

HIP Rendezvous Extensions

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HIP Rendezvous Basics

- A HIP node might frequently change its IP address
- How to maintain reachability with new correspondents at its Rendezvous Server IP address
- Then *possibly* store in DNS its RVS IP address or FQDN

foo.bar.com HIPRVS foo_rvs.bar.com

foo.bar.com HIPRVS 123.213.132.231

Changelog

Since -00

- Removed RVS registration sub-protocol
- Simplify RVS Types
 - *I1_TUNNEL*
 - *I1_REWRITE*
 - *BIDIRECTIONAL*
- Rewritten introduction and usage scenarios

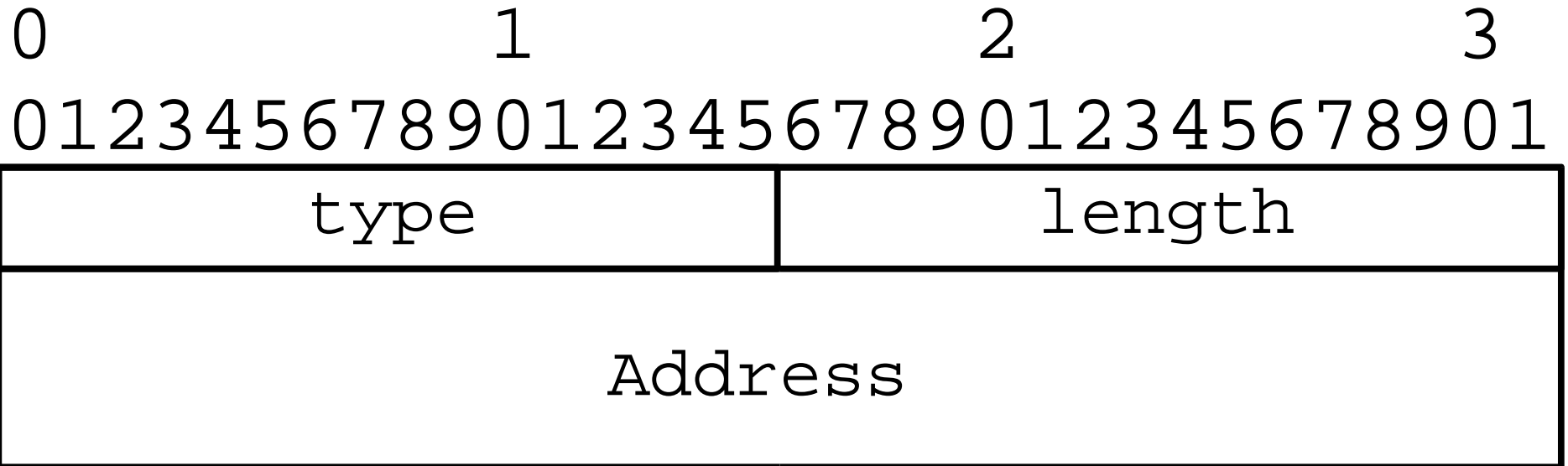
Rendezvous Extensions

- Establish a Rendezvous Registration *with* a RVS
 - Registration Protocol extensions
 - New HIP Registration Type: *RENDEZVOUS*
 - New HIP Parameter: *RVR_TYPE*
- Establish a HIP Association *via* a RVS
 - HIP Base Exchange extensions
 - New HIP Parameters: *FROM, TO, VIA_RVS*

New HIP parameters

- *RVR_TYPE* specifies the type of the Rendezvous registration
- *RVR_HMAC* protects packet integrity between RVS and client
- *FROM* preserves original source IP address
- *TO* loose source-routes R1 via RVSs
- *VIA_RVS* signals the IP addresses of traversed RVSs

FROM / TO



Establishing a Rendezvous Registration

An association between client and RVS

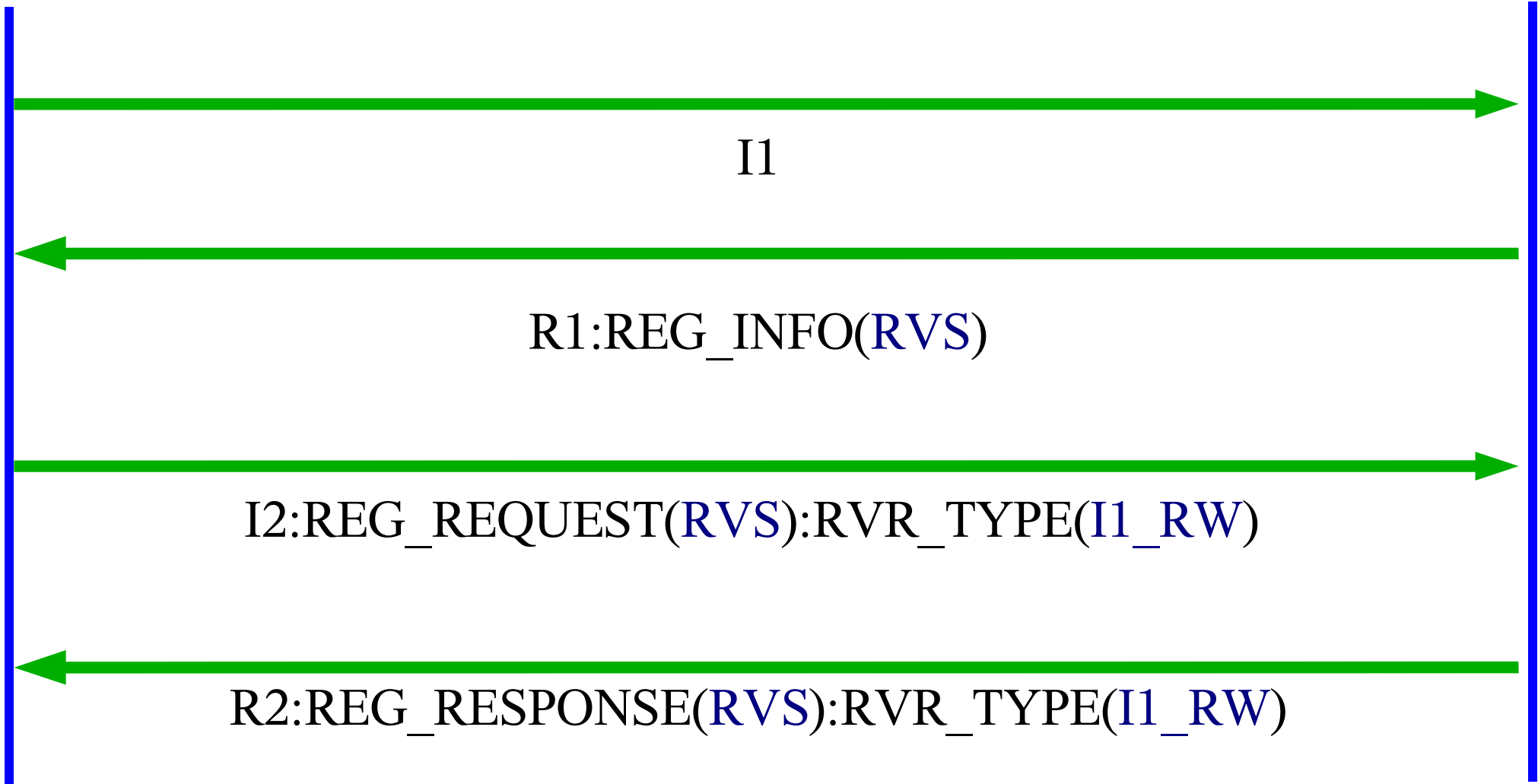
- Allows the RVS to relay some HIP packets
- Established using the registration protocol with:
 - *RENDEZVOUS* registration type
 - *RVR_TYPE* parameter in I2 and R2

Typical Rendezvous Registration

Protocol sketch

Requester

Registrar



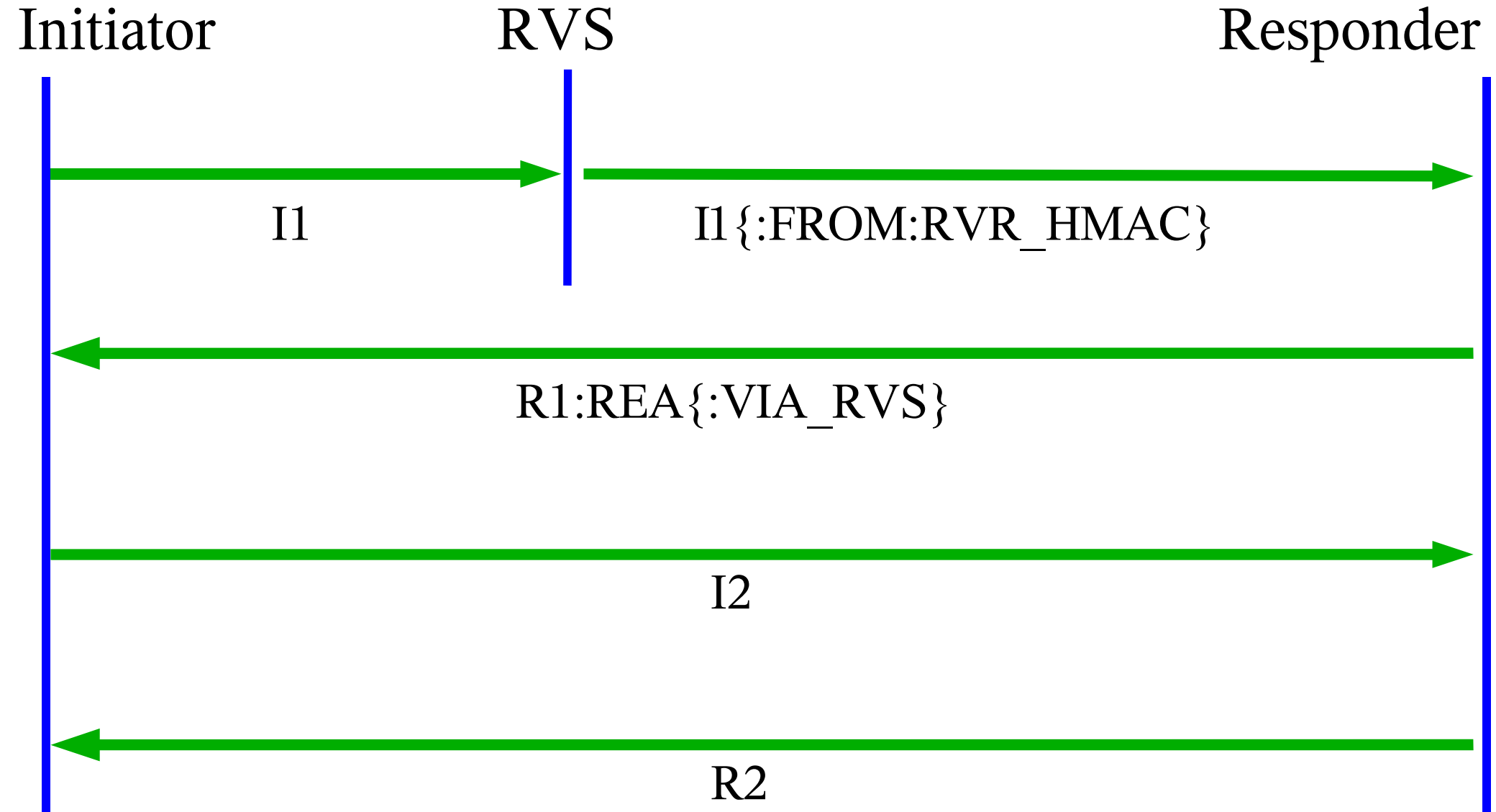
RVS relays only I1

Further packets flows directly

- Two solutions:
 - RVS rewrite I1 destination IP address
 - RVS tunnels I1 to its client
- if egress filtering on RVS's network
 - RVS also rewrites I1 source IP address
 - *FROM* parameter preserves original source IP address
 - *FROM* requires authentication
 - Spoofed RVS => Reflection / amplification attacks
- *RVR_HMAC* authenticates *FROM*

I1_REWRITE

Protocol sketch



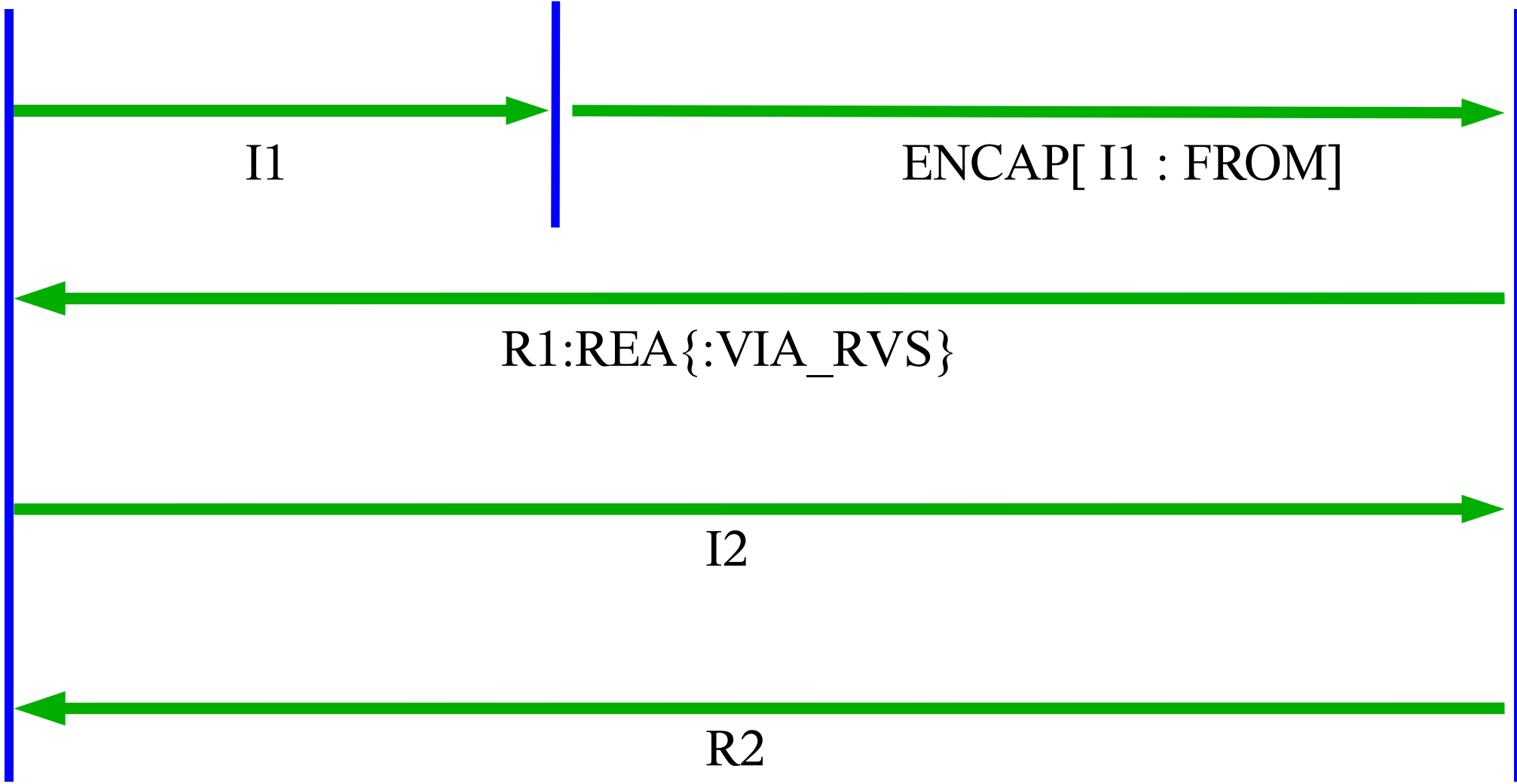
I1_TUNNEL

Protocol sketch

Initiator

RVS

Responder

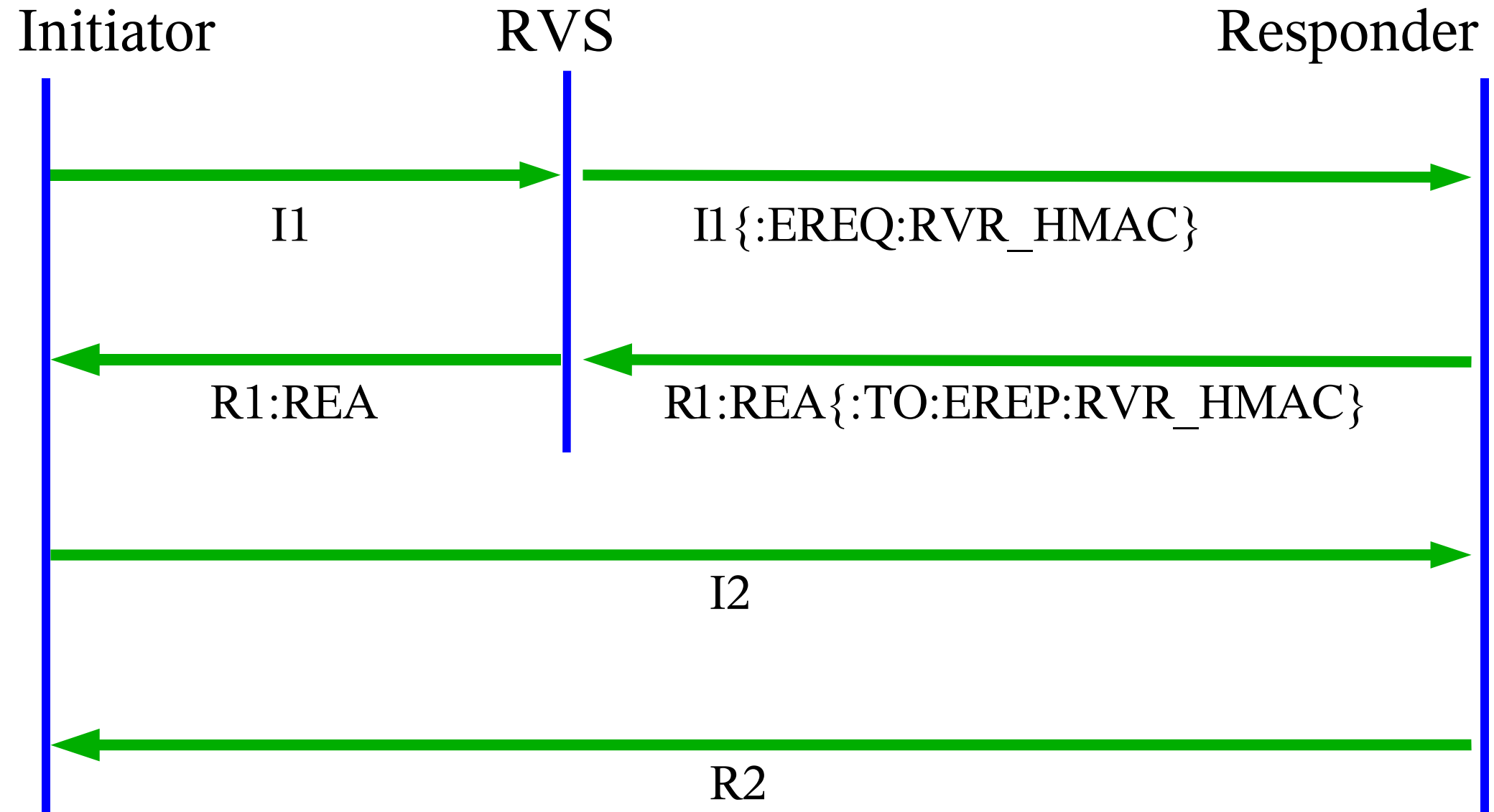


RVS relays I1, R1... *and further HIP packets?*

- Responder MAY answer R1 via RVS
- Such R1 includes:
 - *REA* with the Responder IP address
 - *TO* with the Initiator address taken from I1 *FROM*
 - Initiator get an R1 from the IP address they sent I1
 - Initiator sends I2 directly to Responder address
- RVS **MUST** validates *TO* IP address
 - Opaque data encoding the Initiator *FROM* IP address
 - RVS adds *ECHO_REQUEST* onto I1
 - Responder adds *ECHO_REPLY* onto R1, RVS removes it

BIDIRECTIONAL

Protocol sketch



Open Questions

- What types of tunnel encapsulation do we support
 - IP-in-IP, ESP, UDP...
 - And how it is negotiated if multiples types coexist
- Should we specify UPDATE relaying (as for I1)
 - Useful for double movement in mobility scenarios
 - Or does it belongs to [draft-ietf-hip-mm](#)

Questions or comments...

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