Consequences and future developments

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Overview

• Future of the IdP Hosting Service in the light of the SWITCH edu-ID

• Shibboleth IdP Roadmap
Future of the IdP Hosting Service

• Organisations are adopting the SWITCH edu-ID one by one
• They don’t need an own IdP any more
• Question yourself (as an organisation):

Do we still need an own IdP?
Future of the IdP Hosting Service

• The number of IdP Hosting instances has already started to decrease
• IdPv4, IdPv5: More work for less customers

Phase-out will be an option!
(No) Future of the IdP Hosting Service:

_IdP Hosting won’t remain a SWITCH service in the medium term_
Shibboleth IdP Roadmap

• Shibboleth IdPv4 was released on 11. March 2020
  • Many old configuration elements dropped. Eliminate first all deprecation warnings in IdPv3.4
  • Thereafter, in place upgrade from IdPv3.4 strongly recommended
  • See the Wiki for more details:
    https://wiki.shibboleth.net/confluence/display/DEV/Project+Roadmap#space-menu-link-content

• No more detailed IdPv4 Installation Guide planned, the guide for IdPv3.4 is the final one.

• SWITCHaai will provide relevant configuration files suitable for IdPv4+, like
  • attribute-resolver-*.xml, metadata-provider-*.xml, services.xml
  • attribute-filter_v4.xml (dynamically provided by the Resource Registry)