



The **DUNE: PART TWO** Update
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Since IETF 118

- Published 3 new drafts
 - Removed QPACK
 - `transport:datagrams_sent` → `transport:udp_datagrams_sent`
 - Editorial updates
 - Lots of clarifications / RFC alignment
 - Groundwork for extensibility (today)
- Big thanks to Hugo Landau
 - OpenSSL QUIC/qlog implementer



Since IETF 118: Merged (Multi)path/Migration support!

Simple but extensible approach:

```
{time: 12456, path: "my_first_path", name: "quic:packet_sent", data: {...}}
```

```
PathAssigned = {  
  path_id: text  
  
  ? path_remote: PathEndpointInfo  
  ? path_local: PathEndpointInfo  
}  
  
PathEndpointInfo = {  
  ? ip: IPAddress  
  ? port: uint16  
  
  ? connection_ids: [+ ConnectionID]  
}
```



Feedback/experience
still welcome!

Extensibility: which events are you using exactly [#415](#)

Taking inspiration from RFC8285:

```
Qlogfile = {  
  ...  
  "additional_event_schemas": [  
    "urn:ietf:params:qlog:http3",  
    "urn:ietf:params:qlog:quic#transport",  
    "urn:ietf:params:qlog:quic#connectivity",  
  
    "https://atreides.com/~paul/032024/dune_name_system.html"  
  ]  
  ...  
}
```



New documents register URNs with IANA with urn:ietf:params:qlog prefix

? Should absence of #category modifiers indicate all categories are used?

Extensibility: properly add **new** types [#417](#)

Without proper extensibility:

```
MaxDataFrame = {  
    frame_type: "max_data"  
    maximum: uint64  
}
```

```
PacketSent = {  
    frames: [* MaxDataFrame / StreamFrame / ...]  
    ...  
}
```

Too rigid: impossible to add new frame types

Extensibility: properly add **new** types [#417](#)

Using CDDL “type sockets”:

```
MaxDataFrame = {  
  frame_type: "max_data"  
  maximum: uint64  
}
```

```
PacketSent = {  
  frames: [* $QuicFrame]  
  ...  
}
```

```
$QuicFrame /= MaxDataFrame
```

Later extension, separate document:

```
$QuicFrame /= AckFrequencyFrame
```



Extensibility: extend **existing** things [#417](#)

What we had BEFORE:

```
QUICParametersSet = {  
  ? ack_delay_exponent: uint16  
  ? max_ack_delay: uint16  
  ...  
  
  ; to support later defined parameters  
  * text => any  
}
```

Too flexible: impossible to really type-check

Extensibility: extend **existing** things [#417](#)

Using CDDL “group sockets”:

```
QUICParametersSet = {  
  ? ack_delay_exponent: uint16  
  ? max_ack_delay: uint16  
  ...  
  
  ; to support later defined parameters  
  * $$quic-parametersset-extension  
}
```

Separate document for Ack Frequency Extension:

```
$$quic-parametersset-extension ::= (  
  ? min_ack_delay: uint64  
)
```



Focus: Extensibility for main RFC extension points

Mostly IANA-registered extensions (with some additions):

- Packets
 - \$PacketHeaderExtension, \$PacketType
- Frames
 - \$QuicFrame, \$H3Frame, \$H3Datagram
- Transport Parameters, Settings
 - \$QuicParametersSetExtension, \$H3ParametersExtension
- Stream types
 - \$H3StreamType
- Error codes
 - \$TransportError, \$ApplicationError
- Protocol identifiers
 - \$ProtocolType

Good time to **try and exercise** these (Multipath + Media-over-QUIC: we're looking at you ;)

How to communicate fin, stream_reset, stop_sending [#396](#)

Signals not always *immediately* communicated to application layer

E.g., only bubbled up when there's a read from QUIC layer

```
QUICStreamDataMoved = {  
  ? stream_id: uint64  
  ? offset: uint64  
  ? length: uint64  
  
  ? from: Layer  
  ? to: Layer  
  
  ? additional_info: [+ text]  
}
```

Examples: "fin_set", "stream_reset", "stop_sending"



Look at other events for more details

Moving towards WGLC by end of year

No open major design issues!

Should be below 30 issues and 10 PRs soon

Fixes [#379](#).

Also closes [#261](#), [#176](#), [#170](#), [#124](#), [#192](#), [#297](#).

How to help:

- Comprehensive document reviews
- Exercise extension points
- [Create a qlog issue](#) today!

