

## OsmoSGSN - Bug #1794

### support random IV for GEA (via XID)

08/09/2016 02:21 PM - msuraev

<b>Status:</b> Stalled	<b>Start date:</b> 08/09/2016
<b>Priority:</b> Normal	<b>Due date:</b>
<b>Assignee:</b>	<b>% Done:</b> 10%
<b>Category:</b>	
<b>Target version:</b>	
<b>Spec Reference:</b>	
<b>Description</b>	
Current implementation of GPRS encryption uses hardcoded IV = 0 while according to spec it should be random. This random value is communicated to client as part of XID negotiation.	
<b>Related issues:</b>	
Related to libosmocore - Feature #1910: add v4 encryption support	<b>Stalled</b> 01/11/2017
Related to OsmocomBB - Feature #1672: add gprs decoding utility	<b>Closed</b> 03/24/2016
Related to OsmoGGSN (former OpenGGSN) - Bug #2843: crash by icmpv6 message	<b>Resolved</b> 01/19/2018
Blocked by OsmoSGSN - Feature #1580: IP header compression	<b>Closed</b> 02/23/2016
Blocks OsmoSGSN - Bug #1582: GEA Encryption is missing	<b>Resolved</b> 02/23/2016

#### History

##### #1 - 08/09/2016 02:22 PM - msuraev

- Blocked by Feature #1580: IP header compression added

##### #2 - 08/09/2016 02:24 PM - msuraev

- Blocks Bug #1582: GEA Encryption is missing added

##### #3 - 08/27/2016 09:15 AM - laforge

The LLC XID related patch was just merged, so this should be possible to implement now.

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"Privacy in residential applications is a desirable marketing option."  
(ETSI EN 300 175-7 Ch. A6)

##### #4 - 10/11/2016 09:59 AM - laforge

- Assignee set to msuraev

##### #5 - 11/09/2016 09:23 AM - laforge

- Priority changed from Low to High

##### #6 - 11/24/2016 02:02 PM - msuraev

- Status changed from New to In Progress

- % Done changed from 0 to 10

##### #7 - 12/05/2016 12:41 PM - msuraev

- Status changed from In Progress to Stalled

##### #8 - 01/12/2017 08:19 PM - laforge

- Priority changed from High to Normal

##### #9 - 05/23/2017 01:57 PM - laforge

ping?

**#10 - 10/11/2017 08:26 AM - laforge**

another ping, 5 months later. This is not acceptable.

**#11 - 10/11/2017 11:51 AM - msuraev**

Sorry, completely slipped of my mind - I was sure I've updated it. There's incomplete implementation in gerrit 1462 which is not working unfortunately: we send IV to the phone, we got encrypted traffic back but we fail to decrypt it (using IV we've sent or IV=0). Which means that the phone interprets it somehow differently. To debug this we've got to somehow get phone's baseband logs. Unfortunately xgoldmon and osmocom-bb do not support gprs yet. Not sure if there's better way to see what goes wrong.

**#12 - 01/15/2018 11:24 AM - msuraev**

- *Status changed from Stalled to In Progress*

The patch is ported to OsmoSGSN and available in gerrit 5788. It still requires further testing and adjustments before it can be merged though.

**#13 - 01/22/2018 12:33 PM - msuraev**

- *Related to Feature #1910: add v4 encryption support added*

**#14 - 01/22/2018 04:52 PM - msuraev**

- *Related to Feature #1672: add gprs decoding utility added*

**#15 - 01/22/2018 04:53 PM - msuraev**

- *Related to Bug #2843: crash by icmpv6 message added*

**#16 - 01/30/2018 09:17 AM - msuraev**

- *Status changed from In Progress to Stalled*

**#17 - 03/01/2018 11:17 PM - laforge**

- *Assignee deleted (msuraev)*