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Abstract

This draft defines a set of Information Elements and example Templates for IP Flow Information Export (IPFIX) based on the SIP Common Log Format data model, as well as additional useful SIP Information Elements, to allow IPFIX export of application-layer information about SIP messages.

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1. Introduction

IPFIX [[RFC5101](#)] provides a standardized means of exporting flow information from IPFIX exporters to IPFIX collectors. This allows collectors to analyze flows from one or more sources for numerous uses, such as traffic patterns/trends, anomalies, failures, attacks, and much more. IPFIX supports exporting data in near real-time, in a secure manner, over multiple transports; as well as in local storage with a defined file format. The core IPFIX information model is maintained by IANA as a registry of Information Elements at <http://www.iana.org/assignments/ipfix/>. In addition to these, which cover many network measurement and management applications, enterprise-specific Information Elements may be defined, scoped to an SMI private enterprise number, for vendor-proprietary Information Elements.

Session Initiation Protocol (SIP), defined by [[RFC3261](#)] and its extensions, is used by many devices to perform a rendezvous service, initiate and manage real-time communication sessions, install and monitor state information, and more. In many deployments, SIP messages cross multiple systems managed by the same administrative entity, and thus providing a means of exporting and collecting SIP message information from such systems using a standard protocol is highly desirable.

This document defines a set of IPFIX Information Elements to enable SIP devices, such as user agents and proxies, to export SIP message information to IPFIX collectors using the IPFIX protocol. The purpose of doing so is to enable collectors to analyze the SIP "traffic", for similar purposes as those for any other IPFIX flows. Defining IANA-registered (i.e., well-known) IPFIX IE fields enables IPFIX records of SIP message information to be generated and consumed by different vendors. Within the context of this document's IPFIX IE fields, a single SIP message is a complete IPFIX Flow as defined in [[RFC5101](#)]

The SIPCLF Working Group has defined a data model [[I-D.ietf-sipclf-problem-statement](#)] for logging information about SIP messages to ASCII-based SIPCLF files. While useful for on-box storage and analysis with ASCII-based tools, SIPCLF does not provide a means of exporting such information, nor is that its goal. This document borrows the data model from SIPCLF and represents these in IPFIX Information Elements. It additionally provides examples for IPFIX representation of the example SIP Messages provided in the SIPCLF problem statement.

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2. Base Information Elements for SIP Message Information Export

The following Information Elements represent SIP-specific mandatory fields defined in [[I-D.ietf-sipclf-problem-statement](#)], many themselves taken from [[RFC3261](#)]. Together with Information Elements already available in the IPFIX IANA Information Elements registry, these can be used to export information about SIP Messages.

2.1. sipObservationType

Description: Denotes whether the entry was corresponds to a SIP message received, sent, or merely seen by a passive observer, as follows:

- 0: unknown: The Metering Process does not specify the observation type.
- 1: receiver: The Metering Process is, or is co-located with, the receiver of the SIP message.
- 2: sender: The Metering Process is, or is co-located with, the sender of the SIP message.
- 3: passive: The Metering Process passively observed the SIP message.

Data Type: unsigned8

Data Type Semantics: identifier

PEN (provisional): 35566 (trammell.ch)

ElementId (provisional): 419

2.2. sipMethod

Description: The SIP method from the CSeq header, encoded as per the IPFIX sipMethod subregistry.

Data Type: unsigned8

Data Type Semantics: identifier

PEN (provisional): 35566 (trammell.ch)

ElementId (provisional): 402

2.3. sipSequenceNumber

Description: The sequence number from the CSeq header.

Data Type: unsigned32

Data Type Semantics: identifier

PEN (provisional): 35566 (trammell.ch)

ElementId (provisional): 409

2.4. sipRequestURI

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Description: The SIP Request URI, including any parameters, as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string

PEN (provisional): 35566 (trammell.ch)

ElementId (provisional): 403

[2.5. sipFromURI](#)

Description: The URI from the SIP From: header

Data Type: string

PEN (provisional): 35566 (trammell.ch)

ElementId (provisional): 404

[2.6. sipFromTag](#)

Description: The Tag parameter value from the SIP From: header

Data Type: string

PEN (provisional): 35566 (trammell.ch)

ElementId (provisional): 405

[2.7. sipToURI](#)

Description: The URI from the SIP To: header

Data Type: string

PEN (provisional): 35566 (trammell.ch)

ElementId (provisional): 406

[2.8. sipToTag](#)

Description: The Tag parameter value from the SIP To: header

Data Type: string

PEN (provisional): 35566 (trammell.ch)

ElementId (provisional): 407

[2.9. sipCallId](#)

Description: The value of the SIP Call-ID: header

Data Type: string

PEN (provisional): 35566 (trammell.ch)

ElementId (provisional): 408

[2.10. sipResponseStatus](#)

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Description: The SIP Response code. The presence of this Information Element in a SIP Message record marks it as describing a SIP response; if absent, the record describes a SIP request.

Data Type: unsigned16

Data Type Semantics: identifier

PEN (provisional): 35566 (trammell.ch)

ElementId (provisional): 412

2.11. sipServerTransaction

Description: The transaction identifier associated with the server transaction.

Data Type: string

Data Type Semantics: identifier

PEN (provisional): 35566 (trammell.ch)

ElementId (provisional): 413

2.12. sipClientTransaction

Description: The transaction identifier associated with the client transaction.

Data Type: string

Data Type Semantics: identifier

PEN (provisional): 35566 (trammell.ch)

ElementId (provisional): 414

2.13. sipMethod subregistry

The sipMethod subregistry assigns a number to encode each of the SIP methods encoded in the Methods and Response Codes registry at <http://www.iana.org/assignments/sip-parameters> in a 16-bit integer Information Element. These numbers are assigned from 1 in alphabetical order for the Methods defined as of the publication time of this document; subsequent Methods added to the Methods and Response Codes registry will be added to the IPFIX sipMethod subregistry at such time they are added to the Methods and Response Codes registry, using the lowest available unassigned number at the time of addition.

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Number	Method	Reference
0	Unknown	
1	ACK	[RFC3261]
2	BYE	[RFC3261]
3	CANCEL	[RFC3261]
4	INFO	[RFC6086]
5	INVITE	[RFC3261]
6	MESSAGE	[RFC3428]
7	NOTIFY	[RFC3265]
8	OPTIONS	[RFC3261]
9	PRACK	[RFC3262]
10	PUBLISH	[RFC3903]
11	REFER	[RFC3515]
12	REGISTER	[RFC3261]
13	SUBSCRIBE	[RFC3265]
14	UPDATE	[RFC3311]
15-65535	Unassigned	

[3.](#) Additional Information Elements for SIP Message Information Export

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[3.1.](#) **sipContactURI**

Description: The addr-spec URI, including any URI parameters, of the first/top-most SIP Contact header, as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string

Data Type Semantics:

PEN (provisional): 35566

ElementId (provisional): 415

[3.2.](#) **sipRouteURI**

Description: The addr-spec URI, including any URI parameters, of the first/top-most SIP Route header, as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string

Data Type Semantics:

PEN (provisional): 35566

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ElementId (provisional): 416

3.3. sipPaiURI

Description: The addr-spec URI, including any URI parameters, of the first/top-most SIP P-Asserted-Identity header, as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string

Data Type Semantics:

PEN (provisional): 35566

ElementId (provisional): 417

3.4. sipPpiURI

Description: The addr-spec URI, including any URI parameters, of the first/top-most SIP P-Preferred-Identity header, as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string

Data Type Semantics:

PEN (provisional): 35566

ElementId (provisional): 418

3.5. sipPAssocURI

Description: The addr-spec URI, including any URI parameters, of the first/top-most SIP P-Associated-Identity header, as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string

Data Type Semantics:

PEN (provisional): 35566

ElementId (provisional): 430

3.6. sipPCalledPartyURI

Description: The addr-spec URI, including any URI parameters, of the SIP P-Called-Party-ID header, as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string

Data Type Semantics:

PEN (provisional): 35566

ElementId (provisional): 420

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3.7. sipVia

Description: The value of the first/top-most Via header as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string

Data Type Semantics:

PEN (provisional): 35566

ElementId (provisional): 421

3.8. sipAuthUsername

Description: The value of the username field of the first/top-most Authorization header as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string

Data Type Semantics:

PEN (provisional): 35566

ElementId (provisional): 422

3.9. sipSubscriptionEvent

Description: The value of the Event header as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string

Data Type Semantics:

PEN (provisional): 35566

ElementId (provisional): 423

3.10. sipSubscriptionState

Description: The value of the Subscription-State header as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string

Data Type Semantics:

PEN (provisional): 35566

ElementId (provisional): 424

3.11. sipExpires

Description: The numeric value of the expires parameter of the first/top-most Contact header of a REGISTER request or response, or Subscription-State header of a SUBSCRIBE or NOTIFY request or response, or the Expires header if the expires parameter does not exist, as received by the metering process.

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Data Type: unsigned32
Data Type Semantics:
PEN (provisional): 35566
ElementId (provisional): 425

3.12. sipPVisitedNetworkID

Description: The value of the first/top-most P-Visited-Network-ID header as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string
Data Type Semantics:
PEN (provisional): 35566
ElementId (provisional): 426

3.13. sipPAccessNetworkInfo

Description: The value of the P-Access-Network-Info header as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string
Data Type Semantics:
PEN (provisional): 35566
ElementId (provisional): 427

3.14. sipPChargingFunctionAddr

Description: The value of the first/top-most P-Charging-Function- Addresses header as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string
Data Type Semantics:
PEN (provisional): 35566
ElementId (provisional): 428

3.15. sipPChargingVector

Description: The value of the P-Charging-Vector header as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as received by the metering process.

Data Type: string
Data Type Semantics:
PEN (provisional): 35566
ElementId (provisional): 429

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4. Recommended Templates for SIP Message Information Export

The SIPCLF data model represents SIP requests and SIP responses with separate records. The following Templates are defined as recommended base Templates for records describing requests and responses.

Optional Information Elements MAY be added to them, and the IPv4 addresses within these Templates MUST be replaced with IPv6 addresses for logging IPv6 transport of SIP messages. A sipServerTransaction Information Element SHOULD be added for all messages logged by a User Agent Server, and a sipClientTransaction Information Element SHOULD be added for all messages logged by a User Agent Client. These templates follow the recommended fields for request and response logging in [[I-D.ietf-sipclf-problem-statement](#)], and are defined using the representation in section 9 of [[I-D.trammell-ipfix-ie-doctors](#)].

```
observationTimeMilliseconds(323)[8]
sipSequenceNumber(35566/409)[4]
sourceIPv4Address(8)[4]
destinationIPv4Address(12)[4]
sourceTransportPort(7)[2]
destinationTransportPort(11)[2]
protocolIdentifier(4)[1]
sipMethod(35566/402)[1]
sipObservationType(35566/419)[1]
sipRequestURI(35566/403)[v]
sipToURI(35566/406)[v]
sipToTag(35566/407)[v]
sipFromURI(35566/404)[v]
sipFromTag(35566/405)[v]
sipCallId(35566/408)[v]
```

Figure 1: Base Request Template (IPv4)


```
observationTimeMilliseconds(323)[8]
sipSequenceNumber(35566/409)[4]
sourceIPv4Address(8)[4]
destinationIPv4Address(12)[4]
sourceTransportPort(7)[2]
destinationTransportPort(11)[2]
protocolIdentifier(4)[1]
sipMethod(35566/402)[1]
sipObservationType(35566/419)[1]
sipResponseStatus(35566/412)[2]
sipToURI(35566/406)[v]
sipToTag(35566/407)[v]
sipFromURI(35566/404)[v]
sipFromTag(35566/405)[v]
sipCallId(35566/408)[v]
```

Figure 2: Base Response Template (IPv4)

Note that the Information Elements in these templates are ordered to place the fixed-length elements before the variable-length ones, which speeds random access to fixed-length elements. However, since element order within a record is unimportant in IPFIX, any ordering of the mandatory Information Elements within a record MUST be accepted by a Collecting Process as a valid SIP request or response record for that record type.

The record type is determined by the presence of the sipResponseStatus field. If present in the Template, the Template describes a response record. If absent, it describes a request record.

5. Examples

This section presents several views of an example SIP messages exported using the IPFIX templates described in this document. We present both binary and textual forms. The tools to generate this section are based upon the open-source ripfix [[ripfix](#)] implementation of IPFIX, maintained by one of the authors of this draft.

Here we show the IPFIX Messages generated by the situations in sections [9.1](#) through [9.4](#) of [[I-D.ietf-sipclf-problem-statement](#)].

5.1. Base Template Export

Before exporting any Request or Response records, the Templates describing them must be exported. In this example, the templates These Templates are derived from the base Templates as shown in

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Figure 1 and Figure 2, with the sipClientTransaction and sipServerTransaction Information Elements appended. We use two templates here, one each for request and response for IPv4.

Exporting these Templates results in the following IPFIX message, illustrated as an annotated hexdump in Figure 3.

```

0000: 00 0a 00 fc 4c c0 2a a2 00 00 00 00 00 00 30 39  ....L.*.....09
    [ IPFIX message header, length 252 ] ..... .
0010: 00 02 00 ec
    [ Template set (ID 2) header, length 236 ] ..... .
0014:          01 01 00 11 01 43 00 08 81 99 00 04  ....C.....
0020: 00 00 8a ee 00 08 00 04 00 0c 00 04 00 07 00 02 ..... .
0030: 00 0b 00 02 00 04 00 01 81 92 00 01 00 00 8a ee ..... .
0040: 81 a3 00 01 00 00 8a ee 81 93 ff ff 00 00 8a ee ..... .
0050: 81 96 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 97 ff ff 00 00 8a ee ..... .
0060: 81 94 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 95 ff ff 00 00 8a ee ..... .
0070: 81 98 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 9e ff ff 00 00 8a ee ..... .
0080: 81 9d ff ff 00 00 8a ee
    [ Template 257, 17 elements (v4 request) ] ..... .
0088:          01 02 00 11 01 43 00 08  ....C..
0090: 81 99 00 04 00 00 8a ee 00 08 00 04 00 0c 00 04 ..... .
00a0: 00 07 00 02 00 0b 00 02 00 04 00 01 81 92 00 01 ..... .
00b0: 00 00 8a ee 81 a3 00 01 00 00 8a ee 81 9c 00 02 ..... .
00c0: 00 00 8a ee 81 96 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 97 ff ff ..... .
00d0: 00 00 8a ee 81 94 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 95 ff ff ..... .
00e0: 00 00 8a ee 81 98 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 9e ff ff ..... .
00f0: 00 00 8a ee 81 9d ff ff 00 00 8a ee ..... .
    [ Template 258, 17 elements (v4 response) ] ..... .

```

Figure 3: Base template message export

[5.2. UAC registration](#)

Having exported templates, now we create a simple IPFIX Message representing a UAC registration as seen from the UAC, corresponding to example 9.1 in [[I-D.ietf-sipclf-problem-statement](#)]. This message contains two records, including the UAS registration request, and the response received. This is shown in the annotated hexdump in Figure 4.

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```

0000: 00 0a 00 d8 4c 90 7f c1 00 00 00 00 00 00 30 39 . . . L . . . . . 09
    [ IPFIX message header, length 218 ] . . .
0010: 01 01 00 6b . . . k
    [ Data set (ID 257) header, length 107 ]
0014: 00 00 01 29 13 66 13 93 00 00 00 01 . . . ) . f . . . .
0020: c6 33 64 01 c6 33 64 0a 13 c4 13 c4 11 0c 02 0f . 3d . . 3d . . . . .
0030: 73 69 70 3a 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 00 sip:example.com.
0040: 00 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d ..sip:alice@example.com.
0050: 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 05 37 36 79 68 68 15 66 38 ple.com.76yhh.f8
0060: 31 2d 64 34 2d 66 36 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 1-d4-f6@example.com.c-tr-1.
0070: 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 74 72 2d 31 00

    [ Request record content ] . . .
007b: 01 02 00 5d . . .
    [ Data set (ID 258) header, length 93 ]
007f: 00 . . .
0080: 00 01 29 13 66 15 24 00 00 00 01 c6 33 64 0a c6 ..) . f . $ . . . 3d ..
0090: 33 64 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 0c 01 00 c8 00 00 15 73 3d . . . . . s
00a0: 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 ip:alice@example.com.
00b0: 2e 63 6f 6d 05 37 36 79 68 68 15 66 38 31 2d 64 .com.76yhh.f81-d
00c0: 34 2d 66 36 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 4-f6@example.com.
00d0: 06 63 2d 74 72 2d 31 00 .c-tr-1.

    [ Response record content ] . . .

```

Figure 4: Message containing two log entries for UAC registration

While this demonstrates the binary nature of the SIPCLF-IPFIX format, and shows the content framing for this message, it is not readable for illustration purposes. In Figure 5, we run the message through the ripcollect tool provided with ripfix to provide a more human-readable view. Note that the sipMethod and sipObservationType are encoded according to the registries in [Section 2](#).


```
===== message sequence 0 in domain 12345 at 2010-08-11 11:53:27 UTC =====
---- record 12345/257 ----
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:23 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 1
sourceIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.10
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 12
sipObservationType => 2
sipRequestURI => sip:example.com
sipToURI =>
sipToTag =>
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => 76yhh
sipCallId => f81-d4-f6@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-tr-1
sipServerTransaction =>
---- record 12345/258 ----
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:24 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 1
sourceIPv4Address => 198.51.100.10
destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
sipResponseStatus => 200
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 12
sipObservationType => 1
sipToURI =>
sipToTag =>
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => 76yhh
sipCallId => f81-d4-f6@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-tr-1
sipServerTransaction =>
```

Figure 5: Message containing two log entries for UAC registration

5.3. Direct Call

This example demonstrates the export of a direct call from Alice to Bob, as seen by Bob's agent, corresponding to example 9.2 in [[I-D.ietf-sipclf-problem-statement](#)]. Here we have four records: an INVITE received from Alice, a 180 Ringing sent back followed by a 200 OK, and an ACK received from Alice. This is shown in the ripfix dump in Figure 6 and the hexdump in Figure 7. In the hexdump, message

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headers, set headers, and data records are separated by '||' characters for compactness. Note here that each record has its own data set to support high-speed seeking to a specific record, even when two messages using the same template are adjacent in the message.

```
===== message 12345/0 @2010-10-21 13:11:43 UTC (#2) =====
--- record 12345/257 (#1)---
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:23 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 32
sourceIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
destinationIPv4Address => 203.0.113.1
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 5
sipObservationType => 2
sipRequestURI => sip:bob@bob1.example.net
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag =>
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => 76yhh
sipCallId => f82-d4-f7@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-1-xt6
sipServerTransaction =>
--- record 12345/258 (#2)---
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:25 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 32
sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.1
destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 5
sipObservationType => 1
sipResponseStatus => 180
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag => b-in6-iu
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => 76yhh
sipCallId => f82-d4-f7@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-1-xt6
sipServerTransaction =>
--- record 12345/258 (#3)---
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:26 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 32
sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.1
destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
```

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```
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 5
sipObservationType => 1
sipResponseStatus => 200
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag => b-in6-iu
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => 76yhh
sipCallId => f82-d4-f7@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-1-xt6
sipServerTransaction =>
    --- record 12345/257 (#4)---
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:26 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 32
sourceIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
destinationIPv4Address => 203.0.113.1
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 1
sipObservationType => 2
sipRequestURI => sip:bob@bob1.example.net
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag => b-in6-iu
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => 76yhh
sipCallId => f82-d4-f7@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-1-xt6
sipServerTransaction =>
```

Figure 6: Message containing four records for a simple call (ripfix dump)

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```

0000: 00 0a 02 1a 4c c0 2c b3 00 00 00 00 00 00 30 39| ....L.,.....09
0010: 01 01 00 88|00 00 01 29 13 66 13 93 00 00 00 20 .....).f....
0020: c6 33 64 01 cb 00 71 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 02 18 .3d..q.....
0030: 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 62 6f 62 31 2e 65 78 61 sip:bob@bob1.exa
0040: 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 mple.net.sip:bob
0050: 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 00 15 73 69 @example.net..si
0060: 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e p:alice@example.
0070: 63 6f 6d 05 37 36 79 68 68 15 66 38 32 2d 64 34 com.76yhh.f82-d4
0080: 2d 66 37 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 07 -f7@example.com.
0090: 63 2d 31 2d 78 74 36 00|01 02 00 79|00 00 01 29 c-1-xt6....y...)
00a0: 13 66 18 aa 00 00 00 20 cb 00 71 01 c6 33 64 01 .f..... .q..3d.
00b0: 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 01 00 b4 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f .....sip:bo
00c0: 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 08 62 2d b@example.net.b-
00d0: 69 6e 36 2d 69 75 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 in6-iu.sip:alice
00e0: 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 05 37 36 79 @example.com.76y
00f0: 68 68 15 66 38 32 2d 64 34 2d 66 37 40 65 78 61 hh.f82-d4-f7@example.
0100: 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 07 63 2d 31 2d 78 74 36 mple.com.c-1-xt6
0110: 00|01 02 00 79|00 00 01 29 13 66 1c f4 00 00 00 ....y...).f....
0120: 20 cb 00 71 01 c6 33 64 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 01 ..q..3d.....
0130: 00 c8 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 ...sip:bob@example.
0140: 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 08 62 2d 69 6e 36 2d 69 75 15 le.net.b-in6-iu.
0150: 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c sip:alice@example.
0160: 65 2e 63 6f 6d 05 37 36 79 68 68 15 66 38 32 2d e.com.76yhh.f82-
0170: 64 34 2d 66 37 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f d4-f7@example.co
0180: 6d 07 63 2d 31 2d 78 74 36 00|01 01 00 90|00 00 m.c-1-xt6.....
0190: 01 29 13 66 1d 08 00 00 00 20 c6 33 64 01 cb 00 .).f..... .3d...
01a0: 71 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 01 02 18 73 69 70 3a 62 6f q.....sip:bo
01b0: 62 40 62 6f 62 31 2e 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e b@bob1.example.n
01c0: 65 74 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 et.sip:bob@example.
01d0: 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 08 62 2d 69 6e 36 2d 69 75 15 le.net.b-in6-iu.
01e0: 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c sip:alice@example.
01f0: 65 2e 63 6f 6d 05 37 36 79 68 68 15 66 38 32 2d e.com.76yhh.f82-
0200: 64 34 2d 66 37 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f d4-f7@example.co
0210: 6d 07 63 2d 31 2d 78 74 36 00 m.c-1-xt6.

```

Figure 7: Message containing four records for a simple call (hexdump)

[5.4. Single Downstream Branch Call](#)

The example in Figure 8 and Figure 9 demonstrates the export of a call with a downstream branch to Bob, as seen by the proxy which the call traverses, corresponding to example 9.3 in

[[I-D.ietf-sipclf-problem-statement](#)]. See this example in the problem statement for more details.

```

===== message 12345/0 @2010-10-21 13:12:42 UTC (#2) =====
--- record 12345/257 (#1)---
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:23 UTC

```

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```
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
  destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.10
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 1
  sipRequestURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag =>
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => al-1
  sipCallId => tr-87h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction =>
  sipServerTransaction => s-x-tr
  --- record 12345/258 (#2)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:24 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 198.51.100.10
  destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 2
  sipResponseStatus => 100
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag =>
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => al-1
  sipCallId => tr-87h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction =>
  sipServerTransaction => s-x-tr
  --- record 12345/257 (#3)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:24 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 198.51.100.10
  destinationIPv4Address => 203.0.113.1
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 2
  sipRequestURI => sip:bob@bob1.example.net
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag =>
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
```

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```
  sipFromTag => al-1
  sipCallId => tr-87h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction => c-x-tr
  sipServerTransaction => s-x-tr
  --- record 12345/258 (#4)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:25 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.1
  destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.10
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 1
  sipResponseStatus => 100
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag => b1-1
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => al-1
  sipCallId => tr-87h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction => c-x-tr
  sipServerTransaction => s-x-tr
  --- record 12345/258 (#5)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:25 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.1
  destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.10
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 1
  sipResponseStatus => 180
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag => b1-1
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => al-1
  sipCallId => tr-87h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction => c-x-tr
  sipServerTransaction => s-x-tr
  --- record 12345/258 (#6)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:26 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 198.51.100.10
  destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
```

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```
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 2
  sipResponseStatus => 180
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag => b1-1
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => al-1
  sipCallId => tr-87h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction => c-x-tr
  sipServerTransaction => s-x-tr
  --- record 12345/258 (#7)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:27 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.1
  destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.10
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 1
  sipResponseStatus => 200
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag => b1-1
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => al-1
  sipCallId => tr-87h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction => c-x-tr
  sipServerTransaction => s-x-tr
  --- record 12345/258 (#8)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:27 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 198.51.100.10
  destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 2
  sipResponseStatus => 200
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag => b1-1
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => al-1
  sipCallId => tr-87h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction => c-x-tr
  sipServerTransaction => s-x-tr
  --- record 12345/257 (#9)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:29 UTC
```

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```

sipSequenceNumber => 43
sourceIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.10
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 1
sipObservationType => 1
sipRequestURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag => b1-1
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => al-1
sipCallId => tr-87h@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-x-tr
sipServerTransaction => s-x-tr
--- record 12345/257 (#10)---
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:29 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 43
sourceIPv4Address => 198.51.100.10
destinationIPv4Address => 203.0.113.1
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 1
sipObservationType => 2
sipRequestURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag => b1-1
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => al-1
sipCallId => tr-87h@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-x-tr
sipServerTransaction => s-x-tr

```

Figure 8: Message containing ten records for a downstream branch call
(ripfix dump)

```

0000: 00 0a 04 e1|4c c0 2c e5 00 00 00 00 00 00 30 39| ....L.,.....09
0010: 01 01 00 7e|00 00 01 29 13 66 13 93 00 00 00 2b  ...~....).f.....+
0020: c6 33 64 01 c6 33 64 0a 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 01 13  .3d..3d.......
0030: 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e  sip:bob@example.
0040: 6e 65 74 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d  net.sip:bob@exam
0050: 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 00 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69  ple.net..sip:ali
0060: 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61  ce@example.com.a
0070: 6c 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 37 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70  l-1.tr-87h@examp
0080: 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 00 06 73 2d 78 2d 74 72|01 02  le.com..s-x-tr..

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0090: 00 6c|00 00 01 29 13 66 14 c1 00 00 00 2b c6 33 .l...).f.....+3
00a0: 64 0a c6 33 64 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 02 00 64 13 d..3d.....d.
00b0: 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e sip:bob@example.
00c0: 6e 65 74 00 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 net..sip:alice@e
00d0: 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 6c 2d 31 12 xample.com.al-1.
00e0: 74 72 2d 38 37 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 tr-87h@example.c
00f0: 6f 6d 00 06 73 2d 78 2d 74 72|01 01 00 89|00 00 om..s-x-tr.....
0100: 01 29 13 66 18 a6 00 00 00 2b c6 33 64 0a cb 00 .).f.....+3d...
0110: 71 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 02 18 73 69 70 3a 62 6f q.....sip:bo
0120: 62 40 62 6f 62 31 2e 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e b@bob1.example.n
0130: 65 74 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 et.sip:bob@example
0140: 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 00 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 le.net..sip:alic
0150: 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 6c e@example.com.al
0160: 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 37 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c -1.tr-87h@example
0170: 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 78 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 78 e.com.c-x-tr.s-x
0180: 2d 74 72|01 02 00 76|00 00 01 29 13 66 19 70 00 -tr...v...).f.p.
0190: 00 00 2b cb 00 71 01 c6 33 64 0a 13 c4 13 c4 11 ..+..q..3d.....
01a0: 05 01 00 64 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 ...d.sip:bob@example
01b0: 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 04 62 31 2d 31 15 73 69 mple.net.b1-1.si
01c0: 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e p:alice@example.
01d0: 63 6f 6d 04 61 6c 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 37 68 40 com.al-1.tr-87h@
01e0: 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 78 2d example.com.c-x-
01f0: 74 72 06 73 2d 78 2d 74 72|01 02 00 76|00 00 01 tr.s-x-tr...v...
0200: 29 13 66 1b c8 00 00 00 2b cb 00 71 01 c6 33 64).f.....+..q..3d
0210: 0a 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 01 00 b4 13 73 69 70 3a 62sip:b
0220: 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 04 62 ob@example.net.b
0230: 31 2d 31 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 1-1.sip:alice@example
0240: 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 6c 2d 31 12 74 ample.com.al-1.t
0250: 72 2d 38 37 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f r-87h@example.co
0260: 6d 06 63 2d 78 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 78 2d 74 72|01 m.c-x-tr.s-x-tr.
0270: 02 00 76|00 00 01 29 13 66 1c 98 00 00 00 2b c6 ..v...).f.....+.
0280: 33 64 0a c6 33 64 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 02 00 b4 3d..3d.....
0290: 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 .sip:bob@example
02a0: 2e 6e 65 74 04 62 31 2d 31 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c .net.b1-1.sip:al
02b0: 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 ice@example.com.
02c0: 61 6c 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 37 68 40 65 78 61 6d al-1.tr-87h@example
02d0: 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 78 2d 74 72 06 73 ple.com.c-x-tr.s
02e0: 2d 78 2d 74 72|01 02 00 76|00 00 01 29 13 66 20 -x-tr...v...).f
02f0: f0 00 00 00 2b cb 00 71 01 c6 33 64 0a 13 c4 13+..q..3d....
0300: c4 11 05 01 00 c8 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65sip:bob@e
0310: 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 04 62 31 2d 31 15 xample.net.b1-1.
0320: 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c sip:alice@example
0330: 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 6c 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 37 e.com.al-1.tr-87
0340: 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d h@example.com.c-
0350: 78 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 78 2d 74 72|01 02 00 76|00 x-tr.s-x-tr...v.
0360: 00 01 29 13 66 21 a4 00 00 00 2b c6 33 64 0a c6 ..).f!....+3d..
0370: 33 64 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 02 00 c8 13 73 69 70 3d.....sip
0380: 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 :bob@example.net

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0390: 04 62 31 2d 31 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 .b1-1.sip:alice@
03a0: 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 6c 2d 31 example.com.al-1
03b0: 12 74 72 2d 38 37 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e .tr-87h@example.
03c0: 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 78 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 78 2d 74 com.c-x-tr.s-x-t
03d0: 72|01 01 00 88|00 00 01 29 13 66 28 ac 00 00 00 r.....).f(....
03e0: 2b c6 33 64 01 c6 33 64 0a 13 c4 13 c4 11 01 01 +.3d..3d.....
03f0: 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 .sip:bob@example
0400: 2e 6e 65 74 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 .net.sip:bob@exa
0410: 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 04 62 31 2d 31 15 73 69 mple.net.b1-1.si
0420: 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e p:alice@example.
0430: 63 6f 6d 04 61 6c 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 37 68 40 com.al-1.tr-87h@
0440: 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 78 2d example.com.c-x-
0450: 74 72 06 73 2d 78 2d 74 72|01 01 00 88|00 00 01 tr.s-x-tr.....
0460: 29 13 66 28 ac 00 00 00 2b c6 33 64 0a cb 00 71 ).f(....+.3d...q
0470: 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 01 02 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 .....sip:bob
0480: 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 13 73 69 70 @example.net.sip
0490: 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 :bob@example.net
04a0: 04 62 31 2d 31 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 .b1-1.sip:alice@
04b0: 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 6c 2d 31 example.com.al-1
04c0: 12 74 72 2d 38 37 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e .tr-87h@example.
04d0: 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 78 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 78 2d 74 com.c-x-tr.s-x-t
04e0: 72 r

```

Figure 9: Message containing ten log entries for a downstream branch call (hexdump)

[5.5. Forked Call](#)

The example in Figure 11 and Figure 12 demonstrates the export of forked call to Bob, as seen by one of Bob's instances which forks the call traverses, corresponding to example 9.4 in [[I-D.ietf-sipclf-problem-statement](#)]. See this example for more details. Note that, since Bob's first instance is multihomed IPv4-IPv6, this example requires additional templates: request and response templates for IPv4 to IPv6 and back, these are shown in Figure 10.

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0000: 00 0a 01 e4 4c c0 2d 9b 00 00 00 00 00 00 30 39 . . . L . - . . . . . 09
0010: 00 02 01 d4 01 05 00 11 01 43 00 08 81 99 00 04 . . . . . C . . . .
0020: 00 00 8a ee 00 08 00 04 00 1c 00 10 00 07 00 02 . . . . . . . . . .
0030: 00 0b 00 02 00 04 00 01 81 92 00 01 00 00 8a ee . . . . . .
0040: 81 a3 00 01 00 00 8a ee 81 93 ff ff 00 00 8a ee . . . . . .
0050: 81 96 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 97 ff ff 00 00 8a ee . . . . . .
0060: 81 94 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 95 ff ff 00 00 8a ee . . . . . .
0070: 81 98 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 9e ff ff 00 00 8a ee . . . . . .
0080: 81 9d ff ff 00 00 8a ee 01 06 00 11 01 43 00 08 . . . . . C . .
0090: 81 99 00 04 00 00 8a ee 00 08 00 04 00 1c 00 10 . . . . . .
00a0: 00 07 00 02 00 0b 00 02 00 04 00 01 81 92 00 01 . . . . . .
00b0: 00 00 8a ee 81 a3 00 01 00 00 8a ee 81 9c 00 02 . . . . . .
00c0: 00 00 8a ee 81 96 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 97 ff ff . . . . . .
00d0: 00 00 8a ee 81 94 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 95 ff ff . . . . . .
00e0: 00 00 8a ee 81 98 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 9e ff ff . . . . . .
00f0: 00 00 8a ee 81 9d ff ff 00 00 8a ee 01 07 00 11 . . . . . .
0100: 01 43 00 08 81 99 00 04 00 00 8a ee 00 1b 00 10 . C . . . . .
0110: 00 0c 00 04 00 07 00 02 00 0b 00 02 00 04 00 01 . . . . . .
0120: 81 92 00 01 00 00 8a ee 81 a3 00 01 00 00 8a ee . . . . . .
0130: 81 93 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 96 ff ff 00 00 8a ee . . . . . .
0140: 81 97 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 94 ff ff 00 00 8a ee . . . . . .
0150: 81 95 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 98 ff ff 00 00 8a ee . . . . . .
0160: 81 9e ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 9d ff ff 00 00 8a ee . . . . . .
0170: 01 08 00 11 01 43 00 08 81 99 00 04 00 00 8a ee . . . C . . .
0180: 00 1b 00 10 00 0c 00 04 00 07 00 02 00 0b 00 02 . . . . . .
0190: 00 04 00 01 81 92 00 01 00 00 8a ee 81 a3 00 01 . . . . . .
01a0: 00 00 8a ee 81 9c 00 02 00 00 8a ee 81 96 ff ff . . . . . .
01b0: 00 00 8a ee 81 97 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 94 ff ff . . . . . .
01c0: 00 00 8a ee 81 95 ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 98 ff ff . . . . . .
01d0: 00 00 8a ee 81 9e ff ff 00 00 8a ee 81 9d ff ff . . . . . .
01e0: 00 00 8a ee . . . . . .

```

Figure 10: Message containing templates for IPv4 to IPv6 requests and responses, and vice versa

```

===== message 12345/0 @2010-10-21 13:13:01 UTC (#3) =====
--- record 12345/257 (#1)---
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:23 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 43
sourceIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
destinationIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 5
sipObservationType => 1
sipRequestURI => sip:bob@example.net

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```
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag =>
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => a1-1
  sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction =>
  sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
    --- record 12345/258 (#2)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:24 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
  destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 2
  sipResponseStatus => 100
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag =>
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => a1-1
  sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction =>
  sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
    --- record 12345/257 (#3)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:24 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
  destinationIPv4Address => 203.0.113.1
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 2
  sipRequestURI => sip:bob@bob1.example.net
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag =>
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => a1-1
  sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction => c-1-tr
  sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
    --- record 12345/261 (#4)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:25 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
  destinationIPv6Address => 2001:db8::9
```

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```
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 5
sipObservationType => 2
sipRequestURI => sip:bob@bob2.example.net
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag =>
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => a1-1
sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-2-tr
sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
--- record 12345/258 (#5)---
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:25 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 43
sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.1
destinationIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 5
sipObservationType => 1
sipResponseStatus => 100
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag => b1-1
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => a1-1
sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-1-tr
sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
--- record 12345/264 (#6)---
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:26 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 43
sourceIPv6Address => 2001:db8::9
destinationIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 5
sipObservationType => 1
sipResponseStatus => 100
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag => b2-2
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => a1-1
sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-2-tr
```

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```
  sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
    --- record 12345/264 (#7)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:26 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv6Address => 2001:db8::9
  destinationIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 1
  sipResponseStatus => 180
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag => b2-2
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => a1-1
  sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction => c-2-tr
  sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
    --- record 12345/258 (#8)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:26 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
  destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 2
  sipResponseStatus => 180
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag =>
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => a1-1
  sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction => c-2-tr
  sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
    --- record 12345/258 (#9)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:27 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
  destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 2
  sipResponseStatus => 180
```

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```
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag => b1-1
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => a1-1
  sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction => c-1-tr
  sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
    --- record 12345/258 (#10)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:27 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.1
  destinationIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 1
  sipResponseStatus => 200
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag => b1-1
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => a1-1
  sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction => c-1-tr
  sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
    --- record 12345/258 (#11)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:28 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
  destinationIPv4Address => 198.51.100.1
  sourceTransportPort => 5060
  destinationTransportPort => 5060
  protocolIdentifier => 17
  sipMethod => 5
  sipObservationType => 2
  sipResponseStatus => 200
  sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
  sipToTag => b1-1
  sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
  sipFromTag => a1-1
  sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
  sipClientTransaction => c-1-tr
  sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
    --- record 12345/261 (#12)---
  observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:28 UTC
  sipSequenceNumber => 43
  sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
  destinationIPv6Address => 2001:db8::9
```

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```
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 3
sipObservationType => 2
sipRequestURI => sip:bob@bob2.example.net
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag =>
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => a1-1
sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-2-tr
sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
--- record 12345/264 (#13)---
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:28 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 43
sourceIPv6Address => 2001:db8::9
destinationIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 5
sipObservationType => 1
sipResponseStatus => 487
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag =>
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => a1-1
sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-2-tr
sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
--- record 12345/261 (#14)---
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:29 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 43
sourceIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
destinationIPv6Address => 2001:db8::9
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 1
sipObservationType => 2
sipRequestURI => sip:bob@bob2.example.net
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag =>
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => a1-1
sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-2-tr
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sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr
--- record 12345/264 (#15)---
observationTimeMilliseconds => 2010-06-07 17:12:30 UTC
sipSequenceNumber => 43
sourceIPv6Address => 2001:db8::9
destinationIPv4Address => 203.0.113.200
sourceTransportPort => 5060
destinationTransportPort => 5060
protocolIdentifier => 17
sipMethod => 3
sipObservationType => 1
sipResponseStatus => 200
sipToURI => sip:bob@example.net
sipToTag =>
sipFromURI => sip:alice@example.com
sipFromTag => a1-1
sipCallId => tr-88h@example.com
sipClientTransaction => c-2-tr
sipServerTransaction => s-1-tr

```

Figure 11: Message containing fifteen records for a forked call

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0000: 00 0a 07 8c 4c c0 2d 9b 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 30 39| ....L.-.....09
0010: 01 01 00 7e|00 00 01 29 13 66 13 93 00 00 00 2b  ...~....).f.....+
0020: c6 33 64 01 cb 00 71 c8 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 01 13  .3d...q.......
0030: 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e  sip:bob@example.
0040: 6e 65 74 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d  net.sip:bob@exam
0050: 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 00 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69  ple.net..sip:ali
0060: 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61  ce@example.com.a
0070: 31 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 38 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70  1-1.tr-88h@examp
0080: 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 00 06 73 2d 31 2d 74 72|01 02  le.com..s-1-tr..
0090: 00 6c|00 00 01 29 13 66 14 c1 00 00 00 2b cb 00  .l....).f.....+..
00a0: 71 c8 c6 33 64 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 02 00 64 13  q..3d.....d.
00b0: 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e  sip:bob@example.
00c0: 6e 65 74 00 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65  net..sip:alice@e
00d0: 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 31 2d 31 12  xample.com.a1-1.
00e0: 74 72 2d 38 38 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63  tr-88h@example.c
00f0: 6f 6d 00 06 73 2d 31 2d 74 72|01 01 00 89|00 00  om..s-1-tr.....
0100: 01 29 13 66 18 a6 00 00 00 2b cb 00 71 c8 cb 00  .).f.....+..q...
0110: 71 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 02 18 73 69 70 3a 62 6f  q.....sip:bo
0120: 62 40 62 6f 62 31 2e 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e  b@bob1.example.n
0130: 65 74 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70  et.sip:bob@example.
0140: 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 00 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63  le.net..sip:alic
0150: 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 31  e@example.com.a1
0160: 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 38 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c  -1.tr-88h@exampl
0170: 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 31 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 31  e.com.c-1-tr.s-1
0180: 2d 74 72|01 05 00 95|00 00 01 29 13 66 1a 9c 00  -tr.....).f...

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0190: 00 00 2b cb 00 71 c8 20 01 0d b8 00 00 00 00 00 00 ..+..q.
01a0: 00 00 00 00 00 09 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 02 18 73s
01b0: 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 62 6f 62 32 2e 65 78 61 6d ip:bob@bob2.exam
01c0: 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 ple.net.sip:bob@
01d0: 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 00 15 73 69 70 example.net..sip
01e0: 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 :alice@example.c
01f0: 6f 6d 04 61 31 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 38 68 40 65 om.a1-1.tr-88h@e
0200: 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 32 2d 74 xample.com.c-2-t
0210: 72 06 73 2d 31 2d 74 72|01 02 00 76|00 00 01 29 r.s-1-tr...v...)
0220: 13 66 1b c8 00 00 00 2b cb 00 71 01 cb 00 71 c8 .f.....+..q...q.
0230: 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 01 00 64 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6fd.sip:bo
0240: 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 04 62 31 b@example.net.b1
0250: 2d 31 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 -1.sip:alice@exa
0260: 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 31 2d 31 12 74 72 mple.com.a1-1.tr
0270: 2d 38 38 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d -88h@example.com
0280: 06 63 2d 31 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 31 2d 74 72|01 08 .c-1-tr.s-1-tr..
0290: 00 82|00 00 01 29 13 66 1c f4 00 00 00 2b 20 01).f.....+.
02a0: 0d b8 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 09 cb 00
02b0: 71 c8 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 01 00 64 13 73 69 70 3a q.....d.sip:
02c0: 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 04 bob@example.net.
02d0: 62 32 2d 32 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 b2-2.sip:alice@e
02e0: 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 31 2d 31 12 xample.com.a1-1.
02f0: 74 72 2d 38 38 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 tr-88h@example.c
0300: 6f 6d 06 63 2d 32 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 31 2d 74 72| om.c-2-tr.s-1-tr
0310: 01 08 00 82|00 00 01 29 13 66 1f 4c 00 00 00 2b).f.L...+
0320: 20 01 0d b8 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 09
0330: cb 00 71 c8 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 01 00 b4 13 73 69 ..q.....si
0340: 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 p:bob@example.ne
0350: 74 04 62 32 2d 32 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 t.b2-2.sip:alice
0360: 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 31 2d @example.com.a1-
0370: 31 12 74 72 2d 38 38 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 1.tr-88h@example
0380: 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 32 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 31 2d .com.c-2-tr.s-1-
0390: 74 72|01 02 00 72|00 00 01 29 13 66 20 6e 00 00 tr...r...).f n..
03a0: 00 2b cb 00 71 c8 c6 33 64 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 .+..q..3d.....
03b0: 02 00 b4 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6dsip:bob@exam
03c0: 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 00 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 ple.net..sip:ali
03d0: 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 ce@example.com.a
03e0: 31 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 38 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 1-1.tr-88h@examp
03f0: 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 32 2d 74 72 06 73 2d le.com.c-2-tr.s-
0400: 31 2d 74 72|01 02 00 76|00 00 01 29 13 66 21 a4 1-tr...v...).f!.
0410: 00 00 00 2b cb 00 71 c8 c6 33 64 01 13 c4 13 c4 ...+..q..3d.....
0420: 11 05 02 00 b4 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78sip:bob@ex
0430: 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 04 62 31 2d 31 15 73 ample.net.b1-1.s
0440: 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 ip:alice@example
0450: 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 31 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 38 68 .com.a1-1.tr-88h
0460: 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 31 @example.com.c-1
0470: 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 31 2d 74 72|01 02 00 76|00 00 -tr.s-1-tr...v..
0480: 01 29 13 66 23 98 00 00 00 2b cb 00 71 01 cb 00 .).f#....+..q...

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0490: 71 c8 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 01 00 c8 13 73 69 70 3a q.....sip:
 04a0: 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 04 bob@example.net.
 04b0: 62 31 2d 31 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 b1-1.sip:alice@e
 04c0: 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 31 2d 31 12 xample.com.a1-1.
 04d0: 74 72 2d 38 38 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 tr-88h@example.c
 04e0: 6f 6d 06 63 2d 31 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 31 2d 74 72| om.c-1-tr.s-1-tr
 04f0: 01 02 00 76|00 00 01 29 13 66 24 60 00 00 00 00 2b ...v....).f\$`...+
 0500: cb 00 71 c8 c6 33 64 01 13 c4 13 c4 11 05 02 00 ..q..3d.....
 0510: c8 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c ..sip:bob@example
 0520: 65 2e 6e 65 74 04 62 31 2d 31 15 73 69 70 3a 61 e.net.b1-1.sip:a
 0530: 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d lice@example.com
 0540: 04 61 31 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 38 68 40 65 78 61 .a1-1.tr-88h@exa
 0550: 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 31 2d 74 72 06 mple.com.c-1-tr.
 0560: 73 2d 31 2d 74 72|01 05 00 95|00 00 01 29 13 66 s-1-tr.....).f
 0570: 25 29 00 00 00 2b cb 00 71 c8 20 01 0d b8 00 00 %)...+...q.
 0580: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 09 13 c4 13 c4 11 03
 0590: 02 18 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 62 6f 62 32 2e 65 ..sip:bob@bob2.e
 05a0: 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 13 73 69 70 3a 62 xample.net.sip:b
 05b0: 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 00 15 ob@example.net..
 05c0: 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c sip:alice@example
 05d0: 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 31 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 38 e.com.a1-1.tr-88
 05e0: 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d h@example.com.c-
 05f0: 32 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 31 2d 74 72|01 08 00 7e|00 2-tr.s-1-tr...~.
 0600: 00 01 29 13 66 28 3f 00 00 00 2b 20 01 0d b8 00 ..).f(?...+
 0610: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 09 cb 00 71 c8 13q..
 0620: c4 13 c4 11 05 01 01 e7 13 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62sip:bob
 0630: 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 00 15 73 69 @example.net..si
 0640: 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e p:alice@example.
 0650: 63 6f 6d 04 61 31 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 38 68 40 com.a1-1.tr-88h@
 0660: 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 2d 32 2d example.com.c-2-
 0670: 74 72 06 73 2d 31 2d 74 72|01 05 00 95|00 00 01 tr.s-1-tr.....
 0680: 29 13 66 2a 0f 00 00 00 2b cb 00 71 c8 20 01 0d).f*....+..q. ..
 0690: b8 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 09 13 c4 13
 06a0: c4 11 01 02 18 73 69 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 62 6f 62sip:bob@bob
 06b0: 32 2e 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 13 73 69 2.example.net.si
 06c0: 70 3a 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 p:bob@example.ne
 06d0: 74 00 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 t..sip:alice@exa
 06e0: 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 31 2d 31 12 74 72 mple.com.a1-1.tr
 06f0: 2d 38 38 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d -88h@example.com
 0700: 06 63 2d 32 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 31 2d 74 72|01 08 .c-2-tr.s-1-tr..
 0710: 00 7e|00 00 01 29 13 66 2c 31 00 00 00 2b 20 01 ~...).f,1...+ .
 0720: 0d b8 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 09 cb 00
 0730: 71 c8 13 c4 13 c4 11 03 01 00 c8 13 73 69 70 3a q.....sip:
 0740: 62 6f 62 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 6e 65 74 00 bob@example.net.
 0750: 15 73 69 70 3a 61 6c 69 63 65 40 65 78 61 6d 70 .sip:alice@examp
 0760: 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 04 61 31 2d 31 12 74 72 2d 38 le.com.a1-1.tr-8
 0770: 38 68 40 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 06 63 8h@example.com.c
 0780: 2d 32 2d 74 72 06 73 2d 31 2d 74 72 -2-tr.s-1-tr

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Figure 12: Message containing sixteen log entries for a forked call

6. Security Considerations

[TODO]

7. IANA Considerations

This document defines the sipMethod subregistry for the IANA IPFIX Information Element registry at <http://www.iana.org/assignments/ipfix> for the values taken by the sipMethod Information Element. The initial content of this subregistry is specified in [Section 2.13](#). Entries may be added to this subregistry subject to the same Standards Action [[RFC5226](#)] that adds new Methods to the Methods and Response Codes registry at <http://www.iana.org/assignments/sip-parameters>.

At such time as this document is prepared for publication as an RFC, the Information Elements defined herein will be defined for inclusion in the IANA IPFIX Information Element registry at <http://www.iana.org/assignments/ipfix>. Until such time, the Information Elements within this document are defined within Private Enterprise Number 35566, belonging to one of the authors.

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[Appendix A. Definition of Base SIP Message Information Elements in IANA XML Registry format](#)

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```
<registry xmlns="http://www.iana.org/assignments" id="ipfix">
<registry id="ipfix-information-element-definitions">
<record>
  <name>sipObservationType</name>
  <dataType>unsigned8</dataType>
  <dataTypeSemantics>identifier</dataTypeSemantics>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>419</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>
      Denotes whether the entry was
      corresponds to a SIP message received, sent, or merely
      seen by a passive observer, as follows:
    </paragraph>
    <paragraph>0: unknown: The Metering Process does not
      specify the observation type.</paragraph>
    <paragraph>1: receiver: The Metering Process is, or is
      co-located with, the receiver of the SIP message.</paragraph>
    <paragraph>2: sender: The Metering Process is, or is
      co-located with, the sender of the SIP message.</paragraph>
```



```
<paragraph>3: passive: The Metering Process passively  
observed the SIP message.</paragraph>  
</description>  
</record>  
<record>  
  <name>sipMethod</name>  
  <dataType>unsigned8</dataType>  
  <dataTypeSemantics>identifier</dataTypeSemantics>  
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>  
  <elementId>402</elementId>  
  <status>current</status>  
  <description>  
    <paragraph>  
      The SIP method from the CSeq header, encoded as per  
      the IPFIX sipMethod subregistry.  
    </paragraph>  
  </description>  
</record>  
<record>  
  <name>sipSequenceNumber</name>  
  <dataType>unsigned32</dataType>  
  <dataTypeSemantics>identifier</dataTypeSemantics>  
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>  
  <elementId>409</elementId>  
  <status>current</status>  
  <description>  
    <paragraph>The sequence number from the CSeq header.</paragraph>  
  </description>  
</record>  
<record>  
  <name>sipRequestURI</name>  
  <dataType>string</dataType>  
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>  
  <elementId>403</elementId>  
  <status>current</status>  
  <description>  
    <paragraph>The SIP Request URI, including any parameters,  
    as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as  
    received by the metering process.</paragraph>  
  </description>  
</record>  
<record>  
  <name>sipFromURI</name>  
  <dataType>string</dataType>  
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>  
  <elementId>404</elementId>  
  <status>current</status>  
  <description>
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```
    <paragraph>The URI from the SIP From: header</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipFromTag</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>405</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The Tag parameter value from the SIP
      From: header</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipToURI</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>406</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The URI from the SIP To: header</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipToTag</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>407</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The Tag parameter value from the SIP To:
      header</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipCallId</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>408</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The value of the SIP Call-ID: header</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipResponseStatus</name>
  <dataType>unsigned16</dataType>
```

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```
<dataTypeSemantics>identifier</dataTypeSemantics>
<enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
<elementId>412</elementId>
<status>current</status>
<description>
  <paragraph>The SIP Response code. The presence of this
    Information Element in a SIP Message record marks it as
    describing a SIP response; if absent, the record describes
    a SIP request.</paragraph>
</description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipServerTransaction</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <dataTypeSemantics>identifier</dataTypeSemantics>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>413</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The transaction identifier associated with
      the server transaction.</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipClientTransaction</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <dataTypeSemantics>identifier</dataTypeSemantics>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>414</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The transaction identifier associated with
      the client transaction.</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
</registry>
</registry>
```

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[Appendix B.](#) **Definition of sipMethod registry in IANA XML Registry** format

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```
<registry xmlns="http://www.iana.org/assignments" id="ipfix">
  <registry id="sipMethod">
```

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```
<title>IPFIX sipMethod</title>
<registration_rule>Expert Review</registration_rule>
<record>
  <value>0</value>
  <description>Unknown</description>
  <comments>The Metering Process did not
    recognize the SIP method.</comments>
</record>
<record>
  <value>1</value>
  <description>ACK</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc3261" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>2</value>
  <description>BYE</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc3261" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>3</value>
  <description>CANCEL</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc3261" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>4</value>
  <description>INFO</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc6086" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>5</value>
  <description>INVITE</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc3261" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>6</value>
  <description>MESSAGE</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc3428" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>7</value>
  <description>NOTIFY</description>
  <comments/>
```

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```
<xref type="rfc" data="rfc3265" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>8</value>
  <description>OPTIONS</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc3261" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>9</value>
  <description>PRACK</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc3262" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>10</value>
  <description>PUBLISH</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc3903" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>11</value>
  <description>REFER</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc3515" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>12</value>
  <description>REGISTER</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc3261" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>13</value>
  <description>SUBSCRIBE</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc3265" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>14</value>
  <description>UPDATE</description>
  <comments/>
  <xref type="rfc" data="rfc3311" />
</record>
<record>
  <value>15-65535</value>
  <description>Unassigned</description>
  <comments></comments>
```

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```
    </record>
  </registry>
</registry>

          sipMethod subregistry
```

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```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>

<registry xmlns="http://www.iana.org/assignments" id="ipfix">
  <registry id="ipfix-information-element-definitions">

    <record>
      <name>sipContactURI</name>
      <dataType>string</dataType>
      <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
      <elementId>415</elementId>
      <status>current</status>
      <description>
        <paragraph>The addr-spec URI, including any URI parameters,
          of the first/top-most SIP Contact header,
          as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
          received by the metering process.</paragraph>
      </description>
    </record>
    <record>
      <name>sipRouteURI</name>
      <dataType>string</dataType>
      <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
      <elementId>416</elementId>
      <status>current</status>
      <description>
        <paragraph>The addr-spec URI, including any URI parameters,
          of the first/top-most SIP Route header,
          as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
          received by the metering process.</paragraph>
      </description>
    </record>
    <record>
      <name>sipPaiURI</name>
      <dataType>string</dataType>
      <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
      <elementId>417</elementId>
```

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```
<status>current</status>
<description>
  <paragraph>The addr-spec URI, including any URI parameters,
  of the first/top-most SIP P-Asserted-Identity header,
  as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
  received by the metering process.</paragraph>
</description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipPpiURI</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>418</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The addr-spec URI, including any URI parameters,
    of the first/top-most SIP P-Preferred-Identity header,
    as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
    received by the metering process.</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipPAssocURI</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>430</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The addr-spec URI, including any URI parameters,
    of the first/top-most SIP P-Associated-Identity header,
    as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
    received by the metering process.</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipPCalledPartyURI</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>420</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The addr-spec URI, including any URI parameters,
    of the SIP P-Called-Party-ID header,
    as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
    received by the metering process.</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
```

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```
<name>sipVia</name>
<dataType>string</dataType>
<enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
<elementId>421</elementId>
<status>current</status>
<description>
  <paragraph>The value of the first/top-most Via header
    as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
    received by the metering process.</paragraph>
</description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipAuthUsername</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>422</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The value of the username field
      of the first/top-most Authorization header
      as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
      received by the metering process.</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipSubscriptionEvent</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>423</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The value of the Event header
      as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
      received by the metering process.</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipSubscriptionState</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>424</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The value of the Subscription-State header
      as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
      received by the metering process.</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
```

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```
<record>
  <name>sipExpires</name>
  <dataType>unsigned32</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>425</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The numeric value of the expires parameter of the
      first/top-most Contact header of a REGISTER request
      or response, or Subscription-State header of a SUBSCRIBE
      or NOTIFY request or response, or the Expires header
      if the expires parameter does not exist, as
      received by the metering process.</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipPVisitedNetworkID</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>426</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The value of the first/top-most P-Visited-Network-ID
      header as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
      received by the metering process.</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipPAccessNetworkInfo</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>427</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The value of the P-Access-Network-Info header
      as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
      received by the metering process.</paragraph>
  </description>
</record>
<record>
  <name>sipPChargingFunctionAddr</name>
  <dataType>string</dataType>
  <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
  <elementId>428</elementId>
  <status>current</status>
  <description>
    <paragraph>The value of the first/top-most
      P-Charging-Function-Addresses header
```

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```

        as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
        received by the metering process.</paragraph>
    </description>
</record>
<record>
    <name>sipPChargingVector</name>
    <dataType>string</dataType>
    <enterpriseId>35566</enterpriseId>
    <elementId>429</elementId>
    <status>current</status>
    <description>
        <paragraph>The value of the P-Charging-Vector header
        as a UTF-8 string, escaped according to SIP rules as
        received by the metering process.</paragraph>
    </description>
</record>
</registry>
</registry>
```

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[Appendix D. Example messages in base64](#)

This section contains the example messages from this revision of this draft in base64 encoding, for ease of processing by automated tools.

The base templates are in this message:

```
AAoA/EzALZsAAAAAAAwOQACAOwBAQARAUMACIGZAAQAAIrAAgABAAMAAQA
BwACAAAsAAgAEAGBkgABAACK7oGjAAEAAIrugZP//wAAiu6Blv//AACK7oGX
//8AAIrugZT//wAAiu6Blf//AACK7oGY//8AAIrugZ7//wAAiu6Bnf//AACK
7gECABEBQwAIgZkABAAAi4ACAAEAAwABAHHAAICwACAAQAAYGSAEAAIr
gaMAAQAAiu6BnAACACK7oGW//8AAIrugZf//wAAiu6BlP//AACK7oGV//8A
AIrugZj//wAAiu6Bnv//AAC7oGd//8AAIr
```

The extended 4to6 and 6to4 templates are in this message:

```
AAoB5EzALZsAAAAAAAwOQACAdQBQARAUMACIGZAAQAAIrAAgABAAcABAA
BwACAAAsAAgAEAGBkgABAACK7oGjAAEAAIrugZP//wAAiu6Blv//AACK7oGX
//8AAIrugZT//wAAiu6Blf//AACK7oGY//8AAIrugZ7//wAAiu6Bnf//AACK
7gEGABEBQwAIgZkABAAAi4ACAAEABwAEAAHAAICwACAAQAAYGSAEAAIr
gaMAAQAAiu6BnAACACK7oGW//8AAIrugZf//wAAiu6BlP//AACK7oGV//8A
AIrugZj//wAAiu6Bnv//AAC7oGd//8AAIrueAQcAEQFDAAiBmQAEACK7gAb
ABAADAAEAAcAAgALAAIBAABgZIAQAAi6BowABAACK7oGT//8AAIrugZb/
/wAAiu6Bl//AAC7oGU//8AAIrugZX//wAAiu6BmP//AAC7oGe//8AAIrugZ3//
wAAiu4BCAARAUMACIGZAAQAAIrubAsAEAAMAAQAbwACAAsAAgAEAAGB
kgABAACK7oGjAAEAAIrugZwAAgAAiu6Blv//AAC7oGX//8AAIrugZT//wAA
iu6Blf//
```


AACK7oGY//8AAIrugZ7//wAAiu6Bnf//AACK7g==

The UAC registration in [Section 5.2](#) is in this message:

```
AAoA2EzA088AAAAAAAwOQEBAgAAAEpE2YTkwAAAAGM2QBxjNkChPEE8QR
DAIPc2lw0mV4Yw1wbGUuY29tAAAVc2lw0mFsaWN1QGV4Yw1wbGUuY29tBTc2
eWhoFWY4MS1kNC1mNkBleGFtcGx1LmNvbQZjLXRyLTEAAQIAxQAAASKTzhUK
AAAAAcYzzArGM2QBE8QTxBEMAQDIAAAVc2lw0mFsaWN1QGV4Yw1wbGUuY29t
BTc2eWhoFWY4MS1kNC1mNkBleGFtcGx1LmNvbQZjLXRyLTEA
```

The direct call in [Section 5.3](#) is in this message:

```
AAoCGkzAPA8AAAAAAAwOQEBAIgAAAEpE2YTkwAACDGM2QBywBxARPEE8QR
BQIYc2lw0mJvYkBib2IxLmV4Yw1wbGUubmV0E3NpcDpib2JAZXhhXBsZS5u
ZXQAFXNpcDphbG1jZUBleGFtcGx1LmNvbQU3NnloaBvmoDItZDQtZjdAZXhh
bXBsZS5jb20HYy0xLxh0NgABAgB5AAABKRNmGKoAAAgywBxAcYzzAETxBPE
EQUBALQTc2lw0mJvYkBleGFtcGx1Lm5ldAhilWluNi1pdRVzaXA6YWxpY2VA
ZXhhbXBsZS5jb20FNzz5aGgVZjgyLwQ0LwY3QGV4Yw1wbGUuY29tB2MtMS14
dDYAAQIAeQAAASKTzh0AAAAIMsAcQHGM2QBE8QTxBEFAQDIE3NpcDpib2JA
ZXhhbXBsZS5uZXQIYi1pbjYtaXUVc2lw0mFsaWN1QGV4Yw1wbGUuY29tBTc2
eWhoFWY4Mi1kNC1mN0BleGFtcGx1LmNvbQdjLTETeHQ2AAEBAJAAAEEpE2Yd
CAAAACDGM2QBywBxARPEE8QRAQIYc2lw0mJvYkBib2IxLmV4Yw1wbGUubmV0
E3NpcDpib2JAZXhhXBsZS5uZXQIYi1pbjYtaXUVc2lw0mFsaWN1QGV4Yw1w
bGUuY29tBTc2eWhoFWY4Mi1kNC1mN0BleGFtcGx1LmNvbQdjLTETeHQ2AA==
```

The downstream branch call in [Section 5.4](#) is in this message:

```
AAoE4UzAPEoAAAAAAAwOQEBAH4AAAEpE2YTkwAACvGM2QBxjNkChPEE8QR
BQETc2lw0mJvYkBleGFtcGx1Lm5ldBNzaXA6Ym9iQGV4Yw1wbGUubmV0ABVz
aXA6YWxpY2VAZXhhXBsZS5jb20EYwwtMRJ0ci04N2hAZXhhXBsZS5jb20A
BnMteC10cgECAGwAAAEPe2YUwQAAACvGM2QKxjNkARPEE8QRBQIAZBNzaXA6
Ym9iQGV4Yw1wbGUubmV0ABVzaXA6YWxpY2VAZXhhXBsZS5jb20EYwwtMRJ0
ci04N2hAZXhhXBsZS5jb20ABnMteC10cgEBAIkAAAEPe2YYpgAACvGM2QK
ywBxARPEE8QRBQIYc2lw0mJvYkBib2IxLmV4Yw1wbGUubmV0E3NpcDpib2JA
ZXhhbXBsZS5uZXQAFXNpcDphbG1jZUBleGFtcGx1LmNvbQRhbC0xErRyLTg3
aEBleGFtcGx1LmNvbQZjLXgtdHIGcy14LXRyAQIAdgAAASKTzh1wAAA8sA
cQHGM2QKE8QTxBEFAQBkE3NpcDpib2JAZXhhXBsZS5uZXQEyjEtMRVzaXA6
YWxpY2VAZXhhXBsZS5jb20EYwwtMRJ0ci04N2hAZXhhXBsZS5jb20GYy14
LXRyBnMteC10cgECAHYAAAEPe2YbyAAAACvLAHEBxjNkChPEE8QRBQEAtBNz
aXA6Ym9iQGV4Yw1wbGUubmV0BGIxLTEvc2lw0mFsaWN1QGV4Yw1wbGUuY29t
BGFsLTERsdHItODdoQGV4Yw1wbGUuY29tBmMteC10cgZzLXgtdHIBAgB2AAAB
KRNmHJgAAAARxjNkCsYzZAETxbPEEQUCALQTc2lw0mJvYkBleGFtcGx1Lm51
dARIms0xFXNpcDphbG1jZUBleGFtcGx1LmNvbQRhbC0xErRyLTg3aEBleGFT
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