

DNS Configuration for Proxying IP in HTTP

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This is not DNS-over-MASQUE

We have enough ways to send DNS

This is about configuration – which DNS *resolver* to use

`/etc/resolv.conf`



now with cryptography ✨

Most VPN protocols allow exchanging DNS configuration info

IKEv2 has INTERNAL_IP4_DNS / INTERNAL_IP6_DNS

OpenVPN can also send DNS in-band

Enterprises interested in this to use connect-ip as a drop-in replacement for IPsec

CONNECT-IP Capsules

ADDRESS_ASSIGN / ADDRESS_REQUEST

ROUTE_ADVERTISEMENT

Intentionally punted DNS from RFC 9484 to a future extension

Moar capsules: DNS_ASSIGN / DNS_REQUEST

Each DNS name server has an IP address and a list of internal domains

Also exchange DNS search domains

Also carries request IDs similar to ADDRESS_ASSIGN / ADDRESS_REQUEST

Inspired by IKEv2 (RFC 7296 & RFC 8598 & RFC 9464)

Changed since adoption last month: SVCB

Support DNSo53, DoT, DoQ, DoH, etc

Previous draft had a custom way to exchange these with its own registry

Instead, we now use SVCB alpn parameter, similar to:

RFC 9463 – DHCP and RA Options for the Discovery of Network-designated Resolvers (DNR)

RFC 9464 – IKEv2 Configuration for Encrypted DNS

Bonus: if DoH available, client SHOULD query on the same HTTP connection

Did I get it right?

Example: Full-Tunnel Consumer VPN

```
DNS Configuration = {  
  Nameservers = [{  
    Service Priority = 1,  
    IPv4 Address = [],  
    IPv6 Address = [],  
    Nameserver Domain = "masque.example",  
    Service Parameters = {  
      alpn=h2,h3  
      dohpath=/dns-query{?dns}  
    },  
  }],  
  Internal Domains = [""],  
  Search Domains = [],  
}
```

Example: Split-Tunnel Enterprise VPN

```
DNS Configuration = {  
  Nameservers = [{  
    Service Priority = 1,  
    IPv4 Address = [192.0.2.33],  
    IPv6 Address = [2001:db8::1],  
    Nameserver Domain = "",  
    Service Parameters = {},  
  }],  
  Internal Domains = ["internal.corp.example"],  
  Search Domains = [  
    "internal.corp.example",  
    "corp.example",  
  ],  
}
```


Next Steps

Plan on implementing soon

Are we missing any features?

Are there DNS sharp edges we should warn against?