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Subject: Re: WIKI - Shared webhosting - problem with mysql socket

Posted by [tauren](#) on Thu, 15 Nov 2007 08:32:41 GMT

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curx wrote on Thu, 15 November 2007 01:56Hi,

you must relink the mysql.sock on every restart the VE, because it's a hard not a soft link.

You can experience with the vz mount/unmount scripts to set a hard link from VE to another one.

Thanks, that helps for VE startup/shutdown. But the hard link is lost even if mysql is restarted within the mysql VE. A "service mysqld restart" removes the mysql.sock and creates a new one, thus losing the hard link.

As ToyKeeper suggested on freenode #openvz, a cron job could run every minute to see if the mysql.sock file has changed. If it has, then all hard links could be recreated. But that is more of a hack than a real solution. It may have to do though, as I haven't come up with a real solution yet. If there are any ideas, I'm all ears.

BTW, I updated the WIKI to mention this behavior.

Tauren