Recent and Future Developments in IPVS Netfilter Workshop, Seville, Spain

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Recent Developments: 2.6.36

- DNAT
 - IPVS now requires connnection tracking Fixed by NFCT (2.6.37)
- One Packet Scheduling
- Locking Fixes
 - Ongoing



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- Persistence Engines
 - Currently the only engine is SIP
- NFCT
 - IPVS-TUN and IPVS-NAT + connection tracking rules
- Tracking of backlog connections
 - In the middle of the three-way-handshake



Work In Progress: 2.6.38?

Name Spaces



Work In Progress: Conn Sync v2

- > 16 bits of flags
- Space for synchronising fwmark
- Space for synchronising IPv6 addresses
- Space for synchronising persistence engines
- Inclusion of a version number!
- v2 can distinguish from v1 by using an invalud (0) size in the existing header and defining a new size field

