

Incremental HTTP Messages

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closed 3 issues, based on feedback at IETF 122

- tri-state [#3041](#)
- requests indicating preferences about responses [#3042](#)
- Intermediaries signaling capability to servers [#3043](#)

merged 2 pull requests

- can buffer header / trailer sections [#3066](#)
- explain what it means to have the incremental signal in both directions [#3067](#)

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- the draft now explicitly states that:
 - HTTP request-response acts as a bi-directional byte stream, if “incremental” is used in both directions and intermediaries respect that
 - but extended CONNECT is better when developing new bi-directional protocols over HTTP

next steps

- WGLC?