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Subject: Re: OpenVZ on x86\_64: vzyum, vzpkgcache and vzrpm still broken?

Posted by [dowdle](#) on Thu, 18 Oct 2007 14:45:41 GMT

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No, I'm not sure... but I haven't really heard anyone say one way or another... with real evidence to prove their point.

Please note that this goes beyond OpenVZ is also applies to physical machines too.

If you have more than 4GB of RAM, running the x86\_64 kernel is a no-brainer... but if so, then why do we have an "enterprise" or a "PAE" kernel option (depending on which kernel branch)? Those allow a i386 kernel to access more than 4GB of RAM.

I didn't meant to cause uncertainty and doubt in your mind... just that you don't have to feel bad running an i386 distro on your 64-bit host.

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