# IPv6-Only PE Design & IPv4-Only PE design & ALL SAFI Supported

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### <u> IPv6-Only PE Design - ALL SAFI</u>

IPv6-Only PE Design (BCP): Adopted April 28th 2021 (Original Draft)

https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/draft-ietf-bess-ipv6-only-pe-design/

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IPv6-Only PE Design PE-CE Edge Peering – Supports IPv4-Unicast 1/1, IPv6-Unicast 2/1 over IPv6 Next Hop

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#### IPv6-Only PE Design All SAFI (Standards Track): (Presented IETF 113)

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IPv6-Only PE Design ALL SAFI – Supports All AFI/SAFI over **IPv6 Next Hop**.

Vendors: Cisco, Juniper, Nokia, Arista, Huawei (IPv4-Only PE Design / IPv6-Only PE Design) Testing Update

Hardware Platforms, Router Code Revision & Testing Updates:

Vendors: Cisco, Juniper, Nokia, Arista, Huawei

Code & Platform chosen for testing platform by Vender

Cisco: Edge Router- XR ASR 9910 IOS XR 7.4.1, Core Router- NCS 6000

7.2.2, CRS-X 6.7.4

**Update:** Lab hardware requested in queue for testing ETA

Cisco Live Las Vegas 2022 had a presentation related to IPv4 peering elimination concept and carrying IPv4 NLRI over IPv6 NH in DC space which requires **vendor specific knob for forwarding IPv4 packets without IPv4 address** configured on interface which is required for IPv6-Only PE design.

Juniper: Edge Router- MX platform MX480, MX960, Core Router- PTX

Platform PTX5000, PTC10K8 (JUNOS and EVO) Release 20.4R2

**Update:** Lab setup complete and testing underway, Inter-AS L3 VPN Opt C over IPv6 core is complete and MVPN testing in progress. **Vendor specific knob exists for forwarding IPv4 packets without IPv4 address** configured on interface required for IPv4-Only PE design & IPv6-Only PE design.

Nokia: Edge and Core-7750 Service Router, Release R21

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Huawei: Edge and Core-VRPv8, Release VRP-V800R020C10

**Update:** Huawei supports RFC 5549 & RFC 8950 and all 12 test cases confirmed with R&D and supports some but not all test cases and plans to support all by end of 2023.

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Arista: No ETA

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IPv4-Only PE Design (Standards Track): (New Draft)

https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/draft-mishra-bess-ipv4-only-pe-design/

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IPv4-Only PE Design ALL SAFI - Supports All AFI/SAFI over IPv4 Next Hop.

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#### Scope

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- Advertise both IPv4 and IPv6 routes (NLRI) ANY SAFI over a single IPv6 BGP peer
- Supports PE-CE Edge & Inter-AS peering & Controller peering

#### **Benefits**

- OpEx savings through elimination of IPv4 BGP peering and IPv4 address usage
- Simplified configuration
- Reduce network resource consumption
- Will function in all BGP AFI / SAFI scenarios
- Ubiquitous use cases
- Mitigates IPv4 Address depletion issues at IXP POPs worldwide
- OPEX Savings \$\$ for Operators!!!

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## IPv4-Only PE Design & IPv6-Only PEDESIGN IPv4-Only PE Design where IPv4 address is configured on the interface:

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## IPv4-Only PE Design Next Hop Encoding Standardization

#### **IPv4-Only PE Design Next Hop Encoding Standardization:**

- RFC 4798 (6PE) section 2 defines how the next hop should be encoded for IPv6 NLRI over an IPv4 next hop using IPv4 mapped IPv6 address ::FFFF:192.168.1.1. RFC 4659 BGP MPLS VPNs section 3.2.1.2 defines VPN SAFI next hop encoding of IPv4 mapped IPv6 address ::FFFF:192.168.1.1.
- RFC 5549 and now updated by RFC 8950 defines the IPv6 next hop encoding to carry IPv4 NLRI over an IPv6 next hop. The IPv6 next hop encoding defined is not an IPv6 mapped IPv4 address. The IPv6 next hop encoding is 16/32 byte (RFC 2545 NH address = IPv6 address + Link Local address) for Unicast SAFI 1, Multicast SAFI 2 and BGP-LU SAFI 4, and 24/48 byte (RFC 2545 NH address / IPv6 address + link local address) for VPN SAFI 128, MVPN SAFI 129. The IANA BGP Capability codepoint defined with RFC 5549 is value 5 for Extended Next hop encoding.
- The industry implementation has moved away from IPv4 mapped IPv6 address for IPv6 NLRI carried over an IPv4 next hop to use 4 byte field for IPv4 next hop address for Unicast SAFI 1, Multicast SAFI2 and BGP-LU SAFI 4, and 12 byte next hop field, 4 byte IPv4 address plus 8 byte RD (Route Distinguisher) set to 0 for VPN SAFI 128, MVPN SAFI 129.
- This draft standardizes that encoding to ensure interoperability with IANA BGP Capability codepoint allocation. This IPv4 next hop encoding is applicable for IPv6 NLRI for both iBGP control plane (CP) peering as well as eBGP PE-CE, PE-PE in-line control / data plane (CP-DP) peering which is used for IPv4-Only PE design. As most all vendors support the encoding there is no backwards compatibility issues. As well if the vendor does not support the new next hop encoding, it would continue to use the IPv4 mapped IPv6 address format until the P2P peering both neighbors MP-BGP MP\_REACH BGP capability exchange is for the new IPv4 Next hop encoding codepoint.

#### IPv4-Only PE Design ALL SAFI & IPv6-Only PE ALL SAFI Design

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#### IPv4-Only PE Design ALL SAFI & IPv6-Only PE Design ALL SAFI

- Supports Advertising ALL SAFI
- Advertise both IPv4 and IPv6 routes (NLRI) ALL SAFI over a single IPv6 BGP peer or single IPv4 BGP Peer
- Supports PE-CE Edge, Inter-AS peering & every type of peering relationships
- Supports Control Plane (CP-Only) such as to a controller and Control Plane / Data Plane (CP-DP) Scenario

#### Functional use cases for ALL AFI/SAFI Design:

- Edge Customer NLRI IPv4 or IPV6 related AFI/SAFI (PE-CE) (CP-DP)
  - 0 1/1 2/1 (Unicast), 1/2 2/2 (Multicast)
- Inter-AS Customer NLRI IPv4 or IPV6 related AFI/SAFI (ASBR-ASBR) (CP-DP)
  - 0 1/1 2/1 (Unicast), 1/2 2/2 (Multicast

2/140 (BGP VPN Auto Discovery)

- Inter-AS Multicast NLRI IPv4 or IPV6 related AFI/SAFI (ASBR-ASBR) (CP-DP)
  - O 1/5 2/5 (MCAST-VPN), 1/8 2/8 (MCAST-VPLS), 1/66 2/66 (BGP MDT-SAFI), 1/78 2/78 (MCAST-TREE)
- PE to Controller NLRI IPv4 or IPV6 related AFI/SAFI (CP-Only)
  - O 1/71 2/71 (BGP-LS), 1/72 2/72 (BGP-LS VPN), 1/75 2/75 (Routing Policy SAFI), 1/80 2/80 BGP-LS-SPF
- Inter-AS L1 VPN, L2 VPN NLRI IPv4 or IPV6 related AFI/SAFI (ASBR-ASBR) (CP-DP)
  - 0 1/65 2/65 (VPLS), 1/70 2/70 (BGP EVPN), 1/69 2/69 (L1 VPN) (ASBR-ASBR)
- Inter-AS BGP FlowSpec, Optimizations & SFC NLRI IPv4 or IPV6 related AFI/SAFI (ASBR-ASBR) (CP-DP)
  - O 1/132 2/132 (RTC), 1/133 2/133 (BGP FlowSpec), 1/134 2/134 (VPN BGP FlowSpec), 1/9 2/9 (BGP SFC)
- Inter-AS BGP Policy SR-TE Policy, SD-WAN Policy NLRI IPv4 or IPV6 related AFI/SAFI (ASBR-ASBR) (CP-DP)
  - 0 1/73 2/73 (SR-TE), 1/74 2/74 (SD-WAN Capabilities)

#### IPv4-Only PE Design ALL SAFI & IPv6-Only PE ALL SAFI Design

IANA BGP AFI SAFI ALL SAFI's listed below support the IPv6-Only PE Design framework

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     BGP SFC [RFC9015]
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    Virtual Private LAN Service (VPLS)
                                       [RFC4761][RFC6074]
     BGP MDT SAFI RFC6037
    BGP 4over6 SAFI[RFC5747]
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    BGP 6over4 SAFI[Yong_Cui]
    Layer-1 VPN auto-discovery information
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#### IPv6-Only PE ALL SAFI Design

#### IANA BGP AFI SAFI (Continued)

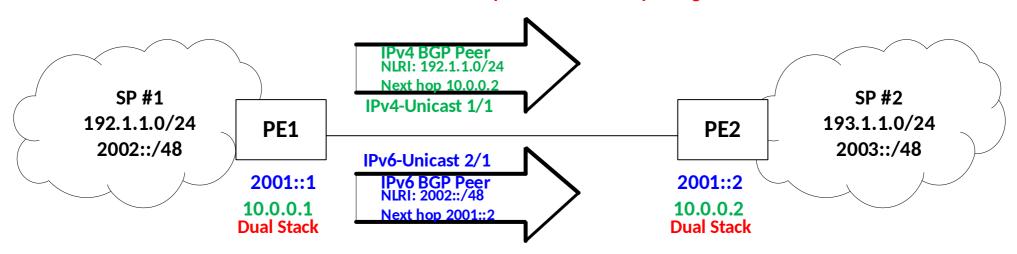
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129 Multicast for BGP/MPLS IP Virtual Private Networks (VPNs) [RFC6513][RFC6514]
130-131 Reserved [RFC4760]
132 Route Target constrains
                              [RFC4684]
133 Dissemination of Flow Specification rules [RFC8955]
134 L3VPN Dissemination of Flow Specification rules [RFC8955]
135-139 Reserved [RFC4760]
140 VPN auto-discovery [draft-ietf-l3vpn-bgpvpn-auto]
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PE-CE Native IP (GRT) Routing

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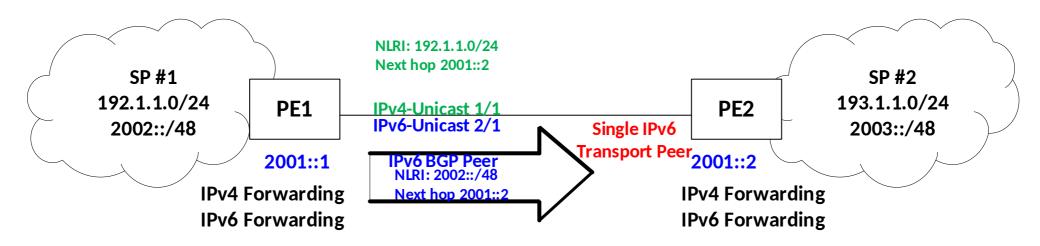


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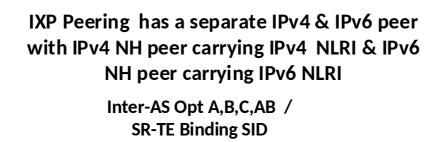
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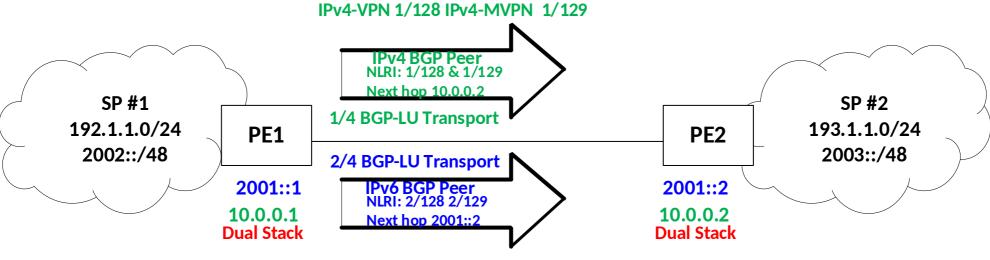
IPv6-Only PE Design ⇔ Single IPv6-Only Pure Transport Peer to carry both IPv4 & IPv6 NLRI



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#### Traditional Dual Stack ⇔ Separate IPv4 & IPv6 peering



IPv6-VPN 2/128 IPv6-MVPN 2/129

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Inter-AS Opt A,B,C,AB /

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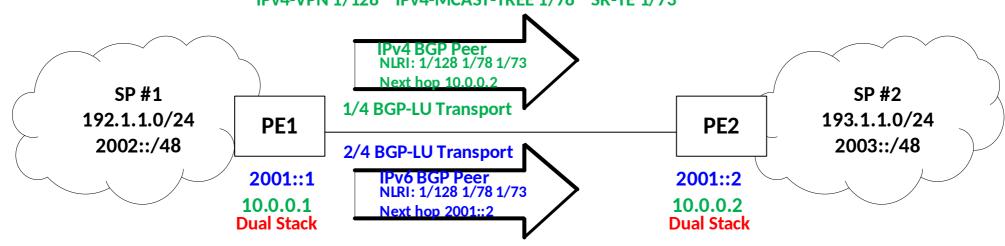
**SR-TE Binding SID** IPv4-VPN 1/128 IPv4-MVPN 1/129 NLRI: 1/128 1/129 SP #1 **SP #2** Next hop 2001::2 192.1.1.0/24 193.1.1.0/24 PE1 PE2 2002::/48 Single IPv6 2003::/48 2/4 BGP-LU Transport fransport Peer 2001::2 2001::1 NLRI: 2/128 2/129 **IPv4 Forwarding IPv4 Forwarding** Next hop 2001::2 **IPv6 Forwarding IPv6 Forwarding** IPv6-VPN 2/128 IPv6-MVPN 2/129

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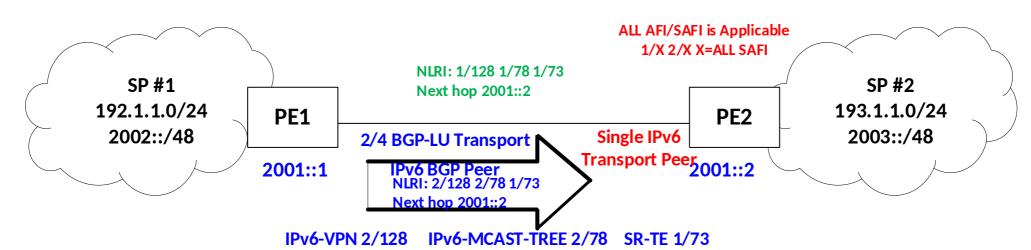
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PE to PCE/SDN or BGP Controller single IPv6 Peer So now with RFC8950- NH encoding schema of 24/48 byte IPv6 next hop both IPv4 & IPv6 NLRI can be advertised using a single IPv6 peer.

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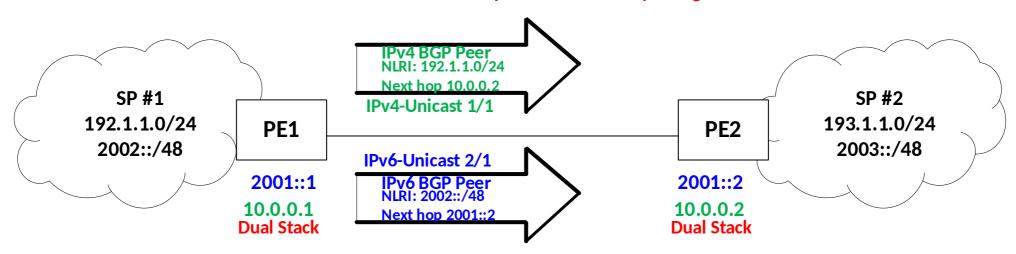


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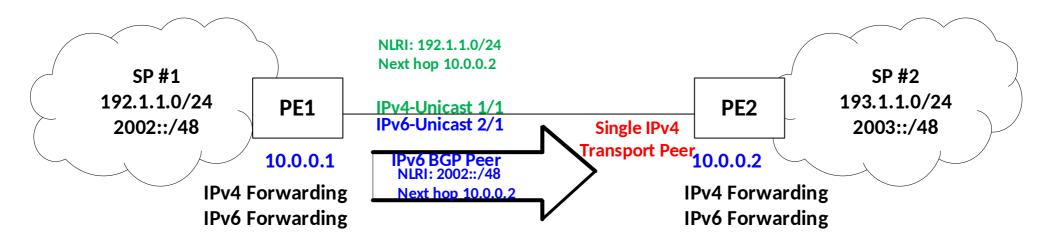


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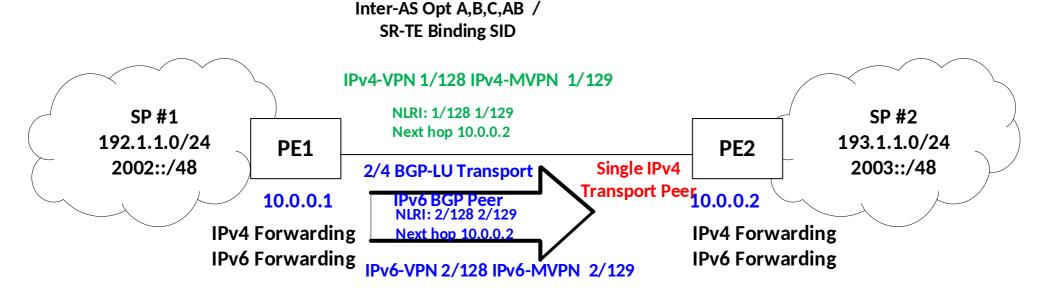
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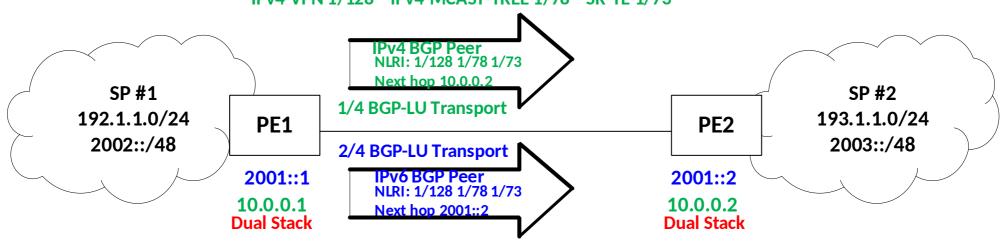


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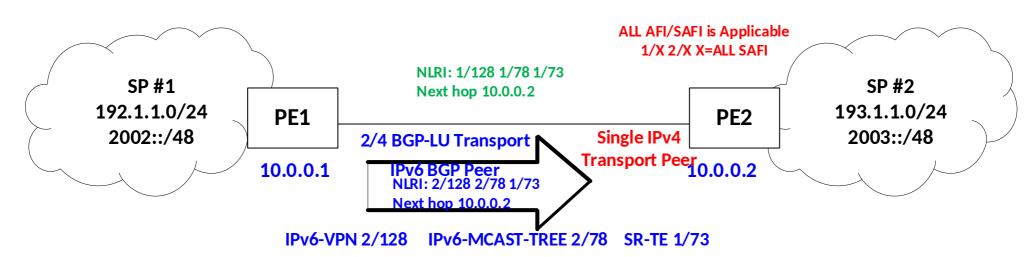
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ALL AFI/SAFI is Applicable 1/X 2/X X=ALL SAFI

IPv4-Only PE Design ⇔ Single IPv4-Only Pure Transport Peer to carry both IPv4 & IPv6 NLRI

IPv4-BGP-LS 1/72 IPv4 Routing Policy SAFI 1/75 NLRI: 1/72 & 1/75 SP #1 Next hop 2001::2 PCE / SDN & BGP 192.1.1.0/24 PE<sub>1</sub> PE2 Controller 2002::/48 Single IPv4 2/4 BGP-LU Transport N ransport Peer 10.0.0.2 10.0.0.1 **IPv6 BGP Peer** NLRI: 2/72 & 2/75 **IPv4 Forwarding IPv4 Forwarding** Next hop 2001::2 **IPv6 Forwarding IPv6 Forwarding** 

IPv4-BGP-LS 2/72 IPv6 Routing Policy SAFI 2/75

IXP Peering of all SPs would now be able to use a Single IPv4 peer per SP adjacency Eliminates resource issues & provides CAPEX & OPEX Savings



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