

# VMWare Fusion and vlans interfaces ...

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Dec 14, 2007 Hello,

I am trying to get VMWare Fusion working to work with a bridged interface to a vlan tagged (802.1q) interface on Leopard. I can get a host only and NAT but binds to the wrong interface. Has anyone got this to work? I am running Vmware 1.1

Thanks.



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Nov 12, 2007 **1. Re: VMWare Fusion and vlans interfaces** Dec 17, 2007 7:50 AM

Are you looking for the How to force Fusion to use a specific interface?

Refer this KB Article # 1001875 to change network connection mapping in VMware Fusion

<http://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?cmd=displayKC&docType=kc&externalId=1001875>



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Dec 17, 2007 **2. Re: VMWare Fusion and vlans interfaces** Dec 17, 2007 8:15 AM

 in response to: [MandarMS](#) MandarMS wrote:

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<http://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?cmd=displayKC&docType=kc&externalId=1001875>This no longer seems to work with Fusion 1.1. I re-edited the boot.sh file after the upgrade and I can no longer force the VM to a specific interface.

Anyone have it working?



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Oct 20, 2005 **3. Re: VMWare Fusion and vlans interfaces** Dec 17, 2007 10:42 AM

 in response to: [jayc67](#) There are details on Fusion's networking internal in Dave's excellent whitepaper: [How to modify Fusion network settings whitepaper](#)



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Jun 19, 2009 **4. Re: VMWare Fusion and vlans interfaces** Jun 23, 2009 10:10 AM

 in response to: [MandarMS](#) Hello,

1. I need to connect two virtual interfaces on a single VM

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back-to-back, similar to a crossover connection between two physical ports.

2. I also have 802.1q running on 2 VMs but I am unable to ping between the VM vlans . The ethernet port on the switch that the MAC (apple) connects to is a trunk port and the VM mac addresses show up in the mac-table on the switch in the relevant vlans.

Any ideas?

Thanks.



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Mar 24, 2008 5. **Re: VMWare Fusion and vlans interfaces** Jun 23, 2009 5:08 PM

hi jsmith,

I am presuming that you want to bridge to a VLAN interface created on the host. We don't support bridging to VLANs on Fusion, although we are considering adding this feature if there strong use case for it. Pls. watch out for Beta2.

thanks!