A Location-Privacy Threat Stemming from the Use of Shared Public IP Addresses

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APPENDIX A NOTATIONS

TABLE 1 Table of notations.

Symbol	Definition
T	DHCP lease time
p_{New}	Probability of being assigned a new IP
I_k	<i>k</i> -th sub-interval
\overline{t}	Relative time within a sub-interval
$\lambda_{ m Arr}$	Rate of user arrivals at AP
$N_{\rm Arr}(t)$	Number of arrivals in an interval of length t
$T_{\rm Dur}$	Time users stay connected to the AP
$1/\lambda_{ m Dur}$	Avg. time users stay connected to the AP
$F_{\mathrm{Dur}}, f_{\mathrm{Dur}}$	Pdf/cdf of $T_{\rm Dur}$
$N_{\rm Con}$	Avg. number of users connected to the AP
$\lambda_{ m Std}, \lambda_{ m Auth}$	Rates of user std./auth. requests
$P_{\mathrm{Std}}(t), P_{\mathrm{Auth}}(t)$	Probability that a user makes at least one
	request during an interval of length t
$\alpha_{ m LBS}$	Proportion of users who make LBS requests
$\lambda_{ m LBS}$	Rate of user LBS requests
$\Lambda_{\rm LBS}$	Aggregated rate of users' LBS requests
$T_{\rm Comp}$	First time an LBS request occurs
$F_{\rm Comp}, f_{\rm Comp}$	Pdf/cdf of $T_{\rm Comp}$
W	Length of the vulnerability window
ΔT	Time interval used to infer IP changes
$F_{ m Link}(t)$	Probability of knowing IP change at time t
$F_{\mathrm{Map}}^{(k)}(t)$	Probability of having the mapping before time $t \in I_k$

APPENDIX B DATASET STATISTICS



Fig. 1. Average number of users connected to the AP over a day (averaged over the 23 days).