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This third meeting was dedicated to present EULER efforts in i) improve BGP routing scheme by including path stability criteria, ii) new analysis of routing schemes against policy dynamics, iii) multicast in Internet.

TAB members provide their guidelines on these three works.

- i. BGP improvements:
  - Path instability is not high common event in operators' network but it causes a lot of troubles, its localization and root cause important
  - Localization and cause of instability in BGP is indeed of great interest for operators but
  - Correlation between routing and forwarding paths difficult to study due to the intra-AS instability which may be planned (existing load-balancing and congestion mechanisms, MPLS tunnels, etc.) or a real change
- ii. Routing schemes against policy dynamics
  - Route verification is not desirable because (in addition to the costly implementation), it can be harmful
  - Operators sometimes use fake policies like wrong (non-existent) paths to peers as part of their policy
  - Operators recognize a "nervous" peer when it makes it changes the policy/path
  - Gao-Rexford and next-hop routing models are consistent with operators strategies

### iii. Multicast in Internet

- Difficulty to have operators' real traffic traces to study the benefits of having multicast scheme to save bandwidths
- Today the configuration of IPTV multicast is semi-static or even manual
- Operators' IPTV multicast network uses 3/4 rendezvous points with a single source (one datacenter)
  - balanced shared trees (distance between the receivers and source are almost the same), end-to-end delay not an issue
  - major time spent to the join event, due to the video encoding system

• Multicast in intra-domain environment or mobile networks have real sense, in Internet the deployment of a real fully distributed, dynamic, leaf-initiated multicast is not an objective nowadays.

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