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Thread: [Easy Fix for not being able to access the site.](#)

Syed - November 28, 2010, 1:14 pm

This is a fix to the DNS problem HF is having

Well seeing as I had the same problem just now, I'll tell you how I fixed it.

It's very simple and uses [Google's DNS](#). You can also use any of these [DNS servers](#) the same way.

I don't know if it's just working for me or it will work for you guys as well. I know Omni said it should soon be fixed but I'll just leave this here for you impatient people.

You go to your network connections. Choose properties.

[img]http://min.us/icWA8M.png[/img]

Choose TCP/IP and choose properties.

[img]http://min.us/icSusM.png[/img]

Enter the following into the following box.

[img]http://min.us/icWCGU.png[/img]

Gizmo - November 28, 2010, 1:14 pm

Thank you sir!

This is always good information :D

Thanks again =]

Syed - November 28, 2010, 1:20 pm

You're welcome, I just used my ISP's DNS server and tried accessing the site and it didn't work, then tried Google's DNS server and it worked.

This should help some people.

?CoolDude? - November 28, 2010, 1:33 pm

I just tried this and I couldn't connect to HackForums.

Syed - November 28, 2010, 1:38 pm

(Nov 28, 2010 02:35 PM)deandonno Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#)

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=854831&pid=7979356#pid7979356>

Didn't see your post, and google dns would be much more reliable anyway.

@CoolDude you need to put www. in front of hackforums.net for it to work.

Beznia - November 28, 2010, 1:41 pm

Yeah, Linksys wont work for me. I'm using my neighbors ip :P

Syed - November 28, 2010, 1:41 pm

(Nov 28, 2010 02:40 PM)deandonno Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) google DNS it top of the list there but but is not best for other country's such as china and parts of india
I'll add that site to the OP then. Thanks.

Mr. 8 - November 28, 2010, 1:43 pm

(Nov 28, 2010 02:41 PM)Syed Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'll add that site to the OP then. Thanks.
No problem I'm still new here and always try to help

Syed - November 28, 2010, 1:44 pm

(Nov 28, 2010 02:41 PM)RACECAR Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Yeah, Linksys wont work for me. I'm using my neighbors ip :P
I'm using a Linksys router as well, works for me so it should work for you.

Chill.Out - November 28, 2010, 1:49 pm

I use opendns instead, that works well.

Omniscient - November 28, 2010, 1:51 pm

Google DNS is the best. They are without doubt the best DNS you can use.

Secondary Allignment - November 28, 2010, 1:53 pm

^ Gratz on 12,000 in 2 more posts. And , thanks for this, well needed

d3adz3r0 - November 28, 2010, 2:00 pm

hey even i tried.. i was able to access all other sites but HF :(TOO BAD..

Syed - November 28, 2010, 2:06 pm

(Nov 28, 2010 02:51 PM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Google DNS is the best. They are without doubt the best DNS you can use.
Glad we agree.

To everyone saying it's not working try adding "www." in front of "hackforums.net".

It's working for me so it should work for you.
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MVJESTIC - November 28, 2010, 2:21 pm

Good tutorial, this would've helped me earlier.

iphonejuul - November 28, 2010, 3:05 pm

~I LOVE YOU!~
thank you so much

Syed - November 28, 2010, 3:07 pm

(Nov 28, 2010 04:05 PM)Injection™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) ~I LOVE YOU!~
thank you so much
No problem, glad to help HF's members out.

Zach - November 28, 2010, 3:46 pm

Good tutorial Syed, good work with it.

Sure will help.

Syed - November 28, 2010, 3:49 pm

(Nov 28, 2010 04:46 PM)Zach Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Good tutorial Syed, good work with it.

Sure will help.

Thanks, saw so many threads asking why they couldn't connect so I thought I'd show them how I fixed it.

Rippin™ - November 28, 2010, 5:16 pm

It isn't working for me. I'm on a proxy and I still can't access HF on my IP. Any other methods?

Edit: Google DNS did not work for me but OpenDNS did. thanks.

Symbiotic - November 28, 2010, 5:23 pm

I just restart my router and modem; it works perfectly...