

Securing Internet Routing: RPSL & RPKI

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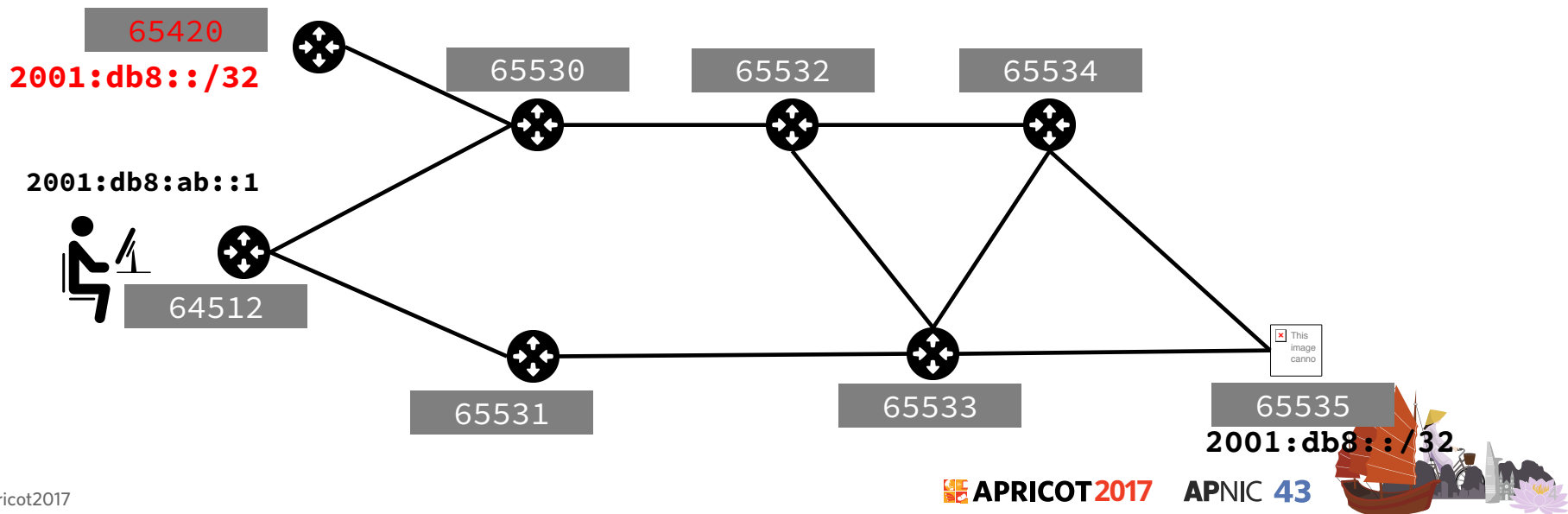
Agenda

- BGP 101
- Routing Policy
- RPSL
 - Configuration & Hands on Lab
- RPKI
 - Configuration & Hands on Lab



BGP 101

Network	Next Hop	AS_PATH	Age	Attrs
> 2001:db8::/32	2001:df2:ee00::1	65531 65533 65535	05:30:49	[{Origin: i}]
> 2001:db8::/32	2001:df2:ee11::1	65530 65420	06:30:49	[{Origin: i}]

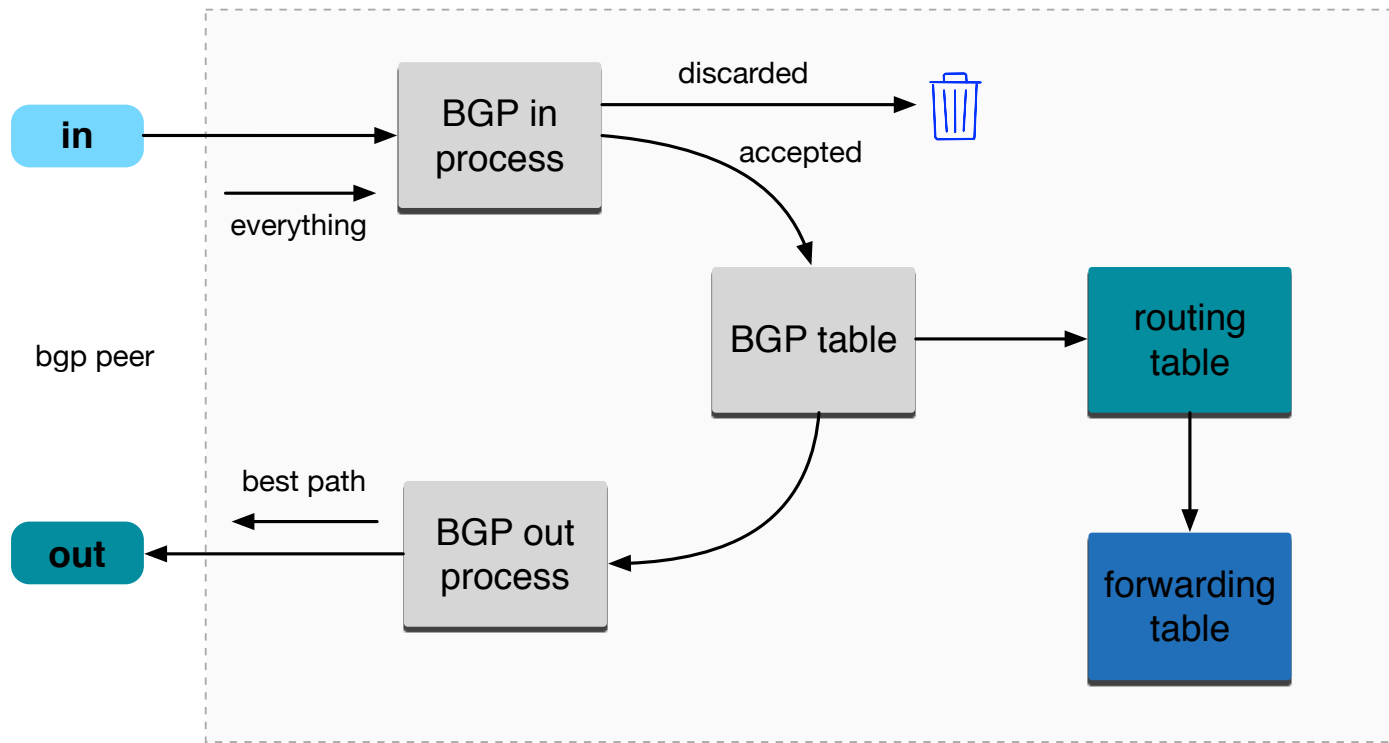


BGP Best Path Calculation

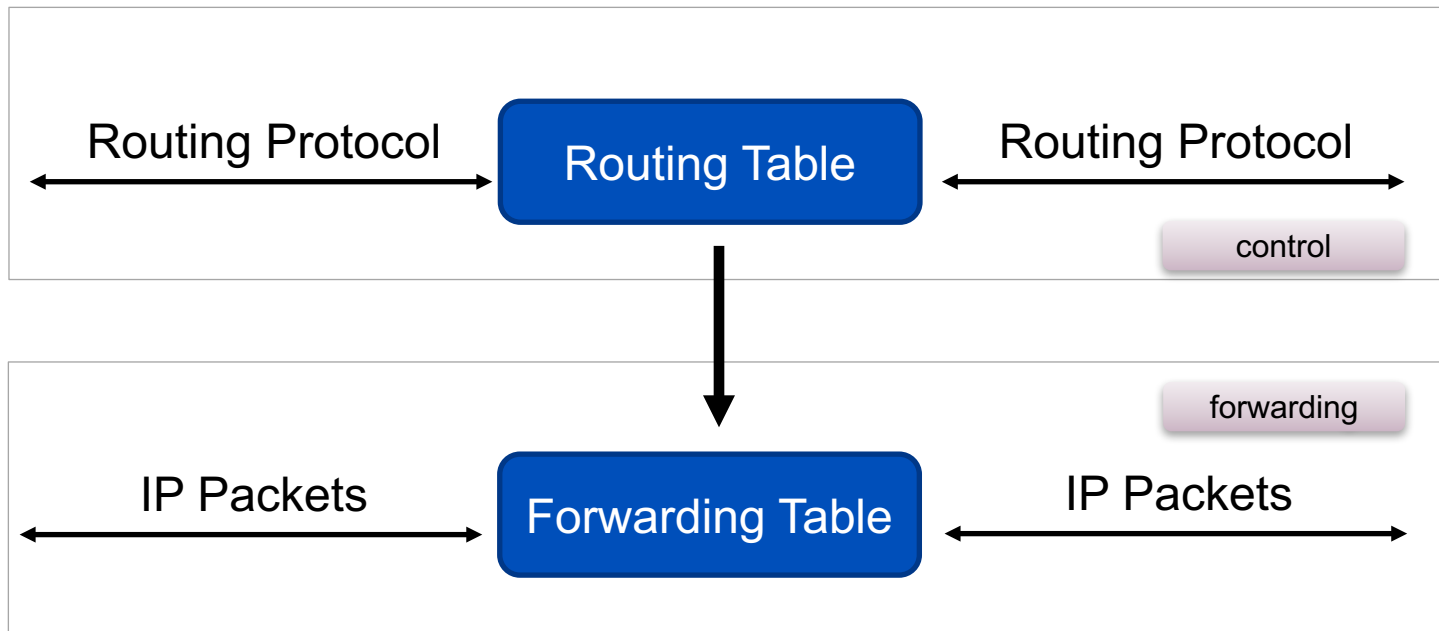
- Drop if own AS in AS-Path
- Prefer path with highest Weight
- Highest Local Preference
- Shortest AS-Path
- Lowest MED
- Path with shortest next hop metric (minimum IGP cost)
- Oldest received path
- Path from lowest neighbour address



Constructing the Forwarding Table



Control Plane and Forwarding Plane



Routing Incidents Types

- Incidents
 - Misconfiguration
 - Malicious
 - Targeted Traffic Misdirection
- For theory of positivity lets call all these as Mis-Origination
- Traffic Hijacking or Prefix Hijacking assumes Negative intent



Historical Incident

- April 1997: The "AS 7007 incident" UU/Sprint for 2 days
- February 24, 2008: Pakistan's attempt to block YouTube access within their country takes down YouTube entirely.[6]
- November 11, 2008: The Brazilian ISP CTBC - Companhia de Telecomunicações do Brasil Central leaked their internal table into the global BGP table.
- April 8, 2010: China Telecom originated 37,000 prefixes not belonging to them in 15 minutes, causing massive outage of services globally.
- source : http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/IP_hijacking



Securing Internet Routing

To Secure Internet Routing; we need to check:

**A network should only originate
his own prefix**

1. How do we verify?
2. How do we avoid false advertisement?

**A transit network should filter
customer prefix**

1. Check customer prefix and ASN delegation
2. Transitive trust



Secure Internet Routing

Secure Internet Routing

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graph TD; A[Secure Internet Routing] --> B[Secure Inter-Domain Routing (SIDR) Working Group's model]; A --> C[Routing Policy System (RPS) Working Group's model];
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Secure Inter-Domain Routing
(SIDR) Working Group's model

Routing Policy System (RPS)
Working Group's model



Routing Policy

- Public description of the relationship between external BGP peers
- Can also describe internal BGP peer relationship
- Usually registered at an IRR (Internet Routing Registry) such as RADB or APNIC



Routing Policy

- Who are my BGP peers
- What routes are
 - Originated by a peer
 - Imported from each peer
 - Exported to each peer
 - Preferred when multiple routes exist
- What to do if no route exists



Why Define a Routing Policy

- Documentation
- Provides routing security
 - Can peer originate the route?
 - Can peer act as transit for the route?
- Allows automatic generation of router configurations
- Provides a debugging aid
 - Compare policy versus reality



What is RPSL

- Routing Policy Specification Language
- RPSL is object oriented
 - These objects are registered in the Internet Routing Registry (IRR)
 - route, autonomous system, router, contact and set objects
- RIPE-81 was the first language deployed in the Internet for specifying routing policies
 - It was later replaced by RIPE-181
 - RPSL is a replacement for the RIPE-181 or RFC-1786
 - RPSL addresses RIPE-181's limitations



What is RPSL

- Describes things interesting to routing policy
 - Prefixes
 - AS Numbers
 - Relationships between BGP peers



RPSL RFC's

- For more about RPSL
 - RFC-1786: RIPE-181
 - RFC-2622: Routing Policy Specification Language
 - RFC-2650: Using RPSL in Practice
 - RFC-2726: PGP Authentication for RIPE Database Updates
 - RFC-2725: Routing Policy System Security
 - RFC-2769: Routing Policy System Replication
 - RFC-4012: Routing Policy System Replication next generation



RPSL Objects

- RPSL objects are similar to RIPE-181 objects
- Objects
 - set of attributes
- Attributes
 - mandatory or optional
 - values: single, list, multiple
- Class “key”
 - set of attributes
 - usually one attribute has the same name as the object’s class
 - uniquely identify each object
- Class “key” = primary key
 - must be specified first



RPSL Attributes

- Case insensitive
- Value of an attribute has a type
 - <object-name>
 - <as-number>
 - <ipv4-address>
 - <ipv6-address>
 - <address-prefix>
 - etc
- Complete list of attributes and types in RFC 2622
 - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/rfc/rfc2622.txt>



RPSL Objects Example

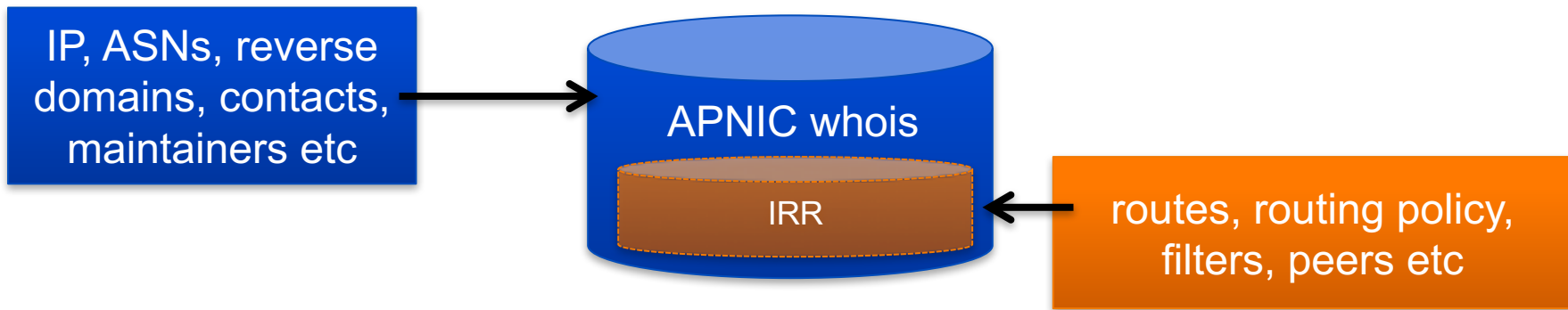
Attribute Name **Attribute Value**
Comments

role: APNIC Training
address: 6 Cordelia Street
address: South Brisbane
address: QLD 4101
country: AU
phone: +61 7 3858 3100
fax-no: +61 7 3858 3199
e-mail: training@apnic.net
admin-c: NR97-AP
tech-c: NR97-AP
nic-hdl: AT480-AP
mnt-by: MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
changed: hm-changed@apnic.net 20080424
source: APNIC



Integration of whois & IRR

- Integrated APNIC whois database & Internet Routing Registry



Internet Resources & Routing Information



APNIC Database Objects and Routing Registry

OBJECT	PURPOSE
person	Technical or administrative contacts responsible for an object
role	Technical or administrative contacts represented by a role, performed by one or more people
inetnum	Allocation or assignment of IPv4 address space
inet6num	Allocation or assignment of IPv6 address space
aut-num	Registered holder of an AS number and corresponding routing policy
domain	in-addr.arpa (IPv4) or ip6.arpa (IPv6) reverse DNS delegations
route / route6	Single IPv4/IPv6 route injected into the Internet routing mesh
mntner	Authorized agent to make changes to an object
irt	Dedicated abuse handling team



person / role Object

- The Person object register contact information

person:	[mandatory]	[single]	[lookup key]
address:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
country:	[mandatory]	[single]	[]
phone:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
fax-no:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
e-mail:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[lookup key]
nic-hdl:	[mandatory]	[single]	[primary/look-up key]
remarks:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
notify:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
abuse-mailbox:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-by:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
changed:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
source:	[mandatory]	[single]	[]



person / role Object

person: Fakrul Alam
address: 6 Cordelia Street
address: South Brisbane
address: QLD 4101
country: AU
phone: +61738583100
e-mail: fakrul@apnic.net
nic-hdl: **FA129-AP**
mnt-by: MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
changed: fakrul@apnic.net 20151217
source: APNIC



intenum / inetnum6 Object

- Contains details of an allocation or assignment of IPv4/IPv6 address space

inet6num:	[mandatory]	[single]	[primary/lookup key]
netname:	[mandatory]	[single]	[lookup key]
descr:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
country:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
geoloc:	[optional]	[single]	[]
language:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
admin-c:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
tech-c:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
status:	[mandatory]	[single]	[]
remarks:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
notify:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-by:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-lower:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-routes:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-irt:	[mandatory]	[single]	[inverse key]
changed:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
source:	[mandatory]	[single]	[]



intenum / inetnum6 Object

```
inet6num:      2406:6400::/32
netname:       APNIC-TRAININGIPv6-Lab-AP
descr:         APNIC TRAINING Lab
country:       AU
admin-c:       AT480-AP
tech-c:        AT480-AP
mnt-by:        APNIC-HM
mnt-lower:     MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
mnt-routes:    MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
status:        ALLOCATED PORTABLE
remarks:       -+-+-+-+-+-+-+
remarks:       To report network abuse, please contact the IRT
remarks:       For troubleshooting, please contact tech-c and admin-c
remarks:       For assistance, please contact the APNIC Helpdesk
remarks:       -+-+-+-+-+-+-+
source:        APNIC
mnt-irt:       IRT-APNICTRAINING-AU
changed:       hm-changed@apnic.net 20100216
changed:       hm-changed@apnic.net 20100818
```



mntner Object

- Maintainer objects used for authentication
 - Multiple auth / mnt-by / mntner-s are OR-ed

mntner:	[mandatory]	[single]	[primary/lookup key]
descr:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
country:	[optional]	[single]	[]
admin-c:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
tech-c:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
upd-to:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-nfy:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
auth:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
remarks:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
notify:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
abuse-mailbox:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-by:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
referral-by:	[mandatory]	[single]	[inverse key]
changed:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
source:	[mandatory]	[single]	[]



mntner Object Example

```
mntner:          MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
descr:           APNIC Training
country:         AU
admin-c:         NR97-AP
tech-c:          NR97-AP
auth:            # Filtered
mnt-by:          MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
upd-to:          nurul@apnic.net
referral-by:     APNIC-HM
changed:         hm-changed@apnic.net 20131129
source:          APNIC
```



Hierarchical Authorization

- 'mnt-by' attribute
 - Refers to mntner object
 - Can be used to protect any object
 - Changes to protected object must satisfy authentication rules of 'mntner' object
- 'mnt-lower' attribute
 - Also refers to mntner object
 - Hierarchical authorization for inetnum, inetnum6 & domain objects
 - The creation of child objects must satisfy this mntner
 - Protects against unauthorized updates to an allocated range - highly recommended!
- 'mnt-routers' attribute
 - Can be used to control the creation of 'route' objects associated with the address range specified by the inetnum and inet6num objects



Maintainer Hierarchy Diagram

Allocated to APNIC:

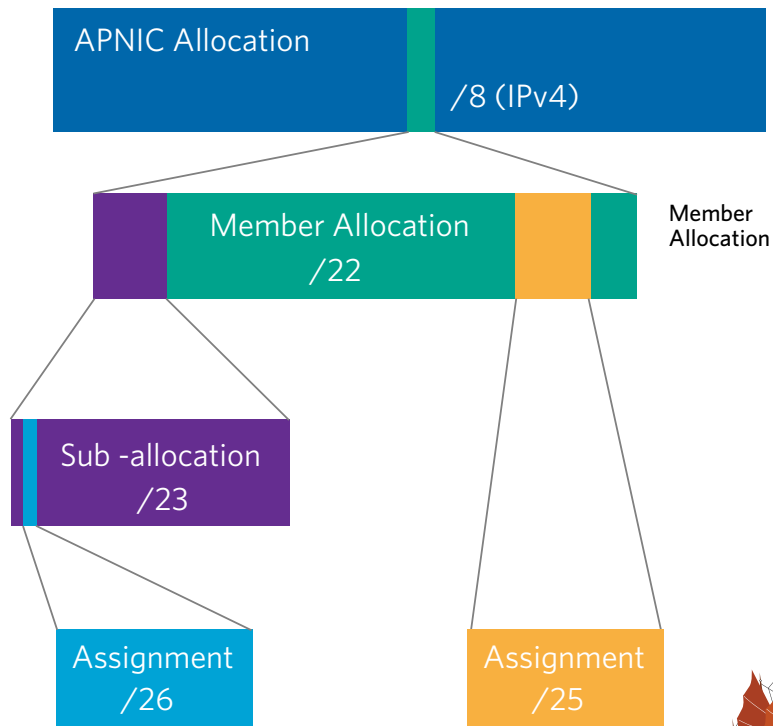
mnt-by can only be changed by IANA

Allocated to Member:

mnt-by can only be changed by APNIC

Sub-allocated to Customer:

mnt-by can only be changed by Member



Authorisation Mechanism

```
fakrul@www:~$ whois -h whois.apnic.net
2406:6400::/32

% Information related to '2406:6400::/32'

inet6num:        2406:6400::/32
netname:         APNIC-TRAININGIPv6-Lab-AP
descr:          APNIC TRAINING Lab
descr:          LEVEL 1, 33 PARK RD
country:        AU
admin-c:         AT480-AP
tech-c:          AT480-AP
mnt-by:          APNIC-HM 1
mnt-lower:       MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING 2
mnt-routes:      MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING 3
status:         ALLOCATED PORTABLE
```

1. This object can only be modified by **APNIC-HM**

2. Creation of more specific objects within this range has to pass the authentication of **MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING**

3. Creation of route objects matching/within this range has to pass the authentication of **MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING**



route/route6 Object

- Use CIDR length format
- Specifies origin AS for a route.
- Use both route and origin fields as the primary key

route:	[mandatory]	[single]	[primary/lookup key]
descr:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
country:	[optional]	[single]	[]
origin:	[mandatory]	[single]	[primary/inverse key]
holes:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
member-of:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
inject:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
aggr-mtd:	[optional]	[single]	[]
aggr-bndry:	[optional]	[single]	[]
export-comps:	[optional]	[single]	[]
components:	[optional]	[single]	[]
remarks:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
notify:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-lower:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-routes:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-by:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
changed:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
source:	[mandatory]	[single]	[]



route/route6 Example

```
route6:      2406:6400::/32
descr:       APNIC Training Lab parent block
country:     AU
origin:      AS17821
notify:      training@apnic.net
mnt-by:      MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
changed:     hm-changed@apnic.net 20100818
source:      APNIC
```



aut-num Object

- Defines routing policy for an AS
- Uses import/mp-import: and export/mp-export: attributes to specify policy
- These define the incoming and outgoing routing announcement relationships
- Can reference other registry objects such as
 - as-sets / route-sets / filter-sets



aut-num Object

aut-num:	[mandatory]	[single]	[primary/lookup key]
as-name:	[mandatory]	[single]	[]
descr:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
country:	[mandatory]	[single]	[]
member-of:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
import:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
export:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
default:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
remarks:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
admin-c:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
tech-c:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
notify:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-lower:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-routes:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-by:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-irt:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
changed:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
source:	[mandatory]	[single]	[]



aut-num Object Example

```
aut-num:          AS17821
as-name:          APNIC-TRAINING-Lab-AS-AP
descr:            Two-byte AS number for APNIC Training
import:           from as4608 accept ANY
export:           to AS4608 announce AS17821
admin-c:          AT480-AP
tech-c:           AT480-AP
mnt-by:           MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
mnt-routes:       MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
mnt-irt:          IRT-APNICTRAINING-AU
changed:          hm-changed@apnic.net 20110701
source:           APNIC
```



as-set Object

- Collect together Autonomous Systems with shared properties
- Can be used in policy in place of AS
- RPSL has hierarchical names, can reference other as-set's
 - Non-Hierarchical : AS-
 - Hierarchical: <origin-as-number>: AS-CUSTOMERS
<origin-as-number>: AS-PEERS



as-set Object

as-set:	[mandatory]	[single]	[primary/lookup key]
descr:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
country:	[optional]	[single]	[]
members:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
mbrs-by-ref:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
remarks:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
tech-c:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
admin-c:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
notify:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-by:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-lower:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
changed:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
source:	[mandatory]	[single]	[]



as-set Object Example

```
as-set:          AS-APNICTRAINING
descr:           AS-SET for APNIC Training
tech-c:          AT480-AP
admin-c:         AT480-AP
mnt-by:          MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
changed:         fakrul@apnic.net 20151215
members:         AS17821
source:          APNIC
```



route-set Object

- Defines a set of routes prefixes
- Name must begin with prefix “RS-” or in the format
 - ASNUM:RS-<ORGANIZATION>
- Can reference other route-sets, AS's or as-set's
 - In this case, the route-set will include all route object prefixes which have an origin which matches the AS numbers



route-set Object

route-set:	[mandatory]	[single]	[primary/lookup key]
descr:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
members:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
mp-members:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
mbrs-by-ref:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
remarks:	[optional]	[multiple]	[]
tech-c:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
admin-c:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
notify:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-by:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
mnt-lower:	[optional]	[multiple]	[inverse key]
changed:	[mandatory]	[multiple]	[]
source:	[mandatory]	[single]	[]

source : <https://www.rfc-editor.org/rfc/rfc2622.txt>



route-set Object Example

```
route-set:      RS-APNICTRAINING
descr:          Routes announced by APNIC Training
tech-c:         AT480-AP
admin-c:        AT480-AP
mnt-by:         MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
changed:        fakrul@apnic.net 20151215
mp-members:     2406:6400::/32, AS17821
source:         APNIC
```



filter-set Object

- Defines a set of routes that are matched by a filter expression
- Similar in concept to route-set's
- Name must begin with prefix “fltr-”

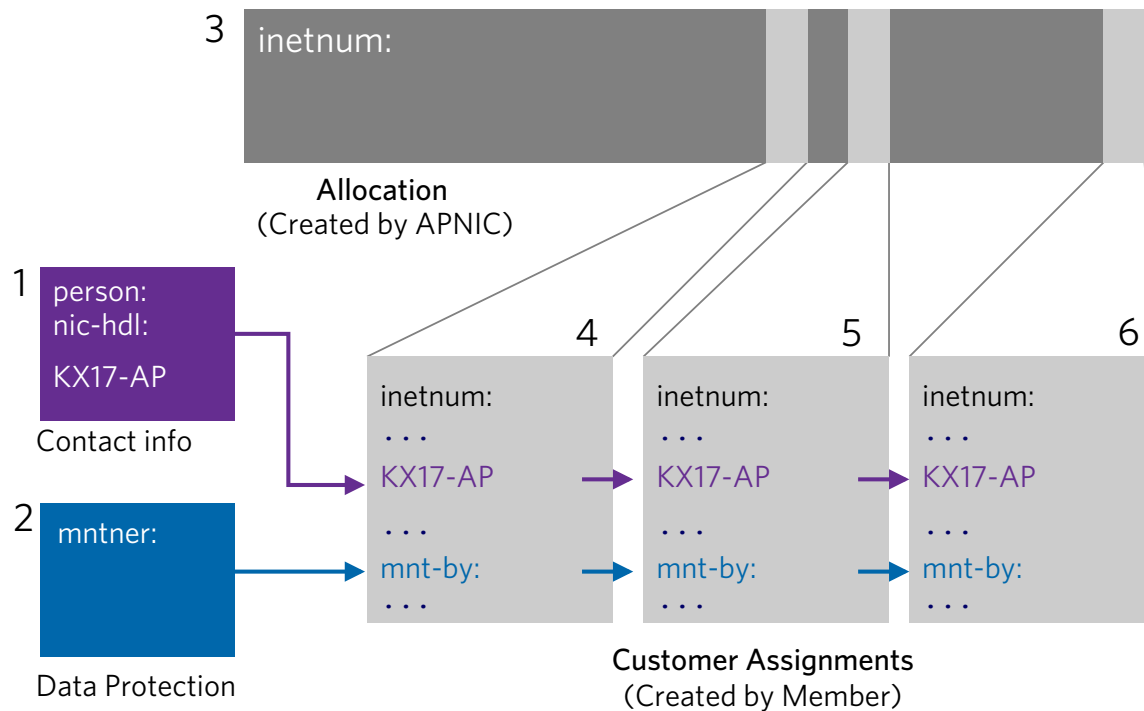


filter-set Object Example

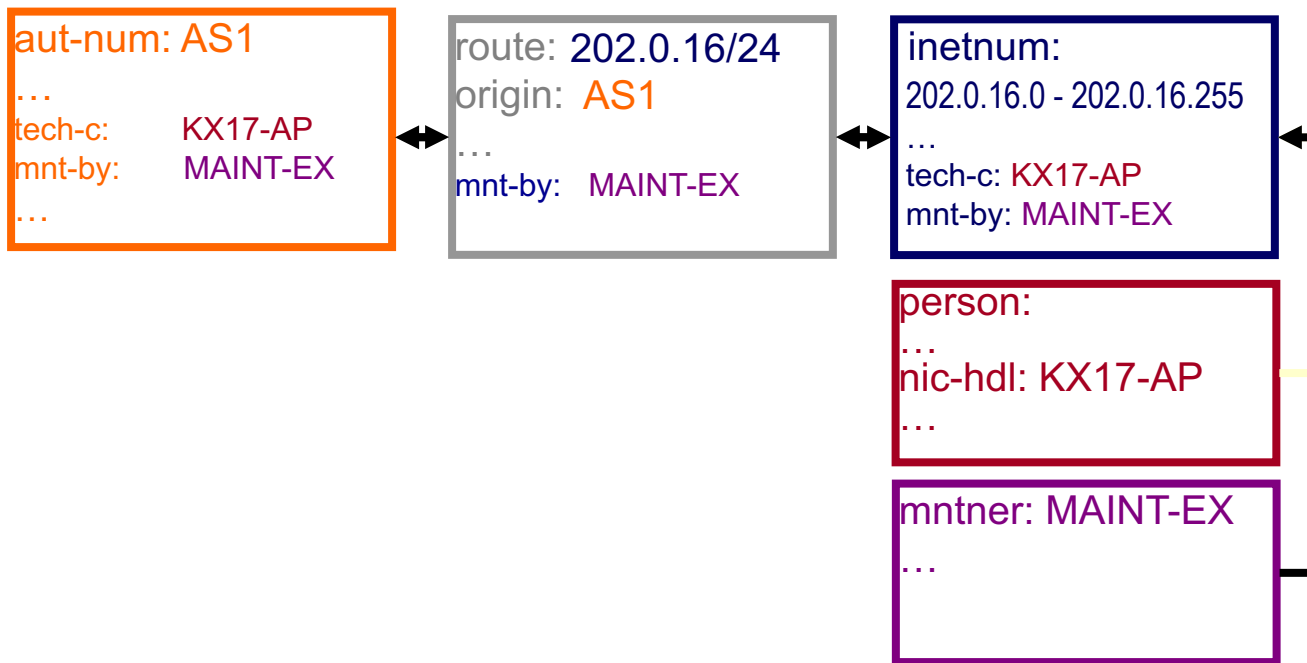
```
filter-set:      fltr-martian-v6
descr:           Current IPv6 MARTIANS
tech-c:          FA129-AP
admin-c:          FA129-AP
mnt-by:          MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
changed:          fakrul@apnic.net 20151221
mp-filter:       {
0000::/8^+,      # loopback, unspecified, v4-mapped
0064:ff9b::/96^+, # IPv4-IPv6 Translat. [RFC6052]
0100::/8^+,      # reserved for Discard-Only Address Block [RFC6666]
0200::/7^+,      # Reserved by IETF [RFC4048]
0400::/6^+,      # Reserved by IETF [RFC4291]
0800::/5^+,      # Reserved by IETF [RFC4291]
c000::/3^+,      # Reserved by IETF [RFC4291]
e000::/4^+,      # Reserved by IETF [RFC4291]
f000::/5^+,      # Reserved by IETF [RFC4291]
f800::/6^+,      # Reserved by IETF [RFC4291]
fc00::/7^+,      # Unique Local Unicast [RFC4193]
fe80::/10^+,     # Link Local Unicast [RFC4291]
fec0::/10^+,     # Reserved by IETF [RFC3879]
ff00::/8^+       # Multicast [RFC4291]
}
remarks:         fltr-martian-v6 from RIPE-NCC
remarks:         this object is manually maintained.
source:          APNIC
```



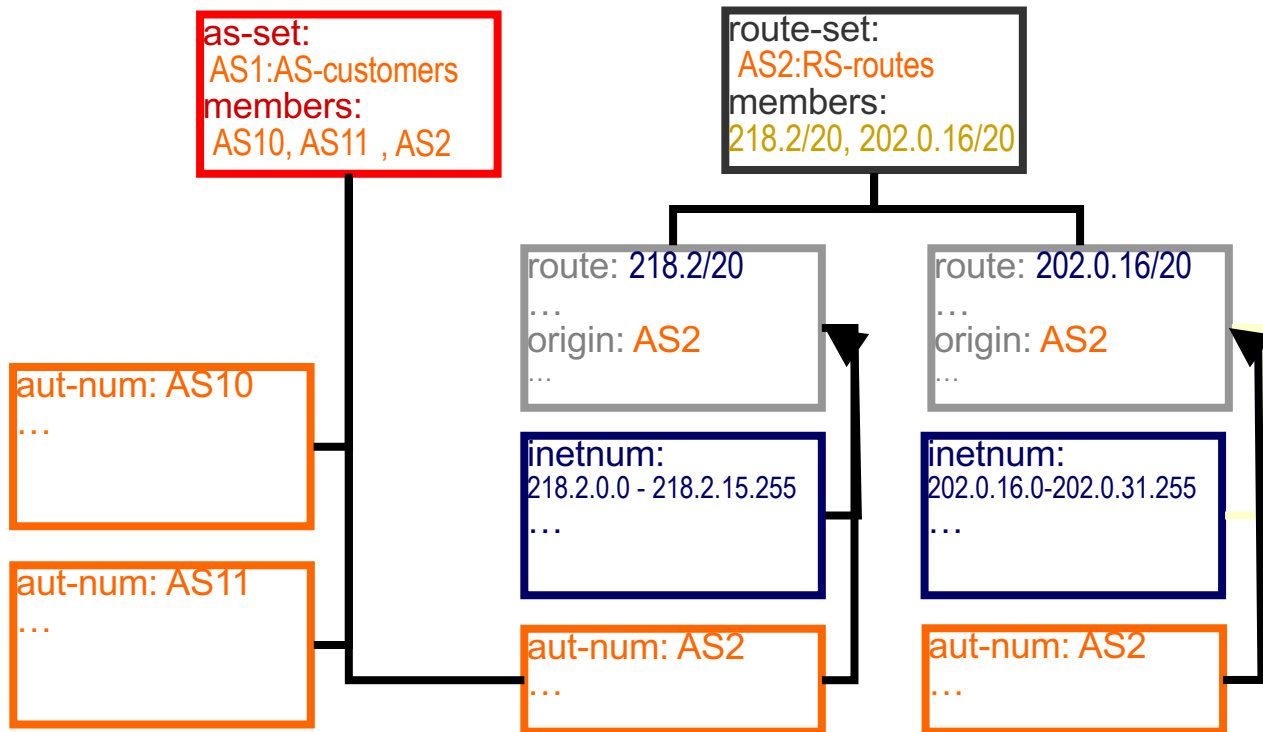
Relation between objects



Inter-related IRR Objects



Inter-related IRR Objects



RPSL Objects & Routing Policy



The Internet Routing Registry (IRR)

- Number of public databases that contain routing policy information which mirror each other:
 - APNIC, RIPE, RADB, JPIRR, Level3
 - <http://www.irr.net/>
- Stability and consistency of routing – network operators share information
- Both public and private databases
- These databases are independent – but some exchange data
 - only register your data in one database
- List of Routing Registry
 - <http://www.irr.net/docs/list.html>



The Internet Routing Registry (IRR)

- IRRs are used in at least three distinct ways
 - To publish your own routing intentions
 - To construct and maintain routing filters and router configurations
 - Diagnostic and information service for more general network management

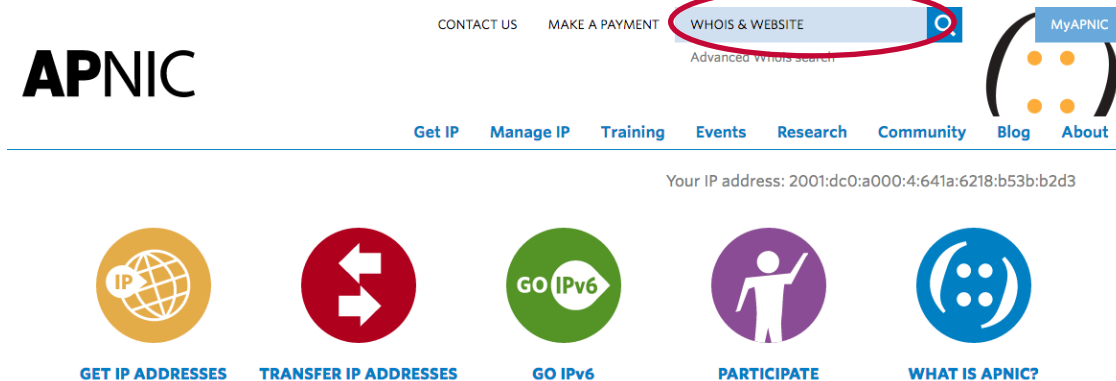


Whois Search

- whois query from cli

```
whois -h whois.apnic.net 2406:6400::/32
```

- You can search from APNIC website also



APNIC is the Regional Internet Registry administering IP addresses for the Asia Pacific



IRR Objects Query Flags

- IRR supports a number of flag option
 - ! RADB Query Flags
 - - RIPE/BIRD Query Flags
- -i flags for inverse query
 - `whois -h whois.apnic.net -i mnt-by MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING`
[All the objects with a matching **mnt-by** attribute]
 - `whois -h whois.apnic.net -i origin as17821`
[**route** and **route6** objects with a matching **origin** attribute]
- -q flag for Informational queries
 - `whois -h whois.apnic.net -q sources`
[list of sources]



IRR Objects Query Flags

- -K flags for primary keys of an object are returned
 - `whois -h whois.apnic.net -K 2406:6400::/32`
- IRRd (IRR Daemon) supports service side set expansions (as-set and route-set)
 - `whois -h whois.radb.net '!iAS-APNICTRAINING'`
[returns members of AS-APNICTRAINING as-set object]
- For details please check
 - https://www.apnic.net/apnic-info/whois_search/using-whois/searching/query-options
 - <http://www.radb.net/support/query2.php>



RPSL Implementation : How to Begin

- Need to identify which IRR to use
 - May want to run your own for control
- Need to decide what degree of filtering is desired
 - Prefix filters
 - AS path filters
 - Both
- Register a maintainer object at chosen IRR
 - Usually a “manual” process and could be multi-stage if PGP key authentication required



RPSL Implementation : Checklist

1. Define your routing policy
2. Creating the objects in IRR
3. Use automated tools to generate the configuration



Objects Involved

Objects	Functions
route or route6 object	Connects a prefix to an origin AS
aut-num object	Registration record of an AS Number Contains the routing policy
sets	Objects can be grouped in sets, i.e. as-set, route-set
keywords	“ANY” matches every route



Import and Export Attributes

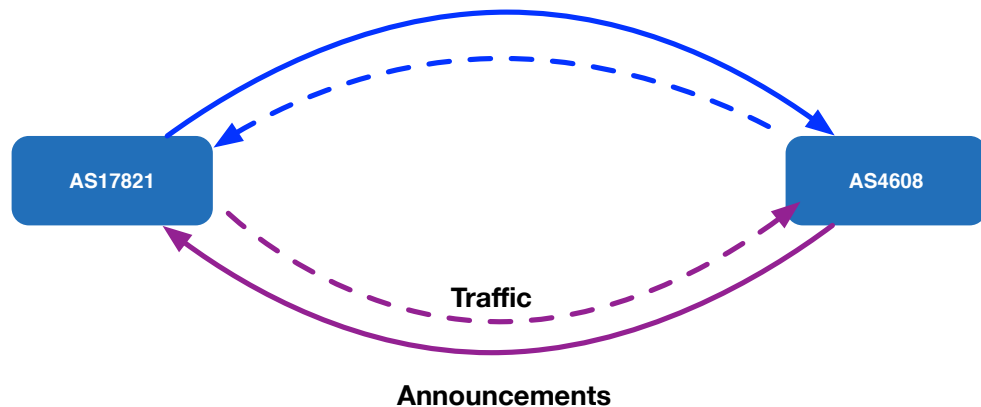
- You can document your routing policy in your aut-num object in the APNIC Database:
 - Import lines describe what routes you accept from a neighbor and what you do with them
 - Export lines describe which routes you announce to your neighbor

```
aut-num: AS17821
as-name: APNIC-TRAINING-Lab-AS-AP
descr: Two-byte AS number for APNIC Training Lab
country: AU
import: from AS45192 action pref=200; accept ANY
import: from AS4608 action pref=100; accept ANY
export: to AS45192 announce AS17821
export: to AS4608 announce AS17821
default: to AS45192 action pref=50; networks ANY
admin-c: AT480-AP
tech-c: AT480-AP
mnt-by: MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
mnt-routes: MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
changed: hm-changed@apnic.net 20080424
changed: hm-changed@apnic.net 20100818
changed: hm-changed@apnic.net 20100819
mnt-irt: IRT-APNICTRAINING-AU
changed: hm-changed@apnic.net 20110701
source: APNIC
```



Route Announcements vs Traffic Direction

- AS17821 accepting all prefixes from AS4608 so that outbound traffic goes towards AS4608. It also makes localpref to 100
- AS17821 announcing prefixes (originating in AS17821) to AS4608, so that the incoming traffic for AS17821 can flow away from the AS4608

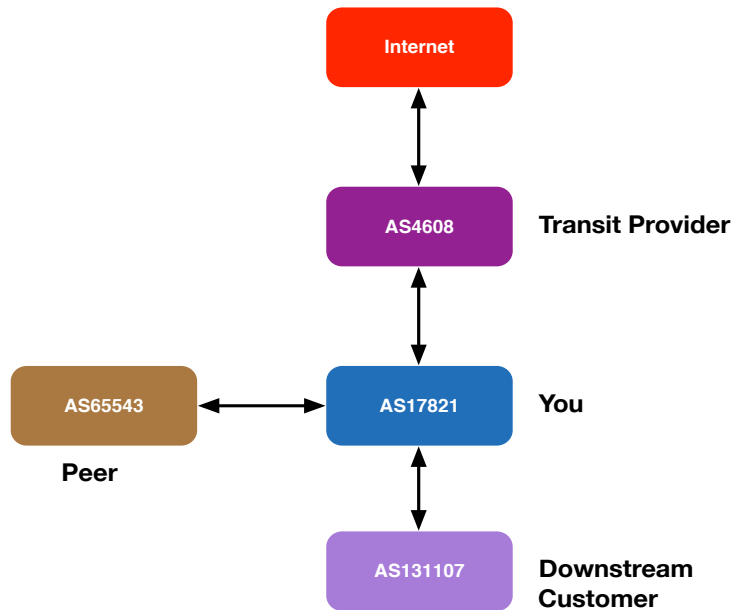


aut-num: AS17821

import: from AS4608 action pref=100; accept ANY
export: to AS4608 announce AS17821



Routing Policy Scenarios



aut-num: AS17821

import: from AS4608 accept ANY

export: to AS4608 announce AS17821 AS131107

import: from AS131107 accept AS131107

export: to AS131107 announce ANY

import: from AS65543 accept AS65543

export: to AS65543 announce AS17821 AS131107



Building an aut-num Object

- RPSL is older than IPv6, the defaults are IPv4
- IPv6 was added later using a different syntax
 - You have to specify that it's IPv6

```
mp-import: afi ipv6.unicast from AS131107 accept AS131107  
mp-export: afi ipv6.unicast to AS131107 announce ANY
```

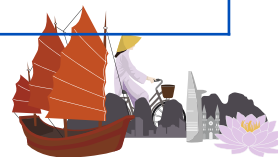
- More information in RFC 4012 RPSLNg



Filter List : Regular Expression

AS17821	AS 17821
AS17821*	0 or more occurrences of AS17821
AS17821+	1 or more occurrences of AS17821
AS17821?	0 or 1 occurrence of AS17821
&	Beginning of Path
\$	End of Path
\	Escape a regular expression character
_	Beginning, end, white-space, brace
AS17821 AS45192	AS17821 or AS45192
AS17821AS45192	AS17821 followed by AS45192
()	Brackets to contain expression
[]	Brackets to contain numbers

Enclose the expression in "<" and ">"



Address Prefix Range Operator

Operator	Meanings
\wedge_-	Exclusive more specifics of the address prefix: E.g. 128.9.0.0/16 \wedge_- contains all more specifics of 128.9.0.0/16 excluding 128.9.0.0/16
\wedge_+	Inclusive more specific of the address prefix: E.g. 5.0.0.0/8 \wedge_+ contains all more specifics of 5.0.0.0/8 including 5.0.0.0/8
\wedge_n	n = integer, stands for all the length “ n ” specifics of the address prefix: E.g. 30.0.0.0/8 \wedge_{16} contains all the more specifics of 30.0.0.0/8 which are length of 16 such as 30.9.0.0/16
\wedge_{n-m}	m = integer, stands for all the length “ n ” to length “ m ” specifics of the address prefix: E.g. 30.0.0.0/8 \wedge_{24-32} contains all the more specifics of 30.0.0.0/8 which are length of 24 to 32 such as 30.9.9.96/28



RPSL: localpref / prepend

- Controlling the traffic flow:
 - for outbound traffic set the value of local-pref
 - “action pref=NN” in the “import” lines of aut-num object
 - the lower the “pref”, the more preferred the route
 - for inbound traffic, modify as-path length
 - “action aspath.prepend(ASN)” in the “export” lines
 - Longer the as-path, less preferred the route

Note: the direction of traffic is reverse from accepting / announcing routes



RPSL: localpref/prepend Example

Local preference:

```
mp-import:      afi ipv6.unicast from AS65001 2406:6400:10::2 at
2406:6400:10::1 action community.append(17821:65001); pref=200; accept
<^AS65001+$> AND RS-APNICTRAINING:AS65001
```

Default value is 1000. Setting pref value to 200 mean downgrade the pref value by 200. Local pref will be 800.

Prepend:

```
mp-export:      afi ipv6.unicast to AS65001 2406:6400:10::2 at
2406:6400:10::1 action aspath.prepend (AS17821,AS17821); announce ANY AND
NOT FLTR-MARTIAN-V6
```



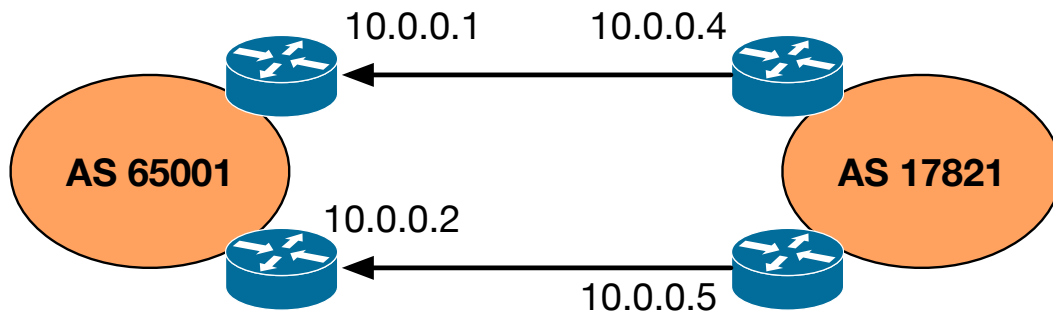
RPSL: Multiple Links / MED

- By setting the value of MED on export lines, the preferred entry point into your AS can be controlled
- The neighbour must agree to honour your MED values
 - Instead of MED, it is possible to use as-path prepend on less preferred link



RPSL: MED Example

```
export: to AS17821 10.0.0.4 at 10.0.0.1 action med=1000; announce AS65001  
export: to AS17821 10.0.0.5 at 10.0.0.2 action med=2000; announce AS65001
```



RPSL: BGP Communities

- Elegant solution for implementing policies
- Optional tags
 - Can go through many peers
- Can be used for advanced filtering
- Enables customers to control their own routing policy
 - Publish your communities, and what you do with them
 - Filter incoming announcements accordingly



RPSL: BGP Communities Example

```
mp-import:      afi ipv6.unicast from AS65001 2406:6400:10::2 at  
2406:6400:10::1 action community.append(17821:65001); pref=200;  
accept <^AS65001+$> AND RS-APNICTRAINING:AS65001
```



RPSL Tools

- IRRToolkit (written in C++)
 - <https://github.com/irrtoolset/irrtoolset/>
- Rpsltool (perl, using Template::Toolkit)
 - <http://www.linux.it/~md/software>
- IRR Power Tools (PHP)
 - <http://sourceforge.net/projects/irrpt/>
- BGPQ3 (C)
 - <http://snar.spb.ru/prog/bgpq3/>
- Filtergen (Level 3)
 - Online tool using whois protocol
 - `whois -h filtergen.level3.net RIPE::ASxxxx`



RPSL Tools

Source : Research project on "Automated configuration of BGP on edge routers" by University of Amsterdam; August 14, 2015

Tool	Advantages	Disadvantages
IRRTolSet	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Full RPSL support• RPSLNg support• 32-bit ASN support• Full BGP config generation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No AS-Set query support• Manual peering configuration on the fly• Difficult to understand
IRR Power Tools	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Route aggregation• AS-SET queries	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No RPSLNg support• No 32-bit ASN support
BGPq3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• RPSL support• RPSLNg support• 32-bit ASN• AS-SET queries• Easy to use	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Only partial BGP configuration. Can't extract policy from IRR
RPSLtool	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 32-bit ASN• AS-SET queries	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No RPSLNg support
Net::IRR	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• RPSL and RPSLNg support	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Outdated• Doesn't support community attribute from RPSL data• No AS-SET queries
Netconfigs	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provides peering analysis• Can generate full configuration based on peering relationship	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Doesn't support RPSLNg• No command line query• Vendor dependent (CISCO)



Use of RPSL

- Use RtConfig to generate filters based on information stored in our routing registry
 - Avoid filter errors (typos)
 - Filters consistent with documented policy (need to get policy correct though)
 - Engineers don't need to understand filter rules (it just works :-)
- Some providers have own tools.



Using RPSL to Configure Routers

- Need to define “policy” for filtering
 - Inbound from customers & peers
 - Outbound to customers & peers
- Need to be aware of shortcomings in router configuration and/or configuration generator
 - Command line length (on cisco this is 512 bytes)
 - Complexity of rules



Filtering Philosophy

- Inbound
 - Filter customer by prefix and AS path
 - Filter providers for prefixes longer than a /24
 - Don't accept martians from anyone
- Outbound
 - Filter by BGP community, which indicates the class of the prefix (customer, peer, etc)



Martians

- RtConfig has built in list of martians that can be added automatically to filters by use of command line option
- -supress_martian is Deprecated
- Properly maintained martian and bogon lists are visible in both the RIPE and Merit whois servers
- You can use following filter-set from APNIC whois
 - `fltr-martian-v4` / `fltr-martian-v6`



IRRToolSet : Installation

- Dependency (Debian / Ubuntu)

```
# apt-get install build-essential libtool subversion bison flex  
libreadline-dev autoconf automake
```

- Installation

```
# wget ftp://ftp.isc.org/isc/IRRToolSet/IRRToolSet-5.0.1/irrtoolset-  
5.0.1.tar.gz  
# tar -zxvf irrtoolset-5.0.1.tar.gz  
# cd irrtoolset-5.0.1  
# ./configure  
# make  
# make install
```

For details : <https://github.com/irrtoolset/irrtoolset/blob/master/README.md>



RtConfig Command Line Options

- Defaults to using RADB
 - -h whois.ra.net / whois.radb.net
 - -p 43
 - Default protocol irrd
- For other RIR use protocol bird
 - -protocol bird/ripe
- Defaults to “cisco” style output
 - -config cisco / -config junos
- -s <list of IRR sources>
 - -s APNIC,RADB,RIPE



RtConfig Syntax

- import / export pair for each link; syntax

```
@RtConfig [import/export] <yourASN> <yourRouterIP> <neighbourASN>  
<neighbourRouterIP>
```

- Takes other command also

```
@RtConfig configureRouter <inet-rtr-name>  
@RtConfig static2bgp <ASN-1> <rtr-1>  
@RtConfig access_list filter <filter>
```

- And many more. But best thing to look

```
man rtconfig
```



IRRToolSet Cisco Example

```
bash-3.2$ rtconfig -protocol bird -config cisco -h whois.radb.net
```

```
rtconfig> @RtConfig import AS17821 2406:6400:10::1 AS65001 2406:6400:10::2
!  
no ipv6 access-list ipv6-500  
ipv6 access-list ipv6-500 permit 2406:6400:8000::/48 any  
ipv6 access-list ipv6-500 deny any any  
!  
no ip as-path access-list 500  
ip as-path access-list 500 permit ^(_65001)+$
```

<output truncated>

```
router bgp 17821  
!  
neighbor 2406:6400:10::2 remote-as 65001  
address-family ipv4  
no neighbor 2406:6400:10::2 activate  
address-family ipv6 unicast  
neighbor 2406:6400:10::2 activate  
neighbor 2406:6400:10::2 route-map AS65001-IN in  
exit
```



IRRToolSet JunOS Example

```
bash-3.2$ rtconfig -protocol bird -config junos -h whois.radb.net
```

```
rtconfig> @RtConfig import AS17821 2406:6400:10::1 AS65001 2406:6400:10::2
policy-options {
  community community-1 members [17821:65001];
  as-path as-path-1 "( 65001)+";
```

<output truncated>

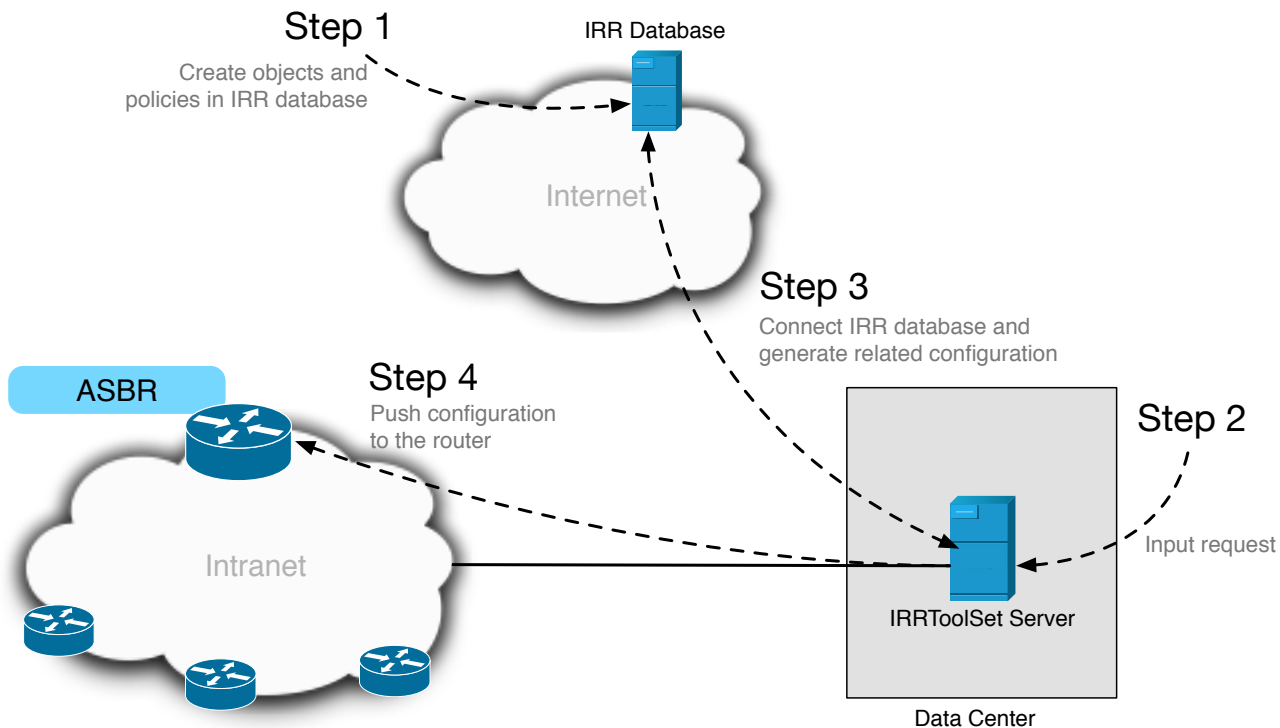
```
protocols {
  bgp {
    group peer-2406:6400:10::2 {
      type external;
      peer-as 65001;
      neighbor 2406:6400:10::2 {
        import policy_65001_1 ;
        family inet6 {
          unicast;
        }
      }
    }
  }
}
```



RPSL in practice : LAB



RtConfig: The Big Picture

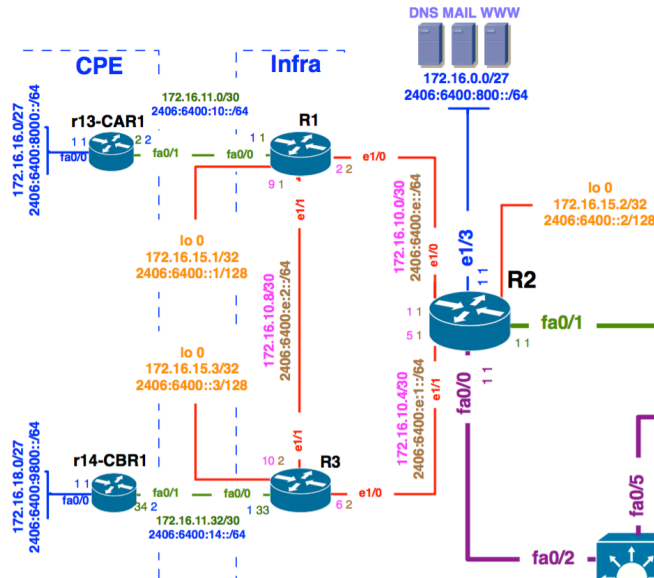


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Topology : Region 1

- RPSL Object
 - aut-num : AS17821
 - mnt-by: MAINT-AU-APNICTRAINING
 - route-set: RS-APNICTRAINING
 - fltr-set: FLTR-MARTIAN-V6



IRRToolSet : RPSL Object

```
# whois -h whois.apnic.net as17821
```

```
mp-import:      afi ipv6.unicast from AS65001 2406:6400:10::2 at  
2406:6400:10::1 action community.append(17821:65001); pref=200; accept  
<^AS65001+$> AND RS-APNICTRAINING:AS65001
```

```
mp-export:      afi ipv6.unicast to AS65001 2406:6400:10::2 at  
2406:6400:10::1 announce ANY AND NOT FLTR-MARTIAN-V6
```



RtConfig Configuration Template (provision.cfg) – Provision Customer

```
@RtConfig set cisco_max_preference = 500
!
ip bgp-community new-format
ipv6 unicast-routing
!
! AS65001 CONFIGURATION
@RtConfig set cisco_access_list_no = 500
@RtConfig set cisco_map_name = "AS65001-IMPORT"
@RtConfig import AS17821 2406:6400:10::1 AS65001 2406:6400:10::2
@RtConfig set cisco_access_list_no = 501
@RtConfig set cisco_map_name = "AS65001-EXPORT"
@RtConfig export AS17821 2406:6400:10::1 AS65001 2406:6400:10::2
!
end
```



IRRToolSet : RtConfig Output File

- Now generate the router configuration file

```
rtconfig -protocol bird -cisco_use_prefix_lists -config cisco  
-h whois.radb.net < provision.cfg >  
/private/tftpboot/router_config.cfg
```

- You will get output of full configuration
- Configuration will be saved in /private/tftpboot



Upload Configuration

- Various ways to upload configuration:
 - SNMP Write
 - NETCONF XML Based
 - Automated Script using expect



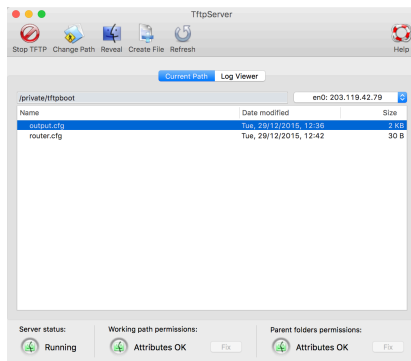
Upload Configuration : SNMP

- Enable SNMP:

```
access-list 99 permit 10.10.0.0 0.0.255.255
snmp-server community APNIC rw 99
snmp-server ifindex persist
```

– Recommended to use SNMPv3.

- Run TFTP server



Upload Configuration : SNMP

```
#Set copy method:
snmpset -v 2c -c {community-string} {device-ip-address} 1.3.6.1.4.1.9.9.96.1.1.1.1.2.116
i 1
#Set sourcefile to network file:
snmpset -v 2c -c {community-string} {device-ip-address} 1.3.6.1.4.1.9.9.96.1.1.1.1.3.116
i 1
#Set destination to running-config:
snmpset -v 2c -c {community-string} {device-ip-address} 1.3.6.1.4.1.9.9.96.1.1.1.1.4.116
i 4
#Set TFTP server ip:
snmpset -v 2c -c {community-string} {device-ip-address} 1.3.6.1.4.1.9.9.96.1.1.1.1.5.116
a {ip-address-tftp-server}
#Set desination filename:
snmpset -v 2c -c {community-string} {device-ip-address}
1.3.6.1.4.1.9.9.96.1.1.1.1.6.116 s router_config.cfg
#Start tftp upload via via OID ccCopyEntryRowStatus:
snmpset -v 2c -c {community-string} {device-ip-address}
1.3.6.1.4.1.9.9.96.1.1.1.1.14.116 i 1
```

Note: The integer highlighted in **red** is a random integer and you can choose any integer between 1 and 255. Keep in mind to use the same integer for the whole upload procedure! See the integer as a session.



Getting the Complete Picture

- Automation relies on the IRR being complete
 - Not all resources are registered in an IRR
 - Not all information is correct
- Small mistakes can have a big impact
 - Check your output before using it
- Be prepared to make manual overrides
 - Help others by documenting your policy



RPSL in Summary

1. Define Routing Policy

2. Create IRR Object/Objects

3. Run RtConfig to generate config

4. Push config to router/routers



IRR Database Synchronization

```
fakrul@console ~> whois -h whois.apnic.net -q 'sources'
% [whois.apnic.net]
% Whois data copyright terms    http://www.apnic.net/db/dbcopyright.html
```

```
APNIC:3:N:0-0
AUNIC:3:N:0-0
IRINN:3:N:0-0
JPIRR:3:N:0-0
JPNIC:3:N:0-0
KRNIC:3:N:0-0
RADB:3:N:0-0
TWNIC:3:N:0-0
AFRINIC:3:N:0-0
```

Registry Name (Source): **RADB**

IP address or DNS name:

Ftp site:

Databases Mirrored:

Mirror Port and Info:

Whois Location:

Type of Primary Data:

Contact Info:

NOC Info:

Admin Info:

whois.**radb**.net

ftp://ftp.**radb**.net/**radb**/dbase

AFRINIC, ALTDB, AOLTW, APNIC, ARIN, BELL, BBOI,
CANARIE, EASYNET, EPOCH, GT, HOST, JPIRR,
LEVEL3, NESTEGG, NTTCOM, OPENFACE, OTTIX,
PANIX, REACH, RGNET, RIPE, RISQ, ROGERS, TC

whois.**radb**.net, port 43

whois.**radb**.net

general Internet community

radb-support@merit.edu

radb-support@merit.edu, +1-734-527-5776

db-admin@**radb**.net

<http://www.irr.net/docs/list.html#RADB>



Data Inconsistency

```
~/D/pre $ whois -h whois.radb.net 202.125.97.0/24
route:      202.125.96.0/23
descr:      Proxy route object registered by AS2764
origin:      AS24130
remarks:     This route object was created by AAPT on behalf of a customer.
remarks:     As some of AAPT's upstream networks filter based on IRR objects,
remarks:     this route object has been created to ensure that the advertisement
remarks:     of this prefix is not rejected.
notify:      routing.shared@aapt.com.au
mnt-by:      MAINT-AS2764
changed:     nobody@aapt.com.au 20160713
source:      RADB

route:      202.125.96.0/23
descr:      Proxy route object registered by AS2764
origin:      AS7545
remarks:     This route object was created by AAPT on behalf of a customer.
remarks:     As some of AAPT's upstream networks filter based on IRR objects,
remarks:     this route object has been created to ensure that the advertisement
remarks:     of this prefix is not rejected.
notify:      routing.shared@aapt.com.au
mnt-by:      MAINT-AS2764
changed:     nobody@aapt.com.au 20160713
source:      RADB

route:      202.125.97.0/24
descr:      Prefix for APNIC TRAINING LAB DC
origin:      AS45192
mnt-by:      MAINT-AU-APNIC TRAINING
changed:     fakrul@apnic.net 20160617
country:     AU
source:      APNIC
```

- Data inconsistency
- Data sync with different IRR database



Proxy Objects

```
route: 2001:100:0:14
descr: Proxy-registered route object
origin: AS7473
remarks: auto-generated route object
remarks: this next line gives the route
remarks: L'enfer, c'est les autres
remarks:
remarks: This route object is for a
remarks: which is being exported un
remarks:
remarks: This route object was crea
remarks: route object with the same
remarks: since some
remarks: this route may be rejected
remarks:
remarks: Please contact
remarks: questions regarding this object.
mnt-by:
changed: 20061231
source:
```

- The system is sometimes overly **complicated**, and lacks sufficient examples
- End users can not figure it out, which means **another layer of support** structure must be added, or **proxy registration** must be implemented



LoA Check & RPSL

```
~ whois -h whois.radb.net AS1299 | more
aut-num:      AS1299
org:          ORG-TA45-RIPE
as-name:      TELIANET
import:       from AS57 action pref=50; accept AS-NLG-T0-TRANSIT
import:       from AS62 action pref=50; accept AS-c1
import:       from AS109 action pref=50; accept AS109
import:       from AS174 action pref=100; accept AS-PSINET
import:       from AS209 action pref=100; accept AS209
import:       from AS286 action pref=100; accept AS-KPN
import:       from AS293 action pref=100; accept AS-ESNET
import:       from AS577 action pref=50; accept AS577:AS-CUSTOMERS
import:       from AS612 action pref=50; accept AS612
import:       from AS701 action pref=100; accept AS701 AS701:AS-CUS
import:       from AS702 action pref=100; accept AS702:RS-EURO AS70
import:       from AS714 action pref=50; accept AS714
import:       from AS786 action pref=50; accept AS-JANETUS
import:       from AS812 action pref=50; accept AS-ROGERS:AS-CUSTOM
import:       from AS852 action pref=50; accept AS-TELUS
import:       from AS855 action pref=50; accept AS855:AS-CUSTOMERS
import:       from AS1239 action pref=100; accept AS1239 AS1239:AS-
import:       from AS1248 action pref=50; accept AS-NOK
import:       from AS1257 action pref=100; accept AS-TELE2
import:       from AS1267 action pref=50; accept AS1267 AS-INFOSTR
import:       from AS1273 action pref=50; accept AS-CW
import:       from AS1280 action pref=50; accept AS1280:AS-SET
```

A publicly accessible description of every import and export policy to **every transit, peer, and customer**, is difficult to maintain, and is not in the **best business interests** of many ISPs

```
~ whois -h whois.radb.net AS1299 | wc -l
4924
~
```



Which IRR to follow?

NTTCOM Route Registry Frequently Asked Questions

- **What is an Internet Route Registry?**

An Internet Routing Registry (IRR) is a database of Internet route objects for determining, and sharing route and related information used for configuring routers, with a view to avoiding problems.

- **Why should I use an Internet Route Registry?**

If your company plans to establish a BGP connection to the NTTCOM registered in either the NTTCOM route registry or a registry that we mirror ([/routing.cfm#RR](#) for list mirrored IRRs) for your connection to work properly for route registry objects.

If your company has "downstream" BGP customers, those customers can connect to your networks if they want to transit your NTTCOM connection.

- **I use a different Internet Route Registry. Why should I use the NTTCOM route registry?**

The NTTCOM route registry is offered free of charge to NTT Community members. If you use whatever registry they prefer, as long as it is one that we mirror (see [/routing.cfm#RR](#) for list mirrored IRRs).

NTTCOM strongly encourages customers who rely on proxy objects (objects in the NTTCOM Route Registry to avoid any unforeseen downtime) to use the NTTCOM route registry.

NTTCOM advises customers who already use an IRR to duplicate the information in the NTTCOM route registry to avoid any unforeseen downtime due to unexpected changes to objects registered in another IRR.

- The IRRDBs run by the RIR implement hierarchical object ownership
- For others there is no automatic mechanism for verifying that a given ISP is really allowed to originate a route
- Some providers (Level3, NTT) use their own IRR database. Customers will have a maintainer for publishing to their IRR database

<https://www.us.ntt.net/support/policy/rr-faq.cfm>



Challenges for the Routing Registries

- Lots of Routing Registries
- Accuracy and completeness
- Not every Routing Registry is linked directly to an Internet Registry
 - Offline verification of the resource holder is needed
- Different authorization methods
- Mirrors are not always up to date



RPKI

Resource Pubic Key Infrastructure



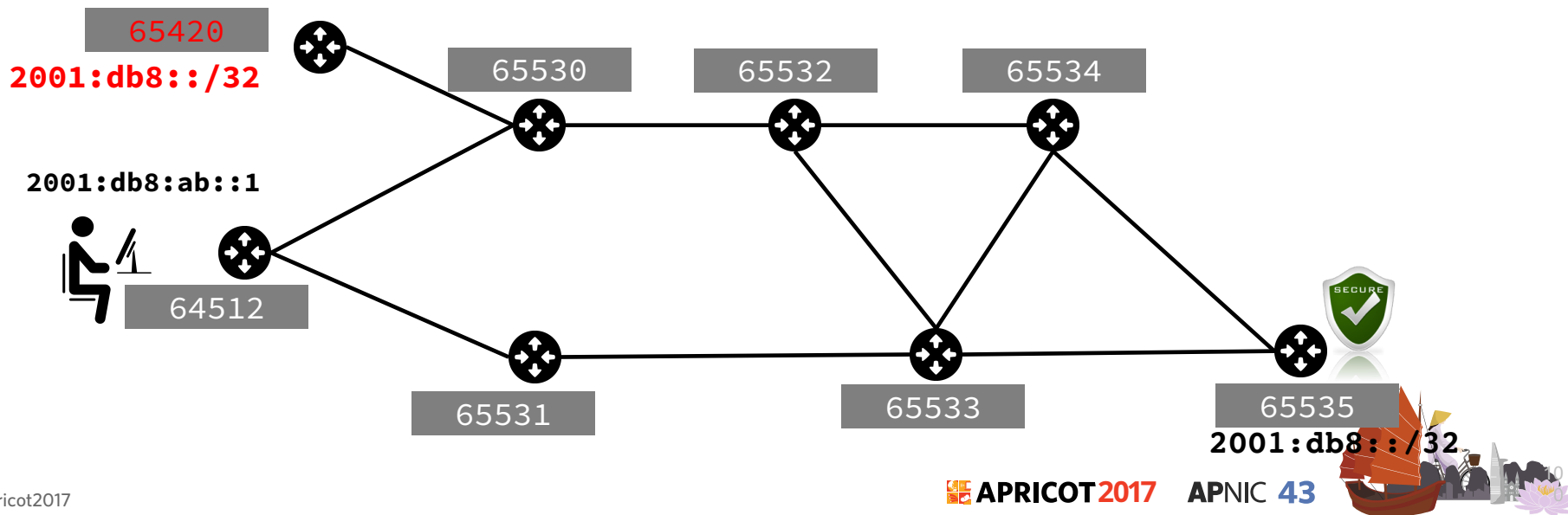
Purpose of RPKI

- RPKI replaces IRR or lives side by side?
 - Side by side: different advantages
 - Security, almost real time, simple interface: RPKI
- Purpose of RPKI
 - Is that ASN authorized to originate that address range?

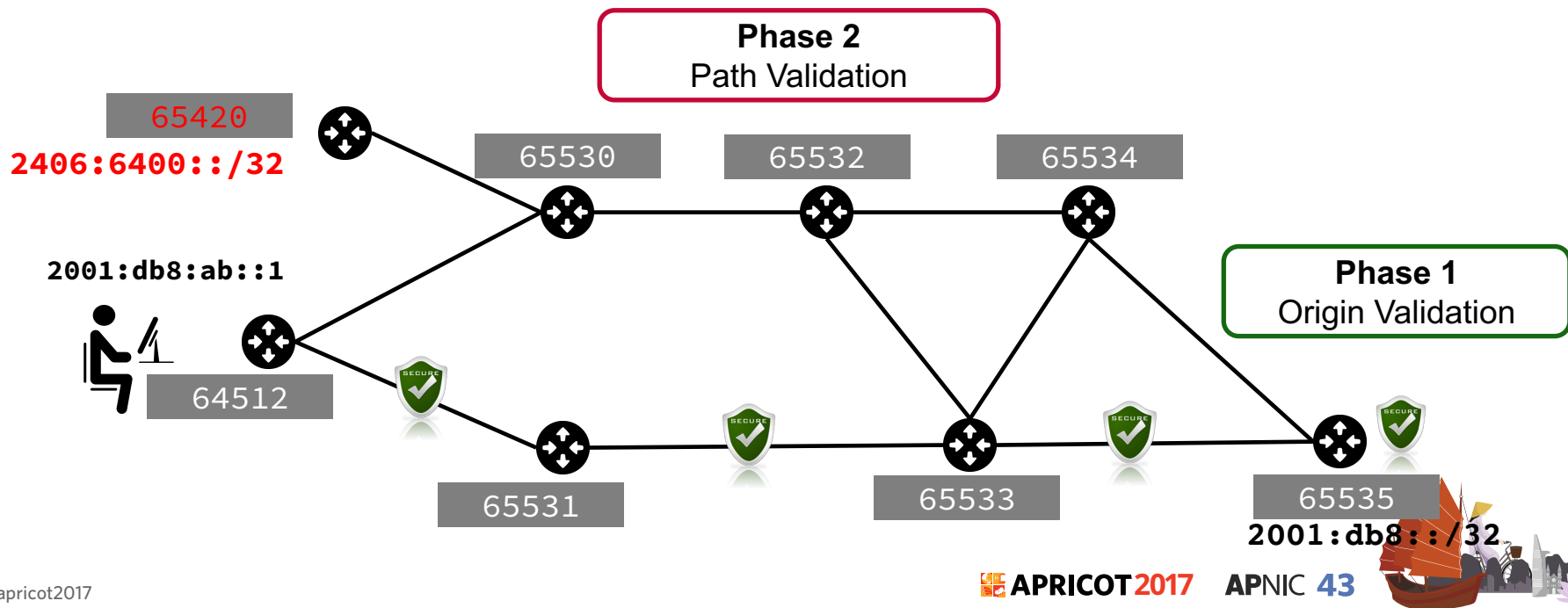


BGP 101 + RPKI

Network	Next Hop	AS_PATH	Age	Attrs
V*> 2001:db8::/32	2001:df2:ee00::1	65531 65533 65535	05:30:49	[[Origin: i]]
I > 2001:db8::/32	2001:df2:ee11::1	65530 65420	06:30:49	[[Origin: i]]



RPKI Deployment



Internet Registry (IR) / RIR

- Maintains Internet Resources such as IP addresses and ASNs, and publish the registration information
 - Allocations for Local Internet Registries
 - Assignments for end-users
- APNIC is the Regional Internet Registry(RIR) in the Asia Pacific region
 - National Internet Registry(NIR) exists in several economies



The Eco-System



Internet Assigned Numbers Authority



Regional IR (RIR)



National IR (NIR)



Internet Service Provider



End User



Goals of RPKI

- Able to authoritatively prove who owns an IP Prefix and what AS(s) may Announce It
 - Reducing routing leaks
 - Attaching digital certificates to network resources (AS Number & IP Address)
- Prefix Ownership Follows the Allocation Hierarchy IANA, RIRs, ISPs, ...



Advantage of RPKI

- Useable toolset
 - No installation required
 - Easy to configure manual overrides
- Tight integration with routers
 - Supported routers have awareness of RPKI validity states
- Stepping stone for AS-Path Validation
 - Prevent Attacks on BGP



RPKI Implementation

- Two RPKI implementation type
 - **Delegated**: Each participating node becomes a CA and runs their own RPKI repository, delegated by the parent CA.
 - **Hosted**: The RIR runs the CA functionality for interested participants.



Two Components

- Certificate Authority (CA)
 - Internet Registries (RIR, NIR, Large LIR)
 - Issue certificates for customers
 - Allow customers to use the CA's GUI to issue ROAs for their prefixes
- Relying Party (RP)
 - Software which gathers data from CAs



Issuing Party

- Internet Registries (RIR, NIR, Large LIRs)
- Acts as a Certificate Authority and issues certificates for customers
- Provides a web interface to issue ROAs for customer prefixes
- Publishes the ROA records

Show 10 entries Search: 131107

Origin ASN	Prefix	Max Length	
131107	202.125.96.0/24	24	Delete
131107	2001.df2.ee00::/48	48	Delete

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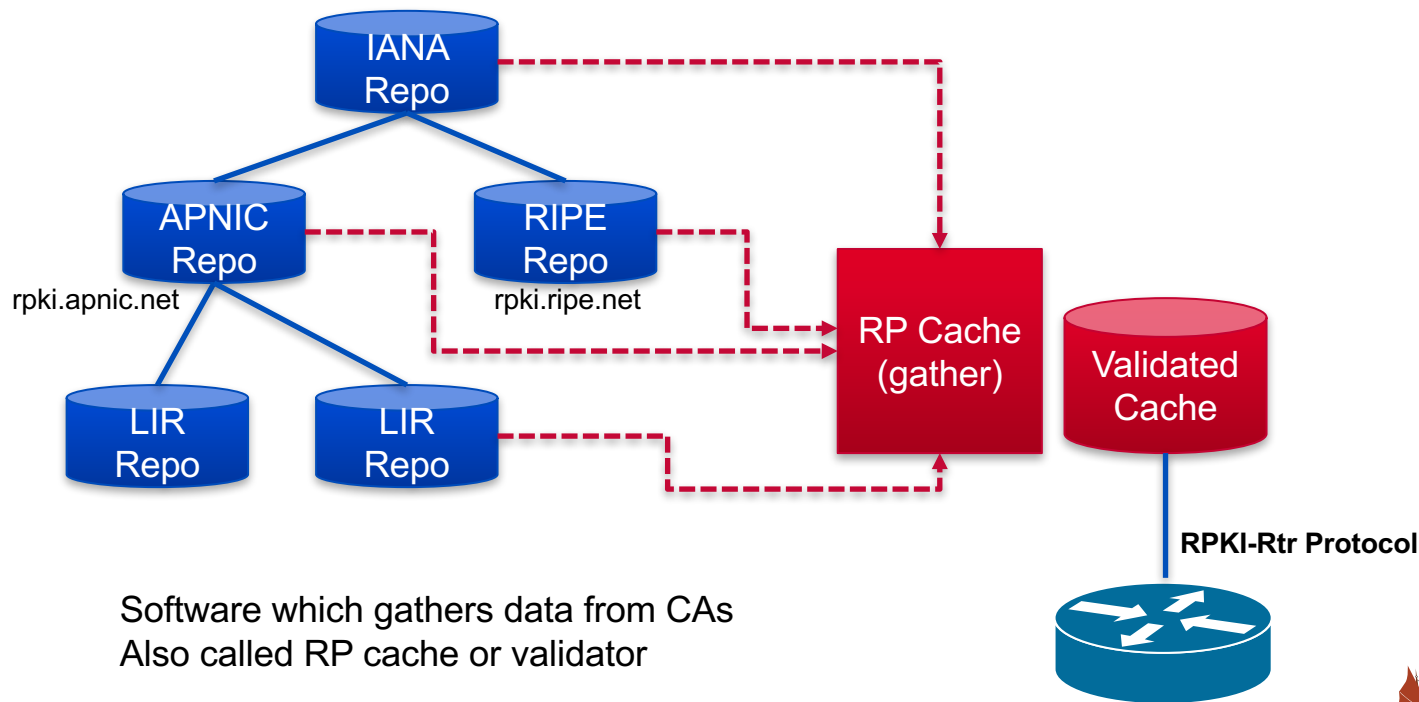
rpki.apnic.net

Repository

MyAPNIC GUI



Relying Party (RP)



RPKI Building Blocks

1. Trust Anchors (RIR's)
2. Route Origination Authorizations (ROA)
3. Validators



1. PKI & Trust Anchors



Public Key Concept

- **Private key:** This key must be known only by its owner.
- **Public key:** This key is known to everyone (it is public)
- **Relation between both keys:** What one key encrypts, the other one decrypts, and vice versa. That means that if you encrypt something with my public key (which you would know, because it's public :-), I would need my private key to decrypt the message.
- Same alike http with SSL aka https



RPKI Profile

X.509 Certificates 3779 EXT

Certificates are X.509 certificates that conform to the PKIX profile [PKIX].

They also contain an extension field that lists a collection of IP resources (IPv4 addresses, IPv6 addresses and AS Numbers) [RFC3779]

Signed by Parent's Private Key

X.509 Cert

CA

RFC 3779
Extension

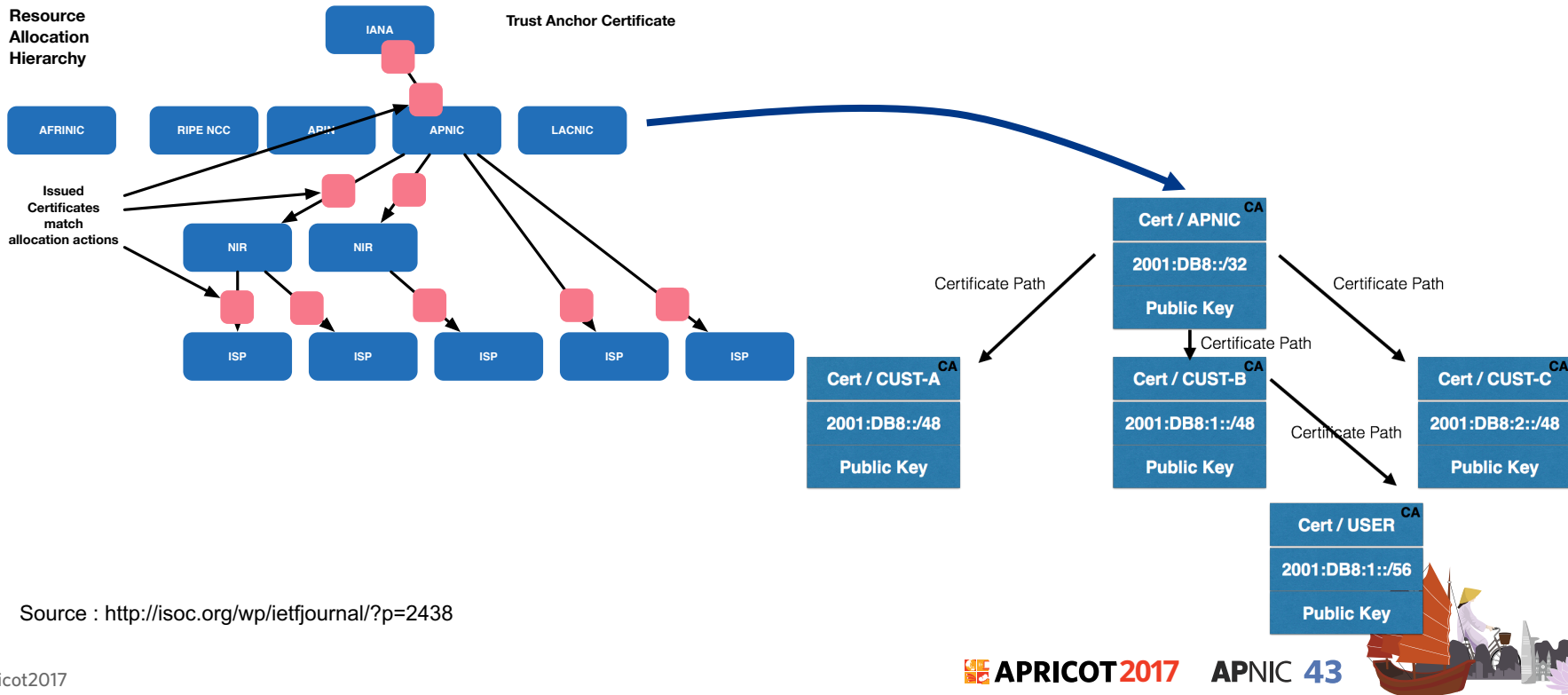
**Describes IP
Resources (Addr & ASN)**

SIA – URI for where this Publishes

Owner's Public Key



Trust Anchor



RPKI Chain of Trust

- The RIRs hold a self-signed root certificate for all the resources that they have in the registry
 - They are the trust anchor for the system
- That root certificate is used to sign a certificate that lists your resources
- You can issue child certificates for those resources to your customers
 - When making assignments or sub allocations



2. ROA



Route Origination Authorizations (ROA)

- A ROA is a **digitally signed object** that provides a means of **verifying** that an **IP address block holder** has **authorized** an **Autonomous System (AS)** to originate routes to one or more **prefixes** within the address block.
- With a **ROA**, the **resource holder is attesting** that the **origin AS** number is **authorized to announce** the **prefix(es)**. The attestation can be verified cryptographically using RPKI.



Route Origination Authorizations (ROA)

- Next to the prefix and the ASN which is allowed to announce it, the ROA contains:
 - A minimum prefix length
 - A maximum prefix length
 - An expiry date
 - Origin ASN
- Multiple ROAs can exist for the same prefix
- ROAs can overlap

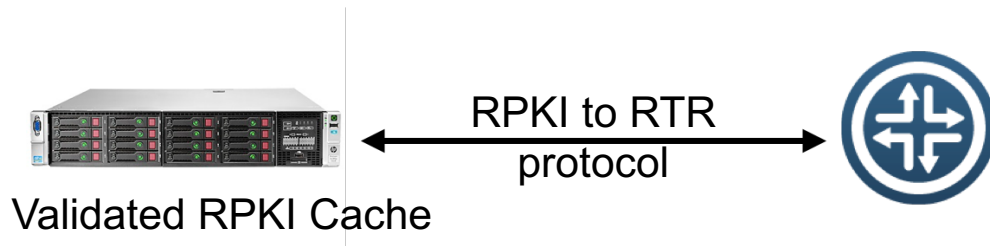


3. Validators



Origin Validation

- Router gets ROA information from the RPKI Cache
 - RPKI verification is done by the RPKI Cache
- The BGP process will check each announcement with the ROA information and label the prefix



Result of Check

- **Valid** – Indicates that the prefix and AS pair are found in the database.
- **Invalid** – Indicates that the prefix is found, but either the corresponding AS received from the EBGP peer is not the AS that appears in the database, or the prefix length in the BGP update message is longer than the maximum length permitted in the database.
- **Not Found / Unknown**– Indicates that the prefix is not among the prefixes or prefix ranges in the database.

Valid > Unknown > Invalid



ROA Example – IPv4

Prefix: 10.0.0.0/16
ASN: 65420

ROA	65420	10.0.0.0/16	/18
	Origin AS	Prefix	Max Length
VALID	AS65420	10.0.0.0/16	
VALID	AS65420	10.0.128.0/17	
INVALID	AS65421	10.0.0.0/16	
INVALID	AS65420	10.0.10.0/24	
UNKNOWN	AS65430	10.0.0.0/8	



Local Policy

- You can define your policy based on the outcomes
 - Do nothing
 - Just logging
 - Label BGP communities
 - Modify preference values
 - Rejecting the announcement



In summary

- As an announcer/LIR
 - You choose if you want certification
 - You choose if you want to create ROAs
 - You choose AS, max length
- As a Relying Party
 - You can choose if you use the validator
 - You can override the lists of valid ROAs in the cache, adding or removing valid ROAs locally
 - You can choose to make any routing decisions based on the results of the BGP Verification (valid/invalid/unknown)



RPKI Caveats

- When RTR session goes down, the RPKI status will be not found for all the bgp route after a while
 - Invalid => not found
 - we need several RTR sessions or care your filtering policy
- In case of the router reload, which one is faster, receiving ROAs or receiving BGP routes?
 - If receiving BGP is match faster than ROA, the router propagate the invalid route to others
 - We need to put our Cache validator within our IGP scope



RPKI Further Reading

- RFC 5280: X.509 PKI Certificates
- RFC 3779: Extensions for IP Addresses and ASNs
- RFC 6481-6493: Resource Public Key Infrastructure



RPKI Configuration

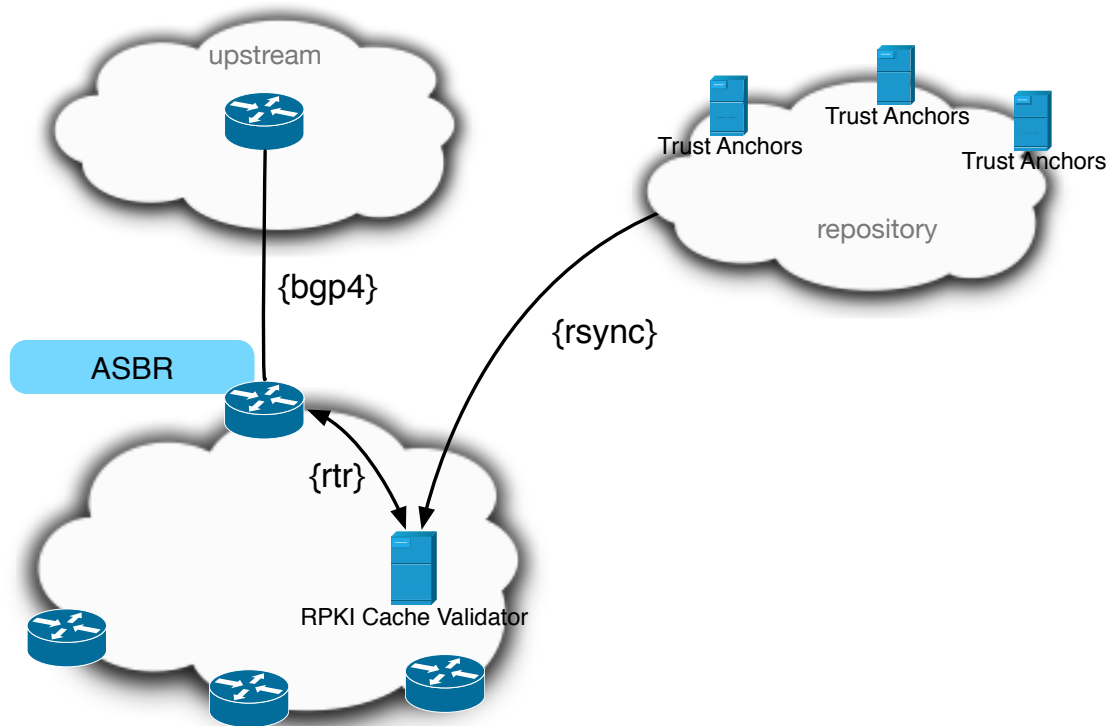


RPKI Configuration

- Resources:
 - AS : 131107 [APNICTRAINING-DC]
 - IPv4 : 202.125.96.0/24
 - IPv6: 2001:df2:ee00::/48
- Process
 - Create ROA
 - Setup cache validation server
 - Validate the ROA



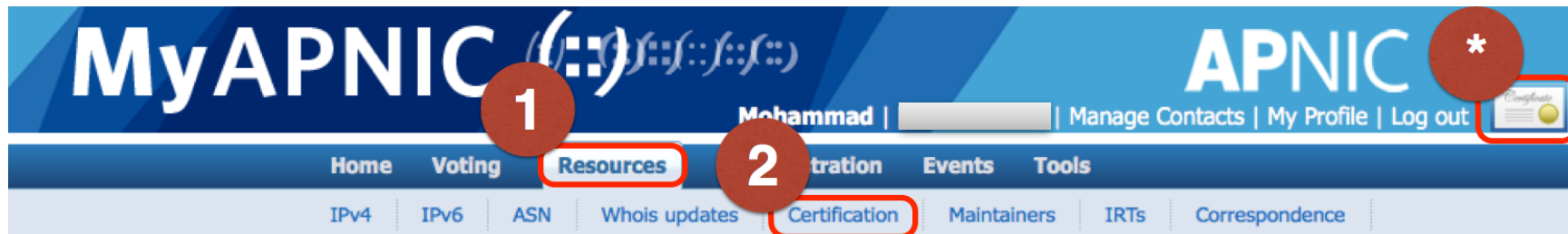
Implementation Scenario



- {bgp4} Routers validate updates from other BGP peers
- {rtr} Caches feeds routers using RTR protocol with ROA information
- {rsync} Caches retrieves and cryptographically validates certificates & ROAs from repositories



Phase I - Publishing ROA



- Login to your MyAPNIC portal
- Required valid certificate
- Go to Resources > Certification Tab



Phase I - Publishing ROA

The screenshot displays the APNIC RPKI Administration interface. The top navigation bar includes links for Home, Voting, Resources, Administration, Events, and Tools. A red circle with the number '1' highlights the 'Certification' link in the 'Administration' dropdown menu. Below this, the breadcrumb trail shows 'Home / Resources / RPKI'. The main heading is 'RPKI', followed by 'Enable Resource Certification'. A message states: 'Currently, you have not enabled resource certification for your registry.' Two radio button options are presented: 'I want to operate in the MyAPNIC RPKI portal.' (selected) and 'I want to host my own certification authority and run an RPKI engine myself'. A red circle with the number '2' is placed over the first option. A 'Next' button is located below the options. The second part of the screenshot shows the 'Terms and Conditions of APNIC Certification Authority' section, specifically 'Article 1 - Definitions'. A red circle with the number '3' is placed over the 'I accept. Create my Certification Authority' button at the bottom of the terms section.

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Home Voting Resources Administration Events Tools

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RPKI

Enable Resource Certification

Currently, you have not enabled resource certification for your registry.

☒ I want to operate in the MyAPNIC RPKI portal.

☐ I want to host my own certification authority and run an RPKI engine myself

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Home Voting Resources Administration Events Tools

IPv4 IPv6 ASN Whois updates Certification Maintainers IRTs Correspondence

Home / Resources / RPKI

RPKI

Enable Hosted Resource Certification

Currently, you have not enabled resource certification for your registry.

Terms and Conditions of APNIC Certification Authority

Article 1 - Definitions

In the Terms and Conditions, unless the context requires otherwise, the following terms have the meanings assigned to them below:

APNIC - APNIC Pty Ltd ACN 081 528 010 (a company incorporated under the laws of Australia), the Asia Pacific Network Information Centre

APNIC Certification Service - The APNIC service through which the Certificates are generated and RPKI signed objects are created

Certificate - Digitally signed data object generated by the APNIC Certification Service

URLs or Certificate Revocation Lists - Lists, or lists of serial numbers, for Certificates that have

I accept. Create my Certification Authority





Phase I - Publishing ROA

- Show available prefix for which you can create ROA

BGP Route Validity

Show entries

Search:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Origin AS 	Prefix 
<input type="checkbox"/>	45192	2001:df2:ee01::/48
<input type="checkbox"/>	45192	202.125.97.0/24
<input type="checkbox"/>	131107	2001:df2:ee00::/48
<input type="checkbox"/>	131107	202.125.96.0/24
<input type="checkbox"/>	135533	61.45.248.0/24
<input type="checkbox"/>	135540	61.45.248.0/24

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Suggest ROAs



Phase I - Publishing ROA

ROA Configuration

Origin ASN	<input type="text" value="131107"/>	Prefix	<input type="text" value="2001:df2:ee00::/48"/>	Max Length	<input type="text" value="48"/>
<div><button>Add</button> <button>Add & clone</button> <button>Clear</button></div>					

Show entries

Search:

Origin ASN	Prefix	Max Length	
131107	202.125.96.0/24	24	<button>Delete</button>
131107	2001:df2:ee00::/48	48	<button>Delete</button>

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Phase I - Check your ROA

```
# whois -h whois.bgpmon.net 2001:df2:ee00::/48
```

```
Prefix:                2001:df2:ee00::/48
Prefix description:    APNICTRAINING-DC
Country code:         AU
Origin AS:            131107
Origin AS Name:       ASN for APNICTRAINING LAB DC
RPKI status:          ROA validation successful
First seen:           2016-06-30
Last seen:            2017-01-03
Seen by #peers:       160
```



Phase I - Check your ROA

```
# whois -h whois.bgpmon.net " --roa 131107 2001:df2:ee00::/48"
```

```
0 - Valid
```

```
-----
```

```
ROA Details
```

```
-----
```

```
Origin ASN:          AS131107
```

```
Not valid Before:    2016-09-07 02:10:04
```

```
Not valid After:     2020-07-30 00:00:00   Expires in  
3y208d1h39m28.7999999821186s
```

```
Trust Anchor:        rpki.apnic.net
```

```
Prefixes:            2001:df2:ee00::/48 (max length /48)
```

```
202.125.96.0/24 (max length /24)
```



Phase II - RPKI Validator

- Two options:

- A. RIPE NCC RPKI Validator

- <https://www.ripe.net/manage-ips-and-asns/resource-management/certification/tools-and-resources>

- B. Dragon Research Labs RPKI Toolkit

- <https://github.com/dragonresearch/rpki.net>



Phase II - RPKI Validator

A. RIPE NCC RPKI Validator

- Download RPKI Validator
 - <http://www.ripe.net/lir-services/resource-management/certification/tools-and-resources>
- Installation

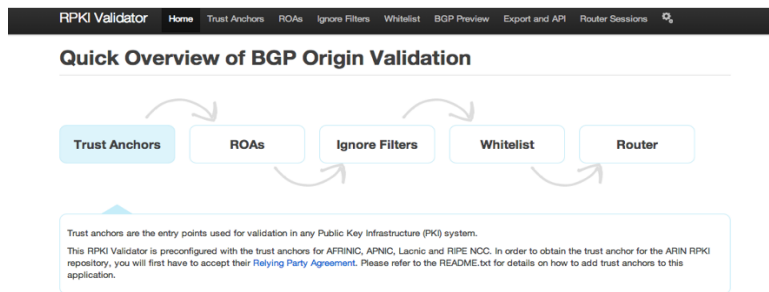
```
# tar -zxvf rpki-validator-app-2.21-dist.tar.gz
# cd rpki-validator-app-2.21
# ./rpki-validator.sh start
```



Phase II - RPKI Validator

A. RIPE NCC RPKI Validator

<http://rpki-validator.apnictraining.net:8080/>



RPKI Validator Home Trust Anchors ROAs Ignore Filters Whitelist BGP Preview Export and API Router Sessions

Configured Trust Anchors

Enabled	Trust anchor	Processed Items	Expires in	Last updated	Next update in	Update all
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	APNIC from AFRINIC RPKI Root	10	3 years and 3 months	2 hours ago	11 minutes	<button>Update</button>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	APNIC from ARIN RPKI Root	80	3 years and 3 months	2 hours ago	11 minutes	<button>Update</button>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	APNIC from IANA RPKI Root	1881	3 years and 3 months	2 hours ago	12 minutes	<button>Update</button>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	APNIC from LACNIC RPKI Root	6	3 years and 3 months	2 hours ago	11 minutes	<button>Update</button>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	APNIC from RIPE RPKI Root	27	3 years and 3 months	2 hours ago	11 minutes	<button>Update</button>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	AFRINIC RPKI Root	168	2 years and 4 months	2 hours ago	11 minutes	<button>Update</button>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	LACNIC RPKI Root	1436	7 years and 8 months	2 hours ago	12 minutes	<button>Update</button>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RIPE NCC RPKI Root	8795	4 years and 10 months	2 hours ago	19 minutes	<button>Update</button>

RPKI Validator Home Trust Anchors ROAs Ignore Filters Whitelist BGP Preview Export and API Router Sessions

Router Sessions

This table shows all routers connected to this RPKI Validator. Requests and responses are described in [RFC 6810](#). For debugging, please refer to rtr.log.

Remote Address	Connection Time	Last Request Time	Last Request	Last Reply
103.12.177.222:54057	2014-07-20T15:24:44+06:00	2014-07-20T16:02:47+06:00	SerialQuery	EndOfDataPdu



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Phase II - RPKI Validator

B. Dragon Research Labs RPKI Toolkit

- Installation process in Ubuntu Xenial 16.04
 - <https://github.com/dragonresearch/rpki.net/blob/master/doc/quickstart/xenial-rp.md>
- Installation

```
# wget -q -O /etc/apt/sources.list.d/rpki.list  
https://download.rpki.net/APTng/rpki.xenial.list  
# wget -q -O /etc/apt/trusted.gpg.d/rpki.asc  
https://download.rpki.net/APTng/apt-gpg-key.asc  
# apt update  
# apt install rpki-rp
```



Phase II - RPKI Validator

B. Dragon Research Labs RPKI Toolkit

<http://rpki-dragonresearch.apnictraining.net/rcynic/>

rcynic summary 2017-01-03T01:07:37Z

Overview Repositories Problems All Details

Grand totals for all repositories

	Tainted by stale CRL	Object accepted	Manifest interval overruns certificate	certificate has expired	Tainted by stale manifest	Policy Qualifier CPS
None .cer	28	5981			28	
None .crl		5948				
None .gbr		3				
None .mft		5948	1	1		
None .roa		5923				
Total	28	23803	1	1	28	

Overview for repository rpki.apnic.net

	Tainted by stale CRL	Object accepted	Manifest interval over
None .cer		752	
None .crl		748	
None .mft		748	
None .roa		492	
Total		2740	

Current total object counts (distinct URIs)

Repository	.cer	.crl	.gbr	.mft	.roa
ca.rg.net					
ca0.rpki.net					
localcert.ripe.net					
repository.lacnic.net					
rpki-pilot.lab.dtag.de					
rpki-repository.nic.ad.jp					
rpki.afnic.net					
rpki.apnic.net					
rpki.ripe.net					
Total	0	0	0	0	0

Phase III - Router Configuration (JunOS)

A. JunOS:

1. Establish session with RPKI Validator

```
set routing-options validation group RPKI session 202.125.96.46 refresh-time 120
set routing-options validation group RPKI session 202.125.96.46 hold-time 180
set routing-options validation group RPKI session 202.125.96.46 port 8282
set routing-options validation group RPKI session 202.125.96.46 local-address 202.125.96.254
```

2. Configure policy to tag ROA

```
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term valid from protocol bgp
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term valid from validation-database valid
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term valid then local-preference 110
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term valid then validation-state valid
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term valid then accept

set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term invalid from protocol bgp
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term invalid from validation-database invalid
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term invalid then local-preference 90
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term invalid then validation-state invalid
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term invalid then accept

set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term unknown from protocol bgp
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term unknown from validation-database unknown
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term unknown then local-preference 100
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term unknown then validation-state unknown
set policy-options policy-statement ROUTE-VALIDATION term unknown then accept
```

3. Push policy to the BGP neighbour

```
set protocols bgp import ROUTE-VALIDATION
```

<http://pastebin.com/50bmnv9F>



Phase III - Router Configuration (IOS)

B. IOS:

1. Establish session with RPKI Validator

```
router bgp 131107
  bgp log-neighbor-changes
  bgp rpki server tcp 202.125.96.46 port 8282 refresh 120
```

2. Configure policy to tag ROA

```
route-map ROUTE-VALIDATION permit 10
  match rpki invalid
  set local-preference 90
!
route-map ROUTE-VALIDATION permit 20
  match rpki not-found
  set local-preference 100
!
route-map ROUTE-VALIDATION permit 30
  match rpki valid
  set local-preference 110
```

3. Push policy to the BGP neighbour

```
router bgp 64500
  bgp log-neighbor-changes
  !other neighbour related configuration
  neighbor 10.1.1.2 route-map ROUTE-VALIDATION in
```

<http://pastebin.com/p30nWu0R>



Phase III - Router Configuration (GoBGP)

C. GoBGP

1. Establish session with RPKI Validator

```
[[rpki-servers]]
  [rpki-servers.config]
    address = "202.125.96.46"
    port = 8282
```

2. Configure policy to tag ROA

```
[[policy-definitions]]
  name = "AS45192-IMPORT-RPKI"
  [[policy-definitions.statements]]
    name = "valid-statement"
    [policy-definitions.statements.conditions.bgp-conditions]
      rpki-validation-result = "valid"
    [policy-definitions.statements.actions.bgp-actions]
      set-local-pref = 110
  [[policy-definitions.statements]]
    name = "invalid-statement"
    [policy-definitions.statements.conditions.bgp-conditions]
      rpki-validation-result = "invalid"
    [policy-definitions.statements.actions.bgp-actions]
      set-local-pref = 90
```

3. Push policy to the BGP neighbour

```
[global.apply-policy.config]
  import-policy-list = ["AS45192-IMPORT-RPKI"]
```

<http://pastebin.com/DwQbdq7A>



Check your prefix

- Junos

```
rpki-junos>show route protocol bgp 202.125.96.46/24
```

```
202.125.96.0/24      *[BGP/170] 3w5d 16:57:33, MED 0, localpref 110  
                    AS path: 3333 4608 131107 I, validation-state:  
verified  
                    > to 193.0.19.254 via xe-1/3/0.0
```



Check your prefix

- IOS

```
rpki-ios>show ip bgp 202.125.96.0/24
```

```
BGP routing table entry for 202.125.96.0/24, version 70470025
```

```
Paths: (2 available, best #2, table default)
```

```
Not advertised to any peer
```

```
Refresh Epoch 1
```

```
3333 1273 4637 1221 4608 131107
```

```
193.0.19.254 from 193.0.3.5 (193.0.0.56)
```

```
Origin IGP, localpref 110, valid, external
```

```
Community: 83449328 83450313
```

```
path 287058B8 RPKI State valid
```



Check your prefix

- GoBGP

```
fakrul@gobgp:~$ gobgp global rib 202.125.96.0/24
```

Network Attrs	Next Hop	AS_PATH	Age
V*> 202.125.96.0/24	202.12.29.113	4608 1221 4826 131107	00:13:29
[{Origin: i} {Med: 0} { LocalPref: 110 } {Communities: 4608:11101}]			



Commands

- Check session status of cache validator server

JunOS	<code>show validation session detail</code>
IOS	<code>show bgp ipv4 unicast rpki servers</code>
GoBGP	<code>gobgp rpki server</code>

- Full validation database

JunOS	<code>show validation database</code>
IOS	<code>show bgp ipv4 unicast rpki table</code>
GoBGP	<code>gobgp rpki table</code>



!Caution!

```
18:26:21 BDT Mon Mar 17 2014
CMD: 'show ip bgp ' 18:26:21 BDT Mon Mar 17 2014
CMD: 'show ip bgp ' 18:26:34 BDT Mon Mar 17 2014
CMD: 'show ip bgp ' 18:27:55 BDT Mon Mar 17 2014
CMD: 'show ip bgp ' 18:29:20 BDT Mon Mar 17 2014
CMD: 'show ip bgp rpki table ' 18:29:31 BDT Mon Mar 17 2014
CMD: 'show ip bgp rpki servers ' 18:29:34 BDT Mon Mar 17 2014
CMD: 'show ip bgp rpki table ' 18:29:49 BDT Mon Mar 17 2014
Exception to IOS Thread:
Frame pointer 0x7F3A8AA51EE0, PC = 0x8DA4DA
UNIX-EXT-SIGNAL: Segmentation fault(11), Process = BGP Router
-Traceback= 1#270a78af3c82800fb448b5d32a66d575 :400000+4DA4DA :400000+73AB5B8
400000+4980EA :400000+4A64DD :400000+496ED5
Fastpath Thread backtrace:
-Traceback= 1#270a78af3c82800fb448b5d32a66d575 c:7F3B7C28C000+BDD0D2
Auxiliary Thread backtrace:
-Traceback= 1#270a78af3c82800fb448b5d32a66d575 pthread:7F3B774EB000+A7C9
RAX = 0000000000000008 RBX = 00007F3A8AA520A0
RCX = 8039F30F00000000 RDX = 0000000000000000
RSP = 00007F3A8AA51EE0 RBP = 00007F3A8AA51FE0
RSI = A020A58A3A7F0000 RDI = D8803CB53A7F0000
R8 = A020A58A3A7F0000 R9 = 00007F3A853C80D8
R10 = 00007F3A83A6B221 R11 = 0000000000000001
R12 = 00007F3A853C80D8 R13 = 00007F3A8AA52110
R14 = FFF7000600000000 R15 = 00007F3A8AA52094
RFL = 0000000000010293 RIP = 00000000008DA4DA
CS = 0033 FS = 0000 GS = 0000
ST0 = 0000 0000000000000000 ST1 = 0000 0000000000000000
ST2 = 0000 0000000000000000 ST3 = 0000 0000000000000000
ST4 = 0000 0000000000000000 ST5 = 0000 0000000000000000
ST6 = 0000 0000000000000000 ST7 = 0000 0000000000000000
X87CW = 037F X87SW = 0000 X87TG = 0000 X87OP = 0000
X87IP = 0000000000000000 X87DP = 0000000000000000
XMM0 = AB1F718A3A7F00009802598A3A7F0000
```

```
18:27:55 BDT Mon Mar 17 2014
show ip bgp ' 18:29:20 BDT Mon Mar 17 2014
'show ip bgp rpki table ' 18:29:31 BDT Mon Mar 17 20.
J: 'show ip bgp rpki servers ' 18:29:34 BDT Mon Mar 17 201
.MD: 'show ip bgp rpki table ' 18:29:49 BDT Mon Mar 17 2014
Exception to IOS Thread:
Frame pointer 0x7F3A8AA51EE0, PC = 0x8DA4DA
UNIX-EXT-SIGNAL: Segmentation fault(11), Process = BGP Router
-Traceback= 1#270a78af3c82800fb448b5d32a66d575 :400000+4DA4DA :400000+5BCAD5 :
400000+5BF6C4 :400000+5BCAD5 :400000+4980EA :400000+4A64DD :40
Fastpath Thread backtrace:
-Traceback= 1#270a78af3c82800fb448b5d32a66d575 c:7F3B7C28C0
Auxiliary Thread backtrace:
-Traceback= 1#270a78af3c82800fb448b5d32a66d575 pthread:7F3B774EB000+A7C9
RAX = 0000000000000008 RBX = 00007F3A8AA520A0
RCX = 8039F30F00000000 RDX = 0000000000000000
RSP = 00007F3A8AA51EE0 RBP = 00007F3A8AA51FE0
RSI = A020A58A3A7F0000 RDI = D8803CB53A7F0000
R8 = A020A58A3A7F0000 R9 = 00007F3A853C80D8
R10 = 00007F3A83A6B221 R11 = 0000000000000001
R12 = 00007F3A853C80D8 R13 = 00007F3A8AA52110
R14 = FFF7000600000000 R15 = 00007F3A8AA52094
RFL = 0000000000010293 RIP = 00000000008DA4DA
CS = 0033 FS = 0000 GS = 0000
ST0 = 0000 0000000000000000 ST1 = 0000 0000000000000000
ST2 = 0000 0000000000000000 ST3 = 0000 0000000000000000
ST4 = 0000 0000000000000000 ST5 = 0000 0000000000000000
ST6 = 0000 0000000000000000 ST7 = 0000 0000000000000000
X87CW = 037F X87SW = 0000 X87TG = 0000 X87OP = 0000
X87IP = 0000000000000000 X87DP = 0000000000000000
XMM0 = AB1F718A3A7F00009802598A3A7F0000
```



Testbed

- **Cisco (hosted by the RIPE NCC)**
 - Public Cisco router: `rpki-rtr.ripe.net`
 - Telnet username: `ripe` / No password
- **Juniper (hosted by Kaia Global Networks)**
 - Public Juniper routers: `193.34.50.25`, `193.34.50.26`
 - Telnet username: `rpki` / Password: `testbed`



Reference Link

<https://www.apnic.net/roa>

Route Origin Authorizations (ROA)

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A ROA or Route Origin Authorization is an attestation of a BGP route announcement. It attests that the origin AS number is authorized to announce the prefix(es). The attestation can be verified cryptographically using [RPKI](#).

Benefits of creating a ROA

- Verify whether an AS is authorized to announce a specific IP prefix
- Minimize common routing errors
- Prevent most accidental hijacks

What's contained in a ROA

- The AS number you authorize
- The prefix that is being originated from it
- The most specific prefix (maximum length) that the AS may announce

eLearning: <https://training.apnic.net>

eSEC04: Intro to RPKI

eROU06: Internet Routing Registry





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