Welcome! APNIC Members Training Course

Internet Resource Management Essentials

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Introduction

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Schedule

- Introduction to APNIC
- <u>APNIC community & policy</u> <u>development</u>
- Policies
 - · IPv4
 - · IPv6
- Current status and potential future
- <u>Statistics update</u>





Introduction to APNIC

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Overview

- What is APNIC?
- What does APNIC do?
- Where is APNIC?
- APNIC membership

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What is **APNIC**?

- Regional Internet Registry (RIR) for the Asia Pacific region
 - Regional authority for Internet resource distribution
 - IP addresses (IPv4 and IPv6), AS numbers, reverse DNS delegation
 - Provide services to ~900 ISPs
- Industry self-regulatory body
 - Established in 1993, in the "Internet tradition"
 - Consensus-based, open and transparent
 - Non-profit, neutral and independent
 - Open membership-based structure

What does **APNIC** do?

Internet resource management

- IP address allocation to ISPs and NIRs
- IP address assignment to end users
- AS number assignments

Resource registration

- Authoritative registration server: *whois.apnic.net*
- Internet Routing Registry: *whois.apnic.net*
- DNS management
- Delegate reverse DNS zones/domains
- Authoritative DNS servers
 - in-addr.arpa, ip6.arpa (ip6.int)

What else does APNIC do?

- Policy development and coordination
 - APNIC Open Policy Meetings: 2 per year
 - SIGs, WGs, BOFs, Training
 - ASO and ICANN processes
 - Liaison: IETF, ITU etc
- Training and outreach
 - Frequent regional training courses
 - Presentations at seminars, conferences etc
- Publications
 - Newsletter, web site, mailing lists etc
 - Regional and global resource reports

APNIC is...

Not a network operator

 Does not provide networking services
 Works closely with APRICOT forum

Not a standards body

Does not develop technical standards

Works within IETF in relevant areas (IPv6 etc)

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Not a domain name registry or registrar
Will refer queries to relevant parties

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Where is APNIC region?



Ref http://www.un.org/depts/dhl/maplib/worldregions.htm



Where is **APNIC** region?



APNIC structure

- Industry self-regulatory structure
 - Participation by those who use Internet resources
 - Consensus-based decision making
 - Eg. Policy changes, db requirements etc
 - Open and transparent

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Meetings and mailing lists
 Open to anyone



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Sub-regional membership distribution



Source: APNIC statistic data - Last update March 20

Membership growth



Source: APNIC statistic data - Last update March 20



<u>Questions?</u>

Material available at: www.apnic.net/training/recent/



Policy development in the Asia Pacific

The APNIC community & the policy development process

What is the APNIC community?

- Open forum in the Asia Pacific – Open to any interested parties
- Voluntary participation
- Decisions made by consensus
- Public meetings
- Mailing lists
 - web archived

• A voice in regional Internet operations through participation in APNIC activities



Policy development

Industry self-regulatory processes

 Open to all interested parties
 Facilitated by RIR staff

Policy implementation

 RIR processes
 ISPs and other affected parties

Participation in policy development

- Why should I bother?
 - Responsibility as an APNIC member
 - To be aware of the current policies for managing address space allocated to you
 - Business reasons
 - Policies affect your business operating environment and are constantly changing
 - Ensure your needs are met
 - Educational
 - Learn and share experiences
 - Stay abreast with "best practices" in the Internet

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How to make your voice heard

- Contribute on the public mailing lists
 - <u>http://www.apnic.net/community/lists/index.html</u>
- Attend meetings
 - Or send a representative
 - Gather input at forums
 - Via transcripts, web cast and Jabber chat
- Give feedback
 - Training or seminar events
- Next meeting
 - Fiji, Aug 31-Sep 3 2004

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<u>Questions?</u>

Policy making process description <u>http://www.apnic.net/docs/policy/dev/index.html</u>

Material available at: www.apnic.net/training/recent/



Internet Registry allocation and assignment

Policies

Overview of APNIC policies

- Definitions
- Background
- Objectives
- Environment
- IPv4 allocation & assignment policies

Allocation and assignment

<u>Allocation</u>

• "A block of address space held by an IR (or downstream ISP) for subsequent allocation or assignment"

Not yet used to address any networks

• <u>Assignment</u>

• "A block of address space used to address an operational network"

 May be provided to LIR customers, or used for an LIR's infrastructure ("self-assignment")

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Allocation and assignment



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Portable & non-portable

Portable assignments

Customer addresses independent from ISP

- Keeps addresses when changing ISP
- Bad for size of routing tables
- Bad for QoS: routes may be filtered, flapdampened



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Non-portable assignments

- Customer uses ISP's address space
 - Must renumber if changing ISP
- Only way to effectively scale the Internet

Aggregation and "portability"

Aggregation

No aggregation



BGP announcements (4)

Customer assignments

(Non-portable assignments)

(Portable assignments)
Private address space & NAT

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- Private address space Not necessary to request from the RIRs
 - Strongly recommended when no Internet connectivity
 - 10/8, 172.16/12, 192.168/16
- Network Address Translation (NAT) Use entirely up to individual organisation
 - Considerations:
 - Breaks end-to-end model, increases complexity, makes troubleshooting more difficult, introduces single point of failure



RFC

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Address management objectives

Conservation

- Efficient use of resources
- Based on demonstrated need

Aggregation

- Limit routing table growth
- Support provider-based routing

Registration

- Ensure uniqueness
- Facilitate trouble shooting





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http://bgp.potaroo.net/as1221/bgp-active.html

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Allocations vs assignments

- RIRs made 4506 IPv4 allocations from 1 Jan '03-12 Feb '04
 - 3641 allocations announced
 - -865 allocations not announced yet
- 10904 routing advertisements used to span the 3641 allocations
 - 2938 advertisements precisely match the RIR allocation
 - 7966 advertisements are more specifics of 1206 RIR allocations

Source: "Allocation vs advertisements" presented by Geoff Huston at APNIC-17 http://www.apnic.net/meetings/17/docs/sigs/routing/routing-pres-huston-allocvsannouncement.pdf



Analysis of statistics

- Advertising more specific /24 address prefixes within an allocated address block
 - The predominant form of advertising is to split allocation block into fragments
 - Many of these more specifics appear to be local
- One fifth of allocations are fragmented in this fashion
 - On average there are 6.6 additional advertisements of fragments per address block
- Use of 'no-export' community tag can help reduce propagation of specifics

APNIC policy environment

"*IP addresses not freehold property*" – Assignments & allocations on license basis

- Addresses *cannot* be bought or sold
- Internet resources are public resources
- "Ownership" is contrary to management goals

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"Confidentiality & security"– APNIC to observe and protect trust relationship
• Non-disclosure agreement signed by staff

APNIC allocation policies

- Aggregation of allocation
 - Provider responsible for aggregation
 - Customer assignments & sub-allocations must be non-portable
- Allocations based on demonstrated need
 - Detailed documentation required
 - All address space held to be declared
 - Address space to be obtained from one source
 - routing considerations may apply
 - Stockpiling not permitted

Initial IPv4 allocation and criteria

• Initial (portable) allocation: /20 (4096 addresses)

 The allocation can be used for assignments to your customers or your own infrastructure

Current criteria

1a. Have used a /22 from upstream provider

- Demonstrated efficient address usage
- OR
- 1b. Show immediate need for /22
 - Can include customer projections & infrastructure equipment

2. Detailed plan for use of /21 within 1 year

3. Renumber to new space within 1 year



Proposed policy change APNIC17

- Minimum allocation will be /21 if approved
 - 1. LIR have used a /23 from their upstream provider or demonstrate an immediate need for a

/23; and

- 2. Detailed plan for use of a /22 within a year
- 3. Renumber to new space within 1 year
 - Meet all policy requirements
 - Applicants may be required to show purchase receipts
 - Current status
 - Approved by consensus APNIC17
 - Comment period on *sig-policy* mailing list (3 May '04)
 - To be approved by EC
 - Implementation timeframe 3 months

APNIC allocation policies

- Transfer of address space
 - Not automatically recognised
 - Return unused address space to appropriate IR
- Effects of mergers, acquisitions & take-overs
 - Will require contact with IR (APNIC)
 - contact details may change
 - new agreement may be required
 - May require re-examination of allocations
 - requirement depends on new network structure

Address assignment policies

Assignments based on requirements

- Demonstrated through detailed documentation
- Assignment should maximise utilisation
 - minimise wastage

Classless assignments

- showing use of VLSM
- Size of allocation
 - Sufficient for up to 12 months' requirement

Portable assignments

- Small multihoming assignment policy
 - For (small) organisations who require a portable assignment for multihoming purposes

<u>Criteria</u>

- 1a. Applicants currently multihomed OR
- 1b. Demonstrate a plan to multihome within 1 month
- 2. Agree to renumber out of previously assigned space
 - Demonstrate need to use 25% of requested space immediately and 50% within 1 year



Modified policy for IXP assignments

- Definition of IXP
 - A layer 1 and layer 2 network interstitial between and interconnecting three or more ASNs
 - in contiguous IPv4 and IPv6 subnets for the purpose of exchange of Internet traffic
- Criteria
 - 3 or more peers
 - Demonstrate "open peering policy"
- No restriction on routing
 - Can announce this address space to the internet
- APNIC has a reserved block of space from which to make IXP assignments
 - /24 is the minimum assignment size

APNIC 17 policy update



- Recovery of unused address space
 - Efforts to reclaim unused address space
 - To protect such space from misuse
 - In response to 'hijacking' concerns

http://www.apnic.net/docs/policy/proposals/prop-017-v001.html

- Status
 - Proposal reached consensus APNIC17
 - Next step: comment period on 'sig-policy' mailling list (closes 3 May '04)
 - EC endorsement
 - 3 month implementation time-frame

IPv4 /8 address space status







ASN assignments from RIRs to LIRs/ISPs cumulative total





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Policies & procedures

Overview

- IPv6 addressing structure
- IPv6 policy & procedures
- IPv6 policy history
- Current status
- Statistics



IPv6 address management hierarchy





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IPv6 address structure





IPv6 initial allocation

- Initial allocation criteria
 - Plan to connect 200 end sites within 2 years
 - Default allocation ("slow start")
- Initial allocation size is /32
 - Provides 16 bits of site address space

48 bits
 128 bits
 Larger initial allocations can be made if justified according to:

- IPv6 network infrastructure plan
- Existing IPv4 infrastructure and customer base

IPv6 sub-allocation policy

LIR to ISP allocation
 – Policy determined by LIR

DB registration

 All /48 and shorter prefix allocations and assignments must be registered

IPv6 assignments

Default assignment /48 for all end sites ullet

PoP also defined as end site

– Providing 16 bits of space for subnets

48 bits 64 bits

128 bits

- Other assignment sizes
 - /64 only one subnet
 - /128 only one device connecting
- Larger assignments Multiple /48s
 - Should be reviewed by RIR/NIR
 - Follow second opinion procedure

What is an end site?

- End site defined as an end user of an ISP where the ISP:
 - Assigns address space to the end user
 - Provides Internet transit service to the end user
 - Advertises an aggregate prefix route that contains the end user's assignment
- ISP PoP are also defied as end sites

RFC 3177

- Specific assignment guidelines
 - /48 in the general case, except for very large subscribers
 - /64 when it is known that one and only one subnet is needed by design
 - /128 when it is absolutely known that one and only one device is connecting.
- How to assess /48 requirements for /64 and /128 assignments?
 - Use HD ratio
 - i.e. /48 is utilised when 7,132 /64s are used

IPv6 utilisation

- Utilisation determined from end site assignments
 - LIR responsible for registration of all /48 assignments
 - Intermediate allocation hierarchy not considered
- Utilisation of IPv6 address space is measured differently from IPv6
- Subsequent allocation may be requested when IPv6 utilisation requirement is met



IPv6 utilisation requirement

 IPv6 utilisation measured according to HD-Ratio (RFC 3194):

Utilisation нр =

log (Assigned address space)

log (Available address space)

 IPv6 utilisation requirement is HD=0.80

- Measured according to assignments only

• E.g. ISP has assigned 10000 (/48s) addresses of /32

 $\frac{\log (\text{Assigned address space})}{\log (\text{Available address space})} = \frac{\log (10,000)}{\log (65,536)} = 0.83$

IPv6 utilisation requirement (cont.)

• HD Ratio utilisation requirement of 0.80

IPv6 Prefix	Site Address Bits	Total site address in /48s	Threshold (HD ratio 0.8)	Utilisation %
42	6	64	28	43.5%
36	12	4096	776	18.9%
35	13	8192	1351	16.5%
32	16	65536	7132	10.9%
29	19	524288	37641	7.2%
24	24	16777216	602249	3.6%
16	32	4294967296	50859008	1.2%
8	40	1099511627776	4294967296	0.4%
3	45	35184372088832	68719476736	0.2%

• RFC 3194

• "In a hierarchical address plan, as the size of the allocation increases, the density of assignments will decrease."

Subsequent allocation

- Must meet HD = 0.8 utilisation requirement of previous allocation
 - (7132 /48s assignments in a /32)
- Other criteria to be met
 - Correct registrations (all /48s registered)
 - Correct assignment practices etc
- Subsequent allocation size is at least double
 - Resulting IPv6 prefix is 1 bit shorter
 - Or sufficient for 2 years requirement
Other conditions

 License model of allocation

 Allocations are not considered permanent, but always subject to review and reclamation

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Existing /35 allocations

 A number of /35s have been assigned under interim IPv6 policy
 Holders of /35s eligible to request /32

IXP IPv6 assignment policy

Criteria

- Demonstrate "open peering policy"
- 3 or more peers
- Portable assignment size: /48

 All other needs should be met through normal processes
 - -/64 holders can "upgrade" to /48
 - Through NIRs or APNIC
 - Need to return /64

History of IPv6 policy development

- First published in 1999
 - "Provisional IPv6 Policy" adopted by all RIRs
- Policy review during 2001
 - Final policy approved in all RIR regions
 - APNIC: Bangkok, March 2002
 - ARIN: Las Vegas, April 2002
 - RIPE NCC: Amsterdam, May 2002
- New policy established
 - Implemented in APNIC region since 1 July 2002
 - "Globally co-ordinated but there may be regional variations

IPv6 policy – have your say!

- Limited experience of policy in action
 - Your feedback very important
 - Policy always subject to change and refinement
- Open discussion list
 - global-v6@lists.apnic.net (all regions)
 - SIG Policy mailing list (APNIC region)
- Documentation
 - FAQ information and more!
 - http://www.apnic.net/services/ipv6_guide.html
 - Guidelines document under development
 - To assist new requestors with policy

IPv6 Regional variations

- In response to regional needs

 Co-ordination efforts still continuing
- LACNIC
 - Amendment to "200 customer criteria"
- ARIN (proposal)
 - Amendment 200 customers criteria waiver - early adopters (until 31 Dec '04)
- APNIC (subject to EC endorsement)
 - IPv6 allocations to 'closed' networks
 - IPv6 allocations to IPv4 networks

APNIC17 IPv6 Policy Proposals

- Proposal: IPv6 allocations to closed networks
 - –No alternative for large but private connected networks
 - -Current APNIC practice as directed by EC
 - -Requestors must meet criteria for initial allocation
- Reference
 - -http://www.apnic.net/docs/policy/proposals/prop-015-v001
- Status
 - -Consensus APNIC17
 - -Now: 2 months on mailing list for comment (3 May)
 - -EC endorsement requested after comment period
 - -Request to co-ordinate with other regions



APNIC IPv6 Policy Proposals

- Proposal: IPv6 allocations to IPv4 networks
 - Explicitly documents how to make IPv6 allocations based on IPv4 address holdings
 - -Use of HD ratio in determining size of IPv6 allocation
 - –Update sections 4.4 and 5.1.2 in policy
- Reference
 - <u>http://www.apnic.net/docs/policy/proposals/prop-016-v002</u>
- Status
 - -Consensus APNIC17
 - -Now: 2 months on mailing list for comment (3 May)
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IPv6 allocation to v4 networks: examples

IPv4 application	IPv6 requirement (/48s)
Customer network (any size*)	One /48 per network
Dial up customer requiring subnets	One /48 per customer
ISP POP (any size)	One /48 per POP
Individual device requiring /32	(*) According to RFC 3177

IPv6 Global Allocations

- Proposal: Follow up to ripe-261. Requesting larger IPv6 allocations from IANA
 - -Request for a /8 or a /12 from IANA
- Reference
 - –http://www.apnic.net/docs/policy/proposal s/prop-005-v001.html
- Status
 - –Endorsed by EC 24 December 2003 (in principle)
 - -Pending co-ordination with other regions

IPv6 implementation

Current status and potential future

Current status - implementations

 Most vendors are shipping supported products today

> eg. 3Com, Apple, Bay Networks, BSDI, Bull, Cisco, Dassault, Digital, Epilogue, Ericsson/Telebit, FreeBSD, IBM, Hitachi, HP, KAME, Linux, Mentat, Microsoft, Nokia, Novell, Nortel, OpenBSD, SCO, Siemens Nixdorf, Silicon Graphics, Sun, Trumpet

Internet for everything?

- "Peer to peer" between any pair of devices, not just people on computers
 - Appliances, automobiles, buildings, cameras, control units, embedded systems, home networks, medical devices, mobile devices, monitors, output devices, phones, robots, sensors, switches, VPNs
- No more NAT ("fog on the Internet")
- Eventually, every device will be connected to the Internet
 - Every device will need an address

IPv6 products and services

- Area of products and services
 - Personal VPN over IPv6
 - i.e. Control DVD recorder via mobile computer
 - Visual communication over IPv6
 - i.e. Exchange personal information via game machine and USB camera
 - Home security over IPv6
 - i.e. Monitor/control home security via surveillance camera and sensors from outside

– Toy

• IP thread phone over IPv6

Source: http://www.ipv6style.jp/en/apps/20040224/index.shtml

IPv6 in business

- Some interesting conferences targeting business communities
 - IPv6 Forum: IPv6 products and services:
 - "Enabling Consumer Electronics with Next Generation Internet"
 - Held in Las Vegas sponsored by CEA (Consumer Electronics Association)
 - January 2004
 - http://www.usipv6.com/ces2004/ces2004c.html

IPv6 in business (cont.)

- IPv6 Business Summit 2004
 Open the door to ubiquitous society
 - Held in Tokyo sponsored by various electronics and telecommunication companies
 - February 2004
 - <u>http://www.v6bizsummit.jp/</u>
 - Actual products and services were exhibited

Statistics update

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IANA IPv6 allocations to RIRs

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- ARIN
- LACNICRIPE NCC

2001:0200::/23 2001:0C00::/23 2001:0E00::/23 2001:0400::/23 2001:1800::/23 2001:1200::/23 2001:0600::/23 2001:0800::/23 2001:0A00::/23 2001:1400::/23 2001:1600::/23





IPv6 allocations from RIRs to LIRs/ISPs yearly comparison









Source: APNIC statistic data - Last update March 20

APNIC allocation by year

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Source: http://bgp.potaroo.net/v6/as1221/index.html - Last updated 09/03/2



Data obtained from RIPE RIS Looking Glass as of 11/03/2004



<u>Questions?</u>

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Thank you!

Supplementary reading

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Training material

• Today's training material will be made available at:

http://www.apnic.net/training/recent/

Introduction

- Regional Internet Registry web sites

 APNIC
 - <u>http://www.apnic.net</u>
 - ARIN
 - <u>http://www.arin.net</u>
 - LACNIC
 - www.lacnic.net
 - RIPE NCC
 - http://www.ripe.net
- APNIC past meetings
 - http://www.apnic.net/meetings

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APNIC members

http://www.apnic.net/members.html

• Membership

- Membership procedure
 - http://www.apnic.net/membersteps.html
- Membership application form
 - http://www.apnic.net/apnic-bin/membership-application.pl
- Membership fees
 - http://www.apnic.net/docs/corpdocs/FeeSchedule.htm

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Member Services Helpdesk

- One point of contact for all member enquiries

Helpdesk hours 9:00 am -7:00 pm (AU EST, UTC + 10 hrs)

ph: +61 7 3858 3188 fax: 61 7 3858 3199

- More personalised service
 - Range of languages:
 Cantonese, Filipino, Mandarin, Thai, Vietnamese etc.



• Faster response and resolution of queries

 IP resource applications, status of requests, obtaining help in completing application forms, membership enquiries, billing issues & database enquiries

APNIC & IR policies

Classless techniques/CIDR

- http://nori.apnic.net/ietf/rfc/rfc1517.txt
- http://nori.apnic.net/ietf/rfc/rfc1518.txt
- http://nori.apnic.net/ietf/rfc/rfc1519.txt

Network Addressing when using CIDR
ftp://ftp.uninett.no/pub/misc/eidnes-cidr.ps.Z
Variable Length Subnet Table
http://nori.apnic.net/ietf/rfc/rfc1878.txt

Private address space

Private Address Space

 Address Allocation for Private Internets
 http://nori.apnic.net/ietf/rfc/rfc1918.txt

 Counter argument: Unique addresses are good

http://nori.apnic.net/ietf/rfc/rfc1814.txt

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Policies & policy environment

- Policy Documentation
 - Policies for address space management in the Asia Pacific region
 - <u>http://www.apnic.net/docs/policy/add-manage-policy.html</u>
 - Internet Registry IP allocation Guidelines
 - <u>http://nori.apnic.net/ietf/rfc/rfc2050.txt</u>

APNIC-17 policy update

APNIC-17 meeting home page

- <u>http://www.apnic.net/meetings/index.html</u>
- APNIC-17 report
 - <u>http://www.apnic.net/meetings/17/report.html</u>

APNIC-17 policy decisions

http://www.apnic.net/meetings/17/report.html #2

Reports and statistics

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- <u>http://www.apnic.net/info/reports/index.html</u>
- Most recent RIR reports and joint statistics
 - <u>http://www.apnic.net/meetings/17/docs/amm/</u> <u>amm-pres-tran-join-stats.pdf</u>

IPv6 information

• IPv6 resource guide

- <u>http://www.apnic.net/services/ipv6_guide.html</u>
- IPv6 address allocation and assignment policy
 - <u>http://ftp.apnic.net/apnic/docs/ipv6-address-</u> policy
 - Chinese translation
 - <u>http://www.apnic.net/trans/cns/index.html</u>
IPv6 information (cont.)

IPv6 Address request form

- <u>http://ftp.apnic.net/apnic/docs/ipv6-alloc-</u> request
- FAQ
 - <u>http://www.apnic.net/info/faq/IPv6-FAQ.html</u>

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