A Self-tuning DHT for RELOAD draft-maenpaa-p2psip-self-tuning-01

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Background

- The draft-maenpaa-p2psip-self-tuning-00 was presented in IETF 74
- draft-maenpaa-p2psip-topology-plugin-00 submitted to IETF 75
- Main changes in draft-maenpaa-p2psip-selftuning-01
 - Previously defined a new topology plugin
 - Now self-tuning is defined as an extension to chordreload
 - Load balancing dropped

Overview - Self-tuning

- Approach 1: static parameters
 - Configure the DHT only once
 - Hope that the operating conditions don't change too much
 - Not possible to achieve both a low stabilization overhead and low failure rate
- Approach 2: self-tuning
 - Adapt the parameters of the DHT to changing operating conditions

Operation

- Each peer collects statistical data about the network
 - Network size, join rate, leave rate
- The data is used to dynamically adjust DHT parameters
 - Sizes of finger and neighbor tables
 - Stabilization interval
- Benefits
 - No need to tune DHT parameters manually
 - System adapts to changing operating conditions
 - Low failure rate and low stabilization overhead

Next steps

- Adopt as a WG item?
- Questions?