



Interoperability
Testing for
MIPv4/MIPv6



Mobile IPv4
Mobile IPv6

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Interoperability Testing update

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Mobile IPv6 Testing

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Mobile IPv6 Base draft – version 15

Total Participants **10**

- **6** HA implementations
- **7** CN implementations
- **3** MN implementations
- **1** protocol analyzer implementation
- **2** Conformance Test implementations

UNH (Tests for CN and Interop)

TAHI (Automated Tests for HA, CN and MN)

Mobile IPv6 Test Results

Results/Issues(Base MIPv6 draft-15):

- No major interoperability issues
- Issues were mailed in the mobile-ip list to resolve them in draft version 16
- 3 implementations had authentication sub-option
- No other security mechanisms were tested/implemented

2 Major issues/questions :

- How useful is “refresh” field in BACK ?
 - Removal of “refresh” field saves bits, otherwise more clarification is needed
- Should BACK from HA contain RH when MN de-registers at home network ?
 - It makes sense not to include RH in this case.

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Fast MIPv6 Handoff draft:

- 2 implementations
- Ad-hoc testing were performed between these two implementations for mobile node controlled handoffs

Draft issues were not discussed at the Connectathon discussion forum. Issues will be mailed to the mobile-ip list by Alper Yegin.

Mobile IPv4 Testing

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Total Participants : 6

- 3 FA and HA implementations

- 3 MN implementations

- 1 MIPv4 protocol analyzer implementation

Conformance Tests provided by Sun Microsystems Inc.

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Specifications Tested:

RFC2002-bis (All vendors)

RFC3220 (at least 3 implementations)

RFC3024 (All vendors, but most of them did not implement LPAS feature)

RFC2794 (All vendors)

RFC3012 (3 implementors)

draft-ietf-mobileip-aaa-key-00.txt (2 implementors)

draft-ietf-mobileip-nat-traversal-00.txt (1 implementation)

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Results and Issues:

- All of them interoperated with each-other
- No major problems or issues
- RFC3220 specification issues were projected at Connectathon discussion forum.

Issues need to be clarified/corrected:

- What error code should a MN receive when it sends multiple MN-HA auth extensions in the regReq ?

Proposal : Poorly formatted request

- Draft should clarify that “Poorly formatted request” should be used in the cases of out-of-order extension headers as well.
- Conflicting statement in 3.7.2.1 of RFC3220

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Questions ?