

Telnet Protocol (Telnet) for NetX Duo

User Guide

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Chapter 1

Introduction to Telnet

The Telnet Protocol (Telnet) is a protocol designed for transferring commands and responses between two nodes on the Internet. Telnet is a simple protocol that utilizes reliable Transmission Control Protocol (TCP) services to perform its transfer function. Because of this, Telnet is a highly reliable transfer protocol. Telnet is also one of the most used application protocols.

Telnet Requirements

In order to function properly, the NetX Duo Telnet package requires that a NetX IP instance has already been created. In addition, TCP must be enabled on that same IP instance. The Telnet Client portion of the NetX Duo Telnet package has no further requirements.

The Telnet Server portion of the NetX Duo Telnet package has one additional requirement. It requires complete access to TCP *well-known* port 23 for handling all Client Telnet requests.

NetX Duo Telnet is not changed in any way from NetX Telnet except when the Client attempts to connect to the server, the server host names must resolve to an NXD_ADDRESS, either IPv6 or IPv4 address. For backward compatibility, NetX Duo Telnet converted the original <code>nxd_telnet_client_connect</code> function to a wrapper function that will accept IPv4 addresses, convert them to NXD_ADDRESSES and pass a pointer to the data to the actual <code>nxd_telnet_client_connect</code> call. These will be discussed in greater detail in Chapter 3 and demonstrated in the "Small Example System" section in Chapter 2.

Telnet Constraints

The NetX Duo Telnet protocol implements the Telnet standard. However, the interpretation and response of Telnet commands, indicated by a byte with the value of 255, is the responsibility of the application. The various Telnet commands and command parameters are defined in the *nxd telnet.h* file.

Telnet Communication

As mentioned previously, the Telnet Server utilizes the *well-known TCP* port 23 to field Client requests. Telnet Clients may use any available TCP port.

Telnet Authentication

Telnet authentication is the responsibility of the application's Telnet Server callback function. The application's Telnet Server "new connection" callback would typically prompt the Client for name and/or password. The Client would then be responsible for providing the information. The Server would then process the information in the "receive data" callback. This is where the application Server code would have to authenticate the information and decide whether or not it is valid.

Telnet New Connection Callback

The NetX Duo Telnet Server calls the application specified callback function whenever a new Telnet Client request is received. The application specifies the callback function when the Telnet Server is created via the <code>nx_telnet_server_create</code> function. Typical actions of the "new connection" callback include sending a banner or prompt to the Client. This could very well include a prompt for login information.

The format of the application "new connection" callback routine is very simple and is defined below:

The input parameters are defined as follows:

Parameter	Meaning	
server_ptr	Pointer to the calling Telnet Server.	
logical_connection	The internal logical connection for the Telnet Server. This can be used by the application as an index into buffers and/or data structures specific for each Client connection. Its value ranges from 0 through	

Telnet Receive Data Callback

The NetX Duo Telnet Server calls the application specified callback function whenever a new Telnet Client data is received. The application specifies the callback function when the Telnet Server is created via the <code>nx_telnet_server_create</code> function. Typical actions of the "new connection" callback include echoing the data back and/or parsing the data and providing data as a result of interpreting a command from the client.

Note that this callback routine must also release the supplied packet.

The format of the application "receive data" callback routine is very simple and is defined below:

The input parameters are defined as follows:

Parameter	Meaning
server_ptr	Pointer to the calling Telnet Server.
logical_connection	The internal logical connection for the Telnet Server. This can be used by the application as an index into buffers and/or data structures specific for each Client connection. Its value ranges from 0 through NX_TELNET_MAX_CLIENTS-1.
packet_ptr	Pointer to packet containing the data from the Client.

Telnet End Connection Callback

The NetX Duo Telnet Server calls the application specified callback function whenever a Telnet Client ends the connection. The application specifies the callback function when the Telnet Server is created via the *nx_telnet_server_create* function. Typical actions of the "end connection"

callback include cleaning up any Client specific data structures associated with the logical connection.

The format of the application "end connection" callback routine is very simple and is defined below:

The input parameters are defined as follows:

Parameter	Meaning
server_ptr	Pointer to the calling Telnet Server.
logical_connection	The internal logical connection for the Telnet Server. This can be used by the application as an index into buffers and/or data structures specific for each Client connection. Its value ranges from 0 through NX_TELNET_MAX_CLIENTS-1.

Telnet Multi-Thread Support

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

Telnet RFCs

NetX Duo Telnet is compliant with RFC854 and related RFCs.

Chapter 2

Installation and Use of Telnet

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

Product Distribution

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

nxd telnet client.h nxd telnet client.c nxd telnet server.h nxd telnet server.c nxd telnet.pdf

Header file for Telnet Client for NetX Duo C Source file for Telnet Client for NetX Duo Header file for Telnet Server for NetX Duo C Source file for Telnet Server for NetX Duo PDF description of Telnet for NetX Duo demo_netxduo_telnet.c NetX Duo Telnet demonstration

Telnet Installation

In order to use Telnet for NetX Duo, 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 nxd_telnet_client.h, nxd_telnet_client.c, nxd_telnet_server.c and nxd_telnet_server.h files should be copied into this directory.

Using Telnet

Using Telnet for NetX Duo is easy. Basically, the application code must include nxd_telnet_server.h for Telnet Server applications and nxd_telnet_client.h for Telnet Client applications after it includes tx_api.h and nx api.h, in order to use ThreadX and NetX Duo. Once the header is included, the application code is then able to make the Telnet function calls specified later in this guide. The application must also include nxd telnet client.c and nxd telnet server.c 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 Duo Telnet.

If no Telnet Client capabilities are required, the *nxd_telnet_client.c* file may be omitted.

Note also that because Telnet utilizes NetX Duo TCP services, TCP must be enabled with the *nx_tcp_enable* call prior to using Telnet.

Small Example System

An example of how easy it is to use NetX Duo Telnet is described in Figure 1.1 that appears below. In this example, the Telnet include files *are* brought in at line 7 and 8. Next, the Telnet Server is created in "tx_application_define" at line 146. Note that the Telnet Server and Client control blocks are defined as global variables at line 23-24 previously.

Before the Telnet Server or Client can be started they must validate their IP address with NetX Duo. For IPv4 connections this is accomplished by simply waiting briefly to let the NetX driver initialize the system on line 166. For IPv6 connections, this requires enabling IPv6 and ICMPv6 which it does in lines 171-172. The Client sets its global and linklocal IPv6 addresses on the primary interface on lines 181-186 and waits for NetX Duo validation to complete in the background. The Server also sets its global and linklocal addresses on its primary interface in lines 192 – 198. Note that the two services, $nxd_ipv6_global_address_set$ and $nxd_ipv6_linklocal_address_set$ are replaced with $nxd_ipv6_address_set$ service. The former two services are still available for legacy NetX Duo applications but are eventually deprecated. Developers are encouraged to use $nxd_ipv6_address_set$ instead.

After successful IP address validation with NetX Duo, the Telnet Server is started at line 215 using the <code>nxd_telnet_server_start</code> service. At line 226 the Telnet Client is created using the <code>nx_telnet_client_create</code> service. It then connects with the Telnet Server on line 242 for IPv4 applications and line 238 for IPv6 applications using the <code>nxd_telnet_client_connect</code> and <code>nx_telnet_client_connect</code> services respectively. After successful validation and connection with the server, it makes a few exchanges before disconnecting.

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     /* This is a small demo of TELNET on the high-performance NetX Duo TCP/IP stack.
         This demo relies on ThreadX and NetX Duo to show a simple TELNET connection,
         send, server echo, and then disconnection from the TELNET server.
     #include "tx_api.h"
#include "nx_api.h"
#include "nxd_telnet_client.h"
                 "nxd_telnet_server.h"
     #include
                  DEMO_STACK_SIZE
                                               4096
12
13
     /* Define the ThreadX and NetX object control blocks... */
14
     TX_THREAD
                                 test_thread;
     NX_PACKET_POOL
                                 pool_server;
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17
     NX_PACKET_POOL
                                pool_client;
     NX_IP
                                 ip_server;
18
     NX_IP
                                ip_client;
19
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21
     /* Define TELNET objects. */
22
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35
     NX_TELNET_SERVER
                                my_server;
     NX_TELNET_CLIENT
                                my_client;
     #ifdef FEATURE_NX_IPV6
     /* Define NetX Duo IP address for the NetX Duo Telnet Server and Client. */
                       server_ip_address;
client_ip_address;
     NXD_ADDRESS
     NXD_ADDRESS
     #endif
36
37
38
39
                                                  IP_ADDRESS(1,2,3,4)
     #define
                       SERVER_ADDRESS
     #define
                       CLIENT_ADDRESS
                                                  IP_ADDRESS(1,2,3,5)
40
41
42
43
44
45
46
47
48
     /* Define the counters used in the demo application... */
     ULONG
                                error_counter;
     /* Define timeout in ticks for connecting and sending/receiving data. */
     #define
                                TELNET_TIMEOUT 200
49
50
     /* Define function prototypes. */
51
52
53
54
     void
              thread_test_entry(ULONG thread_input);
              _nx_ram_network_driver(struct NX_iP_DRIVER_STRUCT *driver_req);
     void
55
56
     /* Define the application's TELNET Server callback routines. */
57
58
     void
              telnet_new_connection(NX_TELNET_SERVER *server_ptr, UINT
                                                  logical_connection);
59
     void
              telnet_receive_data(NX_TELNET_SERVER *server_ptr, UINT logical_connection, NX_PACKET *packet_ptr);
              60
     void
61
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63
     /* Define main entry point. */
64
65
     int main()
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67
68
           '* Enter the ThreadX kernel.
69
71
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75
76
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79
          tx_kernel_enter();
     }
     /* Define what the initial system looks like. */
void tx_application_define(void *first_unused_memory)
     UTNT
              status;
     CHAR
              *pointer:
              iface_index, address_index;
     UINT
         /* Setup the working pointer. */
pointer = (CHAR *) first_unused_memory;
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89
          pointer = pointer + DEMO_STACK_SIZE;
90
          /* Initialize the NetX system. */
91
92
          nx_system_initialize();
          /* Create packet pool. */
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nx_packet_pool_create(&pool_server, "Server NetX Packet Pool",
94
             600, pointer, 8192);
pointer = pointer + 8192;
95
96
            97
98
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100
101
102
             pointer = pointer + 4096;
103
            104
105
106
             pointer = pointer + 8192;
107
            108
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111
112
113
114
             pointer = pointer + 4096;
            /* Enable ARP and supply ARP cache memory for IP Instance 0. */
nx_arp_enable(&ip_server, (void *) pointer, 1024);
pointer = pointer + 1024;
115
116
117
\frac{118}{118}
            /* Enable ARP and supply ARP cache memory for IP Instance 1. */
nx_arp_enable(&ip_client, (void *) pointer, 1024);
pointer = pointer + 1024;
119
120
121
122
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124
125
            /* Enable TCP processing for both IP instances. */
nx_tcp_enable(&ip_server);
             nx_tcp_enable(&ip_client);
126
127
128
129
       #ifdef FEATURE_NX_IPV6
130
             /* Next set the NetX Duo Telnet Server and Client addresses. */
            server_ip_address.nxd_ip_address.v6[3] = 0x105;
server_ip_address.nxd_ip_address.v6[2] = 0x0;
server_ip_address.nxd_ip_address.v6[1] = 0x0000f101;
server_ip_address.nxd_ip_address.v6[0] = 0x20010db1;
server_ip_address.nxd_ip_version = NX_IP_VERSION_V6;
131
132
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134
135
136
            client_ip_address.nxd_ip_address.v6[3] = 0x101;
client_ip_address.nxd_ip_address.v6[2] = 0x0;
client_ip_address.nxd_ip_address.v6[1] = 0x0000f101;
client_ip_address.nxd_ip_address.v6[0] = 0x20010db1;
client_ip_address.nxd_ip_version = NX_IP_VERSION_V6;
137
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141
142
143
      #endif
144
145
             /* Create the NetX Duo TELNET Server. */
            status = nx_telnet_server_create(&my_server, "Telnet Server", &ip_server, pointer, 2048, telnet_new_connection, telnet_receive_data, telnet_connection_end);
146
147
148
149
150
             /* Check for errors. */
151
152
153
             if (status)
                   error_counter++;
154
155
             return;
156
157
       /* Define the test thread.
                 thread_test_entry(ULONG thread_input)
159
       void
160
161
162
       NX_PACKET
                      *my_packet;
163
164
165
             /* Allow other threads (e.g. IP thread task) to run first. */
166
             tx_thread_sleep(100);
167
168
       #ifdef FEATURE_NX_IPV6
169
            /* Here's where we make the Telnet Client IPv6 enabled. */
nxd_ipv6_enable(&ip_client);
nxd_icmp_enable(&ip_client);
170
171
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173
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175
         /* Wait till the IP task thread initializes the system. */
         tx_thread_sleep(100);
176
177
178
         /st Set up the Client addresses on the Client IP for the primary interface. st/
179
180
181
         status = nxd_ipv6_address_set(&ip_ client, iface_index, NX_NULL, 10,
                                        &address_index);
         status = nxd_ipv6_address_set(&ip_ client, iface_index, & client _ip_address, 64, &address_index);
182
185
         /* Allow NetX Duo time to validate addresses. */
186
         tx_thread_sleep(400);
187
188
189
         /* Set up the Server addresses on the Client IP. */
190
191
        iface index = 0:
        status = nxd_ipv6_address_set (&ip_server, iface_index, NX_NULL, 10,
192
                                        &address_index);
193
194
        195
196
197
         /* Allow NetX Duo time to validate addresses. */
198
         tx_thread_sleep(400);
199
     #endif
200
201
201
214
215
         /* Start the TELNET Server. */
         status = nx_telnet_server_start(&my_server);
216
217
         /* Check for errors. */
if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
         '* Check for errors.
218
219
         {
220
221
             return;
222
223
        }
224
225
         /* Create a TELENT client instance. */
         status = nx_telnet_client_create(&my_client, "My TELNET Client",
                                                    &ip_client, 600);
227
228
         /* Check status. */
if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
229
230
         {
231
             return:
232
         }
233
234
    #ifdef FEATURE_NX_IPV6
235
236
237
        238
239
240
    #else
        241
242
243
244
245
    #endif
         /* Check status. */
if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
246
247
         {
248
             return;
249
        }
250
251
         /* Allocate a packet.
        status = nx_packet_allocate(&pool_client, &my_packet, NX_TCP_PACKET, NX_WAIT_FOREVER);
         /* Check status. */
         if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
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257
258
          {
               return;
           }
259
260
          261
262
263
264
           /* Send the packet to the TELNET Server. */
           status = nx_telnet_client_packet_send(&my_client, my_packet, TELNET_TIMEOUT);
265
266
267
           /* Check status. */
if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
268
269
           {
               return;
271
272
273
274
275
           /* Pickup the Server header. */
          277
278
           /* Check status. */
if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
279
280
           {
281
282
               return:
          }
283
284
285
          /* At this point the packet should contain the Server's banner
message sent by the Server callback function below. Just
release it for this demo. */
286
287
288
           nx_packet_release(my_packet);
289
           /* Pickup the Server echo of the character.
290
           status = nx_telnet_client_packet_receive(&my_client, &my_packet,
291
                                                               TELNET_TIMEOUT);
292
293
           /* Check status. */
           if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
294
295
           {
296
               return;
297
          }
298
299
          /* At this point the packet should contain the character 'a' that
   we sent earlier. Just release the packet for now. */
nx_packet_release(my_packet);
300
301
302
303
          /* Now disconnect form the TELNET Server. */
status = nx_telnet_client_disconnect(&my_client, TELNET_TIMEOUT);
304
305
306
307
           /* Check status. */
308
309
           if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
310
           {
311
312
313
314
315
316
317
               return;
          }
          /* Delete the TELNET Client. */
status = nx_telnet_client_delete(&my_client);
          /* Check status. */
if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
{
318
319
320
321
               return;
          }
322
323
     }
324
325
      /* This routine is called by the NetX Telnet Server whenever a new Telnet client
326
         connection is established. */
      void telnet_new_connection(NX_TELNET_SERVER *server_ptr, UINT logical_connection)
329
330
331
     UINT
                    status;
     NX_PACKET
                    *packet_ptr;
```

```
/* Allocate a packet for client greeting. */
status = nx_packet_allocate(&pool_server, &packet_ptr, NX_TCP_PACKET,
                                                 NX_NO_WAIT);
339
          if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
340
341
              error_counter++;
342
              return;
343
          }
344
345
346
          /* Build a banner message and a prompt. */
         nx_packet_data_append(packet_ptr,
    "**** Welcome to NetX TELNET Server ***\r\n\r\n\r\n", 45,
                &pool_server, NX_NO_WAIT);
348
349
350
          nx_packet_data_append(packet_ptr, "NETX> ", 6, &pool_server, NX_NO_WAIT);
351
         /* Send the packet to the client. */
status = nx_telnet_server_packet_send(server_ptr, logical_connection,
352
353
                         packet_ptr, TELNET_TIMEOUT);
355
          if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
356
357
              error_counter++;
358
              nx_packet_release(packet_ptr);
359
360
          }
361
362
          return;
     }
363
364
365
     \slash This routine is called by the NetX Telnet Server whenever data is present on a
366
367
         Telnet client connection. */
     void telnet_receive_data(NX_TELNET_SERVER *server_ptr, UINT logical_connection,
368
                                  NX_PACKET *packet_ptr)
369
370
371
     UINT
              status;
372
     UCHAR
              alpha;
373
374
375
         /* This demo echoes the character back; on <cr,lf> sends a new prompt back to
    the client. A real system would likely buffer the character(s) received in a
    buffer associated with the supplied logical connection and process it. */
376
378
379
          380
381
382
          {
383
              printf("telnet server received just a CRLF\n");
384
385
              nx_packet_release(packet_ptr);
386
              return;
387
          }
388
389
          390
391
          {
392
393
394
              /* Clean up the packet.
              packet_ptr -> nx_packet_length = 0;
packet_ptr -> nx_packet_prepend_ptr =
395
396
                                                          packet_ptr -> nx_packet_data_start +
                                                          NX_TCP_PACKET;
397
              packet_ptr -> nx_packet_append_ptr =
                                                          packet_ptr -> nx_packet_data_start +
                                                          NX_TCP_PACKET;
398
399
              /* Build the next prompt. \, */
400
              nx_packet_data_append(packet_ptr, "\r\nNETX> ", 8, &pool_server,
NX_NO_WAIT);
401
402
              /* Send the packet to the client. */
              403
404
405
              if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
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406
407
408
                 {
                       error_counter++;
                       nx_packet_release(packet_ptr);
409
410
411
                 return;
            }
412
413
414
            /* Pickup first character (usually only one from client). */
alpha = packet_ptr -> nx_packet_prepend_ptr[0];
            /* Echo character. */
            status = nx_telnet_server_packet_send(server_ptr, logical_connection, packet_ptr, TELNET_TIMEOUT);
420
421
422
            if (status != NX_SUCCESS)
423
                  error_counter++;
424
425
                 nx_packet_release(packet_ptr);
            }
426
427
            /* Check for a disconnection. */ if (alpha == 'q') {
428
429
430
431
432
433
434
435
436
437
                  /* Initiate server disconnection. */
                 nx_telnet_server_disconnect(server_ptr, logical_connection);
            }
      }
      /* This routine is called by the NetX Telnet Server when the client disconnects. */
void telnet_connection_end(NX_TELNET_SERVER *server_ptr, UINT logical_connection)
438
439
440
            /* Cleanup any application specific connection or buffer information. \ st/
441
            return;
442 }
```

Figure 1.1 Example of Telnet use with NetX Duo

Configuration Options

There are several configuration options for building Telnet for NetX Duo. Following is a list of all options, where each is described in detail:

Define	Meaning
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NX_DISABLE_ERROR_CHECKING Defined, this option removes the

basic Telnet error checking. It is typically used after the application has been debugged.

NX TELNET MAX CLIENTS The maximum number of

Telnet Clients supported by the Server thread. By default, this value is defined as 4 to specify a maximum of 4 clients at a time. This define can be set by the application prior to inclusion of

nxd_telnet_server.h.

NX_TELNET_SERVER_PRIORITY The priority of the Telnet

Server thread. By default, this value is defined as 16 to specify priority 16. This define can be set

by the application prior to

inclusion of nxd telnet server.h.

NX TELNET TOSType of service required for the

Telnet TCP requests. By default,

this value is defined as

NX_IP_NORMAL to indicate normal IP packet service. This

define can be set by the application prior to inclusion of *nxd_telnet_server.h* and

nxd telnet client.h

NX_TELNET_FRAGMENT_OPTION Fragment enable for Telnet

TCP requests. By default, this

value is

NX DONT FRAGMENT to

disable Telnet TCP

fragmenting. This define can be set by the application prior to

inclusion of *nxd_telnet_server.h* and *nxd_telnet_client.h*

NX_TELNET_SERVER_WINDOW_SIZE Server socket window size. By

default, this value is 2048 bytes. This define can be set by the application prior to inclusion of

nxd_telnet_server.h.

NX_TELNET_TIME_TO_LIVE Specifies the number of routers

this packet can pass before it is discarded. The default value is set to 0x80, but can be redefined prior to inclusion of nxd_telnet_server.h and nxd_telnet_client.h.

NX_TELNET_SERVER_TIMEOUT Specifies the number of ThreadX

ticks that internal services will suspend for. The default value is set to 1000, but can be redefined prior to inclusion of

nxd_telnet_server.h.

NX_TELNET_ACTIVITY_TIMEOUT Specifies the number of

seconds that can elapse without any activity before the Server

disconnects the Client

connection. The default value is set to 600 seconds, but can be redefined prior to inclusion of

nxd telnet server.h.

NX TELNET TIMEOUT PERIOD Specifies the number of

seconds between checking for Client activity timeouts. The default value is set to 60 seconds, but can be

redefined prior to inclusion of

nxd telnet server.h.

Chapter 3

Description of Telnet Services

This chapter contains a description of all NetX Telnet services (listed below) in alphabetic 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.

nx_telnet_client_connect

Connect a Telnet Client with IPv4 address

nxd_telnet_client_connect

Connect an IPv6 Telnet Client with IPv6 address

nx_telnet_client_create

Create a Telnet Client

nx_telnet_client_delete

Delete a Telnet Client

nx_telnet_client_disconnect

Disconnect a Telnet Client

nx_telnet_client_packet_receive

Receive packet via Telnet Client

nx_telnet_client_packet_send
Send packet via Telnet Client

nx_telnet_server_create

Create a Telnet Server

nx_telnet_server_delete

Delete a Telnet Server

nx_telnet_server_disconnect

Disconnect a Telnet Client

nx_telnet_server_packet_send

Send packet through Client connection

nx_telnet_server_start
Start a Telnet Server

nx_telnet_server_stop
Stop a Telnet Server

nx telnet client connect

Connect a Telnet Client with IPv4 address

Prototype

UINT nx_telnet_client_connect(NX_TELNET_CLIENT *client_ptr, ULONG server_ip, UINT server_port, ULONG wait_option);

Description

This service attempts to connect the previously created Telnet Client instance to the Server at the specified IP and port using an IPv4 address for the Telnet Server. This service actually inserts the ULONG server IP address in an NXD ADDRESS control block and sets the IP version to 4 before calling the *nxd_telnet_client_connect* service described below.

Input Parameters

Pointer to Telnet Client control block. client_ptr

IPv4 Address of the Telnet Server. server_ip

TCP Port of Server (Telnet Server is port 23). server port

wait option Defines how long the service will wait for the

Telnet Client connect. The wait options are

defined as follows:

timeout value (0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

TX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting TX WAIT FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the

Telnet Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the Telnet

Server response.

Return Values

NX SUCCESS (0x00)Successful Client connect.

NX_TELNET_ERROR	(0xF0)	Client connect error.
NX_TELNET_NOT_DISCONN	ECTED (0xF4)	Client already connected.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Client pointer.
NX_IP_ADDRESS_ERROR	(0x21)	Invalid IP address.
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this
		service.

Allowed From

Threads

Example

```
/* Connect the Telnet Client instance "my_client" to the Server at
    IP address 1.2.3.4 and port 23. */
status = nx_telnet_client_connect(&my_client, IP_ADDRESS(1,2,3,4), 23, 100);
/* If status is NX_SUCCESS the Telnet Client instance was successfully connected to the Telnet Server. */
```

```
nx_telnet_client_create, nx_telnet_client_delete,
nx_telnet_client_disconnect, nx_telnet_client_packet_receive,
nx_telnet_client_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_create,
nx_telnet_server_delete, nx_telnet_server_disconnect,
nx_telnet_server_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_start,
nx_telnet_server_stop
```

nxd_telnet_client_connect

Connect a Telnet Client with IPv6 or IPv4 address

Prototype

Description

This service attempts to connect the previously created Telnet Client instance to the Server at the specified IP and port using the Telnet Server's IPv6 address. This service can take an IPv4 or an IPv6 address but must be contained in the NXD_ADDRESS variable server_ip_address.

Input Parameters

client_ptr Pointer to Telnet Client control block.

server_ip_address IP Address of Server.

server_port TCP Port of Server (Telnet Server is port 23).

wait_option
Defines how long the service will wait for the

Telnet Client connect. The wait options are

defined as follows:

timeout value (0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

TX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting TX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the Telnet Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the Telnet

Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful Client connect.
NX_TELNET_ERROR	(0xF0)	Client connect error.

NX_TELNET_NOT_DISCONNEC	CTED (0xF4)	Client already connected.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Client pointer.
NX_IP_ADDRESS_ERROR	(0x21)	Invalid IP address.
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this
	,	service

Allowed From

Threads

Example

```
/* Connect the Telnet Client instance "my_client" to the Server at
    IPv6 address 20010db1:0:f101::101 and port 23. */
status = nxd_telnet_client_connect(&my_client, &server_ip_address, 23, 100);
/* If status is NX_SUCCESS the Telnet Client instance was successfully
    connected to the Telnet Server. */
```

```
nx_telnet_client_connect, nx_telnet_client_create, nx_telnet_client_delete, nx_telnet_client_disconnect, nx_telnet_client_packet_receive, nx_telnet_client_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_create, nx_telnet_server_delete, nx_telnet_server_disconnect, nx_telnet_server_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_start, nx_telnet_server_stop
```

nx telnet client create

Create a Telnet Client

Prototype

Description

This service creates a Telnet Client instance.

Input Parameters

client_ptr Pointer to Telnet Client control block.

client_name Name of Client instance.

ip_ptr Pointer to IP instance.

window_size Size of TCP receive window for this Client.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful Client create.
NX_TELNET_ERROR	(0xF0)	Client create error.
NX PTR ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Client or IP pointer.

Allowed From

Initialization, Threads

Example

```
/* Create the Telnet Client instance "my_client" on the IP instance "ip_0". */
status = nx_telnet_client_create(&my_client, "My Telnet Client", &ip_0, 2048);
/* If status is NX_SUCCESS the Telnet Client instance was successfully created. */
```

```
nx_telnet_client_connect, nx_telnet_client_delete,
nx_telnet_client_disconnect, nx_telnet_client_packet_receive,
nx_telnet_client_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_create,
nx_telnet_server_delete, nx_telnet_server_disconnect,
```

nx_telnet_server_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_start, nx_telnet_server_stop

nx telnet client delete

Delete a Telnet Client

Prototype

```
UINT nx_telnet_client_delete(NX_TELNET_CLIENT *client_ptr);
```

Description

This service deletes a previously created Telnet Client instance.

Input Parameters

client_ptr

Pointer to Telnet Client control block.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful Client delete.
NX_TELNET_NOT_DISCONNE	CTED (0xF4)	Client still connected.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Client pointer.
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this
		service.

Allowed From

Threads

Example

```
/* Delete the Telnet Client instance "my_client". */
status = nx_telnet_client_delete(&my_client);

/* If status is NX_SUCCESS the Telnet Client instance was successfully deleted. */
```

```
nx_telnet_client_connect, nx_telnet_client_create,
nx_telnet_client_disconnect, nx_telnet_client_packet_receive,
nx_telnet_client_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_create,
nx_telnet_server_delete, nx_telnet_server_disconnect,
nx_telnet_server_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_start,
nx_telnet_server_stop
```

nx_telnet_client_disconnect

Disconnect a Telnet Client

Prototype

UINT **nx_telnet_client_disconnect**(NX_TELNET_CLIENT *client_ptr, ULONG wait_option);

Description

This service disconnects a previously connected Telnet Client instance.

Input Parameters

client_ptr Pointer to Telnet Client control block.

wait_option
Defines how long the service will wait for the

Telnet Client disconnect. The wait options are

defined as follows:

timeout value (0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

TX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFFF)

Selecting TX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the Talpet Server responds to the request

Telnet Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the Telnet

Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful Client
		disconnect.
NX_TELNET_NOT_CONN	Client not connected.	
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Client pointer.
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this
	. ,	service.

Allowed From

Threads

Example

```
/* Disconnect the Telnet Client instance "my_client". */
status = nx_telnet_client_disconnect(&my_client, 100);

/* If status is NX_SUCCESS the Telnet Client instance was successfully disconnected. */
```

```
nx_telnet_client_connect, nx_telnet_client_create, nx_telnet_client_delete, nx_telnet_client_packet_receive, nx_telnet_client_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_create, nx_telnet_server_delete, nx_telnet_server_disconnect, nx_telnet_server_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_start, nx_telnet_server_stop
```

nx_telnet_client_packet_receive

Receive packet via Telnet Client

Prototype

Description

This service receives a packet from the previously connected Telnet Client instance.

Input Parameters

client_ptr Pointer to Telnet Client control block.

packet_ptr Pointer to the destination for the received packet.

wait_option
Defines how long the service will wait for the

Telnet Client packet receive. The wait options are

defined as follows:

timeout value (0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

TX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting TX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the

Telnet Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the Telnet

Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful Client
		packet receive.
NX_TELNET_ERROR	(0xF0)	Receive packet failed.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Client or packet
		pointer.

NX_CALLER_ERROR (0x11) Invalid caller of this service.

Allowed From

Threads

Example

```
/* Receive a packet from the Telnet Client instance "my_client". */
status = nx_telnet_client_packet_receive(&my_client, &my_packet, 100);
/* If status is NX_SUCCESS the "my_packet" pointer contains data received from the Telnet Client connection. */
```

```
nx_telnet_client_connect, nx_telnet_client_create, nx_telnet_client_delete, nx_telnet_client_disconnect, nx_telnet_client_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_create, nx_telnet_server_delete, nx_telnet_server_disconnect, nx_telnet_server_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_start, nx_telnet_server_stop
```

nx_telnet_client_packet_send

Send packet via Telnet Client

Prototype

Description

This service sends a packet through the previously connected Telnet Client instance.

Input Parameters

client_ptr Pointer to Telnet Client control block.

packet_ptr Pointer to the packet to send.

wait_option
Defines how long the service will wait for the

Telnet Client packet send. The wait options are

defined as follows:

timeout value (0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

TX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFF)

Selecting TX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the

Telnet Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the Telnet

Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS (0x00) Successful Client

packet send.

NX_TELNET_ERROR (0xF0) Send packet failed – caller

is responsible for releasing the packet.

NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Client or packet
		pointer.
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this
		service.

Allowed From

Threads

Example

```
/* Send a packet via the Telnet Client instance "my_client". */
status = nx_telnet_client_packet_send(&my_client, my_packet, 100);
/* If status is NX_SUCCESS the packet was successfully sent. */
```

```
nx_telnet_client_connect, nx_telnet_client_create, nx_telnet_client_delete, nx_telnet_client_disconnect, nx_telnet_client_packet_receive, nx_telnet_server_create, nx_telnet_server_delete, nx_telnet_server_disconnect, nx_telnet_server_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_start, nx_telnet_server_stop
```

nx_telnet_server_create

Create a Telnet Server

Prototype

Description

This service creates a Telnet Server instance on the specified IP instance.

Input Parameters

server_ptr Pointer to Telnet Server control block.

server_name Name of Telnet Server instance.

ip_ptr Pointer to associated IP instance.

stack_ptr Pointer to stack for the internal Server thread.

sack_size Size of the stack, in bytes.

new_connection Application callback routine function pointer. This

routine is called whenever a new Telnet Client connection request is detected by the Server.

receive data Application callback routine function pointer. This

routine is called whenever a new Telnet Client data is present on the connection. This routine is

responsible for releasing the packet.

end_connection Application callback routine function pointer. This

routine is called whenever a Telnet Client

connection is disconnected by the Client. The Server

can also disconnect via the

nx_telnet_server_disconnect service described below.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful Server create.
NX_TELNET_ERROR	(0xF0)	Server create failed.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Server, IP, stack, or
		application callback
		pointers.

Allowed From

Initialization, Threads

Example

```
nx_telnet_client_connect, nx_telnet_client_create, nx_telnet_client_delete, nx_telnet_client_disconnect, nx_telnet_client_packet_receive, nx_telnet_client_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_delete, nx_telnet_server_disconnect, nx_telnet_server_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_start, nx_telnet_server_stop
```

nx_telnet_server_delete

Delete a Telnet Server

Prototype

```
UINT nx_telnet_server_delete(NX_TELNET_SERVER *server_ptr);
```

Description

This service deletes a previously created Telnet Server instance.

Input Parameters

server_ptr Pointer to Telnet Server control block.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful Server delete.
NX_TELNET_ERROR	(0xF0)	Server delete failed.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Server pointer.
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this
		service

Allowed From

Threads

Example

```
/* Delete the Telnet Server instance "my_server". */
status = nx_telnet_server_delete(&my_server);
/* If status is NX_SUCCESS the Telnet Server was successfully deleted. */
```

```
nx_telnet_client_connect, nx_telnet_client_create, nx_telnet_client_delete, nx_telnet_client_disconnect, nx_telnet_client_packet_receive, nx_telnet_client_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_create, nx_telnet_server_disconnect, nx_telnet_server_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_start, nx_telnet_server_stop
```

nx_telnet_server_disconnect

Disconnect a Telnet Client

Prototype

Description

This service disconnects a previously connected Client on this Telnet Server instance. This routine is typically called from the application's receive data callback function in response to a condition detected in the data received.

Input Parameters

server_ptr Pointer to Telnet Server control block.

logical_connection Logical connection corresponding the Client connection on this Server. Valid value range from 0 through NX_TELENET_MAX_CLIENTS.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful Server
		disconnect.
NX_TELNET_ERROR	(0xF0)	Server disconnect failed.
NX_OPTION_ERROR	(0x0A)	Invalid logical connection.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Server pointer.
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this
	, ,	service

Allowed From

Threads

Example

```
/* Disconnect the Telnet Client associated with logical connection 2 on
    the Telnet Server instance "my_server". */
status = nx_telnet_server_disconnect(&my_server, 2);
/* If status is NX_SUCCESS the Client on logical connection 2 was
    disconnected. */
```

See Also

nx_telnet_client_connect, nx_telnet_client_create, nx_telnet_client_delete, nx_telnet_client_disconnect, nx_telnet_client_packet_receive, nx_telnet_client_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_create, nx_telnet_server_delete, nx_telnet_server_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_start, nx_telnet_server_stop

nx_telnet_server_packet_send

Send packet through Client connection

Prototype

Description

This service sends a packet to the Client connection on this Telnet Server instance. This routine is typically called from the application's receive data callback function in response to a condition detected in the data received.

Input Parameters

server_ptr Pointer to Telnet Server control block.

logical connection Logical connection corresponding the Client

connection on this Server. Valid value range from 0

through NX_TELENET_MAX_CLIENTS.

packet_ptr Pointer to the received packet.

wait_option
Defines how long the service will wait for the

Telnet Server packet send. The wait options are

defined as follows:

timeout value (0x00000001 through

0xFFFFFFE)

TX_WAIT_FOREVER (0xFFFFFFFF)

Selecting TX_WAIT_FOREVER causes the calling thread to suspend indefinitely until the Telnet Server responds to the request.

Selecting a numeric value (1-0xFFFFFFE) specifies the maximum number of timer-ticks to stay suspended while waiting for the Telnet

Server response.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful Server packet send.
NX_TELNET_FAILED	(0xF2)	Server packet send failed.
NX_OPTION_ERROR	(0x0A)	Invalid logical connection.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Server pointer.
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this
		service.

Allowed From

Threads

Example

```
/* Send a packet to the Telnet Client associated with logical connection 2 on
the Telnet Server instance "my_server". */
status = nx_telnet_server_packet_send(&my_server, 2, my_packet, 100);
/* If status is NX_SUCCESS the packet was sent to the Client on logical
connection 2. */
```

See Also

nx_telnet_client_connect, nx_telnet_client_create, nx_telnet_client_delete, nx_telnet_client_disconnect, nx_telnet_client_packet_receive, nx_telnet_client_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_create, nx_telnet_server_delete, nx_telnet_server_disconnect, nx_telnet_server_start, nx_telnet_server_stop

nx_telnet_server_start

Start a Telnet Server

Prototype

```
UINT nx_telnet_server_start(NX_TELNET_SERVER *server_ptr);
```

Description

This service starts a previously created Telnet Server instance.

Input Parameters

server_ptr Pointer to Telnet Server control block.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful Server
		start.
NX_TELNET_ERROR	(0xF0)	Server start failed.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Server pointer.

Allowed From

Initialization, Threads

Example

```
/* Start the Telnet Server instance "my_server". */
status = nx_telnet_server_start(&my_server);
/* If status is NX_SUCCESS the Server was started. */
```

```
nx_telnet_client_connect, nx_telnet_client_create, nx_telnet_client_delete, nx_telnet_client_disconnect, nx_telnet_client_packet_receive, nx_telnet_client_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_create, nx_telnet_server_delete, nx_telnet_server_disconnect, nx_telnet_server_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_stop
```

nx_telnet_server_stop

Stop a Telnet Server

Prototype

```
UINT nx_telnet_server_stop(NX_TELNET_SERVER *server_ptr);
```

Description

This service stops a previously created and started Telnet Server instance.

Input Parameters

server_ptr Pointer to Telnet Server control block.

Return Values

NX_SUCCESS	(0x00)	Successful Server
		stop.
NX_TELNET_ERROR	(0xF0)	Server stop failed.
NX_PTR_ERROR	(0x16)	Invalid Server pointer.
NX_CALLER_ERROR	(0x11)	Invalid caller of this
		service.

Allowed From

Threads

Example

```
/* Stop the Telnet Server instance "my_server". */
status = nx_telnet_server_stop(&my_server);
/* If status is NX_SUCCESS the Server was stopped. */
```

```
nx_telnet_client_connect, nx_telnet_client_create, nx_telnet_client_delete, nx_telnet_client_disconnect, nx_telnet_client_packet_receive, nx_telnet_client_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_create, nx_telnet_server_delete, nx_telnet_server_disconnect, nx_telnet_server_packet_send, nx_telnet_server_start
```