Surveyor Implementation Report RFC 2679-2680

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Platform

- Dell PCs (old 400 MHz GXE's)
- TrueTime GPS-PC cards
- BSDI/OS 3.2+
- Custom driver for the TT GPS card
- Generally 10bT & 100bT connections
- Custom software from scratch (C, ksh, perl, ...)
 - Collect and buffer on receiver
 - Pull (via tar over ssh) to central server
 - Web displays; Java-based display to tweak parameters

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- Type-P-One-way-Delay: Yes
 - 12 byte UDP packets, ports random, best-effort std ToS opt.
- Type-P-One-way-Delay-Poisson-Stream: Yes
 - Generally 2/sec per path
- Type-P-One-way-Delay-Median: Yes
- Type-P-One-way-Delay-Minimum: Yes
- Type-P-One-way-Delay-Percentile: Yes
 - 0th, 50th, 90th standard, others optional. All on one-min averages by default
- Type-P-One-way-Delay-Inverse-Percentile: No
 - Did create histogram of delays, though

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 - Type-P-One-way-Packet-Loss: Yes
 - Type-P-One-way-Packet-Loss-Poisson-Stream: Yes
 - Type-P-One-way-Packet-Loss-Average: Yes
 - For one minute intervals by default

 2678 (connectivity) and 2681 (RT delay): Not implemented

Status

- Originally created by non-profit Advanced Network & Services, Inc.
- Essentially defunct...
- Surveyor code and data (1998-2002) donated to Wisconsin Advanced Internet Laboratory
- New development in OWAMP
 implementation by Internet2