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Subject: **\*SOLVED\*** How do I change date/timezone of VE?

Posted by [dreamwiz](#) on Thu, 21 Sep 2006 12:13:28 GMT

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Title says everything. I've tried all the normal \*nix tools for this (rdate, date etc. which say operation not permitted), copied timezone file /etc/localtime etc.

How do you change the timezone for VE?

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Subject: Re: How do I change date/timezone of VE?

Posted by [dreamwiz](#) on Thu, 21 Sep 2006 12:50:08 GMT

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Solution:

Stop VE `vzctl stop 101`

in HD node, run:

`vzctl set 101 --capability sys_time:on --save`

Start VE: `vzctl start 101`

Enter VE: `vzctl enter 101`

`mv /etc/localtime /etc/localtime.old`

`ln -s /usr/share/zoneinfo/Europe/Helsinki /etc/localtime`

`date 092115442006` (09 = Month, 21 = day, 15 = hour, 44=minutes, 2006 = year)

run date to check your time is right. That's it!

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Subject: Re: **\*SOLVED\*** How do I change date/timezone of VE?

Posted by [webworx](#) on Sat, 31 Oct 2009 18:16:45 GMT

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Thanks, that was VERY helpful

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