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Subject: Re: [netns] sysfs: issues porting shadow directories on top of 2.6.21-mm2  
Posted by [gregkh](#) on Thu, 21 Jun 2007 21:16:37 GMT

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On Thu, Jun 21, 2007 at 02:48:10PM -0600, Eric W. Biederman wrote:

> Dave Hansen <hansendc@us.ibm.com> writes:

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> > On Mon, 2007-06-18 at 19:57 +0200, Benjamin Thery wrote:

> >> /sys/class/net/ ("real" net class)

> >> /sys/class/net-shadow1/

> >> /sys/class/net-shadow2/

> >

> > This seems like a nice "quick fix", but do we really want to be hacking

> > sysfs around like this?

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> > We have the backing sysfs\_\* entries that are separate from the vfs

> > entities already. Why can't we simply have different /sys vfsmounts

> > with different views of the backing sysfs\_\* entries?

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> So far this has been easier. sysfs is so tightly coupled to the kobject

> tree decoupling them is seriously non-trivial.

Tejun just decoupled them, that's why this all changed in the -mm tree,  
so it might be a whole lot easier to do now.

thanks,

greg k-h

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