

Country Update

Kenya: A new IPv6 Momentum

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Outline

- The Genesis
- The Onus
- Walking the Talk
- National Initiatives
- Strategy: National IPv6 Taskforce
- Way Forward

The Genesis

- No Local Benchmarks
- Low Awareness
- Low Technical and Policy Capacity
- Inadequate IPv6 Policy

The Onus

- dot KE ccTLD Registry
- Objectives
 - Manage dot KE ccTLD
 - Represent Country at Internet Forums
 - ICT Awareness Creation
 - Capacity Building

Walking the Talk

- Local Test Beds
- Infrastructure Analysis
- Policy Development
- Capacity Building
- Deployment
- More Test beds...

National Initiatives

- Awareness Initiatives
 - IPv6 Awareness Seminars
 - Launch of Africa's Chapter of Global 6Deploy project
 - Presentations at Open Forums
 - Association of Kenya Insurers (>30 participants)
 - National & Regional Internet Governance Forums
- Capacity Building
 - KENIC-AfriNIC (104 participants)
 - Association of Kenya Insurers (>30 participants)
 - Mailing list
 - National Portal

Strategy: National IPv6 Taskforce..

- Vision: “Nationwide Transition to IPv6 by 2012”
- Public Private Partnership Membership Model
 - Government
 - Private Sector
 - Academia
 - Civil Society
 - Media
- Governance
 - Chaired by Government (MOIC)
 - dot KE ccTLD Registry serves as Secretariat

.. Strategy: National IPv6 Taskforce..

- Focus Areas
 - Awareness & Marketing
 - Capacity Building
 - Industry and Research
 - Policy & Research
 - Future of Critical Internet Infrastructure
 - Kenya ccTLD's (dot KE, IDN's)
 - Internet eXchange Points (IXPs)

.. Strategy: National IPv6 Taskforce

- Working Groups
 - Awareness, Marketing & Publicity
 - Capacity Building
 - Research & Policy Development
 - Project Implementation
- Work in Progress
 - National IPv6 Testbed
 - IPv6 Taskforce Workplan
 - National Strategy

Way Forward

- Awareness
- National IPv6 Test Bed – ITU, AfriNIC
- **IGF Remote Participation Hub**
- National Policy/Regulation Formulation
- Capacity Building
- Deployment

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