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Chapter 1

Introduction to HTTP and HTTPS

The Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP) is a protocol designed for transferring content on the Web. HTTP is a simple protocol that utilizes reliable Transmission Control Protocol (TCP) services to perform its content transfer function. Because of this, HTTP is a highly reliable content transfer protocol. HTTP is one of the most used application protocols. All operations on the Web utilize the HTTP protocol.

HTTPS is the secure version of the HTTP protocol, which implements HTTP using Transport Layer Security (TLS) to secure the underlying TCP connection. Other than the additional configuration required to set up TLS, HTTPS is basically identical to HTTP in use.

General HTTP Requirements

In order to function properly, the NetX Web HTTP package requires that NetX Duo (version 5.10 or later) is installed. In addition, an IP instance must be created, and TCP must be enabled on that same IP instance. For HTTPS support, NetX Secure TLS (version 5.11 or later) must also be installed (see next section). The demo file in section "Small Example System" in **Chapter 2** demonstrates how this is done.

The HTTP Client portion of the NetX Web HTTP package has no further requirements.

The HTTP Server portion of the NetX Web HTTP package has several additional requirements. First, it requires complete access to TCP well-known port 80 for handling all Client HTTP requests (this can be changed by the application to any other valid TCP port). The HTTP Server is also designed for use with the FileX embedded file system. If FileX is not available, the user may port the portions of FileX used to their own environment. This is discussed in later sections of this guide.

HTTPS Requirements

For HTTPS to function properly, the NetX Web HTTP package requires that NetX Duo (version 5.10 or later) and NetX Secure TLS (version 5.11 or later) are both installed. In addition, an IP instance must be created, and TCP must be enabled on that same IP instance for use with TLS. The TLS session will need to be initialized with appropriate cryptographic routines, a trusted CA certificate, and space must be allocated for certificates that will be provided by remote server hosts during the TLS handshake. The demo file in section "Small Example HTTPS System" in **Chapter 2** will demonstrate how this is done.

The HTTPS Client portion of the NetX Web HTTP package has no further requirements.

The HTTPS Server portion of the NetX Web HTTP package has several additional requirements. First, it requires complete access to TCP well-known port 443 for handling all Client HTTPS requests (as with plaintext HTTP, this port can be changed by the application). Second, the TLS session will need to be initialized with proper cryptographic routines and a server identity certificate (or Pre-Shared Key). The HTTPS Server is also designed for use with the FileX embedded file system. If FileX is not available, the user may port the portions of FileX used to their own environment. The use of FileX is discussed in later sections of this guide.

Refer to the NetX Secure documentation for more information on configuration options for TLS.

Unless noted, all HTTP functionality described in this document also applies to HTTPS.

HTTP and HTTPS Constraints

NetX Web HTTP implements the HTTP 1.1 standard. However, here are following constraints:

- 1. Request pipelining is not supported
- The HTTP Server supports both basic and MD5 digest authentication, but not MD5-sess. At present, the HTTP Client supports only basic authentication. When using TLS for HTTPS, HTTP authentication may still be used.
- 3. No content compression is supported.
- 4. TRACE, OPTIONS, and CONNECT requests are not supported.
- 5. The packet pool associated with the HTTP Server or Client must be large enough to hold the complete HTTP header.

6. HTTP Client services are for content transfer only—there are no display utilities provided in this package.

HTTP URL (Resource Names)

The HTTP protocol is designed to transfer content on Web. The requested content is specified by the Universal Resource Locator (URL). This is the primary component of every HTTP request. URLs always start with a "/" character and typically correspond to files on the HTTP Server. Common HTTP file extensions are shown below:

Extension	Meaning
.htm (or .html) .txt .gif .xbm	Hypertext Markup Language (HTML) Plain ASCII text Binary GIF image Binary Xbitmap image
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HTTP Client Requests

The HTTP has a simple mechanism for requesting Web content. There is a set of standard HTTP commands that are issued by the Client after a connection has been successfully established on the TCP well-known port 80 (port 443 for HTTPS). The following shows some of the basic HTTP commands:

HTTP Command	Meaning
GET resource HTTP/1.1	Get the specified resource
POST resource HTTP/1.1	Get the specified resource and pass attached input to the HTTP Server
HEAD resource HTTP/1.1	Treated like a GET but not content is returned by the HTTP Server
PUT resource HTTP/1.1	Place resource on HTTP Server
DELETE resource HTTP/1	.1 Delete resource on the Server

These ASCII commands are generated internally by Web browsers and the NetX Web HTTP Client services to perform HTTP operations with an HTTP Server. Note that the HTTP Client application should use port 80, or port 443 if HTTPS is used. Both the Client and Server HTTP APIs take the port as a parameter – the macros NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_PORT (port 80) and NX_WEB_HTTPS_SERVER_PORT (port 443) are defined for convenience. The HTTP Server port can also be changed at runtime using the *nx_web_http_client_set_connect_port()* service. See Chapter 4 for more details on this service.

HTTP Server Responses

The HTTP Server utilizes the same well-known TCP port 80 (443 for HTTPS) to send Client command responses. Once the HTTP Server processes the Client command, it returns an ASCII response string that includes a 3-digit numeric status code. The numeric response is used by the HTTP Client software to determine whether the operation succeeded or failed. Following is a list of various HTTP Server responses to Client commands:

Meaning
Request was successful
Request was not formed properly
Unauthorized request, client needs to send authentication
Specified resource in request was not found
Internal HTTP Server error
Request not implemented by HTTP Server
Service is not available

For example, a successful Client request to PUT the file "test.htm" is responded with the message "HTTP/1.1 200 OK."

HTTP Communication

As mentioned previously, the HTTP Server utilizes the *well-known TCP* port 80 (443 for HTTPS) to field Client requests. HTTP Clients may use any available TCP port for outgoing connections. The general sequence of HTTP events is as follows:

HTTP GET Request:

- 1. Client issues TCP connect to Server port 80 (or 443 for HTTPS).
- 2. If HTTPS is being used, the TCP connection is followed by a TLS handshake to authenticate the server and establish a secure channel.
- 3. Client sends "**GET** *resource* **HTTP/1.1**" request (along with other header information).
- 4. Server builds an "HTTP/1.1 200 OK" message with additional information followed immediately by the resource content (if any).
- 5. Server disconnects from the client (TLS is shut down if HTTPS is being used).
- 6. Client disconnects from the socket (TLS is shut down following the disconnection alert from the server).

HTTP PUT Request:

- 1. Client issues TCP connect to Server port 80 (or 443).
- 2. If HTTPS is being used, the TCP connection is followed by a TLS handshake to authenticate the server and establish a secure channel.
- 3. Client sends "PUT resource HTTP/1.1" request, along with other header information, and followed by the resource content.
- Server builds an "HTTP/1.1 200 OK" message with additional information followed immediately by the resource content.
- 5. Server performs a disconnection.
- 6. Client performs a disconnection.

Note: as mentioned previously, the HTTP Server can change the default connect port (80 or 443) at runtime another port using the $nx_web_http_client_set_connect_port()$ for web servers that use alternate ports to connect to clients.

HTTP Authentication

HTTP authentication is optional and is not required for all Web requests. There are two flavors of authentication, namely *basic* and *digest*. Basic authentication is equivalent to the *name* and *password* authentication found in many protocols. In HTTP basic authentication, the name and

passwords are concatenated and encoded in the base64 format. The main disadvantage of basic authentication is the name and password are transmitted openly in the request. This makes it somewhat easy for the name and password to be stolen. Digest authentication addresses this problem by never transmitting the name and password in the request. Instead, an algorithm is used to derive a 128-bit digest from the name, password, and other information. The NetX Web HTTP Server supports the standard MD5 digest algorithm.

When is authentication required? The HTTP Server decides if a requested resource requires authentication. If authentication is required and the Client request did not include the proper authentication, a "HTTP/1.1 401 Unauthorized" response with the type of authentication required is sent to the Client. The Client is then expected to form a new request with the proper authentication.

When HTTPS is used, the HTTPS Server can still utilize HTTP authentication. In this case, TLS is used to encrypt all HTTP traffic so using *basic* HTTP authentication does not pose a security risk. *Digest* authentication is also permitted but provides no significant security improvement over basic authentication over TLS.

HTTP Authentication Callback

As mentioned before, HTTP authentication is optional and isn't required on all Web transfers. In addition, authentication is typically resource dependent. Access of some resources on the Server require authentication, while others do not. The NetX Web HTTP Server package allows the application to specify (via the *nx_web_http_server_create* call) an authentication callback routine that is called at the beginning of handling each HTTP Client request.

The callback routine provides the NetX Web HTTP Server with the username, password, and realm strings associated with the resource and return the type of authentication necessary. If no authentication is necessary for the resource, the authentication callback should return the value of NX_WEB_HTTP_DONT_AUTHENTICATE. Otherwise, if basic authentication is required for the specified resource, the routine should return NX_WEB_HTTP_BASIC_AUTHENTICATE. And finally, if MD5 digest authentication is required, the callback routine should return NX_WEB_HTTP_DIGEST_AUTHENTICATE. If no authentication is required for any resource provided by the HTTP Server, the callback is not needed, and a NULL pointer can be provided to the HTTP Server create call.

The format of the application authenticate callback routine is very simple and is defined below:

The input parameters are defined as follows:

Parameter	Meaning
request_type	Specifies the HTTP Client request, valid requests are defined as:
	NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_GET_REQUEST NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_POST_REQUEST NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_HEAD_REQUEST NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_PUT_REQUEST NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_DELETE_REQUEST
resource	Specific resource requested.
name	Destination for the pointer to the required username.
password	Destination for the pointer to the required password.
realm	Destination for the pointer to the realm for this authentication.

The return value of the authentication routine specifies if authentication is required. name, password, and realm pointers are not used if NX_WEB_HTTP_DONT_AUTHENTICATE is returned by the authentication callback routine. Otherwise the HTTP server developer must ensure that NX_WEB_HTTP_MAX_USERNAME and NX_WEB_HTTP_MAX_PASSWORD defined in nx_web_http_server.h are large enough for the username and password specified in the authentication callback. These both have a default size of 20 characters.

HTTP Invalid Username/Password Callback

The optional invalid username/password callback in the NetX Web HTTP Server is invoked if the HTTP server receives an invalid username and password combination in a Client request. If the HTTP server application registers a callback with HTTP server it will be invoked if either basic or

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digest authentication fails in nx_web_http_server_get_process(), in nx_web_http_server_put_process(), or in nx_web_http_server_delete_process().
```

To register a callback with the HTTP server, the following service is defined for the NetX Web HTTP Server.

The request types are defined as follows:

```
NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_GET_REQUEST
NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_POST_REQUEST
NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_HEAD_REQUEST
NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_PUT_REQUEST
NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_DELETE_REQUEST
```

HTTP Insert GMT Date Header Callback

There is an optional callback in the NetX Web HTTP Server to insert a date header in its response messages. This callback is invoked when the HTTP Server is responding to a put or get request

To register a GMT date callback with the HTTP Server, the following service is defined.

The NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_DATE data type is defined as follows:

HTTP Cache Info Get Callback

The HTTP Server has a callback to request the maximum age and date from the HTTP application for a specific resource. This information is used to determine if the HTTP server sends an entire page in response to a Client Get request. If the "if modified since" in the Client request is not found or does not match the "last modified" date returned by the get cache callback, the entire page is sent.

To register the callback with the HTTP server the following service is defined:

HTTP Chunked Transfer Coding Support

When the total length of HTTP message cannot be determined before sending it, the Chunked Transfer Coding feature can be used to send messages as series of chunks without the "Content-Length" header field. This feature is supported in all HTTP request and response messages. As a receiver, this feature is supported, and the chunk header is processed transparently by internal logic. As a sender, the API

nx_web_http_client_request_chunked_set and
nx_web_http_server_response_chunked_set must be invoked by
client and server respectively.

For more details on these services, see their descriptions in Chapter 3 "Description of HTTP Services".

HTTP Multipart Support

Multipurpose Internet Mail Extensions (MIME) was originally intended for the SMTP protocol, but its use has spread to HTTP. MIME allows messages to contain mixed message types (e.g. image/jpg and text/plain) within the same message. The NetX Web HTTP Server has services to determine content type in HTTP messages containing MIME from the Client. To enable HTTP multipart support and use these services, the configuration option NX_WEB_HTTP_MULTIPART_ENABLE must be defined.

```
UINT nx_web_http_server_get_entity_header(NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER *server_ptr, NX_PACKET **packet_pptr, UCHAR *entity_header_buffer, ULONG buffer_size);

UINT nx_web_http_server_get_entity_content(NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER *server_ptr, NX_PACKET **packet_pptr, ULONG *available_offset, ULONG *available_length)
```

For more details on the use of these services, see their description in Chapter 3 "Description of HTTP Services".

HTTP Multi-Thread Support

The NetX Web HTTP Client services can be called from multiple threads simultaneously. However, read or write requests for a particular HTTP Client instance should be done in sequence from the same thread.

If using HTTPS, NetX Web HTTP Client services may be called from multiple threads but due to the added complexity of the underlying TLS functionality each thread should have a single, independent HTTP Client instance (NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT control structure).

HTTP RFCs

NetX Web HTTP is compliant with RFC1945 "Hypertext Transfer Protocol/1.0", RFC 2616 "Hypertext Transfer Protocol – HTTP/1.1", RFC 2581 "TCP Congestion Control", RFC 1122 "Requirements for Internet Hosts", and related RFCs.

For HTTPS, NetX Web HTTP is compliant with RFC 2818 "HTTP over TLS".

Chapter 2

Installation and Use of HTTP and HTTPS

This chapter contains a description of various issues related to installation, setup, and usage of the NetX Web HTTP component.

Product Distribution

HTTP for NetX is shipped on a single CD-ROM compatible disk. The package includes three source files, two include files, and a file that contains this document, as follows:

nx_web_http_common.hCommon header file for NetX Web HTTPnx_web_http_client.hHeader file for HTTP Client for NetX Webnx_web_http_server.hHeader file for HTTP Server for NetX Webnx_web_http_client.cC Source file for HTTP Client for NetX Webnx_web_http_server.cC Source file for HTTP Server for NetX Web

nx_tcpserver.c C Source file for multiple TCP sockets

nx_md5.c MD5 digest algorithms

filex_stub.hStub file if FileX is not presentnx_web_http.pdfDescription of HTTP for NetX Webdemo_netx_web_http.cNetX Web HTTP demonstration

HTTP Installation

In order to use NetX Web HTTP, the entire distribution mentioned previously should be copied to the same directory where NetX Duo is installed. For example, if NetX Duo is installed in the directory "\threadx\arm7\green" then the nx_web_http_client.h and nx_web_http_client.c for NetX Web HTTP Client applications, and nx_web_http_server.h, nx_web_http_server.c, and nx_tcpserver.c for NetX Web HTTP Server applications. For both client and server applications, nx_web_http_common.h must be in this directory as well. nx_md5.c should also be copied into this directory if digest authentication is being used. For the demo 'ram driver' application HTTP Client and Server files should be copied into the same directory.

If using TLS, you should have a separate NetX Secure directory containing the TLS source files.

Using HTTP

Using NetX Web HTTP is easy. Basically, the application code must include $nx_web_http_client.h$ and/or $nx_web_http_server.h$ after it includes $tx_api.h$, $fx_api.h$, and $nx_api.h$ ($nx_web_http_common.h$ is automatically included). Those headers enable the application to use ThreadX, FileX, and NetX Duo, respectively. For HTTPS support, the headers must be included after the $nx_secure_tls.h$ file is included to bring in TLS support.

Once the HTTP header files are included, the application code is then able to make the HTTP function calls specified later in this guide. The application must also link with $nx_web_http_client.c$ for HTTP(S) clients, $nx_web_http_server.c$ and $nx_tcpserver.c$ for HTTP(S) servers, and $netx_md5.c$ (for digest authentication) in the build process. These files must be compiled in the same manner as other application files and its object form must be linked along with the files of the application. This is all that is required to use NetX Web HTTP.

Note that if NX_WEB_HTTP_DIGEST_ENABLE is not specified in the build process, the *md5.c* file does not need to be added to the application. Similarly, if no HTTP Client capabilities are required, the *nx_web_http_client.c* file may be omitted and if no HTTP Server capabilities are required, *nx_web_http_server.c* may be omitted.

Note that unless NX_WEB_HTTPS_ENABLE is defined in order to enable HTTPS (instead of using only plaintext HTTP) then NetX Secure TLS does not need to be in the build.

Note also that since HTTP utilizes NetX TCP services, TCP must be enabled with the *nx_tcp_enable()* call prior to using HTTP.

Note that when using HTTPS with NetX Secure TLS, TLS must be initialized with *nx_secure_tls_initialize()* prior to calling HTTPS routines.

Small Example System

An example of how easy it is to use NetX Web HTTP is described in Figure 1.1 below. In this example, the HTTP include file nx_web_http_client.h and nx_web_http_server.h are brought in at line 11 (netx_web_http_common.h is included automatically). Next, the HTTP Server is created in "tx_application_define" at line 208. Note that the HTTP Server control block "Server" was defined as a global variable at line 28 previously. After successful creation, an HTTP Server is started at line 232. At line 245 the HTTP Client is created. And finally, the Client writes the file at line 252 and reads the file back at line 291.

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This is a small demo of HTTP on the high-performance NetX Duo TCP/IP stack. This demo relies on ThreadX, NetX DUo, and FileX to show a simple HTML transfer from the client and then back from the server. */
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 3
          #include
                          "tx_api.h"
                          "fx_api.h"
 6
          #include
                          "nx_api.h"
          #include
 8
                          "nx_crypto.h"
          #include
                          "nx_secure_tls_api.h"
          #include
10
                          "nx_secure_x509.h
          #include
                          "nx_web_http_client.h"
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          #include
                          "nx_web_http_server.h"
          #include
                                                                  4096
          #define
                            DEMO_STACK_SIZE
          /* Define the ThreadX and NetX object control blocks... */
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                                                thread_0;
          TX_THREAD
                                                thread_1;
          NX_PACKET_POOL
          NX_PACKET_POOL
                                                pool_1;
          NX_IP
                                                ip_0;
          NX_IP
                                                ip_1;
          FX_MEDIA
                                                ram_disk;
          /* Define HTTP objects.
                                                 */
          NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER
                                               my_server;
          NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT
                                               my_client;
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          /* Define the counters used in the demo application...
33
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          ULONG
                                                error counter:
          /* Define the RAM disk memory. */
          UCHAR
                                                ram_disk_memory[32000];
          /* Include cryptographic routines for TLS. */
extern const NX_SECURE_TLS_CRYPTO nx_crypto_tls_ciphers;
          /* Define TLS data for HTTPS. */
CHAR crypto_metadata[8928 * NX_WEB_HTTP_SESSION_MAX];
UCHAR tls_packet_buffer[16500];
          /* Define certificate containers. The server certificate is used to identify the NetX
              Web HTTPS server and the trusted certificate is used by the client to verify the server's identity certificate */
          server's identity certificate. */
NX_SECURE_X509_CERT server_certificate;
NX_SECURE_X509_CERT trusted_certificate;
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              Remote certificates need both an NX_SECURE_X509_CERT container and an associated
          buffer. The number of certificates depends on the remote host, but usually at least two certificates will be sent - the identity certificate for the host and the certificate that issued the identity certificate. */
NX_SECURE_X509_CERT remote_certificate, remote_issuer;
          UCHAR remote_cert_buffer[2000]
          UCHAR remote_issuer_buffer[2000];
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        /* Certificate information for server and client (see NetX Secure TLS reference on X.509
             certificates for more information). Arrays are populated with binary versions Of certificates and keys and the corresponding "len" variables are assigned the lengths of that data. Trusted certificates do not need a private key. */
 65
 66
 67
          const UCHAR server_cert_der[] = { ... };
         const UINT server_cert_derlen = ...;
const UCHAR server_cert_key_der[] = { ... };
 68
 69
70
          const UINT server_cert_key_derlen = ... ;
 71
72
73
          const UCHAR trusted_cert_der[] = { ... };
          const UINT trusted_cert_derlen = ... ;
 74
75
76
77
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79
          /* Define function prototypes. */
                   thread_0_entry(ULONG thread_input);
_fx_ram_driver(FX_MEDIA *media_ptr)
          void
          VOTD
         80
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 83
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 85
         86
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93
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              /* Just use a simple name, password, and realm for all requests and resources. ^{*}/
                  requests and resources.
               *name =
                               'name":
                             "password";
"NetX Web HTTP demo";
 95
               *password =
               *realm =
 96
97
 98
               /* Request basic authentication.
 99
              return(NX_WEB_HTTP_BASIC_AUTHENTICATE);
100
101
         /* Define the TLS setup callback for HTTPS Client. This function is invoked when the
HTTPS client is started - all TLS per-session initialization should go in here. *,
UINT tls_setup_callback(NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT *client_ptr,
102
103
104
105
                                        NX_SECURE_TLS_SESSION *tls_session)
106
107
          ŪINT status;
108
109
              /* Initialize and create TLS session. */
             nx_secure_tls_session_create(tls_session, &nx_crypto_tls_ciphers,
110
111
112
                                                            crypto_metadata, sizeof(crypto_metadata));
113
114
              /* Allocate space for packet reassembly. */
             nx_secure_tls_session_packet_buffer_set(tls_session, tls_packet_buffer,
115
116
117
118
                                                                 sizeof(tls_packet_buffer));
119
120
121
122
123
124
             /* Add a CA Certificate to our trusted store for verifying incoming server
    certificates. */
             nx_secure_x509_certificate_initialize(&trusted_certificate, trusted_cert_der, trusted_cert_der_len, NX_NULL, 0, NULL, 0, NX_SECURE_X509_KEY_TYPE_NONE);
             nx_secure_tls_trusted_certificate_add(tls_session, &trusted_certificate);
125
126
127
             /* Need to allocate space for the certificate coming in from the remote host. */
nx_secure_tls_remote_certificate_allocate(tls_session, &remote_certificate,
128
                                                                 remote_cert_buffer,
                                                                 sizeof(remote_cert_buffer));
129
             130
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134
             return(NX_SUCCESS);
135
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```

```
/* Define main entry point. */
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140
141
        int main()
142
143
144
              /* Enter the ThreadX kernel. */
145
             tx_kernel_enter();
146
147
148
149
       /* Define what the initial system looks like. */
void tx_application_define(void *first_unused_memory)
150
151
152
153
154
155
        CHAR
                 *pointer:
156
157
             /* Setup the working pointer. */
pointer = (CHAR *) first_unused_memory;
158
159
             160
161
162
163
164
165
             /* Initialize the NetX system. */
166
             nx_system_initialize();
167
168
169
             /* Create packet pool.
             nx_packet_pool_create(&pool_0, "NetX Packet Pool 0"
170
                                                                   600, pointer, 8192);
171
172
             pointer = pointer + 8192;
173
             174
175
176
177
178
             pointer = pointer + 4096;
179
             /* Create another packet pool. */
nx_packet_pool_create(&pool_1, "NetX Packet Pool 1", 600, pointer, 8192);
pointer = pointer + 8192;
180
181
182
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             184
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189
             /* Enable ARP and supply ARP cache memory for IP Instance 0. */
nx_arp_enable(&ip_0, (void *) pointer, 1024);
pointer = pointer + 1024;
190
191
192
193
             /* Enable ARP and supply ARP cache memory for IP Instance 1. */
nx_arp_enable(&ip_1, (void *) pointer, 1024);
pointer = pointer + 1024;
194
195
196
197
             /* Enable TCP processing for both IP instances. */
nx_tcp_enable(&ip_0);
nx_tcp_enable(&ip_1);
198
199
200
201
202
             /* Open the RAM disk. */
fx_media_open(&ram_disk, "RAM DISK",
203
             __fx_ram_driver, ram_disk_memory, pointer, 4096) ; pointer += 4096;
204
205
206
             207
208
209
210
                                          pointer, 4096, &pool_1, authentication_check, NX_NULL);
             pointer = pointer + 4096;
212
```

```
215
216
       /* The TLS server needs an identity certificate which is imported as a binary DER-encoded X.509 certificate and it's associated private key (e.g. DER-encoded PKCS#1
217
218
                RSA private key). *,
             nx_secure_x509_certificate_initialize(&server_certificate, server_cert_der,
                                         server_cert_der_len, NX_NULL, 0,
server_cert_key_der, server_cert_key_der_len,
NX_SECURE_X509_KEY_TYPE_RSA_PKCS1_DER);
219
220
221
222
223
             /* Setup TLS session data for the TCP server. This enables TLS and HTTPS for the
224
225
             nx_web_http_server_secure_configure(&my_server, &nx_crypto_tls_ciphers, crypto_metadata, sizeof(crypto_metadata), tls_packet_buffer, sizeof(tls_packet_buffer), &server_certificate, NX_NULL, 0, NX_NULL, 0, NX_NULL, 0);
226
227
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231
             /* Start the HTTP Server.
232
             nx_web_http_server_start(&my_server);
233
        }
234
235
236
237
         /* Define the test thread. */
void thread_0_entry(ULONG thread_input)
        void
238
239
240
                      *my_packet;
        NX_PACKET
241
242
243
244
245
246
        UTNT
                      status:
             /* Create an HTTP client instance.
             status = nx_web_http_client_create(&my_client, "My Client", &ip_0, &pool_0, 600);
247
              /* Check status. */
248
                (status)
249
                  error_counter++;
250
             251
252
253
254
255
256
257
258
             /* Check status. if (status)
                  error_counter++;
259
260
             /* Allocate a packet.
261
             status = nx_web_http_client_request_packet_allocate(&pool_0, &my_packet,
262
                                                                         NX_TCP_PACKET, NX_WAIT_FOREVER);
263
264
              /* Check status. */
265
             if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
266
                  return:
267
            268
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279
             280
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283
             /* Complete the PUT by writing the total length. st/
284
             status = nx_web_http_client_put_packet(&my_client, my_packet, 50);
285
286
              /* Check status.
             if (status)
287
288
                  error_counter++;
289
290
             /* Now GET the file back! */
             291
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293
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```

Figure 1.1 Example of HTTPS use with NetX and NetX Secure TLS

Configuration Options

There are several configuration options for building HTTP for NetX. Following is a list of all options, where each is described in detail. The default values are listed but can be redefined prior to inclusion of *nx_web_http_client.h* and *nx_web_http_server.h*:

Define Meaning

NX_DISABLE_ERROR_CHECKING Defined, this option removes the

basic HTTP error checking. It is

typically used after the

application has been debugged.

NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_PRIORITY The priority of the HTTP Server

thread. By default, this value is defined as 16 to specify priority

16.

NX_WEB_HTTP_NO_FILEXDefined, this option provides a

stub for FileX dependencies.
The HTTP Client will function without any change if this option is defined. The HTTP Server will need to either be modified or the user will have to create a handful

of FileX services in order to

function properly.

NX_WEB_HTTP_TYPE_OF_SERVICE Type of service required for the

HTTP TCP requests. By default,

this value is defined as NX_IP_NORMAL to indicate normal IP packet service.

NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_THREAD_TIME_SLICE

The number of timer ticks the Server thread is allowed to run before yielding to threads of the same priority. The default value

is 2.

NX_WEB_HTTP_FRAGMENT_OPTION

Fragment enable for HTTP TCP requests. By default, this value is NX_DONT_FRAGMENT to disable HTTP TCP fragmenting.

NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_WINDOW_SIZE

Server socket window size. By default, this value is 2048 bytes.

NX_WEB_HTTP_TIME_TO_LIVE

Specifies the number of routers this packet can pass before it is discarded. The default value is set to 0x80.

NX WEB HTTP SERVER TIMEOUT

Specifies the number of ThreadX ticks that internal services will suspend for. The default value is set to 10 seconds (10 * NX_IP_PERIODIC_RATE).

NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_TIMEOUT_ACCEPT

Specifies the number of ThreadX ticks that internal services will suspend for in internal nx_tcp_server_socket_accept() calls. The default value is set to (10 * NX_IP_PERIODIC_RATE).

NX WEB HTTP SERVER TIMEOUT DISCONNECT

Specifies the number of ThreadX ticks that internal services will suspend for in internal nx_tcp_socket_disconnect() calls. The default value is set to 10 seconds (10 *

NX IP PERIODIC RATE).

NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_TIMEOUT_RECEIVE

Specifies the number of ThreadX ticks that internal services will

suspend for in internal

nx_tcp_socket_receive() calls.
The default value is set to 10

seconds (10 *

NX_IP_PERIODIC_RATE).

NX WEB HTTP SERVER TIMEOUT SEND

Specifies the number of ThreadX ticks that internal services will

suspend for in internal

nx_tcp_socket_send() calls. The

default value is set to 10

seconds (10 *

NX_IP_PERIODIC_RATE).

NX_WEB_HTTP_MAX_HEADER_FIELD

Specifies the maximum size of the HTTP header field. The default value is 256.

NX_WEB_HTTP_MULTIPART_ENABLE

If defined, enables HTTP Server to support multipart HTTP requests.

NX WEB HTTP SERVER MAX PENDING

Specifies the number of

connections that can be queued for the HTTP Server. The default

value is set to twice the maximum number of server

sessions.

NX_WEB_HTTP_MAX_RESOURCE Specifies the number of bytes

allowed in a client supplied resource name. The default

value is set to 40.

NX WEB HTTP MAX NAME Specifies the number of bytes

allowed in a client supplied *username*. The default value is

set to 20.

NX_WEB_HTTP_MAX_PASSWORD

Specifies the number of bytes allowed in a client supplied password. The default value is set to 20.

NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_SESSION_MAX

Specifies the number of simultaneous sessions for an HTTP or HTTPS server. A TCP socket and a TLS session (if HTTPS is enabled) are allocated for each session. The default value is set to 2.

NX WEB HTTPS ENABLE

If defined, this macro enables TLS and HTTPS. Leave undefined to free up resources if only plaintext HTTP is desired. By default, this macro is not defined.

NX WEB HTTP SERVER MIN PACKET SIZE

Specifies the minimum size of the packets in the pool specified at server creation. The minimum size is needed to ensure the complete HTTP header can be contained in one packet. The default value is set to 600.

NX WEB HTTP CLIENT MIN PACKET SIZE

Specifies the minimum size of the packets in the pool specified at Client creation. The minimum size is needed to ensure the complete HTTP header can be contained in one packet. The default value is set to 600.

NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_RETRY_SECONDS

Set the Server socket retransmission timeout in seconds. The default value is set to 2.

NX_WEB_HTTP_ SERVER_RETRY_MAX

This sets the maximum number of retransmissions on Server socket. The default value is set to 10.

NX_WEB_HTTP_ SERVER_RETRY_SHIFT

This value is used to set the next retransmission timeout. The current timeout is multiplied by the number of retransmissions thus far, shifted by the value of the socket timeout shift. The default value is set to 1 for doubling the timeout.

NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_RETRY_TRANSMIT_QUEUE_DEPTH

This specifies the maximum number of packets that can be enqueued on the Server socket retransmission queue. If the number of packets enqueued reaches this number, no more packets can be sent until one or more enqueued packets are released. The default value is set to 20.

Chapter 3

Description of HTTP Services

This chapter contains a description of all NetX Web HTTP services (listed below) in alphabetical order.

In the "Return Values" section in the following API descriptions, values in **BOLD** are not affected by the **NX_DISABLE_ERROR_CHECKING** define that is used to disable API error checking, while non-bold values are completely disabled.

HTTP Client services:

nx_web_http_client_connect

Connect to a plaintext HTTP server

nx_web_http_client_create

Create an HTTP Client Instance

nx_web_http_client_delete

Delete an HTTP Client instance

nx_web_http_client_delete_start

Send a plaintext HTTP DELETE request.

nx_web_http_client_delete_secure_start

Send an encrypted HTTPS DELETE request.

nx_web_http_client_get_start
Start an HTTP GET request

nx_web_http_client_get_secure_start
Start a secure HTTPS GET request

nx_web_http_client_head_start
Start an HTTP HEAD request

nx_web_http_client_head_secure_start
Start a secure HTTPS HEAD request

nx_web_http_client_request_packet_allocate
Allocate a HTTP(S) packet

- nx_web_http_client_post_start
 Start an HTTP POST request
- nx_web_http_client_post_secure_start
 Start a secure HTTPS POST request
- nx_web_http_client_put_start
 Start an HTTP PUT request
- nx_web_http_client_put_secure_start
 Start a secure HTTPS PUT request
- nx_web_http_client_put_packet

 Send next resource data packet
- nx_web_http_client_request_chunked_set Set chunked transfer for HTTP(S) request
- nx_web_http_client_request_header_add

 Add custom HTTP(S) header to HTTP(S) request
- nx_web_http_client_request_initialize Create a custom HTTP(S) request
- nx_web_http_client_request_packet_send Send HTTP(S) request packet to remote server
- nx_web_http_client_request_send Send HTTP(S) request header to remote server
- nx_web_http_client_response_body_get

 Get response data packets
- nx_web_http_client_response_header_callback_set Set a callback to be invoked when a response header is parsed
- nx_web_http_client_secure_connect

 Connect to an encrypted HTTPS server

HTTP Server services:

- nx_web_http_server_cache_info_callback_set Set callback to retrieve age and last modified date of specified URL
- nx_web_http_server_callback_data_send
 Send HTTP data from callback function
- nx_web_http_server_callback_generate_response_header

 Create response header in callback functions
- nx_web_http_server_callback_packet_send
 Send an HTTP packet from an HTTP callback
- nx_web_http_server_callback_response_send Send response from callback function
- nx_web_http_server_content_get

 Get content from the request
- nx_web_http_server_content_get_extended Get content from the request; supports empty (zero Content Length) requests
- nx_web_http_server_content_length_get

 Get length of content in the request
- nx_web_http_server_create

 Create an HTTP Server instance
- nx_web_http_server_delete

 Delete an HTTP Server instance
- nx_web_http_server_get_entity_content

 Return size and location of entity content in URL
- nx_web_http_server_get_entity_header

 Extract URL entity header into specified buffer
- nx_web_http_server_gmt_callback_set

 Set callback to retrieve GMT date and time
- nx_web_http_server_invalid_userpassword_notify_set
 Set callback for when invalid username and
 password is received in a Client request

- nx_web_http_server_mime_maps_additional_set

 Define additional mime maps for HTML
- nx_web_http_server_response_packet_allocate
 Allocate a HTTP(S) packet
- nx_web_http_server_packet_content_find Extract content length in HTTP header and set pointer to start of content data
- nx_web_http_server_packet_get

 Receive client packet directly
- nx_web_http_server_param_get

 Get parameter from the request
- nx_web_http_server_query_get

 Get query from the request
- nx_web_http_client_response_chunked_set Set chunked transfer for HTTP(S)
- nx_web_http_server_secure_configure

 Configure an HTTP Server to use HTTPS with TLS
- nx_web_http_server_start

 Start the HTTP or HTTPS Server
- nx_web_http_server_stop
 Stop the HTTP Server

HTTP and HTTPS Client API

nx_web_http_client_connect

Open a plaintext socket to an HTTP server for custom requests

Prototype

Description

This method is for **plaintext** HTTP.

This service opens a plaintext TCP socket to an HTTP server but does not send any requests. Requests are created with nx_web_http_client_request_initialize() and sent using nx_web_http_client_request_send(). Custom HTTP headers may be added to the request using nx_web_http_client_request_header_add().

Use of this service enables an application to add any number of custom headers to the request. This allows for customized HTTP requests intended for specific applications.

Note that the $nx_web_http_client_*_start$ methods are provided for convenience (e.g. $nx_web_http_client_get_start$) and handle the request generation and socket connection. You can use those services instead of $nx_web_http_client_connect$ and the related routines if you do not need custom HTTP headers in your requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr server_ip server_port wait_option Pointer to HTTP Client control block. IP address of remote HTTP server.

Port on remote HTTP server (e.g. 80 for HTTP). Defines how long the service will wait for underlying network operations. The wait options are defined as

follows:

timeout value (0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successful connection of

TCP socket.

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_READY (0x3000A) Another request is already in progress.

Allowed From

Threads

Example

nx_web_http_client_create

Create an HTTP Client Instance

Prototype

Description

This service creates an HTTP Client instance on the specified IP instance. The Client instance can be used for either HTTP or HTTPS. See the services $nx_web_http_client_connect()$ and $nx_web_http_client_secure_connect()$ for more information on starting an HTTP or HTTPS instance. Also refer to the API for $nx_web_http_client_get_*, nx_web_http_client_put_*, <math>nx_web_http_client_post_*$ for simple invocations of GET, PUT, and POST methods.

Input Parameters

client_ptr
 client_name
 ip_ptr
 pool_ptr
 pointer to HTTP Client control block.
 Name of HTTP Client instance.
 Pointer to IP instance.
 Pointer to default packet pool. Note that the packets in this pool must have a payload large enough to handle the complete response header. This is

defined by

NX WEB HTTP CLIENT MIN PACKET SIZE in

nx web http client.h.

window_size Size of the Client's TCP socket receive window.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successful HTTP Client create
NX_PTR_ERROR (0x16) Invalid HTTP, ip_ptr, or packet
pool pointer

NX_WEB_HTTP_POOL_ERROR

(0x30009) Invalid payload size in packet

pool

Allowed From

Initialization, Threads

nx_web_http_client_delete

Delete an HTTP Client Instance

Prototype

```
UINT nx_web_http_client_delete(NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT *client_ptr);
```

Description

This service deletes a previously created HTTP Client instance.

Input Parameters

client_ptr Pointer to HTTP Client control block.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful HTTP Client delete
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid HTTP pointer
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this service

Allowed From

Threads

```
/* Delete the HTTP Client instance "my_client." */
status = nx_web_http_client_delete(&my_client);
/* If status is NX_SUCCESS an HTTP Client instance was successfully deleted. */
```

nx web http client delete start

Start a plaintext HTTP DELETE request

Prototype

UINT **nx_web_http_client_delete_start**(NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT *client_ptr, NXD_ADDRESS ip_address, UINT server_port, CHAR *resource, CHAR *host, CHAR *username, CHAR *password, ULONG wait_option);

Description

This method is for **plaintext** HTTP.

This service attempts to send a DELETE request for the resource specified by "resource" pointer on the previously created HTTP Client instance. If this routine returns NX_SUCCESS, the application can then call *nx_web_http_client_response_body_get()* to retrieve the server's response.

Note that the resource string can refer to a local file e.g. "/index.htm" or it can refer to another URL e.g. http://abc.website.com/index.htm if the HTTP Server indicates it supports referring GET requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Client control block.
ip_address	IP address of the HTTP Server.
server_port	Port on remote HTTP Server.
host	Null-terminated string of the server's domain name.
	This string is transmitted in the HTTP Host header
	field. The host string cannot be NULL.
resource	Pointer to URL string for requested resource.
username	Pointer to optional user name for authentication.
password	Pointer to optional password for authentication.
wait_option	Defines how long the service will wait for the
	HTTP Client get start request. The wait options are

defined as follows:

time out value (0x0000001 through 0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successfully sent HTTP Client

DELETE request message

NX_WEB_HTTP_ERROR

(0x30000) Internal HTTP Client error

NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_READY

(0x3000A) HTTP Client not ready

NX_WEB_HTTP_FAILED

(0x30002) HTTP Client error

communicating with the HTTP

Server.

NX_WEB_HTTP_AUTHENTICATION_ERROR

(0x3000B) Invalid name and/or

password.

NX PTR ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX_CALLER_ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service.

Allowed From

Threads

^{/*} If status is NX_SUCCESS, the DELETE request for TEST.HTM is started and is so far successful. The client must now call nx_web_http_client_response_body_get to retrieve the response from the server. */

nx_web_http_client_delete_secure_start

Start an encrypted HTTPS DELETE request

Prototype

Description

This method is for **TLS-secured** HTTPS.

This service attempts to send a DELETE request for the resource specified by "resource" pointer on the previously created HTTP Client instance. If this routine returns NX_SUCCESS, the application can then call *nx_web_http_client_response_body_get()* to retrieve the server's response.

Note that the resource string can refer to a local file e.g. "/index.htm" or it can refer to another URL e.g. http://abc.website.com/index.htm if the HTTP Server indicates it supports referring GET requests.

Pointer to HTTP Client control block.

Input Parameters

client_ptr

ip_address	IP address of the HTTP Server.
server_port	Port on remote HTTP Server.
resource	Pointer to URL string for requested resource.
	resource must be NULL-terminated.
host	Null-terminated string of the server's domain name.
	This string is transmitted in the HTTP Host header
	field. The host string cannot be NULL.
username	Pointer to optional user name for authentication.
password	Pointer to optional password for authentication.
tls_setup	Callback used to setup TLS configuration. The
-	application defines this callback to initialize TLS
	cryptography and credentials (e.g. certificates).
wait_option	Defines how long the service will wait for the
-	HTTP Client get start request. The wait options are

defined as follows:

time out value (0x0000001 through 0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successfully sent HTTP Client
		DELETE :

DELETE request message

NX_WEB_HTTP_ERROR (0x30000) Internal HTTP Client error

NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_READY

(0x3000A) HTTP Client not ready

NX_WEB_HTTP_FAILED (0x30002) HTTP Client error

communicating with the HTTP

Server.

NX_WEB_HTTP_AUTHENTICATION_ERROR

(0x3000B) Invalid name and/or

password.

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX CALLER ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service.

Allowed From

Threads

^{/*} If status is NX_SUCCESS, the DELETE request for TEST.HTM is started and is so far successful. The client must now call nx_web_http_client_response_body_get to retrieve the server's response. */

nx_web_http_client_get_start

Start a plaintext HTTP GET request

Prototype

UINT **nx_web_http_client_get_start**(NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT *client_ptr, NXD_ADDRESS ip_address, UINT server_port, CHAR *resource, CHAR *host, CHAR *username, CHAR *password, ULONG wait_option);

Description

This method is for **plaintext** HTTP.

This service attempts to GET the resource specified by "resource" pointer on the previously created HTTP Client instance. If this routine returns NX_SUCCESS, the application can then make multiple calls to $nx_web_http_client_response_body_get()$ to retrieve packets of data corresponding to the requested resource content.

Note that the resource string can refer to a local file e.g. "/index.htm" or it can refer to another URL e.g. http://abc.website.com/index.htm if the HTTP Server indicates it supports referring GET requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Client control block.
ip_address	IP address of the HTTP Server.
server_port	Port on remote HTTP Server.
resource	Pointer to URL string for requested resource.
host	Null-terminated string of the server's domain name.
	This string is transmitted in the HTTP Host header
	field. The host string cannot be NULL.
username	Pointer to optional user name for authentication.
password	Pointer to optional password for authentication.
wait_option	Defines how long the service will wait for the
•	HTTP Client get start request. The wait options are
	defined as follows:

time out value (0x0000001 through 0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successfully sent HTTP Client

GET start message

NX_WEB_HTTP_ERROR (0x30000) Internal HTTP Client error

NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_READY

(0x3000A) HTTP Client not ready

NX_WEB_HTTP_FAILED (0x30002) HTTP Client error

communicating with the HTTP

Server.

NX_WEB_HTTP_AUTHENTICATION_ERROR

(0x3000B) Invalid name and/or

password.

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX_CALLER_ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service.

Allowed From

Threads

Example

/* If status is NX_SUCCESS, the GET request for TEST.HTM is started and is so far successful. The client must now call nx_web_http_client_response_body_get multiple times to retrieve the content associated with TEST.HTM. */

nx_web_http_client_get_secure_start

Start an encrypted HTTPS GET request

Prototype

Description

This method is for **TLS-secured** HTTPS.

This service attempts to GET the resource specified by "resource" pointer on the previously created HTTP Client instance. If this routine returns NX_SUCCESS, the application can then make multiple calls to $nx_web_http_client_response_body_get()$ to retrieve packets of data corresponding to the requested resource content.

Note that the resource string can refer to a local file e.g. "/index.htm" or it can refer to another URL e.g. http://abc.website.com/index.htm if the HTTP Server indicates it supports referring GET requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Client control block.
ip_address	IP address of the HTTP Server.
server_port	Port on remote HTTP Server.
resource	Pointer to URL string for requested resource.
host	Null-terminated string of the server's domain name.
	This string is transmitted in the HTTP Host header
	field. The host string cannot be NULL.
username	Pointer to optional user name for authentication.
password	Pointer to optional password for authentication.
tls_setup	Callback used to setup TLS configuration. The
	application defines this callback to initialize TLS
	cryptography and credentials (e.g. certificates).
wait_option	Defines how long the service will wait for the
	HTTP Client get start request. The wait options are
	defined as follows:

time out value (0x00000001 through 0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successfully sent HTTP Client

GET start message

NX WEB HTTP ERROR (0x30000) Internal HTTP Client error

NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_READY

(0x3000A) HTTP Client not ready

NX_WEB_HTTP_FAILED (0x30002) HTTP Client error

communicating with the HTTP

Server.

NX WEB HTTP AUTHENTICATION ERROR

(0x3000B) Invalid name and/or

password.

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX CALLER ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service.

Allowed From

Threads

Example

/* If status is NX_SUCCESS, the GET request for TEST.HTM is started and is so far successful. The client must now call nx_web_http_client_response_body_get() multiple times to retrieve the content associated with TEST.HTM. */

nx web http client head start

Start a plaintext HTTP HEAD request

Prototype

Description

This method is for **plaintext** HTTP.

This service attempts to retrieve the HEAD metadata for the resource specified by "resource" pointer on the previously created HTTP Client instance. If this routine returns NX_SUCCESS, the application can then call nx_web_http_client_response_body_get() to retrieve the response.

Note that the resource string can refer to a local file e.g. "/index.htm" or it can refer to another URL e.g. http://abc.website.com/index.htm if the HTTP Server indicates it supports referring GET requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr ip_address	Pointer to HTTP Client control block. IP address of the HTTP Server.
server_port	Port on remote HTTP Server.
resource	Pointer to URL string for requested resource.
host	Null-terminated string of the server's domain name.
	This string is transmitted in the HTTP Host header
	field. The host string cannot be NULL.
username	Pointer to optional user name for authentication.
password	Pointer to optional password for authentication.
wait_option	Defines how long the service will wait for the
-	HTTP Client get start request. The wait options are
	defined as follows:

time out value (0x0000001 through 0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successfully sent HTTP Client

HEAD request message

NX_WEB_HTTP_ERROR

(0x30000) Internal HTTP Client error

NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_READY

(0x3000A) HTTP Client not ready

NX_WEB_HTTP_FAILED (0x30002) HTTP Client error

communicating with the HTTP

Server.

NX_WEB_HTTP_AUTHENTICATION_ERROR

(0x3000B) Invalid name and/or

password.

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX_CALLER_ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service.

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_client_head_secure_start

Start an encrypted HTTPS HEAD request

Prototype

Description

This method is for **TLS-secured** HTTPS.

This service attempts to retrieve the HEAD metadata for the resource specified by "resource" pointer on the previously created HTTP Client instance. If this routine returns NX_SUCCESS, the application can then call *nx_web_http_client_response_body_get()* to retrieve the server's response corresponding to the requested resource content.

Note that the resource string can refer to a local file e.g. "/index.htm" or it can refer to another URL e.g. http://abc.website.com/index.htm if the HTTP Server indicates it supports referring GET requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Client control block.
ip_address	IP address of the HTTP Server.
server_port	Port on remote HTTP Server.
resource	Pointer to URL string for requested resource.
host	Null-terminated string of the server's domain name.
	This string is transmitted in the HTTP Host header
	field. The host string cannot be NULL.
username	Pointer to optional user name for authentication.
password	Pointer to optional password for authentication.
tls_setup	Callback used to setup TLS configuration. The
	application defines this callback to initialize TLS
	cryptography and credentials (e.g. certificates).
wait_option	Defines how long the service will wait for the
	HTTP Client get start request. The wait options are
	defined as follows:

time out value (0x00000001 through 0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successfully sent HTTP Client

HEAD request message

NX_WEB_HTTP_ERROR

(0x30000) Internal HTTP Client error

NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_READY

(0x3000A) HTTP Client not ready

NX_WEB_HTTP_FAILED (0x30002) HTTP Client error

communicating with the HTTP

Server.

NX_WEB_HTTP_AUTHENTICATION_ERROR

(0x3000B) Invalid name and/or password.

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX CALLER ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service.

Allowed From

Threads

^{/*} If status is NX_SUCCESS, the HEAD request for TEST.HTM is started and is so far successful. The client must now call nx_web_http_client_response_body_get to retrieve the server's response. */

nx_web_http_client_request_packet_allocate

Allocate a HTTP(S) packet

Prototype

UINT nx_web_http_client_request_packet_allocate(

NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT *client_ptr,
NX_PACKET **packet_ptr,
ULONG wait_option);

Description

This service attempts to allocates a packet for Client HTTP(S).

Input Parameters

client_ptr Pointer to HTTP Client control block.

packet_ptr Pointer to allocated packet.

wait option Defines the wait time in ticks if there are no packets

available in the packet pool. The wait options are

defined as follows:

NX_NO_WAIT (0x00000000) NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFFF)

timeout in ticks (0x0000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful packet allocate
NX NO PACKET	(0x01)	No packet available

NX_WAIT_ABORTED (0x1A) Requested suspension was

aborted by a call to tx_thread_wait_abort.

NX INVALID PARAMETERS

(0x4D) Packet size cannot support

protocol.

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX_CALLER_ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service.

Allowed From

Threads

```
/* Allocate a packet for HTTP(S) Client and suspend for a maximum of 5 timer
    ticks if the pool is empty. */
status = nx_web_http_client_request_packet_allocate(&my_client, &packet_ptr, 5);
/* If status is NX_SUCCESS, the newly allocated packet pointer is found in the
    variable packet_ptr. */
```

nx_web_http_client_post_start

Start an HTTP POST request

Prototype

Description

This method is for **plaintext** HTTP.

This service attempts to send a POST request with the specified resource to the HTTP Server at the supplied IP address and port. If this routine is successful, the application code should make successive calls to the $nx_web_http_client_put_packet$ routine to send the resource contents to the HTTP Server.

Note that the resource string can refer to a local file e.g. "/index.htm" or it can refer to another URL e.g. http://abc.website.com/index.htm if the HTTP Server indicates it supports referring PUT requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Client control block.
ip_address	IP address of the HTTP Server.
server_port	TCP port on the remote HTTP Server.
resource	Pointer to URL string for resource to send to Server.
host	Null-terminated string of the server's domain name.
	This string is transmitted in the HTTP Host header
	field. The host string cannot be NULL.
username	Pointer to optional user name for authentication.
password	Pointer to optional password for authentication.
total_bytes	Total bytes of resource being sent. Note that the
_ •	combined length of all packets sent via subsequent
	calls to nx_web_http_client_put_packet() must equal
	this value.
wait_option	Defines how long the service will wait for the HTTP Client POST start. The wait options are
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defined as follows:

timeout value (0x0000001 through 0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successfully sent POST request	
NX_WEB_HTTP_USERNAME_TOO_LONG			
	(0x30012)	Username too large for buffer	
NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_READY			
	(0x3000A)	HTTP Client not ready	
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input	
NX_SIZE_ERROR	(0x09)	Invalid total size of resource	
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this service	

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_client_post_secure_start

Start an encrypted HTTPS POST request

Prototype

Description

This method is for **TLS-secured** HTTPS.

This service attempts to send a POST request with the specified resource to the HTTPS Server at the supplied IP address and port. If this routine is successful, the application code should make successive calls to the $nx_web_http_client_put_packet()$ routine to send the resource contents to the HTTP Server.

Note that the resource string can refer to a local file e.g. "/index.htm" or it can refer to another URL e.g. http://abc.website.com/index.htm if the HTTP Server indicates it supports referring PUT requests.

Input Parameters

ip_address IP address of the HTTP Server.	
server_port TCP port on the remote HTTP Server.	
resource Pointer to URL string for resource to send to Serv	er.
host Null-terminated string of the server's domain nam	e.
This string is transmitted in the HTTP Host heade	r
field. The host string cannot be NULL.	
username Pointer to optional user name for authentication.	
password Pointer to optional password for authentication.	
total_bytes Total bytes of resource being sent. Note that the	
combined length of all packets sent via subseque	nt
calls to nx_web_http_client_put_packet() must eq	ual
this value.	
tls_setup Callback used to setup TLS configuration. The	
application defines this callback to initialize TLS	
cryptography and credentials (e.g. certificates).	

wait_option

Defines how long the service will wait for the HTTP Client POST start. The wait options are defined as follows:

timeout value (0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successfully sent POST request NX_WEB_HTTP_USERNAME_TOO_LONG

(0x30012) Username too large for buffer

NX WEB HTTP NOT READY

(0x3000A) HTTP Client not ready

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX_SIZE_ERROR (0x09) Invalid total size of resource NX_CALLER_ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service

Allowed From

Threads

Start an HTTP PUT request

Prototype

Description

This method is for **plaintext** HTTP.

This service attempts to send a PUT request with the specified resource to the HTTP Server at the supplied IP address and port. If this routine is successful, the application code should make successive calls to the $nx_web_http_client_put_packet()$ routine to send the resource contents to the HTTP Server.

Note that the resource string can refer to a local file e.g. "/index.htm" or it can refer to another URL e.g. http://abc.website.com/index.htm if the HTTP Server indicates it supports referring PUT requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr ip_address server_port resource host	Pointer to HTTP Client control block. IP address of the HTTP Server. TCP port on the remote HTTP Server. Pointer to URL string for resource to send to Server. Null-terminated string of the server's domain name. This string is transmitted in the HTTP Host header field. The host string cannot be NULL.
username	Pointer to optional user name for authentication.
password	Pointer to optional password for authentication.
total_bytes	Total bytes of resource being sent. Note that the combined length of all packets sent via subsequent calls to $nx_web_http_client_put_packet()$ must equal this value.
wait_option	Defines how long the service will wait for the HTTP Client PUT start. The wait options are defined as follows:

timeout value (0x0000001 through 0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successfully sent PUT request	
NX_WEB_HTTP_USERNAME_TOO_LONG			
	(0x30012)	Username too large for buffer	
NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_READY			
	(0x3000A)	HTTP Client not ready	
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input	
NX_SIZE_ERROR	(0x09)	Invalid total size of resource	
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this service	

Allowed From

Threads

nx web http client put secure start

Start an encrypted HTTPS PUT request

Prototype

Description

This method is for **TLS-secured** HTTPS.

This service attempts to send a PUT request with the specified resource to the HTTPS Server at the supplied IP address and port. If this routine is successful, the application code should make successive calls to the $nx_web_http_client_put_packet()$ routine to send the resource contents to the HTTP Server.

Note that the resource string can refer to a local file e.g. "/index.htm" or it can refer to another URL e.g. http://abc.website.com/index.htm if the HTTP Server indicates it supports referring PUT requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Client control block.
ip_address	IP address of the HTTP Server.
server_port	TCP port on the remote HTTP Server.
resource	Pointer to URL string for resource to send to Server.
host	Null-terminated string of the server's domain name.
	This string is transmitted in the HTTP Host header
	field. The host string cannot be NULL.
username	Pointer to optional user name for authentication.
password	Pointer to optional password for authentication.
total_bytes	Total bytes of resource being sent. Note that the
	combined length of all packets sent via subsequent
	calls to nx_web_http_client_put_packet() must equal
	this value.
tls_setup	Callback used to setup TLS configuration. The
•	application defines this callback to initialize TLS
	cryptography and credentials (e.g. certificates).
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wait_option

Defines how long the service will wait for the HTTP Client PUT start. The wait options are defined as follows:

timeout value (0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successfully sent PUT request NX WEB HTTP USERNAME TOO LONG

IX_WED_HTTP_USERNAME_TOU_LONG

(0x30012) Username too large for buffer

NX WEB HTTP NOT READY

(0x3000A) HTTP Client not ready

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX_SIZE_ERROR (0x09) Invalid total size of resource NX_CALLER_ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_client_put_packet

Send next resource data packet

Prototype

UINT **nx_web_http_client_put_packet**(NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT *client_ptr, NX_PACKET *packet_ptr, ULONG wait_option);

Description

This service attempts to send the next packet of resource content to the HTTP Server for both PUT and POST operations. Note that this routine should be called repetitively until the combined length of the packets sent equals the "total_bytes" specified in the previous $nx_web_http_client_put_start()$ or $nx_web_http_client_post_start()$ call (or their corresponding secure versions).

This service also checks for a response from the server in case there was a problem establishing the HTTP (or HTTPS) connection.

Input Parameters

client_ptr packet_ptr Pointer to HTTP Client control block.

Pointer to next content of the resource to being sent

to the HTTP Server.

wait_option

Defines how long the service will wait internally to process the HTTP Client PUT packet. The wait

options are defined as follows:

timeout value (0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successfully sent HTTP Client packet.

NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_READY

(0x3000A) HTTP Client not ready

NX_WEB_HTTP_REQUEST_UNSUCCESSFUL_CODE

(0x3000E) Received Server error code

NX_WEB_HTTP_BAD_PACKET_LENGTH

(0x3000D) Invalid packet length

NX WEB HTTP AUTHENTICATION ERROR

(0x3000B) Invalid name and/or Password

NX WEB HTTP INCOMPLETE PUT ERROR

(0x3000F) Server responds before PUT

Is complete

NX PTR ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX_INVALID_PACKET (0x12) Packet too small for TCP header

NX CALLER ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service

Allowed From

Threads

^{/*} If status is NX_SUCCESS, the 20-byte resource contents of TEST.HTM has successfully been sent. */

nx_web_http_client_request_chunked_set

Set chunked transfer for HTTP(S) request

Prototype

Description

This service uses chunked transfer coding to send a custom HTTP(S) request to the server specified in the *nx_web_http_client_connect()* or *nx_web_http_client_secure_connect()* call which has previously established the socket connection to the remote host.

Note: If the application uses chunked transfer coding to send a request data packet, it must call this service after calling nx_web_http_client_request_packet_allocate (), and before call nx_web_http_client_request_packet_send ().

Input Parameters

client_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Client control block.
chunk_size	Size of the chunk-data in octets.
packet_ptr	HTTP(S) request data packet pointer.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successfully set chunked.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_client_request_header_add

Add a custom header to a custom HTTP request

Prototype

UINT nx_web_http_client_request_header_add(

NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT *client_ptr, CHAR *field_name, UINT name_length, CHAR *field_value, UINT value_length, UINT wait_option);

Description

This service adds a custom header (in the form of a field name and value) to a custom HTTP request created with nx_web_http_client_request_initialize().

Use of this service enables an application to add any number of custom headers to the request. This allows for customized HTTP requests intended for specific applications.

Note that the nx_web_http_client_*_start methods are provided for convenience. These functions all use this routine internally (along with nx_web_http_client_request_initialize()) to create and send HTTP requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr field_name name_length field_value value_length wait option Pointer to HTTP Client control block.
Field name string (e.g. "Content-Type").
Length of field name string in bytes.
Field value string (e.g. "application/octet-stre

Field value string (e.g. "application/octet-stream").

Length of value string in bytes.

Defines how long the service will wait for underlying network operations. The wait options are defined as follows:

timeout value (0x00000001 through 0xFFFFFFE)

NX WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP

Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful addition of	
		header to request.	
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input	

Allowed From

Threads

nx web http client request initialize

Initialize a custom HTTP request

Prototype

```
UINT nx_web_http_client_request_initialize (
                      NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT *client_ptr,
                      UINT method, CHAR *resource, CHAR *host,
UINT input_size, UINT transfer_encoding_trunked,
                      CHAR *username, CHAR *password, UINT wait_option);
```

Description

This service creates a custom HTTP request and associates it with the HTTP Client instance. Unlike the simpler *nx_web_http_client_get_start()* (along with the methods for PUT, POST, and the associated secure versions of those API), the custom request is not sent until the nx_web_http_client_request_send() service is called.

Use of this service enables an application to add any number of custom headers to the request using the

nx web http client request header add() service. This allows for customized HTTP requests intended for specific applications.

Note that the nx_web_http_client_*_start methods are provided for convenience. These functions all use this routine internally (along with nx_web_http_client_request_send()) to create and send HTTP requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Client control block.	
method	The HTTP request method to use. The options are	
	defined as follows:	•
	NX_WEB_HTTP_METHOD_NONE	(0x0)
	NX_WEB_HTTP_METHOD_GET	(0x1)
	NX_WEB_HTTP_METHOD_PUT	(0x2)
	NX_WEB_HTTP_METHOD_POST	(0x3)
	NX_WEB_HTTP_METHOD_DELETE	(0x4)
	NX_WEB_HTTP_METHOD_HEAD	(0x5)
resource	Name of resource being transferred.	
host	Null-terminated string of the server's dor	main name.
	This string is transmitted in the HTTP Ho	ost header
	field. The host string cannot be NULL.	
input_size	Size of input data for PUT and POST. P	ass 0 for
	other operations.	
transfer_encoding_trunked		

Reserved parameter for future trunked transfer support.

username password wait_option Username for protected resources. Password for protected resources.

Defines how long the service will wait for underlying network operations. The wait options are defined as follows:

timeout value

(0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS

(0x00)

Successful initialization of

request.

NX PTR ERROR NX_WEB_HTTP_METHOD_ERROR

(0x07)

Invalid pointer input

(0x30014)

Some required information was missing (e.g. input_size for PUT

or POST).

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_client_request_packet_send

Send HTTP(S) request data packet to remote server

Prototype

Description

This service sends a custom HTTP(S) request data packet created with nx_web_http_client_request_packet_allocate () to the server specified in the nx_web_http_client_connect() or nx_web_http_client_secure_connect() call which has previously established the socket connection to the remote host.

Input Parameters

client_ptr packet_ptr wait_option Pointer to HTTP Client control block. HTTP(S) request data packet pointer.

Defines how long the service will wait for underlying network operations. The wait options are defined as follows:

NX_NO_WAIT (0x0000000) NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

timeout value (0x0000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful send of	
		request data packet.	
NX PTR ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input	

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_client_request_send

Send a custom HTTP request

Prototype

Description

This service sends a custom HTTP request created with nx_web_http_client_request_initialize() to the server specified in the nx_web_http_client_connect() or nx_web_http_client_secure_connect() both of which have previously established the socket connection to the remote host.

Use of this service enables an application to add any number of custom headers to the request using the

nx_web_http_client_request_header_add() service. This allows for customized HTTP requests intended for specific applications.

Note that the nx_web_http_client_*_start methods are provided for convenience. These functions all use this routine internally (along with nx_web_http_client_request_initialize()) to create and send HTTP requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr wait_option Pointer to HTTP Client control block.

Defines how long the service will wait for underlying network operations. The wait options are defined as follows:

timeout value (0x000

(0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

NX WAIT FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful send of
		request.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Threads

nx web http client response body get

Get next resource data packet

Prototype

UINT nx_web_http_client_response_body_get(NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT *client_ptr, NX_PACKET **packet_ptr, ULONG wait_option);

Description

This service retrieves the next packet of content of the resource requested by the previous *nx_web_http_client_get_start()* or nx_web_http_client_get_secure_start() call. Successive calls to this routine should be made until the return status of NX WEB HTTP GET DONE is received.

Input Parameters

Pointer to HTTP Client control block. client ptr

packet_ptr Destination for packet pointer containing partial

resource content.

wait_option Defines how long the service will wait for the

HTTP Client get packet. The wait options are

defined as follows:

timeout value (0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP

Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successful get of HTTP Client packet.

NX_WEB_HTTP_GET_DONE

(0x3000C) HTTP Client get packet is done

NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_READY

(0x3000A) HTTP Client not in get mode.

NX_WEB_HTTP_BAD_PACKET_LENGTH

(0x3000D) Invalid packet length

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE CONTINUE

(0x3001A) HTTP status code 100 Continue

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE SWITCHING PROTOCOLS

(0x3001B) HTTP status code 101 Switching Protocols

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE CREATED

(0x3001C) HTTP status code 201 Created

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_ACCEPTED

(0x3001D) HTTP status code 202 Accepted

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_NON_AUTH_INFO

(0x3001E) HTTP status code 203

Non-Authoritative Information

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_NO_CONTENT

(0x3001F) HTTP status code 204 No

Content

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE RESET CONTENT

(0x30020) HTTP status code 205 Reset

Content

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_PARTIAL_CONTENT

(0x30021) HTTP status code 206 Partial

Content

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_MULTIPLE_CHOICES

(0x30022) HTTP status code 300 Multiple

Choices

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_MOVED_PERMANETLY

(0x30023) HTTP status code 301 Moved

Permanently

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_FOUND

(0x30024) HTTP status code 302 Found

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_SEE_OTHER

(0x30025) HTTP status code 303 See

Other

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE NOT MODIFIED

(0x30026) HTTP status code 304 Not

Modified

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_USE_PROXY

(0x30027) HTTP status code 305 Use

Proxy

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_TEMPORARY_REDIRECT

(0x30028) HTTP status code 307

Temporary Redirect

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_BAD_REQUEST

(0x30029) HTTP status code 400 Bad

Request

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_UNAUTHORIZED

(0x3002A) HTTP status code 401

Unauthorized

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE PAYMENT REQUIRED

(0x3002B) HTTP status code 402 Payment

Required

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE FORBIDDEN

(0x3002C) HTTP status code 403

Forbidden

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE NOT FOUND

(0x3002D) HTTP status code 404 Not

Found

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE METHOD NOT ALLOWED

(0x3002E) HTTP status code 405 Method

Not Allowed

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_NOT_ACCEPTABLE

(0x3002F) HTTP status code 406 Not

Acceptable

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE PROXY AUTH REQUIRED

(0x30030) HTTP status code 407 Proxy

Authentication Required

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_REQUEST_TIMEOUT

(0x30031) HTTP status code 408 Request

Time-out

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE CONFLICT

(0x30032) HTTP status code 409 Conflict

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE GONE

(0x30033) HTTP status code 410 Gone

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_LENGTH_REQUIRED

(0x30034) HTTP status code 411 Length

Required

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_PRECONDITION_FAILED

(0x30035) HTTP status code 412

Precondition Failed

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE ENTITY TOO LARGE

(0x30036) HTTP status code 413 Request

Entity Too Large

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_URL_TOO_LARGE

(0x30037) HTTP status code 414 Request-

URL Too Large

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_UNSUPPORTED_MEDIA

(0x30038) HTTP status code 415

Unsupported Media Type

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_RANGE_NOT_SATISFY

(0x30039) HTTP status code 416

Requested range not satisfiable

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_EXPECTATION_FAILED

(0x3003A) HTTP status code 417

Expectation Failed

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_INTERNAL_ERROR

(0x3003B) HTTP status code 500 Internal

Server Error

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE NOT IMPLEMENTED

(0x3003C) HTTP status code 501 Not

Implemented

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_BAD_GATEWAY

(0x3003D) HTTP status code 502 Bad

Gateway

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE SERVICE UNAVAILABLE

(0x3003E) HTTP status code 503 Service

Unavailable

NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_CODE_GATEWAY_TIMEOUT

(0x3003F) HTTP status code 504 Gateway

Time-out

NX WEB HTTP STATUS CODE VERSION ERROR

(0x30040) HTTP status code 505 HTTP

Version not supported

NX PTR ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX CALLER ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service

Allowed From

Threads

Example

/* Get the next packet of resource content on the HTTP Client "my_client."
Note that the nx_web_http_client_get_start() routine must have been called
previously. */
status = nx_web_http_client_response_body_get(&my_client, &next_packet, 1000);

^{/*} If status is NX_SUCCESS, the next packet of content is pointed to by "next_packet". */

nx web http client response header callback set

Set callback to invoke when processing HTTP headers

Prototype

```
UINT nx_web_http_client_response_header_callback_set(
              NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT *client_ptr,
              VOID (*callback_function)(NX_WEB_HTTP_CLIENT *client_ptr,
                             CHAR *field_name, UINT field_name_length, CHAR *field_value, UINT field_value_length));
```

Description

This service assigns a callback that will be invoked whenever NetX Web HTTP Client processes an HTTP header in an incoming response from a remote HTTP server. The callback is invoked once for each header in the response as it is processed. The callback allows an HTTP Client application to access each of the headers in the HTTP server response to take any desired actions beyond the basic processing that NetX Web HTTP Client does.

Input Parameters

client ptr

Pointer to HTTP Client control block. **callback_function** Callback invoked during response header

processing. The callback is invoked with the field name and value as strings (and their lengths). For example, the header "Content-Length: 100" would cause the function to be invoked with "Content-Length" for *field name* and the string "100" for

field value.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful assignment of
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callback.

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07)Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_client_secure_connect

Open a TLS session to an HTTPS server for custom requests

Prototype

Description

This method is for **TLS-secured** HTTPS.

This service opens a secured TLS session to an HTTPS server but does not send any requests. Requests are created with nx_web_http_client_request_initialize() and sent using nx_web_http_client_request_send(). Custom HTTP headers may be added to the request using nx_web_http_client_request_header_add().

Use of this service enables an application to add any number of custom headers to the request. This allows for customized HTTP requests intended for specific applications.

Note that the nx_web_http_client_*_start methods are provided for convenience. These functions all use this routine internally (along with nx_web_http_client_request_initialize()) to create and send HTTP requests.

Input Parameters

client_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Client control block.
server_ip	IP address of remote HTTPS server.
server_port	Port on remote HTTPS server (e.g. 443 for HTTPS).
tls_setup	Callback used to setup TLS configuration. The
-	application defines this callback to initialize TLS
	cryptography and credentials (e.g. certificates).
wait_option	Defines how long the service will wait for underlying
-	network operations. The wait options are defined as

follows:
timeout value (0x0000001 through 0xFFFFFFE)

NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFFF)

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful connection of
		TLS session.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input
NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_READY	(0x3000A)	Another request is
	•	already in progress.

Allowed From

Threads

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nx_web_http_server_cache_info_callback_set

Set the callback to retrieve URL max age and date

Prototype

Description

This service sets the callback service invoked to obtain the maximum age and last modified date of the specified resource.

Input Parameters

server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Server control block.
cache_info_get	Pointer to the callback
max_age	Pointer to maximum age of a resource
data	Pointer to last modified date returned.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successfully set the callback
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Initialization

nx web http server callback data send

Send data from callback function

Prototype

Description

This service sends the data in the supplied packet from the application's callback routine. This is typically used to send dynamic data associated with GET/POST requests. Note that if this function is used, the callback routine is responsible for sending the entire response in the proper format. In addition, the callback routine must return the status of NX_WEB_HTTP_CALLBACK_COMPLETED.

Input Parameters

server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Server control block.
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data_ptrdata_lengthPointer to the data to send.Number of bytes to send.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successfully sent Server data
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_server_callback_generate_response_header

Create a response header in a callback function

Prototype

Description

This service is used in the HTTP(S) server callback routine (defined by the application) to generate an HTTP response header. The server callback routine is invoked when the HTTP server responds to Client GET, PUT and DELETE requests which require an HTTP response. This function takes the response information from the application and generates the appropriate response header. See the service $nx_web_http_server_create()$ for more information on the server request callback routine.

Input Parameters

server_ptr packet_pptr status_code	Pointer to HTTP Server control block. Pointer a packet pointer allocated for message Indicate status of resource. Examples: NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_OK NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_MODIFIED NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_INTERNAL_ERROR
content_length content_type additional_header	Size of content in bytes Type of HTTP e.g. "text/plain" Pointer to additional header text

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successfully created HTML
		header
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Threads

```
</body>\r\n</html>\r\n";
 /* my_request_notify is the application request notify callback registered with
the HTTP server in nx_web_http_server_create, creates a response to the
     received Client request. */
 UINT my_request_notify(NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER *server_ptr, UINT request_type, CHAR *resource, NX_PACKET *recv_packet_ptr)
 {
                *resp_packet_ptr;
string_length;
temp_string[30];
 NX PACKET
 ULONG
 CHAR
 UI ONG
                length = 0;
      length = strlen(&demotestbuffer[0]);
      /* Derive the client request type from the client request. */
string_length = (ULONG) nx_web_http_server_type_get(server_ptr, server_ptr ->
                                      nx_web_http_server_request_resource, temp_string);
       /* Null terminate the string. */
      temp_string[temp] = 0;
       /* Now build a response header with server status is OK and no additional
          header info.
      status = nx_web_http_server_callback_generate_response_header(http_server_ptr,
                                          &resp_packet_ptr, NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_OK,
length, temp_string, NX_NULL);
      /* If status is NX_SUCCESS, the header was successfully appended. */
      /* Now add data to the packet.
      status = nx_packet_data_append(resp_packet_ptr, &demotestbuffer[0],

strlen(&demotestbuffer[0]), server_ptr ->
                       nx_web_http_server_packet_pool_ptr, NX_WAIT_FOREVER);
      if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
           nx_packet_release(resp_packet_ptr);
           return status;
      }
      /* Now send the packet! */
status = nx_web_http_server_callback_packet_send(
                                    &(server_ptr -> nx_web_http_server_socket),
                                    resp_packet_ptr);
      if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
          nx_packet_release(resp_packet_ptr);
          return status;
      }
      /* Let HTTP server know the response has been sent. */
     return(NX_WEB_HTTP_CALLBACK_COMPLETED);
}
```

nx_web_http_server_callback_packet_send

Send an HTTP packet from callback function

Prototype

```
UINT nx_web_http_server_callback_packet_send(

NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER *server_ptr,

NX_PACKET *packet_ptr);
```

Description

This service sends a complete HTTP server response from an HTTP callback. HTTP server will send the packet with the NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_TIMEOUT_SEND. The HTTP header and data must be appended to the packet. If the return status indicates an error, the HTTP application must release the packet.

The callback should return NX_WEB_HTTP_CALLBACK_COMPLETED.

See *nx_web_http_server_callback_generate_response_header()* for a more detailed example.

Input Parameters

server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Server control block
packet_ptr	Pointer to the packet to send

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successfully sent HTTP Server
		packet
NX PTR ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Threads

```
/* The packet is appended with HTTP header and data and is ready to send to
    the Client directly. */
status = nx_web_http_server_callback_packet_send(server_ptr, packet_ptr);
if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
{
         nx_packet_release(packet_ptr);
}
return(NX_WEB_HTTP_CALLBACK_COMPLETED);
```

nx_web_http_server_callback_response_send

Send response from callback function

Prototype

Description

This service sends the supplied response information from the application's callback routine. This is typically used to send custom responses associated with GET/POST requests. Note that if this function is used, the callback routine must return the status of NX_WEB_HTTP_CALLBACK_COMPLETED.

Input Parameters

server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Server control block.
header	Pointer to the response header string.
information	Pointer to the information string.
additional_info	Pointer to the additional information string.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successfully sent HTTP Server response

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_server_content_get

Get content from the request

Prototype

Description

This service attempts to retrieve the specified amount of content from the POST or PUT HTTP Client request. It should be called from the application's request notify callback specified during HTTP Server creation (nx_web_http_server_create()).

Input Parameters

packet_ptr
Pointer to HTTP Server control block.
Pointer to the HTTP Client request packet. Note that this packet must not be released by the request notify callback.

byte_offset
destination_ptr
destination_size
Pointer to the destination area for the content.
Maximum number of bytes available in the destination area.

actual_size
Pointer to HTTP Server control block.
Pointer to the destination trequest packet. Note that this packet must not be released by the request notify callback.
Number of bytes to offset into the content area.
Pointer to the destination variable that will be

set to the actual size of the content copied.

Invalid caller of this service

Return Values

NX_CALLER_ERROR

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful HTTP Server content Get
NX_WEB_HTTP_ERROR	(0x30000)	HTTP Server internal error
NX_WEB_HTTP_DATA_E	ND	
	(0x30007)	End of request content
NX_WEB_HTTP_TIMEOUT	Γ	
	(0x30001)	HTTP Server timeout in getting next packet of content
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input

(0x11)

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_server_content_get_extended

Get content from the request/supports zero length Content Length

Prototype

UINT nx_web_http_server_content_get_extended(

NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER *server_ptr, NX_PACKET *packet_ptr, ULONG byte_offset, CHAR *destination_ptr, UINT destination_size, UINT *actual_size);

Description

This service is almost identical to $nx_web_http_server_content_get()$; it attempts to retrieve the specified amount of content from the POST or PUT HTTP Client request. However it handles requests with Content Length of zero value ('empty request') as a valid request. It should be called from the application's request notify callback specified during HTTP Server creation ($nx_web_http_server_create()$).

Input Parameters

server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP	Server control block.
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packet_ptr
Pointer to the HTTP Client request packet. Note that

this packet must not be released by the request

notify callback.

byte_offsetdestination_ptrdestination_sizeNumber of bytes to offset into the content area.Pointer to the destination area for the content.Maximum number of bytes available in the

destination area.

actual size Pointer to the destination variable that will be

set to the actual size of the content copied.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful HTTP content get
NX_WEB_HTTP_ERROR	(0x30000)	HTTP Server internal error
111/ 14/EB 11EEB BAEA E	NIB.	

NX_WEB_HTTP_DATA_END

(0x30007) End of request content

NX_WEB_HTTP_TIMEOUT

(0x30001) HTTP Server timeout in getting

next packet

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX CALLER ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_server_content_length_get

Get length of content in the request/supports Content Length of zero value

Prototype

Description

This service attempts to retrieve the HTTP content length in the supplied packet. The return value indicates successful completion status and the actual length value is returned in the input pointer content_length. If there is no HTTP content/Content Length = 0, this routine still returns a successful completion status and the content_length input pointer points to a valid length (zero). It should be called from the application's request notify callback specified during HTTP Server creation $(nx_web_http_server_create())$.

Input Parameters

this packet must not be released by the request

notify callback.

content_length Pointer to value retrieved from Content Length field

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successful HTTP Server Content Length Get

NX WEB HTTP INCOMPLETE PUT ERROR

(0x3000F) Improper HTTP header format

NX PTR ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Threads

```
/* Assuming we are in the application's request notify callback
   routine, get the content length of the HTTP Client request. */
ULONG content_length;
status = nx_web_http_server_content_length_get(packet_ptr, &content_length);
/* If the "status" variable indicates successful completion, the "length"
   Variable contains the length of the HTTP Client request content area. */
```

nx_web_http_server_create

Create an HTTP Server instance

Prototype

Description

This service creates an HTTP Server instance, which runs in the context of its own ThreadX thread. The optional *authentication_check* and *request_notify* application callback routines give the application software control over the basic operations of the HTTP Server.

This service is used to create both plaintext HTTP servers and TLS-secured HTTPS servers. To enable HTTPS using TLS, see the service nx_web_http_server_secure_configure().

Input Parameters

http_server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Server control block.
http server name	Pointer to HTTP Server's name.

ip_ptrserver_portPointer to previously created IP instance.TCP listening port for server instance.

media_ptr Pointer to previously created FileX media instance.

stack_ptr stack sizePointer to HTTP Server thread stack area.

Pointer to HTTP Server thread stack size.

authentication check

Function pointer to application's authentication checking routine. If specified, this routine is called for each HTTP Client request. If this parameter is NULL, no authentication will be performed.

request_notify Function pointer to application's request notify

routine. If specified, this routine is called prior to the HTTP server processing of the request. This allows the resource name to be redirected or fields within a resource to be updated prior to completing the HTTP

Client request.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successful HTTP Server create.

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid HTTP Server, IP, media, stack, or packet pool pointer.

NX_WEB_HTTP_POOL_ERROR

(0x30009) Packet payload of pool is not

large enough to contain complete HTTP request.

Allowed From

Initialization, Threads

nx_web_http_server_delete

Delete an HTTP Server instance

Prototype

```
UINT nx_web_http_server_delete(NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER *http_server_ptr);
```

Description

This service deletes a previously created HTTP Server instance.

Input Parameters

http_server_ptr Pointer to HTTP Server control block.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful HTTP Server delete
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid HTTP Server pointer
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this service

Allowed From

Threads

```
/* Delete the HTTP Server instance called "my_server." */
status = nx_web_http_server_delete(&my_server);
/* If status equals NX_SUCCESS, the HTTP Server delete was successful. */
```

nx_web_http_server_get_entity_content

Retrieve the location and length of entity data

Prototype

```
UINT nx_web_http_server_get_entity_content(

NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER *server_ptr,

NX_PACKET **packet_pptr,

ULONG *available_offset,

ULONG *available_length);
```

Description

This service determines the location of the start of data within the current multipart entity in the received Client messages, and the length of data not including the boundary string. Internally, the HTTP server updates its own offsets so that this function can be called again on the same Client datagram for messages with multiple entities. The packet pointer is updated to the next packet where the Client message is a multi-packet datagram.

Note that NX_WEB_HTTP_MULTIPART_ENABLE must be enabled to use this service. Also note that the application should not release the packet pointed to by packet_pptr. This is done internally by the HTTP server.

See nx_web_http_server_get_entity_header() for more details.

Input Parameters

server ptr	Pointer to HTTP Server
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packet_pptr
Pointer to location of packet pointer. Note

that the application should not release this

packet

available_offset Pointer to offset of entity data from the packet

prepend pointer

available_length Pointer to length of entity data

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successfully retrieved size and

location of entity content

NX_WEB_HTTP_BOUNDARY_ALREADY_FOUND

(0x30016) Content for the HTTP server internal multipart markers is

already found

NX_WEB_HTTP_ERROR (0x30000) HTTP Server internal error NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_server_get_entity_header

Retrieve the contents of entity header

Prototype

UINT nx_web_http_server_get_entity_header(

NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER *server_ptr, NX_PACKET **packet_pptr, UCHAR *entity_header_buffer, ULONG buffer_size);

Description

This service retrieves the entity header into the specified buffer. Internally HTTP Server updates its own pointers to locate the next multipart entity in a Client datagram with multiple entity headers. The packet pointer is updated to the next packet where the Client message is a multi-packet datagram.

Note that NX_WEB_HTTP_MULTIPART_ENABLE must be enabled to use this service. Note also that the application should not release the packet pointed to by packet_pptr.

Input Parameters

server_ptr Pointer to HTTP Server

packet_pptr
Pointer to location of packet pointer. Note

that the application should not release this

packet

entity header buffer

buffer size

Pointer to location to store entity header

Size of input buffer

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successfully retrieved entity

Header

NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_FOUND

(0x30006) Entity header field not found

NX_WEB_HTTP_TIMEOUT

(0x30001) Time expired to receive next

packet for multipacket client

message

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX CALLER ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service

NX_WEB_HTTP_ERROR (0x30000) Internal HTTP error

Allowed From

Threads

```
/* Buffer to hold data we are extracting from the request. */
             buffer[1440];
/* my_request_notify() is the application request notify callback registered with
   the HTTP server in nx_web_http_server_create(), creates a response to the received Client request. */
UINT my_request_notify(NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER *server_ptr, UINT request_type, CHAR *resource, NX_PACKET *packet_ptr)
 UTNT
               offset, length;
*response_pkt;
 NX_PACKET
  /* Process multipart data. */
 /* Process multipart uala. ~/
if(request_type == NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_POST_REQUEST)
     /* Get the content header. */
     while(nx_web_http_server_get_entity_header(server_ptr, &packet_ptr, buffer,
                                                sizeof(buffer)) == NX_SUCCESS)
     {
        {
              /* Write content data to buffer. */
nx_packet_data_extract_offset(packet_ptr, offset, buffer, length,
                                                &length);
              buffer[length] = 0;
        }
      }
      /* Generate HTTP header. */
      status = nx_web_http_server_callback_generate_response_header(server_ptr,
                              &response_pkt, NX_WEB_HTTP_STATUS_OK, 800, "text/html",
"Server: NetX WEB HTTP 5.10\r\n");
      if(status == NX_SUCCESS)
           if(nx_web_http_server_callback_packet_send(server_ptr, response_pkt) !=
           {
                    nx_packet_release(response_pkt);
           }
      }
 }
else
      /* Indicate we have not processed the response to client yet.*/
      return(NX_SUCCESS);
 }
 /* Indicate the response to client is transmitted. */ return(NX_WEB_HTTP_CALLBACK_COMPLETED);
```

nx_web_http_server_gmt_callback_set

Set the callback to obtain GMT date and time

Prototype

Description

This service sets the callback to obtain GMT date and time with a previously created HTTP server. This service is invoked with the HTTP server is creating a header in HTTP server responses to the Client.

Input Parameters

server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Server
gmt_get	Pointer to GMT callback
date	Pointer to the date retrieved

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successfully set the callback
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid packet or parameter
		pointer.

Allowed From

Threads

```
NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER my_server;
VOID get_gmt(NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_DATE *now);
/* After the HTTP server is created by calling nx_web_http_server_create(), and before starting HTTP services when nx_web_http_server_start() is called, set the GMT retrieve callback: */
status = nx_web_http_server_gmt_callback_set(&my_server, gmt_get);
/* If status equals NX_SUCCESS, the gmt_get will be called to set the HTTP server response header date. */
```

nx_web_http_server_invalid_userpassword_notify_set

Set the callback to handle invalid user/password

Prototype

Description

This service sets the callback invoked when an invalid username and password is received in a Client get, put or delete request, either by digest or basic authentication. The HTTP server must be previously created.

Input Parameters

server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Server
invalid username	e password callback

Invalid_username_password_callback

resource Pointer to invalid user/pass callback
Pointer to the resource specified by the client
client_address Client address

request_type Indicates client request type. May be:

```
NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_GET_REQUEST
NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_POST_REQUEST
NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_HEAD_REQUEST
NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_PUT_REQUEST
NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_DELETE_REQUEST
```

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successfully set the callback
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Threads

nx web http server mime maps additional set

Set additional MIME maps for HTML

Prototype

Description

This service allows the HTTP application developer to add additional MIME types from the default MIME types supplied by the NetX Web HTTP Server. See *nx_web_http_server_get_type()* for list of defined types.

When a client request is received, e.g. a GET request, HTTP server parses the requested file type from the HTTP header using preferentially the additional MIME map set and if no match if found, it looks for a match in the default MIME map of the HTTP server. If no match is found, the MIME type defaults to "text/plain".

If the request notify function is registered with the HTTP server, the request notify callback can call $nx_web_http_server_type_get()$ to parse the file type.

Input Parameters

server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Server instance
mime_maps	Pointer to a MIME map array
mime map num	Number of MIME maps in array

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful HTTP Server
		MIME map set
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Initialization, Threads

nx web http server response packet allocate

Allocate an HTTP(S) packet

Prototype

Description

This service attempts to allocates a packet for the HTTP(S) server.

Note that if a subsequent NetX or HTTP Server API using this packet as input fails, such as nx_packet_data_append or nx_web_http_server_callback_packet_send, the application is responsible for releasing the packet.

Input Parameters

serve	er_	ptr
pack	et_	_ptr
wait_	or	otion

Pointer to HTTP Server control block.

Pointer to allocated packet.

Defines the wait time in ticks if there are no packets

available in the packet pool. The wait options are

defined as follows:

NX_NO_WAIT (0x0000000) NX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

timeout value (0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

Selecting NX_NO_WAIT causes the calling thread to return immediately if the request cannot be fulfilled.

Selecting NX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the HTTP Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (0x1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the HTTP Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful packet allocate
NX_NO_PACKET	(0x01)	No packet available
NX_WAIT_ABORTED	(0x1A)	Requested suspension was
		aborted by a call to
		tx thread wait abort.

NX INVALID PARAMETERS

(0x4D) Packet size cannot support

protocol.

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX_CALLER_ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service.

Allowed From

Threads

Example

```
/* Allocate a packet for HTTP(S) Server and suspend for a maximum of 5 timer
    ticks if the pool is empty. */
status = nx_web_http_server_response_packet_allocate(&my_client, &packet_ptr, 5);
```

/* If status is NX_SUCCESS, the newly allocated packet pointer is found in the variable packet_ptr. $\ ^*/$

nx_web_http_server_packet_content_find

Extract content length and set pointer to start of data

Prototype

Description

This service extracts the content length from the HTTP header. It also updates the supplied packet as follows: the packet prepend pointer (start of location of packet buffer to write to) is set to the HTTP content (data) just passed the HTTP header.

If the beginning of content is not found in the current packet, the function waits for the next packet to be received using the NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_TIMEOUT_RECEIVE wait option.

Note this should not be called before calling nx_web_http_server_get_entity_header() because it modifies the packet prepend pointer past the entity header.

Input Parameters

Pointer to HTTP server instance
Pointer to packet pointer for returning the
packet with updated prepend pointer
Pointer to extracted content_length

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	HTTP content length found and packet successfully updated
NX_WEB_HTTP_TIMEOUT	Τ	
	(0x30001)	Time expired waiting on next
		Packet
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Threads

Example

```
/* The HTTP server pointed to by server_ptr is previously created and started.
The server has received a Client request packet, recv_packet_ptr, and the
packet content find service is called from the request notify callback
function registered with the HTTP server. */
```

UINT content_length;

/* If status equals NX_SUCCESS, the content length specifies the content length and the packet pointer prepend pointer is set to the HTTP content (data). */

nx_web_http_server_packet_get

Receive the next HTTP packet

Prototype

Description

This service returns the next packet received on the HTTP server socket. The wait option to receive a packet is NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER_TIMEOUT_RECEIVE.

Note that if successful the application is responsible for releasing the packet.

Input Parameters

server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP server instance
packet_ptr	Pointer to received packet

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successfully received next
		HTTP packet

NX_WEB_HTTP_TIMEOUT

(0x30001) Time expired waiting on next

Packet

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Threads

```
/* The HTTP server pointed to by server_ptr is previously created and started. */
UINT content_length;
NX_PACKET *recv_packet_ptr;
status = nx_web_http_server_packet_get(server_ptr, &recv_packet_ptr);
/* If status equals NX_SUCCESS, a Client packet is obtained. */
```

nx_web_http_server_param_get

Get parameter from the request

Prototype

Description

This service attempts to retrieve the specified HTTP URL parameter in the supplied request packet. If the requested HTTP parameter is not present, this routine returns a status of NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_FOUND. This routine should be called from the application's request notify callback specified during HTTP Server creation (nx_web_http_server_create()).

Input Parameters

packet_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Client request packet. Note
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that the application should not release this

packet.

param_number Logical number of the parameter starting at

zero, from left to right in the parameter list.

param_ptr Destination area to copy the parameter.

Return the total parameter data length (in

bytes).

max_param_size Maximum size of the parameter destination

area.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successful HTTP Server

parameter get

NX WEB HTTP NOT FOUND

(0x30006) Specified parameter not found

NX WEB HTTP IMPROPERLY TERMINATED PARAM

(0x30015) Request parameter not

properly terminated

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX CALLER ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service

Allowed From

Threads

Get query from the request

Prototype

Description

This service attempts to retrieve the specified HTTP URL query in the supplied request packet. If the requested HTTP query is not present, this routine returns a status of NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_FOUND. This routine should be called from the application's request notify callback specified during HTTP Server creation (*nx_web_http_server_create(*)).

Input Parameters

packet_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Client request packet. Note
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that the application should not release this

packet.

query_number Logical number of the parameter starting at

zero, from left to right in the query list.

query_ptrDestination area to copy the query.query_sizeReturn query data size (in bytes).max_query_sizeMaximum size of the query destination

area.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successful HTTP Server

query get

NX_WEB_HTTP_FAILED (0x30002) Query size too small.

NX_WEB_HTTP_NOT_FOUND

(0x30006) Specified query not found

NX_WEB_HTTP_NO_QUERY_PARSED

(0x30013) No query in Client request

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input

NX_CALLER_ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service

Allowed From

Threads

nx web http server response chunked set

Set chunked transfer for HTTP(S) response

Prototype

Description

This service uses chunked transfer coding to send a custom HTTP(S) response data packet created with nx web http server response packet allocate() to the client.

Note: If the application uses chunked transfer coding to send a response data packet, it must call this service after calling nx_web_http_server_response_packet_allocate(), and before calling nx_web_http_server_callback_packet_send().

Input Parameters

client_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Client control block.
chunk_size	Size of the chunk-data in octets.
packet_ptr	HTTP(S) request data packet pointer.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful set chunked.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Threads

nx_web_http_server_secure_configure

Configure an HTTP Server to use TLS for secure HTTPS

Prototype

Description

This service configures a previously created NetX Web HTTP server instance to use TLS for secure HTTPS communications. The parameters are used to configure all the possible TLS sessions with identical state so that each incoming HTTPS client experiences consistent behavior. The number of TLS sessions is controlled using the macro NX_WEB_HTTP_SESSION_MAX.

The cryptographic routine table (ciphersuite table) is shared between all TLS sessions as it just contains function pointers.

The metadata and packet reassembly buffers are each divided equally between all TLS sessions. If the buffer size is not evenly divisible by the number of sessions the remainder will be unused.

The passed-in identity certificate is used by all sessions. During TLS operation the server identity certificate is only read from so copies are not needed for each session.

The trusted certificates are added to each TLS session in the HTTPS server. These are used for Client certificate authentication which is automatically enabled when remote certificate space is provided.

The remote certificate array and buffer is shared by default between all TLS sessions. The remote certificates are used for Client certificate authentication which is automatically enabled when the remote certificate count is nonzero. Due to the buffer being shared some sessions may block during certificate validation.

To disable client certificate authentication, pass NX_NULL for the remote_certificates parameter and a value of 0 for the remote_certs_num parameter.

Return values will include any TLS error codes resulting from issues in the configuration of the TLS sessions.

Input Parameters

http_server_ptr Pointer to HTTP Server instance. crypto_table Pointer to TLS ciphersuite table.

metadata_buffer Pointer to cryptographic metadata buffer. Size of cryptographic metadata buffer.

packet_buffer Size of TLS packet buffer – should be equal to

(<desired TLS buffer size> *

NX_WEB_HTTP_SESSION_MAX).

identity_certificate TLS server identity certificate – will be used

for all HTTPS server sessions.

trusted_certificates Pointer to array of NX_SECURE_X509_CERT

objects, used to validate incoming client certificates if client certificate authentication is enabled by passing a non-zero value for the

remote_certs_num parameter.

trusted_certs_num Number of trusted certificates in the

trusted certificates array.

remote_certificates Pointer to array of NX_SECURE_X509_CERT

objects, used for incoming client certificates.

remote_certs_num Number of remote certificates. Should be the

maximum number of expected certificates from clients. Client certificate authentication is enabled automatically when this is non-zero.

remote certificate buffer

Buffer to contain incoming remote certificates from clients if client certificate authentication is

enabled.

remote_cert_buffer_size Size of remote certificates buffer. Should be

equal to (<maximum expected certificate size>

* remote_certs_num).

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successful initialization of the

TLS session.

NX_NOT_CONNECTED (0x38) The underlying TCP socket is

no longer connected.

NX_SECURE_TLS_UNRECOGNIZED_MESSAGE_TYPE

(0x102) A received TLS message type

is incorrect.

NX_SECURE_TLS_UNSUPPORTED_CIPHER

(0x106) A cipher provided by the

remote host is not supported.

NX SECURE TLS HANDSHAKE FAILURE

(0x107) Message processing during

the TLS handshake has failed.

NX_SECURE_TLS_HASH_MAC_VERIFY_FAILURE

(0x108) An incoming message failed a

hash MAC check.

NX_SECURE_TLS_TCP_SEND_FAILED

(0x109) An underlying TCP socket

send failed.

NX SECURE TLS INCORRECT MESSAGE LENGTH

(0x10A) An incoming message had an

invalid length field.

NX_SECURE_TLS_BAD_CIPHERSPEC

(0x10B) An incoming

ChangeCipherSpec message

was incorrect.

NX_SECURE_TLS_INVALID_SERVER_CERT

(0x10C) An incoming TLS certificate is

unusable for identifying the

remote TLS server.

NX_SECURE_TLS_UNSUPPORTED_PUBLIC_CIPHER

(0x10D) The public-key cipher provided

by the remote host is

unsupported.

NX_SECURE_TLS_NO_SUPPORTED_CIPHERS

(0x10E) The remote host has indicated

no ciphersuites that are

supported by the NetX Secure

TLS stack.

NX_SECURE_TLS_UNKNOWN_TLS_VERSION

(0x10F) A received TLS message had

an unknown TLS version in its

header.

NX_SECURE_TLS_UNSUPPORTED_TLS_VERSION

(0x110) A received TLS message had a known but unsupported TLS version in its header.

NX_SECURE_TLS_ALLOCATE_PACKET_FAILED

(0x111) An internal TLS packet allocation failed.

NX SECURE TLS INVALID CERTIFICATE

(0x112) The remote host provided an invalid certificate.

NX SECURE TLS ALERT RECEIVED

(0x114) The remote host sent an alert

indicating an error and ending

the TLS session.

NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Tried to use an invalid pointer.

Allowed From

Initialization, Threads

nx_web_http_server_start

Start the HTTP Server

Prototype

```
UINT nx_web_http_server_start(NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER *http_server_ptr);
```

Description

This service starts a previously created HTTP or HTTPS Server instance.

HTTPS servers share the same API as HTTP. To enable HTTPS using TLS on an HTTP server, see the service $nx_web_http_server_secure_configure()$.

Input Parameters

http_server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Server instance.
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Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful HTTP Server
		Start
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input

Allowed From

Initialization, Threads

```
/* Start the HTTP Server instance "my_server." */
status = nx_web_http_server_start(&my_server);
/* If status equals NX_SUCCESS, the HTTP Server has been started. */
```

nx_web_http_server_stop

Stop the HTTP Server

Prototype

```
UINT nx_web_http_server_stop(NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER *http_server_ptr);
```

Description

This service stops the previously create HTTP Server instance. This routine should be called prior to deleting an HTTP Server instance.

Input Parameters

http_server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Server instance.
-----------------	----------------------------------

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful HTTP Server
		Stop
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x07)	Invalid pointer input
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this service

Allowed From

Threads

```
/* Stop the HTTP Server instance "my_server." */
status = nx_web_http_server_stop(&my_server);
/* If status equals NX_SUCCESS, the HTTP Server has been stopped. */
```

nx_web_http_server_type_get

Extract file type from Client HTTP request

Prototype

```
UINT nx_web_http_server_type_get(NX_WEB_HTTP_SERVER *http_server_ptr,
CHAR *name, CHAR *http_type_string,
UINT *string_size);
```

Description

This service extracts the HTTP request type in the buffer <code>http_type_string</code> and its length in <code>string_size</code> from the input buffer <code>name</code>, usually the URL. If no MIME map is found, it defaults to the "text/plain" type. Otherwise it compares the extracted type against the HTTP Server default MIME maps for a match. The default MIME maps in NetX Web HTTP Server are:

html	text/html
htm	text/html
txt	text/plain
gif	image/gif
jpg	image/jpeg
ico	image/x-icon

If supplied, it will also search a user defined set of additional MIME maps. See $nx_web_http_server_mime_maps_addtional_set()$ for more details on user defined maps.

Input Parameters

http_server_ptr	Pointer to HTTP Server instance
name	Pointer to buffer to search
http_type_string	Pointer to extracted HTML type string
string_size	Pointer to return extracted HTML type string
_	length.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successful extraction of type NX_PTR_ERROR (0x07) Invalid pointer input NX_WEB_HTTP_EXTENSION_MIME_DEFAULT

(0x30019) Default "text/plain" returned.

Allowed From

Application

Example

For a more detailed example, see the description for nx_web_http_server_callback_generate_response_header().

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