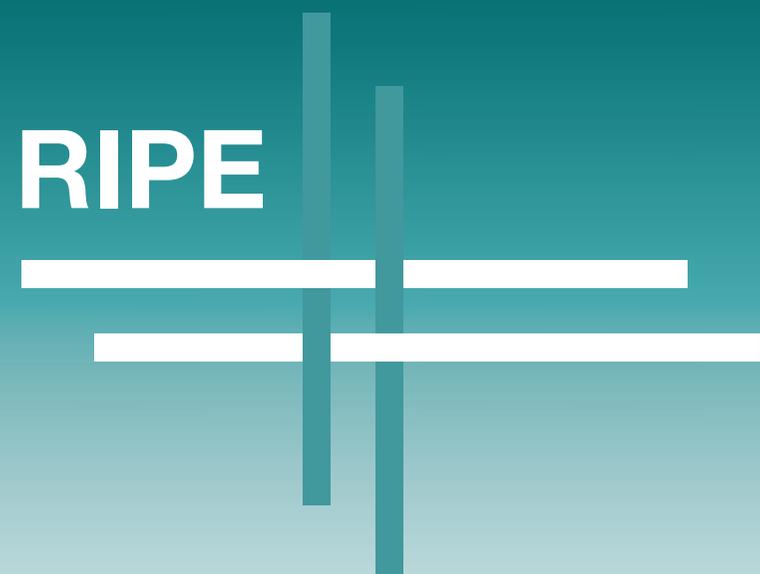


RIPE

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IP Connectivity support



RIPE is for IP Connectivity

Recognising that IP networks are growing beyond the LANs in Europe and are extending over national and international WANs in Europe, the RIPE coordinating body has been created.

RIPE stands for: "Reseaux IP Europeens".

The objective of RIPE is to ensure the necessary administrative and technical coordination to allow the operation and expansion of a pan-European IP network.



Not everyone is happy with IP Connectivity

More evidences about governmental breaks of IP connectivity:

- full country shutdowns
- prefix filtering
- AS filtering
- protocol filtering
- local shutdowns

Abuse of RIPE

Governments and states using RIPE as “Useful fools”, requesting and using Numbering resources without respect to community values, or even to abuse

Something have to be done

Everyone may participate in RIPE Meeting, but there is code of conduct and violators may be asked to leave.

Discussion

What is IP connectivity violation?
How to measure and confirm?

Discussion

Affected entities:

- Government Institutions,
- Government owned unitary enterprises,
- Government controlled/blockable corporations,
- GONGOs
- any combination of above

Discussion

- Level of enforcement (AS.RR, Allocation, assignments)
- Methods (Membership suspension, cancellation, ...)

Discussion

Start of policy (taking in account previous violations).



Discussion

Other Internet abuses by governments. (ECHR cases)

Discussion

Alternative ways: send RIPE NCC to enforce governments to get into legal binding agreements of respect to RIPE Policies and values.

Questions?

