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Posted by [efball](#) on Sat, 06 Jan 2007 00:31:58 GMT

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Could that be causing a problem?

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Subject: Re: Does NIS work with OpenVZ?

Posted by [efball](#) on Sat, 06 Jan 2007 00:36:40 GMT

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Nevermind. I got NIS working. I needed to specify the server name, and put that server in /etc/hosts.

On Fri, Jan 05, 2007 at 04:31:58PM -0800, E Frank Ball wrote:

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