

Requests For Comments Summary  
Notes: 600-699

This RFC is a slightly annotated list of the 100 RFCs from RFC 600 through RFC 699. This is a kind of status report on these RFCs.

RFC ---	Author -----	Date -----	Title -----
699	Postel	10 Nov 82	Requests for Comments Summary Notes: 600-699

This summary.

698	Tovar	23 Jul 75	Telnet Extended ASCII Option
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Describes an option to allow transmission of a special kind of extended ASCII used at the Stanford AI and MIT AI Labs.

697	Lieb	14 Jul 75	CWD Command of FTP
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Discusses FTP login access to "files only" directories.

696	Cerf	17 Jul 75	Comments on the IMP/HOST and HOST/IMP Protocol Changes
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Observations on current international standards recommendations from IFIP working group 6.1; see also RFCs 692, 690 687.

695	Krivanovich	5 Jul 75	Official Change in Host-Host Protocol
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Corrects ambiguity concerning the ERR command; changes NIC 8246 and NIC 7104.

694	Postel	18 Jun 75	Protocol Information
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References to documents and contacts concerning the various protocols used in the ARPANET, as well as recent developments; updates RFC 661.

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692	Wolfe	20 Jun 75	Comments on IMP/Host Protocol Changes
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A proposed solution to the problem of combined length of IMP and Host leaders; see also RFCs 696, 690 and 687.

691      Harvey      28 May 75      One More Try on the FTP

Slight revision of RFC 686, on the subject of print files; see also RFCs 640, 630, 542, 454, 448, 414, 385 and 354.

690      Postel      6 Jun 75      Comments on the proposed Host/IMP  
Protocol Changes

Comments on suggestions in RFC 687; see also RFCs 692 and 696.

689      Clements    23 May 75      TENEX NCP Finite State Machine for  
Connections

Describes the internal states of an NCP connection in the TENEX implementation.

688      Walden      4 Jun 75      Tentative Schedule for the New TELNET  
Implementation for the TIP

687      Walden      2 Jun 75      IMP/Host and Host/IMP Protocol Changes

Addressing hosts on more than 63 IMPs, and other backwards compatible expansions; see also RFCs 690 and 692.

686      Harvey      10 May 75      Leaving Well Enough Alone

Discusses difference between early and later versions of FTP; see also RFCs 691, 640, 630, 542, 454, 448, 414, 385 and 354.

685      Beeler      16 Apr 75      Response Time in Cross-network  
Debugging

The contribution of ARPANET communication to response time.

684      Schantz      15 Apr 75      A Commentary on Procedure Calling as a  
Network Protocol

Issues in designing distributed computing systems. Shortcomings of RFC 674; see also RFCs 542 and 354.

683      Clements    3 Apr 75      FTPSRV -- TENEX Extension for Paged  
Files

Defines an extension to FTP for page-mode transfers between TENEX systems; also discusses file transfer reliability.

682      Not Issued

- 681      Holmgren    14 May 75      Network Unix
- Capabilities as an ARPANET Mini-Host: standard I/O, Telnet, NCP, Hardware/Software requirements, reliability, availability.
- 680      Myer          30 Apr 75      Message Transmission Protocol
- Extends message field definition beyond RFC 561 attempts to establish syntactic and semantic standards for ARPANET; see also RFCs 733 and 822.
- 679      Dodds          21 Feb 75      February, 1975, Survey of New-Protocol Telnet Servers
- An earlier poll of Telnet server implementation status. Updates RFCs 701, 702 and 669; see also RFC 703.
- 678      Postel        18 Dec 74      Standard File Formats
- For transmission of documents across different environments.
- 677      Johnson       27 Jan 75      The Maintenance of Duplicate Databases
- 676      Not Issued
- 675      Cerf          16 Dec 74      Specification of Internet Transmission Control Program
- The first detailed specification of TCP; see RFC 793.
- 674      Postel        12 DEC 74      Procedure Call Documents--Version 2
- Host level protocol used in the NSW--a slightly constrained version of ARPANET Host-to-Host protocol, affecting allocation, RFNM wait, and retransmission; see also RFC 684.
- 673      Not Issued
- 672      Schantz       6 Dec 74      A Multi-Site Data Collection Facility
- Applicability of TIP/TENEX protocols beyond TIP accounting.
- 671      Schantz       6 Dec 74      A Note on Reconnection Protocol
- Experience with implementation in RSEXEC context.
- 670      Not Issued

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| 669 | Dodds | 4 Dec 74 | November 1974, Survey of New-Protocol<br>Telnet Servers |
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An earlier poll of Telnet server implementation status. Updates RFC 702; see also RFCs 703 and 679.

- 668 Not Issued

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| 667 | Chipman | Dec 74 | BBN Host Ports |
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Approved scheme to connect host ports to the network.

- 666 Padlipsky 26 Nov 74 Specification of the Unified User-Level Protocol

Discusses and proposes a common command language.

- 665 Not Issued

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| 663 | Kanodia | 29 Nov 74 | A Lost Message Detection and Recovery Protocol |
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Proposed extension of host-host protocol; see also RFCs 534, 516, 512, 492 and 467.

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| 662 | Kanodia | 26 Nov 74 | Performance Improvement in ARPANET File Transfers from Multics |
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Experimenting with host output buffers to improve throughput.

- 661 Postel 23 Nov 74 Protocol Information

An old version; see RFC 694.

- 660       Walden       23 Oct 74       Some Changes to the IMP and the  
IMP/Host Interface

Decoupling of message number sequences of hosts; host-host access control; message number window; messages outside normal mechanism; see also BBN 1822.

- 659 Postel 18 Oct 74 Announcing Additional Telnet Options

Options defined in RFCs 651-658.

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658      Crocker      25 Oct 74      Telnet Output Line Feed Disposition
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| 657 | Crocker    | 25 Oct 74 | Telnet Output Vertical Tab Disposition Option                                                    |
| 656 | Crocker    | 25 Oct 74 | Telnet Output Vertical Tab Stops Option                                                          |
| 655 | Crocker    | 25 Oct 74 | Telnet Output Form Feed Disposition Option                                                       |
| 654 | Crocker    | 25 Oct 74 | Telnet Output Horizontal Tab Disposition Option                                                  |
| 653 | Crocker    | 25 Oct 74 | Telnet Output Horizontal Tab Stops Option                                                        |
| 652 | Crocker    | 25 Oct 74 | Telnet Output Carriage Return Disposition Option                                                 |
| 651 | Crocker    | 25 Oct 74 | Revised Telnet Status Option                                                                     |
| 650 | Not Issued |           |                                                                                                  |
| 649 | Not Issued |           |                                                                                                  |
| 648 | Not Issued |           |                                                                                                  |
| 647 | Padlipsky  | 12 Nov 74 | A Proposed Protocol for Connecting Host Computers to ARPA-Like Networks via Front End Processors |

Approaches to Front-End protocol processing using available hardware and software.

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| 646 | Not Issued |           |                                            |
| 645 | Crocker    | 26 Jun 74 | Network Standard Data Specification Syntax |

Providing a mechanism for specifying all attributes of a collection of bits; see also RFC 615.

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| 644 | Thomas | 22 Jul 74 | On The Problem of Signature Authentication for Network Mail |
| 643 | Mader  | 5 Jul 74  | Network Debugging Protocol                                  |

To be used in an implementation of a PDP-11 network bootstrap device and a cross-network debugger.

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| 642 | Burchfiel | 5 Jul 74 | Ready Line Philosophy and Implementation |
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- 641 Not Issued
- 640 Postel 5 Jun 74 Revised FTP Reply Codes  
Updates RFC 542.
- 639 Not Issued
- 638 McKenzie 25 Apr 74 IMP/TIP Preventive Maintenance Schedule  
Corrects RFC 633.
- 637 McKenzie 23 Apr 74 Change of Network Address for SU-DSL
- 636 Burchfiel 10 Jun 74 TIP/TENEX Reliability Improvements  
Obtaining/maintaining connections; recovery from lost connections;  
connection-state changes.
- 635 Cerf 22 Apr 74 An Assessment of ARPANET Protocols  
Theoretical and practical motivation for redesign. Multipacket  
messages; host retransmission; duplicate detection; sequencing;  
acknowledgement.
- 634 McKenzie 10 Apr 74 Change in Network Address for Haskins  
Lab.
- 633 McKenzie 18 Mar 74 IMP/TIP Preventive Maintenance Schedule  
An old version; see RFC 638.
- 632 Opderbeck 20 May 74 Throughput Degradations for Single  
Packet Messages
- 631 Danthine 17 Apr 74 Call for Papers: International Meeting  
on Minicomputers and Data Communication
- 630 Sussman 10 Apr 74 FTP Error Code Usage for More Reliable  
Mail Service  
Describes FTP reply-code usage in TENEX mail processing.
- 629 North 27 Mar 74 Scenario for Using the Network Journal
- 628 Keeney 27 Mar 74 Status of RFC Numbers and a Note on  
Pre-assigned Journal Numbers

- 627      Feinler      25 Mar 74      ASCII Text File of Hostnames  
See also RFCs 606, 608, 623 and 625.
- 626      Kleinrock 14 Mar 74      On a possible Lockup Condition in Imp Subnet due to Message Sequencing
- 625      Feinler      7 Mar 74      On Line Hostnames Service  
See also RFCs 606, 608, 623 and 627.
- 624      Krilanovich 28 Feb 74      Comments on the File Transfer Protocol  
Design changes and slight modifications. Replaces RFC 607; see also RFCs 614, 542 and 640.
- 623      Krilanovich 22 Feb 74      Comments on On-Line Host Name Service  
See also RFCs 627, 625, 608 and 606.
- 622      McKenzie    13 Mar 74      Scheduling IMP/TIP Down Time  
Modification of previous policy.
- 621      Kudlick      6 Mar 74      NIC User Directories at SRI-ARC  
See also RFCs 620 and 609.
- 620      Ferguson    1 Mar 74      Request for Monitor Host Table Updates  
In conjunction with moving NIC users to OFFICE-1; see also RFCs 621 and 609.
- 619      Naylor      7 Mar 74      Mean Round-Trip Times in the ARPANET  
Actual measurements of round-trip times.
- 618      Taft          19 Feb 74      A Few Observations on NCP Statistics  
Distribution of NCP and IMP message types by actual measurement.
- 617      Taft          19 Feb 74      A Note on Socket Number Assignment  
Danger of imposing more fixed socket number requirements; see also RFCs 542, 503 and 451.
- 616      Walden      11 Feb 74      Latest Network Maps
- 615      Crocker      1 Mar 74      Proposed Network Standard Data Pathname Syntax

614 Pogran 28 Jan 74 Response to RFC 607 (NIC-21255),  
"Comments on the FTP"

See also RFCs 624, 542 and 640.

613 McKenzie 21 Jan 74 Network Connectivity: A Response to RFC603

612 McKenzie 16 Jan 74 Traffic Statistics Dec. 1973

611 Walden 14 Feb 74 Two Changes to the IMP/Host Protocol

Expansion of Host-Going-Down and addition of Dead-Host-Status Message.

610 Winter 15 Dec 73 Further Datalanguage Design Concepts

Preliminary results of the language design; a model for data language semantics; future considerations.

609 Ferguson 10 Jan 74 Statement of Upcoming Move of NIC/NLS  
Service

See also RFCs 621 and 620.

608 Feinler 10 Jan 73 Host Names On-Line

Response to RFC 606; see also RFCs 627, 625 and 623.

607 Krilanovich 7 Jan 73 NIC-21255 Comments on the File  
Transfer Protocol

An old version; see RFC 624; see also RFCs 614, 542 and 640.

606 Deutsch 29 Dec 73 Host Names On-Line

Resolving differences in hostname-address mappings; see also RFCs 627, 625, 623 and 608.

605 Not Issued

604 Postel 26 Dec 73 Assigned Link Numbers

Modifies official host-host protocol. Replaces RFC 377.

603 Burchfiel 31 Dec 73 Response to RFC 597: Host Status

Questions about the ARPANET topology described in RFC 597.



602 Metcalfe 27 Dec 73 "The Stockings Were Hung by the Chimney  
With Care"

Susceptibility of ARPANET to security violations.

601 McKenzie 14 Dec 73 Traffic Statistics November 1973

600 Berggreen 26 Nov 73 Interfacing an Illinois Plasma Terminal  
to the ARPANET

Discusses some unusual interface issues for the Plato terminal.

