

LOOPS@IETF105

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Agenda - Monday morning session I

- 10 Introduction, Scribe Kidnapping, and Agenda Bashing - Chairs
- 12 "What is LOOPS?"- Carsten Bormann
- 10 What is the Problem? (draft-li-tsvwg-loops-problem-opportunities-03) - Yizhou Li
- 10 Satellite and Enterprise office interconnection use cases - John Border and Jianglong Wang
- 18 Sketches of solutions (draft-welzl-loops-gen-info-00) - Michael Welzl
- 10 Clarifying questions - All
- 10 LOOPS Maps and Gaps Analysis - Carsten
- 30 LOOP back to "questions to guide us" - Chairs
- 10 Hums for the AD - Chairs

Please remember that this BOF is NOT working group forming!

Scope for this non-WG-forming BOF

- We are not replacing the Internet, QUIC, or TCP
- We are talking about optimizations - things work, but don't always work well
- We are talking about optimizations between network elements - not with hosts
- Your network might not need LOOPS, but someone else's network might
- **The First Law of Optimization: "First, do no harm!"**
- We are talking about a transport-independent optimization
- We are not changing the end-to-end transport payload
- **Our goal for this BOF is that we agree on what happens next**

This is not a working group forming BOF, because ...



*Photo taken yesterday at Hackathon
Proponents are still learning a lot from each other!*

People come to BOFs for many reasons ...



*Note that it's possible to watch a train wreck while looking **down** at the train ...*

So, who showed up for this BOF?

- Who considers yourself primarily a transport person?
- Who considers yourself primarily an Internet layer/encapsulation person?
- Who considers yourself primarily an application layer person?
- Who considers yourself primarily an operations person?
- Who considers yourself primarily a measurements person?
- Who considers yourself primarily a security person?
- Who has read draft-li-tsvwg-loops-problem-opportunities, of any version?
- Who is working/worked on a product that does local transport optimizations?

Questions to guide us between now and IETF 106

- Do we understand the problem?
- Is this engineering, or is research required to provide a workable solution?
- Is the problem already solved, or is a solution already chartered?
- Do we know enough to work on a proposed charter before IETF 106?
- Who is willing to work on a proposed charter before IETF 106?
- Who thinks this work should NOT go forward? The Mike Line is now open ...

We will LOOP back to this slide after the presentations.

Topic: What Is LOOPS?

Presenter: Carsten Bormann
12 minutes (includes Q&A)

Topic: What is the Problem?

(draft-li-tsvwg-loops-problem-opportunities-03)

Presenter: Yizhou Li

10 minutes (includes Q&A)

Topic: Satellite and Enterprise Interconnection Use Cases

*Presenters: John Border
and Jianglong Wang*

5 minutes each (includes Q&A)

Sketches of Solutions

(draft-welzl-loops-gen-info-00)

Presenter: Michael Wetzl

18 minutes (includes Q&A)

*We're not picking a solution, or improving these proposals.
We DO need to make sure that the problem is solvable at all.*

Clarifying Questions

Presenter: Chairs
10 minutes (includes Q&A)

LOOPS Maps and Gaps Analysis

Presenter: Carsten Bormann
10 minutes (includes Q&A)

Let's LOOP back to the "Questions to Guide Us"!

