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Subject: Re: [PATCH][for -mm] per-zone and reclaim enhancements for memory controller take 3 [3/10] per-zone

Posted by [Christoph Lameter](#) on Thu, 29 Nov 2007 03:26:29 GMT

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On Thu, 29 Nov 2007, KAMEZAWA Hiroyuki wrote:

> ok, just use N\_HIGH\_MEMORY here and add comment for hotplugging support is not yet.

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> Christoph-san, Lee-san, could you confirm following ?

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> - when SLAB is used, kmalloc\_node() against offline node will success.

> - when SLUB is used, kmalloc\_node() against offline node will panic.

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> Then, the caller should take care that node is online before kmalloc().

Hmmm... An offline node implies that the per node structure does not exist. SLAB should fail too. If there is something wrong with the allocs then its likely a difference in the way hotplug was put into SLAB and SLUB.

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