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Subject: Does NIS work with OpenVZ?

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Does NIS work with OpenVZ?  
ypbind just hangs when I start it:

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# ./init.d/ypbind start
Binding to the NIS domain:                [ OK ]
Listening for an NIS domain server.....
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In /var/log/messages I get this:  
ypbind[24574]: broadcast: RPC: Timed out.

I have ypbind and yp-tools installed. The portmap is running. The  
hostname has the necessary permissions on the server. "domainname"  
returns the correct server name.

I have the NISDOMAIN set in /etc/sysconfig/network

In /etc/yp.conf I have:  
domain xxxxxx broadcast  
This works on non-virtual machines.  
I also tried setting a server name, but it still hangs.

Our network uses an unusual netmask: 255.255.248.0  
Could that be causing a problem?

There's nothing on the wiki about NIS.

My virtual machines are CentOS 4.

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