

[SUMMARY] Nameserver Access

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Shame on me, i should have read the FAQ more thoroughly.

Caspar Dik send me these:

The solaris FAQ says:

5.71) My dial-on-demand link keeps dialing out, seems DNS related.

The nscd (name service cache daemon) tries to keep a hotlist of hosts; these hosts are refreshed regularly so they won't get removed from the cache. This feature should be disabled on systems with dial-on-demand links. Edit /etc/nscd.conf and make the hot-count line for hosts read like this:

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keep-hot-count hosts 0
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---- end of excerpt from the FAQ

The most recently posted version of the FAQ is available from

<http://www.science.uva.nl/pub/solaris/solaris2/>

-----Urspr|ngliche Nachricht-----

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Betreff: Nameserver Access

Hi Managers,

I set up a Blade100 (Solaris 9) at home and configured a dial up for remote access to my company via an ISDN Router. The Blade and the router are connected via Ethernet. Every few minutes the Blade tries to do a DNS reverse lookup for his own Name, causing a dialup. Does anyone knows why the Blade is doing this and how to prevent it short of putting a filter on the router ?

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