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Various questions, issues, etc. come up from time to time. Answers and workarounds will be collected here as Tech Notes.

- [TN1](#) — ZooKeeper watches are single threaded.
- [TN2](#) — InterProcessMutex acquire() can be used to return immediately if lock can't be acquired.
- [TN3](#) — Dealing with session failure.
- [TN4](#) — ZooKeeper makes a very bad Queue source.
- [TN5](#) — The APIs in Apache Curator are exactly the same as Netflix Curator.
- [TN6](#) — Friends don't let friends write ZooKeeper recipes
- [TN7](#) — Do not use paths passed to Curator recipes.
- [TN8](#) — Curator logging can be customized.
- [TN9](#) — NOTE: PathChildrenCache now uses getData() instead of checkExists().
- [TN10](#) — JVM pauses can cause unexpected client state with improperly chosen session timeouts.
- [TN11](#) — Curator internally wraps Watchers.
- [TN12](#) — Curator connection semantics
- [TN13](#) — Guava usage in Curator
- [TN14](#) — Session expiration in Curator