

Multicast to the Browser

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WICG: <https://discourse.wicg.io/t/proposal-multicastreceiver-api/3939>

Goals

- Receive multicast in Javascript (W3C API)
 - Port receivers to WebAssembly
 - Including proprietary players & downloaders
 - So web pages can play video, download files, etc. with multicast
- Safely
 - Resist on-path packet injection/modification
 - Malicious pages can't blow out the network

Specs

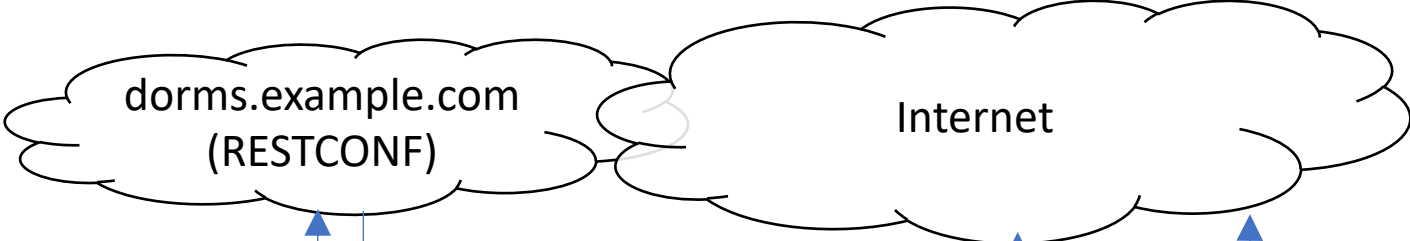
WICG (W3C):

- MulticastReceiver API

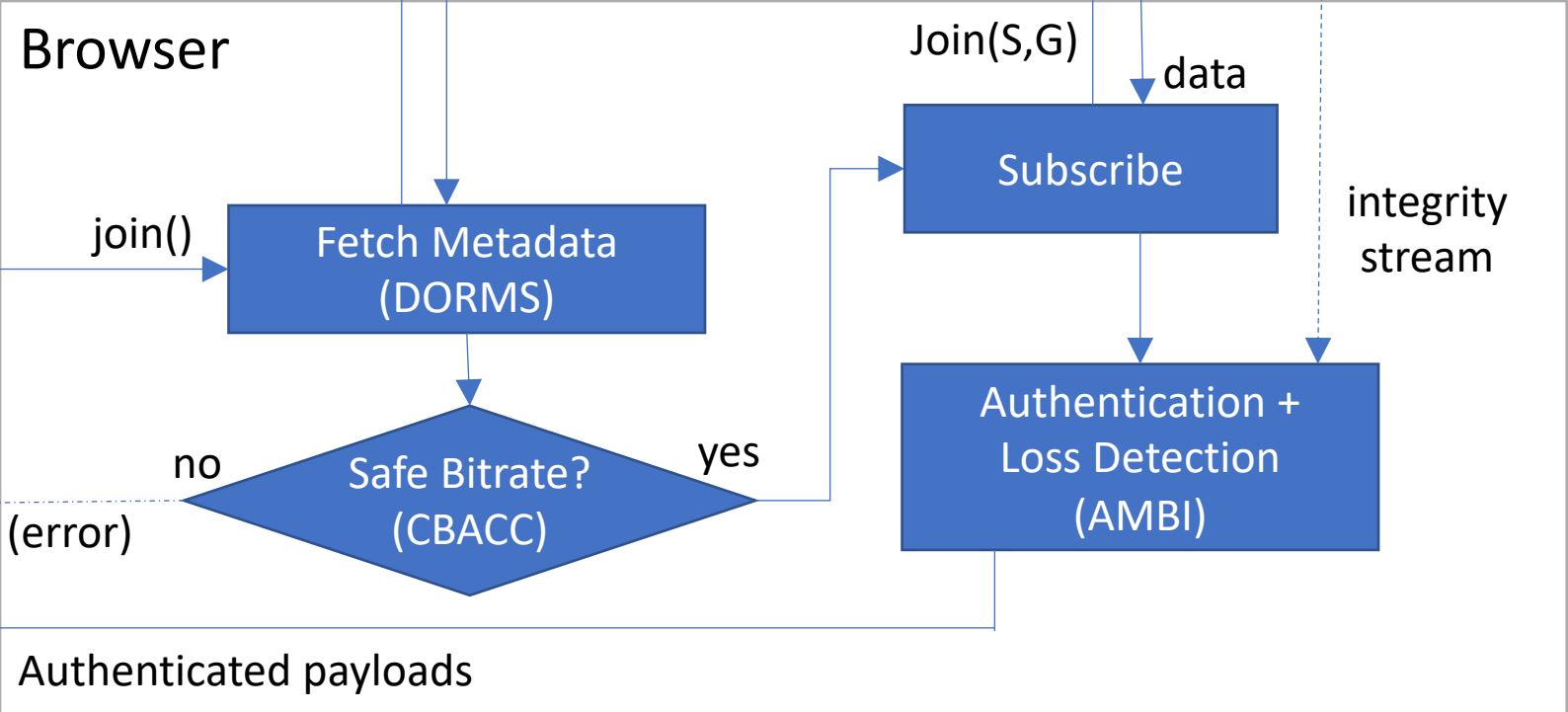
IETF:

- DORMS: Discover and fetch extensible (S,G)-specific metadata
- AMBI: Authenticate packets with out-of-band manifests
- CBACC: Circuit-break streams if oversubscribed

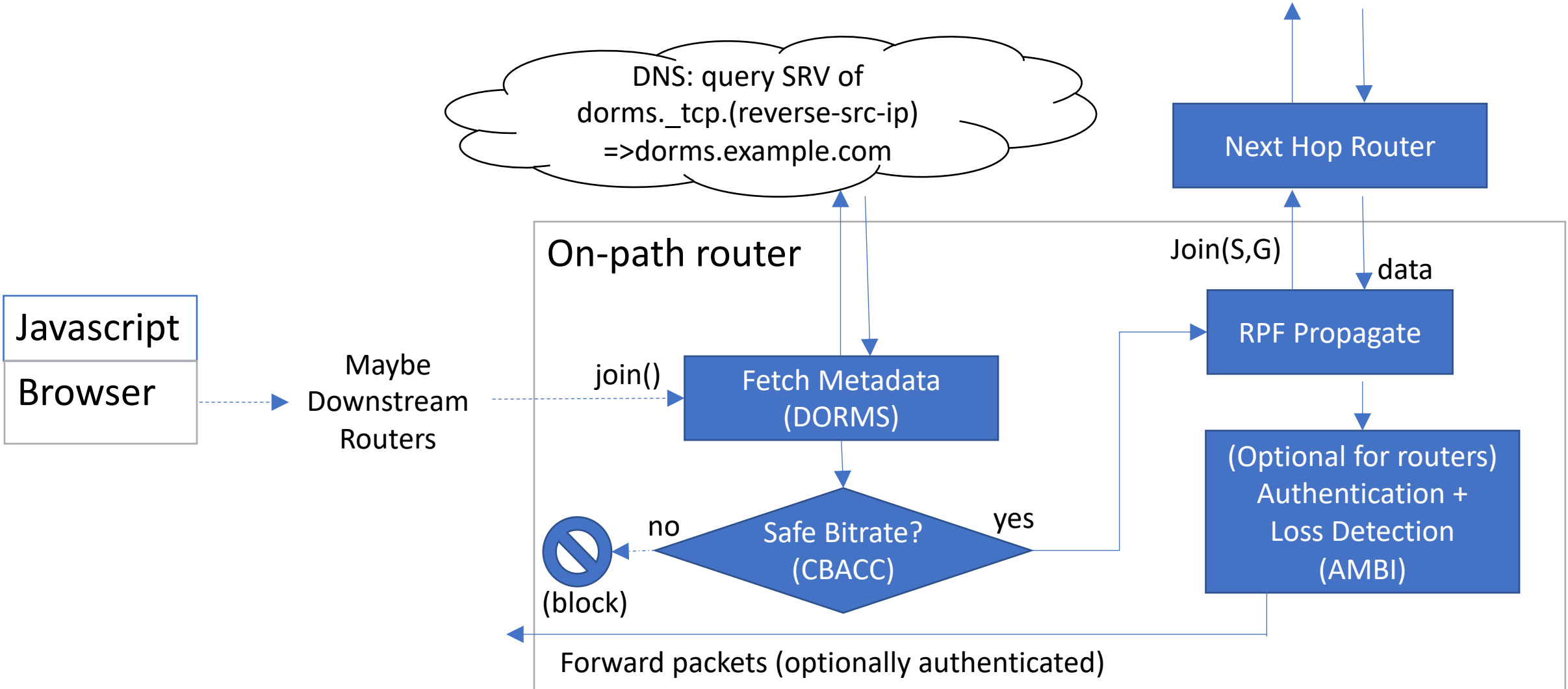
Browser as Gatekeeper



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Javascript  
  
var mr = new MulticastReceiver(  
  source='198.51.100.10',  
  group='232.1.1.1', port=5001,  
  dorms='dorms.example.com');  
mr.onmessage = function(evt) {  
  processPayloads(evt.data);  
};  
mr.join();
```



Network as Gatekeeper



Find out more

- Mboned wg presentation
 - Thursday Afternoon 3:50, Orchard
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