M-Root in Sao Paulo: Operational Soon

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☆ A presentation about Root DNS Servers given by myself

Brief introduction of Root DNS system

☆ Real object to visit Sao Paulo

- If M-Root Anycast is deployable in Sao Paulo
 - M-Root has no anycast node in Latin America
- RTT to M-ROOT is larger, if queried
 - Nearest one is in San Francisco area
- Sophisticated resolvers prefer a few with shorter RTT
 - But all other servers tried occasionally



Conversation Resumed

A M-Root expanded footprint with a support by APNIC

- Deployment of anycast in (mostly) Asia-Paific Region
- Brisbane, Hanoi, Guam, Kuala Lumpur, Jakarta, Bangkok
- Kaohsiung, Ulaanbartar, Kathmandu
- (Manila, Lahore, Dhaka, Kalkata, Mumbai, ... coming)

☆ In San Francisco IETF

- M-Root team met Mr. Neves from NIC.BR
- Discussion was made in very practical manner
- It makes M-Root, NIC.BR, Brasilian Network community happy
 - Equipment list fixed, order placed soon after it

Now M-Root in Sao Paulo is being installed

A Most of the equipments have been delivered

- Some equipment is still missing
- Installation is started
- NIC.BR people helped significantly
- Expected to be operational in Jan/Feb 2024
- ☆ We thank NIC.BR very much
 - Offering priceless efforts!
- ☆ We are excited to peer with RS and many ISPs over IX.BR soon!