

Securing draft-ietf-v6ops-mech-v2 tunnels using IPsec

("the scenarios and how to set it up")

draft-tschofenig-v6ops-secure-tunnels-03.txt

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Background

- Revising draft-ietf-v6ops-mech-v2 about a year ago..
 - RFC 2893 said just, "use IPsec"
 - That's now insufficient, we needed to spell out *how*
 - We decided to put it to a separate document (this one)

- At the IESG review there was a comment for mech-v2
 - Then-security AD Bellovin blocked mech-v2 until this ready
 - Mech-v2 has been stalled for 6+ months now..
 - No matter what, it seems the IPsec/IKE details must be somewhere
 - And security area does not specify how to use IPsec with other areas' protocols
 - We have to deal with this on our own, though they can help

Current status

- At -03 already
 - Has had significant amount of review from IPsec people
 - Still some nits to address
 - But seems to be "almost ready" for Informational
 - Presented 2 IETF's ago, no objections then

- Comments so far for -03
 - Need to clean it up a bit further (thanks Elwyn, et al)

- Fundamental issues -- Comments?
 - Should we encrypt everything, or just the link-local control traffic?

- What next?
 - Adoption for WG item, then WG last call before Paris IETF?
 - We need people to read and comment on it