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Subject: sysctl, kernel.sem, kernel.shmmax etc.  
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Hi all,

i just installed a new openvz-enabled kernel (vanilla 2.6.22 with ovz005-patchset) and wanted to install postgres in my VE (which is running gentoo). While trying to init the database, i got the following errors:

error: "kernel.sem" is an unknown key  
error: "kernel.shmmax" is an unknown key

I took a look in /proc/sys/kernel and all these parameters are missing. On the HN everything is allright. Have i missed something in my kernel config or how can i get back these sysctl-params?

Thx, Skillshot

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