
Subject: Re: [RFC][PATCH] memory cgroup enhancements updated [10/10] NUMA aware account

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Balbir Singh <balbir@linux.vnet.ibm.com> wrote:

```
> > + for_each_possible_cpu(cpu) {
> > + int nid = cpu_to_node(cpu);
> > + struct mem_cgroup_stat_cpu *mcsc;
> > + if (sizeof(*mcsc) < PAGE_SIZE)
> > + mcsc = kcalloc_node(sizeof(*mcsc), GFP_KERNEL, nid);
> > + else
> > + mcsc = vmalloc_node(sizeof(*mcsc), nid);
>
> Do we need to use the vmalloc() pool? I think we might be better off
> using a dedicated slab for ourselves
```

I admit this part is complicated. But ia64's MAX_NUMNODES=1024 and stat can be increased. we need vmalloc. I'll rewrite this part to be better looking.

```
> > + memset(mcsc, 0, sizeof(*mcsc));
> > + mem->stat.cputat[cpu] = mcsc;
> > + }
> > return &mem->css;
> > }
> >
> > @@ -969,7 +1006,15 @@ static void mem_cgroup_pre_destroy(struct
> > static void mem_cgroup_destroy(struct cgroup_subsys *ss,
> > struct cgroup *cont)
> > {
> > - kfree(mem_cgroup_from_cont(cont));
> > + struct mem_cgroup *mem = mem_cgroup_from_cont(cont);
> > + int cpu;
> > + for_each_possible_cpu(cpu) {
> > + if (sizeof(struct mem_cgroup_stat_cpu) < PAGE_SIZE)
> > + kfree(mem->stat.cputat[cpu]);
> > + else
> > + vfree(mem->stat.cputat[cpu]);
> > + }
> > + kfree(mem);
> > }
> >
> > static int mem_cgroup_populate(struct cgroup_subsys *ss,
> > @@ -1021,5 +1066,5 @@ struct cgroup_subsys mem_cgroup_subsys =
> > .destroy = mem_cgroup_destroy,
```

```
> > .populate = mem_cgroup_populate,  
> > .attach = mem_cgroup_move_task,  
> > - .early_init = 1,  
> > + .early_init = 0,  
>
```

> I don't understand why this change is required here?

>

If early_init = 1, we cannot call kcalloc/vmalloc at initializing init_mem_cgroup.
It's too early.

Thanks,
-Kame

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