Subject: Re: Loadavg virtualisation problem (028stab047.1+fix) Posted by dev on Sun, 18 Nov 2007 09:12:43 GMT

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Dariush,

- 1. what kernel do you use?
- 2. how do you decide that your machine is idling? can you please provide output of `ps axf` from HN?
- 3. what do you mean by "I played with adding/removing cpus from the guest"? vzctl set <VEID> --cpus <N> or something else?

Yep, I see a problem with counters in the code on --cpus decreasing... will check...

http://bugzilla.openvz.org/show_bug.cgi?id=732

Thanks, Kirill

Dariush Pietrzak wrote:

- > Hello.
- > I encountered a ~6.0 load avg in idling guest, HN reports 0,0,0, cpuusage
- > stats both from guest and from HN suggest that host is idling, but loadavg
- > says 6.3,6.0,6.2.
- > Temporary workaround: after 'vzctl chkpnt guest' and 'vzctl restore guest',
- > guest started reporting correct values.
- > Guest is running only postgres database, both HN and guest are amd64
- > running on intel.
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- > I've got dev machine with the same problem:
- > eyck@etchdev386:~/40m-ovz/work\$ w
- > 11:55:58 up 3 days, 2:41, 1 user, load average: 129.00, 129.00, 128.96
- > on HN:
- > codev64:/etc/vz/conf# w
- > 11:56:20 up 3 days, 2:43, 7 users, load average: 0.00, 0.00, 0.00
- >
- > the guest in question is really idling.
- > One thing that those two machines have in common, is that I played with
- > adding/removing cpus from the guest (oh, and they are both amd64, although
- > one guest is amd64 and another is i386).

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