

**NAME**

dhclient.leases - DHCP client lease database

**DESCRIPTION**

The Internet Systems Consortium DHCP client keeps a persistent database of leases that it has acquired that are still valid. The database is a free-form ASCII file containing one valid declaration per lease. If more than one declaration appears for a given lease, the last one in the file is used. The file is written as a log, so this is not an unusual occurrence.

The format of the lease declarations is described in **dhclient.conf(5)**.

**FILES**

**/var/lib/dhcp/dhclient.leases**

**SEE ALSO**

dhclient(8), dhcp-options(5), dhclient.conf(5), dhcpd(8), dhcpd.conf(5), RFC2132, RFC2131.

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**dhclient(8)** Information about Internet Systems Consortium can be found at **<https://www.isc.org>**.