RIR Policy Update

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RIR New policies comparison

IPv4 policy proposals

Policy	RIR	Status
12 Month Allocation Period	AfriNIC	Adopted
	LACNIC	Adopted
	RIPE	Adopted
PI Assignment Size (/24	AfriNIC	Adopted
minimum for multi-homing	ARIN	Abandoned
network)	RIPE	Under discussion
Whois privacy	LACNIC	Abandoned
Increase AW to /21 to LIR after 6 months	RIPE	Adopted



IPv4 policy proposals

Policy	RIR	Status
Direct assignments to end user	RIPE	Under discussion
Change in assignment for	RIPE	Under discussion
any casting DNS		
eGLOP Multicast address	APNIC	Discussion at APNIC 24
space	ARIN	Abandoned
	LACNIC	Abandoned
IPv4 count down	APNIC	Discussion at APNIC 24
	ARIN	Abandoned
	LACNIC	Abandoned
	RIPE	Under discussion



IPv4 policy proposals

Policy	RIR	Status
Global policy for the	AfriNIC	Under discussion
allocation of the remaining	APNIC	Discussion at APNIC 24
IPv4 address space	ARIN	Under discussion
	LACNIC	Reached consensus
	RIPE	Under discussion
IPv4 soft landing	APNIC ARIN	Discussion at APNIC 24 Under discussion

IPv6 policy proposals

Policy	RIR	Status
HD-ratio to 0.94	AfriNIC	Adopted
	APNIC	Adopted
	ARIN	Adopted
	LACNIC	Adopted
	RIPE	Under discussion
Amend IPv6 assignment and	APNIC	Adopted
utilisation requirements (/56)	ARIN	Adopted
	LACNIC	Abandoned
	RIPE	Under discussion
Removal of "Interim" from	APNIC	Discussion at APNIC 24
policy document	ARIN	Adopted
	LACNIC	Reached consensus



IPv6 policy proposals

Policy	RIR	Status
Provider-independent	AfriNIC	Adopted (/48)
assignments for end	ARIN	Adopted (/48)
users	LACNIC	Reached consensus (/32)
	RIPE	Under discussion (/32)
Change initial allocation	AfriNIC	"Show a reasonable plan"
criteria	APNIC	Discussion at APNIC 24
	ARIN	Under discussion
	LACNIC	"Documented details plan"
	RIPE	Removal 200* /48 & end site
ULA central	AfriNIC	Under discussion
	APNIC	Discussion at APNIC 24
	LACNIC	Under discussion
	RIPE	Waiting for IETF



Autonomous System numbers

Policy	RIR	Status
IANA policy for allocation of	APNIC	Discussion at APNIC 24
ASN blocks to RIRs	ARIN	Under discussion
	LACNIC	Reached consensus
	RIPE	Under discussion
	AfriNIC	Under discussion

APNIC recent policy implementations

prop-041: IPv6 assignment size to critical infrastructure

- Changed from "minimum /32" to "maximum /32".
- Implemented 18 Dec 2006.

 Note: Critical infrastructures include root DNS, gTLD, ccTLDs, IANA, RIRs and NIRs.

prop-032: Four-byte ASNs

- 1 January 2007
 - APNIC delegates 4-byte AS numbers when requested.
 - Else, a 2-byte only AS number will be allocated by default.
- 1 January 2009
 - APNIC delegates 2-byte only AS numbers when requested.
 - Else, a 4-byte only AS number will be allocated by default.
- 1 January 2010
 - No distinction between 2-byte and 4-byte AS numbers.
- Assigned 2 and allocated 10



prop-038: Amending APNIC's lame DNS reverse delegation policy

- Implemented 1 Jan 2007.
- Modifies APNIC's existing method for identifying and removing lame DNS reverse delegations by adopting a definition of lameness that is consistent with generallyaccepted best practice and other RIRs (where relevant).

prop-033: End site assignment policy for IPv6

prop-031: APNIC IPv6 utilisation requirement

- Implemented 9 Mar 2007.
- Now you can assign /64 to /48 to your customer network depends on their requirement.
- Measurement unit changed from /48 to /56.
- HD ratio changed from 0.8 to 0.94

prop-035: IPv6 portable assignment for multihoming

- Implemented 9 Mar 2007.
- An organisation is eligible to receive a portable assignment from APNIC if it:
 - is currently multihomed with provider-based addresses, or demonstrates a plan to multihome within three months and,
 - agrees to renumber out of previously assigned IPv6 address space.

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