

SPFbis

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What's all this, then?

- Sender Policy Framework (SPF) is a mechanism by which a domain name owner can publish in the DNS a statement about which IP addresses can send mail using that domain name
- The MARID WG produced SPF (RFC4408) several years ago as an Experimental RFC
- SPF has seen substantial deployment since then
- Upcoming standards work wants to reference SPF
 - But that would be a down-reference

So what do you want to do?

- Publish a draft that describes the “experiment” and its conclusions in detail
- Move SPF to the Standards Track
 - Incorporate errata, tighten things up
 - Do some IANA work to set up for extensions
- Don’t touch Sender-ID (MARID’s other output) at all for now
 - We want to keep things simple

And you want APPSAWG to do this?

- Hell no! Just want to let people here know this is happening
 - Plus Barry would resist on all cylinders
- A charter for an “SPFbis” WG is circulating, and a pre-WG list has been requested
 - Will send it to apps-discuss shortly
- Will request a BoF or possibly WG formation in time for Paris