Negotiation in Keying Management Protocols

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Motivation

- Negotiation is one prominent capability of KMPs
- KMPs especially group KMPs lack SA Negotiation for Routing Protocols

Goals

- Discuss reasons and concerns of using negotiation in KMPs
- Discuss three types of negotiation in KMPs

Prior Work

- draft-wei-karp-analysis-rp-sa-01
- draft-liang-karp-auto-sa-management-rp-01

Draft Outline

- Why Need Negotiation
- Concerns and Possible Solutions When Using Negotiation
- Negotiation in KMPs

Why Need Negotiation

Main reason

- Diverse security requirements & security
- Objective: interconnectivity, interoperation, cooperation

Specific reasons in KMPs

- Algorithm agility
- Implementation
- Configuration
- Deployment and incremental deployment

Concerns and Possible Solutions When Using Negotiation

Concerns

Improper implementations cause unexpected consequences when using negotiation

Two possible solutions

- Translator/transformer
- Falling-back negotiation mechanism/re-negotiation mechanism

Negotiation in KMPs

- Initial SA negotiation to establish secure channel
 - Phase 1 exchange of ISAKMP, initial exchange in IKEv2
- Peer-to-peer SA negotiation for application data,
 e.g. RP
 - Phase 2 exchange of ISAKMP, IKE_AUTH&CREATE_CHILD_SA exchange of IKEv2
- Group SA negotiation for application data, e.g. RP
 - One possible approach: GCKS collects security parameters from GMs, and generates GSA according to security parameters supported by all or most GMs

Q&A

Any discussion and comment are welcome!