
Subject: Accessing ALSA sound devices within VPS
Posted by [starfry](#) on Mon, 06 Apr 2009 22:02:56 GMT
[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

Hi,

is it possible to use the host's ALSA sound devices from within a VPS?

I have tried enabling the devnodes:

```
# vzctl set 109 --devnodes snd/hwC0D0:rw
# vzctl set 109 --devnodes snd/controlC0:rw
# vzctl set 109 --devnodes snd/hwC0D1:rw
# vzctl set 109 --devnodes snd/pcmC0D0c:rw
# vzctl set 109 --devnodes snd/pcmC0D0p:rw
# vzctl set 109 --devnodes snd/seq:rw
# vzctl set 109 --devnodes snd/timer:rw
```

The card is listed by asoundconf but I can't get it to work:

```
$ asoundconf list
Names of available sound cards:
Intel
$ asoundconf set-default-card Intel
$ amixer
amixer: Mixer attach default error: No such device
```

I thought I'd ask here before i go any further in case getting this to work in a VPS is a no-go...