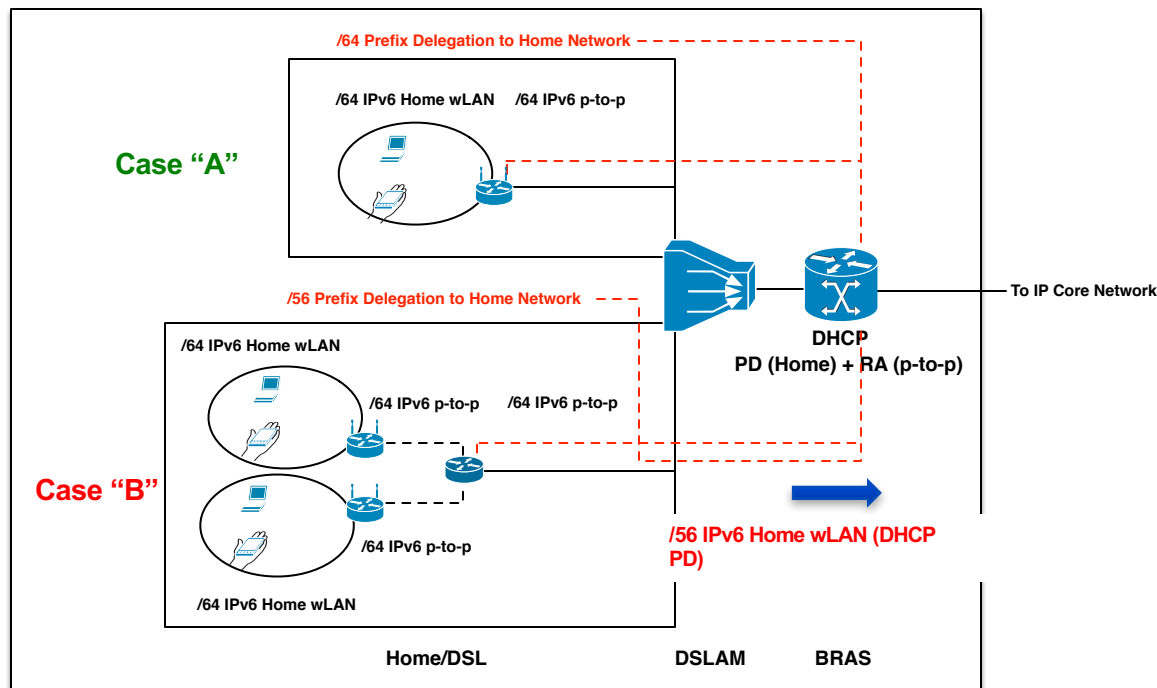
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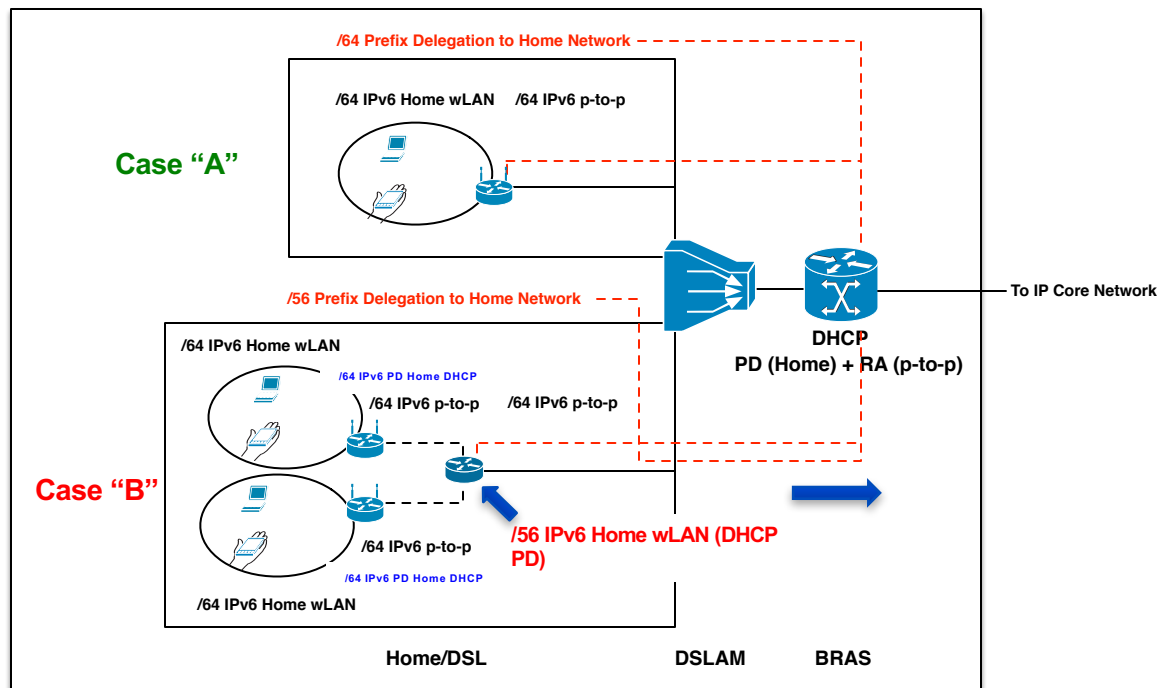
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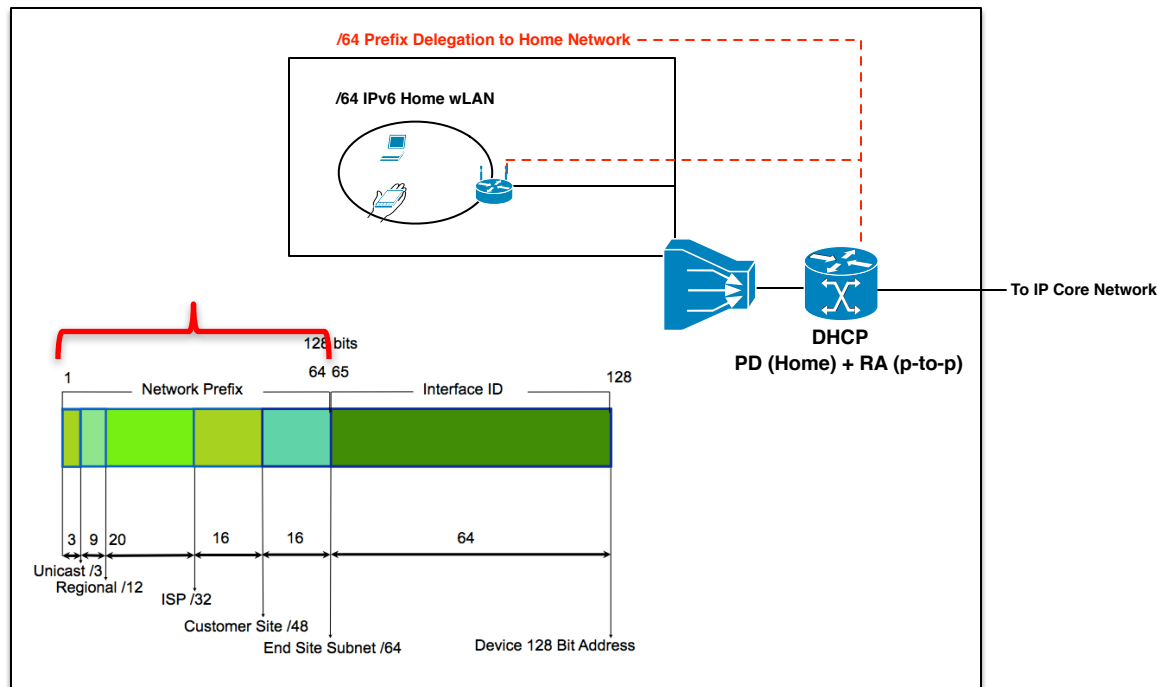
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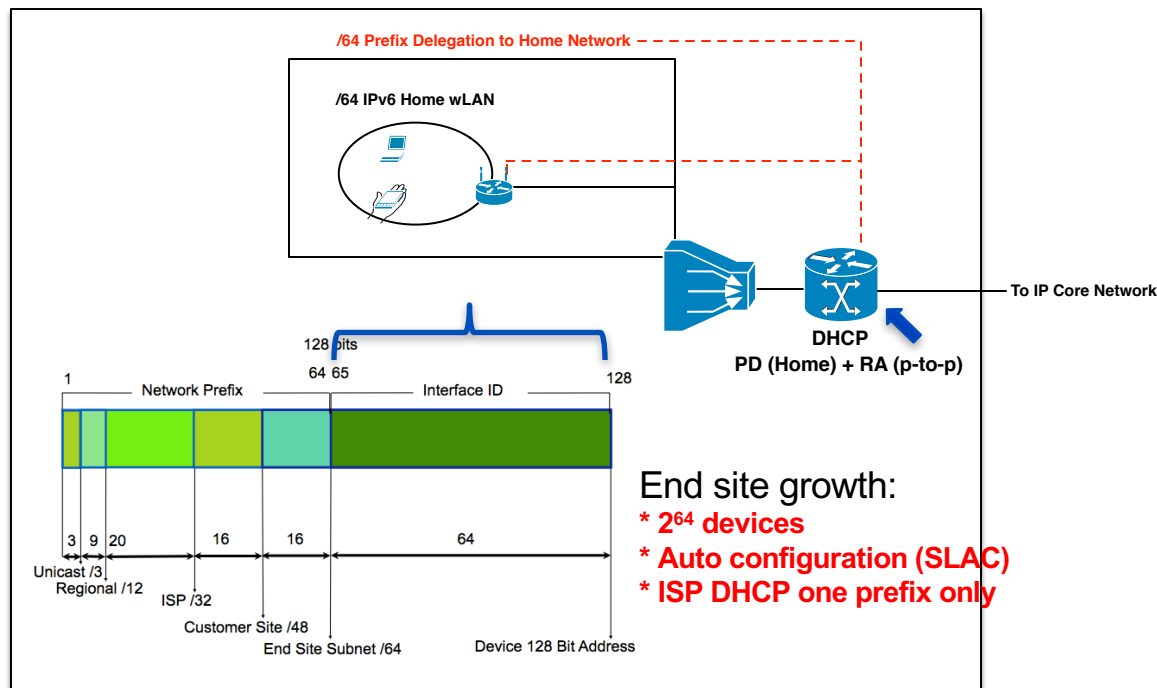
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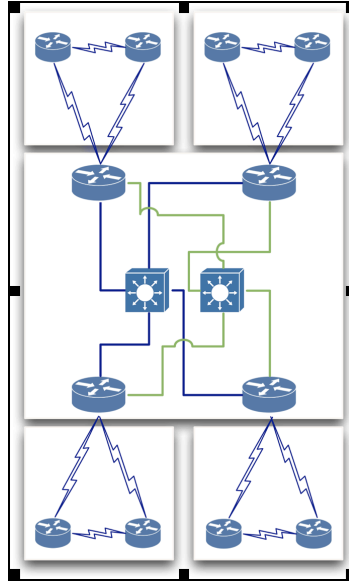
IXP Workshop

- What is an Internet Exchange Point (IXP)?
- What is the value of Peering?
- How to build an IXP?
- How Internet works & Routing Protocol Basic
- **Hands On Lab Exercise: Basic Routing, Interface & OSPF**
- BGP Routing Protocol Operation- Make the IXP Works
- BGP Attributes and Path Selection Process- Send Traffic Through IXP
- **Hands On Lab Exercise: BGP Peering**
- IXP Design Considerations
- **Hands On Lab Exercise: IXP Configuration**
- Route Collectors & Servers
- IXP BCP and What can go wrong?

Training ISP Network Topology

- Scenario:
 - Training ISP has 4 main operating area or region
 - Each region has 2 small POP
 - Each region will have one datacenter to host content
 - Regional network are inter-connected with multiple link

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Training ISP Topology Diagram

Training ISP Network Topology

- Regional Network:
 - Each regional network will have 3 routers
 - 1 Core & 2 Edge Routers
 - 2 Point of Presence (POP) for every region
 - POP will use a router to terminate customer network i.e Edge Router
 - Each POP is an aggregation point of ISP customer

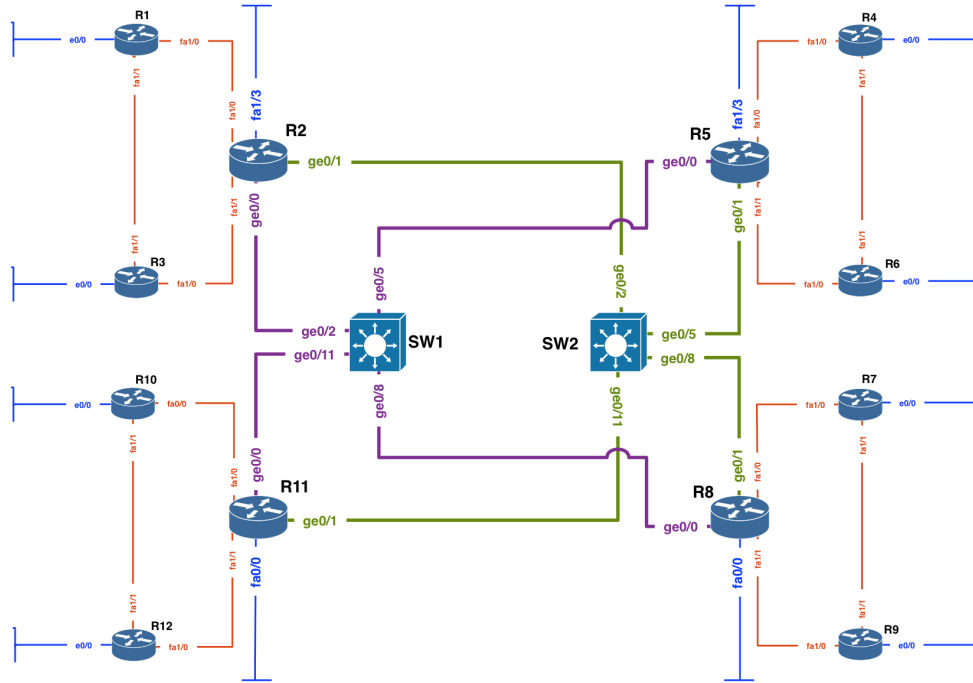
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- Access Network:
 - Connection between customer network & Edge router
 - Usually 10 to 100 MBPS link
 - Separate routing policy from most of ISP
 - Training ISP will connect them on edge router with separate customer IP prefix

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- Transport Link:
 - Inter-connection between regional core router
 - Higher data transmission capacity than access link
 - Training ISP has 2 transport link for link redundancy
 - 2 Transport link i.e Purple link & Green link are connected to two career grade switch

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Training ISP Core IP Backbone

Training ISP Network Topology

- Design Consideration:
 - Each regional network should have address summarization capability for customer block and CS link WAN.
 - Prefix planning should have scalability option for next couple of years for both customer block and infrastructure
 - No Summarization require for infrastructure WAN and loopback address

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- Design Consideration:
 - All WAN link should be ICMP reachable for link monitoring purpose (At least from designated host)
 - Conservation will get high preference for IPv4 address planning and aggregation will get high preference for IPv6 address planning.

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- Design Consideration:
 - OSPF is running in ISP network to carry infrastructure IP prefix
 - Each region is a separate OSPF area
 - Transport core is in OSPF area 0
 - Customer will connect on either static or eBGP (Not OSPF)
 - iBGP will carry external prefix within ISP core IP network

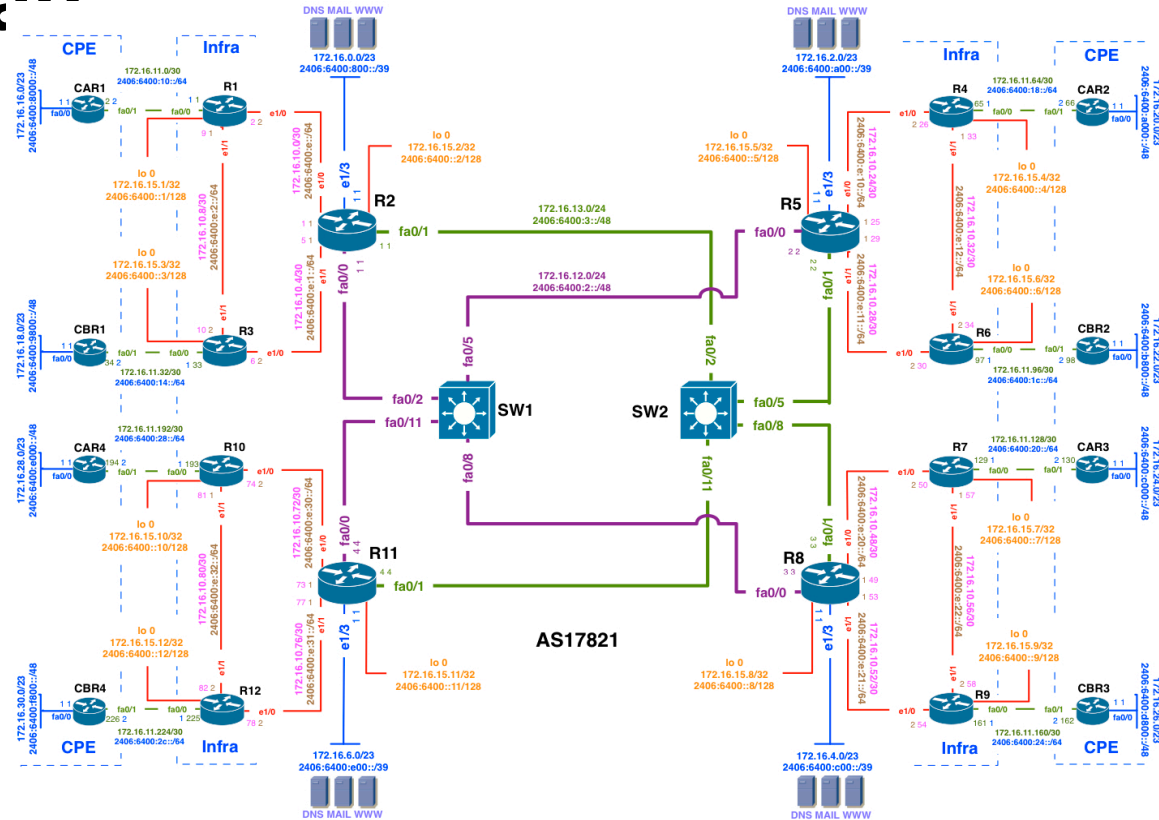
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- IPv6 address plan consideration:
 - Big IPv6 address space can cause very very large routing table size
 - Most transit service provider apply IPv6 aggregation prefix filter (i.e. anything other than /48 & \leq /32 prefix size
 - Prefix announcement need to send to Internet should be either /32 or /48 bit boundary

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- IPv6 address plan consideration (RFC3177):
 - WAN link can be used on /64 bit boundary
 - End site/Customer sub allocation can be made between /48~/64 bit boundary
 - APNIC Utilization/HD ratio will be calculated based on /56 end site assignment/sub-allocation

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Addressing Plans – ISP Infrastructure

- What about LANs?
 - /64 per LAN
- What about Point-to-Point links?
 - Protocol design expectation is that /64 is used
 - /127 now recommended/standardised
 - <http://www.rfc-editor.org/rfc/rfc6164.txt>
 - (reserve /64 for the link, but address it as a /127)
 - Other options:
 - /126s are being used (mirrors IPv4 /30)
 - /112s are being used
 - Leaves final 16 bits free for node IDs
 - Some discussion about /80s, /96s and /120s too

Addressing Plans – ISP Infrastructure

- ISPs should receive /32 from their RIR
- Address block for router loop-back interfaces
 - Generally number all loopbacks out of one /48
 - /128 per loopback
- Address block for infrastructure
 - /48 allows 65k subnets
 - /48 per region (for the largest international networks)
 - /48 for whole backbone (for the majority of networks)
 - Summarise between sites if it makes sense

Addressing Plans – Customer

- Customers get one /48
 - Unless they have more than 65k subnets in which case they get a second /48 (and so on)
- In typical deployments today:
 - Several ISPs give small customers a /56 or single LAN end-sites a /64, e.g.:
 - /64 if end-site will only ever be a LAN
 - /56 for medium end-sites (e.g. small business)
 - /48 for large end-sites
 - (This is another very active discussion area)

Addressing Plans – Advice

- Customer address assignments should not be reserved or assigned on a per PoP basis
 - Same principle as for IPv4
 - ISP iBGP carries customer nets
 - Aggregation within the iBGP not required and usually not desirable
 - Aggregation in eBGP is very necessary
- Backbone infrastructure assignments:
 - Number out of a single /48
 - Operational simplicity and security
 - Aggregate to minimise size of the IGP

Addressing Plans

Planning

- Registries will usually allocate the next block to be contiguous with the first allocation
 - Minimum allocation is /32
 - Very likely that subsequent allocation will make this up to a /31
 - So plan accordingly

Example Address Plan

- IPv6 Allocation From Registry is
 - 2406:6400::/32
- IPv4 Allocation From Registry is
 - 172.16.0.0/19

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Table 1: Top level distribution infrastructure & customer					
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain	SOR	Registration
1	2406:6400::/32	<i>Parent Block</i>	0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.	N/A	APNIC
2	2406:6400:0000:0000::/36	Infrastructure	0.0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.	No	Optional
	2406:6400:1000:0000::/36				
	2406:6400:2000:0000::/36				
	2406:6400:3000:0000::/36				
	2406:6400:4000:0000::/36				
	2406:6400:5000:0000::/36				
	2406:6400:6000:0000::/36				
	2406:6400:7000:0000::/36				
3	2406:6400:8000:0000::/36	Customer network Region 1	8.0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.	Not yet	Optional
	2406:6400:9000:0000::/36				
4	2406:6400:a000:0000::/36	Customer network Region 2	a.0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.	Not yet	Optional
	2406:6400:b000:0000::/36				
5	2406:6400:c000:0000::/36	Customer network Region 3	c.0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.	Not yet	Optional
	2406:6400:d000:0000::/36				
6	2406:6400:e000:0000::/36	Customer network Region 4	e.0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.	Not yet	Optional
	2406:6400:f000:0000::/36				

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Table 2: Top level summarization option infrastructure & customer

Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain
7	2406:6400:8000:0000::/35	CS net summary region1 [R2]	2x/36 arpa domain
8	2406:6400:a000:0000::/35	CS net summary region2 [R5]	2x/36 arpa domain
9	2406:6400:c000:0000::/35	CS net summary region3 [R8]	2x/36 arpa domain
10	2406:6400:e000:0000::/35	CS net summary region4 [R11]	2x/36 arpa domain

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Table 3: Detail distribution infrastructure					
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain	SOR	Registration
2	2406:6400:0000:0000::/36	Infrastructure	0.0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.	No	Optional
11	2406:6400:0000:0000::/40	Loopback, Transport & WAN [Infra+CS]	0.0.0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.	No	Optional
	2406:6400:0100:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:0200:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:0300:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:0400:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:0500:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:0600:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:0700:0000::/40				
16	2406:6400:0800:0000::/40	R2 DC	8.0.0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.	No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0900:0000::/40				
17	2406:6400:0a00:0000::/40	R5 DC	a.0.0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.	No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0b00:0000::/40				
18	2406:6400:0c00:0000::/40	R8 DC	c.0.0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.	No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0d00:0000::/40				
19	2406:6400:0e00:0000::/40	R11 DC	e.0.0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.	No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0f00:0000::/40				

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Table 4: Datacenter prefix summarization options

Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain
12	2406:6400:0800:0000::/39	Region 1 DC Summary [R2]	
13	2406:6400:0a00:0000::/39	Region 2 DC Summary [R5]	
14	2406:6400:0c00:0000::/39	Region 3 DC Summary [R8]	
15	2406:6400:0e00:0000::/39	Region 4 DC Summary [R11]	

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Table 5: Further detail loopback, transport & infrastructure WAN					
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain	SOR	Registration
11	2406:6400:0000:0000::/40	Loopback, Transport & Infra WAN	0.0.0.0.4.6.6.0.4.2.ip6.arpa.		
20	2406:6400:0000:0000::/48	Loopback		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0001:0000::/48				
21	2406:6400:0002:0000::/48	Purple Transport		No	Recommended
22	2406:6400:0003:0000::/48	Green Transport		No	Recommended
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	2406:6400:000C:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:000D:0000::/48				
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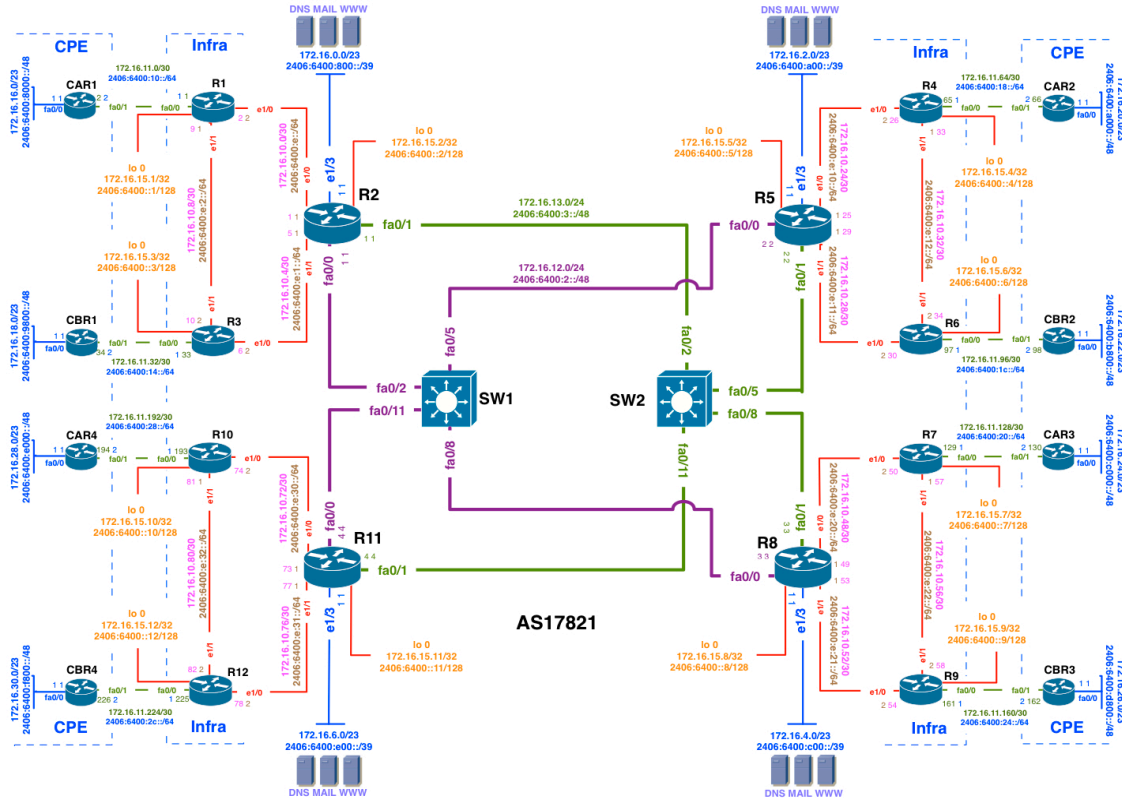
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Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain	SOR	Registration
27	2406:6400:0010:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R1 Region1		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0011:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:0012:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:0013:0000::/48				
28	2406:6400:0014:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R3 Region1		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0015:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:0016:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:0017:0000::/48				
32	2406:6400:0018:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R4 Region2		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0019:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:001A:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:001B:0000::/48				
33	2406:6400:001C:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R6 Region2		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:001D:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:001E:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:001F:0000::/48				
37	2406:6400:0020:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R7 Region3		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0021:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:0022:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:0023:0000::/48				
38	2406:6400:0024:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R9 Region3		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0025:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:0026:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:0027:0000::/48				
42	2406:6400:0028:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R10 Region4		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0029:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:002A:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:002B:0000::/48				
43	2406:6400:002C:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R12 Region4		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:002D:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:002E:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:002F:0000::/48				

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Table 7: CS link WAN summarization options			
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain
24	2406:6400:0010:0000::/45	WAN CS Link Region1 Summary [R2]	
25	2406:6400:0010:0000::/46	WAN CS Link Region1 POP1 Summary [R1]	
26	2406:6400:0014:0000::/46	WAN CS Link Region1 POP2 Summary [R3]	
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain
29	2406:6400:0018:0000::/45	WAN Prefix CS Link Region2 Summary [R5]	
30	2406:6400:0018:0000::/46	WAN CS Link Region2 POP1 Summary [R4]	
31	2406:6400:001C:0000::/46	WAN CS Link Region2 POP2 Summary [R6]	
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain
34	2406:6400:0020:0000::/45	WAN Prefix CS Link Region3 Summary [R8]	
35	2406:6400:0020:0000::/46	WAN CS Link Region3 POP1 Summary [R7]	
36	2406:6400:0024:0000::/46	WAN CS Link Region3 POP2 Summary [R9]	
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain
39	2406:6400:0028:0000::/45	WAN Prefix CS Link Region4 Summary [R11]	
40	2406:6400:0028:0000::/46	WAN CS Link Region4 POP1 Summary [R10]	
41	2406:6400:002C:0000::/46	WAN CS Link Region4 POP2 Summary [R12]	

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Table 8: Further detail loopback					
Block#	Prefix	Description	PTR Record	SOR	Registration
20	2406:6400:0000:0000::/48	Loopback		No	Recommended
			YES		
43	2406:6400:0000:0000::1/128	Router1 loopback 0	YES	No	No
44	2406:6400:0000:0000::2/128	Router2 loopback 0	YES	No	No
45	2406:6400:0000:0000::3/128	Router3 loopback 0	YES	No	No
46	2406:6400:0000:0000::4/128	Router4 loopback 0	YES	No	No
47	2406:6400:0000:0000::5/128	Router5 loopback 0	YES	No	No
48	2406:6400:0000:0000::6/128	Router6 loopback 0	YES	No	No
49	2406:6400:0000:0000::7/128	Router7 loopback 0	YES	No	No
50	2406:6400:0000:0000::8/128	Router8 loopback 0	YES	No	No
51	2406:6400:0000:0000::9/128	Router9 loopback 0	YES	No	No
52	2406:6400:0000:0000::10/128	Router10 loopback 0	YES	No	No
53	2406:6400:0000:0000::11/128	Router11 loopback 0	YES	No	No
54	2406:6400:0000:0000::12/128	Router12 loopback 0	YES	No	No

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Table 9: Further detail transport					
Block#	Prefix	Description	PTR Record	SOR	Registration
21	2406:6400:0002:0000::/48	Purple Transport		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0002:0000::1/48	Router2 fa0/0	YES	No	No
	2406:6400:0002:0000::2/48	Router5 fa0/0	YES	No	No
	2406:6400:0002:0000::3/48	Router8 fa0/0	YES	No	No
	2406:6400:0002:0000::4/48	Router11 fa0/0	YES	No	No
Block#	Prefix	Description	PTR Record	SOR	Registration
22	2406:6400:0003:0000::/48	Green Transport		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0003:0000::1/48	Router2 fa0/1	YES	No	No
	2406:6400:0003:0000::2/48	Router5 fa0/1	YES	No	No
	2406:6400:0003:0000::3/48	Router8 fa0/1	YES	No	No
	2406:6400:0003:0000::4/48	Router11 fa0/1	YES	No	No

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Table 10: Further detail Infra WAN					
Block#	Prefix	Description	PTR Record	SOR	Registration
23	2406:6400:000E:0000::/48	WAN Prefix Infra Link		No	Recommended
55	2406:6400:000E:0000::/64	R2[::1]-R1[::2]	YES	No	No
56	2406:6400:000E:0001::/64	R2[::1]-R3[::2]	YES	No	No
57	2406:6400:000E:0002::/64	R1[::1]-R3[::2]	YES	No	No
	2406:6400:000E:0003::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0004::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0005::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0006::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0007::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0008::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0009::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:000A::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:000B::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:000C::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:000D::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:000E::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:000F::/64				
58	2406:6400:000E:0010::/64	R5[::1]-R4[::2]	YES	No	No
59	2406:6400:000E:0011::/64	R5[::1]-R6[::2]	YES	No	No
60	2406:6400:000E:0012::/64	R4[::1]-R6[::2]	YES	No	No
	2406:6400:000E:0013::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0014::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0015::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0016::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0017::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0018::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0019::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:001A::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:001B::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:001C::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:001D::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:001E::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:001F::/64				
61	2406:6400:000E:0020::/64	R8[::1]-R7[::2]	YES	No	No
62	2406:6400:000E:0021::/64	R8[::1]-R9[::2]	YES	No	No
63	2406:6400:000E:0022::/64	R7[::1]-R9[::2]	YES	No	No
	2406:6400:000E:0023::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0024::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0025::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0026::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0027::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0028::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0029::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:002A::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:002B::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:002C::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:002D::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:002E::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:002F::/64				
64	2406:6400:000E:0030::/64	R11[::1]-R10[::2]	YES	No	No
65	2406:6400:000E:0031::/64	R11[::1]-R12[::2]	YES	No	No
66	2406:6400:000E:0032::/64	R10[::1]-R12[::2]	YES	No	No
	2406:6400:000E:0033::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0034::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0035::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0036::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0037::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0038::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:0039::/64				
	2406:6400:000E:003A::/64				

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Table 11: Detail CS link WAN Region 1					
Block#	Prefix	Description	PTR Record	SOR	Registration
27	2406:6400:0010:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R1 Region1		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0010:0000::/64	R1[::1]-CAR1[::2]	Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:0001::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:0002::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:0003::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:0004::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:0005::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:0006::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:0007::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:0008::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:0009::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:000A::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:000B::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:000C::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:000D::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:000E::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0010:000F::/64		Yes	No	No
Block#	Prefix	Description	PTR Record	SOR	Registration
28	2406:6400:0014:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R3 Region1		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0014:0000::/64	R3[::1]-CBR1[::2]	Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:0001::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:0002::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:0003::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:0004::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:0005::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:0006::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:0007::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:0008::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:0009::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:000A::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:000B::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:000C::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:000D::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:000E::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0014:000F::/64		Yes	No	No

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Table 12: Detail CS link WAN Region 2					
Block#	Prefix	Description	PTR Record	SOR	Registration
32	2406:6400:0018:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R4 Region2		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0018:0000::/64	R4[::1]-CAR2[::2]	Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:0001::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:0002::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:0003::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:0004::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:0005::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:0006::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:0007::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:0008::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:0009::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:000A::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:000B::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:000C::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:000D::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:000E::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0018:000F::/64		Yes	No	No
Block#	Prefix	Description	PTR Record	SOR	Registration
33	2406:6400:001C:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R6 Region2		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:001C:0000::/64	R6[::1]-CBR2[::2]	Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:0001::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:0002::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:0003::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:0004::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:0005::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:0006::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:0007::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:0008::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:0009::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:000A::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:000B::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:000C::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:000D::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:000E::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:001C:000F::/64		Yes	No	No

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Table 13: Detail CS link WAN Region3					
Block#	Prefix	Description	PTR Record	SOR	Registration
37	2406:6400:0020:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R7 Region3		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0020:0000::/64	R7[::1]-CAR3[::2]	Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:0001::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:0002::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:0003::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:0004::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:0005::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:0006::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:0007::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:0008::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:0009::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:000A::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:000B::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:000C::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:000D::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:000E::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0020:000F::/64		Yes	No	No
Block#	Prefix	Description	PTR Record	SOR	Registration
38	2406:6400:0024:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R9 Region3		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0024:0000::/64	R9[::1]-CBR3[::2]	Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:0001::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:0002::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:0003::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:0004::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:0005::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:0006::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:0007::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:0008::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:0009::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:000A::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:000B::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:000C::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:000D::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:000E::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0024:000F::/64		Yes	No	No

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Table 14: Detail CS link WAN Region 4

Block#	Prefix	Description	PTR Record	SOR	Registration
42	2406:6400:0028:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R10 Region4		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:0028:0000::/64	R10[::1]-CAR4[::2]	Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:0001::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:0002::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:0003::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:0004::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:0005::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:0006::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:0007::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:0008::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:0009::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:000A::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:000B::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:000C::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:000D::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:000E::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:0028:000F::/64		Yes	No	No
Block#	Prefix	Description	PTR Record	SOR	Registration
43	2406:6400:002C:0000::/48	WAN Prefix CS Link R12 Region4		No	Recommended
	2406:6400:002C:0000::/64	R12[::1]-CBR4[::2]	Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:0001::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:0002::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:0003::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:0004::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:0005::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:0006::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:0007::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:0008::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:0009::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:000A::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:000B::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:000C::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:000D::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:000E::/64		Yes	No	No
	2406:6400:002C:000F::/64		Yes	No	No

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Table 15: Customer block Region 1					
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse DNS	SOR	Registration
7	2406:6400:8000:0000::/35	Customer block Region 1			
	2406:6400:8000:0000::/40	Customer block POP1 [R1]		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:8100:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8200:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8300:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8400:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8500:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8600:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8700:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8800:0000::/40	Customer block future use/POP		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:8900:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8A00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8B00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8C00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8D00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8E00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:8F00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9000:0000::/40	Customer block future use/POP		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:9100:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9200:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9300:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9400:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9500:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9600:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9700:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9800:0000::/40	Customer block POP2 [R3]		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:9900:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9A00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9B00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9C00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9D00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9E00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:9F00:0000::/40				

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Table 16: Summarization oprions customer block Region 1			
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain
	2406:6400:8000:0000::/35	Customer block Region 1 [R2]	
	2406:6400:8000:0000::/37	Customer block POP1 [R1]	
	2406:6400:8800:0000::/37	Customer block future use/POP	
	2406:6400:9000:0000::/37	Customer block future use/POP	
	2406:6400:9800:0000::/37	Customer block POP2 [R3]	

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Table 17: Detail customer block Region 1					
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse DNS	SOR	Registration
	2406:6400:8000:0000::/40	1st Customer block POP1 [R1]			
	2406:6400:8000:0000::/48	1st Customer prefix POP1 [R1]		Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:8001:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:8002:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:8003:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:8004:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:8005:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:8006:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:8007:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:9800:0000::/40	1st Customer block POP2 [R3]			
	2406:6400:9800:0000::/48	1st Customer prefix POP2 [R3]		Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:9801:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:9802:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:9803:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:9804:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:9805:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:9806:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:9807:0000::/48				

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Table 18: Customer block Region 2					
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse DNS	SOR	Registration
8	2406:6400:a000:0000::/35	Customer block Region 2			
	2406:6400:A000:0000::/40	Customer block POP1 [R4]		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:A100:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:A200:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:A300:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:A400:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:A500:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:A600:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:A700:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:A800:0000::/40	Customer block future use/POP		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:A900:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:AA00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:AB00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:AC00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:AD00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:AE00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:AF00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:B000:0000::/40	Customer block future use/POP		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:B100:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:B200:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:B300:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:B400:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:B500:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:B600:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:B700:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:B800:0000::/40	Customer block POP2 [R6]		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:B900:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:BA00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:BB00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:BC00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:BD00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:BE00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:BF00:0000::/40				

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Table 19: Summarization oprions customer block Region 2			
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain
	2406:6400:A000:0000::/35	Customer block Region 2 [R5]	
	2406:6400:A000:0000::/37	Customer block POP1 [R4]	
	2406:6400:A800:0000::/37	Customer block future use/POP	
	2406:6400:B000:0000::/37	Customer block future use/POP	
	2406:6400:B800:0000::/37	Customer block POP2 [R6]	

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Table 20: Detail customer block Region 2					
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse DNS	SOR	Registration
	2406:6400:A000:0000::/40	1st Customer block POP1 [R4]			
	2406:6400:A000:0000::/48	1st Customer prefix POP1 [R4]		Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:A001:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:A002:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:A003:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:A004:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:A005:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:A006:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:A007:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:B800:0000::/40	1st Customer block POP2 [R6]			
	2406:6400:B800:0000::/48	1st Customer prefix POP2 [R6]		Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:B801:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:B802:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:B803:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:B804:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:B805:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:B806:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:B807:0000::/48				

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Table 21: Customer block Region 3					
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse DNS	SOR	Registration
9	2406:6400:c000:0000::/35	Customer block Region 3			
	2406:6400:C000:0000::/40	Customer block POP1 [R7]		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:C100:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:C200:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:C300:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:C400:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:C500:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:C600:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:C700:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:C800:0000::/40	Customer block future use/POP		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:C900:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:CA00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:CB00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:CC00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:CD00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:CE00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:CF00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:D000:0000::/40	Customer block future use/POP		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:D100:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:D200:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:D300:0000::/40				
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	2406:6400:D600:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:D700:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:D800:0000::/40	Customer block POP2 [R9]		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:D900:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:DA00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:DB00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:DC00:0000::/40				
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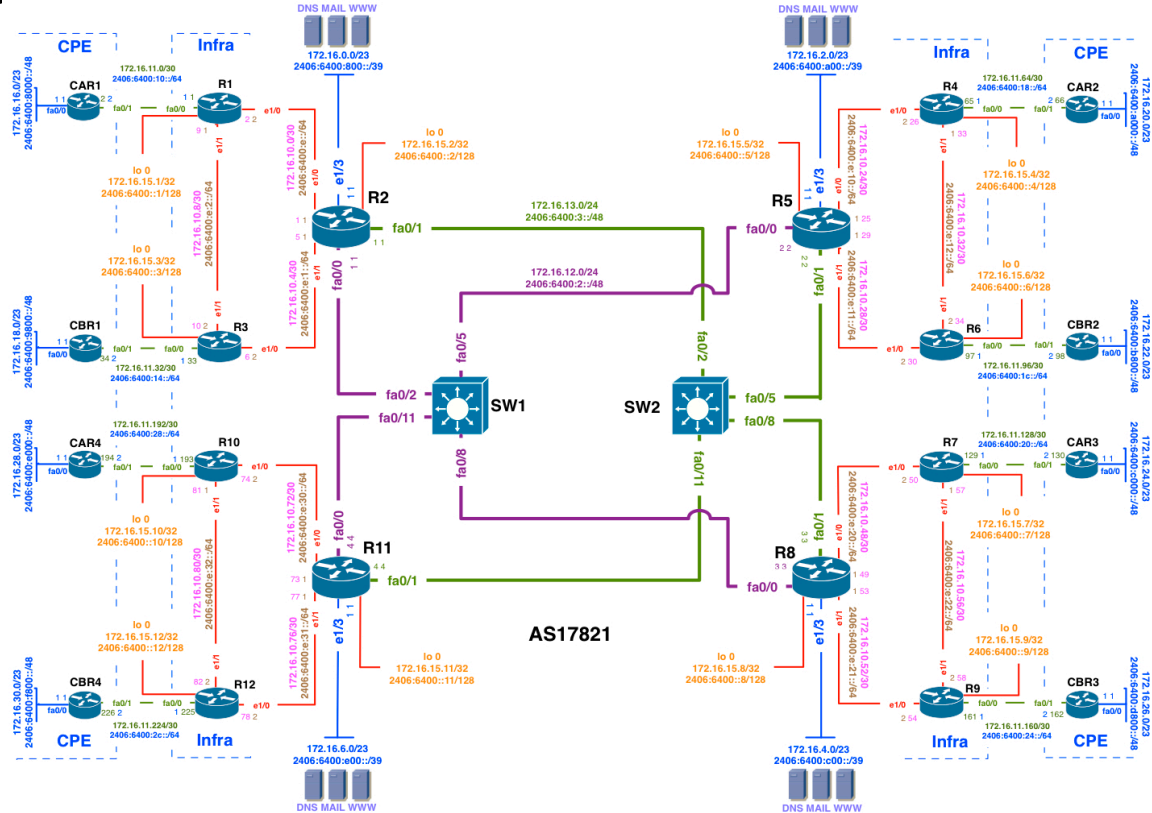
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Table 22: Summarization oprions customer block Region 3			
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain
	2406:6400:c000:0000::/35	Customer block Region 3 [R8]	
	2406:6400:C000:0000::/37	Customer block POP1 [R7]	
	2406:6400:C800:0000::/37	Customer block future use/POP	
	2406:6400:D000:0000::/37	Customer block future use/POP	
	2406:6400:D800:0000::/37	Customer block POP2 [R9]	

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Table 23: Detail customer block Region 3					
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse DNS	SOR	Registration
	2406:6400:C000:0000::/40	1st Customer block POP1 [R7]			
	2406:6400:C000:0000::/48	1st Customer prefix POP1 [R7]		Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:C001:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:C002:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:C003:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:C004:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:C005:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:C006:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:C007:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:D800:0000::/40	1st Customer block POP2 [R9]			
	2406:6400:D800:0000::/48	1st Customer prefix POP2 [R9]		Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:D801:0000::/48				
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	2406:6400:D803:0000::/48				
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Table 24: Customer block Region 4					
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse DNS	SOR	Registration
10	2406:6400:e000:0000::/35	Customer block Region 4			
	2406:6400:E000:0000::/40	Customer block POP1 [R10]		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:E100:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:E200:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:E300:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:E400:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:E500:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:E600:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:E700:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:E800:0000::/40	Customer block future use/POP		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:E900:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:EA00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:EB00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:EC00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:ED00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:EE00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:EF00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:F000:0000::/40	Customer block future use/POP		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:F100:0000::/40				
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	2406:6400:F600:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:F700:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:F800:0000::/40	Customer block POP2 [R12]		>= /48 Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:F900:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:FA00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:FB00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:FC00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:FD00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:FE00:0000::/40				
	2406:6400:FF00:0000::/40				

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Table 25: Summarization oprions customer block Region 4			
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse Domain
	2406:6400:e000:0000::/35	Customer block Region 4 [R11]	
	2406:6400:E000:0000::/37	Customer block POP1 [R10]	
	2406:6400:E800:0000::/37	Customer block future use/POP	
	2406:6400:F000:0000::/37	Customer block future use/POP	
	2406:6400:F800:0000::/37	Customer block POP2 [R12]	

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Table 26: Detail customer block Region 4					
Block#	Prefix	Description	Reverse DNS	SOR	Registration
	2406:6400:E000:0000::/40	1st Customer block POP1 [R10]			
	2406:6400:E000:0000::/48	1st Customer prefix POP1 [R10]		Yes	Yes
	2406:6400:E001:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:E002:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:E003:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:E004:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:E005:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:E006:0000::/48				
	2406:6400:E007:0000::/48				
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	2406:6400:F807:0000::/48				

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Summary parent block IPV4

Block#	Prefix	Size	Description
1	172.16.0.0	/19	Parent block
2	172.16.0.0	/20	Infrastructure
3	172.16.16.0	/20	Customer network

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Detail DC infrastructure block IPV4

Block#	Prefix	Size	Description	SOR	Register
2	172.16.0.0	/20	Infrastructure		
4	172.16.0.0	/23	Router2 DC summary net		
5	172.16.0.0	/24	Router2 DC	No	Recommended
6	172.16.2.0	/23	Router5 DC summary net		
7	172.16.2.0	/24	Router5 DC	No	Recommended
8	172.16.4.0	/23	Router8 DC summary net		
9	172.16.4.0	/24	Router8 DC	No	Recommended
10	172.16.6.0	/23	Router11 DC summary net		
11	172.16.6.0	/24	Router11 DC	No	Recommended

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Detail infrastructure WAN block IPV4

12	172.16.10.0	/24	WAN prefix		Optional
13	172.16.10.0	/30	Router2-1 WAN	No	
14	172.16.10.4	/30	Router2-3 WAN	No	
15	172.16.10.8	/30	Router1-3 WAN	No	
16	172.16.10.24	/30	Router5-4 WAN	No	
17	172.16.10.28	/30	Router5-6 WAN	No	
18	172.16.10.32	/30	Router4-6 WAN	No	
19	172.16.10.48	/30	Router8-7 WAN	No	
20	172.16.10.52	/30	Router8-9 WAN	No	
21	172.16.10.56	/30	Router7-9 WAN	No	
22	172.16.10.72	/30	Router11-10 WAN	No	
23	172.16.10.76	/30	Router11-12 WAN	No	
24	172.16.10.80	/30	Router10-12 WAN	No	

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Detail customer link WAN block

Block#	Prefix	Size	Description	SOR	Register
	172.16.11.0	/26	WAN CS Link Region1		
	172.16.11.0	/27	WAN CS Link POP1 [R1]		
	172.16.11.0	/30	R1[::1]-CAR1[::2]	No	No
	172.16.11.4	/30			
	172.16.11.32	/27	WAN CS Link POP2 [R3]		
	172.16.11.32	/30	R3[::33]-CBR1[::34]	No	No
	172.16.11.36	/30			
	172.16.11.64	/26	WAN CS Link Region2		
	172.16.11.64	/27	WAN CS Link POP1 [R4]		
	172.16.11.64	/30	R4[::65]-CAR2[::66]	No	No
	172.16.11.68	/30			
	172.16.11.96	/27	WAN CS Link POP2 [R6]		
	172.16.11.96	/30	R6[::97]-CBR2[::98]	No	No
	172.16.11.100	/30			
	172.16.11.128	/26	WAN CS Link Region3		
	172.16.11.128	/27	WAN CS Link POP1 [R7]		
	172.16.11.128	/30	R7[::129]-CAR3[::130]	No	No
	172.16.11.132	/30			
	172.16.11.160	/27	WAN CS Link POP2 [R9]		
	172.16.11.160	/30	R9[::161]-CBR3[::162]	No	No
	172.16.11.164	/30			
	172.16.11.192	/26	WAN CS Link Region4		
	172.16.11.192	/27	WAN CS Link POP1 [R10]		
	172.16.11.192	/30	R10[::193]-CAR4[::194]	No	No
	172.16.11.196	/30			
	172.16.11.224	/27	WAN CS Link POP2 [R12]		
	172.16.11.224	/30	R12[::225]-CBR4[::226]	No	No
	172.16.11.228	/30			

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Detail infrastructure block Transport & Loopback IPV4

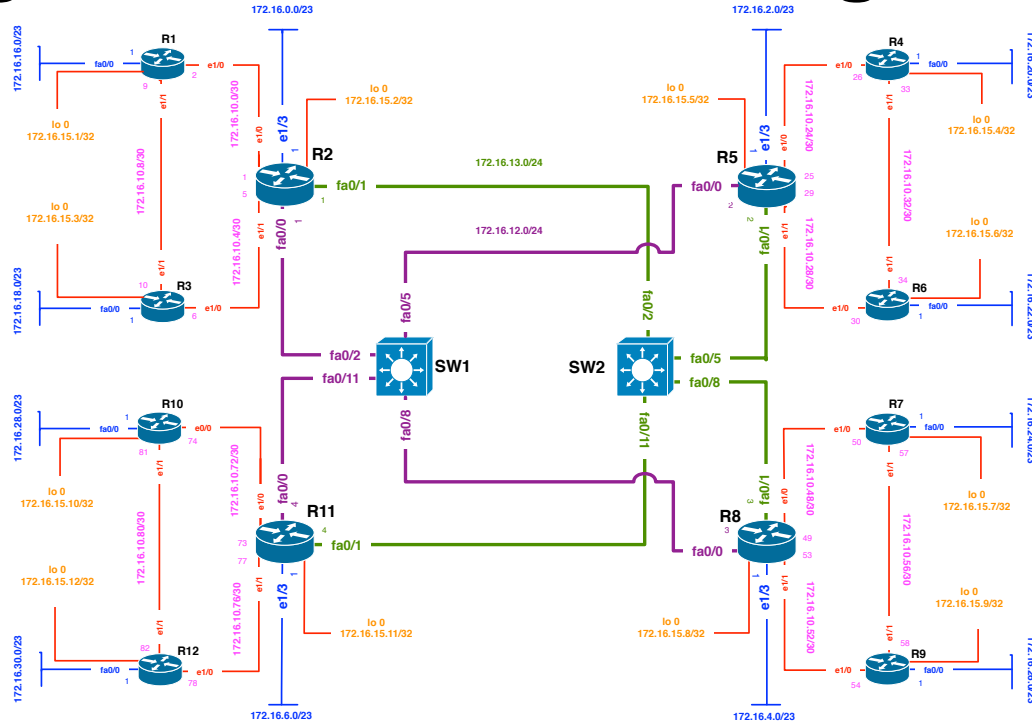
25	172.16.12.0	/24	Transport link PURPLE	No	
26	172.16.13.0	/24	Transport link GREEN	No	
27	172.16.15.0	/24	Loopback	No	

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Detail customer block

Block#	Prefix	Size	Description	SOR	Register
28	172.16.6.0	/20	Customer network		
29	172.16.16.0	/22	Router2 summary net		
30	172.16.16.0	/23	Router1 CS network	Yes	Must
31	172.16.18.0	/23	Router3 CS network	Yes	Must
32	172.16.20.0	/22	Router5 summary net		
33	172.16.20.0	/23	Router4 CS network	Yes	Must
34	172.16.22.0	/23	Router6 CS network	Yes	Must
35	172.16.24.0	/22	Router8 summary net		
36	172.16.24.0	/23	Router7 CS network	Yes	Must
37	172.16.26.0	/23	Router9 CS network	Yes	Must
38	172.16.28.0	/22	Router11 summary net		
39	172.16.28.0	/23	Router10 CS network	Yes	Must
40	172.16.30.0	/23	Router12 CS network	Yes	Must

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Training ISP IPv4 Address Plan



Overview

IXP Workshop

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- What is the value of Peering?
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OSPF

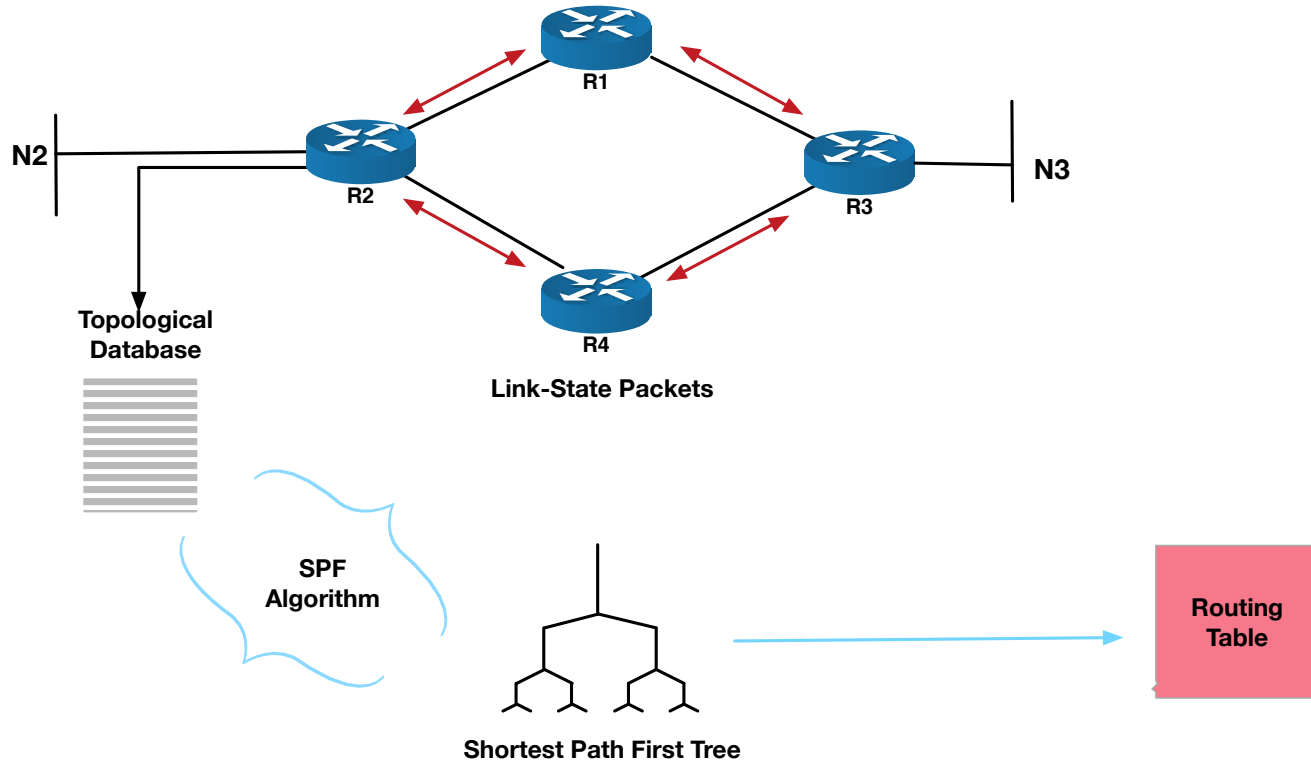
- **O**pen **S**hortest **P**ath **F**irst
- Link State Protocol or SPF technology
- Developed by OSPF working group of IETF (RFC 1247)
- Comes with two version
 - OSPFv2 (IPv4) standard described in (RFC 2328)
 - OSPFv3 (IPv6) standard described in (RFC 2740)

OSPF

- Designed for
 - TCP/IP environment
 - Fast convergence
 - Route redistribution
 - Variable length subnet masks (VLSM)
 - Dis-contiguous subnets
 - Incremental updates
 - Route authentication
- **OSPF runs on IP, Protocol 89**

<http://www.iana.org/assignments/protocol-numbers/protocol-numbers.xhtml>

Link State Routing Protocol



Link State Routing Protocol Functions

- All routers have the same view
- Do not send full routing table on periodic interval
- Use Shortest Path First (SPF) algorithm to select best path from topology table
- Send very small periodic (Hello) message to maintain link condition
- Send triggered update instantly when network change occur

Link State Data Structure

- **Neighbor Table**

- List of all recognized neighboring router to whom routing information will be interchanged

- **Topology Table**

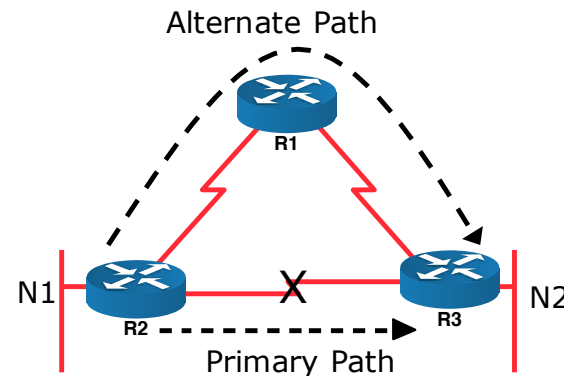
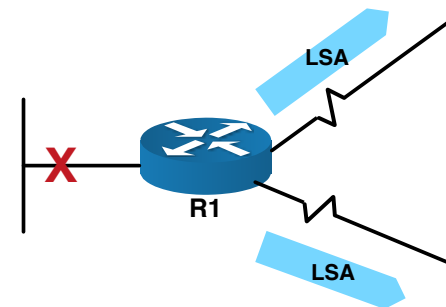
- Also called LSDB which maintain list of routers and their link information i.e network destination, prefix length, link cost etc

- **Routing table**

- Also called forwarding table contain only the best path to forward data traffic

Link State Routing Protocol Advantages

- **Low bandwidth utilization**
 - Only changes propagated
 - Uses multicast on multi-access broadcast network
- **Fast Convergence**
 - Detection Plus LSA/SPF (Known as the Dijkstra Algorithm)
- **Finding a new route**
 - LSA flooded throughout area
 - Acknowledgement based
 - Topology database synchronized
 - Each router derives routing table to destination network



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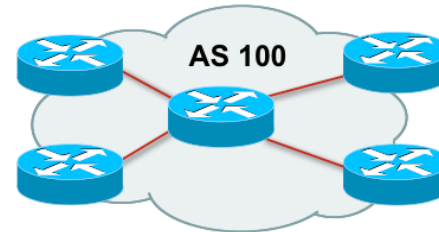
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What is Border Gateway Protocol?

- BGP:
 - A path vector routing protocol to exchange routing information between different Autonomous System (AS)
 - ASes are the building block of BGP operational units
 - AS is a collection of routers with a common routing policy
 - Specification is defined in RFC4271

What is an Autonomous System (AS)

- An AS is a collection of networks with same routing policy
- Usually under a single administrative control unit
- A public AS is identified by a unique number called AS number
- Around 32000 ASes are visible on the Internet now



BGP features

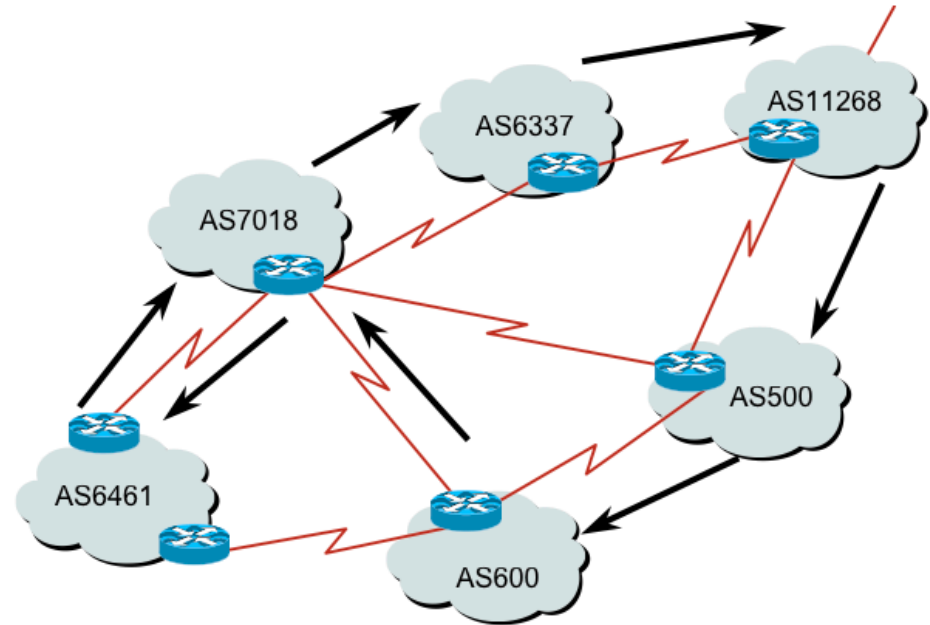
- Path Vector Routing Protocol
- Send incremental updates to peers
- Runs over TCP –Port 179
- Select path based on routing policy/ organization's business requirement
- Support Classless Inter Domain Routing (CIDR) concept
- Widely used in today's Internet Backbone
- Current BGP version is MP-BGP

What is Path Vector Routing Protocol

- A path vector routing protocol is used to span different autonomous systems
- It defines a route as a collection of a number of AS that it passes through from source AS to destination AS
- This list of ASes are called AS path and used to avoid routing loop
- AS path is also used to select path to destination

What is AS path?

- An AS path example:



12.6.126.0/24 207.126.96.43 1021 0 6461 7018 6337 11268 i

AS Path

BGP Traffic Arrangement Definition

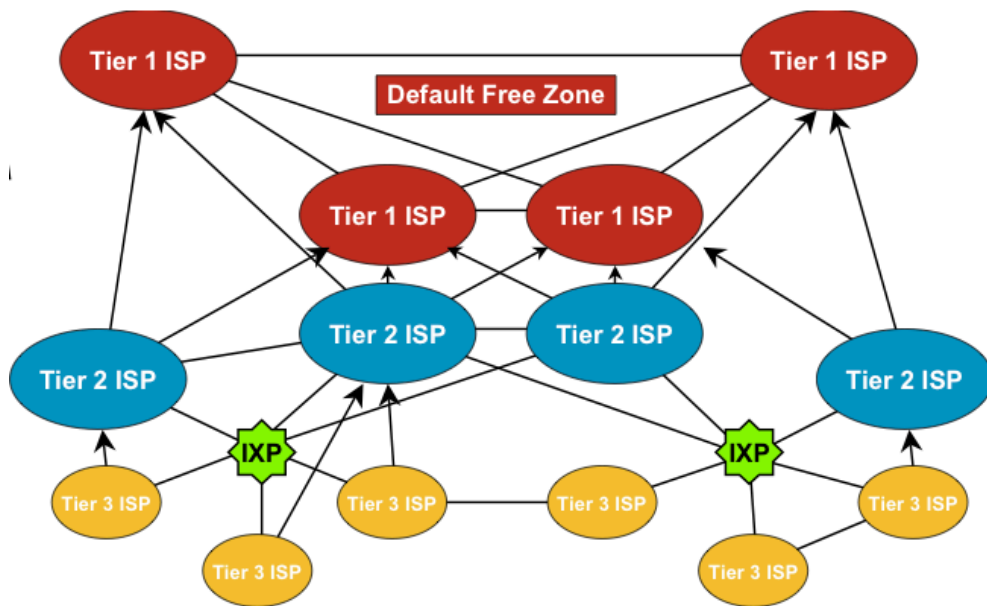
- Transit
 - Forwarding traffic through the network usually for a fee
 - I.e Internet service from upstream ISP
- Peering
 - Exchanging traffic without any fee
 - I.e Connection in an IXP
- Default
 - Where to send traffic if there no explicit route match in the routing table

What is Default Free Zone?

- Default free zone is made up of Tier One ISP routers which have explicit routing information about every part of the Global Internet
- So there is no need of default route
- If there is no destination network match, then that prefix is still not announced/ used by any ISP yet

ISP Hierarchical Connection

- Connectivity Diagram:



BGP General Operation

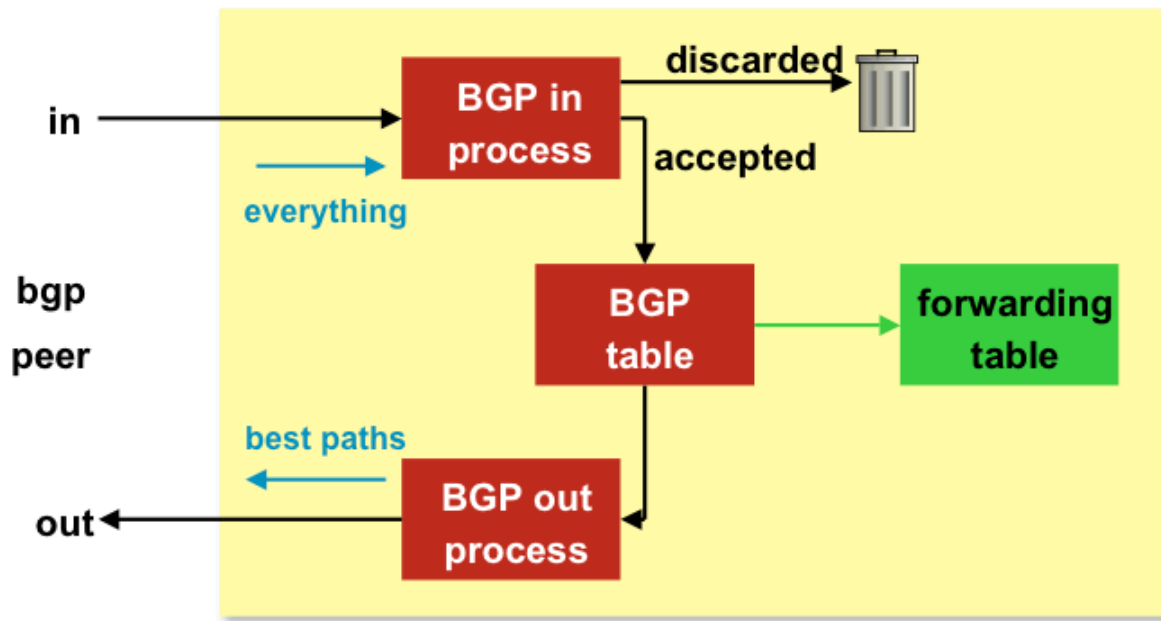
- BGP maintain 3 database i.e Neighbor Table, BGP Table and Forwarding Table
- Learns multiple paths via internal and external BGP speakers
- Picks the best path and installs them on the forwarding tables
- Best path is sent to external BGP neighbors
- Policies are applied by influencing the best path selection

Constructing the Forwarding Table

- BGP “In” process
 - Receives path information from peers
 - Results of BGP path selection placed in the BGP table “best path” flagged
- BGP “Out” process
 - Announce “best path” information to peers
- Best path installed in forwarding table if:
 - Prefix and prefix length are equal
 - Lowest protocol distance

Constructing the Forwarding Table

Flowchart:



BGP Terminology

- Neighbor
 - Any two routers that have formed a TCP connection to exchange BGP routing information are called peers or neighbors
- iBGP
 - iBGP refers to the BGP neighbor relationship within the same AS.
 - ☐ The neighbors do not have to be directly connected.
- eBGP
 - When BGP neighbor relationship are formed between two peers belongs to different AS are called eBGP.
 - ☐ EBGP neighbors by default need to be directly connected.

Building Neighbor Relationship

- After adding BGP neighbor:
 - Both router establish a TCP connection and send open message
 - If open message is accepted then both send keepalive message to each other to confirm open message
 - After both confirm open message by sending keepalive message they establish BGP neighbor relationship and exchange routing information

BGP message type

- Open Message
 - To establish BGP neighbor relationship
- Keepalive message
 - Only contain message header to maintain neighbor relationship. Sent every periodic interval
- Update message
 - Contain path information. One update message contain one path information. Multiple path need multiple update message to be sent
- Notification message
 - Sent when an error condition occur and BGP connection closed immediately

BGP Open message

- Open message contain:
 - BGP Version number
 - AS number of the local router
 - BGP holdtime in second to elapse between the successive keepalive message
 - BGP router ID which is a 32 bit number. Usually an IPv4 address is used as router ID
 - Optional parameters i.e types, length and value encoded. An example optional parameter is session authentication info

BGP Keepalive Message

- Send between BGP peers after every periodic interval (60 Sec)
- It refresh hold timer from expiration (180sec)
- A keepalive message contain only the message header

BGP Update Message

- An update message contain:
 - Withdrawn routes: a list contain address prefix that are withdrawn from service
 - Path attributes: includes AS path, origin code, local pref etc
 - Network-layer reachability information: includes a list of address prefix reachable by this path

BGP Notification message

- Only sent when an error condition occur and detected in a network and BGP connection is closed immediately
- Notification message contain an error code, an error subcode, and data that are related to that error

BGP Neighbor Relationship States

- BGP neighbor goes through following steps:
 - Idle: Router is searching its routing table to reach the neighbor
 - Connect: Router found route and completed TCP three-way handshake
 - Open Sent: Open message sent with the parameter for BGP session
 - Open Confirm: Router receive agreement on the parameter to establish BGP session
 - Established: Peering is established and routing information exchange began

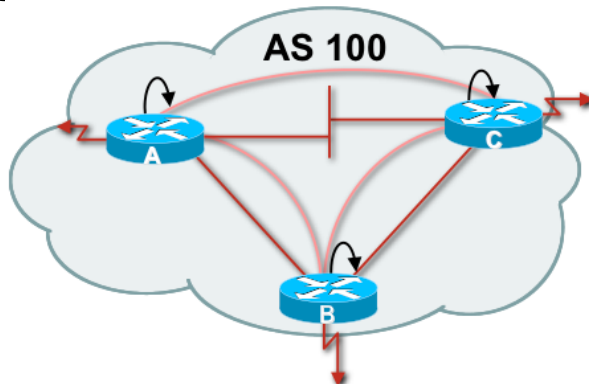
Troubleshoot BGP Neighbor Relation

- Idle:
 - The router can not find address of the neighbor in its routing table
- Active:
 - Router found address of the neighbor in its routing table sent open message and waiting for the response from the neighbor
- Cycle between Active/Idle
 - Neighbor might peer with wrong address
 - Does not have neighbor statement on the other side
 - BGP open message source IP address does not match with remote side neighbor statement or no route to source IP address

iBGP Peering

- BGP peer within the same AS
- Not required to be directly connected
- iBGP peering require full mesh peering
 - Within an AS all iBGP speaker must peer with other iBGP speaker
 - They originate connected network
 - Pass on prefixes learned from outside AS
 - They do not forward prefixes learned from other iBGP peer

iBGP Peering with Loopback Interface

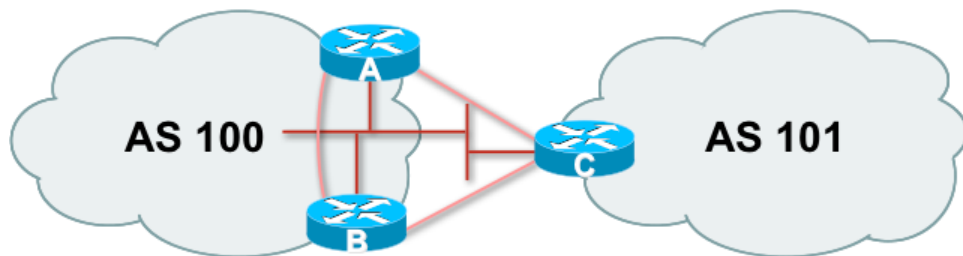


- If iBGP speakers has multiple connection then it is advisable to peer with loopback
- Connected network can go down which might loose iBGP peering
- Loopback interface will never go down

iBGP Neighbor Update Source

- This command allows the BGP process to use the IP address of a specified interface as the source IP address of all BGP updates to that neighbor
- A loopback interface is usually used as it will never goes down as long as the router is operational
- All BGP message will use the referenced interface as source of the messages

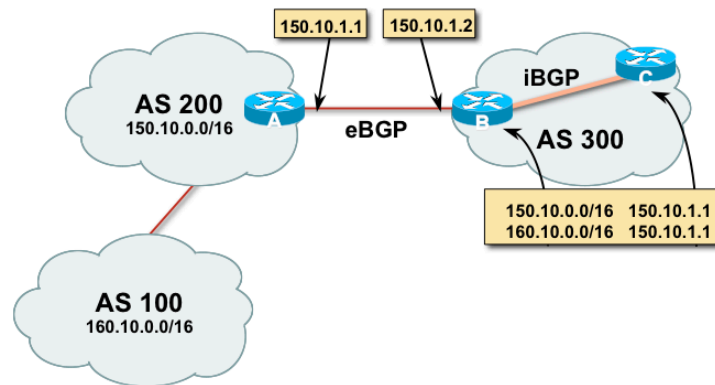
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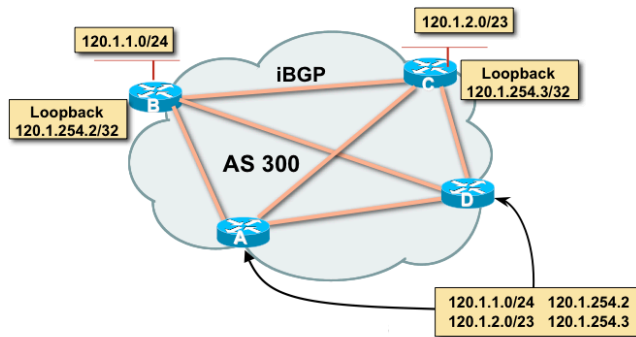
- Peering with BGP speaker in different AS
- Peers should be directly connected and share same WAN link
- eBGP neighbors are usually routed through connected network

BGP Next Hop Behavior

- BGP is an AS-by-AS routing protocol not a router-by router routing protocol.
- In BGP, the next hop does not mean the next router it means the IP address to reach the next AS
 - I.e Router A advertise 150.10.0.0/16 and 160.10.0.0/16 to router B in eBGP with next hop 150.10.1.1
 - Router B will update Router C in iBGP keeping the next hop unchanged



iBGP Next Hop



- Next hop is iBGP router loopback address
- Recursive route look-up
- Loopback address need to announce through IGP (OSPF)

BGP Synchronous Rule

- BGP do not use or advertise any route to an external neighbor learned by iBGP until a matching route has been learned from an IGP i.e OSPF or static
- It ensure consistency of information throughout the AS
- Avoid black hole route within an AS
- It is safe to turn off if all routers with in the AS run full-mesh iBGP
- Advisable to disable this feature (BCP)



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BGP Attributes

BGP metrics are called path attributes. Here is the classifications BGP attributes:

Well-known Mandatory

- AS-Path
- Next-hop
- Origin

Well-known Discretionary

- Local preference
- Atomic aggregate

Optional Transitive

- Community
- Aggregator

Optional Non-Transitive

- Multi-exit-discriminator (MED)

Well-Known Attributes

- Must be recognized by all compliant BGP implementations
- Are propagated to other neighbors

Well-Known Mandatory Attributes

- Must be present in all update messages
 - ***AS Path***
 - ***Next-hop***
 - ***Origin***

Well-Known Discretionary Attributes

- May be present in update messages
 - ***Local preference***
 - ***Atomic aggregate***

Optional Attributes

- Recognized by some implementations (could be private) expected not to be recognized by everyone
- Recognized optional attributes are propagated to other neighbors based on their meaning

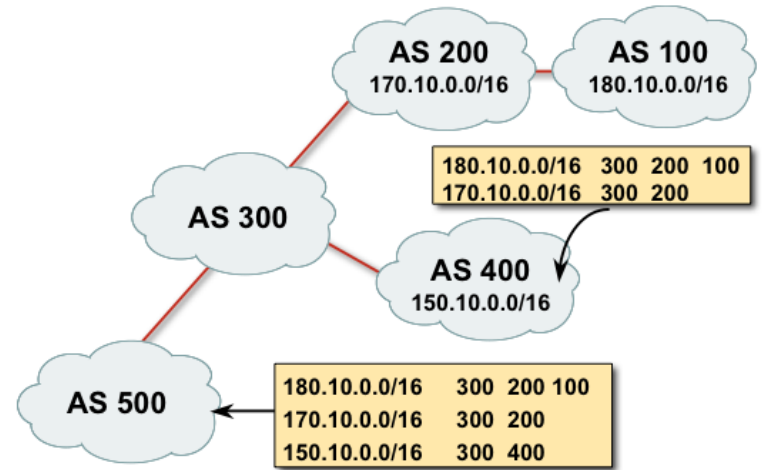
Optional Transitive Attributes

- If not recognized, are marked as partial and propagated to other neighbors
 - ***Community***
 - ***Aggregator***

Optional Non Transitive attributes

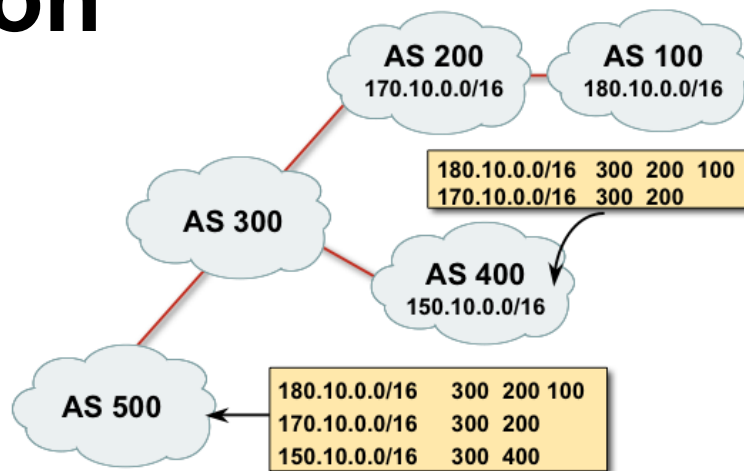
- Discarded if not recognized
 - ***Multi Exit Discriminator (MED)***

AS Path Attribute



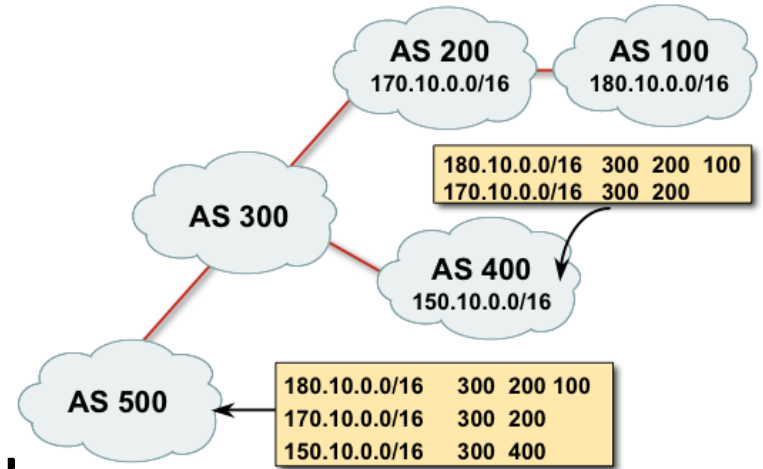
- Sequence of ASes a route has traversed
- Used for
 - Loop detection
 - Path metrics where the length of the AS Path is used as in path selection

AS Path Loop Detection



- 180.10.0.0/16 is not accepted by AS100 as the prefix has AS100 in its AS-PATH
- This is loop detection in action

AS Path Attribute (2 byte and 4 byte)



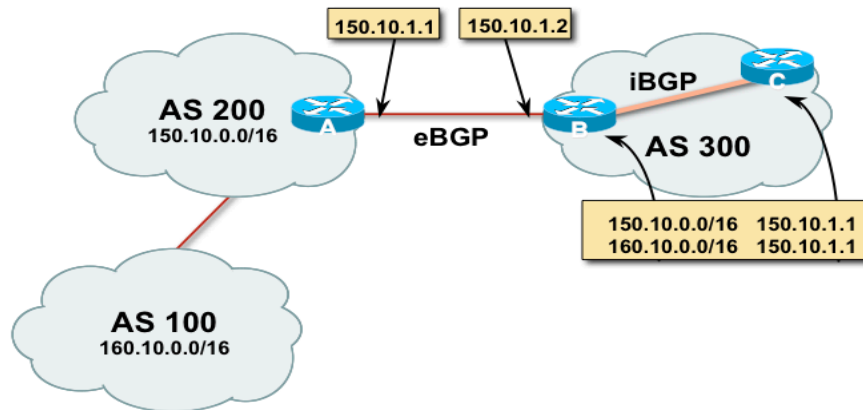
- Internet with 16-bit and 32-bit ASNs
 - 32-bit ASNs are 65536 and above
 - AS-PATH length maintained

AS Path and AS4 Path Example

Router5:

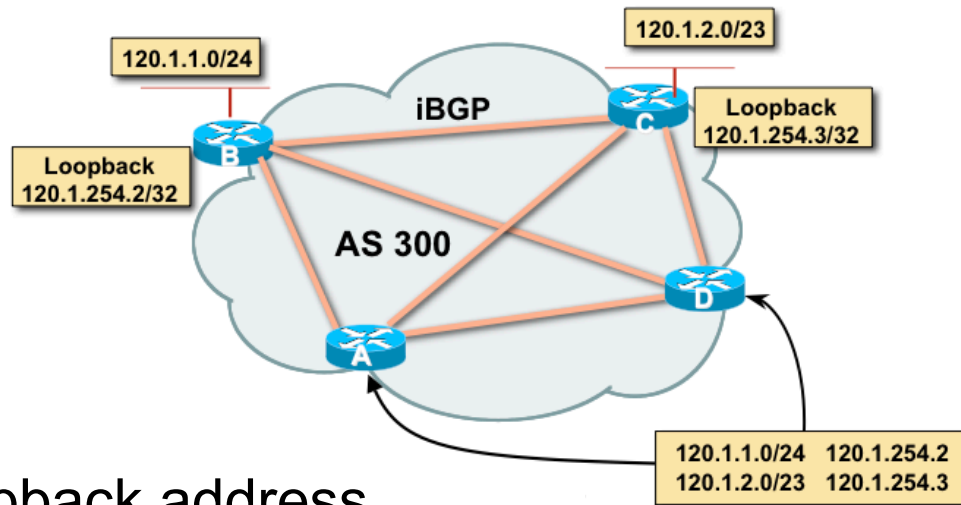
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*> 2001:200::/32	2406:6400:F:41::1				
				0 23456 38610 6939 2500	i
* i	2406:6400:D::5	0 100 0 45192 4608 4826 6939 2500	i		

eBGP Next Hop



- The IP address to reach the next AS
 - Router A advertises 150.10.0.0/16 and 160.10.0.0/16 to router B in eBGP with next hop 150.10.1.1 (Change it to own IP)
 - Router B will update Router C in iBGP keeping the next hop unchanged
- Well known mandatory attribute

iBGP Next Hop



- Next hop is iBGP router loopback address
- Recursive route look-up
- Loopback address need to announce through IGP (OSPF)
- iBGP send update next-hop unchanged

Next Hop Best Practice

- IOS default is for external next-hop to be propagated unchanged to iBGP peers
 - This means that IGP has to carry external next-hops
 - Forgetting means external network is invisible
 - With many eBGP peers, it is unnecessary extra load on IGP
- ISP Best Practice is to change external next-hop to be that of the local router
 - neighbor x.x.x.x next-hop-self

Next Hop Self Configuration

- Next hop default behavior can be changed by using next-hop-self command
- Forces all updates for this neighbor to be advertised with this router as the next hop
- The IP address used for next-hop-self will be the same as the source IP address of the BGP packet

BGP Origin Attribute

- The origin attribute informs all autonomous systems how the prefix introduced into BGP
- Well known mandatory attribute
- Three values: IGP, EGP, incomplete
 - IGP generated by BGP network statement
 - EGP generated by EGP
 - Incomplete redistributed from another routing protocol

BGP Origin Attribute Example

Status codes: s suppressed, d damped, h history, * valid, > best, i - internal,

r RIB-failure, S Stale

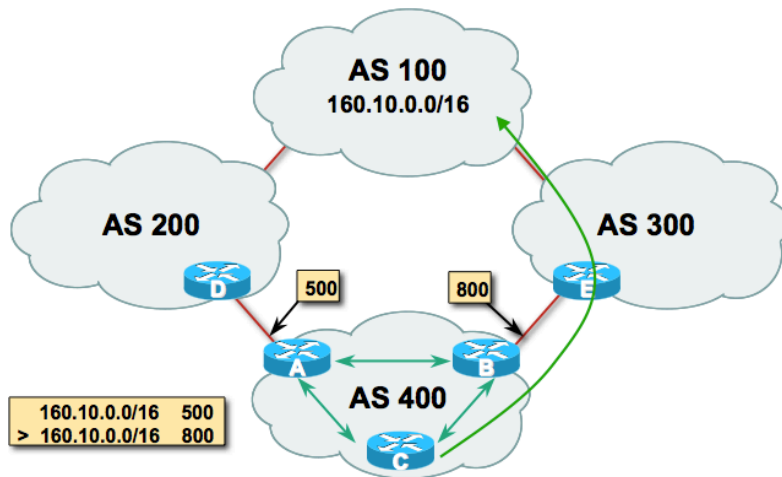
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6939 i					

BGP Local Preference Attribute

- Local preference is used to advertise to IBGP neighbors only about how to leave their AS (Outbound Traffic).
- Paths with highest preference value are most desirable
- Local preference attribute is well-known and discretionary and is passed only within the AS
- Cisco Default Local Pref is 100

BGP Local Preference Attribute



- For destination 160.10.0.0/16 Router A advertise local pref 500 and Router B advertise local pref 800 in iBGP
- 800 will win best path (Router B)

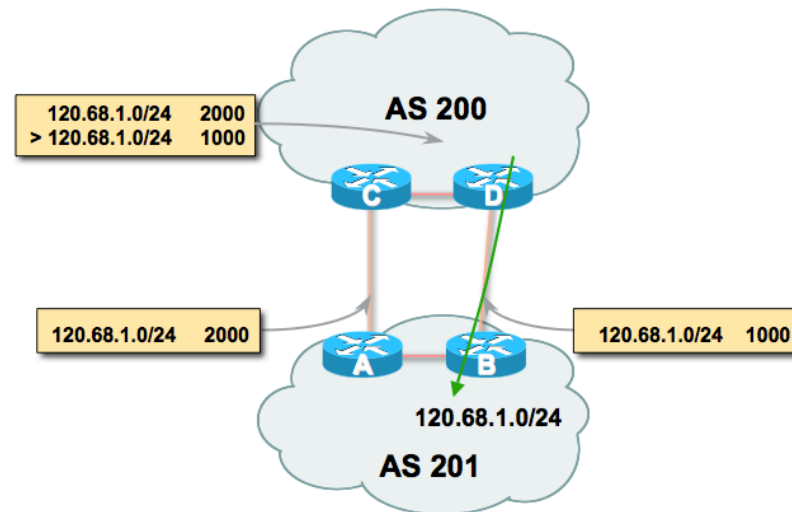
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BGP MED Attribute

- MED is used to advertise to EBGP neighbors about how to exit their AS to reach networks owned by this AS (Incoming traffic).
- MED is sent to EBGP neighbors only.
- The paths with the lowest MED value are the most desirable
- The MED attribute is optional and non transitive

BGP MED Attribute



- For prefix 120.68.1.0/24 Router B send MED 1000 and router A send MED 2000 to eBGP neighbor
- Incoming traffic from AS200 will choose Router B since lowest MED will win

BGP MED Example

Network	Next Hop	Metric	LocPrf	Weight	Path
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BGP Community Attribute

- Community is a tagging technique to mark a set of routes
- Upstream service provider routers can then use these flags to apply specific routing policies (i.e local preference etc) within their network
- Represented as two 16 bit integers (RFC1998)
- Common format is <local-ASN>:xx
- I.e 0:0 to 0:65535 and 65535:0 to 65535:65535 are reserved
- Very useful in applying policies within and between ASes
- Optional & transitive attribute

BGP Route Selection Process

- Step 1: Prefer highest weight (local to router)
- Step 2: Prefer highest local preference (global within AS)
- Step 3: Prefer route originated by the local router
- Step 4: Prefer shortest AS path
- Step 5: Prefer lowest origin code (IGP < EGP < incomplete)
- Step 6: Prefer lowest MED (from other AS)
- Step 7: Prefer EBGP path over IBGP path
- Step 8: Prefer the path through the closest IGP neighbor
- Step 9: Prefer oldest route for EBGP paths
- Step 10: Prefer the path with the lowest neighbor BGP router ID



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IX Peering Model

- BLPA (Bi-Lateral Peering Agreement)
 - IX will only provide layer two connection/switch port to ISPs
 - Every ISPs will arrange necessary peering arrangement with others by their mutual business understanding.
- MLPA (Multi-Lateral Peering Agreement)
 - IX will provide layer two connection/switch port to ISPs
 - Each ISP will peer with a route server on the IX.
 - Route server will collect and distribute directly connected routes to every peers.

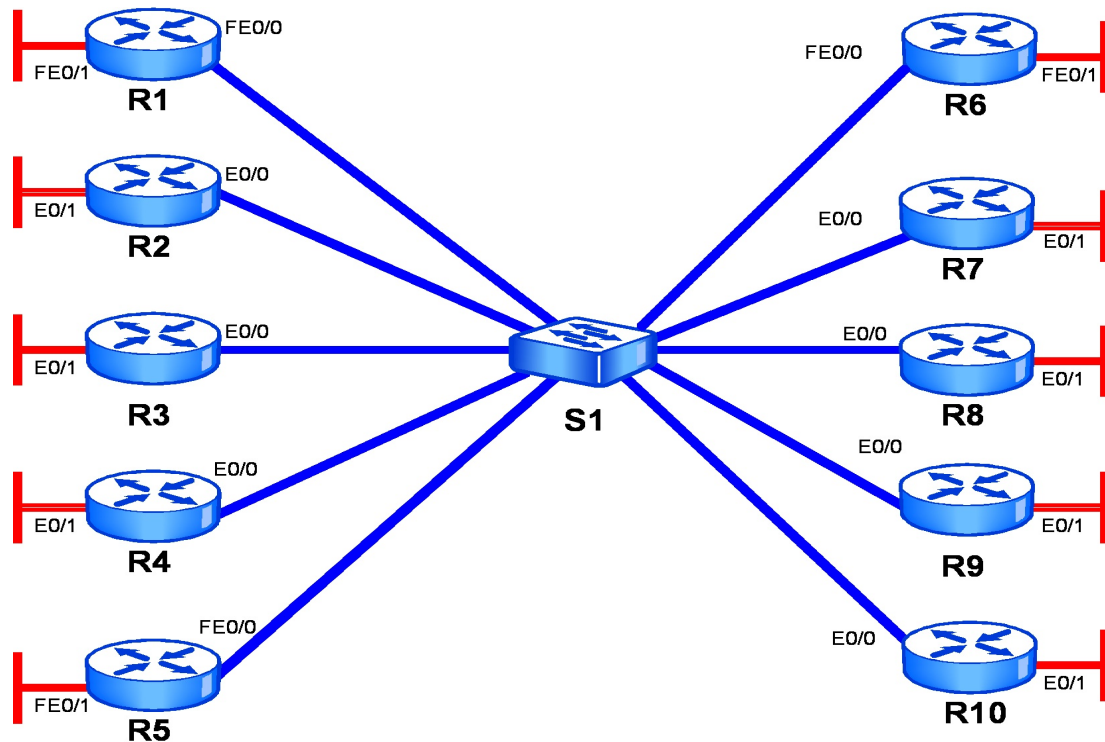
IXP Operating Cost

- Access link
- Link maintenance
- Utility
- Administration

IXP Cost Model

- Not for profit
- Cost sharing
- Membership based
- Commercial IX

IXP Network Diagram



Services to Offer

- Route Collector
 - Route collector shows the reachability information available at the exchange
 - Technical detail covered later on
- Looking Glass
 - One way of making the Route Collector routes available for global view (e.g. www.traceroute.org)
 - Public or members only access

Services to Offer

- Content Redistribution/Caching
 - For example, Akamised update distribution service
- Network Time Protocol
 - Locate a stratum 1 time source (GPS receiver, atomic clock, etc) at IXP
- Routing Registry
 - Used to register the routing policy of the IXP membership (more later)



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Introduction to Route Collectors

What routes are available at the IXP?

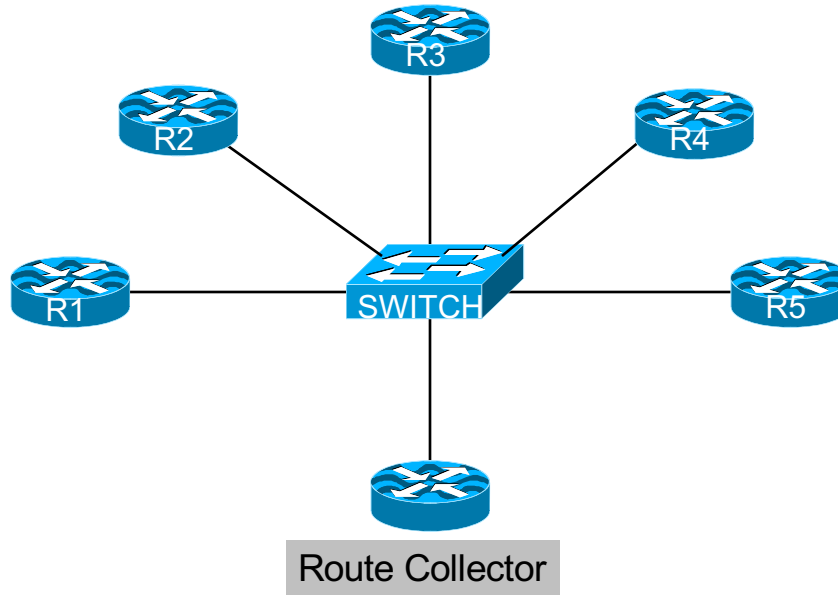
What is a Route Collector?

- Usually a router or Unix system running BGP
- Gathers routing information from service provider routers at an IXP
 - Peers with each ISP using BGP
- Does **not** forward packets
- Does **not** announce any prefixes to ISPs

Purpose of a Route Collector

- To provide a public view of the Routing Information available at the IXP
 - Useful for existing members to check functionality of BGP filters
 - Useful for prospective members to check value of joining the IXP
 - Useful for the Internet Operations community for troubleshooting purposes
 - E.g. www.traceroute.org

Route Collector at an IXP



Route Collector Requirements

- Router or Unix system running BGP
 - Minimal memory requirements – only holds IXP routes
 - Minimal packet forwarding requirements – doesn't forward any packets
- Peers eBGP with every IXP member
 - Accepts everything; Gives nothing
 - Uses a private ASN
 - Connects to IXP Transit LAN
- “Back end” connection
 - Second Ethernet globally routed
 - Connection to IXP Website for public access

Route Collector Implementation

- Most IXPs now implement some form of Route Collector
- Benefits already mentioned
- Great public relations tool
- Unsophisticated requirements
 - Just runs BGP

Introduction to Route Servers

How to scale very large IXPs

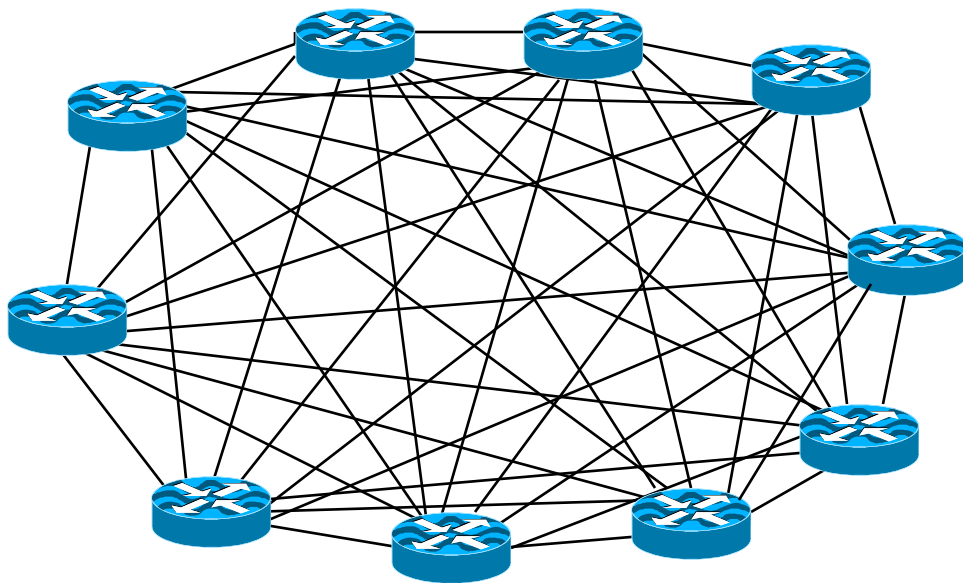
What is a Route Server?

- Has all the features of a Route Collector
- But also:
 - Announces routes to participating IXP members according to their routing policy definitions
- Implemented using the same specification as for a Route Collector

Features of a Route Server

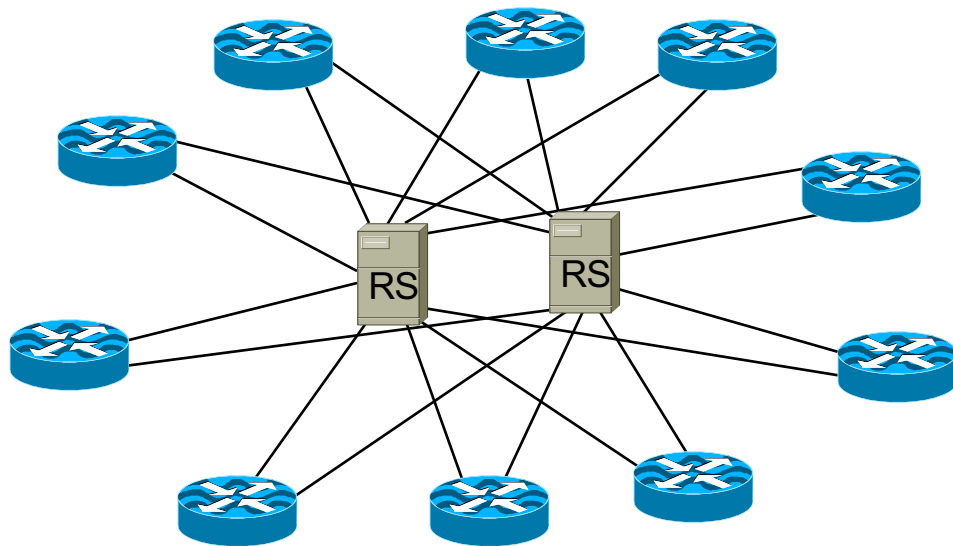
- Helps scale routing for large IXPs
- Simplifies Routing Processes on ISP Routers
- Optional participation
 - Provided as service, is **NOT** mandatory
- Does result in insertion of RS Autonomous System Number in the Routing Path
- Optionally uses Policy registered in IRR

Diagram of N-squared Peering Mesh



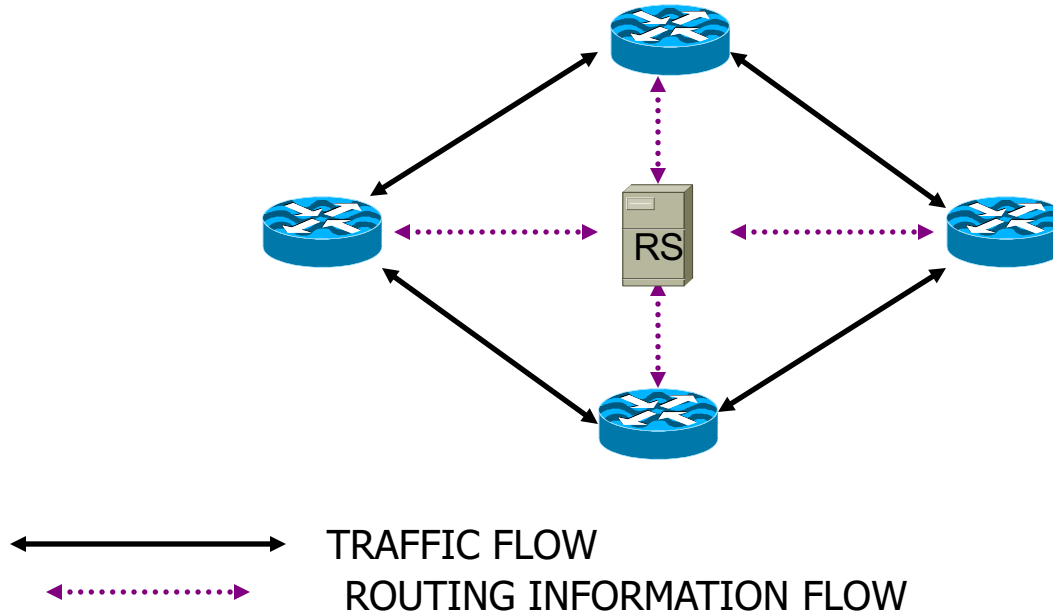
- For large IXPs (dozens for participants) maintaining a larger peering mesh becomes cumbersome and often too hard

Peering Mesh with Route Servers



- ISP routers peer with the Route Servers
 - Only need to have two eBGP sessions rather than N

RS based Exchange Point Routing Flow



Advantages of Using a Route Server

- Helps scale Routing for very large IXPs
- Separation of Routing and Forwarding
- Simplify Routing Configuration Management on ISPs routers

Disadvantages of using a Route Server

- ISPs can lose direct policy control
 - If RS is only peer, ISPs have no control over who their prefixes are distributed to
- Completely dependent on 3rd party
 - Configuration, troubleshooting, etc...
- Insertion of RS ASN into routing path
 - Traffic engineering/multihoming needs more care
- These are major disadvantages
 - Usually out-weigh the advantages

Typical usage of a Route Server

- Route Servers may be provided as an **OPTIONAL** service
 - Most common at large IXPs (>50 participants)
 - Examples: LINX, TorIX, AMS-IX, etc
- ISPs peer:
 - Directly with significant peers
 - With Route Server for the rest

Things to think about...

- Would using a route server benefit you?
 - Helpful when BGP knowledge is limited (but is NOT an excuse not to learn BGP)
 - Avoids having to maintain a large number of eBGP peers
 - But can you afford to lose policy control? (An ISP not in control of their routing policy is what?)



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What can go wrong?

Concept

- Some Service Providers attempt to cash in on the reputation of IXPs
- Market Internet transit services as “Internet Exchange Point”
 - “We are exchanging packets with other ISPs, so we are an Internet Exchange Point!”
 - So-called Layer-3 Exchanges — really Internet Transit Providers
 - Router used rather than a Switch
 - Most famous example: SingTelIX

What can go wrong?

Competition

- Too many exchange points in one locale
 - Competing exchanges defeats the purpose
- Becomes expensive for ISPs to connect to all of them
- An IXP:
 - is **NOT** a competition
 - is **NOT** a profit making business

What can go wrong?

Rules and Restrictions

- IXPs try to compete with their membership
 - Offering services that ISPs would/do offer their customers
- IXPs run as a closed privileged club e.g.:
 - Restrictive membership criteria (closed shop)
- IXPs providing access to end users rather than just Service Providers
- IXPs interfering with ISP business decisions e.g. Mandatory Multi-Lateral Peering

What can go wrong?

Technical Design Errors

- Interconnected IXPs
 - IXP in one location believes it should connect directly to the IXP in another location
 - Who pays for the interconnect?
 - How is traffic metered?
 - Competes with the ISPs who already provide transit between the two locations (who then refuse to join IX, harming the viability of the IX)
 - Metro interconnections work ok (e.g. LINX)

What can go wrong?

Technical Design Errors

- ISPs bridge the IXP LAN back to their offices
 - “We are poor, we can’t afford a router”
 - Financial benefits of connecting to an IXP far outweigh the cost of a router
 - In reality it allows the ISP to connect any devices to the IXP LAN — with disastrous consequences for the security, integrity and reliability of the IXP

What can go wrong?

Routing Design Errors

- Route Server implemented from Day One
 - ISPs have no incentive to learn BGP
 - Therefore have no incentive to understand peering relationships, peering policies, &c
 - Entirely dependent on operator of RS for troubleshooting, configuration, reliability
 - RS can't be run by committee!
- Route Server is to help scale peering at LARGE IXPs

What can go wrong?

Routing Design Errors

- iBGP Route Reflector used to distribute prefixes between IXP participants
- Claimed Advantage (1):
 - Participants don't need to know about or run BGP
- Actually a Disadvantage
 - IXP Operator has to know BGP
 - ISP not knowing BGP is big commercial disadvantage
 - ISPs who would like to have a growing successful business need to be able to multi-home, peer with other ISPs, etc — these activities require BGP

What can go wrong?

Routing Design Errors (cont)

- Route Reflector Claimed Advantage (2):
 - Allows an IXP to be started very quickly
- Fact:
 - IXP is only an Ethernet switch — setting up an iBGP mesh with participants is no quicker than setting up an eBGP mesh

What can go wrong?

Routing Design Errors (cont)

- Route Reflector Claimed Advantage (3):
 - IXP operator has full control over IXP activities
- Actually a Disadvantage
 - ISP participants surrender control of:
 - Their border router; it is located in IXP's AS
 - Their routing and peering policy
 - IXP operator is single point of failure
 - If they aren't available 24x7, then neither is the IXP
 - BGP configuration errors by IXP operator have real impacts on ISP operations

What can go wrong?

Routing Design Errors (cont)

- Route Reflector Disadvantage (4):
 - Migration from Route Reflector to “correct” routing configuration is highly non-trivial
 - ISP router is in IXP’ s ASN
 - Need to move ISP router from IXP’ s ASN to the ISP’ s ASN
 - Need to reconfigure BGP on ISP router, add to ISP’ s IGP and iBGP mesh, and set up eBGP with IXP participants and/or the IXP Route Server

More Information

Exchange Point Policies & Politics

- AUPs
 - Acceptable Use Policy
 - Minimal rules for connection
- Fees?
 - Some IXPs charge no fee
 - Other IXPs charge cost recovery
 - A few IXPs are commercial
- Nobody is obliged to peer
 - Agreements left to ISPs, not mandated by IXP

Exchange Point etiquette

- Don't point default route at another IXP participant
- Be aware of third-party next-hop
- Only announce your aggregate routes
 - Read RIPE-399 first
www.ripe.net/docs/ripe-399.html
- Filter! Filter! Filter!
 - And do reverse path check

Exchange Point Examples

- LINX in London, UK
- TorIX in Toronto, Canada
- AMS-IX in Amsterdam, Netherlands
- SIX in Seattle, Washington, US
- PA-IX in Palo Alto, California, US
- JPNAP in Tokyo, Japan
- DE-CIX in Frankfurt, Germany
- HK-IX in Hong Kong
- ...
- All use Ethernet Switches

Features of IXPs (1)

- Redundancy & Reliability
 - Multiple switches, UPS
- Support
 - NOC to provide 24x7 support for problems at the exchange
- DNS, Route Collector, Content & NTP servers
 - ccTLD & root servers
 - Content redistribution systems such as Akamai
 - Route Collector – Routing Table view

Features of IXPs (2)

- Location
 - neutral co-location facilities
- Address space
 - Peering LAN
- AS Number
 - If using Route Collector/Server
- Route servers (optional, for larger IXPs)
- Statistics
 - Traffic data – for membership

More info about IXPs

- <http://www.pch.net/documents>
 - Another excellent resource of IXP locations, papers, IXP statistics, etc
- <http://www.telegeography.com/ee/ix/index.php>
 - A collection of IXPs and interconnect points for ISPs

Summary

- L2 IXP – most commonly deployed
 - The core is an ethernet switch
 - ATM and other old technologies are obsolete
- L3 IXP – nowadays is a marketing concept used by wholesale ISPs
 - Does not offer the same flexibility as L2
 - Not recommended unless there are overriding regulatory or political reasons to do so
 - **Avoid!**

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