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IETF 113
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About this meeting

● Agenda: https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/agenda-113-avtcore/
● Notes: https://notes.ietf.org/notes-ietf-113-avtcore
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● Jabber Scribe:
● Note takers:
Agenda

1. Note Well, Note Takers, Agenda Bashing, Draft status, Liaisons (Chairs, 15 min)
2. Cryptex (S. Murillo & R. Barnes, 15 min)
   https://github.com/juberti/cryptex/issues
3. SCIP (Daniel Hanson, 15 minutes)
4. RFC7983bis (B. Aboba, 15 min)
5. SDP for RTP over QUIC (S. Dawkins, 15 min)
6. Game Moves over RTP (C. Jennings, 15 min)
7. Wrapup and Next Steps (Chairs, 15 min)
Document Status

- Published
  - RFC 8888: was draft-ietf-avtcore-cc-feedback-message
  - RFC 9071: was draft-ietf-avtcore-multi-party-rtt-mix
  - RFC 9134: was draft-ietf-payload-rtp-jpegxs
Document Status (2)

- RFC Editor Queue
  - draft-ietf-payload-vp9 (MISSREF)
- In IETF Last Call (ends April 5, 2022)
  - draft-ietf-avtcore-cryptex
- Publication Requested
  - draft-ietf-avtext-framemarking
- Awaiting Chair Writeup
  - draft-ietf-avtcore-rtp-vvc
- Adopted
  - draft-ietf-avtcore-rtp-scip
  - draft-ietf-avtcore-rtp-evc
  - draft-ietf-avtcore-rfc7983bis
VVC RTP Payload Format IPR

● Two IPR declarations have been submitted relating to draft-ietf-avtcore-rtp-vvc:
  ○ Declaration 4048, received on March 10, 2020: Tencent Technology (Shenzhen) Company Limited's Statement about IPR related to draft-ietf-avtcore-rtp-vvc
  ○ Declaration 4914, received on June 13, 2021: Nokia Technologies Oy's Statement about IPR related to draft-ietf-avtcore-rtp-vvc

● An IPR notice was sent to the WG on March 8, 2022: https://mailarchive.ietf.org/arch/msg/avt/vH-1ZgsF0EMBqIUYy64apLQqLi78/

● Are there objections to proceeding with this document?
Recent Liaison Statements

● Request from W3C WebTransport WG
  ○ Presented at IETF 112.
  ○ Proposed response is [here](#).

● Liaison from ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 29/WG 03
  ○ Subject: MPEG Green Metadata
  ○ Received: October 22, 2021
  ○ Link is [here](#).
  ○ Response (sent) is [here](#).
The W3C WebTransport WG has identified problems with bidirectional realtime audio/video communication over WebTransport, particularly: a client sending media to the server:

- **Problem**: The client doesn’t have enough information to know when it can reapply a multiplicative increase in the media send rate to recover from prior congestion.

- **Requests**:
  1. To know if RTP over QUIC can satisfy this use case.
  2. If so, what measurements can a browser make available to a JS client, to assist with this problem.
  3. Will selectable congestion control be required? And if so, which algorithm(s)?
[AVTCORE] Response to W3C WebTransport WG Request from IETF 112

Bernard Aboba <bernard.aboba@gmail.com> | Wed, 16 February 2022 01:13 UTC | Show header

At IETF 112, the W3C WebTransport WG presented a request for feedback to the AVTCORE WG:
https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1XB-RTt-ejDTillmkYcT3lGEByzNK7pARw51TqKcCxo8A/edit#slide=id.gfc2dae0c1a_0_125

The request related to problems encountered with W3C WebTransport API use cases involving attempts to send media with low latency from client → server. Currently, WebTransport implementations are based on BBRv1 congestion control in QUIC and support datagram prioritization in an effort to improve QUIC datagram latency.

The presentation today from M. Engelbart appears to shed light on the request, even though the results presented were based on NewReno CC instead of BBRv2/v2.

Based on the experimental results, can we make any recommendations? For example, can we say:

1. Attempting to implement a low-latency congestion control algorithm for QUIC datagrams (e.g. SCReaM or GCC) on top of QUIC congestion control (New Reno, BBRv1/v2) isn't recommended. Instead, it is preferred to implement an alternative CC algorithm within the QUIC implementation.

2. Naive prioritization schemes such as strict priority for QUIC datagrams result in high queueing delays, since reliable stream data will fill the congestion window when datagrams aren't being sent. This problem will occur even with CC algorithms such as BBRv1/v2 (not just NewReno).
Completely Encrypting RTP Header Extensions and Contributing Sources (Cryptex)


https://github.com/juberti/cryptex/issues

Sergio Garcia Murillo and Richard Barnes
Current Status

- In IETF Last Call (ends April 5, 2022)
  - [AVTCORE] Last Call: <draft-ietf-avtcore-cryptex-05.txt> (Completely Encrypting RTP Header Extensions and Contributing Sources) to Proposed Standard
  - Contact name & email address for IANA registration ([Issue 43](#) to be handled after IETF last call.
  - Directorate reviews (including SDP review) to follow.
**Issue 31**: Encryption processing is under-specified

- PR for adding clarifications to the plaintext and associated data available
  - [https://github.com/juberti/cryptex/pull/45](https://github.com/juberti/cryptex/pull/45)

Plaintext = CSRC identifiers (if used) || header extension || RTP payload || RTP padding (if used) || RTP pad count (if used).

Associated Data: The version V || padding flag P || extension flag X || Contributing Source (CSRC) count CC || marker M || Payload Type PT (7 bits) || sequence number || timestamp || SSRC || extension header ("defined by profile" || extension header length).
Recall: Cryptex encryption

Goal: Encrypt CSRCs, Extension data, and Payload in one operation

“Punctured” to not encrypt extension header, so that packets parse normally
Recall: Encryption Interfaces

**AEAD**
(e.g., AES-GCM)

**Stream Cipher + MAC**
(e.g., AES-CTR + HMAC-SHA256)
Spec today is ambiguous

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- timestamp
- synchronization source (SSRC) identifier
- contributing source (CSRC) identifiers
- ....

X | 0xC0 | 0xDE | length=3 |

- RFC 8285 header extensions
- payload ...
- RTP padding | RTP pad count

~ SRTP MKI (OPTIONAL)
: authentication tag (RECOMMENDED)

- Encrypted Portions* Authenticated Portion ---

**If AEAD:** How to construct a contiguous, non-punctured plaintext input?

**If stream cipher:** What stream cipher is used with AEAD-based protection profiles?
Option 1: AEAD-like

**Pro:** AEAD is the way of the future

**Con:** memcpy of $4 \times \text{CC} + 4$ bytes
Option 2: Stream-like

**Pro:** Easy in-place implementation  

**Con:** Locked into stream cipher
Proposal: Option 1 (AEAD)

AEAD is the way of the future

Memcpy is not that expensive
RTP Payload Format for the SCIP Codec

Daniel Hanson
and
Michael Faller

https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/html/draft-scip-payload-00
SCIP RFC - Background, Issue, and Purpose

● The Secure Communication Interoperability Protocol (SCIP) began in 1994 in the U.S. and includes NATO and NATO partners
  ● Devices using the signaling in the SCIP Draft RFC are presently deployed in products used by US and NATO
● Devices that implement the SCIP standards operate over digital carriers and require network devices to transparently support SCIP codecs
● Most commercial network administrators and security personnel are not aware of SCIP
  ● Can result in the SCIP media subtype “scip” being removed from the SDP
● SCIP RFC provides a globally accessible reference to increase awareness
● The SCIP RFC was accepted as a AVTCORE work item in January 2022
  ● Comments received have been reviewed and incorporated into a new draft SCIP RFC
Overview of SCIP

- Two media subtypes “audio/scip” and “video/scip” have been registered with IANA as RTP Payload Format Media Types
- The SCIP RFC is needed to provide additional information for these media subtypes (RTP Header Fields, Payload Format Parameters)
- An example mapping for both audio/scip and video/scip is:

  ```
  m=audio 50000 RTP/AVP 96
  a=rtpmap:96 scip/8000
  m=video 50002 RTP/AVP 97
  a=rtpmap:97 scip/90000
  ```
Call for Adoption - SCIP Draft RFC Comments and Updates  (1 of 2)

- Changes due to comments on Section 4.1:
  - Conformance to RFC 3550 changed from “should” to “shall”
  - Added text to stipulate that the network should not repacketize SCIP packets
  - Modified wording related to the use of the marker bit
    - Marker bit shall be set to zero for discontinuous traffic
    - Marker bit for continuous traffic will be based on underlying media subtype specification (unchanged)
Call for Adoption - SCIP Draft RFC Comments and Updates (2 of 2)

- Response to comment on Section 5.1/5.2: Interoperability considerations: N/A
  - “N/A” was specified because there are no previous versions of the SCIP submedia type
- Changes due to comments on Section 8.1/8.2:
  - References to SCIP-214.2 and SCIP-210 moved from normative to informational
- Document name changed to “draft-ietf-avtcore-rtp-scip-00”
Summary, Conclusions, and Questions

- Issues have occurred because OEMs of network equipment, network administrators and security personnel are unaware of SCIP and SDP contents necessary to establish a secure session.
- The purpose of the SCIP RFC is to provide global access to information necessary to support SCIP:
  - Provides information to Network Equipment OEMs and Network Operators/SysAdmins.
- Comments received during the AVTCORE Call for Adoption period have been reviewed and incorporated into the draft RFC:
  - Since then, no new comments have been received.
- Questions?
- What is the next step?
RFC 7983bis

Bernard Aboba
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C. Perkins

RFC 7983bis

- Update to RFC 7983 Section 7, documenting QUIC multiplexing.
  - Description of multiplexing SRTP, SRTCP, STUN, TURN, DTLS, ZRTP and QUIC
  - Guidance on handling overlap between QUIC and TURN channels (not an issue in WebRTC).
- Update to (D)TLS Content-Type Field IANA page to reference new RFC (no other change needed)
- Caveat:
  - “Since new versions of QUIC are allowed to change aspects of the wire image, there is no guarantee that future versions of QUIC beyond version 1 will adhere to the multiplexing scheme described in this document.”
RFC 7983bis-02

- Changes from -01:
  - Clarification of multiplexing scenarios:
    - SRTP/SRTCP for media, DTLS-SRTP key management, QUIC for data exchange
      - Does not require replacement of QUIC congestion control algorithms.
    - RTP over QUIC
      - Requires multiplexing of QUIC with STUN/TURN.
  - Reference updates:
    - RFC 8489 (STUN)
    - RFC 8656 (TURN)
    - RFC 9000 (QUIC transport)
    - RFC 9001 (QUIC-TLS)
  - All normative references now published as RFCs.
- Next steps: Ready for WGLC?
SDP for RTP over QUIC
(Sooo many Issues!)

Spencer Dawkins

The Education of Spencer

● What I THOUGHT I was doing in draft-dawkins-avtcore-sdp-rtp-quic-00
  ○ “What SDP do you need to do a drop-in replacement for SRTP?”
● What I was ACTUALLY doing
  ○ Trying to keep track of questions for “RTP over QUIC”
  ○ (because many of these questions might impact SDP)
  ○ (in at least three different places, because of various reasons)
● What I THINK I’m going to do, between now and IETF 114
  ○ Hold off on updating draft-dawkins-avtcore-sdp-rtp-quic-00 for now
  ○ Collect the questions from various locations as GitHub Issues
  ○ THEN start working on answers, and updating the SDP draft
Caveat Lector

● Some of these issues may be tied to non-traditional RTP use cases
  ○ Insert WebRTC by reference here
  ○ Insert Media Over QUIC BOF by reference here
● I’m tracking these issues anyway
  ○ Possible for RTP to use QUIC like other Media Transport Protocols do
Issues from the interim (transferred)

- Does double encryption matter for (say) SAVPF? #5
- Will we need a QUIC adaptation layer for RTP/RTCP #4
- Distinguishing between mappings onto streams and onto datagrams? #3
- Feedback from RTCP, QUIC, some of each, or something else?? #2
- Check QUIC impacts on BUNDLE #5
- Consider including a=tlsv2-id in SDP #6
- Consider including a=fingerprint mechanism in a p2p SDP example #7
- Signaling media-friendly congestion control? #1
New and exciting issues from Bernard

- QUIC for data exchange? #9
- RTP over reliable streams or datagrams? #8
- Exchange of Fingerprints #7
- RTP over QUIC topologies #6
Issues in the TEXT of the SDP draft

- Decouple the RTP state machine and the QUIC state machine #11
- QUIC connection migration in case of path failure #10
Issues I’d like feedback on

- Does double encryption matter for (say) SAVPF? #5
- Distinguishing between mappings onto streams and onto datagrams? #3
- QUIC connection migration in case of path failure #10
Does double encryption matter? #5

- Initial draft - define "QUIC/RTP/SAVP" and "QUIC/RTP/SAVPF"
  - Great plan! Ignore SAVP/SAVPF over QUIC
  - QUIC encrypts more than SRTP anyway
  - BUT use that as a hint(?) to forward over unencrypted protocols
- Comment - this is silly. Define AVPF and tell the truth
  - QUIC encrypts more than SRTP anyway
  - Use explicit signaling to tell RTP middleboxes how to forward
  - Implemented this as PR #9
- Comment - Not so fast! What about apps that use SAVP/SAVPF?
So - what happens next

● What I THINK I’m going to do, between now and IETF 114
  ○ Hold off on updating draft-dawkins-avtcore-sdp-rtp-quic-00 for now
  ○ Collect the questions from various locations as GitHub Issues
  ○ THEN start working on answers, and updating the SDP draft

● I appreciate feedback, and I appreciate proposed text as well
  ○ That can happen on the AVTCORE mailing list, or in GitHub

● No need to request adoption of anything at this time
  ○ AVTCORE doesn’t have an adopted RTP over QUIC draft yet
  ○ If SDP draft is adopted, AVTCORE chairs request MMUSIC review

So, any questions or comments?
Game Moves Over RTP

Cullen Jennings

Rich Logan

Goals

● Online real time gaming needs to synchronize player and game object state
  ○ Many proprietary solutions: Unity UTP, Nvidia Omniverse.
● Low latency is critical.
● Large scale is critical.
● Bandwidth efficiency is important.
● Often need synchronization with other media
● Easily extensible as many applications have their own data needs
Example
Example Data

Microsoft Mixed Reality Toolkit (MRTK) widely used
- Encode hand joint locations in RTP
- Encode rate of change
- Allows receiver to render smooth hand motion
Solution

- Use RTP
  - lots of things don’t want RTP but lots do
- Support for current state and rate of change
- Extensible structured data with TLVs (tag, length, value)
- Binary based encoding with defined structures
- Extensible Framework for any application
- Applications can easily get a code point for their schema
Status

Current draft is enough to see the design and flavor of the solution
Draft needs:
  - lots more RTP crank wheel template stuff
  - broader input of base types and objects
Open source implementation: https://github.com/cisco/gse
Ask

We are trying to make interoperability between 3D meetings, metaverse systems, and real time gaming

● Need to be able to move forward relatively quickly, if IETF is the wrong place to do this let us know now
  ○ Is this in scope for AVTCore ?
  ○ Could we move forward with base draft and non controversial objects (move controversial object to extension drafts )

● What other objects do people have a use case for that should be added ?
Wrapup and Next Steps

● Action items
● Next steps
Thank you

Special thanks to:

The Secretariat, WG Participants & ADs