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Subject: Re: openvz and SuSE  
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Daniel Bauer wrote:

>>> Why is the stuff double in private and root, I thought that the root  
>>> is only the mounted stuff from private?

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>> It is not doubled. You can think of it as a bind mount (although it's  
>> a bit more than that).

>> Private is a source for mount (i.e. what we mount), while root is a  
>> mountpoint (i.e. where we mount it).

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> ok, that is what I understood, but when I stop the VPS, the root is  
> still full of content, shouldn't it be unmounted?

vzctl stop does unmounting of the root area. If you stop VPS from within  
a VPS itself, the mount is still there -- and you can umount manually  
(vzctl umount NNN).

Creating a cron job for that is problematic - you can not distinguish a  
case there you stopped VPS from inside so it needs to be unmounted from  
the case there you just mounted a VPS (say, to do some maintenance). So  
it is left as is, since there is no problem to left it mounted - it does  
not consume much resources etc.

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