

# FLUTE-update: rfc3926bis

- To make ready for Proposed Standard
- Comments received from implementations & 3GPP, DVB & OMA FLUTE work:
  - FLUTE update to include these (see RMT list)
  - No major changes – an EXP server would not break a “bis” receiver and visa versa
- Updates to include:
  - FDT Instance schema to allow element extensibility (debug)
  - Etc. – see questions
- Process
  - Meeting and email comments/discussion
  - Submit 3926bis late in August
  - WGLC -> ready for Standards Track RFC when RMT migrates from EXP

# Questions to the WG (FLUTE)

- FLUTE: OK not to IANA register FDT Instance?
- FLUTE: Wrapped-around FDT Instance id -> only after it's data is expired (recommend)
- FLUTE: Tamper prevention -> mention XML-DSIG is available for FDT Instance tamper prevention
- FLUTE: TOI=1; TOI++
- FLUTE: FDT Instance Data Types - Content-Length, 5 x FEC-OTI-FEC-xxx
  - Currently: "xs:unsignedLong"
  - Could be: nonNegativeInteger, unsignedByte, unsignedInteger, unsignedShort

# Questions to the WG (LCT-family)

- ALC/FLUTE: FEC Payload ID: explicitly state whether ALC header or not
- LCT/ALC: Sensible channel ID, for a session:
  - sessionID = {S,D,P} = {source(IPaddr), dest(IPaddr), dest(UDPport)}
  - fixed(S), channel\_differentiation(D), whatever(P) -> OK (normal)
  - fixed(S,D), channel\_differentiation(P) -> OK (unusual?)
  - fixed(S), channel\_differentiation(D,P) -> CRAZY (complex, unnecessary)
- LCT/ALC: TSI unique (for S) for a large amount of time: suggest order of magnitude
- LCT/ALC: Ensure LCT and ALC explicitly allow normal broadcast (without ALC-CC)
- LCT/ALC: TCP, DCCP, SCTP transport? (allow other-than-UDP-transport for LCT/ALC/FLUTE)
- RMT: One ALC packet per IP packet is best for robustness (loss multiplier)
  - Should MTU “care” be recommended? Where (FEC-BB, ALC, LCT, FEC Instances)?

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- Fulfils the requirements of FLUTE/RFC3926 §6 for out-of-band discovery of file delivery session parameters
- 3GPP dependency and harmonised
- 02 -> 03 changes:
  - SDP ABNF bug fixes (same fixes in 3GPP September)
  - Bandwidth specification clarified
- Status:
  - Substantial 3GPP review and some RMT & MMUSIC review
  - Implemented (at least by TUT: )
  - Ready for WG LC
- Process:
  - Same as for FLUTE (I-D -> EXP -> PS)