



[manet] A proposal - differentiating the document and the protocol

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Fri, Nov 2, 2012 at 6:16 AM

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The editors of this new document would have to agree that what goes in it is WG consensus (which should follow proper technical consideration of the issues). If they found it impossible to have other than their way to do things, they'd have to move on. If that left no one editing it, obviously we don't have a consensus of people prepared to do the work and option 3 would win.

So now I'm partly off the fence I've been sitting on. But only partly. I haven't yet formed a view on e.g. should this AODVv2 have IRREPs as standard, IRREPs as an option in the main draft, IRREPs as a separate draft option, no IRREPs. I'd like to move on to those discussions.

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Op 2 nov. 2012, om 12:16 heeft Dearlove, Christopher (UK) het volgende geschreven:

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Fri, Nov 2, 2012 at 7:11 AM

To: Teco Boot <teco@inf-net.nl>

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As I said, I think the LOADng document will be much easier to adapt.

Two comments there. First, it's odd reading that document, which I'm not an author of, as large amounts feel like I did write them. That is of course because it borrows the style of OLSRv2/NHDP, in turn adopted from (but improved on) that on RFC 3626.

Second, is that a good style? Well, I would refer you to Barry Leiba's comments on OLSRv2 in the ID tracker as it goes through the IESG. It even got a YES (not just a no objection) from him on that account.

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Hi Chris,

I'm a bit of an outsider on this discussion, and I must admit I have not read the latest competing documents (I plan on doing that over the weekend). I therefore cannot claim yet I support your offer (or not).

But let me however say that I definitely support a down-to-earth, technically-focused approach to go forward with the consensus standards-track reactive protocol MANET is supposed to deliver. And I think your proposal complies with such requirements - already a good start.

Cheers,

Emmanuel

But if your basic assumptions are correct (concerning document readability), and if we

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(document track: the history of ietf-manet-dymo).

I suggested in my posting, dd 16 oktober, to use draft-ietf-manet-dymo-23 as placeholder for an updated text coming from the LOADng corner. I expected more than just s/LLN/MANET/. And I expected some cooperation. I still do.

There is nothing wrong to have the same document format for both our core protocols. In the contrary !

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I just wanted to point out I'm familiar with the LOADng style. But that is not why I say it is a superior presentation, or why I say it's a better starting point - even for DYMO. I've got a lot of ink on a paper copy of dymo-23 that convinced me of that.

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We always SHOULD be in cooperative mode with our WG drafts and avoid interrupts from other drafts

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Hi Chris,

I always thought that LOADng is different than AODVv2 in deployments but similar in documentations, that is why the LOADng document SHOULD be modified, it should represent the real deployment specification and applicability. Usually it is required by the IETF that all standard protocol document present a section for *Applicability*, I think this will be the main difference between DYMO/AODVv2 and LOADng documents. I don't like to take sides for our assigned work flow, because in the end we are working for the WG progress works (DYMO not LOADng docs).

I will provide my review on differences without showing advantages/disadvantages, because in the end we want all a reactive protocol to become standard as soon as possible without delays.

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I have no objection for your recommend process for the dymo work flow, as long as we don't change the I-D's abstract and aim.

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Dear Chris,

personally, what you propose makes sense to me.

Regards
Ulrich
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Abdussalam Baryun <abdussalambaryun@gmail.com> Fri, Nov 2, 2012 at 11:17 AM
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Hi Ulrich,

I think that Chris's proposal was not accepted by LOADng co-authors as I understood from following up the WG history (they don't agree to change the name of protocol). As you are one co-author do I understand that you support the Chris's proposal,

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On Fri, Nov 2, 2012 at 2:41 PM, Ulrich Herberg <ulrich@herberg.name> wrote:
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JP> I would be extremely supportive of this, just do the reverse BUT we would end up with the same results:

- * Take the DYMO document
- * Change the name to AODVv2
- * List where both protocol differ
- * Use options when required.

I think that this is also what Charlie proposed.

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On Nov 2, 2012, at 1:04 PM, Teco Boot wrote:

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JP> Indeed.

Thanks,.

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On Nov 2, 2012, at 1:11 PM, Dearlove, Christopher (UK) wrote:

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JP> I had the opposite feeling and ... DYMO is the MANET WG document too.

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Best

Ulrich

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On Fri, Nov 2, 2012 at 9:34 AM, Ulrich Herberg <ulrich@herberg.name> wrote:

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"100% DYMO"

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Fri, Nov 2, 2012 at 11:58 AM

I agree that from reading both documents it would make much more sense to start with the LOADng draft and enhance it with the items from DYMO that the working group feel are necessary.

The LOADng draft seems like a much better basis to start from. I don't see why Charlie and group can't start with LOADng as the base.

Jon

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Fri, Nov 2, 2012 at 12:01 PM

It does have a good style, clear, clean and distinct (as does OLSRv2). It is something that I can read and start to implement. I can't say the same for the DYMO draft in its current state.

Jon

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On Nov 2, 2012, at 12:24 PM, Abdussalam Baryun wrote:

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I would but starting with DYMO as the base document and go from there, which is I think that Charlie proposed.

Thanks.

JP.
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JP> I do not think that this is the only issue ... applicability and use of existing mechanisms in DYMO (potentially marked as optional is another one).

As far as I can see from the discussions so far, there is a clear consensus that option 3 is not viable.

JP> Not sure ... I hope that you are right. I guess that option 3 would be the result of a lack of consensus between 1 and 2 *but* I cannot speak for the chairs.

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JP> And I propose the opposite ... We're back to the original question.

Thanks.

JP.
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This seems to make good sense. The name should not be issue. We need a good solid base to start from. It would appear that if there are working interoperable implementation based on the LOADng draft then this indicates that the draft is implementable. Again, having read both I could build something based on the LOADng draft and I (and I'm only talking for me) couldn't based on the DYMO draft.

I much prefer starting with something simple and understandable and adding what is missing rather than starting with something more difficult to understand trying to remove things that are not needed.

Jon

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Jon,

You did not reply to my former email - will you be in Atlanta to have a technical discussion based on our email exchanges ?

Thanks.

JP.
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so ... should we start with a completely new document then ?
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However the LOADng document is much better written, and a much better starting point.

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I think different (this is fine !).

Cheers.

JP.
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Hello folks,

I am trying to finish a new revision to the existing DYMO document to make the RFC 5444 compliance, improve terminology, and repair some other things which didn't get done because I ran out of time before the I-D submission deadline. It is my belief that if the WG document is in good shape, it will make for a much clearer way forward.

I want to respond to the comments, but insofar as the WG document has editorial errors, I want to make it clear that I am committed to fixing them as a very high priority.

The value of "quicker" depends a lot on the desired result. There is an obvious "extreme" case where we publish a document which really serves a very restricted case (say, only three nodes). That could be done in a matter of days, I guess. I do not mean that the LOADng document is anywhere near that restrictive, but that the argument has to be taken in context. Moreover, I would like to point out that the same urgency was expressed to me last year about this time, and at that time the intention was to persuade me that the metric for "weak links" could not be changed. In the meantime, I am happy to report that that metric has now been removed.

Since the existing WG document is targeted at a greater scope of applicability than the LOADng, if we can get the existing WG document published with expedient and priority effort then it seems we would achieve a much more worthy goal -- all the while offering LOADng compatibility for the metering applications under current discussion.

Regards,
Charlie P.

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This a great news - see in line

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I cannot agree more.

Thanks.

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Fri, Nov 2, 2012 at 3:25 PM

I also agree with Chris. If we have a solid draft like LOADng already, why we can't reuse it as a start point. I saw both drafts were derivated from AODV and LOADng has progressed somehow in security mechanism although it is not perfect and I view it is too overhead to insure end-to-end security at routing level. DYMO has certainly not progressed that much

although we can trust Charlie for his reputation work and he has ability to make his reactive routing protocol progress.

The question seems to me whether we start to work on LOADng or start to work on DYMO to make this discussion move forward. What is the advantage and disadvantage to do so? Any risk or how much work needs to be done before we can possibly establish a solid draft?

Cheers,
Dan

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From: JP Vasseur (jvasseur) <jvasseur@cisco.com>

On Nov 2, 2012, at 12:16 PM, Dearlove, Christopher (UK) wrote:

> Before making a proposal, I'm going to introduce a distinction here between the DYMO and LOADng documents and protocols.
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> I'm of the opinion that the LOADng document is a greatly superior presentation to the DYMO document. (I'm not really interested in why that has come about.)
>
> I think that regardless of whether one makes design decisions favouring DYMO or LOADng where they differ - and let's not forget they overlap a lot - it would actually be easier to modify the LOADng document to specify DYMO than it would be to modify the DYMO document to achieve that. And in practice I think if making decisions it is unlikely that all would favour DYMO over LOADng.
>
> So what I think would be best for the WG is not a simply "option 1" or even (as it may appear I'm suggesting, but I'm not) "option 2" but rather to agree to take the LOADng document, and a list of where DYMO and LOADng differ, and thrash out where they do, what the WG reactive protocol should do - either as a definite choice, or as an option (but not too many options please- and some could be separate specifications).
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> This would not of course be LOADng, so we'd have to change the document name. And there I suggest we have a candidate name - AODVv2. (Which is why I have recently taken to saying DYMO when referring to that document.) After all, the one thing we are agreed on is that the protocol being developed is derived from AODV.

JP> I would be extremely supportive of this, just do the reverse BUT we would end up with the same results:

- * Take the DYMO document
- * Change the name to AODVv2
- * List where both protocol differ
- * Use options when required.

I think that this is also what Charlie proposed.

[Jon] I hardly think that we would end up with the same results. Adding required and necessary improvements to a good base is significantly faster and easier than trying to understand and remove unnecessary concepts, features, ...

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One thing that popped up in my mind :

Are we trying to do the merge between DYMO and LOADng that has previously failed ??

Regardless from which document we start, I understood (from Charlie messages) that LOADng authors were not OK to merge their document with functionalities from DYMO . Did I missed something here ?

Cédric.

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Cédric,

the merge did not fail for technical but for process reasons. We offered Charlie to be editor, together with Thomas. Charlie is already author of LOADng. In my opinion (I can't speak for anyone else), that has not changed.

If we start the merge from the LOADng document, we would be far quicker to come to an RFC. As said, we can then look at each option, see if it's suitable or not, and if it should be part of the core or rather be in a companion document.

Best

Ulrich

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What I believe is that, the WG should begin with the document in better shape, as suggested by Chris.

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So lets wait a bit and decide without rush.

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I agree to focus on our work flow and give the priority/chance to the WG documents to process its progress without interrupts. There was no announcements of interrupts authority, there is no reason to rush nor to kill this valuable WG item. I agree to give chance to authors of Dymo and participants to make this WG draft better for progress (not later than 3 months).

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