

PIM extension for P2MP/tree based BIER

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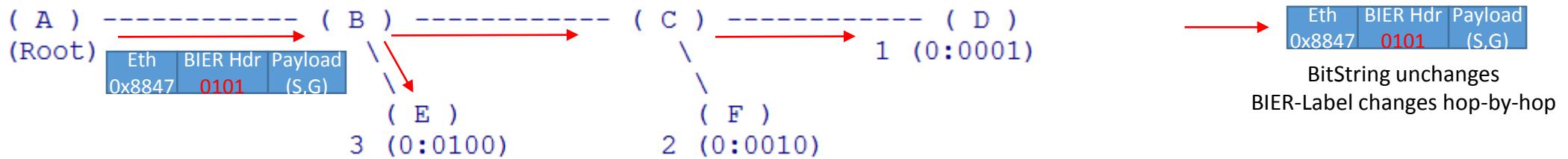
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Background: P2MP/tree-based BIER

- <RFC8279/RFC8296> describe an alternative multicast by using a Multicast-specific BIER-header
- <draft-xie-bier-mvpn-mpls-p2mp> describe an multicast by using a P2MP/BIER combining.
- <RFC4601/7761>: PIM -- Protocol Independent Multicast
- Put them together:
 - BIER-encapsulation: **Multicast-specific packet header**, BIER-header
 - BIER-Label: **Multicast-specific Label**, to indicating the following of this label is the left part of the BIER-header.
 - PIM: **Multicast-specific protocol**, independent of any underlay routing protocol: IGP/BGP/static/...

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Forwarding Table on A (FTN and NHLFE)

FTN	(S,G, TreeID, Flag= CheckBS Root, BSL)
NHLFE1	(TreeID, OutInterface<to B>, OutLabel<alloc by B>, F-BM<0111>)

Forwarding Table on B (ILM and NHLFE)

ILM	(inLabel<alloc by B>, action<Rep to TreeID>, Flag= CheckBS Branch, BSL)
NHLFE1	(TreeID, outInterface<to C>, outLabel<alloc by C>, F-BM<0011>)
NHLFE2	(TreeID, outInterface<to E>, outLabel<alloc by E>, F-BM<0100>)

Forwarding Table on E (ILM and NHLFE)

ILM	(inLabel<alloc by D>, action<Rep to TreeID>, Flag= CheckBS Leaf, BSL)
NHLFE1	(TreeID, F-BM<0100> , flag= PopBIERincluding)

Forwarding Table on C (ILM and NHLFE)

ILM	(inLabel<alloc by C>, action<Rep to TreeID>, Flag= CheckBS Branch, BSL)
NHLFE1	(TreeID, outInterface<to D>, outLabel<alloc by D>, F-BM<0001>)
NHLFE2	(TreeID, outInterface<to F>, outLabel<alloc by F>, F-BM<0010>)

Forwarding Table on D (ILM and NHLFE)

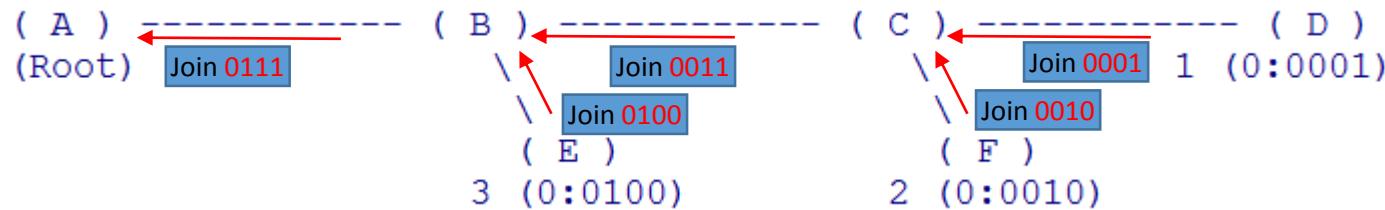
ILM	(inLabel<alloc by D>, action<Rep to TreeID>, Flag= CheckBS Leaf, BSL)
NHLFE1	(TreeID, F-BM<0001> , flag= PopBIERincluding)

Forwarding Table on F (ILM and NHLFE)

ILM	(inLabel<alloc by F>, action<Rep to TreeID>, Flag= CheckBS Leaf, BSL)
NHLFE1	(TreeID, F-BM<0010> , flag= PopBIERincluding)

- CheckBS means, when Replicate to every NHLFE of a Tree, Checking the result by AND'ing the BitString in packet and the F-BM in the NHLFE, Forwarding only when result is not zero.
- PopBIERincluding means, to pop the entire BIER header including the BIER Label in packet.

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- D-->C: PIM Join(S=A, G=232.0.0.1, Nbr=C, Attribute<Label=400, BSL=256, Set=0, FBM=0001>)
- F-->C: PIM Join(S=A, G=232.0.0.1, Nbr=C, Attribute<Label=600, BSL=256, Set=0, FBM=0010>)
- C-->B: PIM Join(S=A, G=232.0.0.1, Nbr=B, Attribute<Label=300, BSL=256, Set=0, FBM=0011>)
- E-->B: PIM Join(S=A, G=232.0.0.1, Nbr=B, Attribute<Label=500, BSL=256, Set=0, FBM=0100>)
- B-->A: PIM Join(S=A, G=232.0.0.1, Nbr=A, Attribute<Label=200, BSL=256, Set=0, FBM=0111>)

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0	1	2	3
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0	1
+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
F E Attr_Type Length Reserve BS Len Set Identifier			
+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
BIER-Label Must Be Zero			
+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
F-BM (first 32 bits) ~			
+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
~			
+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
~ F-BM (last 32 bits)			
+-----+-----+-----+-----+			

Figure 3: BIER Join Attribute

- BIER Join Attribute (BS Len, Set ID, BIER-Label, F-BM)
- PIM Leaf should compute the F-BM using (BFR-ID, BS Len, Set Identifier).
- PIM Build MRIB and MFIB/P2MP-BIFT. MFIB for OAM, P2MP-BIFT for Data forwarding.

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OptionType	OptionLength		
+-----+-----+-----+-----+	+-----+-----+-----+-----+	+-----+-----+-----+-----+	+-----+-----+-----+-----+
P D I R Reserved Reserved			
+-----+-----+-----+-----+	+-----+-----+-----+-----+	+-----+-----+-----+-----+	+-----+-----+-----+-----+
P: The node has BIER P-Capability.			
D: The node has BIER D-Capability.			
I: The node Ignore the BIER Header except the Label.			
R: The node Require a packet without BIER Header except the Label.			

Figure 2: BIER-Supported Hello Option

- PIM Hello option

Next Step

- Add Capability and Error handling
- Add BIER Non-MPLS encapsulation support
- Get feedbacks and handle Questions/Comments

Thanks !