Request-URI Param Delivery

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What are our Requirements?

- Delivery of full URI –
 including params of
 most recent target, to the
 UAS
 - GRUU params [original problem]
 - Unknown Aliases
 - Unknown GRUU
 - Limited Use Addresses
 - Sub-Addressing
 - Service URI
 - Freephone (?)

- Non-Problems
 - Who inserted info
 - Proxy to UA communication

Solutions on the Table

- Draft-rosenberg-sip-ua-loose-route
 - Attempts to re-architect SIP model to separate retargeting from re-routing
- Draft-holmberg-sip-target-uri-delivery
 - New SIP header inserted by home proxy to capture pre-translated target URI
- History-Info (RFC4244)
 - Provides this information but not clear how to extract current target URI
- P-Called-Party-ID (RFC3455)
 - Used by 3gpp, similar but some other uses

Current Status of Debate

- Folks worried that UA loose route is too major a change to make at this time
- General agreement not to use P-Called-ID since its already 'owned' by 3gpp
- H-I supported by some, those folks agree extensions are needed to indicate target
- Others prefer new Target header as being 'super simple' – HI too complex
- Some worries about tel URI

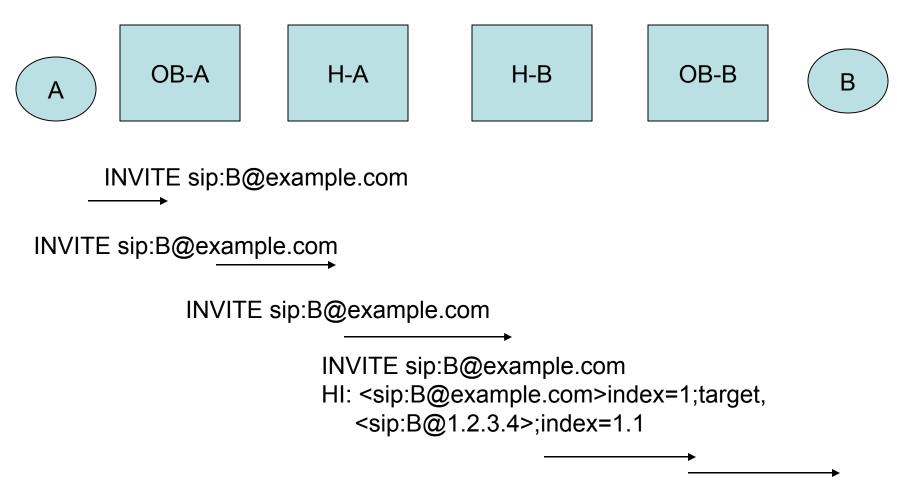
Proposal

- Don't do UA loose route just too late (sigh)
- Use History-Info, HOWEVER
 - Document an "application" which minimizes what a proxy and UA need to implement substantially – indeed makes it similar to Christer's proposal in terms of work
 - Defines an extension to HI to indicate target
 - Mandate usage of this mechanism in the GRUU spec

Mechanism Proposal

- Define a 'target' HI-param (not URI-param)
 - Indicates that this URI is known to be a request target
- Minimal proxy algorithm
 - Home proxy only
 - If a request comes without HI, then
 - Add to HI entries first with original RURI, including 'target' param, second with translated RURI, index=1 and 1.1 respectively
 - If a request comes with HI, then, based on policy
 - Remove and do above OR
 - Append, but check if bottom-most entry is already RURI
- Minimal UA algorithm
 - Traverse backwards until you find HI value with target param, and use that

Example



Properties

- UA algorithm works with full HI implementation also
- Home proxy can instead do full HI and it still works
- Mechanism is a valid usage of HI just defines specific policies
- Solves our specific problem but not freephone case (usually not reg lookup)
- Backwards compatible