

Global IPv4 across IPv6-only Networks

IPv4 "Residual deployment" (4rd)

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Problem Statement

1. Use an **IPv6-only routing** network
2. Maintain across it **IPv4 Connectivity**
 - *Full addresses* for some sites
 - *Shared addresses* for most
3. **Upgradable Customer Equipment** (Host or CPE)
4. **Desirable properties**
 - Ease of operation
 - Scalability

→ 1 & 2 reverse of 6rd - 3 & 4 same as 6rd

ISPs "intending to adopt" 4rd

- BBIX, Internet Multifeed, JPIX, IJ-II

e-mails from Satoru Matsushima:

www.ietf.org/mail-archive/web/v4tov6transition/current/msg00157.html

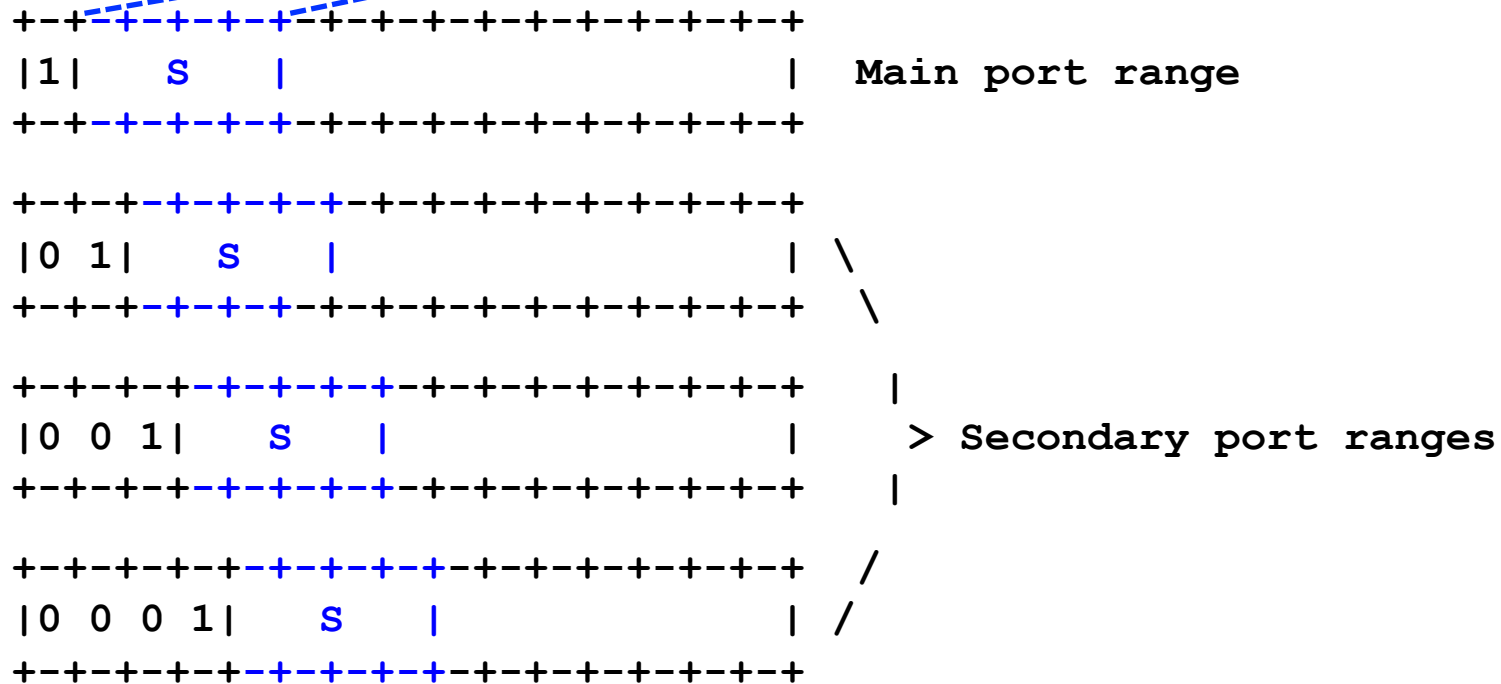
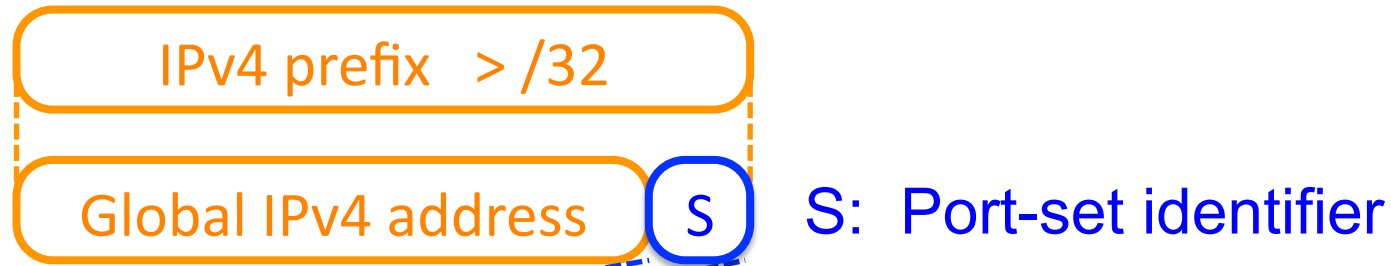
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- Expressed Motivations (vs. DS-lite)
 - IPv4 address sharing at optimized cost
 - Automatic configurations
 - Optimized routing paths

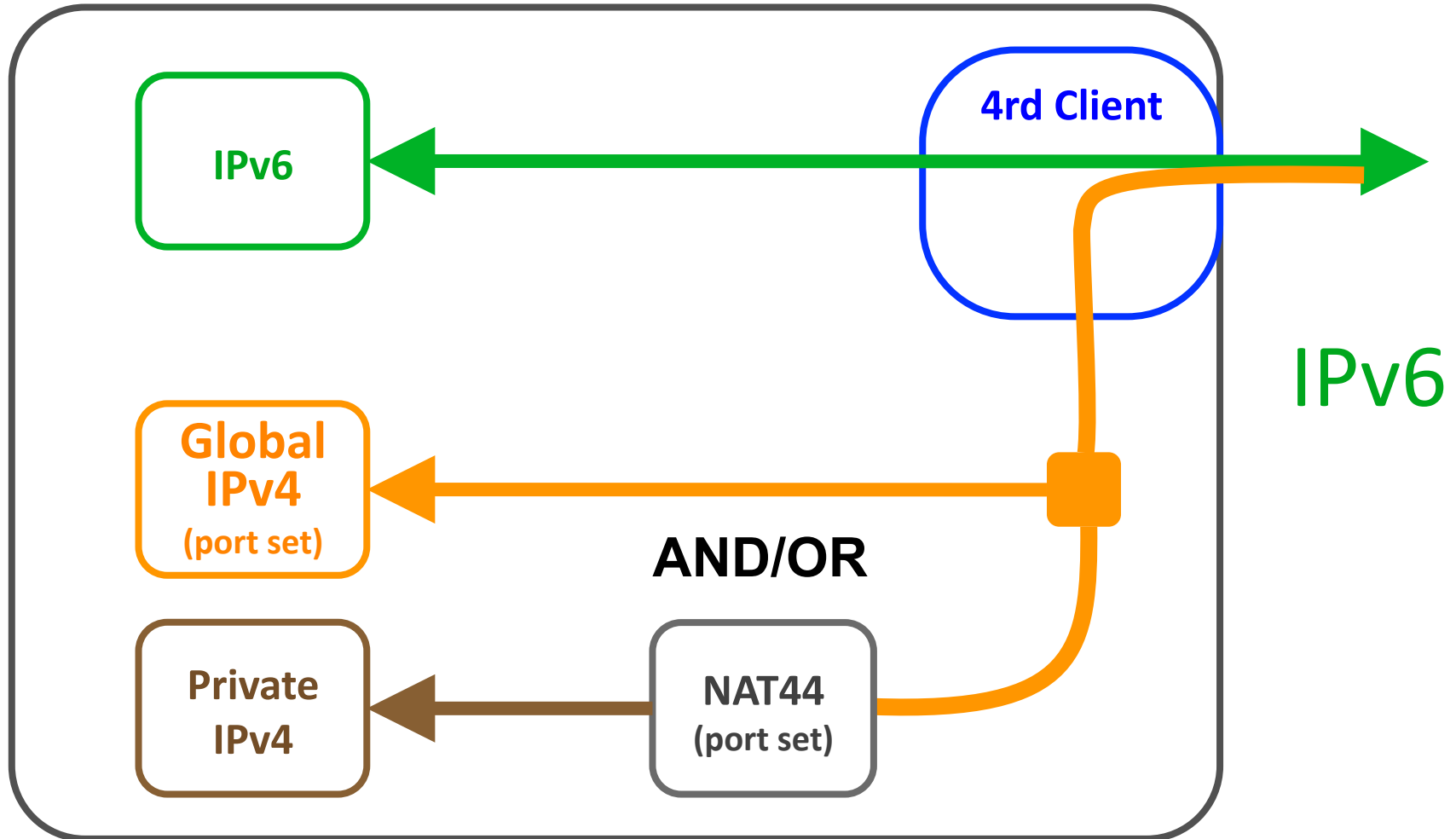
Longer than /32 customer prefixes (IPv4r)

1. Use bits beyond /32 to algorithmically identify an exclusive port set
2. Fairness
 - Don't assign to anyone privileged ports 0-4095
 - Assign the same numbers of ports to all that have the same prefix length
3. Exhaustiveness
 - Assign all ports other than 0-4095

Port-Set derivation from Port-Set Identifiers



Example of CE internal architecture



Conclusion:

How can IETF provide an agreed specification?

- To encourage IPv6-only network deployments
- Without unnecessary delay