

Automating peering@

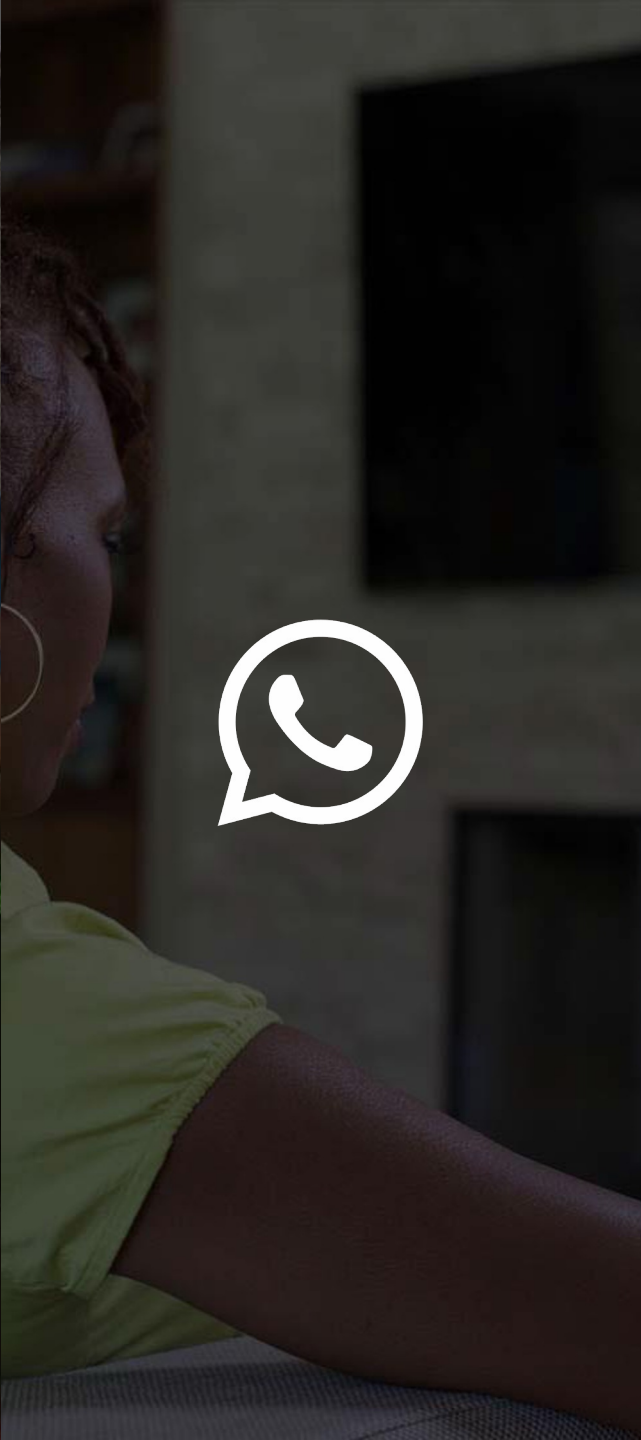
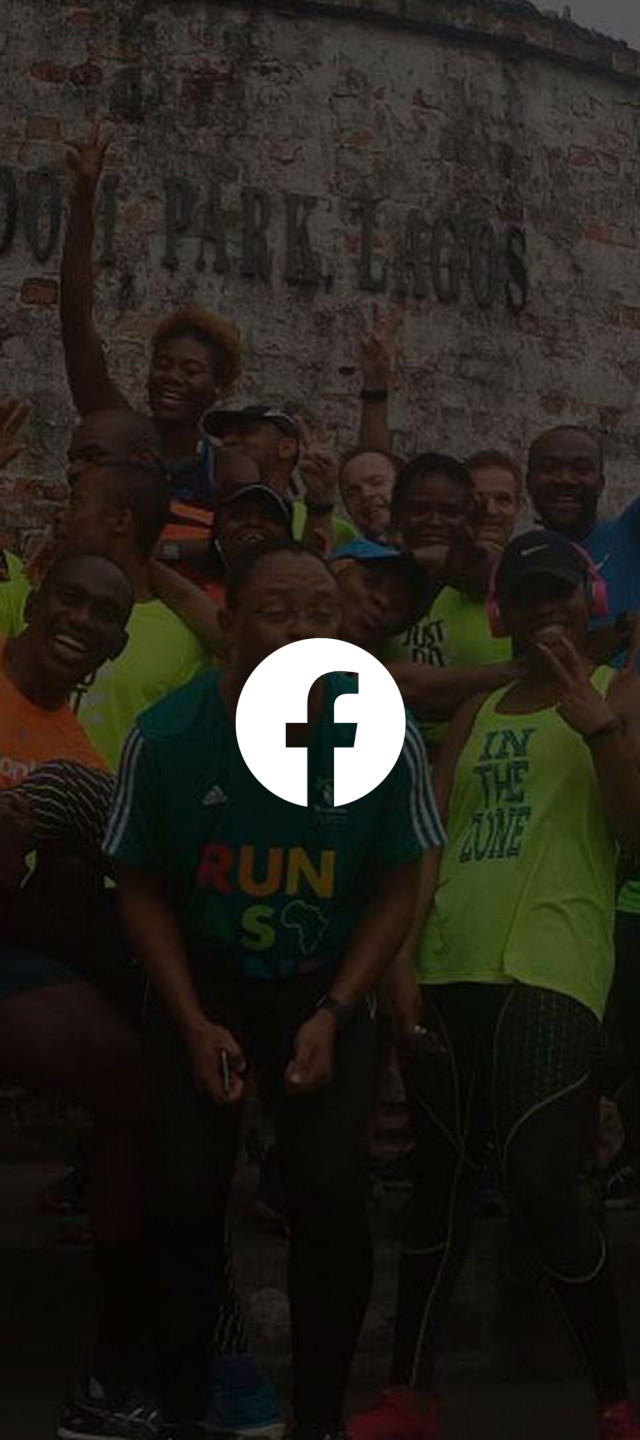
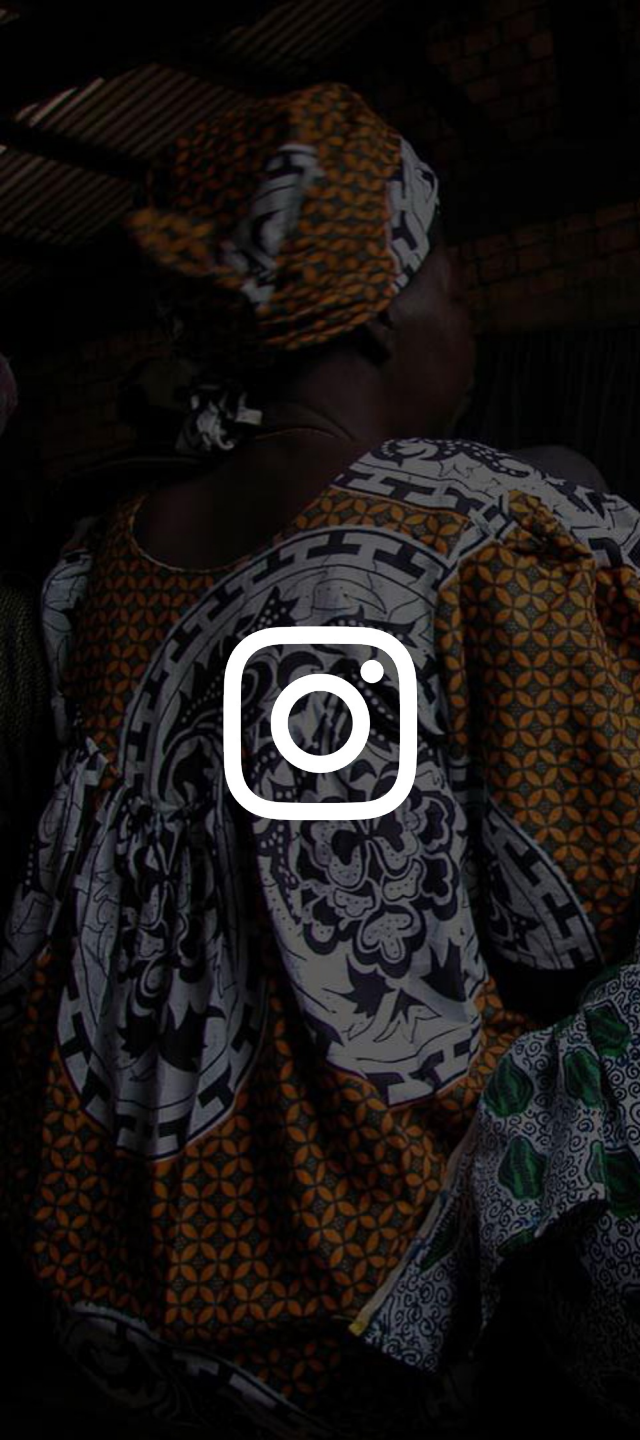
Streamlining and scaling the handling of Peering Requests

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Agenda

- Peering request inbox: why we automated it
- How to use it
- How automation works
- You can do it too!
- What's next: caching requests





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10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100
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500+ emails

a month are sent to peering@fb.com

100+ requests

monthly peering requests to handle



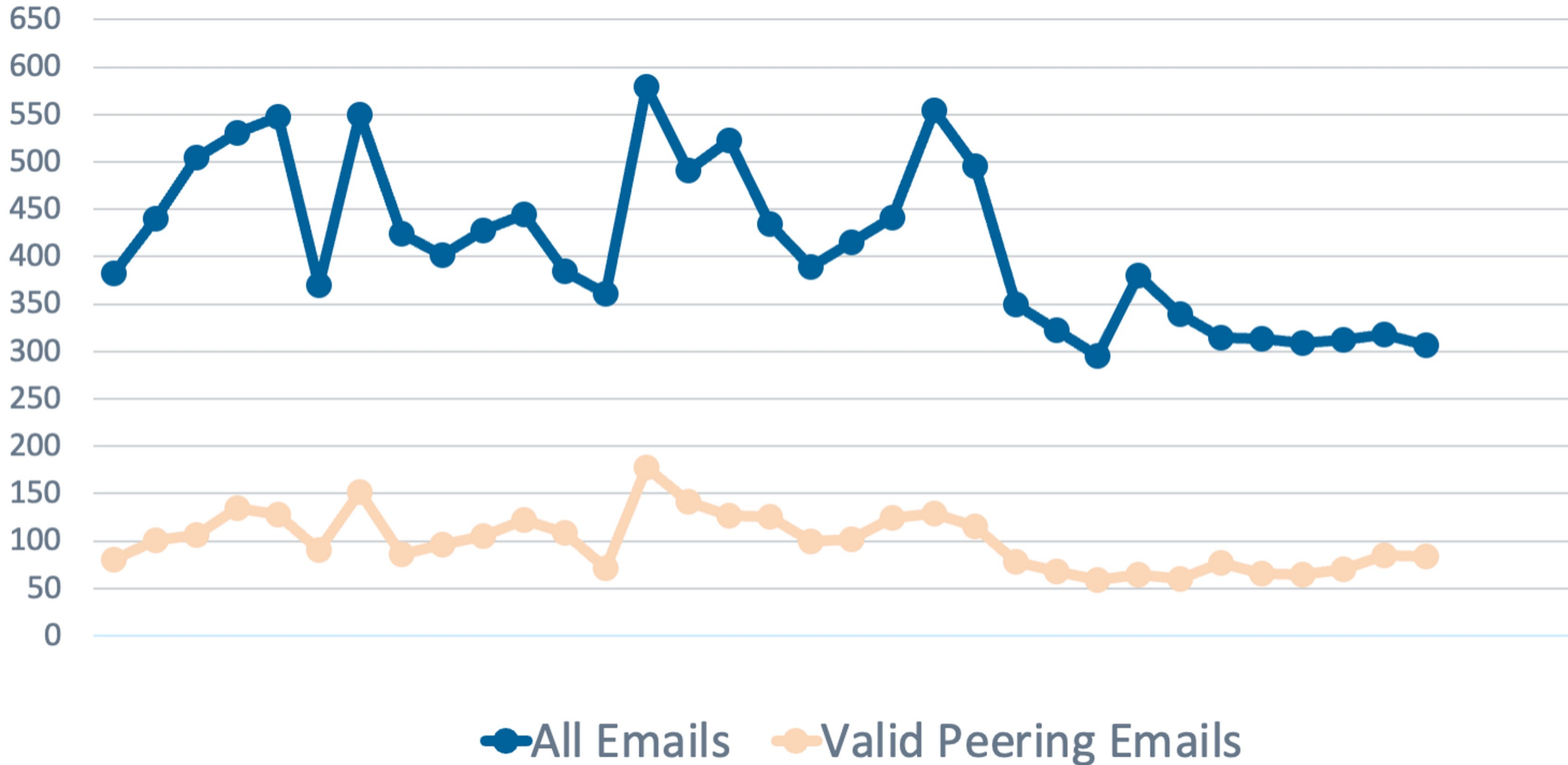
230+ IXPs

Internet Exchanges, globally

44,000+

Public Peering Sessions

Peering@ Emails





S A T A N
**WE LIKE YOU,
TOO :)**

**We want a streamlined
experience for peering with Meta**

What studio have we been to!



What does it look like?

Contributed by

Request Public Peering

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Public Peering Sessions

Select all the exchanges you wish to peer at

		Fabric ID ↑↓	Site ↑↓	Exchange ↑↓	Traffic 30d ⓘ ↑↓	Meta IP ↑↓	Peer IP ↑↓	BGP Session Status ↓
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Close Start Public Peering

Private Peering

Request Private Peering



ASN

Autonomous System Number

32934

Email contact

Email contact (e.g. peering@isp.com)

test@test.com

Facility

FOR1: Globenet Fortaleza CLS*

Existing LAGs

	ASN ↑↓	Facility ↑↓	Router:LAG ↑↓	IP ↑↓	Speed ↑↓
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Capacity Configuration

Each LAG usually connects to a separate Peering Router on Meta side. Configure your requirements below:

LAGs

1

Circuits in each LAG

1

Circuit Speed

10G

Close

Create new LAG(s)

Request Private Peering



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Facility

SCL1: Level(3) Santiago de Chile*

Existing LAGs

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2 rows

Capacity Configuration

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1

Circuit Speed

100G

Close

Augment existing LAG(s)

What happens if I email peering@ now?

Thanks for your interest in peering with Meta.

Please send us any peering requests via our dedicated page at <https://www.facebook.com/peering/>

We rely on PeeringDB data for configuration generation, so please make sure your PeeringDB record is up to date before requesting peering.

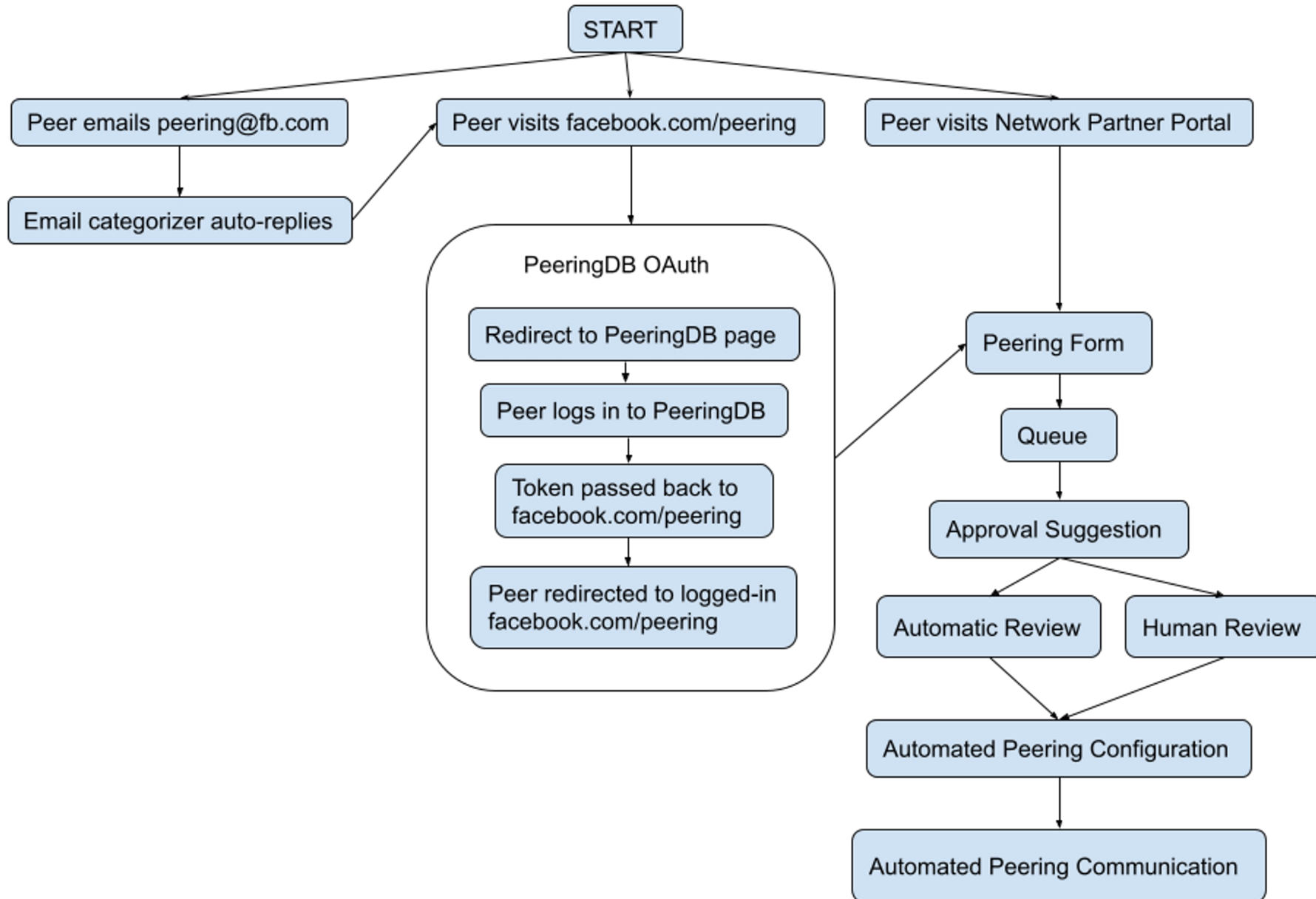
Our complete peering information can be found at: <http://as32934.peeringdb.com> and <http://as63293.peeringdb.com>

Best regards,

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Meta Peering

What happens to my peering request?



6406 emails

2413 automated requests

Automation Impact... Since April 2021

2216 approved

22039 sessions auto configured

Considerations...

01

Queuing System

Initially have all peering requests human reviewed, gradually moving to automated approvals

02

Relying on PeeringDB

We already rely on PeeringDB data already for tools feeding our session automation

03

No Facebook account

Wanted to ensure that having a Facebook account was not a requirement

Components Required

- Tool to **generate configs** per-peer
- **Automation** to push config
- System to **monitor** BGP session status
- Workflow engine to **coordinate** all steps
- **Landing page** for peers to request sessions.

You should do this too!

- See all your BGP sessions in **one place**
- **Configure** new BGP sessions
- Everyone has a **PeeringDB** account, right?
- **PeeringDB OAuth** is easy to implement – it took us about a day
- **Others are using** PeeringDB OAuth too, such as IXP Manager and Peering Manager
- Automation **saves time!**



Industry Standard

01

PeeringDB Login

PeeringDB OAuth as the standard authentication service for peering

02

Open-Source Tools

Peering Manager, PeeringDB OAuth, PeeringDB Tools

03

Programmatic API

Remove human element from routine peering requests.

We've only just begun..

**THIS JOURNEY
1% FINISHED**

Enter Caching Program



ASN

Additional ASNs

Organization Name

Network Type

Cache Deployment Planning

Enter the planned location of deployment for the cache.

State, Province, or Region

City

Country or Territory

Contact Information

Enter your contact information to connect with us.

Name

Email contact

Job Title

Additional Email Contacts

Note:

Close

Submit Request

facebook.com/peering



Questions?