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The IQUERY method of performing inverse DNS lookups, specified in [RFC 1035](#), has not been generally implemented and has usually been operationally disabled where it has been implemented. Both reflect a general view in the community that the concept was unwise and that the widely-used alternate approach of using pointer (PTR) queries and reverse-mapping records is preferable. Consequently, this document deprecates the IQUERY operation, declaring it entirely obsolete. This document updates [RFC 1035](#).

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This is now a Proposed Standard Protocol.

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