# BIAbis(RFC3338bis) BISbis(RFC2767bis) 

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## Slide from Behave Interim meeting about host translation

Slide 6/4 translation on a host

from Dave Thaler 20090520

An IPv4 application to IPv6 Internet/Network
Let's assume that IPv4 application could be regarded as IPv4 Network

## BIS (RFC 2767)



- Uses well-known IPv4 prefix (RFC 1918), LIR IPv6 prefix
- Name resolution synthesizes IPv4 address only if IPv6-only response


## BIA (RFC 3338)



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## Conclusions from Dave's slide

- v6/4 translation [v4 mapped socket] is already common in hosts and will only become more so
- App-layer issues (e.g., referrals, etc) are independent of whether translation is in host or network

Supporting legacy IPv4 applications
Scenario 1: IPv6 only end to end peer network, dual stack server (private IPv4)


Application class:
1: Work through NAT w/o ALG
2: Do name resolution

## RFC 3338 bis (BIAbis)

1. IPv4 address pool use private address
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## RFC 2767bis (BISbis)

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## Work item?

- Behave re-charter to cover the issues in host-based translation?
- BIA and BIS have lots of similar text, should we consider to unify BIAbis and BISbis document into one document?

