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Subject: Re: [PATCH RESEND 2/2] Fix some kallsyms\_lookup() vs rmmod races  
Posted by [Rusty Russell](#) on Sat, 17 Mar 2007 10:36:33 GMT

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On Fri, 2007-03-16 at 12:49 -0800, Andrew Morton wrote:

> > Ok, I've just done a few tests with the attached patch. It basically  
> > creates a freeze\_machine\_run function that is equivalent in interface to  
> > stop\_machine\_run, but uses freeze\_processes / thaw\_processes to stop the  
> > machine.

I've never been convinced that the freezer was a good idea.  
stop\_machine is a damn big hammer, but it works.

Rusty.

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