
Subject: [PATCH 04/10] sysctl: Fix neighbour table sysctls.

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- In ipv6 ndisc_ifinfo_sysctl_change so it doesn't depend on binary sysctl names for a function that works with proc.
- In neighbour.c reorder the table to put the possibly unused entries at the end so we can remove them by terminating the table early.
- In neighbour.c kill the entries with questionable binary sysctl handling behavior.
- In neighbour.c if we don't have a strategy routine remove the binary path. So we don't the default sysctl strategy routine on data that is not ready for it.

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net/core/neighbour.c | 75 ++++++-----
net/ipv6/ndisc.c     | 24 +++++-----
2 files changed, 49 insertions(+), 50 deletions(-)
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diff --git a/net/core/neighbour.c b/net/core/neighbour.c
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index ca2a153..27c3f4e 100644
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--- a/net/core/neighbour.c
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+++ b/net/core/neighbour.c
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@@ -2498,7 +2498,6 @@ static struct neigh_sysctl_table {
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    .proc_handler = &proc_dointvec,
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    },
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    {
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- .ctl_name = NET_NEIGH_RETRANS_TIME,
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    .procname = "retrans_time",
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    .maxlen = sizeof(int),
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    .mode = 0644,
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@@ -2543,27 +2542,40 @@ static struct neigh_sysctl_table {
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    .proc_handler = &proc_dointvec,
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    },
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    {
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- .ctl_name = NET_NEIGH_ANYCAST_DELAY,
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    .procname = "anycast_delay",
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    .maxlen = sizeof(int),
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    .mode = 0644,
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    .proc_handler = &proc_dointvec_userhz_jiffies,
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    },
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    {
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- .ctl_name = NET_NEIGH_PROXY_DELAY,
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    .procname = "proxy_delay",
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    .maxlen = sizeof(int),
    .mode = 0644,
    .proc_handler = &proc_dointvec_userhz_jiffies,
},
{
- .ctl_name = NET_NEIGH_LOCKTIME,
  .procname = "locktime",
  .maxlen = sizeof(int),
  .mode = 0644,
  .proc_handler = &proc_dointvec_userhz_jiffies,
},
{
+ .ctl_name = NET_NEIGH_RETRANS_TIME_MS,
+ .procname = "retrans_time_ms",
+ .maxlen = sizeof(int),
+ .mode = 0644,
+ .proc_handler = &proc_dointvec_ms_jiffies,
+ .strategy = &sysctl_ms_jiffies,
+ },
+ {
+ .ctl_name = NET_NEIGH_REACHABLE_TIME_MS,
+ .procname = "base_reachable_time_ms",
+ .maxlen = sizeof(int),
+ .mode = 0644,
+ .proc_handler = &proc_dointvec_ms_jiffies,
+ .strategy = &sysctl_ms_jiffies,
+ },
+ {
  .ctl_name = NET_NEIGH_GC_INTERVAL,
  .procname = "gc_interval",
  .maxlen = sizeof(int),
@@ -2592,22 +2604,7 @@ static struct neigh_sysctl_table {
  .mode = 0644,
  .proc_handler = &proc_dointvec,
},
- {
- .ctl_name = NET_NEIGH_RETRANS_TIME_MS,
- .procname = "retrans_time_ms",
- .maxlen = sizeof(int),
- .mode = 0644,
- .proc_handler = &proc_dointvec_ms_jiffies,
- .strategy = &sysctl_ms_jiffies,
- },
- {
- .ctl_name = NET_NEIGH_REACHABLE_TIME_MS,
- .procname = "base_reachable_time_ms",
- .maxlen = sizeof(int),
- .mode = 0644,

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- .proc_handler = &proc_dointvec_ms_jiffies,
- .strategy = &sysctl_ms_jiffies,
- },
+ {}
},
.neigh_dev = {
{
@@ -2660,42 +2657,48 @@ int neigh_sysctl_register(struct net_device *dev, struct neigh_parms
*p,
t->neigh_vars[9].data = &p->anycast_delay;
t->neigh_vars[10].data = &p->proxy_delay;
t->neigh_vars[11].data = &p->locktime;
+ t->neigh_vars[12].data = &p->retrans_time;
+ t->neigh_vars[13].data = &p->base_reachable_time;

if (dev) {
dev_name_source = dev->name;
t->neigh_dev[0].ctl_name = dev->ifindex;
- t->neigh_vars[12].procname = NULL;
- t->neigh_vars[13].procname = NULL;
- t->neigh_vars[14].procname = NULL;
- t->neigh_vars[15].procname = NULL;
+ /* Terminate the table early */
+ memset(&t->neigh_vars[14], 0, sizeof(t->neigh_vars[14]));
} else {
dev_name_source = t->neigh_dev[0].procname;
- t->neigh_vars[12].data = (int *) (p + 1);
- t->neigh_vars[13].data = (int *) (p + 1) + 1;
- t->neigh_vars[14].data = (int *) (p + 1) + 2;
- t->neigh_vars[15].data = (int *) (p + 1) + 3;
+ t->neigh_vars[14].data = (int *) (p + 1);
+ t->neigh_vars[15].data = (int *) (p + 1) + 1;
+ t->neigh_vars[16].data = (int *) (p + 1) + 2;
+ t->neigh_vars[17].data = (int *) (p + 1) + 3;
}

- t->neigh_vars[16].data = &p->retrans_time;
- t->neigh_vars[17].data = &p->base_reachable_time;

if (handler || strategy) {
/* RetransTime */
t->neigh_vars[3].proc_handler = handler;
t->neigh_vars[3].strategy = strategy;
t->neigh_vars[3].extra1 = dev;
+ if (!strategy)
+ t->neigh_vars[3].ctl_name = CTL_UNNUMBERED;
/* ReachableTime */
t->neigh_vars[4].proc_handler = handler;

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    t->neigh_vars[4].strategy = strategy;
    t->neigh_vars[4].extra1 = dev;
+   if (!strategy)
+   t->neigh_vars[4].ctl_name = CTL_UNNUMBERED;
    /* RetransTime (in milliseconds)*/
-   t->neigh_vars[16].proc_handler = handler;
-   t->neigh_vars[16].strategy = strategy;
-   t->neigh_vars[16].extra1 = dev;
+   t->neigh_vars[12].proc_handler = handler;
+   t->neigh_vars[12].strategy = strategy;
+   t->neigh_vars[12].extra1 = dev;
+   if (!strategy)
+   t->neigh_vars[12].ctl_name = CTL_UNNUMBERED;
    /* ReachableTime (in milliseconds) */
-   t->neigh_vars[17].proc_handler = handler;
-   t->neigh_vars[17].strategy = strategy;
-   t->neigh_vars[17].extra1 = dev;
+   t->neigh_vars[13].proc_handler = handler;
+   t->neigh_vars[13].strategy = strategy;
+   t->neigh_vars[13].extra1 = dev;
+   if (!strategy)
+   t->neigh_vars[13].ctl_name = CTL_UNNUMBERED;
    }

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dev_name = kstrdup(dev_name_source, GFP_KERNEL);

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diff --git a/net/ipv6/ndisc.c b/net/ipv6/ndisc.c

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index 0358e60..d388429 100644

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--- a/net/ipv6/ndisc.c

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+++ b/net/ipv6/ndisc.c

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@@ -1570,30 +1570,26 @@ int ndisc_ifinfo_sysctl_change(struct ctl_table *ctl, int write, struct
file * f

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    struct inet6_dev *idev;
    int ret;

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-   if (ctl->ctl_name == NET_NEIGH_RETRANS_TIME ||
-       ctl->ctl_name == NET_NEIGH_REACHABLE_TIME)
+   if ((strcmp(ctl->procname, "retrans_time") == 0) ||
+       (strcmp(ctl->procname, "base_reachable_time") == 0))
        ndisc_warn_deprecated_sysctl(ctl, "syscall", dev ? dev->name : "default");

-   switch (ctl->ctl_name) {
-   case NET_NEIGH_RETRANS_TIME:
+   if (strcmp(ctl->procname, "retrans_time") == 0)
        ret = proc_dointvec(ctl, write, filp, buffer, lenp, ppos);
-   break;
-   case NET_NEIGH_REACHABLE_TIME:
+
+   else if (strcmp(ctl->procname, "base_reachable_time") == 0)

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    ret = proc_dointvec_jiffies(ctl, write,
        filp, buffer, lenp, ppos);
- break;
- case NET_NEIGH_RETRANS_TIME_MS:
- case NET_NEIGH_REACHABLE_TIME_MS:
+
+ else if ((strcmp(ctl->procname, "retrans_time_ms") == 0) ||
+ (strcmp(ctl->procname, "base_reachable_time_ms") == 0))
    ret = proc_dointvec_ms_jiffies(ctl, write,
        filp, buffer, lenp, ppos);
- break;
- default:
+ else
    ret = -1;
- }

    if (write && ret == 0 && dev && (idev = in6_dev_get(dev)) != NULL) {
- if (ctl->ctl_name == NET_NEIGH_REACHABLE_TIME ||
-     ctl->ctl_name == NET_NEIGH_REACHABLE_TIME_MS)
+ if (ctl->data == &idev->nd_parms->base_reachable_time)
    idev->nd_parms->reachable_time =
neigh_rand_reach_time(idev->nd_parms->base_reachable_time);
    idev->tstamp = jiffies;
    inet6_ifinfo_notify(RTM_NEWLINK, idev);
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