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25 Abstract

26 This document is one of a set of documents, which together describe all aspects of a new Internet Printing Protocol (IPP). IPP is  
27 an application level protocol that can be used for distributed printing using Internet tools and technologies. The protocol is  
28 heavily influenced by the printing model introduced in the Document Printing Application (DPA) [ISO10175] standard.  
29 Although DPA specifies both end user and administrative features, IPP version 1.0 (IPP/1.0) focuses only on end user  
30 functionality.

31 The full set of IPP documents includes:

32 Design Goals for an Internet Printing Protocol [ipp-req] (informational)  
33 Rationale for the Structure and Model and Protocol for the Internet Printing Protocol [ipp-rat] (informational)  
34 Internet Printing Protocol/1.0: Model and Semantics (in progress)

44 document, "Internet Printing Protocol/1.0: Model and Semantics", describes a simplified model with abstract objects, their  
45 attributes, and their operations. The model introduces a Printer and a Job. The Job supports multiple documents per Job. The  
46 model document also addresses how security, internationalization, and directory issues are addressed. The protocol  
47 specification, "Internet Printing Protocol/1.0: Encoding and Transport", is a formal mapping of the abstract operations and  
48 attributes defined in the model document onto HTTP/1.1. The protocol specification defines the encoding rules for a new  
49 Internet media type called "application/ipp".

50 The "Mapping between LPD and IPP Protocols" gives some advice to implementors of gateways between IPP and LPD (Line  
51 Printer Daemon) implementations. It specifies the mapping between (1) the commands and operands of the "Line Printer  
52 Daemon (LPD) Protocol" specified in RFC 1179 and (2) the operations and parameters of the Internet Printing Protocol (IPP).  
53 One of the purposes of this document is to compare the functionality of the two protocols. Another purpose is to facilitate  
54 implementation of gateways between LPD and IPP. This document also provides an example, which gives additional insight  
55 into IPP

56 **WARNING:** RFC 1179 was not on standards track. While RFC 1179 was intended to record existing practice, it fell short in  
57 some areas. However, this specification maps between (1) the actual current practice of RFC 1179 and (2) IPP. This document  
58 does not attempt to map the numerous divergent extensions to the LPD protocol that have been made by many implementers.

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## Mapping between the LPD and IPP Protocols

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### 1. Introduction

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The reader of this specification is expected to be familiar with the IPP Model and Semantics specification [ipp-mod], the IPP Encoding and Transport [ipp-pro], and the Line Printer Daemon (LPD) protocol specification [rfc1179] as described in RFC 1179.

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RFC 1179 was written in 1990 in an attempt to document existing LPD protocol implementations. Since then, a number of undocumented extensions have been made by vendors to support functionality specific to their printing solutions. All of these extensions consist of additional control file commands. This document does not address any of these vendor extensions. Rather it addresses existing practice within the context of the features described by RFC 1179. Deviations of existing practice from RFC 1179 are so indicated.

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Other LPD control file commands in RFC 1179 are obsolete. They are intended to work on "text" only formats and are inappropriate for many contemporary document formats that completely specify each page. This document does not address the support of these obsolete features.

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In the area of document formats, also known as page description languages (PDL), RFC 1179 defines a fixed set with no capability for extension. Consequently, some new PDL's are not supported, and some of those that are supported are sufficiently unimportant now that they have not been registered for use with the Printer MIB [rfc1759] and IPP [ipp-mod] [ipp-pro], though they could be registered if desired. See the Printer MIB specification [rfc1759] and/or the IPP Model specification [ipp-mod] for instructions for registration of document-formats with IANA. IANA lists the registered document-formats as "printer languages".

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This document addresses the protocol mapping for both directions: mapping of the LPD protocol to the IPP protocol and mapping of the IPP protocol to the LPD protocol. The former is called the "LPD-to-IPP mapper" and the latter is called the "IPP-to-LPD mapper".

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This document is an informational document that is not on the standards track. It is intended to help implementors of gateways between IPP and LPD. It also provides an example, which gives additional insight into IPP.

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### 2. Terminology

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The key words "MUST", "MUST NOT", "REQUIRED", "SHOULD", "SHOULD NOT", "RECOMMENDED", "MAY", and "OPTIONAL" in this document are to be interpreted as described in RFC 2119 [abnf].

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RFC 1179 uses the word "command" in two contexts: for over-the-wire operations and for command file functions. This document uses the word "command" for the former and the phrase "functions" for the latter. The syntax of the LPD commands is given using ABNF [abnf].

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### 134 **3. Mapping from LPD Commands to IPP Operations**

135 This section describes the mapping from LPD commands to IPP operations. Each of the following sub-sections appear as sub-  
136 sections of section 5 of RFC 1179.

137 The following table summarizes the IPP operation that the mapper uses when it receives an LPD command. Each section below  
138 gives more detail.

<b>LPD command</b>	<b>IPP operation</b>
print-any-waiting-jobs	<i>ignore</i>
receive-a-printer-job	Print-Job or Create-Job/Send-Document
send queue state (short or long)	Get-Printer-Attributesand Get-Jobs
remove-jobs	Cancel-Job

#### 139 **3.1 Print any waiting jobs**

140 Command syntax:

141     print-waiting-jobs = %x01 printer-name LF

142 This command causes the LPD daemon check its queue and print any waiting jobs. An IPP printer handles waiting jobs without  
143 such a nudge.

144 If the mapper receives this LPD command, iMUSTMUST ignore it and send no IPP operation.

#### 145 **3.2 Receive a printer job**

146 Command syntax:

147     receive-job = %x02 printer-name LF

148 The control file and data files mentioned in the following paragraphs are received via LPD sub-commands that follow this  
149 command. Their mapping to IPP commands and attributes is described later in this section.

150 The mapper maps the 'Receive a printer job' command to either:

- 151     • the Print-Job operation which includes a single data file or
- 152     • the Create-Job operation followed by one Send-Document operation for each data file.

153 If the IPP printer supports both Create-Job and Send-Document, and if a job consists of:

- 160       • more than one data file, the mapper MUST submit each received LPD data file as a separate Print-Job  
161       operation (thereby converting a single LPD job into multiple IPP jobs).

162 If the mapper uses Create-Job and Send-Document, it MUST send the Create-Job operation before it sends any Send-Document  
163 operations whether the LPD control file, which supplies attributes for Create-Job, arrives before or after all LPD data files.

164 NOTE: This specification does*not* specify how the mapper maps: the LPD Printer-name operand to the IPP "printer-uri"  
165 parameter.

166 The following 3 sub-sections gives further details about the mapping from LPD receive-a-printer-job sub-commands. Each of  
167 the following sub-sections appear as sub-sections of section 6 of RFC 1179.

### 168 **3.2.1 Abort job**

169 Sub-command syntax:

170       abort-job = %x1 LF

171 This sub-command of receive-a-printer-job is intended to abort any job transfer in process.

172 If the mapper receives this sub-command, it MUST cancel the job that it is in the process of transmitting.

173 If the mapper is in the process of sending a Print-Job or Create-Job operation, it terminates the job either by closing the  
174 connection, or performing the Cancel-Job operation with the job-uri that it received from the Print-Job or Create-Job operation.

175 NOTE: This sub-command is implied if at any time the connection between the LPD client and server is terminated before an  
176 entire print job has been transferred via an LPD Receive-a-printer-job request.

### 177 **3.2.2 Receive control file**

178 Sub-command syntax:

179       receive-control-file = %x2 number-of-bytes SP name-of-control-file LF

180       number-of-bytes = 1\*DIGIT

181       name-of-control-file = "cfA" job-number client-host-name  
182                                       ; e.g. "cfA123woden"

183       job-number = 3DIGIT

184       client-host-name = <a host name>

185 This sub-command is roughly equivalent to the IPP Create-Job operation.

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191     number-of-bytes = 1*DIGIT
192     name-of-data-file = "df" letter job-number client-host-name
193                       ; e.g. "dfA123woden for the first file
194     letter = %x41-5A / %x61-7A ; "A" to "Z", "a" to "z"
195                       ; first file is "A",
196                       ; second "B", and 52nd file is "z"
197     job-number = 3DIGIT
198     client-host-name = <a host name>

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199 This sub-command is roughly equivalent to the IPP Send-Document operation.

200 The mapper MUST use the contents of the received LPD data file as the data to transmit with the IPP Print-Job or Send-  
201 Document operation.

202 Although RFC-1179 alludes to a method for passing an unspecified length data file by using an octet-count of zero, no  
203 implementations support this feature.. The mapper MUST reject a job that has a value of 0 in the number-of-bytes field.

### 204 3.3 Send queue state (short)

205 Command syntax:

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206     send-queue-short = %x03 printer-name *(SP(user-name / job-number)) LF
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207 The mapper's response to this command includes information about the printer and its jobs. RFC 1179 specifies neither the  
208 information nor the format of its response. This document requires the mapper to follow existing practice as specified in this  
209 document.

210 The mapper MUST produce a response in the following format which consists of a printer-status line optionally followed by a  
211 heading line, and a list of jobs. This format is defined by examples below. Appendix A contains the ABNF syntax.

212 For an printer with no jobs, the response starts in column 1 and is:

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213 no entries
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214 For a printer with jobs, an example of the response is:

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215 pinetree is ready and printing
216 Rank   Owner   Job   Files   Total Size
217 active fred    123   stuff   1204 bytes
218 1st    smith   124   resume, foo 34576 bytes
219 2nd    fred    125   more    99 bytes
220 3rd    mary    126   mydoc   378 bytes
221 4th    iones   127   statistics.ps 4567 bytes

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LPD field	IPP attribute	special conversion details
printer-status	printer-state and printer-state-reasons	For a printer-state of idle or processing, the mapper MUST use the formats above. For stopped, the mapper MUST use printer-state-reasons to produce an unspecified format for the error.
rank owner	number-of-intervening-jobs job-originating-user-name	the mapper MUST use the format above unspecified conversion; job-originating-user-name may be the mapper's user-name
job files	job-id document-name	the mapper MUST use the job-id the mapper MUST create a comma separated list of the document-names and then truncate this list to the first 24 characters
total-size	job-k-octets*copies*1024	the mapper MUST multiply the value of job-k-octets by 1024 and by the value of the "copies" attribute.

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231 A mapper SHOULD use the job attribute number-of-intervening-jobs rather than the job's position in a list of jobs to determine  
232 'rank' because a Printer may omit jobs that it wants to keep secret. If a printer doesn't support the job attribute number-of-  
233 intervening-jobs, a mapper MAY use the job's position.

234 Note: a Printer may set the value of job-originating-user-name to the authenticated user or to the value of "requesting-user-  
235 name", depending on the implementation and configuration. For a gateway, the authenticated user is the user-id of the gateway,  
236 but the "requesting-user-name" may contain the name of the user who is the gateway's client.

237 In order to obtain the information specified above, The LPD-to-IPP mapper MUST use the Get-Printer-Attributes operation to  
238 get printer-status and SHOULD use the Get-Jobs operation to get information about all of the jobs. If the LPD command  
239 contains job-numbers or user-names, the mapper MAY handle the filtering of the response. If the LPD command contains job-  
240 numbers but no user-names, the mapper MAY use Get-Job-Attributes on each converted job-number rather than Get-Jobs. If  
241 the LPD command contains a single user-name but no job-numbers, the mapper MAY use Get-Jobs with the my-jobs option if  
242 the server supports this option and if the server allows the client to be a proxy for the LPD user.

243 NOTE: This specification does *not* define how the mapper maps the LPD Printer-name operand to the IPP "printer-uri"  
244 parameter.

### 245 3.4 Send queue state (long)

246 Command syntax:

247 send-queue-long = %x04 printer-name \*(SP(user-name / job-number)) LF

248 The mapper's response to this command includes information about the printer and its jobs. RFC 1179 specifies neither



256 For a printer with jobs, an example of the response is:

```

257 pinetree is ready and printing
258
259 fred: active                [job 123 tiger]
260       2 copies of stuff    602 bytes
261
262 smith: 1st                  [job 124 snail]
263       2 copies of resume   7088 bytes
264       2 copies of foo      10200 bytes
265
266 fred: 2nd                   [job 125 tiger]
267       more                  99 bytes
268

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269 The column numbers of above headings and job entries are:

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271 |           |           |
272 | 01       | 09       |           |
273 |         |         | 41       |

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274 Although the format of the long form is different from the format of the short form, their fields are identical except for a) the  
 275 copies and host fields which are only in the long form, and b) the “size” field contains the single copy size of each file. Thus  
 276 the sum of the file sizes in the “size” field times the value of the “copies” field produces the value for the “Total Size” field in  
 277 the short form. For fields other than the host and copies fields, see the preceding section. For the host field see the table below.

LPD field	IPP attribute	special conversion details
host		unspecified conversion; job-originating-host may be the mapper's host
copies	copies	the mapper MUST assume the value of copies precedes the string “copies of”; otherwise, the value of copies is 1.

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279 NOTE: This specification *does not* define how the mapper maps the LPD Printer-name operand to the IPP printer-uri  
 280 parameter.

### 281 3.5 Remove jobs

282 Command syntax:

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283 remove-jobs = %x05 printer-name SP agent
284              *(SP(user-name / job-number)) LF

```

285 The agent operand is the user-name of the user initiating the remove-jobs command. The special user-name 'root' indicates a  
 286 privileged user who can remove jobs whose user name differs from the agent

294 If the agent of a remove-jobs command for a job J is the same as the user name specified with the 'P' function in the control file  
295 for job J, then the mapper MUST ensure that the caller of the Cancel-Job command for job J is the same as job-originating-  
296 user for job J.

297 Note: This requirement means that a mapper must be consistent in who the receiver perceives as the caller of IPP operations.  
298 The mapper either acts as itself or acts on behalf of another user. The latter is preferable if it is possible. This consistency is  
299 necessary between Print-Job/Create-Job and Cancel-Job in order for Cancel-Job to work, but it is also desirable for other  
300 operations. For example, Get-Jobs may give more information about job submitted by the caller of this operation.

301 NOTE: This specification does *not* define how the mapper maps: (1) the LPD printer-name to the IPP "printer-uri" or (2) the  
302 LPD job-number to the IPP "job-uri".

303 NOTE: This specification does not specify how the mapper maps the LPD user-name to the IPP job-originating-user because  
304 the mapper may use its own user-name with jobs.

## 305 4. Mapping of LPD Control File Lines to IPP Parameters

306 This section describes the mapping from LPD control file lines (called 'functions') to IPP operation input parameters. The  
307 mapper receives the control file lines via the LPD receive-control-file sub-command.. Each of the LPD functions appear as  
308 sub-sections of section 7 of RFC 1179.

309 In LPD control file lines, the text operands have a maximum length of 31 or 99 while IPP input parameters have a maximum of  
310 255 characters. Therefore, no data is lost.

311 The mapper converts each supported LPD function to its corresponding IPP parameter as defined by tables in the subsections  
312 that follow. These subsections group functions according to whether they are:

- 313 • required with a job,
- 314 • optional with a job
- 315 • required with each document.

316 In the tables below, each LPD value is given a name, such as 'h'. If an IPP value uses the LPD value, then the IPP value  
317 column contains the LPD name, such as 'h' to denote this. Otherwise, the IPP value column specifies the literal value.

### 318 4.1 Required Job Functions

319 The following LPD functions MUST be in a received LPD job. The mapper MUST receive each of the following LPD functions  
320 and MUST include the information as a parameter with each IPP job. The functions SHOULD be in the order 'H', 'P' and they  
321 SHOULD be the first two functions in the control file, but they MAY be anywhere in the control file and in any order.

325 The mapper **MUST** include `ipp-attribute-fidelity=true` so that it doesn't have to determine which attributes a printer supports.

## 326 4.2 Optional Job Functions

327 The following LPD functions **MAY** be in a received job. These function **SHOULD** follow the required job functions and  
328 precede the document functions, but they **MAY** be anywhere in the control file.

329 If the mapper receives such an LPD function, the mapper **MUST** include the corresponding IPP attribute with the value  
330 converted as specified in the table below. If the mapper does not receive such an LPD attribute, the mapper **MUST NOT**  
331 include the corresponding IPP attribute, except the 'L' LPD function whose absence has a special meaning as noted in the  
332 table.

LPD function		description	IPP	
name	value		name	value
J	<i>j</i>	Job name for banner page	job-name	<i>j</i>
L	<i>l</i>	Print banner page	job-sheets	'standard' if 'L' is present 'none' if 'L' is present
M	<i>m</i>	Mail When Printed		IPP has no notification mechanism. To support this LPD feature, the gateway must poll

## 333 4.3 Required Document Functions

334 The mapper **MUST** receive one set of the required document functions with each copy of a document, and **MUST** include the  
335 converted information as parameters with each IPP document

336 If the control file contains required and recommended document functions, the required functions **SHOULD** precede the  
337 recommended ones and if the job contains multiple documents, all the functions for each document are grouped together as  
338 shown in the example of section 6.3 "Required Document Functions". However, the document functions **MAY** be in any order.

LPD function		description	IPP	
name	value		name	value
f	fff	Print formatted file	document-format	'application/octet-stream'
l	fff	Print file leaving control characters	document-format	'application/octet-stream'
o	fff	Print Postscript output file	document-format copies	'application/PostScript' see note

339 Note: In practice, the 'f' LPD function is often overloaded. It is often used with any format of document data including  
340 PostScript and PCL data.

345 If the mapper receives any other lower case letter, the mapper **MUST** reject the job because the document contains a format that  
 346 the mapper does not support.

347 The mapper determines the number of copies by counting the number of occurrences of each 'fff' file with one of the lower-  
 348 case functions above. For example, if 'dfA123woden' occurs 4 times, then copies has a value of 4. Although the LPD protocol  
 349 allows the value of copies to be different for each document, the commands and the receiving print systems don't support this.

#### 350 **4.4 Recommended Document Functions**

351 The mapper **SHOULD** receive one set of the recommended document functions with each document, and **SHOULD** include the  
 352 converted information as parameters with each IPP document. The functions **SHOULD** be received in the order 'U' and 'N',  
 353 but they **MAY** arrive in any order.

LPD function		description	IPP	
name	value		name	value
U	<i>fff</i>	Name of source file	<i>ignored</i>	
N	<i>n</i>		document-name	<i>n</i>

354 Note: the value *fff* of the 'U' function is the name of the data file as transferred, e.g. "dfA123woden".

### 355 **5. Mapping from IPP operations to LPD commands**

356 If the IPP-to-LPD mapper receives an IPP operation, the following table summarizes the LPD command that it uses. Each  
 357 section below gives the detail. Each of the following sub-sections appear as sub-sections of section 3 in the document "Internet  
 358 Printing Protocol/1.0: Model and Semantics" [ipp-mod].

IPP operation	LPD command
Print-Job or Print-URI or Create-Job/Send-Document/Send-URI	receive-a-printer-job and then print-any-waiting-jobs
Validate-Job	implemented by the mapper
Cancel-Job	remove-jobs
Get-Printer-Attributes, Get-Job-Attributes or Get-Jobs	send queue state (short or long)

#### 359 **5.1 Print-Job**

360 The mapper **MUST** send the following commands in the order listed below:

- 361 • receive-a-printer-job command

371 arrived, it produces an error. Other print systems assume that the control file arrives before the data files and start printing  
372 when the first data file arrives. Such a system ignores the control information, such as banner page or copies.

373 NOTE: This specification does not define the mapping between the IPP printer-uri and the LPD printer-name.

374 The mapper MUST send the IPP parameters and attributes received from the operation to the LPD printer by using the LPD  
375 receive-control-file sub-command. The mapper MUST create the LPD job-number for use in the control file name, but the  
376 receiving printer MAY, in some circumstances, assign a different job-number to the job. The mapper MUST create the IPP job-  
377 id and IPP job-uri returned in the Print-Job response.

378 NOTE: This specification does not specify how the mapper determines the LPD job-number, the IPP job-id or the IPP job-uri of  
379 a job that it creates nor does it specify the relationship between the IPP job-uri, IPP the job-id and the LPD job-number, both of  
380 which the mapper creates. However, it is likely that the mapper will use the same integer value for both the LPD job-number  
381 and the IPP job-id, and that the IPP Job-uri is the printer's URI with the job-id concatenated on the end.

382 The mapper MUST send data received in the IPP operation to the LPD printer by using the LPD receive-data-file sub-  
383 command. The mapper MUST specify the exact number of bytes being transmitted in the number-of-bytes field of the receive-  
384 data-file sub-command. It MUST NOT use a value of 0 in this field.

385 If the mapper, while it is transmitting a receive-a-printer-job command or sub-command, either detects that its IPP connection  
386 has closed or receives a Cancel-Job operation, the mapper MUST terminate the LPD job either with the abort sub-command or  
387 the remove-jobs command.

388 Error code conversion is not specified in this document..

## 389 **5.2 Print-URI**

390 The mapper MUST handle this operation in the same way as a Print-Job operation except that MUST obtain data referenced  
391 by the "document-uri" parameter and MUST then treat that data as if it had been received via a Print-Job operation.

## 392 **5.3 Validate-Job**

393 The mapper MUST perform this operation directly. Because LPD supports very few attributes, this operation doesn't have  
394 much to check.

## 395 **5.4 Create-Job**

396 The mapper MUST handle this operation like Print-Job, except

## 405 **5.5 Send-Document**

406 The mapper performs a receive-data-file sub-command on the received data. See the preceding section 5.4 “Create-Job” for the  
407 details.

## 408 **5.6 Send-URI**

409 The mapper **MUST** obtain the data referenced by the “document-uri” parameter, and **MUST** then treat that data as if it had  
410 been received via a Send-Document operation. See the preceding section 5.5 “Send-Document” for the details.

## 411 **5.7 Cancel-Job**

412 The mapper **MUST** perform a remove-jobs command with the following parameters:

- 413 • the printer is the one to which the job was submitted, that is the IPP printer-uri is mapped to an LPD printer-  
414 name by the same mechanism as for all commands.
- 415 • the agent is the authenticated user-name of the IPP client,
- 416 • the job-number is the job-id returned by the Print-Job command, that is, the LPD job-number has the same  
417 value as the IPP job-id for likely implementations.

## 418 **5.8 Get-Printer-Attributes**

419 LPD severely limits the set of attributes that the mapper is able to return in its response for this operation. The mapper **MUST**  
420 support, at most, the following printer attributes:

- 421 • printer-state
- 422 • printer-state-reasons

423 The mapper uses either the long or short form of the “send queue state” command.

424 The mapper **MUST** assume that the LPD response that it receives has the format and information specified in section 3.3 “Send  
425 queue state (short)” and section 3.4 “Send queue state (long)”. The mapper **MUST** determine the value of each requested  
426 attribute by using the inverse of the mapping specified in the two aforementioned sections.

427 Note: the mapper can determine the response from the printer-status line without examining the rest of the LPD response.

## 428 **5.9 Get-Job-Attributes**

437 The mapper uses either the long or short form of the “send queue state” command. If it receives a request for the “job-k-octets”  
438 or “copies” and supports the attribute `ifMUST` use the long form; otherwise, `ifMUST` use the short form.

439 Note: the value of job-k-octets is the value in the short form divided by the number of “copies” which is on the long form only.  
440 Its value can also be determined by adding the “size” field values for each document in the job in the long form.

441 The mapper MUST assume that the LPD response that it receives has the format and information specified in sections “Send  
442 queue state (short)” and section 3.4 “Send queue state (long)”. The mapper MUST determine the value of each requested  
443 attribute by using the inverse of the mapping specified in the two aforementioned sections.

444 Note: when the mapper uses the LPD short form, it can determine the response from the single LPD line that pertains to the job  
445 specified by the Get-Job-Attributes operation.

446 NOTE: the mapper can use its correspondence between the IPP job-id, job-uri and the LPD job-number.

## 447 **5.10 Get-Jobs**

448 The mapper MUST perform this operation in the same way as Get-Job-Attributes except that the mapper converts all the LPD  
449 job-lines, and the IPP response contains one job object for each job-line in the LPD response..

## 450 **6. Mapping of IPP Parameters to LPD Control File Lines**

451 This section describes the mapping from IPP operation input parameters to LPD control file lines (called ‘functions’). The  
452 mapper receives the IPP operation input parameters via the IPP operation. Each of the IPP operation input parameters appear  
453 as sub-sections of section 3 and 4.2 in the IPP model document [ipp-mod].

454 In the context of LPD control file lines, the text operands have a maximum length of 31 or 99 while IPP input parameters have  
455 a maximum of 255 characters. Therefore, there may be some data loss if the IPP parameters exceed the maximum length of the  
456 LPD equivalent operands.

457 The mapper converts each supported IPP parameter to its corresponding LPD function as defined by tables in the subsections  
458 that follow. These subsections group functions according to whether they are:

- 459 • required with a job,
- 460 • optional with a job
- 461 • required with each document.

462 In the tables below, each IPP value is given a name, such as ‘h’. If an LPD value uses the IPP value, then the LPD value  
463 column contains the IPP name, such as ‘h’ to denote this. Otherwise, the LPD value column specifies the literal value.

IPP name	value	LPD function name	value	description
requesting-user-name and in the security layer	<i>u</i>	P	<i>u</i>	User identification

467 A mapper MUST send its own host rather than the client's host, because some LPD systems require that it be the same as the  
 468 host from which the remove-jobs command comes. A mapper MAY send its own user name as user identification rather than  
 469 the client user. But in any case, the values sent MUST be compatible with the LPD remove-jobs operation.

## 470 6.2 Optional Job Functions

471 The mapper MAY include the following LPD functions with each job. They MUST have the specified value if they are sent.  
 472 These functions, if present, MUST follow the required job functions, and they MUST precede the required document functions.

IPP attribute name	value	LPD function name	value	description
job-name	<i>j</i>	J	<i>j</i>	Job name for banner page
job-sheets	'standard'	L	<i>u</i>	Print banner page
job-sheets	'none'			omit 'L' function

473 Note: 'L' has special meaning when it is omitted. If 'J' is omitted, some undefined behavior occurs with respect to the banner  
 474 page.

## 475 6.3 Required Document Functions

476 The mapper MUST include one set of the following LPD functions with each document, and they MUST have the specified  
 477 values. For each document, the order of the functions MUST be 'f', 'U' and then 'N', where 'f' is replicated once for each copy.

IPP attribute name	value	LPD function name	value	description
document-format	'application/octet-stream' or 'application/PostScript'	f	<i>fff</i>	Print formatted file
copies	<i>c</i>			replicate 'f' 'c' times
<i>none</i>		U	<i>fff</i>	Unlink data file
document-name	<i>n</i>	N	<i>n</i>	Name of source file

478 Note: the value *fff* of the 'f' and 'U' functions is the name of the data file as transferred, e.g. "dfA123woden".



484 H tiger  
485 P jones  
486 f dfA123woden  
487 f dfA123woden  
488 f dfA123woden  
489 U dfA123woden  
490 N foo  
491 f dfB123woden  
492 f dfB123woden  
493 f dfB123woden  
494 U dfB123woden  
495 N bar

## 496 7. Security Considerations

497 There are no security issues beyond those covered in the IPP Encoding and Transport document [ipp-pro], the IPP model  
498 document [ipp-mod] and the LPD document [rfc1179].

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## 515 **10. Appendix A: ABNF Syntax for response of Send-queue-state (short)**

516 The syntax in ABNF for the response to the LPD command 'send-queue-state (long)' is:

517 status-response = empty-queue / nonempty-queue  
 518 empty-queue = "no-entries" LF  
 519 nonempty-queue = printer-status LF heading LF \*(job LF)  
 520 printer-status = OK-status / error-status  
 521 OK-status = printer-name SP "ready and printing" LF  
 522 error-status = < implementation dependent status information >  
 523 heading = "Rank" 3SP "Owner" 6SP "Job" 13SP "Files"  
 524 23SP "Total Size" LF  
 525 ; the column headings and their values below begin at the columns  
 526 ; 1, 8, 19, 35 and 63  
 527 job = rank \*SP owner \*SP job \*SP files \*SP total-size "bytes"  
 528 ; jobs are in order of oldest to newest  
 529 rank = "active" / "1st" / "2nd" / "3rd" / integer "th"  
 530 ; job that is printing is "active"  
 531 ; other values show position in the queue  
 532 owner = <user name of person who submitted the job>  
 533 job = 1\*3DIGIT ; job-number  
 534 files = <file name> \*( " , " <file name> ) ; truncated to 24 characters  
 535 total-size = 1\*DIGIT ; combined size in bytes of all documents

## 536 **11. Appendix B: ABNF Syntax for response of Send-queue-state (long)**

537 The syntax in ABNF for the response to the LPD command 'send-queue-state (long)' is:

548 rank = "active" / "1st" / "2nd" / "3rd" / integer "th"  
 549 ; job that is printing is "active"  
 550 ; other values show position in the queue  
 551 owner = <user name of person who submitted the job>  
 552 job = 1\*3DIGIT  
 553 file-name = [ 1\*DIGIT "copies of" SP ] <file name>  
 554 ; truncated to 24 characters  
 555 document-size = 1\*DIGIT ;size of single copy of the document.

## 556 12. Appendix C: Unsupported LPD functions

557 The follow LPD functions have no IPP equivalent. The LPD-to-IPP mapper ignores them and the IPP-to-LPD mapper does not  
 558 send them.

<b>LPD command</b>	
<b>name</b>	<b>description</b>
C	Class for banner page
I	Indent Printing
H	Host of client
M	Mail when printed
S	Symbolic link data
T	Title for pr
W	Width of output
1	troff R font
2	troff I font
3	troff B font
4	troff S font

559 The follow LPD functions specify document-formats which have no IPP equivalent, unless someone registers them. The LPD-  
 560 to-IPP mapper rejects jobs that request such a document format, and the IPP-to-LPD mapper does not send them.

<b>LPD command</b>	
<b>name</b>	<b>description</b>
c	Plot CIF file
d	Print DVI file
g	Plot file
k	reserved for Kerberized clients and servers
n	Print ditroff output file
p	Print file with 'pr' format
r	File to print with FORTRAN carriage control
t	Print troff output file

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