

Standardization of Host Call Letters

We agree with Peggy Karp (See RFC #226) that there would be some benefit in standardizing the symbolic host names used in TELNET programs. It should be recognized that there is a trade-off between brevity and mnemonicism. It is our feeling that a good set of host call letters can be developed using only four characters (see Jim White's in RFC #206.) Each host should suggest its own call letters. Upper and lower case letters should be used interchangeably. The following is our currently recommended list:

| Host Number ----- | Name-4 ----- | Name-8 ----- |
|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1 | sex | sex-ucla |
| 65 | ccn | ccn-ucla |
| 2 | nic | nic-sri |
| 66 | srai | sri-ai |
| 3 | ucsb | ucsb |
| 4 | utah | utah |
| 5 | bbn5 | bbn-516 |
| 69 | bbna | bbn-10x |
| 133 | bbnb | bbn-x10x |
| 6 | mult | multics |
| 70 | dmcg | mit-dmcg |
| 134 | its | mit-ai |
| 7 | ra65 | rand-65 |
| 71 | ra10 | rand-10 |
| 8 | sdc | sdc |
| 9 | harv | harvard |
| 73 | har1 | harvpdp1 |
| 137 | hal1 | harvpdp11 |
| 10 | ll67 | linc-67 |
| 74 | tx2 | linc-tx2 |
| 11 | stan | stanford |
| 12 | ill | illinois |
| 13 | case | case |
| 14 | cmu | cmu |
| 15 | paol | paoli |
| 16 | ames | ames-67 |
| 144 | amtp | ames-tip |
| 145 | mttp | mitretip |
| 18 | radc | radc |
| 146 | rdtp | radc-tip |

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| 19 | nbs | nbsdp11 |
| 147 | nbtp | nbs-tip |
| 148 | etac | etac |
| 21 | tink | tink-418 |
| 22 | mccl | mccl-418 |
| 23 | usc | usc-44 |
| 151 | ustp | usc-tip |
| 152 | gwc | gwc-tip |
| 25 | ncar | ncar7600 |
| 153 | nctp | ncar-tip |
| 158 | bbtp | bbn-tip |

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