

# application.exists

## Description

boolean application.exists(object **filter**)

This method checks if at least one application that matches the given filter criteria exists.

This method is deprecated and will be removed in the future. Please use [application.get](#) instead.

## Parameters

(object) Criteria to search by.

The following parameters are supported as search criteria.

Parameter	Type	Description
hostid	string/array	IDs of the hosts the applications must belong to.
name	string/array	Names of the applications

## Return values

(boolean) Returns true if at least one application that matches the given filter criteria exists.

## Examples

### Check application on host

Check if application "Memory" exists on host "10084."

Request:

```
{
  "jsonrpc": "2.0",
  "method": "application.exists",
  "params": {
    "hostid": "10084",
    "name": "Memory"
  },
  "auth": "3a57200802b24cda67c4e4010b50c065",
  "id": 1
}
```

Response:

```
{
```

```
"jsonrpc": "2.0",  
"result": true,  
"id": 1  
}
```

## Source

CApplication::exists() in *frontends/php/include/classes/api/services/CApplication.php*.

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