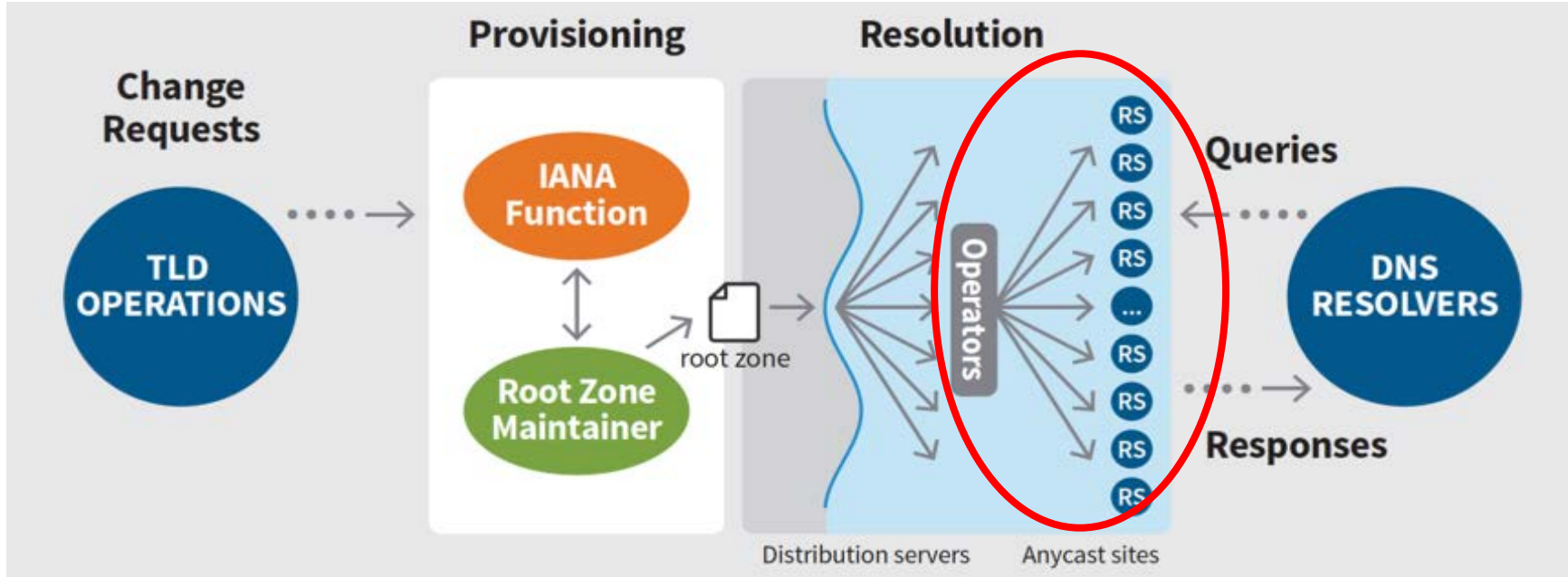


# Deployment of M-Root instances in AP region














WIDE Project, JPRS, APNIC

# What is Root DNS Server System



- Root Server System Principles
  - Globally unique public namespace (source=IANA)
  - Stable, reliable, resilient system
  - Operation with integrity and ethos
  - Transparency in operation
  - Neutrality and impartiality
  - ...

# Operators of Root Servers

name		Operator	Organizational type
A-Root		Verisign, Inc.	Company (domain name registry)
B-Root		Univ. of Sothern California, Information Sciences Inst.	University (laboratory)
C-Root		Cogent Communications	Company (ISP)
D-Root		Univ. of Maryland	University
E-Root		NASA Ames Research Renter	Government (laboratory)
F-Root		Internet Systems Consortium (ISC)	Nonprofit organization (DNS soft. developer)
G-Root		U.S. DoD Network Information Center	Government
H-Root		U.S. Army Research laboratory	Army (laboratory)
I-Root		Netnod	Nonprofit organization (operator of IX)
J-Root		Verisign, Inc.	Company (domain name registry)
K-Root		RIPE NCC	European Regional Internet Registry
L-Root		ICANN	Nonprofit organization
M-Root		WIDE project & JPRS	Research project & Company (domain name registry)

M-Root is the only Operator based in **AP region**

# Number of Root DNS Server Instances

- The root DNS server system consists of 1,300+ instances.
- AP region has about **20%** of root server instances



<https://root-servers.org/>

As of 02/19/2021 11:25 a.m., the root server system consists of 1370 instances operated by the 12 independent root server operators.

About **60%** of the world population live in AP region

# Who Operate M-Root?

1997～	WIDE Project (Japan) started M-Root DNS operation
2005～	WIDE Project and JPRS started M-Root DNS joint operation

- WIDE Project
  - <http://www.wide.ad.jp/>
  - Joint Research Project based in Japan
  - Collaboration with R&E network and others including APAN and APNIC
- Japan Registry Services Co., Ltd (JPRS)
  - <https://jprs.co.jp/en/>
  - Manage and administer .JP(Japan) ccTLD

# M-Root DNS Server deployment

- In 2004, M-Root started anycast services
- Its clusters exist in
  - Tokyo (3), Osaka (1), Seoul (1) (n) the number of instances
  - Paris (2), San Francisco area (2)
  - Brisbane (1) ..... added in December 2020 with APNIC
- Deployment of more anycast instances under way
  - Focusing “AP region” primarily
  - In collaboration with APNIC
    - Under [the MOU among WIDE Project, JPRS and APNIC](#)
    - With funding support from APNIC Foundation/APIIDT

# M-Root Deployment in AP Region

- Having Root Server(s) beside you may give you and your neighbours
  - More stability in using the Internet
  - Shorter response time in using the Internet
  - Higher proficiency in infrastructure design and operation
  - ...
- Collaboration in deployment of M-Root?
  - System-wise
    - Connection to IXP(s) and/or the largest ISP(s)
    - Cabinet/Cage
    - Server
    - Management Network
    - ...
  - Operation-wise
    - Remote hand
    - ...

# interested in hosting an instance?

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