

Motivation: The DNS has become increasingly brittle with the addition of more features and checkpoints. Its once fluid and responsive flexibility have hardened, so in some sense the DNS today is more secure and stable, but at the cost of resilience. This trade off will be amplified as more delegations are added to the Root. My goal is to understand how resilience can be augmented in light of the competing activities. I have participated in other reviews and studies, perhaps most notably as part of the team that produced the Root Scaling Study.