

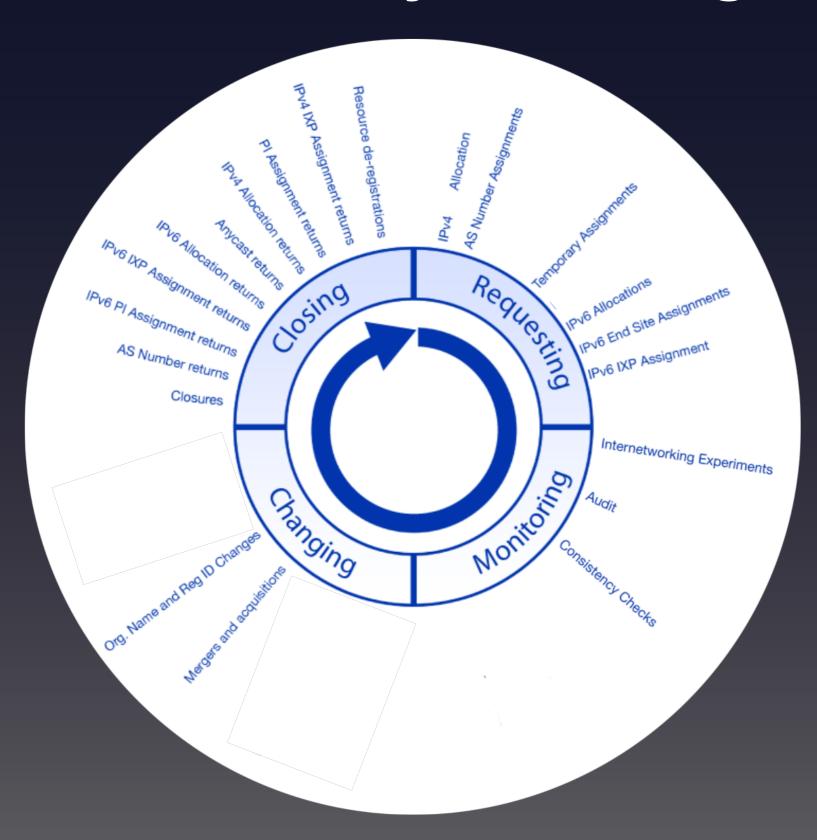
### Meeting Your Needs

Rethinking RIPE NCC Service Delivery

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### Resource Lifecycle Management





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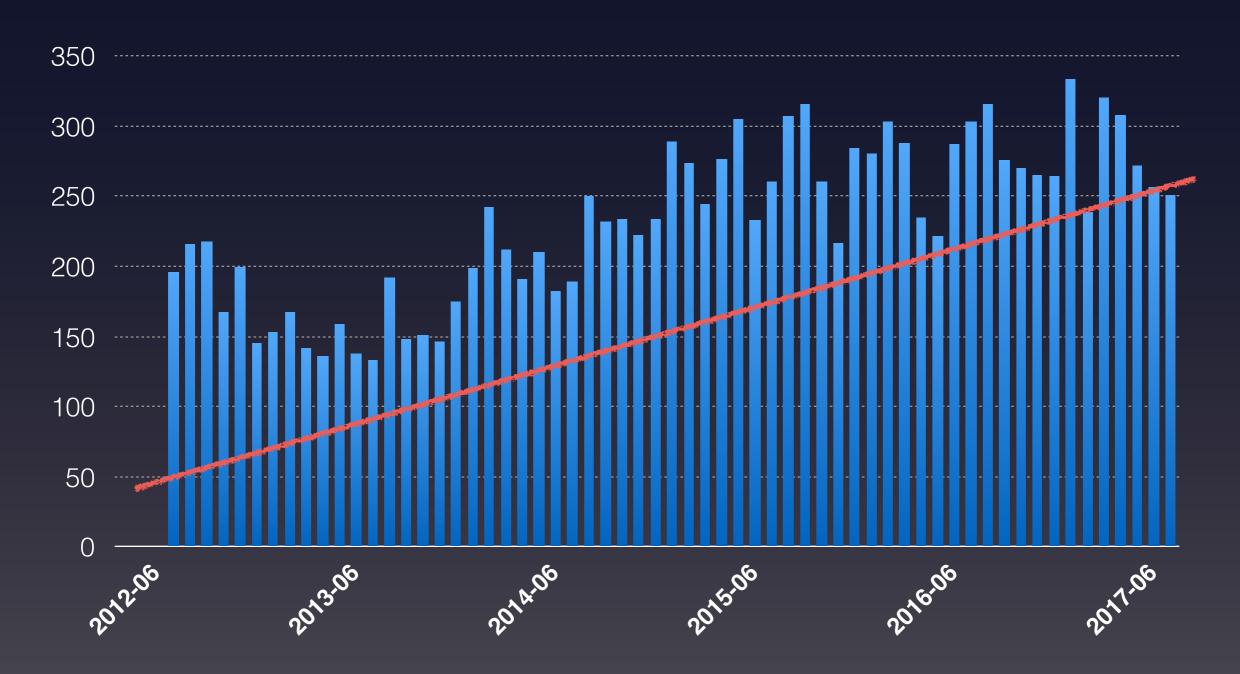




# Solid Operations

### IPv4 Statistics (last /8)

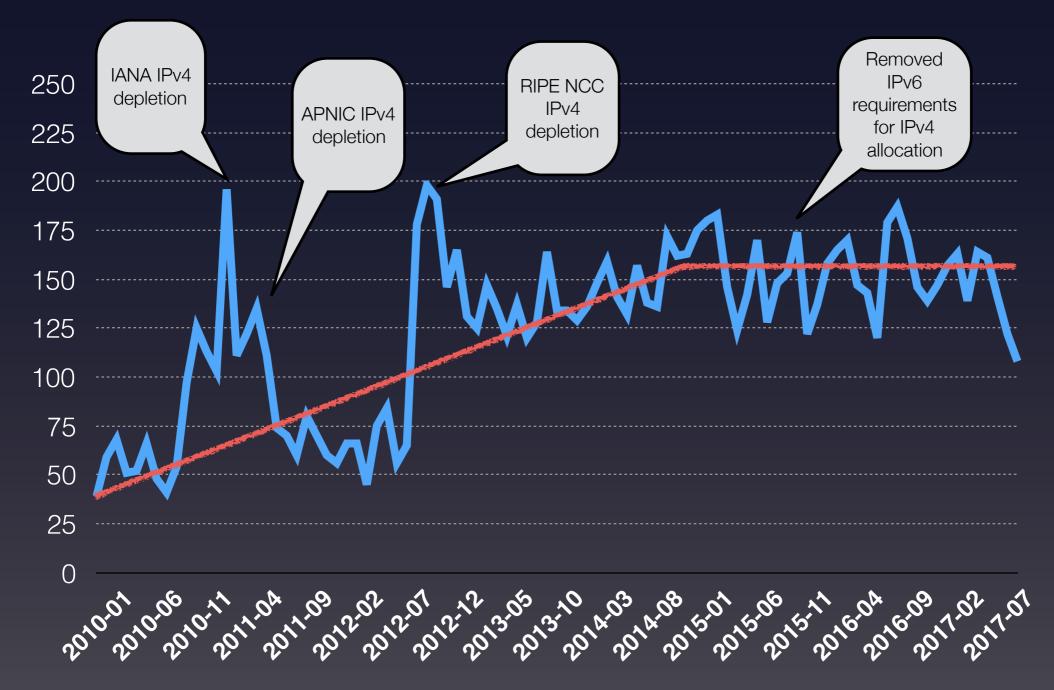




- Allocation rate doubled in five years
- Growth is stabilising
- ~ 0.65 /8 remaining

#### **IPv6 Statistics**

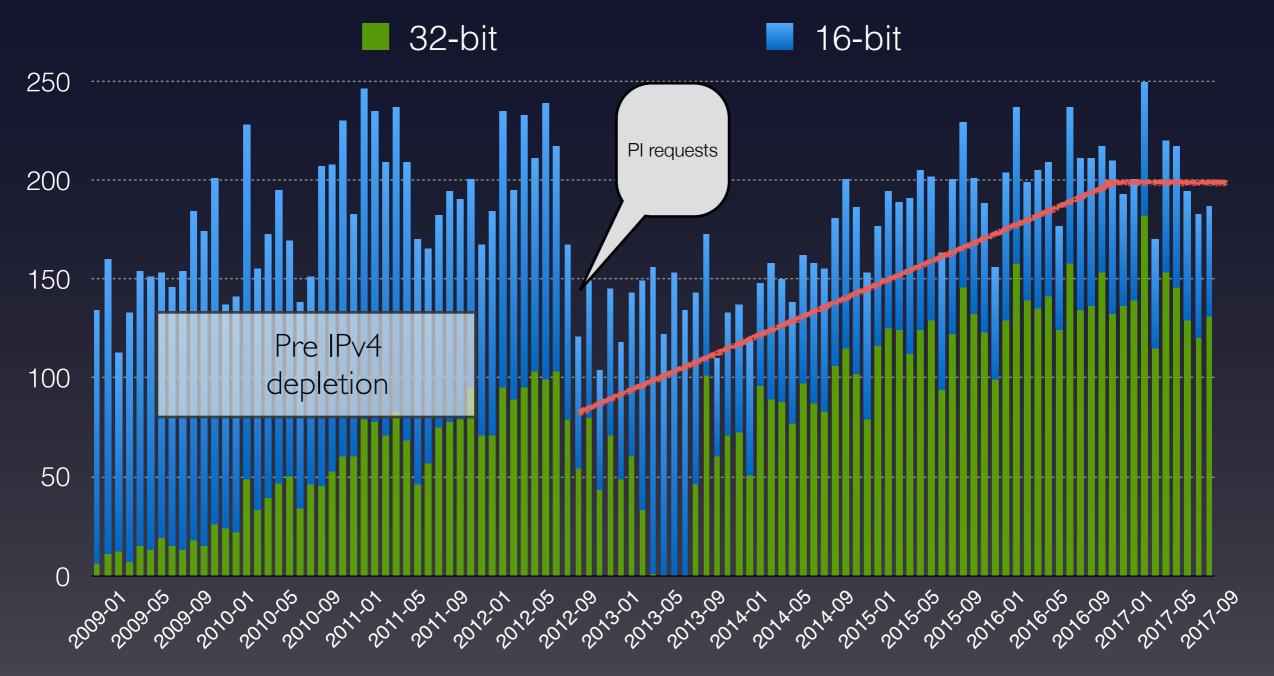




- Allocation rate doubled in five years
- Stabilising at 150
- ~ 72 % of members have an IPv6 allocation

#### **ASN Statistics**

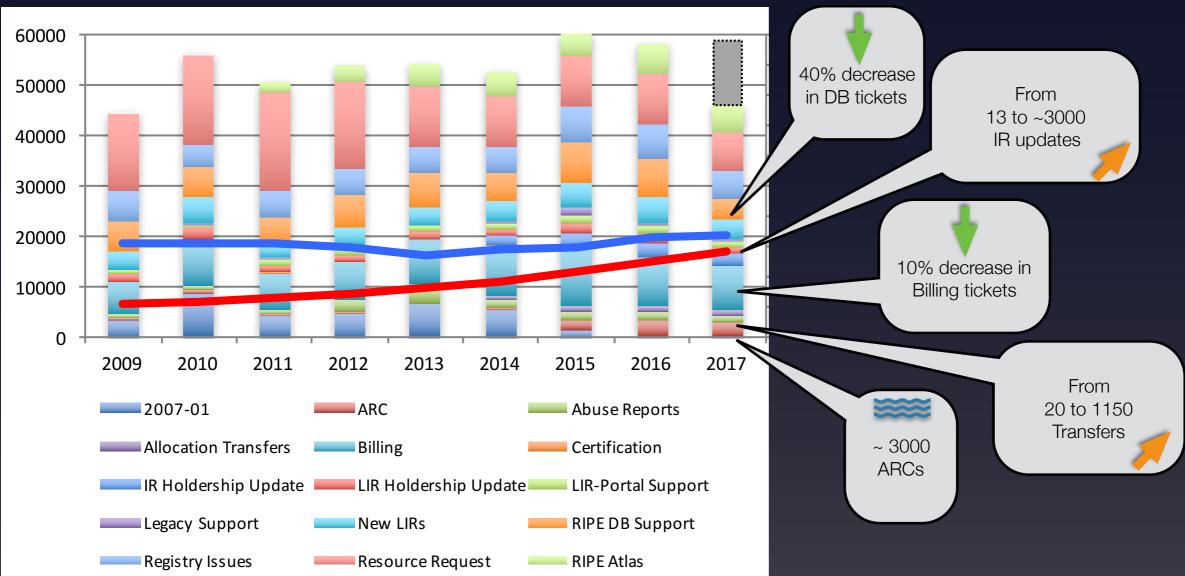




- 80% increase in assignment rate over five years
- 70% 32-bit
- Three years' supply of 16-bit ASNs at current rate

### Overall Ticket Statistics (\*to date)





**FTEs** 

- Stable overall ticket volume, changing ticket types
- New ticket types are very time consuming

Members

Growing member base, focus on efficiency gains

Member satisfaction rating



Est 2017





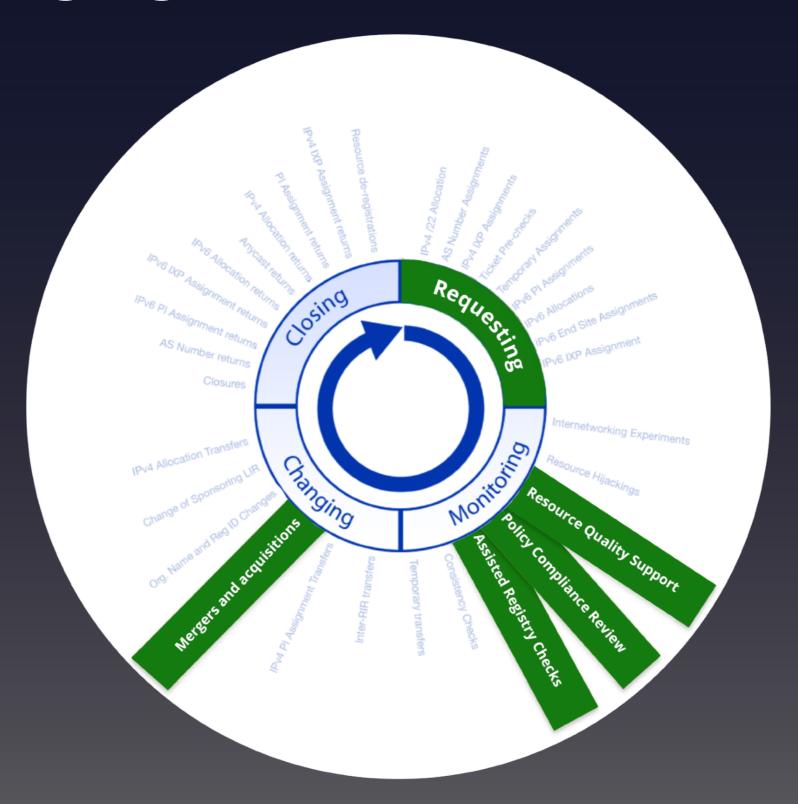


### Five TRENDS

Striking the balance between ease of doing business and securing & ensuring highly accurate registration

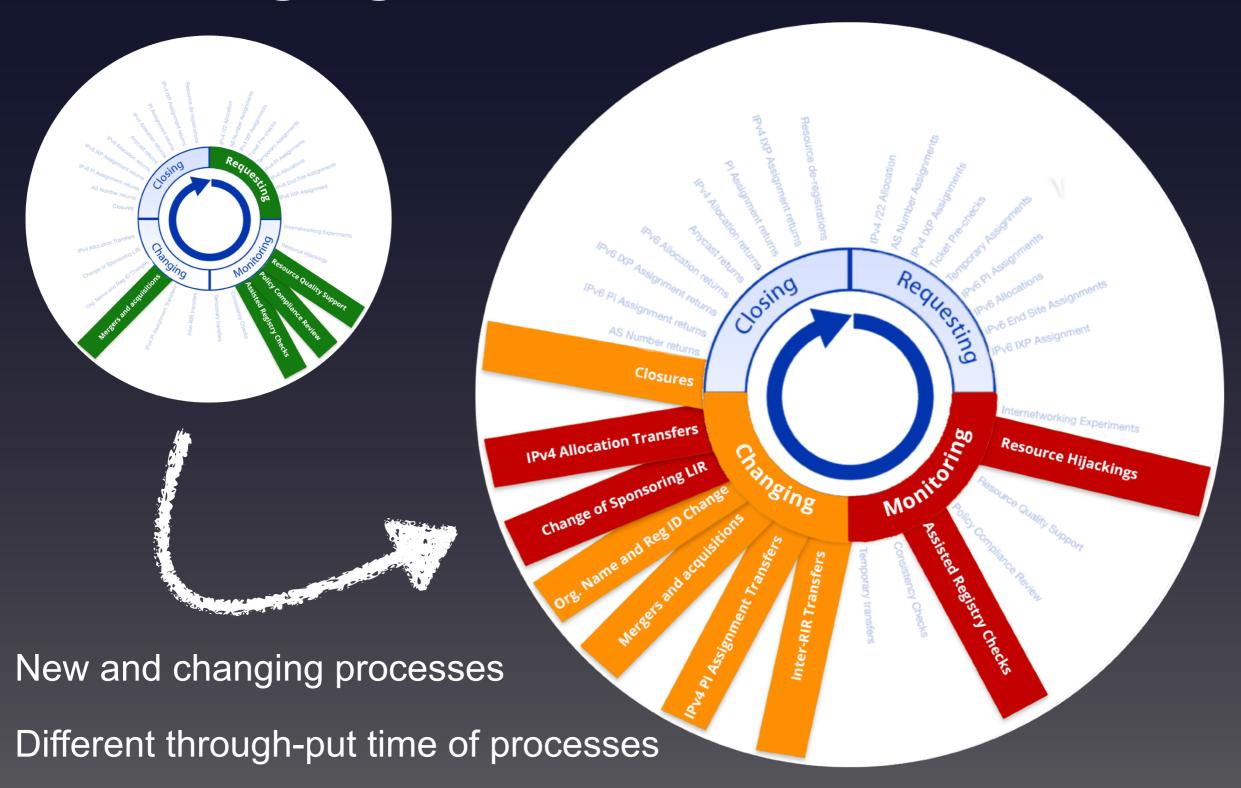
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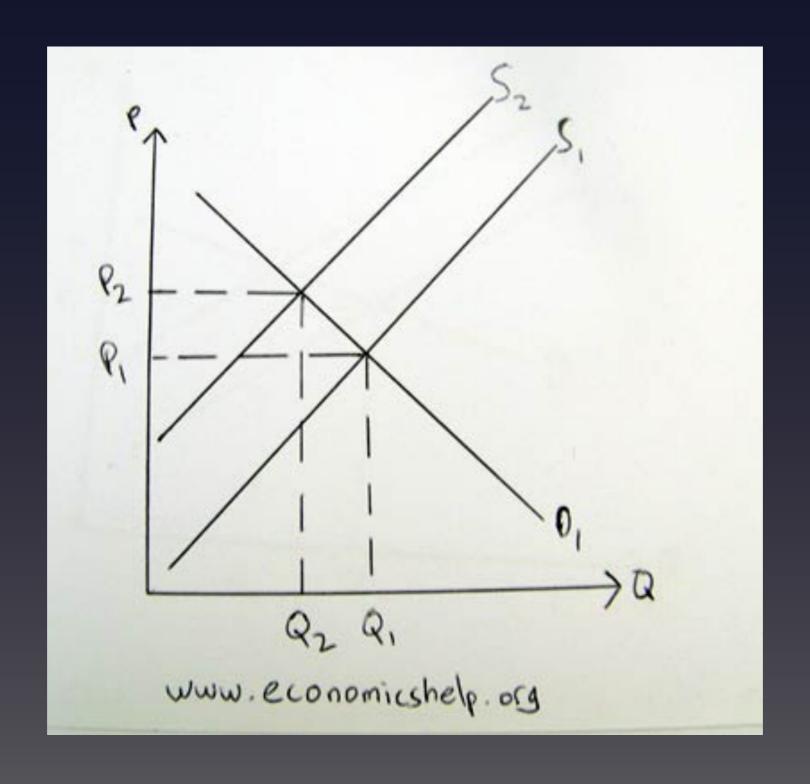
### T1. Changing Business Requirements



New members and customers

### T2. Scarcity of IPv4 Addresses

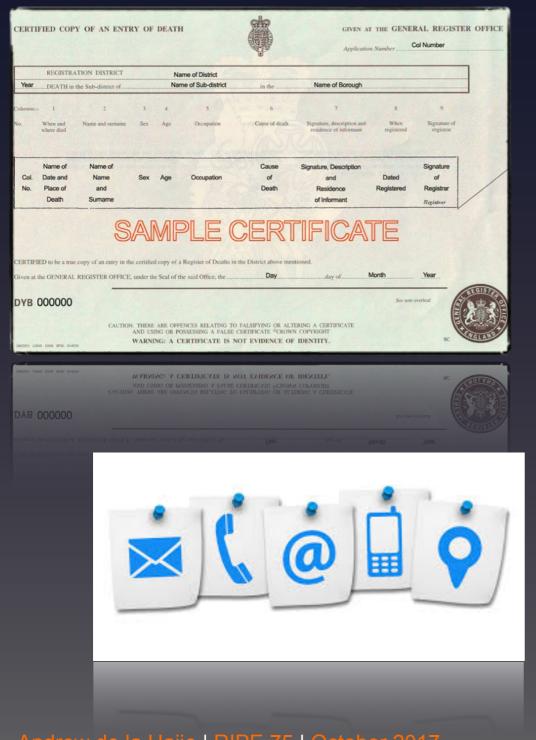




### T2. Effect: Hijackings and Fraud



Falsified death certificate



Discussions on accuracy



 Outdated contact details

### T2. Investigation Results



#### Outcome during 2016-17

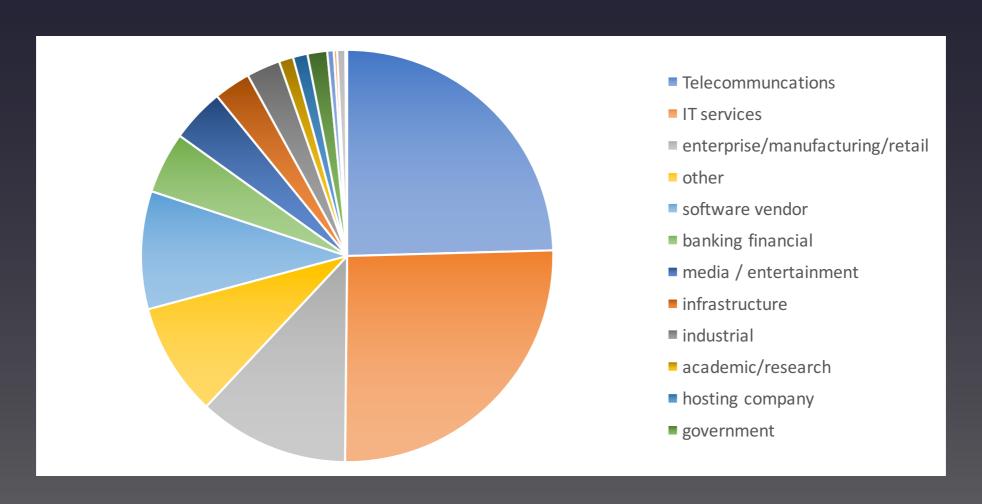
- ~ 70 transfer and M&A documents with inaccuracies or invalid information
- 65 resources de-registered totalling /14 (IPv4 addresses)
- 600 independent resources under new sponsorship
- 25 resources abandoned as consequence of an investigation totalling /17 (IPv4 addresses)
- Increase in invalid change requests on Legacy resources

Year	2015	2016	2017
New	26	82	110
Due Diligence Reminders	9	14	19
Final Warnings	2	4	5

#### T3. New Members / Customers

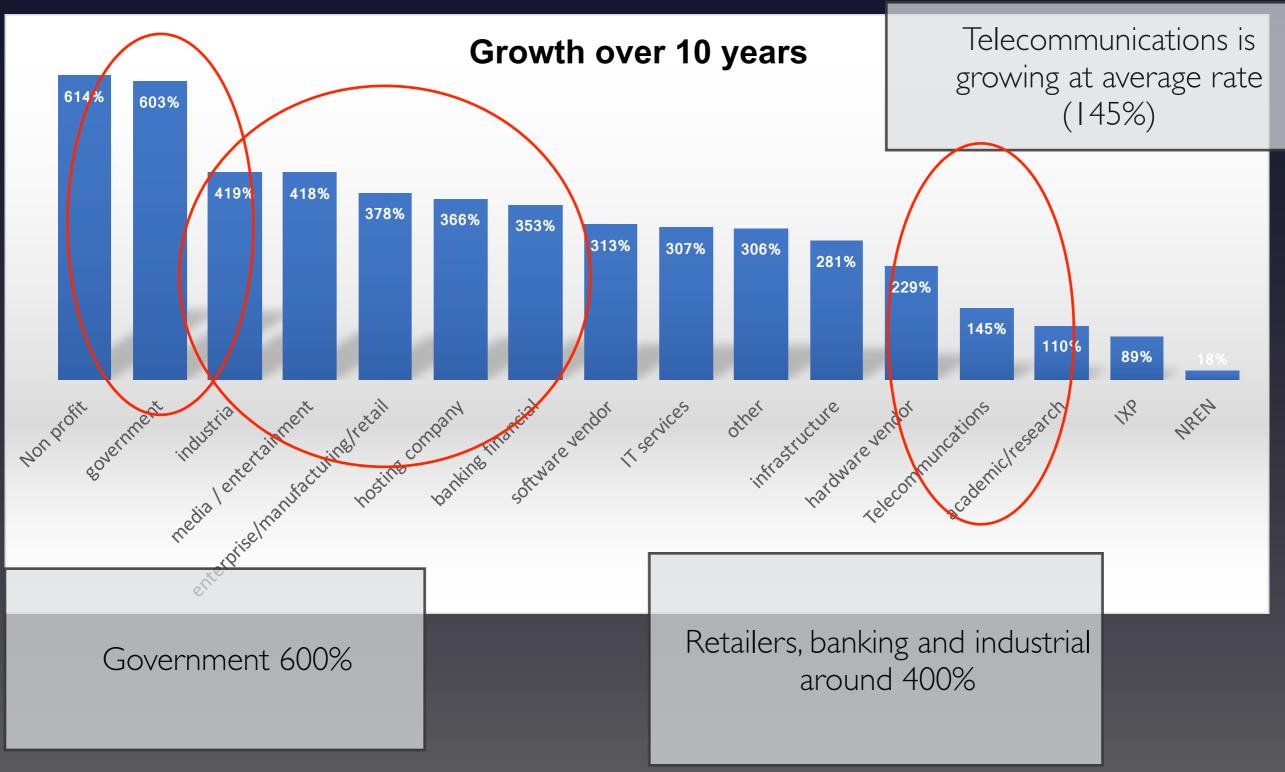


- 5,500 (2007) 17,000 <del>+</del>
- Shift in industry composition



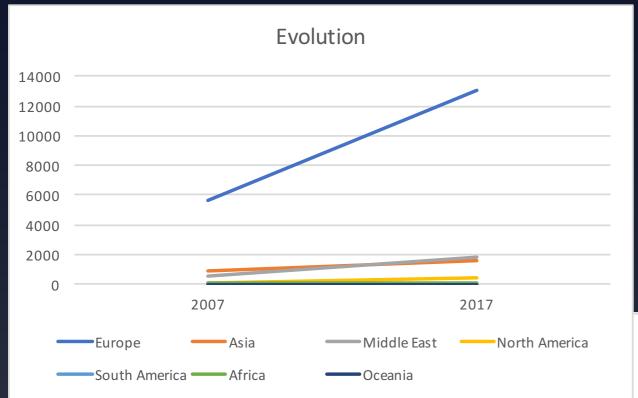
### T3. Industry Demographics





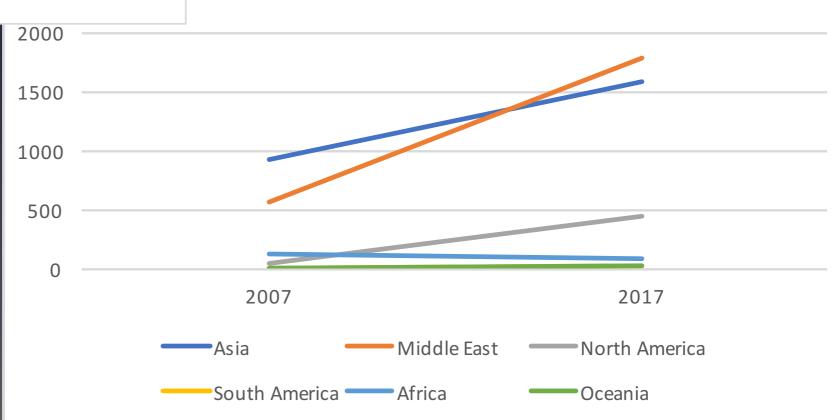
### T3. Country Demographics





Middle East increased 210% (from 574 to 1779)

Europe is growing at average rate 132%

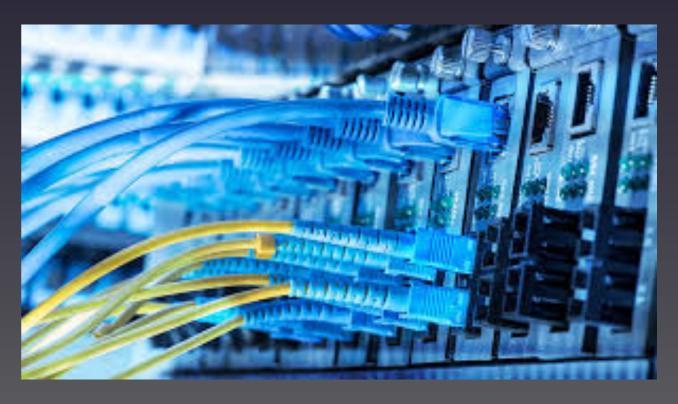


**Evolution without Europe** 

#### T3. Conclusion

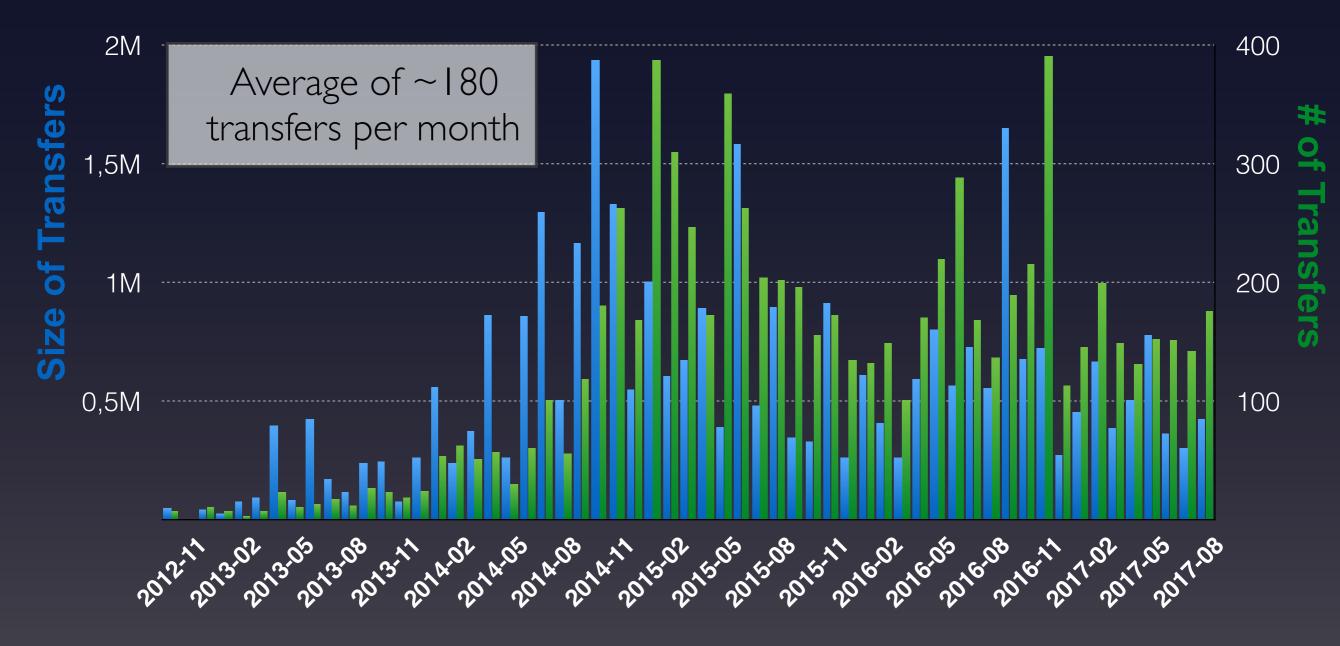


- Increasing industry diversity of membership base
- Non-traditional members are less familiar with the RIPE community and RIPE NCC
- But, still network engineers!



#### **T4. Transfers**

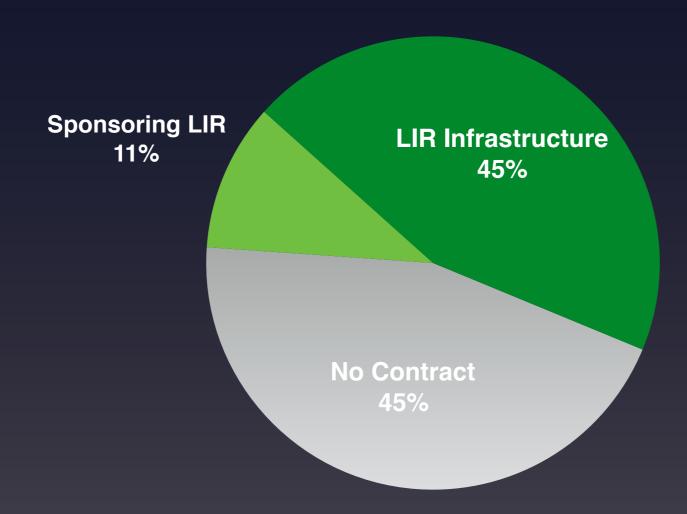




- Number of transfers is stable
- Increase in complexity







- 56% of all legacy IPv4 addresses registered in the region are under a contractual relationshipIncrease in complexity
- Since November 2014 ~ 7 /8s registered (+ 275 updates without contract)

### T5. Consequences



- 30-year-old registrations
  - Changes in business structures
  - Changes in names

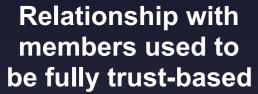
 Complex investigations to prevent fraud and hijackings



### **Consequence of Trends**











IPv4 high economical value has created a market for transfers and hijacks





Securing your resources resulted in tightening processes over the past 2 years







Exponential increase in due diligence and legal requirements (liabilities) in processes

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Increasing fear, doubt and pressure on trust-base









Additional Administrative Burden



### Addressing Your Needs

### **Strategic Focus**



- Maybe we have gone over the top
- Strategic focus point
  - Review and re-think service delivery (understand the member base)
  - Ensure accuracy of the Registry

#### **Overview of the Strategic Focus Points in 2018**

The strategic vision of the RIPE NCC is to deliver world-class services while engaging to connect people to maintain the resiliency and stability of the Internet. To achieve this vision, the RIPE NCC Executive Board has decided on four strategic focus points:

- > Service Delivery and the Registry/RIPE Database Rethink service delivery, incorporating a professional trust model, and ensure the accuracy of the Registry/RIPE Database.
- > Engagement Carry out effective outreach to all stakeholders to stay connected so we can meet the goals of the RIPE NCC.
- > RIR System Strengthen the global RIR system and ensure its accountability, transparency and resilience, and allow it to adapt to the changing environment.
- > Member Base Understand the member base to meet its needs and add value for members.

**Source: draft Activity Plan and Budget 2018** 



### Feedback

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**Staff reaching out** 



**Mystery shopper** 



Real-time user tracking



**UI** workshops



**RS Process audit** 





### Aim: Rethinking Service Delivery



Eliminate bottle necks for members in good standing

**Objective trust**model Ease of doing Due diligence business

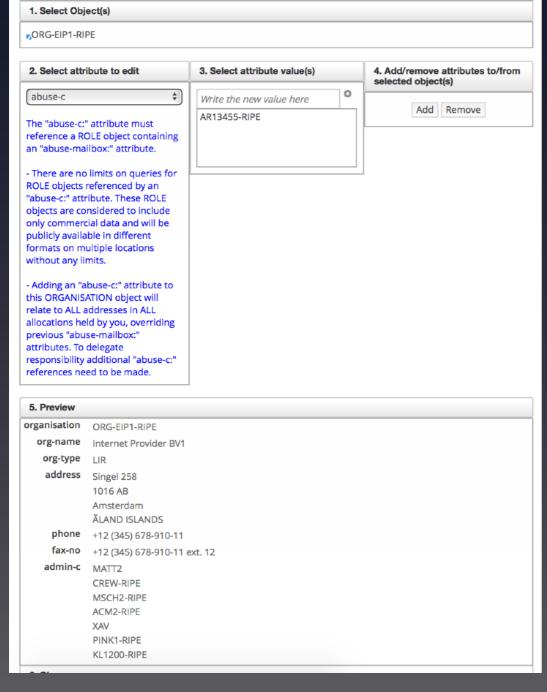


# Integrated Tools

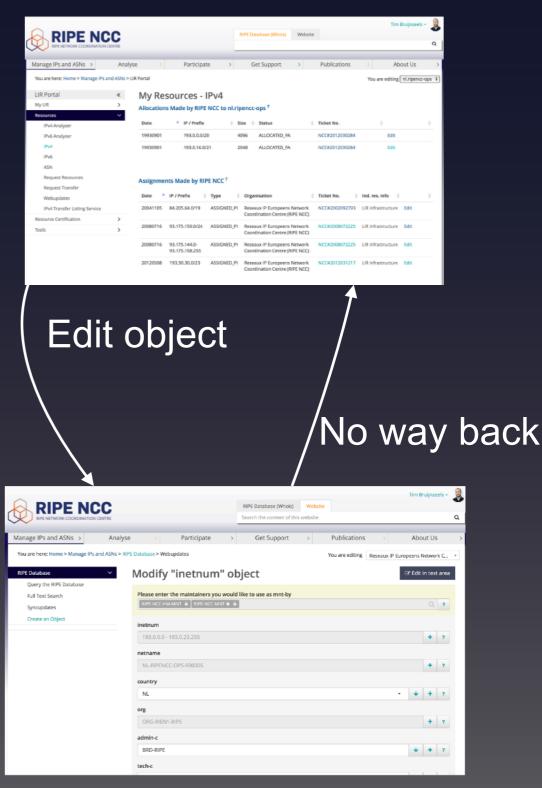
#### Remember This?



### Object Editors phased out



#### LIR Portal

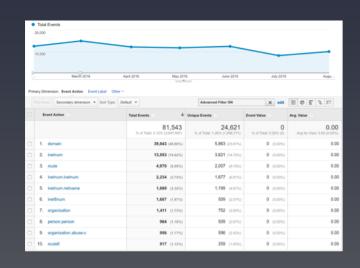


RIPE Database

### User Interaction Testing, Driving Change

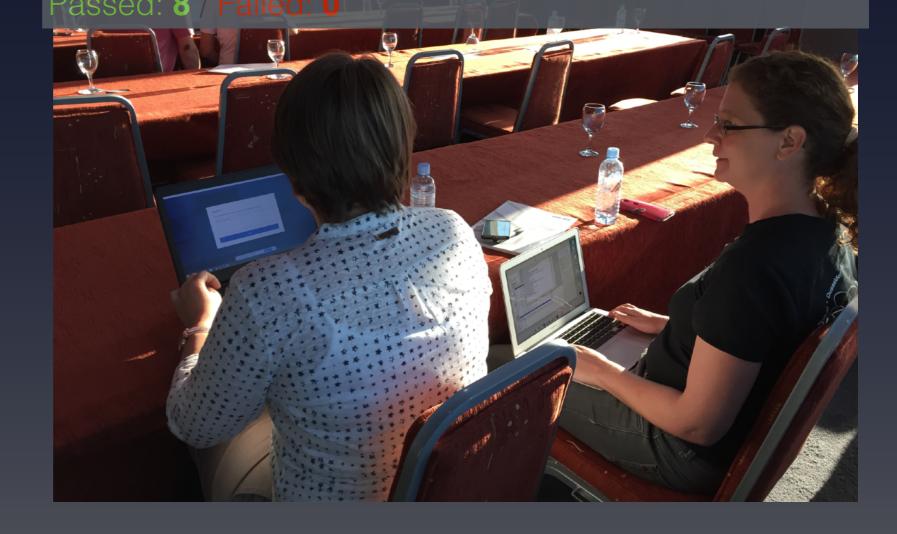


- Face-to-face user interaction testing
- Online user interaction tracking



How many assignments have you made under your allocations

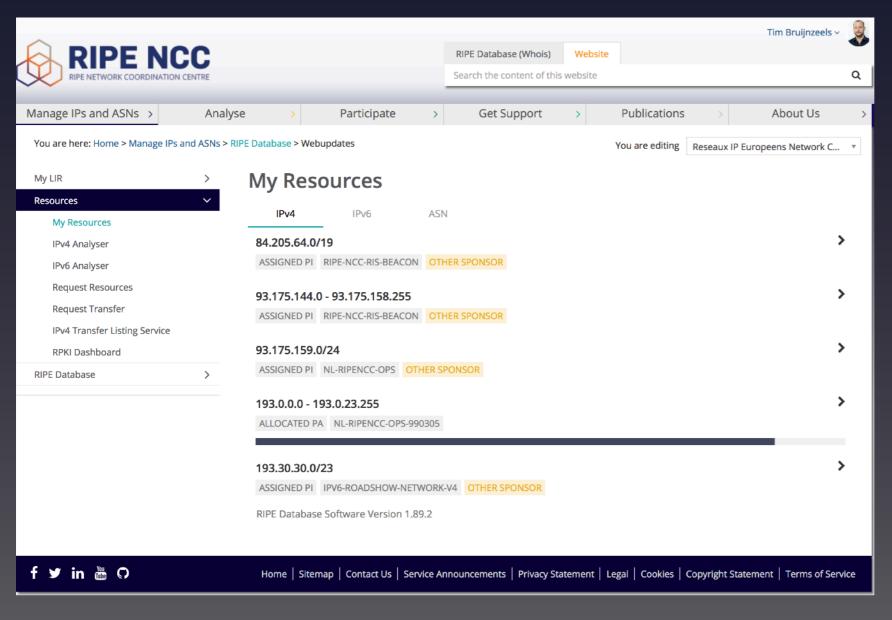
Avg. Difficulty rated by participants out of 5: 3.3 Avg. Time it took to perform this task: 00:05:07



### My Resources - the New Platform



Integrating LIR Portal, Database UI and other tools



### Upcoming features

- Alerting
- Lame rDNS
- IRR/RPKI
- Delegate/ consolidate maintenance
- Bulk manage (contact) info



# Predictability

### Member and Customer Experience



Many preventive process changes created

perception of inconsistency



Different legislation cross 74 economies including tax-havens

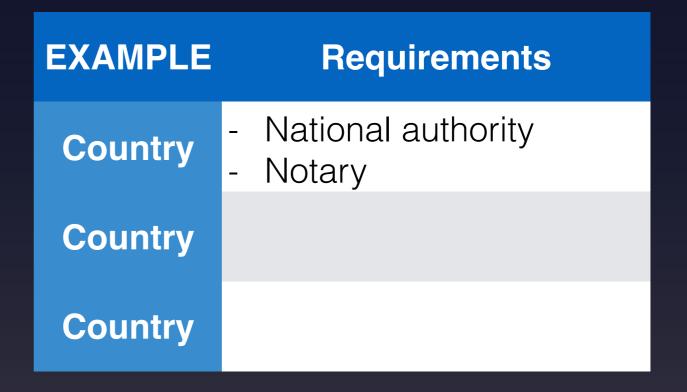


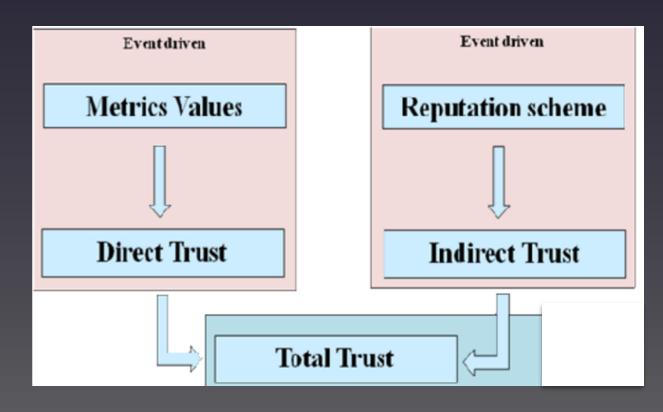
### Improve Processes



#### Main focus

- Mergers and acquisitions
- Transfers
- Predictability
  - Country specific
  - Throughput time
  - Clear communication
- Trust model based on risk management framework







# Knowledge and Awareness

### Training Courses



- LIR Training Course
- RIPE DB Training Course
- IPv6 Basics Training Course



- Advanced IPv6 Training Course
- BGP and Operations Training Course
- Measurements and Tools Training Course
- IPv6 Security Training Course (NEW!)

### Online Engagement



- Webinars
- RIPE NCC:: Educa





- Introduction to the RIPE DB
- RIPE DB Advanced Topics
- IPv6 in the RIPE DB
- IPv6 Addressing Plan
- RIPE Atlas Usage
- LEA webinars



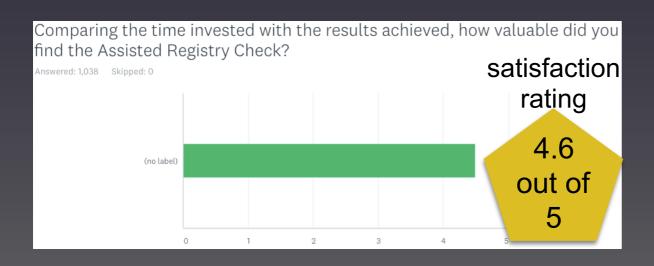
# Due Diligence

### **Assisted Registry Check (ARC)**



"One of the RIPE NCC's key responsibilities is to maintain the accuracy and quality of the RIPE Registry"

- 6,750 ARCs opened
  - 6,353 ARCs completed
- Average call duration
  15.5 minutes

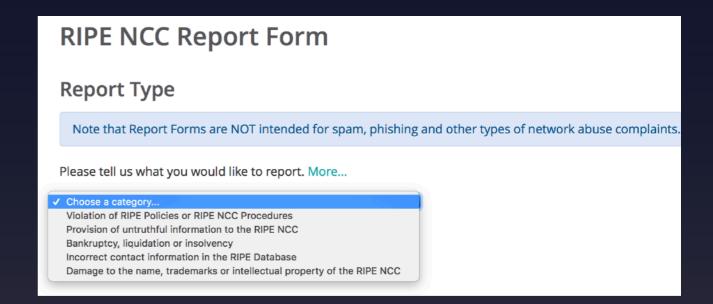


Action Taken	LIRs Helped
LIR Portal Admin Privileges	2450
LIR Contact Details	3558
LIR Resource Registration	3518
Billing Issues	710
PI Resource Registration	536
Maintainer Password Recovery	940
Routing Consistency	1519
rDNS Consistency	1550

### Due Diligence



- Report form
  - ~ 600 reports
- Periodic verification of contact data (tbd)



- Identifier Technical Health Indicators (ITHI)
  - Comprehensive (all INRs are accounted for in the Registry)
  - Correct (validation with official sources)
  - Current (confirmation of correctness)
  - https://www.nro.net/ithi-project/ (community consultation)

### Rethinking Service Delivery



