## Distributed and Dynamic Mobility Management with Mobile IPv6

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## Observations

- Current system architectures use MIPv6 in a centralized manner
- MIPv6 in itself isn't centralized per se
- MN can maintain multiple MIPv6 "sessions" with multiple HAs distributed on edge of Mobile Core Network
- System Architecture can evolve to use MIPv6 in a decentralized and distributed manner


## Strawman Solution

- Embed an HA in every first hop router
- Every access link is a home link
- MN configures new HoA on every new access link
- No tunneling overhead if stationary
- Maintain BCE with HA when moving away from home
- As long as there are ongoing upper layer communication using the HoA
- Use HoA on current access link as CoA for other BCEs
- Tear down BCE when HoA no longer in use


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## More details

- MIPv6 Bootstrapping at every new attach
- RFC 5026
- DHCP HI option
- CGA-based?
- Tear down BCE when HoA no longer in use by upper layer
- i.e., no sockets bound to HoA


## Other Mobility Protocols?

- Same architecture applies for PMIPv6
- Dynamically allocate LMA on the network edge
- HMIPv6 and FMIPv6 are redundant if anchor in the first hop access router:
- Can't insert hierarchical mobility anchor between MIPv6 HA and MN if HA is in the first hop AR
- FMIPv6 tunneling between ARs redundant with MIPv6 tunneling if the HA is in the AR


## Thank you

