

RIPE NCC DNS Update

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The Team









Our Services

- K-root
- Reverse DNS
- Secondary DNS for some ccTLDs
- ENUM
- AS112
- DNSSEC
- RIPE NCC Internal Services



K-root

- DURZ readiness
 - Server and network limit testing with NLNet Labs
 - Bandwidth upgrades
 - NSD 3.2.4 (TCP and EDNS buffer size tuning)
- Data collection & Analysis
 - DITL-style
 - Priming queries
- Public outreach and awareness
 - Articles on RIPE Labs
 - Reply-size tester



Reply-size Tester



For more information see: http://k.root-servers.org/replysizetest



Test results

for resolver: 193.0.19.6

Announced buffer size: 4096 bytes Measured buffer size: 3839 bytes

EDNS enabled: yes
DNSSEC enabled: yes

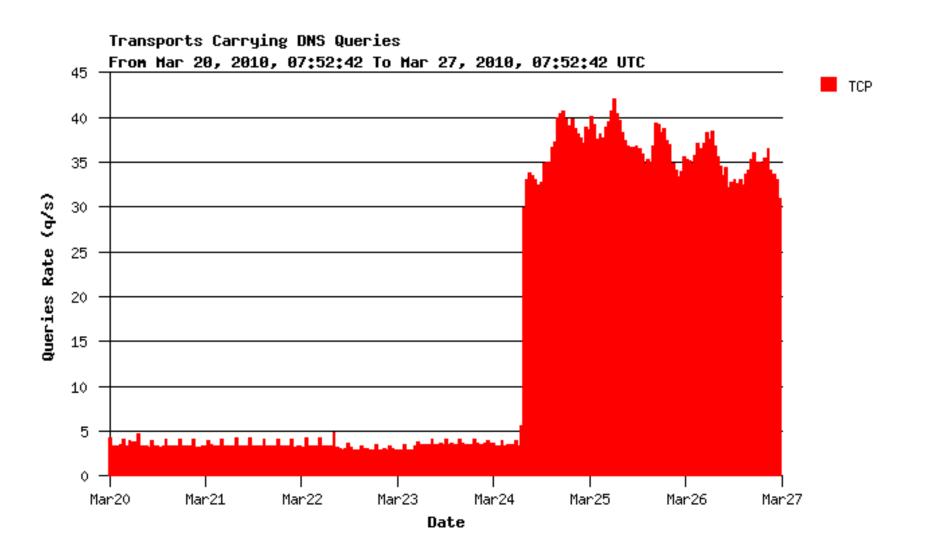
Your resolver announced a buffer size bigger than the largest packet that it can receive.

Note: There will always be a difference between the announced and measured buffer size because of the algorithm used. However this difference should not exceed 300 bytes.

For detailed explanations about these messages see: http://k.root-servers.org/replysizetest



TCP Queries after DURZ Rollout





K-root Expansion

- Co-operation with AfriNIC
 - Dar es Salaam in 2008
 - More instances later this year
- Possible expansion into Latin America
- A few more local instances in the RIPE NCC region



DNSSEC (Current)

- RIPE NCC zones signed since 2005
- Old signer infrastructure
 - "Bump in the wire" model
 - Regular Linux servers
 - Perl-based key management tools
 - No support for secure key storage
 - Manual processes prone to human error
- Frequent key rollovers



DNSSEC (Future)

- New signers from Secure64
- "Bump in the wire" model
 - Zone transfers into and out of the signers
- KSK rollover in progress
 - Pre-publishing required for the switch
 - New keys introduced on 23 March 2010
 - New keys become active on 14 June 2010
- New DNSSEC Pratices Statement
 - Review all policies and procedures
 - Reconsider key lifetimes



DNS Infrastructure Improvements

- New Autonomous System (ASN 197000)
- Multi-server architecture for redundancy
- Serve in-addr.arpa, ip6.arpa and all of the RIPE NCC's forward and reverse zones
- First site is operational at AMS-IX
- A second site is planned for Q4 2010



ENUM

- Two new delegations since RIPE 59
 - Malaysia (February 2010)
 - Ukraine (April 2010)
- Voxbone (8835100) approved but not yet delegated
- Signed zones
 - Poland
 - Czech Republic
 - The Netherlands
 - Lithuania

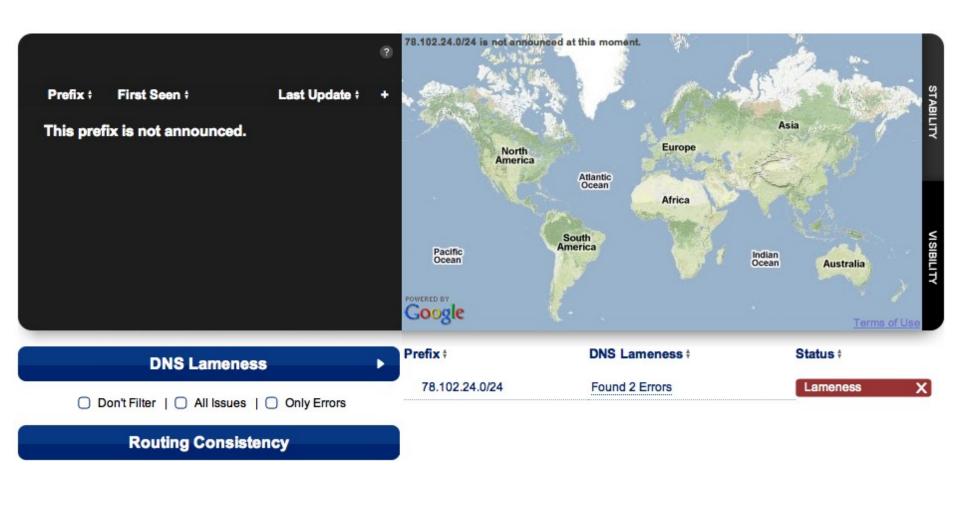


Provisioning System

- New provisioning software to replace legacy
- Support for glue and DS records for ERX address space
- Improvements to delegation checker
 - Fix some IPv6 issues
 - Allow pre-publishing of DS record



DNS Lameness Data in Netsense





Questions?

