Subject: Discovering VE0 from within a VE
Posted by jmelyn on Tue, 05 Feb 2008 13:23:01 GMT
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Hi there,

My question is: Is it possible to know the name of the host OS (VE0) directly from a VE?

Thanx in advance,

JMElyn.

Subject: Re: Discovering VE0 from within a VE
Posted by kir on Tue, 05 Feb 2008 13:25:00 GMT
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What do you mean by name?

Subject: Re: Discovering VE0 from within a VE
Posted by jmelyn on Tue, 05 Feb 2008 13:39:09 GMT
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I would like to know ${HOSTNAME} of VE0. This is not so static as a VE can migrate from a HN to another one.

Subject: Re: Discovering VE0 from within a VE
Posted by kir on Tue, 05 Feb 2008 13:44:30 GMT
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You can't know the hostname. You can know host system IP though if you run traceroute/tracepath to some remote IP, as every packet goes through host system.

Subject: [SOLVED] Re: Discovering VE0 from within a VE
Posted by jmelyn on Tue, 05 Feb 2008 14:00:31 GMT
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So the command:

traceroute aComputer | awk '/^ 1 / {print $2}'

will give me the name of the host! That's finally rather simple
Thank you Kir!