

NAME

/var/yp/nicknames - nickname translation table for NIS maps

DESCRIPTION

nicknames contains a list of aliases and the corresponding NIS maps. There is one entry per line. The default **nicknames** table looks like:

passwd	passwd.byname
group	group.byname
networks	networks.byaddr
hosts	hosts.byname
protocols	protocols.bynumber
services	services.byname
aliases	mail.aliases
ethers	ethers.byname

SEE ALSO

ypcat(1), **ypmatch(1)**, **ypserv(8)**, **ypwhich(1)**

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