

Re: telnet localhost

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John wrote:

- > *Absolute newbie question, when I type the following:*
- > *telnet localhost*
- > *I get the following error:*
- > *Connecting To localhost...Could not open connection to the host, on port*
- > *23: Connect failed*
- >
- > *Is this normal? If not, how do I resolve the problem, ping works and my*
- > *hosts file maps localhost to 127.0.0.1*

Do you really have a service or application listening on port 23? Could it be some other port? Get a copy of tcpview from www.sysinternals.com and see what is really listening on your box.

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