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RPKI ROV Service in the Cloud

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Agenda

- Big Picture, take away for this presentation
- Quick Background of RPKI/ROV
- Overview of Internet2's internal ROV Deployment
- Introduction of Internet2 Community ROV Service
- Internet2 RPKI Stats and Metrics
- Q&A / Discussion

Big Picture

- Internet2 is adding ROV (turning into production)
- We want to share our approach and lessons learned to make it easier for others to adopt ROV
- We intend to duplicate our approach in the cloud to host a backup service for those that implement a local ROV capability

What is RPKI and ROV?

- RPKI (Resource Public Key Infrastructure)
 - The mechanism for asserting a route/prefix may be originated from a specific (or list) of ASNs via a ROA (Route Origin Authorization)
 - ROAs are published to an authority like at RIR (ARIN for most of us)
- ROV (Route Origin Validation)
 - The process of validating a prefix received via BGP matches its published ROA
- ROV Server
 - A process that contains all ROAs across all RPKI authorities and keeps them updated
 - Required for configuring a router to do ROV.

Requirement to protect your networks from being hijacked...

- Before an ROA can be published for an network, the network must be covered by a recent ARIN L/RSA
- Over 50% of the Internet2 membership have legacy network resources that aren't covered by an L/RSA agreement.

Helpful Links

- ARIN RPKI/ROA Guide
 - https://www.arin.net/resources/manage/rpki/roa_request/
- Wikipedia
 - https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Resource_Public_Key_Infrastructure
- Cloudflare RPKI Update
 - <https://blog.cloudflare.com/rpki-2020-fall-update/>
- RIPE RPKI Validator
 - <https://rpki-validator.ripe.net/roas>

Internet2 Internal ROV Deployment

CloudFlare's OctoRPKI and GoRTR

- <https://github.com/cloudflare/cfrpki>
- Deployed late 2018
- Chosen due to limited options at the time
- Deployed in Internet2 Datacenter

Internet2 Internal ROV Deployment

NLnetLabs Routinator

- <https://github.com/NLnetLabs/routinator>
- Deployed May 2020
- Chosen due to ease of deployment (mostly)
- Running in AWS East Region

Cloud Deployment

Why the Cloud?

- Ease of deployment
- Reproducibility
- Richly connected

Cloud (Docker + AWS Elastic Container Service + EC2)

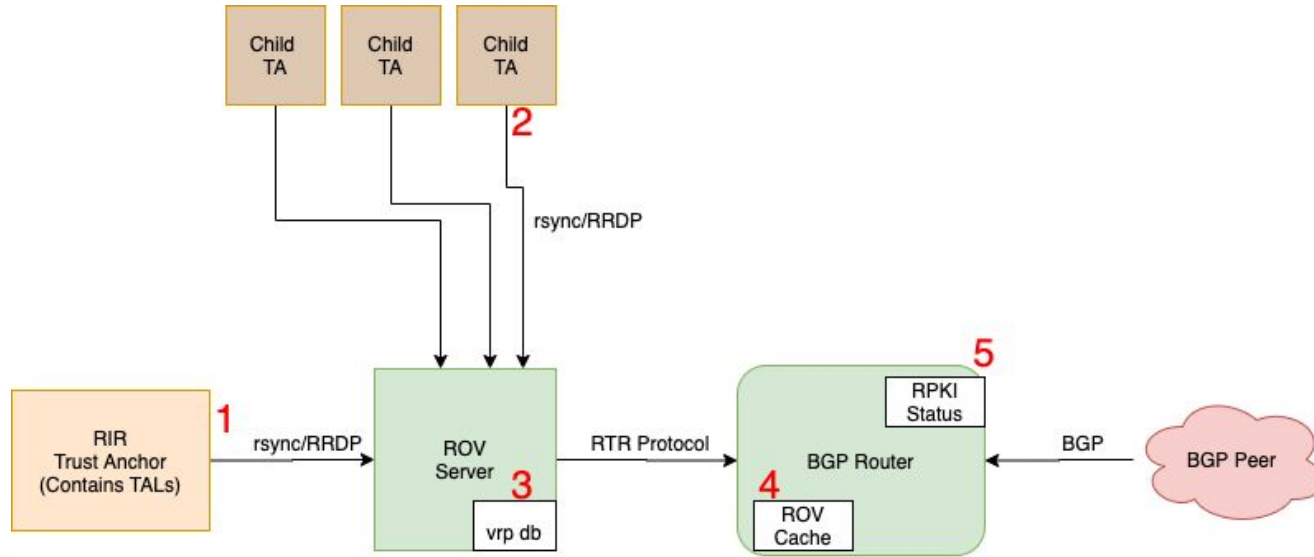
- Docker + AWS Elastic Container Service + EC2
- Docker
 - NLnetLabs provides a nice container
 - Almost Zero Effort...Almost...
 - Must build locally to accept ARIN's Legal Agreement (groan)
- AWS Elastic Container Service
 - Automated container service
 - Set up the service
 - Set up EC2 instances
 - Set Service Parameters
 - Deploy
 - Easy access inside AWS EC2
- AWS EC2
 - t3.medium (could probably be smaller)
 - No Config Necessary (due to ECS)

Cloud Deployment Details

Items or Improvements Under Consideration

- Multi-Region?
- ECS -> Fargate?
- Retire “local” service?

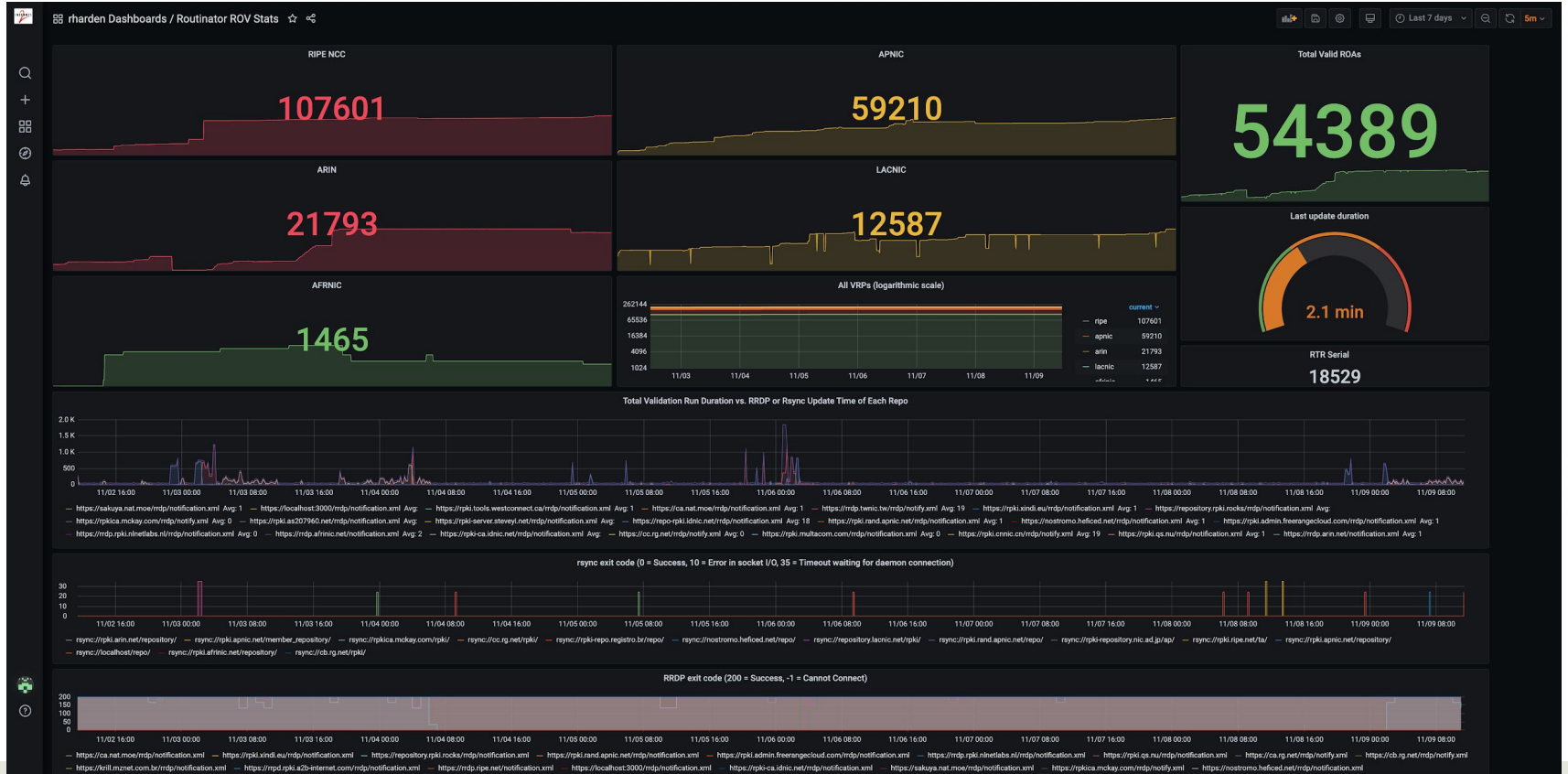
RPKI ROV Process Flow



- 1: ROV Server downloads Root TALs and ROAs from RIR TA
- 2: ROV Server downloads Children TA ROAs and pointers to their children, etc...
- 3: ROV Server verifies ROAs and creates VRPs (Validated ROA Payload)
- 4: BGP Router downloads VRPs from ROV server and inserts it into a local cache.
- 5: BGP Prefixes are compared with ROV Cache and assigned RPKI Status

BGP actions based on RPKI Status are determined by your routing policy.

Grafana Dashboard (Routinator)



Sample Router Config

Cisco

```
router bgp 65150
rpki server <ip-address>
  bind-source interface MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
  transport tcp port 8282
  purge-time 300
  refresh-time 300
  response-time 30
!
bgp origin-as validation signal ibgp
bgp bestpath origin-as use validity
bgp bestpath origin-as allow invalid
address-family ipv4 unicast
  bgp origin-as validation enable
  bgp origin-as validation signal ibgp
  bgp bestpath origin-as use validity
  bgp bestpath origin-as allow invalid
!
address-family ipv6 unicast
  bgp origin-as validation enable
  bgp origin-as validation signal ibgp
  bgp bestpath origin-as use validity
  bgp bestpath origin-as allow invalid

sh bgp <route>/<length> bestpath-compare
sh bgp origin-as validity
sh bgp rpki server summary
sh bgp rpki summary
```

Juniper

```
validation {
  traceoptions {
    file rv-tracing size 100m;
    flag all;
  }
  group ROV-VALIDATION {
    max-sessions 2;
    session <ip-address> {
      preference 10;
      port 8282;
      local-address <loopback>;
    }
  }
}
```

```
show validation session
show validation database
show route protocol bgp | match "validation-state: valid"
show route protocol bgp table inet.0 validation-state invalid | count
```

Arista

```
rpki cache <ip-address>
host <ip-address> port 8282
!
rpki origin-validation
ebgp local
ebgp send

show bgp rpki cache
sh bgp rpki roa ipv4 <route>/<length>
```

ROV In the Cloud Blog Post

Detailed Deployment Guide for Routinator in AWS

Stay Tuned!

Introduction: Internet2 Community ROV Service

- **Forward looking statements!** As you can imagine we're pretty busy implementing NGL...
- We hope to offer a best-effort validator service
- The service is intended to be backup validator server
- AWS Hosted
- Legal Mumbo-jumbo

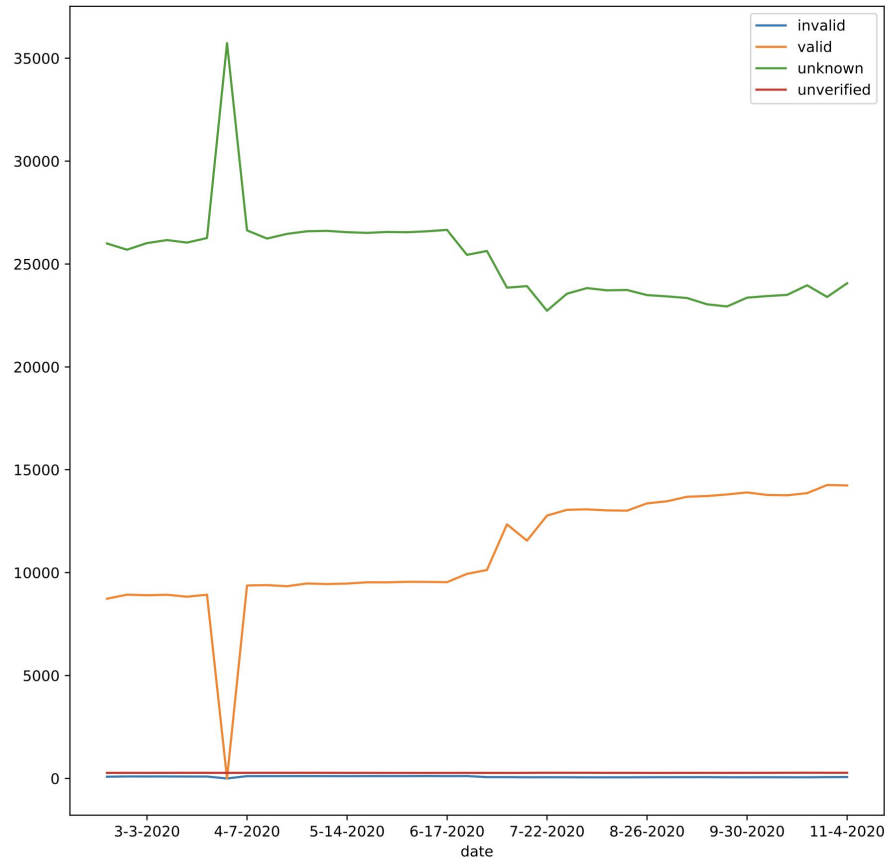
Legal Stuff (initially)

The service is intended to be offered at no additional fee, however it will require the execution of a “Network Service Schedule - RPKI Validator Service” agreement.

Internet2 is required to sign ARIN’s:

“RESOURCE CERTIFICATION **REDISTRIBUTOR** RELYING PARTY AGREEMENT” so a requirement of Internet2’s RPKI Validator Service agreement is that the organization must also sign ARIN’s RPA.

RPKI Status for the Internet2 R&E Table



Check on Internet2 R&E route status

Run the following command on the Internet2 router proxy to view Internet2's view of RPKI route status for Internet participants' routes in the R&E table

<https://routerproxy.wash2.net.internet2.edu/routerproxy/>

show route table inet.0 validation-state [status] community 11537:950 terse

where [status] is “invalid”, “unknown”, “unverified”, or “valid”.

Questions and Discussion