

Requirements for RPKI Relying Parties

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Problem Statement

- The RPKI has been well framed and standardized via a number of RFCs
- However, requirements imposed on Relying Parties (RPs) are scattered throughout numerous RFCs:
 - cert/CRL profile
 - ROA specification
 - Manifests specification
 - TAL specification, etc.
- This makes it hard for an implementer to be confident that he/she has addressed all of these requirements
- We propose to consolidate RP requirements in one document, with pointers to all the relevant RFCs

What would this doc be like?

- To DEFINE the RP?
 - No. There is no standards language (e.g., MUST, SHOULD, MAY, ...) in this doc, as it is just POINTING to the docs that have the real requirements
- To do collecting?
 - Yes. This doc outlines the RP functions, summarizes them and then gives reference to those precise sections or paragraphs
 - This document will be updated to reflect new or changed requirements as these RFCs are updated, or new RFCs are written.

Outline (1/2)

- Fetching and Caching RPKI Repository Objects
 - TAL acquisition and processing
 - Locating RPKI objects using Authority and Subject Information Extensions
 - Dealing with Key Rollover
 - Dealing with algorithm transition
 - Strategies for efficient cache maintenance
- Certificate and CRL Processing
 - Verifying Resource Certificate and Syntax
 - Certificate Path Validation
 - CRL Processing

Outline (2/2)

- Processing RPKI Repository Signed Objects
 - Basic signed object syntax checks
 - Syntax and validation for each type of signed object
 - Manifest
 - ROA
 - Ghostbusters
 - Verifying BGPsec router certificate
 - How to Make Use of Manifest Data
 - What to Do with Ghostbusters Information
- Delivering Validated Cache to BGP Speakers

Plan

- We will soon submit this doc as an I-D to IETF for discussion in SIDR after the I-D submission tool is reopened.

THANKS!