
Subject: Re: Switch to new red hat 5 kernel
Posted by [dev](#) on Thu, 15 Mar 2007 12:00:28 GMT
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Martin,

I guess Xen?

Thanks,
Kirill

> Hi Kirill,

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> sorry for the off-topic but as I seen the news post from Redhat they
> offer virtualization with RHEL5, GUI for management and other nice
> features. Do you have any idea what virtualization product they use for
> this purpose?

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> Regards,

> Martin

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> Kirill Korotaev wrote:

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>>There are different options:

>>- for new servers I would suggest to use RHEL5 distro/RHEL5-OVZ kernel

>>- for old servers you can still continue to use RHEL4-OVZ kernel,

>> as it will keep being updated for a long time yet.

>>- if you want some new features from RHEL5-OVZ kernel, but don't

>> want to upgrade host OS itself, it should not be a big problem

>> to install RHEL5-OVZ kernel only and update OVZ related tools.

>> (you may need to create a correct initrd, but no major obstacles here)

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>>>Hi, I'm subscribed to the OpenVZ news/blog in my rss reader. Today I

>>>received a notice that the current stable kernel would be switched to the

>>>red hat 5 kernel. Specifically this was the comment:

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>>>Our internal testing shows this RHEL5 kernel is pretty good, so it will

>>>replace our current stable branch real soon.

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>>>How will this affect current RH 4 systems running OpenVZ. Will we simply be

>>>able to install the new kernel while keeping all of the rest of the system

>>>at the RH 4 level?

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>>>Or will we need to install RH 5 and use the Openvz kernel based off of RH 5

>>>to keep our systems up to date with the stable kernel branch?
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>>You don't need to install RH5 until you want some new specific features.
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>>Thanks,
>>Kirill
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