

BGP Origin Validation (RPKI)

*What is RPKI?

- Designed to secure internet routing infrastructure
- Route origin validation
- Might be used for routing policies
- Certificates for proof of holdership

+ Why?

- BGP is currently a web of trust
- No validation or filtering can lead to outages
- Limit impact of misconfigurations
- Prevent Hijacking attempts

Research question

■"How can we <u>reliably determine</u>
which <u>ASes</u> are <u>advertising invalid</u>
routes due to misconfigurations and
how can we <u>monitor</u> this <u>over</u> the
course of time?"

*Route Origin Authorization?

- Prefix
 - \blacksquare (145.96.0.0/15)
- Autonomous System Number
 - **(1103)**
- Maximum Length (optional)

+ Validation states

- Unknown
 - Announcement not covered by a ROA
- Invalid
 - Announcement covered by at least one ROA but no ROA matches
- Valid
 - Announcement covered AND matched by at least one ROA

+ Examples (1/3)

- Advertisement:
 - Prefix:
 - **1**95.169.0.0/16
 - AS number:
 - **1103**
- ROA
 - Prefix:
 - **195.169.0.0/16**
 - AS number:
 - **1103**
 - Max length:
 - Not used (= 16)

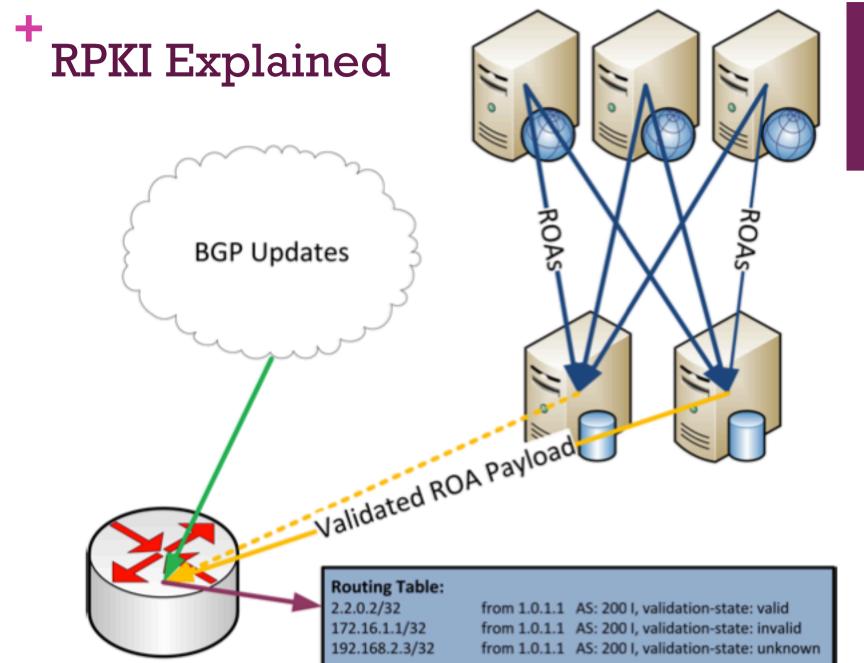
+ Examples (2/3)

- Advertisement:
 - Prefix:
 - **181.50.0.0/22**
 - AS number:
 - **10620**
- ROA
 - Prefix:
 - **181.50.0.0/13**
 - AS number:
 - **14080**
 - Max length:
 - **24**

+ Examples (3/3)

- Advertisement:
 - Prefix:
 - **1**93.48.122.0/24
 - AS number:
 - **1724**
- ROA
 - Prefix:
 - **1**93.48.0.0/14
 - AS number:
 - **2200**
 - Max length:
 - **14**

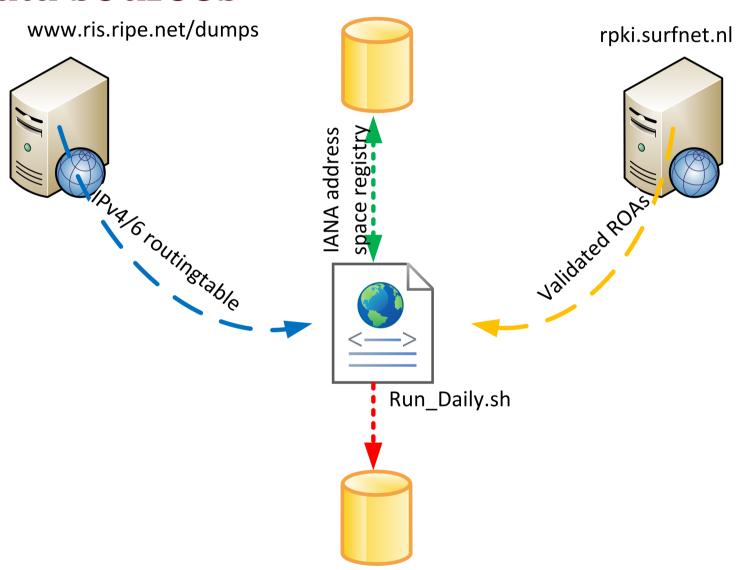




+ Tools used

- Python/PHP/MySQL/Google Chart
- Twitter bootstrap
- RIPE RPKI Validator
- RIPE Global routing table (RIS)
- IANA address space registry



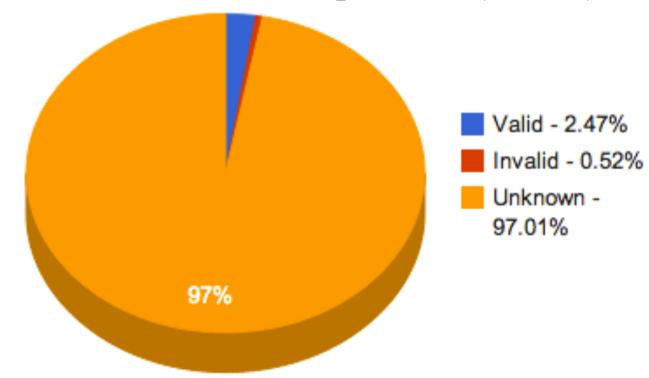


Validated routing information

+ Measurements and Results

+ Global RPKI statistics

- 495838 prefixes in routing table (July 1st).
- Validation state for 14829 prefixes (2.99%).

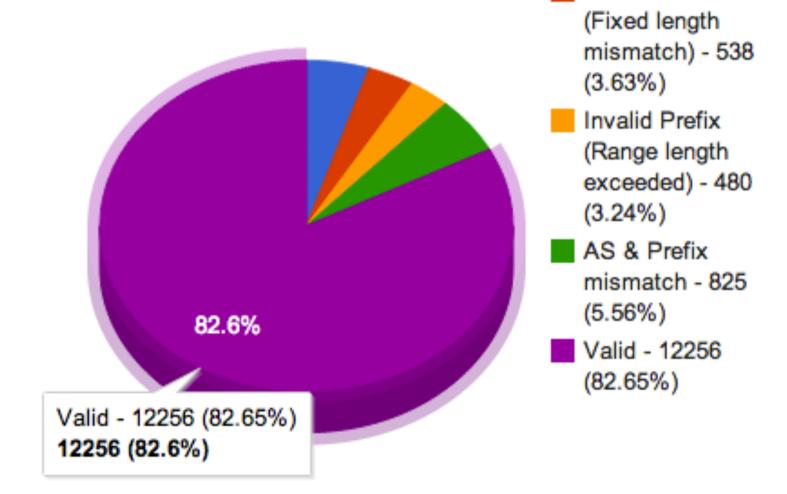


Invalid AS - 730

Invalid Prefix

(4.92%)

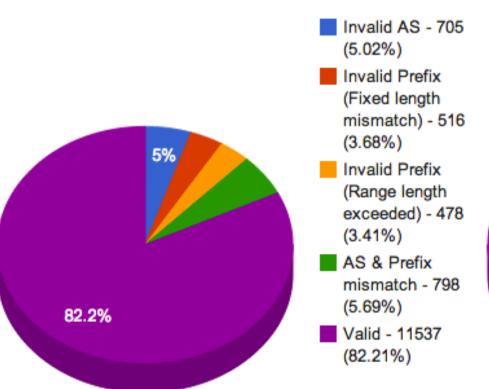
Distribution of invalids



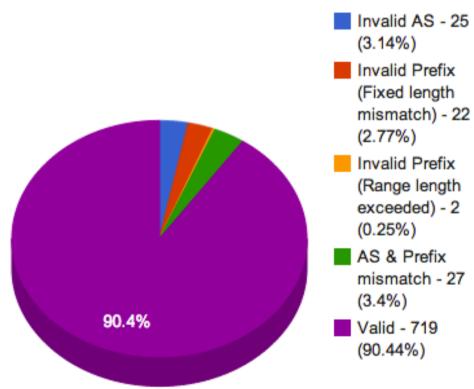
+ IPv4 vs IPv6

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Distribution of RPKI prefixes for IPv4



Distribution of RPKI prefixes for IPv6



+ Origin of invalids





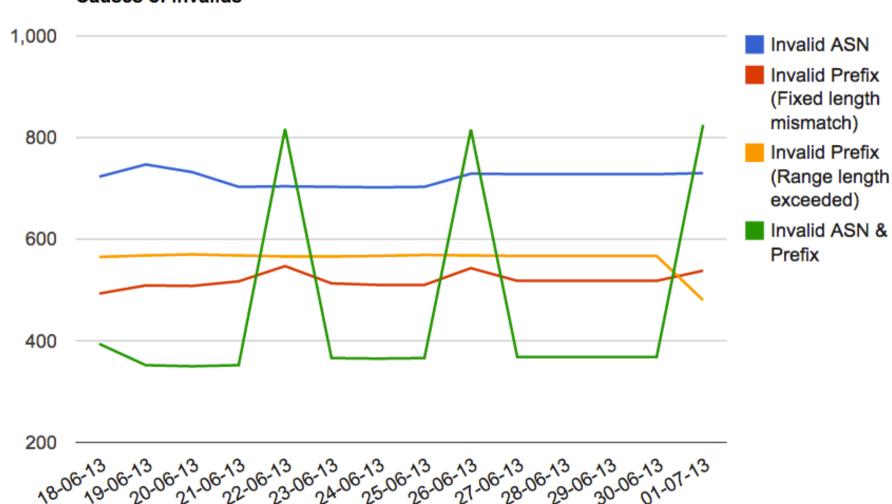


RIR	♦ Total	♦ Valid	 Invalid	Unknown	RPKI Adoption Rate
AFRINIC	10839 (100%)	12 (0.11%)	0 (0%)	10827 (99.89%)	0.11%
APNIC	116379 (100%)	84 (0.07%)	212 (0.18%)	116083 (99.75%)	0.25%
ARIN	182009 (100%)	199 (0.11%)	30 (0.02%)	181780 (99.87%)	0.13%
LACNIC	56294 (100%)	5561 (9.88%)	1184 (2.1%)	49549 (88.02%)	11.98%
RIPE	128726 (100%)	6400 (4.97%)	1147 (0.89%)	121179 (94.14%)	5.86%

+ Monitoring over time

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Causes of invalids



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ASN	count				
2065	92				
1942	82				
1724	66				
35104	64				
2457	62				
1937	39				
1945	33				
1723	32				
197890	17				
8649	16				
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30-06-2013					
count					
64					
16					
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+ Conclusion

- Dashboard for operators and RIRs
- Distribution of invalids
- Insight in:
 - Configuration mistakes
 - Adoption rate RPKI
 - Detailed prefix information
- Daily stats monitoring

+ Future work

- Performance improvements
- Even more statistics
 - Data already available
- **■** Extensible framework



