
Subject: [PATCH] proc: Do not invalidate dentries with submounts

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If the dcache path to a mount point is ever broken it becomes impossible to unmount it, and we leak a vfsmount. Therefore it is not valid to invalidate dentries with mount points at or below them.

This patch uses the have_submounts test as the other network filesystem revalidate routines do.

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fs/proc/base.c |  9 ++++++++
fs/proc/generic.c |  5 +////
2 files changed, 14 insertions(+), 0 deletions(-)

diff --git a/fs/proc/base.c b/fs/proc/base.c
index 0e71707..552d752 100644
--- a/fs/proc/base.c
+++ b/fs/proc/base.c
@@ -1216,6 +1216,9 @@ static int pid_revalidate(struct dentry *dentry, struct nameidata *nd)
    put_task_struct(task);
    return 1;
}
+ /* Force validity if something is mounted under us */
+ if (inode && S_ISDIR(inode->i_mode) && have_submounts(dentry))
+ return 1;
d_drop(dentry);
return 0;
}
@@ -1393,6 +1396,9 @@ static int tid_fd_revalidate(struct dentry *dentry, struct nameidata *nd)
    }
    put_task_struct(task);
}
+ /* Force validity if something is mounted under us */
+ if (inode && S_ISDIR(inode->i_mode) && have_submounts(dentry))
+ return 1;
d_drop(dentry);
return 0;
}
@@ -2056,6 +2062,9 @@ static int proc_base_revalidate(struct dentry *dentry, struct nameidata *nd)
    put_task_struct(task);
    return 1;
}
+ /* Force validity if something is mounted under us */
+ if (inode && S_ISDIR(inode->i_mode) && have_submounts(dentry))
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+ return 1;
d_drop(dentry);
return 0;
}
diff --git a/fs/proc/generic.c b/fs/proc/generic.c
index 4abd568..233dcdc 100644
--- a/fs/proc/generic.c
+++ b/fs/proc/generic.c
@@ -370,6 +370,11 @@ static int proc_delete_dentry(struct dentry * dentry)

static int proc_revalidate_dentry(struct dentry *dentry, struct nameidata *nd)
{
+ struct inode *inode = dentry->d_inode;
+
+ /* Force validity if something is mounted under us */
+ if (inode && S_ISDIR(inode->i_mode) && have_submounts(dentry))
+ return 1;
d_drop(dentry);
return 0;
}
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