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Subject: Re: [PATCH 0/4] Kernel memory accounting container (v3)  
Posted by [Christoph Lameter](#) on Mon, 17 Sep 2007 18:27:11 GMT  
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On Mon, 17 Sep 2007, Pavel Emelyanov wrote:

> As I have already told kmalloc caches cannot be accounted easily  
> so turning the accounting on for them will fail with -EINVAL.  
> Turning the accounting off is possible only if the cache has  
> no objects. This is done so because turning accounting off  
> implies unaccounting of all the objects in the cache, but due  
> to full-pages in slub are not stored in any lists (usually)  
> this is impossible to do so, however I'm open for discussion  
> of how to make this work.

Where can I find more information why it would not be possible to  
account kmalloc caches?

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