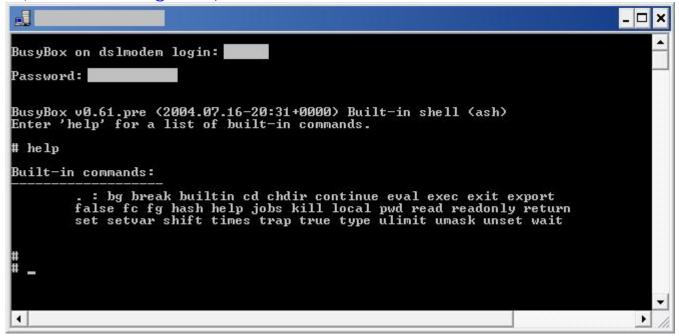
Subject: Different Telnet information than normal. Posted by Dave Anderson on Fri, 23 Feb 2007 04:16:31 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I was fiddling with Telnet and decided to connect to my parents computer which houses the router. Upon connecting I got prompted for a username and password, so I just guessed and it connected. Now this isn't what Telnet usually looks like when connected to a local computer on the network, so I am curious if anyone here knows if this is Telnet on my router or is it Telnet on my ISP's end?

Here is a screenshot of what the connection information looks like:

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1) Interesting.JPG, downloaded 448 times



Subject: Re: Different Telnet information than normal. Posted by Blazer on Fri, 23 Feb 2007 06:09:03 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

busybox is a stripped down unix command line environment sometimes used in the firmware of small network devices, including Linksys.

Subject: Re: Different Telnet information than normal. Posted by light on Fri, 23 Feb 2007 07:03:19 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Yeah, I got this recently whilst trying to get Ubuntu Edgy going on my laptop.

Subject: Re: Different Telnet information than normal. Posted by Jonty on Fri, 23 Feb 2007 07:49:35 GMT

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Yup, this is what I get when I telnet to my router.

The router's pretty clever, it runs a stripped-down MontaVista Linux on a Texas Instruments CPU. In theory, I could use the spare flash memory to store and run an IRC bouncer on it, but I'd have to write one really small first.

Subject: Re: Different Telnet information than normal. Posted by Dave Anderson on Fri, 23 Feb 2007 12:56:51 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Interesting. Thanks guys.