
Subject: Re: perl LOCALE issue- and solution
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Hi,

or Disable overrideing LC_* variables in /etc/ssh/sshd_config:

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# Allow client to pass locale environment variables
AcceptEnv LANG LC_*
```

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to
#AcceptEnv LANG LC_*
```

so default LC ist used.

Regards,
Thorsten

Am Mo, 10.12.2007, 12:55, schrieb Kirill Korotaev:

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> was it -minimal template?
> Some of templates AFAIK have removed locales,
> since locales take really much space (~20Mb) while not needed in most
> cases
> (except for the default C one).
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> Thanks,
> Kirill
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> Michael Klatsky wrote:
>> Hello all-
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>> I ran into a puzzling issue and found a solution- but I am wondering
>> what the root cause really was, and whether others have run into this:
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>> After create a VE using the repo provided centos-4-i386-default
>> template, I entered the VE via ssh. When running perl (any perl
>> script), I got the message:
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>> perl: warning: Setting locale failed.
>> perl: warning: Please check that your locale settings:
>>     LANGUAGE = "en_US:en",
>>     LC_ALL = (unset),
>>     LANG = "en_US"
>>     are supported and installed on your system.
>> perl: warning: Falling back to the standard locale ("C")
>>
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>> After doing a bit of hunting on methods to set this, including these
>> pages:
>> <http://www.in-ulm.de/~mascheck/locale/#short>
>> <http://perldoc.perl.org/perllocale.html#Permanently-fixing-your-system's-locale-configuration>
>>
>> I started looking closely at glibc-common, as when I did "locale -a" I
>> got the message that locale directories could not be found.
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>> I checked, and indeed- rpm -q glibc-common reported that the package
>> was installed. However, after checking some of the files included that
>> should have existed, I found that the local dirs were not there
>> (example: /usr/lib/locale/en_US/LC_TIME). So, I grabbed the
>> glibc-common rpm and did a rpm -ivh --force, and voila- all was
>> properly installed.
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>> The purpose of my post is to document this for others who may have run
>> into this, and to solicit any theories as to why that package was
>> "phantomly" installed. Significantly, other than the locale issue- the
>> system was operating properly.
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>> Thanks- and so far quite impressed
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