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Thread: [Guys help with 1and1 CP](#)

Purefication - May 9, 2016, 2:06 am

So i have a domain and a host there...

and when i click on start a new project it offers me only their webaddress like

<http://sfasffafas959.apps-1and1.com/>

and tells me " No domains are free so we use this one " what to do?

D3xus - May 9, 2016, 10:28 am

If you have a paid domain, you should be able to connect it to FTP hosting with a hosting provider like GoDaddy, HostGator, etc. Not every domain manager will explicitly have hosting, however. Where is your domain currently hosted?

Purefication - May 9, 2016, 11:42 am

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Rushax - May 9, 2016, 7:51 pm

As D3xus said it can be an advantage having both all under one, however the only trouble that could occur is the price of renewal increasing significantly and the problem it may be to transfer DNS records.

OP there are a lot of tutorials on how to transfer over DNS records if you have a separate hosting provider to your domain provider. I do it all the time to keep costs as low as possible. A lot of companies have only tuts to follow for this as others have mentioned or try Google.