# Practical aspects of deploying IPv6 in Luxembourg EPT IPv6 Roadmap

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- IPv6 Key Benefits over existing IPv4 technology
  - Larger IP Address Space
  - Inherent Mobility Support
  - Improved routing techniques
  - Multicast supported as native communication mode
  - Extended authentication and privacy capabilities
  - Auto configuration Plug and Play Networking
  - Integrated Quality of Services (QoS)
  - Enabler for RFID technologies

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- IPv6 Initiatives
  - US is moving to real utilization of IPv6
  - Asia has deployed IPv6 at a large scale
  - Europe has to move to IPv6 in order to keep up with technological developments and for global communication:
    - Internet-enabled wireless devices
    - Web 3.0
    - Intelligent sensors, RFID
    - Hosted & virtual services, Cloud computing, gaming
  - Luxembourg: U2010 research project

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- EPT IPv6 Evolution and Roadmap
  - Network elements to be considered or to be upgraded
    - IP backbone
    - IPv6 address range
    - Internet international Transit Links
    - Internet Peering
    - National IP access network (DSL)
    - Enduser equipment (CPE's)
    - Network security
    - Running IT applications and systems



- EPT IP Backbone
  - <u>Q1/2009</u> All EPT core routers are IPv6 enabled
    - Full hardware forwarding of IPv6 on EPT Backbone Routers Same forwarding capacity as for IPv4
    - EPT Backbone supports full suite of IPv6 Protocols OSPFv3, BGPv6, DHCPv6, ICMP6, etc...
  - <u>Q4/2009</u> Our goal is to have end of 2009 IPv6 or dual stack IPv4/IPv6 running for:

Professional BGP Internet Access

MPLS IP VPN

DSL lines



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- EPT IPv6 address space is available
  - IPv6 addresses reserved in 2002
    - -Address format

2001:07e8::/32

/48 for corporate customers

/64 for DSL like customers





#### EPT IP Backbone - International Interconnects





- Internet Transit Links
  - <u>Q1/2009</u> IPv6 active on 10Gb/s Transit Link with Global Crossing in Amsterdam
  - <u>Q3/2009</u> Upgrade of EPT Transit Link with Tiscali in Frankfurt to IPv6
- Internet Peering
  - <u>Q4/2009</u> EPT will start IPv6 Peering in Amsterdam and Frankfurt



- LuxDSL
  - - $\underline{Q2/2009}$  Dual Stack LuxDSL available for internal testing and friendly users
    - DSLAM (Digital Subscriber Line Access Multiplexer)
    - IPv6 for LuxDSL pppoE transparent
    - Ethernet based Isam's supporting IPv6 today
    - CPE's New AVM VDSL2/ADSL2+ HAG with IPv6 in introduction phase
- Broadband remote access platforms
  -<u>Q4/2008</u> First IPv6 capable Juniper ERX 320s installed and in service

-<u>Q1/Q2 2009</u> - ATM based Juniper ERX 1410 will be replaced with new Juniper ERX 320s, supporting IPv6



- . EPT residential servers and services
  - <u>Q3/2009</u> IPv6 name servers (DNS)
  - <u>Q4/2009</u> Application Servers dual stack (VMware, hosted servers..)
  - <u>Q2/2010</u> IPv6 hostpack service
- EPT Security Services
  - -<u>Q2/2009</u> New hardware based dual-stack Fortinet Firewalls



### Conclusion

- IPv6 deployment will occur as an evolution, not as a bang!
- EPT will make transition as easy as possible for end-users and system administrators
- IPv6 End to End connectivity possible <u>Q4/2009</u>





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## Thank You





