

# The State of IPv6 in Perl



- .. 2008: genugate firewall IPv6 ready, Testen!
- .. 2009: *IPv6 und Perl*  
11. Deutscher Perl Workshop  
<http://noxxi.de/pws/2009/pdf/ipv6.pdf>
- .. 2010: *IPv6 support missing in perl5.10, perl5.12*  
<https://rt.perl.org/Public/Bug/Display.html?id=75740>
- .. 2011
- .. 2012: Als Voraussetzung von ticket #107696 hinzugefügt
- .. 2013



- 3.12.2014

<https://rt.perl.org/Public/Bug/Display.html?id=75740#txn-1278801>

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Paul "LeoNerd" Evans

- `IO::Socket::IP` ist in perl5.20



Done

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DONE



Done - NO!

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**NOT DONE !**



On 02/03/2014 12:38 PM, Paul LeoNerd Evans via RT wrote:

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> will be done, and finally we can claim core support for IPv6.  
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I think having IO::Socket::IP is **only the start** for having IPv6 support in the core. There are currently several modules in the core, which are **hard-wired to use IO::Socket::INET** and thus **can only do IPv4**.

With Net::SMTP, Net::POP3, Net::NNTP it **should be enough to replace the dependency from IO::Socket::INET to IO::Socket::IP**, but for Net::FTP you also **need transparent support for EPRT und EPSV** commands. And then there are some other modules I did not have a look at yet.

The necessary **fixes are mostly there: I implemented them years ago in Net::INET6Glue and they still work**. So it could be a start to port pack the fixes to Net::FTP and replace IO::Socket::INET with IO::Socket::IP in the other Net::\* modules.

## Let me know if I should help.

Steffen

 <https://rt.perl.org/Public/Bug/Display.html?id=75740#txn-1278985>

keine Antwort :(



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=head1 NAME
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Acme::Override::INET - Monkeypatch  
IO::Socket::INET to use IO::Socket::IP
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=head1 VERSION
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version 0.004
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B<WARNING>: This may break your system
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=head1 DESCRIPTION
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Installing this distribution replaces your  
L<IO::Socket::INET> with a patched version that  
uses L<IO::Socket::IP>. Don't do this unless  
you are willing to accept the risk of doing so.
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Use this only to test how effective  
L<IO::Socket::IP> is as a drop-in replacement.
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- Net::INET6Glue::INET\_is\_INET6
- Net::INET6Glue::FTP
- Net::SSLGlue::FTP – SSL und IPv6
- oder Python, Ruby, Java... nutzen :(



# ENDE

<https://github.com/noxxi/p5-inet6glue>  
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