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Subject: Performance Question

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Hi all,

we have done some performance tests running our mail-gateway software on OpenVZ. OpenVZ is extremely fast compared to other solutions, but we still get a 20% performance loss compared to running native. Our benchmark put the server under extremely high load (50 postfix smtpd, 40 spamassassin, 40 postgres database connections, ...). The Benchmark measures the maximum throughput of mails (Mails/second).

Is that 20% loss normal, or is it possible to improve that?

- Dietmar

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