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1. How many IP prefixes does the Internet have? How many unique ASes? (Note: Unless otherwise mentioned, a prefix refers to any prefix that appears in the routing table, even if it is contained in another prefix, overlaps with another prefix etc. That is, count all prefixes even if they do not cover mutually exlusive IP address ranges.) Ans: In the BGP table 5th element is the IP prefixes. And 6th element is the AS path, from AS path take all the Aes and put in the set.

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- Number of IP prefixes are: 525483
- Number of Unique AES are: 48237
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2. An institute (referred as Insti-A henceforth) owns four /24s in the range 103.21.124.0 - 103.21.127.255. List all the routing table entries (prefixes and corresponding AS paths) that correspond to Insti-A in the routing table.

Ans: If in BGP table IP prefixes start with 103.21.124. , 103.21.125. , 103.21.126. , 103.21.127. Then collect that IP prefixes and corresponding AS path in the set.

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IP prefix and AS Path for Inst-1
  - 103.21.125.0/24 1221 4637 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423
  - 103.21.124.0/24 1239 1299 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423
  - 103.21.124.0/24 6939 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423
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   - 103.21.124.0/24 6762 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423
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   - 103.21.125.0/24 293 3257 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423
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  - 103.21.125.0/24 7018 2914 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423
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  - 103.21.127.0/24 5413 1299 6453 4755 132423
  - 103.21.124.0/24 8492 9002 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423
  - 103.21.127.0/24 22652 6453 4755 132423
  - 103.21.124.0/24 40191 3257 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423
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3. From the AS path information above, figure out how many ISPs Insti-A buys network service from. Write down their AS numbers, and names (from looking up whois). Ans:

From the above AS path pick up 2nd last AES no.s and put in set to have the ISP provider.

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- Total ISP provider for Inst-1 are 3
- ISP are: {'55824', '55410', '4755'}
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- Inst-1 AES: 132423
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4. Find out the top 10 ASes that have the highest degree (i.e., connected to the most number of other ASes, as seen from the AS paths) in the routing table. Look up their names from whois. Can you guess what these ASes are (e.g., ISPs, end-user companies etc.) from their names?

Ans: List all the ISP provider of AS and sort, take first 10.

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Top 10 ISP are:

- 20940 having connection 101

- 36408 having connection 56

- 42473 having connection 42

- 21433 having connection 39

- 16509 having connection 35

- 3573 having connection 34

- 15169 having connection 33

- 8075 having connection 32

- 3491 having connection 32
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- ISP Provider name
- 55824 "NKN CORE NETWORK"
- 55410 "VODAPHONE"
- 4755 "TATACOMM-AS"
- 20940 "BTN-ANS"
- 36408 "CDNETWORKSUS-02"
- 42473 "AS-ANEXIA ANEXIA INTERNETDIENSTLEISTUNG GMBH"
- 21433 "ACCENTUREFSSC London DC"
- 16509 "AMAZON 02"
- 22822 "LLNW"
- 3573 "ACCENTURE"
- 15169 "GOOGLE"
- 8075 "MICROSOFT"
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- 3491 "BTN-ANS"