#### MPTCP FreeBSD Update

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# Background

- Implementation goals
  - Platform for FreeBSD-based MPTCP research
- Project
  - Started in mid-2012, supported by Cisco
  - Resumed work mid-2014, supported by The FreeBSD Foundation, Cisco
- Releases
  - Initial patch released in March 2013; last release (v0.4) in July of 2014
  - Currently preparing v0.5 patch for release

# Current (v0.5) Patch

- Mostly re-implemented
  - Improved stability, easier to maintain/add functionality
  - Should result in shorter intervals between patches
- Multiple concurrent subflows
- Basic packet scheduling, path management
- Data-level retransmission

### Upcoming releases

- Modular packet scheduling, CC (including support for coupled CC)
- Improved protocol completeness (fallback, fast close, remove addr, ...)
- Further design improvements

#### Questions?

- More Info
  - Project webite: http://caia.swin.edu.au/newtcp/mptcp
  - Contact: njwilliams@swin.edu.au
  - Recent BSDCan talk on implementation:
    - Video: https://youtu.be/P3vB\_FWtyIs
- Project supported by



