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Zero-Configuration DNS for Any IP

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No need for custom hostname and IP address mappings in your /etc/hosts file anymore.

What's the alternative?

https://nip.io

A free service, that maps any IP Address to a hostname using various formats.

No configuration needed.

Use the examples on the next 2 pages as a starting point.

Without a Name

192.168.1.116.nip.io

maps to

192.168.1.116

192-168-1-116.nip.io

maps to

192.168.1.116

With a Name

author.192.168.1.116.nip.io

maps to

192.168.1.116

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publish.192.168.1.116.nip.io

maps to

192.168.1.116

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dispatcher.192.168.1.116.nip.io

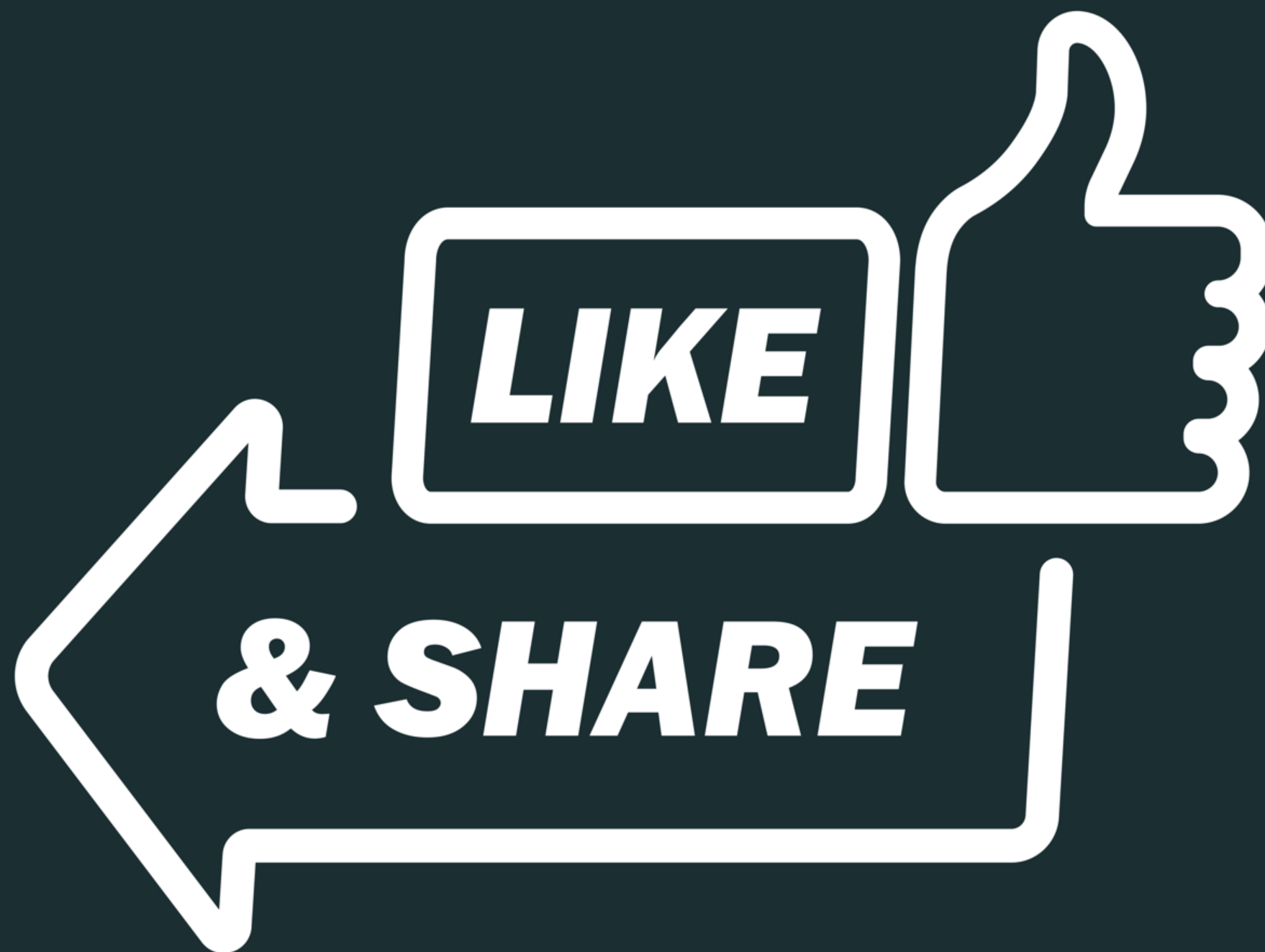maps to

192.168.1.116

And as a Bonus

Here is a One-liner
to return your IP address on a Mac,
checking Ethernet first and then WiFi.

You know, for scripting...

```
ipconfig getifaddr en1 || ipconfig getifaddr en0
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