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1) Tech Papers

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We wish happy holidays to all the readers.

2) Tech News - Upcoming events:

#### **EPV User Group 2007**

The 5th EPV User Group will be held in Rome, at the Residenza di Ripetta, on October 23rd 2007. The EPV User Group is a "not to miss" event for all Performance Analysts; it will give you the opportunity to share ideas with qualified experts and to listen to some of the EPV customers experiences.

The User Group agenda will be published in next newsletters.

All the EPV participating customers are invited to join the "EPV special dinner" to be held on the previous evening at the famous "Taberna dei Gracchi" restaurant.

Mark the day in your agenda to avoid missing this event.

#### 3) Tech Notes - Capacity Planning for zIIP-Assisted IPSec

IBM recently announced zIIPs can be used to handle much of the CPU-intensive processing involved in the IPSec AH (Authentication Header) and ESP (Encapsulating Security Payload) protocols beginning with z/OS V1R8. This further positions IBM System z as a cost-effective server in environments requiring end-to-end security for IP network traffic.

This document expands upon this announcement, describes the configuration requirements for zIIP Assisted IPSec, provides capacity-planning information and zIIP IPSec performance data.

#### Download the document at

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