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Interesting. With strace, can you tell if libc immediately tries the next nameserver, or does it continue waiting a bit longer before sending the next packet (e.g., calling poll(2) again)?

Looking at libresolv's source, I'm wondering if you're hitting this code:

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if (anhp->rcode == NOERROR && anhp->ancount == 0
    && anhp->aa == 0 && anhp->ra == 0 && anhp->arcount == 0) {
        DprintQ(statp->options & RES_DEBUG,
                (stdout, "referred query:\n"),
                *thisansp.
                (*thisresplenp > *thisanssizp)
                ? *thisanssizp : *thisresplenp);
        goto next ns:
}
```

except that according to the dig output, anhp->arcount (aka "ADDITIONAL") should be 1.



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Here is the relevant strace from both

go DNS

```
socket(PF_INET, SOCK_DGRAM|SOCK_CLOEXEC|SOCK_NONBLOCK, IPPROTO_IP) = 5
setsockopt(5, SOL_SOCKET, SO_BROADCAST, [1], 4) = 0
connect(5, {sa_family=AF_INET, sin_port=htons(53), sin_addr=inet_addr("10.155.248.190")}, 1
epoll_ctl(4, EPOLL_CTL_ADD, 5, {EPOLLIN|EPOLLOUT|EPOLLRDHUP|EPOLLET, {u32=2021793344, u64=1
getsockname(5, {sa_family=AF_INET, sin_port=htons(50722), sin_addr=inet_addr("10.155.248.16
getpeername(5, {sa_family=AF_INET, sin_port=htons(53), sin_addr=inet_addr("10.155.248.190")
clock_gettime(CLOCK_REALTIME, {1461610393, 390514267}) = 0
clock_gettime(CLOCK_MONOTONIC, {5648, 84800638}) = 0
clock_gettime(CLOCK_MONOTONIC, \{5648, 84874068\}) = 0
clock_gettime(CLOCK_REALTIME, {1461610393, 390734946}) = 0
write(5, "\310-\1\0\0\0\0\0\0\nregistry-1\6docker\2i"..., 38) = 38
read(5, 0xc8200ee000, 512)
                                       = -1 EAGAIN (Resource temporarily unavailable)
futex(0x704bd0, FUTEX_WAIT, 0, NULLGet http://registry-1.docker.io/v2: dial tcp: lookup reg
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cgo DNS

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socket(PF_INET, SOCK_DGRAM|SOCK_NONBLOCK, IPPROTO_IP) = 3
connect(3, {sa_family=AF_INET, sin_port=htons(53), sin_addr=inet_addr("10.155.248.190")}, 1
gettimeofday({1461610383, 13246}, NULL) = 0
                                      = 1 ([{fd=3, revents=P0LLOUT}])
poll([{fd=3, events=POLLOUT}], 1, 0)
sendmmsg(3, \ \{\{\{msg\_name(0)=NULL, \ msg\_iov(1)=[\{''\ 324^1\ 0\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 0\ nregistry-1\ 6docked]\})
\verb|poll([{fd=3, events=POLLIN}], 1, 5000)| = 1 ([{fd=3, revents=POLLIN}])|
ioctl(3, FIONREAD, [38])
                                      = 0
close(3)
                                      = 0
socket(PF_INET, SOCK_DGRAM|SOCK_NONBLOCK, IPPROTO_IP) = 3
connect(3, {sa_family=AF_INET, sin_port=htons(53), sin_addr=inet_addr("10.0.80.11")}, 16) =
gettimeofday(\{1461610383, 14478\}, NULL) = 0
                                     = 1 ([{fd=3, revents=POLLOUT}])
poll([{fd=3, events=POLLOUT}], 1, 0)
sendmmsg(3, {\{\{msg\_name(0)=NULL, \ msg\_iov(1)=[\{''\ 324^1\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 0\ nregistry-1\ 6docked]} \\
poll([{fd=3, events=POLLIN}], 1, 3000) = 1 ([{fd=3, revents=POLLIN}])
ioctl(3, FIONREAD, [125])
recvfrom(3, "\324^\201\200\0\1\0\4\0\0\0\0\nregistry-1\6docker\2i"..., 2048, 0, {sa_family=
gettimeofday({1461610383, 15315}, NULL) = 0
\verb|poll([{fd=3, events=POLLIN}], 1, 2999) = 1 ([{fd=3, revents=POLLIN}])|
ioctl(3, FIONREAD, [152])
                                       = 0
recvfrom(3, "\364\244\201\200\0\1\0\1\0\0\nregistry-1\6docker\2i"..., 65536, 0, {sa_fam
close(3)
                                      = 0
```



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Thanks! Looking at the DNS response header from 10.155.248.190 in the cgo strace output, it's clear that the response does actually have arcount==0, which explains why libresolv proceeds to try the next name server.

Replicating libresolv's behavior here seems easy, but feels kinda gross as it doesn't seem to be prescribed by the RFCs at all.

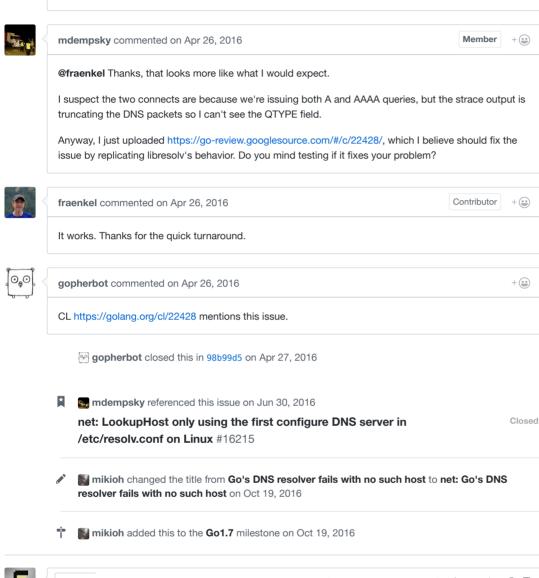
FYI though, your netgo strace output looks incomplete though, like you're only tracing one of the OS threads. In particular, it's missing the <code>write</code> call that actually produced the "no such host" output, and it's probably missing the <code>recvmsg</code> call that actually read the response DNS packet; the one in the output above failed with <code>FAGAIN</code>.

I usually use strace -f to trace all children.



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I have a more more complete go trace with some editorials to trim the unwanted stuff.
I am noticing that we connect to 10.155.248.190 twice. Not sure if that is expected.
  [pid 7617] socket(PF_INET, SOCK_DGRAM|SOCK_CLOEXEC|SOCK_NONBLOCK, IPPROTO_IP <unfinished .</pre>
  [pid 7621] futex(0x703e20, FUTEX_WAIT, 2, NULL <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] <... socket resumed> )
                                         = 3
  [pid 7617] setsockopt(3, SOL_SOCKET, SO_BROADCAST, [1], 4 <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] < \dots setsockopt resumed> ) = 0
  [pid 7619] futex(0x703e20, FUTEX_WAKE, 1 <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] connect(3, {sa_family=AF_INET, sin_port=htons(53), sin_addr=inet_addr("10.155.2
  [pid 7621] <... futex resumed> )
                                       = 0
  [pid 7617] < \dots connect resumed> )
                                        = 0
                                     = 1
  [pid 7619] <... futex resumed> )
  [pid 7617] epoll_create1(EPOLL_CLOEXEC <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7621] futex(0x703e20, FUTEX_WAKE, 1 <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] <... epoll_create1 resumed> ) = 4
  [pid 7621] <... futex resumed> ) = 0
  [pid 7617] epoll_ctl(4, EPOLL_CTL_ADD, 3, {EPOLLIN|EPOLLOUT|EPOLLRDHUP|EPOLLET, {u32=13877
  [pid 7617] <... epoll_ctl resumed> ) = 0
  [pid 7621] clock_gettime(CLOCK_REALTIME, <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] getsockname(3, <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] <... getsockname resumed> {sa_family=AF_INET, sin_port=htons(59996), sin_addr=i
  [pid 7617] getpeername(3, <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] <... getpeername resumed> {sa_family=AF_INET, sin_port=htons(53), sin_addr=inet
  [pid 7621] socket(PF_INET, SOCK_DGRAM|SOCK_CLOEXEC|SOCK_NONBLOCK, IPPROTO_IP <unfinished .
  [pid 7621] <... socket resumed> )
                                        = 5
  [pid 7621] setsockopt(5, SOL_SOCKET, SO_BROADCAST, [1], 4 <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7621] <... setsockopt resumed> ) = 0
  [pid 7621] connect(5, {sa_family=AF_INET, sin_port=htons(53), sin_addr=inet_addr("10.155.2
  [pid 7621] <... connect resumed> )
                                      = 0
  [pid 7617] futex(0x703e38, FUTEX_WAKE, 1 <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7621] epoll_ctl(4, EPOLL_CTL_ADD, 5, {EPOLLIN|EPOLLOUT|EPOLLRDHUP|EPOLLET, {u32=13877
  [pid 7621] <... epoll_ctl resumed> ) = 0
[pid 7621] qetsecher
  [pid 7621] getsockname(5, <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7621] <... getsockname resumed> {sa_family=AF_INET, sin_port=htons(43899), sin_addr=i
  [pid 7617] write(3, "f\273\1\0\0\1\0\0\0\0\nregistry-1\6docker\2i"..., 38 <unfinished
  [pid 7621] getpeername(5, <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7619] futex(0x703e38, FUTEX_WAIT, 0, {4, 999648197} <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] <... write resumed> ) = 38
  [pid 7621] <... getpeername resumed> {sa_family=AF_INET, sin_port=htons(53), sin_addr=inet
  [pid 7619] <... futex resumed>) = -1 EAGAIN (Resource temporarily unavailable)
  [pid 7617] read(3, <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] <... read resumed> 0xc8200e8000, 512) = -1 EAGAIN (Resource temporarily unavail
  [pid 7617] epoll_wait(4, <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] <... epoll_wait resumed> {{EPOLLOUT, {u32=1387773736, u64=139927127310120}}, {E
  [pid 7617] epoll_wait(4, <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7621] sched_yield( <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7621] <... sched_yield resumed> ) = 0
  [pid 7621] futex(0x703e20, FUTEX_WAKE, 1 <unfinished \dots>
  [pid 7619] futex(0x703e38, FUTEX_WAIT, 0, {4, 998688799} <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7621] <... futex resumed> ) = 0
[pid 7618] <... select resumed> ) = 0 (Timeout)
  [pid 7621] write(5, "4\274\1\0\0\1\0\0\0\0\0\0\nregistry-1\6docker\2i"..., 38 <unfinished
  [pid 7621] <... write resumed> )
                                        = 38
  [pid 7621] read(5, <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] epoll_wait(4, <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7618] select(0, NULL, NULL, NULL, {0, 20} <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] <... epoll wait resumed> {{EPOLLIN|EPOLLOUT, {u32=1387773736, u64=1399271273101
  [pid 7621] <... read resumed> 0xc8200ee000, 512) = -1 EAGAIN (Resource temporarily unavail
  [pid 7621] futex(0xc82005a110, FUTEX_WAIT, 0, NULL <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] read(3, "f\273\201\0\0\1\0\0\0\0\0\nregistry-1\6docker\2i"..., 512) = 38
  [pid 7617] epoll_ctl(4, EPOLL_CTL_DEL, 3, \{0, \{u32=0, u64=0\}\}\  <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7618] <... select resumed> )
                                        = 0 (Timeout)
  [pid 7617] <... epoll_ctl resumed> ) = 0
  [pid 7617] close(3 <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] <... close resumed> )
  [pid 7617] futex(0xc82005a110, FUTEX_WAKE, 1 <unfinished ...>
  [pid 7617] <... futex resumed>) = 1
  [pid 7621] <... futex resumed> )
  [pid 7617] epoll_wait(4, <unfinished ...>
[pid 7621] epoll_wait(4, <unfinished ...>
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[pid 7617] <... epoll_wait resumed> {{EPOLLIN|EPOLLOUT, {u32=1387773544, u64=1399271273099}
[pid 7621] <... epoll_wait resumed> {}, 128, 0) = 0
[pid 7617] read(5, "4\274\201\0\0\1\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\nregistry-1\6docker\2i"..., 512) = 38
[pid 7621] epoll_wait(4, <unfinished ...>
[pid 7618] select(0, NULL, NULL, NULL, {0, 20} <unfinished ...>
[pid 7617] epoll_ctl(4, EPOLL_CTL_DEL, 5, {0, {u32=0, u64=0}}) = 0
[pid 7617] close(5) = 0
[pid 7617] futex(0xc82002ed10, FUTEX_WAKE, 1) = 1
[pid 7620] <... futex resumed> ) = 0
[pid 7618] <... select resumed> ) = 0
[pid 7617] write(2, "Get http://registry-1.docker.io/"..., 108 <unfinished ...>
Get http://registry-1.docker.io/v2: dial tcp: lookup registry-1.docker.io on 10.155.248.190
```







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