

## RE: Hping/Ping

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Ingo, you are a lifesaver!

intr\_queue\_drops was rising very quickly, after changing queue\_maxlen to 500 (from 50) the problems all went away. What's a reasonable value for that for a high load box (5000+ interrupts a second) ?

Also, while over a 1000 pings have gone through fine now, a minute or two after I made the change I saw this --

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64 bytes from x.x.x.x: icmp_seq=25 ttl=255 time=0.465 ms
ping: sendto: No buffer space available
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64 bytes from x.x.x.x: icmp_seq=35 ttl=255 time=0.294 ms
```

It hasn't happened again (and I hope it doesn't) – but is that something I should look for?

Thank you again – very much  
Dave

-----Original Message-----

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Cc: freebsd-net@xxxxxxxxxxxx  
Subject: RE: Hping/Ping

Dear Dave,

some more ideas:

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sysctl -a | fgrep ip.intr_qu
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Kind regards,  
Ingo Flaschberger

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