
Subject: Re: strange problem with nagios nrpe server
Posted by [porridge](#) on Wed, 12 Dec 2007 21:56:50 GMT
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On Wed, Dec 12, 2007 at 05:59:13PM +0100, Listaccount wrote:

> Zitat von Gregor Mosheh <gregor@hostgis.com>:

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> > Kirill Korotaev wrote:

> > > Just for the history/other users the resolution of the problem Steve had:

> > > OpenVZ was installed on XFS

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> > WOW, good work Kirill. That must have been a gnarly one to figure out,

> > I never even thought of the filesystem type combined with a bug in NRPE.

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> Sorry, have not listen close enough to this. Why is it a problem with

> XFS. The filesystem should not matter for applications running so it

> would be a XFS bug?

The application (nrpe) uses a non-portable feature of some filesystems without paying attention whether a particular filesystem actually supported this feature. In this case, XFS happened not to support it, which resulted in invalid behavior of the application.

To summarize: it's a bug in the application, but can be worked around by using ext3.

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-- Unknown
