Nos oignons — status report

December 27th, 2013 — 30C3 — Tor relay operators meeting

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History

- Project begins summer 2012
- Call for volunteers January 2013
- Not-for-profit organization officially born on 2013-05-25
- Donations accepted since the same day.
- First exit node on 2013-10-23
Infrastructure setup

- Virtual machine for daily stuff (2013-04-03)
- Mail server
- Mailing list server
- Encrypted mailing list server
- Git repositories
Infrastructure setup

- Board wiki
- Membership management scripts
- Sysadmin wiki
- Website (Ikiwiki, French + English)
- Request Tracker
Infrastructure setup

Extensive sysadmin documentation:

$ wc -l $(find . -type f -name '*.mdwn') | tail -n 1
5842 total
Outreach

- Stickers
- Flyers
Outreach

- Talks: THSF2013, PSES2013, Ubuntu Party Paris 13.10
- Temptative FAQ for journalists
Relay #1: marcuse

- 100 Mbit/s
- hosted by Liazo, a small ISP, really happy to help
- running since 2013-06-24, exit since 2013-11-15
- finding donated hardware was hard
- administrative stuff took months

named after Herbert Marcuse
Relay #1: marcuse
Relay #2: ekumen

- 25 Mbit/s
- fully sponsored by Gandi
- we asked after a pricing change, backed by former Tor operators
- running since 2013-10-20, exit since 2013-10-23

*named after Ursula K. Le Guin’s universe*
Relays

Only two messages to abuse@ so far.
Incomes

1888.04€ direct donations
538.83€ torservers.net crowdfunding campaign
936.52€ membership fees

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3363.39€ total

That’s after 7 months of existence. Our initial budget was 6000€ for a year.
Board of advisors

- Grégoire Pouget, Reporters Without Borders
- Jean-Marc Manach, journalist with a clue
- Jérémie Zimmerman, La Quadrature du Net
- Olivier Laurelli, hacker, Reflets.info
- Stefano Zacchirolı, former Debian Project Leader

They did not have much to do yet.
Team

- Active volunteers: ±18
- Board of directors: 5
- Sysadmin team: 3-7
- Ready to answer abuse@: 9
- Not-for-profit members: 24
Next steps

- Sysadmin tickets (2013-12-18):
  18 discussions_needed, 6 implementation_needed, 3 review_needed
- Find new ISPs
- Donation campaign?