

DNSSEC deployment done with two clicks

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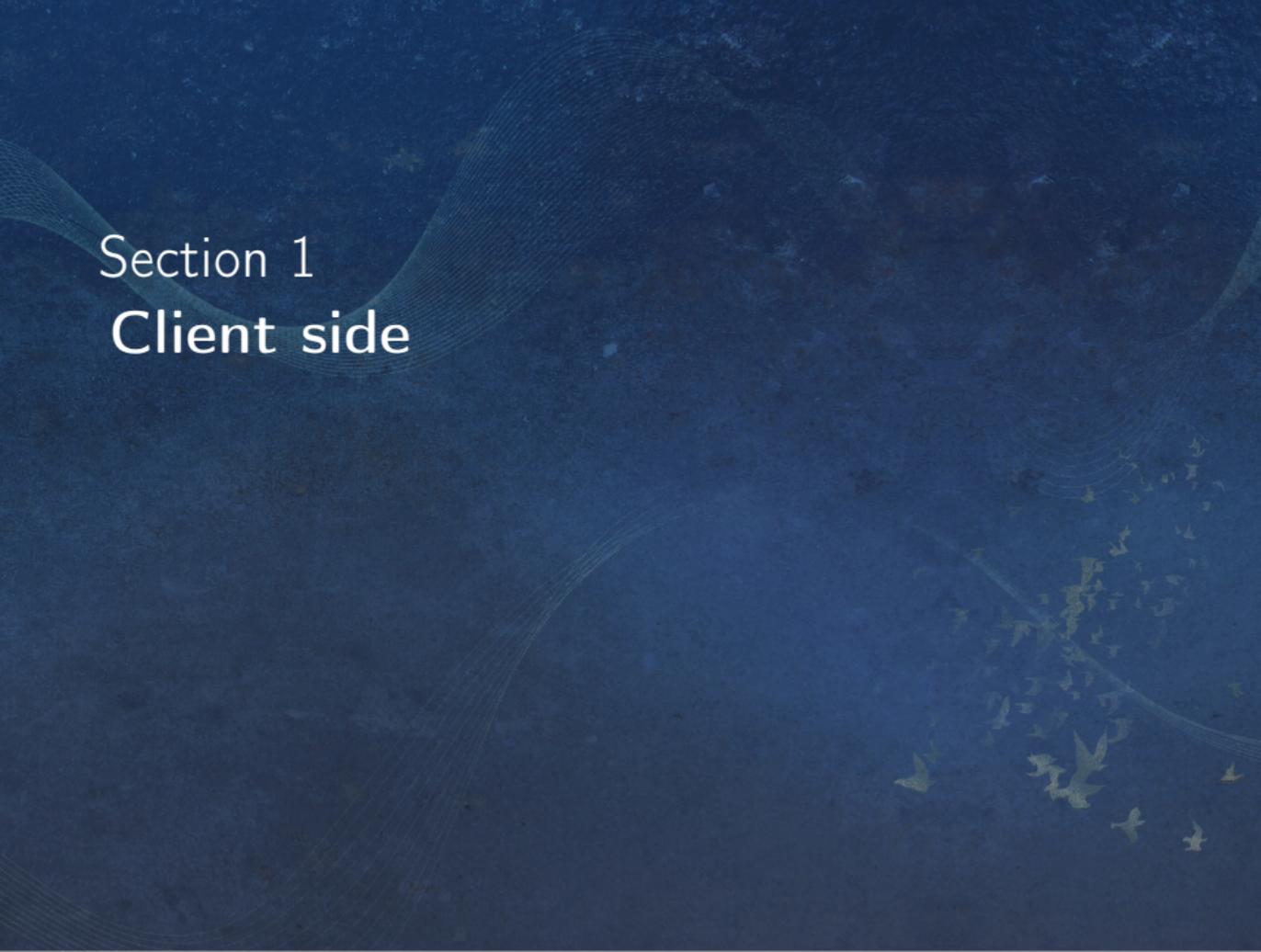
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The background is a dark blue, textured surface. It features several faint, white, wavy lines that sweep across the frame. In the lower right quadrant, there is a cluster of small, white, bird-like silhouettes in flight. The overall aesthetic is clean and professional.

Section 1
Client side

Motivation

- Trusted data in DNS (TLSA, SSHFP, IPSECKEY)
- Attacks on plain DNS
- Authenticated DNS data for applications
- End-to-end DNSSEC validation

Client side - Requirements

- Local validating resolver
- Resolver reconfiguration mechanism
- Split DNS handling
- Network-provided nameservers probing
- Fall-back configuration
- Captive portal detection & handling
- ...

Current situation

NetworkManager

- On every network change runs dispatcher scripts
- Provides API for reading network configuration

dnsssec-trigger

- Provides NM dispatcher script
- Handles – nameservers probing, captive portal detection, fall-back configuration, split DNS
- Rewrites resolv.conf

unbound

- Reconfigured by dnsssec-trigger (global forwarders)
- Reconfigured by dnsssec-trigger dispatcher script (forward zones)

Future plans

NetworkManager

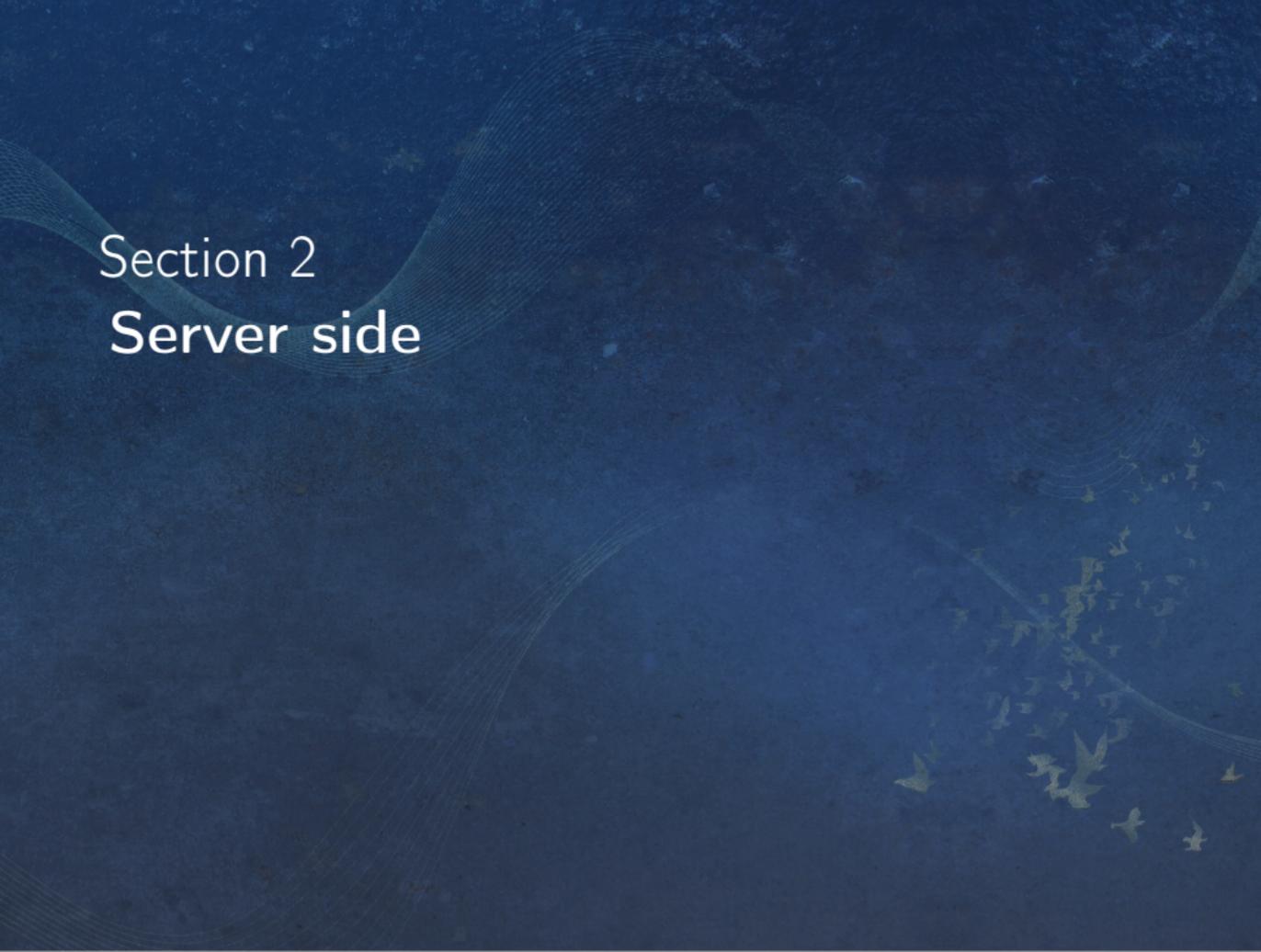
- Use configuration used by previous solution
- Provide better and extended configuration possibilities
- Rewrite resolv.conf

unbound NetworkManager DNS plugin

- Incorporate dnssec-trigger's (and dispatcher script) functionality
 - nameservers probing
 - captive portal detection and handling
 - split DNS configuration
 - reconfigure unbound

unbound

- Reconfigured by unbound NetworkManager DNS plugin



Section 2
Server side

Requirements

- High availability – at least read only
- Resource Record and it's signature:

;; ANSWER SECTION:

```
www.nic.cz.      474  IN   A    217.31.205.50
www.nic.cz.      474  IN   RRSIG A 5 3 1800
                20140520090247 20140506115503
                18996 nic.cz. S08Zt1SM81R5BwPj
                M5DWz2jSC7gBVuUsZ4Ya/qNSK2m0FO
                X2jd4ChUE4n+id2YH1RfTQjRfwb2L
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Highly available DNSSEC

- Avoid signature expiration problem completely
- Distribute signing process
- Hard to implement
- Easy to use

Distributed signing & classic tools

- Configure all DNS servers
- Distribute signing keys
- Install key management system
- Update public keys in parent zones

Identity

Policy

IPA Server

Users

Hosts

Services

DNS ▾

Certificates

OTP Tokens

[DNS Zones](#) » test✓ **DNS ZONE: test**

-- select action --

Apply

DNS Resource Records

Settings

 Refresh Reset UpdateZone forwarders [Add](#)Forward policy Forward first Forward only Forwarding disabledAllow PTR sync Allow in-line DNSSEC signing

DNSSEC on steroids

- DNSSEC is (almost) useless when used purely for name-IP resolution
- DNSSEC as public key distribution mechanism
- SSH, IPsec, TLS, PGP ...
- **FreeIPA** – SSH integration “for free”
- **FreeIPA** – integrated Certificate Authority ...

Section 3

Conclusion

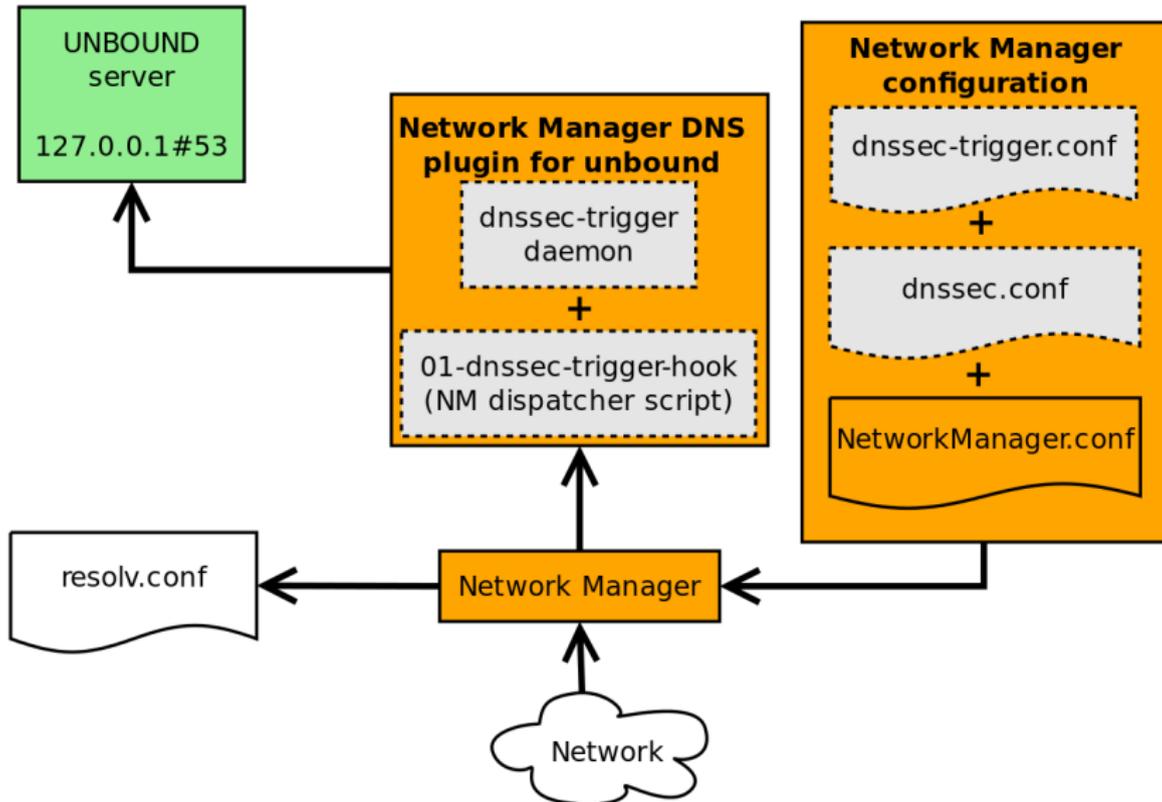


Conclusion

- Requirement: **Simple & quick deployment procedure**
- Requirement: **High availability**
- Requirement: **Maintenance-free system**
- Clients and workstations work in dynamic environment and need special approach
- FreeIPA – “canned” solution for internal networks
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Current situation

