Subject: Re: Even worse thing when migrating online Posted by swindmill on Wed, 05 Aug 2009 21:34:42 GMT

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This sounds like an issue I've seen where a bridge's HWaddr changes when interfaces are added or removed from it.

Other machines on the network still have the old HWaddr in their arp cache and cannot communicate with the bridged machine for some period of time after the change occurs.

My workaround is to force the bridge to share it's HWaddr with the physical network interface on the host (ethX) and update the HWaddr to match upon adding or removing an interface.