

Representations of various DNS resource record ([RR](#)) types.

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#### Classes

##### [RR](#)

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##### class **RR**

Representation common to all DNS resource records.

Member variables:

`_dn` -- a `DomainName` object (see class `gz01.inetlib.DomainName`) about which this [RR](#) stores information.

`_ttl` -- an integer time-to-live, 16-bits long.

`_type` -- The DNS type of this resource record; one of { [RR.TYPE\\_A](#) (DNS A record), [RR.TYPE\\_NS](#) (DNS NS record), [RR.TYPE\\_CNAME](#) (DNS CNAME record), [RR.TYPE\\_SOA](#) (DNS start-of-authority record), [RR.TYPE\\_PTR](#) (DNS PTR record), [RR.TYPE\\_MX](#) (DNS mail exchange record), [RR.TYPE\\_AAAA](#) (DNS IPv6 address record).

`_class` -- the DNS class type of this resource record. Always [RR.CLASS\\_IN](#) for Internet in this implementation (other classes do exist in general).

Methods defined here:

`__init__(self, dn, ttl, rdlength)`  
Initialize a [RR](#) from a user-supplied `DomainName`, `ttl`, and `rdlength`. Note that this [RR](#) class only handles RRs of class `IN` (Internet).

`dn` -- a `DomainName` \*object\* (see class `gz01.inetlib.DomainName`) that this [RR](#) represents.

`ttl` -- a 16-bit integer time-to-live, measured in units of seconds.

`rdlength` -- an integer length of the data field in the [RR](#).  
`his`

is used to compute this [RR](#)'s length, which is subsequently used by subclasses derived from [RR](#).

`__len__(self)`  
Return the length of this [RR](#).

`__str__(self)`  
Return a string rep.

`pack(self)`  
Pack this [RR](#) into a packed-binary string rep and return the string.

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Static methods defined here:

`fromData(data, offset=0)`  
Given user-supplied packed binary data and an optional offset into that data, returns a two-tuple containing a new [RR](#)-derived object and the (compact) length of that object.

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Data and other attributes defined here:

`CLASS_IN = 1`

`TYPE_A = 1`

`TYPE_AAAA = 28`

`TYPE_CNAME = 5`

`TYPE_MX = 15`

`TYPE_NS = 2`

`TYPE_PTR = 12`

`TYPE_SOA = 6`

`TYPE_UNKNOWN = -1`

class `RR_A`([RR](#))

Representation of a DNS [RR](#) of type A (address).

Member variables:

`_addr` -- the Internet address (a packed four-byte quantity constructed using `socket.inet_aton`) that this A record points to.

Methods defined here:

```
__init__(self, dn, ttl, addr)
    Initialize a RR\_A based on a user-supplied parameters.

    dn -- a DomainName object
    ttl -- a 16-bit integer time to live, measured in units of
          seconds.
    addr -- an internet address (a packed four-byte quantity
           constructed using socket.inet_aton).

__repr__(self)
    Return a diagnostic string rep.

__str__(self)
    Return a pretty-printable string rep.

pack(self)
    Return a packed-binary rep.
```

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Methods inherited from [RR](#):

```
__len__(self)
    Return the length of this RR.
```

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Static methods inherited from [RR](#):

```
fromData(data, offset=0)
    Given user-supplied packed binary data and an optional offset
    into that data, returns a two-tuple containing a
    new RR-derived object and the (compact) length of that object.
```

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Data and other attributes inherited from [RR](#):

`CLASS_IN = 1`

`TYPE_A = 1`

`TYPE_AAAA = 28`

`TYPE_CNAME = 5`

`TYPE_MX = 15`

**TYPE\_NS** = 2

**TYPE\_PTR** = 12

**TYPE\_SOA** = 6

**TYPE\_UNKNOWN** = -1

class **RR\_AAAA**([RR](#))

An IPv6 [RR](#).

Methods defined here:

**\_\_init\_\_**(self, dn, ttl, addr)

**\_\_str\_\_**(self)

**pack**(self)

Return a packed-binary rep.

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Methods inherited from [RR](#):

**\_\_len\_\_**(self)

Return the length of this [RR](#).

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Static methods inherited from [RR](#):

**fromData**(data, offset=0)

Given user-supplied packed binary data and an optional offset into that data, returns a two-tuple containing a new [RR](#)-derived object and the (compact) length of that object.

Data and other attributes inherited from [RR](#):

**CLASS\_IN** = 1

**TYPE\_A** = 1

**TYPE\_AAAA** = 28

**TYPE\_CNAME** = 5

**TYPE\_MX** = 15

**TYPE\_NS** = 2

**TYPE\_PTR** = 12

**TYPE\_SOA** = 6

**TYPE\_UNKNOWN** = -1

class **RR\_CNAME**([RR](#))

Representation of a DNS [RR](#) of type CNAME.

Member variables:

`_cname` -- the DomainName that this CNAME record points to.

Methods defined here:

`__init__(self, dn, ttl, cname)`

Initialize a [RR\\_CNAME](#) based on a user-supplied parameters.

`dn` -- a DomainName object

`ttl` -- a 16-bit integer time to live, measured in units of seconds.

`cname` -- the DomainName target of the CNAME entry.

`__repr__(self)`

Return an informative string rep.

`__str__(self)`

Return a pretty-printable string rep.

`pack(self)`

Return a packed-binary rep.

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Methods inherited from [RR](#):

`__len__(self)`

Return the length of this [RR](#).

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Static methods inherited from [RR](#):

**fromData**(data, offset=0)

Given user-supplied packed binary data and an optional offset into that data, returns a two-tuple containing a new [RR](#)-derived object and the (compact) length of that object.

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Data and other attributes inherited from [RR](#):

**CLASS\_IN** = 1

**TYPE\_A** = 1

**TYPE\_AAAA** = 28

**TYPE\_CNAME** = 5

**TYPE\_MX** = 15

**TYPE\_NS** = 2

**TYPE\_PTR** = 12

**TYPE\_SOA** = 6

**TYPE\_UNKNOWN** = -1

class **RR\_NS**([RR](#))

Representation of a DNS [RR](#) of type NS (name server).

Member variables:

[nsdn](#) -- the DomainName of the DNS name server that this [RR\\_NS](#) record points to.

Methods defined here:

**\_\_init\_\_**(self, dn, ttl, nsdn)

Initialize a [RR\\_NS](#) based on a user-supplied parameters.

dn -- a DomainName object referring to the domain name for which

this NS record is about.

ttl -- time to live

nsdn -- the DomainName of the name server that serves dn

**\_\_repr\_\_**(self)

Return a diagnostic rep.

**\_\_str\_\_**(self)

Return a pretty-printable string rep.

**pack**(self)

Return a packed-binary rep.

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Methods inherited from [RR](#):

**\_\_len\_\_**(self)

Return the length of this [RR](#).

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Static methods inherited from [RR](#):

**fromData**(data, offset=0)

Given user-supplied packed binary data and an optional offset into that data, returns a two-tuple containing a new [RR](#)-derived object and the (compact) length of that object.

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Data and other attributes inherited from [RR](#):

**CLASS\_IN** = 1

**TYPE\_A** = 1

**TYPE\_AAAA** = 28

**TYPE\_CNAME** = 5

**TYPE\_MX** = 15

**TYPE\_NS** = 2

**TYPE\_PTR** = 2

**TYPE\_SOA** = 6

**TYPE\_UNKNOWN** = -1

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class **RR\_SOA**([RR](#))

A start-of-authority (SOA) [RR](#).

Methods defined here:

**\_\_copy\_\_**(self)

**\_\_init\_\_**(self, dn, ttl, mname, rname, serial, refresh, retry, expire, minimum)

**\_\_repr\_\_**(self)

**\_\_str\_\_**(self)

**pack**(self)

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Methods inherited from [RR](#):

**\_\_len\_\_**(self)

Return the length of this [RR](#).

Static methods inherited from [RR](#):

**fromData**(data, offset=0)

Given user-supplied packed binary data and an optional offset into that data, returns a two-tuple containing a new [RR](#)-derived object and the (compact) length of that object.

Data and other attributes inherited from [RR](#):

**CLASS\_IN** = 1

**TYPE\_A** = 1

**TYPE\_AAAA** = 28

**TYPE\_CNAME** = 5

**TYPE\_MX** = 15

**TYPE\_NS** = 2

**TYPE\_PTR** = 12

**TYPE\_SOA** = 6

**TYPE\_UNKNOWN** = -1

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#### Functions

**inet\_aton(...)**

[inet\\_aton](#)(string) -> packed 32-bit IP representation

Convert an IP address in string format (123.45.67.89) to the 32-bit packed binary format used in low-level network functions.

**inet\_ntoa(...)**

[inet\\_ntoa](#)(packed\_ip) -> ip\_address\_string

Convert an IP address from 32-bit packed binary format to string format

**inet\_ntop(...)**

[inet\\_ntop](#)(af, packed\_ip) -> string formatted IP address

Convert a packed IP address of the given family to string format.

#### Data



```
AF_INET6 = 30
DEBUG1 = 9
DEBUG2 = 8
FILTER = '..... !"#%&\'()*+,-./.....'
ch = <logging.StreamHandler instance>
chformatter = <logging.Formatter instance>
fh = <logging.handlers.RotatingFileHandler instance>
fhformatter = <logging.Formatter instance>
logfile = './ncsdns.log'
logger = <logging.RootLogger instance>
x = 255
```

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