

## OS Forums Guide#

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Project members are encouraged to [post](#) instead of using private email. Pick a forum to post to based on what you'd like to say or ask:

Name	What to post	
<a href="#">OSTech</a>	Talk about code: -bug reports, -bug fixes, -code implementation, -system architecture. Post about tech topics like: -SMP / processes and memory management / Libraries/ Interrupt/ scheduling / magic / partitioning. Propose new code fixes or features. Post anything about the code itself. Post about anything linked from the <a href="#">OS Tech</a> or <a href="#">OS Source Guide</a> wiki pages.	
<a href="#">OSDev</a>	Post about: -compile/build/debug problems and questions. -build tool chain Post your "make clean" or any build-related warnings. Post about any thing mentioned on the <a href="#">OS Developer</a> wiki pages	
<a href="#">OSRev</a>	Code Reviews: -Post your changes, in the form of diffs or zip files of old and new source. -Post any code changes to the OS for which you need other people to review. (QNX Kernel process requires all procnto changes to be code reviewed.) -Post your comments on other people's diffs here too.	
<a href="#">OSMeta</a>	Post about everything else. Including: -issues of the os wiki infrastructure: wiki layout, organization, bugs, admin issues. -any OS or kernel general issue not covered in the other forums -beginner and general questions.	

See posting status at the [OS Forums Status](#) page.

## **Posting guidelines#**

Someone suggested the rule "If you wouldn't say it to your Mom, don't post it here." But "mom" includes Dilbert's mom who can tell the difference between packet-routing networks and circuit-switching networks, and is, in general a bigger geek than Dilbert. So the only rules are:

- All postings must be civil.
- Off-topic posts must be humorous and not dominate the group.

## **How to create a new forum#**

Propose the new forum with a posting to [OSMeta](#) and ask for comments. When a consensus is reached a project admin will create the group. Do the same if you think an existing group's mandate should be changed.