

Operational Implications of IPv6 Packets with Extension Headers

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- Overview of operational and security implications of IPv6 EHs
- Documents why some operators may drop packets that contain IPv6 EHs

Changes introduced in -01 (last rev)

- Added a “background information” section
- Added section on recirculation
- Added discussion on firewalls and NIDS
 - as devices that might resort to dropping IPv6 packets that contain EHs

Moving forward

- WGLC completed on November 2, 2020
- Document should be ready to ship