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About this meeting

- Agenda: https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/agenda-113-webtrans/
- Notes: https://notes.ietf.org/notes-ietf113-webtrans
- Jabber Room: webtrans@jabber.ietf.org
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- WG Chairs: Bernard Aboba & David Schinazi
- Jabber Scribe: TBD
- Note Takers: TBD
Agenda

- Preliminaries, Chairs (10 minutes)
  - Note Well, Virtual Bluesheets
  - Jabber Scribe, Note Takers
  - Speaking Queue Manager (David Schinazi)
  - Agenda Bash

- W3C WebTransport Update, Will Law, (5 minutes)
- WebTransport over HTTP/3, Victor Vasiliev (45 minutes)
- WebTransport using HTTP/2, Eric Kinnear (45 minutes)
- Hums, Wrap up and Summary, Chairs & ADs (15 minutes)
W3C WebTransport Update (1)

W3C WebTransport WG progress since Nov 9th

- **Status:** Published a [Working Draft](#) - latest version March 11th 2022
- **Optimistic** timetable for year
  - May 31st: Candidate for Recommendation - requires stability in API
  - July 31st: Proposed Recommendation - requires two independent implementations per our charter.
  - August 31st: Call for Review of a Proposed Recommendation
  - Sept 30: Publication by W3C as a Recommendation after AC review.
- **Milestone** status
  - minimum-viable-ship has 3 remaining issues.
  - Opened up a new milestone aligned with W3C release process - [Candidate Recommendation](#).
W3C WebTransport Update (2)

- Decisions and updates:
  - When establishing a session, client must not provide any credentials #312
  - Block ports on fetch's bad ports list #378
  - Add smoothedRtt & rttVariation to WebTransportStats #386 (definitions copied from RFC9002 sect 5.3)
  - Add packetsLost to WebTransportStats. #387
  - Add extra requirements on application-provided serverCertificateHashes used by WebTransport connections, as well as a discussion concerning authentication using these certificate hashes - #375
  - wt.getStats() - added datagrams.expiredOutgoing, datagrams.droppedIncoming and datagrams.lost #392
  - Stream stats will be an individual getStats() method on each stream instance
W3C WebTransport Update (3)

● Debated at length, mostly resolved but not yet merged:
  ○ Reliability and fallback - add wt.reliability attr and {requireUnreliable} constructor option. #385
  ○ Content Security Policy (CSP) - whether to break compatibility with connect-src ‘certificate-hash’ initial Chrome implementation. #59
  ○ Datagram priority over streams - replace the priority algorithm with normative guidance - ‘When determining prioritization, the user agent SHOULD make sure datagrams get out quickly.’ #394

● Current issues of debate:
  ○ Per stream stats - bikeshedding on names. #372
  ○ Connection Pooling - questions re-raised over default on/off #128
  ○ Priorities between streams - is this necessary? Is there IETF intent to defined a method of stream prioritization? #62
WebTransport overview
WebTransport over HTTP/3
(45 minutes)

Victor Vasiliev
Issue #5: common operations

● Now that we have two transports, we should have a clear definition of what we expect every individual transport to provide

● PR: https://github.com/ietf-wg-webtrans/draft-ietf-webtrans-overview/pull/5
Issue #26: draining sessions

Need a way for any endpoint or intermediary to signal it’s going away.

Current proposal:
DRAIN_WEBTRANSPORT_SESSION that any endpoint or intermediary can send
Issue #33: closing everything when CONNECT stream closes

Currently we close all streams and reject all datagrams when the CONNECT stream is closed

At IETF 110, we decided to “revisit this once we have more implementation experience”
Issue #67: what happens on GOAWAY

Currently we do not define any interactions between WebTransport and GOAWAY

For regular HTTP/3, “if the client has already sent requests with a Stream ID greater than or equal to the identifier contained in the GOAWAY frame, those requests will not be processed”
Issue #47: Alt-Svc

Current situation: WebTransport is oblivious to existence of Alt-Svc

The answer may differ depending on whether pooling is used

Also unclear at what layer this should be discussed
Discussion
Pooling

Eric Kinnear
Pooling

More than one WebTransport Session per HTTP/3 connection

Not as much of an issue for HTTP/2, each session is one connect stream
HTTP/2
Pooling

Proposal: Provide resource limits and do nothing to preclude future enhancements

Resolves #22, #34, #36, #70
Flow Control

HTTP/3 (QUIC) already has stream and data limits for streams and the connection

Remaining: maximum count of sessions and count of streams for each session
Side Note

WT over H3 says:

HTTP_REQUEST_REJECTED or 429 Too Many Requests

Changing this is optional
Flow Control

Today, we use
SETTINGS_ENABLE_WEBTRANSPORT

Instead,
SETTINGS_WEBTRANSPORT_MAX_SESSIONS

Set to 1 for no pooling
Flow Control Details

Limit total session count
Limit streams within a session

Limit total data within a session
Limit data within each session’s streams
Flow Control Details

Limit total session count
Limit streams within a session
   MAX_STREAMS
Limit total data within a session
   MAX_DATA
Limit data within each session’s streams
   MAX_STREAM_DATA
Flow Control Details

- Limit total session count
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Flow Control Details

Limit total session count via SETTINGS
Limit streams within a session
   MAX_STREAMS
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Flow Control Details

Limit total session count via SETTINGS
Limit streams within a session
  WT_MAX_STREAMS (BLOCKED)
Limit total data within a session
  WT_MAX_DATA (BLOCKED)
HTTP/3

WebTransport Session

- CONNECT
  - Control Frames
- HTTP/3 Stream
  - WT_MAX_STREAMS
- WebTransport Stream
- HTTP/3 Stream
  - WT_MAX_DATA
- HTTP Datagram
- HTTP/3
- WT Session
- SETTINGS_WEBTRANSPORT_MAX_SESSIONS
- WT Session
Capsules?

WT_MAX_STREAMS (BLOCKED)
WT_MAX_DATA (BLOCKED)

WT over HTTP/2 might define capsules for these, should we just use those?
Discussion
WebTransport using HTTP/2

Eric Kinnear

Since IETF 112

Landed changes, waiting on others

Capsules
Today, we prevent any WT frames from being sent before response from server arrives. Non-flow controlled frames would be fine.

Proposal: Allow sending any frames allowed by flow control, opens up limits sooner.
Capsules #25

Capsules

HTTP Datagram design team complete
We were defining TLVs for each WT frame
We can register them in a different registry
Capsules #25

What do we get from using capsules?
Capsules #25

WT_STREAM

WT_DATAGRAM

WT_PADDING

WT_RESET_STREAM

WT_STOP_SENDING

WT_MAX_DATA

WT_DATA_BLOCKED

WT_MAX_STREAM_DATA

WT_STREAM_DATA_BLOCKED

WT_MAX_STREAMS

WT_STREAMS_BLOCKED
Capsules #25

WT_STREAM

WT_RESET_STREAM
WT_STOP_SENDING

DATAGRAM

WT_MAX_DATA
WT_DATA_BLOCKED

WT_PADDING

WT_MAX_STREAM_DATA
WT_STREAM_DATA_BLOCKED

WT_MAX_STREAMS
WT_STREAMS_BLOCKED
Capsules #25

What do we get from using capsules?

Share IANA registry with other TLVs

HTTP/3 can reuse the capsules for

WT_MAX_STREAMS (BLOCKED)
WT_MAX_DATA (BLOCKED)
Capsules #25

What do we get from using capsules?
- Share IANA registry with other TLVs
- HTTP/3 can reuse capsules
- End-to-end-ianness?
Discussion
Hums, Wrap-up, and Summary (15 minutes)

Bernard Aboba
David Schinazi
Thank you

Special thanks to:

The Secretariat, WG Participants & ADs