

## IPV6 EXTENSION

- Routing:
- Fragmentation:
- **Authentication:**
- Encapsulation:
- PHop-by-Hop Options:
  - Destination Options:

# COMPARISON B/W IPV6 & IPV4



### IPv6 header

## IPv4 header

Version	IHL	Type of Service	Total Length	
Identification			Flags	Fragment Offset
Time to Live Protocol		Header Checksum		
Source Address				
Destination Address				
Options				Padding

Payload Length

Next
Header

Hop Limit

Source Address

**Destination Address** 

#### LARGER ADDRESS SPACE



#### IPV4

- 32 bits or 4 bytes long
- 4,200,000,000 possible addressable nodes.

#### IPV6

- 128 bits or 16 bytes: four times the bits of IPv4
  - 3.4 \* 10<sup>38</sup> possible addressable nodes
    - 340,282,366,920,938,463,374,607,432,768,211,456
    - 5 5 1028 addresses per person

# IPV6 SECURITY

- Different user communities have different security needs.
  OIPv6 Authentication
  Header.
- OPv6 Encapsulating Security Header.