
Subject: Re: Patch to turn a centos-4 metadata into a centos-5 version

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This is an updated version of my previous diff. I missed documenting a step in the first version. This caused an error in the build process.

A binary and the diff are provided at:

<http://www.neonhost.com/opencvz/>

This patch to convert a vanilla centos-4 metadata into one for centos-5.

Instructions to apply the patch:

1. mkdir /tmp/opencvz
2. cd /tmp/opencvz
3. wget <http://download.openvz.org/template/metadata/centos-4/src/vztmpl-centos-4.src.tar.bz2>
4. wget <http://www.neonhost.com/opencvz/centos-5-metadata-v2.diff>
5. tar xvjf vztmpl-centos-4.src.tar.bz2
6. mv centos-4 centos-5
7. cd centos-5
8. patch -p1 < ../centos-5-metadata-v2.diff
9. yum install createrepo
10. make clean
11. make rpms

If your arch is i386, the metadata rpm should now be located in:
[/usr/src/redhat/RPMS/i386/vztmpl-centos-5-2.0-2.i386.rpm](#)

Notes:

- "kernel = 2.6.18" is needed to fix the "Error: initscripts conflicts with kernel < 2.6.12"
- udevd must be disabled when the vps starts up

I'd very much be interested in seeing this become an official metadata template on openvz.org. I'd like to get centos-5 out of the user contrib area.
