



Prevent DoS using IP source address spoofing

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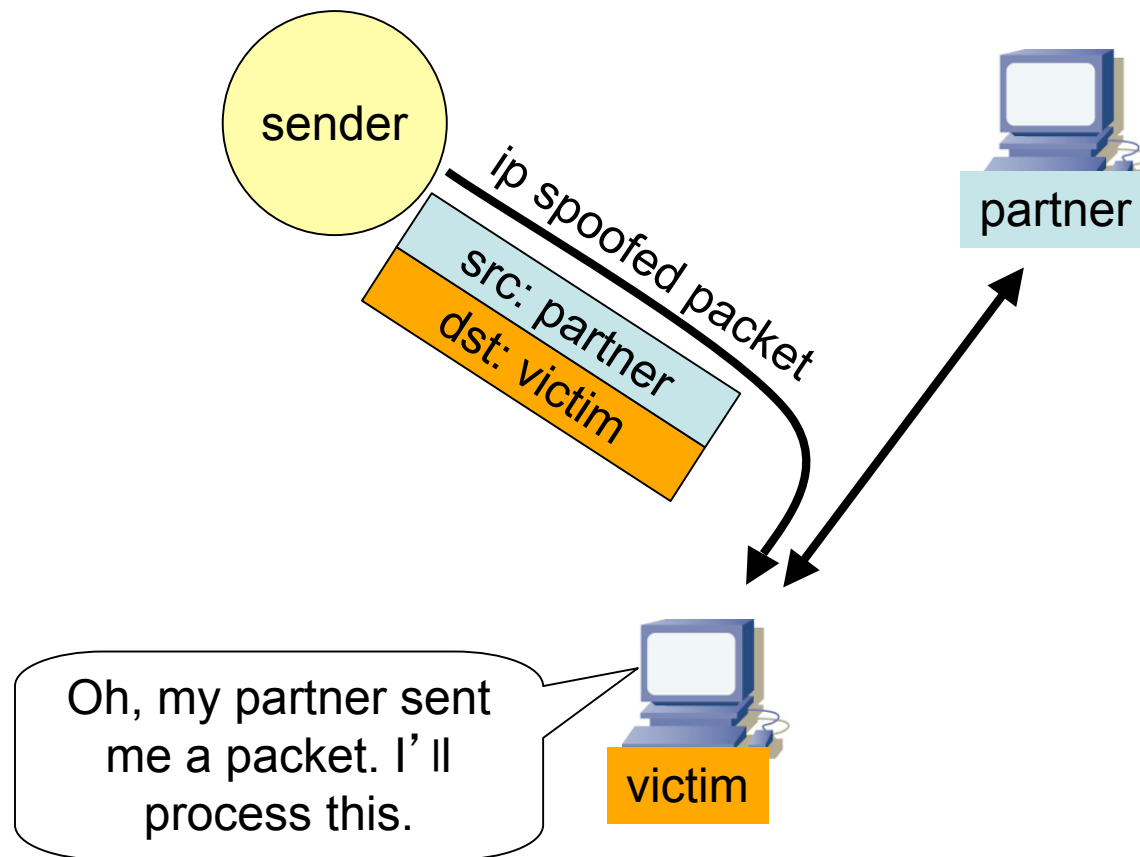
ip spoofing

creation of IP packets
with source addresses
other than those
assigned to that host

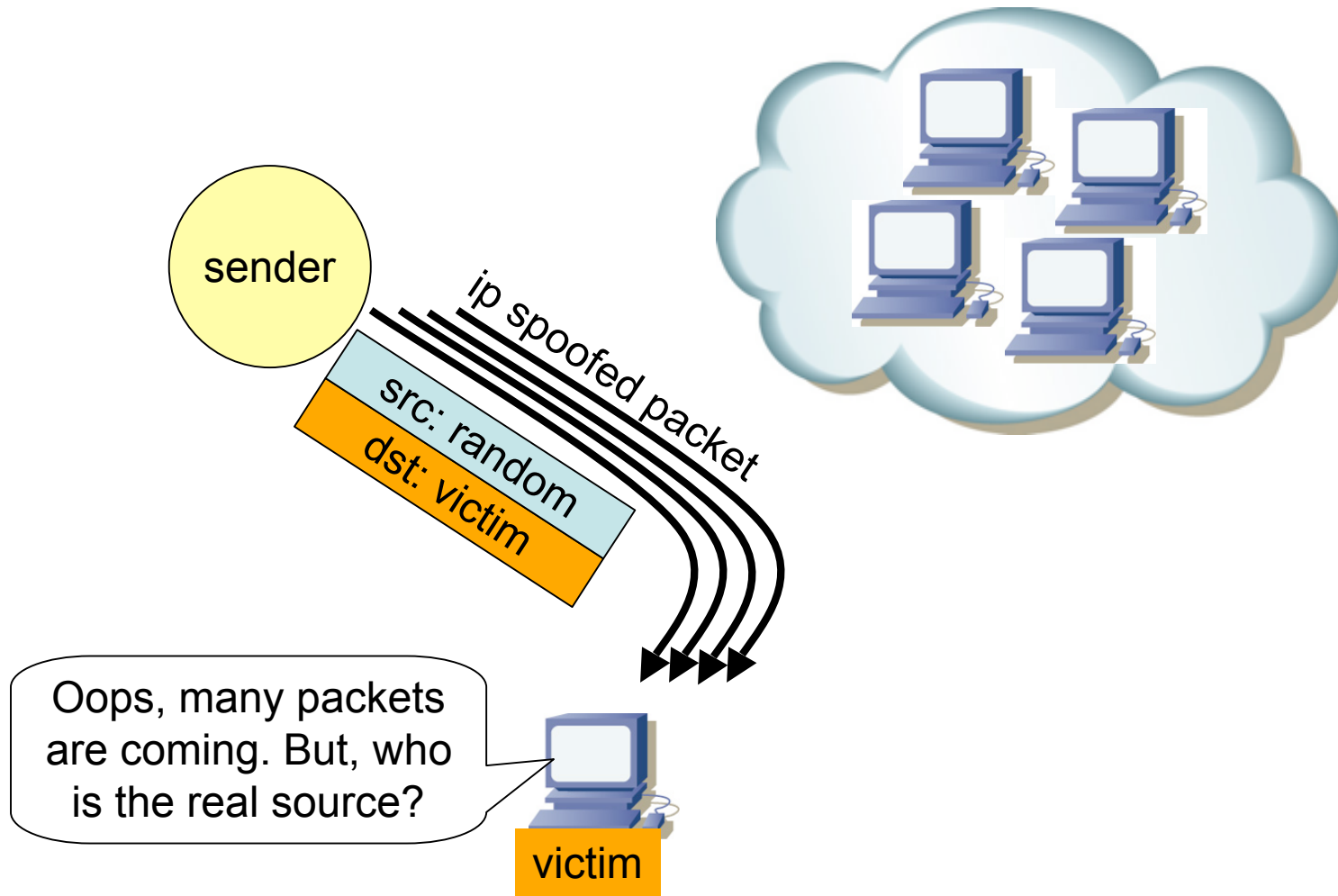
Malicious uses with IP spoofing

- impersonation
 - session hijack or reset
- hiding
 - flooding attack
- reflection
 - ip reflected attack

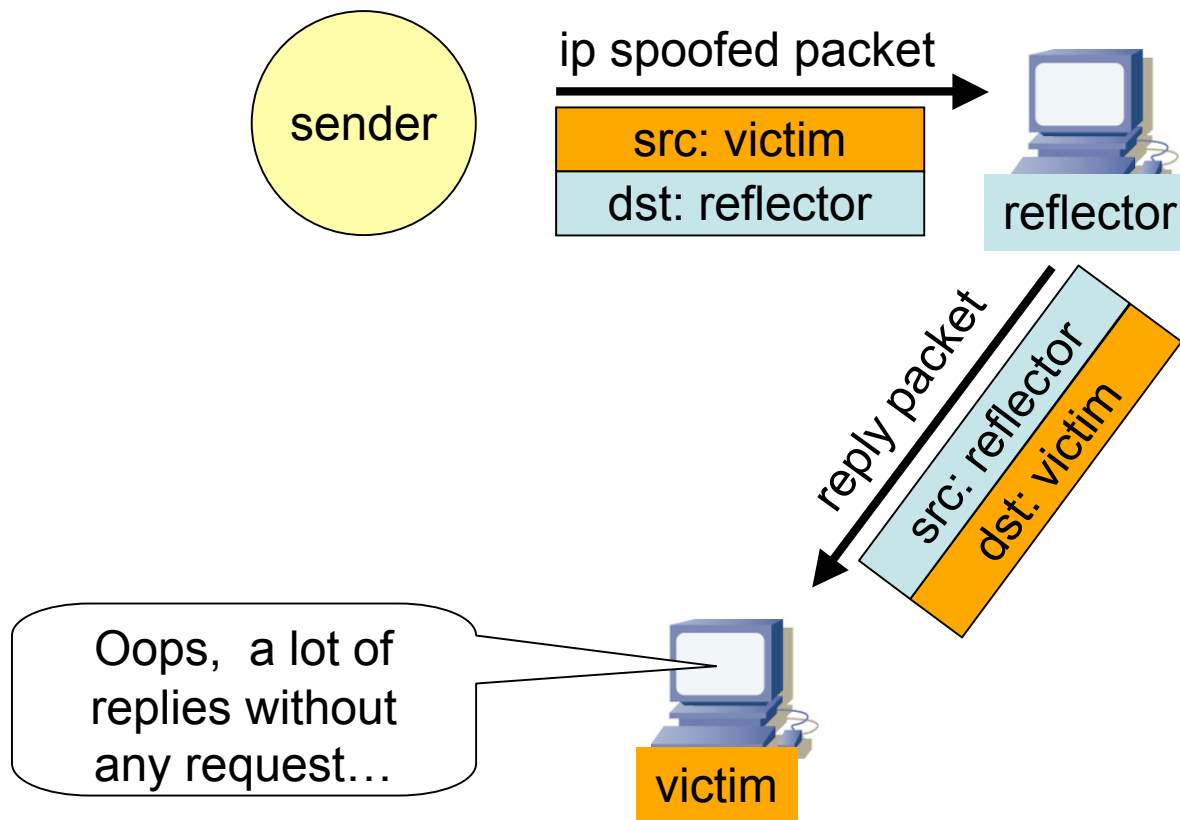
impersonation



hiding



reflection

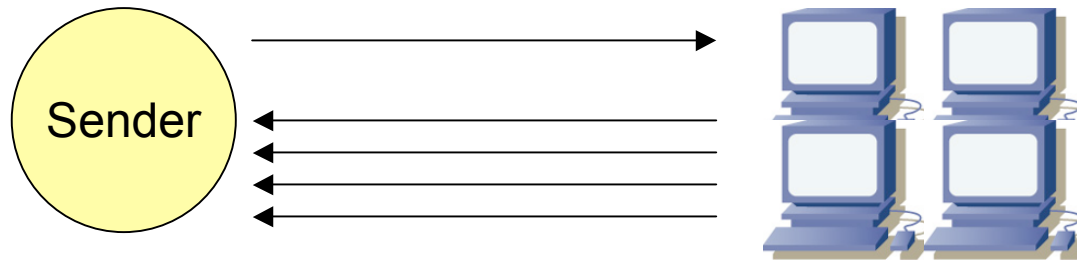


ip reflected attacks

- smurf attacks
 - icmp echo (ping)
 - ip spoofing(reflection)
 - amplification(multiple replies)
- **dns amplification attacks**
 - **dns query**
 - **ip spoofing(reflection)**
 - **amplification(bigger reply/multiple replies)**

amplification

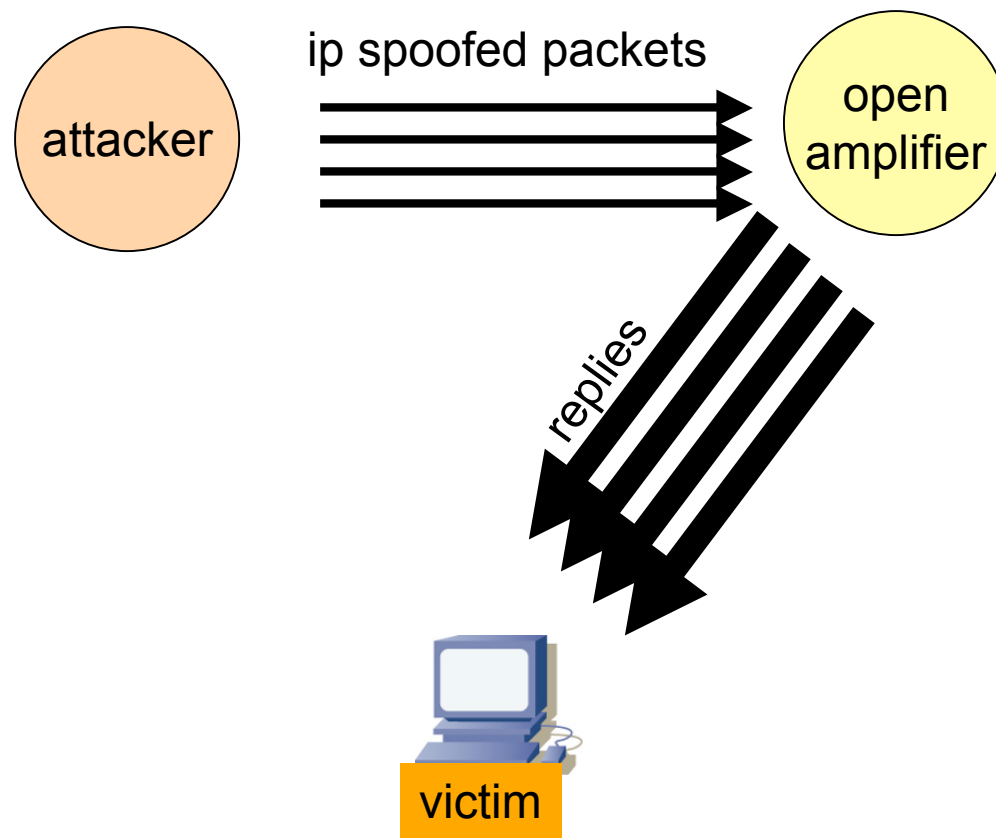
1. multiple replies



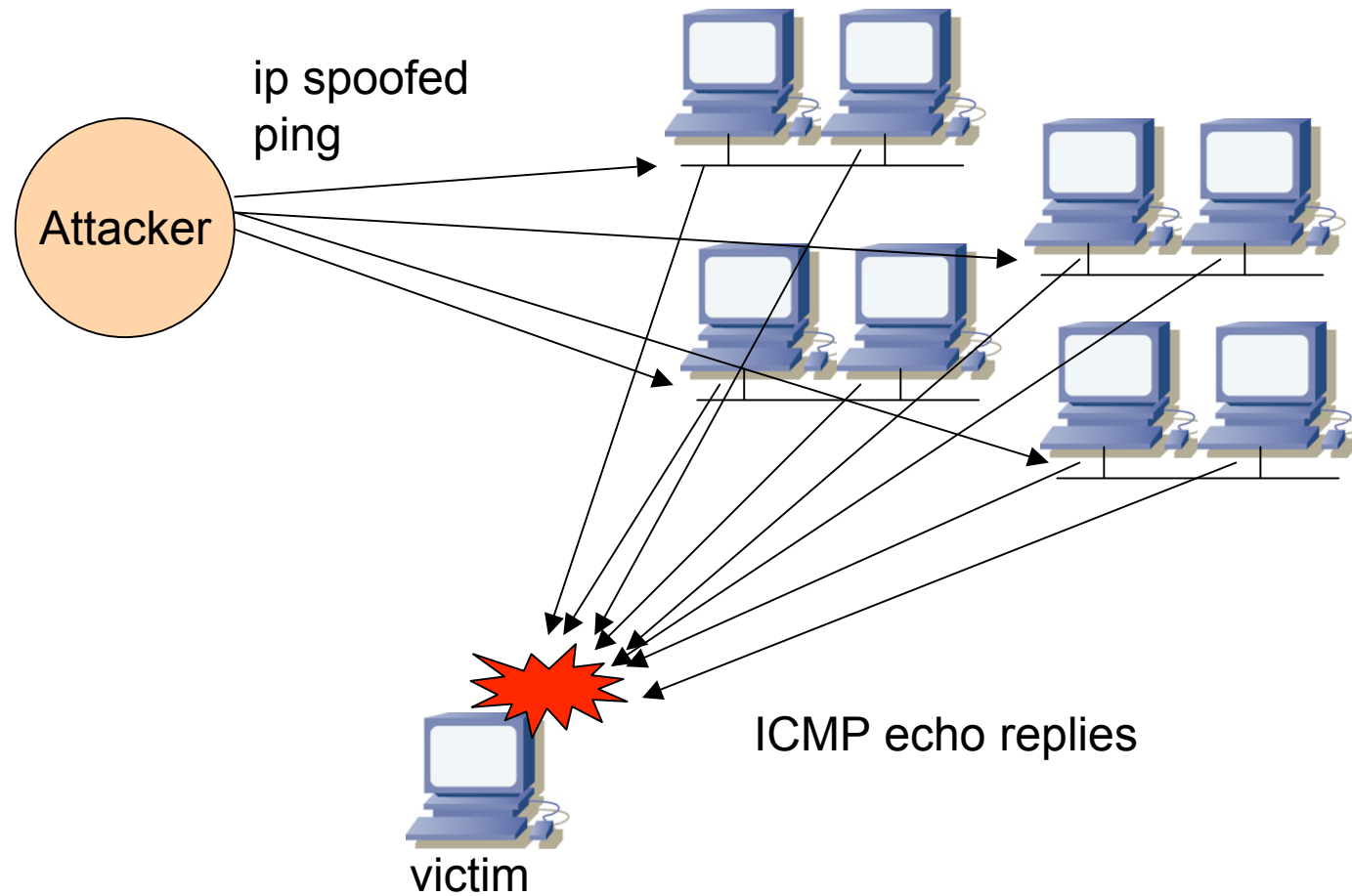
2. bigger reply



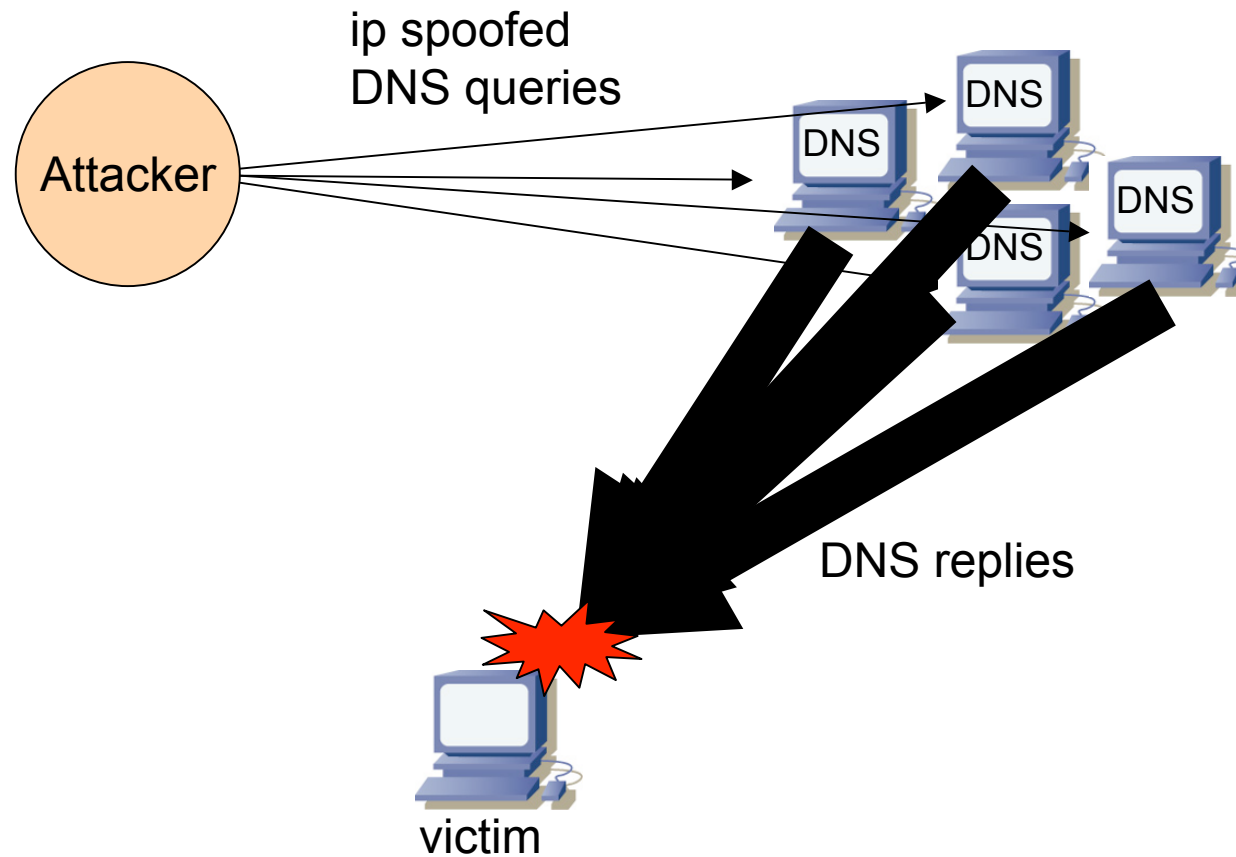
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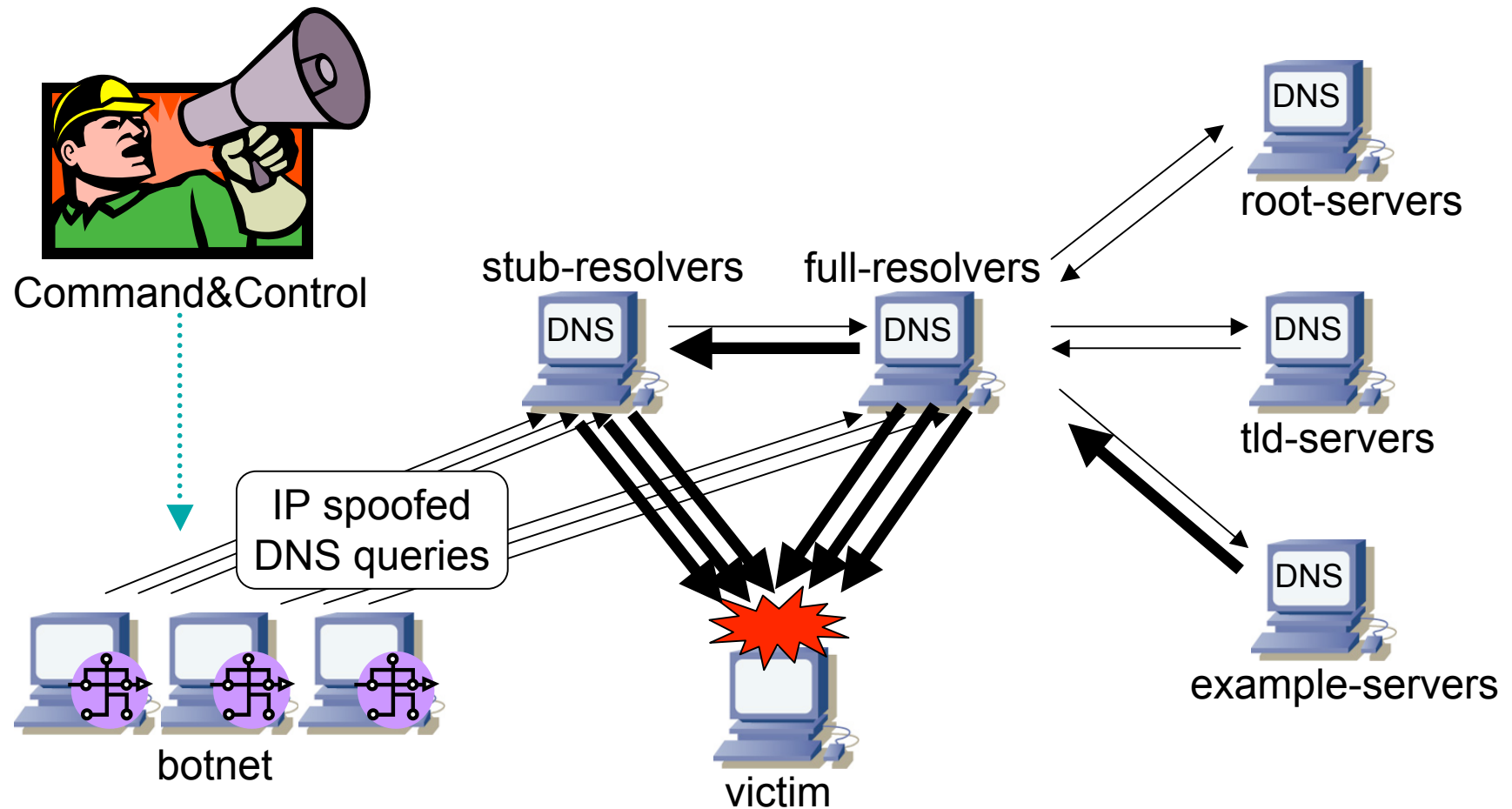
smurf attack



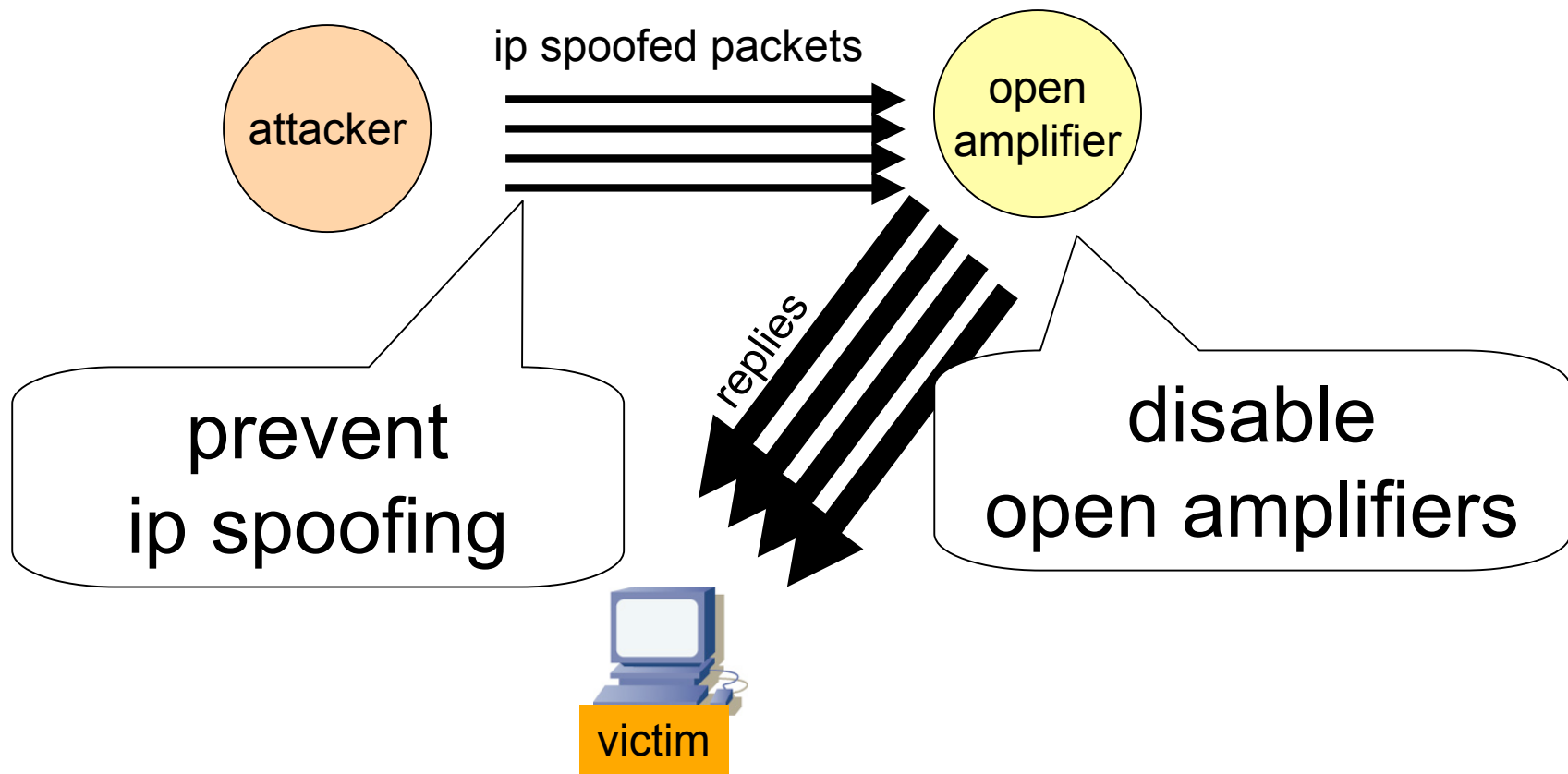
dns amplification attack



relations – dns amp attack



solutions for ip reflected attacks



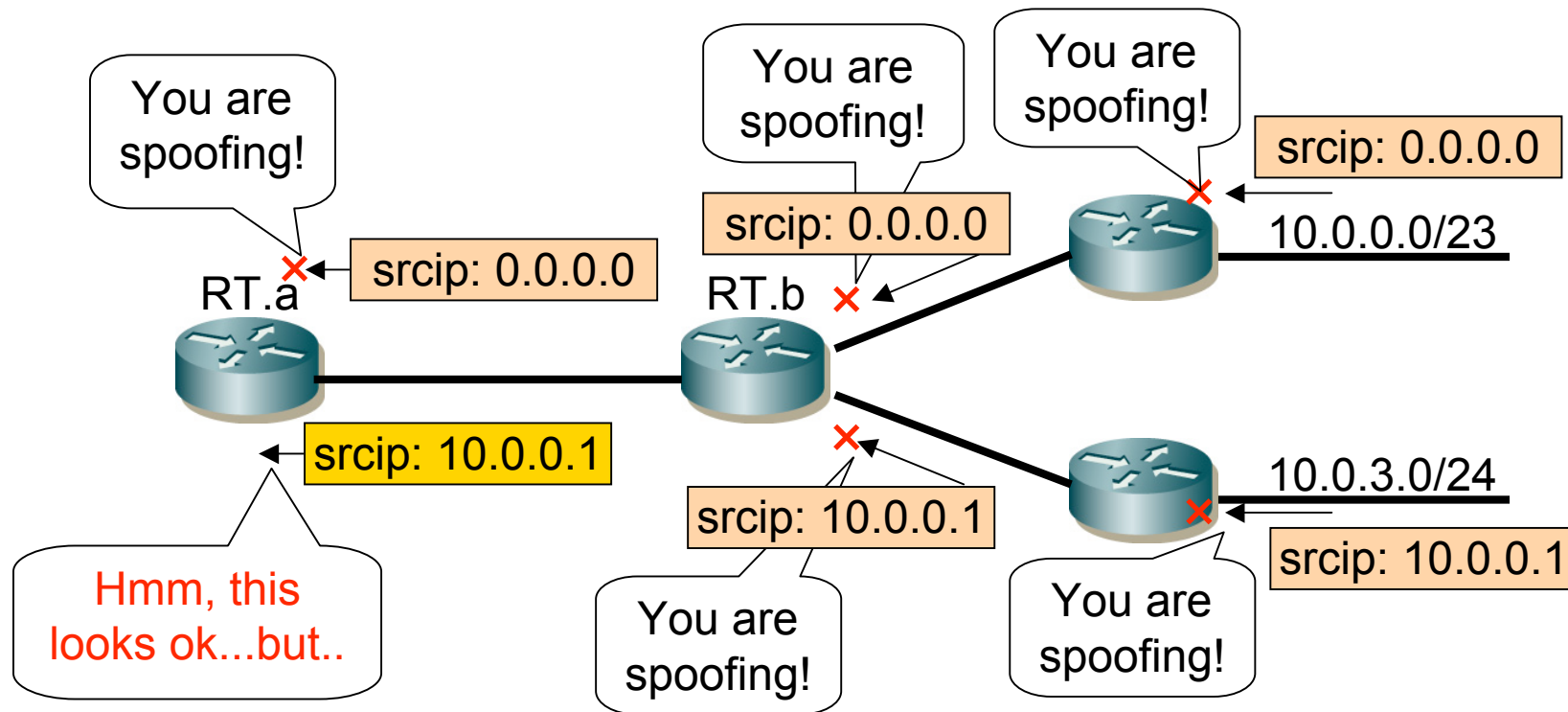
two solutions

- disable 'open amplifier'
 - disable 'directed-broadcast'
 - disable 'open recursive DNS server'
 - contents DNS server should accept queries from everyone, but service of resolver (cache) DNS server should be restricted to its customer.
- prevent ip spoofing!!
 - source address validation
 - BCP38 & BCP84

Source Address Validation

- Check the source ip address of ip packets
 - filter invalid source address
 - filter close to the packets origin as possible
 - filter precisely as possible
- If no networks allow ip spoofing, we can eliminate these kinds of attacks

close to the origin

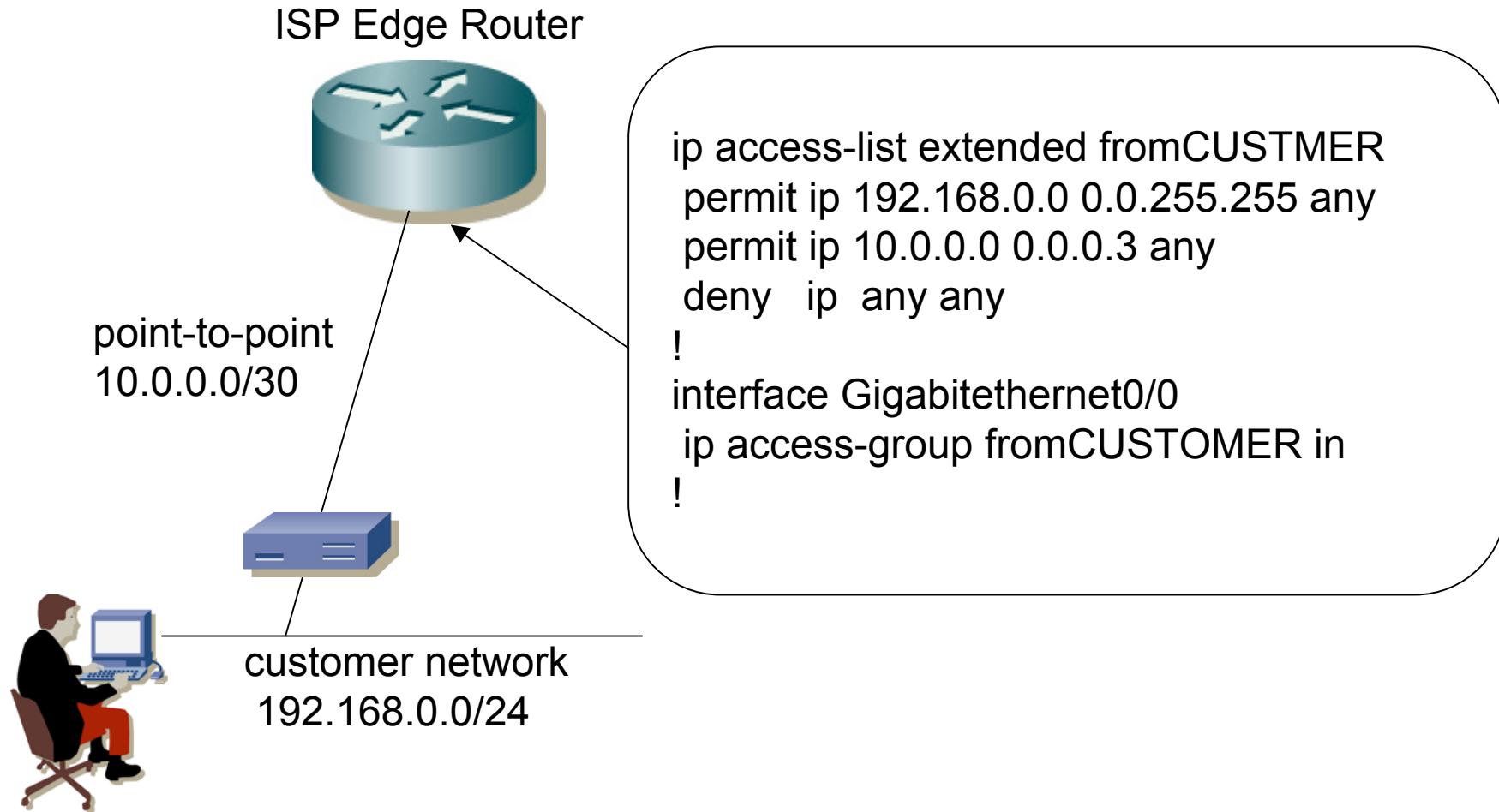


- we can check and drop the packets which have unused address everywhere, but used space can be checked before aggregation

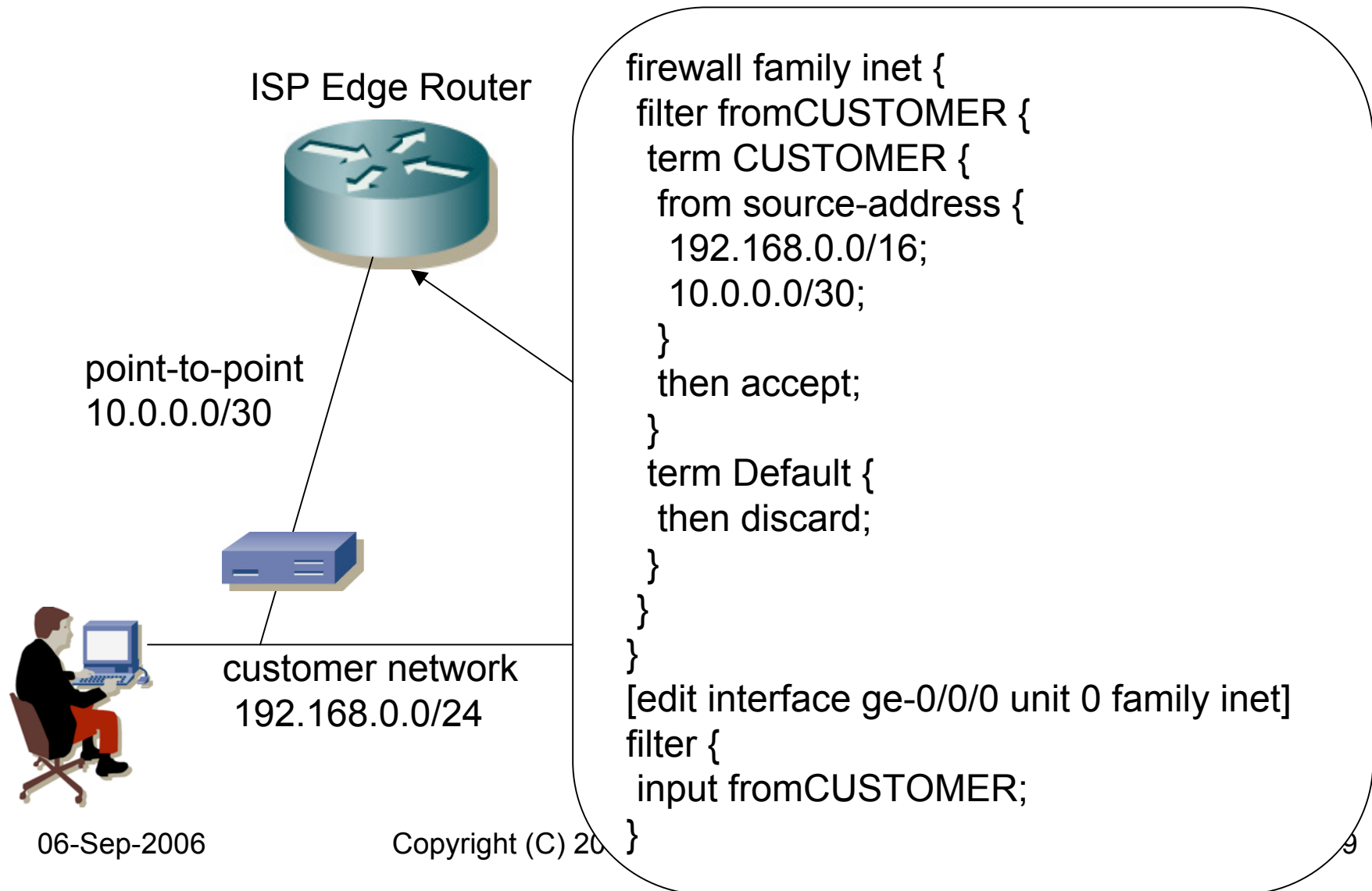
how to configure the checking

- ACL
 - packet filter
 - permit valid-source, then drop any
- uRPF check
 - check incoming packets using ‘routing table’
 - look-up the return path for the source ip address
 - loose mode can’t stop ip reflected attacks
 - use strict mode or feasible mode

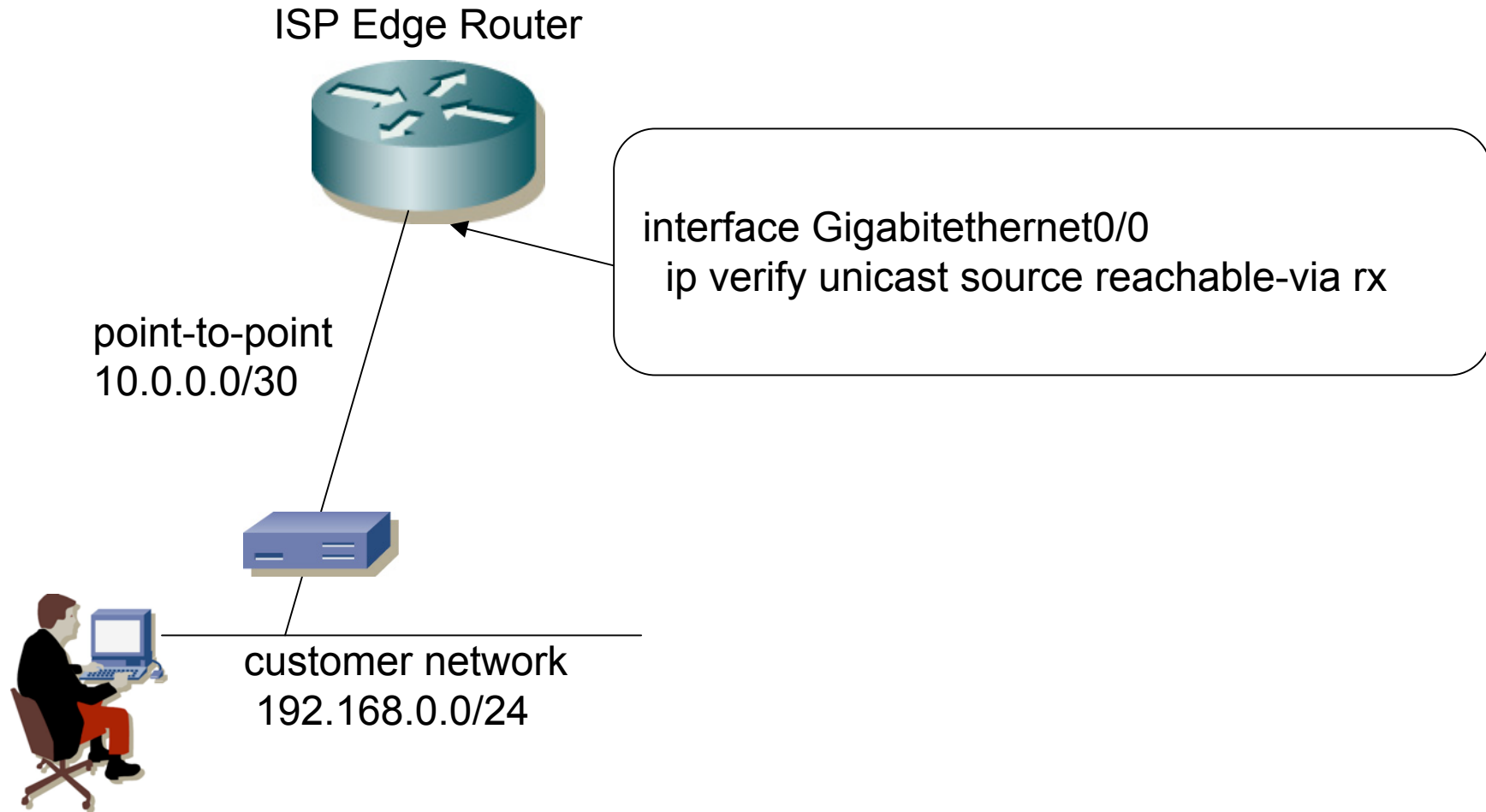
cisco ACL example



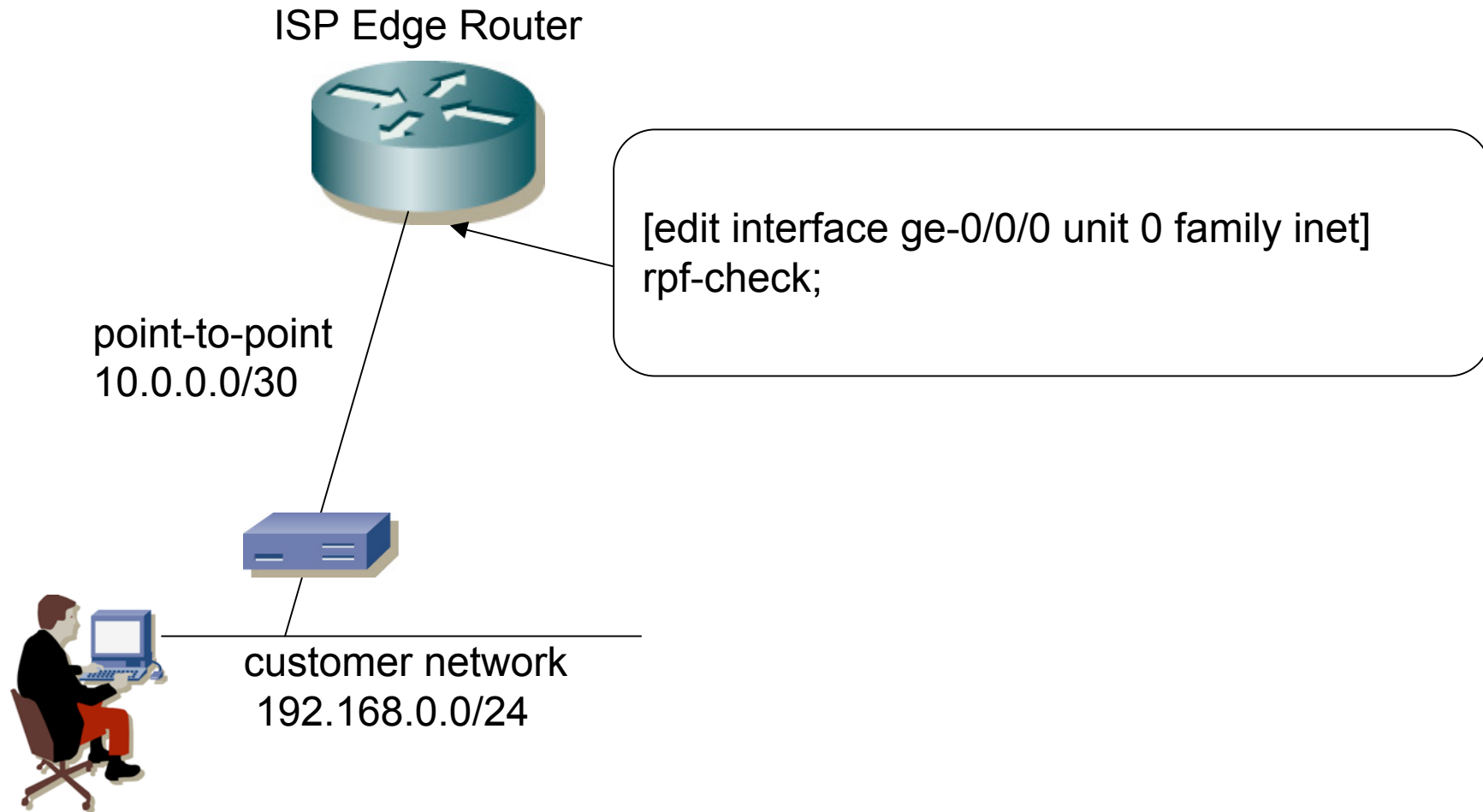
juniper ACL example



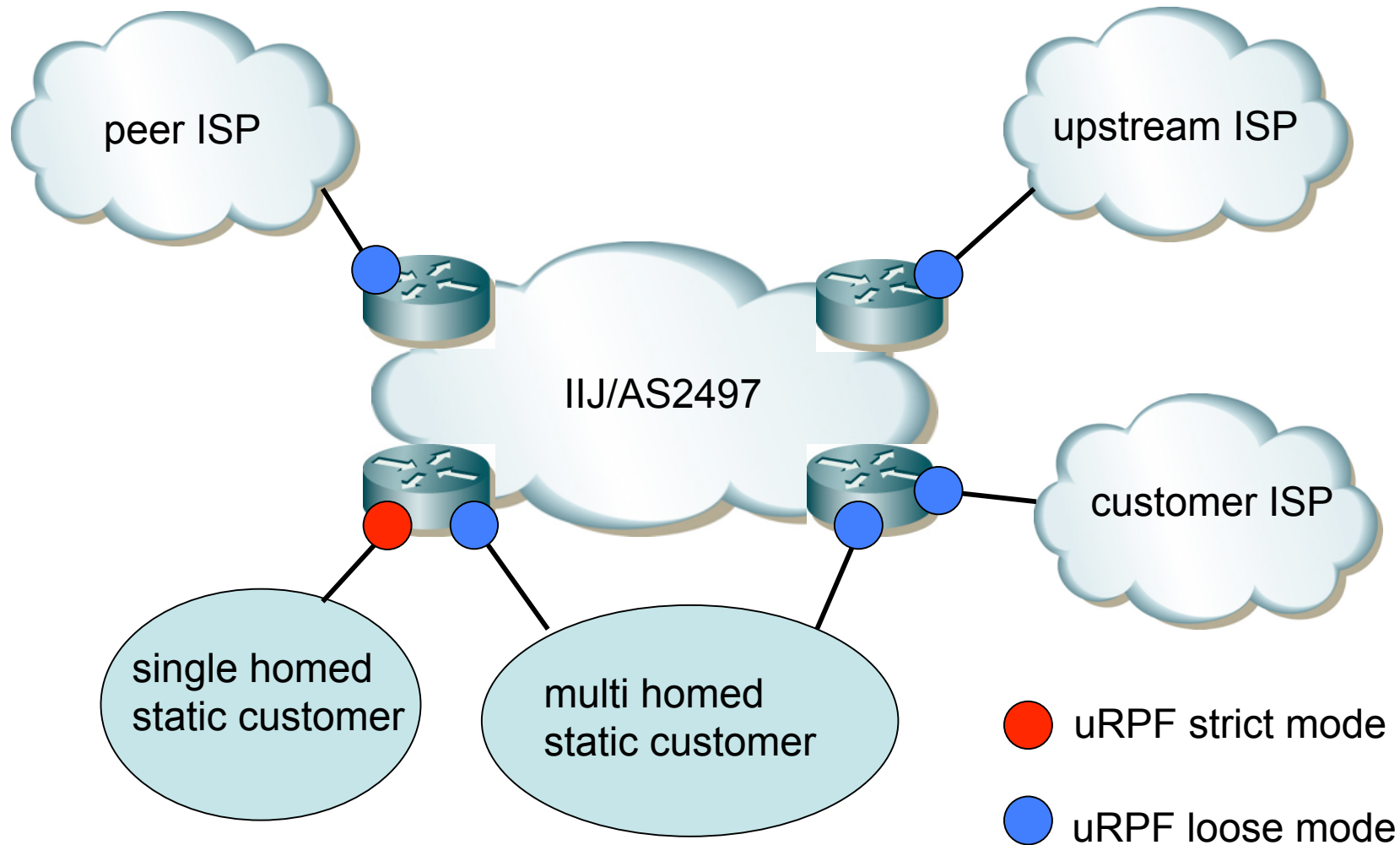
cisco uRPF example



juniper uRPF example



IIJ's policy



ACL and uRPF

- ACL
 - deterministic 😊
 - statically configured
 - maintenance of access-list ☹️
- uRPF
 - easy to configure 😊
 - care about asymmetric routing ☹️
 - strict mode is working well only for symmetric routing
 - loose mode can't stop the ip reflected attack
 - there is no good implementation of feasible mode

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