Subject: Re: MCR

Posted by Masahiko Takahashi on Fri, 15 Dec 2006 00:56:10 GMT

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Hi folks,

On Thu, 2006-12-14 at 11:01 +0100, Daniel Lezcano wrote:

- > Perhaps, it could work, perhaps not. To use the zero window we should
- > check that all TCP stacks are compatible with that. If we have a server
- > running on linux and we checkpoint it, it will not be cool if all
- > windows client lose their connecions while all linux client or mac
- > clients stay blocked.

I understand what you mean. We should take a conservative way, even if dropping packets results in shrinking the window size.

- >> It seems we should check there is no packet in receive_queue
- > > before closing the socket. If there is, the kernel tries to
- > > send a RESET packet.

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- > The receive and the send gueue are checkpointed. If the receive gueue is
- > not flushed before destroying the socket, there is no issue because the
- > RST packet will be dropped because of the blocked traffic.

You are right. I forgot that all packets would be dropped after checkpointing in MCR.

| Thanks | |
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