
Subject: Routing problem

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Hello all,

I have a massive routing problem. My system is running with Debian Etch. VZCTL Version: 3.0.11 It is running on a root server with 1 static IP. A VM is able to ping its host (via public IP) but unable to go to internet.

My iptables seems to be incomplete or I did something wrong else. Am in hope one of you is able to enlight me regarding this.

Here are my configy

HOSTSYSTEM

/etc/network/interfaces

```
iface lo inet loopback
auto lo
```

```
auto eth0
```

```
iface eth0 inet static
    address 85.xx.yy.112
    netmask 255.255.255.0
    broadcast 85.xx.yy.255
    network 85.xx.xx.0
    gateway 85.xx.xx.254
```

```
up sysctl -w net.ipv4.conf.eth0.proxy_arp=1
pre-down sysctl -w net.ipv4.conf.eth0.proxy_arp=0
```

VM have following config:

/etc/network/interfaces

```
auto venet0 lo
```

```
iface venet0 inet static
    address 127.0.0.1
    netmask 255.255.255.255
    broadcast 0.0.0.0
    up route add -net 191.255.255.1 netmask 255.255.255.255 dev venet0
    up route add default gw 191.255.255.1
```

```
iface lo inet loopback
```

```
auto venet0:0
```

```
iface venet0:0 inet static
    address 192.168.0.196
    netmask 255.255.255.255
```

broadcast 0.0.0.0

/etc/resolv.conf

```
nameserver 127.0.0.1
nameserver 85.xx.yy.112
```

It is possible to ping external IP from inside VM

```
ping 85.xx.yy.112
PING 85.xx.yy.112 (85.xx.yy.112) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 85.xx.yy.112: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=0.159 ms
64 bytes from 85.xx.yy.112: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=0.092 ms
64 bytes from 85.xx.yy.112: icmp_seq=3 ttl=64 time=0.094 ms
```

I have chosen an http source for apt

My iptables rules look like this

```
echo "1" > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/ip_forward
iptables -t nat -A FORWARDING -p tcp -d 85.xx.yy.112 --dport 53 -j DNAT --to-destination
192.168.0.196
iptables -t nat -A PREROUTING -i eth0 -p udp -d 85.xx.yy.112 --dport 53 -j DNAT --to-destination
192.168.0.196

iptables -t nat -A PREROUTING -p tcp -d 85.xx.yy.112 --dport 80 -j DNAT --to-destination
192.168.0.196
iptables -t nat -A PREROUTING -i eth0 -p tcp -d 85.xx.yy.112 --dport 80 -j DNAT --to-destination
192.168.0.196
```

And of course not to mention this, its hosts is able to ping that VM as well:

```
ping 192.168.0.196
PING 192.168.0.196 (192.168.0.196) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 192.168.0.196: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=0.150 ms
64 bytes from 192.168.0.196: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=0.093 ms
```

Guess the mistake could be either in /etc/resolv.conf (VM) or to find iptables rules.

I really hope you can tell me where the mistake is.

Kind regards
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