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This interface supplied a safe interface to the Netware XQL engine by providing automatic handling of memory buffers. XQL is a multiple record dynamic SQL server so the library had the built in ability to handle multiple record sets. Since the extract buffer format was not known until run time the XQL ability to return field names and formats of the fields in the active fetch buffer was used to dynamically link the fields in the record buffer to the internal fields via field name. There is a built in ability to automatically parse the fields out of the record buffer, do any necessary conversion and store the value in the fields buffer.

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