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Subject: [PATCH 16/29] containers implement namespace tracking subsystem

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When a task enters a new namespace via a clone() or unshare(), a new cgroup is created and the task moves into it.

This version names cgroups which are automatically created using cgroup\_clone() as "node\_<pid>" where pid is the pid of the unsharing or cloned process. (Thanks Pavel for the idea) This is safe because if the process unshares again, it will create

/cgroups/(...)/node\_<pid>/node\_<pid>

The only possibilities (AFAICT) for a -EEXIST on unshare are

1. pid wraparound
2. a process fails an unshare, then tries again.

Case 1 is unlikely enough that I ignore it (at least for now). In case 2, the node\_<pid> will be empty and can be rmdir'ed to make the subsequent unshare() succeed.

Changelog:

Name cloned cgroups as "node\_<pid>".

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include/linux/cgroup_subsys.h |  6 +
include/linux/nsproxy.h      |  7 ++
init/Kconfig                 |  9 ++
kernel/Makefile              |   1
kernel/ns_cgroup.c          | 100 ++++++=====
kernel/nsproxy.c            |  17 +++
6 files changed, 139 insertions(+), 1 deletion(-)
```

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diff -puN include/linux/cgroup_subsys.h~cgroups-implement-namespace-tracking-subsystem
include/linux/cgroup_subsys.h
--- a/include/linux/cgroup_subsys.h~cgroups-implement-namespace-tracking-subsystem
+++ a/include/linux/cgroup_subsys.h
@@ -24,3 +24,9 @@ SUBSYS(debug)
#endif
```

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/* */
+
+ifdef CONFIG_CGROUP_NS
+SUBSYS(ns)
+#endif
+
+/*
diff -puN include/linux/nsproxy.h~cgroups-implement-namespace-tracking-subsystem
include/linux/nsproxy.h
--- a/include/linux/nsproxy.h~cgroups-implement-namespace-tracking-subsystem
+++ a/include/linux/nsproxy.h
@@ @ -55,4 +55,11 @@ static inline void exit_task_namespaces(
    put_nsproxy(ns);
}
}
+
+ifdef CONFIG_CGROUP_NS
+int ns_cgroup_clone(struct task_struct *tsk);
+#else
+static inline int ns_cgroup_clone(struct task_struct *tsk) { return 0; }
+#endif
+
#endif
diff -puN init/Kconfig~cgroups-implement-namespace-tracking-subsystem init/Kconfig
--- a/init/Kconfig~cgroups-implement-namespace-tracking-subsystem
+++ a/init/Kconfig
@@ @ -323,6 +323,15 @@ config SYSFS_DEPRECATED
    If you are using a distro that was released in 2006 or later,
    it should be safe to say N here.

+config CGROUP_NS
+    bool "Namespace cgroup subsystem"
+    select CGROUPS
+    help
+        Provides a simple namespace cgroup subsystem to
+        provide hierarchical naming of sets of namespaces,
+        for instance virtual servers and checkpoint/restart
+        jobs.
+
config PROC_PID_CPUSET
    bool "Include legacy /proc/<pid>/cpuset file"
    depends on CPUSETS
diff -puN kernel/Makefile~cgroups-implement-namespace-tracking-subsystem kernel/Makefile
--- a/kernel/Makefile~cgroups-implement-namespace-tracking-subsystem
+++ a/kernel/Makefile
@@ @ -42,6 +42,7 @@ obj-$(CONFIG_CGROUPS) += cgroup.o
obj-$(CONFIG_CGROUP_DEBUG) += cgroup_debug.o
obj-$(CONFIG_CPUSETS) += cpuset.o

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obj-$(CONFIG_CGROUP_CPUACCT) += cpu_acct.o
+obj-$(CONFIG_CGROUP_NS) += ns_cgroup.o
obj-$(CONFIG_IKCONFIG) += configs.o
obj-$(CONFIG_STOP_MACHINE) += stop_machine.o
obj-$(CONFIG_AUDIT) += audit.o auditfilter.o
diff -puN /dev/null kernel/ns_cgroup.c
--- /dev/null
+++ a/kernel/ns_cgroup.c
@@ -0,0 +1,100 @@
+/*
+ * ns_cgroup.c - namespace cgroup subsystem
+ *
+ * Copyright 2006, 2007 IBM Corp
+ */
+
+/#include <linux/module.h>
+/#include <linux/cgroup.h>
+/#include <linux/fs.h>
+
+struct ns_cgroup {
+ struct cgroup_subsys_state css;
+ spinlock_t lock;
+};
+
+struct cgroup_subsys ns_subsys;
+
+static inline struct ns_cgroup *cgroup_to_ns(
+ struct cgroup *cgroup)
+{
+ return container_of(cgroup_subsys_state(cgroup, ns_subsys_id),
+ struct ns_cgroup, css);
+}
+
+int ns_cgroup_clone(struct task_struct *task)
+{
+ return cgroup_clone(task, &ns_subsys);
+}
+
+/*
+ * Rules:
+ * 1. you can only enter a cgroup which is a child of your current
+ * cgroup
+ * 2. you can only place another process into a cgroup if
+ * a. you have CAP_SYS_ADMIN
+ * b. your cgroup is an ancestor of task's destination cgroup
+ * (hence either you are in the same cgroup as task, or in an
+ * ancestor cgroup thereof)
+ */

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+static int ns_can_attach(struct cgroup_subsys *ss,
+ struct cgroup *new_cgroup, struct task_struct *task)
+{
+ struct cgroup *orig;
+
+ if (current != task) {
+ if (!capable(CAP_SYS_ADMIN))
+ return -EPERM;
+
+ if (!cgroup_is_descendant(new_cgroup))
+ return -EPERM;
+ }
+
+ if (atomic_read(&new_cgroup->count) != 0)
+ return -EPERM;
+
+ orig = task_cgroup(task, ns_subsys_id);
+ if (orig && orig != new_cgroup->parent)
+ return -EPERM;
+
+ return 0;
+}
+
+/*
+ * Rules: you can only create a cgroup if
+ * 1. you are capable(CAP_SYS_ADMIN)
+ * 2. the target cgroup is a descendant of your own cgroup
+ */
+static struct cgroup_subsys_state *ns_create(struct cgroup_subsys *ss,
+ struct cgroup *cgroup)
+{
+ struct ns_cgroup *ns_cgroup;
+
+ if (!capable(CAP_SYS_ADMIN))
+ return ERR_PTR(-EPERM);
+ if (!cgroup_is_descendant(cgroup))
+ return ERR_PTR(-EPERM);
+
+ ns_cgroup = kzalloc(sizeof(*ns_cgroup), GFP_KERNEL);
+ if (!ns_cgroup)
+ return ERR_PTR(-ENOMEM);
+ spin_lock_init(&ns_cgroup->lock);
+ return &ns_cgroup->css;
+}
+
+static void ns_destroy(struct cgroup_subsys *ss,
+ struct cgroup *cgroup)
+{

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+ struct ns_cgroup *ns_cgroup;
+
+ ns_cgroup = cgroup_to_ns(cgroup);
+ kfree(ns_cgroup);
+}
+
+struct cgroup_subsys ns_subsys = {
+ .name = "ns",
+ .can_attach = ns_can_attach,
+ .create = ns_create,
+ .destroy = ns_destroy,
+ .subsys_id = ns_subsys_id,
+};
diff -puN kernel/nsproxy.c~cgroups-implement-namespace-tracking-subsystem kernel/nsproxy.c
--- a/kernel/nsproxy.c~cgroups-implement-namespace-tracking-subsystem
+++ a/kernel/nsproxy.c
@@ -146,7 +146,14 @@ int copy_namespaces(unsigned long flags,
    goto out;
}

+ err = ns_cgroup_clone(tsk);
+ if (err) {
+ put_nsproxy(new_ns);
+ goto out;
+ }
+
 tsk->nsproxy = new_ns;
+
out:
 put_nsproxy(old_ns);
 return err;
@@ -185,8 +192,16 @@ int unshare_nsproxy_namespaces(unsigned
 *new_nsp = create_new_namespaces(unshare_flags, current,
     new_fs ? new_fs : current->fs);
- if (IS_ERR(*new_nsp))
+ if (IS_ERR(*new_nsp)) {
     err = PTR_ERR(*new_nsp);
+ goto out;
+ }
+
+ err = ns_cgroup_clone(current);
+ if (err)
+ put_nsproxy(*new_nsp);
+
+out:
 return err;
}

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