How to Create a PTR/rDNS Record

This Guide will allow you to create a Pointer (PTR) record, also known as a Reverse DNS (rDNS) record, and route it effectively.

VERY IMPORTANT NOTE

*** A PTR/rDNS record is only able to point to <u>ONE IP Address</u>. You cannot point multiple records to a single IP Address as it's against RFC (Remote Function Call). ***

*** Please note that there are 2 work flows to in order to create PTR and rDNS records ***

Workflow 1

Step One:

Log into our Web Manage Portal

User Login
Username
Password
Login
Reset Password

Step Two:

Click on the 'Device Manager' Menu link located at the left of the page

<u>Menu</u>

- Client Profile
- Reports
- Domain Management
- Support
- Device Manager

Step Three:

Select the option 'View IP Addresses' which should populate under the Device Manager Collapse menu

Device Manager
 <u>View DNS Zones</u>
 <u>View Devices</u>
 <u>View Racks</u>
 <u>View Facilities</u>
 <u>View IP Addresses</u>

Step Four:

Click the '+' sign next to the IP Assignment you want to modify

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Step Five:

Click the PTR Link on the last column. It is on the very far right-hand side

IP Addresses					
IP Groups 1-1 of 1 Shown					
Description	Address	Туре	Device	Service	
[–] Default IP Group					
Port 1 - IP Assignment 1		Global			 ptr
Port 1 - IP Assignment 2		Global			ptr
		Global			ptr
		Global			ptr
Port 1 - IP Assignment 3		Global			<u>ptr</u>
Port 1 - IP Assignment 4		Global			<u>ptr</u>
IP Groups 1-1 of 1 Shown					

Step Six:

From the IP's you have listed, select an IP Address, then on the right hand side type the domain you wish to point it to. Click Update on the bottom once finished.

Edit PTR Records							
IP Address	PTR						
	Click checkbox to populate all empty inputs with default value						
	.com						
1. IP Address	2. Where you want to						
	3 Click Undate						
	\checkmark						
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	Update Cancel						

Workflow 2

Please proceed by going through steps 1 and 2 from the previous workflow.

Step 3:

Click on the View Devices link.

Device Manager

View DNS Zones View Devices View Racks View Facilities View IP Addresses

Step 4:

Select the device you wish to create the ptr record in, under device description.



Step 5:

Under IP Assignments on the right hand side of your screen find the IP Block you need and click on the PTR link.

IP ASSIGNMENTS

Address	Description	Owner	VLAN	_
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Step 6:

Continue with step 6 from the above workflow; make sure to click update once completed.

Once the above steps are completed, the PTR/rDNS record(s) should update on our DNS within a few minutes.