
Subject: (SOLVED) unable to start mysql in Centos 4.3 vps

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I initially set up five Centos 4.3 vps, by setting up one and then copying both the directory in /vz/private and the config file in /etc/sysconfig/vz-scripts four times, then changing ip addresses and hostnames.

These five vps work just fine.

Last week I got another 16-node subnet, giving me another 13 addresses for vps, so I repeated the process, copying both the file tree for one of the working servers and a config file 13 times.

All of these additional vps start just fine, but they will not run mysqld -- rather, they produce these messages in /var/log/mysqld.log:

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060403 13:21:51 mysqld started
060403 13:21:51 [ERROR] Can't start server : Bind on unix socket: Permission denied
060403 13:21:51 [ERROR] Do you already have another mysqld server running on socket:
/var/lib/mysql/mysql.sock ?
060403 13:21:51 [ERROR] Aborting
```

Here is the output of ps -ax:

PID	TTY	STAT	TIME	COMMAND
1	?	Ss	0:00	init
27951	?	Ss	0:00	syslogd -m 0
27985	?	Ss	0:00	/usr/sbin/sshd
28011	?	Ss	0:00	xinetd -stayalive -pidfile /var/run/xinetd.pid
28064	?	Ss	0:00	/usr/sbin/vsftpd /etc/vsftpd/vsftpd.conf
32033	?	Ss	0:00	/usr/sbin/httpd
32068	?	Ss	0:00	crond
32111	?	S	0:00	/usr/sbin/httpd
32112	?	S	0:00	/usr/sbin/httpd
32113	?	S	0:00	/usr/sbin/httpd
32114	?	S	0:00	/usr/sbin/httpd
32115	?	S	0:00	/usr/sbin/httpd
32116	?	S	0:00	/usr/sbin/httpd
32117	?	S	0:00	/usr/sbin/httpd
32118	?	S	0:00	/usr/sbin/httpd
32397	?	Ss	0:00	/usr/bin/perl /usr/libexec/webmin/miniserv.pl /etc/webmin/miniserv.conf
9914	?	Ss	0:00	sshd: root@pts/0
9916	pts/0	Ss	0:00	-bash
18420	pts/0	R+	0:00	ps ax

Any ideas?

Thanks,

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