Subject: Re: Connecting VM eth0 to guest tap device Posted by HRogge on Tue, 10 Apr 2007 07:08:54 GMT

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Okay, I will try to be more specific.

I'm working on a project with a simulated multihop WLAN network (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mobile_ad-hoc_network).

I'm using NS-2 to emulate the OSI-Layers 1 and 2 of a WLAN network. NS-2 opens a number of tap devices to communicate with real TCP/IP network stacks.

I need a way to start a OpenVZ instance that has a simulated network device inside (eth0 for example) that just connects to the tap device on the real computer so that NS-2 gets any traffic which is send to the eth0 device inside the OpenVZ instance.