NTT Communications’ Global IPv6 Strategy

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What is an IPv6 market?
What is IPv6?

- The Internet has expanded exponentially. => Address will be exhausted.
- IPv6 has been developed as the next generation Internet.
  - inexhaustible **addressees** (cellar phone, appliance, facility in the building)
  - standardized **security & QoS** functions (e-commerce, image distribution)
  - auto-configuration, plug & play function (appliance)
  - another functions: multicast etc.

IPv6 Network

Appliance
Game
Home Security

Mobile
Cellar Phone

New Internet Business Created by IPv6

IPv4: One-way access
- Transform private addresses to global addresses using NAT
- One-way access from terminals to the Internet
- Client & server type business model

IPv4: Two-way access
- All terminals provided with respective global address
- All terminals capable of peer-to-peer access
- Home appliances and mobile terminals connected to IPv6
- Possibilities for new type of Internet business
IPv6 creates new business markets (example)

*Business market of IPv4 + New business market of IPv6*

- Bi-direction communication
  - Create new kind of application
    - P2P Application
      (Ex.) Net Meeting, Gnutella, Napster
- End-to-End secure communication
  - Setup cheap & detail VPNs
    - Intranet & Extranet

IPv6 addresses will be exhausted by 2007

Global demand for Cellular and ADSL/Cable modem - exhaustion dates (ICANN Adhoc)

= We have to spread IPv6 by 2005 - 2007.
Opening speech to the 150th session of the Diet (Parliament) on September 21, the Prime Minister of Japan mentioned IPv6

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IPv6 situation

Technology:
- Standardization has almost completed without dial-up protocol etc.
- 3GPP will use IPv6 for multimedia mobile network after 2003.

Business:
- The formal address has assigned from September 1999.
- Nokia: demonstrated IPv6 based mobile multimedia network in Madrid.
- The IPv6 Forum
- National project:
  - e-Japan project
  - IPv6 depoyment: 13.7 Billion Yen
  - IPv6 appliance: 8.05 Billion Yen

Service:
- Network Service
  - US: MCI announced IPv6 service. But...
  - Japan: IIJ, NTT Com, Fujitsu, NEC, KDDI, JENS, OMP, ...
- OS
  - SUN Solaris 8, FreeBSD 4.3, Linux
  - MAC OS X
  - Windows XP
- Router:
  - Telebit, NEC, Hitachi, Fujitsu, CISCO etc.
  - SOHO: Yamaha, Allied, Fujitsu, CISCO, NEC, Panasonic
  - IPv6-IPv4 translator: YDC
- Application
  - transplant IPv6 applications
  - DV over IPv6
  - IPv6 Appliance (trial product)

Japan is hot for IPv6

- National strategy “e-Japan strategy”
  - Promote the shift to the Internet networks equipped with IPv6
  - IPv6 appliance Internet: 8.05 Billion Yen
- IPv6 projects
  - WIDE Project (Prof. Jun Murai)
  - KAME Project (FreeBSD), USAGI Project (Linux), TAHIT Project (Interoperability)
  - IPv6 Summit in Japan
  - IPv6 Deployment Committee (IAJapan)
  - IPv6 Operation Study Group
  - The IPv6 Journal(RIIS)
- Deployment
  - Router: Hitachi, NEC, Fujitsu, YAMAHA, Allied Telesis, etc.
  - ISP: NTT Com, IIJ, KDDI, JENS, Biglobe, Infoweb, OMP, IMNet, etc.
  - Appliance: Networld + Interop 2001 IPv6 Showcase
  - Others: PlayStation 2
Ready for IPv6 - NTT Com Demos at N+I Tokyo, June 2001 -

- SOHO routers working with OCN
- Windows XP working with OCN
- Secure multicast *
- P2P DVPN *
- Video conference over IPv6
- Hong Kong view via IPv6 remote control camera
- NTT Information Sharing Platform Labs provided prototypes.
## NTT Com’s Activities

### Progress of NTTv6net implementation

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Background

- Since 1996, NTT has studied researches of IPv6 network operation on a global scale.
  - NTT Com Obtained sTLA registry from APNIC (Sep. 1999)

- Some customers longed to connect to IPv6 network.
  - First of all ISPs should support IPv6, we thought.
  - NTT Com has started IPv6 trials on a global scale. (Dec. 1999)

- Companies started considering businesses with IPv6.
  - Our trials have supported developers of IPv6 business.
  - Now we’re preparing for commercializing IPv6 services.

NTT Communications’ IPv6 Trials

- Network Operation Trials (http://www.v6.ntt.net)
  - IPv6 OCN Tunneling Trial (NTT Communications)
    • No charge for accessing IPv6 network during the trials.
    • The trials will end on March 31, 2001.
  - IPv6 Operation Trials in Europe (NTT Europe)
  - IPv6 Commercial IX in San Jose, U.S.A. (NTT MCL)

- IPv6 Application Trial
  - Application Trial
    • Tests & developments for system integration and migration
  - Individual Trial
    • Joint trials with several companies.
Network Operation Trials

- **IPv6 OCN Tunneling Trial** (NTT Communications)
  - IPv6 over IPv4 tunneling technology
    - For customers of OCN leased-line connection service
    - For customers of OCN dial-up access service (planning)

- **IPv6 Operation Trials in Europe** (NTT Europe)
  - Native connection, Tunneling connection
  - Connecting to the many IPv6 networks that exist in Europe

- **IPv6 Commercial IX in San Jose, U.S.A.** (NTT MCL)
  - Operating a commercially usable IPv6 IX service
  - NTT America’s San Jose data center

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NTT Com Global IPv6 Network

- Asia (Japan)
  - WIDE Project
  - NSPXP – 6
  - OCN Tunneling Trial (started from December 1999)

- U.S.A.
  - Palo Alto GW
  - OCN (IPv4)
  - Trial partners
  - OCN Tunneling Trial (started from December 1999)

- Europe
  - STAP
  - NTTv6.net
  - AMS-IX
  - European IPv6 Operation Trial (started from March 2000)

- IPv6 ISPs and subscribers
  - COMMERCIALLY USABLE IPv6 IX in SAN JOSE, CA. (started from April 2000)
IPv6 OCN Tunneling Trial

IPv6 over IPv4 tunneling
Status of OCN IPv6 Trial

Number of trial partners: about 185 (As of end-Mar.2001)

Breakdown of Participants
- Academic
- Corporations
- Individuals
- ISP

Purpose of Participation
- Shifting from research phase to business phase
- Study the potential of IPv6
- Acquire technical expertise
- Develop and verify functions
- Participants with IPv6 experience 28%
- IPv6 researchers and developers 20%

53% of participants are preparing to commercialize the service

What do you expect for IPv6?
1) Addresses
2) Security

Application Trials
Web site for testing IPv6 application.

These sites are opened to every IPv6 users of the world.

- **NTT Business Information Service, Inc.**
  - constructs a music distribution site
  - application: mpeg123 (Linux and FreeBSD)

- **NTT Software Corporation**
  - develops TWIN-VQ IPv6 for Windows2000 + MSDN (joint research with NTT Cyber Space Laboratories)
  - provides music songs for audition

Demonstration in Computer Expo(HK) and N+I2001(JPN)
Title: Remote Control without NAT
- Canon Inc,
- WebView Live scope
  (IPv6 Trial Edition)

N+I 2001 Demonstration
- NTT Com / Verio Global IPv6 Backbone
- WebView Live scope
  (IPv6 test version)
- CANON
- Makuhari, Japan
- Hong Kong, HKNet Office
- N+I 2001 IPv6 SHOWCASE

Remote Control
View

WebView Camera Server
VC-C4 Camera
Camera Controller
Sony VMC
Camera Viewer
Sony VMC

Router
WebView Livescope Viewer
WebView Livescope
(N+I 2001 IPv6 SHOWCASE)

Monitor
IPv6 Webview Livescope

Demonstrations

- Hong Kong Computer Expo Exhibition
- Hong Kong HKNet Office
- Tokyo NTT Com Office
- N+I2001 NTT Com Booth
Individual Trials

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End-to-End Secure Communication

**Easy to setup IP-VPN between end-to-end terminals with IPv6**

IPv4

Site-to-Site Secure Communication

- Office A
- Office B
- IPsec terminals
- Secure Transmission
- Low security on the LAN
- Low interoperability between different vendors
- The Internet
- NAT

IPv6

End-to-End Secure Communications

- Office A
- Office B
- IPsec terminals
- Secure Transmission
- End-to-end secure communication
- Business Partner
- Easy to partner with new customer
- The Internet
- NAT

Global Address

Private Address
National Project

(1) Broad band experiment.

(2) Contents Distribution

(3) ISP experiment

Home Appliance Trial

Global IPv6 Network

IPv6 core network

Server Plathome

CATV

ADSL

Fibre

Game TV Appliance

ISP IPv6 service

ISP IPv6 service

Fibre

Appliance TV Game
International Strategy

Global IPv6 Backbone

- NTT Com/Verio Global IPv6 Backbone
- IPv6 Tunneling Service
- IPv6 Gateway Service
- OCN IPv4 backbone
- NSPIX-6
- S-IX
- PAIX
- STAP
- AMS-IX
- NTT Europe
- NTT MCL
- WIDE Project
- Asia
- U.S.A.
- Europe

Commercial services
Trial services
International Strategy

- Global One Network
  - NTT Com + Verio
- Support Foreign ISPs
  - HKNet, Davnet, NTT-E, NTTMCL etc...
- Standardization
  - IPv6 Forum, IETF
- Corroboration
  - 6NET, other trials

Number of trial partner: 70 (as of June 2001)

Countries of Trial Participants

- Germany
- Netherlands
- Hungary
- UK
- Italy
- Slovenia
- France
- Denmark
- Spain
- Poland
- USA
- Others
Difficulty operating and supporting IPv6 networks

- No IPv6 support in operational Tools
  - Router configuration tools, (built in house)
  - Network monitoring tools, (Openview, NetExpert)
  - No IPv6 SNMP support or defined MIBs
  - No NMS support for ICMPv6 polling, (built in house)
- NOC/Operational personnel unfamiliar with IPv6 protocol
  - Training
  - Experience

Requirements moving forward

- Address Management
- Handling BGP customers/Multihoming issue
- IPv6 Support, and features missing
  - BGP MD5 authentication
  - BGP Confederations
  - IPv6 ISIS support
  - OSPFv3 support
  - SNMP support, and MIBs
  - Hardware forwarding
- Manufactures supporting IPv6 at all
- Manufactures continuing to design equipment that cannot support IPv6