
Subject: Re: [RFC][PATCH] Do not set /proc inode->pid for non-pid-related inodes
Posted by [serue](#) on Wed, 21 Mar 2007 20:29:41 GMT

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Quoting Eric W. Biederman (ebiederm@xmission.com):

> Cedric Le Goater <clg@fr.ibm.com> writes:

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> >>> what about a kthread that would be spawned when a task is cloned in an

> >>> unshared pid namespace ? This is an extra cost in term of tasks.

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> >> If you use kernel_thread this can happen. (Die kernel_thread).

> >> If you use the kthread interface keventd will be the parent process and

> >> we won't have problems.

> >

> > so is it something acceptable for mainline ? I think openvz has such

> > a thread doing the reaping.

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> Please clarify. Is what acceptable for mainline?

I think Cedric is thinking about a per-pidnamespace reaper thread.

I think you and I are just thinking of walking a list of all the
processes with a pid in the namespace, and killing each.

-serge

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